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RANKIN (79778), UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, JULY 22, 1971

End of Fall -- It's Almost Time of Year Again

Just near at hand, the fall football season is beginning to appear with excitement this week by the Rankin Red football team. The team will be given out Monday, and the Rankin Red will take to the practice field for the 1971 season above schedule at school boys only. The season will not start training after school opens on

for this year's team, the lettermen, will be given out Monday, and Jack Campbell will be seniors this season. He is working as a running back last year while Campbell was the quarterback post.

Also noted that from the staff members Heffernan, Bob Johnson, Butler and Roger

Goodwin would be in Ft. Worth attending the annual Texas Football Coaches School.

Country Club Set for Tournament

Fathers, sons, daughters and grandkids will gather at Rankin Country Club this week-end and play thirty-six holes on a point system to determine trophy winners in several flights. Entry fee is \$5 per player.

Contestants may tee off at any time Saturday with the Sunday starting times to be determined by the number of entries. A shotgun start will be used Sunday.

Points will be counted: 1 for a double boggie, 2 for a boggie, 3 for a par, 4 for a bird, 5 for an eagle and 10 for a hole in one. Eighteen holes are to be played each day and a barbecued hamburger supper is to be given Saturday night for contestants and their families.

Can You Figure It Out . . .

In Compliance With New Legislation --

Jury Wheel Comes to Upton County

As of now, the old jury commission method of selecting a jury panel is out in Upton County, to be replaced shortly with the jury wheel system of selection. The change over in method of determining who will be called for jury duty has come about following recent changes ordered

by the Texas Legislature.

Effective date for the new method will be Aug. 15 when the jury wheel must be completed. First selections in Upton County from the "wheel of chance" will likely occur when the fall term of court is held in the 83rd Judicial District.

Youthful Voters to Get Part of Action

Along with the right to vote, the newly enfranchised 18, 19, and 20 year olds are going to find that there are civic responsibilities attached. Their names go into the jury wheel, right along with the rest of the registered voters.

Which, should they be called for jury duty at the right time, may provide an excellent excuse for missing some school work and getting paid for it at the same time.

Under the old method of jury commission selection, a half dozen or so persons were selected by the sheriff. After being instructed in their duties by the district judge, they then closeted themselves, along with a voter registration list, and picked the specified number of prospective jurors who were called for service. Generally, the commission discussed each selection and often took into consideration the person's health, how jury service might affect his employment—in cases of self-employed, etc.

All that is now a thing of the past. Under the jury wheel system—which is not a wheel as such but a box approximately a yard long that is rotated much in the manner of a drawing that might be held to determine a winner of a truck or box of groceries—in older days.

The new law specifies that the sheriff, county and district clerk shall meet at the courthouse, using as the sole and mandatory source, all names on the voter registration list from all precincts in the county, have these names placed on a special tag that is then placed in the jury wheel. The door on the wheel has two locks with one key kept by the sheriff and one by the clerk.

To select a jury panel, the two meet in the presence of the

Go-Team Asks for Help on Meal Ticket

Mothers and boys from the Rankin Go-Team will be out in force Saturday morning approximately at 10 a.m. securing donations to help send the team to Monahans where they are to represent Upton County in the 13-14 age bracket. Dates from the play offs is August 3-8; however, Rankin's playing dates have not yet been determined. These will be announced as soon as they are available.

The donations being sought are for the purpose of feeding the team while they are in Monahans. All contributions in any amounts will be appreciated.

district judge—the county judge in the case of county court—and the required number of names are drawn. These persons are then notified to appear at the required date and a jury is then selected. Should a person not be selected to serve on the jury—or not serve on the jury for more than four days—his name is immediately returned to the jury wheel and will be there when the next drawing is made.

Exemptions are granted to all 65 and over and to women who have children 10 years old or less. These persons may, however, serve on the jury if they desire to do so. Others may be excused at the discretion of the presiding judge.

Local Livestock

Given VEE Shots

With restrictions still being put into effect in the fight against VEE, sleeping sickness in horses, a vet was to have been at the Rankin arena at 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 21 to give shots. These shots are given free of charge; however, there is considerable red tape and paper work involved.

All horses, mules, ponies and jackasses (which may get quite a number of people) are required to take the shots. After fourteen days—and with the proper paper work in hand, horse owners will again be free to move their animals about the state. As of now, they cannot be taken out

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Court Appoints

Election Judges

In their special session, held on July 16, the Upton Commissioners Court appointed the following to serve for one year from the above date as election judges for all county and general elections:

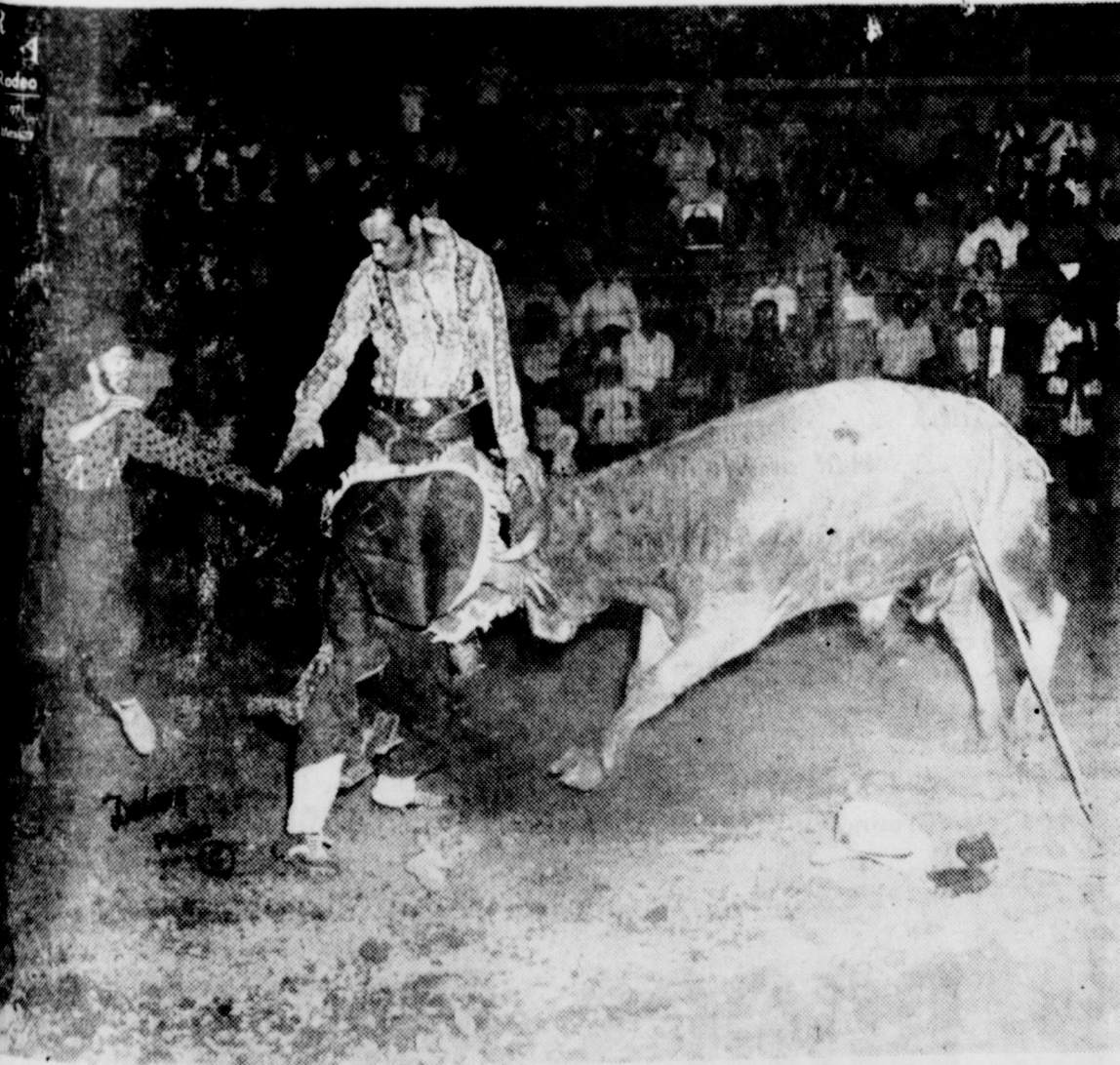
Precinct No. 1: Judge, Mrs. Sam Holmes; assistant, Mrs. Boyd Cox

Precinct No. 2: Judge, Mrs. Ross Wheeler; assistant, Mrs. Hamp Carter

Precinct No. 3: Judge, F. W. Payne; assistant, Oteka Darby

Precinct No. 4: Judge, Geneva Sumrall; assistant, Tom Waddell

Special Canvassing Judges: 1, Mrs. Flora Shaw; 2, Kenneth Babcock; 3, Judith Wilkerson; 4, Kenneth Calwell.



(photo compliments AJRA News)

action photo, the characters involved are quite often in some odd positions. The taken at an AJRA approv-

ed rodeo in Las Cruces, N. M. last month, has to rank among the top in a study of confusion. Try your luck at determining

what's really going on, then turn to back page and see if you're correct.

THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

FORMER RANKINITES—

At about the time I was trying to get off on vacation, I got a letter from a former longtime resident of Rankin in which the writer related the rather painful and sad experience of still another family that once lived here.

Old time readers of The News will recall the John Lair family that resided in Rankin in the 50's where both were school teachers. They lived on Elizabeth Street and were active in a number of church and civic affairs. They had one son, John, Jr.

Last December 19 the son was involved in an automobile wreck in San Angelo. His parents, at the time, were teaching school in Crystal City. Young Lair remained in critical condition with head injuries in a San Angelo hospital until March 1 when he was transferred by ambulance, on a stretcher, to the Veterans Hospital in

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Temple. He is still there today

On March 3, Mr. Lair had a fatal heart attack. Since that time, Mrs. Lair has given up her teaching job, rented the family home and moved to Temple to be near her son.

Our letter writer, knowing from other experiences said that she had
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The Lonely Heart



July 20th. CWA ratification is required by August 14.

Phone Strike Ends;

Wage Increase Made

A new three year contract representing an increased cost of \$386,213,000 was signed Sunday, July 18 by Southwestern Bell and District 6, Communication Workers of America, according to a Monday afternoon announcement by A. E. Alston, President of Southwestern Bell.

In Odessa alone, cost of the settlement over a three year period will be \$1,817,000. In Midland, the three year cost will be \$1,621,000.

The cost in Texas will be almost \$196 million dollars, more than one-half of the company settlement expense.

The agreement is part of a nationwide settlement negotiated by the Bell System and the CWA. It is to be effective at midnight,

The Southwestern Bell - CWA agreement, signed after approximately four weeks of negotiation, covers 57,000 non-management employees in some 900 cities in Arkansas, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Missouri and a part of Illinois.

The national settlement brings wages and benefit improvements averaging 31% over the life of the contract.

In the first year alone, wage and benefit improvements will average more than 16%. The contract calls for additional wage increases in 1972 and 1973, plus cost of living adjustments.

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22-oz. Faultless SPRAY STARCH	69¢
303 Libby's Sliced CARROTS 2 for	39¢
303 Del Monte SPINACH 2 for	45¢

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Fresh LETTUCE head	23¢
Fresh AVACADOS each	19¢
California PEACHES lb.	29¢
Pecos CANTALOUPE lb.	13¢
California CORN-ON-COB 3 ears	29¢

BEST Meat Buys

Peyton's Cured HAMS Half or Whole	LB. 59¢
Gooch's Blue Ribbon BACON	LB. 69¢
Beef ROAST	LB. 59¢
Fresh Ground BEEF	LB. 49¢

303 Ranch Style BEANS 2 for	
303 Libby's—with snaps BLACKEYED PEAS 2 for	
Reynold's 10 count BROWN IN BAG	
Kim MAYONNAISE quart	
Borden's EAGLE BRAND MILK	
Libby's—in butter sauce LIMA BEANS No. 2 can	
Hunt's No. 300 Can TOMATO JUICE 2 for	

No. 300 can Hunt's FRUIT COCKTAIL — 2 for	
Quart Kim sour or dill WHOLE PICKLES	
24-oz. box yellow or white CORN MEAL	

300 size can Hunt's NEW POTATOES 2 for	
15-oz. bottle PINE SOL	
King Size Ivory LIQUID SOAP	

Bath Size Vel SOAP 2 for	
Half Gallon CLOROX BLEACH	
Hunt's Regular TOMATO SAUCE	
Kim PEACHES No. 2 1/2 can	

Frozen FOOD

20-oz. Frosty Acres—cut GREEN BEANS	
12-oz. can Whole Sun ORANGE JUICE	
20-oz. bag Frosty Acres BLACKEYED PEAS	

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DOUBLE STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY

with him (her son) . . . her purse was stolen the first day she was there—her credit cards, driver's license and some cash."

Our writer has noted that if there are those who would like to give some assistance to Mr. Lair, her address is: Mrs. John Lair, 1902 South First, Temple Texas 76501. For those who might like to call her, her telephone number is (817) 773-4413.

A brief news note points out the fact that Brigham Young, the founder of the Mormons in Utah, was the father of 57 children. You don't suppose he's the fellow who first suggested Father's Day?

THE STINKERS—

One of the big kicks of today is to say something bad about the polluter. And, without doubt, it's not hard to find something bad to say. Almost anyone who has been around for thirty or more years call recall a river, creek or water hole that, in his youth, was

a fresh, clean and delightful spot but today is probably little more than a stinkhole.

Much of the damage has been the result of practices or constructions made by man and carried out under the guise of progress and civic betterment. True, a form of progress has been made in most instances, but at the same time, something has been lost that can never be replaced.

I know of several of these spots that took, perhaps, centuries to develop and were ruined beyond recovery in just one generation by some unthinking action of the people in that area.

Recent news items have related how the giant Aswan High Dam, built at a cost of \$1 billion on the Nile River in Egypt, has already broken the aquatic food chain in the eastern Mediterranean along a continental shelf 12 miles wide and 600 miles long. A death-dealing parasite carried by water snails flourishes in the backed up waters of the dam. One in every ten deaths in Egypt today is said to be caused by this parasite. Salinity threatens to turn the Nile Valley into a desert, according to the experts. And instead of filling by 1970 as had been forecasted, some now say it will take 200 years.

Man can and does make great plans and build huge dams, factories or what have you but with ever increasing rapidity, things he never figured on are happening—most of them bad.

In our own area, just below the Amistad Dam at Del Rio and for perhaps over 100 or so miles, the Rio Grand, which was once so clean and clear — when not in flood stage that you could drink from the water—is now a sluggish, inches deep stream, infested with gars and turtles and very possibly soon to be overgrown by willows and cain. What few small fish that are still caught below the dam do not appear to be fit

to eat.

Through the cooperation of Mexico, the United States has built a dam that has and is providing recreation for many people, plus financial gain to still others. It appears that in order to do so, we are in the process of sacrificing a mighty big stretch of a natural river that, once it

is gone, will never again be seen on this earth. That seems like a pretty high price to pay for the benefit of what is actually a few.

At the rate the big dams are going up all over the world, it will only be a short while until there are no more natural rivers. And one wonders what price we will pay for that.

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AN ACT relating to the recording and re-recording of livestock brands and marks; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. (a) This Act shall apply to every county in this State. In all the counties each owner of any livestock mentioned in Chapter I of Title 121 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 shall within six months after this Act takes effect have his mark and brand for such stock recorded in the office of the county clerk of the county. These owners shall record the marks and brands whether the brands and marks have been previously recorded or not.

(b) The owner shall have the right to have his mark and brand recorded in his name who according to the present records of the county first recorded the brand and mark in the country, or in event it can not be ascertained from the records who first recorded the brand and mark in the county, then the person who has been using such mark and brand the longest shall have the right to the brand and mark recorded in his name.

(c) After the expiration of six months from the taking effect of this Act all records of marks and brands now in existence in the county shall no longer have any force or effect and after the expiration of six month only the records made after this Act takes effect shall be examined or considered in recording marks and brands in the county.

(d) Immediately upon the taking effect of this Act the county clerk of the county shall have this Act published in some newspaper of general circulation in the county for a period of thirty days. The publication shall be paid for by the county out of the general county fund.

Sec. 2. All brands and marks registered under the provisions of this Act shall be re-registered every 10 years in the manner prescribed in Section 1 of this Act.

Sec. 3. The importance of this legislation and the crowded conditions of the calendars in both Houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and this Rule is hereby suspended; and this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.



UPTON COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT

REPORT OF DORIS L. SPEED, COUNTY TREASURER OF UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS, OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FROM APRIL 1, 1971 TO JUNE 30, 1971, INCLUSIVE:

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	12,956.82
To Amount received since last Report	82,349.75
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	7,000.00
By Amount paid out since last Report	45,177.79
By Amount transferred to other Funds, since last Report	56,632.25
Amount to Balance	496.53
Balance	496.53

PARK FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	8,071.29
To Amount received since last Report	1,344.27
To Amount transferred from other Funds since last Report	20,000.00
By Amount paid out since last Report	27,225.61
Amount to Balance	2,189.95
Balance	2,189.95

GENERAL COUNTY FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	129,479.85
To Amount received since last Report	4,397.79
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	53,524.63
By Amount paid out since last Report	60,347.80
By Amount transferred to other Funds, since last Report	52,618.36
Amount to Balance	74,436.11
Balance	74,436.11

OFFICERS SALARY FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	2,270.10
To Amount received since last Report	5,886.64
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	30,000.00
By Amount paid out since last Report	30,702.93
Amount to Balance	7,453.81
Balance	7,453.81

LAW LIBRARY FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	79.56
To Amount received since last Report	107.50
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	500.00
By Amount paid out since last Report	352.50
Amount to Balance	334.56
Balance	334.56

COURTHOUSE BOND SINKING FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	35,463.86
To Amount received since last Report	130.23
By Amount paid out since last Report	31,521.22
Amount to Balance	4,072.87
Balance	4,072.87

PARK REFUNDING BOND SINKING FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	
To Amount received since last Report	
Amount to Balance	

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HOSPITAL BOND FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	
To Amount received since last Report	
By Amount paid out since last Report	
Amount to Balance	

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SOCIAL SECURITY FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	
To Amount received since last Report	
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	
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Amount to Balance	

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RETIREMENT FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	
To Amount received since last Report	
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	
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Amount to Balance	

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TAX FUND—

Balance last Report, Filed 3-31, 1971	
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RECAPITULATION—

Road & Bridge Fund Balance	
General County Fund Balance	
Officers Salary Fund Balance	
Park Fund Balance	
Law Library Fund Balance	
Social Security Fund Balance	
Retirement Fund Balance	
Courthouse Bond Sinking Fund Balance	
Park Refunding Bond Sink. Fund Balance	
Hospital Bond Fund Balance	

LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON

None
Tressurer's Report from April 1, 1971 to June 30, 1971
Upton County Texas.

Filed with the vouchers accompanying same
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(s) Buena R. Coffee, County Clerk, Upton C



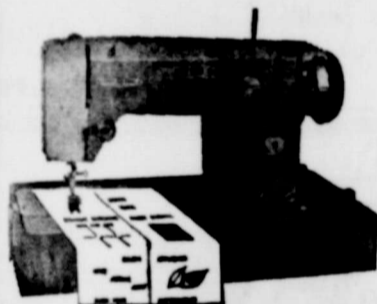
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5. Decision of the judges is final.

6. No representative will call or come to your home. Winners will be notified by mail.

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- 2.TABS.....NRETTAP.....
- 3.CTISTH.....OEBTUHNLQ.....
- 4.UOTTBN.....LMATEARI.....
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WHO WHAT WHEN

Well, whatta you know — we didn't get a single caller on last week's picture—at least, not up until press time for this portion of The News. I doubt that the group was actually that hard to identify and suspect that some of them may have not wanted to recall that almost ten years have slipped past since the pose was taken.

It was of the school board and first ran September 20, 1962. Included were Joe L. Simpson, A. B. McGill, W. O. Adams, Ed Edgar, Lloyd Harlan, J. D. Gossett and C. J. Shaffer.

This week, we'll return to another graduation picture. It was made in Galveston and contains a number of important folk and with that tip, that's it.

4-H Dress Revue Winners Named

In the recent 4-H Dress Revue for Upton County girls, Blue Ribbon Awards went to Sharon McAlister, Marilyn Plagens, Ronda Shankle, Ann Warren, Laurie Warren, Janice Midkiff, Beverly Hoelscher, Debbie Braden, Karen and Cathy Odell. All of this group are juniors and Debbie Braden will be the district representative for the division. Alternate is Kathy Odell.

In the senior division, Joann Sullivan will be the representative in district competition with Angela Vick as alternate. Judy Haynes was a blue ribbon winner in this division.

Leaders for the girls are Mrs. J. R. Warren and Mrs. Gene Braden. Mrs. Jim Sacco was the pianist for the Upton Revue.

Reflections . . .

by Ann Richardson

Having recently survived another carefree summer vacation, I've come up with a list of do's and don'ts which may benefit those who have not yet gone. (Whoever said that a person can not benefit from someone else's mistakes was dead wrong!)

1. When you need to fill up your gas tank never wait until you get to the next town to fill up—hoping it will be cheaper—it never is.
2. Never work out a schedule for your vacation—it will conflict with those your relations have made for you.
3. Disinfectant sprays and deodorant sprays do not make good hair spray but it teaches a person to read labels.
4. An electric razor will not work if the cord is left at home.
5. It is useless to chase butterflies with a fishnet. They will only crawl out through the big holes in the net. Besides, all the nei-

ghbors of your relatives will think you are a bit "off".

6. Never, but never, get big-hearted and agree to take all the kids to the store! You'd be surprised at how forgetful they can be. They will forget to take their money and they forget to tell you that they invited all the neighbor kids to go (who also forgot their money.)

7. Never try to give all your relatives equal time! Take heed—they work in relays and you must go full time, never growing tired or sleepy. (They'll make sure you have a good time even if it kills you.)

8. If invited to the lake for a picnic and swim, forget it!! You may think it to be the perfect way to catch up on your rest while pretending to sunbathe but you're wrong. Without a doubt, you will be left in charge of the kids since you aren't going in. (After all, they don't want you to feel bored or neglected.)

9. Never fail to take into consideration that it is absolutely impossible for children to use the bathroom in the same town that you bought them a soft drink and remember—at least one will wait for the third town before saying anything.

10. Always take a jug of water with you. This gives the kids something to do because what they don't drink they will pour on each other or on the dog—which is a wonderful way to start a fight to pass the time.

I could continue on and on but I think I've made my point which is this: when planning a vacation first find out the general location of where all your relatives plan to be and then go in the opposite direction. Second, bribe the kids to behave and not bother you or try to drive you crazy. (If this doesn't work you will have to resort to threats.) Last but not least, plan on coming home a few days early—you will need the rest.

Good luck!
BRIDE'S BOOKS, wedding announcements and shower invitations at the Rankin News.

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Rankin Hos Team Entered —

McCamey to Host Ball Tournament July 23-24

By Mary Lucus, Reporter
The McCamey News

McCamey will be host for a minor league tournament July 23 and 24. Entered in the tournament will be teams from Rankin and Iraan and two teams from McCamey.

Two games will be played each night with the first game starting at approximately 6 p.m. and the second game starting at 8:30 p.m. On Friday, July 23, the 6 pm game will be between Iraan and the second place winner in the McCamey league.

Cheryl Jean Wood is Recent Graduate

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Little were in Brownwood over the week end to attend commencement exercises at Howard Payne College.

Among those receiving Bachelor of Science degrees was their daughter, Mrs. Cheryl Jean Wood. Mrs. Wood is a 1968 graduate of Rankin High School.

The losers on Friday night will play at 6 p.m. on Saturday and the winners on Friday night will play at 8:30 for the championship. Trophies will be awarded to each player on the championship team.

Admission charge will be 25c for anyone 13 and older.

The managers are urging everyone to come out and support their team. Last year's tournament was very good and this year they hope it will be even better.

Effie Eagleton is Society Speaker

Miss Effie Eagleton of McCamey was the speaker at the recent meeting of the Upton County Genealogical Society. She gave a summary of the advancement of the colonization of America and a history of William Fenton Upton and John Cunningham Upton, for whom Upton County was named.

New members this month are

Mrs. Eversole from Iraan and Mrs. Faye Stewart from McCamey.

Aid Available for Area Blind Persons

The West Texas Lighthouse For The Blind has received a Federal grant to partially underwrite cost of establishing a work evaluation and training center for

the blind people of West Texas.

This center will serve something over 100 people per year and will provide much needed evaluations of a blind person's ability to perform various jobs and to function in normal society. In conjunction with this center, the Lighthouse is attempting to locate what it believes to be a sizeable number of blind men, women and children in its service area

who are not currently receiving service for which they are eligible.

The Lighthouse is seeking help of teachers, clerics, doctors in finding cases previously reported to the State Commission, or State Commission, having knowledge of who they feel is in need of service not presently being provided. Invited to write the Lighthouse at 30 N. San Angelo, Texas 76901.

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



KOUNTY AGENT'S KORNER



During periods of extended drouth conditions such as we have been experiencing over much of Texas, irrigation plays an important role in the survival of plants. In areas where soil and water are alkaline—such as ours—it is extremely important that correct methods of application of irrigation water be followed.

Plants frequently are unable to obtain moisture from the soil even though water is present in ample quantities because the concentration of salt in the soil water is too high. The water can not move into the root system since the concentration outside the root is greater than that within the roots and water will not move into the small absorbing roots.

To create a favorable condition for water absorption, it is necessary to reduce the salt concentration within the soil. If soil drainage is adequate, the excess salt can be leached by applying an excess amount of water to the soil to wash the salt deeper into the soil below the root zone.

The question is frequently asked, "How does the salt accumulate in the soil in the first place?" If there is a quantity of salt in the irrigation water, it moves into the soil with the water. As the moisture evaporates from the soil surface, the salt moves to the upper soil layer where it accumulates because it can not leave with the evaporating water. This is why it is essential to occasionally apply more water than is needed so that the excess soluble salt can be dissolved and moved out of the upper soil surface.

Good drainage is essential for growing plants under irrigation especially when there are soluble salts in the water. If internal drainage is poor, it may be necessary to install tile drains to prevent the accumulation of salt in the soil.

Sometimes the gardener develops watering habits that contribute to a salt build-up in the soil. Some gardeners apply a specific amount of water each time they irrigate a tree or shrub. This frequently happens when it is standard practice to form a basin around a tree or shrub for holding water. If this is filled each time the plant is irrigated, the water

will penetrate to a given depth. As it moves to this depth, it deposits the salts in this region where it accumulates with each watering.

If the same procedure is followed with each application, more and more salt will accumulate. This is why shade trees irrigated in this fashion often develop marginal leaf burn by mid summer.

To prevent this build-up, it is essential that the gardener apply an extra amount of water every four or five weeks. This can be accomplished by filling the basin two or three times, allowing it to soak away. This will move the salt beyond the root zone, resulting in a much healthier plant with little or no salt injury.

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WE wish to extend appreciation to friends for food, flowers and kindness and a special thank you to the ladies of the Baptist Church for their kind and thoughtful considerations during our recent sorrow.

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Les McFadden; how-
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Lists Steps

by Board

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July 17.

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E. Berry, admitted on

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July 15.

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dismissed July 18.

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dismissed July 16.

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July 18.

Robert Rosales admitted July
15, dismissed July 15.

Mrs. Margarette Dorris admit-
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Jessie Gomez admitted July 15.

Duane Mitchell admitted July
15, dismissed July 15.

C. L. Hargrove, Rankin, ad-
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21.

Ronald E. Poston admitted on
July 16, dismissed July 20.

N. T. Underwood, Iraan, ad-
mitted July 16, dismissed July 17.

Charlie Hale, Rankin, admitted
July 18.

Mrs. Charles Collum admitted
July 18, dismissed July 20.

Mrs. Robert Brown, admitted
July 19.

Mrs. Ghaias Jandali admitted
July 20, dismissed July 20.

Martha Abalos, admitted on
July 20.

**Fishermen Must
Now Tag Lines**

AUSTIN — Due to recent ac-
tion by the Texas Parks & Wild-
life Commission, those who fish in
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latory counties must tag their
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which fit this description, but the
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Thursday, July 22

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I'D LIKE TO TAKE of expressing my appreciation to the phone calls, letters, flowers and visits recent stay in the was encouraging to all of you and made lot better to know home were thinking
J. B. Pettit, Jr.

Page 1 Picture

In the front page lad in the striped shirt thrown by the bull is rather upset with venture and is trying horns to the rider—what up in the air of ter.

Directly in front and with his head covered by a part of a rodeo clown trying the bull. A second in to help out.

Too bad we don't ence shots for the s ably went from bad

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