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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

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WOULD MAKE CENTER OF AREA

Before the Rankin Lions Sunday night, Lt. Col. ... of Lubbock, told that the U. S. Army make Rankin the reserve training pro-south Permian Basin

Under consideration for ... would be one of units such as a heli- ordinance unit, an unit, or a trucking choice would depend of men in the re-

RESERVE ACT

At the present reserve now the law of the harborour pointed out an coming out of the nowadays must serve years in the active further pointed out re a number of such area and that they drive to Midland and in their reserve time. Rankin unit be estab-ould simplify matters and any future re-

ENLARGEMENT

At present time, the Army setting up the unit teen men and event- ing it to approximate- ing is carried on one t for two hours with ants receiving a full ay. Fifteen days per t in summer camp at installations.

ENLISTMENTS

The program is a age students in Ira- enlisted in the re- will finish their pre- and will serve six the regular army. Af- e, they will complete in the reserve units ed here. ble for this sort of young man must be ages of 17 and 18½. tion can be obtained at the post office ng personnel.

Absentee Voting Off To Fast Start

Nancy K. Daugherty, county clerk reports this week that absentee voting in the coming July Democratic Primary Election is off to a fast start with a number of requests being made for ballots. Absentee voting opened July 8 and will continue through midnight July 24. Any qualified voter who will be out of the county on election day may cast their vote any-time between those two dates at the clerk's office in Rankin.

Should the voter be unable to appear at the clerk's office due to sickness or non residence in the county at the present time, they may make written requests for ballots to that office. With a number of school teachers away taking summer courses, it is expected that a sizeable absentee ballot will be cast.

POLITICKING SLOW

In Rankin about all the politicians report that things are "mighty slow" in that field. They say folks are apparently too busy to talk politics and that everything points to a quiet election.

Some candidates themselves, especially unopposed ones, have not bothered to announce their quest for office and are not making any sort of campaign. In Rankin about the only balloting expected to attract much attention as the campaigning nears the end is in the commissioner and constable races in Precinct One. With four men in each of the two races, it is expected that a good bit of card passing and coffee buying will be taking place within the next two weeks in the race for those offices.

DODGERS ON TOP IN LITTLE LEAGUE

With seven straight wins under their belts, the Dodgers, a last place club at the beginning of the season, are now top hands in the Little League. Led by stout pitching with Butch Moore throwing a no-hitter last week, the Dodgers have shown that they are out to try and win the pennet and break the hold previously enjoyed by the Giants on league play.

Standings for this week are as follows:

	Won	Lost
Dodgers	10	5
Cardinals	7	5
Giants	8	6
Yankees	6	8
Indians	3	10

Leading four pitchers in the league are:

	Won	Lost
Lee, Cardinals	5	0
Bustamantes, Dodgers	7	1
Aguilar, Giants	4	1
Malicoat, Giants	4	2



Western Company Salesmen and Engineers ... on the move

Western Company Rolling In Rankin

The Western Company's Rankin division entered its second week of business from its new location with expanding personnel and increased services. Now working out of this office and soon to move his family to Rankin is Don Simon, sales supervisor for the chemical company.

Don and his salesmen are calling on all of the oil production offices in this part of the Permian Basin and report a steady increase in business. Some 60 trained and experienced personnel are now working out of the Rankin office.

With W. H. "Bill" Seabolt as district manager, the company is expected to reach its full complement of personnel and equipment within the next few days. At the present time they are offering logging, perforating, fracturing and acidizing—all under the direction of trained and experienced engineers.



DON SIMON ... sales supervisor



BILL SEABOLT ... manager

STORES STAGE SALES

At least two Rankin business houses entered their annual July clearance sales this week.

Those offering specials on clearance were Ann's Dress Shop, an exclusive women's and girl's shop, and Porter Johnson's, featuring a complete department store as well as hardware, sporting goods, and tools.

MINOR DAMAGE IN BLAZE EARLY TUESDAY NIGHT

Firemen were called to extinguish a blaze in a Mexican residence across the highway at about 11:00 p.m. Tuesday night. Only minor damage was reported although smoke was heavy.

Again, as in the past few cases, traffic jammed the streets and some of the firemen had to be delayed in getting to the scene.

The Louis Mauldin Family returned home Monday from a vacation trip to Phoenix Arizona.

Teen Agers Baseball Playing Good Games In Local Contests

"Sully" Sullivan, manager of the local Teenagers Baseball Club, passed on a word of praise for his team and at the same time expressed his thanks to the fans for their recent increase in support of the club.

"Our boys are a good ball club and all they need to get them going is to have somebody come out and watch them and cheer them on," Sullivan stated. In their last home outing last Friday night the local club put on a fine exhibition and crowd pleaser as they beat the McCamey Orioles 9-6. The Orioles are one of the better teams in the four team league; three of which are made up in McCamey and the one from Rankin.

With 6 more home games scheduled this year, the local boys begin their performances at 8:00 p.m. every Friday night at the Little League ball park. There is no charge for admission and a good attendance to the games always is rewarded with a fine exhibition of baseball. Every other Monday and Tuesday nights the club is in Mc-

Slaton Services Held For Joe R. Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hutchens and family left Wednesday morning for Slaton to attend funeral services for Joe Robert Johnson, 59, father of Mrs. Katie Hutchens, who died in the Big Spring Veteran Hospital early Tuesday morning. He had been in poor health for the past three years but was thought to be improving when he suddenly collapsed from what his doctor termed a heart attack.

Johnson grew up near Bugscuffle, Texas near what is now the city of Grand Prairie. At an early age he moved to the South Plains near Slaton and was one of the early day developers of farming in that area. He farmed in Lubbock County for a number of years until selling his land some five years ago. He was a veteran of WW I.

Married to the former Vera Bas-sanger, he is survived by his widow.

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Camey for games. "We just want the folks to come out and see their boys in action," manager Sullivan has said. "It's about all the boys need to have a good ball team."

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
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ADVERTISING RATES ON REQUEST

Filler by J. B.

Russell Lott, who does a considerable amount of custodian work at the school, the bank, the church, the Masonic hall and probably at home, was laid up in the hospital last week with an operation.

To prove that they were good neighbors and always willing to

help, Ed Edgar and Raymond Lott volunteered to take on some of Russell's work for him while "he stood in bed." In fact, they must have took him literally when he told them to go down to the bank and "clean up" because the editor observed Raymond and Ed entering the bank just before dark last Friday and they were carrying a very large sack.

We immediately volunteered to help them when we saw the size of that sack but they only gave me a suspicious look and said that they could handle the job. We usually miss out on all the good things.

It is a doggone good thing that Rankin is among the driest places in the world or we would have to go back to the pony express and the smoke signals to make a telephone call. Everytime it rains the "latest in telephone service" goes out like Lottie's eye and doesn't even work halfway until things dry out again.

We have a sneaking suspicion that if everybody would deduct the total days their phones are out of order from their bill each month that Mr. SW Bell and Co. just might see their way clear to put a service man in Rankin, "even though there's not sufficient work for a full time man" so says the company. Har, har and a ho, ho.

Along about this time every year Rankin's green thumb experts be-

gin displaying the fruits of their labors. Even though he and his family took considerable ribbing about their gardening efforts last spring, Doc Gossett has been keeping his end of the neighborhood in fresh radishes and other vegetables for some time. Whether Doc gave 'em all away just to prove that he could grow a garden or whether there was enough to decorate his table, too, has not been learned.

Last week W. O. Adams came by the office and left a sack full of big red tomatoes about the size of cantaloupes and some very fine onions. He says they are the latest styles, streamlined and two toned, and are especially developed for hot climates such as ours. W. O. is, perhaps, a little better gardener than most of us and has so many vegetables that he is considering selling some of them. We would recommend the product.

There can no longer be any doubt about it—Rankin is growing. In past times, the population has been up and down, due usually to drilling activity or doodlebugging, but this time the growth is the kind that sticks. Rankin has made some astounding gains in the past six months.

Much of the present growth has been due to the cooperation and efforts of individual people here—something that you don't see very often. But, should we rest on that or should we continue to look forward and strive to grow into an even better town.

At the present time there is probably less rent houses available in Rankin than there has been in a number of years. True, there are more rent houses, but most of them are taken by more or less permanent people. The crews that are constantly shifting around west Texas are now having a very hard

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time finding any place in Rankin. New people come to take an old barracks thing on that order and another town which may do.

Housing is still a crying need. And we business houses now more than ever to better service at as low a price as possible—to improve the appearance of our places of business and to plan to expand if at all possible.

Civic groups need to get new people and try to get into various projects in the community. Churches, of course, make every effort to get new people. Opportunity is not standing in the door—standing in the door in film (or her) in.

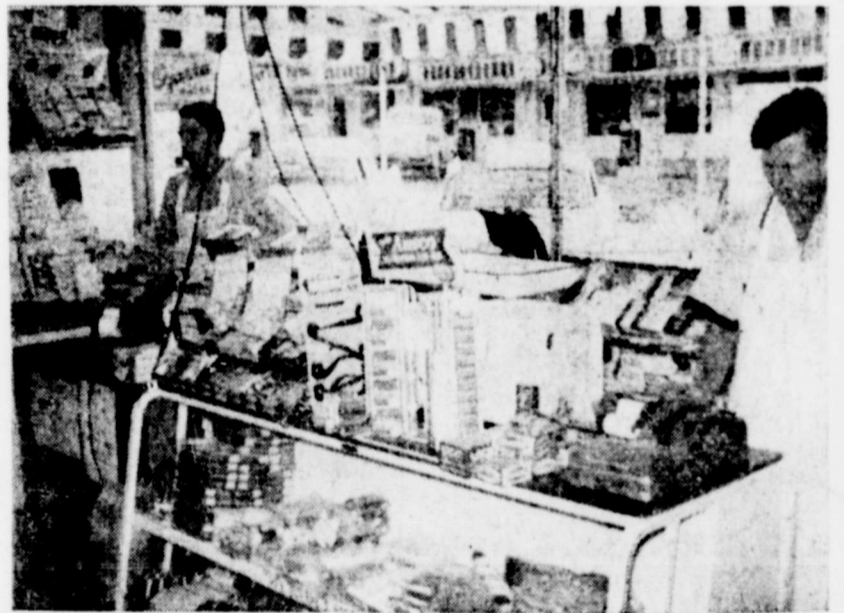
OFFICES EQUIPPED

BY THE RANKIN NEWS

(NOTE: This advertisement is one of a series showing some of the office equipment now in use in Rankin and supplied by the Rankin News.

CASHWAY FOOD MARKET

Retailing a complete line of meats, vegetables and staple goods and giving S&H Green Stamps, double on Wednesday. You will like their friendly service and competitive prices.



BEN WOODS AND ALBERT BROWNING

Ben Woods and Albert Browning, employees at Cashway Food Market, prepare to check groceries on the Remington Electric Adding Machine. L. D. Sipes, owner of Cashway, has used the Remington electric adder since opening the business and states that it has proven itself in every detail. "We give them a beating here, but the Remington electric seems to be able to take it," he stated.

The Rankin News sells, services and guarantees all types of Remington machines as well as Burroughs products. We can also secure for you many other famous named brands of business machines—ALL AT NATIONALLY ADVERTISED PRICES.

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EDITORIAL

COME IN, SOCIALISM . . .

If you're in business, there's a good chance Uncle Sam is one of your competitors. And if you're not in business, you still must help to pay—through your taxes—for the government's business-type activities.

That observation comes from the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. It is solidly backed up by a set of facts.

According to the Bureau of the Budget, the government actually is operating 19,771 commercial-industrial undertakings, with 266 thousand employees and close to \$12 billion of capital assets. These fall into more than 200 categories, including printing, mining, manufacturing, wholesale and retail trade, farming, transportation, communication, services such as electric power, insurance, and so on and so on.

The Chamber also points out that when Uncle Sam runs a business that private citizens could run just as well he is adding unnecessarily to the cost of government. Further, he is losing revenue—for private business pays taxes while government business-type activities do not. Instead, they usually run in the red. The postal department, operating at something more than a million dollars a day loss, is one of the biggest competitors the printer has to face. With their policy of printing envelopes, they have taken the bread and butter work away from the little printer and added one more page to our steady progress toward a socialized state.

Mr. Businessman, when you take your printing business to the government instead of to your local printer, you're opening the door and saying, "Come on in, Socialism."

On the bright side, it is clear that more and more people are awakening to the menace of government in business—and that more and more men in government are interested in doing something about it. In the last year, a start has been made toward getting government out of business and a substantial saving has already resulted. But the surface has only been scratched.

CHATTER

IRNA HOLMAN
Home Dem. Agent

Measurements

Are all pattern companies adopting a new standard?

Yes and the standard approved by the Measurement Standard Committee of the Pattern Industry.

Is there a new standard?

For the woman who sews by help-her select the average figure has through the use of the bra and foundation garment-line has been raised. and body measurements changed to correspond to the new measurements.

Where can I find them in the patterns?

For example a size 18 measurements are Bust 38, Waist 30, Hips 40. Old measurements gave Bust 36, Waist 30, Hip 39.

Q. How do the new measurements differ from the old?

A. The bust measurements shown on the new chart have been changed to reflect the use of the modern bra and foundation garment.

Q. My figure hasn't changed. I still take the same size pattern I took 10 years ago. What am I to do now?

A. If you are satisfied with the size you have been buying, **CONTINUE TO BUY THAT SIZE.** However, if there is any doubt as to proper fit, take your measurements. (Salesgirl should take measurements if possible.) Select the proper size from the new chart. **THAT SIZE IS YOUR CORRECT SIZE IN ANY PATTERN.** And when you take your bust measurement, take it as shown in this diagram . . . across the fullest part of the bust. (Salesperson should show diagram.)

Q. What does the chart mean by

"These are body measurements, not garment measurements?"

A. Body measurements are the measurements you take on your body so you can select your proper pattern size. The pattern itself has some "ease" allowance in addition to the body measurements so you can move comfortably in the finished garment.

Q. Do all patterns in the catalogue show the new measurements?

A. Not all, but many of them do and the new ones added each month will show them.

Q. Are the new measurements shown on the back of all envelopes?

A. No, only the latest ones. Patterns issued prior to the date of change did not show the measurements on the envelope, awaiting the approval of the Measurement Standard Committee of the Pattern Industry.

Q. How will I know whether the style I choose in the catalogue has the new measurements? How can two different sets of measurements fit the same person?

A. **IF YOU SELECT YOUR PROPER SIZE FROM THE NEW**

CHART, YOU MAY BUY WITH CONFIDENCE ALL PATTERNS IN THE CATALOGUE IN THAT SIZE. It really doesn't matter if you choose a pattern with the measurements, or the prior measurements, all the pattern companies have been making their patterns according to the new standard body measurements. Patterns issued prior to the date of change did not show the new measurements on the envelope, awaiting the approval of the Measurement Standard Committee of the Pattern Industry.

Q. Do I take my body measurements over my clothes?

A. Measure over a smooth-fitting dress or blouse and smooth-fitting skirt. Never measure over a jacket. You should be wearing a brassiere and a foundation garment that fits properly.

Q. How do I decide on the right size for a dress (or blouse, suit, coat) pattern?

A. Buy the **PATTERN SIZE** shown for your **BUST** measurement on the new measurement chart, and that size is right for all patterns in the catalogue.

Q. My bust measures 35"—in between a size 14 and a size 16. What size pattern shall I buy?

A. That depends on whether you like your clothes to fit you loosely or snugly. It is easy to make minor adjustment either way.



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FOR SALE—Two piece living room suite. For further information see Mrs. J. W. Robbins or call MYrtle 3-2384. 7-12-c

FOUND—Pair of fitted glasses near Luther Ice House. Owner may have same by contacting J. T. Bushong.

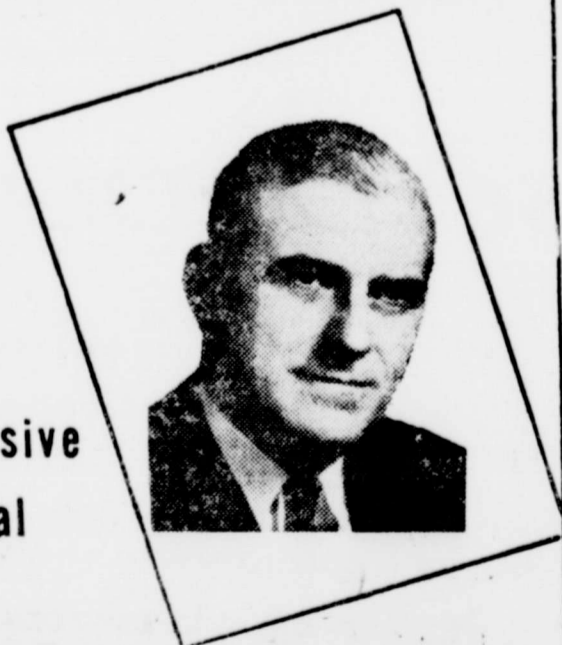
FOR SALE—Martin 60-7.2 H.P. Outboard Motor. Good Condition. Used about 40 hours. \$95.00. See Lewis M. Smith or call MY 3-2284 7-12-p

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson spent Sunday in San Angelo with the R. H. Johnsons. They were accompanied home by their niece, Miss Susan Fuller, who had been a guest of the R. H. Johnsons.

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Head Firemen Attend Training School

Fire chief Dub Day and fire marshal Leon Houchins are attending the Fire Marshalls' Training School at A&M College this week. The attendance of the fire marshal at this training school will entitle Rankin to a 4% credit on the local fire rates, along with many other benefits to be derived.

Following the school, the Houchins family expects to vacation several days in Galveston and Bridgeport. Day attended without his family and will return as soon as the schooling is completed.

Houchins is manager of the Lowery & Workman Insurance Agency which is being operated by Mrs. Tom Workman during his absence.

The pedestrian record reflected the 5th consecutive year of improvement for motor vehicle accidents in 1955.

PLEASE, PLEASE—

public on the matter. I'm sure that if an individual's home or business were on fire, he would want the fire truck and volunteers to be on hand as soon as possible and it can't be done when everybody in town follows the truck," he said. It has been suggested that unless

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you have reason to follow to the blaze, you stay until you are reasonably sure firemen have had their posts.

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Rankin Drug



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values **6.88**

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95 to 9.95
values **6.88**

95 to 11.95
values **7.88**

95 to 13.95
values **8.88**

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1/2 price

LADIES HATS 1.00
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LADIES SKIRTS

Good Selection of Styles
And Sizes 1/2 price

LINGERIE CLEARANCE
Ladies & Children's Cotton
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1.98 to 2.19 Values Now \$1.39
2.98 to 3.45 Values Now \$1.98
3.95 to 4.50 Values Now \$2.66

LADIES & MISSES BLOUSES

Group 2.98 Values NOW \$1.88
Group 3.98 Values NOW \$2.88

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Johnson of San Angelo were visitors in Rankin during the week.

Cecil Merriman and Carlton Stephenson have been to the Coast for a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson of Lubbock were visitors in the home of Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Anderson, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kole spent a few days at Lake Walk fishing.

SCHEDULE FOR YOUTH CENTER PROGRAM

Monday—9 a.m. to 12 a.m. Jr. 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.—Table tennis at Park Building—6 to 18 years.

Tuesday—9 a.m. to 12 p.m.—Gym and Tennis—10 to 18 years.

Wednesday—10 a.m. to 12 a.m.—Swimming—6 to 10 years. 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Tennis and Golf—10 to 18 years.

2 p.m. to 4 p.m.—Hand craft at Park Building—6 to 18 years.

Thursday—10 a.m. to 12 a.m.—Swimming—10 to 18 years.

Friday—9 a.m. to 12 a.m.—Gym—6 to 18 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Webb and children from Kansas arrived the Fourth for a visit with Mrs. Webb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson and children returned from the West Coast last week-end after spending a few days of their vacation there.

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Weekend crashes and 15,730 killed and 766,000 injured 1955.

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Rankin

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Pink and Beige Interiors, and many, many more features! Seeing is believing! Come in and look it over and you'll agree—no other refrigerator gives you value like this Frigidaire Refrigerator. See our Special Gold Tag Prices on 9 most wanted 1956 models—honoring Frigidaire's 75th Millionth Refrigeration Unit Celebration.

Ask about our easy terms and trade-in allowances.

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Company

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DANIEL
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for GOVERNOR
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- ✓ A Citizens Law Enforcement Commission
- ✓ States Rights and Local Self-Government
- ✓ Best schools in the Nation
- ✓ Higher teacher pay and old age pensions
- ✓ Statewide water conservation

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"Keep The Change"

If you've seen "Mac" Johnson this week, chances are he's told you his waitress story. For those who haven't heard:

"Mac" recently stopped at an out-of-town diner. He ordered the chef's special—and his waitress (brand new on the job) made every possible mistake. She confused the order, spilled the soup, dropped the rolls, brought him a wrong dessert.

Despite it all, "Mac" left a substantial tip. But she smiled and handed the money back. "Keep it, Mister—you've sure earned

it more than I have," she said.

From where I sit, that girl deserves credit for admitting her shortcomings—something not everyone is big enough to do. For instance, I'm convinced lots of folks know they're wrong when they deny me the right to a glass of beer with my supper... just because they happen to prefer some other beverage. They wouldn't like me ordering them to accept my choice.

Joe Marsh

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**TAX ROW BOILS IN
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

It was "batten down the hatches and prepare for a blow" in the school tax department this week as the Rankin Independent School Board and several of the major oil companies decided to disagree on the way taxes were being gathered in the district.

Principal objection of the oilers seemed to be that they felt the ranchers, business men and individuals in the school district were not paying taxes on as high a valuation as the oil companies. They were recommending an increase in these amounts. School board officials were reported to be against any change at the present time from their former policies and were preparing a number of surveys and estimates with which to state their case in equalization meetings between themselves and the complaining companies.

**BANK DEPOSITS DOWN
AT END OF JUNE**

According to the financial statement released on June 30 by First State Bank of Rankin, deposits there were down from the April totals. At the close of business on April 10, deposits totaled \$3,823,277.38. On June 30 just past they were \$3,070,530.57.

Bank officials pointed out that this is an ordinary occurrence for the local banking institution since it carries a considerable amount of tax money deposits from the schools and county with a resulting low usually reached at this time of year.

Undivided profits for the bank showed an increase of \$1,510.86 for the same period. Total resources and liabilities stood at \$3,398,794.44.

Visitors in the Ed Edgar and F. W. Welling home this week are the Melvin Pucketts of Arkansas. Mrs. Puckett is the daughter of the Wellings and a sister to Mrs. Edgar.

NOTCHED 'EM
...borough, fishing at
...place on the Llano
...home a fine look-
...yellow cat which he
...trot line using a min-
...boroughs and several
...es were at the camp
...of July.

Mrs. Ray Boggs were in
over the 4th.



**SPORT
NEWS**

...re quick on
...vice, too!

...ll like the prompt
...we give your dry
...needs. After years
...ence, we can as-
...that any spots or
...our best garments
...removed without a

**CLARK'S
CLEANERS**

**EARL
RUDDER
FOR
LAND COMMISSIONER**

...er... Businessman... Citizen soldier... Former teacher-
... Married... Father of five children • He has cleaned
... the Veteran's Land Program and runs it for the veterans •
... has restored public confidence in the State Land Office
... He is preserving the records of your Land Office • Was a
... battlefield soldier in World War II, twice wounded in action
... Decorated for bravery by three na-
... tions: United States, France, Belgium
... Keep a VETERAN in a VETERAN'S
JOB!!



**OUR SCHOOL LANDS
DEPENDABLE HANDS**

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SPECIALS

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY
JULY 13 AND 14**

**We Give FRONTIER STAMPS
- - - Double on Wednesdays**

We Don't Want Everybody's Business, We Just Want Yours

FRUITS -- VEGETABLES

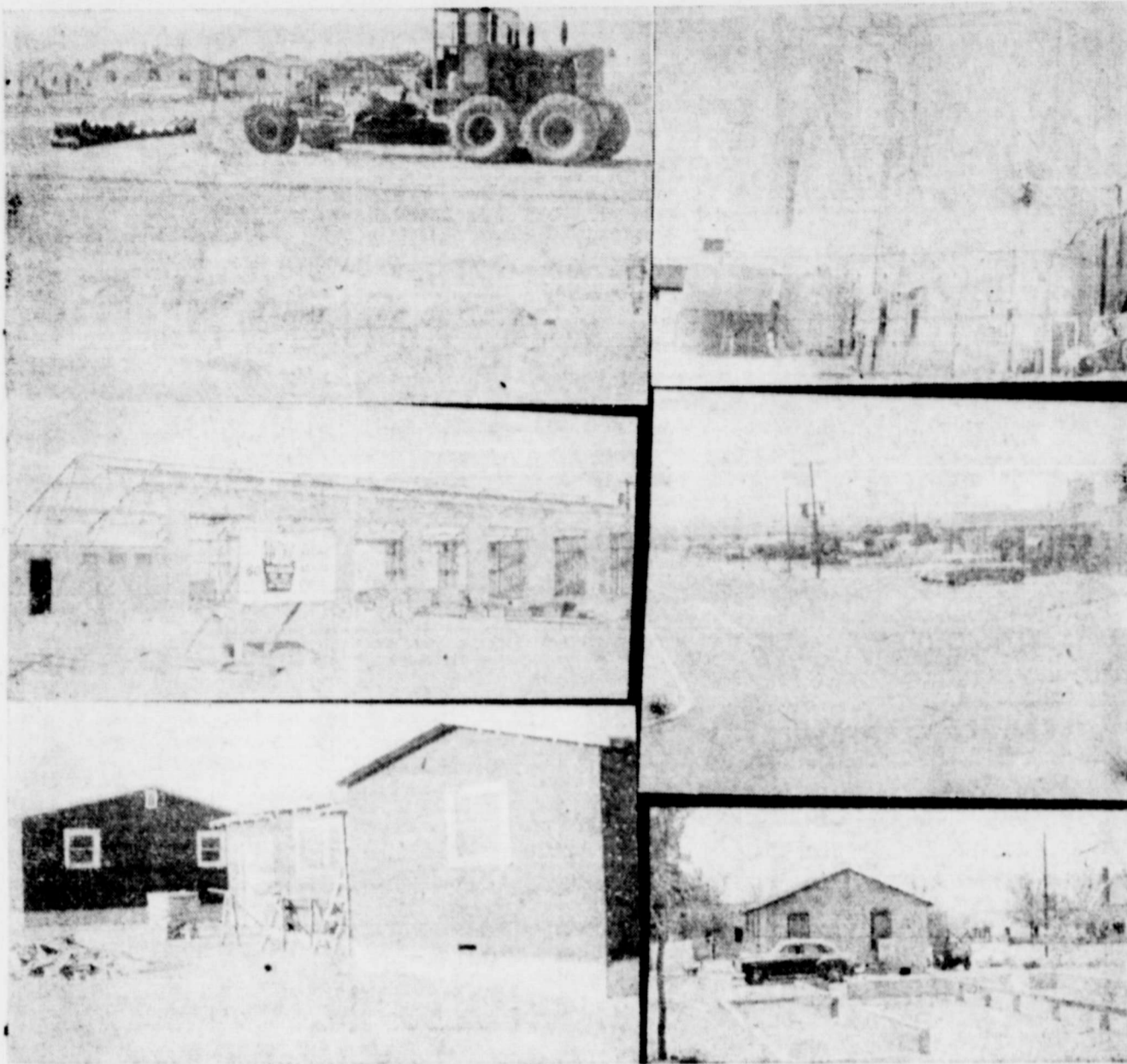
California Vine-Ripened TOMATOES	LB.	21c
Fresh Yellow SQUASH	LB.	6c
Presidio CANTALOUPE	LB.	6c
California ORANGES	LB.	10c
Santa Rosa PLUMS	LB.	15c
Cello Bag CARROTS	2 FOR	19c

FROZEN FOODS

Frozen FISH STICKS	PKG.	35c
Libby's ORANGE JUICE	6 FOR	95c
Libby's Frozen LEMONADE	8 FOR	98c
No. 303 F. & M. PIE CHERRIES	2 FOR	35c
Mountain Pass TOMATO SAUCE	3 FOR	25c
No. 303 Deer Brand TOMATOES	2 FOR	25c
Kounty Kist CORN	2 FOR	29c
No. 300 Jack Spratt HOMINY	3 FOR	25c
No. 303 Jack Spratt GREEN BEANS	2 FOR	29c
No. 303 Jack Spratt Shoestring POTATOES	2 For	25c
No. 303 Jack Spratt ENGLISH PEAS	2 FOR	35c
Canned SODA POP	6 FOR	49c
Kimbell's FLOUR	5 Lb. Bag	39c

Meadowlake OLEO	Pound	26c
20 oz. Tumbler Zestee Ass't. PRESERVES	3 FOR	\$1
80 Count Zee Ass't. Colors NAPKINS	2 FOR	29c
Libby's POTTED MEAT	3 FOR	25c
Kraft COOKING OIL	QT.	65c
Gandy's MELLORINE	Quart	29c
No. 2 Dole PINEAPPLE JUICE	2 For	25c
Cleanser AJAX or BABO	2 FOR	25c
Sunshine CRACKERS	1 LB. BOX	25c
Guardian DOG FOOD	3 FOR	25c
Tin SNOWDRIFT	3 lbs.	81c
GUARANTEED MEATS		
Fresh Dressed-Cut up if you like Pound		
FRYERS		39c
Choice Beef Arm or Chuck ROAST	LB.	39c
Hormel BACON	LB.	29c
Choice Beef T-BONE STEAK	LB.	59c
Choice Beef SHORT RIBS	Pound	23c

BOGGS Gro. & Mkt.
PLENTY OF PARKING SPACE BEHIND THE STORE



IMPROVEMENTS GO UP IN RANKIN

Reflecting the steady growth of Rankin over the past six months are scenes shown above which include new streets being worked up with new homes shown in the background; new bulk plants such as those erected by Halliburton Oil Well Cementing.

Street paving shown out by the hospital reflects one of the most

important improvements with a view of the then unfinished Western Company shops reflecting a part of the industrial growth of the area.

Houses being moved in from the oil camps have also begun to fill vacant lots and more are said to be on their way while saw horses and tar paper indicate new homes

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guinn left Rankin last week to take up residence in Tulla where Mr. Guinn will continue his duties with the Santa Fe. Dr. Gossett has bought their home on Elizabeth Street and will rent it.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hood and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Howard of Kermit spent last Wednesday on an outing in the Davis Mountains.

which either have already been occupied or are awaiting finishing touches.



'56 IS THE YEAR TO FIX

The Wallace Lumber Company, specializing in every need from a nail to a house, is participating in Operation Home Improvement, the big nationwide program to make 1956 "Home Improvement Year." So whatever your home improvement problem, come in now to get the advice and friendly help of Wallace's. You'll be amazed to find out how modern your home could be—and happy, too, with the modest monthly payments. See Wallace Lumber Co. in " '56 . . . the year to fix."

WALLACE LUMBER CO

Wins Trophy



NEWEST AWARD in stock car racing, The Manufacturer's Trophy is presented to Dodge President William Newberg (left) by Bill France, NASCAR president, following the first annual Manufacturer's Trophy race at Flat Rock, Mich., Speedway. Lee Petty, veteran stock car racer, bested 33 other drivers in his '56 Dodge and also won the 500-lap Late Model Stock Car contest, pocketing \$2,600.

FORMER TEXON MAN DIES IN HOUSTON

O. E. "Hi" Haven, 49, formerly of Texon, died Sunday in the M. D. Anderson Clinic in Houston. He had been a patient there since June 5.

Haven will be remembered by the old timers in this part of the country for his play with the former Texon Oilers baseball team, managed by Snipe Conley. A right hander, Haven is estimated to have won more than 175 games during his career in West Texas.

The Rankin (Tex.) Thursday, July 12

MRS. ADAIR IN SUR

Mrs. A. G. Adair, wife of the Crane News, an appendix operation in the Crane hospital. She is now at home reported to be doing well.

Hamp Carter took Old Men's Roping Contest Stamford Redeo Monday the Fourth. Last year saddle for first place.

BANK NOTES by M

DID YOU KNOW...

IT'S PERFECTLY LEGAL FOR A 9-YEAR-OLD TO SIGN A CHECK... EVEN MAKE ANOTHER MINOR.



WHAT'S IN A NAME

EARLY BANKS WERE ORGANIZED TO HELP A PARTICULAR GROUP OF PEOPLE AS EVIDENCED BY THEIR VERY NAMES -- FARMER'S BANK, DAIRYMAN'S BANK, SEAMEN'S BANK, STOCK GROWER'S BANK.



CLEANING UP

ONLY 5 YEARS AGO, A KANSAS MAN OBTAINED A \$ 25,000 BONUS TO START MAKING AUTOMATIC DISHWASHERS TODAY, HE SELLS 5% OF DISHWASHERS, RIGHT BEHIND LEADER WHO HAS 25% OF P



YOUR GUIDEPPOST TO ALL MONEY MATTERS

BANK by MAIL

Your check is as good. You'll discover it's safe, convenient and saves pay bills by check account now!

We make easy personal Over 25 Years

FIRST STATE BANK

Member FDIC

Mrs. Pete McEwen of New Mexico is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McGill and family returned Sunday from a 2-weeks vacation to Miami Beach, Florida. While there they visited Cypress Gardens, Silver Springs, and Sunken Gardens.

Gay Webster of Crane was a visitor Monday.

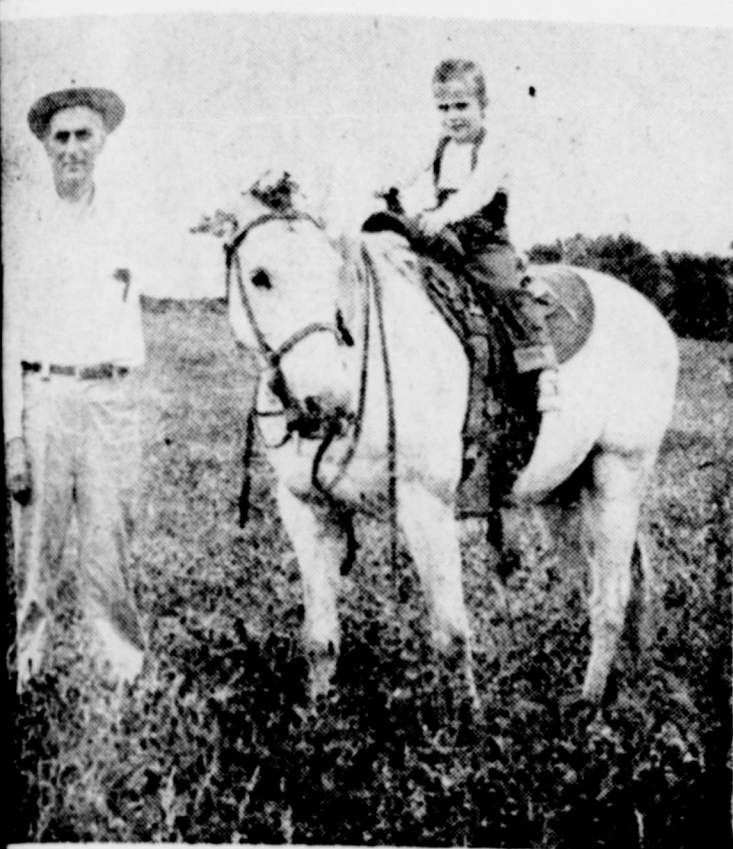
BROTHER OF RANKINITE HONORED AT ABILENE

ABILENE, July 10.—A Navy service man and family received a surprise welcome to Abilene July 2 when they were stopped by the Texas Highway Patrol 60 miles east of here near Eastland and cited for safe driving. Aviation Machinists Mate 3rd class Henry L. Gabhart, formerly stationed at the Naval Air Station, Norfolk, Va., now enroute to Moffett Field, Calif., where he will be assigned for duty, and family were stopped by the Texas Highway Patrol and cited for safe driving and as an award were hosted by the city of Abilene, the "Key City of West Texas" as "Tourists of the Day." They were the 22nd of 75 families that will be so honored by Abilene during the summer, each tourist receives free lodging, meals, Theatre passes and a tankful of gasoline.

A-D 3rd Class Gabhart, who has 6 years service, will visit with his brother, Mr. O. E. Gabhart, in Rankin before reporting to Moffett Field, Calif.

The Gabhart family was thrilled and surprised when told of this unexpected event by the courteous Texas Highway Patrolmen. A-D 3rd Class Gabhart and his wife, Norma Jean, have a 3 years old son, Randy who is travelling with them across the nation.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Holt left Saturday for New Mexico for a few days vacation trip.



FORM IN PRACTICE—Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey, a two-day rest from state-wide campaigning, checks a field crimson clover on his farm near San Augustine, Texas, with daughter, Ann, atop the family pet, Button. Ramsey, a staunch conservationist, has restored scars of erosion on his farm through use of soil-retaining grasses, to rolling fields of year-round for his small herd of cattle.

RE-ELECT

H. E. "GENE" ECKOLS

YOUR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

UPTON COUNTY

- ★ Experienced, Efficient, Courteous Service To All Citizens
- ★ Veteran of WW 2, Married Father of 2 Children
- ★ Resident of Upton County for Past 22 Years
- ★ I Would Like to Continue Working for You, and for the Betterment of Upton County, the Next 4 Years

If I am unable to Contact you Personally, I would like to Take This Means of Soliciting Your Vote and Influence in the Coming Primary, July 28, 1956.

Invite You to Investigate My Past Record. My Records Are Open For Your Investigation At All Times.

Sincerely,

H. E. "GENE" ECKOLS

THAT'S A FACT

WHALE OF A STORY

DURING THE THIRTY WEEKS SPENT FILMING "MOBY DICK," GREGORY PECK WORE THE WHALESOME PEG LEG OF HIS ROLE AS CAPTAIN AHAH FOR MORE THAN 350 HOURS, NEARLY ALL OF WHICH WERE PASSED STOMPING ABOUT ON THE SLIPPERY ROLLING DECKS OF THE WHALING SHIP, "PEQUOD."



A SUGAR BOWL...

...IS A FINE PLACE FOR SUGAR! BUT THE BEST PLACE FOR YOUR SAVINGS IS IN U.S. SAVINGS BONDS. INVEST TODAY—REAP THE BENEFITS TOMORROW.

OPTICAL ILLUSION?

FOR ALL WE KNOW STARS WE "SEE" IN THE HEAVENS MAY HAVE DISAPPEARED CENTURIES AGO! WHAT WE ACTUALLY SEE ARE PHOTONS OF LIGHT FROM THE STAR WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN TRAVELING EARTHWARD FOR HUNDREDS OF LIGHT YEARS AFTER THE HEAVENLY BODY CEASED TO EXIST!



A WORD...

...FROM SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY HUNFORD: "THE CONTINUED SUCCESS OF OUR ECONOMY IS THE SUM TOTAL OF ALL THESE INDIVIDUAL EFFORTS THAT MAKE OUR SYSTEM SUPERIOR TO ANYTHING KNOWN IN THIS WORLD BEFORE! AND BUYING U.S. SAVINGS BONDS CAN BE AN IMPORTANT PART OF THAT EFFORT!"



Re-elect **J.T. RUTHERFORD**
To
CONGRESS
16th District

(Political advertising paid for by J. T. Rutherford)

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Summer...



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BUTTERMILK



Borden's Buttermilk is Nature's own tonic beverage to help tone up your nerves... give your energy a lift. Drink Borden's Buttermilk in the heat of the day... and at bedtime to help promote sound, restful sleep.

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Johnny Kidd, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kidd, has spent the last few days in Bauxite, Arkansas with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kidd, Sr. He traveled by train with his aunt, Miss Wilma Kidd of Odessa.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wheeler has been their daughter, Mrs. Norma Morris of Dallas and also Mrs. Wheeler's sister.

Mrs. Blanche Mitchell, Mrs. Odessa Edwards and Grace Roach are spending the week in Ruidosa, New Mexico.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Pat Yoeham last week were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Yoeham of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Pat M. Yoeham of New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Zackie Monroe of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Monroe of Midland.

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Exclusive "Handi-Trim" design lets you cut right up close to trees, walls and shrubs!



"Cyclone Blower" principle cuts all grass evenly... disperses fertilizing mulch without wind-rowing!

NOW with Rewind Starter!

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8:30 a.m. -- 5:30
Sat. Open till 6:00

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JOHNSON'S

BACK TO THE BIBLE

Christ said "Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven" Matt. 5:3. All other beatitudes are conditioned upon this, poverty of spirit. The poor in spirit will mourn because of spiritual poverty and will receive comfort for they travel the only path leading to true greatness. Those who are poor in spirit will be meek. They alone have within them the driving force of hunger and thirst for righteousness that will not be denied. The poor in spirit will be merciful as they recognize their own imperfection and do not demand a state of perfection in others. They are pure in heart for their inward motive is to please God rather than self. They are the peacemakers of this world—it is pride, egotism and arrogance that leads to divisions, factions and strife. Only the poor in spirit have the capacity to suffer persecution for righteousness sake. Poverty of spirit or humility is the fundamental principle of Christianity.

Martin Kamstra Rankin Church of Christ



CHURCH NEWS

Methodist Church Program

Sunday Program:
Church School 10:00-11:00
Morning Worship 11:00-12:00
Evening:
Youth Fellowship 7:30-8:00
Evening Worship 8:00-8:50

Rankin Church of Christ Upton Street

Sunday:
Bible Classes 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Classes 7:30 p.m.
Martin Kamstra
Minister

First Baptist Church Program

Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service:
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
R. L. Shannon, Pastor

Billy Graham Diary Made Public



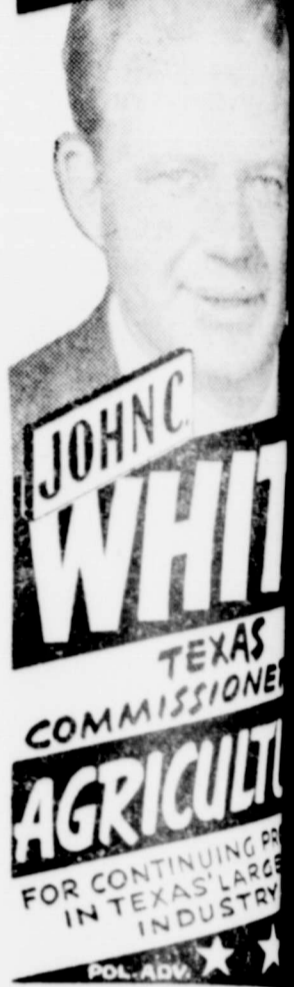
World renowned spiritual leader, Dr. Billy Graham (left) and the seldom photographed Mrs. Graham join hands with Robert Walker, editor of Christian Life Magazine, before 25,000 people, during a recent revival campaign, to commemorate Christian Life's publication of Dr. Graham's personal diary and the decision to distribute the magazine on newsstands throughout the nation.

The first installment of the 30,000 word diary, which covers Dr. Graham's last "Around the World Crusade," will appear in the July issue of Christian Life Magazine making its initial newsstand appearance.

This historic milestone in the 17 year publication history of Christian Life will give the magazine the distinction of being the only Protestant interdenominational magazine now being sold through newsstands.

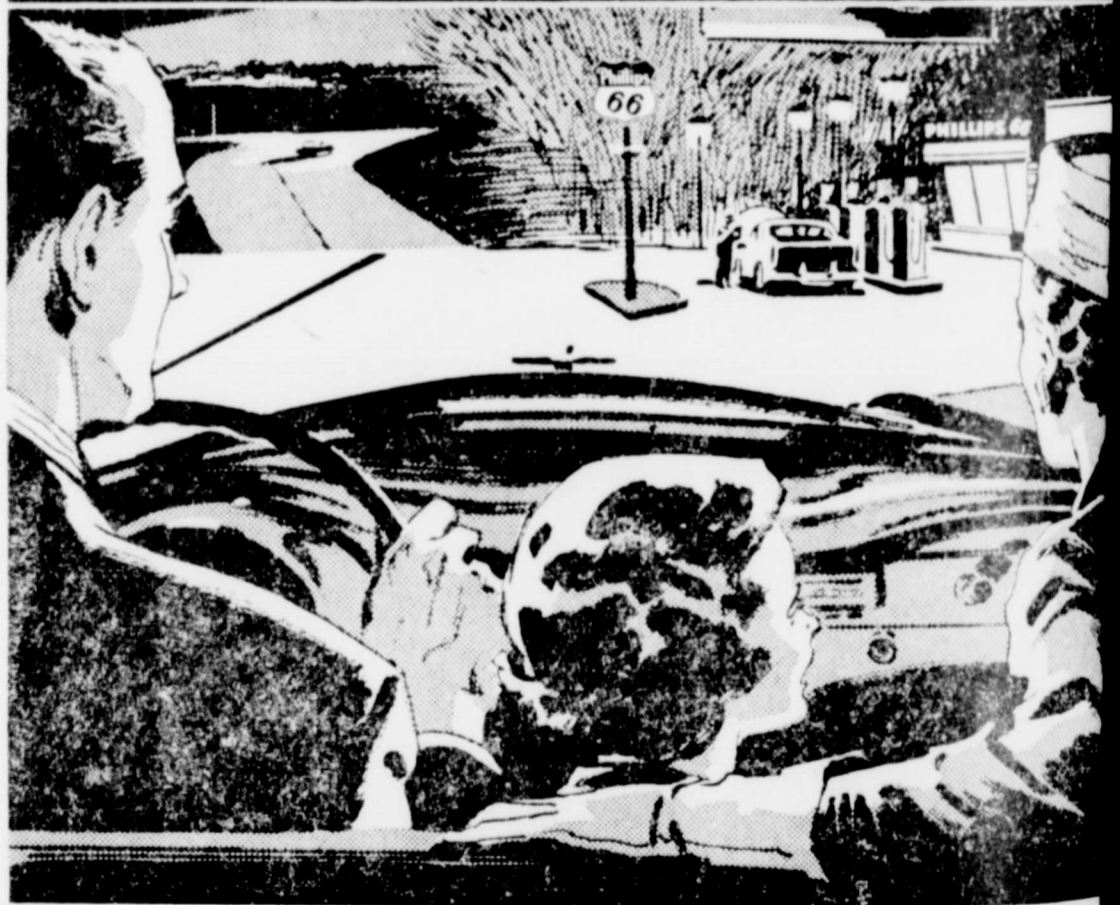
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Re-elect



(Pol. Adv. Paid for)
John C. White

Clean Rest Rooms Ahead



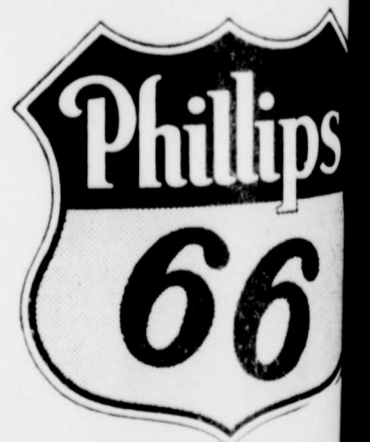
● High standards in rest rooms help make Phillips 66 Stations the favorite stopping places of increasing thousands of motorists.

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Your Phillips 66 Dealer believes that in the service he gives, as well as in the products he sells, "It's Performance that Counts." Drive in to his station soon.

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COLD
Well returned from a trip
Wyoming, last week
inspected the possibilities
a gas system similar
be operated here. Joe
freezing temperature in
and 30's and said plenty of
blankets felt mighty

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McFadden,
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McGeary and
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hill were
Marathon visitors over the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Lindsey
and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellis spent
the 4th in Marathon with Mrs.
Lindsey's aunt and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bradley of
Big Spring visited in the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Allen Sun-
day. They are parents of Mrs. Al-
len.

A little borax added to the rinse
water helps keep turkish towels
soft and fluffy.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH



"WELCOME HOME FOLKS"—Democratic governor candidate Ralph Yarborough (at right), waves a "howdy" to hometown friends from the steps of Chandler's First Baptist Church, after a Sabbath pause from campaigning. At center is the Rev. Ed Lewis. At left are Richard

DEMOCRAT IN THE GOVERNOR'S RACE
YARBOROUGH PROGRESS
Pol. Adv. Paid for by Ralph W. Yarborough)

ANN'S DRESS SHOP

Rankin, Texas
SHOP EARLY

JULY

FRIDAY, 13

Door Opens
8:30 A. M.

CLEARANCE

ONLY 2 SALES A YEAR but "REAL" ones!
NO APPROVALS, EXCHANGES, RETURNS

MILLINERY
Values to 8.95 **4.00**

SWIM SUITS - - - 1-3 OFF

ONE LOT OF

SUMMER DRESSES

Beautiful dresses in sizes 5 to 15, and
8 to 20. A wonderful assortment to
choose from! Be early . . . bring a friend!

Buy One at
Regular Price
Get Another For **\$1**

ONE LOT

BLOUSES

Blouses that are as attractive as they
are comfortable. Limited amount of
these so hurry down!

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Regular Price
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JUNIOR MISSES' and WOMEN'S

Spring and Summer SUITS

Silk/cotton - Wool. One of a kind from
top ranking makers.

25.95 Values	16.90
29.95 Values	19.90
39.95 Values	26.90
44.95 Values	29.90

SPECIAL GROUPS **SLIPS AND PETTICOATS** **1/4 off**
Most are in cool cottons and smart Nylon fabrics.
Colors in pastels and whites.
originally 3.95 to 10.95

SPECIAL GROUP **SUMMER GOWNS** **1/4 off**
Non-iron cottons in dress length styles mostly . . .
also included are some long and dress length styles in
Nylons. originally 5.95 to 10.95

SPECIAL GROUP **HOSIERY** **NOW**
Summer shades included in this group of famous name
Nylons. .99
originally 1.35, 1.65, 1.95 1.10
1.35

SMALL GROUP **SUMMER ROBES** **1/4 off**
Cool, summer robes. Most are in brunch coat length.
Some are in non-iron cotton.

ENTIRE STOCK **SUMMER BAGS**
Leather, fabrics and straws **1/4 off**
all included
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SKIRTS
While they last . . . and they won't last
long at this price Beautiful skirts in
several quality fabrics . . . all popular
colors.
Buy One at
Regular Price
Get Another For **\$1**

ONE LOT LIFE
Bras and Skippies
Cotton and nylon bras by nationally
famous brand. Come in and get yours
now at this low, low price! Hurry!
Values to 5.95 .88-3.88

SPORTSWEAR
Shorts, slacks, pedal pushers in
rayons, denims and cottons
2.95 Values 1.97
6.95 Values 4.64
7.95 Values 5.30
9.75 Values 6.50

LEATHER BELTS
Entire stock of ladies' leather belts. All
colors and sizes . . .
1.25—Now .75 1.95—Now 1.47 2.95—Now 2.22

SMALL GROUP **GLOVES**
These are all summer fabric **1/4 off**
styles.

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16th Congressional District:
J. T. Rutherford

For State Representative
102nd District:
Louis H. "Andy" Anderson
(Re-Election)

For District Attorney
112th District:
Connell Ashley
(Re-Election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector
Buck Jones
H. E. "Gene" Eckols
(Re-Election)

For Commissioner Precinct 1
H. Wheeler
W. L. Gotcher
Joe Powell
W. O. Adams

For Constable Precinct 1
L. Z. (Shorty) Titworth
Sammie A. Hodges

For Constable, Precinct 2:
J. T. James

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Co-Author Gilmer-
Aikin School Laws

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by
A. M. Aikin, Jr.)

Visiting Jack Marshall this week are his son and daughter, Barry and Pam. They will stay for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hearon recently returned from a fishing trip near Del Rio. They reported "not much luck."

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Murphy and daughter, Karen, of San Diego, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Carter Murphy over the week-end.

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Use the Classified Ads



RANKIN

*District
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THE WESTERN COMPANY

*to better serve the oil industry
of the South Permian Basin with*

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- Well
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Faster, more convenient completion and rework well services in the South Permian Basin are now available from The Western Company's new Rankin District Station.

Already operating, The Rankin Station will increase its personnel and equipment until reaching a full complement within the next few days. Western well services—logging, perforating, fracturing and acidizing—engineered for maximum results, are available in the South Permian Basin from convenient Rankin.

Western personnel at Rankin are experienced engineers, veterans of well servicing in other Western Districts. W. H. (Bill) Seabolt is district manager, and Donald J. Simon is area sales supervisor. And there are 60 other trained and experienced engineers to bring to your wells Western's engineered well services.

The Rankin District Station is open to serve you. For superior service—both completion and remedial—call MYrtle 3-2431 or MYrtle 3-2432 in Rankin. This time, GO WESTERN!



THE WESTERN COMPANY

general offices: Midland, Texas

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SAN DIEGO, Calif. (FHTNC)—“All Texas” Navy recruit companies 210 and 215 pass in review during recruit graduation exercises June 30 at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif. The

graduation exercises, which marked the end of nine weeks of “Boot” training for the Texans, included a full dress parade and review before military officials and civilian dignitaries.

Call it a built-in urge to go places, or a yen for turning minutes into miles! The frisky new Chevrolet—with horsepower ranging up to 225—is a mighty tall traveler. Have you tried it yet?

This new Chevy's got an itch to travel—and it's catching. Nothing serious, you understand. You just want to pack your bags and go.

Because Chevrolet covers the miles as only a truly great road car can. You sense that in its hill-flattening horsepower that ranges up to 225 and in its solid sureness of control.

These are the things that give Chevrolet—and you—an urge to go places. And they make the going sweeter and safer. Come in and try this tall traveler soon.



Chevrolet puts hills behind you and pleasure ahead!



Bel Air Sport Coupe with Body by Fisher—one of 20 frisky new Chevrolet models.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Rankin, Texas

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All Oddfellows Are Invited
To Attend

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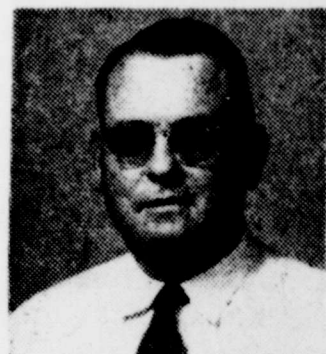
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California ORANGES	LB.	12 ^{1/2} c
Presidio CANTALOUPE	LB.	6c
Santa Rosa PLUMS	LB.	15c
Fresh TOMATOES	LB.	21c

FROZEN FOODS

10 oz. Flav-R-Pack STRAWBERRIES		25c
Libby's ORANGE JUICE	6 FOR	\$1
10 oz. Libby's BRUSSEL SPROUTS		25c
Hill-O-Home 10 oz. Cut OKRA	2 FOR	31c

Lipton's TEA	1/4 Lb.	39c
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400's Ass't. Colors KLEENEX	4 BOXES	\$1
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Delsey TISSUE	4 ROLLS	49c
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Plain or Almond HERSHEYS	6 BARS	23c
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No. 2 Dole's Crushed PINEAPPLE		29c
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Supreme PECAN SANDIES	LB. BAG	43c
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MAZOLA OIL	PT.	39c
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No. 303 TOMATOES	2 FOR	29c
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All Flavors JELLO	3 FOR	25c
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No. 303 Stokely's PEACHES	2 FOR	45c
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Armour's MILK	3 Tall Cans	41c
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Tin SNOWDRIFT	3 Lbs.	83c
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Zestee Preserves Apricot, peach, plum Grape and Apple JELLY	Tumbler	39c
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Pard DOG FOOD	2 FOR	29c
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7 1/2 Poured Pack Haase's STUFFED OLIVES		39c
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No. 300 Stokely's All Green Asparagus Spears	2 For	59c
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Cream Style Golden Yellow CORN	2 FOR	35c
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Gladiola Asst'd Flavors CAKE MIX	3 FOR	69c
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Vel BEAUTY BAR	4 FOR	99c
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Jack Sprat PORK & BEANS	3 FOR	29c
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Gandy's MELLORINE	QT.	29c
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Wrigley's GUM	3 For 10c Box	59c
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No. 303 Stokely's Honey Pod ENGLISH PEAS	2 FOR	45c
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Giant Size TIDE OR CHEER	Each	71c
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GUARANTEED MEATS

Choice SHORT RIBS	LB.	19c
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All Meat BOLOGNA	LB.	39c
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Choice Beef ARM ROAST	LB.	37c
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Choice Beef CHUCK ROAST	LB.	35c
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Armour's Star Thick Sliced BACON	2 lb. Pkg.	89c
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Hormel Midwest BACON	LB.	39c
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Choice MINUTE STEAKS	LB.	69c
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Grade "A"-Cut up if desired FRYERS	Pound	39c
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PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE, PEOPLE

Almost at the point of being on bended knee, firemen and city officials issued another plea this week for Rankinites to stop chasing the fire truck when it is called to make a run.

In extending the plea for cooperation on the part of the public, city officials pointed out that there are 22 volunteer firemen on the local department. They live in all parts of town and must get to the station or the fire at the quickest possible speed.

On several recent instances when the fire horn was blown, citizens have jumped in their cars and driven either toward the center of town trying to pick up the fire truck or have followed the truck once it was found. In so doing they have made it impossible for members of the volunteer department to reach the fire station in time to properly man the trucks and have delayed their getting to the fire promptly.

"We can fine people for chasing the fire truck," stated a member of the city council, "but that would not get the firemen to their equip-

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(Continued from page four daughters: Mrs. H. Rankin, Mrs. H. S. Hoger, Mrs. Fred Swagerly low, Arizona, and Mrs. Schwartz of Tucson, Ariz. grandchildren; three brood of Kermit, Frank of D. Horace of Harlingen; and ter, Mrs. Harry Bruner Services were scheduled p.m. Wednesday afternoon First Methodist Church with burial in Englewood vry in that city.

ment any sooner. All this is for the folks to give us to get to the trucks and the blaze. If they want to and watch and will stay of the way, there is nothing do to keep them from do want them to stay off for at least fifteen minutes the alarm is sounded."

In commenting on the Fire Chief Day has stated has been very bad—the traffic on the streets—during few fire calls and we need some cooperation (Continued to page 4)

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"A DAY OF FURY"
Dale Robertson -- Mara Corday
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SUNDAY & MONDAY, JULY 15 & 16
Jane Wyman -- Rock Hudson
"ALL THAT HEAVEN ALLOWS"
Technicolor

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, JULY 17 & 18
"SHACK OUT ON 101"
Terry Moore -- Frank Lovejoy

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