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STATE INMATE DIES OF NATURAL CAUSES AT MISSISSIPPI STATE PENITENTIARY

Parchman...State Inmate Clyde F. McCalnahan, # **X16924**, died of natural causes at the Mississippi State Penitentiary hospital on Tuesday, February 5, 2002. Inmate McCalnahan, a 77-year old white male was sentenced from Jackson County in May 1944 and was serving three life sentences for homicide. Inmate McCalnahan's body was transferred to Jackson where an autopsy will be performed in accordance with state law to determine the exact cause of death.