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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1958

SPONSORED MAGIC HERE OCTOBER 17

Show of Mystery is Rankin. by the Rankin Lions proceeds earmarked for Building Fund, the half hour long show some amazing acts of Armstrong, a magician will throw a knife person, will make rabbits disappear, have a girl fair and perform es- Jo Anne, the educated

McCain Rites Here Tuesday

Services for Murray Mc- held at 2:00 p.m. Tues- first Methodist Church. Sunday in the Rankin following a short illness. week he had attended of his sister in Santa years-old at the time Murray and his family Rankin for the past have a wide acquaint- ends in this area. He the county as a main- tor.

born in Dublin, Texas er 17, 1895. He moved ally when he was three- When where his mo- as the first postmaster 19, 1933, he was marry- Brown in Marathon. family moved to Ran- Marfa on November 1,

member of the First Church and the IOOF Rankin.

McAden, pastor of the Church, officiated at the was assisted by Martin minister of the North- of Christ. Burial was in Cemetery under the Moore Funeral Home. rites were held by the of the Rankin IOOF.

LISTED

ived by his wife, three Mrs. Jamie Knox, O- and Beth Ann, Rankin; Bruce, Fort Worth, Mur- one, Gene, a student at as State Teachers, Jack Rankin; one brother, Har- o; two sisters: Mrs. H. San Marcos, and Mrs. ris, Van Horn. bers of the family in- uncles: W. B. Peeples, on; and Gene Peeples, New Mexico; three Mary Bible of Whon, Smith, Brownwood, and Wilkerson, Altus, Okla- three grandchildren. rs were Ed Guy Branch, rkman, Ed Hale, Mike O. McEwen and Char-

duck, is also a feature of the show. Beginning at 8:00 p.m. at the Rankin High School auditorium, admission prices will be \$1.00 for adults, 50 cents for high school students and 25 cents for students up to the ninth grade. All money above expenses will be donated to the Girl Scouts.

"This is a very good show, clean and entertaining," A. E. Ivy, Lion president has stated, "and we want everyone who can to come out and see it."

"We know that you will get your money's worth and will be helping the girl scouts at the same time," Ivy stated.

Tickets will go on sale by Lions this week end.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jones of Big Lake are the parents of a girl born September 30 at 1:45 p.m. weighing 5 lbs., 12½ ozs. and named Deona Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. DeArmond of Odessa are the parents of a girl born October 1 at 10:20 p.m. weighing 8 lbs., 11 ozs. and named Majorie Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Calk of Iraan are the parents of a girl born October 4 at 6:11 a.m. weighing 8 lbs., 9¼ ozs. and named Sandra Kaye.

1958-1959 RANKIN SCHOOL

ANNUALS NOW BEING SOLD

Bill Hood, principal at Rankin High School, announced that the sale of the 1958-'59 Rankin School Annual is now underway and will continue until Friday, October 17.

Everyone who wishes an annual must have their order in before that date. A saving on the price can be had by paying cash at this time.

Betas Plan To Undertake Community Calendar Job

Rankin Beta Sigma Phi is sponsoring a sale of Community Birthday Calendars. Everyone living in Rankin and the surrounding area may have their names printed on the calendar—on the date on which their birthday falls. Everyone in the community will know when the other has a birthday. (But it does not tell the age.) The calendar will also show the anniversary of the married couples.

Pictured on the front will be a view of the City of Rankin.

Offered for sale will be 18 ads for local business firms. Those interested in purchasing this space should contact Mrs. Billy Rankin immediately since only the 18 spaces

Rankin Travels To Marfa Seeking Comeback Victory

Friday night the Rankin Red Devils will take to the road and journey to Marfa in an effort to get back in the win column following their first loss of the season to O-

Double-Header Set For Thursday Night

Local football fans will be treated to a free double-header here on Thursday afternoon when the McCamey Badgers send over their 7th and 8th Grade Team and their "B" squad for a pair of contests with similiar groups from Rankin. First game—the 7th and 8th Grade event, is scheduled to start at approximately 5:15 p.m.

There is no charge for admittance to the games and a good group of local boosters are expected to be on hand. The concessions stand will be open and under the operation of the Rankin Senior Class.

GOLF CLUB SCHEDULES SATURDAY BAKE SALE

A bake sale, sponsored by the women of the Rankin Golf Club, will be held at the Post Office on Saturday, October 11. Anyone wishing to purchase a good homemade pie or cake can take their choice as they go on sale beginning at 9:00 a.m. Saturday morning.

Proceeds from the sale are for equipment purchases for work on the local links.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Holmes were to leave Wednesday of this week for San Antonio where recent funeral services were held for his sister.

zona last week. In the Shorthorns, they will be meeting a team that has won only one game in two year that coming last week as they defeated Class AAAA El Paso Tech by a 14-6 count. The Horns have scored only three touchdowns all year.

Scouting reports on the Marfa team, however, indicate that Rankin will not have any easy time of winning the game. The Shorthorns have two very shifty backs and are about equal to the Red Devils in weight averages. They have lost

Pair Crowned As Band Sweethearts

Two queens reign this year for the Rankin Red Devil Band. In an impressive ceremony during half-time last Friday night, Miss Andra Mitchell and Miss Nina Fullwood, two Seniors, were crowned "Band Sweethearts". They were tied for the honors in voting held by the members of the organization.

Miss Fullwood is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Fullwood of Box 52, Midkiff while Miss Mitchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Mitchell of Rankin.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. Henry Allridge of Iraan was admitted August 29 and dismissed October 1.

Mrs. Wayne Jones of Big Lake was admitted September 29 and dismissed October 1.

Mr. C. E. Carpenter of Midkiff was admitted October 1 and dismissed October 7.

Mrs. S. A. DeArmond of Odessa was admitted October 1 and dismissed October 6.

Mr. Bert Braden of Midland, Star Rt. was admitted October 1.

Jimmy Newcomb, sixteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Newcomb of Midkiff, was admitted October 2 and dismissed October 6.

Mr. Murray McCain, Sr. of Rankin, was admitted October 3 and expired October 5 at 9:25 p.m.

Mr. Leroy LeMasters of Abilene was admitted October 6.

Mrs. B. R. Calk of Iraan was admitted October 4.

J. T. Holmes of Rankin was admitted August 24.

H. M. Shirley of Durant, Oklahoma was admitted September 19.

Mrs. R. C. Quick of Rankin was admitted September 29.

Mrs. R. H. Bearden of Rankin was admitted October 4.

Kirk Whiteside, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whiteside of Star Rt., Midland, was admitted on October 6.

Mrs. A. C. Dotson of Rankin was admitted October 6.

only one game this year by a lopsided score—their opener in which Alpine thumped them 62-0. Another indication of their recent improvement is the fact that El Paso Tech previously had beaten Fabens by a substantial score—Fabens being the team seeded to win their district and rated three touchdowns better than Sanderson, a team that has already held Rankin to a 22-12 score.

Condition of the Red Devils is reported to be good with all players in physical fitness for the contest. Dennis Kennemer who again suffered a knee injury against the Lions, is now working out with the team and will likely start against the Horns. Marfa is expected to run an offense similiar to that used last week by Ozona and could give the Red Devils some bad moments with the pitch-outs.

Gametime will be at 8:00 p.m. Distance to Marfa is approximately 160 miles.

Sixth Graders Tie

Second Game At 0-0

In a return match played in Iraan last Thursday night, the Rankin Sixth Grade football team came home with a 0-0 tie game. On the previous Thursday night, the local squad had taken a 8-0 win from the Braves team in a game played here.

This week the Sixth Graders will have an open date but will resume their schedule with Iraan in the near future. They have two more games to play with the Braves.

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

MADE ON GIRL SCOUT HUT

Sponsorers of the Rankin Girl Scouts plan to complete work on the scout hut this week and have issued a call for volunteer workers.

Jim Wells will be in charge of the work and has asked that all who can spare a little time, report at the building site from 4:30 until dark each day and all day Saturday.

All help will be appreciated by the Girl Scouts and their workers.

FINAL DAY OF RUMMAGE

SALE TO BE HELD SATURDAY

A quantity of good, usable clothing and accessories is on hand at the WSCS rummage sale in the Masonic building.

Society members announce the sale will open at 9:00 o'clock again this Saturday and it is expected that this will be the final day of the sale.

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Filler by J. B.

FLITTER—

With a red face we will admit to something that may get us kicked out of the fraternity house. Last week while we were making light of "Bedroom Telephone Week" and "National Egg Week", we let one of the most important dates of the year slip by—next to the Fourth of July in significance—"National Newspaper Week".

Disgraceful—that's what it is.

THEY LOSE ONE—

Nobody wanted to win that old ball game anyway—at least that might as well have been the attitude. Ozona's jinx continued to hold over the Red Devils and for the third time in the last four contests between the two teams, the breaks went to the Lions.

There is no need, however, to make excuses for the Rankin ball team—they gave a fine account of themselves and the Ozona team, fans and coaches all admitted that they had all the football they desired for one night after last Friday's game. We'd be willing to bet that Rankin can play forty more ball games and never have a point scored on them in the manner in which 12 of the markers went to the Lions Friday night. It was one of those things.

Perhaps, however, there is good in everything and if the Red Devils were under any strain from trying to win 'em all—they are now relieved of that little matter and can turn their attention to the games as they come up each week. It was a good game anyway you look at it except the score.

This week, attention will turn to Marfa and the Shorthorns. Just last week they won their first game of the season and indications are that there will be Shorthorn steak on the Red Devil table Friday night. Yet, anyone who ever watches the game of football will know that at times something like winning just one game will inspire a team to get their game together and make a fight of the remainder of the season.

Such could easily be the case with

Marfa as they play Rankin. Then, too, knowing H. G. Adams, former high school principal here who is now superintendent of schools in Marfa—we just suspect that he is busy giving the players the old pep talk this week trying to get them up for this game. He is a loyal fan and a good rooter for a team.

With all this wise and thoughtful pondering under our hats, we will pick the Red Devils to win number five but only by 12 points.

A REPUBLICAN FOR UPTON—

With the runoffs last August most of us put away our campaign posters and candidate stickers and let the matter of who was to be what politically slide out of our everyday lives since the Democratic primaries were over and that meant that the nominated candidates were all but in office with only the formalities of voting in November left to make it official.

Now it seems there may be a need

for a bit more legwork on the part of at least one candidate—Andy Anderson, Democratic nominee for State Representative. He has a Republican opponent who has said that he will make an active campaign for the seat. Ordinarily in West Texas, that would not raise many eyebrows but when we consider that Midland County packs the biggest vote in the District—it might be well to think some on the matter since they usually favor the Republican side of the ballot.

We shall always remember a bit of advice our father gave us when we were a pup. "It make no difference who is running, son," he said, "always vote for the Democrat."

We admit that we have not always taken his advice but whenever we haven't, we have almost always been sorry that we didn't. This time we will stick with the advice of a man who has been around a lot longer than we have and go with the Democrat.

We have no personal grudge with

Andy's opponent having met him only once and he seemed to be a very nice sort of a chap. But we do have a few bones to pick with the present Republican party if it is represented by the actions of Ike.

When he was running for office, Ike promised to cut out some of the waste in government spending, to cut the number of federal employees and do away with some of the needless bureaus. He promised a new foreign policy that would be true and straight. He promised to work for tax cuts. He promised to abide by certain agreements concerning Texas and the tidelands and he promised to get all the crooks out of the administration.

He has given us more spending than any peace-time president in history. He has added employees to the government payrolls and has given us two postal rate raises. He has not given the little people one cent in tax cuts but now is saying that it will be necessary to dig even deeper. He traded the Harry Vau-

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ghns of the Democratration for the Shern crowd and has given policy that is almost as low as the Communist

If this is the mark of can—we will say "No have had plenty."

At least we know he is. He has made it and all that he will do as he pleases and will what bills he thinks outroduced. With somebo we know where we stand Republican we will only ises and evidently, are not noted for paying attention to such matring promises.

Mrs. John Garner b from Plains, Texas w tended a reunion of be

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OCTOBER 13-17

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Butter, Coconut Cake

WEDNESDAY
Salad, Liver and Onions,
Sausage, Buttered Po-
keyed Peas, Milk, Bread,
okies

THURSDAY
Baked Ham, Green
Yams, Hot Biscuits
Oranges

FRIDAY
Potato Chips, Beans,
Cakes

Lott, custodian at the
city courthouse, has been
bed for several days re-
to illness. He and Mrs.
resently staying at the
daughter in McCamey.

Mrs. Wallace Gary and
were visitors in Rankin

Study Club Program Has 'American Ideals'

"The Foundation of American
Ideals" was the topic presented by
Mrs. Janelle Moore to the Rankin
Study Club at the Park Building
Thursday, October 2 at 4:00 o'clock.

Mrs. A. B. McGill, president,
presided at the business meeting.
Mrs. Tom Workman gave a report
of the Budget Committee which was
voted to be adopted. Federation
Counselor, Mrs. Sam Holmes, an-
nounced that Mrs. Ben Boyd of
Denton is to be the new president
of Texas Federation of Women's
Clubs. Announcement was also
made of the Board Meeting which
was to be held in Monahans on
October 7.

Resignation of Mrs. James Lain
as corresponding secretary was
read and accepted. Mrs. D. S. An-
derson was accepted for member-
ship. Miss Maggie Taylor was ap-
pointed to replace Mrs. Lain.

Meeting was closed with the sing-
ing of the "Star Spangled Banner"
led by Mrs. Moore. Hostesses were
Mrs. Tom Workman and Mrs. Jack
Smith with twenty-three members
attending.

Mrs. E. C. Higday is visiting this
week with her daughter, Mrs. Rus-
sell Miller and family in Novice.

Mrs. Emmett Bowers of Iraan vi-
sited recently with Mr. and Mrs.
A. F. Eades.

Show, Stunts, Barbecue To Highlight Sonora Airport Dedication October 12



Texas is invited to the
opening and dedication of
community airport in Sonora,
on Sunday, October 12.
Dedication will mark com-
pletion of the project constructed
with governmental participa-

tion. Everyone in this West
Texas community has played a
part in the construction of the
new paved runway equipped
with down areas, office build-
ing, weather instru-
ment, wind Tee, fuel service, and
locally controlled runway
lights. Individuals and city and
county officials combined their
efforts to buy the location, raise
money and furnish the labor and
equipment necessary to complete
the strip which has been
regarded as the best small town
airport in the state.

Plans by private persons
and business firms have ranged
from the use of cokes from an in-

terested teen-ager to the use of
several thousand dollars worth
of men and heavy construction
equipment from a local contractor.
The city and county governments
have provided funds for purchas-
ing the site which was offered
at an extremely low price by a
local ranchman, and equipment
for actual construction.

The strip, which lies partly
within the city limits, has been
in operation since last October
when city, county, and privately
owned road construction machi-
nery cleared, leveled and smooth-
ed the site in less than two weeks
to have it in use for Oil Progress
Week.

Now Sonora and Sutton County
invite all Texas to join them in
celebrating the dedication of
their unique accomplishment. Bar-
becue lunch will be served and
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ment.

WEEK END SPECIALS

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RED DEVILS DROP OZONA GAME 28-12

Continuing their domination of the Red Devils, the Ozona Lions took a 28-12 win over the Rankin varsity here last Friday night in a game that was close despite the spread in the score. This was the first loss of the season for the Red Devil footballers.

Throughout the first half, the game was played on an even basis with the Lions punching over one touchdown and kicking the extra point. For their marker in the first half, Rankin returned an intercepted pass some 85 yards for 6 points. Their try for 2 points by running the ball failed and a half-time score of 7-6 left the game very much in doubt.

Opening the second half, the visitors kicked off to the Red Devils and got their first break of the game—following a pattern that has held in three of the past four contests between these two teams when a break has favored the Lions—and recovered the fumbled ball in the end zone for 6 more points. Sutton—who kicked, ran and passed—toed the ball through the up-rights for the extra point and the score was 6-14.

Getting their game back together, the Red Devils drove the ball down the field and marked up another

six points but failed again in their efforts to get the extra points.

From there until late in the game, both squads put on a fine show of defensive play and neither was able to move the ball. The long kicking of Sutton kept the Red Devils in their end of the field for most of the last quarter and when the local lads tried a pitchout, a Lion defender, who was being blocked by a Rankin player, latched on to a ball that bounded from the hands of a Rankin back and scooted over for another "gimme" six points which all but broke up the game.

Sutton had one last flash of run-

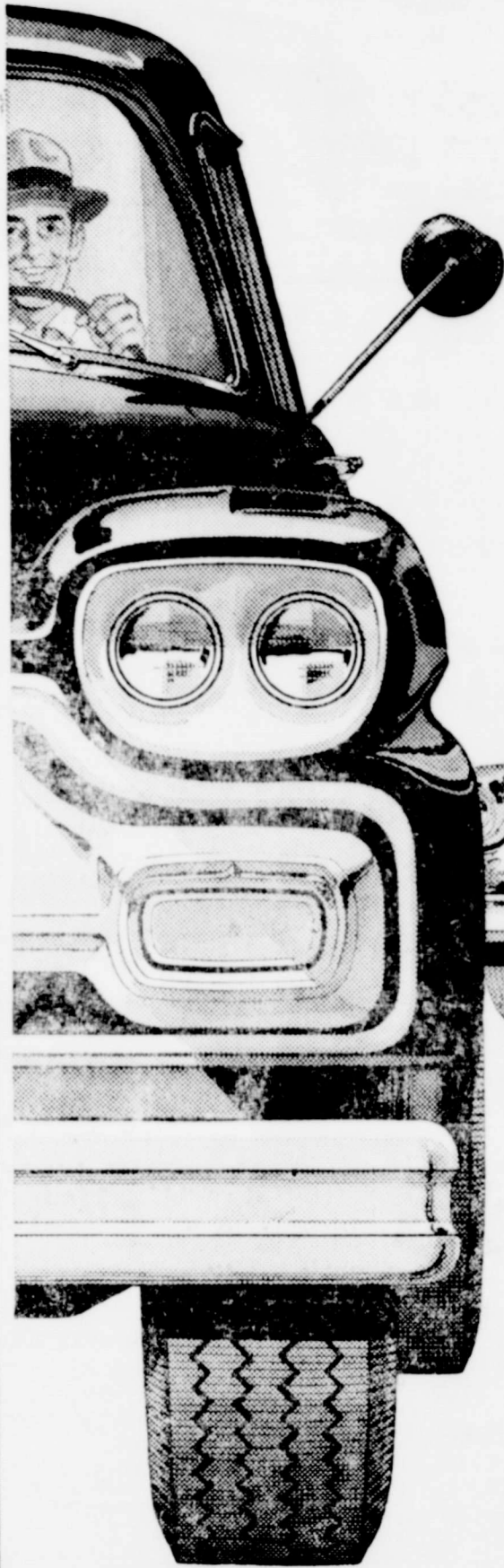
ning when he broke away from a Rankin defense that had been hard all night and moved across for still more points. Film on the game as taken at the time show, however, that Ozona was again clipping—something that had cost them almost 100 yards during the game. Officials failed to see the clip and the score stood.

Statistics kept on the game indicated that the two teams played it even on first downs and that the Lions had only a 40 yard advantage on rushing. Their much heralded passing offense failed to click and most of the game was a running affair.

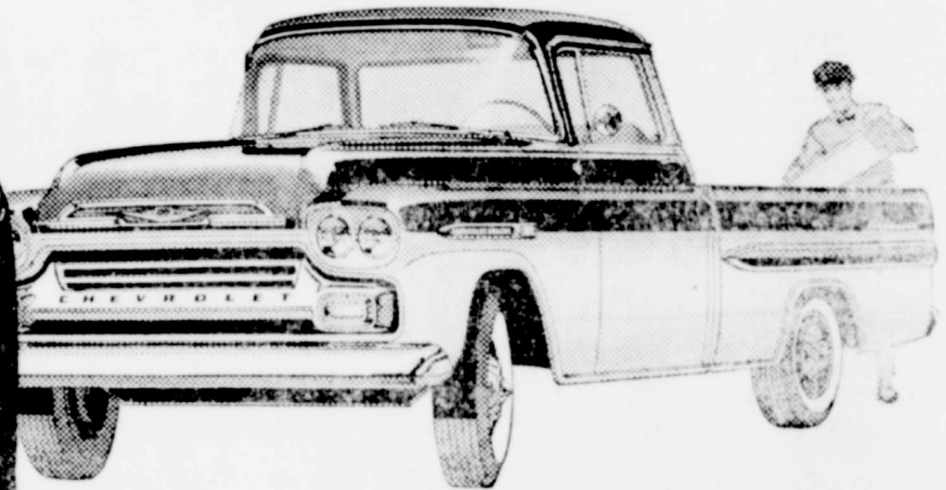
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Annual P-TA Banquet Held Last Tuesday

Mr. G. B. Wadzeck, superintendent of schools at San Angelo, was the principal speaker Tuesday night, September 30 at the annual banquet of Kathrine Secrest Parent-Teacher Association. Mr. Wadzeck spoke on the timely subject of "Education and the World in New Dimensions", using slides to illustrate the main points of his topic. He pointed out how little our nation spends on education as compared to the expenditures for alcohol, tobacco and cosmetics. He suggested the use of a Three Rail system to better prepare our slow-learners and our higher I. Q. students.

Ninety-nine parents and teachers were present. Mrs. Sara Rozean

provided dinner music. A welcome address was given by Mrs. Wayne Sledge, local P-TA president. She urged each member and any interested parties to be present the second Tuesday of each month at 4:00 p.m. to the executive meetings, which are held in the high school library.

She also encouraged each person to become a member of the local organization, and attend each meeting. Mr. J. W. Kennedy gave the invocation with Mr. J. B. Scrivner giving the introduction of the speaker.

Those members who sent in their membership dues but did not attend the meeting will be sent their membership cards along with a year book.

— USE THE CLASSIFIEDS —



LADY HALIFAX—One of the unusual aerial photos taken in the search for oil has been dubbed "Lady Halifax" because of the formation's resemblance to a finely sculptured female head. From pictures like this, photogeologists get clues as to where oil might be found. The top of the Lady's head is outlined by the Blanco River. The profile is formed by a small creek. This area is about 10 miles north of San Marcos in Hays County, Texas.

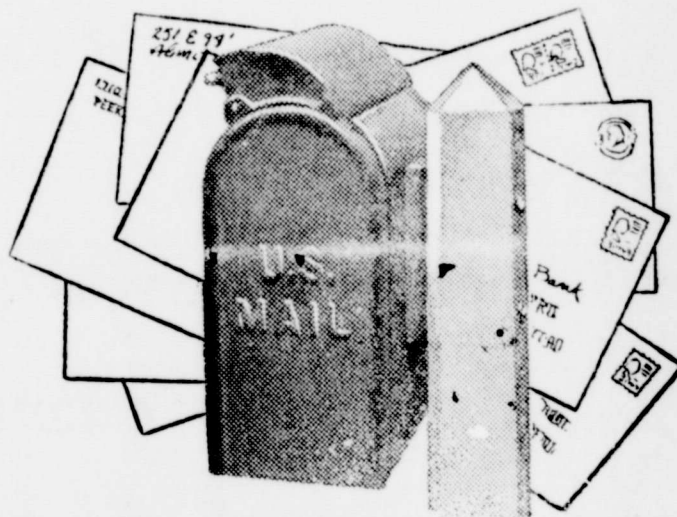
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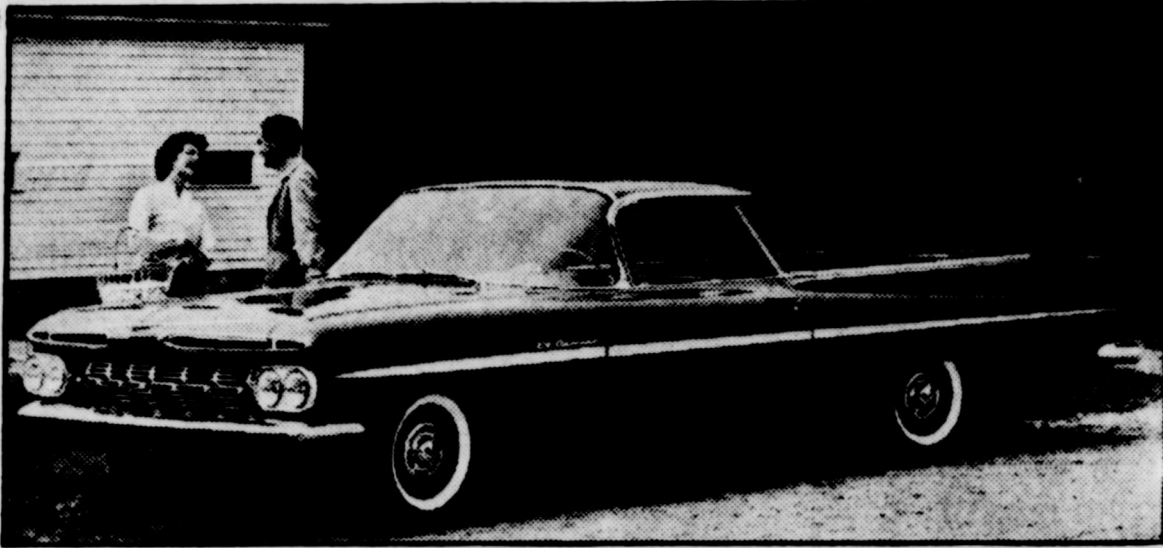
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tended as a true dual purpose vehicle for businessmen, ranchers and farmers, and others needing attractive, comfortable personal transportation and hauling ability in one vehicle. A compound-curved windshield and wrap-around rear window assure pilothouse visibility.

WMU INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

Mrs. J. B. Henderson, McCamey, WMU president of the Castle Gap Association, installed new officers of Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church Wednesday, October 1. The ceremony was centered around a table setting to illustrate the duties and responsibilities of officers. Mrs. R. L. Connally was pianist.

Mrs. Tyson Midkiff was installed as president, succeeding Mrs. J. L. Manry, Jr. Other officers are Mrs. R. H. Bearden and Mrs. J. T. Bushong, vice-presidents; Mrs. Jack Smith, corresponding secretary and treasurer; Mrs. J. L. Manry, Jr., G. A. Director. Circle Chairmen are Mrs. R. H. Bearden, Georgia McCamey Circle and Mrs. Sam Holmes, Lottie Moon Circle.

Committee chairmen are Mrs. W. O. Adams, Mission Study; Mrs. W. A. Sharp, prayer; Mrs. M. J. Edwards, community missions; Mrs. L. W. Bishop, stewardship; Mrs. Zack Monroe, Publications; and Mrs. Sam

The Rankin (Tex.) Thursday, October

BIBLE STUDY UNIT AT NORTHSIDE CHURCH

Adults and Young Northside Church having a Bible Study night at 6:30 p.m.

Currently, they are Old Testament. Mr. is the teacher for Mr. Graig is teaching People.

Holmes, publicity.

Mrs. Midkiff was coffee following the eleven members were

Mr. and Mrs. D. Brady visited in the home and with Mr. ny Hurst over the w

Mr. and Mrs. Big Spring visited the lers Saturday and

Sammie Hodges of ted Saturday with his Dora Hodges.



CHURCH SCHOOL

First Methodist
Lynn McAden

Sunday Program:
Church School
Morning Worship
Evening:
Evening Worship
Youth Fellowship

CHURCH OF

4 Blocks West
Sunday:
Morning Worship
Evening Worship
Wednesday:
Bible Study

Rankin Church

Upton Street
Sunday:
Bible Classes
Worship
Bible Classes
Worship Services
Wednesday:
Bible Classes
Ladies Bible Class
Martin K...
Minister

First Baptist Church

R. L. Shannon
Sunday:
Sunday School
Morning Worship
Training Union
Evening Worship
Mid-Week Service:
Wednesday

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Rankin, Texas

Boggs Grocery & Mkt.

City Of Rankin

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Wallace Lumber Company

First State Bank

Home Appliance

Wheeler Magnolia Service

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L. Porter Johnson's

J. D. Gossett, M. D.

Burt's Ice House

Dixie Service Station

Red Bluff Lumber Co

Clark's Cleaners

Ann's Dress Shop

Beauty Cottage

West Texas Utilities

Lowery & Workman Insurance Agency

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

FIRST STATE BANK OF RANKIN,

Rankin, Texas, at the close of business September 24, 1958, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this state and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	1,681,550.06
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,361,624.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	469,452.59
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	25,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$6,750.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,750.00
Loans and discounts (including \$3,362.02 overdrafts)	1,154,707.22
Bank premises owned \$12,800.00, furniture and fixtures \$12,500.00	25,300.00
(Bank premises owned are subject to \$0 liens not assumed by bank)	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	0
Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises	
of Rankin, Texas, at the close of business June 23, 1958, a State or other real estate	0
Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Other assets	2,443.75
TOTAL ASSETS	4,726,827.62

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,952,102.30
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	682,996.86
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	35,914.80
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,675,022.86
Deposits of banks	0
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	0
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$4,346,036.82
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	0
Mortgages or other liens, \$0 on bank premises and \$0 on other real estate	0
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	0
Other liabilities	0
TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,346,036.82

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	100,000.00
Surplus	125,000.00
Undivided profits	129,797.63
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital) (contingencies)	25,993.17
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	380,790.80
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	4,726,827.62

*This bank's capital consists of:
Common stock with total par value of \$100,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 1,375,989.00

I, D. S. Anderson, Vice-President of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. S. ANDERSON

CORRECT—ATTEST:

J. P. Rankin, Clay Taylor, Dunn Lowery, Directors
State of Texas, County of Upton, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of October, 1958

RUTH HOLCOMB
Notary Public
Upton County, Texas

(NOTARY SEAL)

RELATORS SEE BRIGHT FUTURE FOR WEST TEXAS

Norman Elrod, local relator, attended the Texas Real Estate Association meeting held in the Scarborough Hotel in Midland last Tuesday, September 30. Real Estate men from throughout Texas were on hand.

Elrod stated that the majority of those present were very optimistic about the future growth and development of West Texas. The group also went on record in calling attention of the public to the Amendment that is to be voted on November 4 concerning State Advertising in which an effort will be made—if the amendment is approved by the voters—to attract more industry to Texas.

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Mrs. Otis Odom has returned to Dallas after visiting in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheeler.

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\$120.00

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A GENERAL ELECTRIC ADDING MACHINE

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A DISAPPEARING SCENE—Derricks such as these are in the twilight of a fabulous career. In the past derricks were left at well locations for use if it was necessary to work over the well in the future. Now a portable workover rig is in general use. This derrick, near Big Spring, Texas, will probably be torn down as will many others like it as the industry moves ahead into another year of progress.

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All too often some folks tend to think of insurance as an expensive burden when, actually, it can be used as a very good and sound investment.

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There's A Reason

WHY THE THRIFTY SHOP HERE

Friday and Saturday, October 10th and 11th

Choice MEATS

GRADE AA—cut up if you like LB.

FRYERS 35c

Choice Arm or Chuck ROAST—lb. **53c**

Choice SIRLOIN STEAK lb. **79c**

Choice Beef SHORT BIBS lb. **39c**

ENGLISH BRAND—cello wrap LB.

BACON 57c

Frozen FOODS

Gulf Stream Jumbo Breaded PKG.

SHRIMP 55c

Sun Country—10 oz. pkg. STRAWBERRIES 5 for **\$1.**

Libby's — 10 oz. pkg. CUT CORN 5 for **\$1.**

NIFTY—6 count pkg. 2 FOR

WAFFLES 29c

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

FRESH 2 POUNDS

Tomatoes 25c

10 lbs. Russett POTATOES **39c**

Tokay GRAPES 2 lbs. **29c**

Jucy LEMONS 6 for **25c**

GIANT SIZE BOX
TIDE 69c

Ft. Howard TISSUE 4 roll pack **33c**

Gladiola BISCUITS 10 for **\$1.**

Supreme Pecan Fudge COOKIES **43c**

Reg. 1.10 Economy Size Jergen's LOTION (tax incl.) **89c**

FOLGERS LB.

COFFEE 79c

Austex 300 size—2 cans Spaghefetti and Meat Balls **59c**

Kountry Kist 12 oz. can CORN 4 for **59c**

Stokely's Red Sour—303 size Pitted CHERIES 4 for **\$1.**

Stokely's Tender—303 size Cut Green BEANS 2 for **45c**

Diamond NAPKINS 4 boxes **59c**

ZEST BATH SIZE 3 BARS

SOAP 53c

Stokely's Honey Pod 303 size SWEET PEAS 2 for **45c**

Deer Brand 303 size TOMATOES 4 for **59c**

Spea's VINEGAR qt. **25c**

Betty Crocker white, devils food Or Yellow CAKE MIX 3 for **89c**

HERSHEY'S 1/2 lb. Box

COCOA 39c

GUARDIAN

DOG FOOD

TALL CAN

8 for 25c

CASHWAY

GROCERY AND MKT

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

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE: Humble service station, priced for a quick sale, will sacrifice equipment and count inventory. See Henry Scarborough at Humble Service Station.

FOR SALE: 1951 Ford two-door, 6 cylinder with overdrive. See Horace West at Halliburton's.

LOST: Blonde female Cocker Spaniel, with tags, answers to name of "Sandy". Reward. Call MY 3-2391.

FOR RENT: One and Two-bedroom furnished house. Efficiency apartment, bills paid, \$10 per week. W. O. Adams, phone MY 3-2202.

IRONING WANTED in my home. Ned Malone at rock house corner of Francis and 9th Streets.

FOR RENT: 6-room house, furnished or unfurnished. Also, three-room furnished apartment. Call MY 3-2284.

FOR SALE Two-bedroom stucco home, carport, nice trees and grass on paved street. Corner of Kilborn and 7th St. Write to Bob R. Brasher, Box 627, Blanding, Utah or see Mrs. C. C. Brasher, Rankin.

TV REPAIR SERVICE: All work guaranteed. Pick-up and delivery. Call MY 3-2261, Home Appliance.

FOR RENT: Three-room and bath furnished house on Buckland street. Phone MY 3-2528.

GUARANTEED to write for one full year—365 days— or you get a new pen. This ball point is for sale at The Rankin News for only \$1.29.

SPINET PIANO

Responsible party can arrange most attractive purchase of fine spinet piano. Small monthly payments. Write before we send truck. McFarland Music Co., 722 W. 3rd, Elk City, Oklahoma.

NOTICE — The Rankin News advises readers to make a thorough check on advertisements appearing in this column which require cash investments before signing any agreements or putting up any money.

OPPORTUNITY MAN OR WOMAN

Responsible person from this area, to service and collect from cigarette dispensers. No selling. Car, references, and \$600.00 to \$1800 investment necessary. 7-12 hours weekly nets up to \$350. monthly income. Possibility full-time work. For local interview give phone and particulars. Write International Distributing Co., P. O. Box 865, Okla. City, Okla.

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SCHOOL

OCTOBER MONDAY

Lettuce and French Pork Steak, Gravy, Peas, Carrots, Hot Baked Potatoes, Grapefruit Sections

TUESDAY

Vegetable Salad, French Fries, English Peas, Milk, Apple Pie

WEDNESDAY

Pickles and Onions, Pinto Beans, Potato Butter, Blackberry Pie

THURSDAY

Celery and Carrot Loaf, Boiled Cabbage, Corn, Hot Rolls, Peach Halves

FRIDAY

Lettuce and Tomato Roast, Gravy, Candied Beans, Milk, Bread

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. returned to their home after visiting in Mexico with their daughter and Mr. and Mrs. W. O.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack ton, Oklahoma, are week with his brother and family. Mr. Jack is presently heading the college newspaper.

Miss Esther Clark the week end with her mother and Mrs. Linton Clark is presently heading the college newspaper.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to extend thanks to all of our neighbors, to Dr. G. staff of the Rankin the IOOF and Rebekah to the membership of the side Church of Christ. Our deepest and most grateful thanks to each and every one of you. The Murray McCauley

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