IT'S FOOTBALL TIME FRIDAY NIGHT

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REBEKAHS OFFERING

from 10:30 to 12:00 a.m.

Post Office, the sale will feature the product. ples, cakes, cookies and other

Roundup OF WEEK'S NEWS

*Being a column devoted the latest rumors-mostly.

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This week the rumor mill was working overtime, with the head topic being the prospect of new drilling activities about to begin in the county. Several versions were making the rounds. The one that sounds the best is that men have reported small catches Sept. 2. a major oil company is preparing along the Pecos. to begin drilling on leases between the Benedum Field all the way to Iraan. Very similar to this is the speculation that drilling is about to open up in Crane jor company in Crane drilling in a large number of leases.

Just how much of these rumors are fact and how much fiction is hard to say but there does appear to be something in the wind. Additional families continue to come into Rankin and a number are hunting housing.

GUNPOWDER AND DOVES

this week with doves ing day with some reporting good hunting in the early part very cautious doves.

given up the hook, line and sink- ing when completed. con Dam. Several other fisher- tractive layout.

everything ready to go in their request is filled and delivered to kin was once again out of water. big bake sale Saturday, Sept 11, your door. Prices will be very Such was not the case. reasonable, ranging from \$1.00 to While working on water lines slated to get underway in the \$2.50, depending on the size of along the highway, city water

pastries made by some of the to pick up cakes or pies for de- ter lines. This forces closing of pest cooks in Rankin and in just livery to the Post Office and for the entire water system with about any flavor, color, or shape taking special orders will be the result that Rankin was withone could desire. In fact, they Mrs. Elizabeth Rains, phone 212. out water for about two hours will be glad to make anyone a J; Mrs. C. C. Sheffield, phone 211. Saturday afternoon. cake or pie just like they want it. J; Mrs. Murray McCain at 170-W, All that is necessary is to call Mrs. Sam Holmes at 140-W. Any and water restored throughout one of the telephone numbers of the above will be glad to pick the town, there were many sighs fice failed to show a single traf- that they can move the ball and listed below and give them your up cakes, pies, etc, baked by of relief. Among some of the re- fic accident or any sort of dis- are willing to take on all comers members of the lodge who do percussions of the short-lived turbances throughout the county. Although no accurate figures not have transportation or time shortage were the full houses at to bring their cooking to the just about all the barber shops Post Office.

chasing of a complete set of new Degree Team dresses.

Among other worthwhile projects recently undertaken by the Rebekahs has been the equipping of two needy school children with proper clothing for the school year.

FOOTBALL FEVER

Football fever has not taken hold too well as yet in Rankin but we are predicting a good and Upton Counties with a ma- turnout of hometowners Friday night. Rochelle boosters will probably not be too plentiful what with the distance they would have to travel. However, comes Friday night, Sept. 17, the stadium should be packed when Rankin meets their old foes from Iraan.

BUILDING LOOKING GOOD

Work was nearing completion this week on the new home of Lowery and Workman Agency. The firm should be complipiece. Just about everyone who mented on the fine looking office could aim a shotgun was out in building they have erected. It the hills firing away since open- adds greatly to the appearance of Rankin business houses.

ready for pouring on the new of the season. In the last few office building being erected just days, the gunners have been en- east of the Rankin News. This weeks, the Rankin News will on their two road trips this seacountering slimmer pickings and will be the new home for of- carry a brief summary explain-At least one fisherman has not should be a very attractive build. November general election.

Shaefer and a party were fishing looks of business houses in Ran- either for or against any of these kin, a fine bouquet should go to amendments. These explainations on the Rio Grande below Laredo Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cole for the are for the benefit of the voters over the week-end and returned sprucing up they have done on in an effort to help them better with about 150 lbs. of catfish, their Highland Cafe. With still understand just what each a They reported the river bottom more construction underway, the mendment is supposed to do and too muddy for fishing above Fal- Highland is already a very at-



THIS IS A "WHOSIT"-being ture of someone making some a picture that has knocked a fast time in calf tying. To the round the News office for some sity. It is, without doubt, a pic- will go a big fat lollypop.

first person who correctly identi-

NOT AGAIN -

Last Saturday afternoon Rankin water users got something of a shock. They turned on the water and only got a gurgle.

This automatically caused everyone to think back to prev-Rebekah Lodge has order. They will see that your lous years and wonder if Ran-

> department crews broke a shut-Among those who will be able off valve on one of the main wa-

After the lines were repaired after dark.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. C. W. Lancaster, Midkiff, surgery, admitted August 30th, dismissed Sept. 1.

Mrs. Jimmy Harper, medical. admitted August 31st, dismissed

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank 4th, a baby girl weighing 6 lbs. 11 oz. Named Mary Ruth. Both advertising along with pictures still confined.

Mr. J. N. Newbrough, Texon, medical, admitted Sept. 5th, still be sold at the games. confined. A baby boy was born to Mr.

and Mrs. R. M. McKinney on Sept. 6th at 4:52 p.m. and weighed 7 lbs. 51/2 oz. Has been named Randy Allen. Both still confined. Mrs. C. C. Scarborough, medical, admitted Sept. 6th, dismissed

Mr. Dan Shurteff, surgery, on Sept. 6th, still confined.

Sept. 7th.

mitted Sept. 7th, still confined.

BRIEF SUMMARY ON Forms have been set and are AMENDMENTS FEATURED

Each week for the next eleven fices of John Menefee and L. E. ing the Constitutional Amend-"Fuzz" Windham. This, too, ments to be voted upon in the

It will not be our intention to er for the double barrell. Carl Speaking of improving the try to influence anyone to vote at the game Friday night. how it will affect us as citizens.

S. J. R. No. 7

Authorizing the Texas Legislature to increase spending for old age assistance, aid to the blind and aid to dependent children by \$7,000,000 a year and requiring that names of recipients of public assistance be made available to the public.

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able to the public. The proposed increase of \$7,-

needy would not be automatic. It would be effective when the It appears to be highly question would also require the levying the rolls.

With a majority of the business houses and offices being closed, there was very little activity. either in the business field or by

kin with their families and

A check with the Sheriff's of-

after restoration of water. Most way 67 is being routed up Main good, if not better, than the boys This sale is being sponsored of the boys with the clippers Street to 10th Street and out from Reagan County. by the Rebekahs to finance pur- were still shearing the flock well past the courthouse. This has In Rochelle, Rankin will meet created a minor traffic problem when driving across the heavy

MERCHANTS, INDIVIDUALS SPONSOR AD, PROGRAMS

In order to give a boost to the local hometowners, a number of Crossland, McCamey, on Sept. merchants and individuals have combined to sponsor a page of of the Rankin Red Devil football team, as well as a program, to

Through the help of the Junior Class of Rankin High School this promotion is being brought to the public to better acquaint them with the ball club and the opponents to be played, as well as to encourage folks to attend the games and lend their backing to the team.

Rankin athletic teams have Mr. O. C. Scarborough, medi- proven in the past that they can cl, admitted Sept. 7th, dismissed go a long way in competetive sports and have added consider-John B. Lair, Jr., medical, ad- able fame to Rankin's reputation as being a town and school that tors in the field of sports.

> Rankin and to follow the boys Win, lose or draw, these boys

Everyone is heartily encourag-

will, without doubt, make the fans proud of them before the

EIGHTH GRADE OFFICERS ELECTED BY CLASS

Spadden, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Walton Poage.

of additional taxes.

If adopted, Senate Joint Reso- much additional money people vision and radio repairs. lution No. 7 would amend Sec now on the rolls would get out of tion 51a of Article La of the proposed increase of \$7,000, MONTHLY SOCIAL HELD State Constitution, which is the 000 a year. The last annual resection governing public assist port of the State Department of BY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS tance. Only two changes would Public Welfare indicates that be made but they are fundamen- little, if any, addition would be and Mrs. Hamp Carter were hosmade to the monthly payments Legislature could appropriate for rolls. In the fiscal year 1953 the 2. The Legislature would be duction in that month amounted Reed, Mrs. Effic Ernest, and teaching in the sixth grade. required to enact laws under to 25c per person for recipients Hamp Carter. which the name of recipients of old age assistance and aid to public assistance would be avail the blind. All grants to dependent children were paid in full. Mrs. R. O. White as substitutes. return from vacation. The basis for an increase to any Hamp Carter is president, Mrs. individual would be a restudy by the three programs of aid to the Department of his personal

of revenues made by the Comp- many of those now on the rolls. ren over the week-end. The

Quiet Holiday Rankin Squad Primed For Observed Here Rankin spent the Labor Day Week-end in a very quite mood. Opening Tilt With Rochelle

Devils will be out to better last year's record of 4 wins and 6 losses.

Opening against the Rochell of town visiting or vacationing. Hornets, the Red Devils will Numerous visitors were in Ran- field a team that is lacking in ex perience but is ready in spirit In scrimmage with Big Lake or August 28, the local team showed With the road construction at were kept on the scrimmage its present stage, traffic on High- game, Rankin looked to be as

a team that won 2 and lost 8 last on Main Street and motorists season. David Moseley, 165 lb are warned to take precautions senior quarterback, and Homer Fowler, 135 lb. senior back, will lead the Hornets who have only 6 starters back from their 1953

PVT. HIGGINS GRADUATES FROM ARMY COURSE

Pvt. Paul L. Higgins of Rankin will grduate this week from the teletypewriter operation course one of the many courses offered at the Southeastern Signal School, Camp Gordon, Georgia.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hale of Rankin.

The teletypewriter operation course, which is eight weeks in length, trains selected enlisted men to operate teletypewriter equipment for transmitting and receiving messages over military communications systems.

During his training, Pvt. Higgins received a technical education worth thousands of dollars. He will now be reassigned to an active unit of the United States Army.

The Southeastern Signal School produces outstanding competi- is a component of the Signal Corps training center, a mammoth communications college which supplies trained signal ed to attend the games here in technicians to Army units all over the world.

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCE REPAIR SHOP OPENED

Frank McCammon, a newcomer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. McCammon moved here over the week-end from Officers elected by the eighth Denton. Mrs. McCammon will IN SCHOOL FACULTY grade last week were: Wayne teach in Rankin Independent Windham, president; Bill Lewis, Schools in the first grade. The vice-president, and Rhoda Me- family is composed of Wilbur Frank, III, 8 years old; Patrick Room mothers are Mrs. Wil- F., 13 years old; Helen Anne, 10, liamson, Mrs. Jeff Ray McSpad- and Virginia, 15. All will be student, Mrs. E. A. Chandler and dents in Rankin schools this vear.

Mr. McCammon has had considerable experience in the appli-The question uppermost in the ance repair business and will minds of many people is how also do a limited amount of tele-

Mrs. Ray Lee, Mrs. Bill Nix

White, secretary-treasurer.

Legislature appropriated addi- able that the proposed increase daughter of Waco visited her E. Scott. Mrs. McFadden remaintional money. The latest estimate in State funds would benefit parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omar War- ed in Rankin. fies the two men, we're not par- troller of Public Accounts indi- The additional money would Browns also visited in their for- Miss Nola Grace Boyd left Sat- Mrs. J. R. McSpadden and chilon their trip to West Texas.

September 10, the Rankin Red be co-captains of the visitors. NAMED CO-CAPTAINS Following is the line-up for

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	Wilborn Meyers	143	В
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	Dan Crawford	139	G
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1	James Dennis	137	E
v	Jerry Finnigan	125	E
3	Billy Harwell	157	G
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season is over-so, we'll see you to Rankin, announced this week by N. M. Curlee, Jr., and Hulen high school faculty; Joe Scrivner, that he will open an electrical Duncan, assistant. Rankin will jr. high principal, introducing appliance repair business at his be coached by D. E. Jones and new members of that group; and Bill Cook, assistant.

ADDITIONAL CHANGES

Several changes in Rankin school faculty were announced this week by the superintendent's office.

Mrs. Helen McCammon is now drive one of the school buses.

the school staff where she is now teaching a second grade class.

the faculty, the News omitted end. They returned home Tues-Mrs. Bessie Sheppard, teaching day afternoon. in the fourth grade.

Other changes included Bill tesses to the Adult Class of the Cook who moved over to the high lor spent the week-end in Mule-1. The total amount which the received by those now on the Methodist Church School Sept. 1. school where he will serve as a shoe visiting Allen Holder. They Ice cream and cake were ser- social science teacher. Bill is also also attended the rodeo in Clovis, the State's three public assistant football coach and head New Mexico. tance programs would be increased by the Department on the base Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Higday, Mr basketball coach. Mrs. Betty ed from \$35,000,000 a year to \$42,- is of individual need, were paid and Mrs. E. D. Yates, Rev. and Spence, listed last week as jr. except in one month; and the re- Mrs. Ray Lee, Miss Rebecca home economics teacher, is also companied their daughter, A-

> Mrs. Lee is teacher of this continues to climb as more stu- Tech. class, with Mrs. J. L. Clark and dents move into town and others

Bill Nix, vice-president, and R. O. Pfc. and Mrs. Leslie McFadden grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. of El Paso spent the holidays Rankin. Mrs. St. Clair is the here with her mother, Mrs. Ray former Pat Lane. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown and Boggs, and grandmother, Mrs. S.

attend the University of Texas. Saturday.



bove were named co-captains for the Rankin-Rochelle Game. It will be the policy of the team to name two new co-captains for each of the games.

Welcome Party Given Teachers

Meeting at the Rankin Elementary School auditorium, the local P.-T. A welcomed all old and new members of the Rankin school faculty last Thursday night.

An estimated 100 persons were on hand for the "get acquainted" party and to enjoy refreshments of cake, coffee and soft drinks.

A. E. Ivy acted as master of ceremonies for the occasion with R. L. Wall, high school principal, Rochelle's Hornets are coached introducing new members of the E. E. Stewart performing the same honors for his group in elementary school. Mrs. A. E. Ivy acted as re-

creation chairman and provided a number of games by way of entertainment.

Next regular meeting of the P.-T. A. will be at 3:15 p.m. Tuesday, September 14, at the Eleteaching in the first grade. Her mentary School auditorium. The husband, Frank McCammon, will group has for their topic of study this year, "We, The People." Miss Carolyn Hopkins moved Several subjects related to this to Rankin this week and joined topic will be discussed at the Tuesday meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Barbee In last week's list of names on were out of town over the week-

maryallis, to Lubbock Sunday Enrollment in Rankin schools where she enrolled at Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Dan St. Clair of Alpine are here visiting her

The D. O. McEwens were fishing at Pandale over the holidays.

time and has aroused our curo- ticularily interested in the calf, cates that such an appropriation permit adding more people to mer hometown of Alpine while urday for Austin where she will dren were San Angelo visitors

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Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex.-Texas' conservatives, with a champion in Governor Allan Shivers, are now ooking confidently toward the September 14 state Democratic convention at Mineral Wells.

Conrtol of the convention is already assured the Governor by July precinct and county conventions which were largely captured by the state's conservative element.

In the Mineral Wells move to set up a solid conservative state organization for the next two

years, Shivers is expected to: 1. Name a successor to Wright Morrow, conservative Democratic National Committeeman who the 18th district in the Novemhas been denied a seat by the ber general election. national committee. Morrow had agreed to step aside, but the state organization refused resignation.

2. Lend impetus to the move by conservative elements to re- turn the favor." place liberal Democratic National Chairman Stephen A. Mitchell with someone acceptable to Dixie and Southwestern conservatives. time after September 14, an as Mitchell has agreed to resign after the November 2 election.

With primary emphasis on judges. healing the split in the national Democratic Party, one question of the late Associate Justice

pany's history and its staff of research scientists

sections, Humble recently completed its new

Research Center at Houston and will formally

ments involved in the discovery and production

of oil will utilize common facilities, and here

they will have the stimulation of close associa-

tion with other scientists whose efforts are

To house the expansion of these research

Here the scientists of the various depart-

is larger than it has ever been.

dedicate it this week end.

dedicated to a common end.

That is whether Texas conservatives will fight the renom? nation of Adlai Stevenson, who appears to be the only top Democratic contender for the presidency, in 1956.

Stevenson lost the Texas vote in 1952, largely because of his views on states rights and the Texas tidelands.

Republican Claims

credit for the re-election of Shiv- ers of Brazos, Dickens, Kent and ers, asked for a show of appre-

Jack Porter of Houston, Texas for the aid. GOP chief, asked Democrats to vote for LeRoy (Pete) Lamaster of Perryton as congressman for

"There is no doubt whatever but that the Republicans of Texas pulled Governor Shivers 'through," said Porter, "We are calling on Democrats . . . to re-

New Judges

Shivers will appoint, some sociate justice of the Texas Supreme Court and 10 new district

Appointed to fill the position

Graham B. Smedley during the remainder of 1954 will probably be the same person nominated by the state executive committee September 13 for the job.

The name will then go on the November 2 ballot, as the Democratic nominee for the post which is a 1955-59 term.

Highway Award

Highest safety award present ed by the National Safety Council has gone to the Texas Highway Department.

The Award of Honor is given for accident prevention achievement. Of 905 eligible organizations, only 12 received the pat on-the-back.

Drought Help

Four more Texas counties have been recommended for the state-federal drought program by Governor Allan Shivers.

Drought relief was asked to be Texas Republicans, claiming extended to ranchers and farm Montague Countles. Seventy-five have previously been approved

Called from retirement five months ago to replace District Judge C. Woodrow Laughlin in and Mrs. F. G. Woodard. They George Parr's South Texas king- were accompanied with Mrs. dom, Judge A. S. Broadfoot has Maggie Woodard of McCamey, again announced his retirement. grandmother of Mr. Pitts. Also Judge Broadfoot, of Bonham, was chosen by the Supreme Pitts step-brother and family, Court after Judge Laughlin was Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Woodard removed. His 79th District Court and children of Boston, Mass. includes Starr, Brooks, and Duval Counties.

Judge Laughlin may soon be back at his old bench. He has iting with Mr. and Mrs. Henry successfully campaigned for Houchens, parents of Leon Democratic renomination for the Houchens. Gary Kessler spent two years remaining on his the week end in McCamey with

Until his assumed return to W. T. Thomas. the bench January 1, Governor Allan Shivers or the Supreme children, Beth and Lynn, spent Court Chief Justice will appoint the holidays in Texon with Mrs. a successor to Judge Broadfoot.

Business Record

Texas business may break all previous records this year.

Dr. John R. Stockton, director of the University of Texas Bu- Mrs. Margaret Palmer and daughreau of Business Research, says his prediction will be true if the remainder of 1954 looks like had as their guest Mrs. Stearns the first seven months.

Stockton reported that Texas' business for the first seven months was the highest of any year's similar period.

School Increase

lic school attendance is forecast by a school survey, just complet

The 308,000 daily jump in numbers of students was predicted by the Texas Research Lea gue, now preparing research re ports of the Gilmer-Aiken financ ing program for the State Board of Education.

Enrollment in the school year ended last June was 1,569,000 the league reported.

Lieuer Bevenue

July revenue of the Texas Li quor Control Board climbed \$35, 000 over the July, 1953, mark the Board's report shows.

Totals for the month showed \$1,375,582.53 in revenue, filing of 254 criminal complaints by en forcement officers, and the sei sure of one moonshine still by inspectors.

TEXUL HENS

By MRS. LEON KESSLER

Due to being out of town over the Labor Day holidays, the news will be short this week. If you have news you would like to have printed, please call me this week and it will be printed to next week's Texon News.

The E. P. (Charles) Bennet family have returned to Freeport after seven days visiting in Texon with his relatives, the C E. Oldhams and Bill Keenes. Mr. and Mrs. Oldham joined them in a visit with the James Bennett family in El Paso. Also visiting in the Oldham home was the Cecil Sullivans who live in Mc-Camey. A picnic supper was enjoyed by all at the picnic grounds where Charles Bennett's home used to be. Charles remembers what is now large trees as only twigs he helped water as he was growing up.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Bird of Ira an spent Monday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Siegenthaler.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook spen Sunday in Midland visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Williams. Mr. E. P. Owens is improving

in the Big Lake Hospital. He is expected to return home soon. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pitts spent the week end at Kerrville visit-ing with Mr. Pitts parents, Mr.



visiting in Kerrville was Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kessler and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Houchens of Indications are, however, that Rankin spent the Labor Day holidays in Bridgeport, Texas, vishis grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

> Mr. and Mrs. Bill Evans and C. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Evans are from Grand Prarie, Texas. days at Corpus Christi visiting with his mother and his sister,

> ter Ann, formerly of Texon. Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Stearns mother and sister of San Antonio Mrs. C. D. Christinas and Anna

> Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Reed had as their guests over the week end Mrs. Reeds parents Mr. and Mrs. Grymes and her aunt and

Mr. Jim Newbrough is in the

Rankin Hospital. Brownie Scout News

The Brownie Scouts held their meeting at the Texon Girl Scout House September 2. The girls planned their future program and elected officers. The officers are president, Kay Vanidore; vice president, Gay Scott; treasurer, Judy Gooch; secretary, Sandy Easter, and song leader, Jeri Emmerson.

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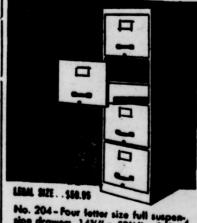
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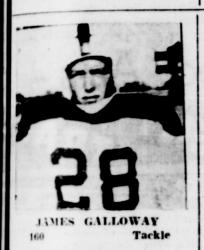
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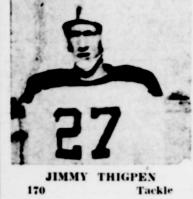
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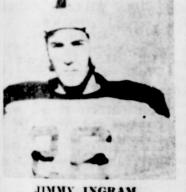


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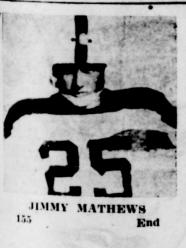
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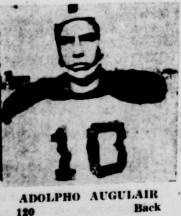
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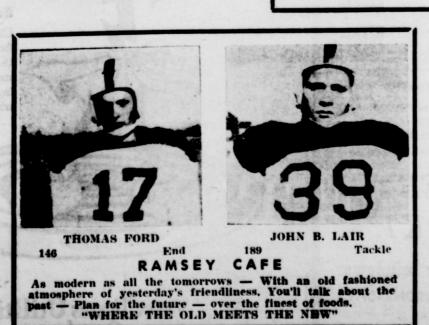
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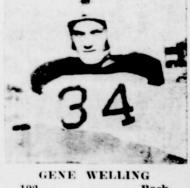
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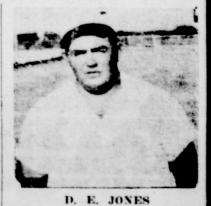
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The next regular PTA meeting will be held in the elementary school auditorium Sept. 14,

Cabbage Slaw

Lettuce and Tomato Salad Gravy Fried Chicken Creamed Potatoes Green Beans Cocoanut Pudding

THURSDAY

Bar-B-Cue French Fries Pork & Bean Chocolate Cup Cakes Bread & Butter

Gelatin Salad Green Beans Meat Loaf otatoes ce Cream

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SCHOOL MENU

Cheese & Macaroni Pinto Beans Mustard Greens Canned Fruit Morning Worship-10:30 a.m. Cornbread & Butter

WEDNESDAY

Bread & Butter

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FRIDAY

camp had as her guest's last a San Angelo visitor Wednesday. veek-end her son, Pvt. Jackie D. Stewart and wife of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom McFaddin of

Pvt. Stewart will return to El

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McKnight of

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RANKIN, TEXAS



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. R. L. Shannon, Pastor

Sunday 10:00 a.m.-Sunday School 11:00 a.m.-Morning Worship 7:00 p.m.—Training Union 8:00 p.m.-Evening Worship Wednesday

7:30 p.m.-Mid-Week Service

METHODIST CHURCH Ray Lee, Pastor

Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Morning Worship-11:00 a.m. Youth Fellowship-7:00 p.m. Evening Worship-8:00 p.m. Choir Practice Wed .- 7:30

CHURCH OF CHRIST Leon Kessler, Minister

Milk Evening Worship-8:00 p.m. Wednesday Mid-Week Services -7:00 p.m

CHURCH OF CHRIST Marshall Davis, Minister

Bible Classes-10:00 a.m. Morning Worship-10:45 a.m. Evening Worship-7:45 p.m. Mid-Week Services Wed .-7:45 p.m.

G. L. Steele spent the weekend at Banners fishing.

Mrs. S. O. Langford and daugh Bread & Butter ter, Rovena, Mary Lou McCain and Mrs. B. B. Brown were in San Angelo Friday.

Mrs. Henry Scarborough was

Miss Ester Clark left Tuesday for San Angelo where she will be FOR SALE - Two living room a student at San Angelo Junior

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. McKelvy and their guest, Mrs. C. C. Farris of Los Angeles, Calif., spent the FOR RENT-Two bedroom house holidays in Albuquerque, N. M. with the McKelvy's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

Mr. and Mrs. Linton Clark and daughter, Ester, spent the holi- FOR SALE-Iraan Beauty Shop. days in Pearsall with Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mitchell of Denver City spent the week-end here visiting in the home of his brother, A. J. Mitchell.

Mrs. J. W. Garner had as her guest Sunday her daughter, and family, Mrs. and Mrs. Ray Mc-

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NOTICE TO ALL AMERICANS:

The Texas Federation of Wo men's Clubs has set aside the week beginning September 13th as Americanism Week. Let us read a few definitions of Americanism from the Texas Club Wo-

"Americanism is for everyday. Americanism is for all our peo-

Americanism is a combination of the system of free enterprise

and Christianity. Americanism is the belief that man is a dignified human being, created in the image of his mak-

man possesses certain inalienable rights.

Americanism is the belief that

Americanism is knowing the day for Lubbock where he pledge of allegiance to the flag. attend college.

Americanism is freedom. Americanism is pride in GAME V

country. We need to have a spec week emphasis on Americanis its benefits, privilages and sponsibilities—but Americani

is for every day." Mrs. Walton Harral, presid announces that the Rankin Stu Club is placing the book, "Wh Washington Traveled" by Mari Lansing, in the county librar Further emphasis on America ism will be carried out in oth

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johns were in Fort Worth this week vacation.

Paul Johnson left last Wedne

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FOR RENT-Two 2-room apart ments. Gas and water bill paid Phone 132-J.

FOR RENT - Two 3-room houses, unfurnished; two 3 room houses, furnished; one utility apartment with all bills paid. Phone 22 or 117.

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and trailer space. Phone 85, after 5 o'clock 212-J. Also have a small house with no cooking facilities, would be suitable for one or two men

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