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FRIDAY, FEB. 10, 1950 Plans Complete For Annual 4-H Livestock Show

roups Join Study Club **Seeking Library Here**

ontinuing the study of Texas, The school faculty, the Parentin the Park Building. cussion on the afternoon's Harral, program chairman, review "Cheaper By The Dozen." Mrs. Harry Cowden. uring the business session, club's library project was son, Mrs. Hamp Carter, Mrs. Har-Rankin Business and Profes- Russell Miller, Mrs. A. B. McGill, on the library committee. efreshments were served by Hamilton Still, Mrs. C. G. Taylor, esses, Mrs. Roy Priest and Mrs. Omar Warren and Mrs. Ted Hogan. Clint Shaw.

topics "Ranches and Ranch- Teacher Association and the and "Cattle Brands" were Rankin Business and Professionssed at the recent regular al Women's Club will be guests ng of the Rankin Study at a book review to be given for the Rankin Study Club on Thursday afternoon, February 16, Mrs. were brought by Mrs. Wal- John Kellerman of McCamey will Those in attendance at the meeting were Mrs. D. S. Anderidered with Mrs. W. A. ry Cowden, Mrs. Ralph Daugheron, president, presiding. It ty, Mrs. G. C. Fitzgerald, Mrs. voted to invite a represen- Walton Harral, Mrs. Sam Holmes, from the local Parent- Mrs. W. A. Hudson, Mrs. R. H. her Association and one from Johnson, Mrs. Jim Lane, Mrs. I Women's Club to partici- Mrs. Roy R. Priest, Mrs. Clint Show, Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs.



MARBLEHEAD, MASS. - In hopes that it will help in future

sea rescue work, the Army Transportation Corps is experimenting with a collapsible boat styled after the Eskimo umiak. Shown above, assembed and in action, the boat consists of four sections of wooden frame and a nylon skin and can be dismantled and carried by five men. Powered by an Evinrude outboard motor the 26 foot craft can carry eleven men or a cargo up to 3000 pounds at a speed of eight miles per hour.

Mat Dillingham Dies Suddenly of Heart Attack

ccident Wednesday Night Mat Dillingham, district man-ager of the West Texas Utilities Co., died suddenly Monday even-Mat Dillingham, district man-, then returned to Abilene as assis-Co., died suddenly Monday even- Some of his many accomplish-

Monday night, shortly after enter- Chamber of Commerce and pres-Robinson said that he was ing a local hospital for a check- ident of the McCamey school thrown clear and after getting up. He had complained of being board. He served as district back to his feet, tried to hail a ill a little earlier in the evening chairman of the Permian Basin

Dillingham was stricken with a ded the Order of the Silver Bea-Upton officers were unable to fatal attack just a few minutes ver, the highest scout honor, in 1949, for meritorious achieve-

Eskimo Umiak Drafted by U. S. Army FORGERY CHARGES FILED ON PAIR **HERE LAST WEEK**

William Shelton of Tulsa, Oklahoma and John Pittman of Midland were arrested by Sheriff H. E. "Gene" Eckols on the Mc-Camey-Rankin highway last rangements this week to feed and Loan Association of Stanton. was learned that the pair had passed a \$55 check at the Maxcey Hotel.

On pretense of working with a tempted to pass checks at the Slaughter Motor Company, Ben-Lumber Company.

Pittman was taken to Midland this week to face forgery charges at 9 a.m., and judging will begin Members of the 4-H Club who before a grand jury in session in at 10 o'clock. Tommie Stewart of will have entries in the show that county. It is also reported Roby will judge in the sheep di- Saturday include: Mary Anderthat he is wanted on similar vision. charges at Mexia.

jail at Rankin.

Both men were charged with forgery in Justice of Peace Court of Judge George M. Brown and will face the Grand Jury of the 83rd District Court in March.

Released By Mistake

night.

Saturday morning and was lodged at the site of the show. in the Scurry County jail for safe

Show Opens Saturday Morning In Rankin

Members of the Upton County time. These awards have been Sheriff's Posse completed ar- contributed by the National Farm

Thursday after reports of the pair some 3,000 persons at the Thir- watch will be awarded to the attempting to cash checks over teenth Annual Upton County 4-H lucky persons by the Upton McCamey. After their arrest, it Club Livestock Show to be held County 4-H Club during the day. in Rankin Saturday, February 11. The watches were donated to the County Agent, W. M. Day, Jr., Upton group by Nathan's Jewel-

cording to Upton County Agent

son, Amaryallis Harral, Mona Sue Some \$300 in premium money Branch, Barbara Harral, Mac Shelton is in the Upton County will be awarded to places in the Yocham, Linda Harral, Genevieve Poage, Gene Yocham, Gen-There will also be three di- try Holmes, Marlene Holmes, visions in the Men's Horse Show George Broyles, Mary Beth Shipp, but the number of entries had not Janie Shipp, Frank Boyd, Jr., been disclosed early Thursday. Bud Poage and John Boyd, all of E. O. Nevill of Big Lake will the Rankin 4-H Club.

Members of the McCamey 4-H The auction is scheduled to Club who will have entries are start at 1 o'clock Saturday after- Wayne Dillingham, Paul Brown, noon at the Rancher's Wool and James Lyles, Quinton Lyles, Janet Mohair House, with Fletcher Pauley, Sam Helmers, Scottie Howard and Karen Taylor.

The free barbecue has been A-dance at the Rankin Park planned to start at 4:30 and will Building Saturday night will be served by members of the Up- close the festivities of the day. ton County Sheriff's Posse at the The dance is open to the public and is sponsored by the Upton An additional highlight of the County Sheriff's Posse. Admisshow this year will be an assort- sion is \$1 a couple.

Store in Rankin last Thursday ment of Range Exhibits to be pre- In addition to prize money, the sented by A. H. Walker of the grand champion of the sheep Eugene W. Willcox was arrest- Texas A & M Extension Range show will have their name ened on the streets of Snyder last Service. The displays will be held graved on the plaque presented to the Show last year by the Mc-

Two prizes for showmanship in Camey Chamber of Commerce to keeping. The same afternoon, the 4-H Club sheep show will be honor the winners of all years as

ohn Vickers of Ozona was might have been asleep just pre- attack. He was 50 years of age. directorship in the West Texas ed instantly and Chester Rob- ceding the accident.

zona Man Killed In

n, a companion, badly cut ut the face and head, and sufat three miles north of Mc- after he had been hit. ey on the Crane highway at

ters of Ozona.

possible internal injuries, car to secure help and he was hit and was driven to the hospital Boy Scouts for several years. n the 1948 Studebaker pick- by the car. He further stated, by his wife for a medical check- An active promoter of scoutriven by Vickers overturned that the vehicle kept traveling up. According to information, ing, Mr. Dillingham was award- traveled to Snyder last Saturday

secure a description of the car, after entering the hospital. t 8 o'clock Wednesday night. but notified surrounding peace of- Final services were conducted ment. dead man is the son of Jake ficers of the accident and to be from the McCamey High School He held the position of vice-

cording to Robinson, he had sible blood stains on the fender. | at 10 a.m., with Rev. C. J. Mann, cil and was elected president in d off to sleep and awoke to L. D. Koonce of Odessa, and pastor of the First Methodist January, 1949, later resigning bethe vehicle veering into a Deputy Sheriff Jack Hallmark of Church, in charge, and assisted cause of ill health.

ing when stricken with a heart ments in this area are included

on the lookout for cars with pos- auditorium Wednesday morning president of Concho Valley Coun-

Pair Caught In Snyder In Liquor Theft; One

Sheriff H. E. "Gene" Eckols and Deputy Sheriff Bob Schlagal and arrested two men in connection with the theft of six cases of liquor from Doc Adams' Liquor

reported this week that 24 mem- ers of San Angelo. Owner, bers of the Upton County 4-H Nathan Donsky will be on hand company that was to move in club had planned 88 entries in to make the awards. later in the day, the pair at- the sheep division of the show. Some of the outstanding lambs According to information receiv- in the show will be shown at the ed, there will be 13 entries in the El Paso and San Antonio Liveder Hotel and Burton-Lingo Southdowns, 35 Crossbreeds and stock Exhibitions next week, ac-Sheep will be placed in the pens W. M. Day, Jr.

w ditch. He told Vickers Upton County brought Robinson had better get back on the into the McCamey hospital. way and the accident occur- Vickers' body is at the Spalding business house in McCamey was and again in 1946. Investigating officers be- Funeral Home with arrangements closed to pay a final respect to ed that possibly the driver pending.



e Upton County March of ng the drive. This does not insome containers still out in county, though most of them been collected by Wednesof this week.

ng the period, while E. R. p reported \$2,284.22 from the amey drive.

March of Dimes Western e last Saturday night netted

onal Foundation was 35c, and d on a population of and esti- termined. ed 7,000 in Upton County this d place the per person avein this county at near 50c Flights."

person. ounty Chairman J. T. Wade expressed deep gratification the donations of the Upton ens to help stop polio.

T Canasta Club ets At White Home Benedum Field

T.N.T. Canasta Club met home of Mrs. Campbell Wednesday with nine nt. Mrs. J. M. Craig won Bingo prize and a refreshcourse carying out the Valthene was served.

ending were Mesdames, R. ancey, Dale Parker, Larry er, T. S. Beckam, W. A. ey, C. C. White, J. M. Craig, Wallace, and F. M. Tucker.

Company Camp at Bene-Field.

tes Drive ended last Saturday a total of \$3,551.46 reported NO FLIGHTS WHERE ARE THE LIGHTS???

ton County Airport in McCamey. McCamey.

Beacon and runway lights caused postponement from the February 3 date . . . and still C. Logan, W. H. Button and E. e per person quota set for the lights haven't arrived. That W. Hallowell. United States this year by the is, they had not arrived late Wednesday as far as could be de-

.. but "No lights No C. L. Young, T. V. Grayson, E. G.

set the Upton quota at \$5,000. Upton Airport Zoning **Board Appointed Here**

> Four Upton County men were week.

On Monday the Upton County Workman of Rankin and I. L. ber of 1938, when he came here A resident of Hoon Hall, on the Jerusha Robbins, Mary Holcomb, Tuesday night, the McCamey West Texas Utilities Co. He la- football and other sports.

of McCamey, to the group. These Big Lake and north from Iraan to member of the yearbook staff and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Snell of four men will name a fifth mem- Imperial. ber to the board, and the named man will be chairman.

McCamey Lions Club elected Marvin Jesse Luster was arrested by Rev. W. I. Lee of the First Baptist Church. Virtually every him president of the body in 1945

Mr. Dillingham was born in to keep the two men separated, missed all day Wednesday in a 1925 graduate of Hardin Simmons The following morning, the Depspecial action taken following where he lettered in football. He uty Chief of Police of Snyder let "Cheaper By The Dozen" will the death. Dillingham was pres- also attended Abilene Christian Luster out of jail after he paid a be reviewed by Mrs. John Keller-

Abilene High School. Following the McCamey services, the body was carried over-Jayton, March 28, 1924, in Stam- was released by mistake.

ford.

land to Abilene where graveside services were held at 4 p. m. Interment was made in the Memorial Park Cemetery in that Fields Branch Vies

city.

Besides the widow, he is sur- For Slot On Track vived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dillingham of Abi- Team At Schreiner

lene: three sons, Mat. Jr., Carrol Many Upton County citizens Wayne and Lynn, of McCamey; kin drive, reported \$1,267.24 ng the period while F R the first flight by the Trans Texas mage, and a granddaughter, Ma-Airlines will be made at the Up- linda Carrol Gammage, both of

> Pallbearers included R. E. Ruble, J. M. Poe, W. T. Ramsey, H.

Honorary pallbearers included employees of District H of West Texas Utilities Co. They were "Perhaps in the next few days" Price Campbell, F. W. Schroeder, Hardin, W. I. Widner, and all West Texas Utilities Co. district

managers. Others included John Cole, Jack Ott, W. C. Putnam, H. E. Stoker, G. C. Pauley, A. M. Moore, J. W. C. Hayes, J. W. Gaddy, Jr., J. C.

Langdon, Joe Conger, Dr. James Cooper, W. D. Noel, I. L. Edwards Branch, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. W. A. Hudson. named on the Upton County Air- and John Cook, all of McCamey; Branch of Rankin, is a member port Zoning Board during the past W. W. Allman of Crane, and E. T. of the Schreiner Institute Band, Hurst, Estelle Harral, Ella Bar- District Director Evelyn Heard

Tuscola, Merkel, and Munday and class.

Hays of Big Lake. Mr. Dillingham had been a res- for a place on the Mountaineer Lois Roady, Mrs. H. J. Romine, Commissioners appointed Tom ident of McCamey since Septem- track team.

(Pinky) Edwards as their repre- from Abilene to assume duties of Schreiner campus, Branch is ac- Leola Smith, Myrna Holman, sentatives to the board, and on assistant district manager of the tive in intramural basketball, Maude Frazer and Blanche

City Council appointed T. G. ter became manager of the area Branch is a graduate of Rankin Roach and G. W. Basham, both that extends east from Crane to High School, where he was a GIRL TO SNELL'S

ATTENDS HS-U

nine years he was a member of girl born in a San Angelo hos-He had been with the company the 4-H Club in Rankin, and re- pital Monday, February 6. The to membership in the club. The

The body will set up traffic in for 25 years, first joining it at ceived the Gold Star Award and baby has been named Dora Olivia. Rankin B & P W now has 56 Wallace, and F. M. Tucker. club's next meeting will the home of Mrs. J. M. in the Texas Natural Gas-Company Camp at Bene-

Mitchell.

Boleing, Arkansas.

awarded this year for the first a personal award. in the car, and the stolen whiskey was still in the vehicle. Wishing

40 Rambouillets.

sheep show.

judge the horse show.

Stapp as auctioneer.

site of the show.

'Cheaper By The Dozen'' To Be Reviewed Mr. Dillingham. School was dis-Abilene, Jan. 8, 1900. He was a Luster was placed in the city jail. By Mrs. John Kellerman On February 16

ident of the McCamey School College and was graduated from fine for drunkenness, and all man of McCamey in the Rankin

A third man, Stanley R. Ham- vited the school faculty, the Par- Founders Day was observed mond is also charged in the theft, ent-Teacher Association mem- with a silver tea when the Kathbut has not been caught. Willcox bers and members of the Business ryn Secrest Parent-Teacher Assoconfessed and is now in the Upton and Professional Women's Club ciation met at the High School County jail in Rankin. He will to be their guests at the review. Tuesday afternoon,

ciation.

his word."

view next Thursday.

Worthy Matron Maggie Taylor Rankin-McCamey and Worthy Patron J. C. Brede- B& PW To Hold tiated were Mrs. A. D. Zachary Joint Meeting

Miss Taylor was presented a The Business and Professional gift from the chapter and a can- Women's Club met Thursday dle-lighted birthday cake was on noon for their regular business the refreshment table following luncheon meeting with president tee. the meeting. White carnations Lelia Workman presiding.

were used in decorations by host-KERRVILLE, Jan. 2. - Fields esses Mrs. M. J. Edwards and Mrs. joint B & P W clubs meeting to

Others attending were Dorothy

and is currently making a bid field, Edith Pettit, Gena Johnson Viola Warren, Lelia Workman,

the T. A. B. Book Club. For Rankin are the parents of a baby

club will be interested.

"Founders Day" Is

Mrs. Kellerman reviewed the The topic for the afternoon's book earlier in the year for the program was "Teamwork for McCamey Parent-Teacher Asso- Good Citizenship" with Mrs. Walton Harral program leader.

"On his honeymoon Frank Gil- Tribute was paid to past presibreth decided to have twelve dents by Mrs. D. O. McEwen, children and he ayways stuck to current president, and the Founders Day observance was

The public is cordially invited under the direction of Mrs. Tyson and a birthday party for the to attend Mrs. Kellerman's re- Midkiff. Mrs. Dan Runyan was piano accompanist for group singing.

> Past presidents in the meetwere Mrs. Dave Elder of San Angelo, Mrs. R. O. White, Mrs. Midkiff, Mrs. Ralph Daugherty, and Mrs. Harral, all of Rankin.

In the business session, Mrs. Campbell White was appointed PTA representative to the Rankin Study Club's library commit-

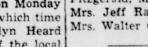
An anniversary cake iced in silver and white and coffee were served by hostesses, Mrs. G. C. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Campbell White, Mrs. Jeff Ray McSpadden and Mrs. Walter Clay McSpadden.

Game Night Feb. 21

The Rankin Business and Proreview the afternoon of Febru- fessional Women's Club will sponary 16, at which time local civic sor a game party the night of Tuesday, February 21 at the Park

> Bridge, Canasta and "42" will be in play for adults and Monop-

efit of the B & P W.

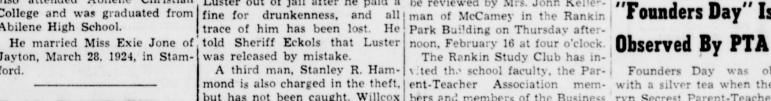


Anouncement was made of the

be held in McCamey on Monday night, February 20, at which time will be present, and of the local club's game party which will be held in the Rankin Park Build- B & P W To Sponsor ing the night of February 21. The party will be a B & P W benefit. An invitation was ready from the Rankin Study Club to a book

crganizations will be guests.

Mrs. Jerry Eckols was voted Building.



face the 83rd Disctrict Court Grand Jury in March.

OES Install Members: Honor Matron With **Birthday Party**

worthy matron high-lighted the meeting of the local Eastern Star Chapter Monday night.

hoft presided and candidates iniand Miss Faye Roady.

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THE COW STORY UP-TO-DATE

It doesn't make any difference whether you are a Republican, a Democrat or an Independent, the following article choose the style and quality hats from the Bernice, La., News-Journal is good for all to read they desire, by "El Rita," and the who wish to see our American system of representative gov- original "Park Layne." They will ernment survive.

Capitalism: If you have two cows, you sell one and buy a bull

Socialism: If you have two cows, you give one of them to your neighbor.

Communism: If you have two cows, you give them to the lived here 13 years before movgovernment and the government gives you milk.

Fascism: If you have two cows, you keep the cows and lived three years, and then moved give the milk to the government.

New Deal: If you have two cows, you shoot one, milk the other, then pour the milk down the drain.

Fair Deal: If you have two cows, you let them starve so you can buy your milk in cans, thus making business better.

THE FAITH THAT CREATED AMERICA

John W. McPherrin, editor of the American Druggist, redoctrine" that the state alone can bring security, though, he cently spent five weeks in England studying socialized medicine. He said that Britons seem to have accepted the "false" added, "I don't think they really believe it deep down in their hearts." He quoted the British health minister, Aneurin Bevin, as saying in a private interview, "The method we are using to provide health for all the people will spread throughout the world. Such a change is inevitable. America must

Then he gave his own view, in these words: "After five weeks in Great Britain I came home with a new reverence for the faith of mankind that created America. The same faith did not create the welfare state.

Tthe main importance of socialized medicine—and of the compulsory government health insurance scheme now being proposed for this country-is that it is not a thing complete in itself, but part of an infinitely larger plan to give government either ownership or absolute control over the people's resources and the people as individuals. According to the classic Communist dogma, socialized medicine is one of the most important steps in this direction. If it cannot be achieve all at once, an attempt is made to bring it on by degrees. To take a current example. Congress now has before it two bills one of which would authorize Federal handouts to medical schools, and another which would make the government responsible for the medical care of children within certain age The welfare state, in all its many facets, is the antithesis of what we have believed to be the American tradition. Sooner or later, it would destroy that tradition totally. being done today in a large sec-OOKING Our industrial workers have HEAD been the No. 1 target of both the Communist and Socialist propa-GEORGE S. BENSON Harding College gandists. For years nobody call-Scarcy, Arkansas d attention to the half-truths or allenged the outright misrep-FACTS-OUR PRICELESS resentations. No wonder a great WEAPON many workers became confused. When a certain early 17th Cen- In fact, an age-old strategy of the tury church indoctrinated its cler- Socialist schemers is to spread gymen for mission assignments, confusion. The decisive weapon the process was called "propa- against them is truth the fanatics. gandism." In the hands of the They hate facts. Nazis, Fascists and Communists Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Simon are

"The Fashien Nook" To Have Formal TOM WORKMAN Opening Saturday

C. C. CARLL

"The Fashion Nook" has planned its formal opening for Saturday, Feb. 11, at 9 a.m.

Mrs. Ola Smith and Mrs. Ruby L. Sharp are announcing the opening of their new business es-

tablishment in McCamey, to be located next door to the Post Office.

They will carry a full line of nationally advertised cotton dresses, hats, costume jewelry, accessories, hat trimmings, cosmetics and "Best Form Bras" "Beauty Counselers." In the dress line they will have the wellknown "Johnathan Logan," "Bunny's Casuals" and "Gay's Originals."

Customers will be able to also carry cotton and silk blouses, smart bags and gloves for spring ensembles.

Mrs. Smith, with her husband and daughter, Donna, have lived in McCamey about 15 years. They ing to Houston in 1946 where they to Freeport for six months and

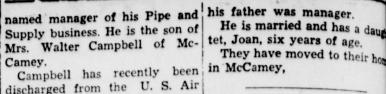
were then transferred back to Me- | mey three months ago. Mr. Sharp | THE RANKIN NEWS ... Friday. February 10, 19 Camey where they have lived the is also with the Humble Producpast two years. Mr. Smith is tion Co. employed by the Humble Production Co. Donna is a junior in Walter Campbell, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp and daugh- Named Manager of

high school.

ter, Linda, lived in McCamey three years, before moving to Brown Pipe & Supply Midland in 1947, where they liv- C. W. Brown announced this

were transferred back to McCa- formerly of McCamey, had been Rodman Supply Company while dian.



discharged from the U.S. Air Force. He was 1st Lieutenant. Around the equator the e He will be remembered by many

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meet and conquer the flood of the handle which fits them all. untruths from Moscow, can be of

minds close at home. On one followers, who wish to make citizens subservient to the State. Naturally, they never admit it. On the other side are those who have recognized that the various phases of the Socialists' planned economy would require giving up our personal freedom.

ON THE JOB

had the field almost to themselves and were making steady headway persuading our people food is sure to please all. we should adopt legislative proposals making the citizen more and more the financial ward of his government. Increasing millions of Americans now are getting wise to the fatal dangers of such a course. The best job I've observed in American "propagandism" in a particular field is

'counter propaganda," set up to Sin has many tools, but a lie is



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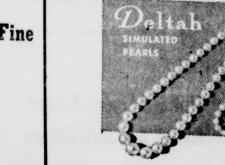


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bed to a new high record of 15,-478,570. Secretary of the Interior Oscar erning labor unions are too

L. Chapman reports that the gross strict. More than twice that numrevenue derived by the 48 states ber expressed the opinion that the is open to dispute, but President from these licenses sales, \$32,- laws are not strict enough. 657,940, also broke all records for earlier years.

In the number of licenses issued, Michigan again headed the list, with 1,110,109. California, second with 1,030,617, followed by Wisconsin with 1,022,004; Ohio, amended, repealed or junked 918,042; Minnesota, 862,822; Illinuman and Lewis to the con- ois, 783,073; New York, 690,462; It is the LAW OF THE Pennsylvania, 611,677; Missouri, - and it will eventually 599,109; and Tennessee, 426,437.

THE GALLUP POLL

Although President Truman, in

AND

D. C. BURCH

McCamey

Box 216

"punitive" and "one-sided," a na- 15 per cent. ing in the U.S. continued its tional survey of opinion indicates ward spiral during the fiscal that this view is not shared gen-

groups as well as by union and non-union membership. **FLOOR SANDING** Business men tended more than any other group to say that pres- mosa. ent laws are not strict enough, while manual workers as a group, FINISHING anud labor union members said either that they are about right civil rights. RENTAL SANDERS AND or too strict. POLISHERS

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enough?"

TAG: WHO'S IT?

Among labor union members

questioned, the survey found only

a little fewer than one-third call-

ing present labor statutes too

The survey asked each person

"As things stand today, do you

think the laws governing labor

Too strict, 17 per cent; About

A considerable difference of at-

titude was found by occupation

The National vote:

unions are too strict or not strict Senate.

in a carefully balanced cross-sec-

The Washington Post says that fascinating game of political Phone 130-W tag is about all Congress has to

show for its present session." Mr. Albright of the Post furnishes interesting details. He says: "Both political parties are quite coalition cloture rule. adept at the game. The idea is to point an accusing finger, and then duck before the accused tags | tional welfare. you.

"In any normal campaign year, Congress is more interested in issues than bills, but the start of erage altitude above sea level of this session is one for the books. any state.

year ended June 30, 1949, when erally by voters outside labor un- | "The biennial sport has far | Mrs. L. N. Jones Dies more Capitol fans than any leg-Only one person in every six islation in the works and should In Fort Stockton questioned said that the laws gov- produce more platforms than

laws.

ration of principles."

It runs about like this:

Democrats tagged for-

Act against John L. Lewis.

Not invoking the Taft-Hartley

Failing to make a stand in For-

Second guessing on a cut in ex-

Making only a token fight for

Manufacturing a crisis in For-

Building that welfare state.

Republicans tagged for-

Overzeal on tax cuts.

sheet to date:

the House.

draw:

cise taxes

program.

mosa

eign policy.

Mrs. L. N. Jones, resident of "Who started the blame-calling Iraan, passed away in a Ft. Stock-Truman was at least in on the first round. He said the Eight- Feb. 2, following a lingering illieth Congress' tax cut was re- ness. Burial was in the Ft. Stocksponsible for his deficit budget. ton cemetery Friday afternoon. Republicans hooted that the Pres-Rev. Oby Nelson, pastor of the

ident didn't know the meaning First Baptist Church of Iraan, diof the word economy, then franti- rected the services. cally went to work on a "decla-Mrs. Jones, a life-long member of the Baptist Church, moved to The resulting legislative score- Iraan with her family some five years ago. The family resides One bill "considered" by the on the corner across from the Baptist Church. Some six months No bills even debated before was spent in Crockett County during this time while Mr. Jones The score in the political tag was employed by the McCurdy his State of the Union message, right, 24 per cent; Not strict game is much more impressive, Oil Co. A short time after the labeled the Taft-Hartley Act as enough, 44 per cent; No opinion, but adds up to something like a family moved back to Iraan, Mrs.

Jones' health began to fail. She received treatment in a San Angelo hospital for some months and later was a patient in the Beverly Hills Sanatorium in Dallas. On returning to Iraan, Mrs. Jones' condition grew worse and she entered the Fort Stockton hospital last month.

Mrs. Jones was an active member of the local Baptist Church Stealing the Republican farm as long as her health permitted. She took a leadership role in the YWA, and was an active member And not balancing that budget. of the adult S. S. Class. Last year she was one of the 4-H Club sponsors and accompanied the group to many of the out of town Running out on bipartisan for- affairs. She was a capable and alert leader. Her presence will Foredooming civil rights with a be sorely missed by her family and many friends. She is survived by her hus-

Putting economy ahead of Naband; one daughter, Sue Jan of Iraan; four sons, E. D. of San An-Double-talk on farm subsidies. tonio, Harold of the U.S. Army,

Bill of Odessa, and Charles of Colorado has the highest av- Iraan, and one grandchild. Pallbearers were members the Iraan Baptist Church

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ton hospital Thursday evening, Rieve, president of the Textile puting benefits. These changes, ate in the coming week.

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COUPLES

for example, would give \$162 per month to an aged couple whose

curity of the CIO, headed by Emil five years" averaged \$300. Workers' Union, issued a report advocating sweeping increases in

The Committee on Social Se- monthly earnings in their "best This is above the levels of the

bill approved by the House which benefit rates and methods of com- comes up for hearings in the Sen-



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THE RANKIN RED DEVIL FIRE PREVENTION POSTER CONTEST RANKIN HIGH SCHOOL, RANKIN, TEXAS

-WHAT IF-

Shorthand class is getting something done.

Marjorie and Imogene had a

Zack would ask Barbara for a

Monday.

Zack showed up with an Eng- to love. (how?) lish Assignment for once.

There was a cracker fight in the City Cafe, Tuesday night. Elbert asked Virginia to go to

The Seniors are getting disgust-

ent colleges are sending out.

Winnie got a tooth ache from eating cracklins.

The annual staff is finally getting to work.

The homemaking department is Sob! getting some improvement done to it.

Joy is learning to play the

in Grandfalls.

John L. was an uncle

pals in Florida. (boys too) Everyone had their hair cut Shirley's cardigan sweater. The ly some characters. The seniors Fiddle

short.



CATTLE And HOGS

MIDLAND



each other in class too. The eighth grade was learning Esther and Don W. were not Barbara for a date? We know he seeing much of each other. (What likes her. Who is Carolyn's one Gentry.

is the matter) Don W. wouldn't use his arm.

Joe E. had a temper. Amaryallis and Ava D. sat in tice. It couldn't have been her ed with all the things the differ- the middle of the dogs, poor kids. ring. . All the girls sat together. Ann and Jimmy held hands in hear about Roy and Maetta get-

Joe cut his face up.

Sherry moved to Abilene, Sob! with the other night? What is The volleyball birls were great



ttle beanies or hats. . . Shirts named Tom? He sure is handand sweaters . . The new chokers some. Several people from Ran-Mary Alice and Lyn had pen lets . . Nola's new hairdo Tuesday night and saw the House band. Punk and Ann's footballs . . . of Davids play. They are certain-

Indian Moccasins . . John L.'s met Monday night and read over Dreamers Holiday-Lynn to new name, "Uncle", . .Punkin's the play they are going to pre- Toad. bobby sox . . Ann's new charm sent this year.

bracelet . . Lyn's saddle ring

Ava D's new loafers . . Amary- John Bunyan wrote "Pilgrim's Progress" while he was in prison.

allis new sweater. HAVE YOUR OWN AZALEA TRAIL Now - you can grow hardy Azaleas that don't winter-kill - grow everywhere. These dwarf Azaleas are loaded with showers of magnificent blooms - so breath-taking that millions travel for miles to see the famous Southern Azalea Trails. This spectacular offer of 10 hardy Azaleas for the amazingly low price of only \$1.69 will EXTRA make your garden a blaze of red beauty GARDENIA MAIL THIS ORDER COUPON TODAY NAUGHTON FARMS, INC.

Students Hit Parade MARJORIE WHITE Meet You At The Corner-Sam JEAN SHAW

CHOCK ROMINE to Billy. Why Don't You Haul Off and BILL HURN RUTHIE ELLIOTT Love Me?-Barbara to Zack. Blues Stay Away From Me-RUTHIE ELLIOTT Carelyn and Betty Sue to Bruce. Slipping Around-Marlene to

Red. Now Is The Hour-Joy to How come Ted has his jacket

back? Why doesn't Zack ask Boogie. Chattanooga Shoe Shine Boy-

You Were Only Fooling While and only? Wallace Gary of course. What did Miss Nelson for- I Was Falling In Love-Jean to get the other night at band prac- | Ted.

I Love You So Much It Hurts Me-Carolyn to Wallace Gary. . Wonder how come Billy Forever and Ever-Betty Sue has a black eye? What is this we

to Bobby Wyatt. Miss You-Virginia to Fields. ting married? Who was that Always-Wanda to Harry

handsome man Mrs. Taylor was I've Got A Lovely Bunch of Coconuts-Shorty to Imogene.

this we hear about Mary Alice Give Me Someone To Lovehaving a crush on Mac? Have you teard about Dick having a crush Elbert.

Miss You-Eighth grade t n Virginia? Why did Wallace Betty A.

I Can Dream, Can't I-Mary A

Dear John-John L. Tomorrow Morning Is My Wedand necklaces . . The new brace- kin attended the game at Crane ding Day-Maetta to future hus-

Let's Fall In Love-Demeris to

Jealous Hearts-Punk and Ann Now Is Forever-Don M. to Nola.

Gimme a Little Kiss-Esther to Don W.

No Letter Today-to John and John in Florida from Lyn and Alice. Country Boys-DeWayne and

Chattanooga Shoe Shine Boy-Kenneth Smith. Slipping Around-Coach to Jr

boys. Some Enchanted Evening-Marjorie to Chock. My Front Door Is Open-El

bert, Norman, Ted to R.H.S. girls.



SALESMAN WANTED

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Mrs. C. H. Kreneck **Dies In Kenedy Home**

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Muschalek Camey youth, was probated returned home this week from the custody of his parents.

Mrs. Kreneck, aged 77, died at Young Wells was picked up \$1.00 The first four grades are in her home Friday, Jan. 27, after Sheriff V. O. Earnest of Crock through the eighth grades is the eral services were held Jan. 28, day on orders of Upton Co Sheriff's department, after a She is survived by her hus-

W. Cooper of McCamey. The At a meeting of the executive was taken from near the doe board of the Rankin Business and office about 8 o'clock Wednesd Professional Women's Club Tues- night. day night Mrs. Leola Hurn, chair- The car smashed into a pickman of the club's Educational and truck in Ozona and was dama Vocational Committee, was ap- badly on the right front pointed to serve on the committee Damage was estimated at \$300 which is working on the public Wells is to appear before

Study Club.

Juvenile Hearing Set

Pete Wells, 15 year old

Sheriff H. E. "Gene" Eckols.

library project for Rankin under trict Judge Allan Fraser of A the sponsorship of the Rankin pine. The hearing will be Rankin at a date still to be set.

orders often get their start that

From where I sit, if a man wants

to use his left hand-that's his

business. It's not such a good ides

to make anyone do things our way.

just because we think it's right.

Personally, I think a mellow glass

of beer is the finest beverage on

earth. If you happen to prefer a

Coke-why, go to it! Only leave me

the same freedom of choice, won't

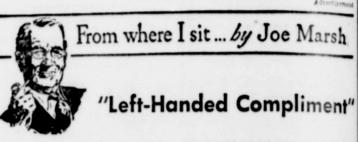
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Pesaw.

W. B WWSLES

way with children.



See where a bank in Derver is Stammering and other nervous dis. putting in left-handed checkbooks. They figure their southpaw depositors deserve just as much consideration as the right handers.

Time was when it was believed that left-handed people had no right to exist at all. If a youngster showed signs of using his left hand, his parents were supposed to break him of the habit-to force him to use his right.

But today most doctors will tell you that changing a child's natu- you? ral left-handed tendency usually causes more harm than good.

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The school has started a Fire-Prevention Poster Contest. Any- Kenedy, Texas, where they were and Mrs. E. E. Wells, early The Prevention Poster Contest. Any Kenedy, Texas, where funeral of day morning by Upton Cour is giving three prizes in each di- Mrs. Muschalek's mother, Mrs. vision. First prize is \$3.00, second Chas. H. Krenek. prize, \$2.00, and third prize is the first division. The fifth an illness of five months. Fun- County about 10 o'clock Wedn second division, and nine through jat Runge, Texas.

twelve is third division. Poster: must be in by February 17. So band, and four sons, and four port was made of the theft get out your paper and pencil and daughters, and 17 grandchildren. 1949 Lincoln owned by Dr. think up an idea and maybe you will win a prize.

IDEAL GIRL

Lips like Punkin. Legs like Nola. Teeth like Mary Beth. Eyes like Lyn E. Nose like Punkin. Hair like Ann.

Ears like Demeris. Hands like Esther. Eyelashes like Shirley. Personality like Ava D. Complexion like Amarvallis. Figure like Mary Alice B.

IDEAL BOY

Eves of Jimmy Y. Hair of De Wayne. Nose of Jimmy. Physique of Jerry Teeth of Richard. Mouth of Charles.

Complexion of De Wayne. Personality of all the boys.

District.

NOTICE that at noon on Friday, the 24th day of February, 1950, at Rankin, Upton County, Texas, at the First State Bank of Rankin, Texas, in the office of Dunn Lowery, in said Bank, the Governing Board of Rankin Independent School District will receive bids for the leasing for oil and gas and other minerals of the following described lands owned by such District: All of Blocks 17, 18 and 19

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