

Man Is Believed Lost in Swamp

A search was launched late Tuesday night for an unidentified hunter believed lost in a swamp land known as Cotton Lake about three miles north of Molino.

Sheriff's Dispatcher Jack Dodd said members of the Escambia Search and Rescue Squad began organizing shortly after a report was received about the hunter.

Dodd said that Raymond Dennis, operator of the Cotton Lake Fish Camp, called the sheriff's office about 9:30 p.m.

The sheriff's spokesman quoted Dennis as saying that the man went into the swamp land earlier Tuesday. Dodd said the swamp waters have been rising steadily because of recent heavy rainfall and that the hunter may have become stranded in the swamp.