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ters of a mile southwest of Ralls, Texas. was being drilled.

ck-Urschel's other new test out of the southeast corner Dance Tonight No. 1-C J. S. Elliott, 660 ection 48-Y-TCRR, half mile Jukebox Jamboree

### od Fishing On dependence Creek

excellent fishing. Two to eat and drink. from Iraan made good Chandler states that Inde-

om one to three days.



offset to the discovery. Rat- the First Baptist Church, Rankin onds. on June 28th.

by Ernie Ford and his famous flat.

## Dinner-Theatre Party

and fresh spring water, a number of the younger set. In- Fort Worth. is a fee of \$1.00 for adults vited for dinner at the Elite and

#### **UPTON COUNTY** ROPERS TRIM **COLLEGE BOYS**

Four members of the Upton County Roping Club had little trouble in beating the Sul Ross coping team last Sunday afternoon at the Upton County Fairgrounds. The four local ropers had a total time of 239.2 seconds an two calves each, while the college boys had trouble in their irst round calves and came out with a time of 345.4 seconds on

Ropers for McCame	y and	tnei
times were:		
M. Black	. 29.1	49.
Hamp Carter	. 22.8	16.3
Gene Holmes	42.6	22.
M. Schneeman	17.3	38.
For Sul Ross:		
P. C. Coates	1:58.0	17.
Chas. Hall	58.2	18.
S. Loksch	22.0	48.
C. Brumbley	29.3	19.
After the matched	roping	had

been completed, four rounds of Standifer 660 feet from Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Yocham jack-pot calf roping was held, outh and east lines of the announce the approaching mar- with Bill Lowe of Crane taking half of lot 3, section 50 1-2, riage of their daughter, Hazel first moment in the opening com-Scott survey. The proposed Christine, to W. M. Day, Jr., son petition with the time of 11.2 sectest will be three- of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Day of onds; Johnny Fitzgerald, second with 12.3 seconds; and J. D. Standifer, producing south- The wedding will take place in Holleyman third with 13.4 sec-

> Winners in the second jack pot roping and times were: 1st, J. D. Holleyman, 10.4; 2nd, Louis Powers, 12.0; and Harry Howard and Buddy Neal tied for third with the time of 14 seconds flat.

The senior class is holding a In the Sheep Herder Colf Ropfinal dance tonight at the Rankin ing, Shorty Duncan won first Delta Kappa Gamma. Park building. Everyone is invit- with 17.1; 2nd, Alfred Helmers, ed to come and enjoy them- 18.1; with Mutt Black and Gene selves. Music will be furnished Holmes tying for third with 20 Miss Maggie Taylor

Chandler, who announced Nickelodeon Orchestra. That is, In the final jack pot roping of eks ago that Independence it is to be a Jukebox Jamboree, the evening, Louis Powers won located on his ranch 27 The admission will be 60c per first with 13 flat; 2nd, Buddy For OES This Year south of Sheffield was open person women and men. There Neal, 14 flat; and Johnny Fitze public for fishing has re- will be concessions with plenty gerald third place with the time of 14.2 seconds.

fifty cents for school child- theatre party following at the Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Powell who Rae McSpadden, Conductress; Frank Boyd and the honoree. Ford Theatre were Misses Jo- have been living in Cisco the past Mrs. Omar Warren, Treasurer guns or dogs are allowed veta Yocham, Virginia Still, Joy few months returned to Rankin and Mrs. Louise Hudson, Secre-



THEO BLUE



Theo Blue and Virginia Stil were named salutatorian and valedictorian respectively, of the 1949 Rankin High School graducting class .Theo has an average of 92.06 and Virginia has an average of 93.33. Virginia was also awarded the annual award of the day.

# Named Worthy Mairon

weather caused trouble to the hight. To serve the chapter next weather caused trouble to the hight. To serve the chapter next propers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, John L. Schropers during the afternoon and year will be Miss Maggie Taylor, Norman Yocham, Maggie Taylor, Norman Y also caused a small turnout to Worthy Matron; Dr. J. C. Bredehoft, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Odes- Combs, Billy Combs, Joe Garner nce is an exceleint place Bill Hurn ws host for a dinner- Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Patterson sa Edwards, Associate Matron; Loftin, Larry Brooks, Jackie week-end outing; plenty of theatre party Saturday night to recently visited her parents in Mr. W. A. Hudson, Associate Pa- Cotney, Ted Yocham, James

> The retiring Worthy Matron, Gold Football Medals Evelyn Jo Moore, conducted a program of appreciation for her officers following the close of the chapter and presented each a gift. A gift was also presented to each member by the W. M. Included in the program was a solo by Mrs. Flora Shaw, "God Made a Rose," with Mrs. Irene Nettleship accompanying.

Mrs. Dorothy Hurst and Mrs. Maude Frazer, hostesses, served GUESTS frosted punch and cookies.

## Officers Recover Merchandise North Of McCamey

Upton County Officers had 15 assorted pocket knives, four rings, 10 assorted watch chains, 9 assorted watch bands, a two foot ruler, a steel tape, two empty to spend a few days with her watch cases and 604 pennies on mother in Weatherford. their hands this week, and were wondering where they came

It happened like this. Miller of the State of Texas was Way" Joyce Jacobs of Big Lake. Ray McSpadden and Mrs. Ruth of McCamey last Monday morning when he noticed two brightly

> notified local officers. Deputy Sheriff John Gantt re merce office.

completely finished. It is expectover, "Echoes of Spring" Mrs. and larkspur were used on the larkspur were used to the l

#### HONOR STUDENTS 4-H Club Girls End Year's Work With Bake Sale Saturday

The Upton County 4-H Club Girls will complete their program of work for the year with a bake show to be held at the any time during the hours set.

For the benefit of those who contractors" by the state. were unable to attend the dress along with the bake show.

#### Ann Shaw Honored With Birthday Party

Mrs. H. D. Shaw entertained after entering into contract. a large group of young people in the Community Hall on Satur-

After an evening of games and fun and presenting Ann with Shirley Broyles, Nola Boyd, Beth tonio had the low bid of \$59,859 .- court. Shipp, Jean Shaw, LeVerne All-Election of officers for the en- man, Mary Alice Bean, Adriene legal, Jerry Romine, Bobby tron; Mrs. Dorothy Hurst, Asso- Franklin, Frank Powell, Harry ciate Conductress; Mrs. Monnie, Yocham, George Broils and Mrs.

## Hall, Lee Awarded

Tommy Hall and Roy Lee Bell received gold medals a few days an automobile accident on U. S. ago for having made the 6-man Highway 80 near Odessa January all-star football team which 17. She never has regained con- Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Johnson, Mr. played the game between Dis- sciousness. tricts 9 and 11 in Sterling City last Fall. The boys are now attending Schreiner Institute.

State B & P W President, Mrs. Charley Ward of Houston, District no. 8, Director, Mrs. Ivy Noyes of Midland and Mrs. Colysta Christian, president of the Midland B &P W club, were dinner guests of Rankin's club president, Lelia Workman, Monday night preceding the joint club meeting held here.

# Benedum Road Bid Accepted By Commissioners Dailey-Holifield Bid Low With \$59,859 Offer

After a hectic meeting Wednes- | 12; second low was Parker & ducts and will serve some of contract for the 8.239 miles of pa- with \$94,017.95. their products to visitors who ving in the Benedum Field for the come to their show. These pro- low bid of \$59,859.12. This mo- Commissioner Conger made a ducts will be scored and ribbons tion was made after the Court motion that the low bid be acand awards given. The bake had been presented a telegram cepted subject to approval of show is sponsored jointly by the received from D. C. Greer, State their qualification. In the event Extension Service and Bewley Highway Engineer of Austin. The that the low bidder was found Mills who are furnishing ribbons telegram stated that Dailey and to be not qualified, then the bid and prizes for the occasion. The Holifield were qualified to bid on would go to the lowest bidder public is cordially invited to at- State Highway contracts and that who was found to be qualified. tend this event. The girls will be their work was satisfactory. It The motion died for want of a lad to have you visit them at further stated that they were con- second. sidered "reliable and experienced A lengthy discussion followed

On Wednesday, much of the day Page and Parker & Parker both revue the girls are asked to wear was spent by the Court determin- stated that they were acquaintthe dresses that they have made ing the correct procedure for the ed with the work of Dailey & for the bake show so that you Court in relation to the letting of Holifield and that their work may have a chance to see them the contract, and the telegram was as good as any of the other sent to Judge G. H. Fisher gave contractors in the state. They the required information to clear further stated that they felt that them in letting the contract.

> tract with the Austin Company at the \$4,000 bond. the earliest date, and they are to In the reply to their qualificabe on the project within 15 days tions, Dailey and Holifield sub-

#### WEDNESDAY MEETING

court were present.

day, the Upton County Commis. Parker of Odessa with \$63,970.40; Rankin Park Building on Friday, sioners Court gave unanimous ap- third was Holland Page of Aus-Rankin Park Building on Friday, Sioners Court gave unanimous ap-May 27, from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. proval to a motion made by Com-W. O. Pelphrey of Ft. Worth with Each girl will display cookies, missioner Tom Trimble that Dai- \$71,754.87; and Thomas & Ratmuffins, and other baked pro- ley and Holifield be awarded the liff of Rodgers, Texas was fifth

in which the bidders of Holland the low bidders were qualified or The county will enter into con- else they would not have posted

mitted that they are working on All members of the court, along the present time, with about 85 day night from seven to ten with four bidders were present per cent of the work already como'clock on the occasion of her when the court opened Wednes- pleted. They said that they would daughter, Ann's thirteenth birth- day morning. Also, Sillman and welcome any investigation as to Walker, engineers hired by the their qualifications to fulfill their

After the opening and reading Judge Fisher declared a recess birthday gifts, refreshments of of the bids, the totals were tabu- until 2 p. m. Thursday afternoon ice cream, cookies, and soda pop lated by the engineers and read after a motion by Price and were served to Esther Clark, before the body. The firm of seconded by Trimble received Betty Ann Miller, Gaynelle Black Dailey and Hollifield of San An- the unanimous approval of the

#### suing year was held when Rankin McDaniels, Betty Sue Bodine, Rev. and Mrs. D. G. Hardt Honor Methodist A high wind and threatening Chapter O E S met Monday Mayetta Higgins, Bruce McCain, weather caused trouble to the night. To serve the chapter next Murry McCain, Kenneth Smith, Stewards and Wives With Dinner Friday

#### Unconscious Four Months

Miss Joan Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwards of annual event since pastoring the Rankin, has been unconscious local church. four months.

Her condition at an Odessa

'unchanged, still unconscious." Miss Edwards was injured in

#### Rev. R. L. Herring Accepts Miles Pastorate

Rev. R. L. Herring, former pastor of the Baptist Church of Rankin, has accepted a call to pastor the First Baptist Church in Miles, Texas. Reverend and Mrs. Herring contemplate moving to Miles within the next 10 days to Members of the Rankin High asusme the work there.

Mrs. Walton Harral left Wed. ill. Mrs. C. J. Holcomb who had nic lunch in the park and swimbeen in Kermit the past week re- ming contributed principally to turned to Rankin with the Shaws. the day's fun.

host and hostess at a dinner Friday night at which the stewards of the Methodist Church and their wives were guests. The Hardt's have made this dinner an

Dinner was served in the church parlors by Misses Mary hospital Tuesday was reported Anderson, Beverly East and Patsy Blue assisting the hostess. The regular business meeting of the stewards followed the dinner.

> Attending the dinner-meet were Mr. and Mrs. R. O. White, and Mrs. Bodine, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Anderson, Mrs. Hamp Carter and the host and hostess.

#### Freshman Class Holds Picnic At Ft. Stockton

Freshman Class, each with an invited guest, their sponsor, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Shaw went Helen Reynolds and the room to Kermit Sunday where Mrs. mothers enjoyed a day's outing at Clarence Holcomb has been quite Fort Stockton Wednesday. A pic-

## UPTON SOFTBALL LEAGUE TO ley Ward, president of Busiand Professional Women's reading "In the Usual Sort or reading "In th

returned to McCamey where he the team managers last Tuesday league will be for seven innings. night at the Chamber of Com- No admission charge will be

turned to the place with him, and H. K. McKinon, president of the Teams entered for the play which August with each team playing for over an hour, pennies and Upton County Softball Assn., an- is to be for one full season with every team in the league three other above named articles were nounced that the first games of a Shaunessy playoff among the times. found in the sand in the bar league play will begin Monday leading teams, are Shell Pipeline, A special section for the colnight under the lights at 8:30 p. Recreation Department, West ored spectators, and the press box. No robberies have been report- m. One game is to be played Texas Utilities, T&P Coal and Oil is all that remains to be finished

With the finishing touches being utes, regardless of the number! colored boxes in the road. He made on the Upton County Soft- off innings played. The game will McCamey, Iraan and Big meanings and functionings. Mrs. from a crystal service on a hand-stopped, and found a few of the ball Stadium, a summer schedule end on an even inning for both watch bands lying nearby and was adopted at a meeting held by teams. All other games of the

made to any of the league games.

May 25-Rio Pecos vs. Rankin

May 26-TP vs. Recreation May 27-WTU vs. Rankin -Rio Pecos vs. Shell

The regular season will close in

## minded all potential camp- Ward and Messrs. Don Still and the first of the week for a short tary. stay. Jimmy Workman. lrs. Leila Workman Re-Elected resident of Rankin B&PW Club

when the Rankin Business will be held May 26th.

personnel. King, Corresponding Secre- elected to membership.

ed were Mrs. Nan Daugh- and alternate to the State Con- guests, Helen Reynolds of the Vice-President; Miss Helen vention in Houston June 10 to High School Faculty and Doris Recording Secretary; Miss 12th. Mrs. Searcy Crandell was Clemens of the First State Bank

Lelia Workman was re- tary; and Mrs. Edna Mae Patton, The report of the secretary reted president for a second Treasurer. Installation of officers vealed 27 having been voted to

membership in the local club dur-Thursday noon for the past year with a present membership of 47. Thursday noon, for their Mrs. Workman and Miss Myrna Twenty-four attended Thurs less-luncheon. Other officers Holman were elected delegate day's luncheon including two

tate President of B&PW lubs Address Local Group

Simon of Iraan; "Memories" registry table in the lobby of the Gladys Carter.

aty B & P W Club members dedicated to the McCamey Club building, on the speakers table from. officers attended the meeting by Ruby Braly; Solo, "Powder and on the refreshment table.

Mrs. Ward addressed the group Holcomb. uts from Crane, Fort Stock- on the B & P W Federation, it's Lime frosted punch was served

ning of guests, Mrs. Ward decorated the stage of the audi- Taylor, Leah Johnson, Maxine resented a corsage of or- torium in the Community Build- Bennett and Polly Stephenson.

Were represented with the Iva Noves, Director of District 8 cut white linen cloth, on which in club hostess. Lelia Work- spoke briefly as did the presi- burned tall green tapers flankpresident of the local club, dents and members of visiting ing the sweet-pea arrangement. wing the introduction and Large urns of yellow daisies were Nan Daugherty, Maggie

ing for the occasion and an ar- The executive committee of a Hurn, program chair- rangement of the daisies in a Rankin's club served as the re- ditch. presented the following white pottery bowl on the piano ception committee for Monday presented the following white pottery bowl on the plane of sweet peas committee was composed of Leola such articles were reported stall when two genes will be played to be pl president's address: Piano and flower. Bowls of sweet peas committee was composed of Leola such articles were reported stol- when two games will be played. Independents.

#### PET PEEVES

and horned toads. Joy-measles.

Jimmy-Rusty Daugherty. Marlene-Don. Harry Gene-World History out with the disease.

Imogene-puppy dogs. Bill Davee-flat tires. Wilma, her shadow, her echo,

and herself. Don-long fingernails. Chock-operations. Dee Aun-mumps.

Emma Lu-staying at home.

paste fights. Freshman girls-Billy Dean. Wanda B .- James Franklin,

Bruce and Norman. Paul Johnson-General Sci-

Theo Blue-Francis Delaney. Jodie Stephenson-red heads. Ruthie-two toned chevies. Merry Tom-freshman boys.

#### 8th Grade Honored

Wednesday evening a reception very pleased with the way things Judge of Upton County, Rankin, and dance were held in the H. E. went. Maetta Higgins was vale- Texas, until 10 A. M. May 18th, dining room honoring the grad- dictorian and Gentry Holmes was 1949, and then be publicly openuates. Parents and several guests salutatorian of the class. were invited. Punch and cake were served by the following hostesses: Mrs. Pat Yocham, Mrs. Andy Mitchell, Mrs. Sam Holmes

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The other night Jimmy Workman came in sopping drunk. He staggered home, turned on all the lights, and with a flourish, picked James G.-mumps and measles, up the fish bowl and threw it Clerk, Upton County, Texas. Joveta-Don to make fun of against the wall with a loud shatter. Mrs. Workman yelled from the other room, "Jimmy, are you Lawanda M. fussing and tooth- drunk?" "Naw, I ain't drunk," he replied, "but I'll teach them goldfish to snap at me."

## Eighth Grade Gets Gate

their diplomas last Wednesday Asphalt Surface Treatment from night in the service that lasted a point of intersection with State an hour at the High School Audi- Hwy. 349 approximately 6.5 miles torium. John Menefee spoke to North of Rankin, Texas, Easterly the class about their preparation to the Benedum Oil Field in Upfor life. Mr. Shiller, the eighth ton County, Texas, will be receiv-Following graduation exercises grade teacher, said that he was ed at the office of the County

## Fads and Fashions

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its regular meeting place in the bid as a guaranty that the bidder, Courthouse in the town of Ran- if successful, will execute Con-A siege of the mumps that rag- kin, Upton County Texas, at 10 tract and file a Bond within fif-Jean-gum smacking, lizards ed through the school has ended o'cock a. m., beginning on Mon-teen (15) days of the acceptance with the end of school. Dee Aun, day, the 20th day of June, 1949, of the proposal. Rell Gamblin and Andy Lyle and from day to day thereafter, 75 working days will be allowed were unable to take their finals. for the purpose of determining, for completion of the Contract. Others of the school have been fixing and equalizing the value | Plans and specifications are PIANO-It's here! The amazing of any and all taxable property on file at the office of G. H. situated in Upton County, Texas, Fisher, County Judge of Upton until such values have finally County, Rankin, Texas, and are been determined for taxable pur- available from Silas Pittman, poses for the year 1949, and any Project Engineer, Rankin, Texas, and all persons interested or hav- and Silliman & Walker, Engining business with the said Board eers, Fort Stockton, Texas. Usual are hereby notified to be present, rights are reserved. Ralph H. Daugherty, County

of office, this the 25th day of Upton County , Rankin, Texas. April, 1949. 9th day of May, 1949.

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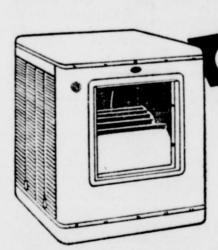
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The State Health Officer, Drawers W. Cox, declares that the dief cause of these intestinal diases are contaminated milk after or food; allowing the child get overheated or exhausted diessive sugar in the infant mula, and foods that have

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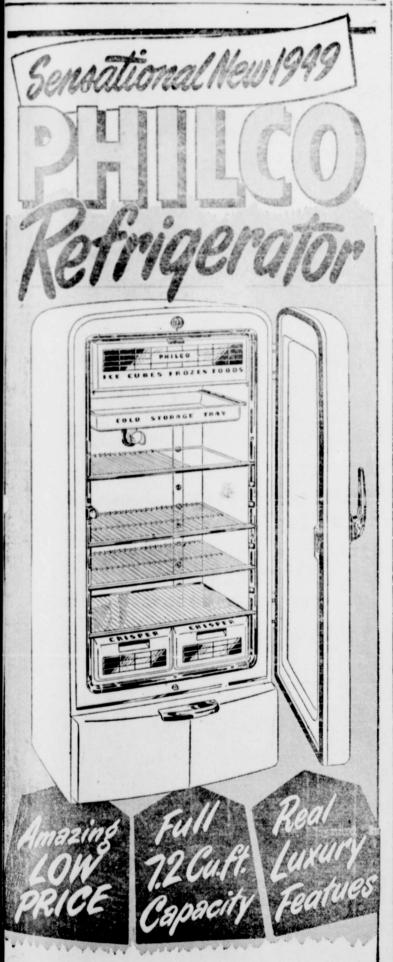
fresh, and all left-overs should be refrigerated so as to avoid spoilage. The utmost care should be used in preparing the infant's formula which should, of course, be prescribed by a physician, and his recommendations as to sanitation precautions and correct refrigeration should be implicitly followed."

The State Health Officer warned parents especially of the danger of disease transmission by flies. Children in any home that is not free from flies, are in danger of contracting dysentery or other intestinal diseases which may be fatal.

"If dysentery or diarrhea symptoms appear in your child, call your doctor immediately," Dr. Cox advises. "His treatment of the risease is your best insurance against fatal results, since such diseases are really a very serious threat to the child's life. Don't depend on home remedies for diarrhea or dysentery; consult a competent physician and let him institute the safest and best treatment which medical science has available, for cambating these wasting diseases."

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# RANKIN RED DEVIL

RANKIN HIGH SCHOOL, RANKIN, TEXAS

#### It Is Rumored That

Marlene and Don don't get

Joe Garner caught a racer snake, and all the girls looked like race horses.

A leg fell in Jean's lap. (Table leg, that is.)

The freshman class had a class meeting Wednesday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

\* Some first graders tried to hang one another Wednesday. Marlene finds dictionaries very

Joy has a new wisdom tooth. (We can't tell that it has done any good.)

Harry Gene was a shade sleepy at the prom.

Wilma went to her grandmother's and really had a time. The girls really had some

classy dresses for the prom. Bill and Joy are expecting many happy wishes on their birthday this Saturday.

Jean moves to the front of the room every morning in math

Joy finally cut her fingernails even though Bill and Don didn't want her to.

McCamey has a bigger choral club than Rankin, but they can't sing any better.

Don enjoyed the McCamey band's visit to Rankin. He met some of his old girl friends that he was just about to forget.

Mona Sue and Dee Aun, Myra and Loyd, Jean and Paul, could be found after the prom Satur-

Dee Aun doesn't like to dance to anything but "I Love You So Much It Hurts Me."

Coach wants the study hall door nailed down in math class. old. All penmanship students are learning to write their names.

#### Orchids and Onions

Orchids to Joveta for doing the Virginia Reel with Mr. Still. Onions to Don for getting his tongue twisted up while he was years old.

nail the study hall door shut.

Orchids to Don for drinking so | Chock Romine-About 14 years many chocolate gismos.

Onions to Bill for being the

baby, he can't help but be. Onions to a boy in a Pontiac old. ing his face when he was parked | years old. out on Max Schneeman's road.

Orchids to Ruthie for eating up candy. the typewriter and typing the

Onions to Theo for forgetting Frances Delaney. years old

### People; And The Age They Act

Virginia Still-20 years. Jimmy Workman-30 years. Earl Brown-15 years. Barbara McSpadden-13 years. Ruthie Elliott-18 years. Jean Shaw-2 years.

Marlene Holmes-4 years. Ted Yocham-About 6 year. Wilma Faye Payne—about 35

Joveta-65 years old. Don Still-3 1-2 years old. Bill Hurn-3 1-2 months old. Imogene Sanders-About

years old.

Grover vears old.

Charles Blue-About 7 years. Andy Lyle-1 year. Pete McEwen-12 years. Toad-About 12 years old.

Myra James-About 8 years the trimmings. Mona Sue Branch-About 18

years old. Field Branch-About 45. Billy Dean-3 1-2 years old. Loyd Gene-Old enough to

know better. Dee Aun Gamblin-20 years

Paul Johnson-Old enough to want to know.

Merry Tom-About as old as a 50-year-old maid. Jimmy Lee-About 6 years old.

Winnie Ellis-About 20 years likes Marlene.

Onions to the measles for Harley Romine-About 19 years

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#### Swimming Expedition Made To Ft. Stockton

The kids are all going around week. with red faces now and it isn't because they're blushing. You guessed it, they have been to Ft. Stockton, swimming. Almost all and everyone had a very good Peachie-Blue affair, without any

At 8:30 Wednesday morning, the Freshmen and the ones they had invited met at the school house and left as soon as Mrs. Mr. Schiller-About 14 years Reynolds arrived. Everyone was loaded in the cars and we left.

Those taking cars were: Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Zachary, Mrs. Joy Ward-About 30 years old. James, Harry Yocham, and Harley Romine. The others going on 6 the trip were: James Gamblin, Louie Ward, Walter McSpadden, Wanda Burleson-About 19 Paul Johnson, George Broyles, Harry Gene-About 21 years mine, Joy Ward, Bill Hurn, Jo- to meet halfway, he'll admit he's my nomination stand until elec-92 Still, Jimmy Workman, Billy wrong. Yocham-About 25 land, Jean Shaw, Barbara Mc-civics class about the Golden Spadden, Myra James, Lloyd Rule. After he had taught on it Lewis Ward-About 12 years Gene Yocham, Jimmy Lee, Myra for two or three days he said,

and about 12, we got out and unreformed Toad. Billy Ross-bigger than Harley, went to the park to eat a deli-Emma Lu-About 30 years old. tato salad, cold drinks, and all poor blistered back.

After this was digested, and probably before, everyone was Junior-Senior back in swimming.

By 3:30 the cars were all head- Banquel Given ed toward Rankin again, and everyone was rubbing on lotion, and saying "Why didn't I know | Senior class of Rankin High with well, maybe some day we'll quet last Saturday night.

#### **CUESS WHO**

ANSWER NEXT YEAR

Walter McSpadden-About 11 always studies in study hall. He decorated with a stone-wall Billy Brown-About 65 years wears levies. He has brown hair placed into the corners. A large

#### To The Teachers

Theo Blue-About 9 years old. have had some ins and outs, we Theo Blue, president of the Sen-glad part of it is that school is Frank Powell—About 9 years have really enjoyed this year jor class gave the response. Next out and everyone's worries are under your good supervision and a musical number, "Auld Lang over, even the teachers. Also the with a crashed in fender for hid- Donald McEwen—About 40 teachings. We hope you all come Syne," was sung by the entire swimming pool will be open back next year. You have been group, accompanied by Mrs. Saturday and everyone can go Bill Davee—Old enough to buy understanding and very helpful Nettleship. Jimmy Workman swimming. and we thank you very much. then read the Prophecy, Donald Jodie Stephenson-About 38 We hope you will never forget McEwen read the Senior wills, this "mean bunch of kids." We and James Gamblin read the Joyce Franklin-About 36 hope to see you all again next class history.

#### Who'd Have Guessed It? Final Edition Of Red Marlene broke her record and Devil For The Year

got to music class on time last

Emma Lou was classified as from swimming last Wednesday. I also wish to thank all of the Proof Reader. James got a new evening dress the school kids were over there for graduation. It is a beautiful the paper. I am pleased with the

> James wanted to know "what aind if disease is compusology." I wonder if some of the pretty gals could tell him.

young lady, at least she is in age, term when you go to organize friends here, still struggling to whether she is in action or looks your paper staff, I would like you achieve the goal you succeeded

in her books, especially book- would make you a very good ed- you will be great successes in all keeping.

Lawanda McDaniels, Chock Ro- disagreement, Don always agrees nate her for the position and may didn't you? veta Yocham, Don Still, Virginia right if she will admit she's tion time.

Dean Zachary, Emma Lou Cleve- Once coach was teaching his James, Charles Blue, Janet "Toad, supposing a boy came up High School Graduation got And through the years, save your Wanda M .- About 13 years old. James, and Betty Ruth James. and hit you on one cheek, what under way. The ten seniors sol-When we got there, at about would you do?" "How big a boy emnly marched in to the music They are souvenirs, they'll make 10:30, everyone went swimming are you supposing?" asked the by Miss Cleona Quiett. Also those

Joveta knows hows to beat cious lunch of sandwiches, po- Don up now, just hit him on his and Valedictorian, Virginia Still, Sent from up above, with an

The Junior class honored the I was getting so blistered?" Oh, the annual Junior-Senior ban- Reception Is Given

The theme of the banquet was "An Old-Fashioned Garden." The theme was carried out through all the banquet. Napkins, programs, favors, nut cups and place cards all had designs on He takes junior English and them of a garden. The room was is about 5' 10" tall and always fence surrounding it. Trees were and grayish-yellow eyes. He rose bush was placed in the center of the room. The ceiling was fixed as a sky effect.

The tables were decorated with bright crepe paper. Sprinkling Final Exams Are Over cans were used as the center-

Don Still, the Junior president, some made 0. Well so much for teachers, "Although we may made the first opening welcome. that. It happens every year. The

The Junior girls made a dedication of "My Best To You," to the Senior class. This was sung by Joveta Yocham, Winnie Ellis, Imogene Sanders, Lawanda Hunsinger, and Ruthie Elliott.

James Gamblin also sang a lovely song, "Blue Shadows on

The prom was held in the gymnosium of the school building. This was also decorated like an outdoor garden. Upon entering, a rose-covered arch was seen, and a picket fence surrounded the floor. Small tables were in a circle around the dance floor. The refreshment bar was at a corner, iced punch was served.

At 10 o'clock sharp a floor show was presented. Joy Ward sang a very lovely song, "Spring Fever," James Gamblin and Jimmy Workman did some swell harmonizing in "By the Light of the Silvery Moon," after which Jimmy sang a lovely solo. Grover Yocham provided more very good entertainment with his guitar and fine voice.

Those enjoying the banquet were: The seniors, the juniors, the room-mothers and fathers, and the high school faculty.

We hope that each of them enjoyed the banquet as much as we enjoyed giving it.

We wish to thank all those who helped so kindly, our mothers, Ernie Ford, and all the

We also want to express our appreciation to Jean Shaw, Marlene Holmes, Mona Sue Branch, and Myrna James for helping serve. They did an excellent job and everyone enjoyed their ex-

ADDITIONAL RED **NEWS ON PAGE 2** 

As the editor for the past year of the Rankin Red Devil, I am "well-done" when she got back happy to report a successful year. staff members for their help on results and hope that I have pleased everyone. I have tried to do my best and am happy to have held this honored position.

The past two weeksI have turned the paper over to Ruth Elliott school with you all these years. in order to give her some experi- We hope you will not forget the there and then continue on to Winnie Pearl is now a grown ence for the coming year. Next old "Alma Mater," and all your Galveston. They will stay two to bear in mind Ruthie for the Ruthie was so very, very smart; editorship. I believe that she! itor and could show you how to that you try to do, after all, you When Don and Joveta have a put out a paper. I hereby nomi-

JAMES GAMBLIN.

#### **Graduation Complete**

Thursday night at 8:00 the in the choral club sang with the Remember this, each new day's group. Saluutatorian, Theo Blue, delivered very good speeches. James Gamblin introduced the Our best to you, may your skies speaker, Judge Allan R. Frazer, who talked to the group in a very May your love last, that's interesting address. With the receiving of the diplomas, the boys and girls passed from the doors

## Honoring The Seniors

George Stephenson were hoste refreshments were served to ove ly enjoyed the party and many handshakes were exchanged.

their grades. Some made 100

#### THE RED DEVIL STAFF James Gamblin Editor-in-Chief. . Theo Blue

Associate Editor . Joveta Yocham, Theo Blue Sports Editors .Martha Schlagal Ruthie Elliott ...Virginia Still .Jimmy Workman

#### 'Good Luck, Seniors'

would like to say "Farewell, it has been wonderful going to in reaching this year. We are return they will stay two nights very proud of you all. We know came to school at Rankin High, Seniors Are Honored

We hope you have the very best in life that you can possibly wish for, and more too. Our best to you, may your

dreams come true. May old father time never be un-

smiles and tears.

music in your heart. a kiss.

Angel's love. be blue.

best to you.

# Senior Trip Is Planned

The senior class has planned a seven-day trip through the lower regions of Texas. They plan to leave early Saturday morning for San Antonio to spend a night nights in that city and move on to Houston to stay a night. By in Austin and then come home.

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## At T. A. B. Party

On Tuesday night the Seniors were honored at the regular T.A. B. party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Still. A review of "Madame Delphine" tak-The music class sang a Creole Days" was given by Joy Ward. The music clas ssang a Creole song which was very beautiful. On a table from which punch and sandwiches were served, stood a doll graduate which wore a maroon cap and gown and carried a diploma. After refreshments were served all of the Seniors had their pictures made by Mr. Johnson from McCamey. Hostesses for the party were Joveta Yocham, Jean Shaw, Joy Ward and Marlene



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