

2 School Trustees To Be Elected Saturday

60 Day Extension Granted By State Insurance Board

Jersey Sets Milk Pail Marathon



Opal Crystal Lady, a registered Jersey cow owned by Ralph E. Cope, Langlois, Ore., has just established a new milk pail marathon for the nation's dairy cows by completing her fourth consecutive lactation of over 1,000 pounds butterfat on twice daily milking. She is shown above witnessing the last weighing of her unparalleled production record. Left to right are Prof. Floyd B. Wolberg, Superintendent of Official Testing at Oregon State College; Gust Bauer, official test supervisor from Corvallis, Ore.; and Ralph E. Cope with Opal Crystal Lady. This champion producing cow has produced well over 57 tons of milk in six lactations. Her last lactation totaled 20,278 pounds milk with 1,076 pounds butterfat. She is the only cow of any breed to produce more than 1,000 pounds butterfat during each of four consecutive lactations on twice daily milking.

Rankin officials were notified the first of the week by the State Fire Insurance Commission of Austin that a 60 day extension was being granted to meet the requirements for keeping our present protected fire rate.

The time extension is being made due to the apparent interest now being manifested in connection with the matter and everything possible must be completed by June 1.

Approximately 25 volunteers turned out for last Monday night's fire drill, which is excellent and evidences the civic attitude required. Monthly reports have to be sent to Austin on these fire drills and it is hoped the volunteers continue to stay right in there and thus avoid further criticism from the State Department on that point.

Plans Underway For Visit Of TB X-Ray Unit To Upton County

Committees appointed last week by Mrs. W. A. Hudson, general chairman on arrangements for the two mobile TB Units to be in Rankin and McCamey the last of April and first of May include:

Location Committee for Rankin: J. L. Clark, Tom Workman, Clay Taylor, W. F. Welling and Ed Edgar.

Publicity Committee: Mrs. Tom Workman, Mrs. Joe T. McCommie, Jr., and Mrs. M. J. Edwards. Educational Committee: Mr. Hamilton Still, Mrs. Herbert Hurn, Mrs. J. G. McAdon, Joe Scrivner, Miss Frances Lay.

Following a request made by the Rankin Study Club to the Tri-County Medical Association that a mass chest X-Ray survey be made of Upton County residents, Charles Hoover, field representative of the Tuberculosis Division of the State Health Department, has announced that the units will be in Rankin on April 30 and May 1 and in McCamey May 3 and 5.

The Woman's Study Club of McCamey has joined the Rankin Study Club in the effort to plan an educational and publicity program that will make each citizen aware of the survey's importance and its value to the individual and community.

Through the cooperation of all organizations in each town, it is hoped that in Upton County a high percentage of the eligible population will take advantage of this X-Ray, which will take less than one minute of your time and would cost you from \$15 to \$20 at a doctor's office.

Reader's Notice!

As the Rankin News' regular correspondent expects to be out of town for a couple of weeks, please send your news items to Mrs. Marlene Holmes Kubena until further notice. Phone 140-W.

Dwight Eisenhower's Birthplace



Above is shown the birthplace of Dwight D. Eisenhower at Denison, Texas. Eisenhower was born October 14, 1890. The leader of the armed forces in Western Europe is given an excellent chance of being the first born president by many political leaders.

Red Devil Gridsters Spring Game Tonight

TB Mobile Films To Be Shown In Rankin For Next Three Weeks

Rankin football fans will get a chance to see the Devils in a scrimmage game tonight on the local field at 8 o'clock. The squad has been divided into two teams for this contest. This is Rankin's first year in 11-man football. The Devils have been the undisputed rulers of West Texas six-man football for the past two seasons.

The Red Squad: Backs: Norman Yocham, Don Murphy, Bob Tromer, Charles Snell, Paul Abalos and Charles Lee. Guards and Tackles: Bobby Wyatt, Gean McCain, John Schlagal, Douglas Delaney, Carlton Stevenson. Ends: Murry McCain and Jerry Morgan. Center: Eddie Rumble. The White Squad: Backs: Jimmy Yocham, Clifford Chandler, Bob Goodwin, Joe Ellis, Richard Payne. Guards and Tackles: De Wayne Lindsey, Gentry Holmes, Homer Rosenbaum, Frankie Caldwell, Mac Yocham, Gerald McCalester, Ed Ward. Ends: Carl Ray McVay and Joe Garner Loftin. Center: Don Treadwell. Two seniors will play on defense, Paul Johnson for the Reds and Lloyd Yocham for the Whites.

Mrs. Gertrude Stephens Announces For Justice Of The Peace, Precinct 4

Mrs. Gertrude Stephens announced this week that she would be a candidate for the position of Justice of the Peace, Precinct 4.

Mrs. Stephens has lived in McCamey since 1928, assisting her husband in the operation of his business until about two years ago, when Mr. Stephens was forced to sell out due to ill health. Mr. Stephens has just recently returned to his home here after spending the past 20 months in the VA Hospital at Kerrville.

In making the announcement, Mrs. Stephens expressed gratitude for the encouragement given her by friends in seeking the office, and asked for the consideration of voters of the precinct in the July primary. She pledged a fair and impartial administration in handling the affairs of the office.

Capt. O. F. Werst Leaves For Japan

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Werst received word this week from their son, Capt. Oliver F. Werst, that he was leaving for Tokyo, Japan on an Army transport airliner. Werst was a veteran of World War II and was attached to the famous 10th Mountain Infantry. He was called back to service from the active reserve last June.

3 Absentee Votes Cast; Interest High

Workman's Parents Doing 'Satisfactorily'

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Workman of Texon, parents of Tom Workman, have been brought back to their home and are convalescing satisfactorily after having taken ill Monday.

Mr. Workman became suddenly ill Monday morning and was taken to the Shannon Hospital by ambulance and Mrs. Workman was stricken at 5 o'clock that afternoon while with her husband in the hospital.

A great deal of interest is being displayed in the School Trustee election to be held Saturday, April 5, in which there are five candidates seeking two places to be named to the Board.

W. J. Pollard and Frank Boyd, both members, are seeking re-election.

Other candidates on the ballot are Joe W. Powell, Tommy Workman and L. C. Steele, Jr.

There were three absentee ballots cast at the close of the deadline this week.

The polls will be open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

All voting will be done at the Rankin High School.

Barbee Dry Goods Start Remodeling Of Building

Remodeling of the building formerly occupied by the Ford Theatre got underway on April 1 and is progressing rapidly. The building is to be occupied within the next few weeks by the Barbee Dry Goods Co.

The owners are A. R. Barbee, who operated the Barbee Dry Goods Co. in San Angelo for a number of years, and his son, R. L. Barbee.

Mrs. R. H. Johnson Is Re-Elected Youth Head

At the recent election of officers for the Adult Council for Youth Board, Mrs. R. H. Johnson was re-elected chairman. H. Still was elected secretary and treasurer.

Other members of the Board are: Mrs. D. S. Anderson, Mrs. Ralph Daugherty, Mrs. Leola Hurn, Mrs. W. A. Hudson, Mrs. Isack Smith, Ted Hogan, Tommy Workman and A. E. Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. McCommie, Jr., are spending the weekend with Mr. McCommie's parents in Valley Mills.

Upton County Attorney To Attend Crime Meet In Dallas April 16-18

Attorney General Price Daniel announced today a second annual statewide conference on organized crime to be attended by the state's 315 prosecuting attorneys and other law enforcement officers. Daniel said that he has invited every County and District Attorney in Texas to attend the meeting in Dallas April 16, 17 and 18.

"The fight against commercial gambling and organized crime is a continuing battle," Daniel said. "Our crime conference last year did much toward keeping racketeers and hoodlums out of this state. This year we must let them know that Texas is still on guard and will not tolerate their unlawful activities."

John A. Menefee, County Attorney of Upton County, said this week that he planned to attend the conference. Menefee attended the initial conference last year.

Prominent speakers include Senator Estes Kefauver, who will address a public meeting on the night of April 16.

Ray Boggs Winner For City Council Post Last Tuesday

In a comparatively heavy turnout of voters for a city election Ray Boggs was named to fill the City Commissioner post in Tuesday's balloting.

Boggs polled 55 votes, while Taylor received 20.

Boggs will replace Skinny Taylor on the council. Taylor not seeking reelection.

In the Mayor's race, A. E. Ivy, present holder of the position, received 76 votes. Ted Hogan received one write-in vote.

Sgt. Johnny T. Cooper Takes Specialist Course At Brooks Med. Center

Sgt. Johnny T. Cooper, US Army, son of Mrs. Stella Bates of Rankin, is now a student in the Chief Medical Aidman Course given at Medical Field Service School, Brooks Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Enlisted personnel and officers from Armed Forces installations throughout the world come to this school for technical and professional training in military medical service.

Completion of this course qualifies graduates for duty assignment as technicians in military hospitals and medical units.

Cunny's Barber Shop Opens In New Ford Theatre Building

Cunny's Barber Shop, owned by R. E. Cunningham, opened in the new Ford Theatre building this week.

Mr. Cunningham came to Rankin from McCamey where he has been associated with Mack's Barber Shop since last August. He is joined in Rankin by his wife.

Other barber associated with the business is Hoyt Gossett. Gossett comes from Big Spring where he has been associated with Crawford Hotel Barber Shop for the past several years. He is joined by his wife in Rankin, and has a daughter who is a senior in high school at Colorado City.

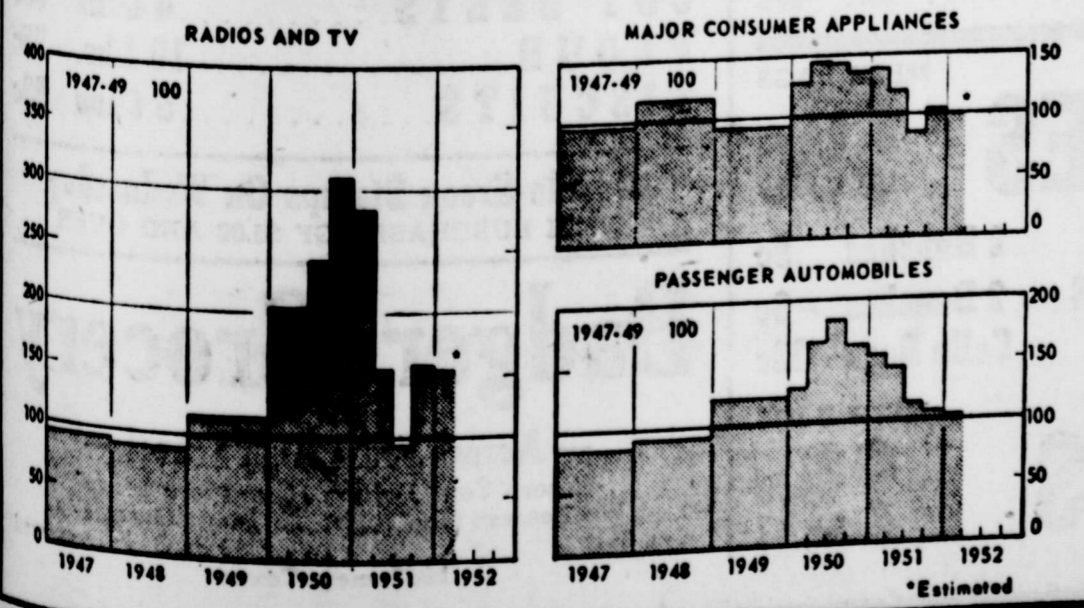
Both men invited the citizens of Rankin to "drop in and get acquainted."

Joe Scrivner Named Summer Youth Head

At a recent meeting of the Adult Council for Youth, Mr. Joe Scrivner accepted the position of youth director for a summer recreation program for Rankin.

Mr. Scrivner outlined his plans, which were approved by the Council. Softball and other athletic sports will be sponsored for junior high and high school students as well as weekly parties and summer clubs carried on by the Council in the past year.

Production of consumer durables down, yet still close to 1947-1949 levels



Easter Bunnies Are On The March



HEADIN' HOME! Chocolate bunnies are on their way to millions of waiting kids across the nation.

New York, N. Y. — The Easter Parade is really under way! Chocolate Easter bunnies by the millions are on the march! As a matter of fact, they have been marching since mid-November. And the kids will see them Easter Sunday after the Easter Bunny has made his annual tour.

"America's kids, and those millions of chocolate-eating adults, too, are going to have more Easter products to nibble on this year than ever before," reports H. Russell Burbank, president of Rockwood & Co., pioneers in the making of bunnies and other chocolate products. "There will be Mother Rabbit all decked out in her bonnet, apron, calico dress and carrying a wicker basket. Father Rabbit will be the proud old man with his derby, celluloid collar, waist, striped trousers and morning coat. Of course,

there will be little boy and girl rabbits. Junior wears his Sunday-go-to-meeting suit and sister is regaled in her best dress with buttons and bows and ruffles, too."

The Rockwood "hatchery" in Brooklyn has sent out more than 10,000,000 Easter pieces this year including eggs, standing rabbits holding eggs, sitting jack rabbits, hens on the nest, roosters and even little sweetie dolls.

The bunnies and their friends range in weight all the way from 1 ounce to 12½ ounces. Perhaps, as far as parents are concerned anyway, they shouldn't come any bigger.

But with a company like Rockwood, capable of any quality chocolate product, we might look forward to a 6-foot chocolate "Harevey" in the future!

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IT'S YOUR MONEY!

The trouble with most discussions of taxes and the national debt is that they take place in a financial stratosphere. Almost no one can think logically in terms of tens of billions and hundreds of billions.

But when the meaning of taxes and the debt is related to the average man and the average family, the ominous picture clears. The Bulletin of the Southern States Industrial Council recently did that when it said: "The public debt is \$260,000,000,000, and this lays a \$6,800 burden on every family in America. The interest alone on this debt aggregates more than \$6,000,000,000 annually—or \$180 for every family. Last year the average family paid \$1,589 in direct taxes and another \$500 in 'hidden' taxes. A total of more than \$2,000. This year the 'take' will be greater.

"When the \$85,500,000,000 budget proposed for next year—which is now estimated will create a deficit of \$14,000,000,000—is compared with current Federal spending—we find that it will add an average financial liability—either in taxes or increased debt—of \$226 for every family in America."

There it is. We can't think in billions, but we can think in hundreds and in thousands. It's your money. It's coming out of your pockets. It will come out of your children's pockets. Debt and taxes are destroying us from within. It isn't a question of whether we "want" to cut government spending. We "must" cut it—if we are to survive as a free people.

WISE VOICES FROM THE PAST

In the year 1820, the Edinburgh Review published an article by Sydney Smith. The Freeman magazine recently exhumed a paragraph of it from the dust of antiquity and reprinted it under the title, "Worth Hearing Again." Here is what Smith wrote nearly a century and a half ago: "...the habit of dealing with large sums will make the Government avaricious and profuse; and the system itself will infallibly generate the base vermin of spies and informers, and a still more pestilential race of political tools and retainers of the meanest and most odious description; while the prodigious patronage which the collecting of this splendid revenue will throw into the hands of Government will invest it with so vast an influence, and hold out such means and temptations for corruption, as all the virtue and public spirit... will be unable to resist."

The style is that of a dead age, but the thought is as fresh as this morning. It is almost a law of nature that the bigger Government becomes, the more corrupt and conscienceless it becomes. The influence peddler, the flatterer, the man whose cynical eye is always on the main chance, the plain crook—these and other unsavory characters force themselves into positions of power. The rats find the cheese! And the many honest and able men in government are helpless in the face of the onslaught.

Lord Acton, another wise voice from the past, said, "power corrupts, and absolute power corrupts absolutely." That has been true ever since the institution of government began. It is true today. This country grew to greatness under a government of strictly limited powers—the kind of government envisioned and framed by the men who wrote the Constitution. Our guide for the future must be found in our magnificent heritage.

PROTECTION FOR THE MILLIONS

"The greatest bulwark which the medical profession can have against socialization is the more extensive development and improvement of voluntary health insurance."

That statement was made the other day by the president of the American Medical Association. Much the same thing has been said by such Senators as Taft, Byrd, and Nixon; by such labor leaders as Dave Beck of the Teamsters Union and Harry Becker of the CIO, and by many other students of our health needs and problems.

The history of voluntary health insurance has been dramatic. The movement is comparatively new, and it had the usual growing pains in its early days. Yet recent surveys show that almost 77,000,000 people have some type of coverage against the cost of illness. And the number is still increasing at a rapid rate.

Moreover, health insurance isn't static. The coverage offered has been steadily broadened. The benefits paid have

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been increased. And the rates charged have remained low—a few dollars a month for the average worker and family.

In February, 1949, a state-wide Minnesota pool showed a 2-to-1 vote in favor of socialized medicine. A similar poll taken last year showed the situation exactly reversed—the result was 2-to-1 against. Other polls are in agreement. The splendid progress made by voluntary health insurance has undoubtedly been an important factor in bringing about such changes in public sentiment and thinking.

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Le Suer, Minn., News-Herald: "The reason taxes seem high is because they are high. Back in 1900 the average person paid \$3.88 in Federal taxes, while the average per person tax today is \$472, according to the U. S. News and World Report. It isn't the high cost of living, it's the high cost of government."

Arlington, Wash., Times: "The county treasurer's office is crowded with citizens checking up and paying taxes. By a study of his statement, the taxpayer can figure his exact contribution toward the administration of his city, which provides police protection, fire protection, upkeep of his streets, lighting, library and various services. On the other hand, the immense sums the Federal government whisk away from him are weekly surrendered. If the taxpayer raised half the howl over the Federal extractions that he raises over the county pittance, the din might be heard, and have a wholesome effect in Washington."

Norwalk, Conn., Hour: "The Federal budget under discussion in Congress is for \$85,000,000,000. And there is no Federal Communication Commission, or State Utility Commission, to see that we get our money's worth for the rates that we pay."

Hillsboro, Mo., Record: "You might get an idea of the hugeness of a billion if you realized that since the birth of Christ more than 1900 years ago, just slightly more than a billion minutes have elapsed. If you take a look at the President's proposals further, you will see that he wants to spend more dollars in the next fiscal year than there have been seconds between the birth of Christ and the present time."

Corpus Christi To Host Delta Kappa Gamma Convention

Members of 99 chapters will attend the state convention of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary society for women teachers, April 25 and 26 in Corpus Christi.

The convention will celebrate the 23rd anniversary of the society.

Mrs. Edna M. Boyd, national committee chairman of Greencastle, Ind., will be the presidents' dinner speaker April 25. Dr. Pearl Oliver Ponsford, past president of Texas State division, AAUW, and a chapter member from El Paso, will speak at the oirthday luncheon April 26.

Dr. Grace B. Agate of Layette, La., Louisiana state founder and past national vice president, will give the address at the Founders Day banquet April 26. Miss Yvette Rosenthal of Galveston is state president.

Nine scholarships will be awarded by the Alpha state committee on scholarships. These include a \$700 scholarship to the University of Texas.

Eight summer school tuition awards will be given to Texas state colleges in Alpine, Canyon, Commerce, Huntsville, Nacogdoches, San Marcos, and Denton.

Any of the 5,500 members in Texas may apply for scholarships. Miss Sarah Miltia Hill, chairman, Sul Ross College at Alpine, has announced.

Assisting Corpus Christi, hostess chapter, with entertaining delegates are the Kingsville, Brownsville and Laredo chapters.

Gamma delegates to the convention include Miss Myrna Holman, Rankin.

New Mexico Producer Deeper Than Magnolia Well In Upton County

The deepest oil producer in New Mexico and the Permian Basin, Buffalo Oil Co. No. 12-B Baish, has been completed and put on regular production.

A Devonian discovery in the shallow Maljamar field of CW Lea Co., N. M., the No. 12-B Baish was finished naturally for a daily flowing potential of 578 barrels of 47 gravity oil through a 3-4 in. tubing choke and open hole between 13,554-13,573 ft., total depth. Gas-oil ratio was 29-1.

The Devonian was topped at 13,548 feet on an elevation of 4,022 feet.

The discovery is the seventh deepest producer in the US. It replaces Magnolia No. 7 Wilson in the Upton County portion of the Pegasus field, which well produces at a total depth of 13,400 feet, as the deepest well in the Permian Basin.

It replaces Phillips No. 3-A Denton, Devonian producer in Denton field of CE Lea County, as deepest oiler in New Mexico.

Pago Paco is pronounced pango pango. It is the capital of the Island of Tutuila in the American Samoa.

The army post at Ft. Bragg, N. C., is the largest in this country from the standpoint of area. It occupies 120,477.39 acres.

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Professor Philip Drinker of Harvard University invented the iron lung.

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 Martha C. Crawford Estate
 Mrs. E. E. Windham and husband, E. W. Windham
 Velma Tippet Amacker and husband, Robt. E. Amacker
 McElroy Ranch Company
 H. L. Adkins, Jr.
 Mrs. Hazel Neal
 George C. Fraser
 George L. Burr
 John K. Olyphant, Jr.
 G. R. Davis
 Virgil J. Powell
 Mrs. Davie Davies
 Henry Curties Davies and wife, Ruby Davies
 Harold Lee Davies and wife, Jewel Davies
 Richard Garland Davies and wife, Georgia Nell Davies
 Clarence Francis Davies and wife, Ruie Davies
 Roberta Wilson and husband, T. R. Wilson, Sr.
 Josie Fay Peck and husband, Hal C. Peck
 Mrs. Ora Holzgraf
 You are hereby notified that the undersigned Jury of View, acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners' Court of

Upton County, Texas, which is as follows:
"AN ORDER
OPENING A FIRST CLASS ROAD FROM A POINT IN U. S. HIGHWAY 67 TO THE NORTH BOUNDARY LINE OF UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS.
 WHEREAS, due to development of the oil fields in the Wilshire and Pegasus Fields, in Upton County, Texas, it has become a necessity that a first-class road be opened from a point in U. S. Highway 67 to the North boundary line of Upton County, Texas, and
 WHEREAS, a Jury of View is required to be appointed for the purpose of laying out, surveying and describing such road to the greatest advantage to the public and so that the same can be traced with certainty;
 NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS:
 THAT A. L. Cullins, T. D. Reeves, Sidney Hoffman, Horace Slaughter and F. E. Carter, all such persons being freeholders in Upton County, Texas, are hereby appointed as a Jury of View to lay out, survey and describe such road to the greatest advantage to the public and

so that same can be traced with certainty. The said Jury of View is to perform its above-said duties with the help of Engineers that are now under the employ of Upton County, Texas. The said Jury of View is, also, to assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road.
 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT said Jury of View make its report in writing to the next term of this Court, the same being the 14 day of April, 1952, with the field notes of such survey or description of the road included therein.
 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that said Jury of View hold its first meeting in the Commissioners' Court room of Upton County Courthouse at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 12th day of March, 1952.
 PASSED AND APPROVED this 10th day of March, 1952.
 G. H. FISHER,
 Judge, Upton County.

Inventory Of The Air Corps Reservists Starts In This Area April 7

MIDLAND—An inventory of an estimated 800 Air Force Reservists in Midland and nearby counties will begin April 7, Col. E. E. Glenn, commanding officer of the 3rd Air Reserve Dist., announced today.
 The reservists will receive appointment cards asking them to report for a personal interview with the Air Force at Building T-215, Midland Air Park. Purpose of the inventory is to afford reservists an opportunity to learn their current reserve status.
 At the same time the Air Force may record accurate and current information on each reservist.
 "In many cases, Air Force records do not reflect accurately the current status of reservists as to dependents, physical condition, education, and occupation," Col. Glenn said.
 He emphasized that the inventory is not connected in anyway with recall to active duty.
 Appointments for interviews are being scheduled from 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. Mondays through Fridays and from 8:30 a. m. to noon Saturdays. Reservists are being scheduled at their own convenience.
 Counties included in the Midland inventory are Andrews, Martin, Howard, Loving, Winkler, Ector, Midland, Glasscock, Ward, Crane, Upton, Reagan.

Name	Acreeage, Approximate Location	Section	Block	Survey
Travis Baker, Executor of A. D. Neal Estate	6.14 Ac. off of the E. Side	37	1	M K & T R R
	Approx. 1.0 Ac. off of the E. side	38	1	M K & T R R
	14.2 Ac. out of	29	1	M K & T R R
James H. O'Harrow and Grace O'Harrow	3.97 Ac. off of the E. Side	40	1	M K & T R R
	6.06 Ac. off of the E. Side	18	2	M K & T R R
	6.89 Ac. off of the E. Side	2	3 1/2	M K & T R R
Albert G. Avery, Trustees of Martha C. Crawford Estate	6.89 Ac. off of the W. Side	1	3 1/2	M K & T R R
Mrs. E. E. Windham and husband, E. W. Windham	9.1 Ac. out of	2		E. J. Littleton W. S. Bingham
Velma Tippet Amacker and husband, Robt. E. Amacker	26.0 Ac. out of	82		G C & S F R R
McElroy Ranch Co.	61 Ac. out of the	129	D	CCSD & RGNG
E. L. Adkins, Jr., Agent		130	D	CCSD & RGNG
		117	D	CCSD & RGNG
		112	D	CCSD & RGNG
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Mrs. Hazel Neal	12.28 Ac. off of the W. Side	46	41	T & P -5-S
George C. Fraser	4.13 Ac. off of the W. Side	27	41	T & P -4-S
George L. Burr	12.11 Ac. off of the E. Side	40	41	T & P -5-S
John K. Olyphant, Jr.		4	41	T & P -5-S
G. R. Davis		34	41	T & P -5-S
Virgil J. Powell	11.86 Ac. off of the W. Side	28	41	T & P -5-S
	12.24 Ac. off of the E. Side	22	41	T & P -5-S
	12.25 Ac. off of the W. Side	10	41	T & P -5-S
	12.24 Ac. off of the E. Side	16	41	T & P -5-S
Mrs. Davie Davies	12.22 Ac. off of the E. Side	16	41	T & P -5-S
Henry Curties Davies and wife, Ruby Davies				
Harold Lee Davies and wife, Jewel Davies				
Richard Garland Davies and wife, Georgia Nell Davies				
Clarence Francis Davies and wife, Ruie Davies				
Roberta Wilson and husband, T. R. Wilson, Sr.	12.22 Ac. off of the W. Side	46	41	T & P -4-S
Josie Fay Peck and husband, Hal C. Peck	12.22 Ac. off of the E. Side	40	41	T & P -4-S
	6.19 Ac. off of the E. Side	28	41	T & P -4-S
	12.22 Ac. off of the W. Side	34	41	T & P -4-S
Mrs. Ora Holzgraf				

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Robert N. McLean,
 GREETING:
 You are commanded to appear and answer in writing the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being the 5th day of May, A. D., 1952, at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable 112th Judicial District Court of Upton County, at the Court House in Rankin, Texas.
 Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed on the 2nd day November, 1951, the file number of said suit being No. 801.
 The names of the parties in said suit are: Hazel Mae McLean, as Plaintiff, and Robert N. McLean, as Defendant.
 The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:
 Suit for Divorce.
 Plaintiff alleges the following:
 1. On or about the 7th day of July, A. D., 1948, Plaintiff was duly and legally married to Defendant, in Upton County, Texas, and continued to live with said Defendant until on or about the 5th day of April, A. D., 1950, since which time they have not lived together. 2. Plaintiff is and has been for more than twelve months immediately prior to exhibiting this Petition, an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in the said County of Upton, where this suit is filed, for a period of six months next preceding the filing of this suit. 3. Plaintiff alleges that during the time she and Defendant lived together as aforesaid, she was kind and affectionate to him and always mindful of her marriage vows, but Defendant, on or about the 5th day of April, A. D., 1950, without provocation or cause whatever, voluntarily left and abandoned the bed and board of this petitioner, with the intention of finally separating and living apart from her, and has continued so to do up to the filing of this petition. 4. Plaintiff further alleges that Defendant's actions and conduct toward her generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable, the premises considered. 5. Plaintiff further alleges that there are no children and no property. 6. Plaintiff further alleges that her name before marriage was Hazel Mae Bearden.
 WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays the Court that Defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, for costs of suit, for restoration of her name, Hazel Mae Bearden, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to.
 If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
 Issued this the 20th day of March, A. D., 1952.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Rankin, Texas, this the 20th day of March, A. D. 1952.
 (LS) Ralph H. Daugherty,
 Clerk District Court,
 Upton County, Texas.
 By Sara Lee Vardy, Deputy.

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 Virginia G. Belts
 L. C. Clark
 B. R. Greathouse
 Henry Richter Christopher Elser
 Peter Fielding Davis Elser
 Ralph Pembrook
 Stella W. Ryburn
 Lucinda Ryburn Castleberry and husband, Winston Castleberry.
 Wm. Ryburn
 Mildred W. Smith and husband, Harold A. Smith.
 Laura M. White and husband, Albert H. White.
 Alonzo Elliott
 J. E. Hill
 Lilla S. B. Hunt
 Erling M. Hunt
 Deborah Hunt Jennings and husband, Manson Van B. Jennings.
 Lucille Hunt Thomason and husband, Richmond D. Thomason.
 Eleanor Hunt Bright and husband, Everett W. Bright.
 Barbara Hunt
 V. P. Tippet
 J. H. Snowden
 J. M. Snowden
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For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals:
 HENRY RUSSELL, Pecos, Texas

For State Representative, 102nd Dist.:
 HULON B. BROWN

For County and District Clerk:
 RALPH H. DAUGHERTY
 (Re-Election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:
 H. E. "GENE" ECKOLS
 (Re-Election)
 JOHN GANTT

For County Treasurer:
 MRS. ELIZABETH RAINS
 (Re-Election)

For County Attorney:
 JOHN MENEFFEE
 (Re-Election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
 SAM HOLMES
 (Re-Election)
 LOYD YOCAM

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
 W. J. PRICE
 (Re-Election)
 J. O. LEE

For Constable, Precinct 1:
 MARVIN BELL
 (Re-Election)
 A. A. MORGAN

For Constable, Precinct 2:
 SID LANGFORD
 (Re-Election)

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 2:
 MRS. MURRY McCAIN
 (Re-Election)
 C. C. "CHARLIE" CAMPBELL

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1:
 OMAR WARREN
 (Re-Election)

Birdie Robertson Howell
 Alice Robertson West and husband, J. M. West.
 Maclim Robertson, Jr.
 Sterling C. Robertson
 Gordon Robertson
 B. Sherrrod
 Bert Rosenbaum
 F. F. Elkin
 Lula B. Elkin
 L. M. Mitchell
 Anna Burgoon
 Shell Pipe Line Company
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 Jack M. Garner
 William Connell
 Dr. L. W. Pollock
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 J. A. Mathews
 Louise Hutt Shackelford and husband, W. H. Shackelford, Jr.
 T. O. (Dick) Midkiff, Jr.

You are hereby notified that the undersigned Jury of View, acting under and by virtue of an Order of the Commissioner's Court of Upton County, Texas, which is as follows:

"AN ORDER
Opening a First Class Road From a Point in The Benedum Road to the North Boundary Line of Upton County, Texas, and a First Class Road From a Point in the Midland-Rankin Highway,

Name	Acreege, Approximate Location	Section	Block	Survey
Roderick D. Gordon	11.22 Ac. off of W. Side	47	Y	T C R R
Edgar J. Gordon	11.22 Ac. off of W. Side	47	Y	T C R R
LeRoy T. Gordon	11.22 Ac. off of W. Side	47	Y	T C R R
Blaine M. Gordon	11.22 Ac. off of W. Side	47	Y	T C R R
Virginia G. Belts	11.22 Ac. off of W. Side	47	Y	T C R R
L. C. Clark	0.96 Ac. off of W. Side	47	Y	T C R R
	12.26 Ac. off of W. Side	40	Y	T C R R
	11.94 Ac. off of W. Side	3	Y	T C R R
B. R. Greathouse	12.12 Ac. off of W. Side	2	A	CCSD&RGNG RR
	12.19 Ac. off of W. Side	3	A	CCSD&RGNG RR
Henry Richter Christopher Elser	5.47 Ac. out of	1	X	C. C. DeWitt
Peter Fielding Davis Elser	5.47 Ac. out of	1	X	C. C. DeWitt
Ralph Pembrook	27.00 Ac. out of	1	X	C. C. DeWitt
	3.03 Ac. out of	20		H E & W T R R
	6.06 Ac. off of E. Side	9	N	H E & W T R R
	6.61 Ac. off of E. Side	8	N	H E & W T R R
	2.62 Ac. off of S. Side	2	O	E L & P. R.
	8.37 Ac. out of	1	Y	Wm. C. Jenkes
	18.82 Ac. out of	2		M. E. Trammell
	12.78 Ac. out of	11	B	CCSD&RGNG RR
	18.85 Ac. off of the E & South Side	1	O	E L & R R
Stella W. Ryburn				
Lucinda Ryburn Castleberry and husband, Winston Castleberry	18.85 Ac. off of the E & S Side	1	O	E L & R R
Wm. Ryburn	18.85 Ac. off of the E & S Side	1	O	E L & R R
Mildred W. Smith and husband, Harold A. Smith	4.65 Ac. off of the W. Side	25	D	E L & R R
Laura M. White and husband, Albert H. White	4.65 Ac. off of the W. Side	25	D	E L & R R
Alonzo Elliott	4.65 Ac. off of the W. Side	25	D	E L & R R
Mildred W. Smith and husband, Harold A. Smith	6.06 Ac. off of the W. Side	23	D	E L & R R
Laura M. White and husband, Albert H. White	6.06 Ac. off of the W. Side	23	D	E L & R R
Alonzo Elliott	6.06 Ac. off of the W. Side	23	D	E L & R R
J. E. Hill	5.28 Ac. off of the W. Side	22	D	E L & R R
	6.06 Ac. off of the W. Side	24	D	E L & R R
	5.00 Ac. off of the N. Side	20	D	E L & R R
Lilla S. B. Hunt	12.68 Ac. off of the W. Side	21	D	E L & R R
Erling M. Hunt	12.68 Ac. off of the W. Side	21	D	E L & R R
Deborah Hunt Jennings and husband, Manson Van B. Jennings	12.68 Ac. off of the W. Side	21	D	E L & R R
Lucille Hunt Thomason and husband, Richard D. Thomason	12.68 Ac. off of the W. Side	21	D	E L & R R
Eleanor Hunt Bright and husband, Everett W. Bright	12.68 Ac. off of the W. Side	21	D	E L & R R
Barbara Hunt	12.68 Ac. off of the W. Side	21	D	E L & R R
V. P. Tippet	2.20 Ac. off of the E. Side	1	M	E L & R R
	6.15 Ac. off of the S. Side	46	38	T & P-5-S
	16.00 Ac. off of the S & E Side	47	38	T & P-5-S
	12.16 Ac. off of the E. Side	38	38	T & P-5-S
	5.72 Ac. off of the E. Side	26	38	T & P-5-S
	3.03 Ac. off of the N. Side	1	M	E L & R R
	3.03 Ac. off of the S. Side	45	38	T & P-5-S
	3.03 Ac. off of the N. Side	2	M	E L & R R
	6.15 Ac. off of the S. Side	44	38	T & P-5-S
	6.06 Ac. off of the S. Side	43	38	T & P-5-S
J. H. Snowden	6.10 Ac. off of the E. and S. Side	1	M	E L & R R
	3.03 Ac. off of the S. Side	45	38	T & P-5-S
J. M. Snowden	3.03 Ac. off of the S. Side	45	38	T & P-5-S
Geo. G. Snowden, Jr.	3.03 Ac. off of the S. Side	45	38	T & P-5-S
Clendenin J. Ryan	3.03 Ac. off of the S. Side	45	38	T & P-5-S
Mary Elizabeth Robertson Sutherland and husband, T. S. Sutherland	3.03 Ac. off of the E. Side	20	N	H E & W T
Gladys Robertson McLean and husband, D. D. McLean	3.03 Ac. off of the E. Side	20	N	H E & W T
Birdie Robertson Howell	3.03 Ac. off of the E. Side	20	N	H E & W T
Alice Robertson West and husband, J. M. West	3.03 Ac. off of the E. Side	20	N	H E & W T
Maclim Robertson, Jr.	3.03 Ac. off of the E. Side	20	N	H E & W T
Sterling C. Robertson	3.03 Ac. off of the E. Side	20	N	H E & W T
Gordon Robertson	3.03 Ac. off of the E. Side	20	N	H E & W T
B. Sherrrod	7.56 Ac. off of the W. Side	48	38	T & P-5-S
Bert Rosenbaum and F. F. Elkin	12.20 Ac. on W. Side	36	38	T & P-5-S
Bert Rosenbaum and F. F. Elkin	6.48 Ac. off of the W. Side	25	38	T & P-5-S
Lula B. Elkin and husband, F. F. Elkin	12.15 Ac. on W. Side	24	38	T & P-5-S
	0.436 Ac. off of the W. Side	37	38	T & P-5-S
	3.03 Ac. off of the N. Side	2	M	E L & R R
L. M. Mitchell	Approx. 4 Ac. out of	13	B	CCSD & RGNG RR
Anna Burgoon	Approx. 1 Ac. out of	18	B	CCSD & RGNG RR
Shell Pipe Line Co.				
Velma Garner McLaughlin and husband, Ray McLaughlin	6.06 Ac. off of the N. Side	2	N	H E & W T R R
Jessie Dan Garner	6.06 Ac. off of the N. Side	2	N	H E & W T R R
Jack M. Garner	6.06 Ac. off of the N. Side	2	N	H E & W T R R
William Connell	5.84 Ac. off of the S. Side	47	39	T & P-5-S
	6.26 Ac. off of the S. Side	48	39	T & P-5-S
Dr. L. W. Pollock	6.06 Ac. off of the N. Side	4	M	E L & R R
R. V. Oberholtzer	0.68 Ac. off of the N. Side	9	MC	M. C. Ulmer
J. A. Mathews	0.68 Ac. off of the N. Side	9	MC	M. C. Ulmer
Louise Hutt Shackelford and husband, W. H. Shackelford, Jr.	6.2 Ac. off of the E. Side	10	38	T & P-5-S
	Approx. 1 Ac. off of the E. Side	15	38	T & P-5-S
T. O. (Dick) Midkiff, Jr.	App. 2.0 Ac. off of the W. Side	11	38	T & P-5-S
	Ap. 6.0 Ac. off of the S and W Side	14	38	T & P-5-S

No. 349, to Intersect With the Above-Described Road, and a First Class Road From a Point in the Said Road From Benedum Field to the County Line to the Shell Camp.

WHEREAS, due to development of the oil fields in the Northeast part of Upton County, Texas, it has become a necessity that a first class road be opened from a point in the Benedum Road to the North boundary line of Upton County, Texas, and a first class road from a point in the Midland-Rankin Highway, No. 349, to intersect with the above-described road, and a first class road from a point in the said road from Benedum Field to the County line to the Shell Camp, and

WHEREAS, a Jury of View is required to be appointed for the purpose of laying out, surveying and describing such road to the greatest advantage to the public and so that the same can be traced with certainty;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS:

THAT Doc Hudson, Andy Mitchell, Porter Johnson, D. S. Anderson, and O. R. Adams of Rankin, Texas, all such persons being free-

holders in Upton County, Texas, are hereby appointed as a Jury of View to lay out, survey and describe such road to the greatest advantage to the public and so that same can be traced with certainty. The said Jury of View is to perform its above-said duties with the help of Engineers that are now under the employ of Upton County, Texas. The said Jury of View is, also, to assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT said Jury of View make its report in writing to the next term of this Court, the same being the 14 day of April, 1952, with the field notes of such survey or description of the road included therein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT said Jury of View hold its first meeting in the Commissioners' Court Room of Upton County Court-house at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 12th day of March, 1952.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 10th day of March, 1952.
 G. H. FISHER,
 Judge, Upton County, Texas."

will on the 11th day of April, 1952, proceed to lay out and survey a road as described in the above Order, which may run through certain lands owned by you, a description of said lands and approximate acreage and location of said road is as follows:

may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.
 WITNESS OUR HANDS, this 13th day of March, A. D., 1952.

Congratulations:
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed W. Thorp are the parents of a baby girl born on Friday, April 3, in the San Angelo Clinic Hospital. The young fellow weighed 8 pounds, 8 1/2 ounces, and has been named Claude Wilson. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brown of McCamey. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Johnson of Daisetta, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dan Gibson are parents of a baby girl born on Friday, March 28, at the Cooper Hospital. The young lady was named Helen Renee. She weighed seven pounds, 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Clary are the parents of a son, born Monday, March 24, in the Cooper Hospital. He weighed seven pounds, 10 ounces, and was named Michael Milton. He has a brother, Billy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crossland of Rankin are the parents of a boy born in the Cooper Hospital on Tuesday, April 1. He weighed seven pounds, 4 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Thomas are the parents of a boy born Sunday, March 30, in St. John's Hospital, San Angelo. Weight 7 pounds 2 ounces. He has been named Michael Ray.

CARD OF THANKS
 Words can never express our appreciation to those who remembered us so kindly during the loss of our beloved Maxine. May God bless and keep you.
 Jack Young
 Mrs. Bill Nix
 Guila, Jimmy and Melanie Miller.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO: William O. Nickelby,
 GREETING:
 You are commanded to appear and answer in writing the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being the 5th day of May, A. D., 1952, at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable 112th Judicial District Court of Upton County, at the Court House in Rankin, Texas.
 Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed on the 26th day of October, A. D., 1951, the file number of said suit being No. 797.
 The names of the parties in said suit are: Betty Louise Nickelby, as Plaintiff, and William O. Nickelby, as Defendant.
 The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:
 Plaintiff alleges the following:
 1. On or about the 11th day of April, 1944, Plaintiff was duly and legally married to Defendant in Reeves County, Texas, and continued to live together until on or about the 20th day of August, 1951, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.
 2. Plaintiff is and has been for more than twelve months immediately prior to exhibiting this Petition, an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in the said County of Upton, where this suit is filed, for a period of six months next preceding the filing of this suit. 3. Plaintiff alleges that during the time she and Defendant lived together as aforesaid, she was kind and affectionate to him and forever mindful of her duties as a wife, but Defendant, unmindful of his duties and obligations of his marital vows, began a course of unkind, harsh, cruel and tyrannical treatment toward Plaintiff, without cause or provocation whatever on the part of this Plaintiff. 4. Plaintiff further alleges that Defendant's actions and conduct toward her generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable, the premises considered. 5. Plaintiff alleges that there are no children born of this marriage and no property.
 WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays the Court and that Defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and for judgment dissolving said marriage relation, for costs of suit, for attorney's fees, for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, as she may be justly entitled.
 If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
 Issued this 20th day of March, A. D., 1952.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Rankin, Texas, this 20th day of March, A. D., 1952.
 (LS) Ralph H. Daugherty,
 Clerk,
 District Court
 Upton County, Texas.
 By Sara Lee Vardy, Deputy.

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We have opened for business this week.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Last Tuesday Judge Cunningham wanted to go fishing. "Why aren't you working?" I asked. Judge explained how his wife had gone on a trip, taken his keys by mistake—and now he couldn't get in the office. So we went fishing.

Next day, he wanted me to go again. I was surprised those keys hadn't shown up yet. "The little woman phoned to say she mailed them," the Judge explained. "They're now in the office, under the mail slot. I'd get 'em if I could just open that door." He grinned and picked up his fishing rod.

"Great little woman, the wife. You can always count on her. Let's go!"

From where I sit, we can see tolerance like the Judge shows for his wife's absent-mindedness... and she shows for his habit of lighting out for the fishing hole at every opportunity. He can't see why she likes tea, and she doesn't share his taste for a glass of beer. But they get along fine! Learning to respect other people's ways will "open the door" to happier living.

Joe Marsh

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