

The Rankin News

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RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1971

Devils Open Drive for District 6-A Championship



1971 RANKIN RED DEVILS

Front Row: Earnest Black, Brad Winn, Randy Eggemeyer, Mike Robert Sigman; Second Row: Tom Bloxom, Jack Campbell, Terry Stephenson, Greg Copeland, Randy Hodges, Jimmy Eggemeyer, Asa Rhodes, Kim Price and Kelly Doege; Back Row: Head Coach Dwayne Turner, Roger Green, Murry Golson, Bart Collins, Allen Speed, Steve McSpadden, Tony Daniel, Kenneth Boyd, Charles Peterson, Robert Rees and Assistant Coach James Heffernan.

To Play in Socorro Friday at 7:30 MST

Friday night, the Rankin Red Devils will travel to far away Socorro in El Paso to open their quest for a district 6-A championship. And it's an all new ball game.

Up to this point the young Red Devils have played five nonconference games and have won two while losing three—all in close games. Their main hopes are that the experienced gained thru these five games will enable them to take the crown in a district that has three other contenders and two teams that may well be capable of pulling off the big upset.

In their Friday night game, Rankin will meet the first of two in a row of the El Paso squads. Socorro opened their season with a 18-15 win over Eastwood (of El Paso) JV, followed with a 33-0 loss to Parkland and then a 12-13 loss to Dell City.

They got back on the winning side of the ledger with a 6-0 tilt over Canutillo and last week put on a come from behind surge to down Fabens 14-12—giving them a slightly better nonconference record at 3-2 than the Devils—although their competition probably has not been as good.

Rankin and Socorro have met three times previously with the Red Devils winning all three and in doing so, compiling a rather unique statistic: Socorro has yet to score against a Rankin team.

In their first meeting the score was 33-0, their second, 49-0, and last year, it was 21-0.

Injuries continue to play a big part in the Red Devil efforts and although most of the boys are expected to be on call for Friday's district opener, the starting center, Kenneth Boyd, will not be available. He injured a knee in the Sonora game and has not been able to work out this week. Several others are lamed but could pitch in if needed.

And expectations are that there will be more Rankin supporters at the game—even though it is in El Paso—than there will be local. The Red Devil Band will also make the trip and will be quartered in the Remada Inn for the overnight stay.

Readied for City Hall Work

First 6 Week Honor Roll Lists Students

Jack Campbell, a senior with a near perfect 99 average, led the first six weeks honor roll at Rankin High School. Top junior was Nita Page at 98.4; Jimmy Eggemeyer at 93.750 was the high sophomore; and Sherry Page, with a 94, was the leading freshman.

Other seniors on the roll were Patty Byford, 91.6; Paula Loftin, 97.250; Rene Sproul, 93.6; Connie Varnadore, 95; Bobbie Weaver, 92.250; Marilyn Workman, 96.5; and Guy Yocham, 91.8.

From the junior class: Debbie Barton, 95.8; Debbie Bloxom, 95; Audrey Braden, 96.2; Debbie Cole 95.250; Lois Crawford, 91.250; Monica Davis, 91.6; Billy Eggemeyer, 92.5; Kathy Helms, 96.4; Lynn Jackson, 97.2; Jeffrie Lee, 91.6; Carol McBee, 92.750; Audrey McFadden, 96.750; Bonnie Stewart, 90; and Debbie Winters, 93.5.

Other sophomores were Marilyn Braden, 72.750; Lee Ora Herrington, 91.250; Jimmy Mathews, 93; Dean Reams, 93.6; and Angela Vick, 91.250.

Other freshmen: Billy Helms,

93.750; Bobby Johnson, 91.250; and Mark Wheeler, 90.5.

Junior High

Sarah Barrett, an 8th Grader with an average of 97.6, was high student for Junior High in the 1st Six Weeks Honor Roll. Leading the 7th Grade was Roy Kendrick at 96 while David Bean with 91.4 was top 6th Grader. Only one other member of the 6th Grade,

Booster Club Urging Good Attendance in Weeks Ahead

All area fans of the Rankin Red Devils are being urged by Booster Club President Shank Bloxom to begin attending meetings now that the team has started their drive for the district crown.

"We need all the help we can get in backing the team," the president noted, "so come on out, have some coffee and cake with us, see films on previous games and let the boys know we're backing them 100 percent."

The Booster Club meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the cafeteria. Other officers in addition to

Dona Bruton, was on the roll. Others from the 7th Grade included Chris Barton, Tony Mathews, Marlene Mobley, Kathy O'Dell, Teresa Plagens, Patti Pruett Phyllis Sobotik, Clark Turner, Janie Welch, and Russell Wimberley.

Others from the 8th Grade: Penny Braden, John Bruton, Gehrig Feuge, Russell Holub, Pam Humphries, Rick Rurst, Hugh Jackson, Cathy Merwin, Tony Peters, Kirby Shipp, Tammy Smitherman and Rene Taylor.

Bloxom include Pete Golson, vice president; Bonnie Campbell, secretary; and Rose Mary Mathews, treasurer.

Bloxom this week also reminded all members to bring their stamp books for the October 19 meeting. As a fund raising projects, the Booster Club is to operate the bingo concession at the Halloween Carnival and the books are used to purchase prizes.

Members not having stamps are requested to make a \$2.50 donation for prizes. Books or funds may also be left with either the secretary or treasurer.

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THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

HUNTERS NOTE—

All you ole boys—and girls, too, for that matter, who enjoy good hunting will want to get in touch with some member of the Lions Club. They have a deal to offer you that will make your ears perk up.

In fact, they have more than one deal in which you would be interested but one in particular—the rights to a hunting trip on the Noelke Ranch, should be of particular interest for this is a choice site and the Lions are offering probably what will be one of the few—if not the only opportunity for any hunters to get in on this property.

Check with a Lion member. If you don't know one personally, get in touch with Travis Bley or see David Binkley at the Bank.

OLE GEORGE SEZ—

As most of you know, our State Representative, George Baker, of Fort Stockton is an old newspaper man. Actually, he's supposed to be retired from the newspaper business but still has enough printer's ink in his veins to write a column a couple of times each week—well, almost—called "Baker's Dozen."

Now, in addition to being a Legislator and retired newspaper man, George has truned into something of a sage. An example in his last column:

"Old age is not so bad when you think of the consequences."

Now there's a point well taken.

SCHOOL MONEY—

In this week's letters to the editor there is a correspondence from a reader that raises several good and proper questions. I'm always glad to get letters and I think they are well read by most subscribers. I appreciate this one and comment here because it was addressed to me as well as the school board.

I, too would wonder why the Mexia trip was cut from the school program but I would assume that it was for some reason other than a lack of funds.

Rankin Schools are not overly burndened with funds, true, but at the same time, they have, as a rule, been willing to spend whatever has been necessary to give good education.

If, however, it was cut as an economy measure, it may, indeed, be false economy.

There are, however, two points of interest raised by the letter writer aside from the direct question of what happend to the Mexia trip—that question being up to someone directly connected with the matter to answer.

The first point that I might

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take the liberty of noting has to do with the comment I've heard several times recently and that is, "what about the money left over now that the school is out of debt." Actually, there's no extra money—be the school in or out of debt. At least two items bring this about; one being that funds available to a school to a large extent are determined by property values within the district and these values are said to be dropping in Rankin School District, thus resulting in less money for all operations. Another is that funds to pay off the bonds were taxed especially for that purpose and once the bonds were paid off, that tax can no longer be levied.

Sadly, there is a third reason and that's ever increasing costs. It takes more money to do the same school program—one of the primary reasons being built-in increases in salaries.

The second point of interest in the letter and one that could be debated to some length concerns funds spent on sports. The sports program of any school—its results in terms that can be measured—would be hard to determine.

Personally, I think you will find a lot more involved than just fun and games for the kids. In the big city schools where only a small percentage can participate in sports and related activities such as band, pep squad, cheer-leading, etc., the instances of

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Jumbo Bounty PAPER TOWELS	
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Delsey 2-roll pkg. TOILET TISSUE	
24-oz. can Denty Moore BEEF STEW	

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303 Trellis PEAS	2 for
303 Kim—whole GREEN BEANS	2 for
18-oz. jar Smucker's APRICOT PRESERVES	
Quart Bottle KARO SYRUP	
27-oz. jar TANG DRINK	
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Lipton TEA	1/2-lb.
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6-oz. Whole Sun ORANGE JUICE	2 for
24-oz. pkg. Frosty Acres Hash Brown Potatoes	
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wouldn't admit it. I, for one, believe sports go a long way toward keeping peace in the family and who can say what that's worth in dollars and cents to any school district?

4th And 10

ON YOUR OWN TWO

*** Give a fan the ball and he'll run for a touchdown every play—in the stands.**

LAST WEEK—

Well, due to bad weather, no teeth, an empty gas tank and a few other assorted matters, 4th & 10 did not make the janut to Sonora last Friday night and as a result, from all reports, missed one of the truly fine efforts of the year by the Red Devils.

I have yet to speak with a fan who attended who has not had high praise for the game and if it's possible for a team to gain stature in the eyesight of their fans while losing, then the Red Devils have apparently done just that as a result of their efforts last Friday night.

Certainly, in press reports on the game, they need make no excuses for they evidently made the Red Hosses look at their hole card a time or two before the game was over. But, heck, they always do that against Sonora. Some day, Big Red, Pow! Pow! Right in the ole rating.

KNICK-KNACKS—

Say, now, how about that ole Stanton putting it on Seagraves? Maybe they found out, too, that you "can't roller skate in a Buffalo herd." (Doc. Gossett told me the proper words to the song.)

Maybe the Stanton crew is a better team than a lot of us had believed. At any rate, they made Rankin look better when they put it on Seagraves.

Then there's this thing about Fort Stockton putting it on Big Lake two years in a row. Not many teams have ever done that, much less Fort Stockton. That goes to prove that you can never tell what a ball team can do—if they want to bad enough.

Those of you who have not attended the Junior and B games have been missing some good ones—especially last Thursday's matches with McCamey. Both sides were hitting well and playing to win. It's much to the credit of the Rankin squads that they were able to make as good a showing—losing the 7th Grade, winning the 8th, and getting out with a tie on the B game—against teams as large as the Badgers fielded.

In the B game, it is said that they did not have any freshmen while the Red Devils have some-

thing like 25 on their B team.

Big winners of the night was the 8th Grade. This team has the makings of a cracker jack if they can get together a little more. They have good size and enough speed. Look for them to have more wins in the games ahead.

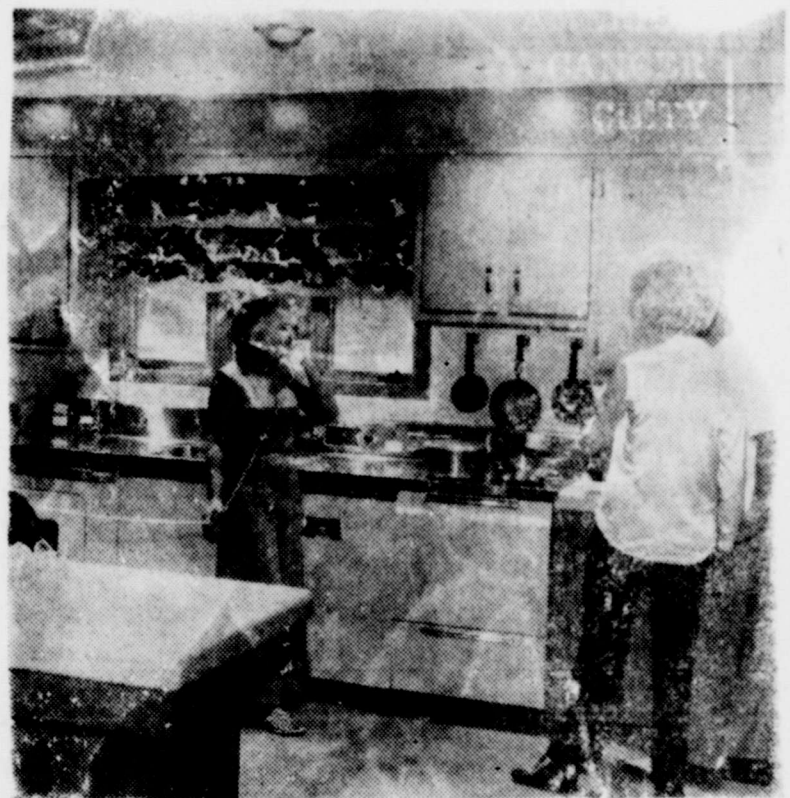
About the biggest surprise from them this year is that they are

not still undefeated. The potential is there if they can find the crank to turn it on.

THIS WEEK—

And now it's for keeps. Beating McCamey, playing Sonora well—all that is over and we have an all-new ball game. Rankin has a better than good chance of winning. (Continued to Page 7)

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of of Rankin, Upton County, Texas 79778 And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business Sept. 30, 1971, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

A S S E T S

	Dollars	Cents
Cash and due from banks	1,301,455.39	
U. S. Treasury securities	1,184,330.00	
Securities of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	244,800.00	
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	614,304.49	
Other securities (including \$9,000.00 corporate stocks)	9,000.00	
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	250,000.00	
Other loans	1,980,679.77	
bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	2.00	
Other assets	709.63	
TOTAL ASSETS	5,585,281.28	

L I A B I L I T I E S

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,801,639.71
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,360,269.15
Deposits of United States Government	59,777.10
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	526,712.34
Deposits of commercial banks	36,134.17
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	506.75
TOTAL DEPOSITS	4,785,039.22
(a) Total demand deposits	2,209,670.07
(b) Total time and savings deposits	2,575,369.15
Other liabilities	64,951.09
TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,849,990.31

R E S E R V E S O N L O A N S A N D S E C U R I T I E S

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	70,248.13
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	70,248.13

C A P I T A L A C C O U N T S

Equity capital, total	665,042.84
Common stock-total par value	100,000.00
(No. shares authorized 5000) (No. shares outstanding 5000)	
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	315,042.84
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	50,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	665,042.84
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	5,585,281.28

M E M O R A N D A

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	4,681,773.17
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,985,948.78

I, Johnnie Hurst, Vice President of the above named bank, do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: /s/ JOHNNIE HURST

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

(s) L. E. WINDHAM, CLAY TAYLOR, DUNN LOWERY, Directors

State of Texas, County of Upton, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 7th day of October, 1971.

(s) EDITH JAMES

Notary Public, Upton County, Texas

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Friday, October 15

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LETTERS

The To Editor

LETTER TO THE EDITOR, AND TO THE RANKIN SCHOOL BOARD

Dear Sir:

It is a nice thing to read in your paper that at last the Rankin Schools are out of debt. So many I ask, why has the school board seen fit to cancel such an

School Menu

OCTOBER 18-22

BREAKFAST

MONDAY

Cheese and Egg Toast, Rice or Oatmeal, Apple Sauce

TUESDAY

Hot Cinnamon Roll, Cold Cereal or Oatmeal, Half Banana

WEDNESDAY

Hot Biscuits, Sausage, Hash Brown Potatoes, Honey, Half Orange

THURSDAY

Hot Doughnuts, Rice or Oatmeal Strawberries

FRIDAY

Buttered Toast, Bacon, Scrambled Egg, Jelly, Grapefruit

LUNCH

MONDAY

Celery Sticks, Chicken Fried Steak, Cream Gravy, Buttered Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Light Bread, Brownies

TUESDAY

Tossed Salad, Hot Dogs, French Fries, Pineapple Nut Cake

WEDNESDAY

Cabbage Slaw, Barbecued Hot Links, Pinto Beans, Spinach, Sweet Relish, Hot Light Bread Corn Bread, Banana Pudding

THURSDAY

Gelatine Salad with Fruit, Hamburgers, Potato Chips, Fresh Pears

FRIDAY

English Pea Salad, Fried Chicken Cream Gravy, Candied Yams, Buttered Carrots, Hot Rolls, Ice Box Cookies
Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.

important thing as the yearly trip made by our biology students to Mexia, Texas?

The trip is very inspiring and educational to our children and is every bit as important as the long trips made in the name of sports. I am not knocking sports but I cannot help but feel that education is far more important in the process of becoming a mature adult. I cannot help but feel that if the cost of such trips were totaled up and compared to the cost of sports, it will be found that even the cost of the sport uniforms would come to quite a bit more than all the trips made in the interest of better education.

I enjoy the games of sports provided by our schools but at the same time I want to ask—is it right to deprive our students of their educational trips especially now when the school is better able to afford them than ever before?

Sincerely,

Mrs. J. R. Richardson

Reflections . . .

by Ann Richardson

Recently Senator Snelson was guest speaker at the Rankin Study Club. He touched upon many subjects in his talk, some serious, some humorous.

One in particular was found to be quite enjoyable—this was when he pointed out that the govern-

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ment guarantees life, liberty and the "pursuit" of happiness. He called our attention to the fact that it did not guarantee happiness—just the freedom of pursuit of this sometimes elusive creature.

Somewhere I've heard it said that there are those who feel that happiness lies in the pursuit!

Senator Snelson pointed out one very good fact that we would all do well to consider. He said (in so many words) that many people have the tendency to feel that when one politician does something wrong or is suspected of this that all politicians are automatically thought to be dishonest while at the same time if for instance a roughneck is caught in an act of dishonesty not everyone in the oil business are labeled as

thieves or crooks.

He does make a good point doesn't he? This could be a good subject for a debate because most people would take the view that these two facts are in no way comparable.

I do not know the man personally nor do I make snap decisions concerning a person but one

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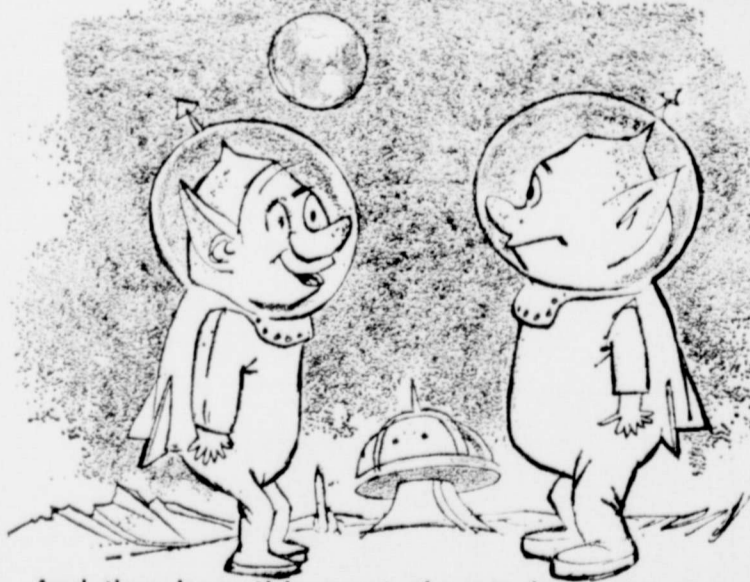
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PICKINGS—

RANKIN 20. Socorro 6. Heck, anyone's likely to score 6 points.

VAN HORN 28, Sanderson 18—hard pill for Sanderson but that's football when you play a pud non-conference schedule.

IRAAN 54, Clint 0. That was last year's score, anyway.

CRANE 21, McCamey 3 as the Badgers have to put off for at least another year that win over the Cranes.

OZONA 14, Big Lake 13. This one ought to be a barn burner.

COAHOMA 40, Stanton 6. It was

a good two weeks for Stanton.

LAST WEEK—

Rankin 12, Sonora 21 (good try)
Rankin B 6, McCamey B 6
Rankin 8th 14, McCamey 6
Rankin 7th 0, McCamey 6
Stanton 7, Seagraves 6
Ozona 41, Iraan 15
McCamey 21, Eunice 14
Van Horn 27, Marfa 7
Junction 15, Eldorado 6
Wink 18, Balmorhea 0
Ft. Stockton 6, Big Lake 0
Lovington 16, Crane 14
4th & 10: 7 right, 2 wrong, 1 tie. Season: 33 right, 11 wrong, 3 ties.

Hospital Notes

Delores Molina, McCamey, admitted September 30, dismissed October 7.

J. P. Rankin, Rankin, admitted October 1.

D. W. Deel, Rankin, admitted October 3, dismissed October 9.

Mrs. E. B. Tabor, Midkiff, admitted October 3, dismissed October 7.

Baby Girl Tabor, born October 4, dismissed October 7.

Billy Gray, Rankin, admitted October 3, dismissed October 7.

Mrs. H. J. Alldredge, Crane, admitted October 4, dismissed on

October 6.

Sebero Montaya, McCamey, admitted October 5, dismissed October 11.

Mrs. E. C. McFadden, Crane, admitted October 7, dismissed on October 8.

Earl Holmes, Big Lake, admitted October 7.

Sammy Baiza, McCamey, admitted October 11.

Mrs. Earl Stanley, Rankin, admitted October 11.

Tex Collins, Rankin, admitted October 11.

Mrs. Richard Browning, Rankin admitted October 12.

Mrs. Lewis Overton, Rankin, admitted October 12.

Mrs. Ysidora Hernandez, Rankin, admitted October 12.

Bank Figures Near Last Year's Mark

Although totals were down a very small amount in the current financial statement released by First State Bank, as compared with a year ago, one aspect, that of demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations indicated gains: \$1,801,639.71 compared to \$1,701,712.70 about one year ago. The current statement covers business up to September 30 while last years call ended on October 28.

Also showing gains was time and savings deposits: \$2,575,369.15 currently and \$2,553,502.32 last year.

Total assets are presently put at \$5,585,281.28 and were near the same at \$5,589,630.35 a year ago. Average total loans for the fifteen calendar days ending with current call date was \$1,985,948.78 compared with \$2,266,872.70 on October 28, 1970.

New Operator at Local Beauty Shop

Martha McDonald, operator of Martha's Beauty Shop, announced today that Kathy Johnson is now employed as an operator in the shop.

Mrs. Johnson, whose husband, James, works for Western, has taken over the duties formerly held out by Joyce Singleton.

The Singletons are moving to Brownwood.

Library Notes

New on our shelves: "Bear Island", by Alistir Mac Lean;

"Message from Malaga", by Helen MacInnis; "An Afternoon Walk", by Dorothy Eden; "The Female Eunuch", by Germaine Green;

"Just Wait Till You Have Children of Your Own," by Erma Brombeck; and "Any Woman Can", by David Rueben.

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The Rankin (Tex.) Thursday, Oct. 14

Mitchell-Murray Wedding Oct.

Miss Connie Jean Phillip Anthony Murray married Saturday, October 10, at the Rankin United Methodist Church officiating at the ceremony Rev. Gordon Miller.

The bride was given away by her Uncle Brown, Jr., of Odessa, daughter of Mrs. E. and the late Andy Brown. Parents of the bride Mr. and Mrs. Robert of Gatesville.

Honor attendants Paula Loftin and

Jean Binkley Omicron Tau

Eighteen members at an open meeting 11 by Omicron Tau Beta Sigma Phi in Mrs. David Binkley, and Candy Alexander.

Officers gave short the history and purpose of Sigma Phi.

Pledge Rituals and Jewels will be given 18 with Peggy Mc hostess, followed by tea.

Any person or organization to have a booth we'en Carnival is contact Ann Kelley at or Mary Lou's Drug.

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