

# The Rankin News

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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1961

## SENIORS WILL STAGE WASH BIT SAT.

Class of Rankin Hi their sleeves, put on and go into the car waxing business this for the purpose of for the class treas- will be \$2 for a bang- job and \$8 for their and wax job—\$4.50 the going price and

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of the Senior Class ed that they would everyone's patronage in especially if they pay is the object of all work that will go into

## Asks Question Tests Wes-Tex Oldtimers

SCARBOROUGH  
DIFF REPORTER

of the week: How long lived in West Texas? you live before you here?

Taylor, First Baptist ayed in this part of as from 1954 till 1957 d to Brownwood. Mov- 1960.

her, First Methodist 2 years. Moved here n, Pa.

nek, Permian Camp— am from Ellsworth,

nes, Phillips Gas camp, was born near Child- ve lived in West Tex- life.

Whisman, Midkiff. 16 e from Arkansas City,

Phillips, Phillips Gas plant, Came from Clayton,

McCann—Lived 8 years - moved here from O- nally, I am from Buf- York.

Scarborough, Phillips Gas years. Came from Lees- ana.

Waldson, Phillips Camp. Moved from Kokomo,

lor, Permian Pipe-line— Came from Cheyenne,

mens—Have been work-

## Girl Scouts Seek Old Scrap Metals

Sam Fitzhugh, the community chairman for the Rankin Girl Scouts, said this week that they are now prepared to make good use of any old scrap iron anyone would care to donate to them.

Fitzhugh pointed out that any old scrap iron around windmills, barns, garages, etc. could be gathered and sold by the Girl Scouts with the money going into their program locally.

Iron may be left in the alley back of the Girl Scout hut. Barrels have been provided for this purpose. Anyone having more scrap than they can carry to the Hut should contact Fitzhugh and arrangements will be made for picking it up.

ing for Phillips 15 years this month. Came from Smackover, Arkansas.

Daniels—Texas Natural, Midkiff, 8 years. I am from Ardmore, Ok.

Norman Wise—Wise Trailer Rentals—Nine years. Came from Liberal, Kansas.

Bob Calcote—Oil Field Cafe—All my life. I was born and reared in Schleicher County close to San Angelo. I have lived in Midkiff area since 1934. All my children started and finished school in Rankin Schools. For the first two years they went to school, my wife drove them 70 miles a day to get them to and from school. There were no cattle guards then, and she had to open and shut 20 gates. All the roads were dirt then.

## Methodist Youth Attend District Meet

The Methodist Youth Fellowship group attended the district meeting Saturday afternoon in Big Lake.

Those attending were Linda McDonald, Sharon Wheeler, Jim Ivy, Ronnie Sheffield, Debra Odom, Carolyn Hill and Melody Jarvis. Mrs. Ivy, one of the groups sponsors, accompanied the group along with Mrs. J. E. Odom.

Representatives were on hand from Rankin, Ozona, Sonora, Big Lake and Llano.

The next meeting will be in Ozona on October 21.

## Rankin Will Host Sonora In Last Nonconference Tilt

There was joy in Mudville last Friday night following the Rankin Red Devils 34-16 romp over the Ozona Lions, the first time a Rankin team had ever won over on Ozona eleven.

Rankin was master of the first quarter with a smoothe clicking drive for their first 8 points and

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. Rex Price of Rankin was admitted September 21 and dismissed September 28.

Mrs. J. D. Taylor of McCamey was admitted September 23 and dismissed September 28.

Mrs. Earl Stanley of Rankin was admitted September 21 and dismissed September 29.

Melissa Whatley, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whatley of Rankin, was admitted September 24 and dismissed on September 28.

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

Mrs. A. C. Garner of Rankin was admitted September 27.

Mr. Walter J. Campbell of McCamey was admitted September 28 and dismissed October 2.

Mrs. W. E. Berry of McCamey was admitted September 29.

Mrs. Marvin Avery of Midkiff was admitted October 1.

Mrs. Noel Bowen of Rankin was admitted September 30 and dismissed October 2.

Beth Ann McCain, four-year-old daughter of Mrs. Barcy Kain of Rankin, was admitted October 3.

## SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9—  
Onions, Meat Loaf, Boiled Cabbage  
Pinto Beans, Corn Bread, Apple  
Cobbler

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10—  
Celery Sticks, Stewed Weiners  
Mashed Potatoes, Harvard Beets  
Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Cho-  
colate Pudding

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11—  
Fruit Salad, Turkey and Dressing  
Giblet Gravy, English Peas  
Creamed Corn, Ice-Box Cook-  
ies

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12—  
Cabbage and Pineapple Salad  
Hamburger Steak, Gravy, French  
Fries, Buttered Carrots, Hot  
Rolls, Plain Cupcakes

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13—  
Chicken Salad and Pimento  
Cheese Sandwiches, Vegetable  
Soup and Crackers, Oranges  
Half-pint of milk and fresh but-  
ter served with each meal.

the feeling of being ahead for the first time in the ball game for quite a spell. Ozona, however, was not a team to give up that early in the game and came back to have their day in the second quarter and left the field at half time with the game all even at 8-8 and considerable doubts among fans as to which team was to emerge the winner.

This doubt, however, did not last long once the second half got underway and the Red Devils proved once again that they are a 60-minute ball club as they proceeded to run their opponents off their feet with a fine passing and running game. Coach Don Leach cleaned his bench in the fourth quarter as the fans and team en-

## Myrle Brown Has Bureau Reopened

Myrle Brown has announced the re-opening of the Rankin Credit Bureau this week. Mrs. Brown says that she now has the necessary records and files on hand and is ready to give credit reports.

The Bureau is to be located in the former location of the Cottage Beauty Shop on 9th Street just off Elizabeth. The telephone will be MY 3-2760.

Mrs. Brown has issued an invitation to the public to visit the Bureau in their new quarters.

Mrs. Brown is well versed in the operating of a Credit Bureau, having attended many study courses and holds certificates from all the required agencies. She operated the Bureau for several years prior to its closing for a several months period recently.

## Rankin Lodge Hosts Texas President

Rankin Rebekah Lodge met on Sept. 25 for a special meeting at which time Elfrieda Schrieber, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas, made her official visit. This was a joint meeting of the Rankin, Crane, McCamey and Big Lake Rebekah Lodges.

The welcome address was made by Mrs. Dora Woodfin and the response by Era Kenaster of McCamey.

Catherine Hydrex from Schuyler-Colfix No. 53, Galveston, accompanied the president on her visit. Also attending was Deputy Maxine Fegnolio and 17 members from McCamey, 14 from Crane and 4 from Big Lake.

Refreshments were served to the group by all four lodges.

joyed the end of a long dry spell, scoring wise.

This week, the Red Devils will host the Sonora Bronchs. Game time will be 8 o'clock.

Sonora is reported to be a contender in their district although not rated as high in State standings as are the Eldorado Eagles, the team that "managed" to win over the Rankin crew week-before last. The Bronchs have a fine backfield and enjoy a record of having never been beaten by the Red Devils.

This, however, is another year and another team and the game is expected to be rated about a toss up in some quarters. Locally, most fans feel that the Red Devils have now took a liking to winning and will be going all out to stay on a while in that department.

One question mark has arisen in the local camp this week and that is sickness. Several players missed practice earlier in the week and are still on the doubtful list.

It will be recalled that three years ago, the "flu" bug all but dashed the hopes of a good Rankin team for a perfect season when it sidelined almost half the team at one time or another during the early part of the year.

## B AND JUNIOR HIGH

Undefeated until last week, the Rankin Junior High fell before the passing game of the Iraan B team by a 12-6 mark in a game played here on Thursday afternoon. The Juniors could never seem to get their offense clicking for the contest and were "upset" by the young Braves. This week, they have an open date before going to Iraan on October 12 for another crack at the Iraan Juniors and a chance to even the series.

Following the Junior Game, the Rankin "B" squad took the field and racked up a 26-0 win over the Iraan "B" team, givini them a 2-1 won last record for the year.

On Thursday, they go to McCamey for a game at 6 p.m.

## FRIDAY DANCE AT GOLF CLUB

A public dance will be held at The Rankin Golf Club following the Rankin-Sonora football game Friday night. Dancing will be to a juke box and record player and will continue until 1 a.m.

Admission will be \$1 per couple with the public and visitors invited to attend.



# THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

## SO HE SAID—

Charlie Hale and Box McDonald, two of Rankin's "biggest" fishermen, were discussing a recent fishing trip Hale had made. Box asked if they caught anything.

"Naw," Charlie said. "Well, I did catch one small one too, but he wasn't big enough to keep so I had Mike and a couple of the boys help me throw him back in in the river."

The talk then turned to football.

## KOKES—

It's not unusual to hear the term "Free Riders" used nowadays in describing those who want something for nothing. It is usually used with reference to those who favor a little socialism in their business, especially from the rich old uncle.

But all "Free Riders" are not people looking for handouts from the government, although we have a fast-growing group of these. A few big companies—supposedly all opposed to such tactics—are not above trying to get free publicity from newspapers and magazines whenever and however they can. Coca-Cola Bottling Company is one of the big dogs in this department. All club reporters and others who write news items telling of the serving of refreshments and using the word "Cokes" — as: Cokes were served as refreshment—may not know it but they are breaking the law when they fail to capitalize the word "Coke". It seems that the Coke people have gotten themselves a registered trade mark in that word and it just must be spelled with a cap "C" even though half the time the refreshments included Dr. Peppers, Seven-Ups, ect. or maybe even something just a little stronger.

Well, Mr. Coke and Co. has made their last free publicity from The Rankin News. From hereon, the word will be "kokes"—note the small "k"—and let's see what they can do about that.

And while your adding up the

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list of "Free Riders" you might as well add several groups of professional people who do not believe in advertising—advertising for which they have to pay, that is. It is perfectly all right when mentioning their names in news items to add a couple of abbreviations after the name such as Pd. M., Doctor of Pedagogy; L. D. S., Licentiate in Dental Surgery, etc.

Well, not anymore. From here it will be just plain Joe Dokes like the rest of us common bums.

## FOOTBALL—

Last week was (ahem) a 100 per cent hit for this column and I doubt that anyone was too surprised—although highly pleased—with the Red Devil win over Ozona. It just had to come someday and the time was right. This bunch of boys have a fine opportunity to add a lot of firsts to the record books. Already the first Rankin team to ever win over Ozona, they will have the same opportunity Friday night with Sonora. They have the hosses and it would be a mighty feather in their cap to pull it off.

**RANKIN** wins over Sonora. The Red Devil defense is still a bit weak but is gradually getting around to being as tough as their offense. It looks from here like they're off and scoring again.

**WINK** will take the measure of Fort Stockton. They play in Wink.

**FABENS** plays Clint and it looks like they ought to win. This is the hardest one to pick.

**VAN HORN** is open as they get ready for conference play.

**IRAAN** goes to Big Lake and has another long road home as they drop the contest.

**SANDERSON** wins over Ozona. They will try to outdo what Rankin did to the Lions last week but Ozona frowns on letting Eldorado beat them by any score.

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boys, Glenn Welling,  
nson, Joe Hamilton,  
Brothers, The Aguilars,  
es, The McCains, The  
yne Windham, Jimmy  
to name a few, but  
do not believe that  
een a group as a whole  
be much better than

the present bunch of lads. They are a team that takes their training seriously and one that will put up a fight right down to the end—at least—they have so far. They are not fancy and they have no individual stars but they play well together and somewhere, it has been said that there is no substitute for teamwork. Whether or not they win another game, it must be admitted that they have given a fine account of themselves in these first four.

Cheers for the Red Devils.

**REMEMBER—**

Do unto others and then cut out.

—Snakespear

**Mrs. Colquitt Hosts Omicron Tau Meet**

The Omicron Tau Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Colquitt Tuesday, September 26.

Peggy Priddy was chosen as the Valentine Sweetheart of the year.

A program was given by Myrtle Brown entitled, "Self Analysis".

Coffee, kokes and donuts were served to the sixteen members present.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman of Barnhart visited last week with their daughter, Mrs. Alma Parham, and family.

The Fidellis Matron's Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday night at the church to elect Mrs. Zack Monroe, president; Mrs. C. G. Taylor and Mrs. J. L. Manry, vice-presidents; and Mrs. H. Wheeler, sect.-treas. for the coming year while Mrs. M. J. Edwards will remain as teacher.

Mrs. Ricky Mantooth and children are visiting in Amarillo with her parents.

**BEAUTY LECTURER WILL BE IN MIDLAND SUNDAY**

Mr. Herbert Armstrong, president of R. C. Products, Inc., St. Petersburg, Florida, and an educational and show director who is considered one of America's outstanding lecturers on all the phases of cosmetology, will be on hand Sunday, October 8 from 8 to 5 p.m. at Childers School of Hairdressing and Cosmetology at 900 Midkiff in Midland to give advice and consultations of cosmetology. Appointments may be made by calling OX 4-6616 in Midland.

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Mr. Perry Cavender of Ozona was a Rankin visitor Tuesday.

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### Two Sorority Girls Voted Sweethearts

The Xi Epsilon Chi voted Edith James Valentine Girl for the current year.

Her picture will be sent to the International Office for display in "The Torch", the sorority magazine, and she will also represent the chapter in the area contests.

Peggy Priddy was voted similar honors for the Omicron Tau Chapter of Rankin.

### Mrs. O. R. Adams Is Beta Host Sept. 26

The Xi Epsilon Chi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday nite, September 26 in the home of Mrs. O. R. Adams.

Sylvia Merriman, president, presided during the business meeting. Mrs. Dub Day presented the program, "Know Thy Self" which was said to be very informative and was enjoyed by all present.

After the program, coffee and kokes and cookies were served by the hostess, Mrs. Adams.

### Rebekah Lodge News

The Rankin Rebekah Lodge No. 8 met Sept. 21 for regular meeting with Elsie Turner, Noble Grand presiding. Nine members were present, ten visits made and seven cards sent to the sick.

A letter was ready from Jessie Blakely, secretary of Odd Fellows and Rebekah Association of District 2, inviting the Rankin Lodge to be present at the Association at Big Spring on October 14.

Mrs. H. Wheeler and Mrs. Ross Wheeler visited over the week-end with Norma Jean Norris at Carlsbad and also visited in Cloudercroft and made the annual Aspencade Tour through the Sacramento Mountains in Lincoln National Park.

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BY FAYE SCARBOROUGH  
Box 6607  
Midkiff, Texas

Congratulate me! I am not only the Midkiff Star Reporter, but consider myself the Midkiff Star Detective. I've solved a mystery that has had me worried for nearly two years. The mystery is this: the store closes at night, but yet, about twice a week you can see the lights on, and four men huddled around a table of some sort. Well, after some considerable snooping, I've finally found out what is going on. These four men are playing dominoes and from what I hear, they play for blood and keep a score-card and can tell you exactly how many games has been won or lost for several months back. The men playing are Dee Mills, Jack Smith, Mr. Blex and P. A. Whisman. Mills and Smith are partners against Blex and Whisman. I get it pretty straight from the horses mouth that, according to the score card, Mills and Smith are lagging pretty far behind. Cheer up, boys, somebody's got to lose—and you know we all can't be winners. Think! Boys! Think!

Well, Mike Donaldson is sporting a new bike these days. Mom and Dad bought it for him as a gift on his tenth birthday that he celebrated last Thursday. Congratulations.

It was good to see Opal McCann again. She came in to attend the installation that the O. E. S. had at the Sprayberry Lodge in Midkiff. Opal is gone a lot more than she's home these days. Her husband is working on an E-Z line that Phillips is building, and she spends the biggest part of her time in Austin.

Have you heard the good news about Mrs. "Boots" Braden? You know she is in the Rankin Hospital and has been seriously ill. We hear now that she is sitting up and able to have visitors. Why don't we let her be our receiver of the "Sunshine Shower" this week. I'm sure she'd love to have a get-well card from all of us.

Carl Miller is home from Paul's Valley, Okla. He says Mrs. Miller underwent surgery Thursday and was doing just wonderful when he left there Saturday. Carl had a nice surprise when he got home. Carolyn had come home from college over the week-end to be with all of them.

This is an appeal to the manager of the theatre there in Rankin. Won't you PLEASE put an ad in the paper every week telling us what is showing? Honestly, there's lots of us who would come in to the show if we just knew what was on. And, gosh, that fifty cents admission price sure sounds good. (Editor's Note: Second the motion)

Now, Mr. Manager, don't tell us to get a show calender because I assure you that's a lot easier said than done.

Mike Donaldson and Greg Harvey were out on Monday night doing their bit for the Cub Scouts. They were selling light bulbs, and I sure hope that if you haven't

bought your sack of bulbs from a Cub yet that you will do so in the near future. You can rest assured that you will be helping a good cause.

Arén't you all proud of our pretty cheer leaders? I think they get better every game. Also, let's point with pride that four of the girls are from Midkiff. In case you can't remember who those four girls are—they are Joy Braden, Mary Lynn Johnson, Sue Eaton, Mary Jo Riddle, from Midkiff, and Judy James of Rankin.

Later on I'll have some nice things to say about the wonderful Rankin Band but first—I'm going to learn to find, or at least pick me out a band member, and so help me, I'm going to keep up with him all during that one drill if it kills me. If you think it's easy, during the next game at the half-time activities, you try to keep up with one of them, then you'll know what I mean.

Gotta go—but first let me tell you this—If you keep your mind open, people will throw a lot of rubbish in it.

Bye now—See you next week?  
FAYE

## Lodge-Church Notes From Midkiff

Midkiff Clara Mills Chapter No. 1032 OES will hold Friendship Night at the Sprayberry Lodge Hall in Midkiff on Monday, October 9. All Eastern Star members are invited to attend.

Mandy Lee Harvy, Worthy Matron; and Leonard R. Tullford, Worthy Patron.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Midkiff, Texas

Jerry Bob Taylor, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Worship	11 a.m.
Training Union	6:30 p.m.
Worship	7:30 p.m.
Teachers-Officers	6:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting	7:30 p.m.

INVITATION TO ALL MEN TO ATTEND BREAKFAST, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8—

This is an invitation to all men to attend a breakfast, Sunday, October 8 at 7 o'clock.

If you plan to attend, contact the church not later than Saturday, Oct. 7. This is to encourage men's fellowship and prayer meet-

ing for the beginning of the revival.

This week has been a week of inspiration as Christians have gathered together each night in

a Layman-led study of how to be a better soul winner. Those who have attended expressed a desire that they need to be

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## THERE!

Ma got stopped at this writing act while we were in the hospital and had to do a bit of catching up on the news, and then we just did our best to manage to get back to work.

However with fall work and things popping, we try to keep you up to date as long as we can with our compositions!

## PROUD—

Ma Proffitt of Big Lake won the J. T. Rutherford award this year. This is the highest award offered in the district based on a record of all good club work. This is the first time the trophy has been won by a fourteen-year-old girl. It indicates real achievement on her part since she was elected against girls of eight to eight years of club work. Congressman Rutherford presented the award in person on his trip to the district.

Ma Darling, at thirteen, took second place in this contest.

First trophy offered by the county for girls was won by Ma out of the first four

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by Upton County girls and thus became the permanent property of the county.

Diane and Shannon also placed in the blue ribbon class this summer in the district dress revue and were joined by Marsha Proffitt of Big Lake and Cheryl Little of Rankin in placing in the blue ribbon class at the favorite food show.

## WITH H. D. CLUBS—

This is craft month with Home Demonstration Clubs. The Reagan farm and ranch group are learning to make smocked pillows and lamp shades and looking over various other crafts for later use. Big Lake Club has an all day workshop Friday working with a variety of crafts. The McCamey women went on a nature hike last week, collecting various woods, cacti and supplies for fried arrangements. The Rankin women have an opportunity to meet on Thursday, October 12 for any crafts they may want to work on and making plans for future work. All are invited.

## THE WEEK AHEAD—

Monday, Oct. 9—Rankin 4-H club at the Park building

## TIPS GIVEN ON TREE PRUNING

BY W. M. DAY, JR.  
County Agent, Upton County

What kind of results did you obtain the last time you pruned your shrubs? Did they come out as beautiful as you planned or did they look pretty botched up? Or perhaps your favorite tree died the year after you pruned it. These are common problems of the untrained do-it-yourself pruner.

Pruning plants is an art which can be acquired through learning certain basic principles and the exceptions to them, and through experience and close observation. The purpose of pruning is to remove unwanted growth, and the cardinal rule to follow is that if you have no good reason to prune, put the tools away.

Pruning tools should be of high quality, sharp and well adapted to the job at hand. These tools are made in several sizes so the purchaser should decide which size is best suited to his needs.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service has released a bulletin which contains a wealth of information for the home pruner. This publication, E-977, "Modern Pruning Methods" gives a complete discussion on the reasons for pruning, pruning tools, pruning methods, safety rules, and contains a list of suggested reading material plus special sections on pruning shrubs and small trees, hedges, evergreens and roses.

Copies of this bulletin may be obtained from the local county agent's office.

Tuesday, October 10—Agents meeting in Monahan's

Wednesday, October 11—McCamey 4-H club at Park building; H. D. Club also meets

Thursday, October 12—Rankin women at agent's office

Friday, October 13—Program Building Committees, Big Lake

Saturday, October 14—Delta Kappa Gamma, Marfa.

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child of God in reaching out for lost souls.

This study is in preparation for the Layman-led Revival beginning this Sunday, October 8, which is Layman's Day, and continuing thru October 15.

Our thanks go to the Christian Witness Committee for such a fine job of preparation in this revival. This committee is made up of George Magnor, chairman; G. A. Scott, M. F. Phillips and Don Adkins.

## FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Midkiff, Texas

Virgil Eicker, Jr.—Pastor  
Church School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
M. Y. F. .... 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.

The Ladies Sunday School Class party met at the church Wednesday evening at 5:45. The group then left for Midland where they had dinner and an evening of fellowship.

The Womans Society of Christian Service met Tuesday morning at 9:30 a.m. at the church for their monthly meeting.

Mrs. Robert Norwood, Mrs. Leland Weeks and Mrs. Dorothy Eicker were elected to serve as District Delegates to the District Conference, during the Quarterly Conference, Sunday.

Sandy Reeves was the week-end guest of Miss Elna Wise of the Permian Pipe Line Camp, Midkiff.

Congratulations to the Weavers of Midkiff. They have a beautiful new baby.

The Rev. Virgil Eicker of the First Methodist Church will give the invocation at Friday's game.

Joe Carr and Ed Standerfer of Stanton attended the initiation rites of the Clara Mills Chapter OES 1002 in Midkiff on Monday night.

## JOHN A. MENEFFEE ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Rankin, Texas

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## Delta Kappa Gamma Meet Held in Crane

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society of Gamma Gamma Chapter Alpha State met in Crane on Saturday, Sept 23 at 2 p.m.

A very unique "Back to School" theme, with bell ringing, sing-song and sack lunches was enjoyed by 35 members.

The president, Mrs. Jackye Havenhill of Big Lake, evaluated the past year and reviewed the future year ahead.

Committee meetings followed with reports from each.

Those from Rankin attending were Miss Myrna Holman, Mrs. Theresa Hurn, Mrs. Effie Pettit and Miss Myrtle Reed.

The Regional meeting will be in Marfa October 14.

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