

THE RANKIN NEWS

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FRIDAY, SEPT. 26, 1952

Rankin Truck Route Contract Is Granted

Contracting was completed on Monday in Commissioners' Court with Henry Stafford, Lubbock contractor, for the building of one mile of highway to serve as truck route for heavy commercial traffic on the Midland Highway out of Rankin.

Following several near-tragic accidents involving run-away trucks on the steep hill in the northern city limits, the court took action in planning the 1.1 mile stretch of pavement, to route trucks away from Main Street.

According to plan, Stafford's crews will begin work within ten days, and will have completed within 45 days after starting, pending weather conditions.

The road will intercept traffic above the dump grounds on Highway 349 and will merge with Highway 67, east of the city near the present junction of the hill street.

Contract was granted to the low bidder of the four submitted, all very nearly equal. Stafford's bid was \$24,561, \$600 below the field. He recently finished the construction of some 32 miles of pavement in the Benédum field. In anticipation of this present contract, his equipment is already at hand and ready for the beginning of the new job.

Firemen Go To 'Smoker'

Firemen were called to the Chas. Gill Garage on Midland Hill last Friday, when an oil fire caused considerable smoke and disturbance. The cause was the ignition of a pan of oil, burning within the garage. No damage was reported.

Monahans Elector Goes Eisenhower

J. Conrad Dunagan of Monahans has resigned as a Democratic Presidential elector and announced that "I will split the ticket and cast my personal vote for Eisenhower and Nixon, and I hope all thinking Democrats of Texas will do likewise."

Dunagan made public his letter of resignation, addressed officially to Secretary of State Jack Ross. In the letter, the writer said, "I cannot with honor remain as the presidential elector for my Congressional District."

Dunagan pointed out, "although the Constitution of the United States provides that the presidential electors shall choose the President and the Vice President, the voters are entitled to vote for an elector whose views are well known to them."

Dunagan gives as his reasons for resignation the fact that he cannot vote for continuance of Trumanism, corruption in high office, government by crony, condemnation of Communism, creeping socialism, government greed for centralized power, deficit spending while taxing exorbitantly, the steal of the tidelands, bungling foreign policy, and shedding of blood in Korea without a plan for victory.

The West Texan added: "To allow my name to stand for those candidates who derive their support from the forces which nurture and expand these abhorrent things would cover it with shame. . . I will not vote for Stevenson or Sparkman. The time has come to throw off the chains of tradition which have bound us to a national party whose principles are no longer worthy of our support."

BOND ELECTION SATURDAY

Bond elections go before the voters of Upton County, Saturday, calling for \$65,000 to be spent for the purchase of land and the building of park facilities for the colored people of the county. The proposed building is to be located in the northwest area of McCamey and, although much smaller, is to be used by the colored population in much the same way that both the McCamey and Rankin Park Buildings are being used. The Negro people of the county have appealed to the voting citizens both through circulars and by publication for the approval of the issue.

Parents, Teachers Get Acquainted

The Parent-Teacher Association held a get-acquainted party for the faculty and school patrons recently in the elementary school building. New members of the faculty were honored guests.

Each teacher was introduced, and entertainment for the evening included Ray Showalter's imitation of Milton Berle.

The PTA Executive Committee were hosts and refreshments of frosted punch and cookies were served from a table centered with a flower arrangement carrying out the association's colors of blue and gold.

'Demon' Will Tail Rankin High Students Twice Each Month

Rankin High School's newspaper, The Demon, was organized the first of the school term and will come out with its second edition this week. The multi-paged publication is to be issued twice each month on the second and fourth Fridays.

Heading the staff of journalists is Nola Boyd, editor. Her assistant is Jo Ann Hood. Others on the staff include Claudyne Chandler, business manager; Bill Munselle, circulation editor; Bob Wyatt, Mary Alice Bean, and Maetta Higgins, typists. Mimeograph man is Bobby Ash.

Both Munselle and Higgins double up to serve in the capacities of sports editors.

MYF Sub-District Set To Meet In Rankin

The Methodist Youth Fellowship's Sub-District group will meet in Rankin Sunday afternoon, Sept. 28, at 3 o'clock.

Sub-District President Esther Clark will preside at the meeting and the Friendship Circle of the WSCS will serve refreshments.

Don Cochran will speak to the young people on "Stewardship." The MYF associations from Big Lake, Texon and McCamey will attend.

CONGRATULATIONS

A baby boy weighing six pounds and ten ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Tittsworth in a San Angelo hospital on Sept. 17. He has been named Larry Dean.

Walton Poage, Walton Harrah and Don Cochran left Tuesday on a few days' business trip to Missouri.



SECURE IN HIS SEAT, the convict rider is content to let the bull have his head until the whistle blows completing their 8-second battle. After that it's every man for himself. Top riding and spine chilling thrills will be provided by convicts during the four performances of the 21st Annual Prison Rodeo, October 5, 12, 19 and 26 at Huntsville, Texas.

Record Attendance At Junior Class Barbecue

A large crowd attended the barbecue supper and entertainment sponsored by the Junior Class last Tuesday night. Supper was served in the elementary school cafeteria and the boys of the class presented a "style show" in the auditorium.

Joe Smith was commentator for the show and models were Jimmy Merriman, John L. Schlagal, Kenneth Smith, Jerry Morgan, Eddie Ruple and Dwayne Lindsey.

North Side Church Of Christ Schedules Gospel Meeting, October 5-15

A gospel meeting for the North Side Church of Christ in Rankin, beginning Oct. 5, and will continue through Oct. 15, has been scheduled with services to be held nightly at 7:45.

The new church building is located across the street from the High School. Martin Kamstra of McCamey will be the minister, leading the congregation in Gospel preaching and singing.

The public has been extended a cordial invitation to attend.

Humble Park Scene Of Annual Barbecue

Barbecue and trimmings was served to about 200 guests and employees of the Humble Oil and Refining Company's annual safety barbecue held at the Humble Park Wednesday night. Representatives were present from Midland, Stanton, San Angelo, Ozona, Rankin, Big Lake, and Mertzon.

"Chubby" Jones spoke to the group about "What has been done in the Fields," foregoing the main address by P. M. McFadden. McCamey superintendent, McFadden spoke on the past year's drilling program and production. He brought out in his talk that Humble had no disabling accidents among employees this year.

Dancing in the Humble recreation hall followed the dinner.

Among the guests and formerly of McCamey were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Duncan and Carolyn of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Shouebrouck and daughter, Ouida of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Van Landingham and son Sam, of Midland.

WSCS Friendship Circle Meets In Johnson Home

The Friendship Circle of the WSCS met in the home of Mrs. R. H. Johnson Monday.

"Ambassador For Christ" was the lesson topic, led by Mrs. D. O. McEwen. Mrs. Fred Miller gave the devotional.

Mrs. Johnson served refreshments to eight members present.

Next Monday's meeting of the WSCS will be a noon luncheon in the Methodist Educational Building.

Cook Added To RHS B. B. Coaching Staff

Bill Cook was added to the Rankin coaching staff this week in the capacity of "B" team basketball coach. Bill is a native of McCamey, a graduate of McMurray College, and a Korean war veteran, having served two years in the army, 13 months of it overseas.

At present he is teaching in Junior High School, coming to Rankin from Iowa Park, Texas, where he taught for a year.

Two Oilers Added To Trend Areas In Upton, Reagan

Warren Petroleum Corp. staged location for a project in the Weinert-Floyd (Spraberry) field of NW Reagan County.

Slated to go 8,000 ft. with rotary, it is 660 ft. from south and east lines of sec. 1, blk. C, L&SV survey. It is on a 322.4 acre lease.

One-half mile east extender to the Aldwell field of NW Reagan County has been completed. It is Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 Keweh.

It was finaled for a daily flowing potential of 672 barrels of oil through a 1-2 inch tubing choke and from perforations at 6,555-6,615 feet. Pay was fractured with 4,500 gallons.

Location is at the center of the SW quarter of SW quarter of sec. 17, blk. B, L&SV survey.

One location south of a recently completed long west extender to Spraberry production in the Benédum field of CE Upton County. Phillips completed No. 1 Don Hudgings for a 21 hour flowing potential of 307 barrels of oil through a 1-2 inch tubing choke and from open hole at 7,443-7,600 feet.

Location is 760 feet from north and 663 feet from east lines of section 37, block Y, TCRR.

Hale Injured When Truck Tire Blows

Leo Hale, of McCamey is receiving treatment in the Shannon Memorial Hospital this week, following an accident last Friday morning. According to Hale, he was changing a truck tire at Coats Motor Company about 10:30 when the rim blew off, striking him in the left leg and forehead.

Doctor Boyd Nibling was called to the scene of the accident and immediately transferred the victim to the Crane Memorial Hospital. From there he was transferred to the San Angelo hospital, making the journey in a Spalding Ambulance.

Injuries were diagnosed as a compound fracture and depression of the right frontal skull bone with a mild laceration of the left leg. Hale is expected to be in the hospital from two to three weeks.

The wrist watch gained its popularity during World War I.

Crippled Red Devils Attempt Clint Lions Here Tonight

Lose Norman Yocham With Broken Arm

"Coming in on a wing and a prayer" could well be the theme song for the Rankin Red Devils this week when they take to the field to do battle with the Clint Lions.

In their last week's 19-0 win over Fort Hancock, they were ripped to shreds by injuries, the most serious being the broken arm dealt Norman Yocham on the kick-off play. Also out of the starting lineup may be De Wayne Lindsay, Eddie Ruple, John Schlagal and Joe Loftin.

Following the ousting of Norman, the Devils went on to play

inspired football, as they piled up yard after yard in miraculous attacks. Jimmy Yocham held the team together and was the main ground-gainer as he went 20 times for 178 yards, an average of nearly nine yards per carry. Bobby Goodwin picked up 59 yards in his 17 attempts, Don Murphy went for 52 in 13 tries, Eddie Ruple picked up six in two carries, and Joe Ellis went for seven on his one take.

The Devils have surprised all opponents this far in having a much stronger team than anticipated; In fact, they have looked like district contenders. The crippling effects of last week's game, and the various injuries suffered at other times, will nevertheless take its toll of the team's victories. So far in

two encounters they are un-scored on, having beaten Lohn 20-0 in the season opener.

Little is known in this immediate locality about the Clint Lions, except that they, too, are a very strong team, un-scored on, and are district contenders. They downed the Ysleta "B" squad and Cloudcroft, N. M., in previous skirmishes.

At any rate, tonight's battle, with kickoff set for 8:00, will be another crowd thriller. As the Devils have shown, they are playing their hearts out and are in there to win. They go blindfolded into tonight's fracas, not even so much as knowing the foe's weights, as there was a delay in the arrival of the Clint lineup and what was gotten was taken over the phone.

Brakeless Truck Snaps Power Lines

Electricity was knocked out for several hours last Friday afternoon as the result of a run-away truck on the Midland Hill. The oil field truck, belonging to the Sam Bass Company, raced headlong down the hill after its brakes failed at about 3 o'clock.

High powered lines were broken when the vehicle struck a guy wire supporting the pole, corner of Hogan's Motor lot. The truck came to a stop in a whirl of dust, just barely missing several of the autos parked there. The wires were loose for several minutes, burning plants in the yard of J. P. Rankin's home.

No other damages were reported and the electric service was soon restored by employees of the West Texas Utilities Co.

Shell Schools Men On Pipeline Procedures

Shell Pipe Line Corp. will go into its second of a two week schooling sessions in the High School Building next Monday night. The courses separated by a week of inactivity are concerned with pipeline procedures, and are being offered to Shell employees throughout the country.

J. W. Hunt of Colorado City is director of the Upton County school in which there are about 15 enrolled. According to Hunt, the group discusses such things as pumps, oil movement and communications. They use text books, movies, and at times have the actual pump on hand.

Rankin Girl Scouts Are Fashion-Wise

Girl Scout Troop No. 1 met at 7 o'clock Monday evening in the Park Building to do further work toward their "Good Grooming" Badge.

The troop plans to present an ensemble fashion show on Monday evening, Sept. 29, displaying correct hair styles, proper footwear, permissible makeup and appropriate clothes for both daily events and special occasions.

Each Scout in the troop is to earn 12 badges to attain the rank of First Class Scout. Rovena Langford reported she was working on reading and home nursing.

Mrs. Walton Poage, rummage sale chairman, presented plans to the group for the sale to be held during fund-raising week, Oct. 18 to 25. This troop, with their leader, Mrs. D. O. McEwen, will have charge of the sale and will appreciate any contributions from the townfolk for this event.

TROOP SEVEN NEWS

Girl Scouts of Troop 7 began working on their second-class badges at this week's meeting. Plans were made for a hike the girls will make this week and it was decided to hem cup-towels at next week's meeting.

The girls recently enjoyed a cook-out at the Noelke Estate Ranch, with their leader, Mrs. Herbert Hurn.

Present at this week's meeting were Virginia Lee, Barbara Terrell, Ruth McGill, Linda Harrah, and a visitor, Rachel Broyles.

Wednesday Bridge Club Is Entertained

Mrs. W. J. Pollard entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club in the Park Building at this week's meeting. Three tables played, including guests, Mrs. Willette Scott of Crane, Mrs. J. P. Rankin and Mrs. Clint Shaw.

High score went to Mrs. W. M. Day, second high was won by Mrs. Walton Harrah, and low score by Mrs. Shaw.

"Compos mentis" means of sound mind.

The distaff side of a family is the female side.

A Kanaka is an Hawaiian.

The name England originated from the words Anglo-land.

In America, one person in 125 gets a university education.

County 'Dog Catcher' And McCamey Sheriff Building Now Planned

Discussions in Commissioners' Court this week scanned the county's various needs.

McCamey City Councilman, Tom Nevinger, met with the group in the discussion of a tentative plan for a county dog catcher. According to Nevinger, McCamey has an ordinance already prohibiting dogs to go off the owner's property, but because of the various camps and dwellings outside the city limits, enforcement has been of little value to ranchers.

It was his plan for Rankin, McCamey and the county to jointly sponsor a dog-catcher to work county-wide, with each contributing to his salary.

Another discussion led the need for a Sheriff's and Justice's building in McCamey. Suggested plans are being drawn for the building with action to be taken some time in a future meeting.

Scouts To Chandler's

Boy Scouts of Rankin will spend tomorrow, Saturday, at Chandler's Ranch near Sheffield. According to Scoutmaster Ted Hogan, the entire Rankin Troop is looking forward to a day of romping and fishing, and of course the thrill of a campfire.

Pegasus In Upton Gets West Offset

Sharples Oil Corp. has staked a location for its No. 2-C TXL as a 1-4 mile west offset to Pennsylvania production in the Pegasus field of NW Upton County.

Location is 660 feet from north and east lines of sec. 47, block 41, T-4-S, T&P survey and on a 160-acre lease.

Rotary tools will be used to drill to projected depth of 10,500 feet. Operations will begin at once.

It is a twin to Sharples No. 1-C TXL, Ellenburger producer.

Benedum In Upton Extended South By Shell Producer

Shell Oil Co. No. 1-L U., has been completed as a five-eighths mile south extender to production in the Benedum (Spraberry) field CE Upton County.

It was finaled for a daily flowing potential of 334 barrels of 38.2 gravity oil through a 1-4 inch tubing choke and from perforations at 6,572-6,200 feet in 5 1-2 inch casing cemented at 7,415 feet. Total depth is 7,456 feet. Top of pay was picked at 7,426 feet, elevation 2,677 feet.

The project was acidized with 1,000 gallons and fractured with 12,000 gallons.

Location is 635 feet from north and 1,990 feet from south lines of ne/4 of 12.58-Unit.

Gas-oil ratio was 841-1 and tubing pressure was 580 lbs.

Carl S. Delaney, owner-manager of the Harlan Hotel, escaped with minor injuries when his car overturned at the intersection of the Harlan and Rankin highways early Friday morning. The car was badly damaged.

DREAM CAR AT TEXAS FAIR



The K-310, Chrysler Corporation's experimental sports sedan, will be on display in the Automobile Building at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas October 4 through October 19. The K-310 is one of the features of the new \$1,000,000 "New Worlds in Engineering" show explaining how the American automobile is designed.

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Post Office at McCamey, Texas, under the Act of March 3 1879.

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THE BEST POLL

The new head of the Office of Price Stabilization is attempting to find out what the public in general thinks about price control, with special attention to the views of the housewife. This effort is in the nature of a poll.

In an editorial on the project, the Wall Street Journal said, "When Congress extended the price control law early this summer, it cut down the powers of the price controllers in spite of the frequent and urgent requests from the President for the opposite action. In an election year, Congressmen, especially the ones in the House, all of whom go before the voters, are hardly likely to take action which they don't think their constituents will like. In fact, the actions they take are the best sort of clue to what their constituents want."

"What they did about the price control law is thus the best poll we've got on what the people think about it." Everybody wants lower prices—just as everybody wants higher incomes. But there is plenty of evidence that the public is at last learning that political controls over the economy can't produce much except confusion and dislocations and, long enough continued, scarcities and poorer goods. You can tell a man that the product his factory turns out must be sold for so much and no more—but you can't force him to continue to produce it if the price is too low to pay the bills and return a little profit. You can tell a storekeeper that this item and that must be sold to the consumer for so much and no more—but you can't make him stock it if the selling price isn't sufficient to make both ends meet.

It is perfectly clear that most Congressmen want fewer controls, not more. And Congress is the best barometer of grass roots sentiment we have.

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Coatesville, Pa., Record: "The magazine Steel sent hundreds of letters to persons whose occupation was listed as 'steelworker' in the Youngstown, Ohio, city directory. One question was asked: 'If the wage issues are satisfactorily settled, would you favor continuing the strike in an effort to win the full union shop?' Of the replies received, 86 per cent were 'No.'"

Wilmington, Calif., Press-Journal: "Nobody is indifferent to high taxes. That's obvious in the fact that everybody bellyaches about them. But high taxes go on—and keep getting higher. Why? Because most of us are indifferent to the corrective measures necessary to cut down waste and extravagance in government. It's easier to bellyache than to take action."

Washington, Iowa, Evening Journal: "General Motors paid \$1,141,000,000 in taxes in 1951, which amounts to \$13.04 in taxes paid per common share of stock, compared with \$4.00 per share of dividends to stockholders. Thus, the government gets three times as much out of General Motors than the owners, themselves. They call it a 'corporation tax,' and many people are inclined to think it is the corporation that pays for it. In reality, the stockholders—millions of them in hundreds of corporations—are paying it out of their savings and investments."

—BUY MORE U. S. SAVINGS BONDS—

A casus belli is a cause justifying war.
Heat stroke is a disorder of the temperature regulation in the body.
Washington, D. C., has the greatest population per square mile of any city.
The Baltic-White Sea Canal is the longest ship canal in the world.
If treated within an hour, a poisonous snake bite will not likely be fatal.
Young children and older people seldom become seasick.
President George Washington had a stepdaughter named Nellie Custis.
One person out of every 12 is left-handed.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Ah!—But Look Beneath!

Overseas Christmas Gifts Should Be Readied By Nov. 15

The period Oct. 15 to Nov. 15 has again been designated for the acceptance of Christmas parcels for members of our Armed Forces serving outside the continental United States with the concurrence of several Departments of the National Military Establishment.

Foodstuffs subject to spoilage and breakage should not be sent overseas since military personnel are well supplied with food by the Armed Services.

Air parcel post intended for personnel of the Armed Forces serving overseas or in naval vessels should be mailed not later than Nov. 25. Air parcel post mailed subsequent to this date cannot be assured airlift overseas and may not be delivered prior to Christmas. Air parcels are limited in size to 30 inches length and girth combined, and two pounds in actual weight.

Boxes for overseas transmission must necessarily be of strong construction on account of the great distance these parcels must be transported and the handling and storage they must undergo.

Americans send 680,000 telegrams every day.

The Black Forest is a mountainous region in Wurttemberg, in Germany.

Midland Livestock Auction Sale Report

The cattle market was uneven at the Midland Livestock Auction Co. sale Thursday, Sept. 18.

Stocker calves and yearlings were \$1 to \$2 a hundred lower than the week before while most butcher cattle were a little stronger. Receipts and sales were 293 head.

Good to choice grade calves and yearlings drew \$23 to \$26.50, medium to good \$18 to \$23, commons and culls \$14 to \$18.

Choice butchers went at \$16 to \$19, mediums \$14.50 to \$16, canners and cutters \$10 to \$14.50. Bulls brought \$17 to \$19.

Stockto steer calves auctioned for \$23 to \$25, yearling steers \$19 to \$21.50.

Two groups of coming two heifers that weighed 600-625 were bid to \$20.50.

Cow and calf pairs cleared at \$130 to \$185.

More coffee is consumed in New York and New Orleans than anywhere in the U. S.

Members of an early Indian tribe added a letter to their names for each birthday.

VETS QUESTIONS WITH ANSWERS

Q: I have just been discharged from the WAVES, and I plan to go to school under the Korean GI Bill. I am married and my husband earns a nice salary. We have no children. May I claim him as a dependent and receive a higher rate of GI education allowance?

A: No. So long as your husband is not actually dependent upon you, you cannot claim him as a dependent for GI allowance purposes.

Q: I realize I am allowed to make only one change of course under the Korean GI Bill training provisions. But is there any limit on the number of times I can change schools, without changing my course?

A: The law places no limit on the number of times you may change schools, without changing your course. Before you change schools, however, you must apply to the VA for a supplemental certificate, authorizing you to continue training in your new school.

Q: I have a \$10,000 National Service Life Insurance term policy that is about to expire. I plan to renew \$5,000 as term insurance. If I change my mind some time in the future and want to renew the remainder of my insurance, may I do so—even though the expiration date will have passed?

A: No. The amount of insurance not renewed will terminate at the expiration of the term period, and may not be reinstated at any time thereafter.

Q: I am trying to get a GI loan to buy a house. Can you tell me where to inquire?

A: You should try all the sources where people normally obtain loans—banks, building and loan associations, insurance companies, public and private lending agencies, or individuals in a position to make such loans.

THE LOW DOWN HICKORY GROVE



I been fiddlin' with my slide rule again, and you know, it comes up with some pertinent answers. The latest statistics that show up on my trusty slip-stick concerns "champions." It shows there are more ex-champions than present day champs. It behooves our beloved land to calm itself and take heed.

It is not just former champs like Fitzsimmons or the Chicago White Sox, it is also Mr. Nero and Mr. Napoleon and Mr. Nebuchadnezzar. Also the Carthaginians and the Roman Empire. All the ex-champs were hot stuff in their day.

I now come home—to our USA. We been ridin' high—and in the driver's seat—but there are signs that a new champ may be in the offing. Not right away—but there just the same. Over-confidence accounts for most champs. And sisters and brothers, this land of our is feeling its oats as it wades into venture—tax free ventures.

Tax free to the Govt., but not free to Mr. and Mrs. Tappayer.

Across to the north is Canada—Canada is commencing to collect income taxes from all Dominion-owned businesses and at same rates as paid by private business there. We don't do that in our USA. As up and coming and promising timber for championship stature, Canada is it. Our USA dinero—or our buck coin of the realm, is slipping—it is good for only 96 cents over there. An omen for us to cogitate.

Yours with the low down. JO SERRA.

I. Q. is abbreviation for Intelligence Quotient.

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Rankin Red Devils

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Clint Lions



RED DEVIL STADIUM

FRIDAY, SEPT. 26 8:00 p. m.

Clint Lions

(Numbers, weights, and positions not available)

Name	Pos.	Wt.
Valenzuela, A.	_____	_____
Valenzuela, J.	_____	_____
Corala, C.	_____	_____
Corala, F.	_____	_____
Olmedo, F.	_____	_____
Madrid, F.	_____	_____
Madrid, M.	_____	_____
Madrid, B.	_____	_____
Madrid, A.	_____	_____
Campos, F.	_____	_____
Lopez, L.	_____	_____
Sambrano, R.	_____	_____
Rueda, A.	_____	_____
Tayan, A.	_____	_____
Huertado, S.	_____	_____
Franco, M.	_____	_____
Valdez, N.	_____	_____
Nestos, J.	_____	_____
Nestos, L.	_____	_____

COACH—MONK FLANKEN



Rankin Red Devils

No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.
21	Yocham, J.	B	143
24	Yocham, N.	B	166
29	Goodwin, B.	B	172
25	Ellis, J.	B	158
34	Loftin, J.	E	187
32	Holmes, G.	T	158
38	Lindsey, D.	G	143
30	Rumple, E.	C	193
39	Gary, W.	G	143
28	McCain, M.	T	158
31	McCain, B.	E	172
23	Murphy, D.	B	153
26	Schlagal, J.	C	168
35	Ward, E.	G	166
40	McCain, G.	C	138
42	McVay, C.	E	140
37	Chandler, C.	B	103
20	Abalos, P.	B	113
43	Rosenbaum, H.	T	154
36	Hazelwood, V.	B	103
22	Hudson, T.	E	142
33	Morgan, J.	T	140

COACHES—JOE SCRIVNER, D. E. JONES

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H. E. (GENE) ECKOLS

Tax Assessor and Collector

Come On Red Devils - - Skin The Lions



CHRISTMAS SEAL DOLLARS AT WORK — Mrs. R. M. Almanrode of Munday, outgoing president of the Texas Home Demonstration Association, gets a chest X-ray at the annual THDA convention in Kingsville. The X-ray bus of the Texas Tuberculosis Association was stationed in the center of convention activity on A. and I. campus to X-ray the approximately 900 delegates as a part of its program of tuberculosis control which is financed by the annual sale of Christmas Seals. Mrs. B. M. Harris of Plainview was elected at the convention as new president of the rural women's organization which has more than 43,000 members in HD clubs throughout Texas.

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Friday and Saturday, September 26 and 27
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"RETURN OF THE TEXAN"
Plus Second Feature
William Holden - Nancy Olson in
"FORCE OF ARMS"

Sunday and Monday, September 28 and 29
"FRANCIS GOES TO WEST POINT"
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Tuesday Only, September 30
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C. C. CARL Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of September, 1952. (Seal)

Robert W. McKinney (My commission expires June 1, 1953.)

Congratulations: Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Rape are parents of a boy, born Sept. 5, in the St. Johns Hospital, San Angelo. He weighed eight pounds, 13 ounces. He has been named Jerry Vance.

Mrs. Rape is the former Betty Colloom of McCamey.

There are more suicides on Wednesday than any other day.

A mesa is a flat-topped, rocky hill.

Rice is used more extensively than any other food.



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WOODPECKERS IN COLORADO DURING THE WINTER OF 1950-51 HELPED WIFE OUT AN INFESTATION OF INSECTS THAT WAS DESTROYING VALUABLE STUMPS OF MATURE TIMBER IN THAT STATE.

Headquarters Open For Ike Democrats

"Texas Democrats for Eisenhower" is the name of a new citizens' organization which opened headquarters in Austin this week. Plans are being made to conduct a grass-roots campaign among the members of the Democratic Party in behalf of Dwight D. Eisenhower, a native-born Texan, for President. Claude H. Gilmer of Rocksprings, former speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, was named as chairman.

Gilmer and other speakers stressed the mandate issued by the State Democratic Convention at Amarillo on Sept. 9, which resolved: "It is the recommendation of this Convention that every Democrat in Texas vote and work for the election of Dwight D. Eisenhower for President and Richard Nixon for Vice President."

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Early in the 1940's, four million pounds of keys were donated for scrap iron.

Roosevelt declared the famous bank moratorium the day after he took office.

The total number of possible poker hands in a deck is 2,598,960.

The Louisiana Purchase nearly doubled the size of the United States.



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