

July Primary Races To Be Decided Saturday

Purchase Price Agreed Upon Cooper Hospital

A purchase price has been agreed upon by local appraisers on the Cooper Hospital in McCamey.

Two appraisers appointed, one by the County Commissioners' Court and one by Dr. James Cooper, owner of the Cooper Hospital, plus a third man appointed by the two appraisers, will submit a report to the Commissioners' Court at a meeting next week.

At a meeting of the Commissioners' Court on Thursday afternoon of last week, a hearing was held with Dr. James Cooper, and Dr. W. H. Cooper, both of McCamey.

The two medical officers appeared before the Court to request action on the purchase of the Cooper Hospital.

Dr. Cooper stated that he was anxious for a purchase price to be arrived at so that changes needed in the hospital could be effected. These changes are necessary to make better hospital facilities available to McCamey and Upton County, he added.

A special election was held March 8 of this year to vote on the issuance of \$300,000 in bonds for two Upton County hospitals, one in Rankin and one in McCamey. The bonds are to become due and payable serially in not more than 25 years, at a rate not exceeding 4% per annum. McCamey gets \$150,000 of the allotted funds.

The petition, as presented to the Court and as accepted by them called for:

... the providing of funds for the establishing and equipping of a County Hospital, by purchasing the existing hospital building and equipment in McCamey and con-

structing and equipping a hospital building in Rankin.

After the election carried in March, the Court and Dr. Cooper each agreed to appoint an appraiser, a third man to be appointed by the first two men. The three would arrive at a purchase price on the hospital.

At the time the election was called, and in answer to the question as to the cost of the hospital, Dr. Cooper said that he felt certain the county would have sufficient money to purchase the existing Cooper Hospital and to enlarge it to 22 or 24 beds; build a nurses' home; and add whatever equipment the Court might deem necessary for the \$150,000.

Presently, the hospital has 13 beds, and room for three additional ones.

The hospital is an associate member of the American Hospital Association, which is a national organization.

After Thursday's meeting, the court and Dr. Cooper agreed again to appoint two appraisers, with these two appointing a third man, and with the three arriving upon a fair purchase price for the existing hospital and facilities.

Friday of last week an inspection tour of the hospital was conducted by the Commissioners. At that time the two appraisers were appointed. They in turn appointed a third man.

The appraisers have since met and arrived at a price for the purchase of the hospital.

A report giving the price agreed upon will be presented to the Commissioners' Court next Monday.

SAMPLE BALLOT

I AM A DEMOCRAT AND PLEDGE MYSELF TO SUPPORT THE NOMINEE OF THIS PRIMARY

FOR GOVERNOR

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Jefferson County

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Travis County

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Bexar County

FOR LIENTENANT GOVERNOR

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MORALES
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FOR TREASURER OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

JESSE JAMES
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FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS

JOHN BEN SHEPPERD
Gregg County

CURT STILES
Dallas County

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Harris County

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Tarrant County

GLENN R. LEWIS
Tom Green County

A. R. STOUT
Ellis County

PLACE NO. 2

GRAHAM B. SMEDLEY
Tarrant County

ROBERT BRUCE KEENAN
Gregg County

PLACE NO. 3

W. ST. JOHN GARWOOD
Harris County

PLACE NO. 4

CLYDE E. SMITH (Unexpired Term)
Tyler County

FOR U. S. REPRESENTATIVE, 16TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF TEXAS

KEN REGAN
Midland County

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, EIGHTH SUPREME JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF TEXAS

ALAN R. FRASER
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HENRY RUSSELL
Reeves County

FOR SENATOR, 25TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT OF TEXAS

DORSEY B. HARDEMAN
Tom Green County

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 102ND DISTRICT OF TEXAS

HULON B. BROWN
Midland County

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY 112TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

HART JOHNSON
Pecos County

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY 83RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE

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WM. W. MOORE

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FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

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FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

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FOR COUNTY CHAIRMAN

L. E. WINDHAM

Large Turnout Seen In Upton Balloting

Upward of 2,000 voters are expected to go to the polls Saturday to vote in the Democratic primary election.

Two county-wide offices are being contested. Seeking re-election is County Judge G. H. "Bud" Fisher and opposing him is W. W. "Bill" Moore, former editor of The McCamey News.

Seeking re-election for the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector is H. E. "Gene" Eckols and opposing him is John Gantt, north Upton County Rancher, and a former deputy sheriff.

Tom Trimble, incumbent, is seeking reelection for County Commissioner of Precinct 3 and is being contested by T. A. Pauley, owner of the Pauley Feed Store of McCamey.

Commissioner Joe Conger seeks reelection in Precinct 4 and is opposed by G. W. "Blackie" Huffman, independent oil operator.

Unopposed candidates are John Meneffee for County Attorney; Elizabeth L. Rains for County Treasurer; Nancy K. Daugherty seeks election to succeed her husband, the late Ralph H. Daugherty, for the office of District and County Clerk. Mrs. Daugherty was appointed to serve the remaining term of her late husband, killed in an auto crash last May 14.

For Commissioner of Precinct 1, Sam Holmes is seeking reelection and is being contested by Gordon L. Steele and Loyd Yocham.

W. J. Price is seeking reelection for Commissioner of Precinct 2, and is opposed by J. O. Lee and Tommy Workman, Jr.

For Constable of Precinct 1, the incumbent officer is Marvin Bell seeking re-election, and contesting him are A. A. Morgan and W. F. "Bill" Moore.

Mrs. Murry McCain, incumbent Justice of the Peace of Precinct 2, is being opposed by C. C. "Charlie" Campbell.

Unopposed officers in Precincts 1 and 2 are Sid Langford for Constable of Precinct 2, and Omar Warren for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1.

Precinct incumbent officers unopposed are Mrs. Aileen Jo Gibson for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3; Mrs. Gertrude Stephens for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 4; Malcolm Reimers, Constable Precinct 3; and W. A. "Dad" Russell, Constable, Precinct 4.

Another office of local interest being contested is for Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, which pits Judge Alan R. Fraser of Alpine, Judge of the 83rd District Court, against Judge Henry Russell of Pecos.

Hulon B. Brown is running for the office of State Representative, 102nd District, unopposed.

A sample Upton County ballot showing all the candidates running for office is shown elsewhere in this issue of The News.

JUST A MEMO: Polls And Judges

Just to refresh oldsters' memories and to inform newcomers, the various voting places and presiding judges for the primary election are listed below:

Voters in Precinct 1 in Rankin will vote at the Court House, while those residing in Precinct 2 will cast their ballots at the Rankin Park Building.

Box No. 3 will be at the Plymouth Gasoline Plant at Benedum Field.

In McCamey, persons residing west of Burleson Avenue to the South County line will vote at the McCamey Park Building, where Box 4 is located.

Box 5 will be in the Brown Pipe and Supply Building for those people east of Burleson and north of the railroad tracks.

Voters on the east side of Burleson and south of the railroad tracks will vote at Box 6 in the McCamey High School.

Polls will open at 8 o'clock on Saturday morning and close at 7 in the evening.

Judges previously named by the County Commissioners' Court who will preside at the elections are:

Box 1: H. Wheeler, presiding judge; and Mrs. Boyd Cox, judge.

Box 2: Mrs. Ted Hogan, presiding judge; D. O. McEwen, judge.

Box 3: Alvin Bushong, presiding judge, and Vernon Black, judge.

Box 4: A. F. Schnaubert, presiding judge; Dee Locklin, judge.

Box 5: J. G. Herrington, presiding judge; Mrs. John A. Menefee, judge.

Box 6: W. K. Ramsey, presiding judge; J. W. C. Hayes, judge.

Activity For Week of July 28 To August 1

MONDAY—Activity Period, 9 to 11 a. m.

Little League, 9-11 a. m.

Fastball (Schedule for second half will be set Saturday).

TUESDAY—Activity Period, 9 to 11 a. m.

Little League, 9-11 a. m.

Basketball Game, Rankin Jrs. vs. McCamey Jrs. in Rankin at 8:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—Activity Period, 9-11 a. m.

Little League, 9-11 a. m.

Recreation Night, 8 p. m.

FRIDAY—Activity Period, 9-11 a. m.

Little League, 9-11 a. m.

Fastball (To be set).

SATURDAY — Organizational meeting for last half of Fastball Loop, High School, 7:30 p. m.

The organizational meeting to set up the last half schedule will be held at the High School building at 7:30 p. m. Saturday night.

Several new teams have expressed a desire to enter the loop. If the managers of those teams desiring entrance will be present Saturday night, their applications will be discussed and acted upon.

All managers are urged to be present or have a representative at this meeting.

Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. Selso Abalos of Rankin announce the engagement of their daughter, Natalie, to Juan Sandoval, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sandoval of Bracketville. The couple is to be married in the Catholic Church at Rankin on Sunday morning, Aug. 10.

CONGRATULATIONS: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kelly of Rankin are parents of a boy born July 21, in the Cooper Hospital. Named Jerry Lester, he weighed seven pounds one ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Thomas of Rankin are parents of a girl born July 15, in the Cooper Hospital. She weighed seven pounds four ounces, and has been named Shirley Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Robinson are parents of a boy born Monday, July 7, in the Ector County Hospital. He weighed 8 1/2 pounds and has been named Kenneth Noel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill H. Fry are parents of a boy born July 22 in the Crane Hospital. He weighed seven pounds, eight ounces and has been named William Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hedgpeth of McCamey are parents of a baby girl born July 17, in the Cooper Hospital. The young lady has been named Cherrie Lynn and weighed about two pounds four ounces at birth.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W.	L.
Water Haulers	5	1
Butane Burners	3	3
Recreation Club	2	3
Sheriff's Posse	1	4

Mr. and Mrs. John Robert Prude are parents of a baby boy born in Oessa recently. The baby weighed eight and a half pounds and has been named John Robert, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cogley of Oessa are parents of a girl, born July 17, in the Shannon Hospital, San Angelo. The baby has been named Gloria Marie and weighed seven pounds. Mrs. Cogley was the former Marie Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edwards of McCamey.

More Responding To Garbage Can Ordinance

The Rankin Health Department states that, although a large number of residents have complied with the City Ordinance regarding covered garbage cans and have also complied with the Department's instructions as regards open cesspools, there remains a number who have not.

The Deputy Health Officers are continuing their inspections and violators will necessarily be reported.

Cooperation that has been shown is appreciated and the fight to keep down polio will be continued. Another town meeting will be held at the court house on Monday night, July 28, at 8 o'clock. It is hoped that everyone who can will attend this meeting.

Coach Jones To Finish Summer Program

Coach D. E. Jones, Rankin's new assistant coach, will pinch-hit for Coach Scrivner for the rest of the summer.

Coach Jones comes to Rankin from Loraine where he was head coach for two years. He is a McMurray graduate and is doing graduate work at Hardin Simmons toward his Master's degree. Mr. Jones has had four years of successful coaching, his team having won the Regional Championship while at Weinert.

At Rankin Jones will assist Coach Scrivner in football; coach the girls' basketball; and will be head coach in track.

Rankin extends a hearty welcome to Coach Jones and his family.

148 Absentee Votes Cast In Upton County

A record number of absentee ballots—148 of them—have been turned in to the absentee ballot box at the County Clerk's office in Rankin.

This is believed to be the biggest absentee turnout ever had in Upton County.

The County Commissioners' Court appointed absentee election judges last Friday for this primary election. They are Hamilton Still, Walton Harral, John Paul Godwin, S. R. Braly, C. W. Denton and W. E. Pulley.

The judges will poll the absentee votes in the grand jury room at the court house in Rankin beginning at 1 p. m. on the day of election, July 26.

Political Speeches Friday; Election Results Saturday

"Mah friends, and you ARE mah friends..."

And thus will go the text of the local politicians when they climb the platform in front of The News Publishing Co. on Burleson Ave., Friday night, July 25 in McCamey.

For that will be the night of the old-time rally for Upton County candidates. A number of candidates including those for the office of County Judge, County Clerk, County Attorney, and County Commissioners have promised to be on hand to say a few (?) words.

The Badger Band-Aid Mothers are to set up a concession stand to sell refreshments for the event.

ELECTION PARTY

An election party will take place in the same location, in front of The News Publishing Company, the night of the election, Saturday, July 26. A large blackboard with a spotlight on it will show the vote tabulations as they come in, both from the local polling places and from the Texas Election Bureau in Dallas, of which The News is a member.

While the results are coming in, the McCamey Lions Club will hold a cakewalk in the street in front of the office. They will also have refreshments in the form of coffee and lemonade at a concession stand.

All proceeds will go to the Lions Camp for Crippled Children in Alpine.

They will set tables and chairs on Burleson Avenue between Fifth and Sixth Streets.

Lion Bill Van Atta, vice-president-in-charge of setting up these two events, announced that he sent letters of invitation to all state candidates as well as county and precinct officers but at press time was not able to ascertain if any of those state candidates would be present.

All Upton County residents are invited to hear and watch the proceedings these two nights. The weatherman doesn't predict rain.

Latin-Americans of Upton County will hold a political meeting Friday night, beginning at 9 p.m., at Tomas Molina's Place.

All interested candidates are invited to attend.

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CONGRESS AND CONTROLS

When Congress extended the economic controls, it added a significant statement of policy which began: "It is hereby declared to be the policy of the Congress that the President shall use the price, wage, and other powers conferred by this Act, as amended, to promote the earliest practicable balance between production and the demand therefor of materials and services and that the general control of wages and prices shall be terminated as rapidly as possible consistent with the policies and purposes set forth in this Act . . ."

The policy statement said further that controls should be suspended in the case of commodities or services where supply is abundant, and the going price is below ceiling.

It is evident from this that Congress is wearing of the controls, even though the majority decided against their total elimination at this time. And there is every reason why Congress should instruct the President to terminate them in the relatively near future. On the purely practical side, almost no goods are in short supply today in many cases production has been outrunning consumption and, due to the inexorable pressure of competition, many articles have been selling at retail below the legal ceiling.

Far more important, the controls disrupt the orderly workings of our splendid production and distribution system. They place heavy, costly and discouraging burdens on the farmer, manufacturer, retailer and all others concerned. They add an unnecessary and destructive element of uncertainty to business operations. And they tend to do the most damage to the small business, with limited financial and other assets.

Congress' policy statement foreshadows that happy day when all controls shall die.

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Coatesville, Pa., Record: "It's no doubt tough for Congressmen to live in Washington, with taxes and prices what they are. Perhaps it was natural that they should vote some tax relief for themselves. But what about the folks back home who do not have \$15,000, plus, jobs? How do the Congressmen believe the folks with three, four or five thousand dollars—before taxes—make ends meet? It is claimed by statisticians that each of us is now paying \$477 annually on Federal taxes alone. This means a total of \$1,908 for a family of four. Does Congress look upon these people as deserving of relief from their tax burdens?"

Everson, Wash., News: "There seems to be a question when the U. S. Government can claim anything their bureaucratic heads desire to claim as their own. They seem to control our rivers and streams, despite our court decisions, they grant power dams against our best interests; tell us whether we need more aluminum plants to cause a power shortage, whether we choose to keep our fishing industry, one of our best natural resources, or let an appointee of the President regulate our economy. We have watched their domination of the power industry to the detriment of private enterprise and the best interests of our citizens."

International Falls, Minn., Daily Journal: "Production per man is now five times what it was at the beginning of the century. The reason, according to the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, lies in the increased use of machinery that speeds production. Such machinery requires capital investments and such investments can come only out of earnings."

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—
GREETING:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Upton County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: MARY SPRINGER, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 112th District Court of Upton County at the Courthouse thereof, in Rankin, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 1 day of September, A. D. 1952, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 15 day of July, A. D. 1952, in this cause, numbered 900 on the docket of said court and styled

C. A. Springer, Plaintiff, vs. Mary Springer, Defendant.
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff is suing for divorce, alleging that Defendant has been guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages toward plaintiff of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

Aztecs Play Oilers In Sunday Game
A baseball game is scheduled between the McCamey Aztecs and the Gulf Oilers of Crane, at Skeets Park, Sunday.
Starting time is 3 p.m. A game scheduled between Grandfalls and the Aztecs which had been set for last Sunday was not played because the Grandfalls team failed to show up.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Rankin, Texas, this 15 day of July, A. D. 1952.
Attest: Nancy K. Daugherty, Clerk, 112th District Court, (L.S.) Upton County, Texas.
By Sara Lee Vardy, Deputy.

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FOR **Congressman AT-LARGE**



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HENRY RUSSELL
FOR
Associate Justice - Court of Civil Appeals

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To the Voters of Upton County

On account of the illness of my wife who has been hospitalized for 60 days, and the severe drouth conditions that have existed on my ranch, I have been unable to contact all of the voters of Upton County in behalf of my candidacy for the office of Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor of Upton County.

To those of you that I have not seen, I want you to know that I will sincerely appreciate your consideration at the polls on Saturday, July 26.

To those who actively aided me in my campaign, I want to express my thanks.

I URGE EACH OF YOU TO VOTE!

John Gantt

Candidate for
**Sheriff, Tax Assessor
and Collector**
of Upton County

(Paid Political Advertisement)

TO THE FOLKS OF Upton County

When the May 5th deadline for filing for office passed and I drew no opponent for the office of County Attorney, it was as though Christmas came in May.

Believe me I will appreciate your vote and influence in the coming election.

I thank you all for favors and consideration shown me.

John A. Menefee

County Attorney of Upton County

Home-Buying Involves Serious Legal Problems

Thinking of buying a house? Before you sign anything, be sure you know the effects of your action. Many legal problems are involved in such a transaction. This column and those to follow on this subject, will attempt to point out and explain some of the legal angles connected with your purchase.

For the average person, the buying of a home is the largest single transaction of his life. It is also, in most instances, the most permanent or longest term investment he will ever make. Whether or not he bought wisely will be determined by his ability to resell without difficulty, or to enjoy the use of the premises without annoyance or interruption.

Possibly the first legal problem you will meet will be when you are asked by the seller or his agent to sign a contract of sale or earnest money contract. In connection with the latter, you will be asked to deposit a sum of money which would be forfeited to the seller and agent for damages in event you do not fulfill the contract. Although no forfeit money may be required with the former, you may still be legally liable for damages if you renege. Be sure, therefore, that you know exactly what your obligations are.

The next legal problem would probably be to determine the status of the title to the property. Many persons become confused during this stage, thinking that securing possession of an abstract or title insurance policy will afford them complete protection against title defects. This is not necessarily true in either case.

Keep in mind that an abstract is merely an outline of public records on the tract. Any person may purchase an abstract covering any piece of land, whether he owns it or not. A Title Insurance Policy indemnifies you only up to a certain maximum sum of money, and contains various exceptions to the specified coverage.

Following this would be the problem of transferring the title from the legal owner to you, as purchaser, in such manner that no legal question might later arise concerning your sole and exclusive ownership.

Incidental to your title problems is that of ascertaining what restrictions exist upon the lot you are buying and upon the neighborhood generally. Municipal zoning ordinances and restrictive covenants placed upon a tract by previous owners or developers of the subdivision may prove a protection or a hindrance, according to the plans you have for future use or improvement of your property.

Other legal questions may arise in arranging the method of payment for the house. The fact that most people need years in which to complete such payment makes this a matter to be considered carefully.


These are some of the major legal problems you are likely to encounter in purchasing a home. Of course, a number of others may arise in some cases due to peculiar individual circumstances.

New Orleans, La., is farther south than Tunis, Africa.

John Adams, in 1800, was the first occupant of the White House.

A drone is a male bee that gathers no honey.

Let's Re-elect



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People Here To Get Increased Payments On Social Security

Many people in the McCamey area will receive higher social security payments beginning early in October as a result of the Social Security amendments which President Truman signed into law last July 18.

Jack B. Calvert, manager of the Odessa Social Security office, emphasized that no one needs to apply for the increased payments. "The Social Security Administration is already changing the amount," he pointed out. "We expect to get them changed in time to have them in the mails Oct. 3, the regular delivery date, but if in a few cases we don't meet that schedule, we'll send the regular

check and make up the difference in a later check."


Mr. Calvert pointed out that, although nearly every family receiving payments would receive an increase, the additional amount would not always be divided among all the members of the family receiving monthly checks. In some cases the entire increase will go to the retired worker.

Under terms of the law, most families will get an increase of about \$5; some will get less, some will get more. A few benefits now being paid, and most of those payable in the future, will be based on earnings after 1950 instead of after 1936. The amended law provides a new formula for determining the amount of the payments in these cases. Under it, a retired worker's monthly benefit would be

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"Yet in a desperate effort to confuse the people, this Washington-picked candidate for governor has plucked a lot of figures out of thin air, pieced them with some utterly ridiculous conclusions and passed them out as true facts."

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A breakdown of benefits received during Shivers' administration by this county from highway use tax money further shows that the county has received \$114,492 in license fees, \$23,493 has been paid this county in road bond funds, and \$2,700 appropriated by the state for rural roads.

The figures above do not include money spent by the state to build primary or main highways in this county.

State-wide since Shivers took office, the state has spent \$102,797,972 for the construction of 7,632 miles of farm-to-market roads. Still to be built for which \$45,385,900 has been authorized are 3,654 miles of additional rural highways.

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WM. W. MOORE

Solicits Your Vote For

COUNTY JUDGE

—ABOUT THE CANDIDATE—

- Resident of Upton County for 26 years.
- Received education in public schools . . . graduate of McCamey High School in 1939.
- Attended John Tarleton and NTSTC before entering army.
- Served three and one-half years in army.
- Received BS Degree in Government from Sul Ross in 1948.
- Married and has two children.
- Home-owner and property taxpayer.

—PRINCIPLES ADVOCATED—

Among other things, I believe that elected officers are to serve the public and to keep citizens informed on ALL affairs of the office. I do not believe in withholding any kind of information from the people.

I believe in complete cooperation and harmony between all governmental bodies and offices . . . and believe that the county should have a thoroughly planned budget to meet the demand, and render the services, needed by Upton County citizens and organizations.

I am a firm believer in economy in government at all levels. Taxpayers' money is not to be wasted but to be considered in every way possible.

I believe that fairness and impartiality are essential in our County Court if justice is to be given those coming before it.

—PROGRAMS And POLICIES—

I believe that the majority of the people of Upton County should receive some benefit from the great oil development of the past four years in our county.

This help is possible through joint county-city programs in matters of fire protection, health, park and recreation improvements . . . among others.

Through close planning with county and city officials, civic organizations and interested clubs and groups . . . our county and cities can become better places in which to live at no additional cost to taxpayers.

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For Your Next

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For A Second Term

ALLAN SHIVERS FOR GOVERNOR

THE TRUTH ABOUT OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Governor Allan Shivers wrote and helped pass the first Old-Age Assistance Law in Texas.

He stands for equitable distribution of funds for the needy.

Two years ago he was one of the leaders who tried to get more money for the aged, a cause that failed because the voters disapproved a constitutional amendment.

Governor Shivers has, in the past and will in the future, advocate making available to our deserving aged citizens not merely enough for a meager existence, but sufficient funds to carry them through the evening years of life as proud, dignified citizens.

An increase of \$5 in each pension check is due next October.

THE TRUTH ABOUT COUNTY ROAD FUNDS

Farm-to-market road building has been the greatest in history during the Shivers administration.

During Governor Shivers' administration, Upton county has received \$556,586 rural road benefits from state highway user taxes as follows:

License fees \$188,752, road bond surplus \$27,934, construction of farm-to-market roads 81,800, authorized but not under construction \$258,100.

In this county, 8 miles of farm-to-market roads have been built, and an additional 24 miles have been authorized for construction, for a total of 32 miles.

Governor Shivers' administration has consistently supported the Upton county road building program and will continue to do so in the future.

Together we will continue to build a greater Texas **Allan Shivers**

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 kin, Upton County, Texas, at 9 o'-
 clock A. M., beginning on Monday,
 the 4 day of August, 1952, and
 from day to day thereafter, for
 the purpose of determining, fixing
 and equalizing the value of any
 and all taxable property situated
 in Upton County, Texas, until such
 values have finally been determin-
 ed for taxable purposes for the
 year 1952, and any and all persons
 interested or having business with
 said Board are hereby notified to be present.

(LS) Nancy K. Daugherty,
 County Clerk,
 Upton County, Texas,
 Upton County,
 Rankin, Texas,
 this 14 day of July, 1952

Bombay duck is an Indian dish
 of fried fish.

WASHINGTON AND
"SMALL BUSINESS"
 By C. WILSON HARDER

As this column enters its third
 year in the weekly newspapers
 of America, recent Congression-
 al actions reveal the influence
 wielded by weekly newspapers
 and their readers.

Events also prove if Ameri-
 cans are given
 facts, they will
 act to correct
 existing evils.
 So far the in-
 dependent news-
 papers of
 America have
 stood alone in
 bringing forth
 undisclosed
 facts, letting
 chips fall where they may.

Significantly Congress did far
 more than stop government power
 to control consumer credit,
 and to cut down the powers of
 the OPS or Office Plenty Screwy.
 Unnoticed, Congress took an
 even more important step.

Congress at the same time
 passed a measure to aid and en-
 courage American newspaper
 production. An attempt will now
 be made to combat the foreign
 monopoly squeezing the life-blood
 out of independent newspapers.

Action was taken despite pre-
 vious protests by State Secretary
 Dean Acheson that nothing
 should be done to antagonize
 Canadian newspaper producers
 despite constant price increases
 totalling more than 130%.

In Washington leaders of inde-
 pendent business have long
 urged Congressmen to protect
 the free American press from
 monopoly exploitation. This
 need has been pointed out time
 and time as the first bulwark in
 the defense of American liberty.
 The Senate Small Business Com-
 mittee, headed by Sen. John
 Sparkman, Ala., launched still
 another probe of the situation.

But in recent months, facts
 not covered by the big dailies
 have been brought to small cities
 and towns of America.

These facts, without adorn-
 ment, caused readers of weekly
 newspapers across the nation to
 protest to their Congressmen.
 After all, in the big cities, there
 are people who can be persuaded
 that whatever sounds silly is
 really not silly.

But high flown theories do not
 ring true in the smaller cities
 and towns of the nation.

In these regions, where the
 vote is controlled, nonsense is
 still looked upon as nonsense.

Sincere Congressmen of both
 parties voice pleasure over re-
 ceiving so many expressions of
 opinions from the solid people
 who read weekly newspapers.

Typical comment: "We had a
 feeling that many things, if they
 were known, would not set too
 well with these people, but un-
 til we had something concrete
 to go on, it's hard to disprove
 the theory boys."

Many Congressmen give the
 weekly newspapers full credit
 for recent acts curtailing the
 power of the government to med-
 dle in private business and lives.

Many Congressmen feel this
 situation is healthy, are pre-
 pared to act to aid weekly news-
 papers buy newsprint on a com-
 petitive market.

Naturally, bureaucrats who
 have lost power, or position be-
 cause of this reaction, will op-
 pose such action.

So organized independent busi-
 ness is preparing to battle on
 this issue. The results of the past
 two weeks show that such a
 battle can be won.



C. W. Harder



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Me—Advising a Banker!

The Missus and I were invited to
 dinner over at Balesville the other
 night. I sat next to a banker from
 the state capital.

"Mighty nice country you've got
 down there," he says. "Don't be
 surprised if I come to live there
 myself. In a few years I plan to
 get away from everybody, buy a
 farm and just take it easy."

"Well," I told him, "we'd like to
 have you. But when someone plans
 to buy a farm and 'take it easy' he
 often winds up working harder
 than ever. It takes work to run a
 farm right no matter how many

hands you can afford to hire.

"And from where I sit," I con-
 tinued, "you won't 'get away' from
 people either. Neighbors are plenty
 important in a farming community
 —whether it's helping one another
 out or just friendly visiting over a
 sociable glass of beer." "Hard work
 and neighbors dropping in all the
 time?" he asks, looking at me over
 his glasses. Then he smiles and
 says, "Sounds wonderful. You've
 just sold me on a farm."

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Heat Buckles Highway — Puts Cop To Work



This harrowing scene of a policeman actually doing physical work
 was enacted recently on a Detroit street.

Maybe some of our good propagandists will say that the trucks
 tore up this road, but really this can be charged directly to old man
 Sol. The more than one-hundred degree temperature on the street was
 too much for this stretch of road on Detroit's east side.

A close look at the officer's face will disclose a rather strained
 smile, which was the best that could be coaxed from him by an
 ingenious photographer. To those who are interested in our highways
 —and who isn't?—this is a typical example of how much more
 destruction the elements can cause than anything on pneumatic tires.

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Gov. Allan Shivers this week accused his opposition of making "fantastic" charges in a last-minute effort to minimize the greatest farm-to-market road building program in Texas' history.

"The record shows that during my administration, there have been more miles of paved rural roads completed in Texas than at any time in history," Shivers said. "And this is just the beginning—the program is just getting started."

"Yet in a desperate effort to confuse the people, this Washington picked candidate for governor has plucked a lot of figures out of thin air, pieced them with some utterly ridiculous conclusions and passed them out as true facts."

Gov. Shivers said that a tabulation of the distribution of state highway use tax money to counties revealed that \$140,686 had been channeled to Crane County for road building purposes in the county during the Shivers administration.

A breakdown of benefits received during Shivers' administration by this county from highway use tax money further shows that the county has received \$114,492 in license fees, \$23,493 has been paid this county in road bond funds, and \$2,700 appropriated by the state for rural roads.

The figures above do not include money spent by the state to build primary or main highways in this county.

State-wide since Shivers took office, the state has spent \$102,797,972 for the construction of 7,632 miles of farm-to-market roads. Still to be built for which \$45,385,900 has been authorized are 3,654 miles of additional rural highways.

"THE BEST WAY TO WORK FOR THE PEOPLE IS TO WORK WITH THE PEOPLE"

WM. W. MOORE

Solicits Your Vote For

COUNTY JUDGE

—ABOUT THE CANDIDATE—

- Resident of Upton County for 26 years.
- Received education in public schools . . . graduate of McCamey High School in 1939.
- Attended John Tarleton and NTSTC before entering army.
- Served three and one-half years in army.
- Received BS Degree in Government from Sul Ross in 1948.
- Married and has two children.
- Home-owner and property taxpayer.

—PRINCIPLES ADVOCATED—

Among other things, I believe that elected officers are to serve the public and to keep citizens informed on ALL affairs of the office. I do not believe in withholding any kind of information from the people.

I believe in complete cooperation and harmony between all governmental bodies and offices . . . and believe that the county should have a thoroughly planned budget to meet the demand, and render the services, needed by Upton County citizens and organizations.

I am a firm believer in economy in government at all levels. Taxpayers' money is not to be wasted but to be considered in every way possible.

I believe that fairness and impartiality are essential in our County Court if justice is to be given those coming before it.

—PROGRAMS And POLICIES—

I believe that the majority of the people of Upton County should receive some benefit from the great oil development of the past four years in our county.

This help is possible through joint county-city programs in matters of fire protection, health, park and recreation improvements . . . among others.

Through close planning with county and city officials, civic organizations and interested clubs and groups . . . our county and cities can become better places in which to live at no additional cost to taxpayers.

VOTE FOR

ECONOMY — FAIRNESS — PROGRESS

Wm. W. Moore

For Your Next

County Judge

"THE BEST WAY TO WORK FOR THE PEOPLE IS TO WORK WITH THE PEOPLE"

(This Ad Prepared and Paid For at Regular Rates By W. W. "Bill" Moore)

I SEEK RE-ELECTION ON THE BASIS OF MY RECORD

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Sheriff, Tax Assessor And Collector

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H. E. "Gene" ECKOLS

For A Second Term

ALLAN SHIVERS FOR GOVERNOR

THE TRUTH ABOUT OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Governor Allan Shivers wrote and helped pass the first Old-Age Assistance Law in Texas.

He stands for equitable distribution of funds for the needy.

Two years ago he was one of the leaders who tried to get more money for the aged, a cause that failed because the voters disapproved a constitutional amendment.

Governor Shivers has, in the past and will in the future, advocate making available to our deserving aged citizens not merely enough for a meager existence, but sufficient funds to carry them through the evening years of life as proud, dignified citizens.

An increase of \$5 in each pension check is due next October.

THE TRUTH ABOUT COUNTY ROAD FUNDS

Farm-to-market road building has been the greatest in history during the Shivers administration.

During Governor Shivers' administration, Upton county has received \$556,586 rural road benefits from state highway user taxes as follows:

License fees \$188,752, road bond surplus \$27,934, construction of farm-to-market roads 81,800, authorized but not under construction \$258,100.

In this county, 8 miles of farm-to-market roads have been built, and an additional 24 miles have been authorized for construction, for a total of 32 miles.

Governor Shivers' administration has consistently supported the Upton county road building program and will continue to do so in the future.

Together we will continue to build a greater Texas Allan Shivers

(Pd. for by Jack Dillard)

CLASSIFIED ADS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BILDERBACK BROTHERS Mattress and Upholstery of San Angelo. Here twice monthly. Leave names with Mrs. E. J. McMullan. Phone 28-J, Box 404, Iraan, Texas.

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WHY PAY MORE! We don't meet prices, we make them! Buy Spartan and Dixie Queen and you buy the very best. Only one-fourth down, five years to pay. Service and repair. Get more for your trade-in, we rebuild them. Free delivery up to 200 miles. BURNETT TRAILER SALES Phone 2668, E. Hi-way 80 Big Spring, Texas

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FOR SALE--3-room house with bath for sale on corner lot. Phone 73J or see J. R. McSpadden.

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NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING:

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Rankin, Upton County, Texas, at 9 o'clock A. M., beginning on Monday, the 4 day of August, 1952, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Upton County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1952, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

(LS) Nancy K. Daugherty, County Clerk, Upton County, Texas, Rankin, Texas, this 14 day of July, 1952

Bombay duck is an Indian dish of fried fish.

WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

As this column enters its third year in the weekly newspapers of America, recent Congressional actions reveal the influence wielded by weekly newspapers and their readers.

Events also prove if Americans are given facts, they will act to correct existing evils. So far the independent weekly newspapers of America have stood alone in bringing forth undisclosed facts, letting C. W. Harder chips fall where they may.



Significantly Congress did far more than stop government power to control consumer credit, and to cut down the powers of the OPS or Office Plenty Screw. Unnoticed, Congress took an even more important step.

Congress at the same time passed a measure to aid and encourage American newsprint production. An attempt will now be made to combat the foreign monopoly squeezing the life-blood out of independent newspapers.

Action was taken despite previous protests by State Secretary Dean Acheson that nothing should be done to antagonize Canadian newsprint producers despite constant price increases totalling more than 150%.

In Washington leaders of independent business have long urged Congressmen to protect the free American press from monopoly exploitation. This need has been pointed out time and time as the first bulwark in the defense of American liberty. The Senate Small Business Committee, headed by Sen. John Sparkman, Ala., launched still another probe of the situation.

But in recent months, facts not covered by the big dailies have been brought to small cities and towns of America.

These facts, without adornment, caused readers of weekly newspapers across the nation to protest to their Congressmen. After all, in the big cities, there are people who can be persuaded that whatever sounds silly is really not silly.

But high flown theories do not ring true in the smaller cities and towns of the nation.

In these regions, where the vote is controlled, nonsense is still looked upon as nonsense.

Sincere Congressmen of both parties voice pleasure over receiving so many expressions of opinions from the solid people who read weekly newspapers.

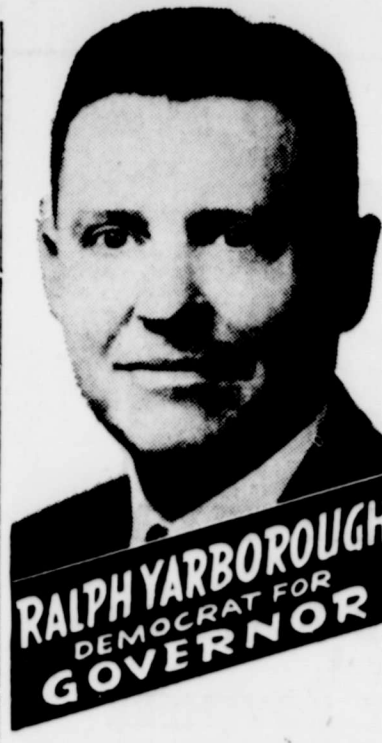
Typical comment: "We had a feeling that many things, if they were known, would not set too well with these people, but until we had something concrete to go on, it's hard to disprove the theory boys."

Many Congressmen give the weekly newspapers full credit for recent acts curtailing the power of the government to meddle in private business and lives.

Many Congressmen feel this situation is healthy, are prepared to act to aid weekly newspapers buy newsprint on a competitive market.

Naturally, bureaucrats who have lost power, or position because of this reaction, will oppose such action.

So organized independent business is preparing to battle on this issue. The results of the past two weeks show that such a battle can be won.



RALPH YARBOROUGH DEMOCRAT FOR GOVERNOR

An honest, fearless lawyer, former district judge and assistant attorney general of Texas; an ex-serviceman and school teacher; a home owner, church and civic worker; and a family man. Yarborough can and will make TEXAS a Governor of whom all can be proud. He is mature, sincere, diligent and able. (Pd. for by J. Phipps)

The Statue of Liberty has been in New York Harbor since 1886.

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Friday and Saturday, July 25 and 26

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Sunday and Monday, July 27 and 28

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Tuesday Only, July 29

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June Russell - Victor Mature

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Congressman Lindley

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Advertisement for U.S. Royal Master tires. Features a large price tag: UP TO \$12.53. Text: "The Tire of the Century! U.S. ROYAL MASTER NOW EASIER TO OWN THAN EVER! For a limited time—during this unusual event only—you enjoy the BIGGEST savings in years on the one tire in the world with Royaltex Tread, Everlasting Whitewalls, Renewable Safety! Don't miss your chance—COME IN TODAY!"

Advertisement for U.S. Centipede Grip tires. Features a large price tag: NOW \$12.95. Text: "EXTRA! Sensational NEW Tire Value! Special LOW Price! U.S. Centipede Grip WAS \$15.95 NOW \$12.95 plus tax exchange 6.00/16 Never before such outstanding tire performance at such a price! This completely new safety tire—the only tire in its field introduced in 1952—gives you stopping power, mileage economy, tire beauty beyond all former popular-price standards! See us right now—while they last!"

Advertisement for YOCHAM SERVICE STATION. Text: "YOCHAM SERVICE STATION PHILLIPS 66 PRODUCTS Telephone 16 Rankin, Texas Loyd and Ed Yocham, Props."

Advertisement for SHEPPERD Attorney General. Text: "We're For Economy in Government Law enforcement equality Integrity in Public Office SHEPPERD for ATTORNEY GENERAL. Gets Things Done Proven Legal and Administrative Ability Knows How to Save Money Exemplifies Honesty in Government Knows the Problems of Texas and Texans (Political Advertisement)"

Advertisement for Joe Marsh. Text: "From where I sit... by Joe Marsh Me—Advising a Banker! The Missus and I were invited to dinner over at Balesville the other night. I sat next to a banker from the state capital. 'Mighty nice country you've got down there,' he says. 'Don't be surprised if I come to live there myself. In a few years I plan to get away from everybody, buy a farm and just take it easy.' 'Well,' I told him, 'we'd like to have you. But when someone plans to buy a farm and 'take it easy' he often winds up working harder than ever. It takes work to run a farm right no matter how many hands you can afford to hire. 'And from where I sit,' I continued, 'you won't get away from people either. Neighbors are plenty important in a farming community—whether it's helping one another out or just friendly visiting over a sociable glass of beer.' 'Hard work and neighbors dropping in all the time?' he asks, looking at me over his glasses. Then he smiles and says, 'Sounds wonderful. You've just sold me on a farm.' Joe Marsh Copyright, 1952, United States Brewers Foundation"

Heat Buckles Highway — Puts Cop To Work



This harrowing scene of a policeman actually doing physical work was enacted recently on a Detroit street. Maybe some of our good propagandists will say that the trucks tore up this road, but really this can be charged directly to old man Sol. The more than one-hundred degree temperature on the street was too much for this stretch of road on Detroit's east side. A close look at the officer's face will disclose a rather strained smile, which was the best that could be coaxed from him by an ingenious photographer. To those who are interested in our highways—and who isn't?—this is a typical example of how much more destruction the elements can cause than anything on pneumatic tires.

Advertisement for DAIRY MAID. Text: "DAIRY MAID RANKIN, TEXAS Open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. ★ SUPER SIZE HAMBURGERS ★ CHEESEBURGERS ★ BAR-B-QUE ★ CHIPPED STEAK All Sandwiches Served With French Fries DAIRY MAID CREAM • Vanilla • Strawberry • Chocolate • Orange Sherbet • Lime Sherbet By the Cone or by the Gallon Malts — Shakes — Sundaes A A A Root Beer"

Advertisement for CITY CAFE. Text: "Whether five blocks away or fifty miles... BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY AND YOUR FRIENDS TO EAT AT THE CITY CAFE IN RANKIN NOW SPECIALIZING IN DELICIOUS MEXICAN AND CHINESE DISHES CAREFULLY PREPARED MEXICAN DISHES • MEXICO CITY SPECIAL \$1.50 Enchiladas Tamales Chili Chili Macho Fried Beans Spanish Rice Toasted Tortillas Toasted Beef Tacos • MEXICAN DINNER \$1.25 Enchiladas Chili Tamales Fried Beans Spanish Rice Chili Macho Toasted Tortillas • SPECIAL A LA CARTE ORDERS Special Enchiladas with Egg \$1.10 Enchiladas with Toasted Tortillas \$1.00 Half Order Enchiladas .75 Beef Tacos, Soft or Toasted \$1.00 Toasted Chicken Tacos \$1.25 Cheese Tacos, Soft Only .85 Tamales and Chili .75 CHINESE FOOD Beef Chop Suey \$1.25 Pork Chop Suey \$1.25 Beef Chow Mein \$1.50 Pork Chow Mein \$1.50 Chicken Chow Mein \$1.75 CHEF'S SUGGESTIONS Real Italian Meat Balls and Spaghetti \$1.00 Wop Salad .85 SPECIAL AMERICAN DISHES Steaks — Chicken — Pork Chops — Dinners City Cafe Open 24 Hours 7 Days A Week Rankin, Texas J. H. Ward, Owner"

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Commissioner, Precinct 2

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★ Qualified ★ Experienced

Your Vote Will Be Appreciated

(Paid Political Advertisement)

RE-ELECT G. H. "Bud" Fisher

YOUR COUNTY JUDGE

Due to present illness, I may be prevented from seeing many of you in person before the primary election this Saturday. This is indeed regretful on my part.

Therefore I take this means of contact with those of you whom I may not be able to see in person.

If re-elected I shall continue to discharge my duty faithfully toward my fellowmen, discarding passion and partiality, and without distinction of friend or foe, relative or stranger.

Sincerely yours,
G. H. "BUD" FISHER

★ Efficient ★ Honest ★ Experienced

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

1. Sealed proposals addressed to the Hon. G. H. Fisher, County Judge, Rankin, Texas, for the construction of A Hospital Building and certain site improvements at Rankin, Upton County, Texas, in accordance with plans, specifications and contract documents adopted by the Commissioners' Court of Upton County, Texas, prepared by and which may be obtained from the Architect-Engineer, Buford and Feinberg, 326 Interurban Building, Dallas, Texas, will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Upton County, at Rankin, Texas, until 9:30 o'clock a.m., on the 5th day of August, 1952. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Commissioners' Court room in the Court House at Rankin, Texas, at 10:00 A. M., same date.

Any bid received after the closing time will be RETURNED UNOPENED.

2. The Bidders shall identify their bid on the outside of the envelope by writing the words—"Proposal—A Hospital Building—Rankin, Texas."

Proposals shall be submitted only upon the form provided therefor and shall not show any omissions, alteration of form, additions or conditions not called for, unauthorized alternate bids or irregularities of any kind.

Any SPECIAL CONDITION in connection with ANY BID shall be outlined in a SEPARATE LETTER attached to the completed Bid Proposal form under the LETTER-HEAD and SIGNATURE of the bidder in order to be eligible for consideration.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any irregularities and to make the award in the best interests of Upton County.

No oral, telephonic or telegraphic bids will be considered.

3. Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents may be obtained from the Architect-Engineer, Buford & Feinberg, at their offices located at 326 Interurban Building, Dallas, Texas, upon deposit of Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00). Deposit in full will be refunded to bidders upon return of plans, specifications and contract documents in good order within ten days after bidding date.

No refund on plans, specifications and contract documents returned later than ten days after the bids are opened will be obligatory.

Should bidders require more than one set of plans and specifications, they may be PURCHASED from the Architect-Engineer at a cost of \$25.00 per set and the plans and specifications shall remain the property of the Architect-Engineer.

4. A Cashier's Check, Certified Check or Bid Bond in the amount of 5% of the largest possible total of bid submitted will be required with each bid proposal.

5. Separate bids will be received to include:

- General Construction, including certain ground and site improvements.
- Plumbing, Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning Work.
- Electrical Work.

6. The right is reserved by Upton County to reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities.

A "knight errant" in olden days was a wandering knight.

The Thousand Islands are in the St. Lawrence River.

Elizabeth Blackwell was the first woman doctor in the U. S.

V.F.W. To Hold School

A District School of Instruction for Veterans of Foreign War members will be held at the Pecos V. F. W. Home, Sunday, July 27, at 1 p.m. in Pecos.

The meeting is for District officers, elected and appointed, and Post Commanders, as well as all such interested officers and members who wish to attend.

This school will outline the interested program for the new year (1952-53), and all district officers and Post commanders are urged to be present.

Judge Smedley Given Vote Of Confidence

AUSTIN. — "I am particularly gratified by the encouragement and support given me by lawyers and business and professional men in the cities where I have lived," said Judge Graham B. Smedley today, in commenting upon his race for the Texas Supreme Court.

Smedley, who has the reputation of a gentle and modest man out of court, and a "scrapper" in court, when aroused, has been accorded a vote of confidence by his fellow lawyers and laymen alike. In a recent poll taken by the State Bar Judge Smedley received 5,177 votes as against 598 for his opponent.

A statement endorsed by business and professional men read in part:

"Knowing Judge Smedley to be a man of the highest character and a judge of the first rank, we respectfully urge the voters to keep Judge Graham B. Smedley on the Supreme Court."

A furlong is one-eighth of a mile.

NOTICE

To The Voters of Upton County Precinct No. 2

Having made my campaign for Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, Upton County, Texas, solely on my own merits without ill-will or fault-finding against anyone, I herewith submit to you my candidacy with the assurance that I will, if elected, do all in my power to make you a good Commissioner, and that I will greatly appreciate your support in Saturday's election.

Respectfully,

T.D. "Tommy" Workman, Jr.


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To A SECOND TERM AS TEXAS COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

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(Pd. for by Bill Swindell)