

# The Rankin News

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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1957

## FOR STUDENTS OF CLASS OF '57



**BEVERLY ANN REED**  
... Valedictorian

... daughter of Mr. P. T. Reed, had a 94.599 average for the 5 years in high school.



**ROGER DEBS GAMBLIN**  
... Salutatorian

Gamblin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Moore, had a 94.125 average for his 4 years of high school work.



**WYLENE CHESNUT**  
... runner-up girl

Chesnut, daughter of Mr. W. C. Chesnut, Midkiff, was high girl for 4 years with an average of 92.063.



**ROBERT PRESTON REAMS**  
... runner-up boy

Reams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Reams, was second high for the boys with a 4 year average of 91.590.

## Open Letter To Citizens

is a letter received by the Rankin News for pertaining to teenagers. by a Rankin school is carried without mentioning, inspiring, and experience happened. A young man and students in Rankin came to see me—not in the capacity of a as a friend. The fright resulted from for wanting to talk. They realized and ex. opinion which all pa. mangers in Rankin must at some time. There for such youths to no wholesome recrea. to participate in. resulted from

one of the main reasons for their wanting a place "we can call ours"—so "we won't have to hang a round beer joints." The Rankin juvenile problem has never been so large as it has been in some of our neighboring cities and when the youths themselves want to cure or prevent the few ills that are existent, the problem will certainly never increase.

The fright resulted from my own thoughts after the conversation was over. What if this plea is put off or ignored? These two young folk stressed the point that they were talking for a majority of their contemporaries. If they feel that the adults of Rankin are not interested in whether they frequent "joints," "honky-tonks," and other such places, or not, that is where they will be.

Theirs was not a well planned proposition, but neither was it a spur of the moment, jumped-up affair. They wanted a situation

# Graduation Exercises Set For Rankin High Seniors

Twenty-five students will graduate from Rankin High School this year. Getting their diplomas at commencement exercises Friday night, May 24, will be: Barbara Ann (Dotson) Browning, Erva (Galley) Brown, Carolyn Fay (Brown) Carpenter, Wanda Wylene Chesnut, Kathleene Sue Crabtree, David Franklin Craig, Patricia Louise Dishman, Thomas Ruben Ford, Roger Debs Gamblin, Janet Sue Goodwin, Bobby Hudson, John Wayne Kelly, Glenda Merle Ken-

edy, Ruby Rovena Langford, George Lofton Lewis, Elnora Kay McEwen, Genevieve Poage, Robert Preston Reams, Beverly Ann Reed, Grandvill Dean Scott, Bonnie Gene Smith, Carlton Leon Stephenson, Nancy Walker, William David Clay will be a summer graduate. Honor students for the class are Beverly Ann Reed, valedictorian, and Roger Debs Gamblin, salutatorian. Class officers are Bobby

Hudson, president; Dick Lewis, vice president; Wylene Chesnut, secretary; Kay McEwen, treasurer; Glenda Kennedy, reporter; and Pat Dishman and Dick Lewis, student council representatives.

## PROGRAM GIVEN

Those having part in the exercises which will be held at 8:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium will be Mrs. Sara Rozean, processional; Rev. R. L. Shannon, invocation; the Junior High Choral, under the direction of Mrs. Fred Prentice, special music.

Debs Gamblin will give the salutatory while Bonnie Reed will bring the valedictory.

Introduction of the principal speaker, William C. Young, will be made by Supt. Joe Scrivner, while H. G. Adams will make honor awards Diplomas will be presented by Scrivner.

Benediction will be by Martin Kamstra, minister of the Northside Church of Christ. Mrs. Rozean will play the recessional.

## LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALLERS TO FIELD FOUR TEAMS IN RANKIN THIS SEASON

### SOIL STEWARDSHIP OBSERVANCE SET

Members of the Middle Soil Conservation District will join similar units throughout the United States in observance of Soil Stewardship week beginning Sunday, May 26, and lasting through June 2.

Special sermons have been prepared along this line and will be presented in various churches in Rankin this Sunday. Theme for the week will be "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness therein."

Purpose of the week is to stress the fact that man is the stewards of the soil and is pledged to preserve it. Based on a quotation from the Bible: "And the Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden—and—took man—and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it" Gen. 2:8,15, the week is used to point out the fact that man has a spiritual responsibility to preserve the land.

A number of similar activities will be carried out throughout the week pointing out good soil conservation practices and improvements that are being made.

patterned after the Rankin High School Student Council, but they wanted it free from school control. Their proposed Council would be in charge of policy making and of seeing that the policies were carried out. They believed the dues alone would pay for most of the overhead except for the payment of an adult supervisor. This supervisor was their own idea; they do not want nor expect to be turned loose to do anything they wish.

With the coming of summer, most boys will be working or trying to find work. With the work comes additional money for them to spend (Continued to back page)

Rankin Little League baseball, scheduled to get underway Monday, May 27, will be composed of four teams this season. One team from the Midkiff area has dropped out from last year.

Opening activities will get underway Friday evening with a full-fledged parade through town. Boys of all age groups—whether in baseball or not—are asked to be at the elementary school at 5:00 p.m. to form for the marching.

Play will open at the ball park following the parade.

Teams and players represented will be:

### THE DODGERS

Earnest Clay, John Payne, Hon Cooledge, Eddy Houchins, Richard Arrendando, Marvin Champlin, Paul Allen, Gary Houchins,

Jan Pharis, Billy Skaggs, Mike Collier, Mike Cox, Fred Johnson, Joe Ray Kilchrist, and Frank Abalos. Cleddie Vickers is manager of the Dodgers.

### THE YANKEES

Jimmie Lewis, John Long, Eddie Long, James Harris, Frank Abalos, Lasaro Abalos, Ronnie Stark, Gary Moore, David Wright, Tommie Sheffield,

Brian Oldham, Armando Armandariez, Terry Gray, Callam Colquett, Loyd Ray Harper. J. T. Bushong is manager of the Yankees.

### THE CARDINALS

Charles Broyles, Lonnie Ferrell, Jimmy James, Vance Jones, Murry Merriman, Joe Cuellar, Harlan Spindel, Jerry McDonald,

Sammy Bean, Vance Carson, David Sly, Rickie Frost, Salvador Aguilar, Robert Rushing and Jimmy Pettit. Box McDonald is manager.

### THE GIANTS

Robert Adkins, Dewey Crisp, James Tippet, Donnie Adkins, Richard Beahm, Mike Boynor, Da-

## TUESDAY MEETING CALLED TO DISCUSS A YOUTH CENTER

Any parents interested in helping create an interest in a youth center for Rankin teenagers are asked to attend a meeting at the Rankin Park Building Tuesday, May 28, at 7:30 p.m. Discussions on the matter will be held at that time.

At the same time, other topics relating to summer youth recreation are scheduled for discussion. It is an open meeting with the general public invited.

At 8:30, directors of the Rankin Youth Council will interview applicants for supervisor of the summer youth program. Anyone interested in this job should be on hand at that time for a meeting with the board.

vid Brown, Jimmy Sharp, Mike McCall, David Zollar, Dan Humphreys, Rodney Gryder, Neal Montgomery, Richard Browning.

Robert Browning, Michael Joe Oldham, Charles Newcomb. Willie Poyner is manager. This roster was before his cutback to 15 players.

In addition to the above players, each team has a farm club composed of younger boys who will play a double header each Tuesday night beginning May 28 at 6:00 o'clock.

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## Filler by J. B.

### WHAT WILL IT BE?

For the past two weeks, members of the Commissioners Court have been haggling among themselves about what to do on the Bond election contest. It is reported that the group is split on the question of whether or not to defend the election by the employment of an attorney.

This seems like a strange situation. In the petition filed by those contesting the election, it is stated that the four commissioners, "each of said County Commissioner being named herein in his official capacity as an elected official of Upton County" along with the county judge and the county attorney, are being named in the contest.

If this body of men does not officially represent Upton County—then who does? This is, with the exception of the county attorney, the same group of men who was named in the \$15,000 law suit last summer and who rushed right out—without any disagreement among themselves—and spent some \$2,500 for an attorney.

Is this situation any different—or is it just more political?

Naturally, it can be assumed that Commissioners Buford and Conger are presently unagreeable on the attorney hiring while Workman and Wheeler want to go ahead. Commissioner Buford was against

calling the election to begin with—Conger voted to call it.

We do not know the law on such matters—although we have been told that the attorney general's office has issued an opinion that states in essence that they can't imagine a commissioners court not defending such a case—we do feel that there is a moral obligation involved.

The court appointed the election judges, they called the election and they certified the vote as being 9 in favor of the issue.

Why is it now that there is any disagreement on whether or not to defend their actions?

The petitions were circulated, the election was called, the voting was held and the results tabulated. There apparently was no organized resistance to the issue. Now—after the voting and a contest is filed—are we to just throw out the results without any further question? Is that all it takes to change the results of any election we do not happen to like?

Is this matter being looked upon in the light of what it actually is—a contest against a county election; charging that that election was false—or is it being looked upon in the light of how many voters any of the office holders may satisfy when he comes up to the polls for the next re-election?

As we said last week, we do not question the right of those contesting the election to do so—if it was improperly held and unqualified voters did cast ballots—it should be straightened out.

However, if this election is not defended by the commissioners court and it is thrown out by default of a defense, then it can be assumed that the citizens of Upton County have lost at least one of their guaranteed rights under the constitution—that of free elections.

### MOST INTERESTING

In the letter to the public carried on the front page of this issue are some very fine thoughts. Just what is Rankin doing for their teenagers by way of giving them something of their own.

Sure, baseball is provided for some, swimming is available, a youth program is held each summer and several other similar activities are provided—all thought up and run by adults as they see fit.

Most of us have been past the teenage years for quite some time now and maybe we've forgotten just what it was like. But, we'd

venture to say that one of the biggest things to a teenager is to be given responsibility and freedom to make their own decisions.

Maybe there's no easy answer to giving the youngsters the youth center they are asking for but we'd venture to say that there could be a solution. Thoughts and ideas from anyone would be welcomed on the subject.

### HARD TO FIGURE

Among the stranger aspects of the human race and its actions are the doings of men when it comes to certain things.

Why will the male of the species, a critter who will not boil water in the house on a good modern cooking stove, go out into the backyard, fire up a bar.b.que pit and suddenly become an authority on the fine art of preparing just about anything while a woman who has spent from one to forty years cooking, must stand around and watch the master apply his magic touch?

Very strange, indeed—and as we stated—we're asking the question—not supplying an answer since we're just as guilty as the next self-styled bar.b.que expert.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brown, Mrs. Murray McCain, Betty, Neal and Elizabeth Ann, visited Sunday in Ozona with Mr and Mrs. Jamie Knox.

Mrs. Monte McSpadden was a visitor in Crane Monday.

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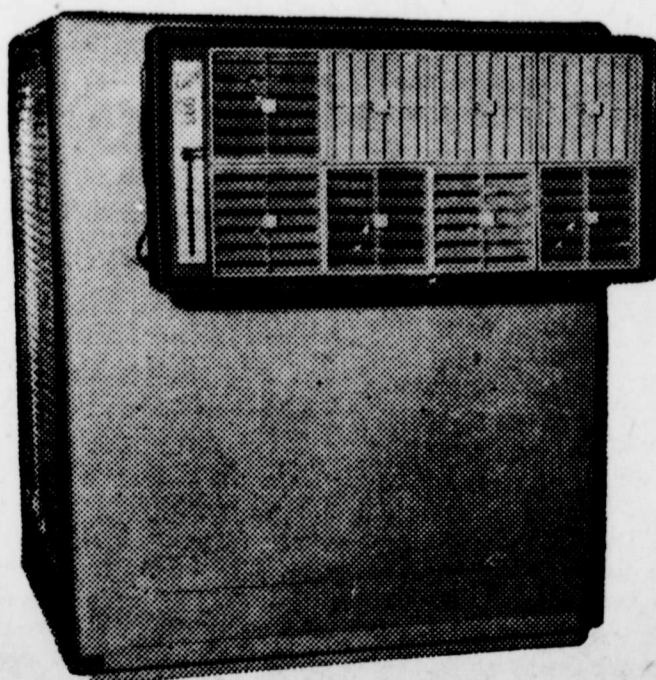


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HOSPITAL NOTES

D. Gibson of Rankin was  
May 3rd.

Pittman of Rankin was  
May 13 and dismissed

scar Alanis of Odessa was  
14 and dismissed May 19.

rank Mallicoat of Midkiff  
May 16 and dismissed

uena Gibson of McCamey  
May 16 and dismissed  
18th.

vester Villegar of Rankin  
May 17 and dismissed May

red Beck of Midkiff was  
May 19th.

Wright, 13 year old  
of Mr. and Mrs. J. B.  
of Rankin, was admitted  
and dismissed May 20.

E. Warner of Big Lake  
May 19th.

**BETA SIGMA PHI HAS  
MOTHER-DAUGHTER  
BREAKFAST SUNDAY**

The mothers and daughters of the Omicron Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi were entertained Sunday morning, May 12, with a breakfast at the Highland Cafe.

The table was decorated with roses. Music was furnished throughout the breakfast by Kay Rankin, Rita Rozean and Pam Simpson. June Prentice and Sylvia Merri-man gave some very interesting poems.

Approximately 40 guests and members were present.

Mrs. James Watkins of Best was admitted May 19th.

Mrs. Kenneth Sledge of Iraan was admitted May 19 and dismissed May 21.

Mr. Bobby Joe Johnson of Rankin was admitted May 20th and dismissed May 20th.

Mrs. Leroy Finley of Big Lake was admitted May 20th.

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Fresh		<b>15c</b>
<b>GREEN ONIONS</b>	2 FOR	<b>15c</b>
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Libby's Frozen Hash Brown		
<b>POTATOES</b>	2 FOR	<b>35c</b>

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<b>SNOWDRIFT</b>		<b>79c</b>
Libby's		
<b>CATSUP</b>	2 FOR	<b>43c</b>
Libby's		
<b>VIENNA SAUSAGE</b>	2 For	<b>35c</b>
Dash		
<b>DOG FOOD</b>	3 FOR	<b>43c</b>
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<b>GREEN BEANS</b>	2 FOR	<b>29c</b>
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<b>CORN</b>	2 FOR	<b>35c</b>
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<b>ASPARAGUS</b>	2 FOR	<b>49c</b>
Kraft's		
<b>COOKING OIL</b>	Quart	<b>69c</b>
Skinner's Cut		
<b>Macaroni or Spaghetti</b>	2 For	<b>25c</b>

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Kraft's Whipped		
<b>MARGARINE</b>	1 lb. Box	<b>35c</b>
Assorted Flavors		
<b>KOOL AID</b>	6 FOR	<b>25c</b>
Mile High		
<b>SWEET PICKLES</b>	Quart	<b>39c</b>
Pabsette	2 lb. Box	
<b>CHEESE</b>		<b>89c</b>
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<b>PINEAPPLE</b>	No. 2 Can	<b>29c</b>
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<b>LIVER</b>	LB.	<b>39c</b>
Choice Beef		
<b>Arm or Chuck ROAST</b>	LB.	<b>43c</b>
Choice Beef		
<b>SHORT RIBS</b>	LB.	<b>29c</b>
Choice Beef		
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### Largest Junior High Class To Graduate Thursday, May 23

The largest eighth grade class in the history of the Rankin schools will graduate from the Junior High School Thursday, May 23, at 8:00 p.m. The fifty-two members of the graduating class have chosen Mr. John Menefee, area lawyer, to be their principal speaker.

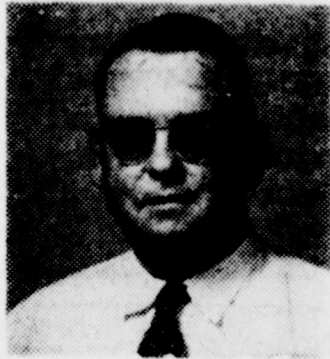
Emmett McGill, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McGill, has earned the Junior High valedictorian honors with an average of 95.43 for his three years in the Junior High department.

Ricky Poyner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Poyner, is salutatorian with an average of 93.75; Mary Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, placed third in the graduating class with an average of 92.86.

Members of the Junior High graduating class are:

Josie Abalos, Dorothy Abernathy, Patty Adams, John Boyd, Mary Broyles, Sonny Bynum, Roy Capers, Patty Caudle, Linda Crow, Howard Cummings, Bobby De Moss, Franklin Farrow, Kay Farthing, Maxine Flowerree, Peggy Frost,

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USE THE CLASSIFIED ADS

#### INSTRUCTION SCHOOL PLANNED BY REBEKAHS

Meeting in regular session last Thursday night, May 16, the Rankin Rebekah Lodge made plans for a school of instruction to be held in Rankin June 13th jointly with the Crane, McCamey and Big Lake lodges.

District Deputy President Lilly Mae Dishman and Viola Newcomb of Big Lake were visitors.

Eighteen members were present. Nine visits to the sick were reported since last meeting.

Teddie Conn, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Conn, sustained a broken leg while visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ferguson in Odessa. She will be in the Odessa hospital for several weeks.

#### CIRCLE HEARS TALK ON JAPANESE CULTURE

The Lottie Moon Circle of the Baptist Church met Monday morning at the church.

Mrs. J. L. Manry Jr. introduced the speaker, Mrs. Ray Meir, a former resident of McCamey. Mr. and Mrs. Meir are now visiting in McCamey but will leave Friday for Japan where he will serve as an intelligence interpreter with the armed forces.

Mrs. Meir spoke on the living conditions, religion and schools in Japan.

Doughnuts and coffee were served the members and guests.

Mr. V. O. Ford was a business visitor in Odessa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bell were visitors in Midland Saturday.

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1. Impress upon Government agencies the necessity for strict enforcement of reasonable laws and regulations.
2. Impress licensees of our industry with the strict observance of these laws.
3. Provide two-way information between the industry and public and law enforcement officials, members of the press and community leaders on national, state and local conditions to achieve cooperation and assure maximum effectiveness of this project.

#### How the Self Regulation Program Works:

All branches of the industry are constantly reminded of their responsibility to the public.

Full-time trained field men repeatedly visit establishments to encourage maintenance of high standards or improvements in conditions.

It is the job of the Foundation's field man to step in and counsel with the retailers on the best action to take to correct any improper situation. Our experience shows that such well-intentioned expert advice is usually followed.

Meetings are held with retailers and law enforcement authorities to gain their mutual cooperation.

The United States Brewers Foundation maintains an armed forces program of close cooperation with military authorities to assure decent and wholesome establishments as places of recreation for servicemen in areas adjacent to armed forces installations.

We are proud of our products, beer and ale, and are gratified that they have gained wide recognition as America's beverages of moderation. Beer and ale have won their popularity because the public has recognized that they are, in truth, synonymous with moderation and temperance. We carry on the program of Self Regulation as one important means of continuing this popularity, and, at the same time, furthering our industry's service in the public interest.

In the weeks ahead we shall show you the importance of the Brewing Industry to Texas, and how beer fits into your daily life. For most Texans prefer moderation, and "Beer is the beverage of moderation".

James Andrews  
Texas Division  
United States Brewers Foundation Inc.



TEXAS DIVISION UNITED STATES BREWERS  
FOUNDATION, inc.  
11th & San Jacinto, Austin, Texas



## TELEPHONE TALK

by Thomas O. Knight, Manager

#### WHY NOT PERSONALIZE IT?

"Telephone service is telephone service," a friend of mine said the other day. "What's so different about it now than before?"

I was glad he asked me. It gave me a chance to bring him up to date about complete, convenient telephone planning.

"Look at it this way," I said. "A Model T will still get you from here to there. But you wouldn't want one for your family car. You have the latest model. And before you bought it, you looked over all the models, styles, special features—even colors—and picked out the one that suited you best.

"And it's the same way with phone service these days. You can select a telephone arrangement that exactly fits your own needs."

Here's what I meant:

Enough telephones so you don't have to run to answer (or walk halfway through the house to make a call).

Telephones in color in bedrooms and kitchen to harmonize or contrast with your room decorations.

Phone book listings for everyone in the house. And maybe a second main line for teenagers.

And extra bells or signal lamps if necessary, so nobody misses important incoming calls.

We're always happy to help plan a personalized home telephone arrangement. Lots of Rankin people already are taking advantage of the many low-cost "extra" services we offer.

For more details, why not call the telephone business office today? The number is OL 2.3201 in McCamey.

#### MONEY SAVING IDEA

The idea of making Long Distance calls station to station instead of person to person seems to be catching on more all the time. Makes sense, too.

"Station" rates are about 1/3 lower. You can actually make three out of town calls for the price of two.

Here's an example. Three station to station calls from here to Odessa cost only \$1.50 (3 minutes, after 6 p.m. weekdays or all day Sunday). Two person to person calls would cost \$1.60.

Businessmen have known the economy of station to station calling for a long time. Many like to make all their calls that way.

Whether you make a lot of Long Distance calls, or just a few, I think you'll find worthwhile savings in regular use of station to station service. And you'll save time, too, if you'll always call by number.

#### READY WHEN YOU NEED IT

There's a special value in telephone service that always comes to mind when vacation rolls around.

No matter how far away your vacation takes you, it's always easy to phone home and make sure everything's okay. Or to stop at a roadside booth and call ahead for hotel or motel reservations.

No matter where you go, the telephone is always nearby—ready when you need it.

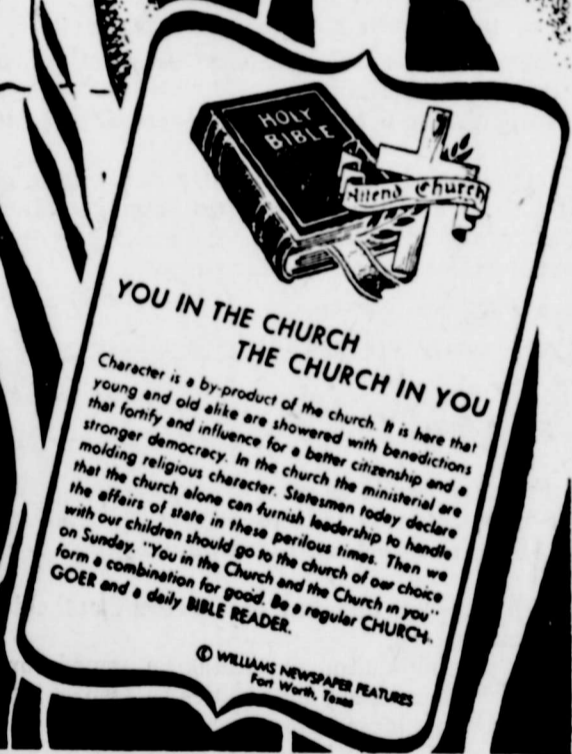
Call by number. It's twice as fast.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company



# Firmly Rooted

How strong are your roots? In Sequoia National Park one may read: "These Sequoia Giantea are of a noble lineage which bridges humanity back through eons of the age of reptiles. — Here dwell venerable forest kings in reveries which carry back a thousand years before Jesus Christ walked the shores of Galilee." How strong are your roots? "That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love, May be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fullness of God." These reflect being well rooted. In a spirit of unity let us read: "Unto Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout the ages, world without end. A-men." — Eph. 3: 17-19, 21.



## Attend the church of your choice Snnbay

First State Bank  
Member F.D.I.C.

Upton County  
Sheriff's Force  
H. E. "Gene" Eckols

Hogan Motor Company

Elrod Insurance  
and Real Estate  
Norman Elrod

Highland Cafe & Courts  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kole

The Rankin News

Ramsey Cafe  
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney B. Ramsey

Elliott-Waldron Abstract  
Company  
J. L. Manry

Ranchers Wool & Mohair  
Association

Johnson's Dept. Store  
L. Porter Johnson

Mrs. Ralph Daugherty  
District & County Clerk

Hale's Garage  
Charley Hale

Yates Hotel  
Mrs. G. A. Black

Boggs Grocery  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boggs

Red Bluff Lumber Co.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shaffer

McKelvy's  
Rankin Food Market  
Mr. and Mrs. Dave McKelvy

Lowery-Workman  
Insurance Agency

Cashway Food Store  
L. D. Sipes

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### HUSBANDS ENTERTAIN WITH BANQUET MAY

The Omicron Tau Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi entertained husbands with a banquet day night, May 18th, at the cafeteria.

The theme Spring Follies was carried out in the program. Sara Rose Rankin, Bettie Elrod, Spelman, Zona Boggs, Christine and June Prentice entertained with music.

Fifty members and guests present. Hostesses were Justine, Lella Scarborough, Larson and Mae Price.



### FINE WORK IS A SKILLED ART ...

And we feel that cleaning is an art. You bring us your best and feel confident we have the equipment, know-how to clean their best advantage us—we're sure you pleased.



### MORE MONEY

Pipe Protectors, Cables, Iron, Batteries, Copper, Brass, Aluminum & ... If Dollars mean anything to you, see us before you ...

San Angelo Iron & ...  
M. H. Morgan  
700 Block W 14th  
San Angelo, Texas

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MY 3247  
Land Titles  
Oil & Gas  
Probate Law  
Office in Harlan

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Friday night, May 10th, Family held at the Rankin Park with Rankin Odd Fellows as host. The of Rankin and their special guests.

**Legal Notice**

BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF TEXAS  
Tommy Faulkner, Defendant.

BE HEREBY COMMAN-

appear before the Honor-

District Court of Upton

the Courthouse there-

Rankin, Texas, by filing a

answer at or before 10 o'

M. of the first Monday

the expiration of

days from the date of

of this citation, same

8th day of May A. D.

Plaintiff's Petition filed in

on the 9th day of April

in this cause, number-

in the docket of said

styled Lois Nell Faulk-

Plaintiff, vs. Tommy Faulk-

Defendant.

statement of the nature

is as follows, to wit:

is suing for divorce, al-

Defendant has been

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there are no children of

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is more fully shown by

Petition on file in this

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al of said court at Ran-

his 9th day of April

Nancy K. Daugherty

istrict Court

ounty, Texas.

The flag was presented by two Cub Scouts. They led the pledge to the flag, gave the Cub laws and oath.

The invocation was given by J. O. Lee. R. L. Bell introduced Earl Wilson of McCamey who presented the Cub Charter to the Rebekah Lodge, sponsors of Cub Scouts in Rankin

Mr. Lee introduced Steve Preslar, speaker for the evening.

Benediction was given by M. Bell.

Dinner was served to more than one hundred members and guests.

Mrs. Q. C. Walker and daughter, Myra Walker, of San Angelo visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Holmes and Mrs. Dave Gentry.

**Legal Notice**

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Goldie M. Cecil, C. W. Cecil, and L. H. Tarpley, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said Goldie M. Cecil, C. W. Cecil and L. H. Tarpley, Defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAN-

ED to appear before the Honorable

District Court for the 112th Jud-

icial District of Texas, of Upton

County at the Courthouse thereof,

in Rankin, Texas, by filing a writ-

ten answer at or before 10 o'clock

A.M. of the first Monday next af-

ter the expiration of forty-two days

from the date of the issuance of

this citation, same being the 17th

day of June A.D. 1957, to Plaintiff's

Petition filed in said court, on the

15th day of March A. D. 1957, in

this cause, numbered 1241 on the

docket of said court and styled F.

E. Covill, Plaintiff, vs. Goldie M.

Cecil, C. W. Cecil and L. H. Tar-

pley, and the unknown heirs and

legal representatives of each and

all of said parties, and The J. R.

Milam Company, successors to The

Cooper Company, Incorporated,

Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature

of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Being a suit in trespass to try

title. Plaintiff claims fee simple

title to Lots 13, 14, and 15, Block

No. 66, original townsite of Mc-

Camey, Upton County, Texas, that

on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1957,

defendants unlawfully enter-

ed upon said premises and ejected

plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully

John Phillip Moore of McCamey visited the first of the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morton and children, Vicki and Ronnie, visited last week with relatives in Sweetwater.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Shannon, Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. J. L. Manry Jr. attended the Workers Conference at Sheffield Tuesday.

**CLEARANCE**

**STARTS TUESDAY, MAY 23**

**KHAKI PANTS** By H. D. Lee Regular \$4.65 NOW **\$2.95**

**Felt Hats** 1/2 price **All Coats** 1/2 price

**KIDS BOOTS** Regular \$9.95 NOW **\$6.95**

**DRESS PANTS** Ladies and Mens **20% Off**

**LEE RIDERS** Boys—Slims and Regulars Regular \$2.95 NOW **\$2.45**

Regular \$7.95 NOW **\$5.95** Regular \$4.95 NOW **\$3.95**

**SHIRTS** Regular 3.95 NOW **\$2.95**

Mens Canvas Crepe Sole—Reg \$4.50 NOW **\$3.50** I group—Values to \$7.95 NOW **\$3.50**

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Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Rankin, Texas, this the 2nd day of May A.D. 1957.

Attest:

Nancy K. Daugherty,  
Clerk, District Court  
Upton County, Texas

(SEAL)

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BUREAU**  
MY 3-2451 —  
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**SPECIALS FOR  
FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MAY 24-25**

Armour's or Peyton's Thick Sliced <b>BACON</b>	2 POUNDS <b>\$1.15</b>
Choice Beef RIBS OR BRISKET lb. <b>29c</b>	Wisconsin Longhorn CHEESE lb. <b>47c</b>
Choice BEEF ROAST lb. <b>49c</b>	Choice T-BONE STEAK lb. <b>79c</b>
GRADE A—ARMOURS STAR <b>FRYERS</b>	POUND <b>39c</b>

Zestee—Peach, Apricot, Pineapple, Plum, & Apple & Grape Jelly—20 oz Glass 3 for

**PRESERVES \$1**

<b>ONIONS</b>	Frozen Parkerhouse ROLLS 2 doz. pkg. <b>35c</b>
YELLOW 4 POUNDS <b>19c</b>	Libbys 10 Oz. PEAS 2 pkgs. <b>29c</b>
	Libbys Chopped 10 Oz. BROCCOLI 2 pkgs. <b>35c</b>

Per Carton **21c**  
TOMATOES

No. 1—Extra Fancy **49c**  
POTATOES 10 lb. bag

**CASHWAY GROCERY AND MKT**

We Give S & H Green Stamps — Double on Wednesday Purchase of \$3.00 or More

HORMEL  
**OLEO** 5 POUNDS **\$1.15**

Gebharts Mexican Style  
BEANS 2 CANS **29c**

World Wide—Sliced  
PEACHES No. 2 1/2 CAN **29c**

LIMIT  
**SUGAR** 10 POUNDS **89c**

Pint  
MIRACLE WHIP **33c**

Armours  
MILK 3 TALL CANS **39c**

LIMIT  
**CRISCO** 3 POUND T **79c**

2 1/2 Pound Box  
BISQUICK **49c**

Elfin—4 Roll Package  
TOILET TISSUE **29c**

Yellow Bow—Solid Pack  
TOMATOES No. 303—2 Cans **39c**

GOLD MEDAL  
**FLOUR** 5 POUNDS **43c**

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**Legal Notice**

CITATION BY PUBLICATION  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: Margaret Dennis  
GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 1st day of July, A.D., 1957, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Upton County, at the Court House in Rankin, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 15th day of Jan., 1957.

The file number of said suit being No. 1291

The names of the parties in said suit are: C. J. Dennis as Plaintiff, and Margaret Dennis as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Divorce  
If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

**SELL RENT TRADE**

FOR SALE — '54 DeSota Station Wagon, V.8 engine, power brakes and steering. Radio and heater. \$1450. Also Bendix automatic washer, \$35. See Dr. Gossett.

FOR RENT—2 bedroom house. Mrs. Zack Monroe, Phone MY 3.2365.

FOR SALE—Ready mix concrete cement. Call OL 2.4252 or OL 2.3283, C. N. Adkisson, McCamey.

FOR SALE—Baby Parakeets. Charles Snell, Buckland St. (5.30p)

FINISH high school or grade school at home spare time. Books furnished. Diploma awarded. Start where you left school. Write Columbia School, Box 4184, Odessa. 9-20

Issued under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Rankin, Texas, this the 18th day of May A.D., 1957.

(SEAL)

Nancy K. Daugherty,  
Clerk, District Court  
Upton County, Texas

FOR SALE—4 houses to be moved. Contact C. R. Gooch, Santa Rita, or call 621, Texon. (5.30c)

AKC registered miniature Chihuahua puppies for sale. Phone MY 3.2360 or see Peggy Priddy. (5.30.c)

WANTED TO BUY — Good used deep freeze. Perry Adam, Box 346, Rankin, Texas. (5.23-p)

HOME MADE CREAM PIES baked to order. \$1.00 each. Phone MY 3.2389. (6.6.c)

**For A GOOD DEAL On A New MERCURY See NORMAN ELROD**

for recreation. I believe that it is "cheap" dance tickets up to the citizens of Rankin to decide whether that money will be spent for liquor and beer and it will be spent in Youth Center where detention can be supervised.

**Back To The Bible**

The gospel of Christ is universal in scope, and in its requirements and universal in the results it attains. It also offers a universal name. Speaking of Peter said "Neither is there salvation in any other name whereby we must be saved" Acts 4:12. John said this to say "And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples which are not written in this book: but these are written that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the son of God; and that believing in his name ye might have life through his name" Jn 20:30-31. we read the words of the Apostle Paul "For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, Eph 3:14-15. These should be sufficient to point to a name that, above all names, is non-sectarian and denominational—a name that may be worn without giving offense to any, and glorify Him who died for us. The children of God can wear it with pride for it is the name of God given name that is above all names.

Martin Kamstra Rankin Church of Christ