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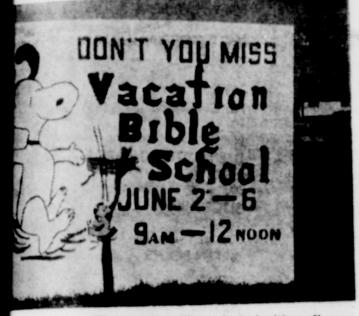
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RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1975

One Sign Says It All



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Jr. High Picks new awards assembly was held Major, Twirlers ose of school. They are as and Cheerleaders

Cheerleaders, twirlers and a drum major for Rankin Junior High were selected for the 1975-76 term prior to the close of school this week. They were:

Cheerleaders, Grade 8: Paige McMullan and Karrie Ratliff; Grade 7, Lisa Copeland and Phyllis West.

Twirlers, Grade 8, Lori Leck, Janice Perritt, Marilyn Plagens, and Kim Ratliff; Grade 7, Gina Edge and Brenda Ortiz

Drum major for the Junior High Band will be Greta Black.

Budget Adopted in the Amount of \$181,388.37 for Fiscal Year —

Council Meeting Covers Wide Range of Topics

The Rankin City Council met in regular session on May 13 at 7:30 p.m. to consider matters coming before it in due course of business and for the inclusion of a public budget hearing. All members of the Council were present. Also present were James Heffernan, Melvin Tiemann and City Attorney John A. Menefee.

A motion was made and approved to adjust Mr. Tiemann's water bill for the month of April to 25,100 gallons and to install a new water meter.

Mr. Heffernan, president of the Rankin Jaycees, reported on plans under consideration by the local chapter. The Jaycees are considering the possibilities of using herbasidal sterilization spray to kill the ground on lots situated on Main Street in an effort to eliminate weed growth. The Jaycees requested the cooperation of the City obtaining authorization from the property owners of lots and buildings located on Main Street to tear down the unsafe structures and clean the lots and to repair some of the buildings to some extent.

A report was given on the following properties on Main: Owner of the old Ford Building plans

Dog "Shooting" to be on Saturday

Dr. Tommie Elrod, of the Elrod Clinic at 2559 East 2nd in Odessa, will be in Rankin Saturday, May 24 to administer rabies and other type vaccination shots to dogs. Starting time is to be at 9 a.m. and will continue until the work is complet-

Shots will be given at the City Hall and the standard fees will be charged for the work.

Rankin is AJRA Headquarters Once Again

Former Rankinites, the Leslie McFaddens, who have been living in Sonora, are to return to their home on Court Street this week. Mr. McFadden has accepted a job with an Abilene feed

With their return, Rankin will again become the headquarters for the American Junior Rodeo Association. Mr. McFadden is the secretary-manager of the Association which is recognized as the top rodeo organization for young people through age nineteen throughout Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

Mary Fair has given her approval to clean and clear her lots 15, 16 and 17, Block 35, Rankin origional-north of the Pioneer Oil Company Station.

Also a letter from Albert R. Buttery was read expressing a desire to give the city the East 52 feet of Lot 1, Block 43, Rankin Original to be used to its best advantage.

The Jaycees especially ask that Mrs. Dorothy Frances Wease, owner of the South 20 feet of Lot 20, Block 35, Rankin Original, be contacted for permission to tear down the building on her property due to its hazardous condition.

Also in the planning stage by the local Jaycees is that to put a restroom facility in at the city park on the Midland truck by-pass.

The City Council expressed commendation and appreciation in behalf of the city to the newly organized Jaycess chapter and agreed that a concentrated effort will be made to beautify the city during the Bicentennial period.

A motion was made and carried to approve two requests for the deletion of penalty and interest on property located on the South side of town, due to the infinitesimal value of the property.

Modtion was made and approved that the city furnish natural gas for heating of the Rankin Museum Association building the old Yates Hotel.

Complaints were discussed involving trash hauling. The City Secretary was asked

to write a letter to residents expressing the City's intent to clear the alley on 13th Street

Motion was made and carried to put the summer water rates into effect for the May 31st bill-

Motion was made and carried that Dr. James D. Gossett be appointed City Public Health Officer for June 1, 1975 through May 31, 1976.

Motion was made and carried that the City approve the Traffic Safety Grant by adopting an Ordinance, No. 0-74-5, which applies to all traffic control signs in the city limits. A gradual replacement of existing signs which may be obsolete or improperly erected will be made to conform to the new standards required by January, 1977. The program is directed by the Governor's Office of Traffic Safety for cities under 20,000 population. All the signs will be furnished by the State and are being made at the

to tear down and clear the lot; Huntsville Department of Correction. The city will be responsible for supplying the post or pipe, brackets, etc; installation of the signs; and a city employee will be required to attend a three-day workshop in Odessa for specific instruction for erecting the signs.

> Motion was made and carried to adopt Resolution R-74-9, the "Texas Abandoned Motor Vehicle Act." in behalf of the Beautify Texas Council's efforts to clean up the state of junk and abandoned cars.

Tabeled consideration of the Flood Disaster Protection Act: will be reconsidered in regular meeting on June 10th.

Tabeled TV Franchise rev-

Motion made and addroved for the adoption of the budget covering operations from April 1, 1975 through March 31, 1976 in the amount of \$181,388.37. The tax rate was set at \$1 per \$100 valuation. The budget includes \$38.912 for the General Fund: \$53.193 for Wate/Sewer: \$74.437 for Gas System and \$14.846.37 for Revenue Sharing Trust Fund.

City employees were given a ten percent salary increase effective May 1, 1975, with Jean Binkley receiving an additional \$50 per month increase and Lasaro Abalos received a \$15 per month increase rather than the ten percent.

Bills were approved for payment and the meeting adjourned at 10:45 p.m.

Church Planning Revival Services

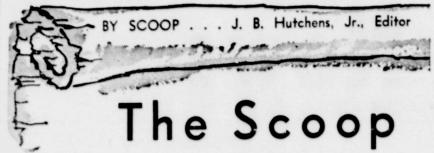
The Faith Assembly of God Church, located off Main on 12th Street in Rankin, has announced a revival to begin Sunday, May 25. Rev. E. Dillard from Rising Star will lead the serv-

There will be special singing nightly with services to begin at 7:30 p.m. A cordial invitation has been issued to the public to

Blood Pressure Checks Tuesday

Beginning Tuesday, May 27 at 10 a.m. at the Senior Center at Rankin Park Building, persons 55 years of age and over may receive free blood pressure check-ups.

These check-ups will be given on a regular monthy basis with future dates and times to be announced.



HO BOY -

Some months it just don't pay to get out of bed. May has always been one of my favorite months. It's the time of year when the fishing really gets going, it's good golf weather and good for just about anything on the out-of-doors side. Naturally you expect a few unpleasantries such as having to start a garden, mowing the grass, being pestered by bugs-stuff like that.

But if things don't change in our family pretty soon, I'm going to withdraw from next May.

For years, aside from having a couple of kids and a little stint with belly bugs, flue, etc., both the wife and I have enjoyed reasonably good health. I say we enjoyed it. I now know that we didn't fully appreciate it.

Actually, in the case of the (Continued to Next Page)

Funds Available to Needy Students

Federal funds totaling \$290,-353 have been earmarked for Angelo State University's financial aid programs for next year according to Bobby Sims, financial director at ASU. According to Sims students who plan to enter ASU in the fall and who need financial assistance should contact his office for information on available programs. He noted that applications for aid should be submitted as soon as possible in order for interested students to receive full consideration for any funds available.

The ASU financial aid office is located in room 204 of the ASU administration building.

Practically all colleges in Texas offer similar aid programs and the routine for application is much the same. Early action by the student seeking the assistance is most important in all

Thursday, May 22, 1975

Rankinite Wins at Crane Art Show

Giant Oxydol

DETERGENT SOAP

In the Second Oil Patch Art Association Show, held in Crane May 17-18, Rankin's Vacie Mc-Kaskle had a 1st in Graphics; also, third in that division; and an honorable mention in Water Color. Her 1st in Graphics will go to Austin to state competition.

Her winner was titled "Waiting for Roping" while her "Texas Breed" was the 3rd placer.

This week Mrs. McKaskle is showing her work in Terrill where much of it will be on sale for about a month. She is the wife of Upton County Deputy Sheriff Sherman McKaskle,

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Brigido Esparza, Rankin, admitted May 16.

Mrs. Alan Chandler, McCamey, admitted May 16.

Mrs. Ray Boggs, Rankin, ad-

mitted May 18. Bernard F. Boyd, Iraan, ad-

mitted May 19. Mrs. Maurice Dale Kluthe,

McCamey, admitted May 20. Mrs. Oscar Galindo, McCam-

ey, admitted May 20. Renee Phillips, Rankin, admitted May 19, dismissed on May

Donald Deed, Jr., Rankin, ad-

mitted May 18, dismissed May



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40-oz. bottle MR. CLEAN	303 can Kim PIE CHERRIES
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12-oz. pkg. Skinner's EGG NOODLES	303 Can Stokley's SLICED BEETS
3-oz. jar Lipton INSTEA	303 can Double Luck—cu
CRISCO OIL 89c	2-lb. ctn. NESTLE'S QUICK
Fruits - Vegetables	18-oz. Box COMET RICE
SPUDS 79c	1/2 flat can DEL MONTE TUNA
Fresh LB.	SPRAY N WASH
Tomatoes 33c	303 'Del Monte SAUERKRAUT
LETTUCE 31c	303 can DEL MONTE PEACHES .
TUDNUDC 27	1/2 gallon Sweetheart FAB SOFTENER
TURNIPS 27c	20-oz. bottle DEL MONTE CATSUP
AVACADOS 89c	French's 19-oz. BARBECUE SAUCE
Fresh Meats	Quart Jar Vlasic KOSHER DILL PICKLES .
Choice Beef Arm or Chuck LB.	16-oz. jar Vlasic KOSHER DILL PICKLES
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Choice Beef T-Bone LB. STEAK 129	FROZEN F
Market Sliced LB.	12-oz. pkg. SUPER DOGS
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Peyton's Ranch Brand LB.	10-oz. box Frosty Acres CAULIFLOWER
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te all this, there are moments. For instance, I've only mistaken two momen to be my wife the my son and I followed

a woman down a hallway as she came out of the operating room and commented that "Mama sure had a good color and looked all right." It wasn't her.

Another time her mother and I thought we had found her until some other people beat us to the bedside of the patient. And then there was one time, during a transfer from the ICU room to her private room that the hospital apparently misplaced her. It took about two hours to get that one straightened out.

Now add to that the fact that her doctor is of Chinese extraction and I'm accustomed to the Spanish accent, and from the best that I can understand of what he tells me, she has a multiple hangnail of the left bacilleuma, complicated by the cerumen of the left ear. Of course he may not have said anything like that.

As for you friends and neighbors, it goes without saying that if you've gotta be sick, you won't find a group of people anywhere more willing to help out. And to really appreciate your type of people, you have to stand in need such as we have before it really comes through.

On behalf of the family, Katie and myself, I say "Thank you all" for your concern and

Extra charge

for

GROUPS

assistance.

Another Rankinite who is presently under treatment in the Odessa hospital is Mrs. Clay Watson. At last report she was coming along well. I do not have her exact address but for any who might wish to send a card or otherwise let her know that she's being remembered, I think she would receive anything addressed to her at Odessa Medical Center Hospital. I'm sure it would be appreciated.

And while I seem to be giving the hospital report this week in The Scoop column, it should be pointed out that Sug Boggs is in the Rankin Hospital and is sorta stove up from a fall she had at home last Sunday night. She was putting the dog out for the night, tripped and busted something in her shoulder. Velly, velly painful— but so far Ray has given her a few days off from work at the store.

I'm sure that there are others on the sick list I don't know about, but if they will get in touch, I will give them equal space to tell about their operation or whatever.

Quarantine Need Told on Pecan Casebearer Bugs

BL DUB DAY County Extension Agent

The West Texas pecan growers met in Fort Stockton on May 5 and a plan was set out to make a casebearer survey in the West Texas area this month. If you see any small nut damage within the next three weeks please call the Extension office.

There are very few casebearers in this part of the state and as of now there are no pecan weevils.

The Texas Department of Agriculture has been approached about a quarantine on nursery stock that comes in from the infested areas of the state. This

will help in keeping the pecan weevil out of this area. However, some work will have to be done on a survey in order to get this quarantine established. If all growers will help make this survey, it will help to get this

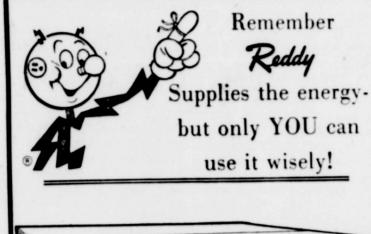
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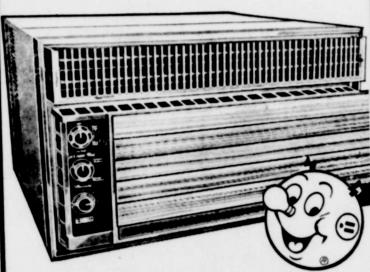
sects please give me a call at the office, 693-2313.

Right now it looks like time to spray for the casebearer will be the week of 19-23.

Sevin will get this insect. Also add a little zinc to the mixture.

A few eggs have been observed on nutlets this week in the county.





Reddy's helpful tips for your Room Air-Conditioners

Your air-conditioner will operate inefficiently if filters are not cleaned regularly. Dirt and lint, collected on the filters, restricts air flow to the coils. Clean filters every two weeks.

Let nature help you save energy by shading your home with trees and shrubs to help cut down on summer cooling costs. Draw draperies against afternoon sun.

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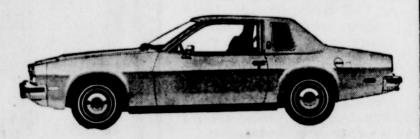
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RANKIN, TEXAS

Two Rankin Boys to Attend Camp

in store for two boys from Rankin this summer at the Salvation Army's Camp Hoblitzelle near Dallas, according to Rev. Herb Frederick, local SASU camp chairman. Boys chosen to attend the camp will leave on June 8.

The boys are guests of the local Salvation Army Service Unit Committee which is supported by contributions from citizens of Rankin, according to Frederick.

with a 30-acre lake, Camp Hoblitzelle is completely equipped with recreational facilities. Over 900 boys are expected to attend the four summer camps which the Salvation Army reserves each summer for Service Unit committees.

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"This will be a never-to-beforgotten experience for these boys" Mr. Frederick noted.

Camp Hoblitzelle activities are comparable to those found at the most expensive and exclusive boys camps in the nation. The Rankin boys will enjoy horseback riding, swimming, boating, fishing, hiking, archery, handicrafts, and group sports as well as worship services and Bible study.

FAN Club Meet Open to Public

An invitation to the public to attend one of the upcoming observances of Senior Citizen Month has been issued by the Rankin chapter, known as the FAN Club. This will be an affair on May 27 at the Rankin Park

AUDIO ACOUSTICS

Anne Mary Anderson

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(s) Buena R. Coffee, Clerk,

Included will be a salad covered dish luncheon, beginning at 6:30 p.m. This will be followed at 8 p.m. by an address by Mr. Buck Lattrell, a crime specialist from Midland. His topic will

After his speech the FAN members and guests will enjoy a presentation of local musical

"If you don't wish to attend the luncheon, come hear Buck Lattrell and our local talent perform," said Martha McDon-

of FAN, a total of 12 meetings have been held with 176 persons participating in games and arts and crafts. To date, thirty are in the blood pressure program

Midkiff Club has Installation of

Midkiff Study Club met May

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Xi Epsilon Chi Selling Tickets for Globs of Great Southwest Plays According to Charles David

McCalley, the producer/director of The Globe of the Great Southwest, many exciting events are in store for tourists from all over the United States and abroad at the Odessa Globe Summer Shakespeare Festival which begins June 20 and runs through August 24.

Now in its seventh season, the Shakespeare Festival features a professional repertory company and an apprentice company made up of theatre majors from colleges and universities all over the country. Many of the apprentices already have their BA degrees in theatre and are working on their MFA's.

Michael Findlayson, formerly with Stratford-Upon-Avon, England, is the guest director for the two Shakespeare plays. "Much Ado About Nothing" is to open the Festival on June 20,

"Dames At Sea" a 1930's musical opens "Troilus & Cressida" July 4 and "The Life of a passion play (player matinees only) which on the four Gospels, o

This year a special mission ticket is being for \$15. This ticket is a tial savings over norm admissions which are! The ticket can be us way the holder wishesmissions at one time a over as many visits

Xi Epsilon Chi chape ta Sigma phi is coordin local ticket sales. The be obtained by contact Vicky Ratliff, 693-2360: C. Copeland, 693-2342: 1 die Hyatt, 693-2864; or! Shultz, 693-2346.

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Riders Plan Day Outing

g parties, Mexican ancing to live bands lays of horseback ridstore for those who ning the West Texas in their treck to Pe-June. Prior to this trip, the WTTRA will kin at the Billy Ranon East Highway 67 day and Sunday,

will gather in Marfa and start the four-Pecos the next day, ere in time for the deo parade July 2. visits

up of about 200 riders. number from Rankin, will actually arrive in Pecos in free tickets to the rodeo dance the mid-afternoon of July 1 before riding in the parade.

The first day's ride will be the jaunt from Marfa's roping arena to Fort Davis where the group will spend the night. Activities planned for the night in Fort Davis include a street dance with a live band providing the music.

The second day's journey will end in Tovahvale where the group will enjoy free swimming in the Balmorhea State Park pool, a dance and a barbecue meal. On June 30, they will ride to the Hoban spur 15 miles to the south of Pecos, spending the

Upon arrival in Pecos, they will be given the keys to the city and will be special guests of the Pecos Chamber of Commerce. The guest privileges include a Mexican supper at \$1 per person,

and admission to the sheriff's posse barbecue after the rodeo parade July 2.

Persons wanting to take part in the ride this year may contact any of the WTTRA direc-

Billy Rankin is the director in the Rankin area. Among others are Roy Dirickson of Midland, Kenneth Roberts of Odessa, and Bill Rhoades of Alpine.

Vick - Golson Wedding Planned



Murray Golson, Angela Vick

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Vick announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Angela Katherine, to Murray Wade Golson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Golson. Both the Vicks and Golsons are Rankin residents.

The wedding is to be August 2 in the First United Methodist Church of Rankin.

Miss Vick is a 1974 graduate of Rankin High School and attended Angelo State University.

Her finance is also a graduate of Rankin High School and is attending Sul Ross State Univer-

Letters To The Editor

Dear Scoop.

I've noticed a common complaint in Rankin lately-the lack of garden space.

Since there are a lot of new trailer spaces being prepared on land that's less than suitable to garden, a lot of people are frustrated. There are a lot of older people who have established lawns but no longer have physical strength to tend them.

Somehow there should be a way to join the two forces.

Rankin is very rich in talent but we need a way to tap this resorce.

There are a lot of co-op gardens in all parts of the U.S. now. Maybe some one could come up with a way to offer their yard for an experiment.

How about an article every once in a while where people could trade talents.

I really enjoy the newspaper and your editorials although I

Deb Bloxom Gets Degree at WTC

SNYDER - Deborah Bloxom of Rankin was among the 125 students receiving associate degrees from Western Texas College in Snyder on May 15.

It's A Boy!

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sheffield, who reside near Fort Worth, announce the birth of a son, John Rayburne, on May 9. Born in a Fort Worth hospital, he weighed 8 lbs., 11 ozs.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sheffield of Rankin. The maternal grandparent is Mrs. Charlene Rayburne of Fort Worth.

sometimes disagree with your views.

It's very good being back in Rankin again. This is a good place to raise children. They have a lot of freedom here they are denied in larer towns. Freedom is becoming increasingly more valuable with each passing year.

Have a good day! Sincerely,

Mary Manville

Miss Bloxom, who is majoring in interior design, was a member of the WTC Rodeo Club and the women's rodeo team. She earned the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association jacket at WTC.

Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Shankle Bloxom, She is a graduate of Rankin High School and has attended Texas Tech University and the Arizona University located at Flagstaff, Arizona.



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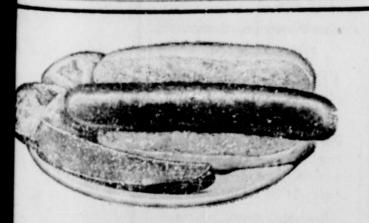
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