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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1957

Little League All-Stars Men Play Here Monday

League playoffs for Zone includes Rankin, Crane, and McCamey will get at 7:30 Monday evening the Rankin Little League

game will be between and Rankin with the and Crane tilt following. attendance is expected for with arrangements with to furnish additional for seating.

nesday night, July 30, the of the first two games will decide the champion for. Expected to be in top for the honors will be and Crane. Crane won last year and gave a good of themselves before being. This year, they will ve the services of their Negro centerfielder who to be the deciding hittes Rankin in the finals last is reported to have rapped for 16 home runs thus season.

McCamey, their strength is to come from another Ne. a pitcher who is said the best in that depart. However, both Rankin and have outstanding players teams and all games will well played.

to the public, there is no admission and adequate will be on hand.

Each Family To Rankin

Mrs. Don Leach and ed to Rankin from their ne in Ralls, Texas this Leach is the new head each at Rankin Schools. to rules of Class B, practice for Rankin grid. begin in the last week of each will coach both and high school teams a new program of train. into effect in the local

the head coach only the high school players high was under the an assistant. This new being put into effect in to teach the younger fundamentals of the

not going to be inter. nning in junior high later," Supt. Scrivner ek. "What we want to p a system of football at will begin with the of the game in the and carry over into

CARDS NEAR WIN IN LITTLE LEAGUE

Under the management of Box McDonald, the Cardinals were near. ing their long-sought win of the local Little League championship this week as they moved into a 1½ game lead with only 1 more regulation game remaining.

On Thursday night, they will meet the last-place Giants and should they win will be the Champions. However, they still have a make-up game on tap with the Yankees and a Giant win in the Thursday game would force the Cards to go out and win over the Yanks to hold their lead.

Also on Thursday night, the Dodgers, defending champions, will meet the Yankees in their final game of the season. All four teams are playing fine ball and are expected to battle down to the last pitch as the season draws to a close.

AllStar players began practice this week for their coming play-off games under the direction of McDonald who has been selected as manager.

Pre-School Roundup To Be Presented Friday, Aug. 9

KNIFE FIGHT PUTS ONE IN HOSPITAL

A fight between two boys from Texon and "several" Latin-Americans near Rankin city limits early last Sunday morning has put Glen Cothrum, 16 of Texon, in a San Angelo hospital. Held in Upton County jail on a charge of assault with intent to murder in Cruz Sanchez, 19 of Rankin.

According to officials of the Sheriff's office, an argument between the two groups developed and a fight followed in which Sanchez stabbed Cothrum in the lower part of the stomach with a long-blade knife. Cothrum was first treated in Rankin Hospital and later transferred to San Angelo where he underwent surgery early Sunday. His condition was reported as fair.

Sanchez will be held for the next meeting of the Upton County grand jury scheduled to meet in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Howard of Kermit spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hood.

Pre-school Roundup for all beginning Rankin School children who will enter school next September 3, will be held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, August 9 at the Elementary School Auditorium according to Supt. Joe Scrivner.

At the Roundup the children and parents will be given an idea of what lies in store for the beginners. A booklet, containing necessary information, will be given the mothers. Designed and prepared by personnel in the system, the book includes information of supplies, advice in getting the child prepared for the first school day, facts about the child's health and general information about first grade children.

COMMITTEES ON HAND

Meeting with the children and parents will be school administrators, a school nurse, Mrs. Mike Hughes and a P.T.A. Committee headed by Mrs. Herbert Hurn, chairman of the summer Roundup. Dr. J. D. Gossett and his staff will be present to give each child a physical check-up.

SCHEDULE GIVEN

After a general meeting in the Elementary School Auditorium, the parents and children will go to the cafeteria to be served refreshments and then they will be taken on a tour of the school plant.

Following the tour, they will meet back at the elementary school breezeway to wait for their physical check-up. Complete information about these examinations will be given parents at the meeting.

URGED TO ATTEND

"All prents of beginning pupils should be present for this meeting if at all possible," Supt. Scrivner has said.

ELROD NOW AGENT FOR HOUSING LOWNS

Norman Elrod, owner and manager of Elrod Insurance and Real Estate, announced this week that the firm is now an agent for loans of all types on housing.

According to Elrod, loans on FHA and GI building programs, as well as Conventional type loans are available. Also loans for purchasing of equity. These loans carry long term payments and a small amount of interest and are believed to be the first time that such money has been made available by a Rankin firm.

"If you have a housing loan problem, we sure like for you to come in and talk to us about our new set-up," Elrod said.

Bill Hood Named Jr. High Principal



Principal
BILL HOOD

Jack Skiles, principal of Rankin Junior High since 1955, has resigned and will enter the insured business in Monahans.

Skiles, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Skiles of Langtry, is a graduate of Del Rio High School and holds a BA and MA degree from Sul Ross College in Alpine. He came to Rankin as a classroom teacher in 1952 and served in that position until his promotion to principal in 1955.

Married to the former Wilma McCarty of Mertzon, the Skiles have three children. He will be associates with the National Educators Insurance Company and will service a number of counties in West Texas including Upton. The company sells insurance exclusively to school teachers.

HOOD APPOINTED

At their last regular board meeting, the Rankin school board appointed Bill Hood to fill the vacancy as junior high principal.

Hood came to Rankin in 1953 from Sterling City as high school English teacher and has held that position since that time. He has a BA and MA Degree from Hardin Simmons University in Abilene.

The Hoods have two boys ages 6 and 3. Mrs. Hood is employed by the First State Bank in Rankin.

Mrs. Paul Yancy and children of Alpine, Calif. are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Langford.

Miss Carolyn Langford is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Gene Bruce in Crane.



A RAH FOR RANKIN HIGH is given by Cheer leaders Linda Harral, front, and Marsha Adair, back as the girls attended the cheerleaders school at Midwestern University recently. Both girls will be among the group leading the cheers for the Red Devils as football season approaches.

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Filler by J. B.

BIG FISHERMAN

All former Rankin fishermen have now been replaced in the tall tale category by S. O. Langford. "Sid" and a group including his boys, were down on the Rio Grande below Eagle Pass last week and brought home a station wagon load of catfish. Ranging in weight from 45 pounds to frying pan size, the cats were plentiful and delicious looking.

S. O. had plenty of the pictures of the fish but decided against letting us print any of them since the story is already going around that he did not actually catch them but bought them from some Mexican.

It's getting tougher all the time

for fishermen to prove their stories.

AS YOU LIKE IT

Last Sunday evening we had a rather lengthy discussion with one of the more civic minded citizens of Rankin. It was his opinion that what Upton needed was more cooperation between the two towns of Rankin and McCamey and their citizens and less of the business of the county being "run by a few people" from both towns, as he put it.

We'll buy this idea.

It's fine in thought but then again we had to take a rather negative point of view in the discussion since we believe that a majority of the so-called "common people" are in agreement already on what they want to do. The only problem is getting it done. Indications are that the majority of the people in Upton County are just as progressive-minded as are their neighbors in surrounding counties. They have built hospitals, park buildings, play grounds, swimming pools, good roads, fine schools and just about everything else that can be used as a yardstick to measure the progress made by a county and its people.

Only on a few things have they appeared to have failed to accomplish what they wanted to do. These supposed failures have been spread out over several years and, in our opinion have been caused by the interference of a very few people who have had either personal or political motives in mind in defeating the purposes as expressed by the majority.

One of the first such set-backs came when a majority of the voters approved some \$360,000 for park bonds. Through the efforts of a small group—after the majority had voted—this amount was cut more than half to \$150,000. Originally in-

tended as a water development project for Rankin, only slightly more than \$100,000 was spent.

Disregarding other minor setbacks, the next time the rights of the people appear to have been disregarded came when a petition was presented the county commissioners court calling for an election to split the Tax Assessor-Collector and Sheriff's office. This petition was denied although it had more than enough qualified signers. Whether or not it would have carried is a mute question since the rights of petition were ignored—in this case by a three to two vote of the court.

The last such "failure" needs no rehashing. It's still in the pot-boiling.

But, as we maintained in our discussion with our visitor—we're not too sure the majority of the people were overruled in the above mentioned instances. In every case, it was their elected officials who carried out the projects and thus it can be assumed that the people as a whole approved since they have made no major changes in county government for some time.

More cooperation between Mc-

Camey and Rankin? We get along fine in matters of school relations, civic activities and such. Only on political issues do we seem to disagree and yet—over the past years—Rankin has went along with McCamey most of the time in casting a majority of their votes in favor of candidates who now hold office.

Could it be that there is no disagreement here either?

If the "common people" of the county are dissatisfied and want some changes made, then they are going to have to do their own thinking at election time and not just follow the wishes of the "few" when it comes time to mark their ballots.

TOO BAD

It is with a great deal of regret to lots of folks to learn that Jack Skiles has left his principal job in Rankin. Jack was probably one of the best liked school teachers in the system and he will be missed. He was a loyal Rankinite and a mighty handy man to have around.

Everyone will miss him and his fine family—especially at the Lions Club where he and Dub Day were

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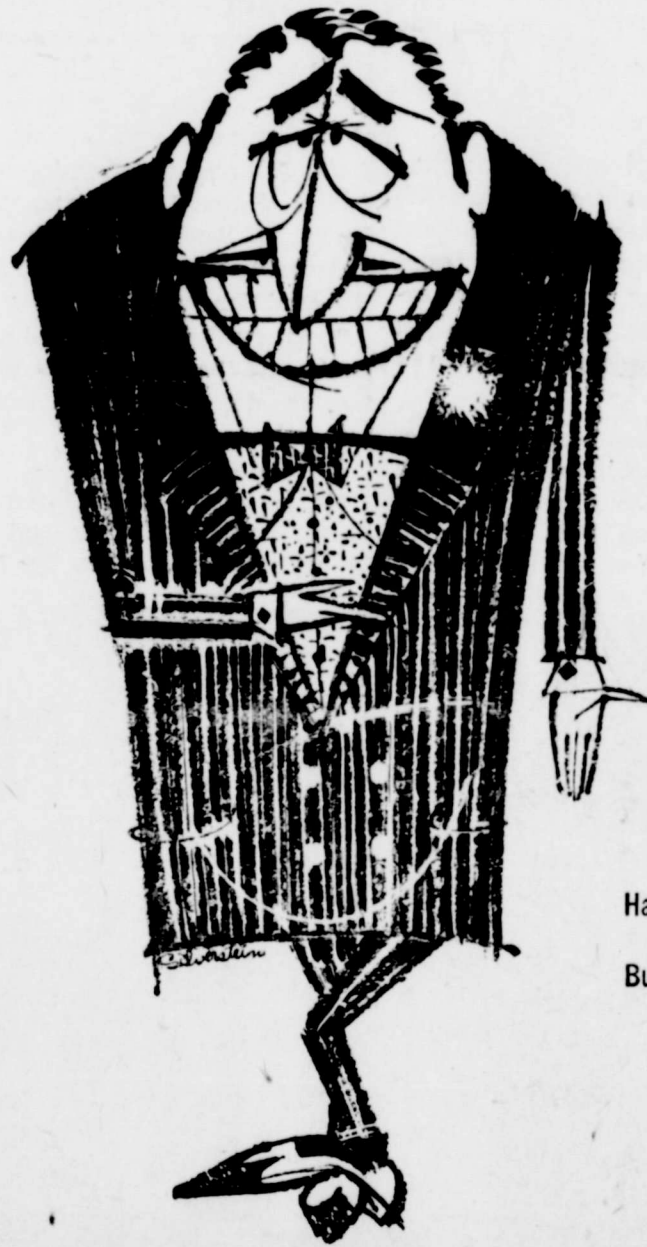
the leading singers of "Rock Baby."

However, with Bill Hood over the job, the junior administration not suffer for a good administration. Everyone will just have to be more careful with their use of English language since an English teacher is probably no more fussy on cats than an English teacher on his verbs and adjectives.

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From a new car salesman—wow! what a whiz!

The car had style—years out of date,
The features were new—back in '49!
Harry's still smiling, the tears hardly show,
But how he wishes he could get back his dough!

Moral: Don't get "bargain-talked" into yesterday's styling and features!

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FORE PLEASE

a column devoted
ly to local duffers

TOURNAMENT

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of Rankin will be interested
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rnamet for August 10.11.
n as the Colina Alta Golf
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ame order as the Big Lake
with the first two rounds
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edal play between the four
g shooters. This type of
ent has just recently went
in these parts and is prov-
e rather popular since it
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e results.

for Texon can be sent to
ward at Box 585 or called in
r 431 at Texon. Boob says
off time will be promptly at
for the trophy hunters in
fligh (Fred Prentice, Jack
etc.) Entry fee will be
h the usual assortment of

Rankin is expected to furnish at
least 1 flight.

SCOTCH PLAY

Play on the local course had a
steady increase over the past week
with still more work being done on
the layout. Rough on both sides of
number one fairway has been clear-
ed for driving range practicing pur-
poses. The last rocky green is to be
screened this week.

In the scotch tournament held
last Sunday, a much better group
of scores turned up with Fred
Prentice and Oma Lowery winning
low gross at 46 followed by J. B.
Hutchins and Gena Johnson and
Shorty and Genevieve Titsworth ti-
ed for second with 47. Grace Roach
and Ray Boggs were third with 51.

In the handicap scores, Wohnny
Boggs and Vase Grimm were low
with a 32, followed by Floyd Everett
and Shug Boggs with 34 and Grimm
Taylor and Joyce Buckway with 35.

In the womens long ball contest,
Grace Roach was first with 160
yards followed by Oma Lowery with
157. For the men, it was Jack Mar-
shall with a 220 yard knock and
J. B. Hutchens second with 217.

Prizes of golf balls were awarded
to winners of the events and ice
cream and cake were served to ap-
proximately 35 following the play.

CONTEST FOR SUNDAY
Next Sunday, another scotch tour.
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- FLOUR**

- 24 oz. Bottle—Church's **32c**
- GRAPE JUICE**
- 12 oz. can Libby's — 3 for **29c**
- PINEAPPLE JUICE**
- No. 2 can—Del Monte— 2 for **29c**
- TOMATO JUICE**
- No. 303 can — Jack Sprat Sliced **29c**
- CARROTS** 2 for
- No. 303 — Our Value — 2 for **27c**
- TOMATOES**
- No. 2 can Lucky Leaf **43c**
- PIE APPLES** 2 for
- No. 303 — Hunts — 2 for **43c**
- FRUIT COCKTAIL**

- Folgers Pound **93c**
- COFFEE**

- No. 303 — Franco American **29c**
- SPAGHETTI** 2 for
- Supreme **41c**
- PECAN SUNDIES**
- 9 oz. Frenche's — Bottle **15c**
- MUSTARD**
- 32 oz. — Betty Dill — Bottle **29c**
- PICKLES**
- Van Camps — Grated — 2 for **41c**
- TUNA**

- 24 oz. Bottle County Kitchen Log Cabin **47c**
- SYRUP**

- Supreme — Coconut Chocolate Drop **41c**
- COOKIES**

- No. 303 can — Irvington Club — **51c**
- Whole — 2 for
- GREEN BEANS**
- No. 303 can — Steele's 2 for **29c**
- GREEN BEANS & POTATOES**
- No 300 — Our Value — 6 for **49c**
- PORK & BEANS**
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- 6 pkgs. — Wrigley's **19c**
- GUM**
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IN MANAGEMENT**

A. J. McDonald, owner of McDonald's Washateria, has announced that he has assumed active management of the firm. Mrs. McDonald will oversee operations of the wet-wash establishment.

McDonald said that all machines have been worked over and put into good condition and that they are now ready to give their customers first class service. The firm is open six days a week—closing at noon on Saturday.

**OIL COMPANIES AT
OUTS OVER TAXES**

Several oil companies over the state are having squabbles with local school boards over taxes. Last week District Judge John Snell blocked, temporarily, a Sinclair Refining Co. attempt to delay payment of 1956 school taxes to the Pasadena Independent School District.

Snell refused Sinclair's request to enjoin the district from claiming taxes of \$576,904 on the grounds the company actually owed only \$424,397. Simultaneously, Sinclair offered to

settle at the lower figure with the district school board—the offer being refused.

In Upshur County, Magnolia Petroleum Co. has asked the district judge to enjoin the Gladewater County Line Independent School District from collecting 1957 ad valorem taxes. Magnolia says certain of its properties are assessed far too high and alleges the company is the victim of "unfair and unequal taxation."

In Upton County, Magnolia Petroleum, and several other companies, are now delinquent on their last year's school tax and are at the present time, unable to reach an agreement with Rankin Independent School District for payment.

In all three cases, a large majority of companies and individuals have already paid their taxes without complaint.

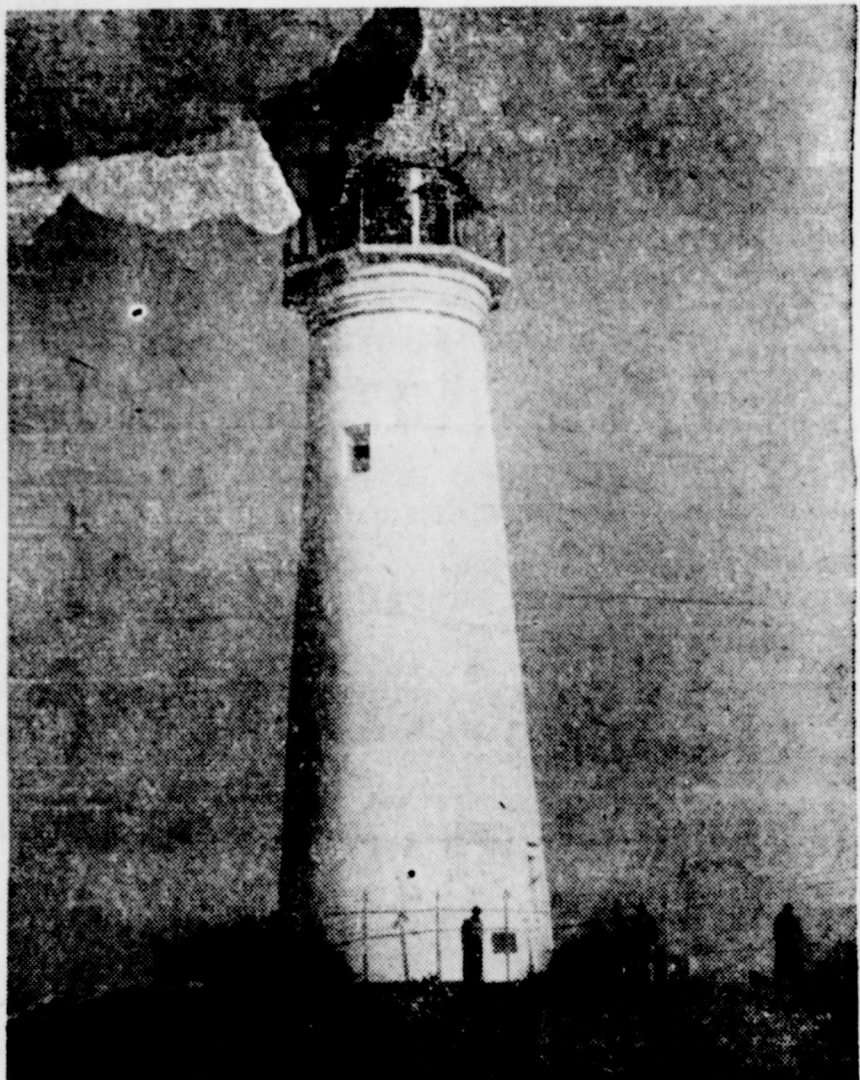
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hale and family returned last Thursday from a two weeks vacation in Maryland.

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*A saubuck? A ten spot?
Whatever you call it, it takes as little as*



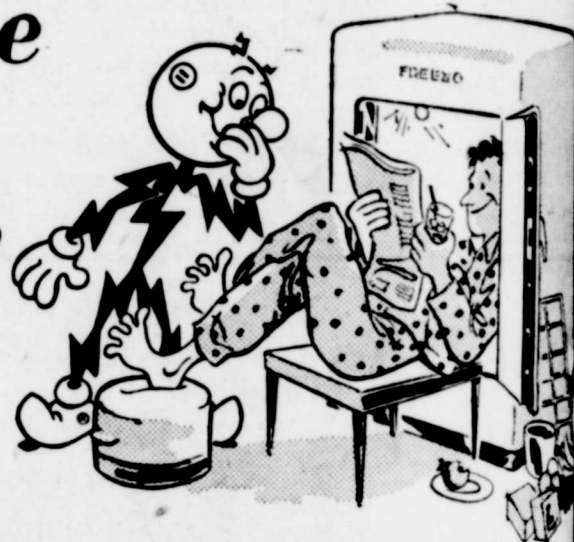
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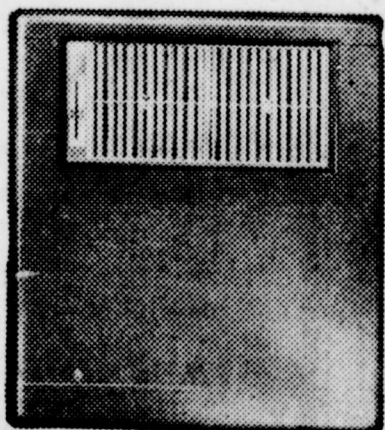
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Meat Worker Killed Near Here

D. Lamberth, 35-year old
of McCamey, was killed
Sunday morning when hit
by a pipe at an oil well lo-
cated three miles southwest
of here.

He was an employee of Traid
Co. and was said to be working
on the floor of the rig testing
when a collar blew out and
struck by a piece of falling
pipe and the head and neck.

Funerals were held in McCamey
at the First Baptist
Church. Rev. Aaron Bacus, officiat-
ing. Burial was in McCamey Ceme-
tery.

Survivors include his parents of
McCamey, five brothers, one half-
brother and two half sisters.

Funerals for Mrs. Harry Barham and
Wayne and Debbie of Dal-
las were held last week with Mr. and
Mrs. O. McEwen and other
relatives in Rankin. Mr. Barham was
a coach here. He is now
in Dallas.

Funerals for Mrs. D. L. Wheeler,
widow of a resident of Rankin are here.
She is returning from a vaca-
tion in South Dakota and other
places of interest. Their niece Shar-
lene accompanied them on



CHURCH SCHEDULES

First Methodist

Lynn McAden, Pastor

Sunday Program:
Church School 10:00-11:00
Morning Worship 11:00-12:00
Evening:
Youth Fellowship 7:30-8:00
Evening Worship 8:00-8:50

Rankin Church of Christ

Upton Street

Sunday:
Bible Classes 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Classes 7:30 p.m.
Ladies Bible Class 1:30 p.m.

Martin Kamstra
Minister

CHURCH OF CHRIST

4 Blocks West of Bank

Sunday:
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

A Girl For The Garners

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Garner of
McCamey announce the arrival of
a baby girl born in San Angelo
Hospital, Saturday, July 20th, weigh-
ing 8 lbs. 7 ozs. She has been named
Susie Jac.

Maternal Grandmother is Mrs. E.
Dossey of McCamey and paternal
grandmother is Mrs. J. W. Garner
of Rankin. Mr. and Mrs. Garner
have two other children John
Howard and Katie Elizabeth.

Mrs. Tom Workman returned by
plane Sunday night from a month's
stay in Ohio. During her absence
she attended funeral services for
her brother, Mr. Floyd L. Knapp of
Akron, Ohio who died following
a lengthy illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Yocham and
Mrs. Dora Hedges visited Sunday in
Ozona with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd
Yocham.

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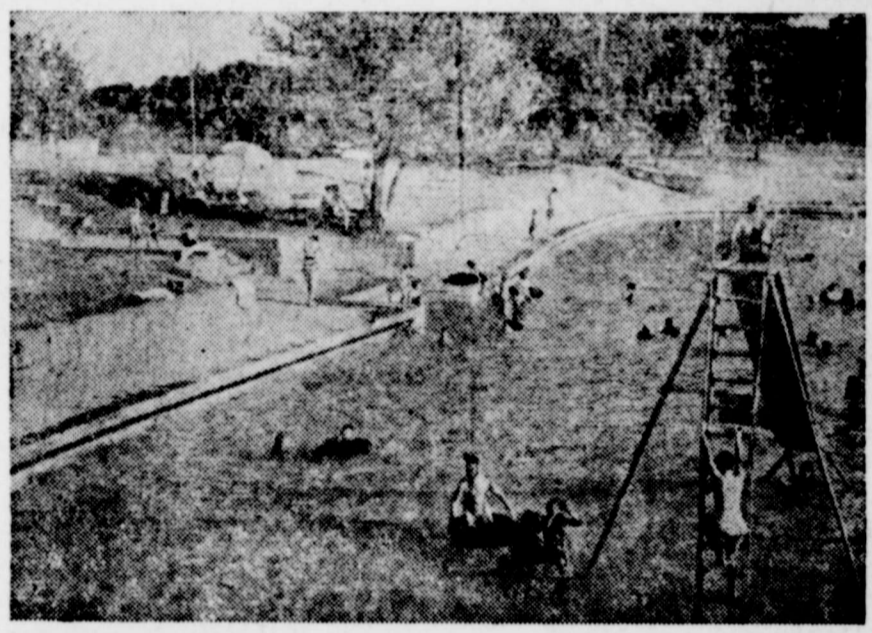
First Baptist Church Program

R. L. Shannon, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service:
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.



Historians dispute if the building in Washington State Park, pictured above, is an accurate replica of the smithy shop in which the Texas Declaration of Independence was signed. Contemporary drawings differ. Close by is the restored home of Dr. Anson Jones, last president of the Republic of Texas. A large sign on State Highway 90, near its bridge over the Brazos river, shows the way to the park. Photo Courtesy Texas Highway Department



LOCKHART STATE PARK on State Highway 964 has a rehabilitated golf course as this season's major improvement. Both greens and fairways have been aerated and cultivated. Last year's improvement of the bath house and swimming pool has made the park more popular than ever with residents of nearby Lockhart and the personnel of Gary Air Force Base.—Photo by Gordon Lupton.



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Loss and Gain



The older man is saying, "I have worked hard to make this farm pay. But I wonder if that is enough. What is ahead... how much loss and how much gain? He has asked this minister to explain it all. *What does it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his own soul?* Things do not satisfy. Man is a spiritual creature. He cannot be content with food and shelter. He was made for fellowship with God and his soul will always be hungry until he knows that he is a son of God and learns to walk with the Eternal Spirit. *He must go forward with Christ.* He must go to church and live in daily consciousness of the favor and blessing of his God. As he sharpens his tools to lose or gain, so must he sharpen his mind and his heart for God. *Any business will pay when God is the senior partner.*

**YOU IN THE CHURCH
THE CHURCH IN YOU**

Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that young and old alike are showered with benedictions that fortify and influence for a better citizenship and a stronger democracy. In the church the ministerial are molding religious character. Statesmen today declare that the church alone can furnish leadership to handle the affairs of state in these perilous times. Then let us with our children should go to the church of our choice on Sunday. "You in the Church and the Church in you" form a combination for good. Be a regular CHURCH GOER and a daily BIBLE READER.

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Lowery-Workman
Insurance Agency
Cashway Food Store
L. D. Sipes

HOSPITAL NOTICES

Stormy Hayden ten year daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hayden of Big Lake was admitted July 16th.

Mr. D. A. Heatherington of Camey was admitted July 14th and discharged July 15th.

Mr. C. W. Spencer of Meador was admitted July 11th.

Mrs. John Winn of Meador was admitted July 5th and discharged July 20th.

Mrs. J. N. Taylor of Irwin was admitted July 18th and discharged July 19th.

Mrs. J. D. Moore of Rankin was admitted July 19th.

Roy Capers, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Capers of Rankin was admitted July 20th.

Mrs. Felix Martinez of Big Lake was admitted July 21st.

Mrs. A. Z. Armstrong of Rankin was admitted July 22nd.

Mr. R. E. Langford of Rankin was admitted July 22nd.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rankin a baby boy named Kim, weighing 6 lbs. 9 oz. July 19th at 4:33 a.m.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Martinez of Big Lake a baby girl named Enriquita, weighing 6 lbs. 9 oz. July 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Higgins of Rankin last Wednesday night at their home. They have been at Fort Benning, Georgia. He just completed his time in the armed forces.

Mrs. Dave Gentry returned yesterday from Big Lake where she has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jacobs.

FAMILY ROBBERY OF PRECIOUS OLD JEWELRY

Jewelry valued at thousands was stolen last night from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smithman, 280 Long Street, by burglars who invaded the home while the family was sleeping.

Among precious possessions taken, according to police reports, were a pearl necklace and a diamond ring. Smithman's wife was not home.

Insurance Would Have Protected Loss! See Lowery-Workman Agency

Thieves got into the home by using a key made by a police officer.

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and Mrs. Marvin McEwen
daughter Janice moved last
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ALICE BELL INSTALLED NOBLE GRAND

The officers for Rebekah Lodge No. 8 were installed in an impressive ceremony Thursday night July 18 by Mrs. Lillie Belle Dishman, District Deputy President of Big Lake.

Alice Bell was installed as Noble Grand and Mrs. Modene Adams was installed as vice grand. Mrs. Grace Harris was installed as Financial Secretary. The appointed Officers installed were Earlene Patterson Warden—Zadie Abernathy Conductor—Martha McDonald Chaplain—Odessa Glenn Rebekah flag Bearer—Ruth Burns Flag Bearer—Oma Bell Arledge and Nancy Cummings right and left supports to noble grand—Charlotte Yocham and Maude Hearon right and left Supports to vice grand, Musican Barcy McCain Peggy Collins **INSIDE GUARDIAN**, Irma Conally outside guardian. Pauline Sheffield was installed as Junior past Noble grand and was presented with a past noble grand jewel by her officers.

The table was land with a net cloth over pink with scattered pink bows and centered with an arrangement of pink carnations, and miniature Bible with Motto and Emblem, flanking the floral arrangement were silver tapers holding pink and silver candles, and on the corner of the table were miniature Bible cakes in pink and silver. Twenty Three members and two visitors were present.

Mrs. H. E. Steed and daughters of San Angelo visited last week with her sister Mrs. Bill Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Holmes returned Monday from Atasosa where they visited with their son Sam Alvin Holmes and family.

Miss Kay McEwen is in Hobbs, New Mexico visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McEwen.

Mrs. B. B. Brown and Mrs. Murray McCain and children spent Sunday in Ozona with Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Knox.

Mona Lynn Hodges has returned to her home in Kermit after visiting for the past five weeks with her mother Mrs. Dora Hodges.



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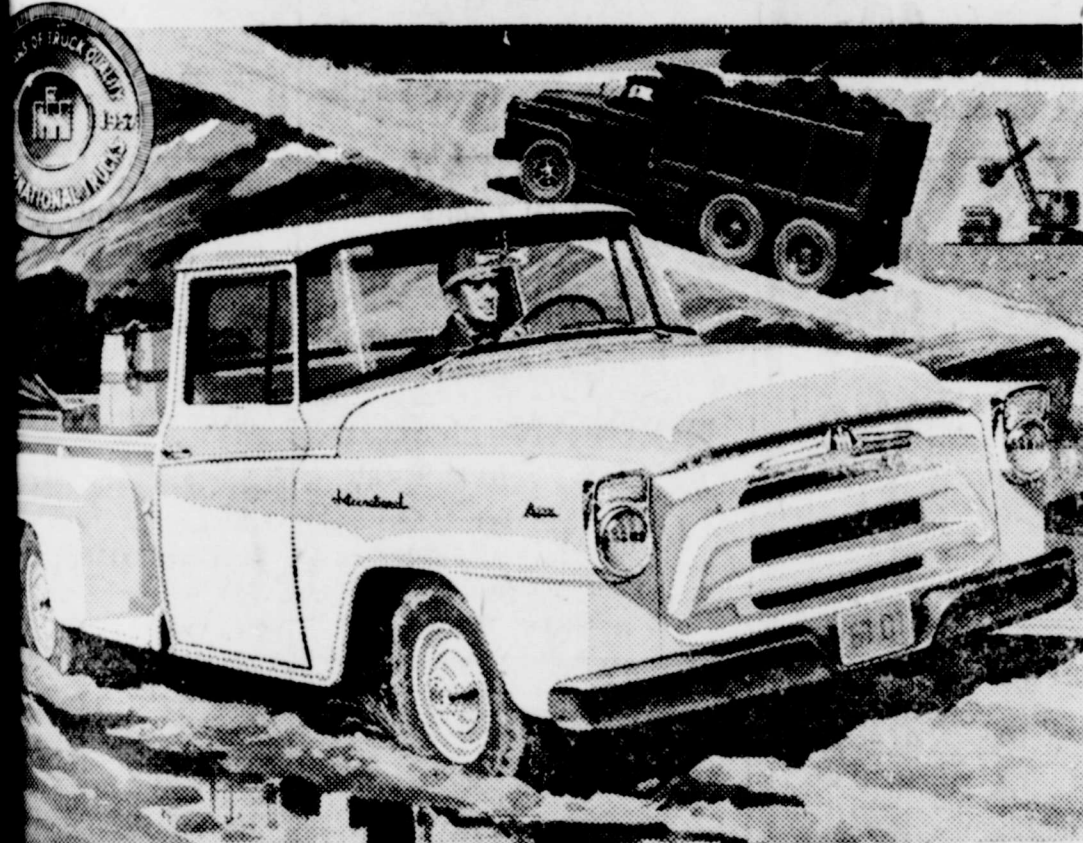
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OLEO	
Worldwide Sliced No. 2 1/2 can	59c
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Duncan's 1/2 LB.	59c
TEA	
Cane	5 LBS.
SUGAR	49c
Deer Brand No. 303 — 2 cans	29c
TOMATOES	
Jumbo Size	\$2.19
DASH Condensed Suds	
Zee Asst Colors 80 count 2 pkgs.	29c
NAPKINS	
Cut Rite	29c
WAX PAPER	
Vel — 2 Bars	39c
BEAUTY BAR	
3 LBS.	89c
CRISCO	
Elfin — 4 roll pkg.	29c
TISSUE	

Gandy's — 1/2 Gallon

MELLORINE	49c
Armour's — 2 Tall Cans	29c
MILK	
Heinz — Sweet — 15 oz.	41c
PICKLES	
Kim — 3 Cans	19c
DOG FOOD	
Armours Treet	45c
LUNCHEON MEAT	
Stokley's, Royal Ann	33c
CHERRIES	
All Green Cut Stokleys No. 303	49c
ASPARAGUS SPEARS 2 cans	
Gold Medal	10 LBS.
FLOUR	93c
Stokely's 303 Can	49c
FRUIT COCKTAIL 2 for	
Monarch Ripe Pitted 7 1/2 oz. can	53c
OLIVES	
Jergens — 59 cent Size	49c
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SAMPOO	
29 cent Size	Plus Tax
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* Being a column devoted
entirely to local affairs

ament will be played with
getting underway shortly at
p.m. Open to anyone who
enter, there will be a 25 cent
fee per player in order to
prizes.

Another round of ice cream
cake have been promised for
the play.

DEL RIO PLAY

Date for the Del Rio Town
has officially been designated
ust 30.31. Sept. 1.2. Those
attend should make their
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play opens.

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Jr., Tyson Midkiff,
and Mrs. Sam Holman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave
spent the week end
their daughter and
and Mrs. Paul