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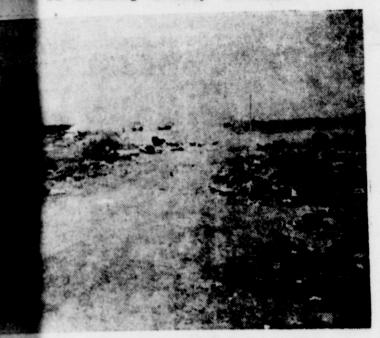
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RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1974

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the road. County bulldozers must be moved to the area almost every week and the debris pushed toward the back of the dump.

"This is an added expense to the taxpayers and could easily be avoided." Adams said.

It is requested that those who haul trash, tree limbs or whatever to the dump grounds, unload their hauls at the far south end of the site. Also, that all dumping be done on the left of the road going into the grounds and that no items be piled up in or along the roadways.

"We're not fussing with anyone," the Commissioner pointed
out; "but with just a little help
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School Board Race Draws the Most Candidates

With a midnight deadline of Wednesday facing them for filing, it appeared that Rankin Schools would get most of the action in upcoming April 6 elections. Two

Booster Scholarship Voting Underway

Voting for the Booster Club's Scholarship has now started and will continue through April 1. Ballots are available at the Rankin Drug Store. A ballot box will also be at the store, along with a list of all eligible seniors attached.

Ballots may either be placed in the box or mailed to Barbara Mc-Spadden, Jimmy Lee, or mailed to the Booster Club. All ballots must be signed.

Flea Market Set for Rankin Country Club

Ways and Means chairman Mrs. Ann Kelley has announced that Rankin Country Club will sponsor a flea market at the club Sunday afternoon, March 31. It is to open to the public at 1 p.m. and will run through 6 p.m.

Mrs. Kelley has issued an invitation for all parties interested in securing booth space at the sale to contact her at 693-2867 or 693-8817. Mrs. Kelley says she expects spaces to go reasonably fast as they have been offered to interested persons or groups in Big Lake, McCamey, Crane and Iraan as well as in Rankin.

"We are going to give the flea market wide publicity," she noted, "and we expect to have a good turn-out. We'd advise those wanting booths to act promptly since space is limited."

new candidates had filed as of Wednesday morning, Don Vickers and Sam Fitzhugh, giving the RISD ballot six names for the two seats open.

Other school candidates are incumbents Dr. J. D. Gossett and

School Asks Help on Knobb Hill Field

Rankin School administration is respectfully requesting cooperation from the patrons and youth of the community in regard to the use of the school's track facilities and practice football field,

Recently twelve inches of new soil was placed on the infield of the track area and school officials are preparing it for grass seeding to grow turf for a suitable practice football field. Either by accident or on purpose, there have recevitly been several instances in which considerable damage has been sustained to the newly prepared seedbed by people walking through wet areas.

It is requested that all those using the track facilities — and this includes students— to please stay off the infield and not to move any of the sprinklers or watering equipment.

Historical Society to Meet on March 10

Upton County Historical Society has scheduled a meeting in the educational building of the United Methodist Church in Rankin for Sunday, March 10. Time is to be at 2:30 p.m.

Guest speaker for the afternoon is slated to be Mr. Sam Fitz-hugh. His topic will be a discussion on plants and trees of this immediate area.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Notices

Rankin High School's Speech Department needs to borrow a love seat for their one-act play. Anyone having a seat they would loan is asked to call the principal's office at 693-2351.

Due to the law suit filed Tuesday by the Humane Society, the demonstration and certification of use of the M-44 predator control gun, scheduled for next Tuesday, has been postponed.

There will be a meeting to demon trate pruning and training of young pecan trees and a talk about fertilizing and care of trees, Monday, March 11 at 5:30 p.m. at the Doc Adams residence, 210 8th Street.

Lloyd Helms, and Mrs. Ann Kelley and Phillip West. There were no new names at the City or Hospital offices at press time.

Vickers, a graduate of RHS who moved back to Rankin last year, is employed by Union Texas Petroleum. Fitzhugh, who operates a water well drilling and service firm here, is well known in Rankin and told the News that he was making the race "because I plan to be around Rankin far quite some time and have a deep and abiding interest in our schools and the community."

Forty-Three Named to RHS Honor Roll

Forty-seven students have been listed on the Fourth Six Weeks Honor Roll at Rankin High School. Sixteen are seniors, fifteen are juniors, six are sophomores and six are freshmen.

Two juniors, Curtis Copeland and Billy Helms, both with 98.75 averages, led the roll. Top senior was Jimmy Eggemeyer with 95.6, while Sarah Barrett at 97 was the sophomore leader, and Roy Kendrick, at 95.2, was at the head of the freshman class.

Others by class were:

Seniors: Sharon Bean, 90.666; Marilyn Braden, 90.5; Greg Copeland, 94; Gay Garlington, 91.4; Gena Harris, 90; Lee Ora Herrington, 90.75; Cathy Johnson, 90. 75; Sheryl Loftin, 92; Jimmy Mathews, 91; Ria Reams, 92.75; Lisa Richardson, 90.2; Joann Sullivan, 91; Angela Vick, 91.666; Nancy Weinkauf, 90.4; and Melissa Whatley, 92.8.

Juniors: Dianne Absher, 93.8; Debra Braden, 93.25; Gary Dupriest, 98.25; Eric Fitzhugh, 95.2; Pam Hooper, 93.75; Bobby Johnson, 98.5; Betty Latzel, 92.2; Sherry Page, 97.25; Freddy Plagens, 94.2; Mark Russom, 90.75; Ann Warren, 93.4; and Debbie Whisman, 91.

Sophomores: Penny Braden, 91; Rusty Holub, 93.6; Rick Hurst, 94.6; Hugh Jackson, 95.6; and Kirby Shipp, 93.

Freshmen: Beverly Hoelscher, 90.4; Kim Martin, 91; Marlene Mobley, 90.2; Phyllis Sobotik, 95; and Russell Wimberley, 90.

Now See Here . . .

Nowadays, the well-to-do eat chicken on week-days and pinto beans on Sunday.

ys and Girls Make Good Track Showings

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A track crown the past several seasons. Sanderson was a distant third in Wink with 82 points. Balmorhea and Wink, also from the district, counted 73 and 43 points, respectively.

And out in Van Horn, Clint, another 6-A contender, rolled to a whopping 238 points to win their division— against a much weaker field than that at Wink.

While the Boys Track Team was up to its old tricks of winning, the RHS Girls Track Team entered the McCamey Relays last week and made what may have been one of their strongest showings in a quality field. They finished 3rd in the meet that saw Iraan Girls

continue their domination of West Texas fem relays.

Rankin Girls' track program has only been a serious effort for about the past four years and the young ladies have showed marked improvement each year.

This week, RHS activities on the sports scene will see the Boys at the Cactus Relays in Iraan and the Girls in Robert Lee. Rankin High's Golf Team will be in the Heart of Texas at Brady for Saturday play. They plan to go down on Friday for a practice round. In a practice session in Sonora last Saturday, they carded a 310 on a very demanding course. All four top scores were in the 70's.

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THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

HOT STUFF -

Man, this weather is great, especially on the days when the wind doesn't get the dust to rolling—and that's not too often. Still, there's a catch to it in one sense.

Another few days of summertime temperatures and chances are about 99-1 that you can kiss the fruit and pecan crop adios for this year. Just as sure as heck, somebody will leave the gate down in Amarillo about the first of April and we'll get a bonechiller that will freeze everything.

It looks like even the weather has gone crackers and it leads one to think that somewhere we must have a Washington bureau or department trying to regulate it.

And that brings to mind the gas thing where the Federals have decided what areas of the nation are most in need of more fuel supplies. And wouldn't you know it—

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they cut the Basin allotment and in so doing, slows down the area that produces one-fourth of all the oil in the U. S.

It just doesn't seem reasonable to assume that the folks who are in charge of these regulations are actually unaware of what they are doing. Still, it's either that or they're just plain dumb and I, for one, can't really believe





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DIES -& SUMMER IN AT AT ARTIN'S Camey, Texas round long enough to wear the title of "old timer" can recall when college students used to go a little ape once in a while and pull off what most of the more conventional of the times would call a weird stunt. Among these have been the fads of swallowing live golf fish, seeing how many people could be stuffed into a telephone booth or small car-all sorts of records of that nature-and, of a more recent origin, the panty raids.

All these, of course, have now been replaced with the current "in thing" of streaking-which, if you've read the newspapers or listened to tv, you know consists of either boys or girls-or bothtaking off all or most of their clothes, and running or streaking from one place to another.

Sometimes it's only one or two people involved; other incidents may consist of a whole herd of people. Streaking has been reported in practically every part of the country and about the only place where it has caused much of a stir was up in Lubbock where the police arrested a couple of streakers at Tech and had a riot on their hands by students who felt that the police were a bit narrow minded. Personally, I

had rather hear of the kids doing the streaking bit than holding a full-fledged riot and tearing up property, such as was going on in a lot of colleges a few years a

In fact, I've been keeping a sharp eye out here in Rankin with camera ready-just in case we should have any streaking incidents to report. Once, during a pretty good sand storm, I thought for sure I had spotted me a real live streaker, but when it cleared up a bit, it turned out to be that ole yellow dog of Doris Speeds. In a way, I'm glad that it was for at the time, I remember thinking to myself "boy, if that's really a streaker, he's one of the scruffiest dudes I've ever seen and that Rankin ought to be able to do better."

Anyway, now that we've had all these fads, pranks or whatever you care to call them by the college students, it makes one wonder just what they will come up with next. About all you can be sure of is that it will not be what most of us would consider

Louisiana Services for W. F. Houck

Funeral services and burial of W. F. Houck, Rankin resident for the past five years, were held in Delhi, La., Saturday, February 16. Mr. Houck was 72 years old and was born in 1902 in Magnolia, Arkansas.

He and his wife were visiting in Delhi at the time of his passing, which was attributed to bronchopeumonia with acute congestive heart failure. He had been in ill health since moving to West Texas from California.

Survivors other than his wife are two sons, Hubert Houck of Conroe and J. Y. Houck of Crane; two daughters. Betty Jo Pierce of Odessa and Gertrude Crocham of Magnolia, Ark.; two half-brothers, Corbin Houck of Waco, and Elton Houck of Dallas; 26 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

an everyday thing and I guess that's why students do them. As the popular explanation for anything done by younnger people nowadays is that "they are just trying to find themselves", I suppose we can expect almost any-

Still, it's a little hard to believe that somebody running around in

his or hear birthday suit is really trying to find themselves once they strip to the bare facts. You would think they couldn't missespecially on a cold evening up north where the temperature could well be below freezing. But as I understand it, that's the whole object of advanced education to find out things you didn't already know.



ON HOME LAUNDRY



- Wash and dry a full load, but never overload . . . it is essential for each item to move freely for proper cleaning and drying.
- 2 Choose the correct cycle for washing modern materials. Perhaps hot water isn't needed, and only a gentle drying temperature.
- 3 Too much detergent can clog machine and drains . . . always measure, don't guess. Follow the manufacturers recommendations for your equipment. Mixing brands of detergents can cause graying of clothes.
- Many manufacturers of permanent press garments recommend machine washing and machine drying for best results. Following instructions on the garment tag can preserve the life of your clothing and give you wrinkle-free clothes without need for ironing. A big savings!
- An important maintenance function for you to do is to clean the lint trap and lint filter on both washer and dryer after each load of a full day's use of your home laundry.
- Never-Never pour bleach directly into the washer with clothes in it. Always dilute bleach before adding it to wash water. Also, timing is important. Bleach should be added after the clothes have washed at least 5 minutes.

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TUESDAY

Hot Biscuits, Syrup, Sausage, Hash Brown Potatoes, Juice WEDNESDAY

Cinnamon Toast, Oatmeal or Rice, Juice

THURSDAY

Hot Donuts, Cream of Wheat or Rice, Juice

FRIDAY

Hot Rolls, Jelly, Oatmeal or Cold Cereal, Juice

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.

LUNCH

MONDAY

Tossed Salad, Pizza, French Fries, Pork & Beans, Fruit Cocktail

TUESDAY

Celery Sticks, Fried Chicken, Cream Gravy, Sweet Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Chocolate Pudding with Topping

WEDNESDAY

Cabbage & Carrot Salad, Tacos, Pinto Beans, Spinach, Corn Bread, Light Bread, Pears

THURSDAY

Vegetable Soup, Crackers, Chicken Salad and Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Rice Crispie Cookies

FRIDAY

Gelatine Salad with Fruit, Hot Dogs, Potato Chips, Peanut Butter Cookies

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.

Upton County to be Part of Pest Control Experiment Program

Farmers and ranchers in Upton County will have an opportunity to learn about an experimental coyote control program March 12 at 4 p.m. at the Upton County Commissioners court room at the courthouse in Rankin, announces Dub Day, County Extension Agent.

The meeting will concern the safe use of the M-44 spring-loaded ejector which uses sodium cyanide capsules as a means of

Library Notes

Best sellers on our shelves:

"Burr" by G. Vidal, "Come Nineveh, Come Tyre" by A. Drury, "The Hollow Hills," by M. Stewart, "The Fir t Deadly Sin" by L. Sanders, "The Turpuoise Mask" by P. Whitney, "Stranger At the Gates" by E. Anthony, "North Dallas Forty" by P. Gent, Non-fiction includes "How to Be Your Own Best Friend" by Newman, "Cosell" by Cosell, "The Darrell Royal Story" by J. Banks and "Plain Speaking" by M. Miller.

It's time to start thinking seriously about gardening again. We have a good selection of books and periodicals to help in this hobby. Our telephone number is 693-2281 and we're open from 9-12 a. m. and 1-6 p.m.—and until 8 p.m. on Tuesday. Call if we can help. We have pick-up and delivery service for your convenience.

Story hour on Thursday from 10 to 11 a.m. for pre-schoolers.

controlling predatory animal. The device has been approved by the Environmental Protection Agency for use in a 15-month experimental program in 44 counties in West, Central, and South Texas. The Texas Department of Agriculture will direct the program. Cooperating agencies are the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, and the Texas Rodent and Predatory Control Service.

The aim of the program is to determine the safest, least expensive and most effective means of controlling predators without harm to other wildlife and the environment, explains Day.

The March 12 meeting will be conducted by a wildlife specialist of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and a representative of the Texas Department of Agriculture.

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Day emphasizes that only those farmers and ranchers who participate in the training meeting will be certified to purchase the M-44 and capsules to use in the pilot program. Each participant will be issued a certificate by the Texas Department of Agriculture at the conclusion of the meeting.

Day noted that a local supplier will be named in the county who will sell the M-44 and cap ules to qualified producers. Those purchasing the predator control devices will be required to submit a monthly report to the County Extension Office on the use and effect of the control system. This report will be used by the representatives of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Environmental Protection Agency to evaluate the program.

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Public Notice

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 8 p.m. on March 28, 1974 at the County Courthouse at Rankin for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for Upton County.

As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, and means and methods of taking the wildlife resources in Upton County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

Notice to Bidders:

The Commissioners Court of Upton County, Texas, will reveive sealed bids until 10:00 A. M., March 25, 1974, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read at the Courthouse, Rankin, Texas, for the purchase of equipment for McCamey and Rankin Fire Departments:

7 only Shield Helments w/Straps

30 pairs Short Firemans Boots, Steel Toe and Innersole

30 only Firemans Hats w/Lin-

7 only Entry Suits w/Suspend-

30 only Red Bunker Suits w/Short Coats and Waist Pants w/ Snap-out Linings

30 pairs Red Suspenders for **Bunker Suits**

The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Bids are to be sealed and marked "Bid on Fire Equipment" and mailed to either the County Judge or County Auditor, Rankin, Texas

ATTEST:

Patsy Northcott is Sorority Hostess

Pledges for Omicron Tau chapter of Rankin Beta Sigma Phi were hosted in the home of Patsy Northcott on February 25. A pledge meeting was held prior to the regular business meeting.

Lynda Helmers, president, presided at the business session at which newly elected officers were installed. It was voted to send flowers to the Rankin Schools for Open House.

A program on Art was brought by the guest speaker, Kaye Shul-

Nineteen Listed on Junior Honor Roll

David Bean, an 8th Grader in Rankin Junior High, was the top student on the Fourth Six Weeks Honor Roll. He posted a 97.6 average. Lerii Fitzhugh, with a 96.8 average, was at the head of the 7th Grade; and Kim Rose, at 96.8, led the 6th Grade.

A total of nineteen were named to the roll, twelve from the 8th Grade, two from the 7th, and five from the 6th.

Others in the 8th Grade were: Randy Doege, 91.2; Jamie Gossett, 96; Cathy Hughes, 92.4; Nisa Hurst, 93.2; Janice Midkiff, 92; Joyce Plagens, 92; Mary Routh, 90; Sandy Stephenson, 91. 8; Terri Swain, 93.6; Jamie Tiemann, 91.4; and Laurie Warren,

John Bell, with a 91.2, was the other 7th Grader; and Paige Mc-Mullan, 92.6; Karrie Ratliff, 91.2; Kim Ratliff, 93.4; and Ronda Shankle, 90, were the others from the 6th Grade.

Hospital Notes

George White, Iraan, admitted February 27.

Mrs. George White, Iraan, admitted February 27.

Mason Shurley, Midland, admitted February 28.

Mrs. O. W. Harris, Rankin, admitted March 2, dismissed March

Baby Boy Harris, born March

Berlina Reynolds, McCamey, admitted March 3.

Mrs. Ramon Rejino, McCamey, admitted March 5.

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I WOULD LIKE to Thank everyone for the nice cards, flowers and visits, and the doctor and hospital staff for their fine attention during my recent stay in Rankin Hospital. It's appreciated.

C. G. TAYLOR

UNDERWEAR for Men AT MARTIN'S McCamey, Texas

- JOCKEY -

Mrs. Louis Gonzales, Rankin, admitted March 5.

Mrs. John Watson, Rankin, admitted March 5.

Mrs. O. D. Baze, Crane, admitted March 5.

1974 - 1975 School Calendar

August 12-16 - Teacher Inser-

August 19 - Opening Day of

September 2 - Labor Day Holi-

September 27 - End of 1st Six Week -- 29 Days

November 7 - End of 2nd Six Weeks-29 Days

November 8 - District T S T A Meeting - Teacher Inservice

November 28-29 - Thanksgiving December 20 - End of 3rd Six Weeks, 28 Days; End of 1st Semester-86 Days; Christmas Holidays Begin

January 2 - School Recumes January 4 - Teacher Inservice February 14 - End of 4th Six Weeks-32 Days

March 27 - End of 5th Six Weeks-29 Days; Faster Holidays Begins (School Dismisses at 2:30 p.m.)

March 28 - Teacher Inservice April 7 - School Resumes

May 16 - Commencement- 177

May 21 - End of 6th Six Weeks 33 Days; End of Second Semester 94 Days; End of School Year -180 Days

May 22-23 - Teacher Inservice

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