

# GOVERNOR'S DAILY NEWS SUMMARY

Friday, October 18, 2002

## *Clarion Ledger Jackson*

**Tunica hits pay dirt, keeps diggin'**

**CollegeBoard revokes degrees**

**Faith-based funds exist, no takers**

**Tort fallout threatens babies**

**Teachers win \$25,000 for 'class' work**

**Only 1 tort reform bill still alive**

**Scandals' price tag: \$200B**

**Public interest left out of tort reform debate**

## **Editorials**

**Tort reform II: Punitive caps should stay dead!**

**The best: Jackson teacher makes 'All-USA'**

### **LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

[Pickering, his congressional staff helpful to constituents](#)

[Toss Chip out, vote third party](#)

[Military retirees should back Shows](#)

[Shows backs workers, not business](#)

[State legislators' priorities askew](#)

[Child care not a governmental role](#)

[Government does not mind taxation](#)

[American citizenry must take action to prevent war on Iraq](#)

## *The Sun Herald Biloxi*

**House bill gives banks a break**

**Clean Water Act still evolving at 30**

[Fee dispute stalls lawsuit over school land leases](#)

[MS Coast native Bill Simpson honored at US Capitol by Lott, Taylor, Wicker, others](#)

## *Northeast Mississippi Daily Journal Tupelo*

[Survey: Most satisfied with state's higher education system](#)

[Candidates file campaign reports](#)

[Mississippi House, Senate kill business protection bills](#)

[Letter to the Editor](#)

[House passes bill to cap punitive damages awards](#)

[MUW preps for Limbert's inauguration](#)

[MEMA makes disaster housing assistance from hurricanes available](#)

[BILL MINOR: Pickering's record: Privatize Social Security](#)

## *The Commercial Appeal Memphis, TN*

**Miss. House OK's compromise plan for capping jury awards**

## *Hattiesburg American*

[House, Senate kill tort reform bills](#)

[Billboards to target judge's donors](#)

[Hope dims for deal on tort reform](#)

[Let values guide retirement issue](#)

[Senate not likely to pass tort bill](#)

[Lawmakers should heed poll results](#)

[Law officers deserve raises](#)

***Laurel Leader-Call***

[Thinking Maps connect with state teachers](#)

***The Bolivar Commercial Cleveland***

[Medicare cutback will hurt Delta area if it's allowed to stand](#)

[Superintendent worries about federal program](#)

[DRAFT: Registration becomes automatic](#)

***The Delta Democrat Times Greenville***

[Nissan shops for suppliers, workers](#)

[What will it take to halt the carnage?](#)

***Enterprise Journal McComb***

[How area legislators voted](#)

***The Greenwood Commonwealth***



['Stepping back in time'](#)

[Checking out colleges](#)

[Draft registrations now tied to driving](#)

[Education worst place to cut funds](#)

[Pickering hoodwinking seniors](#)

***The Mississippi Press***

***Pascagoula***

[Cochran visits chamber](#)

[OS aldermen using Scruggs as scapegoat for Finicky](#)

[Legislature should revise environmental audit law](#)

[Warning system is antiquated](#)

***Magnolia Report***

[Study confirms State Supreme Court split](#)

***Stateline.org***

[Mississippi: Metcalfe Becomes 1st Smoke-Free City In Miss.](#)

***The New York Times***

Georgia Wins Bidding War for a DaimlerChrysler Plant -

[www.nytimes.com/2002/10/18/business/18BENZ.html?ex=1035948147&ei=1&en=513dcd766e6cae98](http://www.nytimes.com/2002/10/18/business/18BENZ.html?ex=1035948147&ei=1&en=513dcd766e6cae98)

*One More Vestige of King Cotton Fades Out in Mississippi*

<http://www.nytimes.com/2002/10/18/national/18COTT.html?ex=1035947809&ei=1&en=f7866815decc5efa>