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RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

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FOOTBALL TIME ALRIGHT— Almost any afternoon almost any block in Rankin, you will now find a scrimmage of the Pee-Wee football teams— that the season is at hand. Here, l-r, are Brian, Hal Hutchens, Rickie Edgar, Roger Sul-James Holt, qb. There seems to have been a little trouble in the backfield. Uniforms are optional, rules are optional, the play, centers go down for passes, the players have their own quarterback and everybody stands in line for Rankin.

SCHOOL ACTIVITY NOTES UPCOMING EVENTS

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Go-Kart Association Opens Club To \$2 Membership

Rankin Go-Kart Club members and interested persons met last Monday at 8:30 p.m. in the Commissioners Court Room at the Courthouse and discussed further their plans for building a race track in Rankin. President Billy Brown displayed two track designs that he had drawn to scale. The two contained curves, turns and straight-a-ways. Both were of the same design but different in the distances covered. One was accepted by the members as that

which would best fit the present need for a Rankin track. At the same time, a membership plan was discussed and it was decided to set a \$2.00 dues charge per month. This membership gives the holder the privilege of attending all events of the club free of the usual gate charges. In regards to rules and regulations concerning the track, races, and other events connected with the club, it was decided to follow the rules set up by the National

Go-Kart rules and regulations committee. Membership cards have been printed and are now being sold. As has been pointed out previously it is not necessary to own a Go-Kart or take any active part in the program in order to be eligible for membership in the organization. "We would like to have as many members as we can get," Brown has said. "The more help we get on this project, the better track we will be able to build for Rankin with a resulting greater benefit to all concerned," he said. Present plans call for the construction of the track in a corner of the rodeo arena with work to get underway as soon as details can be arranged.

Big Lake Pastor Chosen To Lead Baptist Revival

Rev. DeWitt Chandler, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Big Lake, will be the evangelist for the Revival services opening at the Rankin First Baptist Church Sunday, September 4. Services will be held twice daily from the 4th through the 11th. Chandler is described as a good preacher and forceful speaker who has done outstanding work at Big Lake. He was formerly pastor in the Abilene area and is well known in that section for outstanding work as a pastor and evangelist. The Singer for the services will be Charles Kirkpatrick of Royalty. He has led the singing in a number of Youth-Led and church revivals this summer and is recognized as an outstanding singer. He plans to enter Hardin-Simmons this fall as a music student to prepare for a director of music and



DEWITT CHANDLER
... evangelist

Notice of School Equalization Board Meeting Is Given

Wm. H. Scarborough, secretary of the Board of Equalization of the Rankin Independent School district, has given notice that the board will be in session at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, August 25 at the high school library. Any person having business with, or wishing to discuss the tax valuation of their property located within the Rankin Independent School District, is invited to be on hand at that time for discussions with the board. Scarborough also announced that, in order for a more equitable equalization of local property with that of mineral property located

education work in churches. He is the son of Rev. L. L. Kirkpatrick, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Royalty and is 19-years-old.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Crayton of Iraan are the parents of a son born August 17 at 9:56 a.m., weighing 7 lbs. 8½ ozs. and named Morris Dale.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Gossett of Rankin are the parents of a daughter born August 18 at 5:45 a.m. weighing 7 lbs., 14 ozs and named Jamie Dee.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hurst of Rankin are the parents of a daughter born August 18 at 8:45 p.m. weighing 7 lbs., 12½ ozs and named Ennisa Elizabeth.

Midkiff Methodist Revival Underway

Revival Services at the First Methodist Church at Midkiff began Sunday night, August 21 and will run through Sunday night, August 28. The evangelist is Rev. James Merrell from the Pioneer Methodist Church at Sprayberry and the Garden City Methodist Church. There is special music and the children are urged to attend to help the youth choir each evening. Everyone is cordially invited. The pastor of the Midkiff Methodist Church is Rev. John Carr.

Gene McCain Hired At Paducah Schools

A news story taken from the Paducah, Texas newspaper tells of the employment of Gene McCain, son of Mrs. Barcy McCain of Rankin, as a teacher in the junior high school there and will also serve as junior high coach and as assistant to head coach Wayne McLean. McCain, who is 23-years-old and married, received his physical education degree from North Texas State College in January. He is a graduate of Rankin High School and Cisco Junior College.

Historical Society To Meet In McCamey

Upton County Historical Society will meet August 30 at 7:30 p.m. at the McCamey Park Building at which time officers for the coming year will be elected. All members and persons who are interested in Upton County history are urged to attend.

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THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

CONFIDENCE—

They say one must have confidence to succeed in his undertakings. Ennis Hurst down at Hurst Barbecue is a prime example of this old saw. Ennis made a little wager with all his help about the then forthcoming birth of a new heir to the Hurst fortunes. Ennis agreed to pay his help double on the day the new child was born

if it was a girl. If it was a boy, said help agreed to work the day without pay.

Perhaps you have already read in the birth announcements: "Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Hurst of Rankin are the parents of a daughter, etc, etc."

And who was the wise guy who said girls are cheaper to raise than boys? Look out for the price of lemonade to jump to two for a quarter.

GUEST EDITORIAL—

Down at Ozona, Editor W. Evert White of the "Ozona Stockman" does not sound off too frequently but when he does, it's usually worth repeating. This week, I am using an editorial of his from his issue of August 18.

HOLD YOUR NOSE BUT VOTE 'ER STRAIGHT"

An acquaintance of ours from farther east in this state stopped for a brief visit the other day and in the course of an otherwise non-controversial conversation, we drifted into politics.

"I'll tell you one thing," he said, "I'm not going to let any one man keep me from voting Democratic ticket." Prior statements had in-

dicated he was more than somewhat unhappy with the selection of John Kennedy as his party's presidential candidate.

But being the rock-ribbed, brass collar type of Democrat whose pappy and grandpappy before him were Democrats and "voted 'er straight," he was willing to hold his nose and do likewise. At least there's a spark of intelligent thought trying to make a light in his brain, though the blanket of unthinking devotion to a party label has successfully extinguished it for the present.

In more or less the same vein is the editorial endorsement of the Kennedy-Johnson ticket appearing in last Sunday's San Angelo Standard-Times. Only difference is that in this case it's "hold your

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In our book, it's "hold your nose and vote for Johnson" or "hold your nose and vote for Kennedy." We don't intend to do either.
(Editors Note: One gets the impression that Editor White does not like LBJ or JFK, doesn't one?)

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tieman visited in Comanche over the week-end

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7:30 P. M.

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MIRACLE WHIP



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THE SCOOP—
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his outstanding virtue and sufficient to earn the editorialist's support. LBJ, he said, was a fellow "who had to be reckoned with" out at Los Angeles.

"He had to be reckoned with," the editorial declared profoundly, "because he has always been committed to his party regardless of which way it turned. As galling as it must have been at times, he has never threatened or implied the desire of defecting from the party in any third party move."

There you are, folks. That's vice presidential timber for you! Does not a fellow who has been that loyal to his political party deserve to be elevated to the second highest office in this great nation? What difference if he sacrificed principal, galling as it might have been at times," he stayed firmly committed to his party didn't he?

But to quote further:

"He (Johnson, he's still talking about) did not follow the popular path of supporting Gen. Eisenhower though the Republicans promised and delivered Texas' tidelands back after some Democrats had tried to take them away."

What difference did it make that his own party wanted to take the tidelands oil revenue from Texas school kids—loyalty to his party came first, didn't it? If his party wanted to take the tidelands away from Texas, then this powerful figure in the Democratic party would help them. He didn't follow the "popular path" and vot for the party that "promised and delivered" Texas tidelands back to Texas. No siree, he remained loyal to his party and you and I should be grateful to him for that and "vote 'er straight!" What difference a few billion dollars to support Texas' public school system. Party loyalty's what makes a man great.

"Senator Johnson rose in his party to become its most powerful leader," the editorialist continued. "In doing so he has held the firebrands and radicals at

bay."

He demonstrated that, didn't he, out at Los Angeles when he and his party faithfuls waged that determined "All the way with LBJ" campaign through the Democratic convention and emerged with a kick in the teeth in the voting for the party's standard bearer? And he was still holding the firebrands and radicals at bay when he came crawling on his belly to accept the crumb of second place on the ballot.

That was hardly a fitting role for the party's "most powerful leader." And if he is the "great moderate" he has been pictured, and able to hold the "firebrands and radicals at bay" how come he had to accept a platform that calls for a police state with unlimited federal powers to regulate the lives of people, a socialistic do-gooder program that would ultimately spend this nation into bankruptcy, and a labor policy that has won the unqualified endorsement of Walter Reuther, George Meany and other labor barons whose fet and unregulated political war chests will doubtless be opened to elect this ticket.

Far from "holding the firebrands and radicals at bay", Johnson gratefully accepted the v.p. nomination handed to him by these same firebrands and radicals because they thought thus to deceive the South into supporting these same radicals in November. And they know, better than a lot of Texans, that Johnson is far from "moderate" or middle of the road, but far, far left as he has demonstrated time after time with support of civil rights legislation, of the attempt to repeal the Connally amendment to give the World Court jurisdiction over domestic matters in the United States, and various welfare state spending measures in the Senate.

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT**

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT ELECTION TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10 AS AMENDMENT TO SECTION 49-B OF THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS, SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE RATE ON BONDS HEREAFTER ISSUED BY THE VETERANS' LAND BOARD; AND PROVIDING FOR THE DATE OF SUCH ELECTION AND THE IS-PROCLAMATION THEREOF.

RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, BEING THE 56TH LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION, 1959, THAT SECTION 49-B, ARTICLE III OF THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS, BE AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

"NOTWITHSTANDING, the authority of the Veterans' Land Board to issue bonds hereafter at a rate or rates of interest not to exceed three and one-half percent (3½%) per annum, shall become effective upon the date of its adoption."

That Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas by adding thereto a provision authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue the bonds authorized under such Section to bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed three and one-half percent (3½%) per annum."

"AGAINST the Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas by adding thereto a provision authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue the bonds authorized under such Section to bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed three and one-half percent (3½%) per annum."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective from the date set forth in said Amendment, and the Governor shall issue a proclamation in keeping therewith.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of the state.

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT**

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT ELECTION TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11 AS AMENDMENT TO SECTION 11 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS, SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE RATE ON BONDS HEREAFTER ISSUED BY THE VETERANS' LAND BOARD; AND PROVIDING FOR THE DATE OF SUCH ELECTION AND THE IS-PROCLAMATION THEREOF.

RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, BEING THE 56TH LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION, 1959, THAT SECTION 11, ARTICLE III OF THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS, BE AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

"NOTWITHSTANDING, the authority of the Veterans' Land Board to issue bonds hereafter at a rate or rates of interest not to exceed three and one-half percent (3½%) per annum, shall become effective upon the date of its adoption."

That Section 11, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

interest is agreed upon, the rate shall not exceed six per centum (6%) per annum. Should any regulatory agency, acting under the provisions of this Section, cancel or refuse to grant any permit under any law passed by the Legislature; then such applicant or holder shall have the right of appeal to the courts and granted a trial de novo as that term is used in appealing from the justice of peace court to the county court."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment giving the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest; and providing for a maximum rate of interest of ten per centum (10%) per annum in the absence of legislation fixing maximum rates of interest."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment giving the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest; and providing for a maximum rate of interest of ten per centum (10%) per annum in the absence of legislation fixing maximum rates of interest."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for the said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

TEXAS LAWMEN

John Barclay Armstrong, Ranger

"We had a little shooting and I walked away"

In the turbulent 1870's the Texas Ranger's primary duty was to meet the outlaw breeds—the embittered Indian, the Mexican bandit, the American desperado—on enemy ground, and deliver them safely to the jail door or the cemetery. John Barclay Armstrong sent quite a few customers to both places. Unwelcome Mexicans were promptly and permanently discouraged at Palo Alto Prairie and Las Cuevas. Intransigent redskins were said to fold their teepees at the sound of his name. Among the well known trouble makers he escorted to the calabozo were the notorious King Fisher and bad man John Wesley Hardin.

Meanwhile, at home base in Austin, Mollie Durst Armstrong had problems of her own—seven little Armstrongs. So father John B. then about 30 years old, retired from the Rangers to a quieter, more remunerative job, U. S. Marshal. Shortly after, and again with financial progress in mind, he tackled the cattle business and successfully established the 50,000-acre Armstrong ranch in what is now Willacy County. There he lived peacefully and prosperously until his death on May 1, 1913.

Again it was proved that a qualified and experienced Texas Ranger could do just about anything he set out to, if it was for the good of his country or his family.

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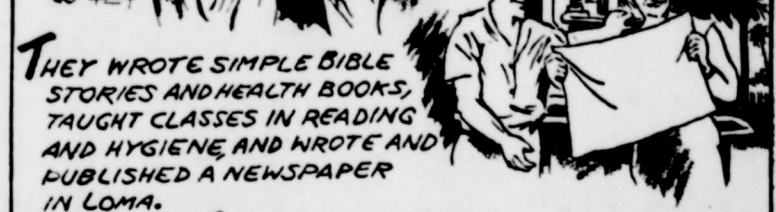
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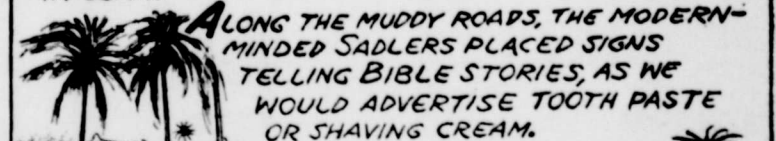
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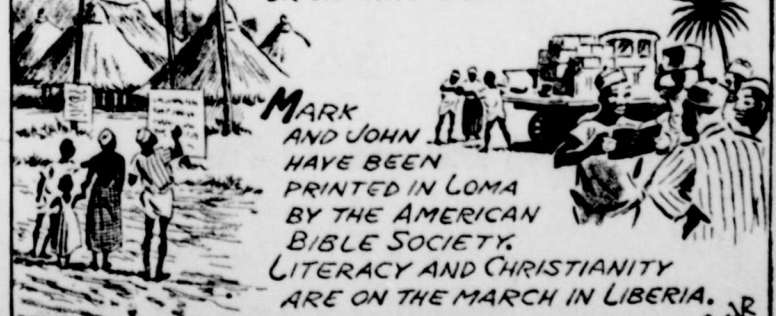
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HOSPITAL NOTES

E. C. Higday of Rankin was admitted June 29.
Mrs. H. L. Walstrom of Iraan was admitted July 21.
Claude Hill, Jr. of Rankin was admitted July 29 and dismissed August 17.
Mrs. J. L. Manry of Rankin was admitted August 3.
Roger Coots, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Coots of Iraan was admitted August 9 and dismissed August 22.
Carl Baker of Iraan was admitted August 9 and dismissed on August 19.
Mr. Truman Thurman of Iraan was admitted August 12.
Allen Beckett, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Beckett of Iraan was admitted August 17.
Mrs. J. D. Gossett of Rankin was admitted August 17.
Mr. Lassaro Abalos of Rankin was admitted August 18 and dismissed August 20.
Mrs. G. E. Hurst of Rankin was admitted August 18.
Mr. E. R. Copeland of Iraan was admitted August 18 and dismissed August 19.
Mr. B. D. Wilson of Rankin was admitted August 13 and dismissed August 17.
Mrs. R. L. Ringham and baby girl of McCamey were admitted August 16 and dismissed August 18.
Mrs. Gerald Crayton of Iraan was admitted August 17 and dismissed August 20.
Mrs. Howard Ramsey of Iraan was admitted August 19 and dismissed August 22.
Rev. Robert A. English, pastor of the Methodist Church in Iraan was admitted August 22.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hudson of Temple, former Rankin residents, are spending a few days here attending to business and visiting friends.

Mrs. Dora Hodges spent the past week in Eldorado with her son and family, Sammie Hodges.

The Rankin (Temple) Thursday, August 24

Taylor Kin In California

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Kin and their children and Mrs. Taylor were in a car wreck. They were enroute California to Santa Ana when the accident occurred. Neva Rae was more injured than the other children. Mrs. Rody and Ed cuts and bruises by the ones were not reported. The last report from Mrs. C. G. Taylor is that they were all recovering satisfactorily. Mrs. Rody's daughter.

DeWayne L. Announce T

Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne L. are the parents of August 14 at 7:15 Clinic Hospital weighing 9 lbs. 1 oz. Bill Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne have two other sons, Wayne, 4-years-old, and Clay, 2.

Maternal great-grandfather Mr. W. G. Guller. Paternal grandparents Mrs. T. E. Linder. Grandparents are Jeff Langford, all of Temple.

Martha and Mary at home after attending school at North Texas College in Denton. They graduated their high school summer and will be home this fall. They turn to North Texas.

Mrs. O. C. Scar entered a San Antonio Thursday for surgery. She has been released and is now believed that she was bitten by a spider. Surgery will be necessary.

THE AMERICAN WAY



JUST WHEN DO TAXES GET TOO HIGH?

VERY SIMPLE—WHEN YOU'RE GETTING BACK LESS THAN YOU'RE PAYING FOR!

A Logical Answer

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Marma Jean Norris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wheeler, was the first of the week for where she is a member of the school faculty.

Mrs. Carroll Sproul and her family have returned from a vacation at Granite Shoals and are staying with relatives in El Paso.

Mrs. Tom Johnson of San Gabriel, Calif. and Mrs. Jim Shaw of Barnhart visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Shaw.

Mrs. Opal Nix has as her guest her sister, Mrs. Chris (Revis) Plicker of Sacramento, Calif. and her niece, Mrs. Geo. (Maurine Clay) Presse of North Hollywood.

A NICE SELECTION of Bride's Books and Scrap Books at The Rankin News office.

Red Devils Step Up FB Training Schedule

The Rankin Red Devils stepped up their practice to twice-a-day this week as they continued to prepare for their opener with the Reagan County Owls here September 2. They are now quartered in the Rankin Park Building for one week and are taking their meals in cafes.

Coach Leach has said that this year's crew—which is now up to 40 boys—has displayed fine spirit in their workouts thus far and seem to be willing to work and to learn.

"And we can certainly stand a

lot of learning. We looked very bad Monday night," he said.

The more experienced boys—as was expected—have shown the most promise thus far in workouts.

"Willie Boyd has been following his interference good so far," Leach said. He also had good words for fullback Jimmy Linticum. In the line work, Fred Moore with his 205 pounds has been the big man to handle. Robert Browning, 196 pound Sophomore, was working as a substitute center in Tuesday night practice. Jack Mc-

GULLEY WASHERS—

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pick-up beds".

Still other rain was reported at Texas Natural Gasoline Plant and on the Tommy Workman Ranch, all to the east and north of town.

A flash rain also cut off traffic on the Crane road for about a half hour.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION—

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within the district, a 7 per cent raise in local value over the 1959 value has been paced in effect on local property by the Board of Equalization.

Cain, Senior All-District man, is the starting center man.

Leach has indicated that he and his assistants are still worried about their line backers and have expressed the opinion that their offense may be easier to get into shape than their defense.

"Fans are welcome to come out and watch us work out anytime," the coach said, "and to attend any scrimmage games we might play but we do not like to give prior notice of these scrimmages since we might get a scout or two from some of our opponents".

Indications are that the squad will be in good physical condition for their opener. Only one boy was out of practice Wednesday and he was suffering from a strain encountered through lifting one of the blocking dummies. Moore, who was limping the first week of practice after having been stepped on, was looking much more active in practice this week. A few cases of sore feet were reported and the usual early-season raw muscles, but these appear to be working out.

Connie Mitchell Is Birthday Honoree

Mrs. Andy Mitchell honored her daughter, Connie, on her eighth birthday with a party on Saturday afternoon in their home.

Games were played and the guests were served ice cream, drinks and birthday cake.

Mrs. Fred Prentice was reported to be recovering in Alpine from an attack of acute appendicitis. She did not have to undergo any operation as was first reported. Mr. Prentice, who was in San Antonio attending a band clinic, had been notified and was expected in Alpine Wednesday.

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20-30 Anns Have Party
 The 20-30 Anns held their meet-
 ing on Tuesday night, September
 13, at the home of Mrs. Henry
 Brown. The meeting was held in
 the dining room and was a most
 enjoyable affair. Mrs. Brown
 acted as hostess and served a
 delicious dinner. The program
 consisted of a report on the
 year's work, a presentation of
 the year's work, and a report
 on the year's work. The meet-
 ing was a most successful one
 and all enjoyed it very much.

Family Reunion Held Sunday
 The Haggans family reunion
 was held at the home of Mrs.
 L. H. Haggan on Sunday, Sep-
 tember 18. The reunion was
 a most successful one and all
 enjoyed it very much. The
 program consisted of a report
 on the year's work, a presenta-
 tion of the year's work, and a
 report on the year's work.

Lunch Menus At Schools
 School menus for the month
 of September have been
 prepared and are available at
 the Rankin News office.

Bride Elect Given Party At Knolle Home
 Miss Margaret Knolle was
 elected bride elect of the
 year. She was given a party
 at her home on Saturday
 afternoon. The party was
 a most successful one and
 all enjoyed it very much.

Miss Honoree At Shower
 Miss Lorena Wainwright was
 the honoree at a shower held
 at the home of Mrs. Wainwright
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Miss Maggie Taylor, Mrs. Hamp Carter, Mrs. J. W. Robbins, Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Blanche Mitchell and Mrs. M. J. Edwards attended the Bloys Encampment.

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**Tri-County Award
To Stockton Student**

Barbara Addick of Fort Stockton was awarded the 1960 Tri-County Council Scholarship of \$150 which is given each year to a high school graduate. She plans to enter Texas University this fall.

The Tri-County Unit is composed of Upton, Crane and Pecos counties and the four high schools of Rankin, McCamey, Crane and Fort Stockton.

Pat Dishman of Rankin was the award winner in 1957.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller and children of Midland visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Higday.

SUDDEN THOUGHT—

Blessed are the poor for they do not have to borrow money with which to pay income taxes.

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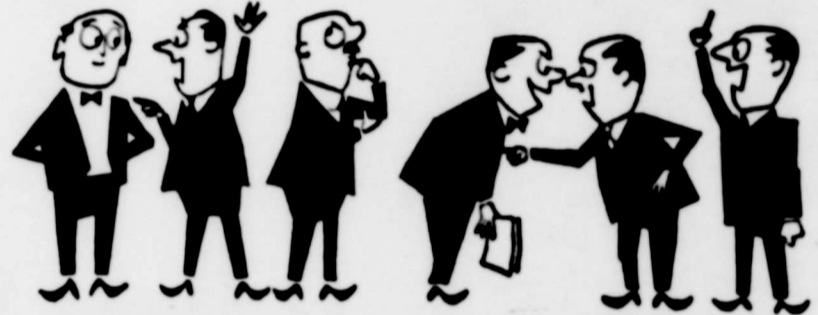


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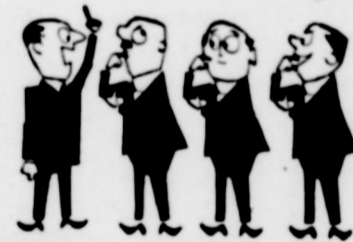
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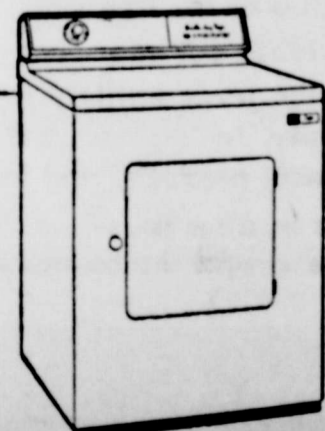
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I was down at the Yates Hotel getting another manager down there and I did plan to visit with you all but was too busy. Keep the good work going down there.

Sincerely
MRS. G. A. BLACK
Panhandle Hotel
Panhandle, Texas

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DALLAS

BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the County Court of Law Number Two, Dallas County, Texas, on a Judgment rendered in said Court on the 1st day of April, 1959, in favor of TEXACO, INC., and against ROBERT B. PAYNE and FRANK W. CASS, Individually and d/b/a THUNDERBIRD DRILLING COMPANY in the case of TEXACO, INC., VS. ROBERT B. PAYNE and FRANK W. CASS, Individually and d/b/a THUNDERBIRD DRILLING COMPANY, Number 8986-B, in such Court, I did, on the 8th day of July, 1960, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., levy upon the following described property:

One-half working interest of an oil well located in the SW1/4 Section 40, Block 38 T-5S, T & P RR Co., Survey, Upton County, Texas.

And on the 6th day of September, 1960, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a.m., and four o'clock p.m., on said day, at the Court House Door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said ROBERT B. PAYNE, and FRANK W. CASS, Individually and d/b/a THUNDERBIRD DRILLING COMPANY, in and to said property.

DATED at Rankin, Texas, this 8th day of August, 1960.

H. E. ECKOLS
Sheriff of Upton County, Texas
Edith Windham, Deputy

4-25

Lt. Granger Serving At Hawaiian Base

KANEHOE BAY, Hawaii—Marine 1st Lt. James H. Granger, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Granger of Rankin and husband of the former Miss Donna B. Fisher of Barrien Springs, is serving as an aerial observer with Headquarters Company, First Marine Brigade at the Marine Corps Air Station, Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii.

He graduated from the Brigade's Aerial Observation School on July 7.

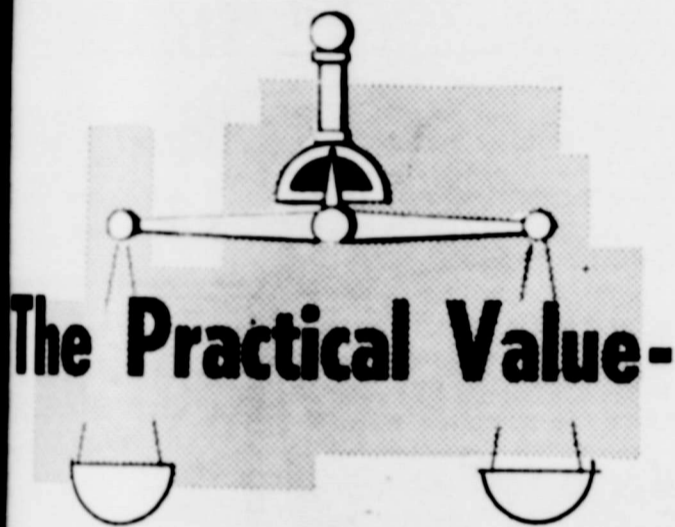
Before entering the service in June, 1958, 1st Lt. Granger was graduated from the University of Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Anderson spent the week end in Abilene with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson and family. Their granddaughters Nancy and Cathy accompanied them home for a week's visit.

ATTEND SHEFFIELD REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Shaw, Bill Taylor, Mrs. Zael Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Yocum, Mrs. Opal Nix and Mrs. Mary Pierce attended the Old Timers Reunion at Sheffield on Saturday, August 20.



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