

# The Rankin News

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## SEVEN IN BAND

Students have enrolled in the summer band school at the Prentice, director. There are three classes: Beginners, Intermediates and Seniors. Each class has a one-hour study period. Prentice has indicated he is well pleased with the summer program and has hopes of having the band again this year.

Director Fred Prentice has selected all Senior Band members for the next 10 days and they will attend the band camp. He also needs uniforms to issue uniforms.

The Rankin group will be at Ross College in Alameda for a week-long study course. The trip will be all expenses paid for last year's senior band and the new intermediate

## Addition To HS Building Underway

Contract Goes To San Antonio Firm --

## Street Paving Bids Opened; Work Expected To Begin Aug. 24

Members of the Upton County Commissioners Court, meeting in a special session last Monday, August 3, opened bids on street paving for Rankin and McCamey. Four bids were submitted on the work that has been performed each summer for the past several years.

Low bidder was Centex Paving Co. of San Antonio with a bid of \$16,622.20 for double coating streets in both towns. Total yardage to be paved will be approximately 66000 square yards, near the same amount as paved last summer. Participating in the program with the County in Rankin are property owners who

pay for their own curb and gutter and the City of Rankin, paying a part of the actual paving costs. The City's share of last year's program was \$4,813.70, the second year in a row that they have made a cash payment on paving.

Following the opening of the bids, the contractor has some 10 or 12 days in which to make bond and enter into a contract with the county. On this basis, it is expected that the work will get underway in McCamey on about August 24. The contractor has said that he expects to have all the work completed in both towns within 15 days from the starting date.

Work will begin in McCamey since streets there are said to be in readiness for topping whereas there is still some work to be done locally.

The \$16,622.20 figure does not represent the total cost of the paving program done by the County. In addition there will be the cost of the base materials used and the rock and gravel which is purchased and stockpiled by the county on a separate basis. All of these materials are now on hand and awaiting the contractor who will apply them to the streets.

Charles Vardy, local curb and gutter contractor, has said that most of his work will be completed this week. County grading and filling follows the curbing work.

Principal street to be paved will be 8th from Highway 67 to Severn and Severn up to and including the street in front of the Rankin Hospital in addition to a few other blocks.

## CHARLES BLUE TO HAVE FIFTH OPERATION IN YEAR

Charles Edward Blue, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Blue of Crane and a former Rankin resident, this week entered Medical Center Hospital in Odessa where he will be confined for approximately one month while undergoing a bone grafting operation. He will be in Room 271 and will be receiving visitors. Any of his former friends in Rankin are invited to visit him during his stay.

Blue was injured in an automobile accident near Crane over a year ago. Since that time he has had five operations and is said to be anticipating still further medical treatment as a result of his injuries.

## BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gentry of Iraan, July 30 at 2:30 p.m., a son weighing 7 lbs. and 3 ozs. and named Frank Eugene.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McCormick of Rankin, a daughter on August 3 at 6:39 p.m. weighing 7 lbs., 2 ozs.

Workmen were busy this week preparing the foundation for a new addition to the Rankin High School building. Approximately 840 square feet will be added to the shop area on the north side of the building.

Contractor for the work is Cecil Sullivan of McCamey with a 40-day work period allotted for the job. Sullivan was chosen as low bidder from three concerns by the school board at their last regular meeting. His bid amounted to \$12,110.00 and construction will follow the same design as that carried out in the original structure. The new space will be used for storage of shop projects and other items of school equipment. Leonard Crockett of Odessa is the architect.

In other actions by the board in their last meeting, the resignation of Johnny Hurst as a member of the school board was accepted. Hurst resigned after it was learned that his position with the First State Bank conflicted with the fact that this bank is also used for depositing school monies.

At the same meeting, the board accepted several recommendations of Superintendent Kenneth Welsch as to the management of the school and changed their meeting date and time. Beginning this month, the board will meet on the first Wednesday following the first Monday of the month whereas they had previously met on the first Wednesday. This change was made in order to give more time for presentation and consideration of monthly bills sent to the school. Meeting time was also changed to 6:00 p.m.

In a special meeting of the board (Continued on Page 2)

## Robbins Services Thursday Morning

Robbins is dead.

Services to be held at 10:00 Thursday, August 6 for J. Phillip Robbins, 76, one of the old-time ranchers and settlers in Upton County. Rev. Lynn McAden, pastor of the Methodist Church, will officiate at the church services. Robbins had served on the Board of Directors of the church and had been a faithful member of all church functions. Burial will be at 2:00 p.m. in Lawnhaven Cemetery, San Angelo, under the direction of L. Porter Johnson and Moore Funeral Home, McCamey.

Robbins was known to many friends and died at 11:55 p.m. on August 3 in St. John's Hospital, San Angelo. He had been in poor health for the past several weeks and became seriously ill less than three weeks ago. Mrs. Robbins had celebrated her 50th wedding anniversary at home in Rankin. Some relatives called during the week.

Robbins was born March 2, 1883 in Rankin and later moved with his family to Haydick near Bronte. He worked as a ranch hand for the Fayette Tankersley near Bronte and in 1908 moved to McCamey near Big Lake. He and Mrs. Robbins were married on

July 15, 1909.

The Robbins came to Upton County in 1912 and leased his first ranch near McCamey. During the next 50 years, Mr. Robbins acquired ranching interests in Upton and Pecos Counties and other properties here and in Terry County.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, Order of Eastern Star, Texas and Southwestern Cattle Association and Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association. He served 12 years on the Rankin School board.

During his lifetime, Uncle Jim had given financial assistance to many charities and had sponsored a number of Senior trips for graduating Rankin High School students.

"He was among the last of the old-time West Texas ranchers and a fine Christian gentleman," said his pastor, Rev. McAden.

Survivors include his wife; one son, J. Phillip Robbins of Ft. Stockton; one daughter, Mrs. Randy Moore of McCamey; two brothers, Frank of McCamey and L. C. of Bronte; four sisters, Mrs. L. B. Bonner of Eureka, Mrs. Jim Perry of La Marque, Mrs. J. W. LaBenske of Snyder and Mrs. W. G. Cresap of Bronte; and five grandchildren.

Mr. John Law of Lubbock is a visitor in the Al Turner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Houchins and family are spending their vacation at Bridgeport.

## Mrs. Jim Harkey To Open McCamey Shop

Mrs. Jim Harkey of Ann's Dress Shop announced this week that she will open Ann's Dress Shop No. 2 in McCamey on East 5th Street next door to Dr. R. E. Norris' office sometime in August.

Mrs. Harkey and her daughter, Mrs. James Wallis of McCamey, will be co-owners of the new shop, each giving a part of her time to the management of the store.

Mrs. Harkey opened her shop in Rankin March 1, 1952. She will remain in Rankin and this will be her "home" store.

Opening date of the McCamey Shop will be announced later.

## Baptist Summer Revival Will Open Friday, 7th

Rev. R. L. Shannon, pastor, has announced that the summer revival at the First Baptist Church has been scheduled to begin Friday night, August 7 and run through August 16.

Evangelist will be Rev. John H. Johns of Lubbock. Rev. Johns was a chaplain in the armed services and a pastor of the First Baptist Church at O'Donnell for several years. Recently, he has been working in Oregon and the Pacific Northwest and only recently returned to Lubbock where he will be working in a mission sponsored by one of the Lubbock Baptist Churches.

"Rev. Johns is well known as a good preacher and evangelist in the Lubbock area and the South Plains section and comes highly recommended by the District Mission Society, the City Missions Superin-

tendent and the pastors of Lubbock", Shannon has said.

"The services from Friday night through Sunday will be dedicated to the Young People and we hope a large number will attend and participate in these services," Shannon stated. "The messages will be of special interest and helpful to the Young People."

The pastor has, however, emphasized that this is not just a Youth Revival but is for everyone—adults and youth alike. Only the services from Friday through Sunday, August 9 will be directed to the Young People. The other services will be designed to help those of all ages, it has been stated.

"We extend a hearty welcome to everyone, regardless of church affiliation, to attend these services at 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. each day", said Shannon.

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*Filler by J. B.*

### NUMBER, PLEASE—

There was a time in Rankin when you picked up the phone, cranked the handle and got one of your neighbors at the switchboard in the telephone office who said "Number Please" and if the party you happened to be calling was out of town, the operator would know about it and so advise you. Or, if they were across the street visiting, the operator just switched the call.

It was sorta countryfied and out of date but it was handy and maybe spoiled a lot of us.

Last week, Sidney Ramsey down at the Cafe bought himself a little advertising space telling folks that his new dial phone—which has been installed some four years—was not always too reliable and that they might have to go to considerable trouble in calling him.

Sidney's ad got a lot of comment, including some from the telephone

company. They were very nice about the whole thing and promised to get the Ramsey Cafe phone in to top working order.

Sidney was not mad at the phone company. He just wanted a bit more action and being a man who believes that advertising pays—bless him—he paid out a few shekles in hopes of bringing attention to his situation.

Locally, we have a fine bunch working for Southwestern Bell. Their manager, Kenneth Cochran, is a most likeable and accomodating sort of a chap as is the office manager in McCamey, Mrs. Helen Harding. Their repair crews have always been prompt in answering requests for service and have tried to help in any way they can.

I don't think Southwestern Bell could improve on their personnel and the fact that Rankin has a bit of phone trouble is definitely not any fault of the people who are responsible for this area.

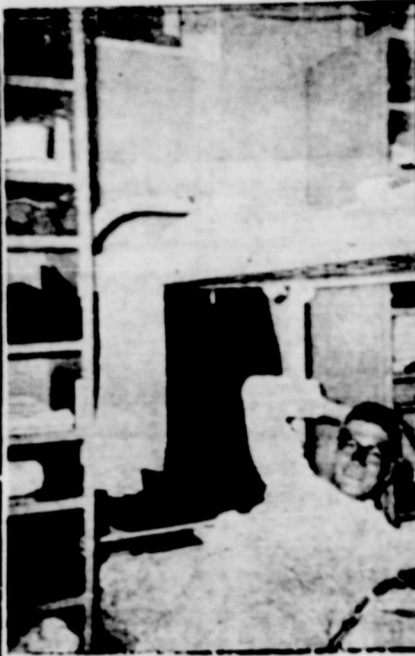
When the system was first installed and trouble developed, it was explained that there were a few bugs in any new system and that they could be worked out in time. That sounds reasonable and this week the company is pouring some sidewalks around their building in an effort to keep down dust which bugs their equipment.

Personally, I'm not upset with the phone people or the way they run their business. I would only point out that it is understandable why Sidney B. gets a little ruffled when his telephone doesn't work properly. In the old days you could fuss at the operator but these new dial systems just don't pay much attention to you and that gets anybody's goat.

### ONCE MORE—

Just one more time, I'll discuss the bank stop light and then let it drop. Folks just keep hitting me up on the topic.

Latest applicant to try to collect our offer of a reward was Barber Cunningham and his family who said they drove all the way from Fort Worth Monday and pulled in to Rankin and made that light without stopping. Even claims they drove



**This is Boot Camp?** J. V. Helmers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Helmers of Rankin is shown in one of the easier phases of Navy Boot Camp in San Diego, California as he "hits the sack." J. V., along with several other Rankin youth, joined the Navy following the end of the 1958-59 Rankin School term and has been undergoing the tough training program offered the new recruits since that time. He has quaffied to attend any of the many courses of study offered in advanced Navy training. He expects to get his first leave beginning about August 17 and will visit his parents and friends in Rankin before returning for further assignment.

all the way without having any red lights at all.

However, after doing some investigating, I have reason to believe that the light was actually just about half green and half red when they drove in—that stage where you give 'er the gas and slam on the brake if anyone is watching. But since the Cunninghams are good neighbors and I like to see young folks get ahead, I'm going to offer them a consolation prize of three back issues of The Rankin News, plus an July 23 issue of the Ozona Stockman that has been around the office for a week or so. It has only one clipping cut out.

### PAY UP—

As you may have noticed elsewhere in this issue of the News, August is a good time to renew your subscription. It's not that I need the money, it's just that the Post Office Department says all subscriptions to newspapers must be paid for in advance and none of us would want to do the Post Office Department wrong—now, would we.

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### SCHOOL BOARD—

(Continued from page one)

on July 23, an outline was adopted by the board which set forth the responsibilities of all employees of the school. As outlined, the board will head the program with the superintendent being their administrator. Department heads will be responsible to the superintendent, and he, in turn, to the board. The High School Principal will be responsible for seeing that the duties of all high school teachers and custodians of the high school plant are carried out. The same will apply to both the Junior High Principal and the Elementary Principal. The Business Manager will be in charge of bus maintenance and bus drivers, cafeteria manager and main stockroom.

This new organization of the Rankin School has been adopted to fur-

### The Rankin (Tex) Thursday, August

ther clarify the responsibility of all employees. Opening date for the school has been set for Tuesday and preparations are along for this first 60 term.

Mrs. Bill Nix left plan for a visit with Jim Miller of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lubbock visited over with relatives and kin.

Mrs. Nancy Russell visited last week with Mrs. George Ferguson.

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(Tex.) News—  
August 6, 1959

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## Alpine Shower Given For Miss Esther Clark

Miss Esther Clark, bride-elect of John Fletcher, was named honoree at a lingerie shower Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Paul Wilmoth in Alpine.

A Lazy Susan filled with dips, crackers and Fritos centered the serving table. Mrs. Wilmoth served guests coffee throughout the afternoon.

Those present were Mrs. Bruce Sutton, Mrs. Harold Nichols, and Mrs. Wilmoth, all of Alpine; Mrs. Fred Prentice of Rankin, Mrs. W. J. Pollard of Aztec, New Mexico and Miss Clark.

Miss Clark and Mr. Fletcher will be married August 16 at the First Methodist Church in Rankin with the Rev. Lynn McAden, pastor, officiating.

tors will be welcome.

Now about those two young ladies: they were Mrs. Boggs and Mrs. Scarborough—dang it. During the visit, Mrs. Boggs came up with an old newspaper which carried the following article:

### Comentarios de Golf Por Jorge Plank

Hoy principia el VI torneo de Acapulco

Hoy es iniciara el VI Tornea Anual que organiza el Club de Golf de Acapulco. La justa sera a 54 hoyos bajo el sistema de "Stroke-Play" (por puntos).

Me ha dicho Tono Rivas Merca- no ques seran cuatro Categorias masculinas y una femenil. Etc., etc.

Yeah. Well, you can see right off that this guy Jorge is a nut for anyone who has ever tried the game konws that you have to put "English" on the ball. Of course, since I can't do that either, I just may try this Spanish kick—as soon as I find out what he said.

## WEEK END SPECIALS GOOD ONLY FOR:

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## AUGUST 7-8

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<b>FRYERS</b>	lb.	<b>33c</b>
Choice Beef		
<b>T BONE STEAK</b>	lb.	<b>73c</b>
Pressed		
<b>HAM</b>	lb.	<b>49c</b>

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Colorado		
<b>CORN-ON-COB</b>	ear	<b>5c</b>
California		
<b>BELL PEPPERS</b>	lb.	<b>17c</b>

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Libby's Frozen		
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Betty Crocker		
<b>POUND CAKE MIX</b>		<b>33c</b>
Mr. Clean		
<b>CLEANER</b>	pint	<b>35c</b>
Best Maid		
<b>SALAD DRESSING</b>	qt.	<b>39c</b>
Good-N-Rich		
<b>CAKE MIXES</b>	3 for	<b>27c</b>
Haase's Refrigerator Jar		
<b>STUFFED OLIVES</b>		<b>45c</b>
Regular size		
<b>DASH DETERGENT</b>		<b>35c</b>
Hunt's		
<b>TOMATO SAUCE</b>	3 for	<b>29c</b>
Stokely's—No. 303 Can		
<b>PEAS &amp; CARROTS</b>	2 for	<b>49c</b>
Jack Sprat—No. 300 can		
<b>KRAUT</b>	2 for	<b>27c</b>
Le Grande—No. 300 can		
<b>EARLY JUNE PEAS</b>	3 for	<b>31c</b>
Stokely's No. 303 Can		
<b>SLICED BEETS</b>	2 for	<b>29c</b>
Heart's Delight—No. 2 1/2 Can		
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## H. D. CHATTER

By MYRNA HOLMAN

County Home Dem. Agent

### ELECTRIC CLINIC

The District 6 4-H Electric Clinic will be held in the Park Building in McCamey on August 12. The clinic is being sponsored by the West Texas Utilities Company which serves a large part of District 6.

All agents in the district, men and women adult leaders, and from two to four 4-H Club members from each county are invited to attend.

Such subjects as light for living, outside lighting, cooking, and equipment care will be given as well as the use of electricity in farming and ranching and demonstrations. Four-H Club boys and girls take part each spring in electric team demonstrations and this is a

good training period.

The sponsors are providing free meals at lunch and a swim after the program in the afternoon for those attending.

### TRI-COUNTY CAMP—

The third annual Tri-County Camp for junior 4-H club girls will be held this year in Crane on August 12-14. Some sixty to seventy girls are expected to attend. Older girls will be in charge of the various groups for helping the girls with their songs, games, folk games, craft work and other activities of the camp.

Among the things planned for the camp are periods for craft work, opportunity to learn songs and games and how to lead them, plenty of recreation, swimming and a cook out meal.

Any 4-H club girl who has been enrolled during the past year is welcome to attend.

### THE WEEK AHEAD—

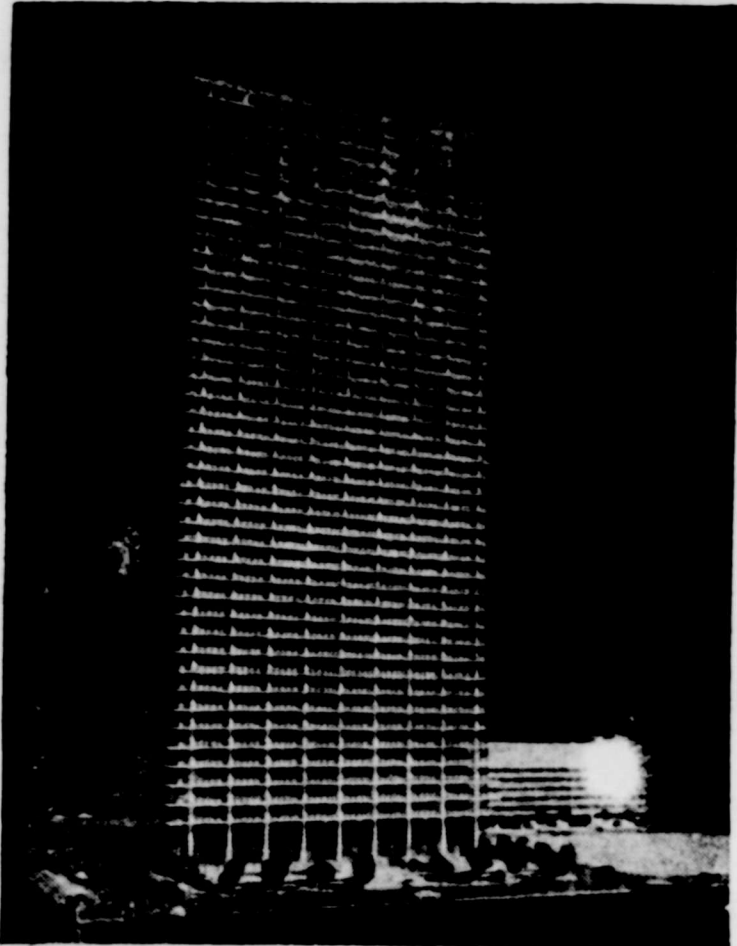
Monday—Office in Rankin  
Tuesday—Preparations for the Clinic and Camp  
Wednesday—Electric Clinic in McCamey and begin 4-H Camp  
Thursday and Friday—Tri County Camp, Crane.

### Rebekah Lodge News

Rankin Rebekah Lodge No. 8 met for regular session Thursday night, July 30 at the IOOF hall with noble grand, Nancy Cummings, presiding. Eighteen members were present and six sick visits reported.

Plans were made for the joint meeting of the Rebekah and Odd Fellow Lodges at the Rankin Park Building on August 4 when Miss Betty Shoemaker will show pictures and give a report on her UN trip to New York City.

Love Sisters of the Lodge exchanged gifts. It was stated that an installation would be held at next regular meeting August 6.



**PLANNED HUMBLE BUILDING IN HOUSTON** — This model shows Humble Oil & Refinery Company's proposed 44-story office building to be located in downtown Houston. Morgan V. Davis, president of Humble, said the building will enable the company to bring its 3300 home office employees together in one central location. Present plans call for a building with approximately a million square feet of usable space. Initially, Humble expects to use more than half of the building for its offices and to sub-let the remaining space to other tenants.



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tilating system. However, all recommended shelters should include the basic features shown here—a place to sleep; food, water and medical supplies, and at least eight inches of concrete or an equal weight of other materials for shielding the shelter against fallout. Free designs may be obtained by writing to OCDM Rural Civil Defense, Battle Creek, Mich.

(OCDM Photo)

Miss Ann Souse of Ft. Worth is the guest of Miss Mary Turner.

Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. E. C. Higday were visitors in Sterling City Sunday.

Mrs. Bruce McGill and Mrs. Hamp Carter left Monday for Kerrville to attend the School of Missions of the Southwest Texas Methodist Conference on Monday through Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Yocham and B. F. are spending a week's vacation at Eagle Lake in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and son and daughter of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith and son of Midland visited over the week end with their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lynn and family.

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The Rankin (Tex.)  
Thursday, August

### Gift Shower Miss Esther O

ALPINE, AUG. 3.—Clark, bride-elect of [unclear] was honored with a shower Sunday afternoon in the home of Miss [unclear]. Co-hostesses were Miss [unclear] Phillips and Miss [unclear]. The hostesses presented with a corsage of white [unclear]. Guests were regaled with a buffet [unclear] decorated with a [unclear] and dahlias. Miss [unclear] at the punch bowl. [unclear] individual [unclear] and white, to carry [unclear] chosen colors, salted [unclear] and strawberry punch. crystal appointments [unclear]. Those present included Johnson, Miss Jean [unclear] Bryan Wildenthal, Mrs. [unclear] well, the hostesses [unclear] of Alpine, and Mrs. [unclear] mother of the bride-elect.

Visiting Mrs. Lucy [unclear] recently was her sister, Mrs. [unclear] liamson of Clint, Tex.



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of the City Board of met last Wednesday to discuss the details of any tax payers their 1959 City valua-

of the board are J. T. Adams, Ed Edgar, E. and Bill Johnson.

Jean Norris who has been instructor at the Prude Port Davis this summer, Monday.

Mrs. W. D. Price and Houston and Mrs. Bill of Cisco were recent parents, Mr. and Mrs.

THE CLASSIFIEDS —

# FAYNE ZOLLER IS COUNTY WINNER OF 4-H DRESS SHOW

Fayne Zoller from the Humble Camp north of Rankin won first place in the county 4-H Dress Revue held in Rankin last Friday. Fayne modelled a full skirt made of a dark striped cotton which she wore with a white blouse and saddle oxfords for a school outfit. She will represent Upton County in the junior division of the District Dress Revue to be held in Crane on Friday, August 7.

Miss Zoller also entered five other articles for scoring. She won blue ribbons on an apron and a place mat; red ribbons on a pot holder and other place mat; and a white ribbon on the other place mat. With her score of 93 on her school outfit, Fayne had the highest total score of the revue and won the pur-

ple sweepstakes ribbon.

Rosellee Gilliland of McCamey with a score of 90, won a blue ribbon and was chosen as first alternate. She modelled a blue figured picture print skirt which she wore with a white blouse accessorized for school. She also won a white ribbon on her dish towel.

Winning red ribbons on their skirts were Sandra McDowell, Sandra Kay Gilliland and Jo Ann Sizemore of McCamey and Janice Little and Mary Mallicoat from the Plymouth Camp. Miss McDowell and Miss Gilliland also won white ribbons on dish towels and Miss Little scored a blue on a place mat and red ribbons on a clothes pin bag and a pot holder. Wanda Sizemore scored a white ribbon on the construction of her dress.

Adult leaders who had helped with the girls' clothing workshops were Mesdames J. W. Shaw, H. B. Igo and J. D. Carter.

Mrs. Edith Hughes, Crane County Home Demonstration Agent, was the judge for the revue which was held

## Hospital Notes

Mrs. Leon Gentry of Iraan was admitted July 30 and dismissed on August 2.

Eugene "Tonny" Curry, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Curry of Big Lake was admitted August 2.

Mr. James G. Dorsey of Rankin was admitted August 1.

Kelly Doege, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Doege of Rankin was admitted August 2.

Mrs. R. C. McCormick of Rankin was admitted August 3.

Michael Ford Green, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Green of Odessa was admitted August 4.

Bubby Sullivan, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sullivan of Rankin was admitted August 4.

in the Assembly Room of the Upton Agent's office in the courthouse in Rankin.

## OLUIS KAMSTRA TO GET DEGREE AT EASTERN NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY

PORTALES, N. M. (Sp.) The largest number of candidates for summer graduation in the University's history will bring the total graduates for the year to 286 at Eastern New Mexico University this week. The summer commencement exercises are scheduled for Friday, August 7 at 8:00 p.m. in the University stadium.

Among those receiving diplomas will be Lewis Duane Kamstra, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kamstra of Rankin. He will get his Bachelor of Science Degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Roylee Bell, Jr. and Tommy from Odessa were visitors Sunday in the R. L. Bell home. Tommy remained with his grandparents.

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In a letter to Mr. Congressman said: Dear Mr. Wheeler: I read the story in News concerning the you won, with much I wish to extend congratulations.

The recognition you ed throughout your career is certainly noteworthy. I am sure you find it is my sincere desire that cation to study will be recognized and meet with equal success in all your future. If at any time I assistance to you in any feel free to call on me.

Sincerely, J. T. Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. and Jo left this week vacation in Colorado Creek Pass.

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