

# The Rankin News

Serving the Interests of Rankin and Upton County

NUMBER 24

RANKIN, UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 1966

## Texas Youth Conference



**DAMS**  
Adams, son of Mr. Adams and Che- daughter of Mr. Little of Ran- selected as dele- 18th Annual Texas to be held in 18-21 on the Uni-



**LITTLE**  
The conference will attract over 1200 youth leaders from all over Texas to study projects for the prevention of juvenile delinquency in Texas communities. Rankin Lions Club and Rankin Youth Center will sponsor the two students at the conference.

## PLANS STILL ON SAY SUPPORTERS--

# PROPOSED MUSEUM DEAL NIXED IN COMMISSIONER COURT VOTE

Among actions taken last Monday in the meeting of Upton County Commissioners' Court was the motion, made by Commissioner H. Wheeler and seconded by Commissioner Tommy Workman, that Upton County purchase the old Harlan Hotel and rework it, if feasible, into a County Museum and for any other purpose for county use that might arise.

On the motion, Commissioners Wheeler and Workman voted "Aye", and Commissioners E. K. Buford and Joe Conger and County Judge Allen Moore voted "Nay." The motion was defeated.

In casting his tie-breaking vote on the "Nay" side, Judge Moore set forth two reasons in the minutes of the court:

1. Because the City of Rankin is not participating in the project, and
2. The site of the project being contained to one location.

In previous discussions between the Commissioners' Court and supporters of museum projects in both McCamey and Rankin, the court had gone on record as a-

greeting to put up two-thirds of the cost of erecting the buildings for the museums. The two cities—or private organizations—were to supply the other third of the funds to be used. It was this agreement that the Judge Moore made reference to in his statements.

In McCamey, where their museum is nearing completion, the City and an assortment of civic groups and individuals raised the required one-third cost. In Rankin, the city had indicated that they were willing to participate but that funds—estimated at about \$2000, were not available at this time.

The site that was under consideration, the old Harlan Hotel, is currently owned by Norman Elrod and consists of the land and the remains of the bottom floor of what was once the three-story building. It is understood that the selling price was to have been around \$2500.

In talking with supporters of the Rankin Museum project on Tuesday and Wednesday, following the courts' actions, the News was told that generally, plans for

the museum were still on but that what further action would be taken was indefinite at this time.

### BIDS CALLED FOR

In other actions taken by the court in their Monday meeting, advertisements for bids on the additions and remodeling to the Rankin Hospital were called issued. A copy of the bid notices is printed elsewhere in this issue of the News. Bids are to be opened on July 12. Additions and remodeling will be carried out along the present architectural style of the hospital.

In still other actions, the Court created the Upton County Planning Agency and appointed the four commissioners as members of the Board of the Agency. It will be the Agency's purpose, among others, is to assist in a study of the resources of the county. This study is to be made by a Federal Agency.

## Don Williams is new Telephone Manager



**DON WILLIAMS**  
... new SWB manager

Don Williams, commercial staff assistant for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Midland, has been named manager for the company here succeeding Ben Young, Monahans, who has been promoted to manager for the company at Odessa. Williams will be in charge of the company's commercial and business office operations in Rankin. Ivan, Kermit, McCamey, Wink and Monahans. He will headquarter in Monahans.

Williams began his telephone career as a lineman on an un-

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## Veterans Announce Special Sunday Services

... Koehler, Detroit, will be at 10:30 a.m. and every- one is invited to attend, accord- ing to a spokesman for the church. Services will also be on June 19, it was week. Services

... ONE INVITED TO ATTEND --

## BAPTIST SCHEDULE REVIVAL BEGINNING NEXT SUNDAY, 19TH

Ford, Baptist Bible at Angelo State Angelo, and pastor Baptist Church, Mert- the evangelist in a revival service begin- Rankin First Baptist day, June 19. Serv- ed to be held twice at 10:00 a.m. in the and 7:30 p.m. in the

for the revival, and on Sunday, June Jerry N. Purkapple, education and music, Baptist Church of the evangelist and to be on hand for services and will be ations about Rankin coming week.

First Baptist Church, on Bible School open day and will close on extended a warm and come to all people of

in the days ahead in an effort to extend this welcome personally to the people of this area.



**J. RICHARD FORD**  
... evangelist

Rev. Shannon said that a num- ber of visitations would be made

A "graduation" program will be held Friday.

## Baseball Play Moved to Rankin Field

Action in the Teen-Age Base- ball League moved to Rankin this week after having been sched- uled for play in McCamey. Wind damage to lights at the McCamey field prevented the

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# THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

## THE RUNNERS—

Out in California they have given a big nod to the election of a movie star for Republican governor of that state. They already have a movie star senator.

With all the tuck the movie people are having getting elected to public office, we'd better hope that Lassie doesn't feel a yen to run for president in '68.

Can't you just see the campaign posters: "Three trees to the block and a fire plug on every corner."

But . . . in your heart you know that makes as much sense as some campaign slogans.

And then there is always Bobby Kennedy.

There's just one thing that I will say about Bobby Kennedy—publically—and that is he makes

**JOHN A. MENEFFEE**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
Rankin, Texas  
Residence: McCamey  
OLive 2-3087

The Rankin (Tex.) News—  
Thursday, June 16, 1966

Hubert Humphrey look mighty good when it comes to comparing the two for presidential timber—if you don't mind using material with knot holes in it.

## A SIGN—

Announcement of sorts was made this week of the closing of one of Rankin oldest business undertakings. They didn't exactly announce its closing, they just didn't open.

That's the Rankin Recreation Center—the pool hall to most.

And its closing was not necessarily brough about because of a lack of prospective customers. There are as many folk around who are prone to recreate in the pool hall as ever—maybe more. But who has the time any more?

It seems that the Great Society is such a grand thing that everybody has to work full time in order to be able to enjoy the  
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McCamey—OL 2-4601 Crane—JO 4-3543

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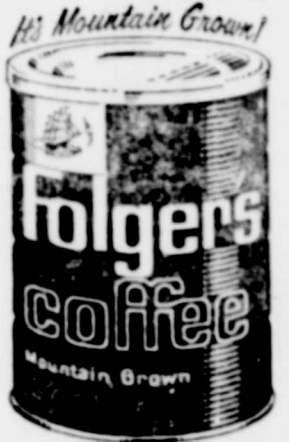
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## SPECIALS for Friday and Saturday, JUNE 17th &

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- FRESH CANTALOUPE LB. 12c
  - Fresh AVACADOS each 10c
  - Calif. Long White POTATOES 10-lb. Bag 45c



- Frozen Foods**
- MEADS 24-ct. pkg. 27c
  - ROLLS 29c
  - Nature Ripe—10-oz. pkg. STRAWBERRIES 29c
  - Chuck Wagon—lb. pk g. FROZEN STEAKS 79c
  - GANDY'S Half-Gallon ICE CREAM 69c
  - Bird's Eye 10-oz. pkg. CUT OKRA 2 for 39c

- Choice Meats**
- ARM OR CHUCK LB. ROAST 49c
  - BEEF LB. RIBS 29c
  - FRESH LB. FRYERS 35c
  - CLUB LB. STEAK 59c
  - ROUND LB. STEAK 85c
  - ENGLISH BRAND LB. BACON 69c
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  - 303 Stokely's RED PITTED CHERRIES, 2 for
  - 303 Stokely's Cut GREEN BEANS 2 for
  - White Albacore flat can Chicken of Sea Tuna each
  - 46-oz. can Hi-C ORANGE DRINK 3 for
  - 303 Stokely's FRUIT COCKTAIL 2 for
  - 303 Stokely's PEACHES 2 for
  - 303 Van Camp's PORK & BEANS 2 for
  - GIANT SIZE TIDE
  - 20-oz. Del Monte CATSUP each
  - 22-oz. Libby's Dill PICKLES each
  - Powdered/Brown, 1b. boxes SUGAR 2 boxes
  - 18-oz. Bama PRESERVES each PEACH, APRICOT, PINEAPPLE
  - 22-oz. Ivory LIQUID SOAP each
  - 303 Stokely's Honey Pod PEAS 2 for
  - 303 Kimbell's Blackeyed PEAS WITH SNAPS 2 for
  - Zee 4-roll pkg. TOILET TISSUE

# BOGGS GROCERY AND MARKET

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Commissioners' Court

that, perhaps, is not

of the most urgent importance but, nevertheless, is one that has a great deal of meaning to some folk. It concerned the proposed museum for Rankin or the Upton County Museum as it is officially called.

Supporters of the museum have sought out the assistance of the county in constructing the building. This assistance was promised—with certain reservations.

These same reservations—that the City of Rankin participate in the cost with the county—were agreed upon and applied to the museum built in McCamey. After two years, McCamey got their building with both the City of McCamey and Upton County contributing money toward its construction.

Monday, a motion was made in Court that the county purchase a certain site and convert it into a museum. This proposal was defeated three-two with the deciding vote being cast by County Judge Allen Moore. Moore set out his feelings on the matter in a statement on record in the

minutes of the court. Among his reasons for voting against the proposal was the fact that the original agreement made with Rankin—as it had been with McCamey—that the city participate in the cost, was not being followed.

And that's how the matter now stands.

And if I were to make a suggestion to the supporters of the Rankin museum, it would be to turn their attentions to presenting their undertaking to the city fathers once again. If the need for participation on the part of the city gets enough local support, there's no reason to think the City of Rankin could not work out some arrangement for such participation.

It's true, City of Rankin is not one of the more flourishing institutions in the county but on the other hand, City of Rankin is not so poor that some \$2000 cannot be raised if the need is apparent and enough people are interested in having a museum to lend their support to the ef-

fort. If, on the other hand, there is not enough local support to warrant the city's participation, then it would appear that the museum question is dead for the present.

### Snelson says Thanks to Upton Voters; Will Not Contest

State Senator Pete Snelson of Midland expressed today his appreciation to the voters of the 25th Senatorial District for support received in the Democratic Primary.

"I am particularly proud of having carried Upton County as well as a majority of the counties in the newly revised district," said Senator Snelson. "I want to thank everyone who made this possible."

The final canvass in the race saw Senator Snelson lose to Dorsey Hardeman, another state Senator, by 61 votes out of more than 42,000 cast.

Since the canvass Senator Snelson said that he had been faced with the decision of whether to accept or to challenge the apparent outcome.

"In fairness to my many supporters and friends, I felt a keen obligation to consider closely the many details of the matter," said Senator Snelson. "Considerable information was brought to light

as a result of the dedicated interest shown by so many people; however, I do not believe that the scope of that information warranted a contest and I therefore decided to let the results stand."

"As to the future, my plans are to continue serving to the best of my ability the completion of my Senate term in January, 1967," said Snelson. "My sincere interest in being of service to the people of Upton County is as strong as ever, and I look forward to a visit soon to express my thanks personally."

Visiting his father, Roy Priest, this past week end was Roy, Jr. of Dallas.

### Political Announcements

SUBJECT TO ACTION OF THE GENERAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 8, 1966

DEMOCRATIC PARTY—  
For State Senator, 25th Dist.:  
Dorsey B. Hardeman of Tom Green County (Re-Election)

For State Representative,  
66th District of Texas:  
Gene Hendryx of Alpine (Re-Election)

## NOTEBOOK—PATTERNS FOR PROGRESS

### INDUSTRIAL PROSPECTS ... a must in Economic Development

Obtaining leads on industries that might locate in a community is one of the hardest parts of any sound economic development program. The lack of an industrial prospecting program that produces several leads may cause serious mistakes by a community in financing or other endeavors to attract unsound or unattractive industry. A community needs a well balanced program, combining all the techniques and utilizing all of the sources that will give it increased effectiveness and chances for real success. LOCAL PEOPLE AS A SOURCE OF INDUSTRIAL PROSPECTS — usually provide a sound reason or give the community a competitive advantage in attracting the industry.

- BUSINESSMEN—should ask the company representatives they buy from if the company needs additional manufacturing facilities to serve this market area, also, service stations, restaurants and motel people can ask their customers.
- CITIZENS—who know someone that works for an industry should inquire if that industry might be interested in locating a plant.
- EXISTING INDUSTRY—may need a companion industry to supply them with raw materials or services. Expansion of existing industry is sound economic development.
- LOCAL IDEAS—can provide leads for the local people to establish an industry of their own or attract a certain type industry.
- EX-CITIZENS—should be contacted, advising them and asking their help to obtain leads on any industry that could logically locate in the town.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ACTIVITY — should utilize such programs as direct mail, asking local citizens to call on industries when they are on a trip — watching all news media for possible leads or indications that a company might expand.

COOPERATION WITH OTHER AGENCIES — such as utilities, banks, railroads, regional and state development organizations can provide leads for new industry. Keep all of these organizations fully advised of the local programs, advantages, activities and community interest for attracting new industry for improved economy in your community.

ANY and ALL industrial leads should be handled through and by the local group that has been delegated this responsibility, usually the Chamber of Commerce.

Ask your WTU local manager for additional information and services available.

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## Baseball --

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games being played there.

For openers, on Tuesday nite, the Rankin Go Team shelled the McCamey Braves 13-1, with the local squad using their young boys most of the game. With the

"first team" in at the start of the game. Rankin scored some 7 runs their first time at bat.

Thursday night, they will again play in Rankin with the opposition being the McCamey Orioles this time. The Go Team holds a 3-2 five-inning win over the Orioles who whacked the Braves 25-0 in their last match. The game

Thursday has promise of being a thriller.

Next Tuesday, the Rankin club will have an open date. These open dates will develop from time to time throughout the season due to the fact that Midkiff did not field a teen-age team this year—cutting the normally four-team league to three.

### LITTLE LEAGUE PLAY—

Over in Little League, the Giants served notice that they did not take kindly to their one loss to the Dodgers and have again reverted to their winning ways. They defeated the Dodgers on Thursday night and the Yankees on Tuesday—the regularly scheduled Monday game having been rained and halted out.

Also on Tuesday night, the Dodgers won over the Cardinals

## Final Honor Roll is Big One at RHS

What may have been the largest number of students ever to make the honor roll during one six-weeks period was revealed in listings for the final six-weeks of the 1966 term at Rankin High.

Nine seniors were on the roll, fifteen juniors, fifteen sophomores, and eleven freshmen.

High student for the school was Patsy Barrett who posted a 98.80 average. Donna Stephens at 97.00 was high senior; Carol Crawford at 95 was high for the

in a game that was no contest due to the Cards not having enough players on hand to field a team. They borrowed a hand or two from their opponents.

Thursday, June 16, the opening game is to be between the Cardinals and Dodgers and the nightcap is between the Yanks and the Giants.

On Monday, June 30, the opener is the Giants vs. the Cards with the Dodgers and Yanks going in the last game.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Ina C. Yocham of Que-mado, admitted April 18.

Mr. Orville Cage of McCamey, admitted June 11.

Mr. Donald J. Shockley of Rankin, admitted June 11.

Mr. Thurman B. Sullivan of Iran, admitted June 5.

Mrs. Mark Melson of McCamey, admitted June 12.

Alton John Glenn, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Glenn of McCamey, admitted on June 13 and dismissed June 14.

Jan Dolan, twelve-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dolan of McCamey, admitted on June 13 and dismissed June 14.

Jimmy Dolan, age 8, admitted June 13 and dismissed June 14.

Mr. C. J. Weber of McCamey, admitted June 11 and dismissed June 14.

Mrs. Clint Shaw of Rankin, admitted June 3 and dismissed on June 12.

Mr. Howard Davis of Elk City, Oklahoma, admitted June 14.

## The Rankin (T) Thursday, June

sophomores and the son at 96.25 led the Other seniors on Kellam Colquhoun, Jerry Lacy, Pam (Continued to)

## Rankin Stage Saturday Bl

Rankin had a big Saturday night but not have folk dancing streets although considerable activity of ure all over town. mated at 75 miles ed town for about utes and were follow rain. Rain again day morning.

In the big blow windows were d Porter Johnsons being blown com much rock and throughout the large the street, a portion edge on the front House was toppled walk filled with the

Strips of lumber floor decking on the erages under on Severn Street were the wall of the T and a post was carport.

Numerous house tree limbs were trash cans and other blown about town. And a few far nibbled to the qu News Years' resid up and dusted off

Mrs. Vivian Burtin visited friends the week-end. She resident.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Melson of McCamey June 13, a daughter lbs., 15 ozs. and Lynn.

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Sunday,  
**June 19th**

and GRANDPA too...

## A FEW SUGGESTIONS

- ★ TIES
- ★ BELTS
- ★ SOCKS
- ★ SHOES
- ★ JEWELRY
- ★ HATS
- ★ MARK II TOILETRIES
- ★ HOUSE SHOES
- ★ TOOLS
- ★ DRESS SHIRTS
- ★ SPORT SHIRTS
- ★ PAJAMAS
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### New Manager - -

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located crew in 1957. The following year he was named to a similar position in Snyder and later was promoted to public telephone coin collector. He transferred to Lubbock in a similar capacity in 1963, was promoted to business representative in Borger the following year and to commercial staff assistant at Lubbock in 1965. Later that same

year he was assigned to the Midland business office for training and has resided there since that time.

Young is a 15-year veteran with the telephone company who began his career at Abilene. He later served at Snyder, Amarillo and Lubbock and was named manager at Monahans in 1963.

### Lutheran Services--

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the air over a McCamey radio station.

A junior confirmation class is scheduled for children ages 12 to 14 years each Sunday morning at 9:30 at the church. The class is currently studying the Ten Commandments and their meaning. Any child who wishes to know more about the Bible is invited to attend.

An adult information class is to begin in the near future. All adults interested in learning about the teachings of the Lutheran Church is invited to these classes. There is no obligations in attending, according to the church spokesman. Information on the classes and the study may be had by contacting Mrs. Martha Tiemann, Mrs. Mildred Linnemann or Mrs. Bernice Weinkauff or by writing to Immanuel Lutheran Church, Box 527, Rankin.

### HONOR ROLL—

(Continued from Preceding page)

Love, Dixie Parham, Bobby Phillips, and Larry Whiteside.

Other juniors were Ricky Barnes, Billy Paul Brown, Freddy Cunningham, Joe Graham, Linda James, Glenda Linnemann, Janis Owens, Toni Shaffer, Dana Skinner, Gary Upham, Jan Wells Earlex Williams, Mike Wheeler and Fayne Zoler.

Other Sophomores included Joe Adams, Kyle Adams, Fran Crawford, Marsha Funderburg, Gay Holcomb, Linda Latzel, Cheryl Little, Peggy McBee, Marcus Price, Sandy Reeves, Rhonda Sproul, Roy Stacy and Penny Woods.

Other Freshmen were Susie Abalos, Kay Crawford, Debbie Day Gaylene Dobbs, Bill Hood, Joe Kendrick, Vonnie Schulze, Johnny Smith, Mike Sproul and J. B. Weborn.

el. Installing officers were led by Ione Shurley, installing officer; Flora Shaw, installing marshal; Odessa Edwards, chaplain; Nancy Daugherty, organist; Maggie Taylor, secretary; Janie Craig, assisting Worthy Matron; and Myrna Holman, reporter.

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## LUTHERAN CHURCH SERVICES

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Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

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### OES Installs New Officers for 66-67

In installation services held recently by the Rankin Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, Janey Lindsey was installed as the new Worthy Matron and R. L. Shannon, Worthy Patron.

Other officers included Mrs. Ned Malone, associate matron; Roy Bell, associate patron; Mrs. Johnnie Ruth Walker, secretary; Blanche Mitchell, treasurer; Ruth Loftin, conductress; Charlotte Yocham, associate conductress; Ione Shurley, chaplain; Odessa Edwards, marshal; Leha Workman, organist; Jerry Eckols, Adah; Bobbie McAlister, Ruth;

Mary Ann Worwman, Esther, Flora Shaw, Martha; Alice Bell, Electa; Elsie Turner, Warder; and Montie Cockerham, Sentin-



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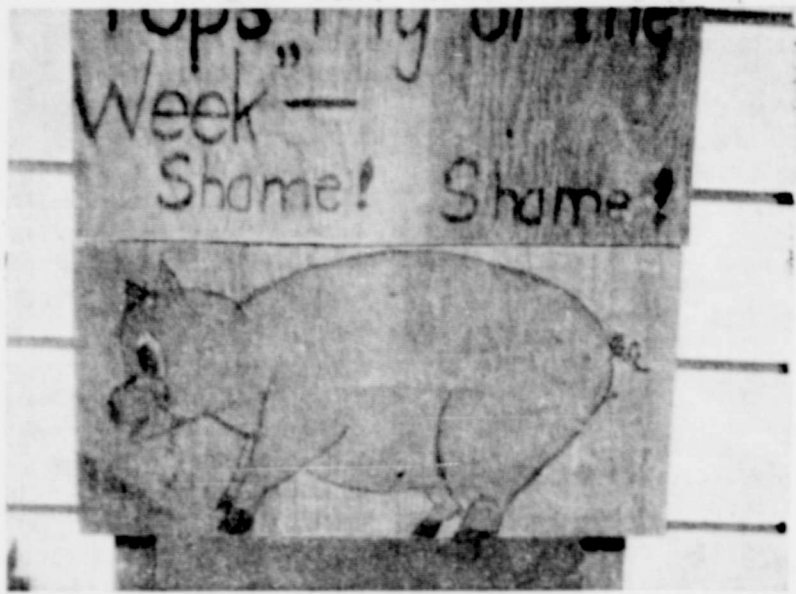
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AS WE ALL KNOW IT ISN'T RIGHT TO HAVE A THIEF COME IN THE NIGHT WE HOPE THE THOUGHT TO YOU OCCURRED TO HAVE YOUR VALUABLES INSURED

## RANKIN INSURANCE AGENCY

812 MAIN STREET Ph. MY 3-2482 Rankin, Tex.



**PIG AT WORK**—Rankin Tops Club has employed the services of this rather plump little pig to mark the home of members who sit too long at the table. Its location about town varies from week to week but by careful observation, it can be spotted.

## HINTS for the HOME MAKER

By Mrs. Louie S. Jeffers, County Home Demo. Agent

### GARDENERS NOTE—

#### Notice to Bidders

**BID PROPOSALS** sealed in opaque envelopes addressed to the Hon. Allen Moore, County Judge, Upton County, Texas, will be received by the Owner up to and not later than 2:00 o'clock P. M., July 12, 1966, for the construction of Alterations and Additions to: The Rankin Hospital, Rankin, Upton County, Texas, at which time all bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Commissioners' Court, Upton County Courthouse, Rankin, Texas.

Bid proposals will be received for all work in one (1) General Construction Proposals, or (2) Separate General, (3) Plumbing, (4) Heating and Air Conditioning or (5) Electrical Proposals, all in accordance with Drawings and Specifications prepared by Covington-Shelton-Taylor, Architects/Engineers, 810 County Road East, Odessa, Texas, and dated June 6, 1966. One complete set of General, Mechanical and/or Electrical plans and Specifications may be obtained from the Architect upon deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) which will be refunded from the Architect upon return of the documents in good condition within five (5) days after the bid opening. Additional copies may be obtained upon similar deposit, but the costs of reproduction will be deducted from the deposit.

Proposals may not be withdrawn for a period of ten (10) days from and after the time established for opening bids. Each proposal, to be eligible for consideration, must be accompanied by a Certified Check, Cashier's Check, or Bid Bond on form attached hereto, in the amount of five percent (5%) of the highest bid sum to insure the Owner against loss occasioned by the bidder's failure to execute the Agreement and satisfactory Surety if awarded

Ever bake dirt? Do it for your plants sake. If you are going to pot a plant or two, it's alright to use some of the dirt in the back yard. But according to the horticulturists, you shouldn't use it "as is." It needs to be purified to be as disease free as possible.

Put the soil in a shallow pan and bake it in your oven at 180

the Contract.

The successful bidder on each portion of the work will be required to enter a Contract with the County of Upton, Texas, which will contain provisions requiring the Contractor to comply with all State Laws including wage scales and hours as required by House Bill No. 45, Acts of the 43rd Legislature, State of Texas.

The Owner reserves the right to accept any or to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities or irregularities in any bid received.

**UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS**  
/s/ ALLEN MOORE  
By: Hon. Allen Moore, County Judge

#### Historical Society Installs new Officers

B. A. Epley of McCamey was installed as president of the Upton County Historical Society at that group's meeting, held last Thursday in Rankin.

Other officers installed along with Epley included Mrs. Jack Smith, Rankin, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. J. L. Clark, Midland, Mrs. Bill Nix, Rankin, Mrs. Ralph Windham, McCamey, and Ed Hal McCamey—all vice-presidents.

The Historical Society has regular meetings once each month, alternating between Rankin and McCamey. Anyone interested is invited to join the organization.

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**News of Servicemen**

Visiting recently in Rankin was  
Charles E. Hale, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Charlie Hale. He has been  
assigned to duty in Viet Nam  
where he will be a gunner on a  
helicopter.

Pvt. 1-C Robert Browning, son  
of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Browning  
of Rankin, arrived some ninety  
days ago in Korea where he is  
assigned to a missile unit. Brown-  
ing writes that his first few  
months have gone by rapidly.

Pvt. 1-C Eddie Houchins, son  
of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Houchins  
of Rankin, is now serving with a  
truck company on Okinawa. He  
expects to receive another pro-  
motion shortly.

A 3-C Charlie Shockley is to  
leave Rankin next week for the  
West Coast where he will fly to  
Clark Field, P. I. for assignment  
with the security force at the  
base.

Capt. John Sherrill, stationed  
in Sigon, has witnessed two of  
the hotel bombings in that  
city. He says there is plenty of  
action even in Sigon. He is the  
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