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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1963

District 8-A Contest --

## Act Play Takes 1st; Prep for Regional Win

High School's production of Anouilh's "Medea" in the District 8-A Contest, March 29, Reagan County High School, Lake.

Person, who played the Medea, was named

Has 15 In Science Fair

Schools will have fifteen to the approximately 150 Fair projects which seventeen West Texas The fair, to be staged at College gym on directed by Mr. Ver-

to the projects, fifty Student Cong. papers presented by Winners in the will attend the National Fair in Albuquerque,

of the Fair calls for be set up on Thurs- 8:00 p.m. Pro- will again be held on 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 judging to begin at day.

banquet will be held from 12 noon until when the fair will be public viewing from 5:00 p.m.

"Best Actress" of the contest, and Sam Bean received "All-Star Cast" honors for his portrayal of Jason. Other "Medea" cast members included Eudora Pettit, Craig Welsch, Jim Ivy and Eddie Love. Director of the play was Robert Ross.

Eldorado's "Macbeth" was selected as alternate play. Other schools presenting plays were Ozone, Reagan County and Iraan. Don Irwin of San Angelo College served as critic judge for the entries.

"Medea" will be entered in the Regional One-Act Play Contest in Lubbock, April 20.

## Upland Gun Club To Hold Ham Shoot

The Upland Gun Club will hold their Pre-Easter Ham Shoot this week-end on Saturday and Sunday. Shooting is to begin at 1:00 p.m. both days. Prizes are to be full-size hams—just right for the Easter dinner.

Competition will be offered in trap shooting, .22 rifle target, and lucky shotgun, the shoot in which anyone who can pull the trigger may win. There will be only 10 competitors to a match as compared with the usual 15.

One-third of the net proceeds will go to the Girl Scouts and one-third to the Boy Scouts.

## A Hunting We Will Go



ARE FOSSIL HUNTERS—This group of 6th from Rankin Junior High are shown as they d to leave on a "fossil hunt" to the Elrod recently. The trip was made in connection their study of rock formations and fossils in science classes. Results were unreported.

## Voters Will Pick Three In School Vote Saturday

Voters of Rankin Independent School District will elect three members to the board of trustees Saturday, April 6. The polls will be open from 8:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. with voting at the Rankin High School lobby and at the recreation hall of the Phillips plant in Midkiff. Mrs. Sam Holmes will be the presiding judge in the Rankin voting and Mrs. R. R. Calcoat at Midkiff.

Names as they will appear on the ballot are: Floyd Fields, D. L. Trowbridge, Mrs. Myrie Brown, Ed Edgar, Tex Collins, W. D. Poynor, Lewis M. Smith, D. P. Fuller, A. B. McGill, Leon Houchins, Leslie McFadden and A. E. Ivy. Box McDonald, who had previously announced, withdrew from the race in March.

The three elected will serve for three-year terms and will take office at the board's first meeting in May. Edgar and McGill

## Rankin Takes 2nd In Alpine Track Meet

Rankin Junior High tracksters placed second in the Alpine Junior Track Meet last week with a total of 73½ points. First place winner was the host school, Alpine, with a total of 144 points.

In third place was Sanderson at 72 points; fourth, McCamey with 52¼ points; fifth, Marfa with a total of 50¼ points; sixth, Grandfalls, 42 points; and 7th, Stanton with 6 points.

In the 50 and 100-yard dash, Rankin's Billy Wayne Hale placed 2nd. In the 220, Kenneth Parrish was 3rd and in the 660-yard run, Ronald Ivey was 1st, Jerry Harris, 4th, and Roland Davis in at 5th.

The Rankin team of Scott Fields, Kenneth Parrish, Ronald Ivey and Hale, placed 3rd in the 440 relay.

In broad jump, Parrish was in 4th place while Hale and Donald Ivey tied for 6th in high jump.

In Shot put, Gary Upham had 4th and was first in the Discus throw.

For the 1320-yard relay, Jerry Harris, Roland Davis, Ronald Ivey and Kenneth Parrish placed 5th.

In the 7th Grade Division, Tim Harland was 2nd in the discus throw and Mike Turner was 4th in shot put.

## NOW SEE HERE—

The popularity of the automatic dishwasher is due to the fact that most husbands would rather buy than be one.

are the only two incumbents in the 12-candidate field.

Other present board members are Joe Simpson, Carl Shaffer, Doc Gossett and Loyd Harlan.

Fields, Collins, Poynor, Fuller and McFadden are oil company employees. Trowbridge works for The Halliburton Company. Mrs.

Brown is owner and operator of the Rankin Credit Bureau and the Beauty Cottage. Edgar is the local manager of West Texas Utilities, Smith and McGill are ranchers. Houchins is manager of Lowery and Workman Insurance Agency and Ivy is owner and operator of Wallace Lumber Co.

## Classy Bunch of Boys Shine Shoes Saturday

On Saturday, April 6, the Lions will hold their shoe-shine day in Rankin. Money taken in from the shine will go toward the costs of the Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 13.

Doc Adams is chairman of the shoe shine committee and has pointed out that there will be some experts on hand to buff the polish on Saturday. In fact, according to Adams, some of them are so expert in the shoe shining department, that he wonders if perhaps they have not missed their calling.

And you need not be present to get your shoes shined. Just drop them off at the shine stand that will be set up on Main St.

and return later and pick them up. All work is said to be guaranteed but no mention has been made as to just what is guaranteed.

In an election of officers, to become effective July 1, 1963, the Rankin Lions Club has picked Bill J. Hood as its president.

Other officers who are to assist Hood are E. L. Edgar, 1st vice-president; Raymond Roycroft 2nd vice-president; E. L. Speed, 3rd vice-president; Clair Sommers, secretary; Bill Williams, treasurer; H. Wheeler, Lion tamer; Doc Adams, tailtwister. Kenneth Welsch is the outgoing president.

In Tuesday City Election --

## Hughes Wins Council; Livestock to Remain

Less than 200 voters turned out in the Rankin City Election last Tuesday to give a big majority of their votes to Mike Hughes for city councilman and to put their stamp of approval on the continued keeping of livestock within the city limits.

Hughes won his first full term as councilman over R. L. Bell by a 138-43 mark. The livestock referendum was approved by a lesser majority of 103 for keeping of livestock within the city limits, to 66 against. Although the livestock vote was only a sampling of public opinion on the question, it is anticipated that the city council will go along with the

majority and take no action against livestock within the city (Continued to Page 5)

## Public Invited To 4-H Club Barbecue

An invitation has been issued to the public to attend the annual Upton County 4-H Club achievement banquet. Time will be at 6:30 p.m. Friday in the Rankin Elementary Cafeteria.

There will be no speech-making although a brief ceremony will be held in which awards will be presented to 4-H Club members for their work during the past year.

# THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

## THE DISTRICT—

A letter to the Editor in this issue of the News explains the feelings of our Representative in Austin, Mr. Gene Hendryx of Alpine, concerning the proposed re-districting bill that would make Upton County residents peons in a set-up that would be governed by men from what we in West Texas consider "back east".

This bill is one of the most unfair and discriminating pieces of foolishness to come out of that city of Austin in many a day—the state sales tax excepted.

I can't imagine anyone in West Texas who gives a hoot about his representation in Washington being for a bill of this nature. And there is no reason why we have to stand for it.

Gene Hendryx has said that he

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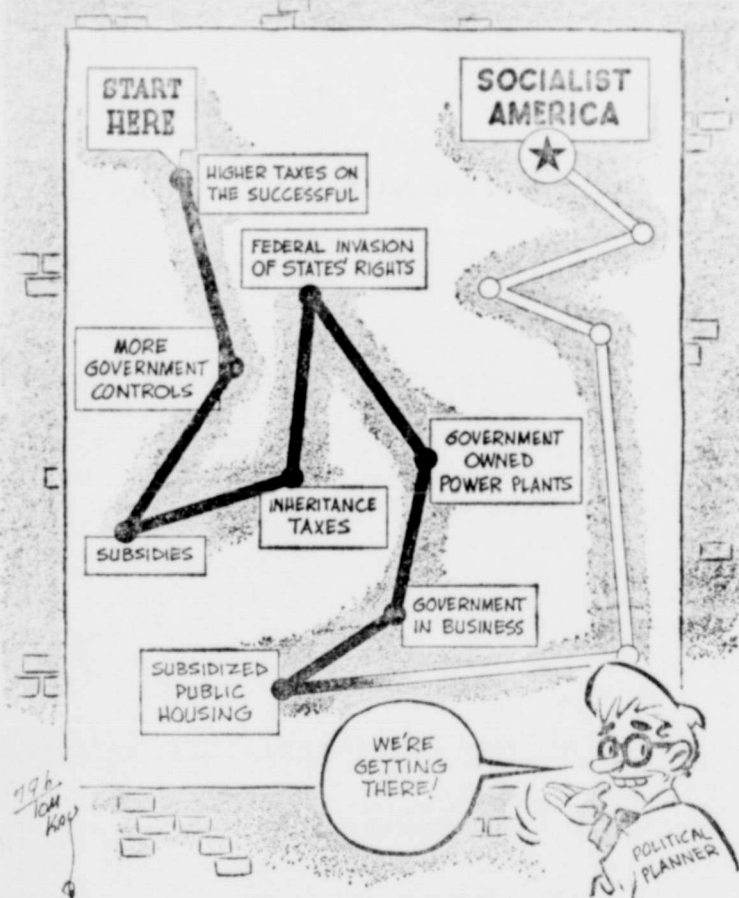
will carry the ball against its passage and he'll do just that. But he will also need some help. If you are one who believes in a fair shake, then write a letter to Representative Hendryx and let him know that you're on his side in this thing. The more support he gets from the people affected, the stronger will be his weapons against the bill.

Just a short note of Gene Hendryx, Alpine or Austin, Texas, will give him ammunition. I have already written mine.

APRIL 15—

I don't know why the Infernal Revenue had to pick the middle  
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## THE AMERICAN WAY



Time To Reverse The Trend

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## REPORT OF CONDITION OF "FIRST STATE BANK"

Of Rankin, Upton County, Texas, at the close of business March 18, 1963, a 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 by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

### ASSETS

	Dollars
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	849,370
U. S. Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	814,674
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	704,495
Other bonds, notes, and debentures (including securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by U. S.)	359,800.00
Corporate stocks (including \$6,750.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,750
Loans and discounts (including 18,811.77 overdrafts)	1,427,594
Bank premises owned \$4,800.00, furniture and fixtures \$6,930.50	11,730
Other assets	2,991
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>4,177,294</b>

### LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,561,353
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	1,335,298
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	42,718
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	734,973
Deposits of banks	27,813
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>3,702,114.06</b>
(a) Total demand deposits	2,095,323.85
(b) Total time deposits	1,606,790.21
Other liabilities	27,384
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>3,729,500</b>

### CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	100,000
Surplus	125,000
Undivided profits	181,530
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital—Contingencies)	41,234
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>447,764</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>4,177,294</b>

### MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold with agreement to repurchase) 853,000

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/ CLAY TAYLOR, L. E. WINDHAM, DUNN LOWERY, Directors

State of Texas, County of Upton,  
Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 25th day of March, 1963.

/s/ EDITH JAMES, Notary Public  
Upton County

(NOTARY SEAL)

DOOF—  
Continued from Page 2)

for income tax time. usually a fresh, clean time for oiling up the ole, for day dreaming, enjoying life in general. The income taxers stink it with Forms 1040, Schedules C-3, etc., etc.

Understand why they couldn't find the middle of Feb. when we're all in a state of mind to begin with. The weather is not fitten for except cussing income tax. But leave it to Beau-figure out the timing take the most joy out

other hand, if you have power, you can look at the side and be happy that you are financially to have income tax.

Cummings was saying today, we all do a lot of about the high cost of houses and what-not but of us ever stop to re-think it was back in the "old days" when we did not do such things. As Bud out, if we were willing to live as we did back in the thirties with red cornbread most every

ice tea for Sunday; to a car—and you can them that are just as

as the \$500 car was our gas a \$1 worth and expect it to last to limit ourselves to one

week at the most; for the stove, to milk grow a garden, can, own meat, keep up

a pen of chickens, wear overalls and feed sack dresses—and more. Then, perhaps, we would all have some of that money left that we wonder where it went around the 15th of April. We're living like the rich folks we used to admire but we don't like paying the bills any better than they did then.

So here's to the ole income tax. I hope they outlaw the dadburned thing.

**JUST JOSHING—**

It now appears that the biggest mistake made lately by the Reds was when they let the administration in Washington bluff them into pulling out of Cuba. Recent raids on Castro and his Russian pals has now put Washington in the position of protecting the Communist in Cuba. What a sorry mess.

The question is relatively a simple one: Do we or do we not truly intend to put the Communist out of the Western Hemisphere? Evidentially, we do not.

Pretty speeches are made now and then about how we will not tolerate outside interference in this hemisphere with vague references made about the Monroe Doctrine. And then, when some group takes direct action against such outsiders as has been done by the raids on Cuba, we immediately say that they must cease for it's liable to upset the Russians or interfere with our plans.

One wonders when it became so important not to upset the Reds and one also wonders what plans we have—that are definite—about doing anything other than talk about doing something about the situation.

It's a strange world.



**SPECIALS FOR Friday -- Saturday, APRIL 5th & 6th**

**FRUITS SAVINGS VEGETABLES**

- Cello Bag CARROTS 2 for 17c
- Bell PEPPERS lb. 21c
- POTATOES 10 LBS. 39c

**FROZEN FOODS**

- Chicken—lb. pkg. DRUMSTICKS or THIGHS 59c
- Fish STICKS 8-oz. pkg. 29c



- PORK ROAST LB. 39c
- GROUND BEEF LB. 33c
- English Brand BACON LB. 43c
- FRESH FRYERS LB. 29c
- T-BONE STEAK LB. 75c
- FRESH PORK RIBS LB. 47c
- ONE-HALF CHOICE REEF Cut Up & Wrapped for Freezer 46c
- HIND QUARTER REEF LB. 56c

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- Snowdrift .69
- Kraft's Tasty Loaf CHEESE SPREAD—2 lb. box 79c
- Kimbell's No. 2 1/2 can PORK & BEANS each 19c
- GANDY'S ICE CREAM 1/2 Gallon 69c
- Van Camp's VIENNA SAUSAGE 2 for 45c

**LIPTON Half-Pound**

- TEA 79c
- Skinner's 7-oz. pkg. MACARONI 2 for 25c
- Skinner's 7-oz. pkg. SPAGHETTI 2 for 25c
- Mountain Pass—303 can 2 FOR

- Tomatoes 29c
- Nest Crest 2 1/2 size Whole PURPLE PLUMS 2 for 49c In Heavy Syrup

- Kleenex PAPER TOWLS 2 roll pkg. 39c



Assorted 3 Pkgs. 29c

- No. 303 Jack Sprat Cut GREEN BEANS 2 for 35c
- Stokely's 303 can HONEY POD PEAS 2 for 45c
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**SALUTE --**

**The Upland Gun Club**  
their Pre-Easter Ham Shoot, April 6th and 7th. Offer to share the proceed between Rankin's Boy Scout Troops—this is a most worthy undertaking we encourage everyone to be on hand for the win a nice ham for the Easter Dinner and have good sport at the same time.

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## Rankin Has Placings On All-District Team

In recent releases of District 8-A All-District Basketball selections, Rankin placed Ruth Brummett on the first team as a forward. Jeanie Smith and Jimmie Lee Fields were named to the second team and Dawn Love, Jeanie Hughes, Jo Lyn Steele and Carol Shipp received honorable mention.

Rankin had no placings on the first team for the boys but got Jerry McDonald and Robert Brummett on the second team and Roy Winters in the honorable mention column.

Big Lake, district champions for the boys, dominated the selections in all categories while Eldorado led in the pickings for the girls.

## Midkiff Church Schedules

MIDKIFF CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Bob Keene, Minister

### Sunday Services:

Bible Class ..... 10 A.M.  
Preaching ..... 11 A.M.  
Young Peoples' Class— 6 P.M.  
Preaching ..... 7 P.M.  
Wed. night Bible Class—7 P.M.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Bob Burkhardt, minister

Church School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
M. Y. F. .... 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Jerry Bob Taylor, Pastor

Sunday School ..... 9:45 AM  
Worship ..... 11:00 AM  
Training Union ..... 6:30 PM  
Worship ..... 7:30 PM

## Decrease in Sheep Noted Over Nation

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

The decrease in the sheep inventory continued in 1962 and the smallest sheep and lamb inventory since 1950 is anticipated for 1963. The outlook for 1963 is not for further large scale liquidation or for any large increase in flock replacement, or for expansion.

The 1962 lamb crop, estimated at 20 million head, was 4 percent below the 1961 lamb crop

with most of the decrease in late lambs. Commercial slaughter also was down 4 percent during the first half of 1962, but held at a higher level during the last half. With slaughter remaining high and a lamb crop decline in 1962, a further decrease in inventory and a reduced rate of slaughter in 1963 is indicated.

As the human population con-

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tinues to increase, lamb slaughter and its consumption in pounds in 1961 to a figure in 1962. Per capita consumption is estimated to be 5 to 6 pounds more than a year earlier.

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# Pre-Easter

# HAM

# SHOOT



## APRIL 6-7

## Rankin, Texas

### Shooting Starts At 1 PM Daily

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### City Election - - limits.

With the election of Hughes, the city council remains as it was with E. B. Bloodworth as Mayor and Marcus Price as the other councilman.

### Roy Lee Bell Has Surgery in Dallas

Roy Lee Bell of Odessa, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bell of Rankin, was operated on in a Dallas Hospital Friday for a ruptured disk in his back. Mr. and Mrs. Bell and Roy Lee's wife were in Dallas for the operation. R. L. returned to Rankin Monday and said that he expects his son to be released from the Dallas hospital Saturday.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Baby Boy Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright of Big Lake, born January 13, still confined.

Don Vandevanter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vandevanter of Rankin, admitted January 30.

Mr. Vernon J. Luckie of Midkiff, admitted March 11.

Mr. Victor Urbanek of Midkiff, admitted March 21 and dismissed March 27.

Mr. Melvin Wimberley, Jr. of Rankin, admitted March 22 and dismissed March 27.

Mrs. W. H. Sossaman of Rankin, admitted March 22 and dismissed March 25.

Richard Loftin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garner, admitted March 23 and dismissed March 24.

Eric Fitzhugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fitzhugh of Rankin, admitted March 23 and dismissed March 24.

Mr. Jim Cook of Iraan, admitted March 25.

Mrs. Ruby Morgan of Rankin.

### RANKIN MASONIC LODGE

NO. 1251

Stated Meeting Nights  
2nd and 4th Thursdays  
7:30 P. M.

### Rankinite's Mother Budied Tuesday In Robert Lee Services

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 2 at Robert Lee Methodist Church for Mrs. Cora Ligon, mother of Bessie Ruth Hale.

Mrs. Ligon, 78-years-old, died in an Andrews Hospital at 10.30 a.m. Monday. Previously, she had been confined in the Rankin Hospital from January 26 until March 22 when she was transferred to

admitted March 25.

Janice Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wells of Rankin, admitted March 25 and dismissed April 1.

Mrs. M. B. Hambrick of McCamey, admitted March 26.

Mrs. C. T. Bull of Rankin, admitted March 26.

Mrs. J. H. Vermillion of McCamey, admitted March 27 and dismissed April 1.

Mrs. H. B. Donnelly of Rankin, admitted March 27.

Mr. S. S. "Shank" Bloxom of Rankin, admitted March 31 and dismissed April 1.

Mr. Frank Willoughby of Rankin was admitted April 2.

a rest home in Andrews. Mrs. Ligon had lived in Rankin for the past several years with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hale. She was born May 27, 1884, in Brown County and was a member of the Methodist Church.

Other survivors include one son, Lee Ligon of Odessa; another daughter, Mrs. Leta Mae Bange-man of Crane; two brothers, two sisters; 11 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

### Final Polio Dose Given Here Sunday To About 1000

Between 900 and 1000 people were on hand last Sunday for their third Oral Polio Vaccine dose, administered at the Rankin Park Building with the assistance of the medical staff of Rankin Hospital, the Lions Club and the two chapters of Beta Sigma Phi. This completes the three-dose series for the Rankin area.

Dr. James Gossett has said that there will be no make-up clinic for the third polio dose but that the vaccine will be available at his office, as are the other two types.

## Lake Titicaca

THE HIGHEST LARGE LAKE IN THE WORLD AT AN ELEVATION OF 12,506 FEET, THIS 3,200-SQUARE-MILE BODY OF WATER LIES BETWEEN PUNO, PERU AND GUAQUI, BOLIVIA. AN ISLAND AT ITS CENTER IS THE LEGENDARY BIRTHPLACE OF THE FIRST INCA.



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# LETTERS To The Editor

J. B. Hutchens, Jr.  
Rankin News  
Rankin, Texas  
Dear Scoop:

By now you have probably seen or heard about the Congressional

Redistricting Bill which yanks your county out of the 16th Congressional District and places you in a district which goes from the Rio Grande almost to the Travis County line, and from the Cul-

berson County line to the Bexar County line.

In my opinion, this is an ill-conceived bill. I believe our West Texas counties have more in common with the 16th District than with Pearsall, Castorville, and Lampassas. Historically, geographically and economically, our counties should remain in the 16th District.

I called Congressman Clark Fisher in Washington and told him that I have nothing personal against him but that I intend to oppose transferring our counties into his district. I have also told State Representative Terry Townsend of Brady, who helped draw up this redistricting. I intend to oppose the measure.

When the bill reaches the floor for debate, I plan to offer an amendment to put our counties back into the 16th District, and if the amendment fails, then I plan to try to kill the entire bill. I think the bill is unfair and unjust. It is drawn so that the district is over five hundred miles wide and four hundred and fifty miles long. I have read in some

## List of Teachers for Coming Year Posted BY Rankin Schools

A roster of professional personnel at Rankin Schools for the coming year was released this week. It includes the following:

Kenneth Welsch, superintendent; Bill J. Hood, high school principal; Robert L. Holden, junior high principal; and Mike C. Hughes, elementary principal.

Teachers are: (high school)

Susie E. Davis, Christa Dobbs, Vergil Dobbs, Don Leach, James Mabry, Ricky Mantooth, Raymond

of the papers that it would be as large as twenty-three eastern states.

I cannot in good faith support this bill because it would, in my opinion, separate our counties from the congressional district where we rightfully belong.

Cordially,

GENE HENDRYX

Representative, 72nd District  
Alpine, Texas

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Roycroft and Melvin  
Junior High: Oleta  
A. C. Copeland, The  
Mrs. Sidney Millipant  
Ile Mae Rrawlins, E.  
Johnnie Ruth Walker  
Wheat and Clifford  
Elementary: Billie  
Love, Christine Day  
Myrtle Reed, Lucile  
Evelyn Welsch and  
Ava Humphreys  
as librarian.

This roster leaves vacancies in the faculty of the teachers present system are not returning year for an assortment—chiefly planned among the younger age Supt. Welsch has said plans to fill these spots as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. B. Monday morning to the funeral of his mother Higday, in Phoenix

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## THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



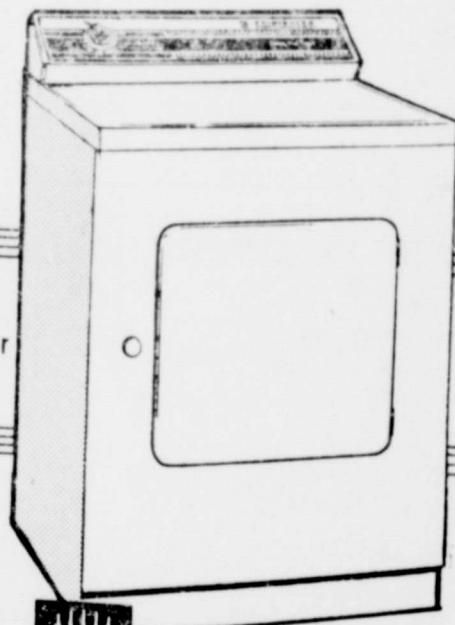
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### Club Hears Program on Creative Arts

Hamp Carter gave a program on "Creative Art" at a re-

cent meeting of the Rankin Study Club in the Park Building.

Each member had on display an article made by hand—some of them being quilts, knittings, ceramics, hand-drawn tablecloths, planters and paintings in pastel and oil.

Roll call was answered by naming a favorite artist.

Mrs. Floyd Fields, president, presided during the business session. Mrs. Clint Shaw was named as chairman of the cancer drive.

Guests attending were Mrs. J. B. Hutchens and Mrs. Ed Upham.

Hostesses were Mrs. Nancy K Daugherty and Mrs. Elizabeth

Rains.

Adding to the enjoyment of the afternoon was the showing of colored slides by Myrna Holman. Flower arrangements and pictures of natural beauty taken in the Big Bend Country were among the slides shown.

The club meets the first and third Thursday of each month

### Rankin Student Sets Mark in Crane Meet With Discus Throw

In the recent Crane Junior Hi Track Meet, Rankin's Gary Upham set a new record for the meet with a toss of 146'2" with the discus. The old record had stood at 121'13/4". Upham also placed 4th in the shot put.

In the 50-yard dash, Rankin's Billy Wayne Hale ran 2 and repeated that placing in the 100-yard dash.

Competing schools included the host school, Pecos, East Pecos, Monahans, Grandfalls, Ozona, Big Lake, Wink, Stanton and Rankin.

### SCHOOL MENU

#### THURSDAY

Tartare Sauce and Catsup, Fried Fish, Creamed Potatoes, Buttered Corn, Mustard Greens, Corn Bread, Fruit Cocktail

#### FRIDAY

Vegetable Salad, Corn Dogs, French Fries, Baked Beans, Mustard, Hot Rolls, Prune Cup Cakes

#### APRIL 8-10

#### MONDAY

Pickles and Onions, Barbecued Weiners, Pinto Beans, Potato Salad, Hot Light Bread, Canned Fruit

#### TUESDAY

Stuffed Celery, Tuna Fish Salad on Lettuce Leaf, Deviled Eggs, Green Beans, French Fries, Hot Light Bread, Oranges

#### WEDNESDAY

Gelatine Salad, Baked Ham, Candied Yams, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Ice-Box Cookies

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## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CONDITION

	MARCH 1962	MARCH 1963
<b>ASSETS</b>		
First Mortgage Loans	\$4,012,967.74	\$6,196,581.52
Other Loans	56,746.10	126,222.94
Federal Home Loan Bank Stock	37,500.00	46,400.00
Cash and Government Bonds	464,450.50	634,215.53
Other Investment Securities	20,199.94	20,225.00
Home Office Building	82,031.73	80,124.33
Furniture and Equipment	13,716.95	18,136.31
Other Assets	5,807.66	56,091.91
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,693,420.62</b>	<b>\$7,177,997.54</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Savings and Investment Accounts	\$4,058,042.94	\$6,437,405.53
Advance Payments for Tax and Insurance	47,860.47	77,147.68
Advance from Federal Home Loan Bank	200,000.00	200,000.00
Other Liabilities	44,117.00	52,557.90
Permanent Capital, Surplus and Reserves	343,400.21	410,886.43
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,693,420.62</b>	<b>\$7,177,997.54</b>



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