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RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1971

NEW TEACHERS JOIN RANKIN SCHOOL FACULTY

Two new teachers joined the Rankin Public Schools faculty, replacing personnel who resigned. They are Sim-
onco, Jr., English and
Kenneth Butler, junior
and History and P. E. In-

baseball and plays semi-pro baseball during the summer. He lists swimming, golf and reading among his hobbies and says that he has been impressed by the friendliness of the people since coming to Rankin. He also rates the school as having very good overall facilities.

Butler is a native of Rising Star where he graduated from high school. Twenty-two years old, he holds a degree from Tarleton State College in Stephenville and Cisco Junior College.

His wife's name is Judy and he is a member of the Baptist Church. He has participated in football, basketball and track and considers football his favorite sport.



FRANCO, JR.
Spanish Teacher

is a native of Ft. Stockton where he graduated from the high school. He is 22 years old and is a member of the Phi Kappa Phi, a national honor society, the Pem Club and Los Angeles, a Spanish club.

his high school years he played basketball and in



ROY KENNETH BUTLER
... in junior high

VOTER REGISTRATION—

Jan. 31 Deadline Stands

note of a recent ruling by the federal court to the effect that the deadline on voter registration in Texas is unconstitutional, Upton County Tax Collector H. E. "Gene" this week called attention to the fact that the law will not effect the voter registration for 1971.

left the matter open for the present in order to give the Legislature time to write a new law that, in all probability, will alter voter registration in Texas to make it a permanent-type thing.

As it now stands, the tax office is going ahead with their usual schedule and reports this week that "business is picking up."

Also, for the first time, eighteen-year-old are being registered. Eligible persons may register at the courthouse in Rankin and at the McCamey Sub-Station with members of the immediate family such as a father, mother, wife, husband, son or daughter eligible to sign-up for members of the immediate family.

Set Salaries, Retirement Policy --

New Court Holds Its First Session

With their newest member, Mr. Charlie Fletcher, on hand for his first official meeting, the Upton County Commissioners' Court met in Regular Session last Monday morning at 10:00 a.m. Fletcher was elected as Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, replacing Joe Conger who retired effective December 31, 1970.

Among actions taken by the Court was the fixing of salaries for 1971 with some raises given to certain employees. All elected officials' salaries remained at the same figure as in previous years.

Honor Students Listed on Rolls

A sophomore student, Nita Page with an average of 98.750, led the thirty-nine member Third Six Week Honor Roll at Rankin High School. She is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Tankersley.

Top senior was Sheryl Eggemeyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Eggemeyer while Jack Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Campbell was the leading junior.

Miss Eggemeyer posted an average of 98.600 while Campbell's average was 97.800.

For the Freshman Class, a tie between Sheryl Loftin and Lee Ora Herrington developed for the top honors. Both had averages of 94. Miss Loftin is the daughter of (Continued to Page 7)

Roy's Restaurant to have Anniversary

Roy Rutland, owner and operator of Roy's Restaurant in Rankin, this week issued an invitation on behalf of him, his wife, and staff to friends and customers for free coffee Sunday, January 17. Occasion will be the second anniversary of the opening of the popular eating place in Rankin.

Roy's opened in mid-January in 1969 and has become rather well-known in the immediate area of West Texas for their fish fries. In addition, the business is open on a 24-hour basis in order to serve the public.

"We appreciate the consideration given us since we have been in business here and would like to have all our friends and customers come by Sunday for coffee," said Mr. Rutland.

Common labor wages were put at \$1.75 per hour, truck drivers at \$2.35 per hour and equipment operators at \$2.60 per hour.

In other matters, they approved changes in insurance for certain employees and by mutual agreement, postponed the retirement of H. Wheeler, Gerturde Gibbs, Frank Parr and C. A. Weddle through 1971. County policy requires retirement at the age of 70 or upon the last day of the calendar year in which an employee completes 12 years of creditable service, whichever shall last occur, except by mutual agreement between the employee and County in which retirement may be postponed from year to year for a period not to exceed one year at a time.

On another motion, the retirement of Mr. R. H. Lott, custodian at the courthouse, is to become effective July 1, 1971.

As has been the practice in the past years, a tax was approved for 1971 of one-half the state fee for all licenses issued in the county under the Texas Liquor Control Act; some funds were shifted in bank accounts and the bonds of recently elected county office holders were approved, including that of Jacob Allen Moore who is the Ex-Officio School

Livestock Show to be on January 23

Date for the annual Upton County 4-H Club Livestock Show has been put at Saturday, January 23. All events will be held at the Rankin School Bus Barn and on the playground area just south of the building.

As has been the case in the past several years, a Horse Show will be held in connection with the Lamb Show. With two classes, mares and geldings, the horse show will get underway at 1:00 p.m. and will be limited to Upton County 4-H members only.

A 3:00 p.m. starting time has been designated for the lamb show, also limited to Upton 4-H Clubbers. Mr. Jim Gray, Extension Sheep Specialist, of A&M University is to be the judge of the show.

Superintendent of the Sheep Division will be Ellis Helmers while Bob Pyeatt will be Superintendent of the Swine Division.

Further details are to be announced prior to the January 23 date.

Superintendent of Upton County—in addition to being the County Judge.

With this wrap-up of work, the court recessed until January 25.

Burl Pringle is New Local Manager



BURL PRINGLE
... new WTU manager

Burl Pringle of Sterling City, who has been employed by West Texas Utilities Company for the past seven and a half years, has been transferred to Rankin and began his new duties as local manager last week. He has replaced Local Manager Glenn Burns who has been transferred to Ozona. The announcement was made today by District Manager Kirby Dawkins of McCamey.

Pringle joined WTU in 1963 as a meter reader in San Angelo, and the following year began his three years service as a collector in San Angelo. In 1967 he was transferred to Sterling City where he has worked as a line serviceman for the past 3½ years.

Born in San Angelo in 1932, Pringle attended the San Angelo Public Schools and is a 1951 graduate of San Angelo High School. He served 2 years with the Armed Forces with foreign duty in Germany.

Pringle was employed by the Borden Company for 10½ years, and before joining WTU he was employed by Gandy's.

Mrs. Pringle has been employed as a secretary in the office of the resident engineer of the Texas Highway Department. She is the former Frankie Shockley and was married to Mr. Pringle in 1952. The Pringles have two sons, David, 16, and Jeffery, 10.

THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Pr., Editor

TAKE COVER—

If you're one who believes that fortunes are foretold in the stars then you'd better take a long, hard look at your moon book and if it says you're in for good times—forget it. The Texas Legislature is to get their collective heads of wisdom together this week down in Austin in what is called a session of the Legislature.

To a great extent these are the same gentlemen who, the last time they met, said they passed no new taxes—this despite pledging pay increases to school teachers for the next ten or fifteen years.

Now this year, even before they get around to sessioning, most of the talk isn't about passing a bill for more taxes but how big a bite they will take. Bear in mind, now, they said before that no new taxes were added to the load—this time they say we're going to get it for sure.

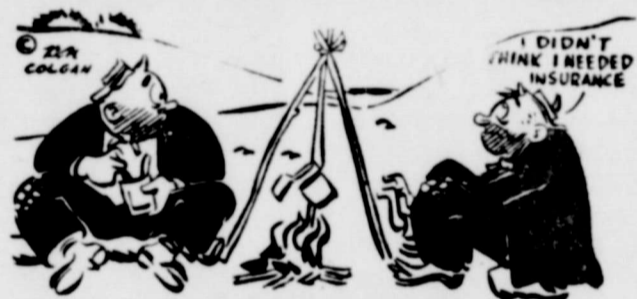
And I don't doubt it. The most disagreeable tax that I can think of would be a state income tax; therefore, if you're an odds mak-

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er, you might give five to three that a state income tax is exactly what we will get.

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from Preceding Pg.)

operate than it did a and that—barring an miracle—will take more om now than it does same is true when it operating the State of since tax money is the he state can get up e- is to operate, then we hat it's going to take —as unpleasant as that t, before the Legisla- out to see how much y can squeeze out of it would be nice if

someone down there would look around and see if there's not at least a few places where state expenses might be cut.

After all, when you or I operate our business or our household and we keep running short of income with no chance of getting our hands on any more, then we cut out something. It may be oversimplification to say that a state can be operated in a like manner but as for me, I've yet to be convinced that it can not.

Let's just hope we have enough fairminded and level headed representatives and senators elected to office to see that the tax increases that are coming are truly necessary. It's to the point with most of us where it's getting harder by the day to find a

place to cut back in order to keep our heads above the financial waters.

ONE TIME—

It's not too often that the San Angelo Standard Times and The Soop agree on a subject other than the day of the month; however, back in December, the Rooster Paper ran an editorial in which I found some merit.

It had to do with county government in Texas and the part that impressed me the most was their opinion that county government needed to be reformed by the legislature, "making counties able to be flexible enough to satisfy the local people's needs and preferences."

Now to a great extent we here in Upton County already have a county government that is "flexible" and pretty well satisfies the local people's needs and preferences but that is due more, I feel, to the fact that the men on the Commissioners Court have taken the bull by the horns and made it so. In doing this, it may well be that they've bent a few rules and regulations and this ought not have to be. In counties where the court has not been as responsive, the county government—as pointed out in the editorial in the Standard-Times, is little more than an agent of the state — collecting taxes, keeping records etc. And I think most of

us will agree that we already have enough of this sort of thing.

If, by reforms, the legislature could free the counties of at least a part of these bookkeeping chores and at the same time write laws that would enable them to more truly represent the desires of the people they serve, then indeed, the Standard-Times is correct in its call for these changes.

In their last paragraph, the Angelo writers again put forth a very important point. They said: "... what is right for the urban county is not necessarily right for the rural county, and vice versa . . ."

If the legislature will keep this idea in mind then there can be much support for reform in the county government in Texas.

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Glen Burns Moved to Ozona Position



GLENN BURNS
... to Ozona

Local Manager Glenn Burns of Rankin has been transferred to Ozona where he has assumed his new duties as local manager for West Texas Utilities Company. He has replaced Wayne Louri who has been transferred to Turkey as WTU's local manager. The announcement was made today by District Manager Kirby Dawkins of McCamey.

Employed by WTU for the past nine years, Burns joined the Company in 1961 as a serviceman in Eden. In 1963 he was transferred to Junction where he worked in the service department for

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SCIENCE AND THE BIBLE

"The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the firmament proclaims his handiwork." (Psalm 19:1). Much can be said in regard to the agreement between science and the Bible. Both, for example, combat superstition (Isaiah 44:9-20; Acts 17:16ff). The Scriptures state the uniformity of natural phenomena, and indicates that it is a good thing to study the works of God in creation. Many answers to questions which science cannot settle are found in the Bible: questions of ultimate causes and goals, and questions related to the needs of the spirit within. Science, however, adds to one's appreciation of God's greatness and wisdom.

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five months, and then returned to Eden to resume his duties as a serviceman. He has been serving as local manager in Rankin since 1968.

Born in Dublin, Texas, in 1936, Burns spent his early life in McCulloch County. He is a 1955 graduate of Rochelle High School and before joining WTU, he operated a service station in Rochelle, and worked as a mechanic in Odessa, Abilene and Brady. At the time of his transfer, Burns was serving as vice president of the Rankin Lions Club.

Mrs. Burns is the former Sue McAnelly. The Burns were married in 1956 and have two daughters, Dawn Dee and Twila Gay. Mrs. Burns is an active worker with the girls in the Rankin 4-H Club. The Burns are members of the First Baptist Church.

4-H Clubbers Get Feeder Awards

With the McCamey Chamber of Commerce as sponsors, the Upton County 4-H Club Showmanship Contest and Awards ceremony was held December 30 at Pauley's Food Store. Among the results announced were the following:

First Year Feeder Award: (1) Sandra Smith of McCamey; (2) Bobby Johnson of Rankin; (3) Tommy Johnson of Rankin; (4) Kathy Shipp of Rankin; (5) Tamara Johnson;

Second and Third Year Feeders: (1) Kirby Shipp of Rankin; (2) Tommy Batchelor of Midkiff; (3) Jackie Sharp of McCamey;

Third Year and Over Feeders: (1) Tommy Johnson, Jr. of McCamey; (2) Diane Day of Rankin; (3) Sue Jackson of Midkiff; (4) Lynn Jackson of Midkiff; (5) Cody Johnson of McCamey; (6) Denisa Day of Rankin; (7) Joann Sullivan of Rankin; (8) Hugh Jackson of Midkiff; and (9) Susijac Garner of McCamey.

Awards were in the form of ribbons given to the various positions.

Upton 4-H Lambs Make Odessa Sale

Upton County 4-H Club members took ten lambs to the Odessa Show last week. Members entering lambs included Kirby Shipp, Susijac Garner, Tommy Johnson, Diane Day, Denisa Day, Sue Jackson and Lynn Jackson.

Shipp had the highest placing with a 4th in a class containing 112. Diane Day stood next to him in the same class.

With 130 lambs entered in the heavyweight class, Sue Jackson took 11th place. Lambs were in the Friday sale.

The club members are now getting their stock ready for the County Show that is to be held on January 23 at 3 p.m. in the Rankin School Bus Barn. A barbecue will be given at 7:00 p.m. in connection with the show and is to be sponsored by Rankin Lions.

The lamb sale will follow after the barbecue.

SCHOOL MENU

JANUARY 18-22

BREAKFAST

MONDAY

Hot Biscuits, Sausage, Honey, Hash Brown Potatoes, Orange Juice

TUESDAY

Hot Doughnuts, Cold Cereal, Apple Sauce

WEDNESDAY

Rice or Oatmeal, Buttered Toast, Apricots

THURSDAY

Pancakes, Syrup, Sausage, Half Orange

FRIDAY

Buttered Toast, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Grape Juice, Jelly

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.

LUNCH

MONDAY

Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Swiss Steak, Candied Yams, Buttered Corn, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Chocolate Cake

TUESDAY

Cabbage Slaw, Italian Spaghetti, Blackeyed Peas, Harvard Beets, Corn Bread Light Bread, Banana Pudding

WEDNESDAY

Lettuce with Dressing, Cherry Peppers, Enchiladas, Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Corn Bread, Crackers, Peaches or Pineapple

THURSDAY

Pickles, Fried Chicken, Cream Gravy, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Hot Rolls, Fruit Cocktail

FRIDAY

Hamburgers, Potato Chips, Gelatine Salad, Rice Krispie Cookies

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.

Study Club Holds Jan. 7th Meeting

Mrs. Jack Smith was leader at the Rankin Study Club's first meeting of the new year, held on Thursday, January 7 at 4:00 p.m. at the Rankin Park Building. The program was given by the Department Chairmen.

Topic for the afternoon was, "Woman on Her Way to Leadership in Her Club—Departments." As the thought for the day, a quotation by Margaret Fuller was used. It reads: "If you have knowledge of leader let others light their candles at it."

Hostesses for the session were listed as Mrs. F. W. Welling, Mrs. Travis Bley and Mrs. Shirley Lit-

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ASSETS

	Dollars	Cents
Cash and due from banks	805,690.21	
U. S. Treasury securities	1,376,272.50	
Securities of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	244,800.00	
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	588,736.12	
Other securities (including \$9,000.00 corporate stocks)	9,000.00	
Other loans	2,293,137.56	
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	2.00	
Other assets	1,365.86	
TOTAL ASSETS	5,319,004.25	

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,740,657.15
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,903,518.58
Deposits of United States Government	63,923.34
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	815,328.96
Deposits of commercial banks	46,238.89
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	2,075.00
TOTAL DEPOSITS	4,571,741.92
(a) Total demand deposits	2,259,451.60
(b) Total time and savings deposits	2,312,290.32
Other liabilities	82,916.77
TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,654,658.69

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	14,944.97
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	14,944.97

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total	649,400.59
Common stock-total par value	100,000.00
(No. shares authorized 5000) (No. shares outstanding 5000)	
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	299,400.59
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	50,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	649,400.59

TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	5,319,004.25
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MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	4,623,408.57
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,303,825.55

I, Johnnie Hurst, Vice President of the above named bank, do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: /s/ JOHNNIE HURST

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

CLAY TAYLOR, L. E. WINDHAM, DUNN LOWERY, Directors

State of Texas, County of Upton, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 11th day of January, 1971.

(s) EDITH JAMES

Notary Public, Upton County, Texas

(NOTARY SEAL)

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Honor Roll --

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garner Loftin and Miss Herrington is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herrington.

In all, there were fourteen seniors on the roll. Others included Janie Barrett, 97.250; Emmajane Brandt, 95.400; Diane Day, 95; Debbie Deel, 97.600; Junior Haynes, 92.600; Sharon Helms, 94-250; Suzy Hurst, 97; Sue Jackson, 97.250; Stephanie Lee, 94.800; Jimmy McBee, 91.800; Bill Routh, 95; Sherri Shook, 92.166; and Mark Ward, 90.200.

There were seven juniors with others being: Cindy Braden, 90-500; Paula Loftin, 92.200; Rene Sproul, 92; Connie Varnadore, 95.750; Bobbie Weaver, 93; and Marilyn Workman, 96.

Nine members of the roll were sophomores: Debbie Bloxom, 93-750; Audrey Braden, 97.250; Debbie Cole, 96; Billy Eggemeyer, 91.750; Kathy Helms, 96.200; Lynn Jackson, 95.200; Jefferie Lee, 93-400; Audrey McFadden, 93.750.

Also, nine freshmen: Marilyn Braden, 92; Greg Copeland, 90-200; Jimmy Eggemeyer, 93.200; Judi Haynes, 93.800; Jimmy Mathews, 93.800; Angela Vick, 93-250 and Nancy Weinkauf, 92.

Tie Develops for Top Junior Honors

For the second six weeks in a row, Rankin Junior High has had a tie for top honors on the Six Week's Honor Roll. This time it is Roy Kendrick, a Sixth Grader, and Vicki Owens from the 7th Grade, both with 96 averages, who lead the roll. Top 8th Grade student was Billy Helms with an average of 95.4.

With a total of thirty-two listed, the Third Six Weeks Roll is one of the largest this year at Junior High. It contains thirteen 8th Graders, eight 7th, and eleven 6th.

Others from the 8th Grade include Diane Absher, James Campbell, Curtis Copeland, Gary Dupriest, Bobby Johnson, Ardon Lee,

Robby Mobley, Sherry Page, Ronnie Surber, Ann Warren, Mark Wheeler and David Wilkerson.

Others in the 7th Grade were Joyce Autery, Sarah Barrett, Gehrig Feuge, Hugh Jackson, Cathy Merwin, Kirby Shipp and Tammy Smitherman.

Rounding out the 6th Grade: Kandice Brooks, Beverly Hoelscher, Tony Mathews, Marlene Mobley, Kathy O'Dell, Teresa Plagens, Phyllis Sobotik, Clarke Turner, Janie Welch and Russell Wimberley.

Xi Epsilon Chi has Two Recent Meets

Xi Epsilon Chi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Pauline Gossett December 21. Guest James Hamilton expressed his appreciation to the chapter for their help in furthering his education. He received the chapter's scholarship award.

After the business meeting, the chapter went on a "Treasure Christmas Gift Hunt"; followed by a salad supper. They were joined by the guest and Mrs. Helen Poage and Mrs. Ann Clark.

The second meeting was held in the home of Faye Copeland on January 11 with Sug Bloxom presenting the program.

Vicki Ratliff won the door prize.

FORMER RANKINITE'S FATHER IS BURIED

Services were held Wednesday at First Methodist Church in Sonora for George Gordon Bennett, 81-years-old. Among survivors is a son, Louis G. Bennett of Singapore.

Louis Bennett is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Ray Boggs and at one time lived in Rankin.

MEMORIAL GIFTS LISTED AT RANKIN LIBRARY

Recent memorials to the Rankin Library are: Travis G. Taylor by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Yocham, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Owens, Deryl Beach, Mrs. M. J. Edwards and Rankin Study Club.

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Our Friends and Customers

to

Free Coffee

All Day

Sunday, January 17

In Observance of Our

Second Anniversary

In Rankin

Roy's Restaurant

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Rutland and Staff

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Frozen FOODS

Honey BUNS 9-oz. pkg. **29c**

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U. S. No. 1 Russett POTATOES 10-lb. bag **69c**

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Peyton's English Brand BACON LB. **73c**

Chuck ROAST LB. **65c**

Arm ROAST LB. **69c**

Pork CHOPS LB. **79c**

SHORTENING SNOWDRIFT 3-lb. tin **79c**

Betty Crocker CAKE MIX EACH **43c**
Chiquito Banana

Sun Valley OLEO 3 FOR **\$1.**

Our Darling 303 CORN 2 FOR **49c**
cream style or whole kernel

Sunlite BISCUITS CAN **10c**

Stokely's 8-oz. Tomato SAUCE 3 FOR **41c**

Larsen's 16-oz. cans VEG ALL 2 FOR **49c**

Hi-C, grape or orange DRINK 46-OZ. **39c**

Imperial Pure Cane SUGAR 5-lb. bag **69c**

Lipton's TEA 1/4-lb. box **43c**

Van Camp's Vienna SAUSAGE 2 FOR **49c**

Stokely's 14-oz. bottle CATSUP 2 FOR **49c**

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Gerber's Strained BABY FOOD 6 Jars **89c**

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CLASSIFIED ADS

CLASSIFIED AD RATES for the Rankin News: 4-cents per word per issue. Minimum charge of 75c per ad when paid in cash; \$1.35 minimum charge on all ads put on charge account unless advertiser has active account with The News.

LOST: White female cat. Has one green and one blue eye. Child's pet. Finder please call 693-2360. (b-1-14)

FOR SALE: Top grain fed hogs, ready to butcher. J. C. Carroll, at Mule Train on West Highway 67. (a-1-14)

A LITTLE SOMETHING for that head cold . . . we have most of the popular name-brand pills and ointments that are supposed to do the trick. They may not cure you but sometimes you do feel better and we can save you a lot of looking. Mary Lou's Drug.

FOR SALE or rent: three bedroom house one block from school. Call 693-2447. (bt1-7)

FOR SALE: Parts for '63 Chevrolet and '63 Oldsmobile. Contact Mrs. George Ferguson at 693-2759. (bt-1-7)

FOR RENT: Large two bedroom house, West of hospital, recently repainted inside. Also has utility room equipped with washer and dryer connections. For information, contact Mrs. J. D. Glenn at 693-2785.

FOR RENT: Three bedroom, living room and den, 1/2 mile outside city limits on West Hiway 67. Leased by year. \$85 per month, first and last month in advance. C. B. Coleman, Ph. MU 2-4052, Box 1783, Midland, Texas. (bt-10-22)

MATTRESSES: New or rebuilt, Made by Western Mattress, 2430 W. 8th, Odessa. They are guaranteed. For a convenient home appointment, call Turner Motel, 693-2274.

FOR SALE: 808 Kilborn, three bedroom house and extra corner lot with old building. Write: John S. Wimberley, Star Route, Midkiff, Texas 79755.

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RHS Girls Consolation

After dropping out in last week's tournament to Balmorhea, the RHS girls ball team went on consolation bracket over Ft. Davis. In bested Crane 47-41.

In the first game led scoring with Jackson was top had 17 points in and Debbie Winters also. Day posted 14 Sue Jackson were Tournament Team.

Last Tuesday night put it on Pecos making 14 points. 13 and Sue Jackson bounder.

Sorority Lo "Women's"

Mrs. Kaye Shultz to the Omicron Tau Phi in her letter was read onal commending nes on her work secretary.

Mrs. Janice Hyatt program on "Women's" and cons, a discussion by members giving the subject.

Refreshments were members with ning the door pro

MRS. WORD 1971 SCHOOL

Mrs. Martha W. Grand Matron of tion 2, OES, madia visit to the No. 281 on Decem

The 1971 School will be held in Chapter No. 140 at March 23.

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Small Investment Necessary

Contact: Bert Browning,
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