

Free Barbecue Dinner --

SYSTEMS GO FOR RANKIN'S SECOND JULY FOURTH PICNIC

Picnic is well
week with all the
entertainment
except the pop
cream stands
and individuals who
contributions to the
thus far include:
Company
Drug

Myrle's Beauty Cottage
Johnson's
Harris American Station
Mobil Service Station
Shell Service Station
Hill Top Drive-In Movie
Highway Grocery & Dry Goods
Dunn Lowery Insurance
Yocham Furniture
L. Porter Johnson

Andy Mitchell
First State Bank
Eddins-Walcher Oil & Butane
Buckland Inn
West Texas Utilities
Red Bluff Lumber
Martha's Beauty Shop
The Rankin News
Anyone wishing to contribute to
this celebration is asked to please

call Sybil Browning at 603-2439 or
Peggy Collins at 693-2290.

With only 14 days before the
4th, the organization is still short
on funds to buy beef, goats, plates,
pickles, bread, etc. for the bar-
becue. Each member of the Xi
Epsilon Chi Sorority Chapter is
donating enough potato salad for
twenty-five people. Bill Sherrill
has volunteered to cook the bar-
becue and said he plans to start
cooking about 11:00 or 12:00 o'-
clock the night before to make
sure the meat is done by 12 noon
on the 4th.

Boys and girls: please get your
horned toads early!! Paint your
name or initials on their backs
for easy identification. The horn-
ed toad race will start at 3:00 p.

m. with 5 to 10 teads in each
race. Prizes will be given to the
winners of each race.

The toe sack races and egg re-
lay races will follow with prizes
for the winners.

There will be free swimming
from 2 p.m. until 6. Bingo, pic
and cake walks, horse shoe
throws, grab bags, baseball thro-
ws, dart throws, golf putting
booth and fire truck tour will go
on all afternoon. In the evening
there will be a splash party for
the teenagers at the park and a
dance for the "old folks" at the
country club. Everyone is invited.

"Please come and bring a
guest as prizes will be given to
the oldest man and woman pre-
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SERVING THE INTERESTS OF RANKIN AND UPTON COUNTY

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RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 1969

Town Hall Meeting Seeks Solutions to Civic Questions

Next Tuesday

At 8:00 P. M. - - -

Next Tuesday, June 24, Rankin
will try something new.

On that date, at 8:00 p.m. at
the Rankin Park Building the City
Council will hold a town hall
meeting at which it is hoped a
large number of residents will
turn out and express their views
on matters of importance to the
civic improvement of Rankin.

One area in which the Council
is said to be particularly interest-
ed in hearing from the public is
that of a proposed clean-up pro-

Larry Holder makes Boys State Meeting

The twenty-ninth annual Ameri-
can Legion Boys State sponsored
by the Department of Texas and
held on the campus of the Uni-
versity of Texas, got underway



LARRY HOLDER
... at Boys State

last week with 750 high school
boys from all parts of Texas.

Among those registered was
Larry Holder, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Jack Holder of Rankin. He
will be a senior next fall and
was sponsored by the Upton A-
merican Legion Post, with coop-
eration from Rankin Lions Club.



VACANT FOR the past ten years, this abandoned house, locat-
only a half block off Main Street, was hit by fire several years
ago and has never been used since. Fallen trees and a rotting
outbuilding make it typical of a score or more such buildings
scattered about Rankin. Question: What to do?

gram. Of prime interest is what
to do about a number of old, de-
lapidated buildings that are scat-
tered about town and which are
no longer in use. Another area in
which options are sought is that
of what disposition might be made
of old car bodies, unsightly trash
piles, etc. which are situated in
the city limits.

"We'd like to see a big turn-
out for this meeting," said May-
or J. B. Pettit this week. "By
holding a town hall meeting, the
city council hopes to hear from
the residents of Rankin and get
their opinions on what actions
ought to be taken."

In an effort to find out before-
hand some of the thoughts of the
public on the town meeting, the
News this week contacted the
following Rankinites and asked of
them:

"What do you think of the pro-
posed town hall meeting and do
you plan to attend?"

Mrs. Ruth Johnson, bookkeeper
at West Texas Utilities: "Wonder-
ful idea. Bill and I both plan to
be there."

Mrs. Boogie McSpadden, secre-
tary at Eddins-Walcher, Oil Co.:
"I don't know much about it but
Boogie and I have talked about
it. I may go; he'll be working."

Herschell Shaw, employee at
Ranchers Wool & Mohair: "I
don't know much about it but I
may stick my nose in—if I've
lived here long enough to quali-
fy as a citizen."

Pete Brown, contractor: "If
it's run right . . . somebody to
keep it moving and people will
say something . . . not just sit
there. There's a lot of things that
need to be done. I think I'll go."

Mrs. Bill Routh, housewife and
grocery store employee: "Well, I
just heard about it last night. I
think there's a lot that can be
done if we'll get up and do it and
not just talk about it. I don't know
whether I'll go or not."

Another comment received by
the News: "The county will wind
up having to pay for whatever is
done . . . just like the old (Har-
lan) hotel. No. I'm not going.
That's what we elected those
councilmen for."



of the nicest courthouses in West Texas looming in
ground, these abandoned car bodies strew an area
of the Midland Highway and are only a few of many
to be found on almost every block in town. Question:

blems . . . Can be Done?

a few of the prob-
the city council and
are seeking public
the town hall meeting
in the night.

Old deserted build-
Street, owner agree-
oval, city short on
the answer.

Old buildings falling
Main Street, owners
take action. What is

Old structures a-
at have been part-
ed by fire, owners
to clean up "re-
to do?"

Fire insurance rates
in Rankin. What to

Abandoned car and
old motors and parts
and in back yards,
those here won't

take any action. What to do?

PROBLEM: Brush, weed and
scrub trees grow up on vacant
property, some owners non-resi-
dents, local resident-owners take
no action. What to do?

PROBLEM: HOW TO GET
PEOPLE TO HAVE ENOUGH
CIVIC PRIDE TO TAKE SOME
ACTION.

School Board Hires Three New Teachers

In a meeting of the School
Board, held last Tuesday night,
action was taken on hiring several
new teachers.

Among contracts approved were
those of Mr. Gordon Schultz who
will be the new band director. He
and his wife and baby come to
Rankin from Tohoka where he
has been band director for the
past two years.

Also hired was Mr. Paul Pear-
ner as shop teacher to replace
Melvin Wimberley who will be-
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THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

SEE THERE—

For a long time I've suspected that all this business about getting to the moon, taking the pill, student riots, and assorted such shennagans would all lead to no good.

Now I've got proof. Whenever before did you ever see it get cold enough for coatweather in the middle of June?

You see, what has happened is that they've fooled around with all this atomic stuff till they've got the weather out of whack and there's going to be heck to pay.

It probably all started back when they started out trying to perfect a horseless carriage.

Say, supposed when those chaps land on the moon next month, it turns out to really be made of cheese? Gads, think of it. After spending a few billions to make the trip, Uncle Sam will wind up cornering the cheese market. And a lot of people wonder if it's all worth it.

But, then, even it the moon

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does happend to be made out of cheese, I guess we'd not be able to meet the competition for we'd have to sell it for about \$2 a lb. just to break even.

LAUGH IN—

A woman went into a small-town post office recently and asked for a dollar's worth of stamps.

"What denomination?" asked
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THAT'S A FACT

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

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MASONIC LODGE

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Meeting Nights
ursday 3:00 p.m.
Meetings Will be
al & Notified
C. H. Sims, W. M.

happen to like long hair so you see how it could work out. Better be there.

Oh, you didn't know I wore my hair long. Look at it this way—when you don't have any more left than I do on my dome, anything over an inch is long hair.

LAUGH IN—

An Eskimo mother was sitting in the igloo reading from a story-book to her small son.

"Little Jack Horner," she read, "sat in a corner."

"Mother," asked the boy, "what is a corner?"

ROSES—

Perhaps this should have been said last week following the rodeo, but then, it's probably never too late to pass along a few words of encouragement.

Each year,—almost without exception — I've heard favorable comments on the rodeo but I believe this year the folks responsible for putting on the event must have outdone themselves for the flowers have been even thicker than usual.

Dub Day and all who had hand in this year's rodeo may take a bow for a job well done—as usual.

Glass-Doucette Vows
Read on June 6th

Billie Sue Glass and Billy Lamar Doucette exchanged double-wedding ring vows Friday, June 6, at 9:00 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Johnson of Rankin.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Haye Slaton of Iraan and Mr. M. M. Slaton of McCamey. The bridegroom is the grandson of Mrs. Polly Ferguson of Rankin.

The Rev. J. C. Tankersley, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Rankin, officiated.

For the ceremony the bride

wore an empire street-length dress of pink lace with Juliet sleeves. She carried a bouquet of white carnations.

Serving her sister as matron of honor was Mrs. Robert L. Day of McCamey. Teddy Johnson, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, was best man. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony.

The couple are living in Rankin, where Mrs. Doucette works as Secretary to the County Judge. Her husband is employed by McKenzie Motor Co.

Art Workshop here
for School Teachers

Rankin Elementary School will be the site of an area three day art workshop for elementary teachers being sponsored by the West Texas Education Center of Midland. Dates are June 23, 24 and 25.

The workshop will be conducted

RISD to Host Area
Custodial Workshop

Rankin Independent School District will host a custodial workshop at the local schools, Thursday and Friday, July 10 and 11. Discussions and demonstrations will take place in the elementary building with sessions to begin at 9:00 a.m. and run until 5:00 p.m. both days.

The latest techniques in floor maintenance and management will be discussed and demonstrated. F. A. McNeely, world and national consultant with Hillyard Sales Company of St. Joseph, Mo. will conduct the workshop.

Area schools that will attend—along with the Rankin maintenance staff—include Fort Stockton, McCamey, Crane, Iraan, Stanton, and Big Lake.

MARKING PENS, INKS, rubber stamps, cloth marking inks, and stamp pads of all descriptions at The News Office.

by Mrs. Sue Ashwood, a consultant of the Midland Center. The sessions, running from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. each day, will be concerned with the multi-uses of the craft paper in such areas of art as dioramas, sculpture, and costumes. The many uses of tissue paper, construction paper, foil wrapping paper, and crepe

paper in the classroom will also be taught. Painting with tempera will include brush techniques and sponge painting techniques. Pastel rub and bulletin board lettering will be covered by Mrs. Ashwood.

Fourteen local teachers have indicated they will attend the workshop.

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Area Masons Plan July 12 Installation at Paisano Camp

On Saturday night, July 12, twelve west Texas Masonic lodges will hold their annual installation and family night celebration at the Paisano Baptist Encampment grounds in the Davis Mountains, half way between Marfa and Al-pint on Highway 90.

Preparation is being made to serve a ranch style barbecue supper to one thousand Masonic dignitaries, Masons and their families, friends and visitors beginning at 5:00 p.m. with 8:00 p.m. program, installation service and address by the M.W.J. Guy Smith, M. W. Grandmaster of the Grand Lodge of Texas. All Masonic bodies will be represented.

Rankin will be among the lodges having officers installed.

Installing Grand officer will be Harvey Boyd, Grand Lodge Secretary, while John T. Bean, F

Rankin Graduate Receives B.S. Degree

DENTON— Sandra Kay Maxwell of Midkiff was among 1,177 students from 33 states and seven foreign countries receiving degrees at spring commencement at North Texas State University.

The degree recipients comprised the largest spring graduating class in the university's 79 - year history.

Miss Maxwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester C. Maxwell, St. Rt., Midkiff and a graduate of Rankin High School, received the bachelor of science degree in elementary education.

W. Past Grand Master of Grand Lodge of Texas, of El Paso, will serve as Installing Grand Marshal.

Rankin Masons who will have duties at the meeting include Charles Sims, welcome committee, H. G. Adams, program, and John Kidd, the meal committee.

Adams will also serve on a committee that is to supply cantaloupes from Presidion and as chairman of the Clean-Up committee.

Rankin Masons Elect New Officers



R. L. BELL to head Rankin Masons

At their regularly stated meeting last Thursday, June 12, the Rankin Masonic Lodge No. 1251 elected a new officer slate.

R. L. Bell will serve as the Worshipful Master for the year. Others are Loyd McAlister, Senior Warden; C. E. Taylor, Junior Warden; Jerry Barton, Junior Deacon; E. B. Bloodworth, Senior

Deacon:

Tom Workman, treasurer; H. G. Adams, secretary; E. G. Walker, Tyler; Jimmy Mathews, Senior Steward and Phillip West, Junior Steward.

C. H. Sims is the outgoing W. M. for the lodge.

Results Listed in 4-H All-Kid Rodeo

Results from the recent 4-H All-Kid Rodeo were as follows:

Senior Steer Riding: Roy Pippen Rankin, 1st; Tom Bloxom, Rankin, 2nd; Terry Price, Crane, 3rd

Junior Steer Riding: Billy Teague, Crane, 1st; Danny Gaddy, Baldwin, La., 2nd; Dewayne Blair Sterling City, 3rd

Junior Girls Pole Bending: Patty McFadden, Rankin, 1st; Lind Gossett, Rankin, 2nd; Mary Shipp Kermit, 3rd

Senior Girls Poles: Sheryl Schneeman, Big Lake, 1st; Cindy Scott, Big Lake, 2nd; Terry Pool McCamey, 3rd

Junior Girls Barrels: Lee Ann McMullen, Big Lake, and Donna Chesney, Andrews (tie), 1st and 2nd; Yo Yo Sellars, Midland, and Margaret Powell, Eldorado, (tie) 3rd and 4th

Senior Girls Barrels: Debbie Bloxom, Rankin, 1st; Terry Pool McCamey, Cindy Scott, Big Lake and Leslie Huling, San Angelo, (tie) 2nd, 3rd and 4th

Eight and Under Barrels: Kathy Lincoln, McCamey, 1st; Kim Chesney, Andrews, 2nd; Jamie Gossett, Rankin, 3rd

Eight and Under Poles: Kathy Lincoln, McCamey, 1st; Mickey Owens, Barnhart, 2nd; Monya Reed, San Angelo, 3rd

Junior Hair Pulling: Howard Smith, 1st; Jeff Shipp, Kermit, 2nd; Terry Millican, Robert Lee, 3rd

Senior Hair Pulling: Phil Whisnand, Big Lake, 1st; Max Schneemann III, Big Lake, 2nd; Mike Coomer, McCamey, 3rd

Senior Calf Roping: Dean McMullen, Big Lake, 1st; Marshall Millican, Robert Lee, 2nd; Gene Edwards, San Angelo, 3rd

Junior Ribbon Roping: Roy Lee Lane, Water Valley, 1st; Jay Scott, Big Lake, 2nd; Troy Millican, Robert Lee, 3rd

Public Notice

Notice of Budget Hearing Rankin County Hospital District

IN OBEDIENCE to an order of the Board of Directors of Rankin County Hospital District, notice is hereby given that a Budget Hearing will be held at 8 p.m., Wednesday, July 2, 1969 in the District Courtroom at Upton County Courthouse, Rankin, Texas, for the purpose of reviewing and explaining the Rankin County Hospital District's Budget for fiscal year 1969-1970. Interested tax payers and the general public are invited to attend.

Dell Cooleage, secretary, Board of Directors, Rankin County Hospital District.

BY W. M. (DUB) DAY
County Agent, Upton County



KOUNTY AGENT'S KORNER

SHORT SHOTS ON LANDSCAPING—

The most critical time for the newly planted trees and shrubs is during the first summer. Because of the reduced root system, many plants have difficulty getting established. This is especially true in areas where rainfall has been abundant, then suddenly it turns hot and dry before the roots are well established. Rather than frequent light watering, give the plants a thorough soaking to a depth of 8-12 inches. Allow the soil to dry in the upper two inches before watering again. A

Senior Ribbon Roping: Steve Hubbard, Ozona, 1st; Andy Shipp Kermit, 2nd; Bill Arnett, Big Lake, 3rd.

Queen: Yo Yo Sellars, Midland Junior All Around Boy: Billy Teague, Crane

Junior Girl All Around: Danna Chesney, Andrews

Senior All Around Boy, Marshall Millican, Robert Lee

Senior All Around Girl: Sheryl Schneemann, Big Lake

Top Hand: Billy Teague, Crane Eight & Under All Around: Katie Lincoln, McCamey.

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mulch over the root in moisture conserving keeping soil tempera

If foliage on garden turning a mottled dropping, chances are er mites are at work. spection of the under leaves may reveal a red spotted mite. The mon during periods weather and can be ing to most garden

Copies of L-199 for Controlling Insect mental Plants" are in my office and lists spider mite control

Petuna plants which ped blooming and seed can frequently new lease on life by severely. Cut the stem or 6 inches above the move the pruned mulch the beds and ughly. If the plants eased, they will soon growth and within a will again be in full

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Birth Notes

Mr. Rankin, admitted
June 14.
Parr, Rankin, ad-

mitted April 30.

W. F. Houck, Crane, admitted
June 5, dismissed June 11.

Mrs. Ovia Spicer, McCamey, ad-
mitted June 5.

Mrs. Lester Rogers, Iraan, ad-
mitted June 6, dismissed June 11.

Mrs. James Webb, McCamey,

admitted June 8, dismissed June
14.

Baby girl Webb, born June 8,
dismissed June 14.

Clay Taylor, Rankin, admitted
June 9, dismissed June 13.

H. V. Hardin, McCamey, ad-
mitted June 9, dismissed June
13.

Mrs. H. M. Brown, McCamey,
admitted June 9, dismissed June
13.

Baby Boy Brown, born June 9,

School Board --

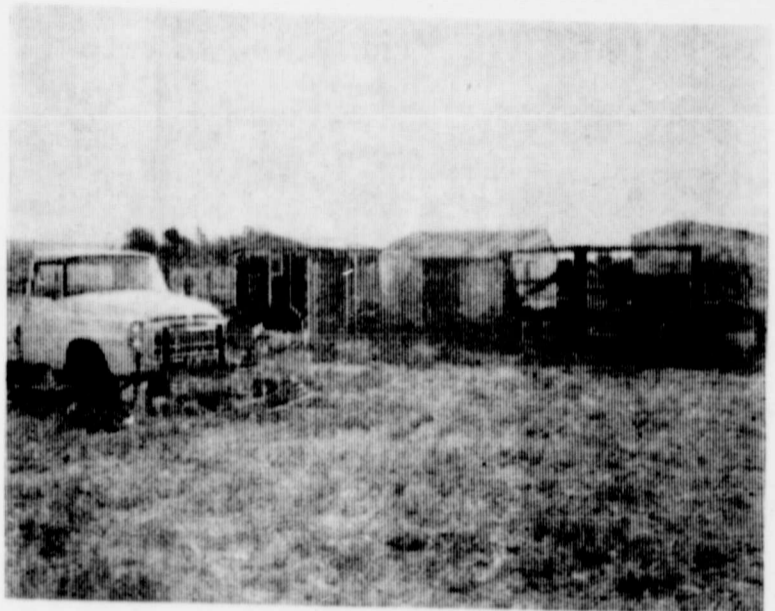
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come school counselor next year.
Pearner is a native of Ozona and
recently graduated from Sul Ross.

Another new teacher will be
Miss Mary Nell Foreman who is
to be the junior high girls' coach
and social studies teacher. She is
a native of Brownwood and is a
recent college graduate.

In other matters, the Board ap-
proved the extension of the Adult
Basic Education Program for an-
other year. This was the class-
room instruction that was carried
out last winter at the old Yates
Hotel building.

Other matter handled by the
Board were of a routine nature.



A COMBINATION work of unsightly junk, abandoned pick-up
and horse lot sheds adorn the crest of a hill inside the city
limits. Built only recently, the owner of this "creation" has now
moved from Rankin. Question: What to do and how to prevent
further such instances?

dismissed June 13.

Jimmy James, Rankin, admit-
ted June 10, dismissed June 17.

Mrs. Felton Davis, Big Lake,
admitted June 11, dismissed June
15.

W. E. Trumbe, McCamey, ad-
mitted June 11, dismissed June
14.

Charlie Guthrie, Slaton, admit-
ted June 12, dismissed June 13.

Baby Boy Davis, born June 12,
dismissed June 15.

Mrs. Claude Kilpatrick, Mc-
Camey, admitted June 13, dismis-
sed June 17.

Terry Wilkerson, Rankin, ad-
mitted June 13.

Baby Girl Kilpatrick, McCamey
born June 13, dismissed June 17.

Clois Hamilton, Rankin, admit-
ted June 15.

Mrs. Gertrude Fletcher, Mc-
Camey, admitted June 16.

Mrs. Charles Berry, McCamey,
admitted June 16 dismissed June
17.

Ronald J. Davis is New Team Leader

Fort Hood (AHTNC) Army Sp-
5 Ronald J. Davis, 21, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Charles B. Davis, Ran-
kin, was assigned May 23 to the
1st Armored Division at Ft. Hood,
as a team leader.

His wife, Cariol, lives at 725
Carrie, Kileen, Texas.

C. E. Winns Host Wedding Supper

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Winn were
hosts at a rehearsal dinner for
the Batchelder - Winn wedding
party on the evening of May 28
at the Ramada Inn in Midland.

The centerpiece for the table
arrangement was made of white
and blue daisies.

Recent visitors in the Winn
home and who attended the wed-
ding were Mrs. Winn's daughter
and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.
David Ware and their children,
Brian and Tracey of Grand
Rapids, Michigan; and her mother
and father, Mr. and Mrs. C. H.
Dewey, and her nephew, Alex
McKenzie, all of Eureka, Kansas.

Library Notes

For the reading pleasure of
Texana buffs, we have recently
put on our shelves the two books
that shared the best fiction a-
ward for 1968, "Tom Northway"
by Marshall Terry, and "The
Shallow Grass" by Tom Horn.

"Maximilian's Gold", by Jane
Barry is based on the Castle Gap
rumor that persists today, and
"Big Bend" by Richard Meade
has its setting in that area.

"Love is a Wild Assult", by
Elithe Kirkland is a biographical
novel of Harriet Potter who be-
came the most notorious woman
in Texas.

Thanks...

to our former Customers and
our Friends for their patron-
age during our years in busi-
ness.

Special note of thanks for the
words and expressions of con-
gratulation during my stay in the hos-
pital.

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CORRECTION—

The Rankin News last week in reporting Lions Club had given ward the July 4th. The \$100 donation was given to Mrs. D. help pay medical expenses her son, Eddie, who is in Antonio hospital.

Holder . .

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Following registration the boys was assigned two political parties, one a Democrat and the other a Republican. The boys functioned as a normal party, attending its meetings and state conventions.

In Boy's State, the Legion provides the program where the young men have the opportunity to learn what he makes it. The boys do by doing."

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