

# The Rankin News

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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1956

## Annual 4-H Club Turkey Shoot Here Nov. 17-18

The annual Upton County turkey shoot in Rankin Nov. 17. With two days in prospect, a good expected and arrangements made accordingly. A pistol, 22 rifle, shotguns have been set up and a lot of nice turkeys is on hand. Along with the winners, there will be the auctioning of turkeys, which will be a feature of the event. The operation of the stand featuring plenty of sandwiches, donuts, etc. to assist in the event will be the 4-H Club members, at Dub Day and club members.

### PUBLIC INVITED

There are some outstanding turkeys on hand in this event and have some exciting exhibitions. As in the past, this is open to the public and is invited to be on hand to participate in the watch the competition.

### FOR ALL SHOOTERS

There will be provided for anyone who can shoot

a gun. On the shotgun range, targets are set up and all contestants get one shot with a shotgun. The shooter having the closest pellet to the center of the target wins the turkey.

On the pistol range, as well as the 22 rifle and in the skeet shoot, there will be various classes of competition, some open to all shooters, others limited to the women and some for the junior gunners.

With the exception of the shotgun range on which all participants use the same gun, those who enter the contests may bring their own guns for firing. Contestants are asked to exercise caution when handling their firearms. Thus far, there has never been an accident at one of the club shoots and this record has been attributed to the safety measures taken by those who enter.

All guns should be unloaded when not in actual use and should be kept away from children when not in use.

### HOURS FOR SHOOT GIVEN

Shooting will begin Saturday at 8:00 a.m. and continue as long as there is sufficient light. On Sunday, shooting will begin at 1:00 p.m. and continue until sundown.



1956 RANKIN RED DEVIL SQUAD—(front row, seated) head coach Ted Kirby, Bobby Hudson, Dick Lewis, Chub Stephenson, assistant coach Bill Cook. Second row: Bill Lewis, Mike Cockrell, Roger Wright, Wayne Windham, A. C. Rawlins, Joe Shaffer, Stanley James, Mike Woods, Fred Aguilar, Todd Bain, Archie Higgins. Third row: Dean Scott, James Farrow, Bobby McAden, Charles Allen, Jerry Newcomb, Nub Browning, Joe Hamilton, James Gray, Bobby Bushong, Gary Adams, Johnny Ramirez, Adolpho Aguilar. Back row: Kenneth Stacy, Jimmy Harris, Jack Snell, Leslie Young, Bobby Hudson, Bill Alexander and Milton Havins.

## RED DEVILS HOST DISTRICT LEADING VAN HORN IN HOMECOMING FRIDAY NITE

Rankin's Red Devils will have their work out for them if they wish to remain in contention for the district crown Friday night when they play host to the Van Horn Eagles, undefeated in district play.

Actually, the Eagles have one of the best records in the Permian Basin in football having lost only one game early in the season. In their star backfield man, Bill Herera, they have one of the highest scoring backs in the area. He is supported by a good line, a fine quarterback and an all around speedy squad. Thus far the Eagles have run rough shod over all their competition with the exception of the single loss to Fabian.

### CAN WIN DISTRICT

Should Van Horn defeat Rankin, they will have an undisputed championship. Should Rankin beat the Eagles and at the same time get an assist from the Grandfalls Cowboys in the form of a win over Wink, the Red Devils would tie for the district but would receive the honors of playing in bi-district. Should Wink defeat Grandfalls and Rankin defeat Van Horn, there would be a three way tie with a flip of the coin determining the district representative.

In competition last week, the Eagles defeated Grandfalls 52-7

Louise Gray.

A club tournament is being planned for the near future and all ladies golfers are urged to participate.

A regular meeting time has been set as the second Monday in each month at 7:00 p.m. at the clubhouse.

while Rankin fell to Wink 32-31.

### HOMECOMING EVENTS SLATED FOR FRIDAY

A number of homecoming activities have been scheduled for Friday with a senior class sponsored bar-b-que at the elementary cafeteria beginning at 5:00 p.m. Tickets are now on sale by the senior class as are mums and carnations for the game.

This year, the seniors have promised that there will be plenty of food with serving continuing until 7:00 p.m. A good menu has been arranged and will be served by mothers of the senior students.

At 7:15 a big parade will form at the elementary school and march through town out to the football field. A prize of \$10 will be given to the best decorated car in the parade.

Gametime is slated for 7:30 and halftime ceremonies will include crowning of the football queen.

### SPECIAL PROGRAMS

A special homecoming program is being prepared by the senior class and will be on sale at the game for 25c per copy. It will include a picture of the entire football squad, the eight most valuable players as chosen by the team and the football queen.

Along with a list of merchants and individuals who have sponsored previous programs this season, it will carry the line-ups of the two teams. Those who wish one of the souvenir programs should make their purchases at the gate since only a limited number are being printed and a heavy turnout could exhaust the supply.



WYLENE CHESNUT  
... football sweetheart

Miss Wylene Chesnut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Chesnut of Midkiff, has been chosen as "Football Sweetheart" for the 1956 Red Devil team. Wylene, a senior, is 18 years old. In her junior year, she was elected class favorite and was a member of the girls' basketball team and a cheer leader.

### LADIES GOLF CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

In a meeting Monday night with a large number of members present, the Ladies Golf Club elected Mrs. Oma Lowery as their new president. Other elected officers include Polly Stephenson, vice-president, and Sug Boggs, secretary-treasurer.

To work with her for the coming year, Mrs. Lowery appointed the following committees: Tournament, Grace Roach and Katy Hutchens; Ways and Means committee, Molly Taylor, Betty Jones and Genevieve Trisworth; Telephone committee,

## ISSUE, AMENDMENT GET BIG MAJORITY

### THE VOTE

Abst.	Bx. 1	Bx. 2	Bx. 3	Bx. 4	Bx. 5	Bx. 6	Tot.
11	35	34	0	106	33	86	305
0	28	14	3	26	6	15	92
11	61	45	19	118	37	102	393
2	5	6	4	15	4	16	52

## COMMENTS AND OPINIONS ARE SOUGHT COMMUNITY CHEST DRIVE HERE

presently underway in determine the thoughts of business men and on the prospect of con- various fund raising each year into one big on the order of a com- an average of six or te fund raising drives or various organizations le amount of money is separate drive neces- formation of various involving considerable ose who work in the means that merchants als are asked to make ations to each group. ent time, an effort is to see what folks think ng one big drive each ll the various organiza- ating in the proceeds. a committee would be

formed, composed of members from all the civic clubs and local service organizations which would combine their efforts toward making one big collection early in the year and then dividing this money as the need arises to local organizations such as the scouts, the cancer fund, the polio fund, heart fund, etc.

Your comments on this matter would be appreciated. Letters to this newspaper, the City of Rankin, Beta Sigma Phi, The Lions Club, Rebekahs or any other such organization, or a personal expression of your opinion to any of the above would enable a fair sampling of attitudes toward the project.

Should there prove to be enough interest manifested, the Rankin Lions Club has agreed to act as co-ordinator in working up the plan with the other organizations in Rankin.



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## Filler by J. B.

There is little that can be said about the 31-32 loss of the Red Devils to the Wink Wildcats last week. It's just another one of those things that come along. Rankin definitely had the best ball club and, just as in the Ozona game, one or two plays could have changed the outcome of the game.

Rankin played good, hard ball and need not make any excuses for the loss. They just were not destined to win. As we said last week, there could be a lot of "ifs" in the game and there were.

Now comes the highly regarded Van Horn Eagles with their scoring ace, an excellent quarterback and lot of speed. On paper, they have a better ball team than Rankin and should outplay us—but, we had the best team last week and outplayed Wink but we didn't win. Actually, we have no false hopes that Rankin will trounce the Eagles but there is definitely a possibility and an upset could come off.

The Red Devils have a good record against Van Horn and have the spirit that will be needed to win. This, plus a homecoming game and the fact that the Seniors will be playing what could be their last game for Rankin, are going to add up to one of the best games of the season. Taking all the facts and figures into consideration, however, the Red Devils will have to be picked as the underdogs but we'll all be rooting for the upset.

Let's get 'em Rankin.

West Texas continues to grow and fast. Tom Knight, manager for the telephone company, was in the office the other day and commented on the fact that telephone men are working almost seven days a week installing new telephones and spend very little time taking out installations.

Workmen have been busy in Rankin for some time now and we understand that there is still a waiting list of some 50 people for telephones in Rankin alone. Knight says that a similar situation exists over much of West Texas.

Along with the telephone company reports, there are many other indications that this section of the

state is just beginning one of the largest growths in population of any place in the state. This points to many encouraging things and also presents some new thoughts and problems.

We would say that the biggest issue facing Upton County and any other West Texas county that is looking forward to a growth in population and industry would be their water situation. Almost every county in the state and much of the nation is giving considerable thought and study to this problem.

We think Upton County is behind on this matter.

True, we have made some progress over the past few years but what of the future? Are we in a position, say, of having sufficient water for twice our present population in the county. It is doubtful.

Most of the present trend in water conservation is toward lake storage with San Angelo, for in-

stance, already having two large bodies of water and working tooth and nail toward a third. Ozona has a project going on the Johnson Draw water shed that could be of considerable benefit to the county, both as flood control and water storage.

There is available, through the Soil Conservation Service, surveys which could be made that would determine the advisability of building dams and impounding water that is normally lost through runoff. Such a survey might prove most valuable at this time. If there is a workable project that could be undertaken in Upton County that would impound water in quantities that would be of benefit to the county, it should be known. It is possible that such an undertaking might have to be worked out in connection with surrounding counties—if so, it has been done before. More and more, one hears people

in Upton County expressing the idea that serious thought should be given to a project of this type in our own county. There has been talk but no action. The time may be approaching when there should be action and less talk.

Saturday and Sunday is turkey shoot day for the 4-H Club. It will be a good opportunity to get your Thanksgiving turkey and at the same time help out the 4-H Club boys and girls.

Actually, you don't have to be a crack shot to win as the editor has bagged two gobblers in past events and is hardly capable of hitting the target. But to win on the shotgun shoot, all you have to do is point the gun, shut your eyes and pull the trigger and you just might splatter the center of the target and win yourself a turkey.

It's lots of fun and all for a good cause so come out and take your

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shot—and if you win you about it without having to one just how you did it.

### NORMAN ELROD NO CAR REPRESENTATIVE

Norman Elrod, in connection with his insurance business, is representative for Lincoln-Mercury automobiles. In a recent statement he concluded Lincoln-Mercury dealer in Rankin, who is his brother-in-law, is a fully accredited representative for these two makes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ward of Big Spring were week-end guest of Mrs. Ward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Manry, Jr. Joanne returned home with her parents.

Clay Taylor, Hurchell Shaw and Linton Clark.

Burial was in Rankin Cemetery under the direction of L. Porter Johnson and Moore Funeral Home.

**Rites Held  
For Mrs. Lola Lee**

Funeral services for Mrs. Lola (Lola) Lee, 43, who died Friday in the Rankin Hospital at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church with Shannon, assisted by McAden, officiating. She has been in bad health for several years.

She was married to Bob Lee in 1938. She was a member of the Nolan County March 14, 1956. She moved to Rankin with her family when she was two and had resided here since then.

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The "Safety First Hill," better known as "Suicide Hill," immediately south of Iraan, will again be used for the speedway.

Back this year to defend his "championship" title will be Iraan's own Dr. V. A. Sherrod, who took the fourth annual climb—with ease—in his jet, black Jaguar M Coupe, with a turning time of 55.4 seconds—breaking the record for the speedway of seven-tenths of a mile in length—each car making a 3000 ft. climb on the "S" design hill.

The Hill Climb will be open with practice runs Sunday morning and the competitive runs will begin at 1:00 Sunday afternoon. Trophies will be awarded winners of each class.

Beta Sigma Phi will have the concession stands at the affair and the proceeds of the climb only will go to the Iraan Volunteer Fire Department and the IMAA (Iraan Modified Automobile Association).

The last climb, February 19, attracted some 26 entries from Albuquerque, New Mexico, El Paso, Lubbock, Pecos, Big Spring, Rankin, Fort Stockton and Iraan, Texas and a repeat—doubled—on this number or probably an even larger group may be expected for this climb.

Entries from San Antonio to the southeast and Albuquerque, New Mexico, to the northwest, have indicated they will participate.

Cpl. Paul Higgins, who is stationed at Ft. Benning, Ga., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hale.

Mrs. J. W. Kennedy and Mrs. Katherine Secrest P.-T. A. in Am- Wayne Sledge are delegates for the | rillo this week. | The Rankin (Tex.) No Thursday, November

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roping for 2:00 p.m. at the Rankin  
Rodeo Arena.  
Top ropers from all parts of the  
country are expected to be on hand  
for the event.

**NEW CARETAKER**

N. G. Adams has been appointed  
caretaker of the Rankin Park Build-  
ing by the commissioners court.  
He will replace D. O. McEwen  
who recently resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black of Sem-  
inole visited last Friday with Mrs.  
Black's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed  
Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Hodges and  
Corkie visited in Odessa last week-  
end with Mr. and Mrs. B. M.  
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sealed bids until 10 o'clock A. M.  
DECEMBER 10, 1956, at which time  
bids will be publicly opened and  
read, at the Courthouse, Rankin,  
Texas, for the Sale of:

(1) Three room house located on  
Park Property south of Rankin  
Swimming Pool. Said house to be  
removed from County Property  
within 30 days of sale.

The Commissioners Court reser-  
ves the right to accept or reject any  
or all bids.

J. A. Moore,  
County Auditor,  
Upton County, Texas.

**ATTEST:**  
Nancy K. Daugherty,  
County Clerk,  
Upton County, Texas.  
By: Helen Coplen, Deputy.

(12-6)

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE UPTON COUNTY  
DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

October 31, 1956

**RECEIPTS**  
Filing fees from local candidates ..... 5408.00  
Upton Co.'s portion of State Democratic  
Executive Committee Account ..... 12.54

Total Receipts ..... 5420.54

**DISBURSEMENTS**  
Paid to election officials ..... 1152.50  
For a lock ..... .50  
Hauling tables and chairs ..... 12.00  
Envelopes (5.50) & ballots (78.40) 1st Primary 83.90  
Ballots—2nd Primary ..... 24.90  
Stamps ..... 2.90  
Registering returns to State Committee  
both elections ..... .86  
Supplies—both elections ..... 61.66  
Telephone calls ..... 6.50  
Refunded to candidates ..... 4074.82

Total Disbursements ..... 5420.54

J. L. MANRY, JR.  
County Chairman of the Democratic  
Executive Committee of the County  
of Upton.

**Back To The Bible**

... that believeth and is baptized shall be saved"  
... 16.  
... the word "baptize" literally means "to dip  
... erse," people interested in obedience to God na-  
... wonder if the custom of "sprinkling" is of Divine  
... an origin. For the benefit of such we give the  
... ng quotation from Edinburg Encyclopedia "The  
... neral law for sprinkling was obtained in the fol-  
... manner: Pope Stephen II, being driven from  
... in 753 A.D. fled to Pepin, who had usurped the  
... of France. Whilst he remained there, the monks  
... ssy, in Brittany, consulted him whether, in case  
... ssity, baptism poured on the head would be law-  
... ephen replied that it would. It was not till the  
... 311 AD that the legislature, in a council at Ra-  
... Italy declared immersion or sprinkling to be in-  
... ent." IT WOULD APPEAR THAT ANYONE  
... GNIZING THE AUTHORITY OF THE POPE TO  
... R THE PATTERN OF BAPTISM SHOULD BE CON-  
... NT AND RECOGNIZE HIS AUTHORITY IN ALL  
... ERS.

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# RANKIN STUDY CLUB PROTESTS COUNTY BUDGET CUT OF LIBRARY OPERATIONS

In a letter to the commissioners' court, signed by all members of the Rankin Study Club, that organization entered a protest of the recent cut in operating funds to the local library. A copy of this letter, as sent to the Rankin News, appears below.

This action grew out of a \$50 a month cut made by the county

in the amount of money that goes to the county library for operating expenses such as purchasing of new books, magazines, etc. A similar amount was cut from the McCamey library fund. Previously the library had received \$150 per month for this fund which, as it now stands, will be cut to \$100.

Rankin, Texas  
November 1, 1956

Commissioners' Court  
Upton County  
Rankin, Texas

Gentlemen:

The Rankin Study Club asks that the budget of the public library be maintained at the present rate. For a number of years, our club has promoted the library. Since many local patrons realize a great deal of cultural help from this medium we feel that we as a club are justified in asking that the current budget be maintained.

The library serves as a service agency, a teaching agency, a materials center, and a reading center for this area. To be able to give these services efficiently and effectively, we request that the court

reconsider the proposed cut in the budget. It is vitally necessary that the county library be able to continue these services without having to do so on limited facilities.

The budget as it now stands was set up when the demand was not nearly so heavy as it now is. Considering the growth of Rankin, it is evident that the library is doing a greater service. In the future as Rankin continues to grow, the library will be serving many more. Circulation has increased in the

The Rankin (Tex.)  
Thursday, November

past few years, and circulation calls for a number of books as well as a variety of materials necessary to fit the Rankin.

Your consideration will be appreciated.

Yours  
Rankin

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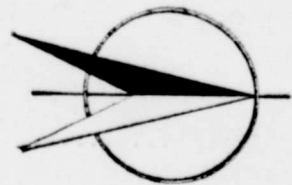
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Junior

Nub Hamilton, a junior, 2nd year guard lettered for three years. He is a team player for spirit and



**NUB BROWNING**  
Junior

Nub Browning, a junior, has lettered 3 years and played first string guard for two years. Nub is a standout on both offense and defense.



**JIMMY HARRIS**  
Freshman

Jimmy is a freshman who plays tackle. He is big, aggressive and likes it rough. Jimmy is an excellent prospect for the next three years.



**CHUB STEPHENSON**  
Captain

Chub is a senior half-back with '56 making his fourth letter. He was all-district tackle in '54. He was voted player of the week in the Grandfalls game.



**DICK LEWIS**  
Captain

Dick is a senior tackle, with 1956 marking his fourth letter. He was an all-district choice in '54 and '55. Dick was voted player of the week in the '56 Ozona game.

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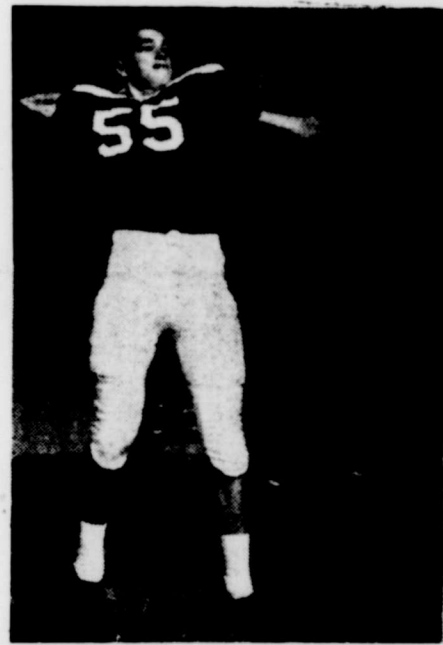
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**BOBBY HUDSON**  
Captain

Bobby is a senior quarterback. 1956 makes his fourth letter. Bob was all-district end in '55. He has done a fine job at a tough position in '56, as a good passer, runner, and defensive end.



**BILL LEWIS**  
Sophomore

Bill is a sophomore half-back who earned a letter in '55 and is first string in '56. Bill has developed into a fine running and blocking back. He has enough years left to become a great back if he so desires.



**JAMES GRAY**  
Sophomore

James is a sophomore fullback who earned a letter in '55 and is 1st string in '56. Big, fast, aggressive and agile, James is one of the finest football prospects in Rankin history.





# FOOTBALL

## FRIDAY NIGHT

## RANK

## Van

## Game Time 7:30

**Lowery & Workman  
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"We can insure you satisfaction"



**Red Bluff  
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"Let's Get 'em Again, Devils"



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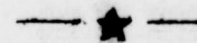


**Cunningham Barber Shop**  
"Play to Win, Devils"



**Eddine  
Oil & But  
"Service"**

**Cashway Food Market**  
"We give S & H Green Stamps"



**Hale's Garage**  
"Prompt and Efficient Automotive  
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**Green's G  
Green Co  
"Supporting  
the h**

**Ford Theatre**  
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**Hogan Motor Company**  
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**T. L. S  
Mud & Chem  
and Oil P  
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# A GAME

MEMBER 16, 1956

DEVILS

Eagles

Red Devil Stadium



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(Andy & Hattie Mitchell)



**Mack's Drive Inn**

"A Good Place To Go"



**First State Bank**

"Over 25 Years of Friendly Service"  
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**Ramsey Cafe**

"Hustle and Win"

## The Schedule

Sept. 7	Iraan—6 .....	Rankin—14
Sept. 14	Stanton—14 .....	Rankin—24
Sept. 21	Sanderson—6 .....	Rankin—32
Sept. 28	Big Lake—47 ..... (ouch) .....	Rankin—6
Oct. 5	Ozona 19 ..... (Ah, Shucks) .....	Rankin 14
Oct. 12	Eldorado—33 .....	Rankin—12
Oct. 19	Open	
Oct. 29	*Grandfalls—12 .....	Rankin—25
Nov. 2	Open	
Nov. 9	*Wink—32 .....	Rankin—31
Nov. 16	Van Horn * .....	Here

\* Denotes District Games





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RANKIN, TEXAS  
NOVEMBER 17 - 18**

**SHOTGUN, SKEET, PISTOL AND RIFLE RANGES**

**2 Big Days At City Dump Grounds**



(Tex.) News—  
November 15, 1956

Davis and son, Ed-  
tors in San Angelo

Mrs. Elizabeth Rains, Mrs. Her-  
man Hamilton and children visited  
Saturday in Midland with Mrs.  
Rains daughter, Mrs. Max Schulze,  
and family.

## From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

### There'll Always Be An "Expert"

to see how they're  
with the new super-  
st's going to pass  
n.

as there a fussy little  
ator, like me—came  
reman on the job and  
ing all sorts of sug-  
shouldn't it go a little  
there? ... Why don't  
be curves more? ...  
es are awful close"  
n and on.

an took it as long as  
then asked politely,  
the look for length?"

From where I sit, free advice is  
called "free" because it's usually  
not worth much. That little fellow  
was typical of the kind of "expert"  
who can't resist getting in digs—  
about how you work, what you  
wear, why you happen to prefer a  
glass of beer with your supper.  
People like that don't mean to be  
troublemakers ... but the road to  
real intolerance is paved with  
their good intentions.

*Joe Marsh*

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## H. D. CHATTER

By MYRNA HOLMAN

County Home Dem. Agent

### HOW'S YOUR RECREATION?

Each person has given daily re-  
creational needs. Check yourself  
and see how well you measure up.

1. **SOME FORM OF SOCIAL RE-  
CREATION:**—party, social, club,  
picnic with the family, get-together  
with friends or neighbors?

2. **SOME FORM OF PHYSICAL  
RECREATION:** Play an active  
game, hiking, a walk to town?

3. **ARTS AND CRAFTS:** Do any-  
thing creative? Work anything with  
your hands—drawing, whittling,  
leatherwork, other handwork?

4. **MUSIC:** Did you sing (Bath  
tub baritones can be counted), play  
an instrument, really listen to good  
music (turning on radio or TV  
and then reading doesn't count)?

5. **NATURE:** Really see and feel  
the sun? Really look at the stars last  
night? Notice any birds or flowers?  
Dig in the soil?

Score yourself a plus or a minus  
on each of the five. If your score  
is minus you're missing a lot in life.

If your score is a plus you're build-  
ing up a reserve that will help you  
face an emergency.

### KNOW YOUR CHEESE

Although cheddar or American  
cheese is best for cooking, there are  
a number of varieties which may  
be used in a variety of ways—Swiss,  
Blue, Camembert, Cream, Cottage,  
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Cheese is packed with good nutri-  
tion. It has essentially the same  
food elements as milk. It is a good  
source of protein, it's rich in vita-  
mins A and B, needed for healthy  
skin and good appetite, and is an  
excellent source of calcium and  
phosphorus needed for strong teeth  
and bones.

### SCHEDULE OF THE WEEK

An annual report of all the work  
of the year is due in headquarters  
office the first of December, so we  
hope to spend most of the week in  
the office on the report. Call-us if  
you need us, and we'll drop the  
paper work temporarily. (We'd like  
to drop it permanently but like pa-  
per grading with school teachers it  
seems to be a part of the job.)

### LOTTIE MOON CIRCLE MEETS MONDAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The Lottie Moon Circle met Mon-  
day at the church. Mrs. Zack Mon-  
roe brought the devotional and  
taught the Bible lesson.

The following were present: Mes-  
dames Monroe, Manry, Shannon,  
Wheeler, Edwards, Smith and Mid-  
kiff.

### Church-Wide

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# DAIRY MAID

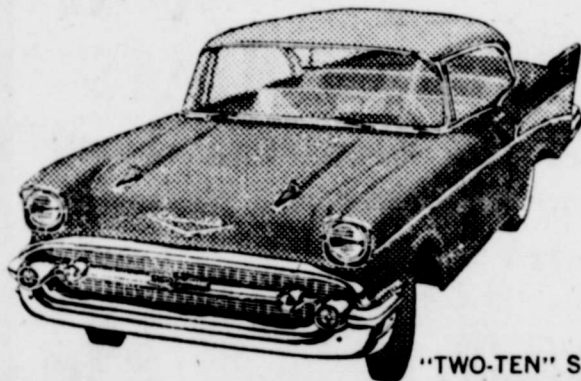
# New Chevies by the score—

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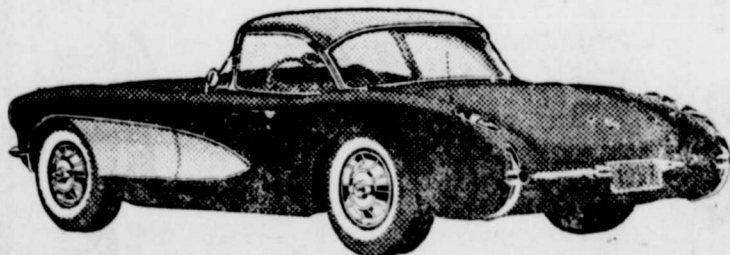
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Libby's 10 oz. Mixed VEGETABLES	2 For	<b>35c</b>
Flav-R-Pak STRAWBERRIES	2 For	<b>45c</b>
Parkerhouse ROLLS	2 doz. In Pack	<b>43c</b>
Pillsbury FLOUR	25 Lbs.	<b>1.79</b>
Stokely's All Green Asparagus Spears	2 For	<b>59c</b>
Stokely's CATSUP		<b>19c</b>
Hormel OLEO	5 LBS.	<b>\$1</b>
Supreme Chocolate Coconut COOKIES	1 LB.	<b>45c</b>
Gold Dragon Light Grated TUNA	CAN	<b>23c</b>
400's Asst. Colors KLEENEX	4 PKGS.	<b>\$1</b>
Sunshine CRACKERS	LB.	<b>25c</b>
Puffin BISCUITS	5 CANS	<b>49c</b>
Vel BEAUTY BAR	4 FOR	<b>99c</b>
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Cinema Scope — Color

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20 & 21

Jane Russell — Cornel Wilde

"HOT BLOOD"

Cinema Scope — Technicolor

# FORD THEATRE

## Lone Star Beer Earns Top Award In Industry

Chicago, Illinois, October 31, 1956—The Breweries Association of America, the largest association of brewers in the world, announced today through their secretary, W. J. O'Shea, that the coveted Gold Award, recognized as the best mark of excellence in the brewing industry, has been awarded to the Lone Star Brewing Company of San Antonio, Texas. This is the first such award to ever be made to a brewery.

According to O'Shea, the Gold Award of the Breweries Association of America can be earned only by brewers whose product had their product certified by the laboratory of the Association as meeting every high standard of excellence. Lone Star is as fine as any beer brewed in the world. In addition to the certification of excellence by the Association Laboratory, Lone Star is also continuously tested by two other independent laboratories, as well as the ultra modern laboratory of the brewery property.

Other standards which must be met in order to receive the Association Award are a continuing and increasing acceptance of the product by the consumers in the markets. Also, the brewery winning the award must participate in all phases of an educational program designed to improve the brewing industry. Lone Star's acceptance of the award by the state of Texas has been the most notable in the history of the brewing industry with an increase in sales of 2200% in the past ten years.

The Gold Award for excellence was presented to Lone Star by Schneider, Vice-President in charge of sales, for the Lone Star Brewing Company at the recent meeting of the Breweries Association of America in Chicago. Lone Star is distributed in this area by Barker Distributing Co. of Fort Stockton, Texas. (Advertisement) is available at your favorite store or tavern.