## uary 31 Is last Day for Poll Tax

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## Serning the Intereste of Rankin and Mptan County

## or Rolls Listed For kin High, Jr. High

## re took all the honors

 the highest mid-term rage in Runkin High h an even 95. She was for the senior class for bht seniors were listed the 3rd six-weeks and erm honor roll. OthersIove were Ruth Brumhe Eckols, Joan Hood, Gncaster, Gay Szott,ia Kulchrist was high
th a 93.500 mid-term
on Bean, Lary Brad-homores had nine on for the high school
weeks at 96.429 while han and Wendyl Wal-
had 94 for top mid-
$\qquad$ Idra Maxwell, Ricky
mes Scarborough but -weeks) Ray Winters,

with 93.857 in both<br>eading the class. Others -weeks roll were Anita Kellam Colquitt, TerLarry Whiteside<br>2. Colquitt and White-

THIRD SIX WEEKS

## All "A" Honor Roll (students

## all subjents).

8TH GRADE: Kenneth Parrish Scott Fields, Janis Owens, Mike Wheeler, Jan Wells, Toni Shaffer.
7TH GRADE: Deborah Medley, Carol Crawtord, Rhonda Sproul, Sandra Reeves, Billy Wayne Hale, Penny Woods, Joe Adams, Sand-

6TH GRADE: Debbie Day, Pat-
Honorl Holl istudents who had Et least 90 average in all subjects
combined, but not on the all "A"

JTH GRADE: Linda James. Earlex Wild Urbanek, Judy Anderson, Fayne Zoller, Glenda Linnerman Lee Stacy, Mickey Hughes, Gay Holvomb. Joyce Scott, Micky Thorn, Jimmy Adams, Cheryle

## 6TH GRADE: Kay Crawford

 Ann Barnes, Randall Edgar, John Kidd, Ron Leach, Gaylene Dobbs Bernard Yocham, M hael Johns ton, Thomes Joe Kendrick, Johr Smith, Mike Sproul, David Welsbill Hood.SEMESTER HONOR ROLL
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## s Gain; Boys Drop District Basketball

## wins and now stand 3-0 for dis-

 trict-just one game away from definite tie for district and are strong favorites to win the title.A swit, ah in scheduling saw the 7th and 8th grade boys win a pair ifrom Ozona last week while another change put off the 7 th and 8 th grade girls game with Grandfalls to next week.
Friday, Feb. 1, the boys high (Continued to Back Page)

## County Judge Reports On Expenditures and Deficit


#### Abstract

submitted by County Judge Allen Moore for publication and brings the public up to date on activities of the Commissioners' Court As set forth in this report, the only fund considered up to this point has been the Hospital Fund-thus, the Judge's report covers only that portion of county operations. A recap of the de the amount of $\$ 19,985.28$. Elospi the amount of $819,985.28$; Elospita Fund, \$20.294.47; Road and Bridge Fund, \$24,147.08; Officters Salary Fund, $\$ 11,854.71$; and Park Maintenance Fund, \$9,011.14. Such reports will be made from ime to time to the public according to the judge. COUNTY JUDGE'S REPORT


 at the end of 196? showArt Exhroit Planned For Feb. 11-15 At
Elementary Schoo!
February 11 through the 15 th
an art display will be held in the
Rankin Elementary School Audi
torium, throughout the school day during that week.
All classes in school are scheduled to take advantage of this fine disptay of the Old Master and the community is invited to attend, individually or in groups as opportunity offers.
One hundred and fifty pictures along with a despription of the background, as well as the painters' background with each picture, will be shown
According to Supt. of Schools Kennetn Welsch, this is an exceptionally fine type of art dis. play and any who are interested are encouraged to take advantage

Adult Business Class Opens In School

Twenty adults registered for adult education courses Tuesday evening in the
the high schoo
The courses are being offered as a community service by the Rankin Independent Sohool Dis-
Classes will meet each Tuesday and Friday nights for 24 sessions, each one hour in length The fee for enrollment is $\$ 20.00$ All classes will meet in the typing room of the high school. Mrs. Vergil Dobbs, high school business administration teacher for the past seven years, will be the instructor. Mrs. Dobbs has her B. A. and Masters degree in Business Administration.
(Continued to Page 5)
'The Commissioners' Court met

Tear Total Income. Salaries


## The most notable cost as point- <br> ed out by the County Judge was

the increase of cost in salary operations after the hospitals were seperate operations. The operations of the year 1962 showed that although both hospitals took in
$\$ 110,036.36$, the labor costs had increased to $\$ 109,078.01$ for only a balan, e of $\$ 958.35$ to apply to all the other hospital costs. As finance officer, the County Judge reported to the court concerning the cost of maintaining two sep arate divisions of our hospitals against the cost of a joint operation should be studied to see if such a small county as ours tra maintenance to maintain.

Commissioners' Court had only approved $\$ 40,000.00$ on the 1963 budget for the operations of both hospitals, whereas, the deficit had been $\$ 62,072.71$ for $1960, \$ 54,491$. 52 for 1961, and $\$ 75,830.24$ for the year 1962. Also that in incurring this indebtness, it had not been made on the improvements of the hospitals and equipment and such inprovements were now needed with this background of operations and only $\$ 40,000.00$ appropriated, that it could only increase its present indebtness. was further pointed out that if they did combine the operations f the nospitais that thic alone would not erase our indontness Other ir easures regardinz nther
nto discussion concerning the deficit of $\$ 85,292.68$ as was presented by Hollis Huffaker, County Auditor, on his report
The Commissioners discussed the various operations of the funds and decided to meet back on January 17 in order to give them more time to study the finances and operations of the


Total Deficit Equipment Both Hospt. Purchased $\begin{array}{lr}27,353.59 & 4.870 .39 \\ 38,709.05 & 3,070.30\end{array}$ $38,709.05 \quad 3,070.30$ $\begin{array}{ll}37,754.21 & 2,459.31 \\ 57,747.72 & \mathbf{4 , 4 3 8 . 4 5}\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}62,072.71 & 3,309.12 \\ 54,491.52 & 1,697.95\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}54,491.52 & 1,697.95 \\ 75,830.24 & 9,616.58\end{array}$
order to get our County back in good fscal shape at the end of The Commissioners' Court stay d in session until 2:30 pm. durng which time this issue was warmly disoussed and adjourned with no action concerning the date of January 28 to further dis-
e issues was set The Commissioners' Court met gain at 10:00 January 28 and the argeement of the Commissi-
oners' Court was to leave the cponers Court was to leave the cpThey had met with the members of the Hospital Board and AdContinued thoug?

Bridge Club Plans
Feb. 3 Tournament
Rankin's Duplicate Bridge Club has scheduled a two-session tournament and buffet sumner for Sunday, February 3. All events re to be held in the $Y$ iter Hotel First session of play will begin at $1: 30$ p.m. This will be followed by the buffet at $6: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. and the se:ond sessicn at 7:00 Entry fee will be $\$ 2.50$ per session and will include the meal. Thophies and points will be awarded.
All interested parties are invited to attend any part or all of the play.

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Junior High Band Attends Symphony The Rankin Jumior Hish S.shoo Band attended the Youth Concert by the Midland-Odessa Symphony Sunday. They laft by bus and were actompanied by Mr. Jim Mabrey band director, and his wife The concert featured a special flag ceremony and singing of "The spar Spangled Banner." Other numbers included: Overture to "Egmont" by Beethoven. Symp hony No. 8-"The Unfinished" by Schubert, "Carnival" by Dvorak and "America the Beautiful.
The interest shown by the band sudents for this cultural field trip was very rewarding, accord"Not oniy are they learning play instruments well, but they are developing aesthetic appreciation for good music," it wa stated.


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Pver Change-of-Life?

## ad su w ar do th 8 dia <br> those years ome rel <br> with special woman's medicine <br> tionally caused female distress. <br> In doctors' tests woman after woman found that Pinkham's Compound gave dramatic help without costly shots. Irritabil. wity is soothed, hot flashes sub- <br> - LYDIA E. PINKHAM

Henor Society To Install Ten Members

The Rankin High School Nati-
onal Honor Society will induct onal Honor Society will induct
10 new members for 1963, on Thursday. Jamnry 31, at 7:30 p. m ., in the high school auditorium. These members are Ruth Brummett, Sue Dishman, Jimmie Lee Fields, Janis Hale, Sandra Maxwell, Ricky Miller, James Scar borough. Sandra Vineyard. Roy Winters, and David Zoller.
Refreshments will be served in
the Home Economios lab follow-
ing the ceremony. The public is invited.

Spanish Class Puts Cearning to Work

Passers-by in the halls of Rankin High School might wonder at their whereabouts when reading a sign proclaiming "Descuento Mercasio todas baratas - venga, mira, compre." However, Mrs. Sue Davis' Spanish classes know that this "Discount Market - everything cheap- come, look, buy ${ }^{\text {² }}$ proslamation means another in teresting learning experience is to come

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the most popular courses in Rankin High Schoo


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Mrs. R. H. Bearden, Rankin admitted January 24, dismissed January 27 .
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Adult Classes

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Further registration and class
ssturction will begin Friday, Feb, Courses being offered are $\mathrm{Be}-$ kinning Shorthand, Beginning Typing and Bookkeepig, scheduled

Tuesdays: Shorthand from 7 to p.m.. typing from 8 to 9 p.m., Fridays: Shorthand from 7 to 3 p.m., bookkeeping from 8 to 9

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