

The Rankin News

Serving the Interests of Rankin and Upton County

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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1956

EXPECTING GOOD TURN-OUT AT TOURNAMENT THIS WEEK-END

Good turn-out is hoped for the first tournament staged by the local club. Last year golfers from Goldsmith, Iraan, Texon, Big Lake, McCamey, San Angelo, Stanton and Odessa entered the play and many are expected to make it a return match this week-end. Four prizes will be awarded in each flight with an electric ice cream freezer going to flight winners, an electric skillet to runners-up, a gas camping stove to consolation winners and a portable, hand operated bar-b-que pit to consolation runners-up. Medalist trophy is an electric operated bar-b-que pit.

Howard of Texon was winner of the first tournament staged by the local club.

Playing their first tournament from their new club house, the club has designated various members as committeemen with Grimm Taylor in charge of greens and Floyd Everett in charge of fairways, the two most important of the committees. Wives of Rankin golfers will have charge of the concessions.

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attack or a bad spell of asthma, breathing for the patient until nature can take over.

The instrument is easy to operate and the only fuel needed is oxygen, available at any welding shop. Proven cases of lives saved by the resuscitator are on record in almost every city of any size in the country.

ASK HELP TO BUY RESUSCITATOR

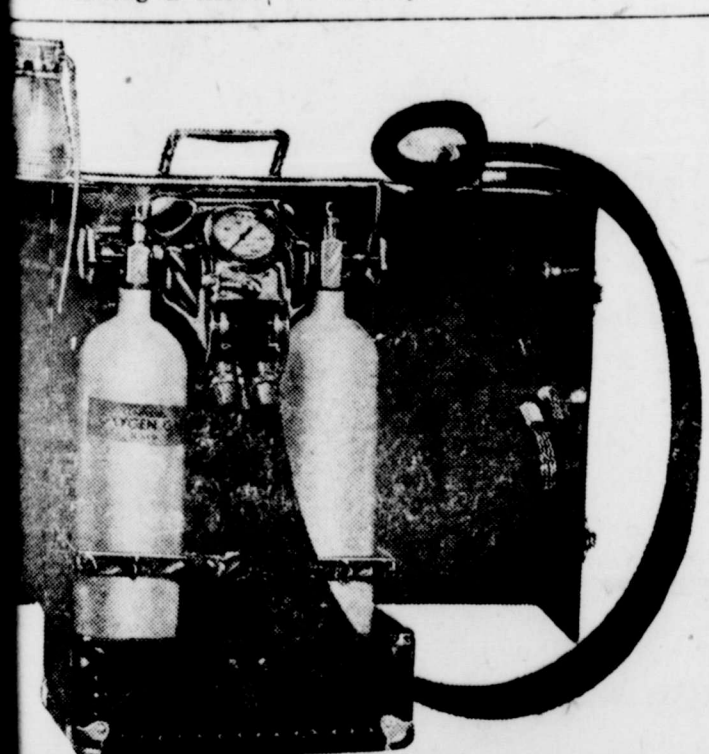
The life of some Rankin community will be the availability of a resuscitator. The department this year plans to purchase one as a community project.

The department last year had a demonstration of a resuscitator at the fire station and to its purchase if it can be financed. Contributions from the public and business are solicited, according to the department.

Some money already has been used in the purchase of the resuscitator.

The First State Resuscitator can be used for many different causes to save lives. It has been described as a gadget which can be used on victims of accident, breathing failure, fainting, electric shock, gas poisoning, and an automobile accident. It is a portable resuscitator being considered for purchase by the Rankin Volunteer Fire Department.

Life could depend on this gadget—



Life could depend on this gadget—The portable resuscitator being considered for purchase by the Rankin Volunteer Fire Department. It is available to everyone free of charge once purchased. Contributions are now being taken for the purchase of the resuscitator by the Rankin Volunteer Fire Department.

"Rodeo Week" Proclaimed For Kid Rodeo June 10-16

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS Rankin is known far and wide for its reputation of doing its best on every undertaking and whereas the Upton County All-Kid Rodeo is known as the best kid rodeo in the state;

THEREFORE, I, A. E. Ivy, mayor of the City of Rankin, do hereby proclaim the week of June 10 through June 16 as "Rodeo Week" in Rankin and request that all loyal citizens of Rankin and the community join wholeheartedly in celebrating the affair by wearing some piece of western apparel or costume that will draw attention to the All Kid Rodeo on June 15-16.

SIGNED:

A. E. Ivy,
Mayor, City of Rankin

June 10th through the 16th has been proclaimed Rodeo Week in Rankin.

On recommendation of the Lions Club in support of the All-Kid Rodeo which is to be staged here June 15-16th Mayor Ivy this week entered a proclamation setting up the special week and asking the cooperation of citizens of the community in publicizing the event.

Presently recognized as one of the outstanding, if not the largest, all-kid rodeos in Texas, the Upton event has already drawn more than 50 entries, according to Dub Day. With still some three weeks before show time, Day is estimating this year's total contestants at between 150 and 200 boys and girls.

"We have some of the best prizes and have spent more money for them than in any previous rodeo," Day has said.

HATS ARE IN ORDER

Among some of the publicity stunts decided upon by the Lions Club in co-operation with the 4-H Club to draw attention to the coming rodeo is the number of "odd" looking hats being seen around town.

These hats are being sold by the 4-H Club for fifty cents each and have a band around the tops giving the information concerning the kid rodeo. Members of the Lions Club voted to wear the hats until the rodeo is held and are urging anyone else who will do so to draw attention to the event by buying and wearing or displaying these hats.

For the week of June 10-16 it is especially requested by the Lions Club that the hats be worn. (Continued to back page)

TITSWORTH FIRST TO PAY HIS FILING FEE

L. Z. Titsworth, candidate for constable in precinct 1, paid \$119.25 last week and became Upton County's first candidate to pay his filing fees for the coming Democratic elections. Sammie Hodges, the only other constable candidate who has authorized the News to carry his announcement for the office, has also paid his filing fee.

In the commissioners race, Powell, Wheeler, Adams and Gotcher all paid \$427.50 each for their fees while Gene Eckols and his opponent, Buck Jones, each paid \$524.25 as their share of the election costs.

Connell Ashley, candidate for district attorney in the 112th, paid his fee of \$110.

YOUTH CENTER PLANS LARGE SUMMER PROGRAM

A larger program for the Youth Center has been planned for the summer months, consisting of tennis, golf, swimming, basketball and Little League baseball. Mr. Mike Hughes and Mrs. Johnny Gary will be the instructors for these various programs.

A program will be posted in the Rankin News next week after a meeting Friday night to determine how the schedule shall be set for the summer program.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Kennedy of Odessa were visitors in Rankin for the graduation services of Sandra Kennedy.

Youth Led Revival Slated By Baptist

Rev. R. L. Shannon, pastor of the First Baptist Church, has announced that a youth led revival will be held for one week in that church in the near future.

Details were being worked out this week and will be made public at a later date. Two college students who are outstanding in their religious activities and interests will lead the revival. Bob Tremaine of Hardin-Simmons will preach while Randy Parson of Baylor will direct the music.



OPEN FOR BUSINESS—Rankin's fine swimming pool was opened to the public Saturday, May 19, for the current season. Hours will be from 3:00 until 7:00 p.m. on week-days with a 6:00 p.m. closing on Sundays. Although there is no charge for swimming, those wishing to hold private parties when the pool is not in use, must pay for such service.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: ANY ERRONEOUS REFLECTION UPON THE CHARACTER, REPUTATION OR STANDING OF ANY FIRM, INDIVIDUAL OR CORPORATION WILL BE GLADLY CORRECTED UPON BEING CALLED TO THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLISHER.

CARD OF THANKS \$1
SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
ONE YEAR (IN ADVANCE) — \$2.75
ADVERTISING RATES ON REQUEST

Filler by J. B.

Modern medicine marches on. Our mother-in-law recently fractured a bone in her foot and was having considerable pain with the thing and could find no drug that would give her rest. Her doctor finally suggested that he hypnotize her.

Being from the old school that did not hold with such new fangled ideas, she told him to fire away and that it wouldn't work. The strange part of it is that after the treatment her foot has bothered her no more. In commenting on the thing she said that she actually got two treatments; on the first call the doctor hypnotized her and when she got the bill he paralyzed her.

In looking around at all the new houses which are being built, one gets the feeling that Rankin is making some good, substantial progress. These are houses which will be an attractive addition to the town and which, as a whole, will make nice homes for renters. They will be a far improvement over the old patched up barracks and shotgun houses that formerly composed a good part of Rankin's rent property.

And all is not rent property. The new home of the Pat Yochams is nearing completion and we made an inspection of it last week. A very lovely home indeed and one that will surely be a pleasure to its owners.

Oh, goody. We've got another newspaper?

Pete Williams from over in McCamey made the rounds last week with his first issue of what he calls the "Nickle News."

Now if Pete is sincerely interested in starting himself a newspaper, we extend a welcome to him to the society of long hours, lonely wives, neglected children, poor pay, quick users and ideas that usually end up in "Heartbreak Hotel." We will even purchase Pete a cup of coffee and share our aspirin bottle with him—if he's sincere in wanting to get into the newspaper business.

But, and we have reason to fear, if Pete is going to start another "Eye Opener," a so-called daily in McCamey published by one Mr. Spencer and which lasted about three issues with the publisher leaving town under rather secluded circumstances; or another scandle sheet like the one put out in behalf of Joe Bolin, defeated candidate for sheriff two years ago, then we fear that he has a rough road to hoe and one that will not improve his reputation in the county.

Incidentally Pete says he is for Upton County, points out that we

made an error in reporting Carlson as county chairman and states that he always wants to tell the truth—all these in practically the same breath. The truth of the matter is that the county democratic set-up has been in such a mess since he took over as chairman that no one could actually tell who was doing what or who had been elected to what, when, where and if.

In fact, the precinct chairmen and the county chairman had quite a time last week trying to make heads or tails of just how things stood in determining the amount to charge the candidates as filing fees. It seems that the man who is "for all of Upton County" had placed an order for election supplies with out-of-the county concerns and no one knew just what he had ordered and how much and since this could amount to a considerable amount of money, there was no ac-

curate way of telling what to charge the candidates.

Yes, Pete says he's for Upton County but he was getting mighty liberal with the candidates' money and all of it going out of the county.

And, incidentally, we agree with Pete when he says he is an amateur in the business. He is either definitely an amateur or just plain ignorant when it comes to business matters to state that the Rankin News and the McCamey News compose a monopoly.

On the matter of news we only compete with one another, three daily newspapers, two or three radio stations and two TV stations. We take pride in the fact that Pete thinks we have the "News" market cornered—we've always said that but never could get anyone to believe it before.

And as for advertising — boy!

The Rankin News

Thursday, May 24
There are green stamps, red stamps, directories, year books, bill boards, radio, catalogues, post cards, even pencils and pens after the advertising business men. Now be competition but notches way back to reminds us of lean days.

But to sum up the matter—we say Pete, the water's fine.

Rev. Lynn McAdams are at conference in

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Biff were San Antonio day.

ADS . . .

Results of 1956 ADVERTISING SURVEY

Conducted by the Corpus Christi (Tex.) Caller-Times

Question: Please list in order of your preference types of advertising which influences you most in doing your buying.

	Men	Women	Children	Total
Newspaper	86.0%	90.0%	58.0%	84.0%
Direct Mail	1.5	0.2	4.1	1.4
Circulars	0.7	0.2	4.1	1.0
Theatre Screen			1.4	0.1
Radio	2.4	2.0	5.4	2.9
Billboard	0.7			0.3
Magazine	5.4	3.6	13.5	5.8
Television	3.3	4.0	13.5	5.8

Question: Which of the following types of advertising are objectionable?

	Men	Women	Children	Total
Newspaper	2.1%	1.6%	8.1%	2.7%
Direct Mail	43.0	41.5	35.0	41.5
Circulars	57.6	51.5	47.0	53.2
Theatre Screen	74.0	55.0	46.0	62.0
Radio	21.6	12.0	13.5	16.4
Billboard	30.0	31.0	25.6	30.0
Magazine	3.4	1.2	11.0	3.4
Television	32.0	21.6	27.0	27.0

The following advertising readership percentages show that "Advertising is read as consistently as news"

Classified Advertising	82.0%	85.0%	78.0%	83.0%
Department Store Advertising	83.0	97.0	79.0	89.0
Food Advertising	68.0	91.0	64.0	78.0
Amusement Advertising	80.0	86.0	86.0	83.0
Home Appliance Advertising	72.0	81.0	53.0	74.0
Drug Advertising	54.0	72.0	56.0	63.0

NOTHING SELLS LIKE NEWSPAPERS

The Rankin News

EASE THE LOAD



Don't let accumulating bills get you down! Consolidate your debts and pay them all off with one low-cost loan from us. Pay it back in monthly installments, easily budgeted out of current income. Come in, talk it over.

Over
25 Years Of
Friendly Service

FIRST STATE BANK

Member FDIC

CLUB BUYS CALVES FOR RODEO EVENTS AND SEEK MEMBERS

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Herb's graduation
Donald E. Cox and
x is Mrs. Hurn's

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MONDAY PARTY HONORS

MISS SUE DISHMAN

Sue Dishman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dishman, was hon-ored on her ninth birthday by a party in her home Monday, May 21st.

Those attending the party were Wanna Smith, Marsha Hargrove, Ann Moore, Gayla Wilson, Jimmie Fields, Murray Merriman, Sammy Bean, Kenneth Bean, Jim Ivy, Mrs. D. O. McEwen, little Jim Thigpen, Mrs. Jimmy Thigpen, Mrs. Grace Zachery and Pat Dishman.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Harral to attend Barbara's graduation was Mrs. Har-ral's mother, Mrs. J. E. Taylor of Beeville, Texas; Mrs. Helen Hokit of Lubbock, mother of Mr. Harral; Mr. and Mrs. George Harral, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harral, Richard and Martha, all of Fort Stockton, and Miss Amaryallis Harral of Lub-bock. Amaryallis returned to Lub-bock Saturday and Mrs. Taylor ac-companied her there for a visit with her son.

Johnny Fred Boggs, who has been serving with the Marines for the past three years, has been given his discharge at Camp Pendle-ton, California.

Mrs. C. J. Holcomb returned from a month's visit in San Fran-cisco, Calif., with her mother, Mrs. R. L. Cogdell.

Mrs. Tom Workman has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Workman of Midland for the past few days.

SPECIALS

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

MAY 25 AND 26

WE GIVE BLUE PACIFIC STAMPS

We Don't Want Everybody's Business, We Just Want Yours

NEW! Easy-Open Can

GLADIOLA Ready for
Refrigerated Oven
BISCUITS

5 FOR
49c

Schilling's Pound
COFFEE **95c**

Sun Spun 2 For
TUNA **49c**

FROZEN FOODS

Ace Hi
ORANGE JUICE **15c**
Gulf Stream
BREADED SHRIMP **45c**
Libby's Chopped
BROCCOLI **22c**
Libby's
CAULIFLOWER 2 FOR **45c**
Parkerhouse
ROLLS PKG. **18c**
12 oz. Frozen
POTATO PATTIES **17c**

No. 303 Early Garden Elberta
PEACHES 2 FOR **45c**
No. 303 Diamond
TOMATOES 3 FOR **39c**
Kimbell's Whole
GREEN BEANS 2 FOR **43c**
No. 303 Del Monte
ENGLISH PEAS 2 FOR **39c**
No. 2 Lotus
PIE APPLES 2 FOR **35c**
No. 303 Kimbell's
BLACKEYED PEAS 2 FOR **29c**
Tang
LUNCHEON MEAT CAN **32c**
Eagle Brand
MILK CAN **30c**

FRUITS — VEGETABLES

Fresh Yellow
SQUASH LB. **10c**
Golden Ripe
BANANAS LB. **13c**
Fresh
BELL PEPPERS LB. **18c**
Fresh
TOMATOES LB. **18c**
Fresh
GREEN ONIONS Bunch **5c**
Large, Juicy
LEMONS LB. **15c**
Fresh Texas
GREEN BEANS LB. **16c**
Fresh
CANTALOUPE LB. **11c**

GUARANTEED MEATS

Fresh Dressed-Cut up if you like Pound

FRYERS **39c**
Choice Beef
T-BONE STEAK LB. **63c**
Hormel Midwest
BACON LB. **39c**
Peyton's Ace
BACON LB. **29c**
All Meat Cello
FRANKS LB. **39c**

JACK SPRAT FOOD SALE

No. 303 Jack Sprat Cut
GREEN BEANS 2 FOR **43c**
No. 300 Jack Sprat
BUTTER BEANS 2 FOR **23c**
No. 300 Jack Sprat
PORK & BEANS 3 FOR **25c**
No. 303 Jack Sprat Sliced
CARROTS 2 FOR **25c**
No. 300 Jack Sprat White
HOMINY 3 FOR **25c**
No. 300 Jack Sprat Golden
HOMINY 3 FOR **25c**

No. 300 Jack Sprat
PEPI-HOMINY 3 FOR **25c**
No. 303 Jack Sprat
Mixed VEGETABLES 2 For **29c**
No. 300 Jack Sprat
Shoestring Potatoes 3 For **33c**
Mayflower Cut
GREEN BEANS 2 FOR **25c**
Mayflower Cream Style
CORN 2 FOR **23c**
Brown Beauty
SPANISH RICE 2 FOR **35c**

BOGGS Gro. & Mkt.

PLENTY OF PARKING SPACE BEHIND THE STORE



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Yourself

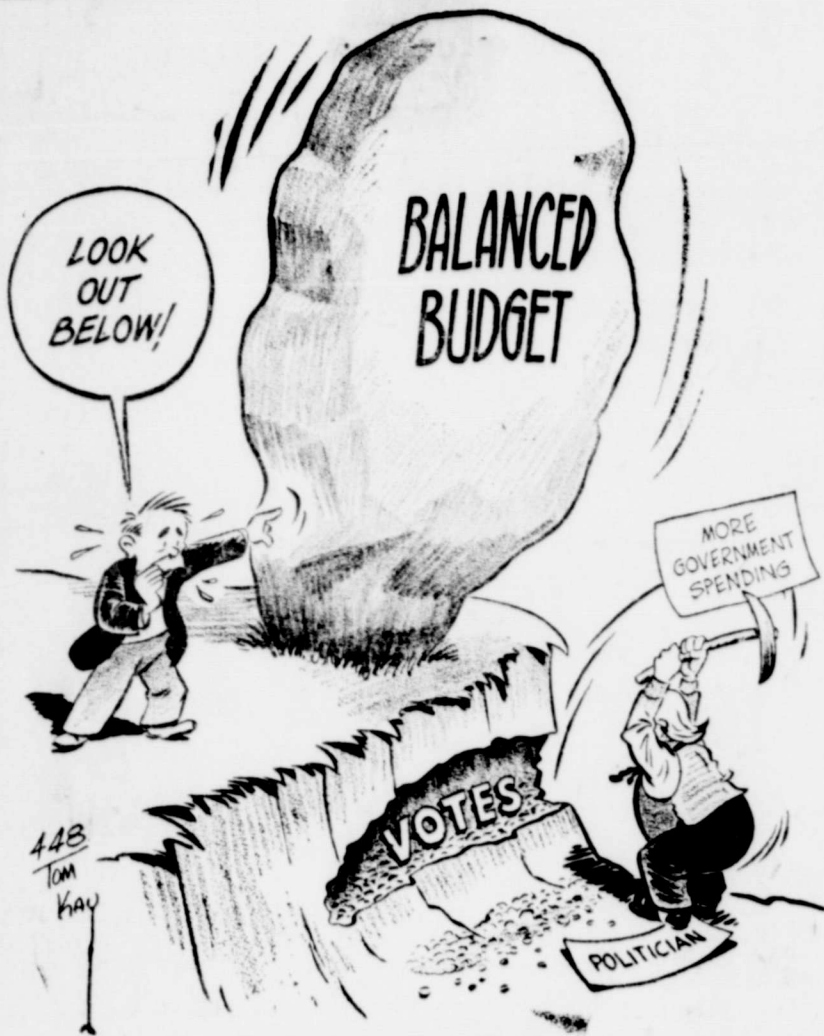
surprised at the
home painting jobs
can do yourself!
furniture, walls and
prior and exterior
with our easy-to-use,
g paints.



**WALLACE
LUMBER CO.**

PHONE MYrtle 3-2831

THE AMERICAN WAY



Political Folly

Beta Sigma Phi Holds Last Meeting of Year

By CHRISTINE DAY

The local chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Mrs. Bettie Elrod for the last meeting of the season. Roll call was answered with the favorite program of the year. All business was dispensed with for the summer.

A very interesting program was presented to the group by Sara Var-

dy and Carolyn Hood. "Substance for the Art of Life," was the title of the program.

Secret pals were revealed and refreshments were served to the members.

Programs will be resumed in September.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Goodwin were visitors in Odessa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hurst are vacationing in Florida.

It's A Man's World Is Theme of Banquet

By CHRISTINE DAY

The highlight of the year's activities for the Omicron Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi proved to be a banquet given by Velma Lane, Mae Price, June Prentice and Lelia Scarborough on May 14th at the school cafeteria.

The girls entertained the members and their husbands with a "It's a Man's World" banquet. Mrs. June Prentice gave the welcome address and Dub Day gave the response (quite unrehearsed) for the gentlemen.

Entertainment for the men followed the dinner. The program included:

"A Word from the World of Sports" a film of the song record "What it Was Was Football."

"Poker, Anyone," a skit on the card game with Velma Lane, Lelia Scarborough and Christine Day portraying their husbands Carolyn Hopkins portrayed Pete Pollard and Bettie Elrod as Jack Marshall.

"The Cultural Hour," a mock initiation for the men and two songs rendered by Carolyn Hopkins, Lelia Scarborough and Sug Boggs.

The program was concluded with a song session.

FISHERMAN'S TALE

Charley Hale and Mike Hughes spent the week-end on Devil's River fishing, and report several lines broken by large fish and one rod and reel completely lost. They did manage to land a 22-pound catfish on a rod and reel, and reported good luck on their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Workman are in Austin this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cannon and children of Lamesa have been visitors in the home of Mrs. J. O. Barfield.

BUCHANAN DONATES BOX TO RANKIN GOLF CLUB

R. A. Buchanan, Borden Milk distributor who lives in Rankin, donated a large open-top type refrigerator cooler to the Rankin Golf Club for use in their tournament this week-end.

It will be used to cool soft drinks and milk which will be on sale along with sandwiches and other food by the women of the club. The cooler will become property of the club to use as they see fit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy were Midland visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Lindsey were visitors in Midland last week.

Political Announcements

Charges for Announcements are cash in advance as required by law. This same policy of cash in advance applies to all political advertising carried in this newspaper and to any commercial printing connected with a candidate's quest for office.

Rates for the various classification of Political Announcements to be carried by this newspaper during the year of 1956 are listed below.

RATES FOR POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

District & State Offices	\$27.50
County Offices	20.00
Commissioners	17.50
Other Precinct Offices	15.00

For State Representative

102nd District:
Louis H. "Andy" Anderson
(Re-Election)

For District Attorney

112th District:
Connell Ashley
(Re-Election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector

Buck Jones
H. E. "Gene" Eckols
(Re-Election)

For Commissioner Precinct 1

H. Wheeler
W. L. Gotcher
Joe Powell
W. O. Adams

For Constable Precinct 1

L. Z. (Shorty) Titsworth
Sammie A. Hodges

THE WORLD BOOK ENCYCLOPEDIA

1st in Sales

Recommended by educational authorities for pre-school, elementary, junior high, high school and through two years of college. It follows text book at vocabulary level where subjects are studied.

Mrs. Martha McDonald, Rep.
Box 215
Phone MYrtle 3-2237
Rankin, Texas

A complete line of bookkeeping needs at the Rankin News.

The Rankin (Tex.)
Thursday, May 24

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE — Floor range. In very good condition and for sale at a low price. Phone MYrtle 3-2237.

HELP WANTED — Nick's Drive-In. Monday to start. Apply after 1:00 p.m.

FOR RENT — Nice apartment. All utilities included. Week. W. O. Adams.

FOR SALE — Good rooms, bath, walk-in service porch, fenced and 3 choice blocks from town. R. O. White, 402 East Sa, Texas.

FOR SALE — 2x6's and 24 ft. No. 1, seasoned 9c per ft. Sheet 2 square. D. & R. Sa.

FOR RENT — Furnished. Bills paid. \$12.50 per week. Call to be moved. R. L. Bell.

FOR SALE — LOTS of lumber. St. between 12th and Rankin. Scrap lumber 2nd or 3rd deminution suitable for penals. 20x24 sheet iron roof. Call to sell down on your lot.

FOR SALE — Upright refrigerator. Good condition. Bargain. Call Mr. see W. C. McDonald.

FOR SALE — Two sub-divisions of Court House. Taxes paid to date. M. M. Thompson, Waco, Texas.

FOR SALE — One on corner of Kilborn. Two one-bedroom North Kilborn. See Midkiff or contact 1407 Yucca, Artesia.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

STORE BUILDING for lease. Well equipped for clothing or general any nature. Nice included. Barbee Dr. kin. Inquire at H. Co.

FOR SALE — Five detached furnished close in. Rental out property. Ten cant lots near RENT — 2 furnished north of Highway Priest, MYrtle 3-2237.

WOMEN LOVE COSMETICS

That is why women are enjoying a business own by being an alternative. No experience we provide complete including sound vote four hours \$25 or more each tion to find out how earn a good interesting field. Write Box 944. Sa.

THURSDAY, MAY 24

BINGO NIGHT

Jack Kelly — Hildy Parks

"THE NIGHT HOLDS TERROR"

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MAY 25 & 26

"BACKLASH"

Richard Widmark — Donna Reed

Technicolor

SUNDAY & MONDAY, MAY 27 & 28

Alan Ladd — June Allyson

"THE McCONNELL STORY"

Color — CinemaScope

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, MAY 29 & 30

"THE BIG KNIFE"

Jack Palance, Shelley Winters, Ida Lupino

Wendell Corey, Jean Hagen, Rod Steiger

FORD THEATRE

BIG

MATINEE

SATURDAY
AFTERNOON

AT 3:00 P.M.

JUNE 16

John Wayne

and

Lauren Bacall

In

"BLOOD ALLEY"

Cinema Scope

Leaguers Open Monday Nite

The Little League had some of the season Monday after a parade through at 5:00 p.m. All five managers took part in activities consisted of of teams and man- short address by County (Dub) Day. The first sed in by Mayor A. E.

st game the Indians Giants with a score of or of the Giants. The rcher was Tom Aguilar ng pitcher was Kendall e home run was made Holt for the Indians. ond game between the d Cardinals, the Yan- y a score of 14-8. The rcher was Loyd Stark. pitcher was Jerry Mc- e home run was made by Charles Broyles for ls.

IT'S A COW'S LIFE

A recent article released by the Texas A&M Extension Service has come out strong for a six weeks vacation for milk cows. It seems that if the cows are given a proper vacation between production times that they produce more butterfat and milk when they do work.

Labor unions are a wonderful thing and have provided many benefits for human workers but they are pikers compared to the cow click.

They will have a game every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday night with a double header each night. Each team will play two games a week and the minor league will play on Tuesday night.

Pinkie Holt is the manager and J. T. Bushong is assistant manager of the Yankees.

Willie Poyner is the manager of the Giants.

Mr. Miles is the manager of the Indians.

Cledde Vickers is the manager and Don Vickers is the assistant manager of the Dodgers.

W. C. McDonald, Sr., is the manager of the Cardinals.

Midland Rodeo Opens on May 29

MIDLAND—At least four—and possibly all—of Texas' six gubernatorial candidates will don 10-gallon hats and buckle on their spurs to whoop it up at the opening of the annual World Championship Midland Rodeo here on May 29.

Invitations already have been accepted by J. Evetts Haley, Reuben Senterfitt, Ralph Yarborough and J. J. Holmes.

The other two—W. Lee O'Daniel and Price Daniel—have indicated they would be on hand for the gala occasion if their schedule can be worked out accordingly.

The candidates for the chief executives job will be featured in a colorful afternoon parade through Midland's business district—a procession which annually is one of the high spots in West Texas' pageantry.

It will also feature hundreds of cowboys and cowgirls, colorful floats and bands throughout this area.

The parade will set the stage for the grand opening that night of the rodeo show, staged by the Midland Fair, Inc., and produced by Everett Colburn, one of the top rodeo producers in the world.

In five nightly shows, winding up on Saturday, the cream of the crop of the nation's rodeo performers will compete for \$12,000.00 in purses and prizes in the show sanctioned by the Rodeo Cowboy Association. The shows begin at 8 p.m. nightly.

Paul Patterson, layman from Crane, will fill the pulpit at the First Methodist Church Sunday, May 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonye Cain returned last Wednesday from a ten day vacation in Colorado. They reported a wonderful time and some nice, cool weather.

RANKIN ODDFELLOWS

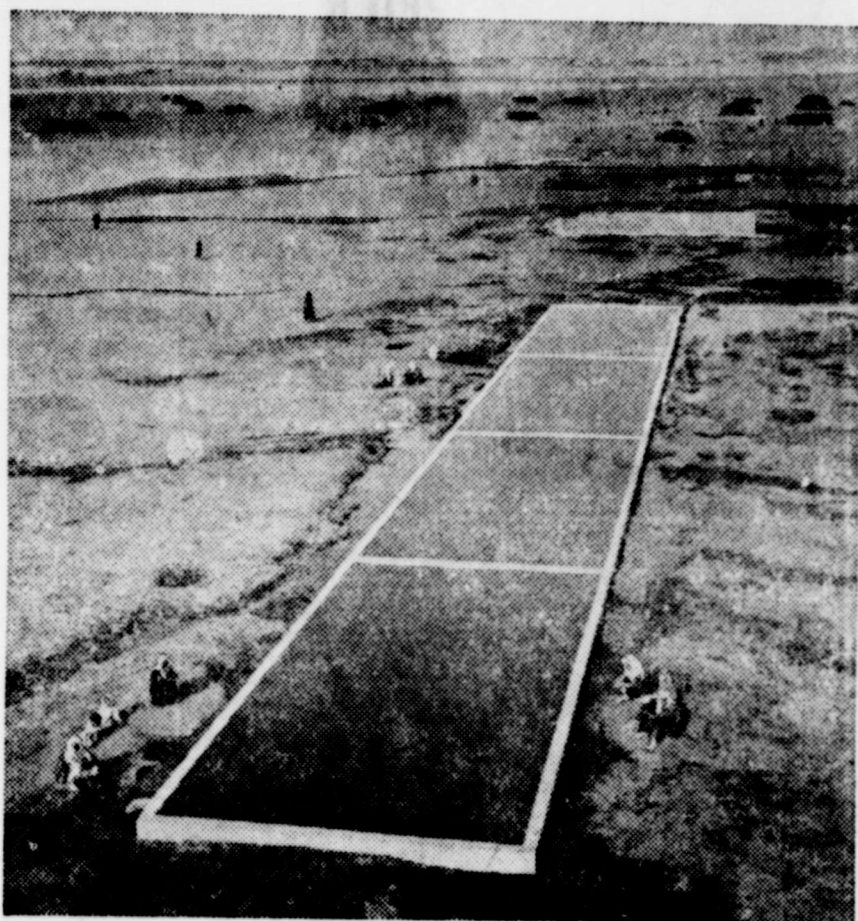
Meet Every Tuesday Night
All Oddfellows Are Invited
To Attend

J. O. LEE, Secy.

YATES HOTEL

FIREPROOF
SPECIAL WEEKLY RATES
AIR CONDITIONED
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RANKIN NEWS

ROOT PLOWING IN RANKIN AREA WILL ENDEAVOR TO RE-SEED RANGE LAND

Some 300 to 400 acres of range-land are going to be root-plowed and reseeded in the Rankin area in the near future. Although this is not a new practice entirely, it

will be among the first to be tried in West Texas. In South Texas around Pearsall and vicinity nearly one million acres have been root-plowed since 1950. There, it has become the principal method of brush control and at the same time given high returns from grass. The plow generally is a wedge shaped bar some 8-10 feet wide, with fins on it to pull tree roots and loosen the soil. This prepares an excellent seedbed, making it most beneficial

to seed at this time. The soil is plowed and loosened from 12 to 20 inches deep, depending on the type of brush present.

Water penetration is greatly increased with as much as 3-4 inches of hard rain soaking to depths of three feet or more. This is quite a contrast to penetrations of only 3-4 inches on adjacent bare ground not plowed.

Root-plowing and seeding was scheduled to start this week on Henry Neal's ranch east of Rankin, in an over-flow site south of the house. Bruce McGill plans to plow on the Noelke Estate, Jeff Langford on his ranch and Ed Guy

Branch will have some plowed on Centrallia draw west of Stiles.

Roy Davidson has just finished some 300 acres of plowing and John Braun is going to do about the same amount in the NW corner of Upton Co. Blue Panicum grass will be the principal seed used.

Brush kill has been better than 90 percent in most cases with a very marked increase in grass production. Eight to ten inches of moisture has been all that has fallen on some of the South Texas ranches with all of it entering the soil. Grass production was increased under these conditions from one-eighth of a ton per acre, to eight

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to ten tons of high quality. Interest is building in root-plowing as well as other phases of the conservation needed to restore grass ranges. Alone they would have little value, but coupled with proper management and judicious use, they may have a great future in our agriculture.

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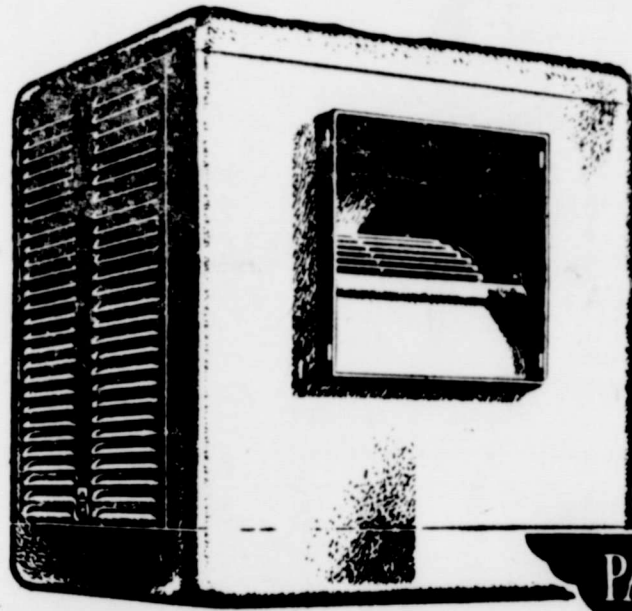
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those at Midkiff busy are Mrs. C. B. Payne just completed a woman's two for the girls.

Howell has been busy with children's clothing.

Camey Jr. 4-H girls are starting sewing workshops as they return from camp. Plans planned are skirts,

blouses, aprons, pajamas, shorts and shortie night gowns.

OFF TO CAMP

Eighteen 4-H girls their leaders, and agent are due to attend the district 4-H camp at Ft. Stockton on May 30-June 1.

Judging by the program Upton County girls will be among the most popular as well as the most busy girls at camp. Jacquelyn Lucado as chairman of the district committee will preside at the meetings of the camp and direct activities of the committee members. She will be in charge of registration.

Joyce Skains, Upton County member of the district committee will assist with the groups representing Norway, Italy, and Korea, the three countries chosen for emphasis on the international camp theme. Mary Alice Skains will direct games for the planned party and all girls attending will assist with the various activities.

In addition to special assignments Upton girls will have charge of Vespers for the two nights of camp and will be in charge of a skit to

be presented on Italy the second night of camp.

Other activities during camp will be creative art and table arrangements; Bird Study; Safety; Swimming; and Vespers. It will be a full, profitable three days.

SCHEDULE OF THE WEEK

Friday, May 25—Reagan Council

Monday, May 28—McCamey 4-H

Tuesday, May 29—Camp Plans

Wednesday-Friday— District 4-H Camp

Friday P.M.—Big Lake Home Demonstration Club.

After more than two days and nights at camp with some one hundred or more girls, we trust will be able to keep our eyes open and brain awake enough to give an intelligent demonstration on Care of Furniture and Furnishings. We may wax the carpet and shampoo the hardwood floor, but come and see anyway!

Mrs. Joe Ellis of Midland was a visitor in Rankin last week.

WSCS REGULAR PLEDGE

SERVICE HELD

The last meeting of the WSCS Circle was held in the home of Mrs. Hamp Carter. It was the last meeting until fall.

Mrs. Tom Workman, incoming treasurer, conducted the pledge service.

Mrs. Carter served refreshments to Mesdames Walton Herral, A. B. McGill, D. O. McEwen, Albert McKay, Tom Workman, and W. L. Goodwin.

Mr. W. J. Cox of Mullin, Texas, has been a visitor in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ross Wheeler, for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McSpadden of Odessa spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Workman and son of Morton, Texas, were visitors in Rankin last week on their way home from a two week's visit in Houston, Austin, and Corpus Christi.

Mrs. W. M. Hill and Mrs. Johnny Ruth Gary visited over the week-end in San Angelo with Nancy Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Yocham and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yocham spent the week-end at Buchanan Dam where they did a little fishing.

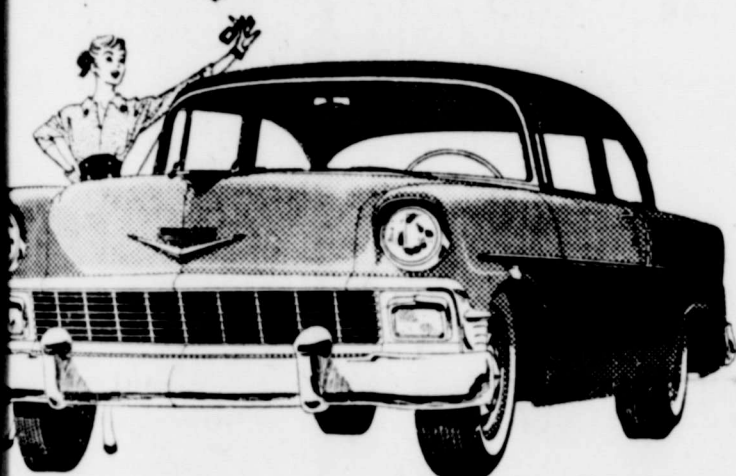
Mrs. Lola Gardner of Belen, New Mexico, has been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Vickers.

Mrs. Larry Howard of Kermit visited in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hood over the week-end.

Mrs. John Kidd was a Midland visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bushong were visitors with Mrs. Bushong's parents in Coleman over the week-end.

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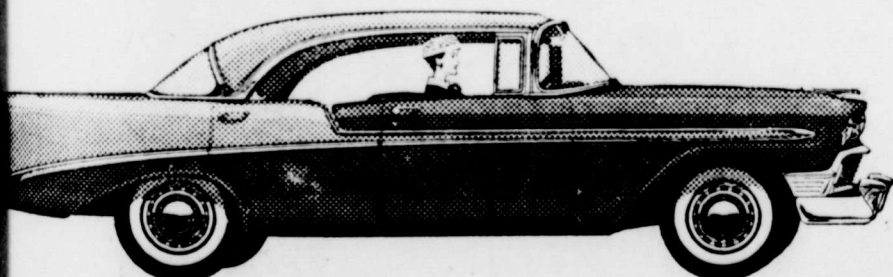
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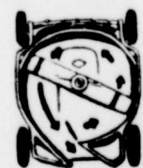
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GOLF TOURNAMENT

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fairs of its kind in this country and it is expected that a limit of 112 players will be imposed again this year. Scores must be in by Saturday and may be called time to T. L. Stephens at 3-2461 or 3-2462. Medals will be eighteen holes on the local course.

WOMEN'S TO FOUR

The following week on the Rankin Women's Golf Club will hold their annual tournament. Plans are well along and invitations have been sent to the various clubs.

BAR-B-QUE SATURDAY

All contestants who enter their entry fees will be held at the club at a bar-b-que night. D. O. McEwen is in charge of this portion of the tournament and was busy all week making preparations.

RODEO WEEK —

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and the 4-H group that wear some item of western attire during the entire week of the rodeo. A western hat, boots, a neckchief, or western attire will be worn.

PLAN BOOSTER MEET

Other plans to draw to the two-day show will be a van of boosters who will take an automobile on a visit to the surrounding towns. A ballot will be given to the group and anyone who makes the trip or takes the ballot will be asked to contact Dub Day for more information. The rodeo is planned for the week of May 25-26.

MRS. MARCUS PRICE ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Marcus Price entertained her bridge club in her home on Saturday, May 16. Those attending were Mrs. Billie Rankin, Jack Smith, C. G. Taylor and Mrs. Ted Hogan and Mrs. Hill were guests. Mrs. C. G. Taylor won second place, Mrs. Lewis Smith won second place, Mrs. Hamp Carter won third place. The bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. Billie Rankin on Wednesday, May 23.

Walter Ray McSpadden returned from a furlough on Friday, May 19, for Fort Ord, California. He will be sent to Germany. His baby will remain in Rankin and they will maintain their home here until he returns.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Ted Yocham and Mrs. Claude Chandler were Mrs. Billie Rankin, Mrs. Miller of Dallas, Mrs. Billie of Bay City and Mrs. Miller of Odessa.