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Along The Waterfront

J. L. Baughman, Marine Biologist with the Game, Fish and Oyster Commision reported today that there were about one million more pounds of shrimp brought in this wide publicity. year than last year by Texas fishermen. At the same tme, according to Baughman, the amount of fish fell off about one million pounds from the amount brought in last year along the Texas

Fred Christilles, skipper of the Christie, had Todd Patton, LeRoy Langford and Branch DeViney of San Antonio out for a fishing trip Port Lavaca and Rockport, with and they brought in 130 trout and 15 gafftops.

Roy Johnson, Alex Witterbee, Roy Vanderpool, and John M. Furey of Paris, Texas, went out with Fred Christilles last Sunday and in spite of the bad weather they caught 30 nice trout and 1

reports that he has not completed building the piers at the turning basin, but that at the present time he has built twenty-three of the thirty-four new ones that are planned. They are being rented just as fast as he can build them, he reports. There were fourteen the new ones there will be a total of forty-eight piers. He also said that he had not braced the piers as yet because of the high tide but games. hopes to be able to do so before

out with Shorty Townsend Tuesed redfish.

a few light catches. Herbert Mills able. and daughter of San Antonio fishing and they brought in thirtythree trout. He also took J. L. Lytle out and they brought in one sheephead.

Harry Mills took Clayton Geisinger, Earl Geisinger, and party along the highways. out and they brought in eleven redfish, seventeen trout, four drum, and one gafftop.

The Bailey Motor Company has on display one of the Higgins Utility Runabouts powered with a 75 horsepower Graymarine engine. This boat is designed after the Higgins Navy P. T. Boats, She will run about 35 miles per hour. She is seventeen feet in length and about five feet in the beam.

There is also a ten foot outboard manufactured by Higgins on display at the Bailey Motor Company along with one of their new Camp Trailors. The trailor is dehas a lot of storage space in addimosquito netting for all openings. When folded and closed up there weather it can be used. is space to carry a small boat on

top of the trailor. Bailey said that they will handle all varieties of the Higgins boats and other equipment along with their automobiles.

Fulton Church To Have Fish Fry To Build Pastor Home

The ladies of the Fulton Inde-Forest Drug Company, to raise the shop building. rest of the funds needed to build a home for the Pastor.

eleven a.m. and continue through ing federal funds for school con- city property valuation from \$768,- the game." the day until eight p.m. The struction, I find that other than 256.00 to \$1,109,415.00. ladies committee said, "This will my suggestion made heretofore of really be an enjoyable time, and a loan with RFC, only a planning sale last spring, Swearinger said, has to meet in a Class-B confereverybody is invited to come and allocation from Federal Works and was sold subject to the opinion ence game, something is wrong enjoy the day with us."

the Fulton Independent Church. | that you contact there also."

Rockport Gets State Wide Publicity With **News of Citizens**

Texas Week, the only magazine of its kind in the United States, For Improvements carried articles about several of Rockport's citizens in its last issue, thus giving Rockport state-

There was an article about James P. Hanway and Jimmy Ince and their new radio station. The new type of boat that R. R. Rice, Sr., has just recently built was written up in an article in this week's Texas Week. Also there was an article about two neighboring coastal cities having brothers as Managers of the Chambers of Commerce. They are, of course, Morgan C. Wheeler of the Rockport Chamber of Commerce and Roger Wheeler as Manager of the Port Lavaca Chamber of Com-

C of C Approves The Harbormaster, Floyd Smith, Games; Studies Lease For Beach

The Chamber of Commerce in its regular monthly meeting tic activities next year. Wednesday night approved the report of Hugh Morrison on the old ones so that when he completes shuffle boards and horse shoe pitching games on the beach and ordered his committee to go ahead with the construction of such

obtaining a lease to the baech bleachers were practically assured. property that the Navigation Cecil Lockridge and party went Commission has just recently wonderful cooperation from the purchased from C. A. Duck and businessmen and supporters of the presented at eight o'clock. day and brought in forty nice siz- F. C. Simpson for the use as a Pirates and feel that their efforts youth center for the purpose of a towards helping direct the finan- Fire Girls to both the style show recreation spot. They appointed a cial duties has been successful. and the supper. The tickets for Mills Wharf reports that the committee to look into the matter With the continued co-operation bad weather lately has interfered and to report back their findings of the citizens of Aransas County for adults and twenty-five cents a great deal with the fishing from to the Board of Directors for they believe that much can be done for children. The chicken supper Lot No. 28, Block No. 476 in Aranthere. However, there have been whatever action they deem advis- for the advancement of athletics will cost seventy-five cents per

took Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tinenot Mrs. Jack Hagar addressed the meeting and explained the Roadside Improvement program to the Rockport Sprayed With members and requested their aid and support in cleaning up Rockthirty-five trout, four redfish, and port. She mentioned several persons who have already started cleaning up some unsightly places

> At the request of the owners of the Del Mar Grill the meeting been so thick since the heavy rains time was changed to eight o'clock in this vicinity. during the duck hunting season. Miss Iris Sorenson has reported DDT would not kill all the present that she answered twelve letters stock of mosquitoes but that those for accomodations in Rockport dur- that hatch out after the spraying ing the past week. They were from several places in the United States and Canada.

> ciation requested permission to forming them that the spraying put up placards around Rockport program for Aransas County was advertising their fair which is to delayed due to the fact that the be held on October 17th and 18th. Navy required releases from in-This was approved.

President Ed Barnard read a signed to sleep four pepole and letter from the Manager of the Chamber of Commerce of Port Lation to an icing compartment for vaca asking their aid in presentfish or game and space for a ing a potion to have the causestove. It has a canvass top with way to Port Lavaca filled per- of the Navy Department has ruled manently so that during bad that releases of indiviuals in the

Federal Funds Not Available For The School Building

Morgan C. Wheeler, Superintendent of Schools, announced this week that Representative John E. Lyle, Jr., has informed him that there are no federal funds available for the construction of a new able for the construction of a new high school building and gymnas- Bids On Sewer ium since the Lanham Act has expired. However, Lyle did say that the RFC does make loans for planpendent Church made plans Sun- ning and that he was contacting day afternon to serve a grand old- the Regional Director and Regionfashioned Sea Food Dinner and al Engineer in behalf of the Rock-Supper at the new building that port Independent Schools, for a

Lyle stated, "Relative to your the city, announced Tuesday. They plan to begin serving at letter of September 19th concern-

I am sincerely sorry that the their offer. The proceeds of this dinner will situation is such, but am contact- Because of the increase in city in two starts. That gives us one be placed with funds already on ing the Regional Director and the property evaluation the Dallas win and one loss. We are supposed hand to finish the amount needed Regional Engineer of the RFC for attorneys approved the issue. Bids to have beat Aransas Pass, Cal-

Athletic Council Discusses Plans

Football Field To Be Filled In; Bleachers Will Be Erected

The High School Athletic Council met Monday night at the High School office of Superintendent Morgan C. Wheeler. Members of the Council attending the meeting were: Hugh Morrison, Chas. Roe, Chas. Ankele, Fred Hunt and Roy Rogero.

Secretary-Treaurer Joe Johnson's financial report showed that of Estes. the Council has been successful in obtaining a nice sum to offset the expenses of the athletic activities of the school. Current bills for equipment, etc. were approved and the secretary was instructed to issue checks to cover same. Mr. Johnson's report stated that there is still quite a bit more revenue Estes to be derived from the ads in the football program, and the sale of such programs. These two items together with the gate receipts Camp Fire Girls from the three additional games to be played in Rockport should leave the treasury of the council in good shape for the start of athle-

Plans were discussed for the draining of the grounds surrounding the football field, and it is relief to this problem. An effort will be made to fill in the football playing field as soon as is possible

at Rockport High School.

DDT; Releases From People Caused Delay

Rockport was sprayed Thursday morning with DDT by the Navy plane around nine o'clock to destroy the mosquitoes that have

The Navy announced that the will not live very long.

The Chamber of Commerce had received a letter from Repre-The Refugio County Fair Asso- sentative John E. Lyle, Jr., individuals in the area to absolve the Navy from damage suits.

Congressman Lyle's letter says, CROSS COUNTRY RUNNER? "There has been a delay in the spraying program due to the fact that the Judge Advocate General area sprayed must be given absolving the Navy of all responsibility for any damage sustained by reason of spraying with DDT. This was required because of the fact ed for damages.

"As soon as this can be worked out, I shall advise you.'

city council October 15 at 7:30 p.m. Refugio.

Election to Determine Consolidation to Be **Held October Twelfth**

The Rockport Independent School District and the Estes Community will hold an election on October 12 to determine whether the two schools will be consolidated.

"This proposed consolidation" said the Rockport School Board, Saturday morning after the five both of the districts." They said Friday night and started off the that Estes would benefit from old argument of whether it rains better educational facilities for the fish or not. people there, such as a larger and better stocked library and a wider range of academic subjects. There would also be more and better extra-curricular activities such as music, typing, and organized athletic for the people and students

Rockport would benefit from the help in financing the new buses the Board said and it would give both districts better equipment and would bring more money to meet a growing teacher salary demand, which would be of distinct advantage to both Rockport and

To Have Style **Show And Supper**

The Odako and Tanda Groups of hoped that there will be immediate the Rockport Council of the Camp Fire Girls will have a chicken supper at the Homemaking Cottage followed by a style show They discussed the possibility of and the erection of additional at the High School Auditorium, October 16th. The chicken supper o'clock p.m. The style show will be

> Tickets will be sold by the Camp the style show will be fifty cents person, and tickets to both events will be sold in advance; however, to George A. Kenyon and wifethey can be obtained the night of the show at the high school.

Girls from both the Odako and the Tanda Groups will At as models for the style show and will model school dresses, suits, formals, robes and pajamas, raincoats, shorts, sweaters and skirts, slacks, Executrix, to R. R. Rice, Sr., -A blue jeans, one riding habit, and whistle-bait jackets.

The clothing for the style show will be furnished by Kaufman's Department Store and by Helen White's Ready-To-Wear, Inc.

A Camp Fire uniform will also be modelled Mrs. Charles Roe, Mrs. Roy Hinton, and Mrs. H. C. Mullinax will assist Mrs. Roy Lee Hart in directing the style show.

The menu for the chicken dinner will be: Baked Chicken and Dressing, potato salad, peas, vegetable salad, dessert and a drink. Alse there will be hot rolls.

Wendell Duhon Scores Against Rockport On Run From Robsfown To Refugio

"REFUGIO (Caller-Times News Service)-Wendell Duhon, flashy back, romped to two touchdowns to that last year many suits were fil- lead Refugio to a 19-7 win over the Rockport Pirates in a 39-B conference game here last night before 1,800 fans. It was Rockport's first loss in TWO starts.

"Time was running out in the first quarter when Duhon snagged a ROBSTOWN pass on the ROBS-TOWN 40 and scampered for a touchdown."

Above is the Corpus Christi Caller-Times' version of the football game between Refugio and Rockport held at Refugio last Fri-The City of Rockport is now day night. Coach John Ramseur receiving bids on the \$10,000.00 said, "We either got lost on the issue of city tax bonds that were way over and played on the wrong will soon be occupied by the De- loan to construct a gymnasium and voted for the sewer system's re- field or that fellow Duhon is a pair and maintenance, Clifford mighty fast and long winded cross The letter from Congressman Swearington special council for country runner, particularly since he had to run from Robstown to He also reported an increase in Refugio to make the first score of

Coach Ramseur also said, "If The bond issue was offered for that is the sort of men Rockport Agency is available, and this sum of a firm of municipal bond at- with the classification of the The menu will consist of shrimp, must be returned when the con- torneys in Dallas. Failure of ad schools. Rockport should be placed deviled crab meat, and fish, with tract is awarded There are no Lan- valorem tax caused indecision of with the grammer schols, or Rea lot of trimmings such as cake, ham Act Funds for school con- the attorneys and because of the fugio should be in the college pie, salads, and plenty of good struction, that program has ended. long wait the buyers withdrew class. By the way, the Caller said that this was our first loss

Fresh Water Fish Found In Front **Yard After Rain**

A. Rogers brought seven small blue channel catfish, fresh water variety, into the Pilot office "would be of district advantange to inch downpour Rockport received

> He said that he didn't want to be quoted as saying that it rained fish in his yard, but he would like for someone to tell him any other way they could have gotten

He could think of no other way, neither could anyone else around the office or downtown. No one could explain a way the fact that nitely fresh water fish.

two to three inches in length and the Woodsboro team. the total weight of the seven was

Real Estate Transfers Fall Off Last Week To Total \$7,875

Real Estate transfers dropped to the lowest figure for several The Athletic Council has had will be from six o'clock to eight weeks here to reach a total of \$7,875.00 as estimated on the stamps affixed by the County Clerk when they were filed with his office.

> Here are the deeds filed during the week:

Conn Brown to Manuel Francosas Pass.

Virgil Horace Sanders and wife, Lot No. 10 in Out Lot No. 14 and part of Out Lot No. 13 in Smith Roadside Improvement and Woods Division, Rockport. Jack M. Stroud and wife to W

C. Truelove-Lots Nos. 8 and 9 in Block No. 520, Aransas Pass. Mrs. Mollye Davis, Independent portion of the Heney strip fronting on Austin Street and extending Easterly to Aransas Bay.

Thomas E. DeForest and wife to T. M. DeForest and Alice Cline Dares-Lot No. 1 in Block No. 25, Fulton.

E. W. Herald to Conn Brown-Lot No. 8 in Block No. 217; Lot as its motiff in planting the areas No. 14 in Block No. 258; and Lot No. 13 in Block 743, Aransas Pass. Also Tract No. 1 Land Block No. 219 adjoining Aransas Pass. Mrs. Minnie Alice Smith and

husband to Hugh P. Phagan and wife-Plot No. 12 of Hunter's morial to the men and women who Subdivision in Smith and Woods Division, Rockport.

J. R. DeForest and wife to De-Forest Drugs, Inc .- Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block No. 26, Fulton.

Rockport Receives Year's Supply Of Rain In Month

tinuous rains, Rockport has at long trees would not be as effective un- sion, would take samples of last begun to emerge from its cov- less "the property is cleaned-up shrimp life in the bays. If it were er of water. With four days of properly first. clear weather behind us, the water has pretty well drained off.

During the month of September and a few days at the end of August Rockport received very close to there had been approximately Hooper and Mrs. Reid Simmons. twenty-six inches of rain report-Saturday morning the rain came in vice Station and east to railroadtorrents to give Rockport four and Mrs. W. G. Harrist, Mrs. Eloise ing to Farley's plan. Fishermen, seventy-five hundreths inches in a Harrist and Mr. Ettoil Ellers. few hours, to run the total mighty close to thirty inches.

Maybe it doesn't rain fish, but several citizens of Rockport are wondering wheer the fish came Leonard Casterline, and Mrs. Jewel TAX-PAYING SEASON from that were found in their Mikeal. yards last Saturday. These citizens have asked anyone who can explain how these fish came to be in their yards to please write to the Editor of the Pilot explaining how fresh and salt water catfish and mullet arrived here.

called the fire department when Bracht. she spied a man trying to enter ed a ladder.

Fish Dinner at Theodore's Nets Fire Dept. \$400.00

Pirates To Meet Woodsboro Friday Afternoon

The Rockport Pirates will meet their second conference opponent Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock when they tangle with the Woodsboro eleven at Woodsboro.

boro a thorough defeat. The Pi- for me that day, as I surely did they were present and were defi- rates have been out four times need their help," he said. and have three wins to one loss The fish were approximately against one tie and one loss for

probably a few ounces. Is it that with the good weather we Fulton Fish Company, Rouquette possible they came down with the have had this week the team nas and Wendell, Casterline Fish Combeen able to do a lot of work on The Corpus Christi Caller Times their tackling and blocking and Fish quoted Jack DuBose of Aransas should be in good shape for the Foods, Rockport Fish and Oyster Pass as saying the stories of fish game Friday. During all the rain Company and J. M. Gasper. swimming in the streets were they could not practice their tacklfalse, evidently no one cared to ing and blocking very well and contribution made by the local men show him a sample of what could were, therefore, extremely weak in who went fishing and gave me be caught in the streets or yards. the game last week in that depart- about 140 pounds of fish. They

with Refugio last week, they did Alvin Linn, Gerald and George not look too bad. They were up Adolphus, Fred Hunt, and Lloyd against a mighty good club. One Lassiter," he said. conference. The Pirates threw only Theodore said. four passes but two were inter-

will be the winning team Friay by a good margin.

Committee Organizes

Mr. Jack Hagar met with the ladies who have offered to help on the Citizen's Committee for Roadside Improvement in Aransas County at the Court House last Friday afternoon and explained the purpose of the organization to them and divided Rockport into six zones.

The Committee decided to adopt the palm tree and the oleander adjacent to the highways and roadsides in Aransas County. The palm tree and the oleander were chosen since they thrive well in this part of the country and they will be planted as a Living Meserved in the armed forces of the ture. United States in World War II.

Judge B. S. Fox was present at the meeting to explain other parts of the program to the ladies and told them that he would be happy to help, them in any way he can. He is the District Chairman of District 16 which comprises Aranas, San Patricio, Jim Wells, and several other counties in this area.

They decided to start a clean-up ing to plant the trees and bushes

The zones into which Rockport will work in each zone follow:

thirty inches of rain. Almost a and then south to Triple Oaks- shrimp reach marketable size, the year's supply. Up until last Friday Mrs. Albert Collier, Mrs. Carolyn season would be opened formally. Zone two-Railroad to Taylor ed. Then Friday night and early Oak and back to Ham Smith's Ser-

> Service Station up to Live Oak violations. Street at the Episcopal Church-Mrs. Emory M. Spencer, Mrs.

Zone four-Live Oak Street to Austin Sreet at Humble Station-Mrs. Mabel K. Bryant, Mrs. Sam Mrs. Charles Roe, Mrs. J. F. one per cent in December. Then there was the old maid who Collins, and Miss Genevieve

Mrs. W. B. Allen.

Firemen Were Waiters; **Fish Companies Donate** Shrimp And Crabs

No. 24

The fish dinner that K. Theodore put on for the benefit of the Fire Department was very successful, as it brought in approximately four hundred dollars for the equipment fund of the Department.

Theodore said that he would like to express his thanks to all those persons who helped him put this dinner on and who donated to the dinner. "I especially wish to thank Rockport is rated to give Woods- the Firemen for acting as waiters

He also said that he would like to thank the following fish companies of Rockport and Fulton for their cooperation in donating Coach John Ramseur said today shrimp and crabs for the dinner: pany, Dietrich Brothers, Johnson Company, Jackson Sea-

"I also appreciate very much the were Shorty Townsend, Henry Bal-Although the Pirates came out lou. Leonard LaBlanc, J. W. on the short end of their game (Sparky) Wilkinson, Ed Barnard,

that had some fast, hard hitting "These men certainly did help backfield men protected by a line me a lot in preparing the dinner that worked together as a good for last Friday and I want everymachine. Also Refugio has one of one in Rockport to know that they the best pass defense clubs in the helped the Fire Department,'

Chief Lloyd Lassiter said, "I cepted and one was blocked. The would like to personally thank only one to be completed was a everyone who contributed to this very short pass into the flat zone. dinner for the benefit of the Hire The Pirates still look like they Department, but since that is impossible, I will let the Pilot do it for me. "I am certainly happy to know that the people of Rockport are behind the Fire Department so strongly," he said.

Shrimping Laws Revision Asked By Fishermen

Commercial fishermen of the Texas Coast are taking the lead in urging conservation measures to preserve the state's fishery resources for this and succeeding

generations. Cyrus E. Farley of Aransas Pass, president of the Texas Fishermen's Association, is preparing recommendations for revision of the salt water fishing laws for presentation to the 1947 legis!a-

Drastic penalties against the taking of undersized shrimp and extension of the present eight month season to nine months are among the recommendations Farley plans to make. To prevent the wanton destruction of undersize shrimp, Farley proposes taking samples of shrimp for size before opening the season.

A few days before the opening date of the season, a representacampaign before they start try- tive of the association accompanied by a marine biologist from the After thirty-two days of con- since they felt the plants and Game, Fish and Oyster Commisfound that the shrimp were too small for marketing, an immediate were divided and the ladies who order would be issued continuing the closed season for 15 days. At Zone one-Post office to Market the end of that time, another test Sfreet-west to railroad tracks would be made. Finally, when the

During the special extensions of the closed season, severe penalties would be imposed for taking, possessing or selling shrimp, accorddealers and transporters, all Zone three-Curve from Smith's would be liable to heavy fines for

OPENS OCTOBER 1st

The taxpaying season opened on October 1 and those who pay their Prophet and Mrs. William Patrick. county and state taxes in full dur-Zone five-Humble Station on ing this month will be allowed a highway north to city limits-Mrs. 3 per cent discount. Two per cent Travis Bailey, Mrs. Charles Picton, will be allowed in November and

Those desiring to take advantage of the split payment plan must Zone six-City Parks and the pay the first half of their taxes to build a home for the Pastor of a self-liquidating loan and suggest will be opened at a meeting of the last half by June 30 next year,

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Editorial

Membership in the Rockport Volunteer Fire Department is on a purely voluntary basis and no one serves who does not wish to do so. Neither are any of the members paid for their services with the exception that they do have the satisfaction of knowing that they are doing something to protect their own property as well as that of their neighbors. In fact, the members of the Fire Department pay initiation fees and regularly monthly dues just as a member of the Chamber of Commerce or any other club or organization does.

Finances for the Fire Department are also on a purely volunteer basis and naturally seldom come in except when the Department puts on a drive for funds for new equipment or to repair old equipment. Every time new equipment is needed or old stock needs repairing the Chief and the members have to get out and solicit funds from individuals over the town. Thus adding to the time they have to spend on a non-pay basis. Why should they have to spend more time from making their living than is necessary in the regular line of duty?

They should not have to do this. There should be a regular and systematic financial income to the Fire Department from the property owners of Rockport and the rest of Aransas County. Neither should a few men of Rockport have to supply the heaviest portion of these finances, as they usually do when a drive is put on. A comparative new comer to Rockport gave the Department a fish dinner at his cafe last week with every cent of the proceeds going to the department. This should not be necessary either.

No property owner of Rockport would build a home or put up a business building without purchasing fire insurance on that home or building. But they do not realize that small regular contributions to the finances of the Fire Department are just as important as the premiums on their fire insurance. Also with more modern equipment and with it kept in better shape, there will be fewer fires that cause much damage, because the better equipment will get to a fire sooner and will put it out much quicker. Thus reducing the fire insurance rate for Rockport. This will eventually result in a saving for the property that is saved from a fire. KXYZ, Houston will carry the Thus a small contribution to the Department results in additional fire insurance for the property owner whether he realizes it or not.

When asked to donate towards new equipment, the citizens of Rockport are very good at coming through, but there is still the contention that a few people put up most of the needed cash, and they should not have to do that. If every property owner would contribute one tenth of the amount he pays for fire insurance every month this would build up a fund for the Department from which the needed new equipment or repairs for old stock could be purchased or paid for with no members of the Department having to get out and solicit for funds.

Even though the citizens will support and contribute to the Department when necessary, why should the members have to take their time to solicit for these funds? If every property owner would pledge to pay into the Fire Department funds ten per cent of his premium rates for fire insurance it would give the Department a good working fund every year, and would most likely be sufficient for any of the needs of the Department. It would certainly not add very much to the expenses of the individual citizen.

Also, this would definitely dispense with the necessity for any one merchant or business man to put on a fish dinner or any other type of campaign for these funds. The latest dinner for funds, was originally planned by one man and was to be put on at his expense entirely, but several men went on a fishing trip to furnish most of the fish he needed. Seven fish companies donated the rest of the fish necessary and all the shrimp and crabs that were needed. This, of course, took a lot of the expense off one man and spread it around to several, but still does not obviate any future necessity for the same sort of thing.

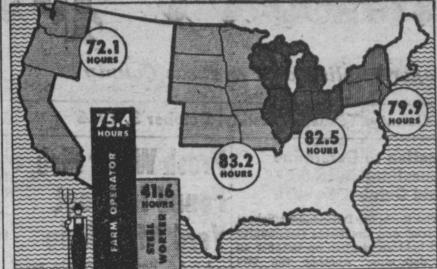
The only way such campaigns and attendant expenses on a few people can be done away with is to have a regular and stated amount of contributions to the Fire Department, since the City of Rockport has no provision for part of its tax receipts to be used by the Department or in its behalf.

"And a Little Child Shall Lead Them . . . "

The high school paper, "The Pirate Log", edited by Miss Shirley Ratisseau, in a recent editorial made a very stirring appeal to the citizens of Rockport in behalf of the youth of this area. (The editorial entitled "Youth Needs a Recreational Center in Rockport," follows:)

"There has long been a great need in our city for a place where the youth of Rockport could gather socially. THE OPPORTUNITY IS NOW AT HAND FOR THE

Farmers Worked 75.4 Hours a Week



Average Hours of Work per Week-1939, 1943, 1944

American farm operators aver- | urgent wartime demands of a hunaged 75.4 hours of work a week gry world. during a recent three years, accord- Farm operators in the West North ing habits in agricultural centers. hours, putting in an average of

aged 41.6 hours of labor a week:

HUMBLE WILL AIR

FOUR GAMES SAT.

Conference Schools.

dium in Norman.

Humble Oil & Refining Com-

The broadcast of the Texas A.

Another broadcast will start at

2:20 p.m. when Texas U. and Okla-

homa A. & M. will tangle at Mem-

orial Stadium, Austin. Kern Tips

will be the play-by-play announcer

contest will be WFAA-WBAP,

Saturday evening at 7:50, the

dan will handle the play-by-play

color. Stations carrying the broad-

cast will be KGVL, Greenville;

KBST, Big Spring; KCRS, Mid-

land; KMAC, San Antonio; KTHT,

Houston; WRR, Dallas, KFJZ, Ft.

Worth; WACO, Waco; KNOW,

have just moved to Rockport from

Mrs. Tracy Williams and daugh-

KFYO, Lubbock.

and Mrs. Joe Smith.

lead and just won't go down.

& M. - Oklahoma University game

pany announcers will again be

ing to a nationwide survey of work- Central area worked the longest In the same period, according to 83.2 hours a week. Second were the the American Iron and Steel Insti- farm operators in the East North tute, workers in steel plants aver- Central area with 82.5 hours a week, while farm operators in the Middle The operators of the six million Atlantic worked 79.9 hours a week. American farms spent nearly 4,000 Farm operators in the Pacific states work hours a year, per man, plus put in the smallest number of weekthe use of mechanized equipment, ly work hours, averaging 72.1 for to earn a living and to produce the the three years of 1939, 1943 and crops and food needed to meet the 1944.

Woodsboro Will Honor Fire Department

With Celebration

The Woodsboro Volunteer Fire busy this Saturday afternoon and evening, bringing football fans broadcasts of four collegiate with a program for the meeting games that feature Southwest of the South Central District Volunteer Firemen's Association of Texas to be held at Woodsboro.

The program will begin at 9:00 will start at 2:20 p.m. with Ves Box and Fred Kincaid handling with registration at the Fire Stathe play - by - play and color, tion of all visiting Departments, respectively. Stations WTAW, Col- then there will be a meeting of Station; KRLD, Dallas; Captains of Racing Teams and KTRH, Houston; and KABC, San Judges. This will be followed by Antonio will carry the game, which the associational business meeting s to be played at the O. U. Sta- at the high school from 10:30 to 12:00 noon.

> Sanders, Assistant Fire Marshal exhiliration of riding a roller State of Texas, from Austin will coaster. The countryside is clad in address the meeting on "The De- shaggy cedars and the road is

and Alec Chesser will assist with From 12:00 to 1:30 p.m. there a wall of mountains, misty blue. the color. Stations carrying this will be a barbecue dinner at the Firemen's Park accompanied by Dallas-Ft. Worth; KPRC, Houston; a band concert by the Woodsboro primaries has hardly died away, WOAI, San Antonio; and KTBC, Community Brass Band.

The third Saturday afternoon will be various forms of entertain- and already a proposal is advanc-Humble broadcast will feature the T.C.U.-Arkansas game. Bill Mich- ment and will include an address ed to raise the State gasoline tax by the Honorable Olin Culberson, 2 cents a gallon. The advocate of aels will be the play-by-play announcer with Bill Hightower add- Secretary-Treasurer, State Fire- this increase of millions of dollars ing color. KGKO, Dallas - Ft. men's and Fire Marshall's Associa- in taxes to be paid by the people Worth: KTSA, San Antonio; and tion of Texas, of Austin. This of Texas is Senator G. C. Morris of Worth; KTSA, San Antonio; and will be followed by a questionaire Greenville. broadcast, which wil start at :20 by the Woodsboro High School and the races at City Park. There will also be another band concert. All member departments of the broadcast of the S.M.U. and Texas Tech game will start. Charlie Jorinvited along with all the memwith Jerry Doggett relieving for

WSCS MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. LOWERY

merce in the district.

Austin; KFRO, Longview; and of Mrs. C. O. Lewery last Thurs-Mr. and Mrs. John H. Collins day.

Mrs. John Ramseur was the They are staying at the Forest who took part on the program Cooke.

Refreshments were served by ter Pamela, are leaving Friday Mrs. Lowery and Mrs. J. A. morning for their home in Wood- Rogers.

Those present were Mrs. J. W. ward, Oklahoma, a,fter a two week's visit with her parents, Mr. Townsend, Mrs. C. M. Brundrett, would prepare for our next debate Mrs. F. A. Banks, Mrs. C. L. Harris, Mrs. C. C. Loveless, Mrs. Daughter's cakes defy the laws J. A. Walling, Mrs. C. A. Rooke, of gravity. They are heavy as Rickey and Randy Ramseur and Joy Hamblin.

PARENTS AND CHILDREN OF ROCKPORT TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT. The Navigation Commission has just bought the biuldings on the beach, the former Beach Club, and unless other plans have been made, there could be no better use made of them than as a YOUTH CENTER. WHY don't the business men and mothers and fathers get together and give us a place of our own?

"If we had such a place we would rather stay in our home city than travel miles elsewhere in search of amusement. We plan to beautify our city in every way. Rockport is growing. Many new buildings are being constructed and other improvements are being made daily. But STILL the youth of Rockport have no particular place to gather and hold community get-to-gethers. In other progressive cities recreational activities have been especially provided for 'teen agers. The building on the beach is an ideal place and could be fixed easily and inexpensively. It would afford amusement that would be gratefully accepted by the students of both grammar and high schools. Happily this building is also near the beautiful bathing beach which our city built. A program could be adopted similar to those used in other cities, with mothers or the P.T.A. taking charge and sponsoring the recreational activities. It would be a fine thing and all students agreeing should call ATTENTION to the idea voiced in this editorial."

Many years ago-in the Fall of 1919—your columnist, then the young editor of a small paper, received a letter from William Jennings Bryan, for whom I had had a lifelong admiration. The letter was written in pen and ink and was in reply to an inquiry as to whether the Great Commoner would seek the presidential nomination in 1920. Because it was a personal letter, it was not printed -but it might be of little interest now, so many years afterward:

"My dear Mr. House: Your kind letter at hand. I assure you that I most sincerely appreciate your generous words. I have not thought it wise to discuss publicily the question which you ask and I will ask you to regard this letter as confidential. No condition that I can now forsee would justify me in being a candidate next year.

"I see no such demand as would make acceptance seem a duty. Besides, there is work to done for the party and the country-work which I can do, which seems to me to be more important than running for any office. I could not do it Department will celebrate its if I were waiting for a nomination. tenth anniversary on October 13th Again thanking you for your confidence, I am, Very truly yours, W. J. Bryan."

> Rambling over Texas: The white two-story Southern homes in Crockett-and El Camina Real (King's Highway), blazed in 1690. Near Jacksonville, a lumber mill with window panes of tinted glass. Jefferson White, Cameron edi-

tor, has 14,000 Indian relics. The highway south of Sweetwater presents a series of hills, each a little higher than the other, After the regular business, Gene | making driving something like the cision Point in the Control of Fire." lined with saebrush. Far away is

The last echo of the August with the promise on all sides that In the afternoon session, there there would be no increased taxes

Your columnist has been interested all his life in public affairs. Away back yonder in the sev-South Central District have been enth grade, I lived in Mississippi, famed for its political oratory, and bers of the Chambers of Com- heard some of the spellbinders of the era that produced Senators James K. Vardaman and John Sharp Williams. Then, in high school days in Memphis, Tennessee, I heard William Jennings Bryan, Senator Bob LaFollette The Women's Society of Chris- (the original) and former Govertian Service of the Rockport nor Malcolm R. Patterson, the Methodist Church met at the home greatest political orator I've ever

The subject of keenest interest to me in high school was debating, Ingleside for the next six months. leader for the program and others Our coach was a young, red-headed, dynamic teacher from Texas, Park Cottages until they can find were Mrs. W. B. Hamblin, Mrs. James Leonard Highsaw, who us-J. M. Murphy and Mrs. E. G. ed to live in Delta and Collin counties. I took every subject he taught: economics, government, history and socialogy. Then, after school three of his favorite "boys" would meet in his room and we until it grew too dark to see.

We debated such subjects as the one-house legislature, initiative and recall, capital punishment, government ownership of utilities and the tariff.

We had two literary societies and debated within our society, also in inter-society contests and with other high schools. My two colleagues on the high school team were orators. Stearling Tracy won the State high school oratorial championship and, in the University of Wisconsin, he won the oratorial championship of the "Big Ten". Clifford Davis is about to begin his fourth term in Congress. Your columnist lacked the speaking ability of these two and so tried to make up for this deficiency by studying, extra hard, on the ubject. In the rebuttal, where the speaking has to be extemporaneous, I used to attain a speed of 200 words a minute. The other boys were generous and elected me captain of the team.

Certainly, I'm sympathetic toward suffering Europe-but why couldn't at least part of the food sent over there be something I don't like? Why couldn't it include some squash, turnips and cauli-

We marvel at our daughter's ability in the kitchen. Not because of what she bakes, but how she ever lifts it out of the oven.

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Opportunity would have to knock the door down before some people would become interested.

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A General Quiz

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have been the first to discover gunpowder. Was that gunpowder ex-

2. What was the seating capacity of the Roman Circus Maxi-

3. What is the outlet for the Great Salt lake?

4. The Constitution of the United States requires congress to assem- tions between the western world and

ble how often? 5. What has the United States idly no better,

spent on wars since 1776? 6. How many persons are nor- coming in to mally employed by the motor car show that Com-

The Answers

- 1. No, but it was incendiary. Estimated at 250,000 people.
- It has no outlet. 4. At least once in every year.
- 5. Close to \$414,000,000,000, or provided in the more than all the wealth the Unit- eating of the Soed States has piled up since the Declaration of Independence.

6. About 7,000,000. Only 700,000 are employed in the production of of anguish is dimly audible behind cars and parts. The rest are employed in the operation, maintenance and servicing of cars.

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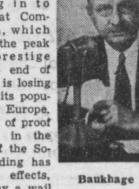
Communism Loses Prestige in Europe

Life in Soviet Russia 1. The Chinese are believed to Lacks Utopian Promise

By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street, N.W., | Russia with UNRRA, conditions are Washington, D. C. WASHINGTON, D. C .- As rela-

Russia grow rapmany reports are munism, which reached the peak of its prestige with the end of the war, is losing some of its popularity in Europe. The lack of proof viet pudding has had its effects.



and many a wail the iron curtain which stretches from the Baltic through the Balkans.

This, of course, doesn't prevent our own little family of loyal American "Commies" from screaming the praises of all within the Soviet's

I have been looking over some facts concerning two of the great postwar American problems-housing and union labor demands-with an eye on similar conditions in Rus-

Nobody but an optimist with rosecolored glasses and a five-year lease would say that we have no housing problem in America. But Stalin has one in Russia too. And how, Tovarish! (Don't answer me now, there's a plain clothes man behind the samovar.) I know about that letter workers wrote to Uncle Joe, pledging their tireless work and a promise to "liquidate all shortcomings" on the housing industry. That word "liquidate" has an unpleasant sound. And when Russian papers are allowed to criticize production, putting the blame on "local Soviets," it means—the situation needs

But what were Russian housing

conditions before the war? According to a recent Library of Action," even before the devastaage floor space in Moscow was only much more. Hence, the ordinary a limb of the party. Russian worker had much less. By way of contrast in Washington, D. C., under the National Capital Hous- ety, "are not organized to conduct ing authority, the smallest housing strikes." This is reported by "Comunit (a one-bedroom apartment) | munism in Action," which says that must allot 165 square feet to the living room alone, and the total since 1921. The document further space must be 250 square feet.

is one family per room in a sixroom apartment with common use of the kitchen and bathroom.

Figure Out Floor Space Per Person

cording to an article in Harper's by is supposed to act in the interests of John Fischer, who spent some all, the workers can't complain months in the Ukraine and Byelo against any of its decisions.

wide. Less than that is available in If you want to know how a typical family in the Ukraine lives, Fischer tells you to imagine you and your wife and children occupying the

such that the Russian press may

well be allowed to criticize-if that

In Kiev, says Fischer, a person is

supposed to have six square meters

of living space, which is a strip of

floor about ten feet long and six feet

will do any good.

smallest room in your house, with the clothing, beds, furniture and possessions that are absolutely indispensable. You'll have a brick toye instead of a radiator or coo 2 range, a bathroom with no hot water shared by several other families - and probably a few rela-

tives to share all that! Probably you could stand this if you knew it was temporary. But in Russia, according to Fischer, because of the five-year plan for the expansion of heavy industry (said to be a part of Soviet war preparation), Russians are going to have a bitterly hard life as far as consumer goods and facilities go, for another 10 to 15 years.

I can't verify Fischer's views, but know that authorities agree that Russia cannot possibly do much to Trade Pact raise the standard of living of the less privileged even if she doesn't continue the present military prep-

And what has Communism done for the laborer as such?

Under the five-year plan industrial workers' pay is supposed to go up to 500 rubles a month. Fischer estimates the present rate at between 300 and 350, which he says amounts in terms of American purchasing power to about \$30 to \$35.

Labor Unions Under Government Wing

According to "Communism in Action" (the U. S. government document I mentioned earlier) the Russian labor unions started out under Congress report, "Communism in Trotsky as independent, fighting organs of labor. But when Trotsky tion of western Russia the aver- was ousted and made his very hasty departure from the Utopia he helped 45 square feet per head. But the found, one lap ahead of the liquidaprivileged (workers with high rec- tors, things changed. As in the case ords on the speed-up plan) had of Nazi Germany the union became

And no one would say that American unions, like the Russian varithere hasn't been a strike in Russia points out that unions in the United In Russia the usual arrangement | States have as their primary purpose the privilege of their members to deal on equal terms with their employers on all matters of mutual

interest. In the U.S.S.R., on the other hand, the unions are a part of the appara-This was the situation before the tus of the employer (the governwar. Today, in the Ukraine, ac- ment) and since the government

Tough Sledding for 'Ins'

There seems to be agreement be- | to his congressman, "and it's sometween some of the political leaders of both parties that the voters are going to indulge in a good deal of indiscriminate hurling of brickbats next month and it is entirely likely that many an innocent, bystanding congressman is going to suffer for the sins of his colleagues. Clarence Brown, No. 2 man in the Republican national committee, admitted to me that he was counting heavily on the "throw the rascals out" vote. In other words people are going to take out their various personal grouches on the incumbent, regardless of record or party affiliation. This view was reflected on the Democratic side by that experienced politician, Senator Russell of Georgia. He said to some of us the other day:

"It's always like this after a war. A great many people have complaints of one kind or another. It's a natural thing for many of them to decide to vote against the people who have been in office."

That line of reasoning, when pursued by a good Democrat, might be wishful thinking if he were casting his eyes at the gubernatorial contest in New York state. Many people take for granted that Governor Dewey, if he wins, will try to use re-election as a stepping stone toward the presidential nomination. In any case, the way the issues are being played now, if Dewey is reelected, it will strengthen the arguments the Republicans are emphasizing that the next presidential backlog. These projects will be fi-

ity" versus "wild-eyed radicalism." tional government. Evidence to support the view that the "ins," whether they are Democrats or Republicans, are going to get the brickbats from disgruntled projects totaling \$2,757,136,599, and voters was contained in a letter re- as of June 30 these local governcently received by two Democrat | mental units had completed their

"There just aren't any diapers," \$1,350,000,000, according to FWA

one's fault. Regardless of where and how you place the blame, you represent us in our government which has allowed this national disgrace to come about and are, therefore, to a greater or a less degree, personally responsible for it."

Mrs. Elizabeth Gray Vining has been invited to serve as tutor to the crown prince of Japan. He must CANINE POSTMAN . . . Nearly evhave seen "Anna and the King of Siam" in the movies.

America must approach every get them clean.



NEWS REVIEW

Trade Accord Approved; **Meat Crisis Continues**

FOREIGN AFFAIRS:

Pres. Juan Peron and his entire cabinet looked on as British Ambassador Reginald Leeper and Argentine Foreign Minister Juan Bramuglia signed trade accords cementing commercial relations between the two countries. Pleased by the event, Peron announced that he had ordered three shiploads of meat to be sent to Britain before Christmas with the compliments of his government.

Peron might well have been tickled with the agreement, which calls for Britain's purchase of 83 per cent of Argentina's exportable meat surplus in the first year at prices 25 per cent over prevailing levels. During the second year, Britain will take 78 per cent of Argentine supplies. The latest price boost brings the total increase up to 45 per cent over the 1939 level when Britain first went in for largescale buying.

relinquished their control of Argenin a new company including Argentine government and private capital. Under a third agreement, Argentina will be permitted to utilize blocked wartime trade balances



ery morning for two years, Butch, take it away from him.

in Britain for retiring sterling debts, buying out British investments, or making cash withdrawals of 25 million dollars annually.

MEAT: Crisis Widens

throughout the nation were said to piece, please?" have closed and almost 100,000 clerks and packing house employees were reported idle as the crisis in meat continued.

Receipts of cattle and hogs reestablished during the suspension of pillow. Now run along to bed and OPA and ran considerably below go to sleep." last year's runs. As packers awaitinferior grades of hogs. Some of stomach. the stock received was said to be suitable for by-product purposes

Meanwhile, OPA promised to act upon restaurant operators' protests against imposition of June 30 ceilings on meat dishes. taurateurs claiming that the restoratine railways in exchange for shares | tion of old prices in the face of increasing costs would force them to close, OPA said it would modify ceilings to assure adequate earnings if evidence of hardship were offered. Whereas restaurants spent 40 cents of each dollar of revenue for food, they now expend 55 cents, it was

YUGOSLAVIA: Jail Archbishop

Acting upon the testimony of the voluble secretary to Archbishop Alojzijc Stepinac, head of the Roman Catholic church in Yugoslavia, Marshal Tito's communist government arrested the high prelate and prepared to try him for "crimes against the people."

With 12 priests already on trial on the same charge, inclusion of the Archbishop would further tend to discredit religion in the Russiandominated nation, following the pattern of communist hostility to all creeds. While the powerful Croatian peasant leader, Vladimir Macek, was implicated in the Archbishop's alleged machinations, the government hesitated to move firmly against him for fear of political repercussions.

Talking freely against the Archbishop, his former secretary alleged that the prelate's castle in Zagreb was the center of an anti-Tito movement to set up an independent Crobrown and white terrier owned by atian state. Charging that the L. K. Stemen of San Antonio, Tex., Archbishop worked closely with one has met postman J. F. Kempf to of Draja Mihailovitch's ex-aids in foreign situation with absolutely bring in his master's mail. If Kempf promoting anti-government bands, clean hands—and it's worth risking starts to put the mail in the box, the secretary declared that the high the price of international soap to Butch gets belligerent and tries to churchman planned to finance a terrorist campaign for separation.

BILLIONS IN BACKLOG

Huge Works Program Mapped

WASHINGTON, - Plans for a \$4,107,136,000 public works program are being mapped by states, cities and counties, with projects to be financed by their own funds, according to the Federal Works agency.

Federal Aid highways, rivers and harbors, flood control projects, federal postoffices and other buildings, and Veterans' Administration hospitals add other billions to the work campaign will be "safety and solid- nanced wholly or partially by the na-

The Federal Works agency has requests from states, cities and counties for advances to plan 7,560 own plans for 5,500 projects to cost an expectant, incensed father wrote | records.

Of the requests, the agency re- and street projects to cost \$46,820, These alone involve \$1,296,997,051.

and counties in planning non-federal public works. The bulk of advances approved was for planning water mains,

paved street and sewer extensions and improvements and for new school buildings and additions. Applications have been approved for planning 2,083 sewer, water and sanitation projects to cost \$546,355,-

or new buildings to cost \$318,415,189. Variety of Projects. Other items approved for ad-

941 and for 1,317 school expansions

ported it has approved 4,630 and ad- 998; 41 bridges, viaduct and railway vanced \$32,258,354 for planning. overpasses, \$28,426,458; 35 airports, \$19,895,981; 158 hospitals and clinics, \$73,470,874; 392 public buildings, Under congressional act, FWA has \$65,000,000 to assist states, cities | such as courthouses and city halls, \$117,187,172; 178 parks and other recreational facilities, \$29,943,129; 72 miscellaneous projects, \$116,481,-

> designed primarily to cushion unemployment, but to provide needed public works as soon as possible. In the event it is turned into an emergency employment creator, Field said "it can give work im-

Field said the program was not

mediately," pointing out that it took 18 months to get 100,000 working on public construction in 1933-'34 "because there had been no advance vances include 300 highway, road | planning."

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"Well, may I sleep with a bit under my pillow?" asked the boy. "Very well, here you are, and mained far below the high levels remember to keep it under your

On going up to Johnnie's room ed the large seasonal fall shipments, some time later his mother was they were compelled to bid ceiling amazed to see Johnnie sleeping prices for lean, grass-fed cattle and peacefully with the pillow over his

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Your USO has one more row to hoe. Another round of laughs to plant. Another crop of cheer.

Your USO needs your help, as much as ever. For millions of American boys still need the USO. They need the camp shows and clubhouses-the hours of relaxation and entertainment - a place to hang their hats and loosen their belts.

They need to know that the folks back home are still thinking of them-are still willing to pitch in and make their task a lighter one.

Tell the farm boy you're with him-every step of the way. Say it through the USO. Say it with dollars!

Keep it up.



Don't let them down!

Eller-Mayhall **Wedding Held** Saturday

William Y. Eller and Charlene present. Mayhall, both of Victoria, were married at the Methodist Parson- hopes to create enough interest performing the ceremonies.

blue dress with a pink corsage and ber for the club. black accessories. The Matron of Honor was Mrs. Louis Eller. Others attending the wedding were Mrs. G. H. Eller, mother of the about what side his bread is butgroom, Mrs. Louis Eller, Mrs. tered on. He figures that he eats Lynwood Eller and J. M. Sparks. both sides anyway.

Choral Club Holds Second Meeting

The Rockport Choral Club held its second meeting Tueday night son with twenty-four members

to get them some new music and party. The bride wore a street length he felt that would be a good num-

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age with Reverand F. A. Banks in the organization that it will "Happy Birthday" written on top Council of the Town of Rockport; to ride a horse, mule, mare or build up to about thirty-five mem- and the hall was decorated with a That it shall be the duty of the gelding in a reckless or furious in the sciences to take a well bers in the near future, as he said large variety of flowers. Ice proprietors or owners of lots of manner within the Town of Rock- earned vacation and was planning Dolly Lee Hart winning high prize remain thereon.

Bobby Caldwell, Jimmie Ben posit the dirt or filth of any kind, Frankie Rowe, Charles Hammond of said Town, nor cause or allow it Smith, Pat Smith, Dorothy Baker, to be done by others within the Dolly Lee Hart, Rosa Fay Ham- Town limits. blin, Norma Lou Roe, Carol Any person or persons who shall Townsend, Oma Jean Sweetser, fail to comply with or in any wise Parents that attended were Mr. Twenty Dollars. and Mrs. Fred Cloberdants and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Little.

BIRTHS-The Pilot Congratulates

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The following ordance was pass- | TRAFFIC PROBLEMS! at the High School auditorium and tertained their son, Pat, and his ed by the City Council of Rockport Be it ordained by the Town side, has just started working as got off to a good start for the sea- friends with a party at the regarding the clean-up of property Council of the Town of Rockport, a laboratory assistant to the Ma-Methodist Recreation Hall last in January 1871, and is reminiscent That it shall be unlawful for any rine Biologist of the Game, Fish Saturday in honor of Pat's of discussions of the City Council person to run any horse, mare or and Oyster Commission in Rock-Bill McGrath said that he plans twelfth birthday. It was a "cootie" and Chamber of Commerce of mule in any of the public streets port. 1946:

There was a large cake with Be it ordained by the Town will be unlawful for any person Cream and cake were served as grounds in said Town, to have the port. refreshments, and Tommy Cron same cleaned and kept clean and won high score for the boys with allow no nuisance of any kind to nance shall, on conviction, be fined laboratory assistant in Rockport.

Be it further ordained that it Those present were Tommy shall be unlawful for such pro-Cron, Gary Smith, Bobby Little, prietors or owners to throw or de-Cloberdants, Cloyce Hayden, into the streets or thoroughfares

Alma Jean Ratliff, Rhoe Jean violate this ordance shall, on con-Mikeal, Virginia Ann Mundine, viction thereof be fined in a sum Shirley Rivers, and Mike Smith. not less than Five nor more than

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN DELINQUENT TAX SUIT

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF ARANSAS To W. M. Miller, whose residence is unknown; heirs and legal ceased, whose name and residence and legal representatives of all the above named parties, and the unknown owner and owners of the hereinafter described property and their heirs and legal representatives whose names and places of visitors of Corpus Christi Tuesday. residence are unknown, and all other persons owning, having or claiming any interest or lien in

the property hereinafter described. YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI-FIED AND COMMANDED to appear and defend at the first day of the next regular term of the 36th District Court of Aransas County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, at or before ten o'clock a. m., on the second Monday in February, A. D. 1947, the same being the 10th day of February, A. D. 1947, then and there to answer a petition in a delinquent tax suit filed in said court on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1946, in a suit numbered 2396, styled The City of Rockport, Texas, et al vs. the unknown heirs and legal representatives of C. F. Bailey, deceased, et al, on the docket of said court in which the ter and son-in-law. She flew up of Rockport, Texas is plaintiff, and the State of Texas, the County of Aransas, the Aransas County School District, and Aransas County Navigation Dist. No. 1 are impleaded party defendants, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of C. F. Bailey, a deceased person, Travis Bailey, W. M. Miller, their unknown heirs and legal representatives, and the unknown owners and claimants of the property described below are defendants, and show cause why

judgment shall not be rendered condemning said hereinafter described property and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes, penalties, interests, and costs of suit.

Said suit is a suit to collect taxes, interest, penalties, and cost on the following described property: Lots 8, 9 and 10, Block 14, D and M Subdivision of the City of Rockport, Texas, as shown by the map or plat thereof of record in the office of the County Clerk of Aransas County, Texas, to which reference is here made.

The amount of taxes alleged to be delinquent, due, owing, and unpaid for the respective years and in the respective amounts for each family. of said plaintiffs, intervenors, and impleaded party defendants, taxing units, on the above described property is as follows:

Plaintiffs, impleaded party defendants, and intervenors that are taxing units: the City of Rockport, Texas; taxes due: \$771.99; years delinquent: 1919 through 1945; to whom assessed: C. F. Bailey est. and W. M. Miller; together with Brundrett. Other guests of Mrs. interest, penalties, cost, charges, Brundrett included Mr. and Mrs. and expenses of suit, which have Ingle Turner and family of Reaccrued and which may legally fugio. accrue thereon.

Each party to this suit shall take notice of, and plead, and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file or thereafter filed in said cause by all other parties

Plaintiffs, intervenors, and defednants that are taxing units also seek the establishment and foreclosure of the lien securing pay-ment of such taxes as provided by

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make

due return as the law directs. WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL OF MY OF-FICE in Aransas County, Texas, this the 24th day of September,

A. D. 1946. J. M. SPARKS, Clerk, District Court. Aransas County, Texas.

of the Town of Rockport That it

Any person violating this ordi-

lars. Passed December 21, 1870.

Personals

Mrs. R. C. Schmeling, Sr., Miss Ruth Schmeling and Miss Peggy Schmeling of Brownsville were week-end guests of Mrs. Clara Louise Schmeling.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cooper of Refugio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hanway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Bissett of Tivoli were guests of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bissett Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Schlieder of Placedo spent several days here this week visiting friends and rela-

Mrs. DeWilton Jeffries and son and Mrs. T. D. Picton and son were

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sanders and children, Gloria June and Billy Virgil are moving this week to San Angelo to make their home.

Mrs. Alex Stewart of Halletsville spent several days here this

Mrs. Henry Bailey and Clark Bailey attended the wedding of Miss Hazel Watts and William Glenn Gale, Jr., in Corpus Christi last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Zimmerman were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christilles Tuesday and Wednesday last week.

Mrs. M. E. McElveen has recently returned from Roanoake, Virginia, where she has been for some time visiting with her daughto be with them when their son Gordon Lester, was born August 28th.

Mrs. Hilda Graves and her granddaughter, Geraldine, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson and Mrs. Manche Brundrett. They are from Nederland, Texas.

Leyton Brundrett of Texas City spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. Manche Brundrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walling spent several days last week as guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mixon and family of Runge. They were accompanied by Mrs. Bill Cavitt of Sinton.

Mrs. D. G. Bain of Victoria spent a week as guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mullinax.

Mrs. Clara Louise Schmelling left Monday for a stay in Newburgh, New York, as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Froemel.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and son Frederick, of Sinton visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Picton and

Mrs. Tracy Williams and daughter Pamela, of Woodward, Okla., are spending several weeks as guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mires and family spent the week-end as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Lydia

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Barber of Refugio spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barber and family. Kenneth Bissett spent Saturday as guest of his uncle Grave Edwards of Beeville.

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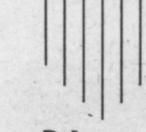
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Marriage Licenses

J. Mayhall.

The following marriage licenses were issued recently by the County Clerk:

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Pirates Lose First Conference

pass. Wendell Duhon intercepted a Rockport pass on the Pirate's FIRST DOWNS: thirty yard line and raced on over the goal standing up for the first score of the game. The try for PASSES: extra point failed leaving the score six to nothing at the end of the first quarter.

On the kickoff, the Pirates took the ball on their own thirty-nine yard line and from there started a march that carried them into pay dirt for their first and only score of the game. They made four consecutive first downs to place the ball on the Bobcat's seven yard PUNTS: line. One play netted only one yard on a quarter back sneak by Rowe. On the second play, the ball was fumbled but recovered by Denny Smith on the twelve yard YARDS FOR SCRIMMAGE: line. Corpus carried around right end to the two yard line. Then Johnson scored over his own left tackle. Johnson also carried over his own his own right guard for Mrs. Hart Takes Over the extra point making the score seven to six.

Rockport kicked to the Bobcat's 25 and they returned it to their own forty-two. In two plays the Bobcats carried to the Pirates twenty-six for a first down. On the next play, they made four yards with a quarterback sneak and then Duhon carried over the goal for the touch down to make the score twelve to seven. The extra point was good with a power The score came just before the

yard line and started an unbroken | held. march to pay dirt for their third touchdown. They carried on over the double stripe in eight plays, to from the nine. The try for extra point was low and wide.

When the game ended, the Pi-

Constitutions and a second

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Game To Refugio Bobcats 19-7

The Rockport Pirates went down rates were being pushed well n defeat before a hard running at- back to their own end of the field. tack by the Refugio Bobcats last In fact, the last play before the Friday at Bobcat Field by a score game ended was stopped on the ten yard line. The Bobcats had The Bobcats scored late in the pushed from their own 16 yard first quarter on an intercepted line to the Pirate ten in five plays.

Statistics Rockport Refugio 4 with one Rockport complete and two intercepted.

complete and one intercepted. 1 for 5 yds. Rockport Refugio _ 2 for 10 yds. Rockport ____ 2 for average of 23 yards. Refugio ____ 1 for 39 yard

average. Rockport

New Duties With Camp Fire Girls

Mrs. Roy Lee Hart has joined the staff of the Coastal Bend Area Council of the Camp Fire Girls. Announcement of her appointment as part-time district executive for Refugio and Aransas Counties was made last week.

At the zone meeting of the Coastal Zone of Camp Fire Girls drive over the center of the line. Wednesday, Mrs. Hart was introduced to representatives from the Alice Council, Kleberg County The Bobcat's fnal score of the Council, and the Coastal Bend game came early in the third Area Council. They also made quarter after they recovered a plans for the Camp Fire Girls fumble by the Pirates on the fifty Membership March now being

Mrs. Hart, the former Ruby Bissett, has been connected with the make the final score of 19 to 7 in public schools of Rockport for sevfavor of the Bobcats. Billy Ray eral years, where she has been Chappell carried the ball over active in the PTA and the Camp Fire Girls program as a volunteer worker and leader. She took over her duties last Tuesday.

"Pyorrhea" May Follow Neglect

SUNDAY SPEAKER

Dr. David L. Stitt, president of Austin Theologicial Seminary, Austin, Texas, will be the speaker

A Texan by birth, Dr. Stitt at-



David L. Stitt

College in 1933. He took his theobyterian Theological Seminary, Reuss, et al Defendants. graduating there in 1936. After a pastorate in Haskell, Texas, he was called to be the assistant pastor of the Westminister Presbyliam Crowe in 1939, Dr. Stitt was described property: called to be the church's minister and remained there for six years until he became the new president of Austin Seminary early this

The subject of Dr. Stitt's address next Sunday morning will be Broken Things".

This radio broadcast can be heard in Rockport over radio stations KWBU (Corpus Christi); WOAI (San Antonio); KPRC (Houston and WFAA (Dallas).

Fulton PTA Will Have Pie Supper For Play **Ground Equipment**

The Fulton Parent Teachers Association will have a pie supper at the Fulton School house Friday, October 4th, at 7:30 p.m. and all proceeds will be used to purchase Attest: play ground equipment for the school children.

All persons who would like to Did you ever see an attractive help on this have been asked by person with irritated "GUMS"? the PTA to donate sandwiches, Druggists refund money if first pies, cakes, punch or any thing bottle of "LETO'S" fails to help. else they may wish to give to the Ballard Drug Store, successor to pie supper. Everyone is invited to attend this supper.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Paula S. Reuss, Emilie Nunnemacher, Katherine Schoelkopf, Mrs. Fannie Edrington, Mrs. on the Presbyterian Hour next Bessie Sandidge, Mrs. Mary Mor-Sunday morning, October 6, at 7:30 ton and Mrs. Willie Collins if livnamed defendants be dead, the troop's activities for the next tended the Texas Chrstian Univer- unknown heirs, administrators, ex- three months. Mr. Thomas, from be dead, and the unknown owner planning for the troop. or owners of the land described in plaintiffs' Petition, and all persons owning or claiming any interest in and to the land described in Plaintiffs' Petition, Defendants, quota for the financing of this

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 36th JUDICIAL DIS-TRICT of Aransas County at the Court House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of November A.D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of September A.D. 1946, in this cause, numberered 2400 on sity, and graduated from Austin the docket of said court and styled H. F. Dares and wife, Rhoda May logical training at the Austin Pres- Dares, Plaintiffs, vs. Paula S

A brief statment of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

A suit in trespass to try title, terian Church in St. Louis, Mo. for title and possession, as well After the resignation of Dr. Wil- as for damages on the following

> Fifty (50) feet of water front reserve lying beyond Beach Street and to the East of Lot No. One (1), Block No. Twenty-Seven (27), Town of Fulton, Aransas County, Texas, according to the official map or plat of record in Volume E, pages 540-541 of the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas, to which a reference is here made for greater certainty of description as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Rockport, Texas this the 27th day of September A.D. 1946.

J. M. SPARKS, Clerk, District Court, Aransas County, Texas 20c27

pedestrians if auto manufacturers could improve the drivers as much as they have the automobles.

Troop Committee Of Boy Scouts Plans Activities

The Boy Scout Troop Committee of Troop 49 met Monday night ing, and if any or all of the above at the Catholic Hall to plan the ecutors, and or legal representa- the Gulf Coast Council in Corpus above named persons who may and worked with them on their

> District's share of the Gulf Coast Council expenses

will work with them on all their the door.

activities and will go with them on their trips and hikes. He will also be responsible for taking them on industrial tours and tours of game preserves and other educational tours.

There will be a Court of Honor to award promotions and merits to those boys of Troop 49 who have earned them. It will be held at tives of each or all of the said Christi, addressed the committee 7:30 p.m. on October 22nd. The Court of Honor will present the troop's charter to its sponsors, They also made plans for the The Veterans of Foreign Wars, at drive that is to start on October this meeting and will also show 8th to raise the Aransas County educational film to those present.

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sidered eligible? Miss Brown-My dear, he's too eligible to be considered old.

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the Caribbean pick up Dick Jordan,

with only two people aboard, the de-

his crew are on the other side. They

CHAPTER X

by a volley of stones, and withdrew

after that to a safe distance, while

Burley and Tucu held a consulta-

Dick struggled to his feet, a little

bewildered and uncertain what

been killed, and a dozen Caribs at-

tacking them, an even disposition

of forces, perhaps if they had been

equally equipped for battle-for one

white man could ordinarily handle

two Caribs-but armed with pistols

that their enemies lacked the black

men had the advantage. They could

tols or rifles that Tucu overlooked,"

to her until he stood on the deck,

other side of the island!" he an-

white, but Captain Bedford's face

ready fur them," he said grimly.

The old skipper nodded. "Can ye

"Yes, if I had anything to shoot

"Did he?" The skipper's face

took every weapon off the schooner."

reckon now," he added a moment

later, "he overlooked some of 'em."

Leading the way into the cabin,

with Dick and Rose eagerly follow-

ing, he began prying up a section

of the floor. After loosening a few

hidden underneath, which, when

opened, disclosed a treasure more

ed of half a dozen brand-new pistols

of modern pattern, automatics of a

deadly type, with ammunition

enough to feed them for a consid-

"We could clean 'em up alone,

"Aren't you going to help me

"No," he replied gravely, "you

must stay on the Betty. We'll come

Dick started to protest further,

but Captain Bedford nudged him.

"No use arguin'," he whispered.

With a smile she acknowledged

this doubtful compliment, and

climbed down to the mass of wreck-

When they reached the summit of

the cliff, the situation below was

not changed. The Caribs were still

at a safe distance, shooting occa-

sionally at the breastwork behind

which the white men were crouched.

Their bullets went wide of the

mark, which induced Captain Bed-

ford to remark, "Ye can't never

teach a Carib to shoot straight.

'Tain't born in 'em. Reckon we'll

Dick had been scanning the rocks

below with a careful estimate of the

danger ahead. The shipwrecked

men had reached the upper part

of the beach, and it was possible

to get within a hundred feet of them

without exposing their bodies by fol-

lowing closely a ridge of outcrop-

ping boulders. When he indicated

this to Captain Bedford, the old

skipper nodded, and waited for him

Once more Dick urged Rose to

remain behind, but she stubbornly

shook her head and prepared to fol-

The Caribs had their attention di-

show 'em how to do it."

going too," she answered.

erable time.

We must hurry."

suddenly protested.

ashore, Dick?"

back to you."

her way."

to lead.

was wreathed in a crafty smile.

Reinforcements Come

From the Schooner

"Captain Tucu's gang's on the

we could rout the Caribs."

hot, flushed, and panting:

nounced abruptly.

"Did they see ye?"

"No, but I saw them."

The Caribs were checked again

are battling a group of white men.

THE STORY THUS FAR:
The crew of a small sailing vessel in

enemies, and, not expecting danger from above, they never once raised their eyes to the summit of the cliff, This more than any skill on their part enabled the three to creep stealthily down the ridge until close to the hiding place of the sailors. Crouching there for a moment they considered the next move. Between

W.N.U. Release

them and the breastwork was an open stretch of flat sand. To cross this they had to expose their bodies to the cross fire of the Caribs." "I'll go first," Dick whispered. "No, wait a minute," replied the skipper. "Likely's not them sailors will take ye for a flankin' party an'

land a ton of stones on yer head. We got to let 'em know we're friends." "How can we do it without alarm-

ing the Caribs?" "Reckon we can't. But it's got to be done."

Suddenly, without warning of his course to pursue. There were six intentions, the skipper raised his white men, now that Pettigrew had voice without exposing his head: "Ahoy, there, shipmates! Look aloft! Keep them stuns for the en-



There was a puff of smoke and a sharp report.

emy, an' don't shy any of 'em aft! We're comin' to help ye."

The surprise and consternation of the sailors at the voice behind them was not greater than that of the Caribs. Dick saw Captain Tucu and Black Burley jump to their feet and scan the rocks with eager eyes.

boards he lifted out a small chest "I reckon now ye can go," Cap-tain Bedford whispered. "Ye're precious to Dick than the gold takspryer'n me, an' can make it quicken from the submarine. It consist-

> "Give me all except two of the pistols," replied Dick. "You and Rose keep one apiece. Don't expose yourself. Keep Rose here with you."

"Reckon I ain't promisin' to keep her here," grinned the skipper, "but but mebbe it would be better to get down to the sailors, an' let 'em I'll try it.' have some sort of fun. Reckon

they'd enjoy it," grinned the cap-The Automatics Turn the Tide

"Yes," nodded Dick, "we must Dick nodded, and then vaulted the have nearly enough guns for all. They started up the companion, but when they climbed over the side of the schooner to get ashore Rose

low ridge of rocks, and, crouching low, made a break across the open space. His sudden appearance was the signal for a volley of shots from the Caribs, but in anticipation of this he dodged and ducked so erratically that the bullets buried themselves in the sand at a safe distance on either side. The sailors, forewarned, made no

hostile demonstration, but watched She sniffed and tossed her head him with gaping mouths and widein the air. "If Father's going I'm open eyes. When he finally landed plump in their midst, they stretched forth arms to receive him. Recovering his breath, Dick said: 'I've spoilt her. She always has

"Now give them hell! Shoot to The sight of the guns he began passing around brought grins of delight to the haggard faces.

"I haven't enough for all," Dick added. "So be careful. Who among you are the best shots?"

"I've killed a man at a hundred feet," replied a burly seaman, taking a gun, "an' my mate's nearly as good. Give him one,"

The other two were handed to men who declared they were good shots, and were anxious to try their skill on the Caribs. Dick took charge and directed the shooting.

"They're cowards, and will run the moment we shoot," he said. "They don't know we're armed. So make the best of our chance. Single out our men, and shoot togeth-

He counted two and then raised a hand as a signal. Four vicious bullets sped toward their marks. and before they were well on their way others were following them. The automatics barked so continuously that half the Caribs were down before the others could duck

The sailors wanted to break cover and charge, but Dick restrained them. "No, they'll get some of you.

rected upon the breastwork of their | Keep covered until we get Tucu and Burley. The rest will surrender." "Who's Tucu - their leader?"

asked one of the seamen. "Yes, he's the captain of the lugger, and Black Burley's the mate." "Know 'em?"

"Sure. I've sailed with them." The sailors eyed him curiously. In the lull that followed, one asked: "Wasn't ye on the City of Bahia?" Dick nodded.

"Thought I remembered yer face. Got away, did ye?"

Further conversation was interrupted by the unexpected barking of a gun far on their right. For a moment they thought a flanking party had crept up behind them; but almost simultaneously with the crash of the report there came a cry from the enemy. They saw a gigantic black man leap in the air and tumble face downward.

"Black Burley!" exclaimed Dick. "Who shot him?" asked one of the sailors, uneasily glancing in the direction of the shot.

"Captain Bedford," smiled Dick. "He's trying to flank them." The rest of the Caribs, with Tucu leading, had leaped from cover, and were making a run for their last refuge.

"After them!" yelled Dick, springing over the breastwork. "Don't let Tucu escape."

Dick led the assaulting party, but Tucu had a big start. It looked for a time as if he would escape, and Dick hesitated between keeping up the race and stopping to shoot. Perlost if Tucu's vengeful nature hadn't temporarily handicapped him.

Hen Pettigrew lay directly in his path, where he had been left by the Caribs for dead; but Hen had as many lives as a cat, and despite the fact that he carried three bullets in his body he was a long way from being dead. He sat up and began struggling feebly to get on his feet. He was not aware of Tucu's presence until the latter stopped suddenly in his steps.

The sight of one of his enemies escaping when he could kill him was too much of a strain on Tucu's nature. He decided to linger long enough to put Hen out of the game. With a malevolent glint in his eyes, he leered at the half-dazed man, "I reckon y'don't need to get up."

He could have shot him on the run, but he wanted to make sure this time. He brought his gun close to Hen's head, thrusting it viciously between his eyes so he could stare his fate directly in the face. It was a brutal, bloodthirsty act, and for a moment Hen recoiled.

"Damn ye, take that!" grunted the half-breed.

Dick Saves the Life Of His Nemesis

There was an explosion, so close that the powder blackened Hen's face, but the bullet buried itself in the sand as Tucu's right hand dropped to his side, with the forearm broken close to the wrist.

Dick had taken advantage of his hesitation and shot at the hand holding the gun to Hen's face, pausing to aim carefully and deliberately to make sure he did not miss.

With a snarl and curse, the half breed grasped his wounded wrist in his free hand, and seeing that escape was impossible he turned upon Dick like an enraged animal. All the venom of his nature flared up in his eyes.

Dick could have shot easily, but he hesitated. The man was wounded and unarmed, his gun having fallen to the ground. He could not shoot Tucu even when he had him at his mercy.

"It's all up, Tucu," he said, smiling as he advanced. "I won't kill you if you'll surrender. You can't get away."

"Y'won't shoot me if I surrender?" whined the half-breed. "Y'won't let 'em kill me?"

"No, we'll give you a fair trial, but you don't deserve it." Tucu's shifty eyes seemed to lose

their fire, and Dick noticed that the limp arm was bleeding freely. "I'll help you," he added, kicking the man's gun away to a safe distance. "That arm must be broken."

Although in the act of kicking Tucu's gun away, he showed that he didn't trust the outlaw, Dick was careless in another respect. He thrust his own gun in his pocket. The halfbreed noticed the action and almost immediately his whole attitude changed. A murderous gleam flashed in his eyes.

With his left hand he jerked an ugly knife from his belt and made a lunge at Dick. The attack was so sudden and unexpected that there was no time for counter action. Dick had barely time to catch the uplifted arm and save himself from almost instant death.

With a growl of rage that his ruse had failed, the half-breed struggled to release his arm for another blow; but Dick flung himself upon the outlaw, grasping the arm with one hand and the knife with the other.

Although wounded, and one arm helpless, Tucu, who was a giant in strength, fought ferociously, succeeding finally in hurling his enemy from him through sheer muscular superiority.

(TO BE CONTINUED)



For the Record:

In 1940, and repeated as late as 1944, Stalin declared that a Communist state was never safe until the whole world was Communist.

The diplomatic rat race, started by Russia, is on. History will record the unspeakable tactics to snare the support of Germans as an atrocity of peace. The allied diplomatic throat slitting (while promising to revive Naziland's power) not only emphasizes their split -also underlines the cleavage between FDR's foreign policy and the zigzagging now practiced by America's leaders. Roosevelt said:

"As for Germany, that tragic nation which has sown the wind and is now reaping the whirlwind-we and our allies are entirely agreed that we shall not bargain with the German conspirators, or leave them a shred of control-open or secret-of the instruments of gov't. We shall not leave them a single element of military power-or of potential military power."

From a front page story in the New York Herald Tribune of January 1, 1945: "Allied supreme headquarters, confirming reports from the front of a mass slaughter by the Germans of American soldier prisoners, issued today an official statement which said that 115 Americans were murdered in this way soon haps in either case he would have after the German counter-offensive began. The statement (issued after an investigation) said the Americans captured near Malmedy, Belgium, were lined up in ranks six deep and were mowed down by machine-gun fire."

But a year and a half later American diplomats are ready to frock. Scallops edge the side clostreat German soldiers like allies!

There is nothing so hypocritical and stupid as the current syrupy drooling by allied diplomats about the difference between "The German people" and the Nazis. "The German people" is the most obnoxious type of weasel-wording. . . Naziism is merely a new label for ancient German venom. One of Germany's military heroes is General Count von Haesler. He once declared:

"It is necessary that our civilization build its temple on mountains of corpses, on an ocean of tears and on the death cries of men and women without numbers. Germany must rule the inferior races of the world!" He said that in 1893!

Sec'y Byrnes' naive babbling that the Germans will behave like good little rodents if they are gifted with democracy, must make intelligent citizens shudder. Germans had a taste of democracy during the days of the Weimar republic - after the First World war. They promply spit it out and swallowed Naziism.

Allied hop-heads now are cooing with Nazi militarists. But it's safer to tangle with a cobra than clutch the paw of a Junker killer. In 1944 Field Marshal von Rundstedt issued a secret report to German generals that stated:

"With the booty we have accumulated, the enfeebling of two generations of enemy manpower and the destruction of their industries, we shall be better placed to conquer in 25 years than we were in 1939. We don't have to fear peace conditions analogous to those which we have imposed because our adversaries will always be divided. Their disunity will force them to fight each other, and Germany will play one side against the other."

Allied plans to rebuild German industries must have been inspired by the ghost of Hitler. When the Nazi military machine cracked, leading German industrialists held a secret meeting on August 10, 1944 -and blueprinted strategy for mobilizing German industry for the Third World war.

The fellowing news clipping should be on the desk of every delegate at the Paris conference. It was published in the January 29, 1930, issue of the German zeitung, "Volkischer Beobachter":

"Germany can have only one ardent wish, namely, that the spirit of misfortune should hover over every allied conference, that discord shall arise therefrom, and that finally a world peace which would otherwise ruin our nation should dissolve in blood and fire." From a speech by Adolf Hitler.

New York Vignette: Lorraine De Wood, the thrush, was motoring up Riverside drive. . . . She kept holding one arm out of the car, waving it aimlessly. . . . The motorist behind her (so the story goes in the mail) couldn't savvy her signals and the machines collided. . . . "Oh, lady," he almost wept, "I couldn't tell whatinell you were signalling!"

. . "I wasn't signalling," Lorraine said, shifting her choongum. "I was just drying my nail polish!" . . . Bilbo's mouth operation was a flop-he can still talk!

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Judge B. S. Fox Chosen Chairman of Committee

AUSTIN, (Sp)-Judge B. S. Fox, prominent Aransas County Simons, executive vice-president of mentary items. the Texas Good Roads Association. She stated that her business will

November 5th General Election as basis for each person's type of Amendment Number three, the skin. She will give service either Good Roads Constituional Amend- at her home or will call at the ment guarantees the availablity of home of her clients. motor vehicle registration fees gasoline taxes exclusively for road is not available at drug stores or purposes, with the exception of departments stores since it is one-fourth of the gas tax which handled only on a prescription will continue to be allocated to the basis. She now has on hand a sup-Available Free School Fund.

Simons said.

Simons also pointed out that the Texas Safety Association, Texas farm Bureau Federation, State Board of Education and thirty other state organizations have Meeting In Corpus adopted resolutions strongly endorsing the amendment.

"With so many outstanding organizations backing the Amend- Zone of the Camp Fire Girls at ment, Simons continued, "we feel the Princess Louise Hotel in Corthat every citizen in Aransas pus Christi Wednesday from ten County should be fully informed of the provsions of the measure and the benefits they will derive from it. For this reason, we have selected Judge Fox to head the Aransas County committee and direct a vigorous educational cam- dates for this course will be anpaign to point out the merits of nounced later. this amendment."

construction of rural mail and and urban traffic-ways.

Cosmetic Line To Be Handled By Mrs. Fred Christilles

Mrs. Fred Christilles announced good roads advocate, has been this week that she will handle a chosen chairman of the Aransas line of cosmetics put out by the County Good Roads Amendment House of Jacquo's and it will in-Campaign Committee, it was an- clude creams, powders, lipsticks, nounced today by Charles E. rouge and all the other comple-

Appearing on the ballot in the be on an individual prescription

This particular line of cosmetics ply of the cosmetics and is ready "His deep interest in better and to serve anyone who is interested. more improved highways and She has had a good many years farm-to-market roads was the pri- experience with the House of mary factor in his selection to head | Jacquo's and is well trained in prethe Aransas County campaign." scribing the proper shades of cosmetics for her clients.

Guardians Of Camp Fire Girls Attend

Mrs. Roy Hinton, Mrs. Charles Roe, and Mrs. Roy Lee Hart attended a meeting of the Coastal until three-thirty o'clock where they heard plans for region organizations for the training of leaders to be held at Camp Sha wondassee, a Camp Fire Girls' Camp near Sandia, Texas. The

Chief purpose of this proposal, school bus routes, and all-weather it was emphasized by the Good farm-to-market roads. Also, it Roads Association executive vice- will insure improvement, mainpresident, is to assure the ultimate | tenance and policing of all roads

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In The WEEK'S NEWS



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that arrived at the offices of the Boston Red Sox for World's Series tickets. This was only the beginning!



SAFETY FIRST: Charles Luckman (left above), president of Lever Brothers Company and one of the country's outstanding business leaders, received the National Safety Council's "Distinguished Service to Safety" award for the consistently high safety record maintained at five company plants during 1945 from Council President Ned H. Dearborn on a recent coast-to-coast broadcast.

Crab, Shrimp & Oyster

ist with the Game, Fish and Oys

week that the production of

shrimp, crabs, and oysters in-

great deal over the same period.

Commission at Rockport has just

recently completed a tabulation of

the figures on marine production

for the fiscal year 1945-46. This

report shows that the Galveston

area led all other areas in the

ally due to the fact that during the

war the Commission opened areas

Fish production decreased from

4,898,196 pounds to 3,998,620

pounds, with mullet dropping ap-

proximately 92,000 pounds, shark

ly due to the high prices of shrimp

because that diverted many fish-

ermen from catching fish to

shrimping, according to Baugh-

this was furnished by the Atlantic

and Pacific fisheries, which

the open market at somewhat less

per pound than Texas fisheries can. Thus cutting down to some

extent on the absorption of the

amount of fish that were produced

Mrs. J. W. Townsend left Sun-

C. F. Whitfield and family.

production of shrimp.

open before.

Increased While Fish

Fell Off This Year

Richards Buys Interest In J. L. Baughman, Marne Biologter Commission, reported this

creased for the year; whereas, interest in The Aransas Pass Progthe production of fish decreased a ress. He will assist Wayne W. Welch the other partner, in the

The Game, Fish and Oyster publication of The Progress. Mr. Richards moved to Ingleside from Bandera County in 1930. He had worked for the Humble Oil & Refining Co. for 13 years but resigned his position when the company shut down their Ingleside plant. At that time Mr. Richards ought The Ingleside Item from Crab production increased from Marvin Hunter, Jr., and published 2500 pounds in 1944-45 to 145,000 that paper until November 1945. pounds in 1945-46. Oysters from He recently sold the Item plant. 571,642 pounds to 594,367 pounds. He owns his home in Ingleside, is married and has three children.

This increase in oysters was parti-Terry and Welch bought the Progress from H. H. Heath, now for dredging that had not been deceased, in 1936, coming to Aransas Pass from Ardmore, Okla. Early this year they built a modern concrete tile building on Houston Street to house the plant.

cation in Oklahoma and Indiana Army. falling about 96,000 pounds and visiting his mother and daughter, sheephead decreasing about 50 after which he will return to Aranper cent from the previous years sas Pass to make his home. figures. This decrease was partial-

The Pilot extends congratulations to Mr. Richards and feels sure that he and Mr. Welch will entinue to give the people of Aransas Pass the fine paper that they have enjoyed in the past. Baughman, also stated that the However, it is to be expected that report showed that cold storage Aransas Pass will notice the loss holdings rose to an all time high of Mr. Terry's experience as a recently and a large proportion of printing craftsman.

through their efficient production Singers of Aransas methods are able to sell fish in County To Meet At **Fulton Church**

The Aransas County Singers will meet at the Fulton Independent Church next Suday, October sixth, for an old-fashioned singing meet.

The Pastor says, "If you enjoy day for New Orleans, where she good singing and love gospel Aransas Butane will join her son, Marvin Town- songs, you are invited to come and send, who is now hospitalized be- be with us. Our newest song book, cause of a crushed arm. His in- "Pilgrim's Guide," will be used. jury occurred while working for They will also use several other the Shell Oil Company in Chipley, popular books and are expecting a Aransas Butane Gas Company Mrs. Townsend will go large crowd.

Singing will start at 2:30 p.m. w Orleans to Overstreet, where she will spend two in the afternoon and everybody is tion of the office from its old lomont s with her daughter, Mrs. invited.

Mike Townsend left Saturday north of the Rio Theatre. Mrs. Alton Kinsel, the former for Galveston, wheer he will again Hazel Atchley who now lives in go to sea as a Merchant Marine. pliances just as soon as they can Port O'Connor, spent Tuesday, He has had intermittent service in obtain them for sale. Wednesday and Thursday here the Martime for the past four Mrs. Leonard Casterline will transacting business and visiting years, and on his last trip, he continue to manage the office for went to Greece, returning in July. the Company.



THE HORSE IS BACK—And lucky, too, are New Yorkers that he stuck around awhile. During truck strike that hit big city, some markets used horses to deliver food and merchandise.





Rowans Reach Tampa Florida On Way

To Rockport

Maynard Rowan and his wife, Tuesday, September 24th, in their auxiliary double-ended sloop, the 'Mars", on their trip from Brewerton, New York, to Rockport, Texas, via the inland waterways.

They have stopped over in Tampa for four or five days in order to visit their old army friends, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stratton and to sail once more through the Old Tampa Bay, with which he became familiar while stationed at MacDill Field.

The Mars started the trip June 11, "We could have made much better time, he explained, "but we loafed along. We stayed at Elizabeth Cty three weeks painting the interior and fixing her up."

Once home, he will start getting the 36 foot, 50 horse-power sloop in shape for her global trip, which they are planning to make as soon possible. Rowan bought the Mars several years ago, he explained "for the express purpose of taking her around the world," but Mr. Terry plans an extended va- his plans were interrupted by the

With The Rains **Came More Fish**

Lyle Diederich reported that he caught three bait sized mullet with a castnet in "Dago Lake" in front of his house. They were four inches long.

Also, Bobby Caldwell, son of attorney Joe Caldwell, hooked a five and one-half inch catfish, salt-water variety, in their back

Both of these catches were made Saturday morning after the heavy rain Friday night and Saturday morning.

Wolf and Taylor Buy Gas Company

Fred Wolf and Noah Taylor have just recently purchased the from W. L. Mikeal and W. H. Taylor and have moved the locacation on the highway downtown on Austin Street a few doors

They will handle all butane ap-

News & Views From RHS

(By Wilbern Hamblin) Everybody was really 'in the groove' Friday night-The Pepsquad was the best it has been this year and there was a lot of townspeople to support the boys! Let's keep it up.

That cow-bell "Sissy" Rowe had Friday night really added to the gaiety and mood of things!

It seems to be the style for the boys to wear loud, stripped or plaid socks! Tim Haynes and Dudley Prophet are the most recent wearers!

Shirley Rattisseau, editor of The Pirate Log" our school paper, with the aid of her staff is really putting out a nice paper this year. With the support the businessmen are giving it, it has assumed "big business" qualities. If you haven't seen a copy this year, take a look and see how you like it!

You should be seeing some 'hale and hearty' high school students before the year is over, because 'Coach" Ramseur is really trying to see that we get the most out of our physical education.

our school song with us at the have them renewed without a renext football game.

Classmate's Stand Together (To the tune of "Don't Give Up The Ship) Classmates stand together Don't give up the fight Fair or stormy weather We won't give up the fight Friends and pals forever It's a long, long trail If you have to take a licking Carry on and quit your kicking Fight for Rockport School!

Five Cent Airmail Went Into Effect This Week

The new five cent airmail rates per ounce for letters went into effect on October 1st. The postal authorities say that previous to this change letters mailed by air comprised approximately one out f every thirteen mailed in the United States and its possessions.

Now, however, they expect the percentage to run about one out of every four letters mailed in the U. S. and its possessions. The Postmaster General said he felt this would be extremely beneficial to the country since it will necessitate a great increase in the number of planes to handle airmail and will increase the number of airmail stations and employees required to handle the large volume of business.

Temporary Suspension Of Renewal Exam For **Driver's License**

E. R. Moore, Examiner for the Driver's License Diision of the Department of Public Safety announced this week that all persons who have had drivers licenses issued by the Texas Department of Clip these words out and sing Public Safety at any time may newal examination.

Such persons simply have to either see Moore at the County Court House in Rockport on the afternoons of the first, third or fifth Wednesdays of each month to file an application or to mail it direct to the office in Austin. This may be done even if the licenses have expired.

Moore said that this is a temporary measure to take care of an overload of work on the depart-

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THE SPRAY That Cleans Windows Without Water WINDEX, 6 ounce bottle 13c

POLISH, 4-oz btl 21c; 12-oz btl 43c

BRIM FULL ALL GREEN CUT ASPARAGUS, No. 2 can .

PEACHES, Big No. 21/2 can . . 29c

PET MILK, 2 tall cans . . 25c

V-8 Ccktail, No. 2 can 16c; 46 oz 34c

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BOON, qt. bottle

20c

44c CAR-NU, Johnson's, pint

MIXED VEGETABLES No. 2 can 14c

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13c YAMS, La., 2 pounds

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treasurer, presenting a check for \$650,000.00 which represents the habilitation since July 1st.

tion meeting in Florida during November 11-15. It is anticipated work and in relieving the suffer- meeting. ing in war torn famine ravished 920,952 members of the Texas be used to administer the distri- gave \$3,474.20.

Howard Williams, Executive Sec- cept a goal of \$458,200 toward this be dispensed by the missionaries retary of the Baptist General Con- amount. To date \$650,000.00 or and other employees of the Baptist vention of Texas, receiving and 120 per cent of the goal has been Foreign Mission Board who are come in to the state office.

Dr. Wiliams, who served as di-The Southern Baptist Conven- the Convention at Mineral Wells, Friends Society. May of this year, launched a cam- that 7,500 mesengers from the

countries in Europe and Asia. The ing is that none of the gifts will areas. Blanco Baptist Association

Pictured above are Dr. J. Baptist churches were asked to ac- bution of assistance. This aid will Mr. R. A. Springer, Baptist state received and offerings continued to already in residence in the needy countries in which Baptists do not operate missions, such aid will be contributions of Texas Baptists to rector of the campaign in Texas, proffered through already exist-World Emergency Relief and re- expects to report an even larger ing relief agencies. Some aid has response to the annual meeting of already been sent through the

Dr. Baker James Cauthen, a twive Texan and Baptist Mission problems? paign to raise \$3,500.00 to be used 3,301 churches artiliated with the secretary to the Orient, will superin rehabilitating their mission convention will attend this annual vise the distribution of aid for China and Japan through the over A striking fact about this offer- 200 Baptist missionaries in those

home, or a farm in order to get

A: No. This is not a require-

or insurance of a loan is that in

Q.: May a loan to buy an auto-

mobile or truck be guaranteed or

A .: Yes, but only if the automo-

Quonset all steel buildings for Questions and answers on veteran welfare matters, prepared farm and industry. Economical in fire-safe, rot-proof, proof, warp-proof, easy to erect and long lasting. Write or call for particulars. N. D. Sanford, box Q: May a veteran pay off a | Q: Must a veteran put any of

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A change in policy as announced last week regarding show hours on Friday nights of all home football games is necessitated.

Hereafter, there will be only one show on these nights beginning at 7 o'clock instead of 10.

Program

SUNDAY AND MONDAY Oct. 6-7th

'Bride Wore Boots" Barbara Stanwyck Robert Cummings

Tuesday and Wednesday Oct. 8-9

"Dragonwyck" Gene Tierney Vicent Price

Thursday and Friday Oct. 10-11

Badmen's Territory Randolph Scott Ann Richards

> Saturday. Oct. 12 "Navajo Kid" Bob Steele

> > Caren aMrch

by the Veterans Administration and the VFW National Rehabilitation Service for free assistance or advice, consult VFW Service Officer, Sidney P. Ehlinger, at the city hall.

guaranteed loan before it becomes his own money into a business, a A: Yes, the regulations give the the guaranty?

veteran that right. Q: Can a guaranty be obtained ment for guaranty or insurance. if the proceeds are to be used by It is settled with the lender. The

a minor or a person under legal only bearing it has on the guarany disability? A: This can be done only if the the case of a farm or a business loan and liens are valid under the it may affect the likelihood of

WANTED TO BUY: Model A state law governing the transac- the veteran's success in the ven-Ford, 1930 or '31 model; must be tion. Many states have enacted ture. in good running order. Pay cash. statutes removing disability of vetp24 erans and for the wives of vet-FOR: SALE: Plenty of nice fryers erans who are minors to enable insured?

Q: May widows or children of bile or truck is necessary to the deceased veterans obtain guaranty conduct of te veteran's own busiof loan?

A: No. The privilege is limited to veterans. A guaranty on a loan may continue, however, after the veteran's death.

Q: Are veterans of World War eligible for benefits under the A: No. Its benefits are for

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A: No, but the Act requires that he actually conduct the farming operations.

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