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THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1972



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Cub Scouters from Dens I and II gathered last Thursday in the Cub Scout portion of the Yates Hotel for their Pets, Arts & Crafts contest.

In the foreground is Mark Miller while the back row contains Clay Adams, Hank Wolf, Blair Tharp, Jimmy Piercy, Bradley Bains and Robert Kenney.

In the Pet division, Piercy won 1st; Wolf, 2nd; and Kenney, 3rdshowing a turtle. Tharp was 1st in the Arts and Crafts.

### Phillip West has Statement on Race

Phillip West, candidate for Mayor of Rankin in the upcoming City elections, this week issued the following statement:

"Employed by Union Texas Petroleum, my family and I have lived in Rankin for the past five years. I have served one one-year term as Alderman on the Rankin City Council and one two-year

"My family consists of my wife and two daughters. I am a member of the Rankin First Baptist Church, the Masonic Lodge and the Odd Fellow Lodge.

"I may or may not be the man for the job of Mayor, but this I do promise: to try as hard as I can to make a good Mayor and to represent all the people of the city. Your support will be most appreciated."

#### **Notice**

The Rankin "Red Devil" Annual Staff has a few 1971 annuals that have not been sold. Anyone desiring to purchase a last year's annual, please contact Mr. Roy Dykes at the high school. Price of yearbook is \$5.20, tax included.

Stiff Competition Expected in Jal Meet --

# Rankin Going for Fifth Track Title

Still working at reduced streng th-to the point of using some of their freshmen- the Rankin Red Devils still made a shambles of the Division I portion of the West Texas Relays, held last week-end in Odessa. It was their fourth win in as many starts; none, however, by quite as lopsidded a mar-

Rankin posted a total of 204

# J. B. Pettit, Jr. has Statement to ss

J. B. Pettit, Jr., currently serving as Mayor of Rankin and who is seeking re-election, this week gave the following release to the

"Due to numerous repuests for a statement to the press from my friends and supporters for the office of Mayor, it seems necessary for me to make a brief statement.

"I am offering my services as Mayor as I have done in the past. If the majority of voters see fit to re-elect me to office, I will appreciate it very much and will continue to serve, as I have in the past.

"If you do not see fit to return me to office there will be no ill or hard feelings toward anyone as I am enjoying the pleasures of this world so much and thanking Him for permitting me to live in it today."

# Mary Pierce Plans to Retire April 1

Mrs. Mary Pierce, long-time resident of Rankin and operator of the Troy Laundry Sub-Station in Rankin for the past ten years, has announced that she will retire and close her operations as of April 1. She is no longer accepting items for cleaning and requests that everyone having clothing at her place, pick it up no later than April 1.

"I appreciate very much the patronage of my customers over the years," Mrs. Pierce stated, "however, due to my health, I have decided to retire."

"Your further cooperation in picking up your cleaning, thus enabling me to close by April 1, will help me a lot," she said.

Thus far, the Troy Laundry has not found anyone to replace Mrs. Pierce as their local agent.

points, set several new records and had as their closet competition, O'Donnell with 65 points. Borden County posted 59; Wink, 58; Lubbock Cooper, 54; and Tatum, N. M., 38.

Rankin took 1st in the 120-yard high hurdles, the 440 relay, the mile relay, the 880 run, the 100yard dash, the 220, and the dis-

#### THIS WEEK

In their effort to make it five wins in a row, the Red Devils are to be in Jal, New Mexico Saturday. In this affair, they will be in competition with schools that would be rated as AA in Texas.

Strongest competition may from the host Jal Panthers. Although Rankin and Jal have not met thus far in the season, Jal was bested last week in Alpine by Ozona, a team Rankin edged in their opener in Fort Stockton.

RHS Girls Track Team will be in Wink, also on Saturday.

cus-that event being won by one of the freshmen, Alen Speed. Another freshman, Freddie Plagens, ran a leg on the mile relay team that set a new record at 3:29.5. (Continued to Page 7)

# Tom Craddick asks for Re-Election as State Representative

Midland Republican State Representative Tom Craddick filed today for re-election to the Texas House of Representatives. Through legislative redistricting during the last session the 68th district now consists of the four counties: Glasscock, Midland, Reagan and Upton Counties. Craddick has been elected twice to represent the 70th district which consisted of just Midland County.

Craddick stated that money and taxes would be the main issues in the next legislature. He feels that unless we hold the line on state spending this next year the state will be faced with a Personal and Corporate Income Tax. He said that he has opposed a Personal and Corporate Income Tax in the past and will continue to do so in the next session if re-elected.

Craddick, a member of a reform group known as the "Dirty Thirty" during the last session, (Continued to Back Page)

# **FUTURE CITIZENS**



Pictured, top row, left to right: Gregory, 3 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hyatt; Julie, 2, and Jimmy, 9 months, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. James Heffernan; Stephen, 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Shultz

Bottom row: Ricky, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kelley; Billy John, 20 months, and Dee, 9 months, sons of Mr. and Mrs. John Panell; and Christi, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip West.

All are residents of Rankin.

# by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

THE BIG RED-

For the third week in a row the Red Devils have won big by over 100 points-in area track meets. Last Saturday in Odessa, they made a shambles of the affair - even to the point that some fans thought a misprint had been made in the first reports of their win. You just don't score 204 points in a track meet. The Red Devils did, and did it shorthanded as they have on other oc-

So ole Rankin has got lucky and turned up with an exceptional batch of track men, you say. Not necessarily. True, the number one ingredient in any team has to be the people on the team and the present crop of Red Devil trackmen are about as good as they come in such things at attitude, effort and desire. In talent, I'd say they are good but not exceptional.

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So why four big wins in a row? Well, for one thing-as mentioned above-is the boys involved. Perhaps equally as important when taken together are several other items. Rankin has had, for several years now, a good track program that starts down in junior (Continued to Next Page)



### Day-Purvines Wedding Date is May 28



DEBBIE DAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Day, Jr. lementary education, speech maannounce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Deborah Jeanine to Mr. Craig King Purvines, son of Mrs. W. G. Kennedy and the late W. G. Purvines of Des Moines, New

The bride-elect is a senior e-

jor at West Texas State University. Purvines also attends West Texas State University and is a senior government - economics

The ceremony will be held in the First United Methodist Church in Rankin, May 28.

### Hospital Notes

Carlyn Taylor, Rankin, admitted March 6, dismissed March 16.

Maggie Taylor, Rankin, admitted March 6, dismissed on March

J. E. Bullard, Crane, admitted March 9, dismissed March 17.

W. C. McDonald, St., Rankin, admitted March 12.

Ramona Mooney, McCamey, admitted March 13, dismissed March

Mrs. Lloyd Helms, Rankin, ad-

mitted March 14, dismissed on March 15.

W. M. Sheppard, McCamey, admitted March 15.

Mrs. L. C. Perkins, Crane, admitted March 15.

Troy Woodley, McCamey, admitted March 16, dismissed on March 18.

Mrs. T. A. Rhodes, Midkiff, admitted March 17.

Chris Turner, Big Lake, admitted March 19.

Mrs. E. O. Kuykendall, Crane, admitted March 20.

SPECIALS For Friday and Saturday, MARCH 24 March

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Lipton's TEA	44-lb. box 45¢
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Ruby Red GRAPEFRUIT	3 for 35¢
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2-roll pack DELSEY TISSUE

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18-oz. box 3 MINUTE OATS

4-oz. box DREAM WHIP

303 Libby's NURIPE OLIVES

18-oz. Kembell's APRICOT PRESERVES

303 Del Monte Whole GREEN BEANS

Kimbell's Grape or Orange DRINK

303 Sunshine Chopped TURNIPS & GREENS - 2

27-oz. bottle TANG

303 Kim BLACKBERRIES

### FROZEN FOOM

10-oz. can Rich Whip TOPPING

2-lz. cello package FRENCH FRY POTATOES

1-lb. pkg. VIP **PEACHES** 

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take this one, too; but not by any 100 point margin. This one is going to be a real toughie and may be decided not on how many Rankin can put in first or second but by points they pick up with their depth. It will be a most interesting track meet for Rankin and their supporters.

#### DEADLINES AND STUFF-

Although the powers that be have all but done away with deadlines on such things as voter registration, they have not removed in the least certain others, notably those related to tax payments. One of these, auto registration, comes April 1 and it is a good bet that you will not be forgiven if you're caught driving around with '71 tags after that

Better get yours right away for it gets pretty crowded the last day or two at the tag counter.

Still another important date to remember is next Tuesday. That is the last day you can vote an absentee ballot in the school, city or hospital election. If you are planning an Easter jaunt, it behoves you to vote absentee for with school out on Thursday, a

Saturday, April 1.

Remember, if you don't vote, you give up your right to bitch about the way things are run after the election.

And then there's one other good ole deadline- April 15. Actually, since the 15th is a Saturday, followed— naturally — by a Sunday, you have until the 17th. I think. Now you may or may not know what is significant about December 25, but, Buddy, you'd better know about April 15. That's the day you come bearing gifts and no five and dime items are acceptable. You gotta give 'till it

That's providing, of course, you don't have an income of over \$50 thou a year, in which case your chances of having to pay any tax at all are said to be pretty good. The meek may well inherit the earth, but before they do, a lot of us Peons are going to have to pay for it.

#### WANT AD-

Wanted: a new official weather forecaster for The Rankin News. Previous holder of this job was last seen headed for Alpine and repeating a promise to himself to never forecast rain again for the 15th and 16th of March.

#### NATURALLY-

One kid from Texas got all the day to the national spelling bee finals and then lost the prize. He couldn't spell "small".

#### SHOOK UP-

If you want to talk to a batch of folk who are little shook, try nimal control laws - particularly the bit on coyotes. Under the

lot of us will be scattering and will not be on hand election day,

new regulations, about all that can be done to a coyote is to capture him-gently, read him his rights, spank his britches for killing sheep, and let him go.

"There won't be any sheep in Upton County within five years if the new laws are enforced," said one man closely connected with the sheep business.

"I'm going to quit ranching and life, are on the return,

go into the business of bootlegging strychnine," said another.

And so it goes. It seems at this point that the nature lovers-and who doesn't love nature, within reason, have won the day and the reutrn of the coyote packs that not only play havoc with sheep but just about every type of infant livestock, domestic and wild-



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# "Fallout" Kits for Upton Residents

County Judge Allen Moore, May or B. A. Epley of McCamey and J. B. Pettit, Jr, Mayor of Rankin, announced jointly today that Upton County residents will soon be able to obtain copies of a Community Shelter Plan advising them what to do in case a nuclear attack on the United States should ever occur. They stated that public information packets containing the information developed in the Upton County Community Shelter Plan have been received by the County Judge's office and may be obtained by going to the City Hall at either Mc-Camey or Rankin. There is no charge for the packets.

Distribution of the packets will begin April 1, 1972, at each of the above locations. Because of the importance of this material, they expressed the hope that every family would take advantage of this opportunity to secure a copy of the plan.

"The information developed in this plan could save the lives of thousands of persons in the event of an attack. This information has been the result of careful analysis and professional planning. I hope the people of Upton County will read the information carefully and retain it for future reference," Judge Moore said.

The primary danger to residents of Upton County resulting from a nuclear attack on this country would be from radioactive particles settling over the country after having been carried by high altitude wind currents. These radioactive particles emit radiation which can penetrate the average building and cause serious illness or death to the occupants. A nor-

mal home would offer little or no protection from this type of radiation unless the residents knew how to increase the protection offered by that structure. Because this type of radiation decays or weakens with time, it is possible for persons who are protected from the early intense radiation to survive with little or no ill effects. The goal of this Community Shelter Plan is to assure that everyone in Upton County would have this type of protection if an attack ever occured.

The latest survey conducted by the Army Corps of Engineers at the request of local officials revealed that the only buildings suitable for use as public fallout shelters in the country are the County Courthouse and the Rankin Junior High School in Rankin, Residents of Rankin can be sheltered in these two facilities. All

other persons in Upton County can be sheltered in the Midland Savings Building in Midland.

Judge Moore explained that although fallout shelter can often be included in the design of new buildings at little or no extra cost, unless and until such future shelter space becomes available, many county residents will have to take shelter in Midland or seek the best protection they can find in their own homes.

Judge Moore, Mayor Epley and Mayor Pettit, joined by other city and county officials, urge all citizens to obtain a copy of this handbook and to read and save it so that they will be prepared if a nuclear disaster should ever occur.

Detailed suggestions for improving the protection offered at home will be included in the official publication, "In Time of Emergency," a citizen's handbook on nuclear attack and natural disasters. This handbook is a major item included in the packet to be distributed. The -other item included in the public information packet is a plan showing the lo-

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### **Legal Notice**

TEXTRAC, INC., Plaintiff

J. C. BRADLEY and ETHYL BRADLEY, Defendants.

DOCKET NO. 3556 64TH DISTRICT COURT CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS

#### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

PURSUANT to order of sale issued by the District Clerk of Castro, County, Texas, under judgment of the 64th District Court of Castro County, Texas, in cause no 3556 styled "Textrac, Inc. vs. J. C. Bradley and Ethel Bradley", the undersigned sheriff of Upton County Texas, will sell the property described as:

BEGINNING at S. E. Corner of the G. C. & S. F. Co. Survey No. 14, Blk. 4½ and the N. E. corner of the G. C. & S. F. RR Co. Survey No. 9, Abst 227 for a S. E. corner of the tract;

THENCE N 16 deg. 20' W along the East line of said Survey No. 14, a distance of 3960.0 feet to the S. E. corner of the Slick-Urschel 40 acre tract and the most southern N. E. corner of this trict;

THENCE S 73 deg 40' W. 1320.0 feet to the S. W. corner of the Slick-Urschel 40 acre tract for an inside corner of this tract:

THENCE N. 16 deg. 20' W. 1320.0 feet to a point in the North line of said G. C. & S. F. RR Co Sur. No. 14 at the N. W. corner of the Slick-Urschel 40 acre tract for a most North N. E. corner of this tract:

THENCE S 73 deg. 40' W. along the North line of the said Survey No. 14 a distance of 6288.23 feet to the N. W. corner of said Survey No. 14 is the most West N. W. corner of this tract;

THENCE S 16 deg '0' E along the West line of said Survey No. 14 a distance of 3632.8 feet

to the N. W. corner of the Lester Irvin 120 acre tract for the most West S. W. corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 69 deg. 40' E. 2432.6 feet to the N. E. corner of the Lester Irvin 120 acre tract for an inside corner of this tract;

THENCE S 16 deg. E at 1816.9 feet across the South line of Survey No. 14 and the North line of said Survey No. 9 in all 2154.0 feet to a point in the North Right of Way line of the

State F. M. Road No. 1515, said point being the S. E. corner of the Lester Irvin 120 acre tract and the most S. W. corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 69 deg. 40' E along the North Right of Way line of State F. M. Road No. 1515 a distance of 4618.3 feet to a point, said point being N 16 deg 20' W 50 feet from the P. C. of a 1 deg curve to the right, at the center line of the road.

THENCE along the North right of way line of said State F. M. Road No. 1515 and along the curve a distance of 445.0 feet to a point where the said North right of way line intersects the North line of said Survey No. 9 and the South line of said Survey No. 14, Block 412.

THENCE N 73 deg 40' E along the North line of said Survey No. 9 and South line of said Survey No. 14 a distance of 66,8 feet to the place of BEGIN-NING.

at public auction at the courthouse door of Upton County, Texas on the First Tuesday in April, same being April 4, 1972, between the hours of 10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. Levy on said property to satisfy Plaintiff's debt in the above entitled and numbered cause as set forth in said judgment and order of sale made this 2nd day of March, 1972.

SHERIFF UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

BY: (s) H. E. ECKOLS

# NOTICE

# All Vehicles Must Be Regist Prior To April 1, 1972

LICENSES MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE TAX & OFFICE IN RANKIN AND AT THE McCAMEY STION DAILY MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY.

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# H. E. "Gene" Eck

Upton County Tax Assessor-Collector

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R. L. Bell, Neighborhood Commissioner of Scouting, presented appreciation awards to Mr. J. L. Johnson, T. J. Kendrick, Don Peters, Lee Casey, Burl Pringle and Tharp. The highest award, "Scouters Wife Award" went to Mrs. Hazel Kendrick and Mrs. Loma Surber.

Den mothers and assistants receiving "Appreciation Awards" included Mrs. Nelda Johnson, Mrs. Joyce Latham and Mrs. Caroline Kenney. Award for "Den Leader Coach" was presented to Mrs. Kendrick and Mr. Kendrick received an award as Committee Chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick are retiring after five years of service. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are to replace them.

Mrs. Ann Kelley and Mrs. Karen Bains were recognized as new Den Mother and Assistant Den Mother of Den I.

Mr. Eugene Upshaw, Juvenile Probation Officer, was guest speaker. Special guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Langford, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tankersley and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Exum. Mrs. Langford represented the Rankin Rebekah Lodge, the sponsoring agent of the Cub Scouts in Rankin.

### Library Notes

New fiction on our shelves:
"Don't Cry, Little Sister," by
Jeannette Letton; "Listen for the
Whisper," by Phyllis Whitney;
"Greek Wedding and Savannah
Purchase", by Jane Aiken Hodge;

"The Peaceable Kingdom," by Jan de Hartog; "Nixon Recession Caper," by Ralph Maloney.

In non-fiction: "Bury My Heart atWounded Knee," by D. Brown; "In the Shadow of Man," by Jane Goodall; "Beyond Freedom and Dignity," by B. F. Skinner; and "I Play to Win — Freddie Steinmark and a Short Season—Brian Piccolo," the lives of two courageous football players.

We are very proud of our copy of "The American Cowboy," the new National Geographic publication. This is the complimentary that Tommy Sheffield received and donated to the library. Tommy is a well-known rodeo clown and a native Rankinite. He works the RCA rodeo tour all over the United States and parts of Canada and has received numerous write-ups in magazines and news papers.

## Ann Kelley Hosts Omicron Tau Meet

Omicron Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Ann Kelley, Monday, March 13. "The Beauty of Speech" was the program topic and was given by Marilyn Workman and Barbara Peterson, members of the Rankin High School Speech Class.

Marilyn presented a prose reading entitled "Christmas Morning" by Frank O'Connor, A poem entitled "The Man With the Broken Finger" by Carl Sandburg was presented by Barbara,

After the program, a presentation or open meeting was conducted to familiarize guests with Beta Sigma Phi and the local chapter. Guests other than the students were Elaine Stone, Pam Dunnam, Jane Neal and Deanna Kennedy.

#### School Menu

MARCH 27-30

#### BREAKFAST

MONDAY

Hot Cinnamon Roll, Oatmeal or Cold Cereal, Pears

#### TUESDAY

Pancakes, Syrup, Sausage, Apple or Orange

#### WEDNESDAY

Hot Doughnuts, Cold Cereal, Apple Sauce

#### THURSDAY

Buttered Toast, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Jelly, Grapefruit sections

- OUT FOR EASTER -

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal .

#### LUNCH

#### MONDAY

Tossed Salad, Swiss Steak, Candied Yams, Green Beans, Hot
Light Bread, Strawberry or
Pineapple Tarts

#### TUESDAY

Onions and Pickles, Barbecued Chicken, Pinto Beans, Potato Salad, Hot Light Bread, Apple or Orange

#### WEDNESDAY

Celery Sticks, Glazed Ham, Cream Gravy, Whipped Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Light Bread, Pears

#### THURSDAY

Hamburgers, French Fries, Ice Box Cookies, Chocolate Rabbits

- OUT FOR EASTER -

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.



# "Call Station-to-Station and Save."



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# Rankinite is Delegate to International Meet

Roy Dirickson will be one of the six members of the Legion Ritual Staff to represent the State of Texas in the International Ritual Competition at Kenspoint, Tennessee on March 24. The team represents the Odessa Loyal Order of Moose Lodge.

The state competition, held in February, was a victory of large proportions for the Odessa team. Dirickson won one of the three first place individual awards taken by Odessa.

Main duty of the Ritual Staff is to install new members and help them become aware of the goals, aims and responsibilities of the Order. The group will leave Odessa, Wednesday, driving to the Tennessee city. They will return Sunday.

A second round of state competition in which the Ritual Staff is to compete will be held in April in San Antonio. Winners there will go to Florida later in the year for another International affair.

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# **Demos Hold Ballot Slot Drawings**

Members of the Upton County Democratic Executive Committee met at 7:30 p.m., Monday, March 20 in the Commissioners Court room at the courthouse in Rankin. Jack Knox, Upton County Chairman of the Democratic Party, presided at the session.

Precinct chairmen, all present, included David Binkley, Precinct 1; Dunn Lowery, Precinct 2; Raymond Brooks, Precinct 3; and Lloyd McKinney, Precince 4. Mrs. H. W. Vick is secretary of the committee.

One of the first orders of busi-

## Court Lets Two Bids in Monday Meeting

Meeting in a short special session last Monday, March 20, the Upton Commissioners Court voted to accept two bids.

On motion by Commissioner Fletcher, seconded by Commissioner LaQuey, the bid of the Carl Sewell Motor Company in the amount of \$2,414.17 was accepted for the purchase of a new 1972 half ton pick up. The bid included a trade-in.

On a motion by Commissioner Wheeler, seconded by Commissioner Workman, the Court voted to accept the bid of Hubbard Olds, Cadillac Company in the amount of \$3,128, including a trade-in, for the purchase of a 1972 Olds Delta Town Sedan for the Sheriff's office.

The court then recessed until 10 a.m., March 27. ness to come before the committee was the drawing for places on the upcoming May 6 Primary Election ballot. First to be drawn was the Commissioner's Race in Precinct 1, with the following order resulting:

H Wheeler
Bob Whisman
Shank Bloxom
C. G. Taylor
Hazel Yocham
Doc Adams

The next drawing was for Commissioner in Precinct 3. With only two running, B. A. Epley was drawn for the top spot, followed by the incumbent, Kenneth La-Ouev.

S. O. Langford was drawn at the top position in the two - man race for Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector. Pete Bearden is the other candidate in the race.

For District Attorney, 83rd Judicial District, Aubrey Edwards is to head the ballot in Upton County with Alex R. Gonzalez, to follow. Charles Prock was drawn to the poll position in the D. A. race in the 112th District, followed by the incumbent, Dixon Mahon. In district races, each county draws their own order, thus it is possible for the order in these two races to change from county to county.

Among the matters that followed the ballot drawings was the designation of time and places for the Precinct conventions and the County convention. All Precinct conventions are to be held at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, May 6 — date of the election. The County convention will follow one week later, to be held at 2:30 p.m. in the District Courtroom, Upton County

### School Board has Routine Session

In their regular meeting, held Tuesday, March 14, the Rankin School Board attended mostly to routine matters, meeting with Mr. Jack Brown, representative of E. K. Dunbar Co., on matters relating to the sale of school bonds.

Contracts were extended to all present teaching personnel with two exceptions.

The Board agreed to meet at a later date to work out final plans on renovations proposed to school facilities. Among these is the air conditioning of buildings with two methods currently being considered, one being installation of individual room units, the other calling for large master units to be installed on the roof.

Further consideration is also being given on how best to establish additional practice areas, primarily for football. Again, two possible plans are said to be under study. One would be to build a new field with the site under consideration being on school owned property near the high school. An alternate would be to enlarge the regular field located south of Highway 67.

ourthouse, May 13.

Precinct convention sites will be: No. 1, Commissioners Court room; No. 2, Rankin Park Building; No. 3, McCamey Park Building; and No. 4, McCamey Elementary School Auditorium.

Election judges and their assistants appointed by the Committee include Mrs. Sam Holmes, Precinct 1, Mrs. Boyd Cox, assistant; Precinct 2, Mrs. Ross Wheeler, judge, Mrs. Hamp Carter, assistant; Precinct 3, F. W. Payne, judge, Mrs. Dee Locklin, assistant; Precinct 4, Geneva Sumrall, judge, and Lloyd McKinney, assistant.

Each judge will select the clerks needed for holding the election.

The absentee canvassing board is to be composed of Mrs. Clint Shaw, R. L. Bell, Royce Burnett and Frank Mathews.

### The Rankin (Te Thursday, March

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Candidates presents ion included Hase Wheeler, Shank & Bearden, S. O. Land Menefee, running County Attorney.



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Red Devils --

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The old mark, at 3:33.7, was set in 1968 by Sudan. Other members of the mile relay were Greg Copeland, Brad Winn and Jack Camp-

On the 440 relay team composed of Bart Collins, Billy Eggemeyer, Ronnie Johnson and Tom Bloxom, another record was posted when they made the tour

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For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

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For State Representative; 68th District of Texas:

Tom Craddick (Re-election)

Bloxom tied the 220 record set in '68 with a time of 23 flat.

Along the way, various members of the team added points with a number of seconds, etc. One of these, a second in the mile run by Ernest Black with a time of 4:56.5;3, tied the old record; however, it was bested when a Cooper miler posted a new mark at

### Golf Play --

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Defending champion is a team from Midland Lee, John Hammit and John Adams, who posted a five-under 67 last year to win the 17-18 year old bracket. In the 15-16 age group, an even par 72 took the win, also by a Midland Lee twosome.

A Big Like team of Mark Edwards and Monte Barnes marked a 78 to win the 13-14 bracket, and a McCamey team of Tommy Harper and Alan Coe carded an 81 for a win in the 12 and under.

A total of thirty-four teams entered last year and an equally good field is expected Saturday.

### RHS Speech Team Takes a First Place

Rankin High School speech students won first place honors in the Buena Vista Speech Tournament held March 17. Those who participated and their placings include:

Girls Prose: Patty Byford, first; Marilyn Workman, second

Boys Prose: Ardon Lee, third Girls Poetry: Audrey Braden, first

Boys Poetry: Mark Russom, second; Carl Gfeller, third

Informative Speaking (Girls)

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Bonnie Stewart, first, Donna Welch, second

Informative Speaking (Boys): Mark Wheeler, first; Terry Butler,

Persuasive Speaking (Girls): Lois Crawford, second, Carol Brandt, third

Persuasive Speaking (Boys): David Weinkauf, third

Debate: Robbie Mobley and Ricki McAlister, second.

Also participating were Barbara Peterson and Eric Fitzhugh. Mrs. Paula Corder is the director and sponsor of these activities.

### Absentee Votes --

Absentee votes cast as of 1:15 Wednesday: City, 23; school, 26. Tuesday is deadline for absentee.



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