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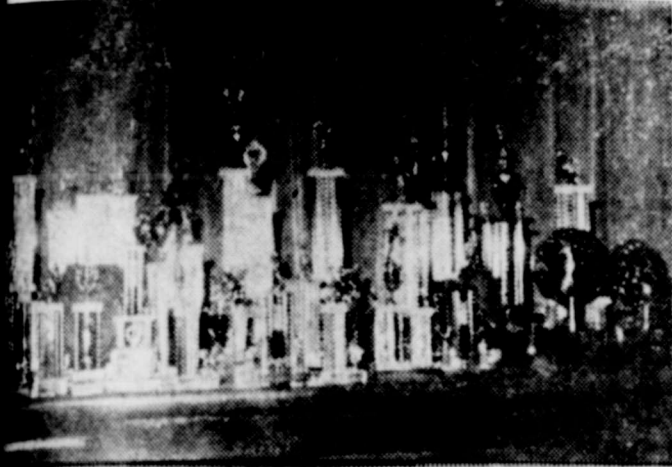
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RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1973

That's a Lot of Loot



A portion of the forty trophies and plaques, including that of a State Golf Championship, are pictured above. Presented Thursday by members of groups who helped amass them, represents that largest number of awards ever put in the RHS case in one season. More pictures are on Page 6.

Eighth Grade Promotions will be Held Thursday

Promotion exercises for Rankin Junior High School's 8th Grade are to be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, May 24. Twenty-five boys and 18 girls are on the graduating list.

For the boys, there will be Robert Eladio Alvarado, Michael C. Barton, Cody Mood Bell III, Sherwin Lynn Evans, Dan Word Garlington, Robert Dwain Gibson.

John Boyd Hall, Ricky Don Hewett, Dicky Ray Kelley, Roy Brooks, Kendrick, James Edwin Langford, David Jay Latham.

Randy Mitchell McAlister, Tommy Dale McCutchen, Morris Earl McKenzie, Jr., Anthony Charles Mathews, Max Alan Sides, Clarke

Dwayne Turner, Michael Anthony Vick, Donald Braxton Vickers, Jr., Cary Wayne Walker, Don Lewis Warren, Rodd Wayne Wheeler, Russell Rale Wimberley, and Thomas Boyd Wimberley.

Girls to be promoted are Cheryl Kay Bearden, Beatriz Sacuedo Cervantes, D'Ann Garlington, Beverly Ann Holescher, Tamara Kay Johnson, Judy Jolene Loftin.

Kimberley Elaine Martin, Sylvia Martinez, Beth Marlene Mobley, Kathryn Merle O'Dell, Teresa Ann Plagens, Patricia Elaine Pruet, Paulette Quick, Dena Dianne Reams,

Phyllis Ann Sobotik, Catherine Jeanette Weinkauf, Janie Ruth

Welch and Tammy Jane Wilkerson.

Among the features of the exercises will be musical selections by the Junior High Band under the direction of Gordon Shultz.

Candystripers Get Ready for Annual Summer Program

Rankin Hospital Auxiliary held a meeting Thursday, May 17 in the conference room of the hospital for prospective Candy Stripers and auxiliary members who will supervise the girls during the summer program. Mrs. Janice Hyatt, director of Junior Volunteers, presided. Mrs. F. W. Payne, chief nurses, instructed the new recruits on the duties of the Candy Stripers and conducted a tour of all the hospital facilities.

The program will begin June 1st and continue through the month of August. All high school girls from freshman age through seniors, who wish to participate in the program are eligible. Hours can be worked out. Interested persons should contact Mrs. Hyatt.

Prospective Candy Stripers to date are Ann Warren, Pansy Peterson, Teresa Johnson and Rose Marie Kelley.

83rd Grand Jury taps

Five on Assult Rape

Among proceedings this week in the 83rd District Court Grand Jury session was the returning of five indictments involving assault with intent to rape. The incident relating to the charges is said to have occurred during the recent AJRA Rodeo held in Rankin. The alleged victims were two teenage girls, not connected with the AJRA nor entered in the rodeo.

Sheriff S. O. "Sid" Langford has said that two of those charged, Terry Price and Jay Hurt, have been arrested and are currently free on \$10,000 bond. He said that he expect to arrest Billy Braswell and James Ward today. The fifth man, living out of states, is expected to be served shortly and extradition proceedings began to get him back to Texas for trial.

Ole Swimming Hole

Open Here on Friday

Rankin Swimming Pool will begin operations for the summer at 2 pm Friday, May 25. Hours at the pool will be from 2 until 6 p. m. daily. Bubba Sullivan is manager and Ronny Johnson is the life guard.

As yet, the concession stand arrangements have not been worked out and anyone interested in operating the concessions—for whatever profits they can make—are to contact Commissioner Tommy Workman.

Annual 4-H All Kid Video here June 1-2

Annual Upton County 4-H Rodeo and Horse Show held June 1st and 2nd. Performances will begin at 8 p.m. nightly.

Horse Show will be Saturday beginning at 9 a.m. Books at 8:30 a.m. Saturday. Rodeo deadline is Friday, June 1st.

Parade will be promptly at 5:30 p.m. with all entries to meet at Rankin Park Building at 5:30 p.m. Prizes for best individual, best team, and best riding group (sum of 6 to a group) will be awarded.

Jake Shipp will again serve as arena director with Tommy Owens and Alfred Helmers as judges. Bud Poage and Jim Neal will be flag judges and Bob Burns is to be the clown.

Timekeepers are Bob Halford and Grimm Taylor while Mesdames Owens Dot Sullivan and Vicki Ratliff are bookkeepers. Betty Neal and Roy Dirickson are judging the Queen Contest.

Horseshow officials will see Mrs. Lewis Moore as judge and Mesdames Billy Rankin, Dirickson and Bob Stewart, bookkeepers.

Ring Stewart is Ellis Helmers, assisted by Mr. Stewart.

Local Scholarship Winners Named in Class of '73

Commencement exercises held last night at Rankin High School, a total of six local scholarships, plus the American Legion award, Magna Cum Laude and Cum Laude awards went to members of the Graduating Class of 1973.

Named as winners of the American Legion Awards were Kathy Helms and Mable Mobley. Winner of the Rankin Study Scholarship was Ken Hamilton. Bodie Cole received the Rankin Lions Club's scholarship. Bart Collins received the Rankin Hospital Auxiliary's scholarship. Bart Collins received the Rankin Booster Club's scholarship, and Lois Davis was chosen for the local TSTA scholarship.

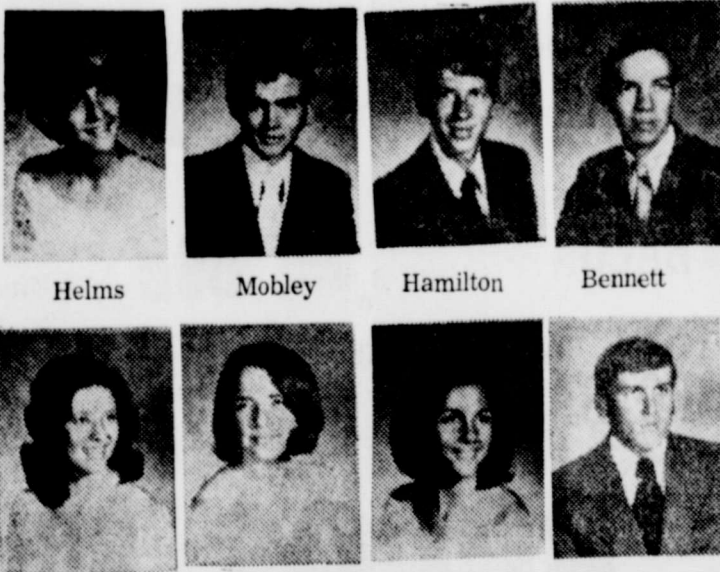
In addition to the local awards, other students received scholarships for their academic standings including the Valedictorian, Audrey Braden, and the Salutatorian, Nita Page. They

along with Lynn Jackson, were graduated Magna Cum Laude — with highest honors.

Graduated Cum Laude were Billy Eggemeyer, Kathy Helms, Monica

Davis, Lois Crawford, Audrey McFadden, Murray Golson and Steve McSpadden.

A total of 33 received their RHS graduation certificates in the exercises.



Helms

Mobley

Hamilton

Bennett

Cole

Crawford

Wilkerson

Collins

A PROCLAMATION

By The Mayor Of

The City of Rankin

The number of captive Americans recently released by the Communists is only 30 percent of those who are listed by our government as prisoners of war or missing in action (POW MIA). The other 70 percent, or more than 1350 men, have not been accounted for by the Communist.

The families of these 1350 missing men can never experience a moment of peace until they know the fate of their loved ones. The mustering of public opinion and support of our officials in Washington on this issue is foreseen as a means toward achieving the disclosure of the whereabouts and circumstances pertaining to our unaccounted Americans; and representatives of POW MIA organizations have asked the Mayors to proclaim the day of June 3, 1973, as

NATIONAL MIA DAY IN RANKIN

NOW THEREFORE, I, J. B. Pettit, Jr., Mayor of the City of Rankin, do hereby proclaim the day of June 3, 1973, as "National MIA Day." I call upon all citizens to rally to the purpose of the day, and express their support to our national leaders in their efforts to clear up this matter. The Churches are asked to remember these missing men and their families in their services, and, also, to elicit concern nationwide and world-wide up through their highest councils. Let these men not be forgotten.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office this 24th day of May, 1973.

(s) J. B. Pettit, Jr.
Mayor
City of Rankin, Texas

(SEAL)

THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

TRY IT—

At the present time one of the topics of conversation that is going about has to do with acupuncture—the sticking in needles into people to kill pain. It's even said that this method can be used in surgery and the patient will suffer no pain.

I suspect that there is at least one person in Rankin who, at the present time, would like to do a little practicing on sticking very long pins and needles—preferably very dull ones—into me. In last week's issue of The News there was a classified ad run offering a most attractive buy on two air conditioners

It listed a local telephone number and the papers were hardly off the press before the telephone began ringing, and ringing, and ringing—and it rang right on thru the week-end. The only hitch was, somebody in the News office had got the wrong phone number in the paper. Instead of the party

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who had listed the air conditioners for sale. I got the Jim Wells' number.

Now all this didn't bother ole Jim too much since he was either at work or out on the golf course—which I too found to be a safe haven. However, as I understand it, Mrs. Wells was not at all carried away with the situation and had a few quaint re-

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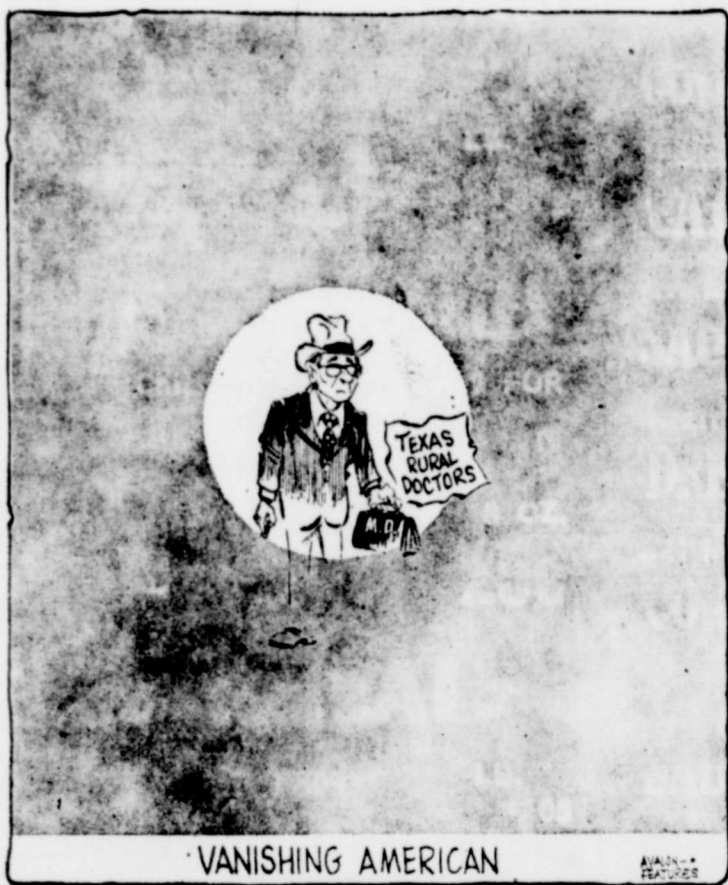
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I will go along. However, as we all know from reading our daily newspapers, it's the job of the press to tell it like it is and you

are not going to catch me being the only newspaper in the country that can't come up with something.

This report tells all the nice things that have happened. It does not bring out some of the not-so-nice with the exception of mentioning that the district has lost \$10 million in value in only five years. In addition, enrollment has dropped, despite the addition of a Kindergarter, and from all indications, it will continue to do so. We may well be back in Class B before five more years go by.

And despite all this, the annual school budget continues to gain—partly from built-in increases in cost, partly because of inflation. In any case, it's taking more and more to educate less and less

students. Also, as noted by the visiting team from the Southern Association, we're very weak in Vocational Training for our students who do not plan to attend college.

And, as a final summation of the counterpoint side, we have not yet beat Sonora in football. Of course they managed to wiggle out of playing us last year.

As for Mr. Adams, I would say, as have many others, few if any people would have given it the effort he has since he learned that he would not be back next year. He has — if anything—been stronger in his efforts to boost Rankin School and has not let up one bit in his civic duties.

That's a pretty high mark for any man.

Engagement Told



JAN BASHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ed Basham of Big Lake announce the engagement of their daughter, Jan, to Ronald Gene Weinkauf, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Weinkauf of Rankin.

Miss Basham is a student in Big Lake High School. Weinkauf is a 1971 graduate of Rankin High.

RHS Graduate to A & M Vet School



Diane Day, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dub Day of Rankin, has been notified that she has been accepted in the A & M University's Veterinary School. She will transfer from Tarleton at the beginning of the fall term in September.

Miss Day, an RHS graduate, has attended Tarleton for the past two years and will be one of only 128 students—out of an original 700 applicants—accepted in the Vet School at A & M. Currently, there are only 14 women in the school.



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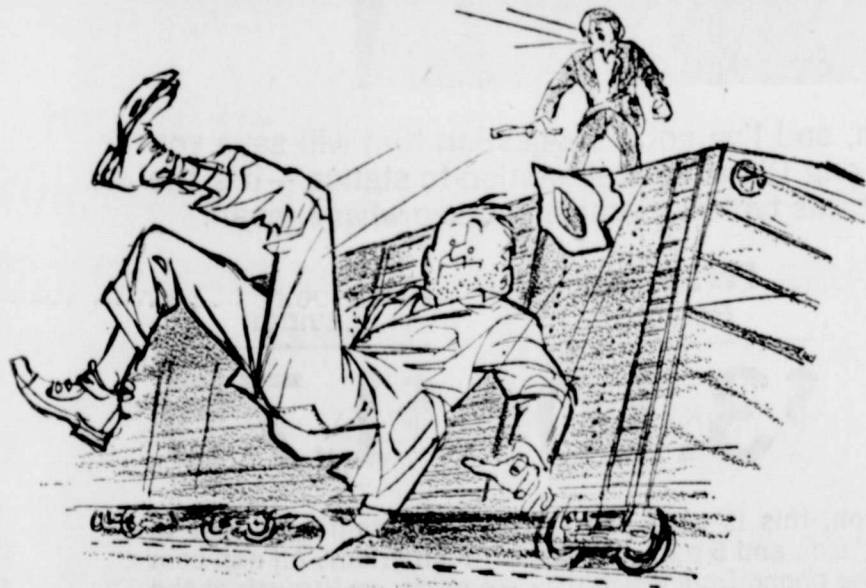


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Awards Assembly Held Last Thursday by Junior High School

Last Thursday, May 17, an Awards Assembly was held by the Rankin Junior High School. Honor roll certificates for being on each of the 1972-73 rolls went to:

6th Grade: Richard Barrett, Lerii Fitzhugh, Teresa Koen and Donna Miller;

7th Grade: David Bean, Randy Doege, Jamie Gossett, and Terri Swaim;

8th Grade: Chris Barton, John B. Hall, Roy Kendrick, Tony Mathews, Kathy O'Dell, Teresa Plagens, Phyllis Sobotik, and Russell Wimberley.

The following students received prompt and regular attendance awards:

5th Grade: Richard Armendarez, Charles Cowen, Carl Feuge, Karrie Ratliff, Kim Ratliff, Kin Rose, Scott Russom, and Ronda Shankle;

6th Grade: Richard Barrett, John Bell, Shelley Edge, Kim Kidd and Brent Wrinkle;

7th Grade: Jimmy Armendarez, Randy Doege, Sharon McAlister, Janice Midkiff, Joyce Plagens, Tammy Rose, Kristi Russom, and Jamie Tiemann;

8th Grade: Cheryl Bearden, Beatriz Cervantes, D'Ann Garlington, Beverly Hoelscher, Roy Kendrick, Tommy McCutchen, Tony Mathews, Maren Mobley, Teresa Plagens, Patti Pruett, Dena Reams, Mike Vick, Janie Welch, and Russell Wimberley.

Reading certificates were issued to:

5th Grade: Kim Matliff, Karrie Ratliff, Paige McMullan, Kim Rose, Carl Feuge;

6th Grade: Cindy Wollman, Teresa Koen, Donna Miller, Richard Barrett, Victoria Abalos, Paula Humphries, Christi Tankersley, Kathy Shipp, Dianna Pina, Lerii Fitzhugh, Kim Kidd, Karen Johnson, Rusty Lee, Brent Collins, Shelley Edge, Terry Hastings, Lyn Mitchell, Robbie Reams, John Bell, Susie Taylor;

7th Grade: Sandy Stephenson, Kristi Russom and Jamie Gos-

sett;
8th Grade: Patti Pruett, Teresa Plagens, Phyllis Sobotik, Dena Reams, Janie Welch, Katta Weinkauff, Kathy O'Dell, and Beverly Hoelscher.

Junior High School Picks '73-'74 Groups

In tryouts held recently in Rankin Junior High, twirlers, drum major and cheerleaders were determined for the 1973-74 school term. They are as follows:

Twirlers: Shelley Edge, Lerii Fitzhugh, Donna Millery, Penny Batchelor, Joyce Plagens and Sandy Stephenson.

Drum major: Karen Johnson

Cheerleaders: Teresa Koen, Kim Kidd, Kristi Russom and Jamie Tiemann.



LETTERS To The Editor

Scoop.

You may print this anywhere you like but I think it deserves front page just as much as any of our competitive sports do.

I have just come from the Rankin Band Concert where both our junior high and senior high band played a "pop" concert for us.

I would just like to say that I think we have some of the finest band students I've ever listened to and I came from a big city, Class 4A, where we had a good band but not nearly as good as ours here in Rankin.

Let me say a special thanks

should go to Mr. Gordon Shultz. He has really done a swell job with our kids. They are really with it in every way. I'm just proud my daughter has him as her teacher.

We have lots to be proud of here in Rankin but most our good schools and faculty.

Thanks.

(s) Betty Mullis

(Ed.: This was turned in last Tuesday and I carried it in my hip pocket for a couple of days—but that, in no way, distracts

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from the sentiments of sentiments shared by in Rankin. As for from often put band doings t don't think I've ever "Letter to the Editor" but I may, sometime.

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Year Report on Rankin Schools Made at Board Meeting

At a recent meeting of the School Board, the following report was submitted by Supt. [Name] and covers accomplishments and or changes or improvements in Rankin Schools in five years.

Established Central Elementary and carpeted the area.

Rankin Schools became a member of West Texas Education Association to share in supplemental and other educational ser-

vice. Purchased activity bus for extra curricular activities.

Established one of the first breakfast programs for children in West Texas Public

Schools. extended first luncheonette service to Rankin students enabling them to order short orders.

5. Improved track facilities by installing permanent resillite track surface and fenced in track area.

6. Installed new lighting for all classrooms and library facilities.

7. Purchased new stoves, ovens and other all electric equipment to modernize cafeteria kitchen.

8. Established inservice program for professional staff.

9. Installed all electric comfort control heating and refrigerated cooling for all classrooms and

library facilities.

10. Purchased two buses and station wagon for transportation department.

11. Added new major school equipment to Science, Commercial, Music and Vocational departments (homemaking, industrial arts.)

12. Separated Business / Tax Office from Administration building with Superintendent taking the responsibility of maintenance, custodians and bus transportation departments.

13. Maintained harmony between administration, teachers, and auxiliary.

14. Established adult education program for Rankin School community.

15. Purchased new video tape equipment and established use of video taped educational programs for Elementary school.

16. Established Kindergarten program in Rankin Schools, extending the program to all 5 year old pupils.

17. Employed delinquent tax attorney for the collection of delinquent taxes.

18. With help of Booster Club, added new gym "muscle builders set" for P. E. department.

19. Reduced the school budget to stay within tax monies collectible after district value dropped \$10 million.

20. Developed new program in Drug Education K-12, and revised all courses of study by grade level or subject area.

21. Employed architect to draw plans for new gym-dressing room facility for P. E.

22. Began and completed self-evaluation program in preparation for Southern Association visit in 1973. (The visiting committee recommended unanimously the Rankin School System for continued membership in the Southern Association.)

23. Maintained \$1000 salary schedule for teachers above State minimum foundation salary schedule

24. Established N.Y.C. program for Rankin students from low-in-

come families, to assist these students with part-time jobs, enabling them to stay in school.

25. Revised professional growth policy for professional staff.

26. Established practice teacher training program through Sul Ross State University.

27. Maintained a balanced extra curricular activity program through participating in UIL activities.

28. Have not lost a football varsity game to McCamey.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Rankin, Upton County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m., beginning on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1973, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Upton County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1973, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

(s) Buena R. Coffee
County Clerk
Upton County, Texas

Upton County,
Rankin, Texas
THIS 14 day of May, 1973.

Notice to Property Owners Over Age 65

The Commissioners Court of Upton County and the Board of Directors of the Rankin County Hospital District have passed an Order to exempt Ad Valorem Tax rendered in the sum of \$3,000 assessed on Homestead Property.

If the Husband OR the Wife is 65 prior to January 1, of the year assessed, they are entitled to this exemption.

YOU MUST RENDER THIS PROPERTY BEFORE MAY 30, 1973, TO GET THIS YEARS EXEMPTION. THIS MAY BE DONE AT THE TAX OFFICE AT THE COURTHOUSE IN RANKIN OR THE SUB-STATION IN McCAMEY.

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Awards Assembly Held at Rankin High School

In a special awards assembly held last Tuesday at 2 p.m. by Rankin High School, some forty trophies won this year in athletic and scholastic endeavors were presented to Student Body President Murray Golson, acting on behalf of RHS. The largest number of trophies were garnered by the track team, followed by the state champion golf team.

Pictured below are some of the trophies and those who made the presentations.

In addition, special awards went to a number of individual students among these being Neither Absent Nor Tardy:

Seniors: Billy Eggemeyer and Lynn Jackson;

Juniors: Greg Copeland, Gay Garlington and Brenda Holub;

Sophomores: Curtis Copeland, Gary Dupriest, Billy Helms, Bobby Johnson, Jim Bob Kelley, Victor Love, Roby Mobley, Freddy Plagens, Mark Russom and Randy Schmidt; and.

Freshmen: Gehrig Feuge, Bryan Henry Tommy Johnson and Jimmy Martines.

State Contestant Awards: Seniors: Audrey Braden, Bart Collins, Billy Eggemeyer, Hal Hutchens, Ronny Johnson, Audrey McFadden and Terry Stephenson;

Juniors: Greg Copeland, Tommy Gray, Terry Lester, Jimmy Mathews and Brand Winn; and,

Freshman: Gary Varnadore.

Honor Roll Awards went to the following:

Seniors: Audrey Braden, Lois

Crawford, Monica Davis, Billy Eggemeyer, Murry Golson, Kathy Helms, Lynn Jackson, Audrey McFadden, Steve McSpadden, and Nita Page;

Juniors: Marilyn Braden, Greg Copeland, Jimmy Eggemeyer, Gay Garlington, Gina Harris, Jimmy J. Mathews, Ria Reams, Joann Sullivan, and Angela Vick;

Sophomores: Curtis Copeland.

Wedding Saturday

All friends of Donna Welch and Larry Holder are invited to attend their wedding. Date is Saturday, May 26 at 7 p.m. at Midkiff First Baptist Church.

BRIDE'S BOOKS, wedding announcements and shower invitations at the Rankin News.

Gary Dupriest, Billy Helms, Bobby Johnson, Sherry Page, & Mark Wheeler; and.

Freshmen: Sara Barrett, Feuge, Hugh Jackson, Cathwin and Kirby Shipp.



STATE CHAMPS, Stephenson, Hutchens, Lester, Varnadore, Gray present 7 Golf Awards for the year



CATHY JOHNSON makes presentation of Girls Track Trophy



OVERALL DISTRICT 6-A Trophy, presented by JIMMY EGGEMEYER to Golson



Merit Awards go to Terry Lester, Greg Copeland, Billy Eggemeyer, Audrey Braden, Angela Vick, Jo Sullivan, A. Mc



DEBBIE WINTERS presents Girls Basketball Award to Golson



RONNY JOHNSON, BILLY EGGEMEYER, BART COLLINS, GOLSON and Track Trophies



KIM PRICE, BILLY EGGEMEYER AND GOLSON with Football Trophies awarded this year



Robert Sigmon gets Pep Squad Award from Kathy Helms



RANDY BRADEN, BODIE BENNETT AND STEVE McSPADDEN present Basketball Trophies



AUDREY MCFADDEN, LEE ORA HERRINGTON, BOB STEWART & AUDREY BRADEN present Literary Tro

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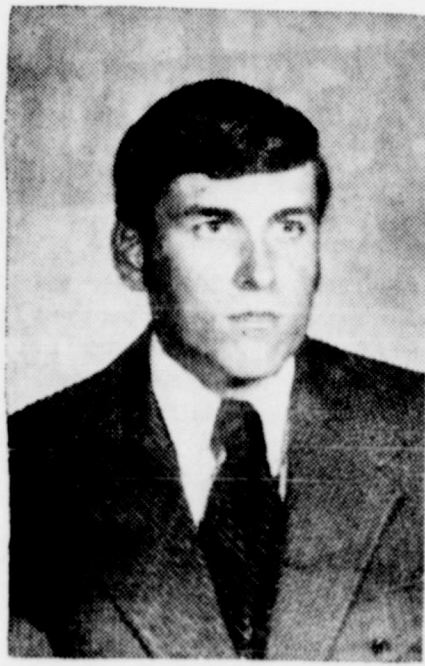
hours for Rankin Library May 29 are as follows:

to 11:30 a.m.; 2 pm to 5 pm on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday;

1:30 a.m. to 8 pm on Saturday & Sunday. Closed Saturday & Sunday.

Summer reading program is next Tuesday, each child entered on a Reading Log for the State Library. If at least 12 books during vacation, he will receive certificate signed by the librarian.

at the Rankin Library for information.



BART COLLINS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Collins of Rankin, has accepted a scholarship with Sul Ross in Alpine where he will play football and run track. Collins was

the top kicker in football of all West Texas school last fall

Collins is the second member of the 1972-73 Red Devils to sign with the Lobos, Murray Golson, a back and defensive player, having previously signed.

Hospital Notes

Dennis Weatherly, McCamey, admitted May 21.

Mrs. Lottie Haning, McCamey, admitted May 21.

Mrs. T. C. King, Rankin, admitted May 20.

Mrs. Steve Vickers, Rankin, admitted May 20.

RHS Has 2 Winners in Soil Essay Contest

Two RHS students, Junior Joann Sullivan, and Senior Audrey McFadden, were recently named as having placed in the Concho Valley Soil Conservation District's essay contest.

Miss McFadden was second and Miss Sullivan, third. They received

plaques for their accomplishments. This marked the second year for Miss McFadden to be among the top winners in the contest.

mitted May 20, dismissed on May 22.

Mrs. W. O. Adams, Rankin, admitted May 17, dismissed May 19.

Mrs. Harold Pritchard, Crane, admitted May 17, dismissed May 18.

John Gates, Crane, admitted on May 15, dismissed May 16.

Mr. William Jackson, Big Lake, admitted May 15.

Mrs. Roy Spratt, McCamey, admitted May 15.

Mrs. Billy F. Kennedy, Crane, admitted May 14, dismissed May 18.

Baby Girl Kennedy, born May 15, dismissed May 18.

Vicky Hill, Rankin, admitted on May 14, dismissed May 18.

Bessie Land, McCamey, admitted May 11.

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ted April 25.

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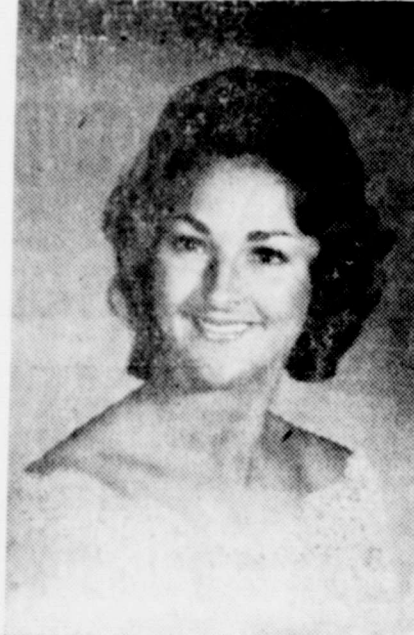
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