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Rankin Junior High Winners Literary Competition

Elementary students, as well as students in High School, participated in the District UIL Literary Meet, held April 12 in Balcones. Rankin posted 79 points while Wink was 2nd with 72. Sanderson, 54; Rhea, 32. Marfa and ... participate.

spelling. The Picture Memory entry of Paige McMullan, Karrie Ratliff, Kim Ratliff, Kim Rose and Phyllis West, was 3rd.

Forty RHS Students Listed on Honor Roll

An even 40 students were listed on the 5th Six Weeks Honor Roll at Rankin High School with 10 being seniors, 13 juniors, 10 sophomores and 7 freshmen. At the top of the list was Audrey Braden with a 97.5 average. She is a senior.

Top junior was Greg Copeland at 96.5 while Curtis Copeland at 97 was lead sophomore and Cathy Merwin at 95 led the freshmen.

Other seniors included Lois Crawford, 91.4; Monica Davis, 90.666; Billy Eggemeyer, 92.6; Murray Golson, 90.6; Kathy Helms 95.25; Lynn Jackson, 94.5; Audrey McFadden, 92.25; Steve McSpadden, 91; and Nita Page, 94.25.

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See Here . . .

... about the scientist ... a raccoon with a ... got a dirty look from ...

Act Play Win Would Increase Number

Rankin has Thirteen in State Finals

Wednesday, Rankin High School has thirteen people qualify for state competition. Rehearsals for the One Act play, which will see regional action in ... Wednesday night, were ... at press time.

Regional titles last week ... golf team and the track ... was the first regional ... an RHS golf team and ... be one of four teams in ... Class A competition in ... May 4-5. Members of ... are Terry Lester, Terry ... Gary Varnadore, Hal ... and Tommy Gray. They ... Rankin on May 2 for ... of practice prior to the ...

successful defense of their ... track title from 1972. The ... had to go to the speed ... ping events to roll up the ... necessary to again bring ... to RHS. In so doing, ... fied their 440 relay team ... individuals for action ... Greg Copeland, one of ... 890 runners in West Tex- ... e it in his specialty, and ... Mathews will compete in

the high jump. On the relay unit will be Ronnie Johnson, Bart Collins, Brad Winn and Jimmy Eggemeyer.

In track, a school does not necessarily qualify its entire team when it wins regional; rather, qualifications are based on individual placings and on unit placings such as the 440 or mile relay team.

For the literary events, a pair

Two Rankin Coaches in New Jobs

Two Rankin coaches will move up in their professions with the acceptance of positions with the Rock Springs School District.

Coach Butch Butler, who came to Rankin in 1969 as an assistant football coach and girls basketball coach, has taken the head coaching job at the hill country school. Joining him as his assistant will be Roger Goodwin, a Junior High coach in Rankin since 1969 where he has fielded undefeated football teams on two occasions.

Four Days of Action Scheduled --

AJRA Circuit Moves to Rankin Wednesday

Starting next Wednesday, Rankin will host the AJRA Rodeo circuit that ranges from Texas to New Mexico and Colorado. There will be four days of rodeo excitement, sponsored locally by the Rankin Lions Club.

Rankin is the headquarters for the far-flung American Junior Rodeo Association (AJRA) with Les McFadden serving as secre-

tary-manager. President of the organization is Rick Hendley of Snyder Junior College, and Gwen Jones of Hobbs, N. M. is "Miss AJRA of 1973."

Other places holding AJRA events this year include Stephenville, Snyder, Del Rio, Andrews, Eunice, Monahans, Van Horn, Las Cruces, Roswell, Carlsbad, Big Spring and Farwell — these all having already been approved by the AJRA—and several others "in the works." Last year's National Finals were held in Pueblo West, Colorado.

Upwards to 300 contestants are expected to enter the Rankin rodeo which is classified by the AJRA as "an open show", meaning that non-members may also enter. AJRA event winners are paid cash awards and last year in Rankin, the top money for any one event was in Boys 16-19 tie-down calf roping where 1st place received \$221.85, 2nd paid \$183.60, 3rd was worth \$145.35, and 4th was paid \$107.10. A top roper in this age bracket can earn over \$3,000 in a season.

Performances will be held each night, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. at the Dub Day 4-H Arena on the Crane Highway. Admission is \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students of high school age and under.

A parade will be held Saturday, April 28 at 6 p.m. and a dance at 9 will be at the Rankin Park building.



GWENN JONES
Miss AJRA 1973

School Board in Regular Session

At their last regular meeting, held Thursday, April 12, members of the Rankin School Board canvassed the returns of the April 7 Trustee election and declared Jim Neal and C. E. Winn as winners of the two seats. At the same session they organized the Board for the coming term with all officers retaining their previous positions.

This would see Dr. J. D. Gossett as president; Lloyd Helms, vice-president; Ray Barrett, Jr., secretary; Joe Garner Loftin, assistant secretary, and Board members C. E. Taylor, Jim Neal and Clarence Winn.

In other matters the Board:

- Accepted the bid of Commercial Body Shop of San Antonio for a new 60 passenger bus, and approved the sale of an old bus to Mack McKenzie.

- Negotiated a two-year contract with new superintendent A. C. Copeland at \$18,000 per year.

- Set the date for the annual Budget Hearing to coincide with the June 6th date for the Board of Equalization. Time will be at 8 a.m. instead of the previously used night session.

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If You Like Excitement, Attend the Rodeo



(photo courtesy AJRA News)

THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

OLE—

"When you say Red Devils, they've done it all!"

Now that's a little different take-off on the catch slogan used in the latter part of the football season; but it just about says it all. Rankin has "busted" the district for all the marbles in boys activities — all the way down through Junior High, and have now cracked the regional barrier, a slot that had given them some trouble earlier in the season.

RHS already has won— at the least— the No. 4 slot in all Class A in golf, has some good chances for state trophies in several track events, and is still in the running in some literary events. One of the area daily newspapers said that this was the first time ever for Red Devil units to advance past regional. Oh, bull! Rankin has about as many regional titles as any school in West Texas — they were the defending regional track champs having won only last year—and have advanced a

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number of times to state meets in just about everything but foot- and golf.

Their best chances for an out-right state championship this season is probably in golf. (Now you didn't really think I was going to let that pass, did you?)

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pike in RHS. They play well as a team and at one time or another, all five have figured in the final team total. Credit must go to Coach Turner for being able to get it all together in the form of a winner.

And I would like to say a few words about the game. It is one of the true character builders in sports. To play it well, one must learn self control above all else. In football, if you bust a play or get rattled, you can plant the old headgear in an opponent's belly on the next play and feel a little better about the situation. Basketball is pretty much a "contact" sport and the rhubarb has long been a part of baseball. In golf, however, it's considered most un-sportsmanlike to assault your opponent or try to run him down in a golf cart.

In fact, golf is one of the last sports around that still carries with it an air of gallant chivalry. If your opponent hits one 240 down the middle, you are to say, "Nice shot, Opponent, Sir." and you comment highly on his form and delicate touch. Upon arriving at the green and he runs in a 30-footer downhill, you are expected to again comment on his good judgement and smooth putting ability.

At this point you might, in a

most gracious manner, ask, "Opponent, Sir, how many strokes did you have on that hole?" To which he might reply, "Oh, that was an easy par."

At this point you might, again with dignity, demur with something suitable and not intended to offend: "LIKE HELL IT WAS, YOU CABBAGE-HEADED SNAKE KILLER, YOU!!"

Yes, golf is a gentlemen's game—no doubt about it.

TIDBITS—

You are all familiar with the tv commercial that debunks long accepted quotations such as "A woman's place is in the home," and "All aspirin alike." I would like to add another: "If you mailed your income tax return on time, you have nothing to worry about." That should be, if you mailed your income tax, it's time to start worrying.

It's said that only 1.5 persons per 100 ever have their income tax audited. Now I have never in my life won a football pot with almost the same odds—or much or anything else, for that matter I have, however, had the good fortune to be one of those 1.5 persons in 100 to win a tax audit.

That's luck for you.

From George Baker's column in the Ft. Stockton Pioneer: "If God had intended for us to have a permissive society, he would have given us 10 suggestions — not 10 commandments."

Quite a few Rankinites remember the Ernest Cheynes when they lived in Rankin. They now have a place down on Lake Whitney and sent a note saying they would like to have you visit with them if you're down that way. Just don't let ole Ernest tell you any big fish stories.

From Fred Welling's "Weather-wise" magazine: the record snow fall for a season in the U. S. was set in 1971-72 at Paradise Ranger Station at the 5,500 foot level

of Mount Rainier in the State of Washington — 1,122 inches.


From "The Progressive" magazine: the income of oilman Jean Paul Getty is estimated at \$300,000 per day! (Keep in mind, however, that money can't buy happiness. A man with \$6 million might be just as happy as a man with \$7 million.)

Read Tom Craddicks report in

this issue of The News. You will get a reasonably good idea of where you Texas tax dollars go.


From the "Executive Digest": Not all American banks have drab names like First National, etc. There is the Bank of Delight in Arkansas and the Bank of What Cheer in Iowa, not to mention the Bank of French Broad—named after a stream in Marshall, S. C.

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RHS Girls Have 4 in Regional Track Meet

Rankin High School's Girls Track Team has qualified four individuals, in eight events, for regional competition in Levelland on April 27-28. In so doing, they picked up a 2nd in district girls track and broke 7 existing RHS Girls Track records.

Considering that they have used six to seven girls most of the season in their track efforts, they are the most successful, percentage-wise of all track teams in regional qualifiers for Rankin.

For district action, their 440 relay team of Garlington, Winters, Page and Johnson took 1st. Winters was also 1st in the 60 yard dash, the broad jump and the triple jump, and 2nd in the 100.

Johnson was 1st in discus, 2nd in broad jump and 3rd in high jump and the 80 yard hurdles.

Garlington was 2nd in the 440 yard dash while Sherry Page had a 3rd in the triple jump, and Nita Page was 4th in the 880.

Rankin's 380 relay team of Liz Smith, Nita Page, Garlington and Sherri Page posted a 4th.

Notaries Public to Apply May 1 thru 15

County Clerk Buena R. Coffee has announced that all presently commissioned Notaries Public in Upton County desiring re-appointment for the new term which begins June 1, 1973 and ends June 1, 1975, must pay the required fee

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: PARKER EARNEST SHIREY, GREEING:

You are commended to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 21st day of May, A. D. 1973, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable 112th District Court of Upton County, at the Court House in Rankin, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 23rd day of March, 1973. The file number of said suit being No. 1905.

The names of the parties in said suit are: BERNICE LYNN SHIREY as PETITIONER, and PARKER EARNEST SHIREY as Respondent.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

A Suit for divorce.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 10th day of April A. D., 1973.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Rankin, Texas, this the 10th day of April A. D., 1973.

(s) Buena R. Coffee

Clerk of the 112th Judicial District Court of Upton County, Texas

and file a new oath and bond at her office between May 1, 1973 and May 15, 1973, inclusive.

Mrs. Coffee further stated that any person not now a Notary Public who desires appointment for the beginning of the new term on June 1, 1973, should apply at her office before May 14, 1973. The required application forms may be obtained there.

Mrs. Coffee emphasized that Notaries Public should not send requests for appointment or for commissions directly to the Secretary of State inasmuch as the law specifically requires that the County Clerk approve Notary Bonds and forward copies of the application to the Secretary of State.

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Library Notes

Rankin Public Library will be closed Good Friday, April 20 and Saturday, April 21.

Recent fiction on our shelves includes:

"Elephants Can Remember," by Agatha Christie; "Law and Order," by Dorothy Uhnak; "Burnt Offerings," by Robert Marasco;

"The Sunlight Dialogues," by John Gardner; "Rule Britannia," by Daphne du Maurier; "Green Darkness," by Anya Seto; "Oklahoma Crude," by Marc Norman; "The Camerons," by Robert Crichton; "Nethergate," by Nora H. Lefts; and "A Marriage of Convenience," by Elizabeth Rossiter.

Non-fiction includes:

"America's Crochet Book," by Gertrude Taylor; "Blackberry

Winer," by Margaret Mead;

"Harry Truman," by Margaret Truman; "My Life in the Mafia," by Vincent Teresa; "Winning Ways of Watercolor," by Rex Brandt; "Complete Course in Oil Painting," by Olle Nordmark;

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White's Son gets Force Award



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U. S. Air Force
Sergeant Kenneth Em-
merson of C. E. Emmerson.

Midkiff, has received his fifth award of the Air Medal at Hickam AFB, Hawaii.

The sergeant, a radio operator supervisor, was cited for his airmanship and courage on missions completed under hazardous conditions in support of the U. S. mission in Southeast Asia.

He now serves at Hickman with a unit of the Air Force Communications Service.

The sergeant entered the Air Force in April, 1971 and has served in the Republic of Korea.

A 1958 graduate of Farmington (N. M.) High School, he attended the University of Texas at El Paso.

Sgt. Emmerson's wife is the former Marie W. Niebel.

Memorials Noted to Methodist Church

Recently received memorials by Rankin United Methodist Church include the following:

Rankin JH Girls Win District Track Meet

In recently held District 6 - A Junior High Girls Track, Rankin took 1st place with Wink and Iraan tied for 2nd. Placings for Rankin included:

Teresa Plagens, 1st in high jump at 4' 6"; Joyce Plagens, 2nd at 4' 4"; and Jo Tarbit 3rd at 4' 2".

Triple Jump: Tarbert 1st at 30'

IN MEMORY of Flora Shaw, from Mr. and Mrs. Bud Poage, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Poage, Mrs. W. H. Holcombe, Mrs. Elizabeth Rains, Beulah B. Shubert, Mr. and Mrs. Winston H. Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holcomb; Mrs. C. J. Holcomb, Mrs. Flora Lee Cook, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Aiken, Dr. and Mrs. Jim Gossett;

IN MEMORY of D. O. McKelvy, from Mr. and Mrs. Dunn Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boggs;

IN MEMORY of Stanley Eddins, from Mrs. Elizabeth Rains.

3 1/2", Kristi Russom, 6th at 27".

Broad Jump: Joyce Plagens 1st at 15' 5 1/2";

Discus: Teresa Plagens, 2nd at 82' 11", Beverly Hoelscher, 6th at 59' 10 1/2".

440 relay: Rankin 1st with Dona Reams, Cheryl Bearden, Teresa and Joyce Plagens. Time: 53.6.

880 yard relay, Rankin 2nd at 2:00.2 with D'Ann Garlington, Jo Tarbit, Tammy Wilkerson and Joyce Plagens.

80 yard low hurdles: Patti Pruet, 1st at 14; Cheryl Bearden, 3rd, and Tammy Wilkerson, 4th.

220 yard dash: Joyce Plagens, 2nd at 28.8, Jo Tarbit, 3rd at 30.9

330 yard dash: Janie Lech 5th, Mindy Merwin, 6th.

100 yard dash: Cherel Bearden, 4th, Teresa Plagens, 6th.

60 yard dash: Teresa Plagens, 4th.

Rankin rolled up 131 points for Coach Bud Poage to take the win. Junior High does not advance past district competition.

officers were chosen.

Those members who will serve as next year's executive board are Mrs. Ellis Helmers, president; Mrs. Jim Neal, vice-president; Mrs. Ronnie Dunnam, recording secretary; Mrs. Don Bailey, corresponding secretary; Mrs. David Burkett, treasurer; and Mrs. Rusty Glidewell, extension officer.

An election for "Girl of the Year" was held. Her name will be revealed at the Founder's Day Banquet which will be held Monday, April 30.

Prior to the business meeting, an informative program on china painting was conducted by Mrs. H. G. Adams. Mrs. Adams not only showed the tools necessary for painting china pieces but also displayed many items she had painted. These included bracelets, rings, lockets, pins and china eggs.

LEGAL NOTICE WITHDRAWAL FROM PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that F. E. COVILL has withdrawn from the partnership between F. E. COVILL, JAMES E. COVILL and J. E. COVILL, under the firm name of RED BLUFF LUMBER COMPANY OF RANKIN, TEXAS, doing business at Rankin, Upton County, Texas was dissolved on the 1st day of March, 1973 and that F. E. COVILL is no longer connected in any way with the business now being conducted at said location. That the business is continuing under the partnership of JAMES E. COVILL AND J. E. COVILL, under the same firm name of RED BLUFF LUMBER COMPANY OF RANKIN, TEXAS.

That all debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by JAMES E. COVILL, and all demands on the said partnership should be presented to him for payment.

DAED THIS 1st day of March, 1973.

(s) F. E. COVILL

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Omicron Tau Has April 9 Meeting

Omicron Tau held its April 9th meeting in the home of Mrs. Sam Sorenson. Mrs. Sorenson, along with Mrs. Troy Cooley, Mrs. Doug McAnally, Mrs. James Hefernan, Mrs. Mike Crews, and Mrs. Duane Mason co-hosted the meeting in which new slates of



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If the Husband OR the Wife is 65 prior to January 1, of the year assessed, they are entitled to this exemption.

YOU MUST RENDER THIS PROPERTY BEFORE MAY 30, 1973, TO GET THIS YEARS EXEMPTION. THIS MAY BE DONE AT THE TAX OFFICE AT THE COURTHOUSE IN RANKIN OR THE SUB-STATION IN McCAMEY.

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S. O. LANGFORD
TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

AUSTIN REPORT

By Tom Craddick, State Rep- 68th Dist.
Midland Address: 3108 Stanolind
Austin: Box 2910, ZC 78767 — Ph. 512 475-4305



The Texas House Appropriations Committee completed its work on the spending bill for the next two years this week. The measure is to call for approximately \$9.7 billion in spending for the 1974-75

biennium starting September 1.

This figure is close to those recommended by the Legislative Budget Board and the governor in their proposed budgets.

All three of these recommendations contain expenditures that are unnecessarily high, and some areas have not been allotted as much as needed.

Principal features of the bill include:

—A balanced scale of salary increases for State employees with the greatest increase for the lowest salary levels.

—Funds totaling \$5.6 million for the biennium to establish a Kid-

ney Health Care Division in the Department of Health to provide care and treatment of persons suffering from chronic kidney diseases.

—Construction and repair funds for Mental Health and Mental retardation facilities totaling \$12.7 million.

—Funds totaling \$28.4 million for the biennium are provided for State Grants-in-Aid to support local community mental health and mental retardation programs.

—Construction and repair funds for Texas Youth Council facilities of \$2.5 million.

—Continued acquisition of property in the Capitol Complex, \$5.5 million.

—Funds to provide for 50 additional State Highway Patrolmen each fiscal year of the biennium.

—A total of \$2.1 million for the construction and facility improvements for the Texas Department

of Corrections.

—\$24.7 million for the biennium for park planning, acquisition and development, including historic sites and structures.

—\$5.5 million to the Parks and Wildlife Department to provide funds to continue fish and wildlife activities at the current operating level, 25 additional Game Wardens and repair and rehabilitation of fish hatcheries.

—\$240 thousand for the biennium for the protection and conservation of non-game and endangered species.

—Approximately \$20 million for the biennium for faculty and nonfaculty salary increases, also giving the greatest percentage increases to the lower salary groups

—Increases are also provided in State institutions of higher education for enrollment increases, a 5% increase for libraries and additional funds for tuition scholarships. Funds are also provided for major repairs and rehabilitation.

—\$236 thousand for pre-apprenticeship - journeyman training at Texas State Technical Institute.

—Funding for adult and bilingual education in the amount of \$6.4 million.

—\$188.9 million for operation of vocational - technical and academic programs in public junior colleges on a standardized element of cost basis (The bill includes a total of \$427,349 for Midland Junior College and \$2,423,346 for Odessa Junior College for the coming biennium.)

I will appreciate any comments on the budget considerations or any other legislation pending before the Texas House.

The Rankin (Tex.)
Thursday, April 11

RHS Graduate

Tech Honor

Marilyn Workman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rankin and a 1972 graduate of Rankin High School, was honored at the Chalmers Ship Dinner held at the Dinner Theatre in Lubbock.

The dinner was given to recognize women students of grade average or better. Workman, a freshman at Texas Tech, had a 3.5 average last semester.

Upton J.P.'s

In-Service Training

Judges Reba J. Price and William E. Sherrill of Upton have successfully completed advanced twelve hour in-service training at the Justice of the Peace course. The seminar was held in Midland during March.

Lamar University Technical Arts has been selected by the Texas Justice of the Peace and Constable Association to execute the program to have been made available through a grant from the Texas Criminal Justice Institute and under the authority of the federal Omnibus Control Bill and Safe Streets Act.

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Board --

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the results of the
election and
to further plann-
on the proposed
plans will be re-
school and the fee
for their prepa-
approved for payment.

Easter Holidays
schools as April 20
29. School is to dis-
m. Friday and re-
regular hour Mon-

reports from vari-
departments and ap-
payment.

Local Notes

Fort Stockton, ad-
4. dismissed April

Teague, Rankin, ad-
8. dismissed April

Rankin, admit-
dismissed April 15.
Rankin, admitted
dismissed April 13.

Adams, admitted on
dismissed April 13.

McEwen, Rankin, ad-
11, dismissed April

San Angelo,
Safe Street
12. dismissed on

Valasquez, McCam
April 12. dismissed

Valasquez, born April
April 14.

McKenzie, Rankin,
April 12, dismissed on

Block, McCamey, ad-
12. dismissed April

14.

Vernon Luckie, Midland, admit-
ted April 12. dismissed on April
17.

David Sly, McCamey, admitted
April 13, dismissed April 15.

Mrs. S. O. Langford, Rankin,
admitted April 15.

Mrs. R. H. Bearden, Rankin, ad-
mitted April 13.

Mrs. Marie Dameron, Crane,
admitted April 14.

Regina Edge, Rankin, admitted
April 15.

Charlie Hale, Rankin, admitted
April 16.

Donna Hall, McCamey, admit-
ted April 16.

Mrs. Gladys Chancellor, Mc-
Camey, admitted April 16.

Mrs. F. L. Wise, Sanderson, ad-
mitted April 16.

Mrs. Earl Stanley, Rankin, ad-
mitted April 17.

Jay McKee, Rankin, admitted
April 17.

Karla Burman, Iraan, admitted
April 17.

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Honor Roll --

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For the juniors there were Mar-
ilyn Braden, 95.4; Jimmy Egge-
meyer, 95.6; Gay Garlington, 94;
Gina Harris, 92.4; Cathy Johnson,
90.6; Jimmy Mathews, 95.75; Mike
Peters, 92.6; Ria Reams, 93.4;
Joann Sullivan, 94.5; Angela Vick,
94.75; Melisa Whatley, 90; and
Brad Winn, 90.5.

From the sophomore class were
Ernest Black, 91.6; Gary Dup-
riest, 94; Eric Fitzhugh, 92.4;
Billy Helms, 92.5; Bobby John-
son, 95; Sherry Page, 93.5; Fred-
dy Plagens, 96.4; Mark Russom,
90; and Mark Wheeler, 94.4.

In the freshmen section were
Penny Braden, 94.6; Gehrig Feu-
ge, 90.25; Mark Hughes, 91.2;
Rick Hurst, 91.4; Hugh Jackson,
92.6 and Kirby Shipp, 92.75.

Lions to Decorate For Rodeo Week

In their last meeting, Rankin
Lions Club voted to begin purch-
asing flags and bunting for deco-
ration purposes in Rankin during
festive events such as the upcom-
ing AJRA Rodeo. They plan to
purchase amounts of this material
each year until they have enough
to decorate the entire town. Pre-
viously these decorations had been
borrowed or leased from neigh-
boring towns.

The first of the banners were
received here and hung on Tues-
day, including several across Main
Street. Further preparations for
the rodeo include decorations and
paintings of signs on store fronts.
A committee has been "volunte-
ered" for this task.

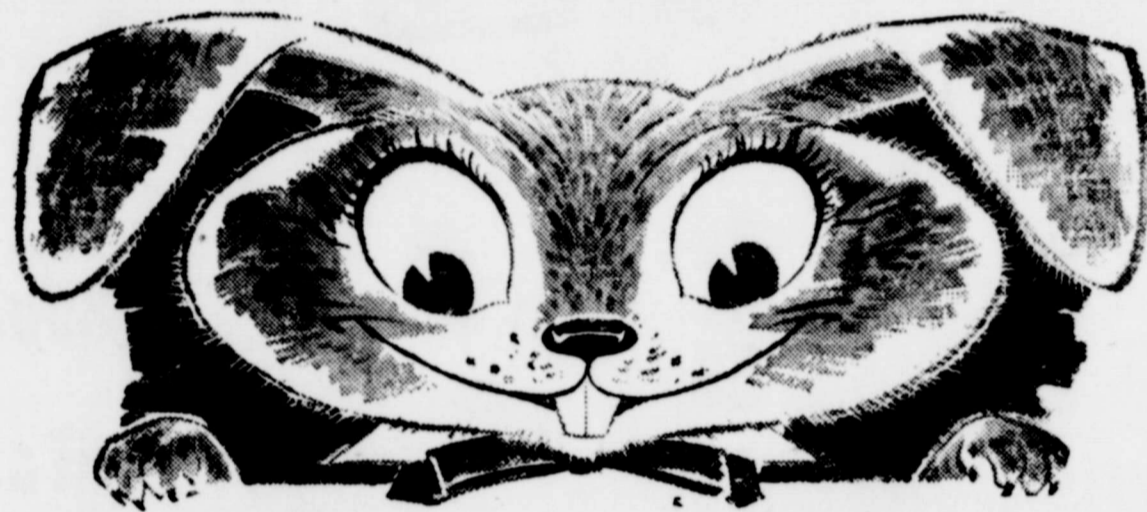
3rd Graders Make Local Field Trip

Members of Mrs. Peggy Mc-
Mullans 3rd Grade class recently
made an in-town field trip during
which they visited the Rankin Post
Office and learned about the re-
ceiving and dispatching of mail.

Following their visit to the Post
Office, they stopped by Rankin
Drug for refreshments where
their manners and good conduct
drew praise from the manage-
ment and employees.

"We hear a lot about the high
quality behavior of our Rankin
School students — especially the
high school," noted Mrs. Betty
Daniel, "and I think the people
of Rankin ought to know that this
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"We always enjoy a visit from
our school students," she said.



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though they be red like crimson, they shall be as
ISAIAH 1:18

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Worship:	11 a.m.	Wed. Services:	7 p.m.
Union:	6 p.m.		
Services:	7 p.m.		

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Chuck **LB.**
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41c

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CREAM **37c**

Silk Toilet **3 Rolls**
TISSUE **35c**

Lipton's **1/4-lb. box**
TEA **47c**

Chiffon **LB.**
MARGARINE **49c**

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