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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1961

**GIVES REGULATIONS** HALLOWE'EN CARNIVAL

of the Rankin Parent, ssociation have adopted ing rules as regarding Hallowe'en Carnival: hall be a carnival each Hallowe'en at the time Parent Teacher Assoch year we will have ng chairmen, with their

man of the Carnival. red by the president of A. This person is overan of the carnival. He his helpers and inn of their duties.

Chairman. The parade at 5:30 p.m. the day of al. Ten dollars will be parade prize money to loat from each school me amount will be givbest float from orgaoutside the school- a 0. The winners are to ed at the Carnival and presented at that time. ce Chairman. He may s helpers. The chairreport to the P. T. A. mediately, the amount at each teacher turns acher should withhold before returning money finance chairman. Each the juniors will get he profits made from the juniors will bet the seniors 50 percent.

The P. T. A. will have the food booth and keep all of the proceeds resulting from it.

4. Projects Chairman. This chair man is usually the Junior High Principal. A teacher may have the right to keep the project of the previous year. We recommend that the teacher notify the Project Chairman by the first Friday in October if she wants the previous year's project. If not, release it. The classes should have entertainment booths only and the P. T. A. will have the food booth. 5. Booth Chairman. This person will be responsible for the booth lay-out and assigning space to

the various projects. Time: The parade will begin at 5:30 p.m. The booths will open after the parade is over.

Selling: Class room selling on the school grounds will be done away with.

Booths: Each room that has a project is responsible for setting up its booth and cleaning up and removing the booth after the carnival.

Publication: A copy of this report will be given to all personnel concerned with the carnival. The Executive meeting will be on October 2, 1961. at the Elementary School Building at 4:30 p.m. If any parent desire any phanges, they can be present at thot time for open discussion.

# **Rankin Red Devils Seek** Win Friday Over Ozona

Lions Have Never Lost To A Rankin Team

When the Rankin Red Devils walked off the field in Eldorado last Friday night, beaten on the scoreboard by 14-6 but unbowed on the playing field, Eagle feathers were knee deep and two Eagle players were still on the groundone remaining in that position for about ten minutes following the last play of the game. And fans had seen one of the ruggedest, hardest fought and cleanest ball games played in West Texas for several seasons.

It was a real rib-cracker from the opening kickoff right down to that last play with players from both sides spending a good bit of time flying through the air in assorted poses and tangles of legs.

## **Hospital Auxilary Calls Thursday Meet**

There will be a general meeting of the Rankin Hospital Auxiliary Thursday, September 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the dining room of the Rankin Park Building.

Every member has been urged to attend. Anyone wishing to join the organization is also cordially invited to this meeting.

arms, footballs and shoe leather. Neither side showed any desire to do anything but win in clean, hard play.

It was the third big effort in a row for the Red Devils and has brought just about all the local fans to the point of agreeing that this year's team is one of the hardest-playing squads to take the field for Rankin High in a number of years even though they have a two lost and one tied record. They have gone against three of the better teams in this area and have given them what for on each occasion.

Friday night, they will lock horns with an old adversary from the South, the Ozona Lions.

Gametime is 8 o'clock in Ozona. Over the past seven years, some of the best games turned in by Red Devil teams have been played against the Lions but, up to this point, the local crews have never beaten an Ozona squad-on the scoreboard where it counts. Some of Rankin's winenist teams have not been able to turn the trick. Fans and players alike are confident that this year will be the turning of the tide and that the Red Devils have now reached that point in their play where they are ready to move into the win column for awhile-another prediction that has often been repeated locally. .

Ozona, always fielding a good team, has a better record than the Red Devils but has not been tested by equal competition. They will feature a fair sized groupnot as large as big Eldorado or "small" Crane. Their speed will be more nearly like Rankin's and they will also be somewhat passminded, as are the Red Devils.

Despite the fact that the Red Devils seem to like to play Ozona, the Lions have never yet let that deter them from turning in a fine performance themselves. They do not seem to take the Rankin game lighlty and are always ready. So will it likely be Friday night.

It promises to be a real thriller.

#### **B AND JUNIOR HIGH-**

Rankin's B team and Junior High squads will host a similar group from Iraan here Thursday afternoon with the Juniors set to play at 5, followed at 6 by the B squad. Games are free and the public is invited.

In Crane last Thursday, the Rankin and Crane Juniors played to a 0-0 tie while in Rankin, the B team scrimmaged the Rankin A team then took the field to drop a 26-2 decision to the Crane B squad.

#### **OZONA LINE-UP**

| 10 | Leroy Cooper QB    | 122 |
|----|--------------------|-----|
| 11 | Ronnie Houston     | 115 |
| 20 | Pota Montgomory UD | 140 |

### nd Doctor Says "Better Not" --

# -Agers Split Question ncerning Going Steady

#### E SCARBOROUGH IFF REPORTER

of the week: Do you agers up to 16 should Why?

ad their say last week, the teen-agers have

ghn Winters: No, I've steady, but I believe more fun to have a

eeves: No, because it

oller: Yes, but I think ends on the people inmuch they like each

ller: No. I don't think much fun, and I think trouble.

arborough: Yes, the

main reason is because I am going steady and because I think you learn responsibilities that will help later on in life.

Janice Hale: No. I wouldn't like to. There are too many limitations

Ronnie Thorn: No. It's not any fun. I'd rather play the field. Jerry Lytle: Yes, provided you are in your last two years of school and provided marriage at that time is not what you have in mind.

Betty Gaines: Yes. I think it causes a boy and girl to become closer to each others family, and therefore they respect one another more. But even if this were not true, I think it depends on how mature the boy and girl are. Ricky Miller: No. I think when your'e young you ought to get

all the girls you can. You knowplay the field.

Norma Wise: No. How could you find the time-especially if you're taking Spanish.

Judy Woodruff: No. If you are dating one boy and want to date another (of course, not at the same time) then you don't have all the complications of having to break off with the first boy. Charles Whisman: Yes. It shows a girl you like and respect her an extra lot if you ask her to go steady.

Mary Jo Riddle: Yes-if you are ready to settle down and go with just one person.

Billy Stephens: No. Love them all.

Dr. B. J. Youngblood, prominent Midland neurologist and (Continued to Page 5)

## **Dukes To Stand Trial**

## In 83rd Dist. Court

E. J. "Preacher" Dukes was indicted by an 83rd District Court Grand Jury last Monday on the charge of assault with intent to rape.

The charge grew out of an affray on or about July 14 in Mc-Camey in which Dukes is said to have assaulted and attempted to rape a young housewife at the old race track off the Iraan Highway. Duke's bond had been set at \$3500 and was extended in that amount by Judge Pat Patterson. Do date has been fixed for the trial

Also in the 83rd District Court, October 19 has been set as the date for the hearing of the case, filed by a McCamey contractor against the Upton County Commissioners Court in which he has charged that the commissioners of the County have violated a restraindividuals.

| 21 | Jimmy Semmler B    | 13  |
|----|--------------------|-----|
| 22 | Philip Carnes      | 15  |
| 31 | Richard Vargas HB  | 14  |
| 33 | Jimmy Baggett      | 13  |
| 40 | C. Montgomery FB   | 18  |
| 41 | A. Shackelford FB  | 16  |
| 44 | Bert Moore HB      | 16  |
| 50 | Robert Cox C       | 18  |
| 35 | Tommy Everett      | 15  |
| 60 | Pete Garza G       | 13  |
| 61 | Joel Huff          | 13  |
| 62 | Frank Childress G  | 134 |
| 64 | Charlie Bingham G  | 14  |
| 70 | Darrell Rasberry T | 170 |
| 73 | Penn Baggett T     | 16  |
| 80 | Gary Studdard E    | 14  |
| 81 | Bobby Tabb E       | 14  |
| 82 | Hal Long E         | 16  |
| 84 | Scott Mahon F      | 10  |

### SCRAP IRON COLLECTION TO AID GIRL SCOUTS

Anyone having scrap iron they would like to get rid of are asked to donate it to the Girl Scouts. Iron may be left behind the scout ining order prohibiting them from hut or girl scout officials may be using county equipment for private called to make arrangements for picking up the iron.

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THE **SCOOP** by Scoop J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

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wish they had just forfited.

keep playing as hard as they did

Friday night, they're going to

make some of their opponents

About midway of the fourth

quarter, one Eldorado fan was

overheard to say, "If our boys can

manage to get out of this game

alive, we'd better just quit foot-

After that last play, that would

Some fans have come forth with

seem like a reasonable suggestion.

the idea that the officiating in

the contest could have cost Ran-

kin the game. Actually, one should

not be so bold as to imply

that the officiating was not up

to par for you must all admit that

those chaps did a band-up job-

on keeping count of the downs.

It's interesting to note that El-

dorado moved up to No. 7 in the State Class A ratings after their

win over Rankin. They-had been rated 8 and /or 9 most of the year.

And, as some guy used to sing way back in the 30's "That's all

in the past and we'll forget somehow. Ain't no need to worry for

This is another week and it

RANKIN finally wins one over

Ozona. This has been about seven

years in the making and this team

IRAAN is open and they need

WINK runs hog wild over the McCamey Badgers. The Badgers

are a scrappy bunch but Wink

just loves to tromple them when

FABENS, that gol-darn bunch

that keeps winning when they are

supposed to lose and losing when

they should win are going down

for the count this week to El Paso

is the one to turn the tide.

it's all over now."

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Cathedral.

looks like the following:

#### ILLEGAL FORMATION-

Get the tape measure, boys, it may just be that Rankin is not legally Rankin at all.

Over at Marshall, Texas, the District Attorney has filed a motion to kill the incorporating of a place called Uncertain, located near Caddo Lake and containing some 66 citizens. It's basically one of those wet-dry fights where a small place sets itself up as an incorporated city and goes about votings itself wet as was the recent case of Climax near Abilene.

The DA says that the incorporation of Uncertain is very uncertain since there is a state lawwouldn't you know it-that says a town of less than 2,000 population must not have more than two square miles of area.

Anybody ever measured Rankin? Whatever sort of nut was responsible for that law getting on the books must have never lived in West Texas. Heck, two square miles in this country is hadly room enough for a West Texan to park his cars on-much less contain 2,000 people.

#### A JOKE-

Guess you heard about the woman who thought she was Teddy Roosevelt and went running in and out of the stores yelling, "Charge!"

Yeah. Well then there's the one about this salesman . . .

#### FOOTBALL-

If you like football and did not go to Eldorado last Friday night, you can do yourself a favor by giving yourself a healthy kick in the pants. You missed a dandy.

Whether Rankin should have won or not depends on whether you're a Rankin or Eldorado fan but all will have to admit that that was about as rough a football game as has been played in these parts for a day or twoand not one penalty for unnecessary roughness or personal fouljust rugged playing.

Scoop's Score: 14 right, 5 wrong, 1 tied.

There it is. See you on the 50-yard line Friday night when Rankin runs up more scores than they have all year put together.

#### LAST TIME AROUND -

No more cracks about the sales tax after passing on this bit of recently discovered information to you.

It seems that back before the sales tax was written in Austin, the legislature sent out one of their men to make a tape recording of a speech given by a big government tax expert-from said speech were to come ideas for the Texas Sales Tax.

On his way to hear the noted expert, the representative-along with his tape recorder, stopped at an aution sale and on getting out of the car, he accidentally turned on the machine. His car was parked next to a pen full of mentally deranged donkeys which were on their way to the donkey nut house.

This fellow was gone for about an hour and . . . Aw, heck, why go on. By now you have figured out that our sales tax bill was inspired by a bunch of crazy jackasses.

George L. Jenkins is in the Midland Me pital for tests and

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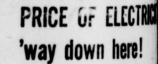
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SANDERSON wins again-this time over Bracketville.

VAN HORN plays Jal in the hardest one to pick in this week's Rankin may not win many of games but Van Horn should be their remaining games but if they ready to dump Jal. They win.

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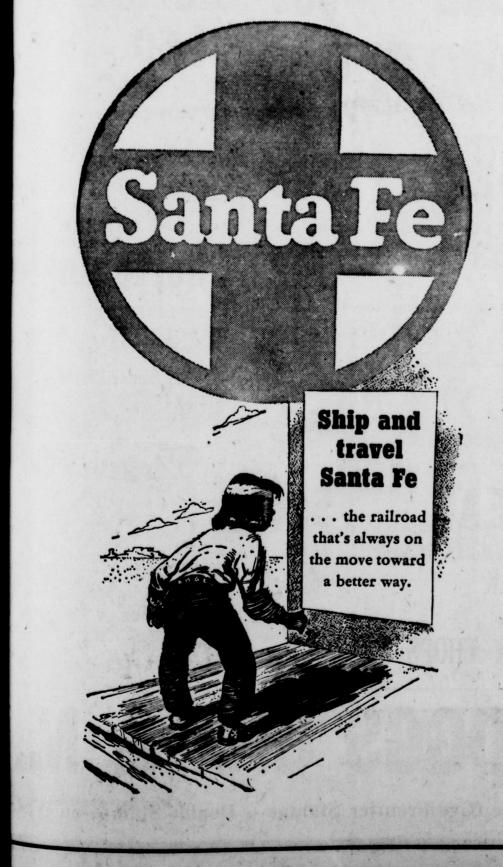
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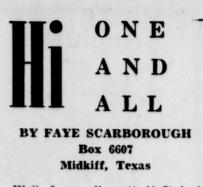
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Mrs. Jack Stoker, Midle Camp, have returned ar of East Texas where d friends and relatives. cially enjoyed their visit rater where they met hter and fimaly, Mr. and ter McCallum of Elmira, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Bowden had as their guests, Mr. Bowden's sister, Mrs. Francis Weaver of Las Vegas, Nevada.

The S. G. Tarbets of the Phillips Gasoline Camp had a housefull of company this week end. Visiting them were Mrs. Lola Tarbet, Earl Tarbet and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Winburn and children, all of Odessa.







Well, I am all excited! It looks like I might finally get a telephone. The installers were at our house last Friday morning and put in all the wiring and everything, except the actual prone. Seems that they ran out of phones because they had had to send so many down to the coast to replace those destroyed by Carla. Well, I just hope they get them in by the first of November. Mr. Beard, the manager of the phone company, said that the phones should be in service sometime during the first week of that month. I am sure hoping that a lot of you will call me then and fill me in on some of the happenings here.

Speaking of Carla and her damage, I was talking to Rance Cockrell in the Sinclair Benedum Camp, and he told me that during the hurricane his brother, Emmett, his family, and his brother's two daughters and their families came and stayed with them. They were from Port Aransas. He said when the three

families went home they found nothing. Their homes had been demolished and all their belongings destroyed. I don't think I have ever mentioned it, but Jerry Bob Taylor, chairman of the Hurricane Relief drive, was really very proud of the way that the Midkiff people gave—and said he was especially grateful since they were given such short notice and had so little time to give. Thanks again.

Sara Brenda Adams is at her home in the Texas Natural Camp. She's the little girl who fell off the merry-go-round at school and broke her leg. She was sitting on the couch and had several of her little friends in to play with her. Of course, the cast on her leg made her the "Queen". She will not be able to go back to school for a couple of weeks, but in the meantime, she is being a real sweet little girl and anxious to get back to "learning".

How many of you know Mrs. Carl Miller in the Phillips Warren Production Camp? Well, she has gone to Pauls Valley, Okla. where she is to undergo major surgery either Wednesday or Thursday, Carl is with her, and his mother is staying here keeping Ricky in school. I think it would be nice if we gave her a "sunshine shower." You know, each of us send a get well card to her at the Pauls Valley Hosptal.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Schriver visited in our camp Sautrday. They have moved to East Texas but had come back to pick up a few belongings and visit friends. They said James and Maurice were doing just fine and sure did like school there.

How many of you have met Evelyn Warriner in the Plymouth Camp at Benedum? If you don't know her, you should make it a point to meet her. She is one of the best friends I ever had and one of the nicest people you could ever hope to know. I first met her six years ago when we moved to Texon. She is originally from a little town outside of London, England. I still laugh when I think of some of the funny stories she has told me of some of her first experiences in the United States. Remember, the "Bubbles and Squeaks"? Anyway, Evelyn recently underwent major surgery in the Big Lake Hospital. She is up and around again-and are we glad! Put the coffe pot on, Evelyn, we're all coming to have a cup with you.

Guess this is all for this week, but would like to have you remember this, "Please don't feel hard at people who don't agree with you. After all, they're entitled to their ridiculous opinions." Bye now—See you next week? FAYE

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Morrison and their children, Guy and Carol, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitley of the Midkiff El Paso Camp. By the time you read this, congratulations should be in order for Mr. and Mrs. Whitely. They should be grandparents for the third time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, Midkiff Humble Camp, motored to Andrews for a shopping spree on Saturday. Boy, what a spree. They came home with a beautiful new Buick. You know, sometimes it doesn't even pay to get up.

Gary Chesnut left Monday for San Diego where he will be in Boot Camp in the U. S. Navy.



## HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Morris McKenzie of Rankin was admitted September 19 and dismissed September 24.

"Hilton Luckie, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Luckie of Midkiff was admitted September 19 and dismissed Sept. 25. Mr. Rex Price of Rankin was

admitted September 21. Mrs. J. D. Taylor of McCamey

was admitted September 23.

Mrs. Vernon Luckie of Midkiff was admitted September 23 and dismissed September 25.

Mrs. B. B. Brown of Rankin was admitted September 24 and dismissed September 26.

Mrs. Earl Stanley of Rankin was admitted September 24.

Rickie Lee McAlister, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Mc-Alister of Rankin, was admitted September 26.

Melissa Whatley, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whatley of Rankin, was admitted September 26.

Mrs. L. V. Braden of Midland Star Rt. was admitted September 26



Mr. and Mrs. Morris McKenzie of Rankin are the parents of a son born September 19 at 4:38 p.m. weighing 9 lbs., 5 ozs. and named Tony Lyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Strange of Kerrville are the parents of a daughter born Monday, September 18 weighing 7 lbs., 6 ozs. and named Mary Elizabeth. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tyson Midkiff of Rankin.

Mrs. R. L. Bell and Mrs. Jack Smith attended the fall board meeting and workshop for the of Women's Clubs in Ft. Stock-Western District, Tex. Federation ton, Tuesday, September 26 in First Christian Church with the three Ft. Stockton Study Clubs as hostesses

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#### CONSIDER THIS\_

The Lord's Prayer has 56 words. Lincoln's Gettysburg Address has 266. The Ten Commandments have 297. The Declaration of Independence has 300. But a recent government order setting the price of cabbage had 26,911 words.

### SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2-

Celery Sticks, Jelly, Sausage, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas Rolls, Canned Fruit

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3-Italian Speghetti, Pinto Beans

Boiled Cabbage, Onions, Corn Bread, Pineapple Nut Cake WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4-

Vegetable Salad, Baked Ham Buttered Corn, Harvard Beets Rolls, Cherry Cobbler

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5-Tuna and Pimento Cheese Sandwiches, Vegetable Soup and Crackers, Peanut Butter

Cookies FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6-Cabbage and Carrot Salad, Fried Chicken and Gravy, Asparagus Tips, Whole Potatoes, Rolls Fresh Fruit

Butter and Milk served with each meal.

## Methodist Youths Pick Officers

The Intermediate Methodist Youth Fellowship elected officers for the new year last Sunday night at the Church.

Edith Warren will be the president; Linda James, vice-president; Sharon Woodfin, secretary-treasurer: Judy McAden, social chairman; and Jay Colquitt, parliamentarian. Mrs. Ross Wheeler is sponsor for the group. Eleven were present.

Mrs. Jack Smith visited over the week-end in Sterling City with her brother, Roy Morgan, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ward and Mrs. Mary Pierce left Tuesday children of Big Spring spent the for El Paso where she will visit week end in Rankin with her with her relatives. Mr. and Mrs. parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Manry. Richard Klutz.







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### Installs New

### ers For Year

r" was Mrs. M. J. Edeme as she installed the of the WMU of the 1st Church Monday morning in Rankin.

meeting was opened with by Mrs. Sam Holmes. A. Sharp, president, pre-

rs installed included Mrs. Bearden, president; Mrs. 1st vice-president; Mrs. Sharp, 2nd vice-president; ack Smith, secretary-treashairmen are Mrs. Edwards, study; Mrs. H. Wheeler, Mrs. Zack Monroe, commissions; Mrs. D. Humpstewardship.

# **SW Bell Manager Tells About Midkiff's Rates**

#### BY FAYE SCARBOROUGH MIDKIFF REPORTER

On Wednesday, Sept. 20, I was honored to have Mr. G. K. Beard, manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Midland, as a guest in my home. Mr. Beard was nice enough to answer some preplexing questions that have confronted us in regards to Midkiff Telephone Service.

Of course, the first thing asked was where the exchange would be located? This one was easyit is approximately one block west of the Oil Field Cafe in downtown Midkiff.

Second: When will the telephones be installed and when will we get service? Answer: They are already being installed, and just as soon as the men can work around to you, yours will also be installed. Service should be in force around November 1.

Third: What is it going to cost to have telephone service in my home?

Answer: It all depends on how many phones you want, and if you want black or colored, and also if you want plain or princess styles. Also, how far you are from the exchange building.

The following examples are based on the "within 5 miles limit".

A. 1 black phone: \$375 a month, plus tax. \$4.50 for service connection. \$8.25 plus 10% tax is total cost.

B. If you want a colored telephone you must pay ten dollars extra for installation charge. For example, you want just one phone, but want it colored. You would have to pay: \$3.75 a month plus 10% (basic rate) \$4.50 for service connection. \$10. for color installation. A total of \$18.25 -plus 10% tax.

C. Say, you want one phone in the kitchen and one in the bedroom: (black phones). \$3.75 plus 10% tax for first phone. \$1 plus 10% tax for second phone or a total of \$4.75 plus 10% for basic bill. \$4.50 installation charge for first phone; \$2.50 installation for second phone. Total bill would be \$11.50 plus 10% for first month total bill.

Color Phones: Add \$10 each for colored telephones. This would be \$31.50 for entire bill. It will be noted that on the \$10.00 color installation charge, you can take 5 months to pay this-also-if you ever pay the one-time installation charge of a color or a princess telephone, you can move to any place in the U.S. that is served by Bell Telephone System and have your choice of color or Princess without ever paying the \$10 installation charge again-that is with the exception of the state of Florida and provided service is re-established within 60 days of the date of disconnection. Princess telephones are .75 a month higher on the basic rate.

I think I speak for all of Midkiff when I say we certainly appreciate everything Mr. Beard has done to help us obtain the service-also all the linemen and installers have been especially nice and our heartfelt thanks to all of vou.

Nice to know that "Woody" Gains of the El Paso Midkiff Camp is home after spending almost a week in the Malone-Hogan Clinic in Big Spring. He was suffering from a back injury.

# REVIVA • FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rankin, Texas

Braden, newly elected pre gave her acceptance speech utlined the work for the

R. L. Shannon gave the ory prayer.

Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Bob are very proud to have as uests, his parents, Mr. and obert E. Taylor of Brown-

omed visitors to the LeRoy home were Mr. and Mrs. mmond and Mr. Lee E. of Ringling, Oklahoma.

ome to Billy Marsh, the usic and education director Midkiff Baptist Church. from Brady and is a in Hardin-Simmons.

Herbure Hurn and Miss Reed were visitors in Sunday afternoon and missed the flood that fell that night.

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# Services 10 am - 7:30 pm **Rev. W. L. Kite, Evangelist** VERYONE Invited to Attend

## Lodge-Church Notes From Midkiff

The First Baptist Church of Midkiff has entered the 1962 Texas Baptist Church Achievement Program, pastor Jerry Bob Taylor said this week.

Sponsored by the Baptist Genprogram is designed to stimulate of the churches recorded twice as

interest in small-church work by providing growth incentives. Outstanding achievements by pastors and churches in areas of church, community and world improvement are recognized locally and at the annual Texas Baptist con-

More than 660 Texas Baptist town and country churches entereral Convention of Texas, the ed the program last year. Some

many baptisms per member as the SBC average. Others recorded outstanding increases in Sunday school attendance and gifts to missions.

Goals for advancement are adopted by each participating organization for tht three improvement areas. An inventory questionnaire furnishes suggestions for

Pastors recognized in each of

the denomination's 17 geographical districts receive parchment scrolls and the churches receive achievement certificates which may be displayed in a prominent position.

Churches in open country and in towns of up to 2,500 population, all Latin American churches and missions, and city churches with less than 300 members, are eligible to enter the program. About

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FRIDAY A New World of Worth from Chevrolet for '62!

#### '62 Impala Sport Coupe-with a roof line that looks like a convertible's

# '62 CHEVROLET Rich new styling with Jet-smooth ride!

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of the First Grade were to the Katherine Secrest Tuesday evening, Septin the school cafeteria. ankle Bloxom, president, a short business meetgroup voted not to have tion following the Hallmival this year.

ogram was then turned Mrs. Ross Wheeler who he theme for the year: Create Community Thru Teamwork." Mrs. read "Receipt for P-TA" up. Mr. Kenneth Welsch i the new teachers to p first then recognized

#### MODKIFF CHURCH NOTES-(Continued from Page 6)

1032 of Midkiff will have a called meeting Monday, October 2 for the purpose of initation. Meeting will be held in Sprayberry Lodge. Worthy Matron Mandy Lee Harry. Worthy Patron Leonard R. Tillford.

#### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Midkiff, Texas Virgil Eicher, Ir.—Pastor

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| Church   | School    | 9:45      | a.m. |
| Morning  | Worship   | 11:00     | a.m. |
| M. Y. F. |           | 5.30      | p.m. |

the ones who have been in the system previously.

A get-acquainted game was played and cake and coffee were served to 96 parents and teachers. A very good program is scheduled for the coming year. Parents are urged to attend. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

The First Quarterly Conference for this church will be held Sunday, October 1. The Rev. Lawrence K. Brown, District Supt. for the San Angelo Dist., will preside. There will be a covered dish dinner following the morning service.

The pastor would like to extend an invitation to all who read these lines to share in the evening worship this Sunday night. The message for the evening will be "The Four Horsemen of Apoealypse."

Here is a message from the Word of God that goes straight to the heart of the church of today. For those who have the courage to face the truth there awaits a living Christ to bless and set you free. We invite you to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beck and family have moved from Midkiff to Crondurous, Texas.

## Rankin Study Club Opens Year With President's Tea

The Rankin Study Club opened its fall season with the President's Coffee at the Highland Cafe on Saturday morning, September 23 at 10 a.m. Mrs. Sam Holmes gave the devotional.

Mrs. R. L. Bell, president, greeted the club members and gave her objectives for the year's work.

Mrs. W. O. Adams, program chairman, outlined the program for the year which will revolve around the theme "Advance Thru Education." The club projects will be: Scholarship for a high school senior; Rankin Library; and Civic Welfare.

Mrs. Herbert Hurn reviewed the Constitution and By-Laws. Mrs. Floyd Fields, membership chairman, presented the new members: Mrs. Horace West and Mrs. E. M. Stanley. Mrs. Boyd White was given membership into the club. Letters of resignation were read from Mrs. Walton Harral and Mrs. J. M. Tippett.

A letter was read from Don Stacy expressing his appreciation for the scholarship award made by the club to him last year.

Club colors of red and white were used in appointments for the



table. It was covered with a white linen cloth and centered with red roses, the club's flower.

Twenty-one members attended. Hostesses were Mesdames Bell and Adams.

Other officers for the year include Mrs. Adams as 1st vicepresident; Mrs. Floyd Fields, 2nd Vice-president; Mrs. Elizabeth Rains, 3rd Vice-president; Mrs. J. L. Manry, Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. Tyson Midkiff, corresponding secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Herbert Hurn, parliamentarian; Mrs. M. J. Edwards, critic; Mrs. Sam Holmes, reporter; Mrs. Jack Smith, historian; and Mrs. Dunn Lowery, Federation counselor.

Committees are to be composed of Mesdames:, Program, Adams, Manry and Lowery; Membership, Fields, Holmes and Miss Myrtle Reed; Hospatility, Clint Shaw, Hamp Carter, Eddie Yocham and E. C. Higday; Budget, Midkiff, Ross Wheeler and Manry; Finance C. G. Taylor, Rains, Jack Smith and Brue McGill; Library, Kenneth Welsch, Hurn and Victor Valadez; Courtesy, Shurley Little, S. B. Ramsey and Edwards; Music Ralph Daugherty and West; Telephone, Zack Monroe, Stanley and Maggie Taylor.

Departmental chairmen are to be Mesdames Wheeler, conservation; Edwards, public affairs; Little, education; Smith, home life; Midkiff, international affairs; Hurn. Texas heritage; and Higday, fine arts.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Forsyth have as their guest, their daughter, Mrs. Don Castleberry of Odessa. Mrs. Castleberry has planned about a three-weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wheeler attended the Judges and Commissioners Convention in San Antonio this week

Mrs. Jesse Griffin of San Bereredino, Calif., is visiting with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ramsey.

Mrs Omar Warren is in San

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Betty Howell of Midkiff left on Wednesday for Port Arthur where she expects to spend a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. Billie Buck.

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