

Clean Up Campaign Scheduled May 26 To June 2

Local V. F. W. Prepares for Sixth District Meeting to be Held May 15-16

Public Is Invited to Barbecue and Dance

Which Follows in School Gym Saturday Night

Registration will open at 12 noon Saturday at the school gym for V.F.W. and Ladies' Auxiliary members of the Sixth District, who will convene in Rockport this weekend for a district meeting. Floyd Mills, Guy Mills and Mrs. Fred Diederich will be in charge of the registration which will be held from 12 'till 5 o'clock. Mrs. Fred Bracht, Chester Johnson and O. V. Dye are in charge of reservations which

will be handled at the registration desk. The local Ladies' Auxiliary will give a tea for visiting members in the home economics building Saturday afternoon.

From 5 to 6 o'clock will be Army Hour at the barbecue grounds. The U. S. Army Recruiting Service is furnishing the public address system which will be in use both days. Music will be furnished by the Plainsmen, who will also play for the dance later in the evening. Col. Hooker of Corpus Christi, recently returned from Manila and the Far East, will speak preceding the barbecue. State and district officers will be introduced at this time.

Oliver Brundrett, with the assistance of Lyle Diederich and J. B. Dietrich, will prepare the barbecue and serve it following the program. The barbecue sauce will be prepared by Hugh Highfill and Fred M. Hunt. The ladies auxiliary will prepare the potato salad and beans. Three hundred pounds of meat were donated for the barbecue by O. W. Yates and Rouquette and Wendell, which the V.F.W. wish to express their appreciation for. As the paper goes to press only four cases of beer have been donated and much more is needed. Donations of soft drinks are also being sought. Persons desiring to aid the V.F.W. in this matter can leave their donations at the Chester Johnson Motors or contact the general chairman, C. V. Gray and Mrs. Ruth McShan, who will see that it is picked up.

Dance Saturday Night

The Plainsmen orchestra, which broadcasts over KVIC, will furnish the music for the dance which will begin at 9 o'clock. Advance tickets will not be sold. Admission is \$1.25 per person. The dance is not included in the registration fee of \$2.50. The guest fee of \$1.00 includes the barbecue only.

The program Sunday will begin at 10 o'clock when an open meeting will be held at the school auditorium. This meeting is open to the public. Jack Collins, mayor of Rockport, will be on hand to welcome the group. Addresses of welcome will also be given by Jack Horton, representing the Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club, and by Ronald Campbell, who will represent the Tourist Court Association. The remainder of the program will be turned over to the sixth district officials.

After the lunch hour, which is scheduled for 12 to 1:30, there will be a closed business session in the auditorium. The ladies' auxiliary will hold their meeting in the gym. Election of officers for the coming year and transaction of sixth district business will be taken up at this time.

The entertainment committee for the convention is made up of Roy Mullinax, H. C. Mullinax and Ceylon Ammons. Oliver Brundrett and Mrs. Fred Diederich are on the finance committee.

The V.F.W. cordially invites the public to attend the Army Hour, barbecue and dance on Saturday and the open meeting Sunday morning.

WEATHER REPORT

Monday: Max. temp. 81; min. temp. 76.

Tuesday: Max. temp. 80; min. temp. 60; Ppt. .60.

Wednesday: Max. temp. 78; min. temp. 68; Ppt. .60.

Thursday (10 a. m.): Max. temp. 76; min. temp. 70.



WORK AMONG PATIENTS in veterans' hospitals is one of the major activities of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Auxiliary which each year offer the public the opportunity to assist in this worthy welfare program through the purchase of V.F.W. Buddy Poppies. The V.F.W.'s Surgeon General, Dr. W. R. Morrison, is pictured during a recent visit to a Veterans Administration hospital.

Rules Amended Governing Seismic Exploration in Bays and Gulf

The first code in the state's history establishing regulations governing seismic explorations in the Gulf of Mexico for the protection of wild marine life was proclaimed January 12, 1948, as an outgrowth of a meeting held in Austin in September of representatives of commercial fishing interests, oil men, sportsmen and members of the State School Land Board.

These rules governing seismic exploration in the bays and gulf were amended April 7, according to Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office. The rules were changed to read that no shots shall be used in excess of forty pounds instead of the 50 pounds as stated in the first issue of regulations.

Additional regulations were added which require that shots discharged in the bays, inland waters or within one mile of the mouth of any river shall be buried at least 20 feet below the bottom through pipes. The original rules stated 10 feet. After the shots are fired, all pipes left will be immediately removed either completely or so that the top of the pipe left will be at least five feet below the bottom, instead of three feet as stated originally. Shots discharged in the gulf shall be suspended at a depth not greater than one-half the distance from the surface to the bottom and in no event nearer to the bottom than 5 feet or buried 10

feet below the bottom. The applicant shall file, at least seven days prior to the issuance of the permit, a copy of the application with the county judge of the county or counties in which such larger charges are to be used. In the first issue there was no time limit for application.

At least seven days before doing seismic exploration, each exploration party shall notify the Commissioner of the General Land Office in writing of the time and place where such exploration will be made, and send a copy of such notice to the county judge of the county or counties where such exploration will be done. Previously the notification was to be three days prior to the time set for exploration and it was not necessary to notify the county judge.

The new set of rules state that no shot shall be detonated within one mile of a shrimping fleet previously and in good faith operating in the area. By shrimping fleet is meant ten or more boats dragging for shrimp within an area of not more than one mile in diameter.

These rules shall not be construed to enlarge or restrict the rights of any properly licensed fisherman or of any owner of a mineral lease.

Penalty for failure to observe these rules will be suspension of the right to explore the public lands in the gulf.

Rotarians Gain 3 New Members

The Rockport Rotary Club admitted three new members to the organization Wednesday noon at the weekly meeting. New members are Fred M. Hunt, Weldon Cabaniss and Rob Rice.

Forest English, Sam White and J. W. Burns of the Refugio Rotary Club put on a program of Rotary information for the benefit of the new members.

C. M. Denny of Houston was a visitor.

Monday night 12 members of the Rockport Club and seven Rotary Anns enjoyed a dinner and comedy program as guests of the Refugio club. Guests were also present from Tivoli-Austwell.

Wm. McGrath, Rotary member and music director in the Rockport schools, was in charge of the music for the program. The school dance band, consisting of Wilbern Hamblin, Glenda McShan, Rosa Faye Hamblin, Bob Albin, Jimmy Morrison, Jimmy Little, Bonnie Cron, Jean Hinton and Wm. McGrath, played three numbers. Joan Collins and Bonnie Cron played a piano duet. Sallie Weatherly sang two solos; she was accompanied by Jean Faye Johnson. The Rockport quartet sang two numbers. The boys, James Bracht, Steirly Rozzell, Freddie White and Tommy Blackwell, were accompanied by Joan Collins.

Rotarians attending from Rockport were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Norvel Jackson, Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Pollard, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Harbin, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ride, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bracht, Bob Hebison, Dudley Bracht, Bill McGrath, B. T. Harde-man and E. J. Albin.

Alice Doctor to Take Over Office of Dr. Hilderbrand

Rockport will lose one doctor and gain another within the next few days. Dr. Harold Hilderbrand is leaving his practice here to set up offices in Goliad. He closed his office today and will devote the rest of the week to packing.

Dr. L. G. Wood of Alice will come to Rockport immediately and occupy the office space vacated by Dr. Hilderbrand. Dr. and Mrs. Wood will live in the apartment which has been the home of the Hilderbrands.

Dr. Wood is a young man. He is a graduate of Baylor University medical school. The Woods have no children.

Dr. Hilderbrand came to Rockport in April of 1947 and entered practice with the late Dr. Chas. Cron. Last fall, after the death of Dr. Cron, Dr. Hilderbrand remodeled the office and set up practice there.

Dr. and Mrs. Hilderbrand will leave Rockport early next week for a short vacation in Oklahoma. Upon return he will set up his practice in offices in Goliad, which he has purchased from the doctor he is replacing there.

Oil Briefs in Aransas County

Placid Oil Co. A. C. Glass et al No. 2 was being cored at 7,600 feet Wednesday. Tuesday, while running a Schlumberger, a testing device, the recording instrument dropped off the wire line into the bottom of the hole. The crew was having to fish for it Sunday a drill stem test at 7295 to 9305 feet recovered 1600 feet of fluid which showed 5 percent of oil and 95 percent salt water.

Operators have moved the derrick onto location for Milton Jackson No. 1. This well is to be drilled with the rig now drilling the A. C. Glass No. 2.

T. G. & M. Co., drilling contractors for the Atlantic Refining Co. No. 2 State Tract 71 are rigging up and expect to spud in the latter part of the week. The dirt work on the road and T-head to the Salt Lake test are finished and are now being topped with shell.

Sullivan and Garnett No. 1 George Shelley, half mile east of Lamar, is drilling below 5,000 feet. Western Natural Gas Co. No. 9, St. Charles Ranch, 20 miles south of Austwell, is close to the 5,000 foot mark.

The five acre tank site on Live Oak Peninsula is practically completed. Two 2,200 barrel storage tanks will be set up there for the purpose of barging out oil from H. L. Hunt's half interest. A. J. Kellogg of the H. L. Hunt interests is clearing off the location.

Flag Donated To Cub Scouts

The Cub Scouts cleared \$29 at their cake sale last Saturday, which was held at the Model Cash Grocery. Fourteen two-layer cakes and two one-layer cakes were donated by the scouts' mothers. The sale lasted 45 minutes.

The purpose of holding the sale was to raise money to purchase an American flag, a scout flag and scout awards. Mrs. Carl Gray has presented the organization with an American flag, which was used at her husband's funeral. The donation of this flag will enable the scouts to use this portion of the money for other needs.

Those who helped with the cake sale were Bill Buckley, Mitchell Ammons, Wayne Shults, Thomas Garcia, Jimmy Lawrence, Jimmy Mills, Maynard Williams, Orville Robinson and Rudolph Gwynn.

MRS. COLE ON VACATION

Mrs. Lena Cole, housekeeper at the rectory, is vacationing with her sister, Mrs. Nellie Zoller, in San Antonio. She will be gone a month. Before returning to Rockport, Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Zoller plan to visit relatives in San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Weed Cutting For Vacant Lots and Rubbish Removal To Be Arranged Downtown

COMMITTEE PLANS DETAILS FOR THOROUGH CLEANUP TO COVER ROCKPORT AND FULTON

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce met at the fire hall Wednesday afternoon to make plans for an all-out cleanup campaign to be carried out in Rockport and Fulton.

Basic plans were laid by the directors and Chas. Ankele, Lloyd Lassiter and Roy Rogero were appointed to carry out the details. Alec Scott and Bill Jones were appointed to the cleanup committee in the Fulton area. Women who were

asked to serve on the committee were Mrs. Fred B. Hunt, Mrs. Chas. Ankele, Mrs. Joe Johnson and Mrs. J. B. Jackson.

Cleanup week has been set for May 26 to June 2. Every organization in the city will be asked to help. The city council has agreed to furnish some of the trucks to haul off the rubbish as it is collected. The boy scouts have indicated that they would lend assistance in every manner possible.

The directors decided that a mowing machine would be contracted for to cut the weeds on vacant lots from Market Street down to Highway 35 and round the waterfront. The cost of the mower will be divided up among those owning the vacant lots. The Chamber of Commerce will arrange the schedule. Persons who desire to have the mower cut weeds on their property in the residential sections should contact the chamber office and the list of names will be presented to the man doing the work.

Plans will be worked out to have the business houses close for half a day so that each can enter into the work to be carried out in the downtown section. Since it would be impossible to hire men to have this work done, this was suggested as the only practicable way to insure a thorough job. The Chamber will arrange a picnic for everyone taking part, following the afternoon of the holiday cleanup.

The Chamber picked the first week in June for the cleanup, so that the city would not only have a neat appearance to welcome summer visitors, but also to try to have the work done late enough in the spring so that it would not have to be done again in another two months.

The directors ordered 100 placards to be printed for distribution to members of the Chamber of Commerce. The placards are of the size for posting in places of business to designate their membership. They should be ready for distribution by the first of next week.

Former Resident Buried Here Wednesday

Funeral services were held for Henry O. N. Robbins Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Cate Chapel in Aransas Pass. The Rev. A. M. Lewis officiated.

Interment was in the Rockport cemetery.

Mr. Robbins was 88 years of age at the time of his death. He is a former resident of Rockport and was in charge of the Hunt Cottages during his stay here. Following the death of Mrs. Robbins, who is also buried here, he moved to Aransas Pass.

Mr. Robbins died at his home in Aransas Pass Tuesday morning after a lingering illness.

Survivors include two sons, Clarence O. and Charlie A., of Aransas Pass; two daughters, Mrs. J. H. Ranne, of Dallas, and Mrs. W. L. Alexander, of California; one sister, Mrs. W. S. Smith, of Shreveport and 10 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ray and son, John Henry, spent Mother's Day with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Whitfield in Kingsville. They attended church services together.

Along The Waterfront



IT IS THE POPULAR BELIEF around Rockport that if and when the wind dies down enough so that the bays can once again become calm and clear, there should be some fish to be caught. The fish have certainly been having a holiday since neither commercial nor sports fishermen have been able to go out for several weeks except for a day now and then.

THE SHRIMP BOATS WENT out Wednesday afternoon for the first time in about a week. Party boats found the bays as rough and unrewarding over the week-end as in the middle of January.

H. C. FLOYD AND MR. Vaughn of Oklahoma started out for Turtle Bayou this morning in hopes that they might catch some fish since the wind had calmed just a bit. G. G. Gilson and Mr. Robinson went out in another boat with the same thought in mind.

G. G. GILSON AND MR. Thomas went out in the "Kay" Wednesday. They hooked five trout and some gafftops on Long Reef.

PARTIES GOING OUT FROM Mills Wharf this morning reported that the bay was still too muddy for the fishing to be good.

General Revenue At All Time High

The general fund of Texas will stand at \$64,690,420 after Camp-troller Geo. H. Sheppard transfers over ten million dollars from the clearance funds today. The net balance at the end of April was fifty-four million plus. Due to tremendous increases in nearly all sources of revenue to the Available School Fund, Sheppard has reduced the amount taken from Omnibus to make up the fifty-five dollars per capita. This leaves more for general revenue. Crude oil tax is running at almost eight million per month, an undreamed of figure two years ago. Carbon black, cement, sulphur, natural gas, auto sales, cigarette and insurance company occupation taxes all exceed last years receipts and contribute to the general revenue surplus.

Alumni Calls Meeting

A special meeting of the high school alumni has been called for Wednesday night, May 19, 8 o'clock, in the school auditorium. Plans for the annual reception to be given for the graduating seniors will be made at this time.

The meeting has been called by Mary Beth Picton, vice-president of the organization, in the absence of the president, who has left Rockport. Molly Sparks is secretary-treasurer and Colleen Smith is second vice-president.

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Rockport Needs Cleaning Up

Clean-up campaigns are underway or have been completed in many South Texas towns. Rockport is next on the list.

Several cases of polio have been reported in this area and since the exact way in which the disease is spread has not been determined, it is necessary to take preventive measures against all possible sources of infection.

Since it is possible that flies, mosquitoes and insects may be important factors in the dissemination of this dreaded disease, it is necessary to destroy the habitat and breeding places of these insects. Vast undergrowths cover vacant lots in this immediate area and as a result, harbor many of these breeding places.

As it is possible that the primary mode of transmission is by way of the gastro intestinal tract through ingestion of contaminated food or drink, it is necessary to see that individual home sanitation is perfected to include approved water supply, waste disposal and proper treatment of garbage to control and destroy insects around the home.

This clean-up should not only result in neat and clean front yards and vacant lots, but should leave back yards just as clean. If a prize were to be awarded, it should go to the person complying in all respects with the city, county and state health regulations, where garbage, waste and trash are concerned; green grass and lovely flowers around the home will not make up for a lid missing on the garbage pail. Disease carrying insects prefer the contents of the garbage pail.

It will be up to each individual to see that his own surroundings is taken care of. The city and the Chamber of Commerce will make every effort to see that public lots and buildings are cleaned.

This initial clean-up should take care of all accumulated debris. It will be the responsibility of each citizen to see that every effort is maintained to keep it so throughout the year, not only for the benefit of his immediate family, but for the benefit of all.

With the cooperation of everyone, Rockport will be a cleaner place to live and a much better appearing one.



Swinging on Strains of a Melody

Rian Taggart, popular New York model, demonstrates the strength of a new "super-tensile" music string. It was made from the world's strongest steel wire, perfected at Worcester, Mass., Works of American Steel and Wire Company, a subsidiary of U. S. Steel. The string is designed for violin, tenor banjo and guitar. The wire has more than twice the tensile strength of the individual strands spun into cables that support the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge.

Seasonal Advice To Vacationists

Austin, Tex.—Seasonal advice to vacationists concerning the proper precautions to be used in water sports was released from the State Health Department today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

Lakes and ponds of unknown depth, and streams of unfamiliar currents are often the site of picnics and excursions, and the usual lifeguard supervision associated with bathing beaches and commercial swimming pools is, of course, not available in such places.

"Swimming and water sports are beneficial to good health provided one's physical condition justifies this type of exercise," Dr. Cox asserted. "Nevertheless, they possess dangerous possibilities if the rules of safety are disregarded through carelessness or thoughtlessness."

The state health officer outlined the following simple rules for bathing and swimming safety: at least one hour should elapse after a meal before entering the water; upon the first indication of fatigue come ashore, and don't re-enter the water; if chilled, leave the water immediately; do not enter the water when overheated; learn to float—this is important; never attempt to rock a boat in a spirit of fun; and never swim in water that may be polluted.

"Outdoor excursions, picnics, and swimming parties contribute much to a healthy, happy, normal life," Dr. Cox said. "It is by no means advisable to eliminate these pleasures from our summer program, but it is important that they prove beneficial and not disastrous."

Benefit Party Clears \$152

The ladies of the Chamber of Commerce cleared \$152 at the card party-cake auction, which was held at the school gymnasium last Thursday night.

The evening was spent playing 42 and bridge where 13 tables were in progress. Prize for high score in bridge was won by Jas. Sorenson, Jr. 42 players placed their name in a hat and Rev. J. H. Kelly determined the winner by drawing a name. Fred Christilles was the lucky winner of a pineapple upside down cake.

Entertainment was furnished by the Rockport quartet who rendered three numbers. The quartet is made up of Fred White, James Bracht, Steirly Rozzell and Tommy Blackwell.

Chas. Ankele, Jimmy Hunt and Chester Johnson auctioned off the cakes which climaxed the evenings entertainment.

Postal Receipts Up 12 Per Cent

AUSTIN, (Spl.)—Texas postal receipts rose 12 per cent from February to March, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

March receipts from 57 Texas cities totaled \$3,184,006, or 17 per cent higher than a year earlier.

New Braunfels, with 46 per cent, turned in the highest February-to-March gain in postal receipts. Sweetwater reported a 32-per cent raise; Texas City, 31 per cent; and Brownsville, 29 per cent.

Counter to the seasonal increase, Pampa registered an 8-per cent decline from February to March; Kennedy, 8 per cent; Lubbock, 7 per cent; and Longview, 6 per cent.

Substantial increases over Mar., 1947 were turned in by Del Rio, 68 per cent; New Braunfels, 57 per cent; Texas City, 55 per cent; and Plainview, 43 per cent.

The Bureau's seasonally-adjusted index of postal receipts gained 2 per cent to 236 per cent of the prewar base period.

A decathlon is an athletic competition with 10 events.

BOYCE HOUSE



The first time I was ever paged was in the lobby of the Jefferson Hotel in Dallas in the spring of 1928. I was sitting there reading a paper when a bellboy sauntered by, chanting "Paging Mr. House; Mr. Boyce House." I was so astonished that he had nearly gotten out of earshot before I hailed him.

There are some questions that are better left unanswered—for example if your wife asks, "If I were to die, would you marry again?" If you answer, "Yes," she may think you've already got a successor in mind; if you say "No," she may think that you consider marriage such a state as once out of, you'd never return thereunto.

So, brother, sidestep that question.

Someone said, a good many years ago, "The history of Europe can be summed up in one sentence, 'England is an island.'"

The fact that England was not joined to the continent balked Napoleon's dream of conquest and, before that, the attempt of Spain, whose Armada was shattered.

All callings have their pride of craftsmanship. Two street sweepers were talking about a comrade who had just passed away. One praised him highly; the other reflected and then said, "but don't you think Bill was a little weak when it came to sweeping around the lamp-posts?"

Schorpenhauer was known as the philosopher of gloom. He maintained that life was not worth living and that the most fortunate day of a man's life was the day he died. An army advanced against Schorpenhauer's city and thousands of inhabitants fled. In the front rank of the refugees was the philosopher of gloom who had

claimed that life wasn't worth living!

Sleep is a mystery. Someone said that man spends one-third of his lifetime asleep and yet fears to die.

But the mystery of sleep is its perverseness. Shakespeare has a care-worn king declaim that slumber comes to the lad atop the giddy mast when to nod even a moment may mean death but avoids the couches of monarchs.

Shakespeare by no means exhausted the possibilities. For example—why is it that I can sit in an uncushioned chair in the reading room of a public library and drop into a doze; or can, after the cold boiled ham and insipid apple pie of a Rotary Club luncheon, find my head grow heavy and suddenly "come to" with the realization that I have been snoozing while the speaker of the day was saving the world—and yet, let me lie down at night on a bed in a hotel room for which I am paying \$4 and I have had a hearty dinner, if the man in the next room is talking over the phone and his voice comes dimly through a wall, it keeps me awake?

I can sit bolt upright in a Pullman car seat—which is as unyielding as a law of the Medes and Persians—and, in broad daylight, I can slumber. But when the porter has made down the berth and I am arrayed in pajamas and all is dark, lo! sleep is far away.

But if I am driving at night, I may become so drowsy that I have to thrust my head out the window in the cool air, stop at a roadside cafe and drink a cup of black coffee but still have to fight against falling to sleep at the wheel and so give up and stop at a hotel—and then become wide awake until almost dawn.

Why can't I go to sleep? But don't try to tell me; probably I'd be asleep before the explanation was half finished.

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Doings of People You Know In Aransas County

CARD PARTY HONORS GRADUATES

Mrs. R. L. Hart entertained with a card party Thursday night at her home, in honor of Jean Hinton, who will graduate from high school this month.

The Hart home was colorfully decorated with arrangements of Easter lilies and snap dragons. The honoree and guests were presented with corsages. The table was centered with a May Pole, which had memo books attached to the ends of the streamers as favors for the girls. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Three tables of bridge and one table of rummy were in progress during the evening.

Patti Ballou held the high score in bridge, with Ruby Wilkinson claiming low. Wilma Rouquette was awarded the "cut" prize.

Jean Hinton was presented with a gift.

Those playing cards were Mary Ruth Dervage, Hetta Townsend, Loretta Townsend, Patti Ballou, Ruby Wilkinson, Wilma Rouquette, Jean Hinton, Bonnie Cron, Joan Collins, Sissy Rowe, Margaret Patrick, Mildred Wilkinson, Jean Faye Johnson, and Coleen Smith. Other guests were Mrs. Roy Hinton, Mary Ann Close and Dolly Lee Hart.

Mrs. J. W. Townsend is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Townsend, in Edinburg this week.

Dee Jeffries, who had been confined in the Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi for two weeks, returned to his home Monday.

REV. J. H. KELLY MARRIES COUPLE IN SAN ANTONIO

Rev. J. H. Kelly read the marriage vows for Betye Jane Baker and Capt. Wm. Paul Deiss, Jr. at the Gunter Hotel in San Antonio, May 5, at 11 a. m.

The only attendants were the bride's sister, Dorothy Ann Baker, and the groom's father, Wm. P. Deiss, Sr.

Immediately following the reception, which was held in the Victory Room of the Gunter Hotel, the couple left for a honeymoon.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Baker of San Antonio and formerly of Rockport. The groom is a captain in the Army Medical Corp and is stationed at the Port of New York. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paul Deiss of Shelbyville, Kentucky.

The couple will be at home in San Antonio after August 1.

Chas. Stefka and Henry Stefka of Temple, Tex., are visiting at the home of their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewellen of Temple, Tex., were weekend visitors at the Jack Collins home. Mrs. Lewellen and Mrs. Collins are sisters.

Mrs. George W. Walton and Miss Fannie Oertling went to Lockhart Saturday to attend the Caldwell County Centennial celebration.

KELLER TWINS HONORED WITH BRIDAY SHOWER

Misses Jacquelyn and Jonnalyn Keller were honored with a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. R. E. Hawes on May 7, at 2:30 p. m.

Guests were presented with blue cornflower buttonniers as they signed the register. Two contests were held, first prizes went to Miss Melba Gwynn and Miss Jonnalyn Keller, other prizes went to Mrs. Will Hawes and Miss Gloria Salch. The honorees opened their gifts after which refreshments of punch, cake, mints, olives and tiny sandwiches were served.

The hostess was Mrs. R. E. Hawes, junior hostess was Miss Elsie Hawes. The guests were Mrs. Della Critcher, Miss Melba Gwynn, Miss Gloria Salch, Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Mrs. Pearl Russell, Mrs. Woodrow Owens, Mrs. Will Hawes, Mrs. Walton Haynes, Mrs. Arthur Clinton, Mrs. John White and honorees, Misses Jacquelyn and Jonnalyn Keller.

CHURCH CIRCLE GAINS NEW MEMBER

Circle No. 1 of the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. Somer Smith last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas Yarell gave the program on "The Plot of the Bible," a drama of God, sin and salvation.

Mrs. Byron Vance was welcomed as a new member. The circle members joined in singing "Happy Birthday" to Mrs. Henry Bailey. The circle chairman, Mrs. Herbert Mills, presented Mrs. Bailey with a gift from all of the members. Iced cake squares and ice cream were served to 15 members and the new member, Mrs. Vance.

Queen Jean, of the House of Hinton



Queen Jean Hinton and King Jack Davis will rule over the Court of the Old South at the May Fete Thursday night, which is being sponsored by the Camp Fire Girls. The public is invited to the coronation and entertainment which will take place in the school gymnasium at 8 o'clock.

Following the coronation of the queen and her court, the royal entertainers will entertain.

Following the singing of "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," by the Royal Household and visitors, a minut will be performed by a group of youngsters. They are Kathleen Ann Raymond, Judith Lee Collier, Barbara J. Schuster, Marvin Davis, Ann Blevins, Marilyn Morrison, Harvey Flemings, Rodney Johnson, Philip Albin, Dailey Heldenfels, Don Billings and Hank Schleider. Mildred Wilkinson will sing "Love Sends a Little Gift of

court, Gene Smith; Ruby Wilkinson with escort, Bob Albin; Wilbern Hamblin with escort, Pete Sprinkle; Laverne Thompson with escort, Jimmy Hayden; Joan Collins with escort, Sam James; and Berta Shults with escort, Jimmy Little.

Mrs. Lorenz Broeter of Alice visited Mrs. Bertha Harper and Miss Oertling at their home during the past week.

The Most Reverend E. B. Ledvina, D. D., Bishop of Corpus Christi, and Father A. Marx, Chancellor of the Diocese, were visitors at the Rectory in Rockport last Thursday.



DUCHESS NAN STOCKTON of Aransas Pass

Roses," followed by a dance by Clydene Armstrong, Jerry Armstrong and Doris Jean Huffman. The town quartet, composed of Freddie White, James Bracht, Steirly Rozzell and Tommy Blackwell, will render a few numbers. Betty Ann Bluntzer of Corpus Christi, will do a tap dance.

Nobel visitors to the court include Duchess Nan Stockton and escort Jack Meredith from Aransas Pass; Duchess Barbara Bluntzer and escort, Wayne Brooks of Robstown, Duchess Wilda Herring and escort, Bobby Dixon of Ingleside.

Lord High Chancellor is Don Banning; the Herald is Jimmy Morrison. Mike Johnson will be the crown bearer and flower girls are Mary Katherine Hattenbach, Shirley Cole, Jackie Lynn Deason and Terry Ankele. Train Bearers are Mary Lucille Jackson and Betty Armstrong. Gate attendants are Monte Rouquette and Roger Ayers.

Court personnel include Princess Mary Rowe with escort, Frederick Close; Lois Mae Townsend with escort, Herbert Floyd; Daisy Prophet with escort, Glenn Owens; Loyce Mae Shults with escort, Robert Franklin; Bonnie Cron with escort, Leon Brundrett; Betty Garrett with escort, Dudley Prophet; Pat Wallace with escort, Bobby Landrum; Patti Ballou with escort, Richard Denny; Euphemia Falcon with escort, Lauriano Falcon; Margaret Patrick with es-

THELMA SHAVER TO BE JUNE BRIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shaver have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Thelma Mae, to Clifford Moore, of Bayside.

The wedding will be held June 25, in the First Methodist Church. Mr. Moore is the son of Mrs. J. W. Moore of Bayside. He served with the navy during the war. Thelma is a junior in the Rockport high school.

After the wedding the couple will make their home in Bayside.

Rev. J. H. Kelly was in charge of services at the Catholic Church in Skidmore Sunday night.

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Mrs. A. C. McDavid visited at the Travis Johnson home a few days this week. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McDavid, Jr., of Corpus Christi spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Johnson.

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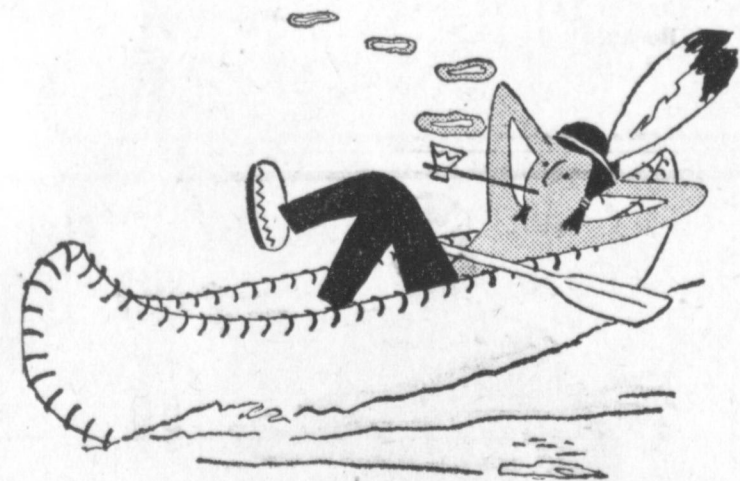
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Former Rockport Resident Recalls Early History on 93rd Birthday

Mrs. Frank O. Skidmore, former resident of Rockport, celebrated her 93rd birthday on Mother's Day. The native Texan was born in 1855 at Bastrop.

Today, this pioneer woman, known to friends as "Grandma" Skidmore, is well and active and has a clear mind and a store of memories on early day happenings in South Texas.

Her father moved to Rockport when she was a small girl. In her 16th year she was married to Frank O. Skidmore, whose father, S. C. Skidmore, was one of the early sheriffs of San Patricio County. In the early 1870s, the couple moved to the Aransas area, where they engaged in ranching.

Herds Sent to Kansas
The Skidmore holdings grew to be one of the largest ranches in this section. Two trail herds were sent to Kansas. In 1884, when the San Antonio and Aransas Pass rail road surveyed a road to Corpus Christi and Rockport, the question was whether the rail-road would go by Goliad or Beeville. Frank Skidmore came to the rescue with a gift of \$50,000 in cash and land, and built the town of Skidmore. From there a branch road was built to Alice, a terminal for cattle shipments.

Mrs. Skidmore also rode on the first scheduled passenger train

east from San Antonio in 1880. San Antonio was then the terminal of the Southern Pacific to the West Coast.

Remembers Raid

"One of Mrs. Skidmore's vivid recollections is the last Mexican raid on Corpus Christi about 1871. She and her husband were en route to the coastal town in a two-horse buggy. They were about two hours ahead of the raiders when they crossed Nueces River at Sharpburg ferry, home of the late S. G. Borden.

"We didn't know about those raiders," Mrs. Skidmore relates, "or we would have driven our horses at top speed. After arriving in Corpus Christi, I went shopping downtown and was in one of the stores when the sheriff came racing down main street on horseback. He was calling all able-bodied men to arms as the Mexican raiders were then on the bluffs above the town murdering and robbing."

At the time of the raid, the town was below the bluff. The raiders appeared on the hill, but never came down in to the town proper. However, the people became panic-stricken, and so many took refuge aboard the passenger steamboat "Alabama," that the boat sank.

This final raid was a success for

the Mexicans because they stole many cattle. Several ranchers were killed, but the Mexicans suffered few casualties.

"Corpus Christi is known for its energy and resourcefulness," Mrs. Skidmore points out. "But never have I seen so much activity per human being since the day of the threatened raid on the town."

This raid and others were the cause of many of the claims made against the Mexican government which are now in the process of being paid. The Skidmores had a claim which was settled recently.

Frank Skidmore was shot 17 times at the age of 21 and lived to be 65 years old. The tragedy occurred at the old John Choate ranch about 15 miles up the Nueces River from Corpus Christi. Young Frank Skidmore and his younger brother, Charley, stopped overnight at the ranch.

In the early morning just before dawn, the ranch house was surrounded by Jack Helm and his gang of ruffians, who began the fight by firing into the house.

The fire was returned by Choate and his son, Crockett, who killed two of the attacking bandits. In escaping from the house, Crockett was killed.

Cared for by Mexicans

Then began a parley between Helm and Choate. Talking through the walls, they agreed that Choate and the others would be spared if they would come out into the open.

Frank Skidmore and Choate stepped into the hallway of the log building. Immediately the firing began again. Choate was killed, and as his wife rushed out and caught him in her arms, one of the bandits shoved a rifle under her arm and fired again into her husband's body. Skidmore was shot 17 times and left for dead.

Skidmore was laid on the front porch with four bodies. Friendly Mexican women cared for him. Charley Skidmore escaped and carried the news to Rockport, where posses were formed. They were followed for a long distance but never caught. Helm was later killed in a pool hall by John Wesley Hardin, a Texas gunman. The battle at the Choate ranch was part of the Taylor and Sutton feud.

Mrs. Skidmore has nine children, all of whom are living. The eldest is R. O. Skidmore, 75, who lives on a ranch at Alice.—Caller-Times

O. J. Hinton of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hinton and two children of Kingsville, visited at the Roy Hinton home over the weekend.

PTA Hears Address On "Education of Tomorrow"

Miss Roderiguez addressed the Tri-County teachers meeting, held here Saturday at the school auditorium, on the "Education of Tomorrow." Miss Roderiguez, a teacher in the public schools in Aransas Pass, stressed that no child is a failure; if he is a poor reader or mathematician, he will excel in something else. She pointed out that all children are born good. It is the environment and associations that make them bad.

She said that teachers are also human beings but parents put them in a pen and treat them differently. As an example, teachers can't dance, but mama and papa can dance all they want to.

Parents should visit the school room. If a teacher can't teach when mama or papa visit, she can't teach when they are not there.

Miss Roderiguez said that sometimes she never gives report cards, as grades on cards are just to make mama and papa feel good and mama got her report card when she was a little girl and went to school. In many instances when Johnny doesn't make a straight A card, mama gets mad at the teacher.

"It matters not on what side of the track a child is born. If the child on the wrong side of the track is given an opportunity he can learn and be as good a citizen as the child born on the right side of the track as no child is a failure," according to Miss Roderiguez.

The meeting convened at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Gilpin of Aransas Pass in charge. The invocation was given by Mrs. Chas. Garrett.

Local unit reports were given by Mrs. McDonald of Taft, Mrs. Gilpin of Aransas Pass, Mrs. Jim Polita of Fulton and Mrs. Wm. Patrick of Rockport.

Mrs. Patrick was in charge of the program. Piano selections were played by Joan Collins and Bonnie Cron.

Refreshments were served in the home economics building. The table was laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of shasta daisies. A salad course was served to those present.

Mrs. Jim Polita, president of the Fulton P.T. A., invited the Tri-County Council to be their guests at the next meeting, which will be in the fall of 1948.

Taft, Engleside, Aransas Pass and Fulton sent representatives to the meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The P.T.A. will meet at the school auditorium May 19, at 3:30. Newly elected officers will be installed by Mrs. S. F. Jackson. The fourth grade will give the program under the direction of Mrs. Prophet.

The emblem of Canada is the maple leaf.

Political Announcements

All Political Announcements Cash in Advance

The Pilot is authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices named subject to the Democratic primaries:

For State Senator
18th Senatorial District:
JOHN J. BELL (re-election)

For State Representative,
70th District:
HARVEY SHELL, (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
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FOR: District and County Clerk:
JAS. C. HERRING (re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
A. R. CURRY, (Re-election)
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J. ED MOORE, (Re-election)

For County Commissioner,
Precinct No. 1:
W. B. ALLEN (Re-election)
G. A. SMITH

For County Commissioner,
Precinct No. 2:
H. C. MULLINAX
E. B. (BERT) CRAWFORD
J. M. (JACK) SPARKS, JR.
(Re-election)
FRED M. HUNT

For County Commissioner,
Precinct No. 3:
J. H. MILLS, (Re-election)

For County Commissioner
Precinct No. 4:
ARTHUR L. DAVIS,
(Re-election)
T. E. DEFOREST

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1:
R. R. ROBERTS
JOE SMITH, (Re-election)

For Constable, Precinct No. 1:
WALTER PAUGH
D. E. HOLLEWAY
G. M. HARRELL

Government Seeks Bids for Grass Cutting

The Chamber of Commerce has received application blanks and details concerning bids which are being sought by the government for the cutting of grass and similar growing materials on the outlying fields of the U. S. Naval Air Training Bases at Corpus Christi.

This information and forms can be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce office by the prospective bidders.

The time for inspection of the fields ends May 14.

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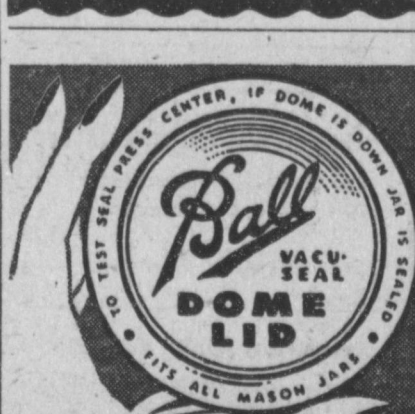
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Students Visit Marine Laboratory

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The marine laboratory is now operating on a 7 to 4 o'clock schedule instead of the hours 8 to 5, according to J. L. Baughman, chief biologist. These working hours will be maintained throughout the summer.

T. E. DeForest Announces For Commissioner

The Pilot is authorized to announce the candidacy of T. E. DeForest for Commissioner, Precinct No. 4, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

A heliograph is a signalling apparatus which reflects the sun's rays.

Morrison Places In State Meet

Jim Morrison and Camilo Delgado entered the University Interscholastic League state finals in Austin last weekend in the track division where Morrison tied for sixth place in pole vault. Delgado entered in the half mile run but didn't place. Both of the boys are sophomores with two years of high school track left. With the boys eligible for the state meet as sophomores, Rockport should find the boys bringing home many honors in the next two years.

Laverne Thompson and Loyce Mae Shults also made the trip to Austin to attend the U.I.L. Press Conference, which was in session from Thursday to Saturday. Laverne, a junior, and Loyce Mae, a sophomore, were not eligible to enter the contests this year. Both are interested in writing and feel that the lectures which they attended will make them better qualified to enter the contests in the future.

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In our town, for instance: Some folks like band concerts, others don't—some families serve beer with dinner, others, buttermilk—and as for politics, there's plenty of healthy disagreement.

But when it comes to denying folks the right to think or act as they choose . . . no, we're like you—we don't believe in it, whether it goes for serving beer, or speaking one's mind on public affairs.

Joe Marsh

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Announcement

The service of Holy Communion and a sermon will be held at the St. Peter's Episcopal Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, May 16, with the Very Rev. George S. Walton in charge.

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FULTON CHURCH Sunday School 9:30 Church Services 10:30

ORDER OF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Aransas County, Greeting:

WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of September, 1947 Rufus Shilling, Aileen Shilling and her husband, Albert Shilling recovered in the District Court of Aransas County, a judgment against Mabel Shilling Collins, Harry E. Collins, Carroll Shilling, Carroll Le Duque (otherwise known as Carroll La Duque) and Joe Anderson, as heirs of the Estate of Mrs. C. H. Shilling, deceased for the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Fifteen and 10/100 (\$1115.10) Dollars with interest from the 2nd day of September 1947, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum and costs of suit; and, whereas, the said judgment is a foreclosure of a lien for advances for funeral expenses, expenses of last illness and for tax payments made on the following described property, to-wit:

All that certain tract, piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Aransas, and State of Texas, and more particularly described as follows: part of Lot 1, Block 211 and all of Lot 1, Block 220 of the Burton and Danforth Subdivision of Aransas County, Texas, according to the map or plat of such Subdivision of record in the office of the County Clerk of such County as said lien existed on the 2nd day of September 1947, and it is ordered and decreed by said judgment that said property be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said judgment. And if said property shall sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, the excess should be paid over to the said defendants, Mabel Shilling Collins, et al. But if said property should not sell for enough to pay off said sums of money, the balance due shall be made as under execution, and such order of sale shall have the force and effect of a writ of possession, and officer executing same shall make a good and sufficient deed, and place the purchaser of said property in possession thereof within thirty days from date of sale.

THEREFORE, you are hereby commanded that you proceed to seize and sell the above described property, as under execution and make good and sufficient deed, and to place the purchaser of the same in possession thereof within thirty days after the day of sale, and you apply the proceeds thereof to the payment and satisfaction of said sum of One Thousand One Hundred Fifteen and 10/100 (\$1115.10) Dollars, together with the interest that may be due thereon, and the further sum of ... Dollars, costs of suit, together with your legal fees and commissions for executing this writ. And if the said property shall sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, then you are hereby directed to pay over the excess thereof to the defendants Mabel Shilling Collins, et al. But if you fail to find said property, or if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy said judgment, then you are directed to make the money, or any balance thereof remaining unpaid, out of any other property of defendants, as in case of ordinary executions. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but due return make hereof within sixty days, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of the District Court of Aransas County, at my office in Rockport, Texas, this 4 day of May 1948. JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk District Court, Aransas Co., Texas c5

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN SANDERSON YOUNG, DECEASED

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of John Sanderson Young, Deceased, were granted to us, the undersigned, on the 19th day of April, 1948, by the County Court of Aransas County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to us, or either of us, within the time prescribed by law. The residence and post office address of Willard O. Young is Post Office Box 181, Aransas Pass, Texas; and the residence and post office address of Tiny Young Gayle is Box 23, Miranda City, Texas.

WILLARD O. YOUNG TINY YOUNG GAYLE Executors of the Estate of John Sanderson Young, Deceased. c6

NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern: Effective March 24, 1948 I will not be responsible for any debts other than those contracted by myself.

Signed: G. W. ESTES 3869 Buell St. Oakland 2, Calif. p4

Henry F. Juergens Announces for County Attorney

During the week Henry F. Juergens announced his candidacy for the office of county attorney. Mr. Juergens has been a resident of Rockport since December, 1947, coming here from Dallas. He was admitted to the bar in Texas in 1929, entering into gen-



eral practice of law and so continuing until the outbreak of World War II, at which time he closed his office and associated himself with a large construction company client for the duration. Juergens is a member of the Presbyterian Church, the State Bar Association, Tannehill Lodge No. 52, Dallas Consistory, Hella Temple, Masonic bodies. Mrs. Juergens and daughter, Nancy, will move to Rockport this month. Mrs. Juergens is a member of the King's Daughters and other organizations doing charitable and welfare work.

Juergens' son, Hal R., is recruiting officer for the army for the Colorado-Wyoming district, stationed at Colorado Springs, Colo.

WED. CLUB PLAYS AT BRUHL HOME

The Wednesday Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. A. L. Bruhl Wednesday afternoon. Spring flowers were colorful throughout the home.

Refreshments of sherbet, scotch short breads, southern shortening cake and coffee were served to members, and guests by Mrs. Travis Bailey and Mrs. Carolyn Hooper.

Mrs. Fred B. Hunt won the high score, with Mrs. Joe Collins taking second. Mrs. Travis Johnson placed third. A traveling prize was awarded to Mrs. A. R. Curry. Four tables of bridge were in progress. Guests playing were Mrs. I. C. Thurman and Mrs. W. L. McBride. Members were Mrs. Fred Hunt, Mrs. Joe Collins, Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mrs. Fred Bracht, Mrs. L. M. Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Miss Mabel Bracht, Mrs. F. L. Booth, Mrs. A. R. Curry, Mrs. J. P. Hanway, Mrs. Jack Sanders, Mrs. Chas. Picton and Mrs. Jas Sorenson.

LUNCHEON HONORS MISS JEAN HINTON

Mrs. Lillian Skimmer gave a luncheon Wednesday noon at her new home in honor of Jean Hinton, graduating senior.

Places were marked for six girls, Mrs. Hinton and Mrs. Skimmer with flower ornament corsages for the hair. A gift was presented to Jean.

The table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of spring flowers.

Those attending the luncheon were Sissy Rowe, Jean Faye Johnson, Wilbern Hamblin, Bonnie Cron, Joan Collins and the honoree, Jean Hinton. Mrs. Roy Hinton was also a guest.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF MILTON O. DELL, DECEASED

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Milton O. Dell, Deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 11th day of February, 1948, by the County Court of Aransas County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and Post Office Address are Rockport, County of Aransas, State of Texas.

F. W. YOUNG, Administrator of the Estate of Milton O. Dell, Deceased. c6

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN BROWN, DECEASED

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of John Brown, Deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 24th day of February, 1948, by the County Court of Aransas County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and Post Office Address are Rockport, County of Aransas, State of Texas.

GEORGE S. WALTON, Administrator of the Estate of John Brown, Deceased. c6

A. & M. College Paper Salutes Joe Johnson, Jr.

The A. & M. College paper in its column, "The Little Batt Salutes," this week handed a bouquet to Joe Johnson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson, who is in his freshman year at A. & M. "If I had a million dollars, I know who I would hire as my bookkeeper. It would be Joe Johnson, freshman class secretary-treasurer. Johnson, time and again this year, has demonstrated his ability for handling large sums of money, a job that often involves a lot of headaches.

Johnson, a native of Rockport, Texas, received plenty of experience in Rockport High School to enable him to handle almost any job. A close scrutiny of his high school record should verify this statement. In the way of athletics, he was a jack of all trades. He lettered four years in football, three years in track, and played three years of first string basketball. During his last two years he was both captain of the football team and an all district player. In the field of student government he had an even more enviable record. He was president of the Student Council, temporary president of the Southwest District Student Council Association for two years, sports editor of the school paper in his junior year, and president of all four of his high school classes. It is easy to believe that he graduated as salutatorian of his class with a four year average of 94.

Johnson has more to keep him busy at A. & M. than just his mechanical engineering course. He is a member of the Brush County Club on the campus, but most of his work is in connection with his duties as secretary-treasurer of the freshman class. Since being elected to this office he has handled the job in a manner for which he deserves the praise of the entire class. "The Little Batt" salutes an Aggie who is a future leader."

YOUNG MATRONS MEET WEDNESDAY AT DICK PICTON HOME

The Young Matrons Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Dick Picton Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to 18 present.

Tea guests were Mrs. Harold Picton, Mrs. Roy Hinton and Mrs. Shelley Roaten.

High score and the door prize were won by Mrs. Roy Woods. Mrs. Harry Mills won the prize for low.

Four tables of bridge were in progress. Those playing were Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mrs. Jack McDavid, Mrs. Arlie Shivers, Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, Mary Beth Picton, Mrs. Norvell Jackson, Mrs. Chas. Ankele, Mrs. Ed Barnard, Mrs. Herbert Mills, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. Roy Rogero, Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mrs. C. F. Ropzell, Mrs. Richard Fox, and Mrs. Roy Woods.

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Gov't League Meet Draws 200 Persons

The Better Government League held a public meeting at the high school auditorium last Friday night. About 200 people attended.

Speakers for the evening were Ronald Campbell, chairman; Roy Hinton, candidate for sheriff endorsed by the league, and Henry F. Juergens announced his candidacy for county-attorney. Other candidates were asked to speak but none responded.

Another meeting is scheduled for the near future. The announcement will appear in the Pilot concerning the time and place.

Scholarships Available For Fifty Freshmen

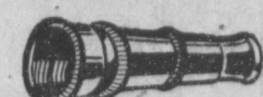
Austin, Tex.—Fifty needy freshmen who plan to enter the University of Texas in September will benefit by \$100 scholarships made available by the board of regents in a recent meeting. Inquiries about the loan fund may be made directly to the Committee on Loans to Students.

Preference will be given to Texas residents who have not previously attended college and who rank in the highest half of their high school graduating classes. The scholarships will be financed by the Wilbur S. Davidson fund. In 1932 Mr. Davidson, of Houston, left a \$100,000 bequest, stipulating that it be permanently invested and the income used to "aid poor boys and girls desiring an education."

The bequest was set up as a loan fund, President T. S. Painter explained, and after the next academic year, the income is estimated to make \$5,000 available annually for scholarships.

"At the present time, most loan funds are not available to students until after they have demonstrated their ability for at least one semester," Dr. Painter said. "The proposed Davidson scholarships are designed to meet needs of poor boys and girls, who have the ability, to get started in the University. Once their fees and first month's room and board are paid, hard-working and aggressive students will find little difficulty in getting jobs."

Heavy Machined Brass



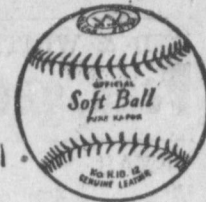
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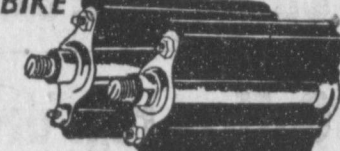
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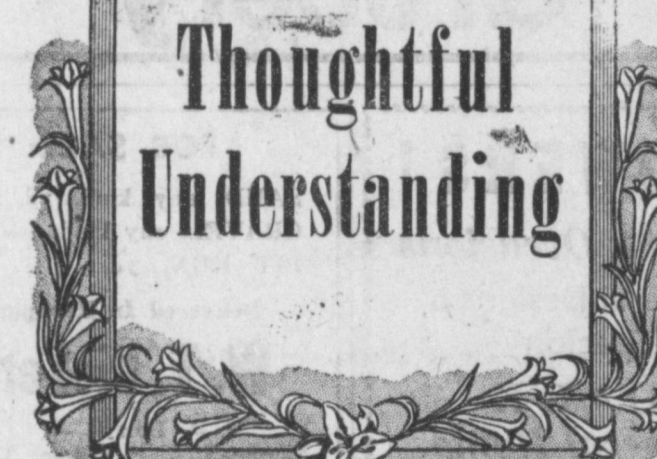


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RED & WHITE Peas, garden, No. 2 can 15c
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ALL POPULAR BRANDS Cigarettes, per carton 1.63
RED & WHITE, GRAPEFRUIT Juice, No. 2 can 5 1/2c, 46-oz. 12 1/2c
FOLGER'S Coffee, reg. drip or pulv., lb. 50c
Rinso, large pkg. 31c
Snowdrift, 3 lb. can 1.13
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Beans, Rose Brand, 2 No. 2 cans 23c
Vinegar, dist., quart 10c
Rinso, 2 for 65c
Peas, I.G.A. No. 2 can 9c
Soap, Lux, 2 regular bars 19c
Flour, Gladiola, 25 lbs. 1.80
Celery, 2 large stalks 23c
Oranges, 5 lb. bag 28c
Grapefruit, 8 lb. mesh bag 22c

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OFFICE SPACE for rent. Rockport Boat Works. ctf
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FOR RENT: Cool 2-room apt., utilities paid; adults only. 2 blocks north of depot. Call 478. ctf
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FOR SALE: 10-man rubber boats, \$25.00 each at Lenoir's Landing. Phone 3795. See F. O. Lenoir. ctf
HOME LAUNDRY. Mrs. Von Huevel. Third house west of Rockport Fish House. p7
FOR SALE-A number of 3-burner butane gas plates. Stevens at The Cedars, phone 3801. c5
FOR SALE-26 inch La France girls' bicycle. One factory built stake 2-wheel trailer. Phone 821. Ray A. Gilson. p5
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Seniors Leave for Bandera Friday

Rockport high school seniors will leave for a dude ranch at Bandera, early Friday morning where they will spend the weekend. Friday has been listed as senior day at the school. This year the class was able to raise funds to enable the group to spend two days at the resort instead of the usual one-day trip former classes have been accustomed to taking. The students will go to Bandera in the school bus and will be accompanied by their room mothers. They will return to Rockport Sunday.

Solomon was the most famous son of David.

A caravanserai is an Eastern inn where caravans rest at night.

There are five athletic events in a pentathlon.

FOR SALE-24-ft. Farley Cabin Cruiser. Perfect condition. 2 bunks, toilet, radio. 120 h.p. Lincoln-Zephyr motor, Scripps conversion. Save \$1,000. R. E. Waters, 439 Indiana, Corpus Christi, Texas. p4

FOR SALE-Late deluxe model Singer vacuum cleaner, 40% off; also beautiful new Eureka with all attachments, \$35. Phone 3524. p4

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FOR SALE-5-room house, 2 bedrooms, built-in garage, 2 lots. Nice residential section, near water. John Ramseur, phone 538. p5

FOR SALE-Chrysler marine engine. Good condition. Price \$100. See Sherman McKinley at Mike's Service Station. p4

Strictly Rumored

That a certain prominent business man was frantically trying to locate his truck at 2:30 in the morning. He had accepted a ride with a friend and could not remember where he had left the truck. He found it where he left it.

That a certain dealer of a nationally known petroleum products company was stranded Tuesday afternoon on the highway between Aransas Pass and Rockport. A passing motorist gave him a lift. When asked his trouble, the dealer replied: "Please do not mention it to Joe Johnson, but I think that I am out of gas."

That a certain businessman would probably wind up in the wood business. He recently purchased a residential lot, friends say he will have enough liveoak wood to put him in business after he clears a spot for his house.

That this column can help anyone interested in getting rid of old, termite-eaten picket fences. We know an enterprising young man who is "going to town" in this business.

That things will really break loose before long in the approaching political campaign.

CARD OF THANKS

Rockport, Texas May 7, 1948

Rockport Pilot, Rockport, Texas. Gentlemen:

We would like to express thru the columns of your newspaper our thanks to the American National Red Cross for the aid extended to us in rebuilding our house that was destroyed at the time of the Fulton brush fire last November. We extend, also, our sincere thanks to the Aransas County Chapter for the assistance rendered us at the time of our need.

We extend a cordial invitation to the friends of the American Red Cross to visit our new home at any time.

Sincerely yours, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. DeForest p4

Tim Haynes underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Walter Nobel hospital early this week. He is a junior in the Rockport high school.

GENERAL

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The Liquefied Gas softball team played a girls team from Taft on the local ball diamond Wednesday night and won 21 to 9. A large crowd turned out for the game.

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Alan Ladd Veronica Lake

TUES. & WED.

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THURS. & FRI.

May 20-21

Escape Me Never

Errol Flynn Ida Lupino

SATURDAY

May 22

Wyoming

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TO THE CITIZENS OF ARANSAS COUNTY



In response to the several petitions presented to me, bearing the signatures of over 300 qualified voters, requesting I announce for the office of County Attorney... I am pleased to now declare my candidacy for such office and submit to the voters of Aransas County for their consideration and support my 7-point platform:



1. As a convenience to the people, as required by law, I will establish and maintain offices within the Courthouse to enable the rendering of efficient and courteous service to any and all persons having business coming within the jurisdiction of the County Attorneys office.

2. To vigorously enforce all laws in a fair, just and impartial manner without special favor to any person or interest.

3. To insist that all persons coming within the surveillance of the law enforcement bodies of the county to be given just consideration that they may be entitled to under the law, and not to suffer any person to submit to police practices not conducive to properly policed and regulated communities.

4. To end for all time the practise of making unprovoked arrests and attendant

sidewalk trials. To see all persons are advised of their legal rights as provided under the law.

5. When required to assist with a Grand Jury on any matter before them I will submit all findings and facts as found from investigations of the County Attorneys office and other law enforcement agency.

6. To insist that a definite and constructive educational program be sponsored for the benefit of our younger citizenry for the purposes of reducing juvenile delinquency.

7. I will represent the county to the best of my ability. I will not become a party to, nor will I divulge information detrimental to the interest and general welfare of the county. I will not use nor will I permit the office of the County Attorney to be used for personal gain.

I sincerely urge that every citizen of Aransas County exercise their rights of suffrage in the coming Democratic Primary Election and by the casting of their vote indicate an uncontroversial demand of their desire of "RANSOMING AND REGAINING THE CONTROL OF THEIR COUNTY GOVERNMENT" which has been so obviously delegated in the past to a chosen few. Elect to this office a competent person who has no outside or special interests so the citizenry of this County may again enjoy all the rights and privileges guaranteed to them under our Constitution.

ELECT

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Sugar, 5 lb. 41c 10 lb. 82c

Tomatoes, No. 2 can, 2 for 25c

LIBBY Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can 25c

LIBBY Stuffed Olives, No. 5 25c

Oxydol or Duz, 1 large 34c

Lipton Tea, 1/4 lb. box 27c

OCEAN SPRAY

Cranberry Sauce, 2 for 39c

Maxwell House Coffee 52c



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