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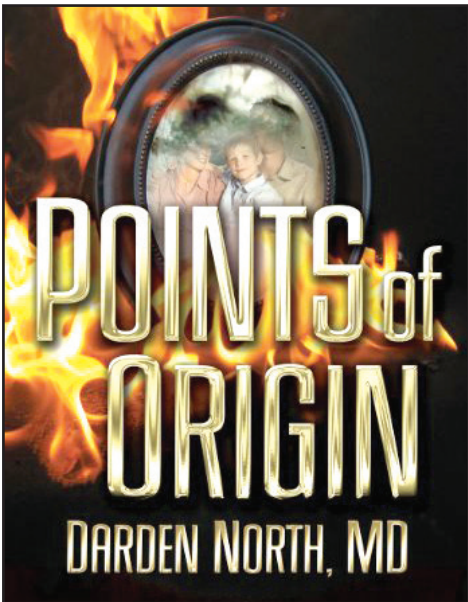
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Everitt directs, shoots *Points of Origin*

tion, Scott Hambach, created a variety of visual effects. The film is about an arsonist, and several scenes include fire. Everitt commented on some of the more awe-inspiring aspects of the original shoot, by saying, “we filmed most of it across four days with actors. Eighty percent of the film was shot at author Darden North's house in Eastover. There is such a variety of looks in his house and on his property, that we were able to contain the production, which helped to expedite it.” “Paragenesis Media has the goal of getting this film into several local film festivals, especially the Rails to Reels Film Festival in Meridian, which is extremely supportive of local filmmakers. Right now, we have about a dozen titles available on the free streaming app Tubi, and most of those are horror thriller titles.”

Points of Origin was written by Darden

doctor, they are also after Cordell Pixler, the community’s conniving trial lawyer. Many in the boiling southern town seek



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Author Darden North, M.D., plays Mr. McDougal. Above, a shot of North in a tool closet making a phone call.

North, M.D. - a board-certified obstetrician-gynecologist and daVinci Robotic Surgeon practicing at Jackson Healthcare for Women in Flowood. Darden North’s mystery and thriller novels have been awarded nationally, including an Independent Publisher Book “IPPY” Award in Southern Fiction for *Points of Origin*. North’s book is described as “set in a contemporary southern town, the death of patient Flowers Ridley costs Dr. Dan Foxworth his plastic surgery dynasty and his own life. While several families are consumed with retribution against the overly ambitious

revenge against Pixler - some because of sex and some because of money. In the race to see who nails him first, an arsonist plans the ultimate revenge.” Currently, more shooting of the film will take place in Tupelo. Those involved in the film *Points of Origin* are hoping the film will be completed close to the end of September. Local film festivals are coming up this Fall, and they want to meet their deadlines to participate. Beyond the film festivals, the group needs to work out distribution and getting the film out to as many different streaming services as possible.

2022 ERA Homecoming Court



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East Rankin Academy (ERA) will celebrate Homecoming on Friday, September 23, at 7 p.m. The 2022 Homecoming presentation will commence during halftime. The ERA Patriot football team will compete against the West Lincoln High School Bears. The ERA 2022 Homecoming court, pictured (l to r) front row, are: Sarah-Kate Alexander, Abbie Hutson, Abbey Kelly and Rylee Sojourner; and back row: Rachel Smith, Katie Tadlock, Addison Brown and Mary Kellan Sartin.

Obituaries

NAME	AGE	CITY	DOD	ARRANGEMENTS
Bennie P. Vanderford	83	Lindale	08/02/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Margaret L. Z. Stewart	90	Morton	08/02/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Audrey Nell Carr	86	Forest	08/11/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Van M. “Pete” Fortenberry	73	Forest	08/12/22	Wolf Funeral Services
William Jerry Porter	74	Morton	08/12/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Jimmy Paul Dobbs	60	Walnut Grove	08/12/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Jimmy B. Stokes	80	Petal	08/12/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Flossie M. Measells	79	Morton	08/13/22	Wolf Funeral Services
David Lee Weems	82	Newton	08/15/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Dwayne Edward Shields	31	Morton	08/15/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Jimmy Dale Gibbs	82	Lake	08/25/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Ruth Louise Ogletree	92	Lake	08/28/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Rodney Jack Willis	69	Pearl	08/28/22	Wolf Funeral Services
Erik Lashawn Estrada	35	Morton	08/26/22	Wolf Funeral Services