

ME THE LIONS - BEAT OZONA

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COLLECTIONS FOR 1957 NEARING PER CENT OF TAX ROLL BILLINGS

collections for Upton County an all-time high percentage at the first of October of the 1957 taxes due had been collected by H. E. "Gene" Eckols, Assessor-Collector. Percentage of taxes ever collected in 1956 when 99.4% due Upton County was "still" by the tax office. Three months yet left to the 99.3% currently 1957 could easily be at the 100% mark. In Upton County records steady this year as with 1957 with a total of due for 1958 taxes as with \$915,194.48 for the

1957 tax year—a difference of only \$890.82. Estimated value of property in the county for 1958 is \$54,000,000.

RECEIVE COMMENDATION

In a letter from State Comptroller of Public Accounts, Robert S. Calvert in Austin, the office of Upton County Tax Assessor-Collector received a highly complimentary letter of appreciation on the manner in which the records of the office were kept and the efficient job of tax collections that had been made. Upton County continually ranks among the top counties in Texas in relation to the percentage of taxes collected against the amounts due. "We are always glad to check an account where it has been so accurately kept," stated Calvert in his letter.

"The tax roll collections plus the taxes reported on the annual report Forms 16, 17 and 18 balanced with the 1957 tax roll charge," he stated.

Only tax reports which balance to the very penny are considered to be correct by the Comptroller's office and only those that do are ever commended for their efforts. Upton County's Tax office has been in balance with state records for the past several years—without error of as much as one cent.

COUNTY LETS BID ON PARK BLDG. ADDITION WORK

In action taken by the Commissioners' Court during their opening of bids on the proposed addition to the Rankin Park Building, the firm of J. D. Burk Construction Company of San Angelo was awarded the contract as low bidder. With a bid of \$13,746 for the work as called for in the architect's plans, Burk also had three alternate plans use of which would make the work some \$880.00 cheaper.

Burk is the present contractor of the work on remodeling the courthouse and jail. His foreman said Monday that they planned to get started on the Park Building addition this week if possible. Work called for will see the addition of a room on the south end of the present building.

In other recent actions by the court, a change order in the work to be performed on the county jail was issued calling for all steel windows to be used in the building instead of wooden windows. Cost of this change over was set at \$958.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Moses and son spent the week-end visiting relatives in Hope, Arkansas.

Lions Rated One Of Top Class A Teams In State --

Red Devils To Tangle With Highly Rated Ozona Lions

Friday night the Rankin Red Devils will host the Ozona Lions in a game here beginning at 8:00 p.m.

For Rankin, the ball club will be looking for win number 5 while the Lions have won two and lost two. As recently as last week, however, Ozona was rated number 6 in the State on the Fort Worth Star-Telegram newspaper poll. Most observers of football believe that this was an unjustified rating and that the Lions, although possessing at least one outstanding player, are about average for a Class A team.

Nevertheless, this week will be the first start of the season for the Rankin Red Devils when they are picked

as the underdog. Sportswriters are generally marking up the Ozona team as a 12-point favorite over class B Rankin.

Condition of players in the Red Devil camp is thought to be good as left end Dennis Kennemer, who was injured in Sanderson two weeks ago, returns to the line-up. Aside from the usual sore spots and minor illnesses, Coach Leach's crew is said to be in top shape for the encounter.

HARD TO BEAT

Ozona comes to Rankin with all the odds in their favor Friday night as the Red Devils have never been able to win a football game from the Sutton County lads. On at least two occasions recently, the Rankin team has out-played the Lions in all the figures but never been able to get into the win column on the scoreboard.

Friday night, Ozona will have the services of Bobby Sutton, one of the outstanding players in this part of the state. He is expected to prove troublesome to the Red Devils on both offense and defense.

The Lions sometime run from a spread formation and make use of Sutton's fine passing ability. Otherwise, they use the familiar T formation. Defensively, they have not proven too strong with both McCamey and Fort Stockton running up good yardage against the Lions.

Line-ups for the Ozona team were not available in time for publication in this issue of the News.

Baptist Schedule Missions Schools

Beginning October 5 at 7:30 a.m. the churches of the Castle Gap Baptist Association, including Rankin, will have schools of missions each night. A different missionary will speak each night. On Sunday night, Rev. Ted O. Badger of Houston, who is now doing evangelistic mission work in Cavite Province on the Island of Luzon. He formerly was a missionary to the Phillipines and is presently on furlough here in the States.

On Monday night, Mrs. Charles Rankin, a missionary to Spanish-speaking people in Colorado, will be the speaker.

Wednesday night, Rev. Scott Cotten of Pecos, Texas who has served nearly 30 years as missionary to the Latin Americans in Cuba and in West Texas, will speak on Mexican Missions.

Thursday night, the missionaries will all have a part on the program of Worker's Conference at the First Baptist Church, McCamey. All of the churches in the Association will have representatives at the Thursday night meet. R. L. Shannon is serving his second year as Moderator of the Castle Gap Association. He is pastor of the First Church of Rankin.

CARLTON STEPHENSON RECEIVES JUMP WINGS



"CHUB" STEPHENSON
... now a paratrooper

FORT BRAGG, N. C. (AHTNC)—Ary Pvt. Carlton L. Stephenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stephenson of Rankin, recently was graduated from the 82nd Airborne Division Jump School at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Stephenson received his paratrooper wings after having completed a course which included five training jumps.

He entered the Army last February and received basic combat training at Fort Corson, Colorado.

A 1957 graduate of Rankin High School, the 19-year-old soldier attended Texas Tech before entering the Army. He was at home here over the week end and attended the football game last Friday night. He is a former member of the Red Devil football players.

RUMMAGE SALE

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church will open the rummage sale in the Masonic building again next Saturday. Contributions may be left at the Wool House during the week.

Rankin Wins Over Eldorado By 6-0 Score

A play that caught the Eldorado defenders by surprise and a rock-ribbed defensive unit combined last Friday night to give the Rankin Red Devils a 6-0 win over the Eldorado Eagles and their fourth victory of the season against no defeats.

Both squads took the field under weather conditions that promised to make a repeat of the Rankin-Sanderson game when water covered the field. Eldorado took the opening. (Continued to back page)

Sixth Graders Beat Iraan By 8-0 Mark

In what was probably the most fired-up ball game of the week, the Rankin Sixth Graders handed the Iraan Sixth Grade an 8-0 loss here Thursday evening. At the time they scored, the Rankin team was so excited they forgot to try for the extra points and had to be sent back for their efforts.

Twenty-nine boys presently make up the roster of the Sixth Graders and their games are usually played with considerable spirit and a lot of support from the fans. Their schedule calls for 3 more games, all with Iraan. One more game will be played here—time to be announced at a later date.

22.45 LISTED 99 BUDGET COUNTY USE

Budget adopted September Commissioners' Court and the county clerk as being records on September County is scheduled to \$1,192,822.45 for the op-

the county for the com- this represents a cut of from the \$1,233,318.16 that ke up last year's budget

the county spent nearly dollars or \$1,807,789.95 nds are set forth in the eing the means through county is to spend the in 1959.

fund in the budget was "Other Operating Funds" get \$246,809.43 of the erations to be carried out fund will the the various onspored by the county e hospitals, parks, youth etc.

largest is the Interest ng Fund which has been \$229,573.75. This fund is ke payments on the vari- that have been voted by as of the county over the

place with proposed ex- of \$165,100.00 will be the Bridge Fund while \$135, go to the General Fund; to the Officers Salary 7,181.00 to be spent in Fund and \$5,130.00 on

Improvements.

CHAPTER MEETING

of Rankin OES Chapter e reminded that "Friend- at" will be held Monday ber 6 by the local group. time is 7:30 p.m. at the Ball.

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WELL SAID—

It is most refreshing to get a letter such as that received by the editor this week from State Senator Dorsey B. Hardeman of San Angelo in which he, as a state official, is speaking out against a proposed constitutional amendment that is little more than opening of the gate to the money-til of the State of Texas to a bunch of Legislators.

This amendment to the State Constitution will be voted on—along with several others—by the public in November general election and more than likely will get the usual "rubber stamp" approval that has been given past proposals by the voting public. This one—if there was ever one—needs to be killed.

There is going to be a lot of heat put on to get it passed and it is going to take some doing to keep it from becoming law. Among the usual excuses that will be put forth in support of this type of thing is the argument that "it will attract better men to the jobs." Bosh! We heard that same cry when they were wanting to make offices into four-year terms and we still have practically the same crew in office that we had when it was two year terms and certainly there has been no great statesmen come forward seeking the offices now under the four-year terms. Neither will there be any change in the people who will seek the state offices. It will be the same bunch only with the new amendment in effect, they will have their hand in mine and your pockets and can dig as deep as they so desire.

Read Senator Hardeman's letter which appears elsewhere in this issue—he has put the case very well. We will have more to say on the remainder of these amendments as the time for voting approaches.

JOY, JOY—

Here a while back we ran a little note pointing out all of the fine events folks could celebrate in August. Now we learn of a couple of new items for October which we are sure a lot of people will want to

observe and maybe we can have a proclamation or two.

October is — among other things — "Bedroom Telephone Month" and "National Egg Month". Isn't that thrilling.

The egg people have even gone so far as to crown a queen and call her "Miss Eggtober". How in the world they passed up the opportunity of calling her "Miss Egghead" we'll never know.

At any rate, don't forget to set aside some time during the month and have your share of the fun in all the observances in which you are entitled.

IT'S THAT BAD—

Everyone is well aware of the seriousness and tension caused by the present move to mix the whites and the negroes in the schools and all the confusion that has resulted.

Now, we read that over in England they are having a bit of a go at mixing a bunch of boys into a previously all-girls' school and

—get this—the girls are on strike against the proposal.

We always knew the English were strange critters but we didn't think it went that far. Can't you just see a bunch of American teenage girls striking because they had to go to school with boys.

That'll be the day.

NUMBER FOUR

Rankin's Red Devils—by a squeaky six points—now have themselves a four-in-a-row record for the season. And we think the thanks for this should go to a mighty fine defensive unit of the team. They had a tough bunch to handle in Eldorado last week but handle them they did not allowing the Eagles to get but a few feet inside the 10 yard line and that only one time.

Offensively, the Red Devils looked like they were missing on a few cylinders—even though the backs who carried the ball were running hard enough. They just never seemed to be able to get into stride with

the downfield blocking and holding on to the ball at the proper time.

But every team is due a night off and we hope that last Friday was the one for the Red Devils. They will have to do a bit better against the Lions from Ozona if they want to win number five Friday night.

It is said—and rightly so—that Ozona has one of the finest ball players in the state in Mr. Sutton. Whether or not he is any better than the Roblebo lad who played for Eldorado is yet to be seen but there is no question but what he will be the determining factor for the game Friday night.

Ozona has always had the "Indian Sign" on Rankin with the Red Devils having out-played the Lions on several occasions but never being able to come out on top in the score. This will be another of the factors which will determine the winner Friday night. If the Red Devils can stop Sutton and at the same time get their offense going, they will have a fine chance of winning.

The Rankin (Tex.)
Thursday, October

In picking the winner that we will be the "writer" in the state with such a prediction—be with the Red Devils to not just being loyal team—if we thought they win, we'd pick them they have the material not say that anyone until it looks hopeless.

Personally, we do not think Ozona is the sixth best team in the state—if they can win—that is what the Red Devils the fifth team in the state. We Wink could beat them probably—and we believe can beat 'em.

Mr. Jack Cox returned to his home in Mullin with his daughter, Mrs. Miller and family.

WHO IS A LOCAL BUSINESS MAN

(And Why Should You Support Him With Your Trade)

WHO IS A LOCAL BUSINESS MAN ?

He is a working man just like most everyone else except he probably works longer hours for less per hour and he has no one to hand him a pay check or to see that he gets his vacation.

WHO IS A LOCAL BUSINESS MAN ?

He is a man who must be a success to stay in business -- he must keep his customers happy and satisfied with him and his products. He has to treat them "right" all the time -- every day.

WHO IS A LOCAL BUSINESS MAN ?

He is a business man who must stand behind what he sells or the service he renders. He cannot hide behind the fact that his store is located a long way from his customers -- he must do business with his next-door neighbor.

WHO IS A LOCAL BUSINESS MAN ?

He is one of the people who contributes more than his share toward the taxes that go to keep our city, school and county. He keeps most of the civic organizations in mind and helps them with both his time and money. He is always first on the list when it comes time to take up a donation.

WHO IS A LOCAL BUSINESS MAN ?

He is the man who depends on you for his living -- he cannot afford to cheat you or to be rude to you. He deserves your patronage and asks only that you give him a chance to serve you.

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(Tex.) News—
October 4, 1958

AL NOTES

Hall, seven-week-
and Mrs. Thomas A.
in was admitted Sep-
dismissed Sept. 24.
Kennedy of Rankin
September 23 and
September 27.
Hall of Rankin was
September 24 and dismis-
September 29.
Craig of Midkiff was
September 24 and dismis-
September 27.
DeArmand of Odessa
September 24 and
September 24.
Hamilton of Rankin
September 24.
Holmes of Rankin was
September 24.
Allridge of Iraan was
September 29.
Shirley of Durant, Ok-
admitted Sept. 10.
Potter of Texon was
September 25 and dismis-
September 29.
L. Walker of Iraan
September 28 and
September 29.
Quick of Rankin was
September 29.
Jones of Big Lake
September 29.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hill
a baby girl, September
weighing 6 lbs. 5½
named Pamilena.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Quick
at 2:36 a.m., September
weighing 6 lbs., 10½
named Paulette.

Xi Epsilon Chi Has Meeting

The Xi Epsilon Chi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday evening in the home of Nan Daugherty. The meeting was called to order by Christine Day, president. All unfinished business was completed and Velma Lane was elected the chapter's Valentine Girl.

The theme of Conversation was continued in the evening's program with Christine Day's presentation of the topic "How to Say It". The program terminated with a one-minute conversation talk by each member on an impromptu topic of conversation.

The meeting closed with the Closing Ritual and the Mizpah repeated together by all attending members. Refreshments were served to the group by the hostess.

Mr. Tyson Midkiff and his mother, Mr. T. O. Midkiff of Midland, left Tuesday for Duncan Oklahoma to be with Mrs. Midkiff's brother, Mr. Whitt Davenport, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ray McSpadden of Odessa were Rankin visitors last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McRae and Pete of Midland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Davis spent Sunday in Eldorado with their son, Albert Allen.

Mrs. J. L. Manry, Jr. and Mary Ann Workman attended an Eastern Star event in the Masonic Temple in Midland Tuesday Night.

Mrs. J. W. Kennedy and Mrs. Janelle Moore were visitors in Odessa Sunday.

WEEK END SPECIALS GOOD ONLY FOR:

Friday & Saturday,

OCTOBER
3-4

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

FOLGER'S (limit 2 lbs.) LB.

Coffee 79c

Hunt's
TOMATO SAUCE 3 for 25c

No. 303 Del Monte
SPINACH 2 for 35c

LIGHTCRUST
FLOUR 5 LB. BOX 49c

Flat Can Del Monte—sliced
PINEAPPLE 2 for 33c

No. 300 Can Jack Sprat
KRAUT 2 for 25c

GIANT SIZE BOX

Oxydol 69c

No. 2½ Can Pacific Gold
Elberta PEACHES 3 for 97c

No. 300 Can Jack Sprat
HOMINY 3 for 27c

ARMOUR'S 2 lb. box

CHEESE 73c

18 oz. Decorated glass Zestee
PRESERVES 3 for \$1.

Brer Rabbit—Quart
WAFFLE SYRUP 25c

KIMBELL'S 2 Lb. Bag

Pinto Beans 23c

No. 303 Can Kimbell's
BLACKBERRIES 2 for 49c

Regular Size
AJAX CLEANSER 2 for 31c

12 oz Sunshine
HYDROX COOKIES 39c

BAKER'S 2 FOR

COCONUT 39c

GUARANTEED MEATS

Grade A—Fresh Dressed—Limit LB.

FRYERS 31c

Choice Beef
SIRLOIN STEAK lb. 79c

Fresh
CALF LIVER lb. 49c

Choice Beef
CLUB STEAK lb. 63c

Choice Beef
SHORT RIBS lb. 39c

Swift's Almeet
BOLOGNA lb. 49c

Almeet Old Fashion
FRANKS 49c

Old Fashion—Hickory Smoked—
THICK SLICED 2 LBS.

BACON 1.29

FRUITS — VEGETABLES

NEW MEXICO DELICIOUS LB.

Apples 11c

Large Blue Goose
LEMONS dozen 39c

Cello Bag
CARROTS 2 for 19c

Mambo
YAMS lb. 12c

FROZEN FOODS

Winter Garden—Frozen
POT PIES 5 for \$1.

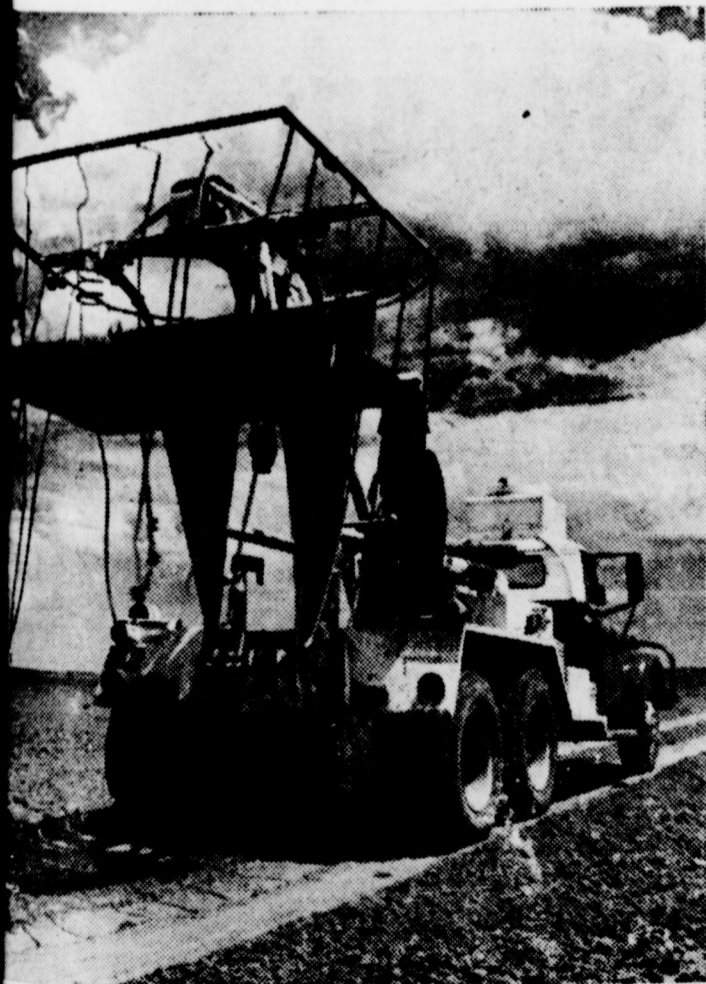
Winter Garden—Frozen
FRUIT PIES 43c

Holly Hill—Frozen
ORANGE JUICE 2 for 49c

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PER AT WORK—One of the newest devices aiding search for oil is the "thumper." The "thumper" is a machine carrying a concrete slab weighing 6000 pounds. The machine moves across country, dropping the slab—at intervals of a height of 12 feet onto the ground. The shock produced by the "thump" and reflected from underground formations are recorded on graphs after being picked up by sensitive microphones buried along the route of the truck. Although the thumper is a seismic operation, it does the job without the usual explosions used in conventional seismic work.

FOOTBALL GAME

FRIDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 10
RANKIN RED DEVILS



VS.

THE OZONA LIONS

At The Red Devil Stadium - She

CASHWAY FOOD MKT.
QUALITY AT ITS BEST
GET 'EM RED DEVILS

HURST BARBECUE
SUPPORTING THE TEAM
PLAY TO WIN

BERT'S ICE HOUSE
OPEN WHEN YOU NEED SERVICE
WIN 'EM ALL DEVILS

L. PORTER JOHNSONS
YOUR COMPLETE DEPARTMENT STORE
GO! DEVILS, GO!

CUNNINGHAM BARBER SHOP
SERVICE IS OUR PRODUCT
YAH FOR THE RED DEVILS

LOWERY & WORKMAN INS.
WE HAVE A POLICY FOR YOU
PLAY 'EM CLEAN BUT PLAY 'EM HARD

SCARBOROUGH HUMBLE
SERVICE
Stop For Service Under The Humble Sign

HIGHWAY GROCERY & MKT.
Staple Groceries, Fruits, Vegetables, Meats
MOW 'EM DOWN RED DEVILS

RAMSEY CAFE
OPEN 24-HOURS A DAY
EAT 'EM UP, RED DEVILS

RANKIN DRUG
WE STRIVE TO PLEASE YOU
CHEERS FOR THE RED DEVILS

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She Team - Attend The Game

CURREY'S GULF SERVICE
TRY US—YOU'LL LIKE OUR SERVICE
WE'RE WITH YOU, RANKIN

WISHAM & SON
GROCERY & MKT.
MIDKIFF, TEXAS

WALLACE LUMBER CO.
FINE BUILDING MATERIALS
THREE CHEERS FOR RANKIN HIGH

ZENTER'S CAFE
O. L. EMORY
MIDKIFF, TEXAS

HALE'S GARAGE
SERVICE IS OUR MOTTO
LONGTIME RED DEVIL BACKERS

WESTERN MOTEL
Your Headquarters While In Rankin
ON WEST HIGHWAY 67

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RUN HARD, DEVILS

THE RANKIN NEWS
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WE'RE SUPPORTING THE RED DEVILS

Ranchers' Wool & Mohair Assn.
RANCH SUPPLIES—FEEDS
PULLING WITH THE RED DEVILS

H. D. CHATTER

By MYRNA HOLMAN

County Home Dem. Agent

ARE YOU A DETECTIVE?

Maybe not, but when you go shopping you'll act like a detective anyway, if you are to get the "best buys". First you'll need to know what you are looking for and how much you can or want to spend for it. "Impulse buying" is usually a costly procedure.

Then gather evidence that helps select the just-right things. Evidence comes by studying advertisements inspecting goods and trying them; reading labels; checking on the price; and ask questions of the salespeople.

Then by piecing together bits of

evidence, following up a lead until it proves false, then switching to another; slowly singling out the one wanted article from among the many—that's the shopper's "detective" process. And it pays to follow the clues carefully.

EGGTOBER

No, it's not a mistake in spelling! This is egg month and there's been a queen chosen and crowned "Miss Eggtober." We even have a photograph of an interview with her!

All of which is to point up the value of eggs in the daily diet. One of the marketing specialists had this to say about their food value.

"Eggs supply proteins of the highest quality—proteins which furnish all the required amino acids, or body-building nutrients so essen-

tial to good health. In fact, egg protein comes so near to perfection that scientists use it as a standard to measure the value of protein in other foods."

"Eggs also contain vitamins and minerals essential to health. Its Vitamin "A" make us see well. Its Vitamin "B" complex puts spirit in our nerves. Its Vitamin "D" and phosphorous team up with calcium to build sturdy bones and teeth. Its iron and copper put glow in the skin and a twinkle in the eye."

THE WEEK AHEAD

Friday and Saturday, October 3 and 4, Dallas with District 6 dress revue winners.

Monday, October 6, McCamey 4th Grade 4-H and the Junior Leader group.

Tuesday, October 7, Big Lake 4-H clubs and Junior Leader group.

Wednesday, October 8, McCamey Home Demonstration Club.

Thursday, October 9, 4-H Clubs.

Friday, October 10, Big Lake Home Demonstration Club.



TELEPHONE TALK

by Kenneth Cochran, Manager

MEET JIM NEIGHBORS



I would like for you people to meet Jim Neighbors who recently joined our district headquarters staff in Midland. Jim's title is District Commercial Superintendent. This is a newly created job brought about by the tremendous telephone growth in this area and in other parts of the telephone company's Midland district. Fred Kester, whom many of you know, remains as District Manager. Jim will be coming to Rankin occasionally and is

looking forward to meeting our telephone customers here.

LUXURIOUS—BUT NOT A LUXURY

Got a telephone for your bedroom, yet?

Nothing tops a bedroom telephone for real luxury living. When I'm home using ours, I like to stretch out on the bed with the phone cradled between my shoulder and my ear. I can relax and really talk that way.

There are plenty of good, practical reasons for having a bedroom phone, too. Privacy, for example. And women often say how reassuring it is to have a phone at their bedside when they're alone in the house at night. It's much nicer to be able to "reach" to answer instead of having to dash to another room.

Here in Rankin, a bedroom extension costs only \$1.00 a month plus installation. And for a one-time charge of only \$10, you can have your choice of any of the nine beautiful color telephones. They're especially smart for bedrooms.

EASY WAY TO KEEP IN TOUCH

I guess at one time or another, we all remember—out of a clear sky—someone we haven't thought of in a long time. "What-ever happened to George?" we say. Or to Ruth, or the Browns, or the Martin family. Usually it's someone we really mean to keep in touch with—like the couple who used to live next door, or old friends in faraway places. But with so much on our minds and so much to do, the months fly by and we never get around to it.

The quick, easy way to make up for lost time is, of course, to use your telephone.

A long distance phone call is the personal, thoughtful way of keeping in touch with those you care about. Try a call tonight, and you'll see what I mean.

Call by number. It's twice as fast.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY



SCHOOL MENUE

OCTOBER 6-10
MONDAY

Relish, Cheese and Macaroni, Pinto Beans, Weiners, Spinach, Corn Bread, Milk Butter, Vanilla Pudding.

TUESDAY

Cabbage and Carrot Salad, Meat Loaf, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Hot Biscuits, Green Beans, Milk, Butter, Fruit.

WEDNESDAY

Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Western Cheese Bun, French Frys, Milk, Apple Pie.

THURSDAY

Stuffed Celery, Chicken & Noodles, English Peas, Hominy, Hot Rolls Milk, Butter, Cookies.

FRIDAY

Vegetable Soup, Crackers, Tuna and Pimiento Cheese Sandwiches, Oranges, Milk.

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BOMBS AWAY—This is the inside of Fluid Catalytic Unit No. 3 at Humble Oil & Refining Company town refinery as it looked when the unit was under construction. The "bombs" hanging from the walls of the reactor are just a few of the 47 cyclones inside the reactor of the "cat cracker." The welder on the floor by the cyclones which weigh more than three tons. Cracker No. 3 was put in operation in late July 1958 with a 55,000 barrel a day capacity.

Savings Bond Sales

Total \$72,937 In Upton

"Savings bonds sales for the first eight months of '58 totaled \$72,937-00", Dunn Lowery, chairman of Upton County's bond committee reported today. "Our county has now reached 64.5 per cent of its 1958 goal of \$113,000.00. August sales were \$9,648.00."

Texas sales through August 1958 were \$118,503,413.00 which was 5 per cent greater than the same period in 1957.

"Every American investing in U. S. Savings Bonds gets an extra dividend—the satisfaction of knowing that his savings are strengthening America's Peace Power," stated Mr. Lowery, county chairman.

The Rankin (Tex.)
Thursday, October

SERVICES HELD SE

FOR MURRAY McC

Services were held September 25 at the North Rankin High School at Santa Anna, Texas, for the late Mr. Murray McCain, brother of Murray McCain.

JOHN A. MEYER
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Rankin, Texas

OFFICE PHONE N

OFFICE IN FRONT OF
RESIDENCE N

OLIVE 2-30

STAR-STUDED FUN!

THE MUSIC MAN

10,000 EXHIBITS

ICE CAPADES

STATE FAIR
of Texas

NOW
THRU
OCT. 19
DALLAS

LIVESTOCK

FOOTBALL

TEXAS INTERNATIONAL TRADE



THE RANKIN NEWS

(Tex.) News—
October 4, 1958

They Write --

The following is correspondence received in newspapers this week by Editor Dorsey B. Hardeman.

Annual sessions (H) during annual sessions are, annual salaries are an unlimited per cent "expense of each member, and out-of-pocket expenses in the quarters in the city for the President and the Speaker of the House and their respective families should be carefully considered in the following:

Permit continuous sessions in the legislature, which would be either the members or the members.

Permit an unlimited per cent, to each member, of the salary.

Permit unlimited "expenses" which might well include, and washing, transportation, rent, secretary hire, stationery, telephone and telegrams, etc., "in amount and kind" by the Legislature. It is not unlikely that the Legislature will be generous with its restraint being the only restraint provided there is.

Permit unnecessary from either results concerning expenses involved.

Permit a provision relating to living quarters in the Capitol building, by certain determined by statute. It is to be in conflict with the provisions of the Constitution.

Permitly written and, if a likely entail extensive

litigation and require judicial interpretation.

I opposed the submission of the resolution in the 1957 session of the Legislature, and subsequent study has confirmed the soundness of my action.

Annual sessions neither assure a more accurate financial picture nor greater economy. The results of the Congress attest to this.

The absence of deficits, generally, in State spending, since appropriations in excess of cash and anticipated revenue have been prohibited, except in the case of emergency, is ample justification of the present system. The loose language of the proposals leaves it doubtful whether this restraint would be applicable to appropriations made by the "Second Regular Session."

Also, it is doubtful whether appropriations at such session, for other than "the general operation of the State government", would be valid.

The "freezing" into the organic law of a provision authorizing the occupancy of a portion of the Capitol building as living quarters by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and their respective families, is highly undesirable as to practice, as well as procedure. There is no more compelling reason for furnishing elaborately equipped and expensively decorated, residence apartments in the Capitol building for these two officials, and their families, than for any number of others. The Capitol building was dedicated by the late Temple Houston to be the "habitation of the Government of Texas". Obviously, this did not include bedroom and kitchen privileges.

Since its provisions may not be voted upon separately, however desirable one or more features might be, which is rather doubtful, the amendment should be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

Dorsey B. Hardeman

State Senator—25th District

Good Play Held At Local Club Despite Weather Conditions

Despite a falling mist that hung on most of the evening and kept the scores in the high marks, some thirty golfers were on hand for the first area tournament play held last Sunday afternoon at the Rankin Golf Club. A net profit of approximately \$50 was reported by the club with this amount earmarked for equipment purchases.

Winners in the play included H. L. Goodwin, Floyd Everett, Jim Wells and C. G. Taylor while runners up were Buddy Craig, Ray Boggs, J. K. Colquitt and Leo Tie-man.

For the women, it was Genevieve Titsworth and Erma Harkrider in the winners circle and Mollie Taylor and Grace Roach as runners-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny White and children have moved to McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gotcher were in town Monday from the Robbins' ranch south-east of Fort Stockton in Pecos County.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cherry and family moved to Rankin this week from McCamey. He is employed by Halliburton Cementing Co.

Mr. J. W. Kennedy and Martha visited over the week-end with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herod of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore, Gary, and Jamice of Midland, visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Zack Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. John McLaughlin spent the week in in Van Horn with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stratton.

Mary Ann Workman, Mrs. M. J. Edwards, Mrs. Tom Mitchell and Mrs. Bill Nix attended a tea at the home of Mrs. Andrews, in the T-P Coal & Oil Company camp, McCamey, Sunday afternoon, given in honor of Mrs. Sue Godwin, Deputy Grand Matron of Eastern Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McEwen and Janice Kay of Snyder are in Rankin for a few days visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. McEwen and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Shaw.

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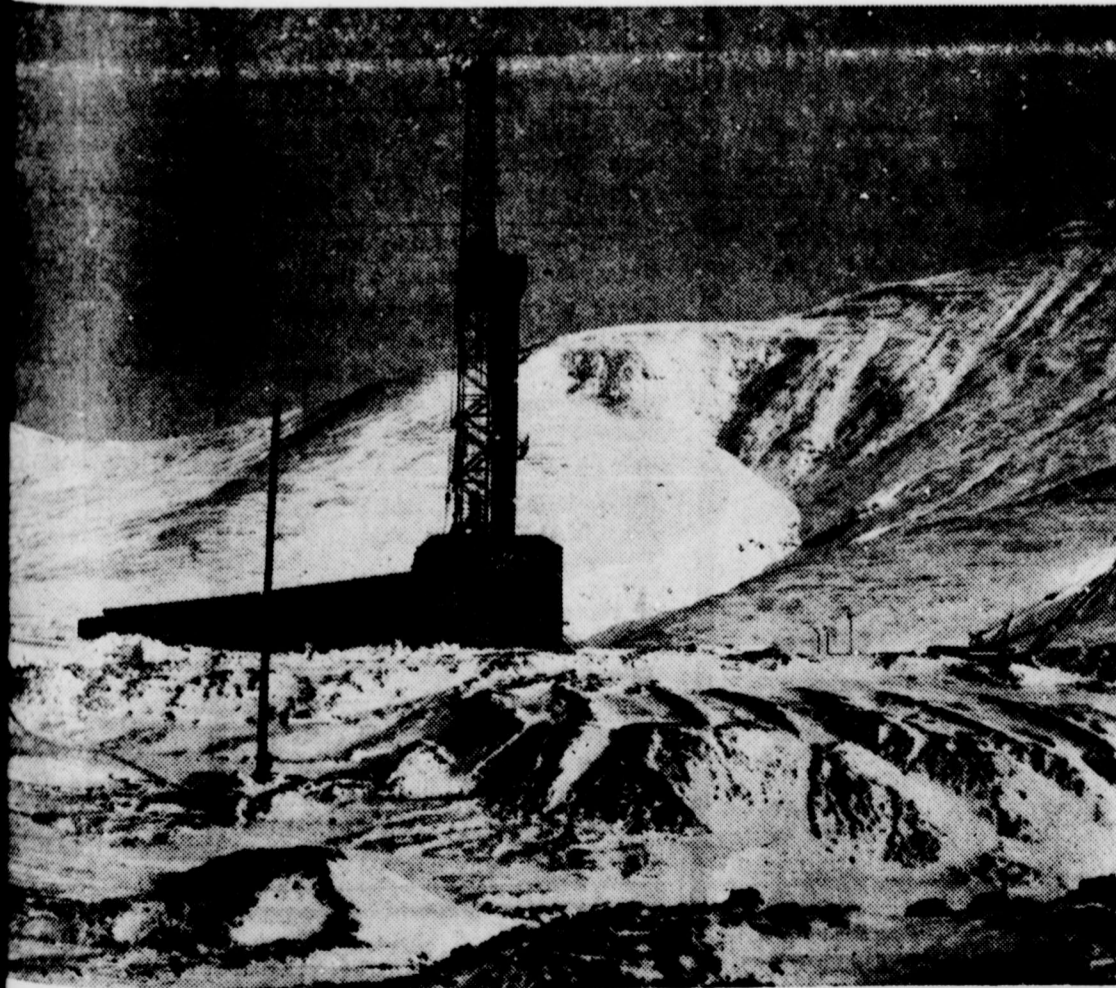
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THE ALASKAN WILDCAT—Snow-covered tundra forms a bleak background for Humble-Shell Bear Creek No. 1 drilling rig on the Alaskan Peninsula near Kanatak. The "wildcat" is a projected 12,500-foot well and is the first one being drilled by Humble in the barren, cold land of the Kodiak bear and the salmon. The cost of this well, which is affected by severe weather at the location, may add up to several times the average cost of Humble's offshore wells, which was \$585,000 last year.

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ing kickoff and moved to two first
downs before the Red Devil defen-
ders could work out a combination
that held On their first few offen-
sive thrusts, the Red Devils moved
the ball well and worked it down
to the Eldorado three before the
fumble-bug bit the Rankin squad
and they gave up their first scoring
opportunity.

Late in the second quarter, Ran-
kin had again moved the ball well
into Eagle territory when they pul-
led a reverse play that caught the
Eagle defense by surprise and Fred
Aguilar scooted across for six points.
Eldorado stopped the effort to run
over the extra points and that was
all the scorekeeper had to do for
the night.

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game for the Red Devils as they
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but fumbled away the
additional scores —
Eldorado five. On the
Red Devils rolled up
while holding the op-
pout half that figure
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