

Farm Road Talks In Austin Tuesday Afternoon

Members of the Upton County Commissioners Court, headed by Judge G. H. "Bud" Fisher, met with the State Highway Commission in Austin Tuesday and asked for some further action on the proposed farm road leading into the Pecos County farming area some eight miles south of McCamey.

The delegation presented a letter to the Commission from Pecos County, stating that that county was interested in participating in the early completion of the project.

The letter was handed to Upton County last week in Ft. Stockton at the area meeting of Commissioners Courts. The letter was signed by Judge Paul Counts.

According to reports received late Wednesday night, the prospects for a favorable report from the commission were bright. Reports from two of the commissioners said that D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer, recommended to the State Highway Commission

that the proposal be turned over to the State Engineering Department for study.

The two stated further that the presentation was pleased with the presentation of the letter from Pecos County, and a spokesman for the commission commented "It looks like you're getting somewhere now."

Upton County sought permission from the commission to expend some \$49,000 of FM funds of Upton County in Crockett County to the Pecos River. Future FM funds of Upton and Pecos Counties are to be pledged to complete the project.

It was not learned when a ruling on the application would be made by the commission.

Those attending the meeting from Upton County besides Judge Fisher were Commissioners Tom Trimble and Joe Conger of McCamey, and Commissioners W. J. Price and Sam Holmes of Rankin.

Lady Tells Court That Action 'Needed Now In Spraberry'

Mrs. R. R. Calcote, who has resided in the northeast part of Upton County since 1934, told the commissioner's court Thursday that "something needs to be done right now to open a road."

Previously, she had told the court that she had to drive 75 miles to get to Rankin, since the gates had been locked along the road she had been traveling to Rankin. The old route was only 35 miles from Rankin.

She said that "someone is liable to get hurt if a road is not opened up." She said that unless something was done to establish a road soon, that some of the people were going to start cutting fences and going where they want to go.

Earlier in the day, County Attorney John Menefee was called in for legal advice on the closing of the road. He told the court that he advised them to appoint a jury of view, have the right-of-way established by this group, in cooperation with engineers, and have it opened up by the county for use.

No immediate action was taken by the court on this recommendation, as they had hopes of making arrangements with the ranchers concerned without having to use condemnation procedures.

RANKIN WALLOPS ACKERLY 40-16; PLAY MARATHON TODAY

The powerful Rankin Red Devils treated the Ackerly Eagles to a 40-16 licking in Rankin Friday night. It was Rankin's first ball game while Ackerly had previously been defeated 12-6 by Sterling City. The Rankin team sounded a warning to future opponents by the easy way they ran over the Eagles. Second stringers began to see service after the first quarter. Rankin led 21-0 at this point in the game.

The Red Devils opened the fireworks early as Norman Yocham ran 40 yards for the game's first score. The try for point was good on a pass from Eckols to Bruce McCain. A few plays later Eckols tallied on a 45 yd. scamper and

kicked the extra point. Near the end of the first period, Norman Yocham scored again for Rankin. The try for point failed. The next score came early in the second quarter when Eckols intercepted an Ackerly pass and went the distance. The Red Devils led at the half 28-0. The second half saw lots of substituting. However, Norman Yocham played long enough to add two more touchdowns to the Red Devils' total.

The Ackerly team scored late in the fourth quarter on a long drive with Joe Don Zant scoring from the one yard line on a fourth down

try. The point try failed and Rankin took the non-conference affair 40-6.

Rankin made 234 yards rushing to 51 for Ackerly and 12 first downs to 3.

The Red Devils will be in Marathon this weekend for another non-conference game with the Marathon Mustangs. These teams met for the regional championship last season in McCamey. The Devils won 45-18.

Let's have a large crowd at Marathon to cheer the home team to victory. Time is 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Members of the grand jury are to report Monday morning at 10 a.m. Those on the grand jury are Frank Boyd, Alvin Bushong, B. C. Taylor, Henry Scarborough, H. C. Dishman, Preston Patton, F. W. Welling, R. L. Bell, R. S. Windham, F. E. Carter, Tomas Molina, E. G. Wilkerson, W. H. Carter, H. H. Qualls, W. E. Pulley and Wayne W. Howell.

The 40 member petit jury is to report to the courtroom in the courthouse in Rankin on Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. Those on the

Upton To Host Next Area Commissioner Meet

Judges and commissioners from nine counties agreed on an "informal organization" for the Trans-Pecos and Big Bend areas for discussion of mutual problems at Ft. Stockton Friday.

The next meeting will be in January with the Upton County officials as the host group at Rankin. It was decided by those attending Friday's meeting there would be one gathering each quarter and it would be "strictly informal with no officers and no dues," according to Pecos County Judge Paul Counts, whose court was host for the initial session.

Counties represented included Pecos, Crane, Ector, Jeff Davis, Brewster, Reeves, Ward, Terrell, and Crockett.

Attending from Upton County were Judge G. H. "Bud" Fisher, and Commissioners Joe Conger and Tom Trimble.

Pembroke Fields Given Extensions

Two NE Upton County Spraberry pools have gained three extensions.

Extending the Pembroke field 1 1/4 miles SE, Anderson-Prichard Oil Corp. of Oklahoma City No. 1 B. R. Greathouse was completed for a 24 hour flow of 270 bbls. of oil, with a shakeout of two per cent basic sediment and water.

The flow was through a 1 1/2 inch tubing choke from open hole between 6,810 ft., where 7 in. casing was set, and 6,903 ft., the total depth which was Hydracased with 3,000 gallons. Gas-oil ratio was 795-1. Tubing pressure was 40 lbs. No. 1 Greathouse, the Oklahoma firm's first Spraberry producer, is 660 ft. from north and west lines of sec. 13-D-EL&RR survey.

Paul E. Barnhart of Houston No. 144-B V. P. Tippet, 1 1/2 miles west of nearest production in the North Pembroke field, was finished for a daily flow of 215 bbls. of 37 gravity oil through a 24-64 inch tubing choke from open hole between 7,163 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and 7,309 ft., total depth. The section was Hydracased with 4,500 gallons.

Gas-oil ratio was 725-1. The extender is 660 ft. from south and east lines of NW quarter of sec. 44-38-5s-T&P survey.

Extending North Pembroke pool 1 1/2 miles north and slightly west, R. T. McDermott of Houston No. 140-C V. P. Tippet finished for a 24 hour flow of 325 bbls. of 37-1 gravity oil. Gas-oil ratio was 850-1. Production was through a 22-64 inch tubing choke from open hole between 7,098 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and 7,277 ft., the total depth. The section was Hydracased with 4,500 gallons. Location 40-38-5s-T&P survey.

Anderson-Prichard Oil Corp. and Greenbriar Oil Co. No. 1 R. S. Windham and others, WC Upton wildcat 3 1/2 miles SE of opener of the Wilshire (Ellenburger) field, recovered 900 feet oil and 30 feet of oil and gas-cut mud following a one hour drillstem test from 9,092 to 9,122 ft. in the Wolfcamp. The drillpipe unloaded oil as it was being pulled. Open flowing bottom-hole pressure was 525 up to 1,300 lbs., with 20 minute shut-in pressure 2,600 lbs. On the test it flowed oil to the pits for 30 minutes at the rate of 30 bbls of 42.1 gravity oil hourly.

Schlagal Takes One To Pen; Returns One To Face Grand Jury

Deputy Sheriff Bob Schlagal left last Sunday morning, taking Earl Johnson to the state penitentiary at Huntsville. Johnson was given a four year sentence on a theft count last week.

On the return trip, Schlagal brought back John White, Jr., who faces a forgery charge in Upton County. He will appear before the grand jury of the 83rd District Court next Monday. White is presently serving a sentence in the penitentiary on a conviction of a similar charge.

Engineer Proposals Are Heard; To Meet Saturday

In a special meeting of the Upton County Commissioner's Court Thursday, most of the time was devoted to hearing two proposals from engineering firms relative to the impending road bond election to build roads in several of the oil fields of the county.

Those submitting proposals to the court were Allied Engineers, Inc., of Fort Worth, and Hasie & Green Engineering Co. of Lubbock.

Jack Silliman of Silliman and Walker, Engineers of Ft. Stockton, met briefly with the court and indicated that he would submit a proposal at a later time.

The commissioners called a special meeting for Saturday morning at 9 a. m. to make a decision on retaining an engineer.

In another action during the day, the court accepted the bid of the Road Machinery Co. of Midland for an Oliver 88 tractor, a combined tractor and loader. It is a diesel unit with hydraulic control. The bid was slightly over \$2,000.

Boyd Cox, county weigher and inspector, received a salary boost of \$25, raising the pay to \$150 monthly.

At last Monday's meeting, a dramatic skit, "Mission Schools," was presented by Mrs. R. H. Johnson, Miss Mattie McDonald and Mrs. Hamp Carter.

Mrs. R. O. White was presented a past president's pin.

Mrs. Walton Harral is the study group leader who will teach the course on "Latin-America." She attended the school of missions in Kerrville in August and the WSCS Seminar in Eden last week in preparation for teaching the course and all church women are cordially invited to meet with the society at 3 o'clock on Monday in the Church.

Jury Lists Released For 83rd District Court

A panel of 40 petit jurors were ordered for the 83rd District Court by Judge Alan Fraser, along with the grand jury for the September term of court. Travers Crompton of Ft. Stockton is district Attorney.

Members of the grand jury are to report Monday morning at 10 a.m. Those on the grand jury are Frank Boyd, Alvin Bushong, B. C. Taylor, Henry Scarborough, H. C. Dishman, Preston Patton, F. W. Welling, R. L. Bell, R. S. Windham, F. E. Carter, Tomas Molina, E. G. Wilkerson, W. H. Carter, H. H. Qualls, W. E. Pulley and Wayne W. Howell.

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Gordon Steele, Tommy Workman, J. D. Shipp, Cecil Copeland, Rush Saverance, C. N. Adkisson, Jr., K. K. Babeock, Olan J. Cordes, Raymond R. Coats, M. O. Eddieham, Dee Locklin, Dale Keneaster and J. N. McAnally.

P. M. McFaddin, E. A. Asher, J. E. Pinkerton, I. L. Edwards, L. C. Griswold, W. A. Hampton, T. M. Tolle, R. L. Brown, Jr., T. B. Carroll, R. S. Cope, C. H. Comstock and O. O. Jacobsen.

Rankin Study Club Holds Breakfast For Initial Fall Meeting

Rankin Study Club members met for breakfast at the Rankin Park Building at 7:30 Thursday morning for their initial fall meeting following the vacation months. Hostesses were Mrs. Hamp Carter, Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. M. J. Edwards.

Mrs. R. O. White gave the devotional and Mrs. Smith, president, extended greetings.

Mrs. Carter, program chairman, outlined the years agenda and reports were given by the chairmen of the various committees.

The year's major project, "Youth Conservation," was discussed by Mrs. R. H. Johnson, committee chairman, who also made a report of the youth program activities carried on during the summer months.

Mrs. Ted Hogan read the Constitution and By-Laws.

In attendance were Mesdames Jack Smith, Carl Keys, Ted Hogan, R. O. White, Harry Cowden, C. G. Taylor, Sam Holmes, Omar Warran, R. H. Johnson, Zack Monroe, Walton Harral, Clint Shaw, E. C. Higdon, Ralph H. Daugherty, J. W. Lowery, G. C. Fitzgerald, J. W. Kennedy, F. H. Goodwin, M. J. Edwards, Hamp Carter, Miss Maggie Taylor and Miss Neva Rae Taylor.

Elbert H. Harding Dies Of Heart Attack Last Friday Night

Elbert H. Harding, age 40, died suddenly of a heart attack last Friday night about 7:30 p.m. He was working with a group of men handling the parking of cars around the football field just prior to the McCamey-Colorado City football game.

Harding had been in ailing health for the past two years. He had lived in McCamey for some eight years prior to his death, and was an employee of the Shell Oil Company until stricken with ill health.

Survivors include his widow, his daughter, Karla, a sister, Mrs. Tom J. Mitchell of Rankin, and several other sisters and brothers.

Spalding Funeral Home of McCamey were in charge of local arrangements.

The body was carried overland to Winters Saturday, with services held Sunday afternoon from the Spill Funeral Home of that city. Burial was in the Winters cemetery.

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Rankin students now gone to college include:

Tommy Hall to TCU, Fort Worth;

James Gamblin to West Texas State at Canyon;

Walter Rae McSpadden and Dillard Delaney to Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Joveta Yocham, Marlene Holmes and Bill Hurn to San Angelo Junior College;

Pat Monroe Yocham and Jesse Farris to Sul Ross, Alpine.

County Deeds Football Field To Schools

The Upton County Commissioner's Court agreed Thursday to give a deed to the Rankin Independent School District for the land enclosed by fence at the present time around the football field.

In early days, the county purchased the land and set it aside for the benefit and use of the school, and the county was acting as trustees for the Rankin Independent School District.

A brief question was raised by County Judge G. H. "Bud" Fisher as to whether the county should retain mineral rights, but the commissioners passed a resolution authorizing the county judge to sign a deed conveying the land to the Rankin Independent School District without any strings attached.

Dunn Lowery met before the commissioners court in behalf of the school.

WSCS To Begin Study On Latin America

Beginning on Monday, Sept. 24, the WSCS of the Methodist Church will conduct a study on "Latin-America." The society meets each Monday afternoon and it is hoped a goodly number will take advantage of this course of study.

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Brownie Troop No. 2 Resumes Weekly Meets

Brownie Troop No. 2, Mrs. Alma Russell, leader, resume their weekly meetings on Monday afternoon in the elementary school building.

Elected to office were: Chairman—Barbara Bushong Treasurer—Nova Mayes Reporter—Zelda Anderson

Other girls in the troop will serve on the "Cleanup Squad" this quarter.

Mrs. Russell conducted a study on "Birds" and the group played a bird game.

The leader served cookies to Carolyn Langford, Cynthia Russell, Zelda Anderson, Virginia Harral, Barbara Bushong, Nova Mayes and Sammie Steele.

Next Monday's meeting will be in the Ed Anderson home from 3 to 4 o'clock.

Upton, Pecos, Crane Groups Attend Humble Banquet In Odessa

Humble retailers in McCamey, Rankin, Crane, Iraan, and Fort Stockton, along with coaches and other men were special guests of C. R. Winfield, bulk agent for Humble at McCamey, at a banquet given by Humble Oil and Refining Sales department at the Lincoln Hotel in Odessa last Thursday night.

Humble, sponsor of broadcasts of Southwest Conference football games, invited school officials, coaches and sports writers from all over the Permian Basin to attend the banquet, a grid season kick-off event.

After the banquet, an Humble football film, entitled "Highlights in Southwest Conference Football in 1950" was shown.

Those attending as guests of Winfield were D. S. Hall, George Warfield, Mark Haesly, C. F. Gilbreath, Elmo McCook, Charley Morris, Bob Kennedy, Pat Pauley and Bill Moore, all of McCamey; Wm. H. Scarborough, Ed Stewart, G. C. Fitzgerald and Joe Scrivner of Rankin; Emmitt Bowerman of Iraan; Reagan Hinnett and Ted Kirby of Crane; and Tommie Wilson and Moffet Russell of Fort Stockton.

Mrs. Harral Attends District PTA Meeting

Mrs. Walton Harral, a vice president of District 6 PTA, attended a District Board meeting in San Angelo on Saturday.

The Board announces that the spring, 1952, PTA Conference will be held in McCamey.

The Bi-County Council will meet in Rankin Oct. 12.

Mrs. Harral has been assigned Upton and Crane counties as her area for 1951-52.

Son To Brasher's

A son weighing 6 lbs. and 5 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brasher in a Fort Worth hospital Tuesday, Sept. 18.

Horace Slaughter was returned to his home in McCamey this week from the Gaston Hospital in Dallas. Mr. Slaughter is reported to be "resting well" following major surgery in Dallas two weeks ago. He will be confined to his home for several weeks before returning to operating his business.

Rankin H. D. Club Meets Last Thursday

The Rankin Home Demonstration Club met in the Park Building on Thursday last at which time County Home Demonstration Agent Myrna Holman gave a demonstration on "Main Vegetable Dinners."

On Thursday afternoon, Sept. 27, the club will meet at 2 o'clock to hear a book review by Mrs. Ralph H. Daugherty.

All ladies interested are cordially invited to hear Mrs. Daugherty review "The Eagle Song" by Ann Miller Downs.

VISIT IN VALLEY MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Workman flew to Waco on Saturday where they were met by Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCommie, Jr., to spend the weekend with Mr. McCommie's parents in Valley Mills.

McCamey Man Dies In Crash

Lenton P. Brown, 44, McCamey, was fatally injured and M. M. Henson, Rising Star, was injured seriously in a collision of two pickup trucks about two miles east of Rising Star at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Brown was driving west on State Highway 36 and Henson was going north on a gravel road intersecting the highway, investigating officers said. Highway patrolmen said both of the 1950 model pickups were "a total loss."

Brown died in a Rising Star hospital about one hour after the accident. Henson was taken to Abilene, where he was reported in a critical condition.

Funeral services for Brown were held at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church at Burkett, Brown's former home, with burial in the Burkett cemetery. Higgenbotham Brothers Funeral Home of Cross Plains was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Z. Monroe New President Of Fidelis Matrons Class

The Fidelis Matrons Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Jap Edwards for a business meeting and fellowship hour. Plans for the coming year were discussed and the church library was accepted as one of the class projects.

The following officers were elected for 1951-5:

President—Mrs. Zack Monroe Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. H. Wheeler.

Hospitality Chairman—Mrs. Sam Holmes.

Personal Service Chairman—Mrs. Tyson Midkiff.

Stewardship Chairman—Mrs. C. G. Taylor.

Reporter—Mrs. J. L. Manry, Jr. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Red Construction Co. Opens In Crane

In keeping pace with the rapid growth of Crane, The Red Construction Company, with R. A. Archer as independent owner and operator at 911 Alford St. has been in operation two weeks.

The expansion of the oil fields necessitated a firm of this kind for pipeline and roustabout service.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer and family have been residents of Crane for about three months.

Father of I. L. Edwards Dies At Rising Star

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Edwards returned from Rising Star this week where they were called upon word of the death of Mr. Edwards' father, Mr. L. B. Edwards, who died Sept. 12, in the Rising Star Hospital.

Funeral services were held from the Baptist Church with interment in the Rising Star cemetery.

Earl Johnson Given Four Year Sentence

Earl Johnson of McCamey was assessed a four year sentence in the state penitentiary by District Judge Garland Casebier in Rankin last Thursday. Casebier presides over the 112th District Court.

Johnson pleaded guilty to a charge of theft and waived a trial by jury.

County Attorney John Menefee prosecuted the case for the state, while Steve Preslar was appointed by the court to represent Johnson.

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WILL CHINA REVOLT?

Many Americans believe that the Chinese people will revolt against communism, and overthrow Mao's tough dictatorship. They believe that the ruthless purges—reliable reports tell of thousands of public executions—must have disgusted masses of the Chinese and led to widespread unrest. Unquestionably, China's dictatorship will collapse—history has shown that tyrannical government is rarely stable government. The trouble in the case of China is the incredible differences between the status of the average Chinese and his American counterpart, and the enormous gulf that exists between East and West.

In the United States, as in all advanced countries, there is a continual flow of ideas. The newspapers and magazines, books, the radio, television—all keep the people informed as to the great and minor issues and events of the day. Every conceivable school of thought makes itself heard. Debate is endless.

In China, to the contrary, there are no mediums of communication, outside of a few big cities. The great masses of the Chinese people live in a perfect vacuum so far as the interchange of ideas and knowledge—beyond the purely village level—is concerned. It is perfectly conceivable that many Chinese have never so much as heard of the Korean war, for example, or know that Red China is engaged in it.

On top of that, three quarters and perhaps more of the Chinese people are unable to read and write. When the communists conscript men for the army they teach them to read a certain number of characters—sufficient to give them an understanding of simple orders and bulletins and propaganda material. They have no opportunity to hear or read anything in opposition to the Red ideology.

As a theoretical proposition, what would happen if the Chinese people had an opportunity to freely choose between communism and democracy? The answer, in all probability, is nothing! Most of the Chinese have absolutely no conception of what either word stands for, and, in the second place, they wouldn't be interested. China is the biggest poor house on earth. A primary ambition and interest of the average person is to get something to eat, a bit of fuel, some kind of rude shelter from the rain and snow and cold. His loyalty will tend toward any government which will improve his miserable living standards to even the slightest degree. Reporters who know Red China say that Mao has managed to better the lot of the coolie a trifle.

As for the purges, there is reason to believe that they meet with the approval of millions upon millions of Chinese. The victims are usually landowners and individuals of some position in the community. These people have been bitterly hated by the coolie class. The hatred has been intensified by clever and intensive Red propaganda—as has the hatred of the Chinese for the United States and England.

This does not mean that the bosses of Red China have no troubles. They have plenty, and they face inconceivably complex administrative problems. A major famine—an ever-present menace in China—might topple the government. So might a trade embargo applied by the anti-communist world. And in the long run it is not unreasonable to hope that some remnant of the Chinese spirit or philosophy of life that created one of the oldest and most cultured civilizations on earth will revolt against the godless concept of communism.

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

MILBANK, S. D., HERALD ADVANCE: "On his 77th birthday August 10, Herbert Hoover found himself in the midst of a resurgence for integrity of office and independence of the American citizen. Herbert Hoover went down nineteen years ago, and with him the concept that government should serve men to find their own way. A new concept was developed that stood 180 degrees from that position: Government should rule the lives of its citizens. There are government regulations, government bureaucracy, government loans, government borrowing, government spending, deficit financing, and heavy taxing."

WEST POINT, MISS., DAILY TIMES LEADER: "If we are to meet the expenses of the defense program, we must provide employment for everybody, and we must be careful not to kill the goose that is laying the golden eggs. Business and industry must, of course, bear their respective shares of the burden, but men who draw salaries and wages and who compose by far the largest element in our free enterprise system must carry their share of the load."

THINGS ONE REMEMBERS

BY R. M. HOFER

Every day the Washington propaganda machines boom price controls as the medicine for inflation control. For some unknown reason the same official agencies never mention tax control or waste control in government as the one indispensable requisites for inflation control. Nor do they explain how tax confiscation of the earnings of the individuals for Washington bureaus to spend high, wide and handsome is any less inflationary than if the individual spent his own money. After all, the government earns nothing, it just spends, and it can only spend what it first takes away from the individual who earns it. Only the people can stop the tax spenders who create inflation. They will never stop of their own accord.

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And By Appointment

NOTICE

Five Dollars (\$5.00) reward for the names of the parties or any information of parties who attended the Auction Sale, Saturday night, September 1, 1951. These parties purchased at Auction a two piece brown living room suite, five piece yellow chrome dinette suite, two table lamps, one mirror and one floor lamp. Party issued a check for three hundred and forty dollars (\$340.00) for payment of this furniture. This check has been lost or stolen. If these parties see this ad, will you please get in touch with the Monahans Furniture Company, phone 398. Anyone who might know these parties or their address please notify them or us. These parties called at the store Sunday morning, Sept. 2. They were driving a three-quarter or one ton truck with a flat bed on same and had a two wheel trailer behind truck. We loaded the brown divan on the trailer and we loaded the yellow dinette suite and brown chair on the truck. Also one of these gentlemen had a little boy with him and this child was about five or six years old. Any information will be strictly confidential.


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You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 1st day of October, A. D., 1951, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable 83rd District Court of Upton County, at the Court House in Rankin, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 16 day of August, 1951. The file number of said suit is No. 1120.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

J. M. RADFORD GROCERY CO., a corporation, as Plaintiff, and RANDOLPH O. SHAFER and the Unknown Heirs of Randolph O. Shafer, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff sues for the title to and possession of all the oil, gas and other minerals in, on or under that certain tract of land situated in Upton County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Section 3, GC&SF RR. Co. Survey, Certificate No. 4/953, Patent No. 249, Vol. 67 of the records of the General Land Office, recorded in Vol. 41, page 8 of the Patent Records of Upton County, Texas; owning and claiming fee simple title thereto under the five, ten and twenty-five years Statutes of Limitations of the State of Texas.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of

its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 16 day of August, A. D., 1951.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Rankin, Texas, this the 16 day of August, A. D., 1951.

(LS) Ralph H. Daugherty, Clerk, 83rd District Court of Upton County, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Moody are the parents of a boy, born Sept. 17, in the Cooper Hospital. The young man has been named Norman Keith. He weighed four pounds, 13 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Langdon are the parents of a son, Jerry Jay, born Friday morning, Sept. 14, in the Midland Memorial Hospital. He weighed seven pounds, eight ounces. The baby has three brothers, Jim, Joe and John.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Easy Makes His "Cat" Tread Lightly

Driving home on Three Ponds Road yesterday, I was flagged down by Easy Roberts' boy Skeeter. "Take it slow," he advised. "Dad's crossing this road with our tractor, just beyond the bend."

Around the curve I saw why Skeeter stopped me. Easy had laid two rows of old truck tires across the road, and was driving his new "Cat" tractor over them!

"More trouble this way," Easy explains, "but it does keep those tank tracks from tearing up the asphalt when I have to cross over to our other fields. After all, the

roads belong to all of us—and I guess I'd get mad if someone else chewed them up."

From where I sit, Easy is my kind of citizen. He doesn't just give democracy lip service. He honestly believes it's his duty to consider the other fellow's interests. Whether it's the right to use the public highways or the right to enjoy an occasional glass of beer, Easy's out to protect his neighbor's "right of way."

Joe Marsh

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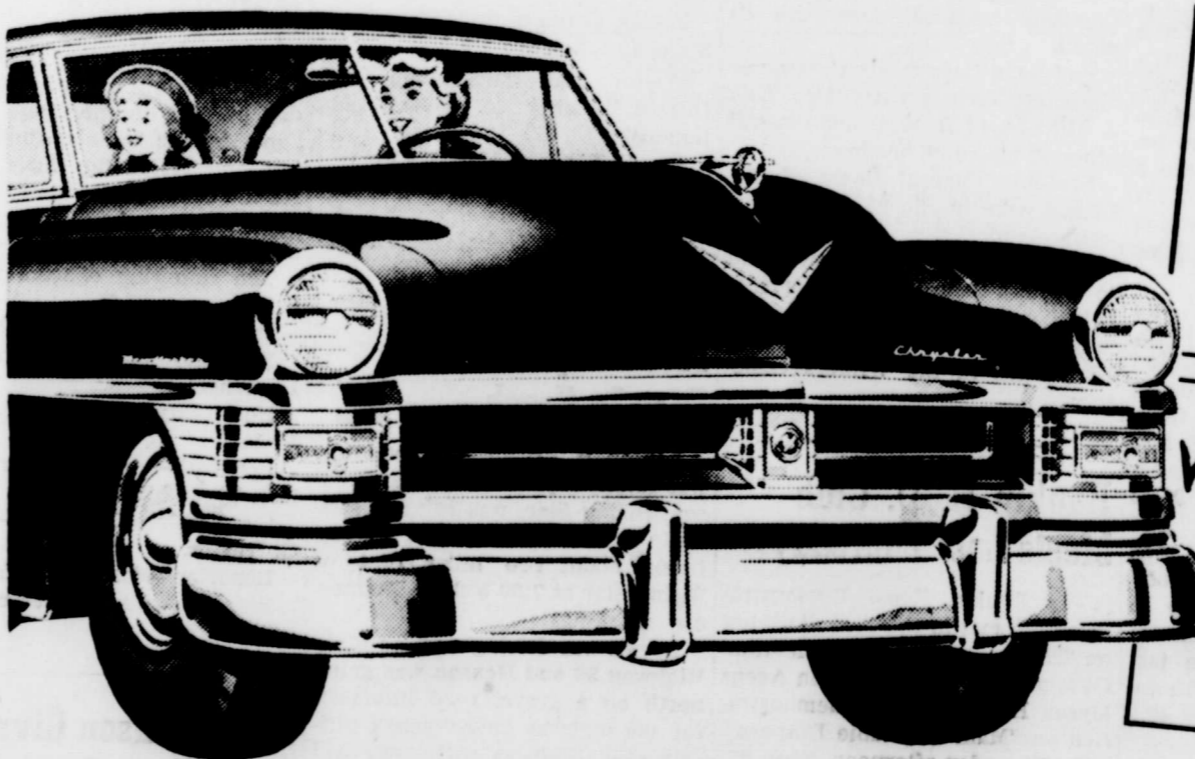
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For I know whom I have believed and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. H. Capps, Pastor
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Morning Worship—11.
Training Union—7 p. m.
Evening Worship—8.
Monday, WMU—3 p. m.
Wednesday, Prayer Meeting—8 p. m.

NORTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Upton County Courthouse
10:00 a. m. Sunday—Bible Class-
es.
11:00 a. m. Sunday—Morning
Worship.
8:00 p. m. Sunday — Evening
Worship.
8:00 p. m. Tuesday—Bible Study.
The North Side Church of Christ,
newly organized congregation, is
currently meeting in the District
Court room of the Upton County
Courthouse. Erection of a church
building will commence shortly on
Upton Street directly across from
the high school building.

THE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Don L. Cochran
Corner Eighth and Half
10:00 a. m. Sunday — Sunday
School.
11:00 a. m. Sunday—Morning
Worship.
6:45 p. m. Sunday—Methodist
Youth Fellowship.
8:00 p. m. Sunday — Evening
Worship.
3:00 p. m. Monday—W.S.C.
8:00 p. m. 2nd Mondays—Wes-
leyan Guild.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Leon Kessler, Minister
Cor. 8th and Buckland Sts.
10:30 a. m., Morning Worship.
8:00 p. m., Evening Worship.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday, Bible
Study.

Humble To Broadcast Southwest Football Games This Weekend

Humble Oil & Refining Company launches its eighteenth consecutive season of football broadcasts this weekend with five big intersectional games. The Texas Aggies open Southwest Conference fire on the rest of the nation Friday night when they invade U.C.L.A. Southern Methodist tangles with Georgia Tech on Saturday, as the University of Texas takes on powerful Kentucky. Saturday night Baylor engages the University of Houston, while T.C.U. and Kansas square off in another night contest.

All five games will be broadcast over the Humble networks of radio stations which dot most of Texas. Listeners will hear familiar voices describing the action as the veteran Humble announcers return to the microphones for the 1951 season.

Charlie Jordan and Eddie Barker will broadcast the A. & M.-U.C.L.A. tilt from Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum, Los Angeles, California. Broadcast time will be 9:20 p. m. (CST) on stations KPRC, Houston; WFAA-WBAP-820, Dallas-Ft. Worth; WOAI, San Antonio; KRIS, Corpus Christi; KVAL, Brownville; KORA, Bryan.

The S.M.U.-Georgia Tech meeting will be described by Ves Box and Jerry Doggett, from Grant Field, Atlanta, Georgia. Broadcast time is set for 1:20 p. m. on stations KRLD, Dallas; WOAI, San Antonio.

Kern Tips and Alee Chesser will give the account of the clash be-

tween Texas U. and Kentucky, from Memorial Stadium in Austin, beginning at 1:50 p. m. on stations KPRC, Houston; WFAA-WBAP, Ft. Worth-Dallas; KPEP, Lamesa; KRIG, Odessa; KVKM, Monahans; KIUN, Pecos; KVLK, Alpine.

Baylor versus the University of Houston will be covered by John Ferguson and Dave Russell. The broadcast, direct from Houston Stadium, will begin at 8:00 p. m. on stations KFJZ, Ft. Worth; WRR, Dallas; KABC, San Antonio.

Bill Michaaels, backed by Bob Walker, will describe the T.C.U. season opener with Kansas in T.C.U. Stadium, Ft. Worth. This game will be broadcast at 8:00 p. m., over stations WBAP-WFAA-570, Ft. Worth-Dallas; KMAC, San Antonio.

MIDLAND MARKET REPORT

The market was steady to fairly active on 820 head consigned at Midland Livestock Auction Co. sale Thursday, Sept. 13. Prices were little changed from the week before.

Fat calves and yearlings brought \$32.00 to \$35.00, mediums \$19.00 to \$23.00, commons and culls sold from \$23.00 to \$28.00. Fat cows were bid from \$23.00 to \$27.00, canners and cutters \$13.00 to \$19.00 and bulls sold from \$23.00 to \$27.50.

Better grade stocker calves brought \$34.00 to \$39.00 and cow and calf pairs moved at \$200.00 upward.

Now You Will Know If You Are Eating Ice Cream, or Mellorine

AUSTIN—Texans now will know whether they are eating ice cream or the competitive vegetable fat frozen desert—mellorine.

State Health Officer George W. Cox has issued an order that defines, sets standards and gives a legal status to the vegetable fat product.

After October 1 all frozen deserts sold in Texas made with vegetable or other edible fats—rather than with butterfat—must be called "mellorine."

With the order, the millions of ice cream eaters in the State will be assured of getting real ice cream when they ask for ice cream—not a vegetable fat substitute product.

George M. Clarke, executive vice president of the Dairy Products Institute of Texas, this week praised Dr. Cox for his action in clearing a problem that has plagued the dairy industry—and confused the public—for many months.

He said Dr. Cox's order was the result of recommendations submitted by the Texas ice cream industry. The ice cream manufacturers made a six months study of the problem during which time they held numerous conferences with technical experts from Texas A.&M. College, Texas Tech and the State Health Department.

"Mellorine is a good product," Clark said, "but it is to ice cream what margarine is to butter."

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Clarence S. Dennis Dies In McCamey Tuesday, Sept. 18

Clarence Shultz Dennis, age 51, died Sept. 18, at 6 p. m., following several months illness. He was born at Parkersburg, West Va., Aug. 29, 1900, and came to Texas in infancy with his family. He was married to Estelline Stout Oct. 22, 1931, and moved to McCamey in 1932, living here most of the time since. He worked in the oil fields. Funeral services were held in the First Methodist Church of McCamey Thursday morning at 10 o'clock with the Rev. Ross Welch officiating. Graveside services were conducted by the Odd Fellows. Spalding Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Survivors include his wife, three children, Sharon Gayle, age 5, James Bruce, age 4, and Linda Kay, age 3. His mother, Mrs. G. J. Dennis, McCamey, one brother, Clifford, of McCamey and one sis-

ter, Mrs. Mildred Cantner, of Sand Hills. Two nieces, Mrs. Janell Ellison of Plains and Mrs. Glenna Jones Shannon of Andrews.

Garden HD Club Has Demonstration At Regular Meet

"Vegetable Main Dishes" was the demonstration given by the County Home Demonstration agent, Myrna Holman, at the meeting of the Garden Home Demonstration Club Wednesday afternoon, in the Park Building. At the business session routine committee reports were read and dates for the annual district meeting to be held next spring were discussed. Upton County women invited the meeting to be held in McCamey last spring and were informed after the state meeting that the invitation was accepted. Mrs. E. R. Sullivan, hostess, furnished a drink and cake which was served with the dishes prepared in the demonstration.

TO WED SATURDAY



The engagement of Miss Louise Nelson and C. C. Carll has been announced by her sister, Mrs. M. K. Brown of Taft, Texas. The bride-elect is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nelson of Taft and the groom is the son of Mrs. J. O. Carll, of McCamey. The wedding will take place at the Brown home in Taft Sept. 22. Miss Nelson is a graduate of Taft High School, the University of Texas and Northwestern University where she received a master's degree. She was band director of the Rankin High School for the past two years. Mr. Carll is a graduate of McCamey High School and Sul Ross State Teachers College. Mr. Carll is the owner of the News Publishing Company, which publishes newspapers in McCamey, Rankin, Iraan and Crane.

Esterbrook Fountain Pens at the McCamey News Office.

Rubber Bands at the News Office.

Stapling Machines at the News Office.

Manilla Letter and Legal Size File Folders at the McCamey News Office.

Scotch tape at the News.

Texans Reminded Of License Fee Increase For Operator License

AUSTIN—Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced today in Austin that a survey conducted at the end of the first week of the increased fees for driver's licenses indicated that 48 percent of the applications for renewal of operator's and commercial licenses failed to include sufficient money. This, Garrison pointed out, was in spite of the fact that newspapers and radio stations cooperated wholeheartedly in publicizing that the cost of both of these types of licenses were doubled by

the 52nd Legislature and became effective September 7. The Public Safety Director again reminds Texas motorists that the fee for an Operator's License is \$1.00 and for Commercial License, \$2.00. The price for a Chauffeur's License remains at \$3.00. As before the Operator's License is valid for a period of two years and the latter two for a period of one year period each. Remitting the proper amount with your renewal application will expedite a more prompt return of your new license, Garrison said.

Pencil Sharpeners at the News Office.
Columnar Pads at the News.

S. W. Pauling Relative Dies Wednesday Morn

Sterling Price, brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Pauling, died Wednesday morning at his home in Mansfield, Texas. Mr. Pauling is principal of McCamey High School. Price has been ill for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Pauling left McCamey Wednesday afternoon for Mansfield. Funeral arrangements were pending late Wednesday.

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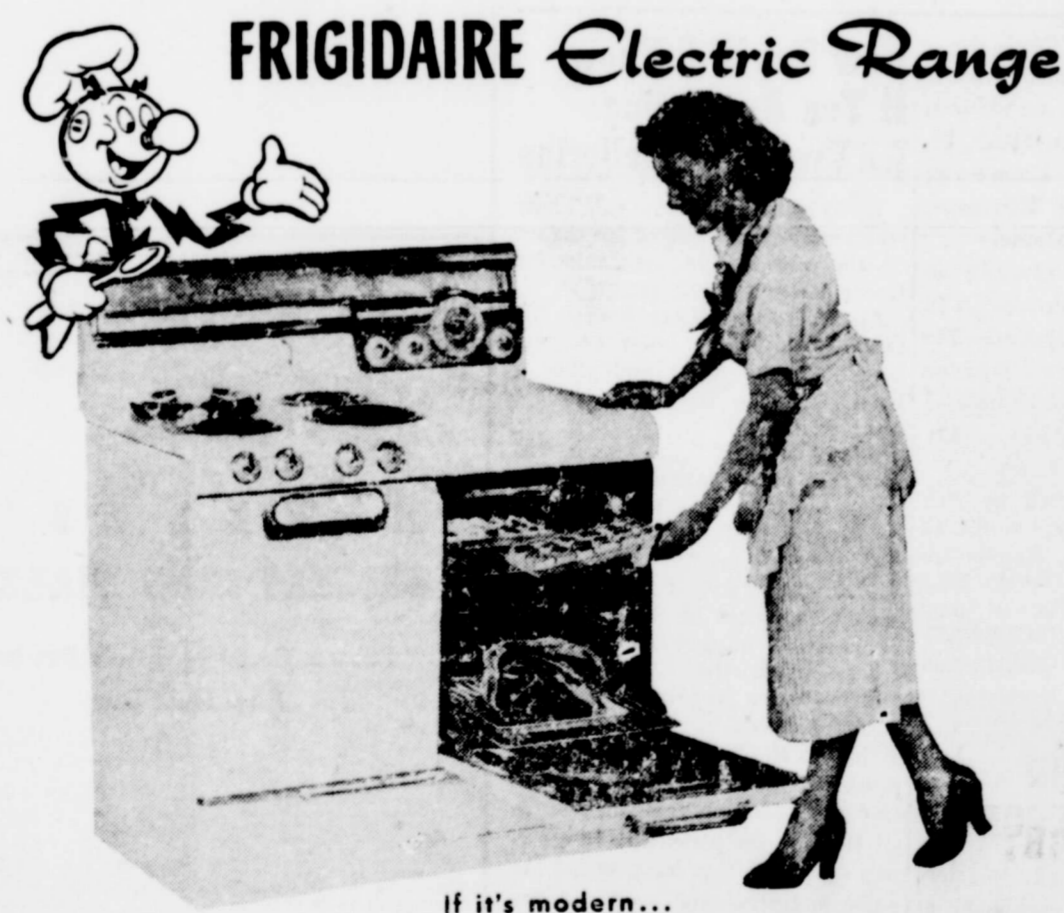
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