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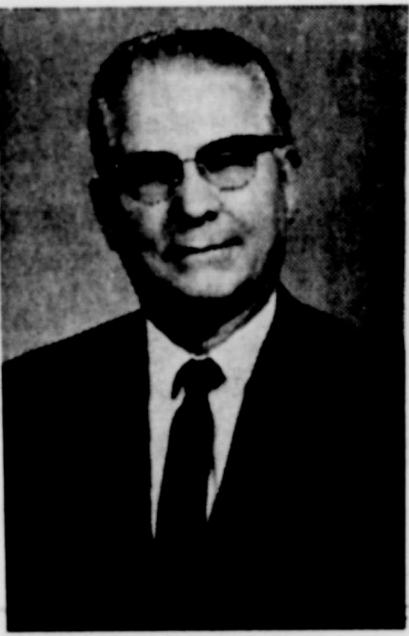
RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1975

Centennial Homecoming Scheduled 4-H Rodeo Week, June 4-6, 1976

Arrangements were made at the Rankin Country Club, as well as the second performance (Continued to Back Page)

Faith Assembly to Have Speaker



The Rev. Charles J. Estes of Amarillo will be guest speaker at the Faith Assembly of God Church from October 12 through October 19. Services will be at 7:30 p.m. nightly.

Rev. Estes is said to be a dynamic speaker who has evangelized and pastored in many parts of West Texas. He was secretary-treasurer of the West Texas District of the Assemblies of God for 15 years. He is now serving as Sectional Presbyter of the North Plains section.

The church has extended a cordial invitation to the public to attend these meetings.

ALL FOUR RANKIN BALL TEAMS IN ACTION THIS WEEK —

Rankin Takes to the Range to Test Out Steers

Carrying a plentiful supply of steak sauce and meat tenderizer, the Rankin High School Red Devils and their followers will ride the range in Steer country when they go to Robert Lee on Friday for what they hope will be a routine roundup. Playing last week before the homecomers, the local eleven took their time in getting their offense into high gear but eventually had a field day as they disregarded all thoughts of the Eagle being

an endangered species and all but eliminated the Birds before the final gun sounded.

Sporting something of a pass offense for the first time this year—something they worked out against the Sanderson squad, the Big Red will be favored to put the pitchford brand on the Robert Lee Steers again this year. This will be their first foray into Steerland in quite some years. The two teams met for the first time in the series on the Red Devil gridiron last year and the Redmen had prime beef roast to the tune of 35-7. Prior

to that, Rankin and Robert Lee met in about 1955 for a bi-district Class B encounter. Rankin won that one rather handily.

Elsewhere in local football warfare, it will be a trip into Cowboy country on Thursday afternoon for the B-Team, 7th and 8th Grade Junior High as they travel to Grandfalls. The Grandfalls-Royalty Cowboys have been playing an inspired brand of football in recent years and are expected to be testers.

Opening the action will be the 7th Graders, now at 2-1 after (Continued to Back Page)

Twenty-Two Make Junior Honor Roll

Twelve 8th Graders, seven 7th Graders and three 6th Graders made up the twenty-two students listed on the First Six Weeks Honor Roll at Rankin Junior High School. Top student for the period was Kim Rose, an 8th Grader with a 98 grade average.

Others in the 8th Grade were David Adler, 93.2; Rodney Johnson, 93.2; Lori Leck, 91; Paige McMullan, 93.8; Brant Myers, 94.4; Greg Nelson, 90.4; Karrie Ratliff, 96.2; Kim Ratliff, 93.8; Scott Russom, 94.2; Ronda Shankle, 94.6; and Mark Sides, 92.6.

Top student in the 7th Grade was Sherri Swaim with a 96.4. Joining her were James Barrett, 90.4; Cindy Clinton, 93.2; Lisa Copeland, 96.2; Brenda Ortez, 92.2; Phyllis West, 95.4; and Skip Woodfin, 90.4.

Bo Rose with a 93 was at the head of the 6th Grade Class, and was joined on the Honor Roll by Gina Hughes, 92; and Laura Stone, 91.2.

Plane Crash Kills Former Resident



In a grinding crash that left a big hole in the ground, three men were killed last Saturday .60 of a mile east of the ranch house on the Smith ranch west of Rankin. Dead were William (Bill) Crisp, a former employee of Union Texas who worked at the Benedum Plant in the early 1950's, and Horace Hartgrove, a stock broker, and Evrand Louis Ricci, a businessman. All three were from San Angelo.

Upton Sheriff S. O. Langford, called to the site at 8:50 p.m., said that Blake Atkins, an employee on the Smith ranch, told of seeing the plane in "barrel rolls" as it approached the ranch from the west. It then straightened up and disappeared behind a hill east of the ranch headquarters. In a few moments, Atkins is said to have heard what he believe to be the plane hitting the ground and observed smoke from an apparent fire.

David Noble and Shorty Mayberry, both of McCamey, were driving on Highway 67 and, according to Langford, saw the aircraft strike the ground and burst into flame. They immediately notified the Sheriff's Office through their two-way radio system.

The McCamey Fire Department answered the call to the fast

burning wreckage that left all three bodies charred. Langford said that Crisp was found in the pilot's seat of the plane and the other two victims were in the wing areas.

Services for the victims were held earlier this week.

RHS Queen



Miss Pansy Peterson, a senior in RHS and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Peterson of Rankin, was elected 1975 Homecoming Queen by a vote of the student body. Runners up, who were named to her court, were Sarar Barrett, Liz Smith and Cheryl Bearden.

GAMES CHANGED

Grandfalls not having boys, they called Rankin Wednesday to cancel team game and to move and 8th Grade games.

At press time, the 7th and 8th play here Thursday — of in Grandfalls—and the was looking for a game.

Upton 4-H Clubs to Observe National 4-H Week



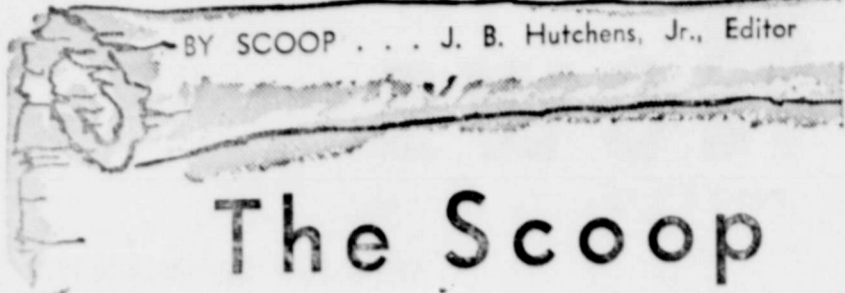
October 5-11 is National 4-H with observances throughout Texas and the Nation. Not left out of the activities, to stress their feelings about participation, the above of local 4-H Clubs found one day last week

busily putting up posters and decorations to draw attention to 4-H Week.

Pictured in the group on the left are Paige McMullan, Kim Rose and Karrie Ratliff. In the center section is Leigh Ann Carlton and Kristin Bell and in

the final group are Karen Garner, Hope Glosser, Angela Reece and Jeff George.

In observance of National 4-H Week, the Upton Club will have a weiner roast for all of its seventy members.



The Scoop

CLOSER —

As the date for the vote on the proposed new Constitution for Texas draws nearer, the issues are becoming somewhat more defined and one of the big issues seems to be that the new Constitution is not very well defined. It's hard to find out just what it proposes.

For one thing, it's already been learned that it does not—in its original form—designate Austin as the capital of Texas. That, of course, was a small oversight and was easily corrected—not that any great number cared whether Austin was the seat of government or not; but it has to be somewhere and who wants to move all that mess of paper work to some other town.

However, this small omission health care for all." Now how would you like to determine just what that means? What is "adequate" health care? How far do you go and what do you do

Scouters Meet

Girl Scout Troop 252 met on October 7 with nine members and two leaders present. Plans were made for the coming year. One of the projects started was an ant farm.

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to "promote conservation and development of natural resources?" Does the state go into the oil business, or the lumber business, or the fishing business, or just what?

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Former Rankinite McEwen Buried

Former Rankinite Marvin Pete McEwen died last Friday, Oct. 3 in Post following an apparent heart attack. He was 42 and the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Shaw of Rankin. Both he and his wife are graduates of Rankin High School.

Services were held at 2 p.m. last Monday in Midland with burial in Resthaven Memorial Park.

McEwen was a veteran of the Korean War and worked in a well logging service in Midland.

Survivors include the widow; a son, Joe; and two daughters, Janis and Julie, all of Midland. Others are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. McEwen, former Rankin residents, of Odessa; a twin brother, Melvin McEwen of Midland, and a sister, Mrs. Tommy Hudson of Odessa.



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SPECIALS

Mountain Pass 300's REFRIED BEANS	33c
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Fresh LB.	
CABBAGE	11c
Fresh LB.	
TOMATOES ...	27c
10-lb. bag	
SPUDS	89c
2 For	
AVACADOS ..	57c

Fresh Meats

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Beef Roast	79c
LB.	
FRYERS	59c
Sirloin LB.	
STEAK	1 ³⁹
T-Bone LB.	
STEAK	1 ⁴⁹
Fresh LB.	
Calf Liver	69c

16-oz. jar Vlasic Hot or Mild PEPPER RINGS	63
Quart Jar Kimbell's SALAD DRESSING	70
18-oz. box 3 MINUTE OATS	53
Libby's VIENNA SAUSAGE	33
No. 2 can WOLF CHILI	90
200-count box KLEENEX NAPKINS	40
Zee Brand NICE N SOFT TISSUE	70
Tome BATH SOAP	30
15-oz. bottle Pin Sol LIQUID CLEANER	70
Giant Ajax DETERGENT SOAP	
303 Kimbell's RED PIE CHERRIES	40
300 Hunt's STEWED TOMATOES	30
12-oz. can Armour's TREET LUNCHEON MEAT	
22-oz. bottle Joy LIQUID SOAP	60
2-lb. bag Dry PINTO BEANS	
20-oz. bottle DEL MONTE CATSUP	50

FROZEN FOODS

6-oz. WholeSun Orange JUICE	40
Trophy 10-oz. Strawberries	30
Frosty Acres Broccoli 8-oz. SPEARS	30
Frosty Acres 1-lb. Cut Okra	60

BOGGS

WE GIVE GOLD BOND STAMPS

GROCERY AND MARKET

DOUBLE STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY

Scoop -

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of these is Proposition 7 which says "equal" education for all. I don't think that one of the things that the U. S. Supreme Court has done since they have all along had a dislike for any kind of "equal." And there are things that it does set which stink as far as the annual session of the Legislature and a veto override from a three-fourths majority to a three-fifths majority. That takes much less sets much of the new proposals. For Proposition No. 7, the Legislature is "commanded" to conserve and develop natural resources . . . as a goal, "adequate" out of the Governor to excesses away and gives the Legislature which is all right and getting worse every election.

It's a rip-off of the big money in favor of the big boys and votes for this is plain cutting his own throat. But feel free—if that's what you want. Just don't buy the old package that the Constitution of Texas is in need of changing because it's "too old and outdated." We've managed to live with the U. S. Constitution for two hundred years now and it seems to hold up pretty good—even though we get Supreme Court rulings that sometime get a little out of hand.

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Area Residents

Invited to Event

Area residents have been invited to attend the monthly Hometown Jamboree to be held in the McCombs Park Building on West Street—either as spectators or participants. Time is to be at 7 p.m.

The Hometown Jamboree is a celebration of Country-Western and folk singers and performers gather each month in McCombs Park for "Picking and Singing." There is no admission and a concession stand is usually in operation.

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TAPPED -

Last week the Attorney General of Texas ruled that school districts could not charge patrons for certain supplies used in the schools. His stand was that the law says there shall be free public education through high school and that by making these charges, the patrons were not receiving "free" education for their children.

Jim Braden to be Honored for 25 Years with Phillips

J. P. (Jim) Braden, Utility Relief, Benedum Plant, Exploration and Production Department, will celebrate his 25th anniversary with Phillips Petroleum Company Friday, October 10. He will be presented an Accutron watch, a service certificate and an executive credit card in recognition for his 25 years of service.

Employed as a Laborer in the Borger area in 1950 he worked in various other capacities, operator helper, gauger-switcher, rackman, instruments and trucker before transferring to Southwestern Region in 1964. He then moved to Benedum Plant as a roustabout and has worked as a utility relief, plant clerk and is now working as plant operator.

He enjoys hobbies of golfing and fishing. He is a sports fan and is a member of the Rankin Booster Club and Youth Center Club.

He and his wife, Almina, and children Penny and Randy live in the Benedum Plant camp.

receiving "free" education for their children.

A lot of school districts went into orbit over his ruling but I have felt for a long time that such charges were not right. It only amazes me that it has taken so long to get it set straight. It looks like "the law" on any given subject is whatever can be gotten away with until someone takes it to court. That ought not be the case. You can't help wondering in how many other instances the public is being gouged for money illegally by this or that state agency.

In the case of Rankin Schools and my two kids who went all the way through here, I certainly wasn't charged enough of these

Saturday Services for Geo. Ramirez

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4 in St. Thomas Catholic Church in Rankin for George Ybarra Ramirez, 58. Burial was in Rankin Cemetery.

Ramirez died at 5:30 a.m. last Thursday in his home of an apparent heart attack. He was born July 11, 1917 in Aspermont and was married to the former Juanita Martinez. A 30-year resident of Rankin, he was a member of the Catholic church and was a construction worker for the H. Wheeler Co. in Rankin.

Survivors include his wife; six daughters, Mrs. Mary Calloway and Mrs. Elois Torres, both of San Angelo, Mrs. Virginia Navarro and Mrs. Maulella Cortez, both of Smithville, Miss Alice Ramirez of Rankin, and Mrs. Margaret Mott of Carmesel, Turkey; seven sons, Marshall Ramirez of Rankin, Frank Ramirez of Ft. Stockton, Ernest Ramirez of Sunnyside, Wash., Eugene Ramirez of Sonora, Gilbert Ramirez and Raymond Ramirez, both of Rankin; one sister, Mrs. Maria Barrientes of Hondo; three brothers, Thomas Ramirez of Hereford, Gilbert Ramirez of Del Rio and Eugenio Ramirez of Acuna, Mexico; 35 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

extras to hurt the pocketbook; still, I don't like—nor want to—pay any more than I'm supposed to pay. I don't imagine many other folk do either.

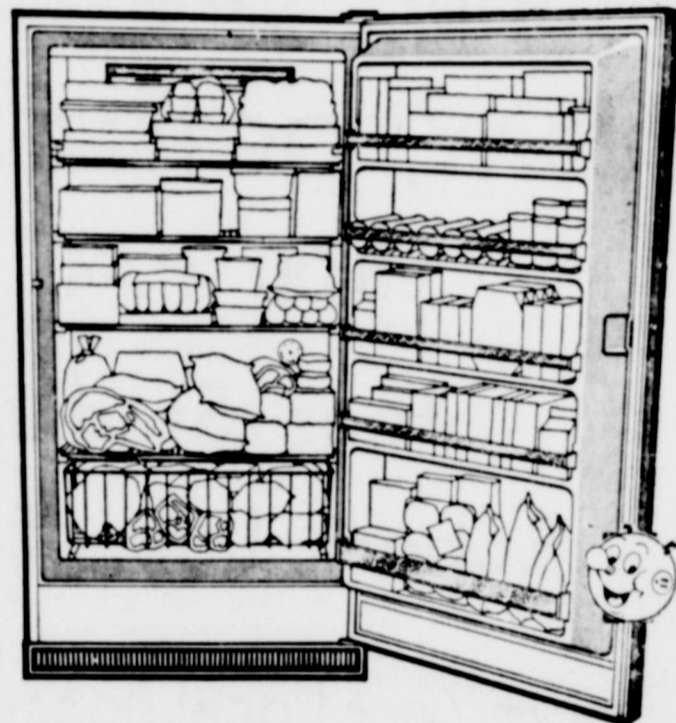
Numerous school districts are saying that these charges went a long way in keeping their local taxes down and that's possibly true. On the other hand, I don't expect that there are many that can't, with a little budget trimming, make up the differ-

ence. I've said it in this column many time, and say it again, that there is no way in this world that we or the Texas Education Agency—which is directly responsible—or anyone else, can justify a UIL district that is more than 300 miles across, as in the case of District 6-A. If economy — and the so-called energy crisis means anything at all— there has to be an end to this sort of rot.



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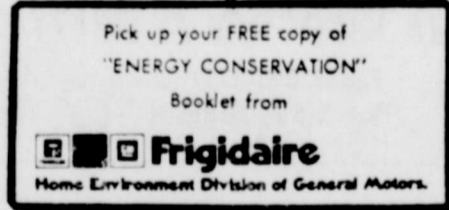


Don't overload: Efficient freezing calls for adding no more unfrozen food at one time than 2 or 3 pounds per cubic foot of your freezer's capacity. This ensures unfrozen food will freeze within a healthy 24 hours and that your freezer isn't overworked.

Take advantage of sales: Avoid overstocking with commercially frozen food that's always available; use your freezer as your own bargain counter and store foods you can buy on sale. But do allow space for short-time baked goods, leftovers and special party foods.

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THIS WEEK IN . . .

FOOTBALL

RANKIN RED DEVILS

VS.

Robert Lee Steers

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8:00 P.M.

Steer Stadium

Robert Lee, Texas



JUNIOR HIGH

Rankin 7th Grade

VS.

Grandfalls 7th Grd.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9TH

THERE — 4:00 P. M.

Rankin 8th Grade

VS.

Grandfalls 8th Grd.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9TH

THERE — 5:30 P. M. (Approx.)

**RANKIN
B-TEAM**

VS.

Grandfalls

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9TH

THERE: 7 P. M. (Approx.)

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... and are going to have
... compliment their al-

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... please accept this
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... during our recent sick
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Sundays:	
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9 a.m.	Worship Service
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ready strong ground game.

Admittedly, it took them a while to get cranking but one of the reasons was that Sanderson didn't exactly lay down and roll over—until they ran out of steam. Using quite a few players, the Red Devils finally just ran the legs out from under the visitors and from there on in it looked easy.

I thought Sanderson had about as slick a ball handler at quarterback as I've seen in some while and if you could get a backfield full of people as quick as their No. 44, you'd really have something.

But the Red Devils won big in the 4th quarter, said to be the mark of a good ball team; and something that most certainly should meet with much approval from Dallas Cowboy fans. It takes Dallas 3 quarters to find out that the other team hasn't read their press clippings. That's when Mr. Clean tells Captain Courageous to go out and get lucky. And so far, it's worked. But it's a long season in pro ball.

For the Red Devils, I think they look good in the 4th quarter because they play a lot of boys and by the 4th quarter the other team has had about all of the hitting they want.

THIS WEEK —

Again, there's not a whole lot to say about the Robert Lee game. Rankin ought to win in a walk but probably will have a hard time of it. They will be in the Steer's own pasture and they may be looking ahead to district play—which could be costly, if it's true.

In any case, to the picks:
RANKIN 28, Robert Lee 8 and this—if it is easy—will be the last softie of '75 for Rankin.

RANKIN B-TEAM 24, Grandfalls 0. Somehow the B-Team is stuck on this 24 number and

it's not all that bad when you look at their 4-0 record.

BALMORHEA 22, Grandfalls 0. Grandfalls may be somewhat tougher than this. The Bears had better not be asleep.

IRAAN 40, Menard 0. This one is a light work-out for the Tribe. WINK 14, Sanderson 7. Rankin took a lot out of the Eagles.

ALPINE 22, Big Lake 0. Now if the Owls are for real, they will turn this forecast around.

CRANE gobs (43½?), Van Horn should take the night off.

McCAMEY 30, Stanton 6. This will be one of the last "easies" for the Badgers, too.

BRADY 18, Ozona 7. The Brady bunch has been hot and cold and it's just a guess.

LAST WEEK —

Rankin 38, Sanderson 0
Balmorhea 16, Socorro 16 (tie)
Grandfalls 25, Clint 12
Big Lake 20, Brady 14
Ozona 7, Iraan 6
Mason 12, Crane 0
McCamey 42, Van Horn 0
Sonora 53, Eldorado 12
Alpine 27, Marfa 0
4th & 10: 6 right, 1 wrong, 1 tie; season, 30 right, 11 wrong, 1 tie.

School Menu

OCTOBER OCTOBER 13-17

BREAKFAST

MONDAY

Hot Biscuits, Jelly, Hash Browns
Bacon, Juice

TUESDAY

Buttered Toast, Oatmeal or Rice, Fruit

WEDNESDAY

Cinnamon Toast, Cold Cereal or Rice, Toast

THURSDAY

Hot Rolls, Jelly, Cream of Wheat or Cold Cereal, Juice

FRIDAY

Hot Donuts, Cold Cereal or Rice, Fruit

LUNCH

MONDAY

Tossed Salad, Cheese Slice, Corn Dog or Burrito, French Fries, Pork & Beans, Light Bread, Chocolate Cake

TUESDAY

Cranberry Sauce, Turkey Roll, Dressing, Candied Yams, English Peas, Gibley Gravy, Hot Light Bread, Butter Cookies

WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

Celery Stick, Steak Fingers, Cream Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Sliced Peaches.

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.

Extension

Excerpts

BY RITA NELL DAVIS

Upton Reagan Extension Agent

The 4-H program has a proud heritage, and the observance of National 4-H Week, Oct. 5-11, provides a good opportunity to reflect on its history, its current status, and the new horizons that lay ahead.

In looking to and planning for tomorrow, 4-Hers are also reflecting on the past and Texas played a big part in the heritage. It was in 1908 that a Corn Cob Club was formed in Jack County by a part-time agent. It started with 111 boys and results drew nationwide acclaim. This was a forerunner of 4-H.

4-H provides enriching, real-life learning experiences thru the "learning by doing" concept, and today's programs offer similar experiences although the projects and activities have changed.

By encouraging high standards and setting meaningful goals, 4-H lays a broad and firm base for a lifetime of personal growth. As today's youth grow to adulthood, they will face a world unlike the one most of us grew up in. There will be more people and fewer resources. And there will be vital issues in government that call for wise decision-making. 4-H prepares young people to assume responsibilities of adulthood in a changing society.

With more than 60 different projects and activity areas now attracting 4-H members, 4-H has indeed come a long way since 1908.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Terry Viasana, Rankin, admitted Oct. 6.

Mrs. William Hall, McCamey, admitted Oct. 7.

Baby Boy Hall born Oct. 7. Mrs. Kenneth Lanning, Crane, admitted Oct. 6.

Baby Girl Laning, born Oct. 6. Mrs. J. A. Weatherbee, Rankin, admitted Oct. 2.

Mrs. Gena Johnson, Rankin, admitted Oct. 6.

Mrs. W. T. Buchanan, Iraan, admitted Oct. 7.

Robert Adams, McCamey, admitted Oct. 6.

Earcille Copeland, Midland, admitted Oct. 7.

Red Devil Annual to Go on Sale

Sale of the 1976 Rankin School annuals, "The Red Devil" will get under way on Thursday, October 16, according to the RHS Annual Staff. Sales will be made at a 2:00 p.m. assembly in the high school auditorium.

All persons interested in having a copy of the '76 annual are requested to place their orders at this time.

Sunday Schoolers Pick Officers

This year, the 6, 7, and 8 Sunday School Classes at Rankin United Methodist Church have elected officers to serve for the 1975-76 term. Carl Feuge is to be President.

Others elected are Michael Don Northcott, vice-president; Bradley Bains, treasurer; Laura Stone, secretary; and Paige McMullan, reporter.

Card of Thanks

"THANK YOU" doesn't seem to be nearly enough since so many have done so much for us. Until we can pass it on—or back—may God bless all of you with our love, heaped up and running over.

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Homecoming

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of the All-Kid Rodeo. The Rankin Youth Center will be open for the children attending.

Those attending are bring old pictures and memorabilia.

JoAnn (Hood) Howard in charge of contacting friends, while Evelyn McEwen and Jean (Shaw) Ewen are contacting members. Others on the committee are Charles Don Vickers, Joe Garmon, DeWayne Lindsey, Purnell McFadden, Billy Ross, Jimmy Lee, Walter Spadden, Mona Sue and Grover Lee Yoch (Scott) Boggs, Nig (Shaw), Charlotte (Mann) ham, Nubbin (Murphy) Pat Dishman and Esthe Curnutt.

Also cooperating in city venture will be Aland, superintendent of Rankin Independent School District, Sullivan, Dub Bud Poage of the All-Kid and James Hefferman, of the Rankin Jayees.

Red Devils -

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a loss to the Merit High—which included players—at 4:00 p.m. be followed by the now 2-0, at about 5:30 final affair, the B-Team under way at approximately p.m. The RHS B-Team perfect record at 4-0.



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