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RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1972

Graduates for Class of '72 at Rankin High School

Campbell, with a four grade average of 95.4, has been named Valedictorian of the 1972 graduating class at Rankin High School. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Campbell of Rankin. His honors were earned at Rankin High School. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Workman of Rankin. He has been active in school and civic organizations and is currently serving as president of the RHS student body.



JACK CAMPBELL

eligible for the Senior Honor Trip having maintained an "A" average during his senior year. He was also named to the All-Area Class A football team last fall.

Campbell plans to attend Texas Tech and enter into the field of medicine.

Miss Workman has a four year high school grade average of 95.4878. She, too, is a member of the National Honor Society and is currently serving as treasurer of that organization. She is eligible for the senior trip.

She has been active in all phases of school and community life and for the past two years has qualified for Regional in the UIL literary events. A member of the band, she has served four years as twirler, the last two as head twirler.

Miss Workman plans to attend Texas Tech where she will major in Medical Technology.



MARILYN WORKMAN

Invited to Lion-Sponsored Event

Election Party Saturday

and games are to Saturday's Primary Election. The Rankin Lions will be holding their biennial Election Party at the Rankin High School. Started a number of years ago, the event is always a success and draws a good number of spectators who watch the boys compete in the activities. Returns are posted.

about 7:00-7:30, the boys go on the board as the first ones are available. New figures will be posted for all county totals are

Among the added attractions will be cake and pie walks with a possibility of further added events as plans were still in the formation stage at mid-week.

Everyone is invited to be on hand.

RHS Qualifies Two Girls for State Meet

In Girls Regional Track Meet, held last Saturday in Levelland, RHS qualified two girls, Debbie Winters and Cathy Johnson, for the state finals. Miss Winters, in

Heavy Absentee Vote Cast in Prec. No. 1--

Voters to Mark Ballots Saturday

Election - wise, Saturday is D-Day. Put another way, Saturday is "D" day "D" candidates find out how well they did their homework as the voters pass out report cards.

Starting slowly, the 1972 races are ending in a big push by the runners and a large interest on the part of the voters. Heavy absentee voting developed last Tuesday, deadline for that portion of the balloting.

Polls will open Saturday at 8 a.m. and remain open until 7 p.m. Voters residing in Precinct No. 1 will cast their ballots in the Commissioners Court room at the Courthouse while those residing in Precinct 2 will vote at the Rankin Park Building. There will also be two boxes in operation in McCamey.

Absentee Voting Total Reaches 214

County Clerk Mrs. Buena Coffee reported Wednesday morning that her office closed out absentee voting with a big boom in business with the final total going to 214. Up to last Wednesday, only 43 had voted absentee. Mrs. Coffee said that they had voters right up to 5 p.m. Tuesday, the deadline.

A breakdown of the absentees by precincts show 136 were cast by Precinct 1 voters, 28 were in Precinct 2, 22 in Precinct 3 and 28 in Precinct 4.

All absentee votes cast were on the Democratic ballot.

The above are for those wishing to vote the Democratic ballot. For the Republicans, the Rankin portion of the election will be held in the home of Dr. J. D. Gossett, 1302 Elizabeth Street. A Republican box will also be open in McCamey.

On a county - wide basis, only one local race is contended. It

Orientation Meet for Pre-Schoolers

On Thursday, May 11, beginning at 2 p.m. and lasting until about 3 p.m., an orientation meeting is scheduled in the elementary cafeteria for parents whose children will be starting Kindergarten in August, 1972.

The orientation will be to answer questions anyone may have and to inform everyone of school procedures. The children will have an opportunity to become acquainted with each other and with the teacher who will be teaching Kindergarten next term.

4-H Club Rodeo Meet on Thursday

There will be a rodeo committee meeting for the Upton County 4-H Club All Kid Rodeo, Thursday, May 4. Time will be at 8:00 p.m. in the office of the County Agent.

Plans will be made at this time for the upcoming All-Kid Rodeo and Horseshow.

Dodgers Out Front in LL Ball Play

With four games already in the record books, the Dodgers have yet to taste defeat in the Rankin Little League action. Their record stands at 4-0.

However, the current leaders are not going unchallenged as the Yankees trail by only one game at 3-1. For the Giants, it is a 1-3 count at the present and the Cardinals are 0-4.

Friday night's first game, scheduled for a 7 p.m. starting time, will be delayed until the boys attending a school field trip to Odessa return to Rankin.

Last Friday the Yankees won their games with the Cardinals and the Dodgers downed the Giants a pair of times

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places two Rankinites, S. O. "Sid" Langford and E. L. "Pete" Bearden, in competition for the post of Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector. Incumbent H. E. "Gene" Eckols did not seek re-election.

For Rankin, however, the biggest race - in numbers - is that of Commissioner in Precinct 1 with six contenders working at a fast pace trying to gather in a portion of the 500-plus votes expected to be cast in the Precinct.

Incumbent is H. Wheeler and he is contested - in the order they will appear on the ballot - by Bob Whisman, Shank Bloxom, C. G. (Grimm) Taylor, H. G. "Hazel" Yocham and O. R. (Doc) Adams.

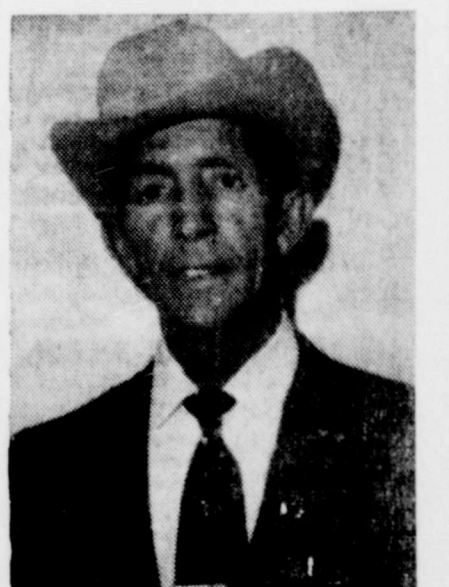
Election judge in Precinct No. 1 will be Mrs. Sam Holmes with Mrs. Boyd Cox, assistant. In Precinct 2, Mrs. Ross Wheeler will be judge and Mrs. Hamp Carter, assistant.

Canvassing the absentee ballots will be Roy Bell, Mrs. Clint Shaw, Royce Burnett and Frank Mathews with Ed Boyd as alternate.

ONE WILL BE NEW SHERIFF



S. O. (Sid) Langford



E. L. (Pete) Bearden

THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

THIS IS IT—

Since the first of January or thereabouts, candidates have had their hats in the ring and have, no doubt, lost a little sleep worrying about the outcome of their particular race. A lot of the coffee shop talk has covered the topic, also.

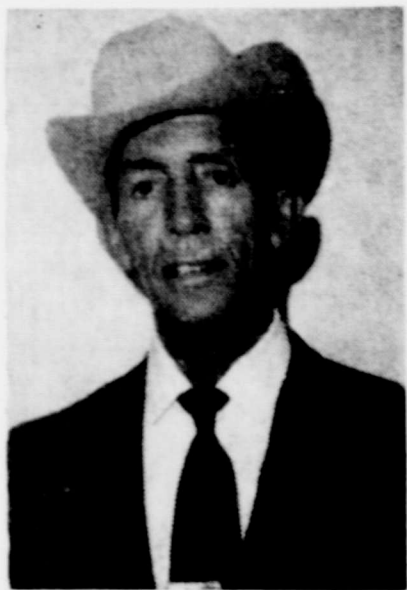
By about 8 o'clock Saturday night a good bit of the doubt should be settled — at least for the local candidates. On a state level, if they have their computers going, they will probably be able to pretty well tell who is going to win by that time, too. In

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fact, one sometimes gets the feeling that there's not much use holding the elections what with all the pollsters forecasting the winners even before election day.

The only thing wrong with the polls is that they don't seem to be able to agree. It could well be that the results a pollster will forecast is determined by who is footing the bill for the poll.

On the local level, one can get about the same reading that is available from the state-wide polls, namely, who is going to (Continued to Next Page)



To The Voters of Upton County

This is my last chance to visit with you in our local paper until after the election. I again ask for your vote and support as Sheriff and Tax Assessor and Collector of Upton County.

With the years of experience I have had in law enforcement, and with the cooperation of the people of Upton County, I believe I can give you the kind of law enforcement that many of you have asked for. I assure you that all crime will be investigated and acted upon in accordance with the laws.

Over the years I have come to the conclusion that no man can make a good Sheriff without the help of the people and, if elected to the office, I will continue to ask for your help and support.

I feel that our County Tax Office has been handled very efficiently in the past and, if elected, I see no reason to make any changes in that department. I am sorry I haven't been able to meet each of you personally, but I will keep trying until dark Friday night. If I miss you, please consider this a personal visit.

When you go to the polls Saturday, May 6th, remember a vote for me is a vote for you. For, if elected, my office will be your office, my time, your time, and, if my services are needed, I will be as near as your telephone day or night.

E. L. (PETE) BEARDEN

(Pol. Adv. paid for by E. L. (Pete) Bearden)

SPECIALS For Friday and Saturday, MAY 5th and 6th

FAVORITE FOODS

for Family Meals

Zee 60-count pkg. TABLE NAPKINS	2 for	29c
Half-Gallon Dad's ROOT BEER		49c
Kim Jumbo PAPER TOWELS		29c
22-oz. can Puff SPRAY STARCH		59c
18-oz. jar French's SPRAY STARCH		39c

Fruits and Vegetables

10-lb. bag POTATOES	bag	45c
Fresh CORN ON COB	3 ears	29c
Fresh GREEN ONIONS	2 bunches	19c
Fresh STRAWBERRIES	3 pints	\$1.
Fresh TOMATOES	lb.	29c
Fresh WHITE ONIONS	lb.	10c
Fresh, Firm LETTUCE	head	21c



Peyton's Fully Cooked HAM	LB.	59c
Dry Cured — Half or Whole		
Gooch's Slab Sliced BACON	LB.	69c
Choice Beef Arm or Chuck ROAST	LB.	69c
Fresh Dressed FRYERS	LB.	29c

5-oz. box Weit Watch SUGAR SUBSTITUTE		
303 cans Kim CORN	2 for	
Giant Box DASH		
King Size Lux LIQUID SOAP		
Bat Size VEL SOAP	2 for	
18 x 25 Heavy Duty REYNOLDS FOIL		
4-oz. box BISQUICK		
Lb. box brown or powdered SUGAR	2 for	
14-oz. bottle Kim CATSUP	2 for	
303 Deer Brand TOMATOES	2 for	
303 Hunt's Whole NEW POTATOES	2 for	
303 Trellis PEAS	2 for	
18-oz. Bama APRICOT PRESERVES		
Quart bottle Kim WAFFLE SYRUP		
2 1/2 size can DEL MONTE APRICOTS		
Libby's or Hunts TOMATO JUICE	46-oz.	

6-oz. jar Folger's INSTANT COFFEE		
Liver Flavored Purina DOG CHOW	10-lb. bag	

FROZEN FOODS

VIP, 4-ear pack CORN ON COB		
20-oz. bag Frosty Acres CUT OKRA		
Small Carton FROSTY WHIP		

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dates—the ones I vote for—ever make the cut—or maybe that's just the way it seems.

In any case, I think everyone is looking forward to Saturday and the outcome of the voting. We have some interesting races and a good turn-out of voters should make their appearance comes Saturday.

A SHORT SHOT—

Sometimes, when the mood has moved me, I have made selections in state and district races, not as a voter's guide but simply as endorsement of this or that candidate by the News. This year the crop of candidates do not move me much so the pickings will be small.

For governor, there's certainly not much to choose from for those of us who want something different. Ben Barnes and Dolph Briscoe are both in favor of the big wheels, Preston is as confused as ever, and that woman — I can't spell her name without look-

ing it up—would be eaten alive by the Austin sharpies if she was elected. The others have no chance of getting elected.

So take your pick. I'll go with ole Preston since he reminds me somewhat of a country newspaper editor— confused. He did say he would veto any more taxes and I like that part but doubt that he can make it stick.

In the race for U. S. Senator, I make no selection but will vote against Ralphie Yarborough.

For Lt. Governor, Christi, Hobby and Connally have the big money behind them. Ralph Hall would make the best man. He has had several strong ethics bills in the Legislature but has not been able to get them passed. As Lt. Governor, he might do some good.

Of the rest, only Byron Tunnell for Railroad Commissioner gets a nod.

No picks are made in local races for several reasons. Number one is that I don't need any more lumps on my head than I

already have. Another is, you all know the runners as well as I do. Finally, this newspaper can and will get along with the candidate picked by the voters.

FINAL NOTE—

Several still ask about the referendum proposition on the ballot — if you want to vote against

busing, you vote "For" the proposition.

That's about all you have to remember and all who have asked so far were against busing.

Don't fret about it if you get it wrong. With no more states rights than we now have left, the question of busing will be settled for us in Washington. I think it's here to stay and will grow.

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JESSE JAMES
Treasurer**



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Adv. Paid for by Jesse James, State Treasurer

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Horse Owners Need VEE Shot Certificate

(from the AJRA News)

All AJRA members are reminded that they should have a Health Certificate and VEE papers this year on all your horses. The VEE scare is still with us and may be expected to get worse later on in the summer.

These papers should be carried at all times when traveling about the country. You can expect to

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be checked at any time.

It will be especially important to have all necessary papers on hand when you go to the National Finals in Colorado. It is very possible that everyone will be checked at the state line and failure to have the necessary Health Certificate for your horses could result in a lot of extra trouble or even your not being permitted to take the stock into the state.



BOB WHISMAN

Candidate For

COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT NO. 1

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(Pol. adv. paid for by Bob Whisman)

**Governor
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- Preston Smith stopped the Sales Tax on food, medicine, and farm equipment.
- Preston Smith stopped an increase in the gasoline tax.
- Preston Smith rejected an unnecessary personal income tax.

For Texas,

- Preston Smith helped provide more funds for industrial development than any two governors before him.
- Preston Smith helped establish more new state colleges and universities than all previous governors combined.
- Preston Smith initiated the first comprehensive program to fight drug abuse in Texas.
- Preston Smith helped develop the most progressive salary schedule for teachers in the nation.

Re-elect

Governor

Preston Smith

and help him keep your taxes down.

(Pol. Adv. Pd. By—Committee to Re-elect Preston Smith,
Mickey Smith, Chairman)

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK

of Rankin, Upton County, Texas 79778 And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business April 18, 1972, a state banking institution organized and operated 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 Bankin Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

	Dollars	Cents
Cash and due from banks	1,815,707.00	
U. S. Treasury securities	1,106,948.22	
Securities of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	544,018.75	
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	612,875.56	
Other securities (including \$9,000.00 corporate stocks)	9,000.00	
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	250,000.00	
Other loans	1,971,864.22	
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	1,002.00	
Other assets	1,299.80	
TOTAL ASSETS	6,312,715.66	

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,956,070.00
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,359,727.75
Deposits of United States Government	38,516.84
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,112,370.58
Deposits of commercial banks	58,887.72
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	307.50
TOTAL DEPOSITS	5,525,880.28
(a) Total demand deposits	2,590,528.89
(b) Total time and savings deposits	2,935,351.39
Other liabilities	61,189.53
TOTAL LIABILITIES	5,587,069.81

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	69,429.32
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	69,429.32

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total	656,216.53
Common stock-total par value	100,000.00
(No. shares authorized 5000) (No. shares outstanding 5000)	
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	306,216.53
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	50,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	656,216.53
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	6,312,715.66

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	5,619,970.74
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,941,693.13

I, Johnnie Hurst, Vice President of the above named bank, do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: /s/ JOHNNIE HURST

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) WENDELL PARKER, CLAY TAYLOR, L. E. WINDHAM, Directors

State of Texas, County of Upton, ss
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 26th day of April, 1972.

(s) EDITH JAMES

Notary Public, Upton County, Texas

(NOTARY SEAL)

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Genealogical Meet

May 9th

County Genealogical Society will hold its next meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Rankin Building. All interested

persons are invited to attend. Speaker for this meeting will be Reverend David Ebert of Ft. Stockton. Rev. Ebert will speak on keeping genealogical charts and how to arrange a cross index.

Charts are available at the library for a very small charge. This meeting is a must for beginners, as one of the first and

most important things in genealogy is knowing how to keep the charts.

Election of officers will be held during the business meeting and members are reminded that dues are payable at this time.

The Society is proud of the growing collection of genealogical material in the library. There is a good selection of micro film, including census rolls dating back to the 1700's. There is someone available at the library at all times for instruction on using the micro film reader.

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Big Spring Plans

Anniversary Fete

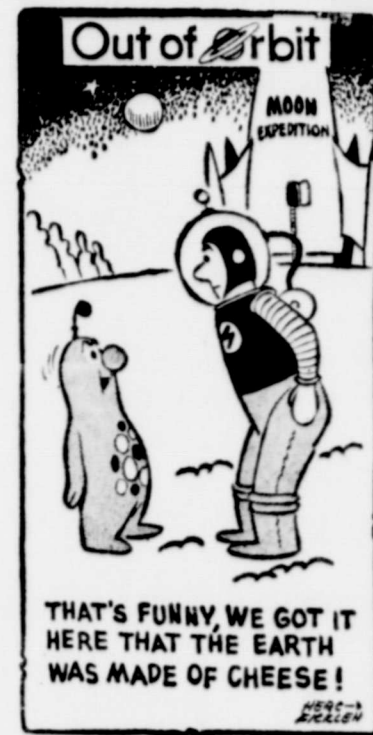
More than 3000 military and civilian personnel are expected to march in the Anniversary Day parade, May 20, in Big Spring. Expected to be one of the largest in the city in recent years, the parade kicks off a five-month long round of events in celebration of the Air Force's 25th and Webb's 30 Anniversaries.

May 20 was chosen for com-

mencement of activities since it was also Armed Forces Day. Present plans call for the conclusion of events on Sept. 25 with an open house at Webb. Base officials have scheduled a second high school and college "Career Day" on that date and report that the U. S. Air Force Thunderbirds will be back to perform.

On May 20 the Heritage Museum has scheduled a weeklong exhibit on the history of Webb and the Air Force, to run through May 27.

It was 30 years ago in 1942 that Webb was first opened as the Army / Air Force's Big Spring Bombardier School. Following the end of WW II, the base closed and was returned to the city. However, 1952 saw the Air Force, by now a separate service, move back and establish the 3560th Pilot Training Wing.



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One Minute Please, Precinct One-ers:

To clear up what is maybe some misunderstanding, here is an exact re-run of a statement I made four years ago concerning my future political plans.

"If I am permitted to serve another term, I do not plan to ask for re-election again."

Now to you who have never had occasion or need to change your plans, I cannot in good conscience ask for your support. But to you who have not been so fortunate, I earnestly solicit and will sincerely appreciate your vote come Saturday.

Thank you for taking time to read this.

H. WHEELER

For Commissioner, Precinct 1
Upton County

(Pol. Adv. paid for by H. Wheeler)

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Crawford Martin "provided information which proved valuable in our (Justice Department) investigation" of Frank Sharp.
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HOUSTON CHRONICLE

"The (Sharpstown) investigation was of such scope and magnitude . . . without your help and cooperation it would not have been possible to prosecute these cases . . ."
TRAVIS COUNTY D.A. BOB SMITH

"Crawford Martin has been one of the most active Attorney Generals Texas has ever had. . . . He knows the law and is highly respected as a champion of better law enforcement and protection of the consumer against unfair prices and outright fraud."
GALVESTON NEWS

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AUSTIN AMERICAN STATESMAN

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ATTORNEY GENERAL

Listings Given on Recent Memorials

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

Recent memorial gifts received by the Rankin Hospital Auxiliary include the following:

IN MEMORY of Joe Shaffer, from Clay and Martha Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Tyson Midkiff;

IN MEMORY of Jessie L. Robertson from Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bley, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Workman;

IN MEMORY of Mrs. Wilma L. Magness from Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McSpadden;

IN MEMORY of Brent Huston from Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Bell.

METHODIST CHURCH

Among recent memorial gifts made to the Rankin United Methodist Church are the following:

IN MEMORY of Mr. Joe Shaffer from Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Adams, Mrs. Opal Nix;

IN MEMORY of Mr. Jessie Elrod from Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Adams.

First Baptist Church

SUNDAY—

SUNDAY SCHOOL _____ 10:00 A. M.
MORNING WORSHIP _____ 11:00 A. M.
CHOIR, 7TH GRADE THRU 12TH _____ 5:00 P. M.
TRAINING UNION SERVICE _____ 6:00 P. M.
EVANGELIST SERVICE _____ 7:00 P. M.

MONDAY—

R. R., G. A. 1 Thru 6 & Choir — 4:00 - 6:00 P. M.

TUESDAY—

WOMENS MISSIONARY UNION—10:00 - 11:00 A. M.

WEDNESDAY—

WORSHIP SERVICE _____ 7:00 P. M.
ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE _____ 8:00 P. M.

Pastor: J. C. Tankersley

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Church Ph. 693-2385

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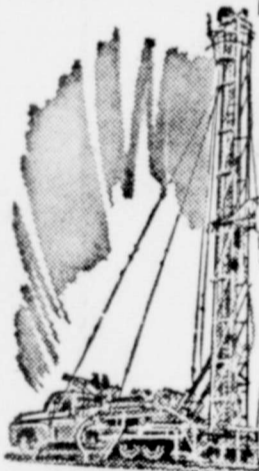
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School Menu

MAY 8-12

BREAKFAST

MONDAY

Hot Cinnamon Rolls, Rice,
Raisins

TUESDAY

Hot Biscuits, Fried Ham, Hash
Brown Potato, Apple Sauce

WEDNESDAY

Hot Doughnuts, Cold Cereal, Half
Banana

THURSDAY

Pancakes, Syrup, Sausage, Half
Apple

FRIDAY

Buttered Toast, Bacon, Scrambled
Egg, Jelly, Grape Juice

Fresh Milk and Butter served
with each meal.

LUNCH

MONDAY

Pickles & Cheese Sticks, Steak
Fingers, Cream Gravy, Buttered
Corn, Blackeyed Peas,
Corn Bread & Light Bread,
Peanut Butter Crunch

TUESDAY

Meat Loaf or Ham, Green Beans,
Mashed Potatoes, Harvard
Beets, Hot Light Bread,
Rolled Wheat Cake

WEDNESDAY

Cabbage Slaw, Barbecued Hot
Links, Pinto Beans, Spinach
Hot Light Bread, Sliced
Peaches

THURSDAY

Tossed Salad, Grilled Cheese
Sandwich, French Fries,
Banana Pudding

FRIDAY

Gelatine Salad With Fruit,
Hamburgers, Potato Chips,
Ice Box Cookies

Fresh Milk and Butter served
with each meal.

Public Notice

Bids Wanted

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of Rankin Independent School District invites bids for complete heating and cooling systems for existing school buildings, said bids to be opened and contract awarded at the School Administration Building at 7:30 p.m. on May 11, 1972. Detailed specifications may be obtained at the Administration Building by interested parties.

(s) W. O. Adams,

Business Manager,
Rankin Ind. School District



The Litter Critter Says...

OBSERVE
HIGHWAY SIGNS
FOR
YOUR SAFETY

TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Omicron Tau in April 24 Session

Omicron Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met April 24 in the home of Beverly Nance. The group voted to send \$25 to the Teresa Lawbaugh Kidney Fund in Andrews. Ten dollars will be sent to the State project, a pediatric Hematology Laboratory.

Plans were discussed to help the Lions Club with the AJRA rodeo concession in June.

Plans were also completed for the Founders Day Banquet April 29.

Following the business meeting was a Tasting Boutique in which all members brought a favorite dish. Each girl had submitted her

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recipe and a Recipe the food served on the night of the banquet. Lynn Burkett, was a member.

Completing the four skits concerning "touchy" situations in food.

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Founder's Da

With Banquet

Rankin's two chapters Sigma Phi held their Founder's Day Banquet night, April 29 at the Rankin Hotel. (Continued to page 10)

Shank Bloxom

Asks You to Consider These Qualifications

- ★ 47 Years of Age
- ★ Veteran WW II, U. S. Navy, U. S. Marine Corps, South Pacific
- ★ Graduate TCU, Class of 1950
- ★ Former Football Coach, Operative of Bloxom Shopping Center, Fort Worth
- ★ Resident of Upton County 15 years
- ★ Served on School Board, as President of Booster Club, Member of Methodist Church, served numerous times on Grand Jury
- ★ Experienced in financial management, dealing with the public
- ★ Understands the problems of the aged and needy
- ★ A family man who will sincerely appreciate your vote and support and who will do his best to serve one and all a good, progressive County Commissioner.

Vote For

SHANK BLOXOM

CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

Precinct No. 1 — Upton, County

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Shank Bloxom.)

place in a recent Big Lake talent show.

Introductions of special guests and pledges were made by Sug Bloxom and Lynda Helmers. The year's accomplishments of the two chapters were presented by Faye Copeland and Kay Shultz.

Vicki Ratliff presented "Girl of the Year Awards" to Xi Spsilon Chi's Faye Copeland and Omicron Tau's Kay Shultz. Fay was presented a gold tray and Kay received a gold plaque.

The Banquet ended with the reciting of the Mizpah, followed by a social hour.

MOTHER

GIFTS THAT SAY WE LOVE YOU

MARK IT DOWN!
MOTHERS DAY
is May 14th

Help Make Mother
QUEEN FOR A DAY
May We Suggest:

- Pyrex ★ Corning Wear
- Aluminum Ware ★ China
- Teflon ★ G. E. Items
- in ready-to-wear --
- lingerie ★ Hosiery
- slips ★ Gowns ★ Dresses
- and many, many more

GRAD GIFT IDEAS



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| Slips | Shirts |
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| Dresses | Jewelry |
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★ Hallmark Cards ★ Pangburn's Candy
★ Gift Certificates

Many New & Exciting (Practical, Too)
SHOWER GIFTS
New Shipments Just Arriving

JOHNSON'S
-- FREE GIFT WRAPPING --

Letter Received

From Band Trip

About RHS Students

Rankin High Schools Red Devil Band returned last Saturday a.m. from a three-day band trip to Amarillo at which they picked up a Division II in both sight reading and concert. In addition, they participated in a big parade and attended a concert.

This week, Mr. Gordon Shultz, director of the band, received the following letter from Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgins of the Sunset Motel

in Amarillo. It was addressed to Mr. Shultz, Band Members, Sponsors and Drivers and Parents of the Band, and reads as follows:

"We, here at the Sunset Motel want to thank you for your patronage. We have never had a better group of students. They were the best mannered and the neatest group we have ever had. This has a great reflection on the parents and instructors. It shows that the students have had some very good training. Your appearance and manners are your greatest in life, and I'm very happy to see the band making use of them.

We would be very happy to have you anytime as a group or individually. We want to thank you again for your stay with us and good wishes to all."

The letter is signed: Yours Very Sincerely, Roy and Lillie Higgins.

(Ed.: This is by no means the first letter of its kind to be re-



ceived on the conduct of Rankin Students. Things such as this are the main reason Rankinites point with pride to their young people and will send them anywhere in confidence that, although they may or may not take first place in everything, their good conduct has, and always will, rank right up at the top.)

Weight Watchers.

Why settle for less?

(CLASS LISTINGS)

WEIGHT WATCHERS

Some talking, some listening, and a program that works.

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Classes Beginning
Thurs., May 11
at 7:00 P. M.
Christian Church
1301 Gaston--Crane

LET'S BRING NEW LIFE TO THE UPTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT!

LET'S ELECT SHANK BLOXOM
As Upton County Commissioner
Precinct One

This 47-year old citizen is interested in serving you with new leadership, new ideas, a fresh approach to the county problems.

As a successful businessman, he has learned to get the most for every dollar spent . . . and he will treat your tax dollar the same way.

Let's bring new young-thinking leadership to Upton County.

Vote for Shank Bloxom for Upton County Commissioner, Precinct One, in the May 6 Primary.

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Shank Bloxom)

Seniors Honored at Barn Dance

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McMullan honored Tom Bloxom, Marilyn Workman, Terry Butler and the Seniors of '72 at a barn dance last Saturday night, April 29 at the Owens ranch.

Some twentyfive attended. Music was by a Western band.

Rankin 4-H Girls Fourth in Odessa

Kim Rose and Ronda Shankle of the Rankin 4-H Club placed fourth in the District Elimination

Contest at Odessa College, April 29. Their demonstration entitled "Safety in the Kitchen" pointed out safe working procedures to be followed while working in the kitchen.

Other Rankin 4-H members attending were Kim Ratliff, Paige McMullan and Karrie Ratliff.

Wildlife Meeting Set for May 4th

All interested persons are reminded of a meeting to be held Thursday, May 4 at the Upton County Courthouse at which the proposed hunting, fishing and/or trapping regulations for the county will be discussed. Sponsored by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, time will be at 8 p.m.

This is an open meeting for the purpose of gathering information on the above items, the setting of seasons, bag limits, and means

The Rankin (Tex.) Thursday, May 4, and methods of taking life resources in Upton County (Tex.) May 4,



ATTENTION FISHERMEN!
CHECK our stock of Zebco Rods and Reels. We feel that we've got the lowest prices offered anywhere.
COME IN AND SEE
JOHNSON'S

Notice to Voters, Prec. 1:

REMINDER:

The incumbent, H. Wheeler, made public statement indicating he would not run again if you elected him last time.

Vote For
SHANK BLOXOM
CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER
Precinct No. 1 — Upton, County

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Shank Bloxom)

We Believe In Ben Barnes

Ben Barnes has served this state with honor and distinction. We personally know him to be a man of honesty and integrity and we stand proudly behind him without reservation. We deeply resent the attempts at character assassination against him which have marked this campaign and we urge you to reject such tactics resoundingly at the ballot box. Ben Barnes has the qualities of leadership and integrity to make Texas an outstanding governor. Let's give him our overwhelming support on May 6th!

Dr. Guy Newman
President, Howard Payne College, Brownwood
Rev. Robert S. Tate
Minister, First Methodist Church, Austin
Stormy Shelton
Publisher, Abilene Reporter-News, Abilene
Ray Creere
Publisher, Gilmer Mirror, Gilmer

Paid for by Ben Barnes Campaign Committee.



To The Voters Of Upton County:

The job of Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector of Upton County, as the title implies, is a two-fold job. The office of Assessor-Collector collects and distributes well over a million dollars a year. It goes without saying that this is a equal -- with more responsibility more wise -- than being sheriff.

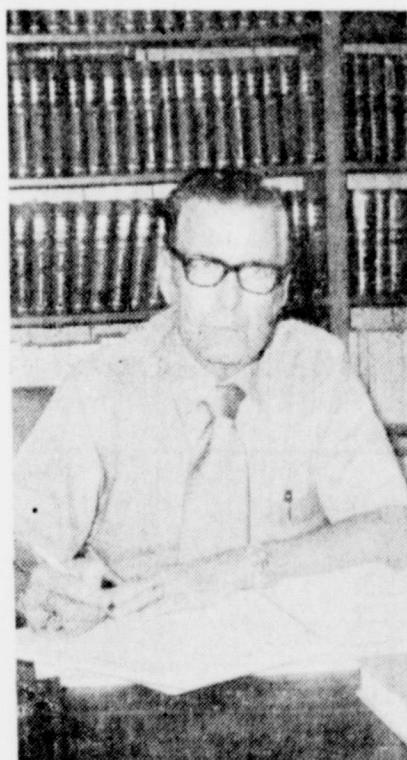
During the past eighteen years as Chief Deputy of Upton County, I have had occasion to observe and work in all aspects of the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector, and if elected your public servant, I feel fully capable of carrying on the efficient duties of this office.

I am a certified Police Officer, duly certified by the State of Texas, having attended FBI and Department of Public Safety Schools.

ELECT S. O. (SID) LANGFORD
SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
Upton County

CAPABLE -- EFFICIENT -- EXPERIENCED

(Pol. Adv. paid for by S. O. Langford)



★ **QUALIFIED** Graduate of Baylor University School of Law. Practicing attorney in Big Lake.

★ **CAPABLE** . . . And pledges to be available at all times, to the public and law enforcement officers — and to be a hard-working district attorney for the citizens of the 83rd District.

★ **EXPERIENCED** Ten years a practicing attorney in both civil and criminal trial work. Has been a citizen of Big Lake since 1948, and has practiced law there since 1962.

Elect AUBREY EDWARDS
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

83RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

(Pol. adv. paid for by Aubrey Edwards)

Boat Owners Warned

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Texas boaters have not to be taken in by an organization selling registration certificates.

Calling itself the "U. S. Merchant Marine Association," the organization has sent offers for "registration" to boat owners in several areas across the country.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials remind Texas boaters that they need only register their boats with the department in order to operate the crafts in the state's public waters.

The U. S. Coast Guard said the registration of boats is the responsibility of state governments except in the states of New Hampshire, Washington, Alaska and the District of Columbia, where it is the responsibility of the Coast Guard.

Boat owners must now display expiration "stickers", just as do automobiles, showing dates of registration, boat registration no., etc.

Alcohol, Drug Program Will Be Presented at School


A forty five minute program on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse will be presented on Thursday, May 4 at 2:15 p.m. at the Rankin High School Auditorium. All interested parents and citizens of the community are cordially invited to attend, according to Superintendent H. G. Adams.

The program will be presented under the auspices of the ADAPT (Alcohol and Drug Abuse Pilot Treatment) project, according to Tommy Workman, Upton County representative to the Region 9 Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

The Region 9 Council, which covers 17 counties in West Texas, and is part of one of 21 planning

regions in the State of Texas, is assuming the responsibility for planning, development and delivery of alcoholism programs in this area. Community meetings to organize local committees for and to explain the proposed set-up of the ADAPT project, the first of its kind, are planned for a later date.

THE MAGIC OF TREWAX RUG SHAMPOO
 Do it Yourself — the Professional Way for as little as 50c a room. Rent electric shampooer \$1 day with purchase
 Cleans your carpets like new. 15 to 1 concentrate makes more than any other shampoo.
 UP & OUT — A remarkable rug stain remover. Removes dog stains, ink, shoe polish Merthiolate.
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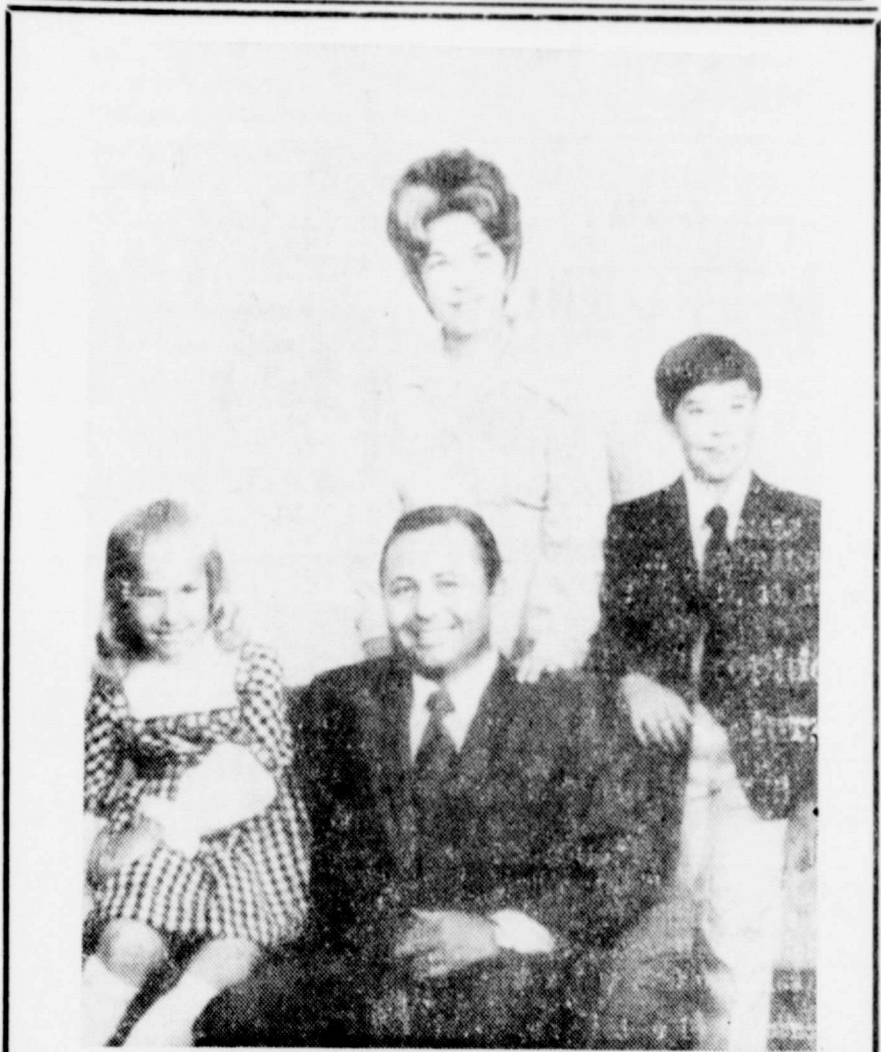
A New Lawyer for Texas

JOHN HILL
 ATTORNEY GENERAL

Elect a New Lawyer to Clean Up the Mess In Austin

- The attorney general is our chief lawyer and investigator. As attorney general, John Hill will move on his own initiative to investigate corruption in government. He'll be your watchdog for honest government in Austin.
- John Hill will aid law enforcement personnel in their fight against crime, particularly organized crime, by establishing a Crime Strike Force in the attorney general's office.
- John Hill will personally represent the interests of the people of Texas in the courtroom prosecuting pollution law violators.
- John Hill will actively prosecute "tax dodgers" who collect your sales tax pennies and then pocket them. We are losing millions of dollars a year because of weak enforcement.
- John Hill will set up a constitutional law division, made up of lawyers specially trained in constitutional law, to work with the legislature to stop the passage of unconstitutional laws at tremendous expense to the public.
- John Hill will personally go into court on behalf of the Texas consumers to protect us from false, misleading and deceptive business practices.
- John Hill will offer leadership for reform in the administration of justice in Texas. Speedy trials will be his primary objective.

John Hill for Attorney General Committee
Charles Morris, Chairman



ELECT

CHARLES M. "BUZ" PROCK

DISTRICT ATTORNEY
112TH DISTRICT

A VOTE FOR PROCK IS A VOTE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT !

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Charles M. Prock)

IT REALLY MATTERS!



For
Tested and
Proven Leadership.

JOHN C.
WHITE
FOR TEXAS
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MAY 6
DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY
Pol. Adv. Paid by John White

**POLITICAL
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SUBJECT TO ACTION OF THE
DEMOCRATIC PARTY
PRIMARIES OF 1972**

For State Senator, 25th District:

W. E. (Pete) Snelson
(re-election)

**For District Attorney,
83rd Judicial District:**

Aubrey Edwards of Big Lake
Alex R. Gonzalez

**For District Attorney,
112th Judicial District:**

Dixon Mahon
(Re-election)

Charles M. Prock

For County Attorney:

John A. Menefee
(re-election)

**For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-
Collector:**

E. L. "Pete" Bearden
S. O. "Sid" Langford

**For Commissioner,
Precinct No. 1:**

Shank Bloxom
C. G. (Grimm) Taylor
O. R. "Doc" Adams
H. Wheeler
(re-election)
Bob Whisman
Hazel Yochem

**SUBJECT TO ACTION OF THE
REPUBLICAN PARTY
PRIMARIES OF 1972**

**For State Representative;
68th District of Texas:**

Tom Craddick
(Re-election)

**Schools, Library get
Book Sale Refunds**

Recent refunds in Upton County to Rankin and McCamey School Districts and to Rankin Library amounted to \$826.27, according to the office of Attorney General of Texas. These refunds are the result of recovery of almost \$700 thousand dollars from book publishers and distributors that allegedly conspired to fix the price of children's books sold to Texas school and libraries.

Total recovery to date for these Upton County entities amounts to \$1,327.43, according to the Attorney General's office.

Attorney General Crawford Martin said the most recent refund boosts Texas' total recovery to more than \$1.1 million in the past year, and that more would be coming.

**Fifteen Rodeos Get
Approved by AJRA**

The American Junior Rodeo Association, currently headquartered in Rankin, has announced that fifteen Rodeos, including the National Finals, have been given their stamp of approval thus far in 1972. Two AJRA sanctioned events have already been held.

On the sanctioned list at this time, with more listed as possibilities, are the following:

ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO
May 18, 19, 20
SNYDER, TEXAS
May 26, 27

COLORADO CITY TEXAS
May 31, June 1, 2, 3
ANDREWS, TEXAS
June 7, 8, 9, 10
DEL RIO, TEXAS
June 8, 9, 10
MONAHANS, TEXAS
June 14, 15, 16, 17
LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO
June 21, 22, 23, 24

RANKIN, TEXAS
June 28, 29, 30, July 1
ODESSA, TEXAS
July 5, 6, 7, 8
EUNICE, NEW MEXICO
July 12, 13, 14, 15
CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO
July 19, 20, 21, 22
FARWELL, TEXAS
July 27, 28, 29

The Rankin (T)
Thursday, May

BIG SPRING
July 27, 28
VAN HORN
August 9, 10
NATIONAL
PUEBLO, CO
August 13, 14



**ELECT
Willie B. DuBose
State Representative**

68TH DISTRICT

(MIDLAND, UPTON, REAGAN, GLASSCOCK)

CAPABLE

HONEST

- ☆ Native of Lamesa, 33 years of age; married; two children
- ☆ BBA and LLB Degrees, Baylor University; licensed to practice law in 1962
- ☆ Captain, US Air Force Reserve, served 3 years active duty

- ☆ County Attorney, Midland County
- ☆ Active in civic and church affairs
- ☆ Has the energy, experience and ability to restore our area to a position of leadership in the Texas House

Vote for EFFECTIVE Representation !

(Pol. adv. paid for by Willie B. DuBose)



Christina, 15, Senaida, Alex R. Gonzalez, Linda, 13, Alex John, 10, Arthur, 9.

**Eight Good Reasons Why
ALEX R. GONZALEZ
Is The Best Choice for District
Attorney of the 83rd District**

1. 5 years as Administrative Assistant in Texas and Special Assistant in Texas to Congressman Richard White.
2. 2 years as Justice of the Peace in Fort Stockton.
3. Law Degree - University of Texas at Austin - established private practice in Fort Stockton.
4. Master Degree in history, Sul Ross State University.
5. Bachelor Degree, Sul Ross State University.
6. 2 years as Executive Director of the Peace Corps in Peru.
7. 1 year study of law at American University, Washington, D. C.
8. U. S. Navy veteran, Korean War.

**Here Are Some More Reasons Why ALEX R. GONZALEZ Is The Best Choice
For District Attorney Of The 83rd District:**

1. ALEX R. GONZALEZ' experience and educational background provide him with unique qualifications for the job he seeks.
2. ALEX R. GONZALEZ has a deep understanding and knowledge of his native West Texas area.
3. ALEX R. GONZALEZ believes in close cooperation between the District Attorney, law enforcement officers and county attorneys in the district.
4. ALEX R. GONZALEZ believes in vigorous prosecution after criminal indictments have been issued by grand juries.
5. ALEX R. GONZALEZ will be available to residents of the 83rd District for consultation at any time he is needed and promises to visit with all the people of his district, from all walks of life, to determine how the District Attorney's office can best serve its people.
6. ALEX R. GONZALEZ believes that the number one concern of the District Attorney is to see that justice is done.

(Pol. adv. paid for by Alex R. Gonzalez)

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY

SPECIALLY TRAINED
Graduate of National College of District Attorneys, Participant of Prosecutors Seminars

DEDICATED
Serving times as Instructor in Law Enforcement Schools, Donated time as Texas Penal Code Revision Committeeman

EXPERIENCED
10 years as District Attorney
SECURITY OF OUR FAMILIES
BASED ON THESE QUALIFICATIONS

Re-elect
Dixon Mahon
District Attorney
12th District

Pol. adv by Dixon Mahon Re-election Committee, Billy Mills, chairman

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Hospital Notes

Travis Cothrum, Rankin, admitted May 1.
Mrs. R. W. Ware, Rankin admitted April 27, dismissed April 30.
Baby Girl Ware, born April 27, dismissed April 30.
Bessie Johnson, Rankin, admitted April 26, dismissed May 1.
Diann Black, Rankin, admitted April 25, dismissed April 27.
Charles E. Hale, Rankin, admitted April 25.
Mrs. Flora Shaw, Rankin, admitted April 14.
Maggie Taylor, Rankin, admitted April 22, dismissed April 28.
Mrs. R. L. Houchins, Rankin, admitted April 24.
Glen Mathews, McCamey, admitted April 23.
Lonnie Gibson, Iraan, admitted May 1.
H. C. Burnham, Jr., Iraan, admitted May 1.
Mrs. Henry Zeitter, McCamey, admitted May 1.
Randy Kennedy, McCamey, admitted May 1.
Mrs. Alicia Bounds, Sheffield, Admitted April 28.
C. F. Gilbreath, McCamey, admitted April 25.

J. E. Mobley, McCamey, admitted April 18, dismissed April 28.
Miss Gwen Luckie, Midkiff, admitted April 24, dismissed April 29.
Floyd Bushwar, McCamey, admitted April 24, dismissed April 29.

TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT NUMBER 1:

During the past few weeks I've tried to see all the voters in Precinct 1. I'm sure I have missed some of you but it certainly wasn't intentional.

If you elect me as Commissioner, I assure you that I can and will take care of the job.

Sincerely,

O. R. (DOC) ADAMS

(Pol. Adv. paid for by O. R. "Doc" Adams)

THE BIBLE SAYS:

Wherefore I give you to understand, that no man speaking by the Spirit of God calleth Jesus accursed: . . . I Corinthians 12.3

Can one curse Jesus in tongues (see v.2, pagans speak in tongues)?
Is not this curse understood?
Can one speak in national, natural language as a psuedo-gift? (see II Thess. 2.9-10).

Ask Your Preacher?

For further information write Box 514 or call 693-2282 or visit THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

\$10.00
REWARD
FOR RETURN OF MY PARROT
Last seen hooking it toward swimming pool park on Wednesday
SUG BOGGS

LOUIS "ANDY" ANDERSON

For State Representative

68TH DISTRICT OF TEXAS

★ ABLE ★ EFFECTIVE ★ EXPERIENCED

Has Served Three Terms, Texas House of Representatives
Committee Chairman Two of These Terms
Two Years as Chairman of Committee on Banks and Banking, a leading committee.

DON'T VOTE FOR JUST A DEMOCRAT! VOTE FOR AN EXPERIENCED DEMOCRAT WHO HAS PROVEN TO BE EFFECTIVE!

VOTE FOR ANDY

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Louis "Andy" Anderson)

SPECIALS for Friday and Saturday, MAY 5th and 6th



HERE'S PROOF

OF OUR LOW, LOW PRICES



DOUBLE STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY with each Purchase of \$2.50 or More

Regular Size KOTEX 12	Box 41c	Pure Cane SUGAR	5-lb. bag 71c
Stokely's CATSUP	14-OZ. 29c	Sun Valley OLEO	3 Lbs. \$1.
FROZEN FOODS			
Morton's Chicken Pot PIES	2 FOR 49c	Stokely's 303 Cut Green BEANS	2 FOR 45c
Frosty Acres STRAWBERRIES	3 FOR \$1.	Hi C DRINK	46-oz. 39c
Libby's Orange JUICE	12-OZ. 49c	Orange or Grape	
Fruits & Vegetables			
U. S. No. 1 POTATOES	10-lb. bag 69c	Chicken of Sea green label TUNA	2 FOR 89c
Firm Crisp LETTUCE	LB. 23c	Green Label—Flat Cans	
Texas Ruby Red GRAPEFRUIT	EACH 15c	Lipton's TEA	1/4-lb. box 43c
Large LEMONS	LB. 23c	SHORTENING SNOWDRIFT	3-lb. tin 95c
CHOICE MEATS			
Fresh FRYERS	LB. 33c	Sunlite BISCUITS	CAN 10c
Peyton's BACON	LB. 83c	Gold Medal FLOUR	5-lb. bag 59c
Peyton's FRANKS	PKG. 89c	All Purpose	
All Meat BOLOGNA	LB. 69c	Stokely's 303—FRUIT COCKTAIL	2 FOR 59c
Round STEAK	LB. 98c	Keebler CRACKERS	Lb. Box 41c
Pork CHOPS	LB. 89c	Keebler COOKIES	14-OZ. 55c
		Coconut Chocolate Drop	
		Stokely's 303 Cans CORN	2 FOR 45c
		whole kernel or cream style	
		Cat Box Filler TIDDY CAT	5-lb. bag 27c

CASHWAY

GROCERY
AND MKT

TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT NO. 1

I appreciate very much the kind and considerate manner in which you have received me as I've made my campaign rounds.

I have tried to see each of you in person; however, I'm sure I've seen some. This was not intentional, I assure you.

On Saturday, I will be most grateful if you will vote for me as your Commissioner.

H. G. "HAZEL" YOCHAM

(Pol. Adv. paid for by H. G. (Hazel) Yocham)

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FOR RENT: Large house, utility room located near Rankin \$55 month. Call 2558.

FOR SALE: 1960 12 x 50, two bedrooms, bath and kitchen and air conditioning. 2558.

FOR "a job well done" clean carpets with Rent electric stain Red Bluff Lumber.

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