

THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

BOOM, BUST OR WHAT—

If anyone has any definite information as to what is happening in the land business in this corner of the county, I'd appreciate getting some solid facts. As it now stands, one doesn't know whether to prepare for a boom, a bust or another long hot summer.

One thing is for sure—Upton County—this side of the county—appears to be in the process of developing either a large farming area or a mighty big plowed up patch of sand and weed patches. Several more land sales involving a number of sections of land—made by rich ranchers to land developers—have recently been reported. Already, a considerable amount of ranch land has been put to the plow and some of it is being resold in smaller acreages for farming purposes.

Water seems to be the one big question mark. The land is said to be suitable for farming. The climate is good for that purpose. The demand for farm products is

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satisfactory. The only hitch in the whole operation is whether or not water can be developed in sufficient quantity to warrant irrigation.

Most of the rich ranchers say that there is not much if any water on the land. The developers say that they think there is. So far nobody has really proved one way or the other on this prime factor.

My guess is that there will eventually be some type of farming enterprise developed here. I do not believe that there is sufficient water for irrigation as we usually think of it in relation to farming on the high plains or the Rio Grande valleys. But I suspect that—like everything else—new ways of irrigating, new and better methods are on the way. It is very possible that better pumping equipment can get more water. Better well construction

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THE AMERICAN WAY



Depends On Who Does the Fixing.

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WE GIVE FRONTIER STAMPS

DOUBLE STAMPS ON WEEKENDS

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Tracking may provide the development of resistant grasses and this could also add to the hen, if all else fails and farmers can't produce get the government to cut down production, they can always put in the soil bank and government will still pay for.

What is why the rich didn't think of that.

OPPORTUNITIES—

A joke about some guy chicken inspector may not out as was always suggested in the rent's column this week.

screwworms in Texas are about a thing of the past—IF. And that if could prove rather interesting.

True, this eradication of the screwworm has been an outstanding success. It has already saved the stockmen many thousands of dollars and will save still more. Last fall, hunters reported game in greater quantities than ever before—much of the credit going to the eradication of the screwworm fly.

The big "if" comes about when it is considered that more of the bugs—which are flies—may come into the U.S. from down Mexico way and although they would undoubtedly be classified as wet backs and subject to prompt deportation, they nevertheless are expected to carry on their business of reproducing more flies and eventually resulting in a situation just about as bad as it was before the Texas flies were eradicated.

Now border patrolling—for aliens—is a long and honored profes-

sion but I can't see a border patrolman taking on the added duties of fly inspector so it looks like there is going to have to be some new ratings created in Civil Service. Fly Inspectors.

Young man — have you ever given serious thought to serving your country as a fly inspector? Picture yourself in your uniform, complete with badge and your own butterfly net, tracking down a wet back screwworm fly on a hot, still night while the sound of singing Senioritas drifts across the Rio Grande and the gurgle of tequilla can be heard in the evening breeze.

Ah, it will be a grand life, full of adventure as you bring in suspects for questioning and receive the praises of your superiors. And in some distant future, after you have served your time in the field, you will sit behind a big desk with your name over a sign reading, "Chief Fly Inspector, Department of International Affairs, PDQ, US RAF, Area Code 766666½, Sub-

McDonald Wins Shot Put Toss --

Track Team Garner 33 Points in Ozona

Rankin gathered in a total of 33 points in the Ozona Relays last Saturday for their best showing of the new season. Taking the only first place win for the Red Devil track and field teams was Jerry McDonald as he won the shot put with a heave of 48 ft., 6¼ inches. Teammates Ronnie Thorn with 37 feet and David Phillips with 30 feet, also were in this event.

In the discus throw, McDonald placed second with a toss of 140 feet, 4 inches while Ron Thorn pitched the disk 120 feet.

In the high jump, Rankin's entry, Larry Whiteside, took a tie for 5th place at 5'6". Jerry Lacy made it to 5'2".

Roy Winters had 4th place in the broad jump at 19'4" while

James Harris went for 17'6". In the track division, Lacy had the time of 18.8 and Whiteside, 19.2 in high hurdles. In the low hurdles, Lacy was clocked at 23.3, Tommy Sheffield at 24.8 and Kellum Colquitt at 24.9.

For the 100-yard dash, Colquitt ran 11.2 and Sheffield, 11.4.

In the 220-yard dash, it was Winters at 24.0 and Harris at 24.4.

had 56.4, while in the 880, Tom

For the 440-yard dash, Winters Gossett took 4th place in a time of 2:10.1 and Gary Houchins had 2:13.7.

In the mile run, Harris won a 3rd place position with a time of 4:59.7 while Don Brown went the distance in 5:20.1.

The mile relay team composed of Winters, Houchins, Lacy and Gossett, had a time of 4:02.6.

This week the team enters the Wink relays on Friday, 13th.

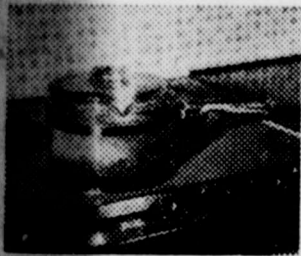
The district track meet is to be held in Ozona on April 11. Between now and then the Red Devils will enter four relay events within this area.



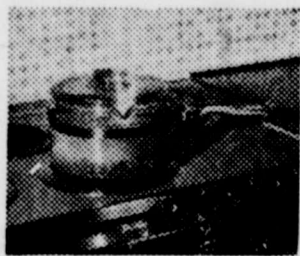
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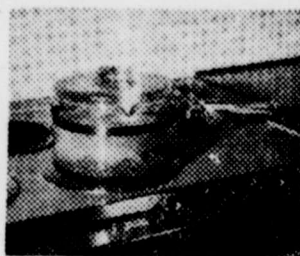
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THE RANKIN NEWS

Twenty-Five Juniors Take Merit Tests

Twenty-five junior students out of a class of 34 at Rankin High School took the 1964 National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test, A. C. Copeland, high school principal, announced today.

The test was administered at the school at 9 a.m. by Mr. Bill Shaffer, high school counselor. All students who wished to be considered for Merit Scholarships to be awarded in 1965 took the test at that time.

The qualifying test is a three-hour examination of educational development. The test is the first step in the tenth annual competition for four-year Merit Scholarships provided by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation and by sponsoring corporations, foundations, colleges, associations, un-

ions, trusts, and individuals.

The number of scholarships awarded in any year depends upon the extent of sponsor participation. In 1963, 1528 Merit Scholarships were awarded; 951 were provided by 179 sponsors and 577 by the Merit Corporation. There are 4118 Merit Scholars attending 425 colleges in the current academic year.

The test scores of students who are examined in March will be reported to their schools before May 15. The scores are used by counselors in many high schools to help students make decisions about college attendance and field of study. Many students who do not expect to win a scholarship take the test in order to learn more about their individual strengths and weaknesses in the

Study Club Hears From Committee On New Officers

Rankin Study Club met in regular session Thursday, March 5 at 4:00 p. m. in the Rankin Park Building. Mrs. Elizabeth Rains, President, presided and was assisted by Mrs. Jack Smith.

Thirteen members were present and were served cake and coffee for refreshments. Roll call was answered by naming a Texan of whom they were proud. After repeating the Club Collect, the pledge of allegiance was made to the flag.

A report from the nominating committee was heard and officers for the coming year were elected by acclamation.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. Smith and Mrs. E. C. Higday gave the treasurer's report.

Members have been asked to present a painting for the Art Exhibit at the Lincoln Hotel in Odessa, March 17 and 18. Announcement was made that a food fund drive is underway for the benefit of a Rankin family and plans were made for the game night that was held at the Rankin

area measured by the test.

Some 14,000 Semifinalists, the highest scores in each state will be named early next fall. Names of Semifinalists are published in a booklet which is distributed to all colleges and to other sources of financial aid for undergraduates. Further, their names and test scores are sent to the colleges they express an interest in attending as their first and second choices. The order of preference is not shown.

An additional 35,000 students, selected on a national basis, receive Letters of Commendation for their high performance on the qualifying test. These students are considered for special awards made through the Merit Corporation, and their names and test scores are also sent to their first and second choice colleges.

Each Semifinalist will be asked to take a second examination. Those who repeat their high performance will become Finalists in the Merit Program. Winners of Merit Scholarships will be selected from the Finalist group on the basis of school records and recommendations, test scores, extracurricular activities, leadership ability, and accomplishments outside the classroom. Each Finalist is awarded a Certificate of Merit attesting to his outstanding performance.

The scholarship stipends are based on financial need. The minimum award is \$100 and the maximum is \$1500. The average stipend awarded to freshman Merit Scholars in 1963 was \$796 annually, or \$3,184 for the four years of college. Each scholarship constitutes a form of educational insurance, since the stipend may be increased at any time if the student's financial situation should change during the four-year term of the scholarship.

Supplementary grants are usually made to the colleges that the scholars attend.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. Malcolm Reimers of McCamey, admitted January 31.

Mrs. Bob Halford of Rankin, admitted February 28.

Mrs. Earl Stanley of Rankin, admitted March 2.

Mr. J. F. Everett of Rankin, admitted March 3.

Miss Carolyn Whiteley, 17-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Whiteley of Rankin, admitted March 9.

Mrs. James Willis of McCamey, admitted March 9.

Mrs. J. D. Taylor of McCamey, admitted March 10.

kin Park Building Tuesday March 10. Next regular meeting of the club is scheduled for Thursday, March 26 at the park building.

The Rankin Thursday, March 11

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Mrs. A. J. Taylor of Rankin, admitted March 11

Pamela Jean Taylor, 10-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taylor of Rankin, admitted March 11

Doyle Humphreys, 10-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taylor of Rankin, admitted March 11

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The Track and Field Teams

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Goodly Numbers

Visit Local Schools

During School Week

Members of the Rankin School Board of Trustees, all school personnel, and the members of the Public Schools Week committee wish to express their thanks to all patrons of the Rankin Schools for their support of Public Schools Week as shown by school visitation during the week and the "Standing Room Only" crowd at the Open House program last Thursday evening.

Rev. R. L. Shannon was mentioned for special praise in his capacity as chairman of the Public Schools Week committee. "Without Brother Shannon's experience and wisdom gained from that experience, we do not feel that our local recognition program would have been nearly so effective," superintendent of schools, Bill J. Hood, said.

Elementary visitors again outnumbered those in the other two buildings. Principal Mike Huges reported 171 visitors during the week; W. D. Stephens, junior high school principal, counted 150 visitors to that school; while high school principal A. C. Copeland tallied 118. Total registered visitors were 439.

Good Turn-Out At Club Game Night

A good group turned out for the Game Night, Thursday evening, March 10 to relax and enjoy the social atmosphere. The project was sponsored by the Rankin Study Club for their scholarship award fund. Festivities were held at the Rankin Park Building.

There were three tables of bridge and six tables of forty-two. Prizes of high and low and 2nd and 3rd high and low were awarded to: Grace Roach, Clint Shaw, Mollie Taylor, Mrs. Clint Shaw and Mrs. Tyson Midkiff.

Refreshments of cookies and coffee were served and approximately \$40 taken in at the game and from advanced ticket sales.

4-H'ers Show In Houston Livestock

Mike Whiteley, 15-year-old 4-H member, exhibited his light-weight Southdown lamb to a 4th place showing in the recent Houston Livestock Show. Mike also showed a 4th place winner in the El Paso Show and placed fourth last year in the Houston Show with a Hampshire lamb. The 4-H youth is a member of the entomology team and the 4-H rifle team. The son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Whiteley of Rankin, Mike is a sophomore at Rankin High School. Money from his lambs is to help send himself to college.

Fifteen-year old Sharron Westfall of McCamey copped a fifth place standing with her heavy-weight Southdown from the Walton Herral farm. She exhibited two high place lambs in El Paso and is also saving her lamb money for a college education. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Westfall of McCamey.

Omicron Tau Meets In Wilson Home

Omicron Tau, Rankin chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was honored

SCHOOL MENU

MARCH 16-20

MONDAY

Pickles, Barbecued Wieners, Pinto Beans, Potato Salad, Hot Light Bread, Plain Cake

TUESDAY

Beef Stew, Buttered Carrots, English Peas, Corn Bread, Apple Cobbler

WEDNESDAY

Vegetable Salad, Baked Ham, Lima Beans, Boiled Cabbage, Corn Bread, Cheese Cake

THURSDAY

Gelatin Fruit Salad, Meat Balls, Buttered Whole Potatoes, Harvard Beets, Hot Rolls, Ice Box Cookies

FRIDAY

Vegetable Soup, Crackers, Tuna and Pimento Cheese Sandwiches, Oranges.

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.

to hear Mr. Robert Farrer, Rankin High School Speech teacher at a meeting held Monday evening, March 9 in the home of Mrs. Suzie Wilson. Mr. Farrer spoke to the group about Speech in our society.

A regular business meeting was held with all committees reporting. Plans were discussed for the March of Dimes Variety Show sponsored annually by the Lion's Club. It was reported, also, that the people are still contributing to the Sue Ellen Mabry Benefit Fund. The nominating committee made its report and the chapter will vote at the next regular meeting on its officers for the 1964-65 year. It was announced that the Beta Sigma Phi State Convention will be held in June this year. Members were urged to attend if at all possible.

After refreshments of Baked Alaska and coffee were served to the twenty-one members present, the door prize drawing was held. It was won by Mrs. Mary Fagan.

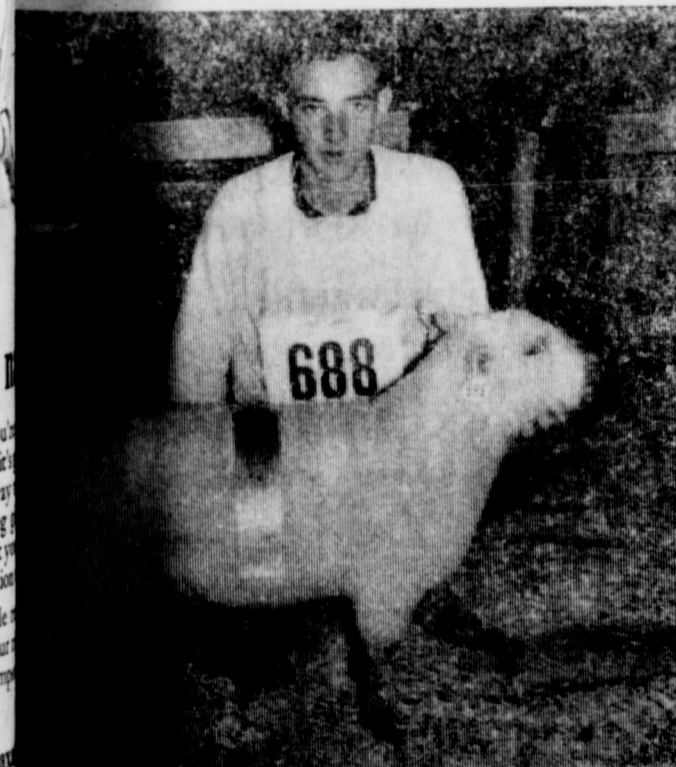
All members are to be reminded of the next meeting to be on Monday, March 23 in the home of Mrs. Lucille Funderburg.

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

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Windows are usually the same type in each room. These types might be dormer, casement, double sash, arched, bay, corner and many others.

Windows may be small sky light type, tall colonial, wide picture or glass walls and glass doors.

Windows are treated with draperies to provide privacy, frame a beauty view, or hide an unpleasant view. Draperies may provide protection from the sun, glare, heat or cold.

You may wish to use them to correct appearance of windows that are too wide, too short, too high, too narrow, to make two unlike windows; alike.

Fabric may be a major factor in how your drapes look in your room. Rough texture is for large rooms with furnishings while the smooth fine texture is for small rooms.

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Oh, when and where to use cornices and valances. Tow to make and hang the Roman shade, the Austrian drape and the French pleated drapes.

Eradication Program Completes 2nd Year On Successful Note

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

The screwworm eradication program has just completed its second full year of operation on a highly successful note, and even more favorable results are expected in the year ahead.

Only one screwworm infestation has been reported in the five-state eradication area since January 1.

The massive eradication project,

Are you interested? Nine homemakers attended the first workshop in Reagan County Thursday, March 5.

You may join any of the following groups:

McCAMEY: March 12, Park Building from 9:00 a.m. to noon. March 13, Park Building from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

RANKIN: March 19, Commissioners' Courtroom from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. March 20, Commissioners' Courtroom from 10:00 a.m. to 3 p.m.

which involves the release of millions of sexually-sterile flies that disrupt the insect's reproductive capability, was begun on February 14, 1962.

Since then, more than eight billion screwworm flies, reared in the huge plant near Mission and sterilized through exposure to an atomic energy source, have been released by airplanes in screwworm-infested areas of the Southwest. This technique, along with preventive measures used by farmers and ranchers, has reduced screwworm incidence by more than 99 percent, entomologists say.

With the decrease in infestations in the United States, eradication workers are turning their attention to activities along the border between the U.S. and Mexico. A large portion of the sterile

flies will be dispersed in a strip along the border extending from the Gulf of Mexico to a point below the state of Arizona. This barrier is to prevent fertile screw worm flies from migrating out of Mexico and reinfesting the Southwest.

Although screwworm infestations have become a rare occurrence in Texas, eradication workers insist that it is still important for livestock producers to be alert for screwworms in their livestock. Until the barrier has been completely established and thoroughly tested, the possibility will exist that a fertile screwworm fly could migrate into the Southwest from Mexico.

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... of "Always" and the tra-
... "Wedding March" was
... for the ceremony.
... bride, given in marriage by
... wore a white wool
... suit. For something new
... a gold orchid pin from
... which was a gift from

**Political
Announcements**

**DATES FOR POLITICAL
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

... line for announcements is
... of each week. Candida-
... be listed in the order in
... they announce—on a first
... first serve basis.

... & State Offices	\$27.50
... Offices	20.00
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... Precinct Offices	15.00

Congressman,
Congressional District:
... (Rep.)
Election
...
... (Demo.)
... (Demo.)

ate Senator,
District:
... (Demo.)
... (Demo.)

istrict Judge,
Judicial District:
... (Demo.)
... (1st Elective Term)

istrict Attorney,
Judicial District of Texas:
... (Demo.)
... (Demo.)

eriff,
assessor-Collector,
County
... (Demo.)
... (Re-Election)

ounty Attorney,
County:
... (Demo.)
... (Election)

ounty Commissioner,
et No. 1, Upton County:
... (Demo.)
... (Election)
... (Demo.)
... (Demo.)

stable, Prec. No. 1,
County:
... (Demo.)
... (Election)
... (Pap) Shaffer (Demo.)
... Political Adv. Column)

the groom's mother. For "some-
thing old, borrowed and blue,"
she wore a blue garter. She car-
ried a bouquet of yellow roses on
a white Bible.

Bridesmaid was Miss Sue Scott.
She wore a yellow costume and
carried a nosegay of white car-
nations. Dayna Steele, sister of
the bride, was ring bearer. Har-
ry McAdams served the bride-
groom as best man.

Following the ceremony a re-
ception was held in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold. Mrs. Arnold
registered the guests. The four-
tier wedding cake and punch were
served to the guests. Mrs. Bill
Stell of Crane and Miss Scott
presided at the serving table.

Following the reception the
couple left for a wedding trip to
Big Bend National Park. The
bride chose a three piece pink
suit with bone accessories for
travel. They are now at home at
509 E. 9th St. in McCamey.

**Political Cadender
Of 1964 Events**

March 23— Primary committee
meets to make up ballot for 1st
primary.

April 12— Absentee voting be-
gins for first primary.

April 28— Absentee voting for
first primary closes.

May 2—Date of Precinct Con-
vention.

May 2 — First Primary election.

May 9— Date of county conven-
tion.

May 27— Absentee voting be-
gins for second primary.

June 2 — Second primary ab-
sentee balloting ends.

June 6— Second primary elec-
tion.

Nov. 3—General Election.

**WHERE'S MY
PANTS...**

Ever have that question at
your house? Most likely—
you have. And . . .

Most likely they are in the
claners but there's one com-
forting thought and that is
the chances are they are
ready and waiting for you.

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**Rankin Lions Club
Reports 2 Projects
Financial Success**

Members of the Rankin Lions
Club have expressed their desire
to extend their appreciation to
the citizens of the area for the
support of their beef sales tick-
ets and of their annual pancake
supper. Club treasurer Bellmond
"BIE" Williams reported that the
beef tickets netted \$148.35 for the
Lions and \$48.15 for the Boy
Scouts. The pancake supper show-
ed a net profit of \$76.90. Proceeds
from the two projects were ear-
marked for erecting a scoreboard
at the Little League Park and for
sending a representative from
Rankin High School to the Boys
State program during the sum-
mer.

The Club stated that they would
like to publicly express its grati-
tude to the following companies
and individuals for their coopera-
tion in furnishing products for
(Continued to Back Page)

STRICTLY BUSINESS by McFeatters



"Hi-ya, doll-face!"

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on a new or used Business Machine by
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for . . . with terms . . . of course.

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FOOD SHOPPER'S GUIDE
THRIFTY PRICES

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

- POTATOES** 10 LBS. **39c**
- Green **ONIONS** 2 bunches **15c**
- Fresh **RADISHES** 2 bunches **15c**
- Cello Bag **CARROTS** 2 for **17c**
- BANANAS** POUND **13c**

Frozen FOODS

- Deleware—6-oz cans **PUNCH** 3 FOR **39c**
- Thrifty—18-oz. pkg. **STEAKS** **79c**

Choice MEATS

- Peyton's English Style **BACON** LB. **45c**
- PEYTON'S **FRANKS** Lb. Pkg. **49c**
- SIRLOIN STEAK** LB. **79c**
- CHUCK ROAST** LB. **45c**
- PORK ROAST** LB. **43c**
- PEYTON'S **SAUSAGE** 2 Lb. Bag **89c**
- PORK CHOPS** L B. **59c**

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PEAS 45c



SUNLITE or MEADS BISCUITS LB BOX **31c**

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Stokely's 303 can **CORN** 2 for **43c**
 Cream Style or Whole Kernel

Stokely's 303 can **FFRUIT COCKTAIL** 2 for **47c**

Hershey's **DAINTIES** 6-oz. pkg. **27c**

FOLGERS 3 Lb. Can

COFFEE **2¹⁵**

GANDY'S MELLORENE Half-Gallon **39c**

Gerber's Strained **BABY FOOD** 6 jars **69c**

Van Camp's **VIENNA SAUSAGE** 2 cans **45c**

Lipton **TEA** 1/4-lb. pkg. **39c**

CHICKEN OF SEA 3 CANS

TUNA **\$1.**

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Lions Thank

the pancake supper and Gandy Creamer milk; "Smoky" Clover for pancakes Foods and Mr. Con for syrup; and Mrs. for kitchen supervi CJM Packing Co. Cooledge of the C were also thanked spokesman for furni sage at reduced for the affair.

Paw Price was ner for the Beef

Unit Commi

(Continued from to aid in this work contact Rev. White kin Methodist Ch has pointed out. It is noteworthy 99 cents of every spent in Texas is spent on operat al funds will be your local commie will be conducted said.

Rebekah Lod

DeAlva Snel Rankin Rebekah met on Thursday Noble Grand M presiding. There were two teen visits made bers present.

CARD OF T

What are we gett out Sam? This well put by a last week. This impact felt in the last those connected Scouts. We have pattern of: "Ask Knows, "Sam is us", etc, etc.

Girl Scouts want Fitzhugh and family everything in their activities.

The Rankin Girl Their Workers

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