

## Cub Scout Pack To Be Organized Tuesday

Announcement was made this week that a Cub Scout Pack would be organized in Rankin at a special meeting to be held next Tuesday night at the Rankin Park Building.

The pack will be sponsored by a group of local citizens interested in scouting.

The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock.

Children from 8 through ten years of age are eligible for membership. Parents are requested to accompany children to organizational meeting.

Ted Hogan will be in charge of the meeting Tuesday night.

## Rankin H D Club Hold Regular Meet Tuesday Afternoon

The Rankin Home Demonstration Club met at the Park Building on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. T. Bushong and Mrs. Alvin Bushong gave a demonstration of textile painting for the ladies.

At the next meeting of the club, which will be at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, June 14, in the Park Building, "Work Simplification" will be discussed by County Home Demonstration Agent Myrna Holman. All Rankin ladies interested in the benefits received from the HD Club are cordially invited to attend. The meetings are interesting and instructive.

At Tuesday's meeting were Mrs. Bertha Lyle, Mrs. Sammie Hodges, Mrs. Alvin Bushong, Mrs. J. T. Bushong, Mrs. M. O. Price, Mrs. Ed Anderson, Mrs. J. R. Senter, Mrs. Ross Wheeler.

## Interest Grows In Story Telling Hour

There has been growing interest through the month of May in the Story Tellers' Hour held each Saturday morning at the County Library in the Rankin Park Building under the supervision of the librarian, Mrs. Hamilton Still. This is in cooperation with the Rankin Study Club's "Build Freedom With Youth" project.

Attendance has ranged from 33 to 44 children. Among the young people recently telling the stories have been Bill Hurn, Bobby Goodwin, Elbert Eckols, Virginia Godsey, Ruth McGill, Evelyn Eckols, Nancy Shurley, Carolyn Midkiff and Delores Anderson. Mrs. Marcus Price and Mrs. Chas. Homola have also assisted in the story telling. Mrs. Homola held a special story hour for 4th, 5th and 6th grade pupils last Saturday afternoon.

On this next Saturday morning at ten o'clock, Ruth McGill, Lucy Schovajasa and Mrs. Gill will tell the stories to the children.

## Kennedy Daughters Honored Monday With Graduation Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cobb of Abilene honored her nieces, Marjorie and Janelle Kennedy Moore with a graduation dinner May 28, in their home. They were graduates of Abilene Christian College. Two other graduates attended the dinner; Homer L. Dancer of Dallas and Nickolas Russo of Naples, Italy. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kennedy and family of Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Justus of Crosbyton and their daughter, Mrs. Beaburn Eickie of Snyder, Mrs. J. H. Cagle of Abilene and their daughter, Mrs. Harvey Eusan of Fort Worth, Janelle's husband, Edwin Ray Moore of Dallas, Jim Campbell of Winters and Mr. and Mrs. P. Russo of Naples, Italy. The Russos traveled over 5,000 miles to see their son, Nick graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bennett and children, Beverly and Scotty, have moved to Tatum, N. M., where Mr. Bennett has been transferred by the oil company with whom he is employed.

Joy Ward of Los Angeles, Calif. is visiting friends in Rankin. The Wards moved from here about a year ago.

## Mrs. Carrie Russell Oklahoma Pioneer Dies

Mrs. Carrie Eugenia Russell, 81, died Thursday afternoon, May 24, at 3:40, in a Duncan, Okla., hospital following a long illness.

Mrs. Russell is the mother of Jesse Russell and Mrs. A. S. Tidwell of McCamey.

Mrs. Russell had lived in Duncan for the past 31 years and in the county 49 years. She was a member of the First Methodist Church and was active in church affairs until she became ill.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Saturday in the First Methodist Church with Rev. J. A. Callan, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. J. T. George, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial was in the Duncan Cemetery.

Mrs. Russell is survived by four daughters: Mrs. A. S. Tidwell of McCamey; Mrs. J. H. Green, Mrs. E. M. McCartney of Duncan; and Mrs. W. C. Garrett of Ranger, Texas.

Three sons: Jesse Russell of McCamey; Earl Russell of Duncan; and Otto Russell of Alma; one sister and three brothers; 18 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

The pallbearers were her grandsons.

Attending the funeral from McCamey were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Russell and Mrs. A. S. Tidwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell of Denver City.

## Brownie Troop 2 Meet On Monday

Brownie Troop 2 met in Mrs. Ed Anderson's home on Monday and Mrs. Anderson and their leader, Mrs. J. Q. Russell.

Cookies made by the girls under the supervision of the leaders were served with punch.

Officers for the next quarter were elected:

Chairman, Virginia Harral.  
Treasurer, Carolyn Langford.  
Cleanup Squad, Waldeen McSpadden, Dorothy Abernathy, Sammie Steel, Joan Rhea, Nova Mayes, Cynthia Russell, Carolyn Chambers, LaJuana and Donna Knight.

Troop 2 will meet in Mrs. Anderson's home on Monday, June 4th, at which time the girls will make their packs. Each Brownie is asked to bring a feed sack to this meeting.

## Girl Scouts Troop 1 Pass Tenderfoot Test

A number of Girl Scouts in Troop No. 1 passed the Tenderfoot test at their meeting in the Methodist Church Educational Building on Tuesday.

Mrs. D. O. McEwen is leader for this troop.

Proper usage of the U. S. Flag was among knowledge gained from the test which was passed by Genevieve Poage, Pat Dishman, Kay McEwen, Rachel Broyles, Mary Lou McCain, Beverly Reed, Rovena Langford, and Jan Daugherty.

## Record Gasoline Output

U. S. motor fuel production exceeded the billion-barrel mark for the first time in history during 1950, preliminary estimates indicate.

The total of 1,015,000,000 barrels is an increase of six per cent over 1949's 961,791,000 barrels. 1950's motor fuel output was equal to about 890 gallons for each of the 47.9 million cars, buses and trucks on the highways.

## LP-Gas Barge Built

The first barge ever constructed specifically for the transportation of liquefied petroleum gas was launched recently in Beaumont, Texas.

Capacity of the new carrier is in excess of 320,000 gallons, equivalent to 30 railroad tank cars.

Twenty-one states now have constitutional amendments guaranteeing that all highway taxes paid by motorists will be used for roads and streets.

## Marshall at Congressional Hearing



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Secretary of Defense George C. Marshall (left), listens intently to Senator Richard B. Russell (D) Ga., (right), chairman of the joint congressional committee investigating the General MacArthur ouster and far eastern situation, before the hearing started.

## Seniors Leave Today For New Orleans Trip

Rankin High School Seniors, with their sponsor, Bill Martin, and Mrs. Martin, left in the school bus early Friday for a ten days trip which will take them to New Orleans. The group plans to go as far as Austin Friday. They will be at Hollywood Courts while in New Orleans.

Following the graduation exercises Thursday night, the mothers and fathers of the class members were hosts to the Seniors and all school students at a reception and dance in the Park Building.

This year's graduates are Mary Harrison, Marlene Holmes, Earl Brown, Dillard Delaney, Melvin and Marvin McEwen, Walter Rae McSpadden, Jackie Stewart, Bill Hurn and Billy Ross Wheeler.

Valedictorian of the 1951 graduating class was Jackie Stewart, and the salutatorian was Bill Hurn.

## REV. COCHRAN IS RE-ASSIGNED TO RANKIN CHURCH

Reverend Don Cochran has been re-assigned to the Rankin Methodist Church for another year. Rev. Cochran attended the Methodist Church Conference in San Antonio last week, at which time the year's appointments were made.

## Wesleyan Guild Install Officers

Officers installed in the Wesleyan Guild at the Methodist Church on Monday night were:

President, Mrs. Randolph Moore.  
Vice President, Mrs. J. Linton Clark  
Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ted Hogan.  
Promotion Secretary, Mrs. Tom Workman;

Treasurer, Mrs. Will Nix  
The next meeting of the Guild will be Monday night, June 11, at 8:00. The third lesson of the study, "Corporate Worship," will be brought at that time by Mrs. R. O. White.

## 'Why Should McCamey' Have Drive-In Theatre Contest Is Announced

H. Ford Taylor, who is currently constructing a drive-in theatre north of McCamey, announced this week that a contest on "Why Should McCamey Have A Drive-In Theatre?" would bring a cash award to the winner.

The requirements are as follows: must be typewritten; single spaced; and not to exceed an 8 1/2x11 inch sheet of paper. All entries should be addressed to H. Ford Taylor, c/o McCamey News. Deadline for entries in the contest is June 9.

The winning entry will receive a \$25 cash award.

Work on the drive-in is in full progress, with the screen being erected at the present time.

## B And B Food Opens In McCamey Last Week

The B and B Food opened in McCamey last Friday. The store is located on Fifth Street across from the bus depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brooks expressed appreciation for the flowers and encouragement given them on their opening.

They invited their friends and citizens of the community to visit them in their new quarters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Neal, with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Starnes of Ft. Worth are vacationing in Mexico City. The couples made the trip by plane.

## Administrative Heads Resign McCamey School Positions

### Pair Arrested Monday In San Angelo On Hudson Hank Burglary

Raymond Harris, 19, and John Cook, 22, both colored, were arrested by officers in San Angelo Monday for the Upton County Sheriff's Department.

The pair were charged with burglary in connection with the burglarizing of the Hudson Hanks ranch home north of Rankin last week.

The home was broken into on two different occasions, with some \$1,000 in silverware, clothing and personal effects taken.

Charges on the two men will come before the grand jury of the 112th District Court on June 11th.

### School Faculty Plan Varied Summer Event

Members of the Rankin School faculty interviewed Thursday morning tell us they plan to spend the summer vacation months as follows:

Supt. Still evidently plans to spend most of his vacation at the football field. He hopes to get the new stadium under construction, the field sodded and a new fence built.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin are outlining and preparing a musical to be presented early in October and expect to have a trip to the Rocky Mountains during vacation.

G. C. Fitzgerald will go to the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon for advanced post-graduate work.

Mrs. Leola Hurn will study at Sul Ross the first six weeks of the summer season for her B. A. degree and will spend the remainder of the vacation time in Rankin.

Mrs. Bloodworth will be in Rankin during the summer. Mr. Bloodworth was recently appointed Tax Assessor and Collector for the Rankin Independent School Dist.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Scrivner will spend the summer in Abilene where Mr. Scrivner will enroll at Hardin-Simmons for the summer sessions.

E. E. Stewart, elementary school principal, will attend the North Texas State Teachers College at Denton all summer.

Louise Nelson, band director, will go to school in Illinois this summer after a visit with relatives in Taft, Texas.

Frances Lay will spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Lay, in Coahoma.

Mrs. Beatrice Hodge will be in school this summer at ETS in Commerce.

Cleona Quiett will continue her studies at a University in Chicago after a visit with her brother in San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Dan Runyan is leaving shortly to visit friends and relatives in California for a few weeks and will then return to Rankin for the remainder of the summer vacation.

Mrs. Shiller will be in Rankin most of the summer but will include a visit to relatives in East Texas during her vacation.

Mrs. Pool will be at home in the Plymouth Camp at Benedum Field and Mrs. Eddleman contemplates traveling rather extensively while on vacation. Mrs. Reynolds plans to have her mother and father with her at their home in Iran for a while this summer.

"Happy vacation, everyone! And 'we will be seeing you.'"

### Oil For Rayon, Plastics

Acetic acid, used mainly for the manufacture of acetate rayon and plastics, is derived primarily from petroleum.

Three-fourths of the U. S. acetic acid production goes into rayon and plastics. Of the country's annual output of 400 million pounds of acetic acid, petroleum is the raw material source for three-fourths.

A quick turn of events this week left the McCamey Public Schools absent of all its administrative personnel and three high school instructors.

An executive session of the Board of Trustees was held Monday night, and when the two-hour meeting adjourned, the body voted unanimously to ask for the resignation of Supt. Howard E. Stoker "after due discussion and deliberation regarding the conditions existing in the school."

In the same meeting, the group also asked for the resignation of Robert L. Smith, high school government instructor.

Following the meeting, the breach between the two men was not the reason for asking for the resignation of Stoker. The facts concerning the meeting were discussed at an open meeting held Wednesday night and discussed more fully below.

On Wednesday night, an open meeting was held in the library of the McCamey High School, with some 15 visitors present, including students.

Following the open discussion, the board re-convened and bought the one year contract held by Supt. Stoker. The Board voted unanimously to pay Stoker \$7,500 as he was to receive during the coming year under terms of the contract extended him two years ago.

Also, the board accepted the resignation of high school principal E. R. Sharpe and elementary principal Bob Slagle. The resignation of Robert L. Smith was presented and accepted. Supt. Stoker tendered his resignation and it was also accepted. The board, after a brief discussion, rescinded the motion concerning Supt. Stoker on Monday night, and re-phrased it to omit the "request for his resignation."

As a final act of the evening, the board canceled the contract of J. H. Fulwiler, Spanish instructor in the high school. On last Friday night, they took similar action on the contract of B. D. Monson, shop instructor.

Supt. Stoker resignation becomes effective July 1. All others are effective June 1.

At the meeting Wednesday night, Stoker, Sharpe and Slagle all addressed the board and the visitors.

Horace Slaughter, president of the board, opened the meeting, and gave a brief summary of the action taken by the board Monday night. He pointed out that the board had not asked for the resignation of the two principals as some stories reflected as they were circulated through the community.

Supt. Stoker urged the school children and the school patrons to support the school board and the new superintendent who is to follow him, and reflected that problems should be studied thoroughly before action to avoid humiliation in the future.

He asked that the public reason and rationalize things out and find out the truth to questions.

He said that he would leave McCamey "praising the community and the McCamey Schools."

He stated that "I have tried to do a creditable job in the community."

Mr. Stoker closed his talk by praising his two assistants, principals Sharpe and Slagle, describing them as fine men who worked hard for the schools. He commended them to the board for their "careful consideration."

### SHARPE TALKS

High School Principal E. R. Sharpe then took the floor and announced his "surprise" as to the action taken by the board.

He said that he had been in the system for three years, and believed that "if you work in an organization that you must work for it. And that is what I have strived to do."

He pointed out that there has been some opposition in the school, and thought that it was pretty well under control, but that this year it recurred again. He said that the opposition was "undetermined good work being done" in the schools.

He urged citizens in the future

not to pay attention to loose talk over coffee and hurt the people who stay at home.

He said he was leaving the community without animosity toward anyone, but had nothing but good will. He said that he enjoyed working with the administration and the school board.

### SLAGLE NEXT

Elementary Principal Robert Slagle then took the floor, and also expressed his surprise at the action taken by the board. He stated that he had worked for the school at all times and supported its program.

He said that he would leave with pleasant memories of the school and expressed his regret in leaving.

Supt. Stoker took the floor again and said that there had been "rough times" in the past 13 years, but that this year, as a whole, he had had better cooperation from the faculty than in any other year.

He said that "if Smith had cooperated, and stayed on the right track, we would have had the best year in the history of the school."

He submitted a mimeograph sheet concerning Robert Smith to the school board pointing out the background of the trouble. He said that the information contained in the report was not on a personal basis, but from facts.

### MEETING ENDS

Chairman Slaughter then took the floor and said that he "wanted to make clear" that the controversy between Stoker and Smith was not the sole cause for the action taken by the board, and the board took action believed to be to the best interest of the school.

Supt. Stoker asked for clarification to avoid any misleading feeling by the public. When asked specifically, the reply was that the action did not reflect on his character, nor his efforts to do the best thing, nor his integrity as a schoolman. Slaughter said that the board expressed high regard for Stoker as a schoolman and as an individual, but due to the best interest of the schools, action was taken.

At the meeting Monday night, all members of the board were present.

Those present at the meeting Wednesday night besides Slaughter were A. M. Moore, A. M. Cullen, W. K. Ramsey and Mrs. Anna Wolf.

## Petroleum Prevents Rust From Fingerprints

With the nation's industries again swinging into armament production, increased attention is being focused on special oils to guard against metal corrosion caused by fingerprints.

Insignificant as ordinary fingerprints may seem, the moisture content of one can produce sufficient corrosion on finely machined parts to cause rejection. The special oils minimize this hazard.

Called slushing oils, the products are mixtures of solvent oils, petrolatums and additives. Last year approximately 40 to 50 thousand barrels of these oils were used by industry. To test their effectiveness, one oil company concocts synthetic perspiration—cost slightly less than \$1 a pint—from a mixture of acids and of salts.

## Record Natural Gas Output For U. S.

Marketed production of natural gas in the US hit a record high in 1950, the Bureau of Mines reports. It increased an estimated 13 per cent over 1949 to 6,124 billion cubic feet. All classes of consumption—residential, industrial and commercial—showed approximately an equal rate of growth.

State and federal gasoline taxes add up to the equivalent of an average sales tax of 33 per cent on gasoline. The highest general sales tax in the US is three per cent. Luxuries are taxed 20 per cent.

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**DIVIDING THE DOLLAR**

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**Every State Accepting National 4-H Programs In 1951 — A Record**

For the first time in 4-H Club history, the national 4-H Dairy Achievement Leadership and Meat Animal Awards programs are being accepted by every state in the Union in 1951.

In all these programs, medals of honor are awarded to county winners, and 17-jewel wrist watches to state champions. Sectional winners picked from the latter will be given all-expense trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next November. National winners receive \$300 college scholarships. The Leadership and the Meat Animal awards are being provided respectively by E. F. Wilson and T. E. Wilson, Chicago meat packer executives. Dairy awards will be furnished by Lederle Laboratories.

The first place boy and girl in 4-H Leadership each will also receive a silver trophy, and the second place boy and girl each will be awarded a \$150 college scholarship.

**San Angelo Rodeo and Horse Show, June 17**

SAN ANGELO.—The country's finest Cutting Horses have entered the Cutting Horse Contest for the San Angelo Horse Show June 7 through 10 at the San Angelo Fairgrounds.

Four horses will perform at each rodeo performance on Friday and Saturday afternoons and Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. Final contest for the cutting horse contest will be held at the Sunday afternoon performance of the rodeo.

Other special acts for the San Angelo Rodeo include Wilbur Slaughter, clown; Hoyt Hefner, clown and bulldozer shrdlushrd clown and bullfighter; Boomtown Quadrille, Burk Burnet, Texas; the Lane Trio, a rodeo act from Vancouver, Wash.; and Ruby Vance, famous rodeo band.

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**Report to the People**  
BY J. T. RUTHERFORD



(This is the twentieth in a series of articles prepared by J. T. Rutherford, State Representative Dist. 88, and published by this paper as a public service in the interest of better government in Texas.)

Back when the MacArthur fuss was at its peak, the Texas Legislature sent word to the general that they would like to have him speak to them at his own convenience. MacArthur has replied now that he will be in Texas on June 13 and that he will speak at the Capitol if the Legislature is still in session.

And from the way things are now, we may still be here. The House did the unusual again the other day, and it has brought down the wrath of some of the big boys.

You remember that we did an unusual thing last week when we told the conference committee that is settling the tax bill certain things that we want to go in that bill. Well, when the committee sent the bill back to us the other day, the House would not accept it, but sent it back for further revision.

I have asked a lot of the members who have been here a long time if they can remember any other time that the House has failed to accept the conference committee report this late in a session, and some of them can. Many believe that this is the first time the House has ever balked at having a bill crammed down its throat on the plea of "Let's pass any old thing and go on home. We're on \$5 a day."

But this time by a majority vote the House said no to a bill that was one-sided and unfair. And a new conference committee was appointed to see if they could do a better job.

The tax bill that is causing all the trouble was really a simple job to begin with. This bill, as I told you before, is the one passed by the special session last year soon after the death of Gov. Jester. They have taken this bill and continued it, with some items increased and some decreased and some left out altogether.

Some members of the House oppose it now because they feel it is riding a good horse to death. They feel that the taxes ought to be

spread out over new areas. One of the main causes of opposition to the present bill is that the natural gas tax is on the producer and royalty owner and not on the huge pipe lines that ship our gas out of the state. The House version of the bill had what you might call a test case as to whether you tax the pipelines without it being unconstitutional. Many feel that it would be unconstitutional, but others say we will never know unless we try it and then let the courts decide whether it's all right.

So that's what all the squabble is about. The conference committee took the "test case" out of the bill, and the House is set on getting it put back in. Of course, it really goes a lot deeper than that, because as it now stands, the little guys—the farmers and ranchers and others who own the gas—will have to pay the taxes. If the House has its way, that tax burden will be shifted to the big fellows who send the gas out of the state and sell it at such high profit.

Great political pressure is being put on the House to get us to shut our eyes and vote for whatever is sent over from the Senate and then go home. And people everywhere are condemning the House for holding up adjournment. But several members have said that they will stay here all summer before they will be forced to take just any tax bill that is shoved in front of their noses.

I can't help but agree that we should not base adjournment on how much money we make each day but on the sort of taxes the public is going to have to pay when we go home. And the House has shown by a majority vote that it feels the same way.

Another good thing about a prolonged session over the tax bill is that it will open the door to a lot of legislation that will be passed while we are waiting for the tax bill to come out of conference committee again. But everyone agrees that the minute the Senate and House can agree on the big bill, we will adjourn and go home.

The labor bill that I told you about, like the tax bill, has been sent to a conference committee to work out House and Senate

differences. When the bill got to the Senate, they placed a penalty of a penitentiary sentence on violations of the law. The House sponsor of the bill did not like the change, and he also wanted to expect migratory labor, which the Senate would not agree to. So a conference committee is trying to find the middle ground that will be agreeable to both.

Word came to the House by the grapevine the other day that Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey, who is president of the Senate, is asking us to work out the redistricting bill showing strong favor to all present Congressmen and not giving to Harris County the extra Congressman that is due it.

The rumor says that Ramsey and his group would accept this kind of redistricting but not any other. This just keeps with the predictions I have made that the present congressmen will be well pleased with any redistricting bill that is passed.

The way Ramsey wants the redistricting done, the extra con-

gressman would neither come from Houston or be elected at large. He would come from a new district that would center around Victoria County. And it is rumored that under a setup Representative Bill Fly of Victoria, who by the way is a fifth cousin of Murray H. Fly, former superintendent of schools and now president of Odessa College, and the Senator from the Victoria area, John Bell, will be among the top contenders for congressman from the new district.


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### Summer Play Time Is Here; Watch Out For Children On Streets

AUSTIN.—Summer is here and boys and girls will soon be out of school. More people usually drive in summer than at any other time. There are more ball games and opportunities for chasing the ball out into the street to regain it. These and many other summer situations call for added caution to keep people safe, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

According to statistics, 9,000 pedestrians were killed in motor vehicle accidents in our country in a year, and 230,000 persons were injured in a single year. These figures would indicate that both drivers and pedestrians have much to learn.

The pedestrian is often his own worst enemy. Ignorance of the rules of the road, failure to understand the problems of the driver, and carelessness about reading signs and observing safe walking habits are the causes of

many pedestrian accidents. Children interested in a game, or absorbed in a certain activity, are apt to run into the street from the walk, or from behind a parked car and pay dearly for this action. People do not want to make children fearful, but through understanding safe practices, they want them to be confident and responsible for themselves.

Those who ride bicycles are the cause of certain types of accidents. A few safety rules for them are: ride close to the right curb or to the right side of the highway; obey all traffic rules; Refuse handle bar rides; and refrain from hitching to autos, or buses.

When walking on a highway at night, wear or carry something white. This should be worn or carried as low as possible so that car headlights, which are directed downward, will pick it up.

Go your way with the spices of loving thoughts and beautiful deeds, and you will find that the stone has been rolled away.—Robert Norwood.

### Trans-Texas Airways Announces Complete System-Wide Changes

Trans-Texas Airways, serving 30 Texas cities and four border points, today announced a complete system-wide schedule change which went into effect on May 20, 1951.

Starliner Flight 44, from El Paso and Fort Stockton, arrives in McCarney at 9:34 a. m.; in Ft. Worth at 11:52 a. m., and Dallas at 12:15 p. m., where it connects with flight 53 for Tyler, Lufkin, Beaumont-Port Arthur, and Houston, arrives at 6:34 p. m. in Houston. In Dallas, flight 44 connects with another carrier for service to Oklahoma City, Kansas City, Chicago, Denver and Amarillo. Flight 43 from Beaumont-Port Arthur, Dallas and San Angelo arrives in McCarney at 8:01 p. m. and continues to Fort Stockton and El Paso, where it connects with another carrier for service to the West Coast.

Vision is the art of seeing things invisible.—Swift.

### Oil Origin Study

A long-range study into the role of marine animal and plant life sediments in creating crude oil has been launched by the American Petroleum Institute.

The remains of prehistoric marine life buried in sedimentary rock strata generally are believed to be the source of oil formations. If it can be determined how this conversion occurs, it will aid very markedly in the location and development of new deposits.

Gasoline Price Steady

In a year of sharply rising prices of most goods, the average gasoline price (based on figures from 50 representative U. S. cities) declined slightly in 1950. The average 1950 service station price for regular grade gasoline, taxes included, was 26.76 cents a gallon compared to 26.79 cents in 1949.

Youngsters who obtain their first automobile driving license this year can expect to pay about \$2,000 in motoring taxes during their lifetime.

Be an island of calm confidence in a world of turmoil—not blind wishful thinking, but belief in the power for right of a God who cares.—Speers.

You can put the most untutored persons into the highest society, and if they have a reservoir of Love in their hearts, they will not behave themselves unseemly.—H. Drummond.

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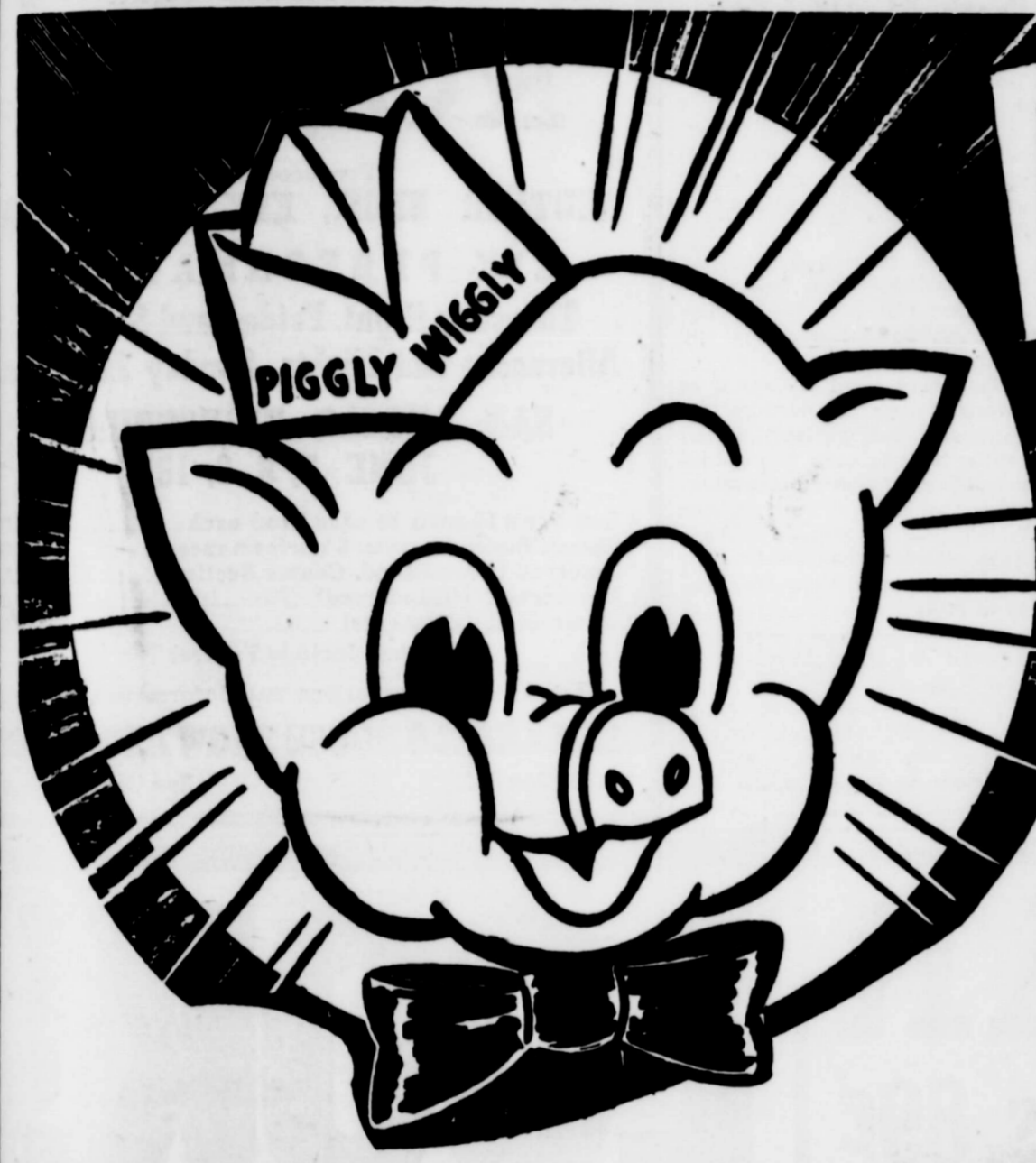
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<b>SUGAR</b>	Pure Cane 10 Lbs.	<b>85c</b>
<b>COFFEE</b>	Any Brand Lb.	<b>79c</b>
<b>CATSUP</b>	Brooks Tomato	<b>19c</b>

LARGE FRESH	EACH	
<b>PINEAPPLE</b>	<b>29c</b>	
NEW CROP (YOU PICK 'EM)	10 LBS.	
<b>SPUDS</b>	<b>29c</b>	
DELICIOUS, EXTRA FANCY	2 LBS.	
<b>APPLES</b>	<b>25c</b>	
	BUNCH	
<b>RADISHES</b>	<b>5c</b>	
STRAINED	3 CANS	
<b>Baby Food</b>	<b>25c</b>	
ANY BRAND	CARTON	
<b>Cigarettes</b>	<b>\$1.79</b>	
	REG. SIZE	
<b>Soap Powder</b>	<b>29c</b>	

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<b>Grapefruit Juice</b> . . . . .	46 Oz. Can 23c
<b>FLAT SARDINES</b> . . . . .	Can 6c
CHUCK TIME	
<b>VIENNA SAUSAGE</b> . . . . .	2 Cans 15c
BRIGHT & EARLY	
<b>T E A</b> . . . . .	1-4 Lb. (with glass) 29c
CAMPBELL'S, 1 LB. CAN	
<b>Pork &amp; Beans</b> . . . . .	2 For 29c
VACUUM PACKED, WHOLE KERNEL	
<b>C O R N</b> . . . . .	2 Cans 33c
\$1.25 SIZE	
<b>H A D A C O L</b> . . . . .	92c

FOR FRYING OR SEASONING	LB.	
<b>SALT PORK</b>	<b>29c</b>	
HALF OR WHOLE, HICKORY SMOKED	LB.	
<b>H A M</b>	<b>47c</b>	
	LB.	
<b>Pork Steak</b>	<b>49c</b>	
FRESH	LB.	
<b>Ground Beef</b>	<b>49c</b>	
BLUE JEAN, COLORED AND QUARTERED	LB.	
<b>OLEO</b>	<b>29c</b>	
SKINLESS	LB.	
<b>WEINERS</b>	<b>39c</b>	
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<b>Facial Tissue</b>	<b>23c</b>	

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Goofy Cartoon Short

## Shipments to China



Conservative leader Winston Churchill has accused the British Labor government of appeasement over its admission of shipping strategic materials to Communist China since the Korean War began in June, 1950. Sir Hartley Shawcross, president of the British Board of Trade, listed the amounts from various places as shown above, and admitted that other exports went from other British colonial territories.

## Jack Belcher Renamed Coach At S.W.J.T.C.

The Board of Trustees of S. W. Texas Jr. College met Wednesday evening, May 9, to re-elect 16 faculty members with salary raises in accordance with provisions of the single salary schedule bases on an enrollment of 230 students.

Teachers re-elected by the board included Jack Belcher of McCamey, head of the department of physical education and coach.

The board went on record as favoring work scholarships for athletes. The scholarships will enable boys to earn their board through job assignments amounting to two hours of work per day. In addition, all athletic scholarships include reduction of tuition to \$25 per semester, and free room rent.

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## THE RANKIN NEWS . . . Friday, June 1, 1951

### Congratulations:

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin P. Puckett of Rankin are parents of a girl born May 2 in the Cooper Hospital. The baby weighed six lbs. 12 ozs. and has been named Melva Kathleen.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Arms of Rankin are parents of a girl born May 17 in the Cooper Hospital. Weight 7 1-2 lbs. She has been named Sallie Ruth.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cipino Barrandy are parents of a boy, born May 6 in the Cooper Hospital. Weight 5 1-2 lbs. Francisco is the baby's name.

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Mr. and Mrs. Silberio Montes are parents of a girl born May 29 in the Cooper Hospital. Weight 7 1-2 lbs. She was named Maria.

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| FRESH                  | POUND      |  |
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| CRISP, GREEN           | POUND      |  |
| <b>CUCUMBERS</b>       | <b>11c</b> |  |
|                        | BUNCH      |  |
| <b>RADISHES</b>        | <b>5c</b>  |  |

Specials For Friday and Saturday, June 1 and 2

## Folger's Coffee

1 lb. 85c 2 lbs. \$1.69

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| TIDE . . . . .                                | Large 31c—Giant 81c |
| ANY BRAND TOMATO JUICE . . . . .              | 46 Oz. Can 31c      |
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| HUNT'S CATSUP . . . . .                       | 14 Oz. Bottle 23c   |
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| <b>PICNICS</b> | <b>43c</b> |  |
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