

Senior Play; Little League Highlight Week-End

that this is a most entertaining one and promises much enjoyment to the audience.

LITTLE LEAGUE—

Activities for Little League are to open at 5:30 Saturday afternoon with a parade. This parade, consisting of all four teams and their managers, is to form on the west side of Highway Grocery, proceed up the highway to Main Street, and north on Main to the area beside the Rankin Drug where it will then disband.

From there, the players will go to the Little League ball park and get down to the business at hand—selection of the 1964 Little League Champion. This process will take many ball games and most of the summer to determine.

Defending champions of the

Rankin Little League is the Cardinals. This year their manager is C. C. Taylor while Dicky Nesbitt will manage the Giants, Mike Hughes the Yankees and E. M. Sullivan the Dodgers.

Frank Absher is president of the League for 1964 and Grover Yochem is secretary and treasurer.

The first game Saturday night gets underway at 6:00 p.m. between the Yankees and Giants. It will be followed at 8:00 p.m. by the Cardinal-Dodger game.

Games will be played on Friday and Saturday nights until the end of the school term and then will move to Mondays and Thursdays.

The public is invited to attend these games and encourage the Little Leaguers.

act comedy, "Crewcuts and Long-hairs", Friday, May 8. Time will be at 8:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium. Admission is 50-cents for students and \$1 for adults. Pre-school age children are admitted free.

Tickets may be purchased from any member of the senior class and will also be on sale at the door.

In the cast, Linda Byford is to portray Elwood Drooper. Biff Weatherspoon is Sam Bean and

Corney Weatherspoon will be acted out by Carol Shipp.

Larry Braden takes the part of Sam Vigor, Fran Vigor is Jo Lynn Steele and Helen Wood is Louise Fuller.

Gloria King is played by Janice Hale while Jerry Stacy has the part of Archer Renford.

"Rock" Thornton is David McElrath and Carolyn Hill will play Lee Balance.

Those who have previewed the annual senior production say

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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1964

Red Devil Band Concert on Tuesday

May 12 at 8:00 in the public is invited to attend the annual Rankin Band's Spring Concert. The performance will be held in the High School Auditorium with 107 participating. This concert band membership is very creditably representing the school and community and festivals this

by its director, James Mabry, entitled "Adagio and Interludes". An additional attraction will be a performance by the Stage Band, a smaller group that concentrates on popular music. There is no charge made to the public for attendance.

Public Invited to See Film at Church

Mr. W. A. Pritchard, a traveling missionary, will show a film entitled "The Book of Ruth" at the First Baptist Church, Rankin, Wednesday night, May 13, according to Rev. R. L. Shannon, pastor. Time will be at 7:30.

"This will be a 16mm film in beautiful color with sound," the pastor has said. It will portray the story of Ruth as told in the King James version of the Bible and will run for 45 minutes.

Mr. Pritchard is a layman and there will be no preaching or lecture, except that on the sound track of the picture, according to Rev. Shannon.

Mr. Pritchard, accompanied by his wife, has worked in Arizona, New Mexico, Old Mexico and in several other states. They live and travel in a truck trailer house and plan to show the film in all the towns in this area while in West Texas.

"The general public is invited to see this beautiful love story from the Bible. It will show many of the places, customs, manner of dress and other interesting things about the time of the writing of the Book of Ruth which was about 1320 years before Christ," Shannon said.

Shots For on Tap Sat.

Day will be a dogs day—for dogs who prefer the having their ears pulled that day—from 9:00 a.m. the job is done. Dr. Tommy Odessa vet, will be at the in Rankin to vaccinate for this service will be the vet and it is assumed they will be the same as years. It has been pointed out that the of dogs is much to be the extreme dry that has prevailed in this Lord knows how result in a severe outbreak at any time.

Run-Off Vote Will be on June 6 --

Upton County Voters Fail to Follow State Trend

With an estimated possible voting strength of 2100 in Upton County, only 1316 Democrats and 79 Republicans took the time to go to the polls and ballot in last Saturday's primary election. In the GOP voting, twenty-four votes were cast in Rankin—the first time for a local Republican box to be offered.

Main attraction, was, however; the Democratic primary which contained the slate of local candidates—most of them unopposed. In the two contested races in Rankin, H Wheeler won over

Dewayne Lindsey and Clint Shaw for Commissioner and E. M. Sullivan defeated Pap Shaffer in the Constable race. Over n Mc-Camey, E. K. Bufford bested 3 opponents for Commissioner. All winners were incumbents.

On a county-wide basis, H. E. "Gene" Eckols was the most popular candidate in the "paying offices" race. He tallied 1258 votes. Kirby Dawkins, county Chairman—a "no pay" position—had 1259 votes. John A. Menefee for County Attorney had 1206—with about 35 write-ins—and Gene Hendryx, the popular state

representative from Alpine, took 1235.

In the state races, Upton did not follow the Texas trend. For instance, they supported John Connally and Preston Smith but favored McLendon over Ralph Yarborough. For U. S. Representative at Large, Dan Sullivan far outran his opponents here. He did not make the cut statewide.

Closest race for the county in their voting was that for District Attorney in the 83rd Judicial District. In that horserace, Bruce Sutton of Alpine took the Upton County vote 541 to 522 over Bill Earney of Marfa. Earney, however, went on to win by a slight margin.

Only two races will be listed on the Second Primary Ballot. These will be in the Representative at Large where incumbent Joe Pool must face Robert Baker and in the 16th Congressional District where White and McGregor vie for a shot at Ed Foreman in November. White was the Upton favorite last Saturday.

The Second Primary will be held June 6. Absentee voting in this election will be May 27 to June 2.

For the Republicans, there will also be a run-off election on the same date. Jack Cox and George Bush will have it out for a spot on the November ballot for Congressman at Large. Dr. J. D. Gossett, county GOP chairman, said that the Upton County Republican Convention would be held at 4:00 p.m. Saturday at the courthouse in Rankin.

HOW UPTON COUNTY VOTED

(Unofficial Democratic Totals)

	Abst.	1	2	3	4	5	6	Tot.
For Governor—								
Banks	2	3	2	2	20	2	0	31
Conally	45	194	77	23	248	45	161	793
Hackworthe	0	3	1	2	1	0	1	8
Yarborough	16	59	21	13	143	16	66	334
For Lieutenant Governor—								
Fuentes	2	18	4	2	74	4	11	115
Smith	55	244	101	33	333	61	219	1066
For U. S. Senator—								
McLendon	33	139	57	23	204	28	116	600
R. Yarborough	28	120	49	14	197	38	106	552
For U. S. Representative at Large—								
Looney	1	13	6	5	23	1	10	59
Baker	3	23	9	0	38	10	20	103
Elkins	2	15	6	0	15	2	4	44
Pool	29	86	28	15	131	20	72	381
Sullivan	21	122	56	19	171	31	118	531

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THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

THE ELECTION—

The election is over. Several observations can now be drawn.

The first one is that we may as well not have had it in the first place. No changes of any consequence resulted.

That either proves that most of us are satisfied with things just as they are or that we are afraid to rock the boat.

A second observation is to ponder on what happened to all the voters. This was supposed to be a record year for eligible voters in Texas. They did not show up at the polls—not in Upton County nor statewide. It seems strange that people will go to the trouble and expense of paying a poll tax and then not bothering to cast a ballot on election day. I suppose part of that could come under the heading of folk who think the poll tax at \$1.75 is a bargain taxwise and just don't want to pass up any opportunities for bargains.

A third question that might be a bit puzzling to an astute student of politics is why three men—Preston Smith, a conservative;

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John Connally, a middle-of-the-roader; and Ralphie Yarborough, a socialist, would all run so strong in the same election. The answer could be a number of things but in that respect, it was a typical Texas election and as such, things have worked out pretty well in the past. There is no reason to believe they won't this time.

A fourth thought is that some good came out of all the politicians being on tv the last few nights before the election. That caused a lot of families to shut off the idiot box and get re-acquainted. In fact, up in our neighborhood, a couple of families made a startling discovery when they found out that three kids they had always thought belonged to someone else were actually their own.

Then there is a final observation that—I suppose doesn't relate to elections and might not be in good taste anyway—but for those of us in Texas who

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STRICTLY BUSINESS

by McFeatters



"If business is so bad, why don't you call the Better Business Bureau?"

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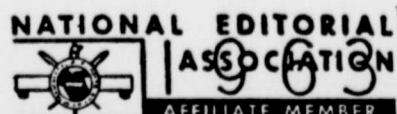
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it's the TOTAL food bill that COUNTS

SPECIALS for Friday and Saturday, MAY 8th and 9th

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

California Blue Goose	Dozen	
LEMONS		39c
Fresh		
GREEN ONIONS	2 bunches	15c
Fresh		
RADISHES	2 bunches	15c

FROZEN FOODS

Whole Sun ORANGE	CAN	
JUICE		29c
TEXAS CLIPPED	2 EARS	
CORN		15c
FROZEN	2 PKGS.	
STRAWBERRIES		49c
Tip-Top 6-oz. can	2 FOR	
LEMONADE		29c



FRESH	LB.	
FRYERS		29c
BEEF	LB.	
ROAST		45c
PORK	LB.	
CHOPS		55c
SIRLOIN	LB.	
STEAK		79c
Peyton's Half or Whole	LB.	
HAMS		43c
PEYTON'S	LB.	
FRANKS		49c
ENGLISH	LB.	
BACON		45c

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FAILURE—

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comes as a bit of concerning him — now trying to snatch his dogs.

Among the sadder thing that one can witness in human shortcomings is to see the same old thing tried over and over and to find in the end that the results

are always the same—failure.

For ten years now that I know of, the Texas Highway Department and their "Score" of Engineers have been trying to build Highway 67 across Upton County. They're still trying—their latest efforts having been made less than a year ago on the stretch from the Reagan County line, through Rankin and over to the gap between here and McCamey.

I've lost track of the times this particular strip of road has been worked on but I do recall that—overall—they had a better road 10 years ago than they have now with the exception of two little strips—one between the Mule Train and the bridge and the other east of the bridge out

by Billy Rankin's.

Of all their efforts to make a road in a country that is good for nothing else much except road building, this last effort has been the most pitiful. From the time the work was started until it was stopped last winter—it hasn't been finished yet with the topping or something of that sort still missing—that entire job has been nothing short of a hazard for motorists and a big, fat waste of time and money at the worst. Cars and trucks had to crawl around over the boulders and dodge the machinery while the work was being attempted. Once the base was put down, little effort was evidently made to work it smooth and even as witness the dips, dives and roller-coaster effects one can actually see in the pavement in many places — particularly between the bridge west of Rankin and the Iraan road.

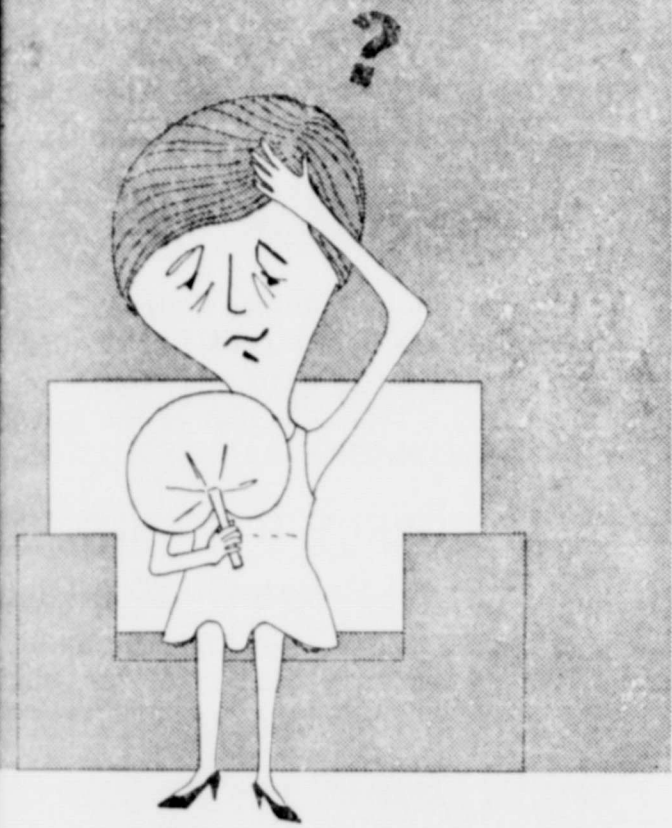
And then a week or so ago on the first really hot day of the year, the whole mess fell apart and was rolled up and scattered to the winds. Holes came in the "thing" and it actually became a driving hazard. The Highway Dept. ran out and filled the holes with sand and began patching up a new highway before it was even completed.

It's a sad shame that the State of Texas cannot —or will not— do this job right. Upton County ought to be entitled to one good road. We have almost as many motor vehicles in this county as we do people and many of them, such as the big Halliburton, B-J and Western Company trucks pay a mighty big price for the use of these roads. And, incidentally, it cannot be said that big trucks were the cause of this road fall-

ing apart. The "thing" was a mess to begin with. On the day it rolled up, I drove over it in my car and it sounded like running through a gravel pit.

I don't know who is to blame for ten years of failure. It may be that the Highway Department is getting exactly the type of road the are paying for. It may be that they have engineers who are not competent. It may be that they are getting "taken" on each job by the contractor. In any case, there is no reason to continue spending money on this road and still coming up with a bigger mess each time. Somewhere, there must be a man or a body of men who can put an end to such failures.

How's Your Cooling Comfort?



It's an Easy Way to Find Out...

Take a few minutes and answer the quiz below by circling YES or NO.

YES NO

Is your home consistently muggy and stuffy? YES NO

Does the summer heat penetrate through the entire house? YES NO

Is it hard for you to sleep at night? YES NO

Is your house hard to keep clean because of blowing wind or sand? YES NO

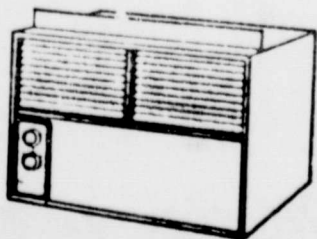
Are you sometimes irritable and miserable when heat suffering? YES NO

Is it impossible to find comfort from the heat? YES NO

Go back over your answers. If you circled YES on at least half the questions you have a definite cooling comfort problem.

The answer to your problem is: (An Electric Refrigerated Room Air Conditioner)

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Political Announcements

Subject to June 6 Run-Off

For Congressman,
16th Congressional District:
Malcolm McGregor (Demo.)
Richard C. White (Demo.)

Subject to November 3 General Election

REPUBLICAN

For Congressman,
16th Congressional District:
Ed Foreman (Rep.)
(Re-Election)

DEMOCRATIC

For State Senator,
25th District:
Dorsey B. Hardeman (Demo.)
(Re-Election)

For State Representative,
72nd District:
Gene Hendryx (Demo.)
(Re-Election)

For District Judge,
112th Judicial District:
Charles Sherrill (Demo.)
(For 1st Elective Term)

For District Attorney,
83rd Judicial District of Texas:
William H. Earney (Demo.)

For Sheriff,
Tax Assessor-Collector,
Upton County
H. E. "Gene" Eckols (Demo.)
(Re-Election)

For County Attorney,
Upton County:
John A. Menefee (Demo.)
(Re-Election)

For County Commissioner,
Precinct No. 1, Upton County:
H. Wheeler (Demo.)

For Constable, Prect. No. 1,
Upton County:
E. M. Sullivan (Demo.)
(Re-Election)

(A Paid Political Adv. Column)



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HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. H. M. Robert of Rankin, admitted April 20 and dismissed May 4.
 Mr. B. B. Brown of Rankin, admitted April 21.
 Patricia Guest of Crane admitted April 23 and dismissed on May 1.
 Mr. Virgil Dobbs of Rankin, admitted April 24.
 Mr. Donald Howard of McCamey, admitted April 26 and dismissed May 5.
 Mr. James Teal of Lamesa, admitted April 27 and dismissed April 29.
 Mr. Jim Kniveton of Iraan, admitted April 27 and dismissed on April 30.
 Susan Stephenson, five-year-old

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stephenson of Midland Star Rt., admitted April 28 and dismissed April 29.
 Mr. R. L. Bell of Rankin, admitted April 28.
 Mrs. M. R. Dennis of McCamey admitted May 1 and dismissed May 4.
 Mrs. Santuro Fuentez of McCamey, admitted May 2 and dismissed May 5.
 Mrs. Antonio Montez of McCamey, admitted May 4 and dismissed May 5.
 Mr. A. S. Beck of McCamey, admitted May 5 and dismissed May 6.
 Mrs. R. R. Sosebee of McCamey, admitted May 5.
 Mrs. J. P. Joiner of McCamey, admitted May 5.

HOW UPTON COUNTY VOTED—

(Continued from Page 1)

For Associate Justice—								
Pope	40	185	73	19	278	39	162	796
McGee	13	69	27	15	109	27	51	313
For Railroad Commissioner—								
Langdon	38	220	80	36	364	61	209	1008
Owens	27	44	23	3	59	5	25	186
For U. S. Representative—								
Dooley	14	57	20	11	49	8	28	187
White	20	107	42	18	192	25	119	523
McGregor	26	85	40	11	135	30	82	409
For State Senator								
Hardeman	53	218	88	32	313	48	170	922
Camfield	9	43	16	5	84	17	53	227
For 83rd District Attorney—								
Earney	29	132	34	14	177	27	109	522
Sutton	28	105	60	23	189	35	101	541
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—								
Wheeler	5	154		8				167
Shaw	6	44		9				59
Lindsey	7	70		23				100
For Constable, Precinct No. 1—								
Sullivan	8	146		15				169
Shaffer	10	121		23				154

AGAIN to all You Folks Out There:

... and especially those who supported or had a kind word for us in the election just past.

Now comes another time when "thank you" seems so completely inadequate

You were so very nice to us—as you have always been as neighbors and friends—and I can assure you that I will try hard to do you a good job.

Thanks also to Clint and DeWayne for a clean, friendly contest.

Yours for continued harmony in our little Community and . . .

THANKS AGAIN

H. and Mrs. Wheeler

Sorority Observes 33rd Birthday

The thirty-third anniversary of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority was celebrated with a Founder's Day dinner and program on Friday night, May 1 at the Yates Hotel. Guests were members of the two Rankin chapters of the Sorority and their husbands. Approximately fifty were on hand.

Mrs. Pauline Gossett, president of the Omicron Tau Chapter, was mistress of ceremonies. Mr. Jim Mabry led the group in the

National Anthem.

Following the opening ritual, led by Mrs. Gossett, Mrs. Ralph Daugherty, sponsor of the Xi Epsilon Chi Chapter, gave the Beta Sigma Phi grace. Sug Baxom led the Founders' Day pledge as a tribute to Mr. Ross and was in charge of the candlelighted ceremony. Mrs. Lucille Harlan read a message from Walter W. Ross of Kansas City, Kansas, and founder of Beta Sigma Phi. Mrs. Peggy Collins gave a history of the highlights of the year's service projects. Next year's projects were also presented.

Tables were decorated with an arrangement of yellow roses, the sorority flower.

Members and guests were en-

tertained with a program of the sorority heart of Beta Sigma Phi. Miss Kay Rankin, dance. Miss Linda Judy Elrod and Owens did a popular hit tune, "Speedy". The closing ritual by the group, led by Boggs, president of Epsilon Chi Chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. [Name] have returned to Kansas where they are attending the funeral of a nephew, Millican. He was a student of McCamey. While gone, the relatives in Tulsa and Wellington, Kan.



BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Montez of McCamey, a daughter at 3:35 a.m. May 4, weighing 7 lbs., 4 ozs. and named Dolores Ann.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Dennis of McCamey at 6:59 a.m. on May 1, a son named Major Lawrence, weighing 6 lbs., 6 ozs.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Saturo Fuentz of McCamey at 4:08 p.m. May 3, a son named Johnnie Joe, weighing 8 lbs., 14 ozs.

THANK YOU

I am deeply grateful for the overwhelming vote given me by the people of the 25th District. I shall try to merit your continued confidence by my effective representation of the best interests of the State and District.

DORSEY B. HARDEMAN
State Senator - 25th District



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DO LUTHERANS WORSHIP LUTHER?

ARE LUTHERANS A NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH?

WHY DO LUTHERANS BAPTIZE INFANTS?

WHY DOES THE LUTHERAN CHURCH HAVE CONFIRMATION CLASSES?

WHAT IS LUTHER'S SMALL CATECHISM?

WHY DO LUTHERAN PASTORS WEAR ROBES?

DO LUTHERANS BELIEVE THAT ONLY LUTHERANS WILL BE SAVED?

and any other questions the people of this area may have concerning the newly organized Lutheran Church in Rankin will be answered in the information classes beginning Monday, May 11, 1964, at 7:30 at the Rankin Methodist Church and every Monday thereafter until the course is finished.

Write you to come and ask any questions you may have about our Church.

SERVICES

Worship Service 9:30 A. M. Sunday
 Sunday School 10:30 A. M. Sunday
 Mr. C. W. Baden, Midland, preaches
 RANKIN PARK BUILDING, RANKIN, TEXAS

Sybil Browning Is Omicron Tau Hostess

Omicron Tau, Rankin Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, met Monday evening, April 27 in the home of Sybil Browning. Pauline Gossett presided as the regular business meeting was conducted. All officers and committee chairmen reported.

Both chapters joined Thursday evening for a Founder's Day Banquet at the Yates Hotel. An event is held each year on April 30 to celebrate the founding of Beta Sigma Phi.

After the hostess served refreshments to the members present, Susie Wilson introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Zollie Rawlins. Mrs. Rawlins introduced the group to the Hawaii Islands by showing some mementos she brought from the Islands last summer. Barbara Mabry, Mary Fagan and Lita Turner modeled dress from the Islands and Mrs. Rawlins then showed slides of the points of interest

Billy Wayne Hale In Merkle Invitation

Billy Wayne Hale made up a one-man track team, representing Rankin at the Merkel Second Annual Invitational Junior Relays on May 1. Other schools entered included Anson, Baird, Ham'in, Bronte, Haskell, Jim Ned, Roscoe, Sweetwater, Wylie and Tye. Hale scored 35 out of a possible 40 points and personally tied the entire Sweetwater team for 4th place in the meet. He placed 1st in the 100-yard and 220-yard dash and 2nd in the broad jump and high jump. His time in the 100 was 10.5.

Scout Roundtable In Iraan on May 7

The summer program Roundtable for Cub Leaders, Scout and Explorer Leaders will be held at the First Methodist Church in Iraan at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, May 7. During this meeting the summer program quarterlies will be issued to every Pack, Troop and Post of the district.

she visited while she was there on a scholarship for a six-weeks course of Asian studies.

Mrs. Polly Helms was awarded the door prize. Everyone is to be reminded of the next meeting Monday, May 11 and urged to attend.

Plans are to be formulated for the America's Heritage Program for the units during the spring and summer. The summer camping information will be featured at the Boy Scout Roundtable.

An interesting summer Cub Scout program will be presented to the Cub Leaders.

The Explorer leaders Roundtable will complete plans for the Gulf Coast Trip to the Naval Air Station, Coast Guard and Padre Island.

A hint from the USDA tell how to repair the worn cuff on pants. This would have been a big help in Grandpa's day. Now, most of them are worn out in the seat before the crease is ever walked out of the cuff.

PRECINCT 1 VOTERS:

To All of You for the Cordial Manner in Which You Received Me During My Race for Re-Election and To Pap Shaffer for a Fair and Clean Election Campaign -- THANK YOU!

Sully Sullivan



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From 9:00 A. M. Until All Work is Completed

Usual Fee Will Be Charged for this Service

Future Bride



BARBARA GAIL EGGLESTON

JULY 18 has been selected as the wedding date for Miss Barbara Gail Eggleston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Eggleston of Corpus Christi, and Herbert Wesley Hurn, son of Mrs. H. W. Hurn and her late husband of Rankin. The future bride attended Del Mar College and holds a B.B.A. degree from North Texas State. She is a secretary with IBM in Corpus. Mr. Hurn, a graduate from Rankin High School, holds a B.B.A. and M.B.A. degree from the University of Texas and is a data processing sales representative for IBM in the coastal city. The wedding is to be at the Travis Baptist Church, Corpus Christi.

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HINTS for the HOMEMAKER

By Mrs. Louie S. Jeffers, County Home Demo. Agent

People who don't drink milk have three times more radioactive material in their bones than those who do, research studies conducted at several Agricultural Experiment Stations show.

Milk is the body's chief source of calcium. When milk is not included in the diet, more strontium-90 is deposited as a substitute for calcium in the bones.

A tight-fitting lid is the key to conserving food nutrients during cooking. A lid that fits tight and is heavy enough to prevent the escape of steam permits cooking with a minimum amount of added water.

Take your choice of aluminum, enamel, glass or stainless steel. Modern cooking utensils are made of materials that do not affect the nutritive values of the foods cooked in them.

In the old-style cooper utensil, the cooper was in direct contact with the food and hastened the oxidation of vitamin C. But this does not apply to modern pans with copper-plated bottoms because the inside cooking surface is made of another metal.

Worn trouser cuffs are no reason to discard a suit. If there's good wear in the rest of the suit, there's still wear in the cuffs. Clothing specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture say you can repair cuffs four times before the trousers are noticeably shortened.

The first time, you simply cut off the line of wear. Trim as little as possible, then sew the piece you have cut off back on—making a very tiny seam so that you hardly shorten the trousers. Fold the cuff with the stitching just inside the trouser leg.

The second and third repair jobs are similar to the first—

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only now you have to make a French cuff. This is actually a half cuff. The trick is in how you fold it, making it full depth on the outside and only half depth inside.

To make a French cuff, mark a chalk line 1 3/4 inches above the top crease. Fold the top of the cuff to meet this line and baste it into position. Then proceed to make the cuff as usual.

By the time the trousers need a fourth repair job, you'll have to eliminate the cuff altogether.

Upton 4-H Member Blue Ribbon Winner

Caye Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Collins, won a blue ribbon award for her Favorite Food Exhibit Saturday, May 2 in Andrews. Mrs. Collins is the Foods leader for this particular 4-H Club group.

Caye entered a macaroni and cheese casserole in the milk group. Her table was laid with an olive green linen cloth, and was set with Desert Rose pottery. She chose a brown bud vase with pink roses as her centerpiece.

Each exhibitor had a place setting suitable for the service of her favorite dish. Card tables were used, the decorations being in relation to the size of the table and the color scheme.

Caye's receipt for the Favorite Food came from her Unit II Favorite Food book.

Mrs. Louie S. Jeffers, County Home Demonstration Agent, and Mrs. Collins accompanied Caye to Andrews for the contest.

A Blue Ribbon is the highest award made in such events.

A2/C Fred H. Ross Completes Course

SAN ANGELO — Airman 2/C Freddie H. Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Ross of Robert Lee, has graduated from the U. S. Air Force course for communications technicians at Goodfellow AFB.

Airman Ross graduated from

WE SALUTE - -

The Senior Class Play

Each year at about this time, Senior Class Rankin High School present their play. This is one of their final fund-raising programs and your patronage is always most appreciated and helpful. In addition you more than get your money's worth in entertainment plus bidding a sort of "adios" to your Senior friends.

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COMMITTEE MADE FOR ALL-KID RO

BY W. M. (DUB)
County Agent, Upton

Upton County 4-H Committee met April 15 and elected J. D. Shipp as executive director of the All-Kid Rodeo which will be held June 12-13 and 14 at the horse show.

Sug Bloxom was elected secretary with Velma her assistant.

In the riding event Poage and Leslie McPherson will be the judges. Tom will be the field judge for timed events.

Ezra Trotter of Paducah announce the parade chairman and

Coral Rankin will be parade chairman and assistant to Ellis Helmer. Time for this portion of day event is 9:00 a.m. on day, June 13.

The committee feels that the unusual interest in the unusual interest in horse show should be an asset to more entries.

At 9:00 a.m. on Sunday the show will begin with two classes of mares and two classes of registered mares, mature before 1962 and mature after 1962.

Also, there will be a class of geldings, registered or registered—shown top pony class will consist of geldings under 14 hands. Class number 8 will be colts registered or not registered, twelve months old.

The performance classes begin at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday. There will be Western pleasure classes, Reining barrel race, pole bending race. The junior division will perform first with the division following. Age of the junior division is 13 years of age and under. The senior division will perform last.

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Robert Lee Industrial attended Sul Ross.

His wife, Shelia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Crites of Midkiff.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF
"FIRST STATE BANK"

Rankin, Upton County, Texas at the close of business April 15, 1964, state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

	Dollars	Cents
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	815,891.39	
U. S. Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	837,975.00	
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	685,152.60	
Other bonds, notes, and debentures (including securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by U. S.)	314,800.00	
Corporate stocks (including \$7,500 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	7,500.00	
Loans and discounts (Including 11,803.43 overdrafts)	1,862,845.53	
Bank premises owned and fixtures	2,800.00	10,800.00
Other assets		168.75
TOTAL ASSETS	4,535,133.27	

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,613,875.98
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	1,613,508.39
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	24,284.48
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	756,217.33
Deposits of banks	20,668.30
TOTAL DEPOSITS	4,028,554.48
(a) Total demand deposits	2,217,855.27
(b) Total time deposits	1,810,699.21
Other liabilities	36,649.998
TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,065,204.47

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	178,691.83
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital—Contingencies)	41,236.97
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	469,928.80
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	4,535,133.27

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold with agreement to repurchase) 815,000.00

I, D. A. Anderson, Vice-President, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: /s/ D. S. ANDERSON

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

(s) H. F. NEAL, CLAY TAYLOR, WENDELL PARDER, Directors

State of Texas, County of Upton, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 27th day of April, 1964.

/s/ EDITH JAMES, Notary Public
Upton County

(NOTARY SEAL)

RODEO—

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those 14 years of age to 20 as of January 1, 1964.

Trophies will be given to the champion and reserve champion mare, champion and reserve champion gelding, and an overall grand champion horse. The overall grand champion must have points in both the halter and performance classes.

The public is cordially invited to attend the horse show and there will be no charges at the gate for the horse show.

The rodeo performances will begin at 8:00 p.m. both nights. Events will be the same as in the previous years with two exceptions: there will be no Senior Boys' Pole Bending and the Boot Scramble will be open only to 12-years and under.

Dawn Love Inducted
In Phi Theta Kappa

SEGUIN—Dawn Love of Rankin was one of 29 new members inducted into Phi Theta Kappa Chapter at Texas Lutheran College at a recent meeting. The new members comprise the top 10 percent of the freshman and sophomore classes at TLC.

Dawn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Love of Rankin. She is majoring in elementary education.

Dr. William White, the guest speaker at the meeting and himself a member of Phi Theta Kappa, addressed the group on the progress and changes of the organization over the past 25 years.

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Bridal Shower Held
For Miss Fields

A bridal shower, honoring Miss Jimmie Lee Fields, bride-elect of Mr. Robert Vincent Farrer, was held Tuesday evening, May 5 in the home of Mrs Herbert Hurn. Guests were received from 7:00 until 9:00 in the evening.

Hostesses were Mesdames Hurn, M. J. Edwards, Zack Monroe, Linton Clark, Ralph Daugherty, T. J. Mitchell, Will Nix, Jack Smith, Clint Shaw, H. E. Eckols, and Ray Boggs and Miss Rebecca Reed.

The couple plan a June 13 wedding in First Baptist Church in Rankin.

No Screwworms in
Upton County as Yet

The largest number of screwworms in the year was reported last week, according to DuB Day. Conformation was obtained on 8 infestations in Texas. Counties reporting their first cases of the year were Atascosa and Edwards. Also reporting cases were Live Oak (2), Webb (2) and Hidalgo and Starr, one each.

Since shearing is well underway in Upton County, the Agent has pointed out that it would not only be wise but also economical to doctor all cuts with a smear. Close observation for worm cases in the next three weeks would be highly advisable in order to complete the job of eradication of the screwworm, he has stated.

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 California Chery TOMATOES lb. **20c**
 FRESH LEMONS LB. **19c**
 Cello Bag CARROTS 2 for **17c**

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SUGAR 59c 5 Lb. Bag

SUNLITE OLEO 5 LBS. **\$1.**
 Miracle Whip SALAD DRESSING quart **59c**
 GANDY'S Half-Gallons MELLORENE 3 FOR **\$1.**

Frozen FOODS

BREADED SHRIMP 10-oz. pkg. **59c**
 THRIFTY-WISE STEAK 18-oz. pkg. **79c**



3 LB. TIN **69c**

SUNLITE or MEADS BISCUITS 3 CANS **25c**
 Cut Rite WAX PAPER 25-ft. roll **25c**

Choice MEATS

SHORT RIBS LB. **29c**
 CHUCK O RARM ROAST LB. **49c**
 GRADE A FRYERS LB. **31c**
 SIRLOIN STEAK LB. **79c**
 T-BONE STEAK LB. **79c**
 PEYTON'S SAUSAGE 2 LBS. **89c**
 Peyton's English Brand BACON LB. **49c**



LB BOX **31c**

PUREX BLEACH Half-Gallon **42c**
 Stokely's 303—Cut GREEN BEANS 2 for **45c**
 CHICKEN OF SEA 3 CANS **\$1.**
 GREEN LABEL
 Stokely's 303 HONEY POD PEAS — 2 for **45c**
 WALDORF TISSUE 4 Roll Pkg. **45c**

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SELL RENT TRADE

CLASSIFIED AD RATES for the Rankin News: 3.cents per word, per issue. Minimum charge of 50c per ad when paid in cash. \$1.00 minimum charge on all ads put on charge account unless advertiser has standing account with The News.

FOR SALE: 1956 Chevrolet 4-door, V-8 Standard shift, good mechanical condition, good tires. \$395.00. Call MYrtle 3-2778.

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PANGBURN'S CANDY always is a hit with mother on her day, May 10, and our selections are many at JOHNSON'S DEPT. STORE.

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house, newly redecorated inside and out. Last House west of hospital. \$50 per month. Contact the Rankin News or write Tommy Arnold, 4819 16th St., Lubbock, Phone SWift 5-3134.

FOR MOTHERS DAY you will find a nice selection of gift items that are sure to bring a warm glow. Cosmetics, candy, jewelry and many others—all ready for your selection at the Rankin Drug.

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FOR AN extra fine little portable typewriter, we invite you to try the Underwood Lettera 32 on display at The News Office for only \$80.00

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