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**Kiwanis Trophy Not** 

"Bud" Bailey won two races in

the "Bizznizz" Sunday to take first

place in the handicap class and win

the Winifred Flato Trophy in the

tenth annual midwinter regatta

His crew members were T. J.

He sailed the "Bizznizz" for two

first places in Saturday's handicap

races for boats over 17 feet in

gatta. Sunday, he came through

with two firsts to win the Flato

Billy Wicker won the snipe races

in the "Ducky" with Bob Vetters

as crewman. John Olsen of Corpus

Christi took the junior event with

the "Viking". He received the Gutt-

man Trophy for the most points in

this class with O. J. Olsen and

Raymond Luckett and Tommy

with "Good News," with John Rix

There were more than 30 boats

Bobby Kipp as crewmen.

Johnson of Rockport and Dr. L. P.

Guttman of Corpus Christi.

Trophy.

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# Along The Waterfront

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Van Drury, Melvin Newson, and William Springer of San Antonio went out on a fishing trip with Fred Christilles Saturday and brought in 425 trout that weighed well over 300 pounds. They used live bait until ficial lures.

Mrs. Jack DuBose has her new "Haggerty 110" docked at the pier at the Rockport Boat Works. She brought it in last week.

ardson Cabin Crusier last week. will sleep three people.

party of the Naval Air Station at by grades: Corpus Christi are spending several days here hunting and fish- First Grade ing. They brought in 11 ducks between them Tuesday.

with Henry Ballou Tuesday morn- York. ing and brought in 307 really nice

Mr. and Mrs. Dusch have been going out every morning and many afternoon in their skiff with an Third Grade outboard motor and have been

Dr. William C. Triplett of Corpus Christi has docked his 26-foot Cris Craft, which has not yet been named, at the Turning Basin. She is powered with a Cris Craft marine engine.

### Reverend Jones Attends Meeting Of The Blanco **Association In Mathis**

Reverend C. N. Jones, pastor of the Baptist Church of Rockport Sixth Grade sociation in Mathis Tuesday where Charles Smith, Ida Marie Crossthe association will have in the Harrell, Virginia Mundine, Eugene new Baptist School to be establish- Nava, Ro Jean Mikeal, Dora Bell ed at Chase Field at Beeville.

University for a perid of five bin, Gene Demory, Alma Jean years, after which the Baptists Ratliff, Bonnie McGregor, Hazel will receive an outright deed from Young, Joe Earl Hunt, Jerome the U. S. Government to the pro- Dean Wallace. perty in the event the facilities are not needed by the Army. At the end of the five year period, the Solis. school will become an independent Baptist university.

The association voted to establish a summer camp at the field because of the excellent facilities.

Rev. Jones said that the school will have courses in aeronautical Ninth Grade engineering and flight instruction which no other Baptist university offers at present time.

Christmas dinner with turkey and Tenth Grade all the trimmings by the Baptist Church of Mathis.

### Jack Blackwell, Jr. **Elected Director Of** Training Union

Director of the Baptist Training Smith, Geneva Stewart, Pete Solis, Union recently.

Part of his duties will be the general supervision of the entire Training Union activities. He will be in charge of obtaining new Starts Work On New members, and devotional periods at the beginning of the assemblies among other duties.

### **Banquet For Football Boys** And Fathers To Be Held Friday Night

guests of honor at a banquet Fri- George Crook will be moved from ay night at the Home Economics its present location and placed just Jottage at the high school at 7:00 east of the Church. o'clock sponsored by the Athletic

Texas-Rice game and will hear ed also. All of this work will be behalf of the department. Dutch Baumgarden, Line Coach of under the supervision of A. O. The motion to accept Theodore were reminded that he had held a put them out." However he asked of the American Legion will have his home here Wednesday night.

vision of Mrs. Thelma Ratisseau. feet.

# 108 STUDENTS ON HONOR ROLL SECOND SIX WEEKS

### 6th Grade Leads With 23; 1st And 5th Tie On 12; 10th Has 11

One hundred and eight students for Thomas Taylor that ran out, then they used arti- of the Rockport Public Schools made the honor roll for the second six weeks period according to the list released by the school officials Monday.

The sixth grade led the list with 23 students who made the roll with the first and fifth grades tied for second place on the list with 12 dent of Fulton for the past ten The Game, Fish and Oyster each. They were closely followed by years, who died Sunday night. Commission received a new Rich- the tenth grade with 11. The grade with the least number on She was named the "Flying Dutch- the roll was the seventh with 2. man" and is a 26 foot boat. She There was one student who made the roll under private tutorshipida Frances Stafford.

Here is the list of those students Lt. Commander Outlaw and who were named on the honor roll

Barbara Schuster, James Murphy, Marilyn Morrison, Benny Jo McLester, Mary McCoy, Patrick Gunter, Buddy Gilstrap, Marvine Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baker of Davis, Judith Collier, Joyce War-Wagner, Oklahoma went fishing den, Maxine Wilson, Patricia Ann

### Second Grade

Barber, Doris Jean Huffman, Gayle Jackson, Hazel Lassiter.

Barbara Warden, Pauline Dupmaking some mighty fine catches. nik, Jean Mullinax, Tura Faye They caught around 165 pounds of Sanders, Mary Evelyn Mundine, trout the first three days this Winston Weber, Jimmie Miller, of how long it has been since he Milton Jackson, Jimmie Mills, and dropped the insurance if he is in as Laddie Gilstrap.

#### Fourth Grade

Miles Gordon Gunter, Frances Stewart, Joy Roe, Delia Knippa, Bill Buckley.

### Fifth Grade

Frances Lee Deason, Juanita Jean tion. Dupnik, Charlie Garrett, Nancy Lee Hayden, Kathryn Jones, Kane Lassiter, Domnigo Rodriquez, Kennetth Rundlett, Iva Ann Shaver, Kaufman's Dept. Store Jo Ann Smith.

attended the monthly business and | Paul Dominguez, Bill Joe Davis, social meeting of the Blanco As- Cloyce Hayden, Frank Rodriquez, they formulated plans for the part man, Catherine Freeman, Shirley McLester, Johnny Joe Atwood, Joe This school will be a branch of Sorenson Herring, Culley Roberts, either Howard Payne or Baylor James Milton Sparks, Judith Al-

### Seventh Grade

Laurabelle McLester, and Lupe

### Eighth Grade

Bettie Lou Garrett, Charlotte Gunter, John Paul Reese, Jo Ann Dupnik, Berta Gene Shults, La Verne Wright.

Thomas Crossman, June Ann Dupnik, Jewel Murphy, Gene They were served a regular Ruby Mae Wilkinson.

Elsie Hawes, Anna Mae Martin, Bobby Jones, Mildred Wilkinson, LaVerne Thompson, Barbara Freeman, Lynelle Smith, Frederick Close, Glenn Owens, Sam James, Jimmy Hayden.

### 9th-Freshmen

Thomas Crossman, June Ann the customary declaration of in-Jack Blackwel, Jr., was elected Dupnik, Jewel Murphy, Gene tention and need not have lived night to take over the duties of tion clerks. The poll will be open Ruby Mae Wilkinson.

## First Baptist Church **Building Addition**

Reverend C. N. Jones announced that the First Baptist Church has started work on the addition to their building this week by hauling dirt and leveling the ground. The foundation will be laid the end of this week. Soon after the first of the year, the building they

into five rooms and the present Fire Department in recognition of ment obtain funds to buy new always wanted to become a mem-They will see pictures of the Church building is being remodel- and appreciation for his efforts in equipment and to make repairs on ber of a fire department. At long Dinner will be prepared and time and work to the Church. partment was approved with no that all the proceeds had been do- could ride the trucks to a fire and urady night, December 21st. served by the girls of the home When finished the building will be dissenting votes and Miss Iris nated to the department. They was assured that he has all rights Paul Jimenez and his orchestra at 2:00 p.m. He is survived by his

# **Rites Held Monday**

Funeral rites were held Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Fulton Community Church for Mr. Thomas Taylor Wright, 74, a resi-

Rev. Robert Cunningham of the Fulton Community Church officiated. Burial was in Fulton Cemetery under the direction of Cage Funeral Home of Aransas Pass.

He is survived by his wife; two Dora Mayer of Seattle, Washing-

### December 31st Final Date For Vets To Reinstate Insurance

F. C. Simpson, County Service Officer, has announced that the Clydene Armstrong, Joyce Ann final date for veterans to reinstate G. I. insurance that has lapsed for non-payment of premiums is December 31, 1946.

Any veteran may reinstate his insurance policy by paying the premiums for two months regardless good health as he was at the time he originally took out the insur-

Simpson stated that a number of the application forms for reinstatement in the event any of the veterans of Rockport or Aransas Coun-Lola Jean Ballou, Leon Barber, ty wishes to make such applica-

### Santa Claus Will Be At Wednesday, Dec. 18

Kaufman's Department store has announced that Santa Claus is going to pay the children of Rockport a visit next Wednesday afternoon December 18, from five to six o'clock.

He says he wants to let the children know that he will be here so they can tell their parents to bring them to the store to meet Bailey Motor Company him. It will give them a chance to tell Santa just what they want him to bring them for Christmas.

### Alien Vets Must File For U. S. Citizenship **Before December 31st**

December 31 is the deadline for aliens who served in the armed forces of the United States during World War II to qualify for quick citizenship under the Second World War Powers act of 1942.

The act, which expires at the Smith, Geneva Stewart, Pete Solis, end of the current year, is applicable to all aliens who enlisted or were inducted before December 28, 1945. Recent reports indicate that approximately 100,000 men, both in and out of the services, have failed to take advantage of the right to become American citizens.

The Veteran's Administration points out that those affected by the law are not required to file in the United States for any specified time.

required to speak the English lang- the Catholic Hall. uage ,nor is he required to meet

# Fire Marshal Asks Fire Department **Caution With Xmas To Give Baskets**

Paul C. Sorenson, City Fire Marshal, has asked that the people of Rockport observe extreme caution in setting up their Christmas trees and decorations to prevent fires from faulty electric connections or careless smokers.

He suggests that one extremely good way to fireproof your Christmas tree is to replace its natural moisture with a fireproof substance. This should be done while the tree is still fresh enough to evaporate water furnished to the needles by the stem.

Sorenson recommends either of two relative inexpensive chemicals that will fireproof your treesons, Dexter Wright of Fulton and calcuim choride or ammonium sul-D. Buckley Wright of Colombia, phate. Either of these can be ob-South America, and a sister, Mrs. tained very easily in the small Camp Fire Girls. amounts that are required for this purpose.

> The Christmas tree should be should equal one fourth of that these baskets of food. weight. Use one and a half pints of water for each pound of chemical to dissolve it. Cut the tree cal to dissolve it. Cut the tree stem in a V-shape about an inch Third Party Gets above the end and set the tree in the solution in a cool place away from the sun and leave it until this No Aid From The mixture has been absorbed by the

This will usually take five or six days, and the tree thus treated, won't be set fire by a spark from the electric connections or by a

In selecting "snow" for the tree, be sure to chose a package that is flameproofed. If this is not availsprayed on the decorations. This as," the letter begins. spray can also be used on the method for the tree is much bet-

Sorenson says that we have never had a bad fire caused by Christmas trees or decorations; but he also requests that we take the necessary caution to prevent one from happening this year. The old adage-"An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure"still applies, in his opinion.

## **Building Marine And Auto Display Room**

The Bailey Motor Company has started construction of their new marine and auto display room which is being built in front of their present building.

This show room will be 44 feet wide across the building and 28 feet deep when completed. This will place it back to the present shop.

It is being constructed of cement block with prefabricated iron and steel framework, which will be fillin the near future.

### Clark Bailey New Scout Master For Boy Scout Troop Of Rockport

troop effective immediately at to 6:00 p.m. Also, the alien petitioner is not their regular weekly meeting at

any educational standards or to the Scouts for quite awhile. He must have a petition with at least pay any fees for filing his peti- also worked with them before the 10 signatures on file with her by

# Trees & Trimmings To Needy Families

The Rockport Volunteer Fire Department will give baskets of food to the needy families of Aransas County again this year as it has done for the past several years.

obtained by placing milk bottles in each place of busines in Rockport and all citizens will be asked to drop some change in these bottles while doing their Christmas

In the past, the Fire Department has taken up a collection of toys and repaired them and added what they could to that collection for children in needy families. However, this year the Camp Fire Girls are taking over that function. The toys will be collected, repaired, added to, and distributed by the

Miss Iris Sorenson, Secretary-Treasurer for the Fire Department, stated today that there would probably be from 25 to 30 families weighed and the chemical used in the County who will receive

# **County Judge**

A hand-written letter addressed "Manager, Aransas County, Rockport, Texas" reached the desk of County Judge B. S. Fox, but the Aransas County judge said he wanted no part of it.

"Dear Sir: I wonder if you will able, many stores carry flame- be so kind as to send me a teleproofing mixtures which can be phone directory of Rockport, Tex-

"The third party was organized tree if necessary; however, Soren- two years ago and is now ready son says the chemical absorption to open headquarters in Columbus, Ohio. It is the Farm Labor Party. Mr. John L. Lewis will run for president and I will run as his vice-president of the United States. I am an Ohio farmer."

The letter assured Fox that Henry A. Wallace is not on the ticket-that it will be made up of labor men, farmers and exservicemen who were not officers-"impossible to defeat."

The letter, signed "Helen Brinkman," was dated Nov. 25, 1946, and listed four addresses, Box 1384, Charleston, W. Va., Box 2303, Washington D. C., Box 133 Columbus, Ohio, and Rodney, Ohio.

The judge handed the letter to a reporter, with no comment- except that he wasn't interested and didn't have an extra telephone directory.

### Special Election For Mayor And Councilman **Next Wednesday**

The city secretary has announced that she has received only one petition so far in connection ed in with glass and cement block. with the special election to be held They hope to have it completed next Wednesday, December 18th, requested for The Club 35 Before for a mayor and a councilman, from Ward One to replace Albert from Ward One to replace Albert Collier and W. B. Allen respectively and that was one requesting that James P. Hanway's name be placed on the ballot for mayor.

Mrs. Alvin Brundrett has been Clark Bailey was appointed by Fred Diederich and Miss Floy DeWilton Jeffries last Monday Kennedy were appointed as elec-Scoutmaster for the Rockport at the Fire Station from 8:00 a.m.

Mrs. Jean Cope, City Secretary, some of the students will stated that anyone wishing to have happy to pick them up. Bailey has been working with their name placed on the ballot noon Saturday, December 14th.

# BAILEY WINS FLATO CUP IN CORPUS CHRISTI REGATTA

T. O'Connor Rites

Funds for these baskets will be Held In Victoria **Last Saturday** Rites were held Saturday morn- sponsored by the Corpus Christi ing at the family residence in Sailing Club.

Victoria and at 10:00 o'clock at St. Mary's Church for Thomas O'Connor, 64, who died suddenly Thursday at 5:45 p.m. of a heart Requiem High Mass was cele- length to take the lead in the rebrated at the church with Msgr. F. O. Beck oficiating and burial

was in the Catholic Cemetery at O'Connor was one of Texas' most prominent cattlemen and was vice-president and a director in the Victoria Bank and Trust Com-

> He was born on the River Ranch James Dinn's "Whim" took secin Refugio County on January 28, ond place and was manned by Fred 1882, and spent his entire life in English and Lawrence Curry. Victoria and Refugio Counties. He Third place went to Eddie Singer's was the son of Mary Virginia "Seaquester" sailed by Chris Wag-Drake and Dennis Martin O'Con- ner and Robert Davies. nor. His grandfather was Thomas O'Connor, I, who was one of Texas' Mayfield piloted the "Jerry L." to pioneers and a veteran of San Ja- second place in the snipe class. Ted cinto. He completed his education Wells of Wichita, Kansas, southat Spring Hill Colfege, Mobile, western snipe champion, was third

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. serving as crewman. Kate Stoner O'Connor; two sons, Dennis and Tom, Jr., a daughter, entered in the meet and all found Mrs. Dan Braman; a brother, Mar- rough sailing Saturday afternoon tin; and two nieces Mrs. Virginia and Sunday. Despite the unfav-Hallinan Tatten and Mrs. Maude orable weather, they finished all Williams and three grandchildren events except the feature 12-mile all of Victoria.

O'Connor spent a great deal of The popular Kiwanis Trophy was time in Rockport, where he owned not awarded this year as the two boats, the "Fiddie" and the ped from the schedule because of "Cascabell."

some property and his sons kept lengthy bay race had to be drop-

# bad weather.

Christmas Baskets For Needy Families

The Fire Department is putting on its annual drive for funds to furnish Christmas baskets to the needy families of Aransas County and everyone has been asked to drop a little change in the milk bottles that have been placed in all places of business here for that purpose.

bay race.

That is a worthy project taken up by the Fire Department since Rockport has no community chest and each and every citizen should contribute to these funds. There will be from 25 to 30 families whose Christmas will be brightened a great deal by this basket of food.

The Fire Department should be highly commended for its unselfish efforts on the behalf of the needy and should be strongly supported by the citizens of the city.

# Cuttings Of Athel Theodore To Open

Joe Johnson, Jr., President of the high school Student Council, has he will open the new club he is requested the citizens of Rockport building on highway 35 just north chosen as election Judge and Mrs. to donate cuttings from their hedges to be planted around the high school football field.

> He says that if those citizens who wish to donate these cuttings the Fire Department. will call the high school, phone 251,

### Central Power & Light Company Moves Serve Yourself Ice House

Company moved its serve-yourself ing funds for the department. The ce house from its position on Mar- first time he put on a fish dinner ket Street to its new location on on September 27th with the en-Austin Street just north of the tire proceeds realized from the railroad tractks near the Liquefied dinners donated to the department Gas Company.

### Rockport Post No. 596 Of American Legion To Have Dance Dec. 21

which will begin at 8:00 p.m.

**Christmas** K. Theodore has announced that of Rockport next to Rockport Inn before Christmas and that the first night's proceeds will be donated to

He plans to call it the "Club 35" and says he hopes to have it completed before the holidays begin. However, he plans to open for the benefit of the Fire Department even though some work is not

completed. This will be the second time Theodore has donated his place of The Central Power and Light business for the purpose of raisfor equipment purchases and re-

#### GEORGE A. SHAYLOR DIES WEDNESDAY NIGHT

George A. Shaylor, 75, a resident The Rockport Post Number 596 of Rockport for ten years, died at Freeman who has donated his as an honorary member of the de- fish dinner on September 27th and Fire Chief Lloyd Lassiter if he a dance at the Beach Club on Sat- Services will be held at the Chapel of the Cage Funeral Home Friday economics classes under the super- a single story addition 48 by 34 Sorenson, secretary, was request- were also told that he will donate and privileges that the other mem- of Victoria will play for the dance wife, Ella; and three sons, Floyd, Perry and Alfred.

### BOYHOOD DREAM REALIZED

# Theodore Honored With Membership In Fire Dept.

standing last Thursday night when done for the department. he was voted an honorary mem-This building will be remodeled bership in the Rockport Volunteer stinting efforts to help the depart- them. When I was a small boy, I

K. Theodore, owner of Theodore's ing him that he had been chosen night of his new club, "Club 35", The Rockport Pirates will be have purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Cafe, realized an ambition of long because of the fine work he has to the department.

ed to write a letter to him inform- the proceeds from the opening bers have.

When Theodore received the

When the motion was brought up, letter from the department, he several members discussed his un- said, "That was mighty nice of the old equipment. The members last, I can go to fires and help Karankawa Boy Scout

District Elects New

Officers Tuesday

# The Rockport Pilot

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the above named defendants be

dead, the unknown heirs, adminis-

trators, executors, and/or legal

representatives of each and all of

the said above named persons who

may be dead, and the unknown

owner or owners of the land de-

scribed in Plaintiff's Petition, and

all persons owning or claiming any

interest in and to the land described

You are hereby commanded to

trict Court 36th Judicial District of

this cause, numbered 2408 on the

docket of said court and styled S.

F. Neblett Plaintiff, vs. Eliza K.

A brief statement of the nature

A suit to remove cloud from

title, for title and possession as

well as for damages on the follow-

All of that certain lot or parcel

of land, being an Outlot situate

and adjoining the Town of Lamar,

County of Aransas, State of Texas

known and designated on a map

or plan of said Town made by Wm.

H. Jones as Outlot No. One Hun-

dred (100), being bounded on the

North by Outlot No. 107, on the

East by a street or road running

along the margin of St. Charles

Bay, on the South by Outlot No.

101 and on the West by Outlot No.

99, and being all and the same property described in deed from

Richard T. Byrne to Eliza K.

Byrne, et al, dated the 19th day

of January 1861 and recorded in

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ing described property, to-wit:

of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Byrne et al Defendants.

in Plaintiff's Petition, Defendants,

THE STATE OF TEXAS

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: A. J. McDaniel, N. R. Mc-Daniel, H. R. Hearne, W. D. Tany, T. E. Bush, C. H. Moore, W. A. Shreve and W. E. Pyne, if living, and if any or all of the above named Defendants be dead, the unknown heirs, administrators, executors, and/or legal representatives of each or all of the above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown owner or owners of the land described in Plaintiff's Petition and all persons owning or claiming any interest in and to the land described in Plaintiff's Petition, Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable Dis- appear before the Honorable District Court 36th Judicial District of Aransas County at the Court Aransas County at the Court copal Church of Rockport. House, thereof, in Rockport, Texas, House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of vaca, and is a member of the the first Monday next after the the first Monday next after the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. expiration of forty-two days from expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 20th day of citation, same being the 13th day January A. D. 1947, then and there of January A. D. 1947, then and to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed there to answer Plaintiff's Petiin said Court, on the 4th day of tion filed in said Court, on the 26 December A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 2411 on the docket of said court and styled W. B. Friend, Plaintiff, vs. A. J. McDaniel, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit in trespass to try title, for title and possession as well as for damages on the following described property, to-wit:

All of Block No. One Hundred Eleven (111), Doughty and Mathis Division, City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas. All of Fractional Block No. Seventy-nine (79), Doughty and Mathis Division, City of Rockport, Aransas County,

All of Lot No. Seven (7), Block No. Two (2), Doughty and Mathis Division, City of Rockport, Aransas County,

All of Block No. Eighty-seven (87), Smith and Wood Division City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas.

as is more fully shown by Plain tiff's Petition on file in this sui 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 4th day of December A. D. 1946.

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

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# High School Friday

The Future Homemakers of America gave a Silver Tea at the

Mrs. L. V. McLester were in the receiving line.

Lucille Haynes was master of ceremonies and the program consisted of music and recitations of the F.H.A. motto.

The table was laid with a lace cloth and a center piece of poinsettias with candlabra of red tapers. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake, tea, and coffee were served by Mildred Wilkinson and

Sissy Rowe to thirty guests. The proceeds of the tea are to go for drapes for the Home Economics Cottage.

### Robert Arnold New Part Time Lay Leader For **Episcopal Church**

Robert Arnold of Corpus Christi has just taken over the duties of part-time lay leader of the Epis-

He was formerly from Port La-

the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas, to which a reference is here made for all purposes. as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. day of November A. D. 1946, in

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 26th day of November A. D. 1946.

(Seal) J. M. SPARKS, Clerk, District Court, Aransas County, Texas

### **ROW BOATS** FOR RENT

**KETCHUM'S Trailer Park** CENTER OF GOOD FISHING

DeWilton Jeffries, Owner

# SAMOTS S"BITIHM

Amas, Ioys

## F. H. Of A. Girls Have Silver Tea Party At

D. L. Woodson, of Taft, was elected chairman of the Karan-Home Making Cottage on the high kawa Boy Scout District at its school campus from four to six annual meeting Tuesday night at o'clock last Friday afternoon. the Community Club House in Sin-

Misses Bonnie Cron, Wilburn ton. Hamblin, Elsie Hawes, Mrs. J. W. Elected to serve with Woodson Wilkinson, Mrs. Charles F. Cron, are Vice-Chairman Arlin Yeager, Mrs. Henry Ballou, Mrs. J. W. of Aransas Pass and R. M. Nutt, Haynes, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, and of Taft.

DeWilton Jeffries was elected as a delegate at large to represent Rockport.

Mrs. J. P. Hanway returned last week from San Antonio where she visited relatives for several days.

Lt. Edith Roberts from Washington, D. C. is spending several days with Mrs. Mary Lou Collins.

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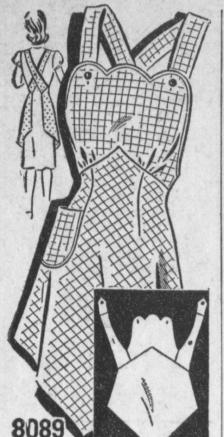
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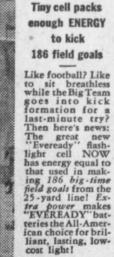


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### World Bank Wants More Nations to Seek Funds

WASHINGTON. - The 151/2-billion-dollar World Bank and Fund, urgently prodded by both United Nations and UNRRA, moved toward their goal of making "a major contribution to the restoration of international trade and domestic economic stability in all countries."

Frankly hanging out the "customers wanted" shingle, the twin lending agencies concluded their first annual meeting with the election of Hugh Dalton, British chancellor of the exchequer, as the new chairman of the bank and fund boards of governors.

London was selected as the site for the next meeting in September, 1947.

So far only six nations have intimated that they will seek longterm loans for reconstruction and development and none of the six has yet made a formal application.

Altogether their requested loans total more than \$1,550,000,000, with France seeking 500 millions, Poland 600 millions, Czechoslovakia 350 millions, Denmark 50 millions, Chile 50 millions, and Holland an unspecified amount.

### New Disease Is Traced to Mice-Borne Bug; Many Suffer

NEW YORK. - Bites by miceborne mites-no larger than a pinhead-caused the mysterious fever that gripped 102 New York City residents during the summer months, the health department disclosed.

Israel Weinstein, city health commissioner, said the fever-characterized by a rash, high temperature and prostration-was a "new disease as far as human knowledge is concerned.'

The mites are only accidentally transmitted to humans, Weinstein said. He added that terts showed the mite was present in the blood of patients and that infected mice were found in homes in which the disease occurred.

### **British Financier Elected** Head of the World Bank

WASHINGTON. - Hugh Dalton, British chancellor of the exchequer, was unanimously elected chairman of the joint boards of governors of the 42nd World bank and the 43rd International Monetary fund.

The World bank admitted Italy to membership and borrowing privileges, along with Turkey, Syria and

Approving every move of the International Monetary fund, governors of the World bank voted to accept Italy into the \$7,670,000,000 institution with only one dissent-that of Yugoslavia.

### Disabled Vet Meets Meanest Man; 2 of 'Em

WEST LOS ANGELES. - The meanest man in the world is twins. William Brooke Jr., 25, disabled veteran with his hips in a cast and walking on crutches, was offered a ride by two strangers. They drove him into an alley stripped and robbed him. Then they tossed his crutches out of reach and left him.

### Apple Is Not Enough For Teacher Today

### More Pay and Freedom Asked These Days.

WASHINGTON. - Any moment now teachers may be allowed to act like human beings.

That's the prediction—and the hope -of Dr. Francis Brown, executive secretary of the President's Com-

mission on Higher Education. Dr. Brown said that two developments may come from the teacher shortage.

They are better pay and more freedom for teachers.

There are 127,000 teachers, mostly in one-room schools, who make \$700 or less a year. Even counting in the city aristocrats, the average teacher's salary is but \$1,900 a year.

As for behavior, Brown says almost every community has a double standard. One is for the way teacher must behave, in and out of the classroom. The other is for regular people.

"As an example," he said, "in how many communities can a teacher smoke? Or have a sociable drink?

"I'm not condoning tobacco or liquor. But I'm pointing out a double standard does exist-and it shouldn't. Teachers should be allowed to act like other people."

Brown believes that if teachers don't get more pay and freedom, the shortages will get shorter.

Half of those going to teachers' colleges today don't intend to teach. And in another three or four years, the war's bumper baby crop will be starting to school

Brown explained that while he thinks teachers should be given more freedom, they shouldn't run

"After all, teachers are setting an example for students," he said. He said, yes, he had noticed a story about a versatile Chicago miss who doubled as a teacher and nightclub dancer.

Did he approve? "Well," said Brown. "Well, in theory, yes."

A GROUP OF GRADUATES OF MEMORIAL HOSPITAL'S

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### Soviet Cancer Treatment

Will Be Studied in U. S. WASHINGTON. - Government health officials said it is likely

American medical experts will visit Russia to study a new cancer treatment, called KR, developed by Soviet scientists.

Little is known in this country of KR but an article published in the Soviet embassy bulletin said it means "A new page is turned in the history of the struggle against the dread disease."

The bulletin said that while KR had little effect in cases of cancer of the skin, "it was highly effective in cancer of the throat, of the cervix of the uterus and of the breast."

KR is a preparation made of living material, the trypanosoma kruzzi (cruzi), a parasite found in the blood and a carrier of disease fatal to human beings.

"Further research proved that trypanosoma, on being introduced into the organism of a mouse suffering from cancer, penetrated to the tumor and multiplied, devouring the cancer cells," the article

### Government Puts Ban on **Building of Play Centers**

WASHINGTON .- The government banned the construction of swimming pools, boardwalks, rollercoasters, drive-in theaters, parking lots, concrete tennis courts, and walls and fences of wood, brick or concrete when any of these projects costs more than \$200.

The civilian production administration also took two other steps designed to aid the housing program: 1. It reduced from \$15,000 to \$1,000

e amount of repair and other work that may be done in industrial, utility and transportation buildings without a permit, unless the buildings have a floor area of 10,000 square feet or more.

2. It proposed a \$20 a ton subsidy to wire nail manufacturers to increase their output. The industry advisory committee took the plan under consideration.

### Mother Gives Baby Popcorn; Child Strangles on Kernel

CHICAGO. - Before putting her three-year-old son, Gerry, to bed, his mother, Mrs. Blanche Phlaum gave him some popcorn.

She and her husband, Paul, were awakened by the child, who appeared to be choking on something lodged in his throat-apparently the popcorn.

They took the boy to the office of Dr. Charles T. Kessler. Dr. Kessler applied artificial respiration and tried to remove the obstruction, but Gerry died in his arms.

Need new drapes? Don't buy! Here's the simple way. Take a often. length of material and two drapery rings. Make sure the fabric is long enough to reach the floor on either in water. Wash blades first; if side. Tack up the rings, slip the stained use scouring powder. Then material through them, leaving a wash handles. Rinse and dry imdrape on top for the swag effect. mediately. Smart draperies in five minutes and with a minimum of effort!

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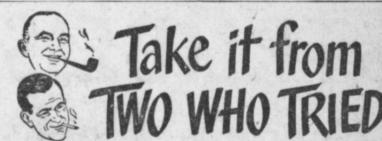
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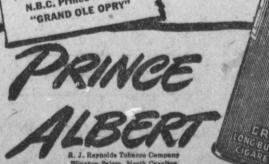


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### **Personals**

Mrs. Cecil Gray returned recent ly from San Diego after a visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruhl returned Tuesday afternoon from Houston where they spent several days with Mr. Bruhl's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Bruhl and other relatives.

Thomas Raymond is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Pearson Raymond.

Mrs. Ronnie Wigington and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Black and two daughters of Corpus Christi were guests of Mrs. J. O. Blackwell Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Warren of San Antonio spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chris-

J. Ed Moore and Captain Clark spent the week-end on a trip through the valley and to Matamoros, Mexico.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF ARANSAS

CITY OF ROCKPORT TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFI-ED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ROCKPORT, TEXAS: TAKE NOTICE that a special

election will be held in the City of Rockport on the 18th day of December, 1946, for the purpose of filling the unexpired terms of the Mayor and one Councilman from Ward One of said City.

The said election shall be held in the City of Rockport, Texas, and the polling place shall be at the City Hall of said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed judges and officers of said eelction;

Mrs. Alvin Brundrett, Presiding

Mrs. Fred Diederick, Clerk. Miss Floy Kennedy, Clerk. Said election shall be held un-

der the applicable provisions of Chapter 2, Title 28, and amendments, and Chapter 4, Title 50, and amendments, of the Revised Civil Statues of Texas, 1925.

The Polls shall be open from 8 o'clock AM to 6 o'clock PM. Copies of this Notice shall forthwith be posted at the City Hall and in each Ward and in each precinct.

Qualified candidates may have their names placed on the ballot for either office by filing a petithereon with the City Secretary by noon, Saturday, December 14, 1946. This the 3rd day of December,

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### Camp Fire Girls Meet At Home Of Mrs. Roy Hinton Last Friday

The Tanda Group of the Camp Fire Girls met at the home of Mrs. Roy Hinton last Friday afternoon to plan their Christmas par-

They drew names for their party and practiced singing Christmas carols accompanied by Mrs. Charlene Hunt. Mrs. H. C. Mullinax and Mrs. Charles Roe met with

It was decided that all their Padre Island. meetings will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Hinton in the fu-

Refreshments consisting of cookies and cold drinks were served by

Those present were Alice Bell, Peggy Owens, Vaunda Smith, Jay-Sweetser, Rosa Faye Hamblin, Carol Townsend, Billie Mullinax, Ruby Mae Wilkinson, Mary Lee and Mr. R. S. Dicks of Houston. Koehler, Ruthie Mullinax, Dorothy Baker and Jeneane Hull.

Capt. and Mrs. O. W. Williams, Jr. and son, Victor Mikeal from Houston are visiting her mother, Mrs. U. L. Kane for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Smoot spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomerson left recently for a visit with relatives in Crifteva, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin have as their guests Mrs. Hamblin's brother, A. F. Sartor, Jr., from Pasadena, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kenyon had as their guests last week their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beinek of Seadrift.

Captain and Mrs. Jack Clark; daughter, Judy; and son Jack Jr., from Big Springs, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Moore for about ten days. Captain Clark is Mrs. Moore's nephew.

Mrs. Edna Morrow was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson Sun-

Mrs. A. L. Schultz from Tivoli visited with her daughter and sonin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mills,

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson had as their guests Tuesday, her mother, 3 Mrs. J. A. Miller and brother J E. Miller of Sinton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lowery of Tucson, Arizona, are staying at the Shady Grove Trailer Camp. They have been here about two weeks and are planning to make this their home.

Mrs. A. H. Bolser, Mrs. Roy Hinton, Mrs. B. C. Gregory, Mrs. \*William McGrath and Miss Jean Hinton spent the day Saturday at

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Huskey of Holland, Texas, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary at the home of their niece and husband, Ruby Mae Wilkinson and Norma Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin last Sunday. Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hamblin over the week-end were, Mr. Edward Polecek of Holce Nell Townsend, Oma Jean land, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Allie Huskey, from Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Allie Shults of Robstown; Norma Lou Rowe, Faye Nell Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Jack F. Horton and Mary Ann Close, Margery Hunt, Mr. T. W. Mathews of Pasadena

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ed games. Twenty-eight young

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assisted by their mother, Mrs. J.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Rozzell spent Berta Gene Shults the week end in Port Lavaca as guests of Mrs. Mable McConnico.

Pvt. Alva Freeman has returned to Camp Stor man, Calif., after a lengthy visit with his parents, ed their daughter, Berta Gene, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomerson teenth birthday. returned Sunday from Christoval where they spent two weeks visit- announcer of station HBTB (Haping relatives.

Don Allen, from Beaumont ar- personality contest. rived Sunday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. ried out in room decorations and in and to the land described in Fred Hunt.

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Miss Patricia Wallas, acting as py Birthday To Berta), led in a quiz program and personality con-Mrs. Don Vance and little son test. Joyce Nell Townsend won the

The Christmas theme was carrefreshment plates of dainty sandwiches, mints, nuts birthday cake, and cold drinks.

The guest list included Misses Ruby Wilkinson, Loyce Mae Shults, Kathryne Atwood, Joyce Nell Townsend, Charlotte Gunter, Ruby Wallace, Helen Theodore, and Margaret Patrick. Also present were

Pvt. John R. Barber has re turned to Camp Stoneman, Calif., after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bar-

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Verbeckmoes of Clear Lake, Iowa, who are spending the winter here were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corpus Christi.

E. F. Milton in Laredo. Mr. and for damages on the following des-Mrs. Milton are formerly from Corpus Christi.

Corpus Christi.

Cribed property, to-wit:
Lots Nos. Three (3), Four (4),

Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14), Block No. One Hundred Twenty-two (122) of the Davis & Kennon Subdivision of Farm Lot No. Thirtyone (31) in the Doughty and Mathis Division, City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas. as is more fully shown by Plain-

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make Hinton from 7:30 to 10:00 o'clock. due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at of- and had a short program and playfice in Rockport, Texas this the 27th day of November A. D. 1946.

District Court, Aransas County, Texas

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: ALL PERSONS INTER-ESTED IN THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH L. DODGE, DECEASED,

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Petition on behalf of the State of Texas for the escheat of certain properties belonging to the Estate of Joseph L. Dodge, deceased, respectfully shows the Court that Joseph L. Dodge died in Aransas County, Texas on the 28th day of August, 1944, seized of real and personal estate without any devise thereof and having no heirs; that an administration was had in the County Court of Aransas County, Texas, being Cause No. 355, for the purpose of paying the debts of the Estate and that such administration is now closed, having been closed on the 29th day of October, 1945; that upon the closing of the Estate the Administra-tor paid into the hands of J. M. Sparks, County Clerk, the sum of \$1418.82, which sum is to be paid over as the Honorable District Court directs; that the above described sum now in the hands of J. M. Sparks, County Clerk is all of the property belonging to the Estate; that there are no tenants or persons in actual possession of any property of the Estate; that there are no person or persons claiming the Estate and that there are no person or persons to claim the Estate who may be discovered after the exercise of reasonable diligence. Plaintiff prays that such property be escheated unto the

Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make

> J. M. SPARKS, Clerk, District Court, Aransas

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To: I. B. Barnes, Mary Ann Lartorius, if married, the husband of Mary Ann Lartorius, J. P. Klein, Henry F. Kester and Frank D. Mayo, if living, and if any or all of the above named Defendants be dead, the unknown heirs, administrators, executors and/or legal representatives of each or all of the above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown owner or owners of the land described in Plaintiff's Petition and all persons owning or claiming any interest Plaintiff's Petition, Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 36th Judicial District of Aransas County at the Court House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, Casey, Elsie Blackwell, Mary Ann at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of Close, Bettie Lou Garrett, Patricia the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this June Hague and Wayne Ray citation, same being the 13th day of January A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of November A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 2410 on the docket of said court and styled A. O. Freeman Plaintiff, vs. I. B. Barnes, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit in trespass to try title, for title and possession as well as

tiff's Petition on file in this suit.

J. M. SPARKS, Clerk,

Defendants, Greeting:

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 13th day of January A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 26th day of November A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 2409 on the docket of said court and styled The State of Texas, Plaintiff, ve. all persons interested in the Estate of Joseph L. Dodge, Deceased, Defendants.

State of Texas and that writ of possession issue therefor, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's

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 26th day of November A. D. 1946.

(Seal)

County, Texas



Mrs. John Haseman gave a party Saturday afternoon in honor of her little girl, Verna Anne, whose birthday was Sunday.

The room was attractively decorated with pink hibiscus and blue daisies. The table was laid with a white cloth centered with a crystal bowl of floating pink hibiscus and surrounded with green fern. The cake, a lovely white confection, was decorated with pink candles and pink rosebuds with the inscription, "Happy Birthday Ver-

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Various games were played during the afternoon and the little girls enjoying the afternoon were: Linda Mills, Mary Lucille Jackson, Barbara Barnard, Kathleen Ann Raymond, Barbara Sue Utley Mary Martha Shivers, Frances Adele LeBlanc, Pamela Ann-Landgrafe, Judith and Jane Collier, Nancy Court and Robbie Bocquet. Other guests for tea were: Mrs. Fred Brundrett, Mrs. Herbert Mills, Mrs. Norvell Jackson, Mrs. W. B. Utley, Mrs. Leonard Le-Blanc, Mrs. Clarence Landgrafe, Mrs. Albert Collier, Mrs. Malcom Bocquet and Mrs. G. L. Brundrett.

Mrs. Alton Kinsel of Port O' Connor is visiting in Rockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Cope, Mrs. C. A. Duck, Mrs. Roy Hinton, Jean Hinton, Bonnie Cron and Wilbern Hamblin attended the New York Production Civic Drama, "Dear Ruth" sponsored by the Pilot Club at Corpus Christi Monday night.

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"And she is selling her place and

"Oh, good Lord, you can't live

"Either that, or I have to agree

"And you don't want to sell the

farm, or go away from it." Tom

understood that without any words

from her. "I've gathered since I've

known you how much the place

She found it very soothing to sit

here with him. It was surprising

to discover that they knew each oth-

lifted a little. Someday, some-

how, she would find a solution to the

problems that now loomed so terri-

bly strong and black and evil. Per-

haps it was only that she was emo-

only of a lack of emotion that had

They talked quietly, after that in-

terval of peace and stillness. She

asked about Martha and he told her

that Martha had completely recov-

ered. She asked hesitantly about

Mrs. Fallon, and Tom told her, his

mouth taut and tired, that there was

"She's - completely helpless, of

course, and there is no change men-

"You mean-she can't leave her

bed? Can't get around by herself?"

asked Megan, remembering, with a

feeling of chill, the morning when

she had sat here and had watched

that grotesquely posturing figure on

"She hasn't been out of bed in

months and months," he told her

heavily. "The doctors say that there

is a thin chance of her recovery.

That's why we can't bear to-send

her away. If I had the money to pay

for a private sanitarium-" He

shrugged and his hands clenched

into hard, tight fists. "But I can't

turn her over to a state institution.

Not while there is the smallest, faint-

Megan asked uneasily, "But

"She's had treatments for the past

four years," Tom answered wearily.

"Everything possible has been done,

and a few months ago the doctors

told me that the only hope was to

get her away somewhere quiet,

among new scenes, and just try to

build up her physical condition. That

might help to restore the lost men-

tal health, but they couldn't guaran-

tee it. She-went to pieces when our

Megan said, her voice shaken and

Unconsciously, she had put out her

hand to touch him, and as his hand

closed over it and held it hard for a

moment, she heard him mutter

something-she couldn't be sure

They were still for a little, and

Did he try to conceal the fact that

his wife was not a helplessly bed-

ridden invalid, in the hope of con-

vincing people that, while she was

a "mental case," she was complete-

ly harmless? Of course he and

Martha were doing everything hu-

manly possible to keep anybody in

Pleasant Grove from knowing that

She stood up suddenly and said,

"I have to go-I shouldn't have

come, at all, but habit is strong."

swered as she turned to go. "No,

"Only to the fence," Tom told her.

"From there on, you have the moon-

light clear to your back door and

I can watch until you go into the

house and know that you're safe."

There was a look in his face that

made the protest stop on her lips.

She nodded and they walked to-

gether to the fence. When she had

crossed the meadow and stood at

the little foot-log that bridged the

small, busy creek, she turned to look

back and saw him still standing

there. She threw up her arms in a

little gesture that said good night

and caught the flicker of his return

gesture. And then with her heart

considerably lighter than it had been

when she left the house, she went

back in and up the stairs to her own

The house was dark and silent.

There was no thread of light be-

neath her father's door, and she was

room.

you mustn't come with me-"

mind finding me here."

his wife was a "mental case"-

ragged with pity, "I'm so terribly

son was born-dead."

figure into the house.

shouldn't she be having treat-

tally," he added wearily.

to sell the farm, and she and father

will live in her house."

speech was unnecessary.

replaced her grief.

no change there.

the back lawn.

made well again."

ments?"

sorry-"

means to you-"

with her-"

coming to live with us," she went

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a widower.

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of from you-"

pleasant woman."

ed out.

tions?" he demanded curtly.

nk i give a darn what u

"They are my friends," she point-

"That's your own fault," he re-

minded her. "You don't have to

live in this-this hick hole! You

"We're getting away from the

"If you're prying, trying to find

out about my intentions towards

Mrs. Stevenson," Jim said distinct-

ly, a little malicious light in his eyes,

"I have no objection to telling you

the truth. I hope to marry Mrs.

Stevenson-as soon as I can per-

suade her! She's selling her place,

and I think we can make her hap-

"You would bring her-here?"

Jim's eyebrows went up in pre-

tended surprise, though his eyes

"And where else would a man

take his wife, if not to his own

home?" he asked. "You aren't for-

getting that it is my own home-

the unexpectedness of the blow.

Megan sat very still, stunned with

"Of course," Jim went on after

a moment, "when Matthews was

for this place, Alicia and I planned

so sure he could get seven thousand

because her place won't bring over

two or three thousand. But when

you decided not to sell-well, Alicia

gave the listing of hers to Matthews,

and we feel sure that we can all

Megan drew a hard breath. "You

"I can't see why not! There is

surely ample room-four big bed-

rooms upstairs, five rooms down-

stairs-why, there's room enough

"If there were forty rooms, there

wouldn't be enough room under one

roof for Alicia Stevenson and me

"I think you're taking a very un-

reasonable attitude, my dear," said

her father gently, malice twinkling

in his eyes. "After all, having Alicia

here will make things much easier

for you. She will take over the

mangement of the house, while you

can give all your time to your be-

loved farming! I think it will be a

very good arrangement, all around."

"It's an impossible arrangement

and you know it," Megan told him

He shrugged ever so slightly and

said gently, "Oh, well, if you are

going to take that attitude-" He

pretended to lose interest, but Megan

knew that he was alert, that he was

"I know why you are doing this,

Father." she said at last, one of the

few times in her life calling him

"Father" instead of the more en-

waiting tensely for her answer.

here for half a dozen people-"

both!" Megan told him rashly.

know that wouldn't work out, Dad,"

be quite cozy here together."

she said.

hotly.

quite as much as it is yours?"

had a chance to get out of it-"

subject, don't you think?"

py here, don't you?"

laughed at her.

Megan gasped, appalled.

in this place talk about?"

CHAPTER IX

The next morning when she was

assembling the laundry, Annie came

to Megan carrying a shirt of Jim's

and held it out, saying in that color-

less voice, "Do I wash dis one, Miss

Megan looked at the shirt, puzzled.

And then she saw the unmistakable

signs of lipstick on the collar! That

of course, had been the reason An-

nie had brought the shirt to her-

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# and be Love

THE STORY THUS FAR: "I'm fond | force me to consent to selling the | woman-and your father is lone of you, Larry," Meg said quietly. "That's place here-" not enough," he replied. "Is there some-"But, my dear girl, I thought we'd one else?" No one else, Megan assured settled all that," he pointed out genthim, but he knew she did not love him "That's the reason Alicia deenough. They decided to call off their cided that she might as well let engagement and wait another year. Jim Matthews see what he could do with MacTavish did not like that arrangement. Mrs. Stuart was first to tell Megan the sale of her place. When you come that her father was "running after" to think of it, it would be rather Alicia, and that it was "the talk of the silly to keep both-" town." Megan could not believe it-"And you wouldn't consider shardidn't want to believe it. "Folks is talkin' about Mist' Jim and Miz Stevenson," Old Annie confirmed. Annie left a shirt of her father's and Meg picked it up. There

ing her place?" Megan could not stop the words in time, and knew that a frantic hope threaded them. was lipstick on it. She mentioned it to

"My dear!" her father protested, hurt. "What do you take me for? A man without pride, or the natural desire to take care of his wife? Most certainly I wouldn't consider moving into Alicia's place. This one is much larger and more comfortable and there's plenty of room. No, I think the whole arrangement is ideal. You are always so overworked with the outdoor labor in spring and summer, that I think it will be very nice to have the worry and responsibility of the housekeeping taken off your shoulders."

"It won't work, Father," she told him flatly.



There was something in the stealth, the furtiveness of his tread on the stairs-

"No?" His tone and smile were tantalizing.

"No! I'm not selling! And that's that!" she told him again, her jaw hard and set, her voice unshaken.

She got up suddenly and caught her sweater. The night was mild for winter, yet there was a dampness and a chill in it that made the sweater, and the scarf about her head very welcome, as she stepped from the back door into the yard.

The meadow was washed with thin cold moonlight, but under the trees the darkness was so intense that she had to feel her way from moonlit patch to moonlit patch-until she reached the flat stone beneath the tallest pine; and as she reached it, her heart turned over in her breast, and terror clutched at her, for a shadow moved in the darkness, and she knew that she was not alone. The next moment the shadow had moved swiftly into a patch of moonlight, and she saw it white on Tom Fallon's face.

"I frightened you-I'm sorry-" Megan managed an unsteady laugh. "And I imagine I frightened to keep her place and live there, you, too," she answered him.

"Well, as a matter of fact, you did." he admitted. Then as the moonlight touched her white face he added hurriedly, concerned: "Why, what's happened? You're ill-"

"Oh, no-just-well, upset-and ever since I was a child I have brought my troubles, big and little, to this spot and tried to find a way out of them! It's a habit that's hard to break," she added with an attempted gaiety that had an almost macabre quality.

"Could-a friend help?" She shook her head.

"I-I'm afraid nobody can, really -that is, the only two people who can have no intention of doing it. sound as confused and mixed up as I feel-so if you could just overlook

And to Megan's own horror, and Tom's shocked surprise, she burst into tears!

After a stunned moment, Tom put his arm about her and held her close as though she were a frightened, bewildered child, and his soothing words were the words one would have used to a grieving child.

"My father is going to marry Alicia Stevenson," she told him, and so strong was the bond of friendship between them that it did not occur to her to be surprised that she

should confide in him. She heard him swear under his breath, but after a moment, he tried to offer comfort. "Well, of course dearing "Dad." "You think you will I suppose she's a very attractive Cross Stitch Charm For Lovely Linens



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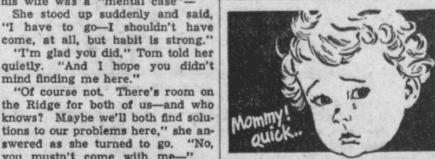
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. . . How night club concessionaires get rich: The recent half-cent per pack rise in cigarettes prompted concessionaire Ellis to tilt ble concessionaire Ellis to tilt his price a jitney per pack.

Midtown Vignette: Blanche Yurka, a fine actress, got her first stage assignment in ages recently, and therein lies this paragraph. . . . Blanche wearied of playing frowzy character roles in the films and returned to Broadway open to offers. . . . None came-until Eve Wygod (owner of a beauty parlor) persuaded La Yurka to let herself be glamourized. . . . So wot?

. . . When showmen saw the "new" Yurka they became entranced and goose-pimply. . . . But the role she got-is that of a "progressive" German woman-mit oudt glammer!

Cure of alcoholism isn't as simple as the movies make out. Many such sanitariums around H'wood now charge as high as \$100 daily. . . For a little number called 'Mother Wore Tights," Betty Grable wears mink tights-mink, not pink. . . . Realty experts are amused at the 10 per cent raise (the newspapers are giving them) when rent controls die-they expect the average tilt to be at least 20. May go as tall as 60. . . . D. Smart, the mag publisher, will offer Elliott Roosevelt \$20,000 for "a good interview" when he returns from Moscow. Elliott is cleaning up a mint, mainly because he became "good copy" following all those press attacks on him for over a year. . . . Street Scene: Sec'y of State Byrnes saving a woman from being hit by a bus at 50th and Madison.

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The Intelligentsia: Henry Miller's novel, "Tropic of Capricorn," (banned in the U.S.) has been one of France's (English-language) best sellers. It recently was translated into French and was banned! . . Tom Costain, author of "The Black Rose," a click, has finished a new one, due in March, "Money Man." . . "Contact," Nebraska penitentiary's publication, features "profiles" under the title of "Prisonalities." . . . Philip Wylie's "Generation of Vipers' book, four years old, still sells 1,000 copies a week, via boosters. His next will be called "An Essay on Morals."

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# TAXI SERVICE DAY OR NIGHT

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PHONE 440 or 3441

Mrs. Mollye Davis

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDA December 13 and 14

**CATSUP**, Del Monte

23c

ORANGE JUICE, Caltone 46 oz 39c

WON-UP Grapefruit juice 46 oz 27c

SWEET CORN.

15c

45c

**WALNUTS**, pound

SWEET POTATOES No. 21/2 can 24c

CORN, Del Monte, No. 2 can 18c

PORK CHOPS, pound

53c

ROAST pork shoulder, Bost. cut 39c

POTATOES, 10 lb. mesh bag

Rockport

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FOR SALE: 1 Fur Coat, 1 wool, fur trimmed coat size 14, worn only 3 or 4 times. See Mrs. Ussery. 1st cabin south of Rockport Inn, Highway 35

FOR SALE: six forling iron hairs. All in A-1 condition. Practically new. Midway Inn " ctf

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FOR SALE OR TRADE-One '37 Plymouth Deluxe Coupe. Complete overhaul job. Can be seen at Bracht's Filling Station.

WANTED TO BUY OR lease-A house in Rockport. Write J. D. Doyle, 2605 Ellalee Lane, Houston,

FOR SALE: Philco Radio & Phonograph Combination No. 1201. Brand new, \$10 less than list price. Phone 3592 after 6 p.m. p34

CABIN FOR RENT at Taylor

FOR SALE: One gasoline stove, four burner and oven. All steel frame; baby buggy and some hens. Mrs. C. C. Rivers, Phone 3530 c34

FOR SALE: Two houses, partly furnished. Five lots, 172x128 feet, enclosed, improved, close in. Priced under market value for immediate sale, all together. P. O. Box 356 We Will Have A Complete

FOR SALE: 3 fresh milch cows, work hourse and 1 small pony, gentle for children. See Fred Appelt, P. O. Box 641, Rockport, Texas, Sparks Colony Road. p36

FOR SALE: 18-foot trailer, new tires, \$425.00. Simmons Courts. p34

LIBERAL REWARD for return of rod and reel lost at basin on Saturday. J. L. Hartin at Mrs. John Townsend's.

## **Personals**

to vist her paretns, Mr. and Mrs. husband and father. proof, warp-proof, easy to erect Robert Foster. They expect to reand long lasting. Write or call turn early next week. Her father Robert Foster. They expect to refor particulars. N. D. Sanford, box has just returned to his home from the hospital in San Antonio and is 11tf recuperating from injuries sustained when he fell from a horse.

> Mr. and Mrs. John D. Haseman attended a cocktail party at the terrace room of the Robert Driscoll Hotel Monday night, which was given by the Chicago Corporation.

J. E. Harrison of Tucson, Arizona, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruhl at of Mrs. Bruhl.

Mrs. John Townsend returned FOR SALE-4-room house with home this week after being the or without furniture. Spencer's guest of her son, Marvin Townsend ottage No. 9. See Tora McCul- at Chipley, Florida and her daughp34 ter and family, Mrs. Clarance Whitefield at Overstreet Florida.

> LET ME DO YOUR IRONING! Mrs. H. A. Martin across street p34 | from Methodist church.

> > 10 MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

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Mrs. T. T. Wright and Sons.

A new short-term, non-interest bearing loan fund of \$100 has been set up by the Austin Pan-American Round Table for the benefit of Latin-American students attending the University of Texas. The fund wil be administered by the Foreign Students Advisory Office, and is primarily to help the Latin-American students in emergencies while waiting for checks from their homes to be changed to American currency.



Program

SUNDAY AND MONDAY December 15-16

"Green Years"

Charles Coburn Tom Drake

Tuesday and Wednesday December 17-18

> "Wife of Monte Cristo"

John Loder Lenore Aubert

Thursday and Friday December 19-20

"Sister Kenny"

Rosalind Russell Alexander Knox

Saturday.

December 21

'Dalton's Ride Again'

Alan Curtis Kent Taylor

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Crystal Wax Bermuda Onion Plants, 100	15c
Choice Early Cabbage Plants, 50	250
None-Such Condensed Mince Meat, 2 p	kg. 45c
Lady Betty Mince Meat, 20 oz. jars, 3 f	or 1.00
Sunmaid Raisins for Children's Lunch, 6	for 25c
Admiration Coffee, 2 lbs.	850
Chase & Sanborn Coffee in tins, lb.	450
Folgers or Maxwell House Coffee, lb.	480
Rath's Pure Lard, 2 lbs.	850
Hormels Pure Lard, 4 lbs.	1.65
Shortening, 4 lbs.	1.50
Jasmine Salad Oil, Gallon	3.25
Grapefruit Juice, 46 oz. 25c, No. 2, 2 for	250
Pioneer Shorts, 3.25; Bran	2.75
Pioneer 18% Dairy Feed, Hen Scratch	4.00
Rath's Black Hawk Fresh Pork Sausage,	lb. 50d

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