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- * REDFISH ARE BACK
- * AND BITING
- * FISH STORIES

THE REDFISH ARE BACK That was the big news along the waterfront this week. The big sporty fellows came in with the high tide of last weekend and the news spread almost faster than the fish did.

Most of the best catches have been reported from away back in Copano Bay, with some from Port and St. Charles Bays. Apparently the reds aren't being too persnickety about the bait. They take shrimp-they even took frozen shrimp-with the same alacrity with which they struck at minnows.

THE MILLS BROTHERS AT Mills Wharf got the best reported catches of redfish and Howard Mills said that requests to take out parties now are keeping both brothers and their boats busy.

Last Saturday, Harry Mills took out D. L. Sadtler and C. E. Huddleston of Beaumont and Gene McCullough of Houston on the Sonata and came back with 25 reds, one of which weighed 10 pounds. Deciding that if some was good, more was better, the same party ent out Sunday morning and picked up 40 redfish, three trout and two drum.

and H. H. Roberts made up a Palm proved of big value, a Pilot sur-Courts party Sunday afternoon. vey indicated this week. Harry took them out and the catch was five big reds, 15 smaller redfish and five trout.

Allen and Bronson decided to repeat on Monday morning. Or that trip Harry brought them in with 18 redfish weighing 52 pounds and two drum.

Tuesday's catches measured up with those which had gone before. Harry Mills took a Mr. Bronson and party back into the bays and came out again with 11 large reds. two trout and two drum on the

Fred L. Jeter, W. G. Webb, Phil B. Lively and P. W. Morris of Irving, Tex., a Dallas suburb, went with Herbert on the "Fisherman." They caught 28 nice reds and 11 trout.

MAYBE LAST WEEK-END'S storm put a crimp in a few people's fishing, but it lacked a lot of discouraging and dyed-in-the-wool anglers. During the height of Friday's squalls and morning downpours, a half dozen hardy souls stuck to their places at the end of the breakwater and seemed to be at least getting perch bites. That afternoon, two or three ignored the seas sloshing over the railroad pier to fish there.

THEN ON MONDAY MORNing, with the bay rougher than a Missouri corncob, George Adolphus took William Malberger and his son Bill, both of Cotulla to Sundown Bay for redfish. What was more, they got redfish-five big ones and nearly 20 small ones.

W. H. THORMALLEN AND party, from Orange Grove, Tex., who are staying at Copano Courts at Copano Bay, hung up some thing of a record of their own Wednesday morning. In less than two hours of fishing in Copano Bay, they caught 148 nice trout.

ROCKPORT HAD TO TAKE A very unobtrusive role in the circle of fish-story tellers this week.

From over in Florida came the kind of fish story that no one wants to tell around here. Great schools of fish, dead of some mysterious ailment, the news dispatches said, were floating northward along the Florida Gulf coast.

At Corpus Christi, a woman said that last week's squalls rained little fish into her front yard. The occurrence, she said, was nothing uncommon; every rain brings them. down. While Rockport naturalists kept (Continued on last page)

Waterfront County Moves to Collect on Oil Fervor

ANY JOB HANDLED

Methodist Young People Will Earn Special Fund

Maybe you've noticed those placards in the store windows downtown. They tell you somebody will gladly mow your lawn for you, if you have a lawn to mow. Or sit with your baby. Or help with laundry. Or house-cleaning. Maybe you've wondered what it was all about.

Here's the story:

denominational one.

business men and evolved the plan

ing a certain amount of time each

call phone 458 and tell Ernestine

Drillers for Layne-Texas Co.,

drilling contractors on the new city

water at about 200 feet this week.

A sample of the water has been

sent to Corpus Christi for analy-

The city contract called for drill-

sis and examination for bacteria.

the shallower sands.

minded this week.

weeks," Simpson said.

For Fulton Beach

Deadline Nears for

Former service men have only

until August 31 to file claims for

settlement of unused terminal

leave, F. C. Simpson service offi-

cer of the local V.F.W. post re-

"I know there are men in this

county who stand to sacrifice sev-

to make claim, in the next three

He urged that veterans who

have not filed claim and need in-

formation to get in touch with

New Oil Field Named

DON'T PLACE BETS UNTIL YOU READ

THE LINE-UPS

Pop and Grandpop had notices this week that they'd better oil

up those creaky joints. The Rockport Girls' softball team announcement Thursday, through Mrs. Tony Dietrich, that they will play a team of Rockport men "over 40" August 14. Proceeds will be used to purchase uniforms and instruments for a

prospective High School band. Early interest was divided between speculation over the possible gate and wonderment as to which men would admit they've reached the age when life supposedly begins.

Tropical Storm Boon to Area

The bluffing little tropical storm of the past week-end, which caught Aransas County in its mild backlash not only did small damage L. F. ALLEN, MR. BRONSON to the Rockport area, but actually

> Agricultural counties, cotton was buffeted by the heavy rains, were the real sufferers, and week. For this effort, though, the figures compiled at Austin indi- girls will work in pairs and the cated a total cotton crop loss of boys will probably gang up on about \$3,000,000 in South Texas mowing and similar jobs in the With little serious agriculture in evenings. Aransas County, however, and So, if you have a lawn to mow, with the rains diminishing in force as they reached this section, crop damage locally was not large.

> Along the bay front, the biggest loss was in the business from frightened tourists, many of whom Jordan about it. She will handle istened to inaccurate weather re- all the dispatching and arrangeports over the air and cleared out ments. in accordance with them. As late as 7 on Saturday morning, one Corpus Christi radio station was Soft Water for still broadcasting a report that the storm was in the Gulf off Brownsville and moving in this direction. As a matter of fact, the weather bureau had reported that the storm was moving inland hours before and was blowing it-

self out. The abnormally high tide which came in with the wind and the low pressure condition here, washed out the "L" on the Albin pier at the foot of Market Street and smashed one small boat that al-

ready was in bad condition. South along the beach, the tide apped at the edge of the beach road, washing out the protecting bank and giving both city and ounty officials a prospective rip-

There was some small road damage along the water's edge at Fulon Beach and above, also, but nothing of any serious nature.

rap job to worry about.

Perhaps some residents would add to the cost of the storm the Terminal Leave Claim yard mowing that loomed as an early necessity because of the reviving vegetation. Others, who have worried over the necessity of sprinkling lawns and flowers greeted the rains with joy, as did tockmen to whom the recently drying ranges had become a serious problem. They figured the rains

worth thousands of dollars. The city water system was another beneficiary as were all users of Rockport city water. With sprinkling unnecessary and cool weather, water rationing disap-

peared, at least temporarily. The big gain in the eyes of the sportsmen, however, was the way that the redfish came in with the high tide. Catches began to be reported almost as soon as the red small-craft warning flag went brought in by Hunt and Graham the Louisiana tests indicated they ress in construction."

their tongues in their cheeks and Sundown Bay, Port Bay, and even Beach Field." The naming, done Louisiana tests and Baughman's. of days the arrival of Byron, F. Fred H. Mauritz, visited Rockport son, Bob, are living at the island thought of several explanations, some spots in Aransas Bay were by the nomenclature committee of In Louisiana, the shots were held Baker, Jr., who is succeeding Dr. Tuesday. He spent the afternoon with him but searching for a house including prankish neighbor kids, yielding the reds and calls for the South Texas Geological So- off bottom. At Galveston although Joel Hedgpeth as biologist at the meeting voters and visiting ac- on the mainland to enable the boats and guides multiplied.

Oil Concerns May Be Told to Join In Shooting Job

Increasing Number of Requests Raises Problem Here

The heavy increase in seismographic work in Texas bays and Gulf areas was bringing a suggestion, this week, for a consoli-Some time ago the Methodist dation of all such oil exploration Youth Fellowship, led by young to keep damage to fish and fish-Mr. and Mrs. David Geiser, decided ing at a minimum. The question that they wanted to publicize Rock- is of deep interest to Rockport.

The plan has been suggested in port church services among the summer tourists. They planned to several spots along the coast and circularize all the tourist courts is believed under consideration by with a little map of the town, Game and Fish Commission offishowing the locations of all cials in Austin. The department churches and the hours of service. probably would have power to It was a Christian push, not a make such a ruling stick, up to 10.3 miles offshore in the Gulf.

But circulars and maps cost Nearly two dozen oil companies money and the young people had have applied to the Army Engilittle. The usual way to get money neer's office at Galveston for perfor such a cause is to take up sub- mission to "shoot" coastal waters, scriptions-ask somebody for it as or have received such permits ala gift. But there have been so ready. Since the Army takes jurismany subscription campaigns in diction only so far as the shoot-Rockport that the idea has worn ing will affect navigation, granting of all permits asked appears So Geiser talked with several probable.

EFFECTS IN DISPUTE

which he put up to the young peo-The suggested plan calls for only ple. Instead of asking gifts, they one boat to do the actual shootplan to earn the money outside ing, while oil companies interested their regular working hours. They in a given area would group their will set no rate of pay, but ask that they be given what the job instrument boats about it. Such a set-up would map the structures under a given area with only one So far the plan has only been set set of explosive charges. As matup for August 15 and 16, but Luters now stand, a dozen or more cille Haynes, president of the ordifferent firms would set off ganization, indicated that it might charges in the same area, multibe extended, both as a community ply whatever damage does occur.

service and as a money raising The actual effects of the blasts plan, with different persons givn fish and marine life are mat now, and tests to determine those effects have been conflicting and inconclusive.

J. L. Baughman, head of the Game Commission's marine laboratory here, is one who believes or a baby to mind, or an attic to that the tests have not been comclean, or some general housecleanplete enough to serve as a basis ing-or any odd job-which you for accurate conclusions. want done on August 15 and 16,

MORE TESTS NEEDED

Baughman spoke this week with authority on that angle, for, he outcome of a special test there was bad luck, partly the possible operation of factors that never had shown up in previous tests.

Baughman wants, as the result of his Galveston experience to con- flood control bill. water well tapped a vein of soft duct a series of carefully controlled tests to include all possible factors before making any recommendations on the question of shoot-

Previous tests, conducted in Louisiana, had indicated that the ing to the 76-foot vein which supshooting in seismograph work had plies other city wells. Layne-Texas done practically no damage to fish. however, went on to the deeper Charges of 200 pounds and 800 level after a conference with pounds of dynamite were exploded Councilman Arley Shivers and some nine feet off the bottom of Water Supt. Tom Shults to see the bay where tests were made. what could be developed there. Fish and shrimp, confined in wire If the water is satisfactory the cages, were stationed at different new well may be completed to distances from the explosions. It produce from both the deep and lugger ten miles away was shaken, no shrimp were killed more than 50 feet away from the blast and port basin channel. no fish more than 200 feet away.

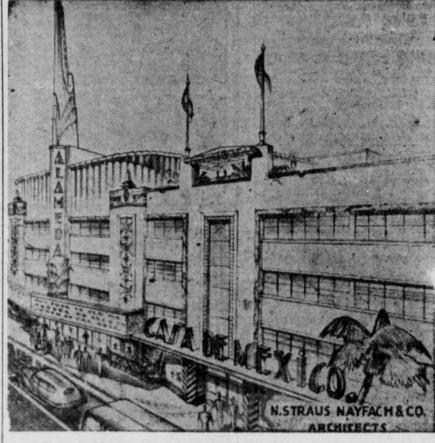
SECOND TEST BACKFIRES

Baughman made his own tests shots in co-operation with the Texas and Humble companies at Galveston in June. The results seemed to bear out the Louisiana conclusions. So he arranged a demeral hundred dollars if they fail and Chamber of Commerce representatives at Galveston last Friday. Some 50 observers made the trip on the Texas Company's "Mar- of the marine laboratory. iposa."

> to venture into the Gulf, so a 50- new laboratory building on the pound shot was fired at a spot in breakwater. Galveston Bay.

at the tip of the Live Oak Penin- should have been. There was this Copano Bay, St. Charles Bay, sula has been named the "Fulton difference, though, between the birth followed by only a couple ciety, was announced Wednesday. (Continued on last page)

For International Trade



Casa de Mexico International Building, above, the only structure in the nation planned and constructed to house the activities of firms doing business with Latin-American countries, now is in the final stages of completion in San Antonio. First tenant to take up quarters in the million-dollar structure is the Consul General of Mexico in San Antonio, Gustavo Ortiz Hernan. Others who moved in during the past week were the Mexican government tourist bureau and the Mexican Chamber of Commerce.

FEAR FOR FUTURE

Big Catches of Undersized **Trout Ire Conservationists**

The heavy preponderance of under-sized trout in catches made by visiting anglers was causing serious concern this tween Estes and Aransas Pass and, week up and down the Gulf coast and was rapidly crystalliz- in a number of instances, in the ing a demand for some curb to assure fish for future seasons. plant.

two measures. Either:

limit could not be enforced on a

sports fisherman if it is not im-

Ted Little, head of the Naviga-

parties, emphatically agreed on the

"I would'nt quarrel with the

One sports fisherman recently

ping. Both suggested that most

The important aspect, however,

is that of fish depletion. Biologists

small to spawn and that every one

caught sacrifices a hundred po-

tential fish two or three years

James H. Fenner, Jr., of Edna,

Senatorial Candidate

Campaigns Here

were a foot or less in length.

fellow who goes out to get a mess

posed on sports anglers.

favors a bag limit.

good condition.

from now.

quaintances,

kept, or,

permitted.

Funds Provided To Finish Canal

Hopes for a Rockport entrance admitted ruefully, he stuck out his by the Intracoastal Canal, plus neck and "really got the ax", last completion of the canal on from Friday at Galveston. Partly the Corpus Christi to Brownsville appeared bright this week.

> Finally approved by congress and signed by President Truman was the federal waterways and

The measure carries an appropriation of \$2,474,140 for work on the Intracoastal proper in the Galveston district, which includes the lower stretch of the canal, as yet unfinished. An additional \$150,000 is provided for work on the Port Aransas-Corpus Christi waterway.

This money is available for expenditure in the fiscal year which ends June 30, 1948.

A plan for bringing the Intracoastal inshore to a spot just off of fish for dinner," Little said. the Cove, south of Rockport, has "But it's almost criminal waste been approved by the Army enwas found that, although an oyster gineers. At present, there is no fellows that nobody will eat." provision for shipping to put in here except by the narrow Rock-

Game Department Chiefs Visit

H. E. Faubion, assistant executive secretary of the Texas Game onstration . for newspaper men, Fish and Oyster Commission, and sportsmen, commercial fishermen, W. J. Cutbirth, chief clerk, visited Rockport Wednesday and conferred with J. L. Baughman, head

Faubion said the purpose of the Seas were too high for the boat visit was primarily to inspect the "It's going to be a structure

The puzzling aspect of the situ- that Rockport can well be proud ation was that fish were killed of," Faubion said, "and I think the The new oil field recently much farther from the blast than contractors are making good prog-

The visit of Faubion and Cutlaboratory.

Attorney Files For Collection Of Back Taxes

> **NEARLY 50 SUITS ON** DOCKET FOR COURT IN SEPTEMBER

Aransas county was preparing this week to cash in on the current oil development to collect a hatful of back taxes and to insure the collection of future taxes.

Ross Terry Austin attorney-tax ferret this week had filed upwards of a half a hundred tax foreclosure suits on tracts south of Rockport and was preparing others.

The suits will be set on the district court docket which opens here September 2.

Terry said that he is acting only on property outside the city limits and that no arrangements have been made with him for the filing of any suits for the city.

"If anybody wants to bid on tax-delinquent property within the city limits, however," he said, "they can give me the word and I can file suit on behalf of the coun-

Back taxes on the tracts on which suits are being filed range from \$10 to upwards of \$1,000. In some cases delinquent taxes go back as far as 1919. Terry works for the county under a law which permits payment of 15 per cent on tax suit collections.

The first suits are being on properties in the Burton and Danforth Subdivision, lying beneighborhood of the carbon black

J. L. Baughman, head of the "The surface on most of the Game Departmen's marine labora- stuff isn't worth a dime," Terry tory here, was on record both in admitted. "That's why the taxes Rockport and over the radio in Gal- have been so long delinquent. But veston with a demand for one of there is some chance of oil lease play and oil development in that 1. A limitation on the size of fish area.

"To leave the land there under a 2. A drastic measure which load of delinquent taxes would would prohibit commercial fishing simply mean that private operaof any sort in the bays and a tors would be speculating, to a bag limit on the number of fish considerable extent, on public or the number of pounds of fish money."

Lands on which suits are being Baughman believes that a bag filed are, thus far, tracts whose owners cannot be found.

Terry said that auctions under posed on a commercial man, At the foreclosure would be held, the same time he pointed out that probably, on either the first Tuescommercial fishers are under a day in November or the first limitation on size that could be im- Tuesday in December.

tion Board, a commercial fisher-man, and a former guide for sports Second Oil Well need for a limitation. He, however, Near Pay Sand

Indications this week were that Spencer-Kent-Crane No. 2, the second oil well to be drilled by Hunt to catch 200 or 300 of those little and Graham at Live Oak Point, was hitting-or near-pay sand.

No information was being direlated that he had sent seven bar- vulged, but a comparison with the rels of trout to Houston. Most of drilling schedule on the first well those which the Pilot editor saw indicated that the hole was somewhere near the 7,000 foot level. Little and V. McLemore, who Mud was being hauled this week, heads the amusement park on the and second-guessers saw that as beach triangle and who is a for- an indication that the gas sand mer commercial fish man, said that encountered in Spencer-Kent-Crane small fish spoil quickly in ship- No. 1 had been tapped or was near.

If the well comes in as a propeople inland won't bother to clean ducer, it will constitute an imand eat them, even if received in portant extension of the newlydiscovered Fulton Beach Field and give strong indication of what may be expected of drilling operasay that a large percentage of tions in Copano Bay itself. The trout being caught now are too well site is a little more than 700 feet from the edge of the water.

Matagorda Island Gets New Manager

R. J. Haywood, only recently out of army service, has succeeded Jack Lockridge as manager of the candidate for state senator from Matagorda Island ranch. Mrs. this district to succeed the late Haywood and their ten-year-old youngster to attend school.

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A Declaration of Faith

The example being set by the Methodist young people in their plan to raise a special-purpose fund deserves thoughtful consideration and commendation from the older generation.

The plan could be described as almost revolutionary. The gist of it is plain hard work. When the older generation looks back frankly to its own youth, everybody will agree that even in the "good old days" work was always the last resort in any money raising scheme.

The Methodist young people have taken cognizance publicly of the fact that too often the bee is put on the business men of the town for every extra fund that is wanted. Too often soliciting organizations take the credit for having raised money when all they have done is to gather up the cash from the men and firms which actually have raised it

For recognizing that fact, the young people and their leaders, Mr. and Mrs. David Geiser, deserve much credit. For doing something about it, they deserve much more.

Basically, though, a much deeper significance, and one gratifying to the general public, attaches itself to the young people's action. In a way it is a subscription to the well-established fact that youth is under an obligation to the world, an obligation of work and service. Too often we have heard, in effect, that the world is under obligation to youth.

Too often youth groups and their sponsors have demanded coddling and viewed as youth's right special privileges which may be enjoyable, but are non-essential. Too often have they mourned as "underprivileged" young persons who have much more than their elders ever had. Yet they have returned, in many cases, only rudness, ingratitude and arrogance for what has been put out for them.

Rockport's Methodist young people are demonstrating their belief in the ability of every person to achieve through honest effort and in the fact that individual acocmplishment honest effort, and in the fact that individual accomplishment stration, that declaration of faith, honor to them.

Interesting to Watch

It will be interesting to see just how American Communists, Communists-sympathizers, and fellow-travelers go about 'squaring the present policy of the Soviet Union with the old propaganda to the effect that their particular brand of dictatorship offers the sole hope for bettering the lot of the com-

When, some time ago, the Soviet Union refused to join in the Marshall Plan for the rehabilitation of Europe, it divided the world into two opposing camps. It made united effort for putting hungry and destitute peoples on their feet impossible. It decreed, in effect, that the citizens of the small nations such as Czechoslovakia must divorce themselves from all hope of American assistance on pain of displeasing Moscow -and thereby inviting the kind of terrorism that subdued Hungary.

The peoples of these unhappy countries were not, of course, given an opportunity to express their own wishes in the matter. It is only in "degenerate" capitalist nations that the ordinary citizen has a free ballot, free speech and a free press. Only under the obsolete and ridiculous democratic system can a man work or not work as he pleases, start a business speak his mind, and go about his affairs without dread of secret police and drumhead courts and concentration camps and slave labor. Only where the laughable institution of free enterprise exists do the people control their government-and choose their officials all the way from town marshal to the head of the nation.

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Realty Man Hurt

Clifford Stephens, San Antonio real estate man, is recovering this week from a hand injury which nearly cost him the third finger of his left hand on a previous Rockport visit. The finger was badly ripped as he tried to lift a loose stump from in front of his car so Mrs. Stephens could turn the auto-

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New Heads for Two Businesses

Two major businesses were under different management here this week as a result of the purchase of Palm Courts by William M. Blevins of Midland, Tex., and

Albin and Mrs. Albin took over the management of Palm Courts on Friday and by Monday Mrs. Albin said happily that everything was running with its accustomed smoothness at the big luxury

The Albins had felt considerable concern over Blevins who was fishing near the Eighth Pass in Mexico with two airplanes the sole transportation for himself and his party. They feared that the tropical storm last week-end might maroon the party. They were re-assured Sunday, however, when Blevins arrived in Brownsville after the storm center had already pass-

NEWCOMER, MANAGER In the meantime, H. C. Floyd, a recent arrival in Rockport had taken over the management of Albin's fisherman's outfitting business, with the assistance of his two older sons, Robert Lee and Herbert C. Jr.

Floyd, a native of Galveston and around salt water most of his life, has spent the past six years with water supply service at Fort Sam Houston. He resigned about two months ago, and with Mrs. Floyd, their six-months-old baby, Michael Edward, and the two older boys started out to take an extended va

The Floyds sold their San Antonio home and bought a fine trailer house, then went to Port

LEARNS BAY QUICKLY

After a short stay there, they decided to come to Rockport. For 'he past two months, they have een living at Shady Grove Trailer

Floyd purchased an inboard motor skiff from Albin and settled lown to some serious fishing and motor boating. Albin said last week that Floyd "knows the bay better than a lot of people who have lived here for 20 years. Floyd proved his knowledge and his seamanship Monday morning when he and his younger son, Robert went out in the motor skiff for badly needed bait, despite the rough seas and returned with a supply of

Beb Albin, who had remained temporarily in charge of the business while his parents took over Palm Courts, took a job for the re mainedr of the vacation period at the Rice Boat works.

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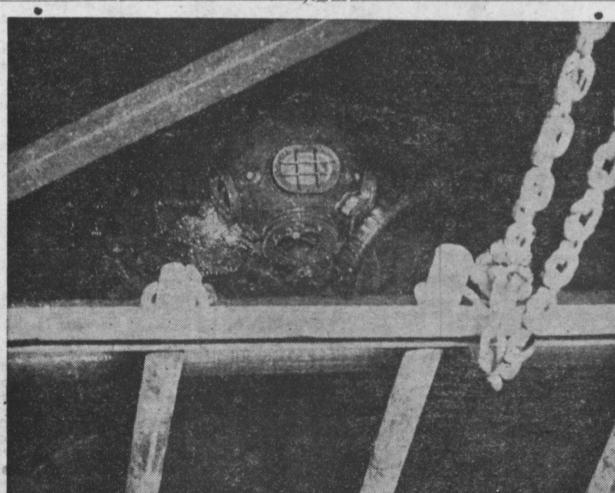
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ALMA WILLIAMS AND NOAH TAYLOR WED AT INGLESIDE

Mrs. Alma Williams, operator of the Glory-Oh Beauty Shoppe, and party of five tables at Kaufman's Mr. Noah Taylor, manager of the Aransas Butane Gas Co., were married last week in a private vari-colored zinnias. The hostess ceremony at Ingleside.

The license was issued here unof Haug.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were at home here in the home which Mrs. Taylor has been living. Mrs. Taylor said that she will continue with second high. Cut prize was won by the operation of her business.

The marriage ceremony was performed at the Ingleside Baptist dames Leonard LeBlanc, Charles parsonage by Rev. Lewis Stuckey. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Collins of Rockport attended the couple.

Last week-end Mr. and Mrs. Taylor made a brief wedding trip to Apple Springs to attend a reunion of the Taylor family and visit with Mr. Taylor's immediate relatives.

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MRS. HART HOSTESS AT BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Roy Lee Hart was hostess Monday afternoon, at a bridge club roms in Aransas Pass.

The rooms were decorated with served iced Coca-Cola during the afternoon of play and, at the conder Mrs. Williams' maiden name clusion, ice cream topped with frozen peaches and devil's food

Mrs. Steirly Rozzell tallied high score and Mrs. Charles Ankele, Mrs. Richard Fox.

The guest list included Mes-Ankele, Joe Johnson, Norvell Jackson, John Haseman, Henry Ballou, Charles Picton, Roy V. Rogero, DeWilton Jeffries, J. B. Jackson, Ed Barnard, J. H. Harbin, Jack Sanders, Richard Fox, Steirley Rozzell, and Misses Mary Beth Picton, Shirley Johnson, Jean Hinton, Alma Jean Ratliff and Dolly

Mrs. A. C. Shivers and children, accompanied by Mr. Shivers' sister, Mrs. J. T. Trull of Corpus Christi, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shivers, parents of Mr. Shivers and Mrs. Trull, at Woodville, Tex.

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23 COUPLES GIVEN MARRIAGE LICENSES IN PAST MONTH

Twenty-three couples were issued marriage licenses by County Clerk J. C. Herring between July and August 5, county records disclosed this week, apparently setting July as the month of brides in this section rather than June.

The licenses were issued to: Thomas Foster Dawson, Jr., and Mrs. Lillie Mae Wagner.

Alfredo Garcia Pina and Miss Anelina Falcon.

Shellie Crothers and Miss Sylvana Thomas. Delmar Melvin Leidy and Miss

Jean Carolyn Blaylock. Charles L. Leister and Miss Georga Katherine Juray. Frailan Medina Gevara and Miss

Otilia Esquinel. Joeseph Wheeler Jackson and Miss Estelle Thomas.

Willie B. McElwee and Mrs. Nora Dean Kirkland. Ancie Fred Day, Jr., and Miss Joyce Elaine Anderson.

William H. Moore and Miss Enid Meridith Charlton. Joseph Francis Richards and Miss Marynel Hopkins.

E. R. Pearman and Miss Geraldine Moreland. Willie Jarrell Williams and Miss

Ruby Lois Green. C. R. Cody and Miss Helen Wolf. Floyd E. Snow and Miss Lottie

L. Scevers. Floyd Everett Cureton and Miss Patsy Ruth Cornett. Noah Taylor and Miss Alma

Leopold Huerta and Miss Trinidad Benavides.

Ray Alfred Grissom and Miss Marjorie Elizabeth Green. Herman F. Burrell and Mrs.

Mary Galliher. Wiliam F. Martin and Miss Bon nie Stevens.

Louis T. Wood and Mrs. Lois Williams. Seth H. Steele and Miss Leola

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Mullinax had as their guests last week Murdock McLeod, Wharton; Mrs. Julia Mc-Leod, Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Malone, Houston.

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The Wednesday Bridge Club met this week with Mrs. Travis John-

Mrs. Fred M. Hunt tallied high score, and Mrs. J. H. Mills second high for the guests and Mrs. Joe! Collins second high.

Members enjoying the afternoon's play were:

Mrs. Fred Christilles, Mrs. Fred Booth, Mrs. L. M. Bracht, Mrs. Fred Bracht, Misses Mabel and Genevieve Bracht, Mrs. L. E. Sanders, Mrs. Charles Picton, Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Mills.

Bridge guests were: Mrs. Francisco, Mrs. L. F. Bailey of Houston and Rockport, Mrs. Collin, Mrs. Hugh V. Haddock, and Mrs. Beverly Sorenson of Houston. Mrs. A. R. Curry was a tea

The hostess served fresh peach pie a la mode and coffee and Coca-Cola.

SUMMER VISITORS **GUILD HOSTESSES**

Mrs. Louis Bailey and Mrs. George Francisco of Houston and Rockport, entertained the Episcopal Guild Tuesday at the summer home here. At the conclusion of the meeting, the hostesses served a salad plate.

Mrs. John Sorenson presided at the meeting. Other members present were Dean Walton, Mrs. Sam Prophet, Mrs. Will Stevenson, Miss Jewel Fulton, Miss Katie Lee Clarke, Mrs. Sowerbutt, Miss Violet Percival.

Tea guests were Mrs. Dick Hooper, Mrs. Delmar Taylor, Mrs. Bartow and Mrs. Glover.

The next meeting is to be with Mrs. John Sorenson.

FOOD BAZAAR FOR . FULTON CHURCH

Ladies of the Fulton church have announced a food and cake bazaar for Saturday, beginning at 3:30 p.m. The sale will be held at the Fred Weber residence, Mrs. Frank Casterline said.

Receipts, as in the case of previous benefits, will be used in completing the pastor's home.

Mrs. Casterline said that, although Rev. Bob Cunningham and family have moved into the house, considerable work remains "and considerable paying" remains, too.

B. W. Hamblin Called To Father's Bedside

B. W. Hamblin was called to San Antonio Wednesday to the bedside of his father, J. G. Hambn, who is seriously ill in a hos

Hamblin was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Neil Creiglow, and Mr. Creiglow, both of whom have been spending a part of their vacation with the Hamblins at Oleander

Buddy Gray visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Gray in Seadrift over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wagley of Houston have been visiting in Rockport for the past ten days in the home of Mrs. Wagley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sipe.

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BAPTIST PASTOR GETS "POUNDING"

Rev. C. N. Jones, Rockport Baptist pastor, and Mrs. Jones received a heavy "pounding" at the hands of the Baptist women Monday afternon. But not the kind of a pounding the word would indi-

Following a meeting of the Women's Missionary Union at the church educational building, the 21 women present presented the Joneses with pounds of groceries and edibles.

The presentation, arranged by Mrs. Roy Mullinax, president was the highlight of a social hour.

Miss Elizabeth Beyer of Abilene s spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Cleo Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Graham of Floresville visited Mrs. Henry Bailey last week, leaving just ahead of the week-end storm,

Tommy Arlen Shults, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shults, underwent a tonsillectomy at a Corpus Christi hospital Tuesday.

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Rockport to Play **Sinton Sunday**

last week-end by rain and bad Island report. weather, are scheduled to clash with the Sinton baseball team on the local diamond Sunday afternoon, Ed Bernard, club secretary, has announced.

The next Sunday, the team will play at Woodsboro and on August 21 at Kingsville. One more game, as yet not definitely matched, will complete the season's schedule, Hospital in Corpus Christi some-Barnard said.

Jellyfish Spoil Sport At Port Aransas

has put a damper on fishing around Port Aransas the past few days, The Rockport Independents, idled sportsmen coming from Mustang

> One observer said that the jellyfish, of the "cabbage head" variety, swarm through the channel when the tide comes in until "they look like millions of little balloons for as far as you can see."

> Mrs. A. L. Bracht has returned from two weeks in the Spohn what improved in health.

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Osteopath Opens A huge migration of jellyfish Rockport Office

Dr. M. A. Rich, osteopathic phyweek the opening of a Rockport drawing to a close this week at in apartment No. 1 of the Hinton of half day sessions. Friday is to Apartments on Austin street at be the last day. the yacht basin.

Kirksville College of Medicine and for the period. Surgery, the nation's outstanding osteopathic college.

he served as county health officer mer. of McMullen County, Tex. His Angelo.

of the Aransas Pass hospital while Townsend. practicing here. In conversation, he brought out the fact that osteopathic physicians use both the children. medicine and surgery, in addition to manipulation in the treatment of ailments.

Newspaper Men Visit Rockport on Vacation

Two of the state's top-flight newspaper men were vacationing in Rockport this week.

William M. (Tudy) Thornton, Charles, Edward and Joe. chief of the Dallas News capitol bureau at Austin, and Mrs. Thornton were spending the week at Del Camino Courts.

James Carroll, editorial and Press, was at Wells Courts with Mrs. Carroll and their two children. Carroll is a great grandson of John H. Woods, founder of Woodsboro, and is familiar with this area from many visits.

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Rev. C. N. Jones, pastor, said Dr. Rich is a graduate of the that attendance had averaged 53

Roy Ryan of Atlanta, Ga., connected with the state Home Mis He served his interneship in sions Board of the Baptist Church, Winter Municipal Hospital, at has been in charge. He also di-Winter, Tex., and at Gorrell Hos- rected the regular Baptist daily pital in Corpus Christi. In 1940 vacation school earlier in the sum-

Ryan has been assisted by Rev. most recent practice, before com- Benito Contreras, pastor of the ing to Rockport, has been at San Latin-American Baptist Church in Rockport and by Elsie Blackwell, Dr. Rich will be on the staff Ruby Casey and Iletta and Loretta

> Ladies of the church have served mid-morning refreshments to

The program of activities has been similar to that pursued for the earlier school.

Mrs. W. B. Wheeler is spending the summer in Dos Cabezos, Ariz., the family's fomer home. She will be joined after the end of the summer term of A. & I. College August 23, by the three Wheeler sons,

H. H. Dancy, of the Houston Post advertising staff and Mrs. Dancy are spending several days at Oleander Court. They were joined political writer for the Houston Wednesday by Mr. Dancy's brother Roy Dancy, and his wife.

From Northern Trip

Rev. W. B. Wheeler, pastor of home this week from a trip that May. took him to Lincoln, Neb., and a national Methodist conference on

the Methodist church, was back eral conference of the church in city in the future."

the problems of the rural church, is that leadership in city churches Oleander Court went to Austin Churches in towns of less than comes from the rural districts," Tuesday for a few days vacation.

Rev. W. B. Wheeler Back 10,000 population are classed as Rev. Wheeler said. "The city churches realize that the rural The discussions were held look- church must prosper and grow if ing toward legislation by the gen- there is to be leadership in the

"The point of the whole matter Mr. and Mrs. Jack Horton of



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A. D. 1947, in this cause, numbered

2454 on the docket of said court

and styled J. A. Rogers Plaintiff,

A brief statement of the nature

A suit in trespass to try title,

for title and possession as well as

for damages of the following des-

Tract 1: 10 acres out of the

Southwest corner of Lot No. 14 of

the Aransas Pass Colonization

Company's Subdivision of the John

Smith and John G. Smith Surveys

in Aransas County, Texas; being

excepted in deed from Mary F.

Dever to A. H. Dever, dated July

Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fif-

teen (15), and Sixteen (16), in

the Deed Records of Aransas Coun-

The officer executing this pro-

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County, Texas.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

tition and all persons owning or

claiming any interest in and to the

of July, A. D. 1947, in this cause,

Tract No. 62 of Aransas Pass

Colonization Company's Subdi-

vision, more particularly describ-

ed in deed of record in Vol. N,

page 452 of the Deed Records of

Aransas County, Texas, contain-

ing 31 acres, more or less, and

being located in the John Smith

Survey, Abstract 187, and the

Jos. F. Smith Survey, Abstract

199, of Aransas County, Texas.

due return as the law directs.

29 day of July A. D. 1947.

Attest:

(Seal)

fice in Rockport, Texas this the

County, Texas.

JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk,

District Court, Aransas

et al Defendants.

scribed property, to-wit:

tition, Defendants, Greeting:

cess shall promptly execute the

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appear before the Honorable Disman, 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:

Out Lot No. Seven (7), Townsite of Lamar, Aransas County, Texas, according to the official map or plat thereof, 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 23rd day of July A. D. 1947.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

You are hereby commanded to trict Court 36th Judicial District trict Court 36th Judicial District appear before the Honorable Disof Aransas County at the Court trict Court 36th Judicial District House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, of Aransas County at the at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of Court House thereof, in Rockport, first Monday next after the expirathe first Monday next after the Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. expiration of forty-two days from M. of the first Monday next after date of the issuance of this citation, the date of the issuance of this the expiration of forty-two days citation, same being the 8th day from the date of the issuance of tember A. D. 1947, then and there of September A. D. 1947, then and this citation, same being the 8th there to answer Plaintiff's Petition | day of September A. D. 1947, then | in said Court, on the 22 day of July filed in said Court, on the 23rd day and there to answer Plaintiffs' of July A. D. 1947, in this cause, Petition filed in said Court, on the numbered 2458 on the docket of 23 day of July A. D. 1947, in this said court and styled Elmo Brun- cause, numbered 2456 on the docket vs. Mary F. Dever, et al Defendrett, Plaintiff, vs. Wm. Chap- of said court styled W. B. Friend, dants. et al Plaintiffs, vs. John B. Cefalu, 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 of the following

described property, to-wit:
All of that portion of the Smith and Wood Subdivision of the Thos. Green Survey in Aransas County, Texas, bounded on the South by Market Street, on the West by Hood Street, on the North by Lind- all and the same property which is en Street and on the East by Doughty Street and comprising Blocks Nos. 71, 72, 85, 86, 99, 100, 14, 1927 and recorded in Vol. P-2, 113, 114, 127, 128, 141, 142, 155, 156, 169, 170, 183, 184, 219, 220, Aransas County, Texas, to which 233 and 234, except that Hood Street from the North line of Cornwall Street South to Market Street shall remain open as a public thoroughfare as it now is, and being all and the same property described in Notice to Public of Cancellation of Subdivision by W. B. Mathis Division, City of Rockport, Friend and Travis Johnson, record- Aransas County, Texas, according 43c17 ed in Vol. A-3, page 632 of the to the official map or plat of record Deed Records of Aransas County, in Volume E, pages 272-273 of Texas, to which a reference is here made for all purposes, SAVE ty, Texas, as is more fully shown AND EXCEPT Fractional Blocks by Plaintiff's Petition on file in Nos. 71 and 72 and portions of ad- this suit. jacent streets owned by J. O. Anderlitch, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this

cess shall promptly execute the and the Seal of said Court, at office The officer executing this produe return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Rockport, Texas this the 23 day of July A. D. 1947.

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> THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: John L. Sipes and wife, Mrs. John L. Sipes, 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 Peti-

> > tion, 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, 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 8th day of tion of forty-two days from the September A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 23 day of July A. D. 1947, in this cause, numbered 2457 on the docket of said court and styled Harry L Woods and wife, Mrs. Harry L Woods, Plaintiffs, vs. John L. Sipes and wife, Mrs. John L. Sipes, 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 of the following described property, to wit:

Lot No. Two (2), Block No. Nine (9), Doughty and Mathis Division, City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, according to official map or plat of record in Volume "E", pages 272-273 of the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas, to which a reference is here made for all pur-

as is more fully shown by Plainpage 63 of the Deed Records of tiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this proa reference is here made for all cess shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make Tract 2: Lots Nos. Four (4) due return as the law directs. Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7),

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at of-Block No. Forty (40), Doughty and fice in Rockport, Texas this the 23 day of July A. D. 1947.

> (SEAL) JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk District Court, Aransas County,

Texas By JANE CROSSMAN, Deputy

CITATION BY PUBLICATION same according to law, and make THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO John B. Cefalu, Victor Ceaccording to law, and make in Rockport, Texas this the 22 day falu, Frank D. Cefalu, Mrs. Stella Cefalu Mow, if married, the husband of Mrs. Stella Cefalu Mow, Mrs. Netta Cefalu Gill, if married, JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk, the husband of Mrs. Netta Cefalu District Court, Aransas Gill, and Dr. Victor Cefalu, 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, TO: Louis W. Bernhardt, if liv- and the unknown owner or owners ng and if dead, the unknown heirs, of the land described in Plaintiff's administrators, executors, and or Petition and all persons owning or legal representatives of the said claiming any interest in and to Louis W. Bernhardt, and the un- the land described in Plaintiff's known owner or owners of the Petition, Defendants, Greeting: land described in Plaintiff's Pe-

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 36th Judicial District land described in Plaintiff's Peof Aransas County at the Court House thereof, in Rockport, You are hereby commanded to Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. appear before the Honorable Dis- M, of the first Monday next after trict Court 36th Judicial District the expiration of forty-two days of Aransas County at the Court from the date of the issuance of House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, this citation, same being the 8th at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of day of September A. D. 1947, then the first Monday next after the and there to answer Plaintiffs' expiration of forty-two days from Petition filed in said Court, on the the date of the issuance of this 23 day of July A. D. 1947, in this citation, same being the 15th day cause, numbered 2455 on the docket of September A. D. 1947, then and of said court and styled J. O. there to answer Plaintiff's Petition Anderlitch, Plaintiff, vs. John B. filed in said Court, on the 29 day Cefalu, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature numbered 2480 on the docket of of this suit is as follows, to wit: said court and styled A. C. Glass A suit in trespass to try title, Plaintiff, vs. Louis W. Bernhardt, for title and possession as well as for damages of the following A brief statement of the nature described property, to-wit: of this suit is as follows, to wit: All of Blocks Nos. Seventy-one

A suit in trespass to try title, (71) and Seventy-two (72) of the for title and possession as well as Smith and Wood Division, City of for damages of the following de-Rockport, according to "the official Map of the City of Rockport," adopted by the City of Rockport by Ordinance passed June 6, 1888, together with any portions of adjacent streets which are now owned by J. O. Anderlitch by virtue of cancellation of subdivision, notice of which is of record in Vol. A-3, page 632 of the Deed Records, Aransas County, Texas, to which a reference is here made for all purposes, as is more fully as is more fully shown by Plainshown by Plaintiff's Petition on tiff's Petition on file in this suit. file in this suit. The officer executing this pro-

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the cess shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make same according to law, and make Issued and given under my hand due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at of-

and the Seal of said Court, at office in Rockport, Texas this the 23rd day of July A. D. 1947.

Attest: JAS C. HERRING, Clerk, District Court, Aransas 44c18 (Seal) County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS:

TO: Paula S. Reuss, Emilie Nunnemacher, Katherine Schoelkopf, Mrs. Fannie Edrington, Mrs. Bessie Sandidge, Mrs. Mary Mor- for damages on the following deston and Mrs. Willie Collins, if cribed property: 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 said 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, Greet-

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 36th Judicial District of Aransas County at the Court and the Seal of said Court, at at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of 22nd day of July A. D. 1947. the first Monday next after the Attest: expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 8th day of September A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 22 day of July A. D. 1947, in this cause,

son et al Plaintiffs vs. Paula S. Reuss, 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

All of the Water Front Reserve lying East of Lots Nos. One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), and Five (5) in Block No. One (1), Townsite of Fulton, according to map or plat of record in Volume E, pages 540-541 of the Deed Records of Aransas County,

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

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District Court, Aransas County, Texas

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FOR SALE: 4-burner butane gas stove, with oven \$40.00; 3-burner butane gas stove, with oven \$27.50 W. C. Stevenson.

PIANO FOR SALE: Mrs. Lucille Clark. Phone 3591 before 9 a.m. or call at home in back of school house.

HELP WANTED: Couple to work in Tourist Court, Living quarters and good salary to right party. Write to Pilot office. ctf

WANTED: Saleslady to sell Life, Accident, Health and Hospitalization Insurance. Experience not essential. Write or see G. W. Wilkinson, 515 Wilson Bldg., Corpus Christi, Texas.

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The inference to be drawn was that depth of the charge and its closeness to the ocean floor might be a very strong factor in the situ- mother, Mrs. Ellen Wright; two

Some of the commercial fishermen have indicated that they FOR SALE: One roll barb wire, will not oppose shooting of the coastal waters if the explosive Engineer Fined For charges are suspended just beneath the surface, rather than on p17 the ocean floor.

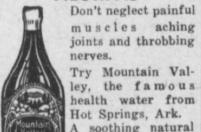
Most sportsmen's organizations take an exceedingly dim view of shooting is done inside pipes reaching to the ocean floor. On the other hand, the Army Engineers are equally unfavorable to the pipe idea and so are the commercial fishermen.

Army experts declare that broken off and jægged pipes which in-evitably are left behind by such operations become a serious menace to navigation. The commercial fishermen point out that such pipes also tear up costly nets.

In addition to the basic dispute over any shooting at all, one other controversy remains between commercial fishermen and the oil com-Don't suffer with the heat, use object to the big anchors used by Last week, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith's Lil-E-White, day and night the exploration crews. These, they Mires and daughter of Taft were for best results. Johnson's Drug say, also are disastrous to nets and guests.

Humble and Texas companies have adopted as a marker a ninepound sash weight, attached by cord to an inflated weather ballon. These seem to have met with general satisfaction and some other oil companies are considering the adoption of similar devices.

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Funeral Services Held

Wright died Saturday morning at his home.

Survivors included his widow, Mrs. Minnie Mae Wright; his sons by first marriage, Lloyd and Ellsworth, three brothers and two

Highway Crash

H. L. Sission, 42, of Corpus Christi, a civil engineer in the service of the federal government, any shooting whatever unless the paid a fine of \$50 and costs last Thursday in Justice Joe Smith's court after pleading guilty to driving on the lefthand side of the

Sission's car sideswiped that of Alfred Court, 22, demolishing both cars and injuring young Court. The accident occurred on Highway 35, about a mile north of the carbon black plant the night of July 23.

Mrs. Manch Brundrett had as guests this week Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kight of La Feria. Mrs. Kight Mrs. Brundrett's daughter. At the week-end Mr. James Hill of San Antonio, Mrs. Brundrett's panies. The fishermen in general nephew and Mr. Hill were visitors.

Along the Waterfront-

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ican Museum of Natural History

Neither the Game Commission's marine laboratory here nor the University of Texas laboratory at Port Aransas showed any excitement, either about being shortcircuited in the investigation, or about the little fish.

THE PRIZE SCENE OF THE waterfront this week was a crane, standing-of all places-high and dry in a rowboat, in the lagoon north of the yacht basin, Tuesday morning. He was doing nothing in a big way, watching with extreme boredom, the activities of a flock of gulls feeding in the water around the boat.

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