

## Two New Gas Fields Indicated for Aransas County

### Along The Waterfront



The Mills brothers have added a Cub Cruiser to their fleet of charter fishing craft. Steirly Rozzell will pilot the plane. It was used for the first time last week and was acquired primarily to take fishing parties to Cedar Bayou.

Father Wm. Shafer and party of Wichita, Kansas fished with Henry Ballou on the "Lola Jane" last Thursday and landed 172 trout. H. E. Gerke went out with Bill Crist on the "Earline B" and brought in 49 trout. Most of the trout were of the better size.

Sunday Cleo Phillips and party of Waco went out with Henry Ballou. L. H. Cooper and party of San Antonio fished with Crist. The two parties brought in 175 trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mahone of San Antonio went out with Ballou on the "Lola Jane" Monday and caught 88 trout.

Tuesday A. C. Walker and party fished with Henry Ballou and landed 80 trout.

Mrs. W. B. Wheeler, veteran fisherwoman in Rockport, caught 14 nice trout at Tin Can Reef Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Wiede of Amarillo, vacationing at Palm Village, landed her first fish here last week. She caught a 5 1/2 foot shark which weighed 75 pounds. In spite of the fact that her hands were a mass of blisters she was thrilled to death.

Mrs. J. O. Gunn hooked a 63-pound drum off the sea wall Monday night. Mrs. Gunn caught the monster on a 36-pound test line. It took her 20 minutes to land it. Mrs. Gunn complains that she always catches fish that are not (Continued on last page)

### Scout Court of Honor At Port Aransas Mon.

The Boy Scout District Court of Honor will be held at Port Aransas Monday night at 7 o'clock, November 1.

All of the Rockport scouts desire to attend the court but as yet there are not enough cars available to take them. The scouts will appreciate any parents or friends that will furnish transportation should contact Raymond Roberts, scout master.

The Causeway company is making a special rate of 20 cents per person for the round trip.

Mr. Roberts would like to as Mr. Roberts would like as many parents as possible to attend the Court of Honor.

**STAND UP AND BE COUNTED!**  
**VOTE**  
ELECTION NOV. 2  
Express YOUR OWN convictions

### WEATHER REPORT

Instruments are read at the marine laboratory daily at 3:30 p.m.

Monday: Max. temp. 73, min. temp. 60. Barometric pressure 30.0 inches.

Tuesday: Max. temp. 74, min. temp. 58. Barometric pressure 29.96 inches.

Wednesday: Max. temp. 74, min. temp. 65. Barometric pressure 29.90 inches.

Thursday: Max. temp. 76, min. temp. 69. Barometric pressure 29.96 inches. Tide 2.9 feet.

### General Election Tuesday, Nov. 2

Voters will go to the polls throughout the United States to vote in the general election Tuesday, November 2. The polls will be open in each of the four precincts in Aransas County from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The deadline on absentee balloting is midnight, October 29.

The location of the polling place in each precinct is as follows:

Precinct 1, Box 2—Sportsmans Lodge in Aransas Pass, Joe Kring in charge.

Precinct 1, Box 1—Rockport City Hall, Fred Diederich in charge.

Precinct 2—County Courthouse, J. W. Rooke in charge.

Precinct 3—Fulton school house, W. J. Moss in charge.

Precinct 4—Concession hall at Goose Island State Park, Otto Keye in charge.

### Barbecue Will Be Held Sunday At Sanders Home

The barbecue, planned by the Women's Civic Club, will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sanders on Fulton Beach Sunday from 1 to 3, October 31, come rain or shine, Mrs. Sanders said this week.

The barbecue had formerly been scheduled for October 17, but due to the cold wave which arrived that day, it was postponed.

The meat will be prepared by Jack Sanders in the barbecue pits at their home. Plates will be available at \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children under 12.

### Property In School District Increases In Valuation

The present valuation of property rendered for taxation in the Rockport Independent School District is \$2,702,725, an increase of \$257,785 over the 1947-48 valuation. On a 100 per cent collection at the \$1.50 tax rate there is \$40,540.87 collectable in the 1948-49 school year, according to the Aransas County tax collector's report.

The Salt Lake test which proved a gas producer during the past week is the first well to come in in the school district. As a result the school district should benefit from another increase in valuation in 1949.

Construction of the farm-to-market road planned for 1950-51 will provide a saving of \$1000, according to Supt. J. F. Harbin. The school district maintains a bus for transporting pupils in the Rin Con district to the Rockport school. The muddy roads which are practically impassable during some of the winter months, results in a high maintenance bill on the command car which brings pupils to school from that district.

### Heldenfels Bros. To Dredge In Copano Bay

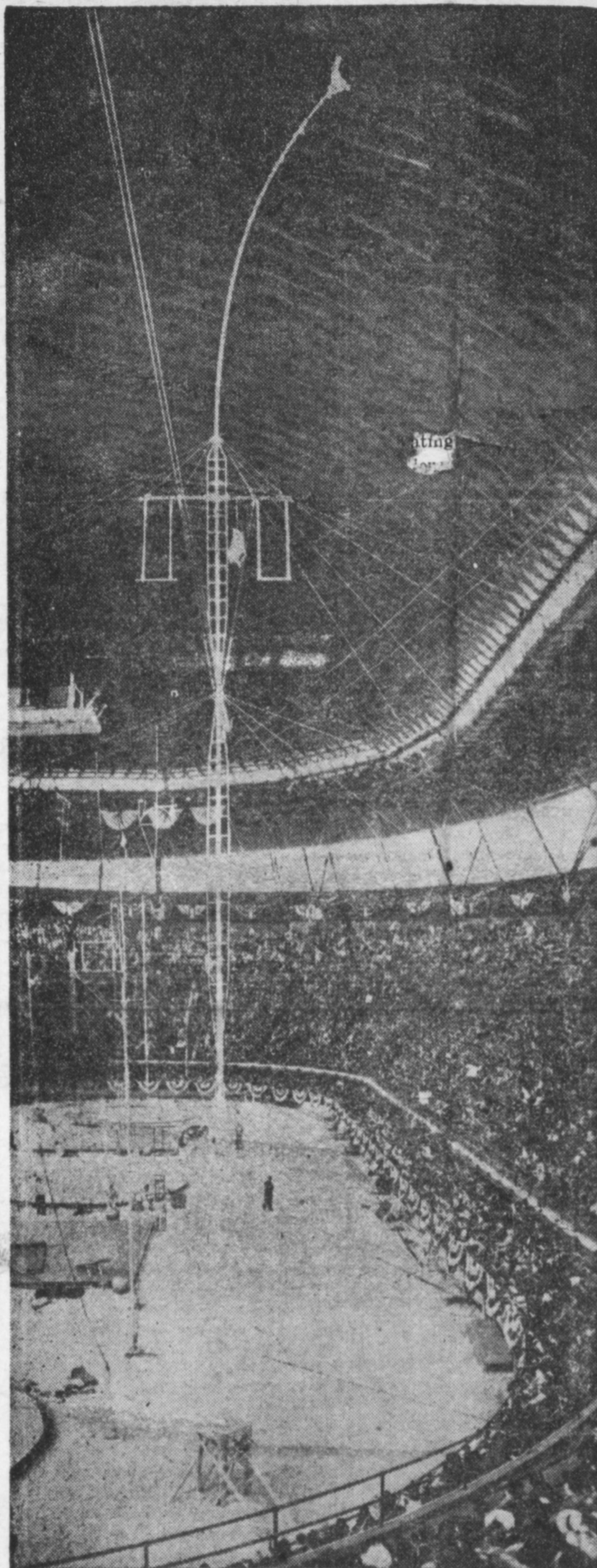
Heldenfels Brothers have applied to the Dept. of the Army for a permit to dredge shell for commercial purposes from an area 1,000 feet wide and 15,000 feet long extending from a point approximately 6,000 feet southwest from Fish Point in Copano Bay in a northeasterly direction along Lap Reef. The area would be approximately parallel to and two miles northwest from the Copano Bay causeway.

### County Offices Get New Equipment

New equipment is being added to the various offices at the county courthouse. An electric typewriter, filing cabinet and stenographer's chair has been ordered for the County Judge's office. One wide carriage typewriter, a filing cabinet, a special cash register and an automatic calculator will be installed in the sheriff's office.

Mrs. Tom Ballou received a cablegram from Sgt. George Phillips in Berlin that he and his bride would leave October 23 for the United States. Sgt. Phillips has not been home in 29 months.

### "The Stratosphere Man"



HOW HIGH IS UP?—A. E. Selden, "The Stratosphere Man," stands on his hands on the top of a swinging, twisting 138-foot steel pole as he whisks over the heads of a goggle-eyed audience in San Francisco. Conspicuous by its absence is a safety net. He will give the same performance daily at the South Texas Fair and Exposition, to be held in Kingsville Nov. 9-13.

### School Carnival To Be Held Sat.

The public is invited to come and enjoy the school carnival at the school grounds Saturday night, October 30. It is being sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association.

The festivities for the evening will open with a program to be presented in the auditorium at 7:30 by students of all grades. A costume parade will be held following the program and a prize will be awarded for the best costume.

Following the program concessions will be ready on the grounds. There will be a Cake Walk with many cakes and pies on hand to be awarded to the winners.

The spinning wheel, grab bag, bingo, penny throwing, fortune teller, fish pond, and ball pitching will be among the forms of entertainment to be offered.

There will be hamburger stands, chili stands, coffee stands, and sandwich stands. Other items to be had will include home made candy, pop corn and peanuts, and a country grocery store will provide a variety of items.

The finance committee in charge of the carnival is made up of Mrs. Joe Johns, Mrs. Ruby Hart, Mrs. Judy Collier and Owen James.

### Fulton P.T.A. To Give Carnival

The Fulton Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor a Halloween carnival at the Fulton school house Friday night, October 29. The carnival will start at 6:30 p.m.

There will be a cake walk, bingo, fish pond and other games. Coffee, sandwiches, candy, cold drinks and popcorn will be sold. The public is invited to attend.

### Pollution Charge Filed With Justice of Peace

Two charges were filed by Game Warden Pug Mullinax this week with Justice of the Peace Joe Smith. One involved a leaky oil barge in the intracoastal canal and the other, a shrimp netting in closed waters.

Charges were filed against L. E. Fuller, captain of a barge towing oil down the canal Tuesday. The company owning the barge has been contacted and the case is pending settlement.

Henry Garcia was apprehended by Mullinax while netting in the closed waters of Copano Bay last week. Garcia paid a fine of \$50 and costs after pleading guilty to the charge.

### City Calls Public Hearing Fri. Night

The city council scheduled a public hearing to be held at the city hall Friday night at 8 o'clock October 29, so that the proposed increase in telephone rates can be discussed.

A report was made at the council meeting Tuesday night that the city dump ground is in as bad shape as it was last summer when the ground was cleaned up and ditches provided for trash by the city and county at a cost of \$230. The council decided to dig ditches and dispose of the trash once more. D. E. Holleway was hired to supervise dumping at the grounds to see that trash and garbage are dumped in the ditches provided for that purpose. Mr. Holleway was given authority to see that garbage is put in the ditches. Violators of the city ordinance regarding disposal of trash can be fined not less than \$5 nor more than \$25.

Dick Picton was appointed by Mayor Travis Bailey as a representative of the council to work with local citizens in an effort to draw up a zoning plan to present to the council for discussion. At the present time F.H.A. homes cannot be built in Rockport due, primarily, to the fact that there is not a zoning ordinance here.

### Pirates Chalk Up Win Over West Oso

The Pirate backfield, though composed mainly of first string substitutes, provided the basis for the victory over West Oso Friday night, which the Rockport team won 25 to 0.

The line that looked so well against Sunden was never able to master the strength they have shown in previous tests. The guards and tackles in the Pirate wall were constantly being shoved aside to leave gaping holes. Only on occasion did they open offensive holes for their backs to thunder through. The passer was seldom given the protection he needed to get his passes off accurately. The pass defense was weak as has been the case all season. The Pirates must hit their stride again if they are to match Gregory and Refugio in the final games of the season.

Rockport completed only 4 out of 10 passes and allowed their opponents the same. The Pirates had 9 first downs to 5 for West Oso and they held an advantage of 300 yards to 150 yards rushing. They had to kick only once compared to 5 times for West Oso.

Rockport and Gregory meet Friday afternoon at Gregory in another conference game. The Pirates and the Wildcats have a somewhat similar win-lose record. The game promises to be a good one as both teams will be fighting to stay out of the cellar in conference standings. The Pirates will be underdogs in this game since their showings have been about equal and the game being played on the Gregory home field.

A large crowd is anticipated at Gregory Friday afternoon to back the Pirates.

### Lions Club Is Organized At Fulton With Arthur Bracht As President

Arthur Bracht was elected President of the Lions Club which was organized in Fulton last week under the sponsorship of the Aransas Pass Club. Twenty-eight were present for the initial meeting. Wednesday night the second meeting was held with members of the Aransas Pass Club. Five new members were in attendance.

Other officers named at the first meeting were H. E. Wilson, first vice president; Wm. Johnson, second vice president; J. R. DeForest, third vice president; E. W. Jones, secretary-treasurer; B. F. Rippy, lion tamer; Jas. Sorenson, Sr., tail twister. Directors are A. L. Davis, A. F. Dervage, Henry Maden and T. R. Wendell.

Committee chairmen are Major Jas. Jarboe, Floyd Rouquette, M.

### Salt Lake Test Structure Different From Fulton Field

#### Western Natural's St. Charles Ranch No. 9 Opens Production From New Horizon

A new gas field has been proven up and a new oil field indicated in recent developments in the Atlantic's V. G. Gwynn No. 1 known as the Salt Lake Test. The well was drilled to 10000 feet with 7 inch casing set at 8,500 feet. On a drill stem test on Monday morning with perforations from 7788 to 7796 feet, on 1/8 choke, the well built up flowing pressure of 2,700 pounds and shut-in pressure of 2,975 pounds. There was recovered 30 feet of 44.5 gravity oil and 92 feet of mud. This is definitely a different structure from The Fulton Beach Field to the north and is more than 2 miles distance from nearest production. The operator is now testing sands higher up with the expectations of making an oil well.

### Suit Against Sheriff Curry Is Dismissed

A \$50,000 personal damage suit filed in federal court in June by Halbert H. Stamper, Flour Bluff carpenter against Sheriff A. R. Curry of Aransas County has been dismissed at the request of plaintiff, U. S. Clerk J. A. Mount said yesterday.

Stamper alleged he was held incommunicado in the Aransas County jail, beaten over the head with a blackjack and "forced and compelled" to pay a \$65 fine without a hearing.

Stamper had asked for \$25,000 as actual damages and \$25,000 as exemplary damages. The suit was filed against Curry and Employers' Liability Insurance Corp., surety on the sheriff's \$5,000 bond of office.

Since then, Curry has been renominated by the Democrat Party as its candidate for sheriff of Aransas County.

In a statement the day after the suit was filed in federal court here, Sheriff Curry said Stamper had been arrested for fighting with his half-brother, Cecil Taylor, and was fined before Justice of the Peace Joe Smith. Stamper spent one night in jail, the sheriff said. His wife appeared the next day and paid his fine. Taylor laid out his fine.

"If any beating took place, it was between Stamper and his half-brother, Taylor," Curry said. "Neither I nor my deputies had anything to do with any violence." The sheriff added that Stamper had appeared before the justice of the peace in person and had not been fined while he was being held incommunicado. —The Corpus Christi Caller.

### Man "Breaks Out" Of Service Station After Taking Cash and Gun

W. L. Mikael, owner and operator of Mike's Service Station, has a story for Ripley. Sunday night \$23 and a six shooter were stolen from the station and the robber broke out of the station.

Mr. Mikael says from all appearances someone was hiding in the station when Sherman McKinley and Mrs. Michael locked up for the night. After taking the cash and the gun, they unbolted the back door and walked out. Mr. Michael and his brother, Weldon Michael, were in Mexico at the time.

Sullivan and Garnett have abandoned as dry their No. 3 Shelley at 7,655 feet. This makes two dry holes and two producers in the Lamar Field.

Hunt-Graham, who are deepening their Spencer-Kent-Crane No. 4, a gas well, are now coring at 7,700. Atlantic No. 3, State Tract 70 is spudding in today. The T. G. & M. Drilling Company has the contract to dig the well. Renwar Oil Corporation has set 1,054 feet of surface casing on its No. 1, State tract 106. This well is a directional well and is the first to be drilled in the Fulton Beach Field.

Standolind's No. 1, State Tract 70 is being completed on gas jet the gas being furnished from Hunt-Graham leases.

The contract for the construction of T-head for Standolind's No. 2 State Tract 70 has been awarded to Scrivner and Richardson of Aransas Pass.

Atlantic has staked the location for its No. 4, State Tract 71. It is 660 feet from the north line and 467 feet from the east line of Tract 71.

### C. of C. To Have Noon Meet Tues.

The Chamber of Commerce will hold their monthly dinner meeting next week on Tuesday at noon instead of Wednesday night, at which time the meetings have been held previously.

Members of the Chamber will meet in the recreation hall of the Methodist Church at 12:05. Mrs. Nannie Deane will prepare the meal. J. L. Baughman will be the speaker for the day. Jack Horton will give a report on the results of the advertising program which has been carried out in the mid-western newspapers.

Members are urged to contact Mrs. Byron Baker at the Chamber office for reservations.

### Tri-County Council To Meet In Fulton

The Tri-County Council meeting of the Aransas, Refugio and San Patricio Counties Tri-County Association will be held at the Fulton school Friday afternoon at 2:30, November 6. The public is invited to attend the meeting.

### You Are Invited—

Zeph Rouquette and R. J. Wendell to be the guests of the Rio Theatre, to see "Song of the Drifter," Saturday, October 30.

This notice clipped from The Pilot will serve as your pass.



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## Rockport Needs

### An Ex-Lettermen's Club

Rockport is fortunate to have many clubs which were organized with definite purposes in mind to benefit the town as a whole but there is one club which is conspicuous by its absence and that is the Ex-lettermen's Club.

The lettermen in Rockport who have carried the Pirate name to victory—and defeat—in years past, are those best qualified to know the needs of the athletic department of the school. Each is more likely to back the department as an individual and as a group they could do a great deal toward fostering athletics at the school.

An association working in conjunction with school officials could work toward a bigger and better athletic department which the school is making every effort to provide.

Besides raising money toward the purchase of better equipment, the organization could provide entertainment for the boys such as a banquet at the close of a football or basketball season, another feature which has been lacking in recent years.

Ex-lettermen who are interested in seeing such a club organized in Rockport are asked to meet at the school gym Monday night at 8 o'clock, November 1, with Coach Chas. Roe, Jr.

The lettermen in the school at the present time will also meet to organize a high school lettermen's club.

### Baseball Tryout Camp In Corpus Christi November 3 and 4

CORPUS CHRISTI—As was announced last week, the St. Louis Cardinals will conduct a two-day try-out camp for young baseball hopefuls at International Park, Corpus Christi, Wednesday and Thursday, November 3 and 4.

Two of the Cardinals' ace scouts Fred Hawn and C. A. "Runt" Murr, will be in Corpus Christi to supervise the work outs. There will be drills in running, fielding hitting and throwing. Several games will also be included in the camp schedule. They will be used in order to give pitchers an opportunity to demonstrate their fast and curve balls. The drills will start at 11 o'clock each morning and continue throughout the day, enabling the scouts to watch the players as they go through their paces. All those found qualified for professional baseball will be offered contracts. Such Cardinal regulars as "Red" Schoendienst, Marty Marion and Enos Slaughter were discovered in Red Bird try out camps, and the scouts are continually on the lookout for more potential stars that can be developed through the famous Cardinal minor league system.

All boys between the ages of 17 and 23 are invited to attend. They are asked to bring their own gloves, baseball shoes, and uniforms if they have them, for the Cardinals do not supply this type equipment for their trial camps. All players signing contracts will be reimbursed for any expenses incurred in attending the camp.

### Building Permits

AUSTIN.—Texas building permits rose 9 per cent from August to September, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Building permits for 49 Texas cities totaled \$32,809,485, or 1 per cent under September 1947.

After adjustment for seasonal variation, the Bureau's index of building permits climbed 31 per cent to stand at 683 per cent of the prewar base (1935-39) period. Building permits more than doubled August levels in Texas City, Marshall, Jacksonville, Brownsville, Lubbock, and El Paso. Counter to the upward trend, sharp declines from August occur in Lockhart, 87 per cent; Denton, 74 per cent; Edinburg, 66 per cent; Nacogdoches, 64 per cent; Port Arthur, 61 per cent; and New Braunfels, 54 per cent.

Cities doubling building permits from September 1947 were Snyder, Lockhart, Childress, Lubbock, and Tyler. On the other hand, substantial decreases were turned in by Midland, 75 per cent; Palestine, 71 per cent; Brownwood, 65 per cent; Bryan, 62 per cent; Nacogdoches, 61 per cent; and Gainsville, 55 per cent.

Leading the State for three consecutive months, Houston's building permits totaled \$7,842,950. Dallas was second, with \$6,867,985. San Antonio, Fort Worth, and Lubbock followed in that order.

Mrs. Glenn H. Mills underwent a major operation in a Cuero hospital last week. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory.

## Political Announcements

All Political Announcements Cash in Advance

The Pilot is authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices named For State Senator

18th Senatorial District: JOHN J. BELL (re-election) For State Representative, 70th District: HARVEY SHELL, (Re-election)

For District Attorney 36th Judicial District: JOHN H. MILLER (re-election)

For County Judge: D. R. SIMMONS For County Attorney: WELDON CABANISS

FOR: District and County Clerk: JAS. C. HERRING (re-election) For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:

A. R. CURRY, (Re-election) For County Treasurer: CHARLEY K. TATUM

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: W. B. ALLEN (Re-election) For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: J. M. (JACK) SPARKS, JR. (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: J. H. MILLS, (Re-election) For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: ARTHUR L. DAVIS, (Re-election)

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: R. R. ROBERTS For Constable, Precinct No. 1: G. M. HARRELL

### Humble to Broadcast S.W. Conference Games

Four Humble Oil & Refining Company football broadcast will occupy most of the afternoon and evening as Southwest Conference teams round the home stretch.

Broadcast of the Texas U.S.M.-U. game starts at 1:50 from Austin. Kern Tips will be assisted by Alec Chesser in the broadcast booth and stations carrying the game will KRLD, Dallas; KTRH, Houston; KABC, San Antonio; KWBU, Corpus Christi; KTBC, Austin; KGNC, Amarillo; KPET, Lamesa; KOSA, Odessa; KIUN, Pecos; KR0D, El Paso; KRGV, Weslaco and KFDM, Beaumont.

From Lubbock the Rice-Texas Tech clash will be broadcast by Bill Michals and Eddie Barker, starting at 2:20 p. m. It may be heard over stations KFYO, Lubbock; KFJZ, Fort Worth; WRR, Dallas; KNOW, Austin; WACO, Waco, KMAC, San Antonio; KRIO, McAllen; KTHH, Houston; KRBA, Abilene; KGH, San Angelo; KBST, Big Spring; KCRS, Midland; KRRV, Sherman; KGV, Greenville; KPLT, Paris; KCMC, Texarkana; KFRO, Longview; KTRF, Lufkin; and KTBB, Tyler.

At 2:20 p.m. Humble broadcasts the Arkansas-Texas A & M game from College Station, with Ves Box and Fred Kincaid announcing. Stations WFAA-820, Dallas; WOAI, San Antonio; KPRC, Houston; KRIS, Corpus Christi; KVAL, Brownsville; KURV, Edinburg and WTAW, College Station will carry the game.

The Baylor-T.C.U. game with Charlie Jordan and Jerry Doggett announcing goes on the air from Ft. Worth at 7:30 p.m. Stations carrying it are WBAP-570, Ft. Worth; KXYZ, Houston; K TSA, San Antonio; KFDX, Wichita Falls; and KWTX, Waco.

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## Blue Crab Investigations Designed To Determine Abundance In Texas

The investigation of the life history and migrations (if any) of the ordinary blue crab, begun 2 years ago by the Marine Laboratory of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, was continued during the past year by the laboratory biologists.

Designed to determine the abundance of the blue crab in Texas waters on an annual basis; to establish migratory routes, if any; to discover where the crabs go in the winter and to ascertain their life cycle, the investigation is pointed toward aiding the Texas crab industry to establish itself on a firm basis. This has long been a problem, for although a small scale crab fishery has been carried on for many years, attempts at a large scale fishery have never met with success, despite the fact that there is a ready market for all that can be caught.

Aransas, Copano and Mesquite Bays were chosen as the work centers for this project, and a series of work stations was set up throughout these three bays so that these centers are surrounded, and, and nearly as possible, so that all migratory routes are covered. At each of the thirty three stations so established, crabs are collected at stated intervals, hydrographical data are collected, and plankton samples are taken, in order to determine the facts governing the everyday life of the crabs.

F. M. Daugherty, Jr., who has been in charge of the investigation, on an annual basis, found that approximately 60% of the crab population in these areas is female, although this ratio was not constant, as in some months there were more males present. Roughly, it may be said that in the inner bays, such as Copano and Port Bays, where the water is freshest, more male crabs were found throughout the year, than in Aransas Bay, where the split was about 50-50. In Mesquite Bay, the saltiest of all, because of Cedar Bayou Pass which leads into it, there were many more females than in the other bays, only 20% of the population being male.

In January, only 6/10% of the annual catch was taken and these were all males. No crabs were taken in February. In March 64% of the collections were made. Two thirds of these were males. This would indicate, according to Mr. Daugherty, that there is probably a fairly large migration of female crabs into the bays during April, the month in which crab production is the heaviest. In the over all picture, he says, there is a rapid increase in the bay crab population during the late winter and early spring, followed by a drop, and then a levelling off during May, June and July. This is followed by a population in Sep-

tember, and a levelling off in October and November.

It was observed that while 39% of the annual female population were potential spawners, only 31% were found with sponge. The first sponge crab was caught on March 16, the last on August 30. Nine per cent of the female crabs with sponge were found to be infected with Sacculina, but it is not yet possible to determine the effect of this infection on the crab population.

## G. I. Insurance To Expire Soon

The expiration of the 8 year contract for World War II veterans National Service Insurance is near. All servicemen are urged to check all mail from the Veteran's Administration for renewal forms, which should be filled out prior to expiration and returned.

The contract may be renewed for a 5 year period with a slight increase in the monthly premium, due to the age change on the policy. The V. A. is expected to send forms at least 60 days prior to expiration to be filled out and returned by the veteran. If these forms are misplaced or not delivered to the insured in time, the veteran may mail in the new premium payment on the month due accompanied by a letter of acceptance of the new contract, which will keep the insurance in force.

The special forms used for contract renewals are not available here but may be obtained by writing to the V.A.-U.S.L.I. branch in Dallas.

D. C. McBride left Thursday for San Antonio where he attended a banquet of the 90th Division. From there he will go to Dallas to attend a school for veterans affairs. Mr. McBride is the local service officer.

## VOTE FOR Judges Retirement Amendment

(The last on the ballot)

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## Marriage Licenses Issued at Courthouse

Marriage licenses issued at the county courthouse during the past two weeks included:

Earle Thomas and Mrs. Helen Williams.

LeRoy Young and Marilyn Brown.

G. J. Crawley and Vina Lee Soward of Aransas Pass.

Boyd B. Pearce and Diane Peralta of Aransas Pass.

Orville Ray Boone and Mary Ann Bogard.

Clarence S. Tippen and Lillian Lurene Taylor.

S. E. Kelly Jr., and Elizabeth Bailey Wright.

Clyde H. Kenney and Eva Margaret Richey.

A phalanx was an ancient battle formation in which men were closely bunched.

The formerly land-locked inlet of the Netherlands, the Zuyder Zee, is now joined to the North Sea.

## I. A. Boys Paint School Cafeteria

Superintendent J. F. Harbin stated this week that the school cafeteria is being painted by the boys in the Industrial Arts class instead of J. W. Wilkinson, as was reported last week in the Pilot.

Mr. Harbin reported that this is one of the projects which the boys will carry out in line with their class work and that they will be graded on it.

The paint was purchased with donations from members of the school board, T. C. Kelly, Hugh Morrison and J. B. Jackson.

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**Presbyterians Observe Home Mission Week**  
 Special home mission week will be observed at the Presbyterian church next week, Monday through Friday. A prayer service for the different home missions will be held in the Sunday School annex of the church each afternoon at 4 o'clock.  
 Friday a luncheon will be held at the annex followed by a book review, "On our own Doorstep," by Mrs. S. F. Jackson.  
 Mrs. Herbert Mills is chairman of home mission week. Social chairmen, Mrs. Somer Smith and Mrs. Rufus Casterline, will arrange for the luncheon.  
**Attend Dist. Conference**  
 A group from the Methodist church went to Beeville today to attend the District Conference which is being held there. Those who made the trip are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thompson, Rosa Fay Hamblin, Thelda Haynes, Joy Townsend, Mrs. T. C. Kelly, Mrs. Tootsie Smith, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, Mrs. G. E. Cooke and Rev. W. B. Wheeler.  
 William E. Gladstone, four-times prime minister of England, was called "The grand old man of politics."

**Railroad Commission Issues Field Rules for Fulton Beach Field**

The Railroad Commission of Texas held a hearing on July 2 to consider the application of the William Herbert Hunt Trust Estate for the adoption and promulgation of field rules to apply to the Fulton Beach Field. From evidence submitted at the hearing the commission found that the granting of the application would not cause waste and would provide for a more orderly development and operation of the field.  
 The Railroad Commission has ordered that the following set out rules be adopted to govern the drilling, completion and operation of wells in the Fulton Beach Field until further ordered by the Commission:  
**RULE 1.** No well for oil or gas shall hereafter be drilled nearer than nine hundred thirty three (933) feet to any well completed in or drilling to the same reservoir and located on the same lease, tract or farm, or less than three hundred thirty (330) feet to any lease line, property line or subdivision line; provided, however, that the Commission will, in order to prevent waste or to prevent the confiscation of property, grant exceptions to permit drilling within shorter distances than herein prescribed whenever the Commission shall have determined that such exceptions are necessary either to prevent waste or to prevent the confiscation of property. When an exception to this rule is desired application therefor shall be filed and will be acted upon in accordance with the applicable provisions of Commission Statewide Rules 37 and 38, which applicable provisions of said rules are incorporated herein by reference.  
 In applying this rule the provisions of the general order of the Commission relating to the subdivision of property shall be observed.  
**RULE 2.** The casing program of all wells hereafter drilled in the Fulton Beach Field shall include two strings of pipe set in accordance with the following program:  
 (a) The surface string shall be new or reconditioned pipe, tested to 1200 psi. and shall be set for surface casing at a depth of not less than one thousand (1000) feet below the surface. Sufficient cement shall be used to fill the annular space back of the casing from the top of the casing shoe to the bottom of the cellar or surface of the ground. Cementing shall be by the pump and plug method. Cement shall be allowed to stand under pressure a minimum of sixteen (16) hours and a total of twenty-four (24) hours before drilling the plug or initiating tests. Casing shall be tested by pump pressure in the following manner: Pump pressure of at least one thousand (1000) pound per square inch shall be applied. If at the end of thirty (30) minutes pressure shows a drop of one hundred (100) pounds or more, the casing shall be condemned. After corrective operations the casing shall again be tested in the same manner until it shall have met the requirements herein set out.  
 (b) The producing or oil string shall be new or reconditioned casing that has been tested to two thousand (2000) pounds per square inch, and after cementing it shall be tested by pump pressure in the following manner: Pump pressure of at least fifteen hundred (1500) pounds per square inch shall be applied. If at the end of thirty (30) minutes the pressure shows a drop of one hundred fifty (150) pounds or more, the casing shall be condemned. After corrective operations the casing shall again be tested in the same manner until it shall have met the requirements herein set out.  
 The producing string shall be cemented at the top of the oil horizon or lower. Cementing shall be by the pump and plug method. A sufficient quantity of cement shall be used to fill the annular space back of the pipe to a point above all producing sands. Cement shall be allowed to stand under pressure a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours before drilling the plug or initiating tests.  
 The provisions of the term "under pressure" as used herein are compiled with if a float collar is used and found to be holding at the completion of the cement job.  
**RULE 3.** A blowout preventer, master gate and other connections for keeping the well under control at all times shall be installed as soon as pressure is released from the surface casing. The blowout preventer on the 1000-foot string of pipe shall be of dual control, or of such type of construction and operation as to satisfy any test which may be required by the Commission. Blowout preventers shall be tested at least once every twenty-four (24) hours; all control equipment shall be in good working order and condition at all times.  
**RULE 4.** Christmas Tree fittings or wellhead connections shall have a minimum test pressure of six thousand (6000) pounds per square inch.  
**RULE 5.** A potential test of each well shall be taken and such test shall be of such duration as to permit the well, if it is capable of so doing, to produce that amount of oil which would accrue to it by the application of the allocation formula prescribed for the field in the then current proration schedule. The potential test in no case shall be less than eight (8) hours nor more than twenty-four (24) hours. A potential test shall be commenced only after the well has been stabilized by being produced at the approximate potential rate.  
**RULE 6.** All flowing wells shall be equipped so that bottomhole pressure tests may be taken at any time, and oil wells shall be equipped in such manner that the duly authorized agents of the Commission may make potential tests, gas-oil ratio tests, bottomhole pressure tests, and any other tests which may be deemed necessary on any well at any time, and the owner or operator of such well is hereby directed to do all things that may be required of him by the Commission's agents to properly make such tests.  
**RULE 7.** The acreage assigned the individual oil well for the purpose of allocating allowable oil production thereto shall be known

**Cemetery Assn. Will Sell Utility Bags For the Refrigerator**

The Cemetery Association met at the regular session Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John C. Sorenson.  
 The association has ordered a quantity of refrigerator utility bags and will sponsor the sale of them. They will be here in time to be used for Christmas gifts.  
 The association reports that there are still some cook books on hand which could also be used as gifts.

as a proration unit. No proration unit shall contain more than forty (40) acres except as hereinafter provided, and the two points farthest removed one from the other and contained within any proration unit shall not be in excess of twenty-one hundred (2100) feet apart; provided, however, that in the case of long and narrow leases or in cases where because of the shape of a lease such is necessary to permit of the utilization of tolerance acreage, the Commission may, after proper showing, grant exceptions to the limitations as to the shape of proration units as herein contained. All proration units however, shall consist of acreage which can reasonably be considered to be productive of oil.  
 If after the drilling of the last well on any lease, and the assignment of acreage to each well thereon, in accordance with the regulations of the Commission, there remains an additional unassigned lease acreage of less than forty (40) acres, then and in such event the remaining unassigned lease acreage up to and including a total of ten (10) acres may be assigned to the last well drilled on such lease or may be distributed between any group of wells located thereon so long as the proration unit or units resulting from the inclusion of such additional acreage meets the limitations prescribed by the Commission.  
 Operators shall file certified plats of their properties in the field, which plats shall show all of those things pertinent to the determinations of the acreage claimed for each well hereunder.  
**RULE 8.** The daily total oil allowable for the field as fixed by the Commission, after deductions have been made for marginal wells, high gas-oil ratio wells, and wells which are incapable of producing their allowables, as determined hereby, shall be distributed among the remaining producing wells in the field on the following basis:  
 (a) The daily acreage allowable for each well shall be that proportion of fifty (50%) per cent of the remaining daily field allowable which the acreage assigned to the well bears to the acreage assigned the remaining wells in the field.  
 (b) The daily per well allowable for each well shall be determined by dividing fifty (50%) per cent of the total remaining field daily allowable by the remaining number of producing wells in the field.  
 (c) The total daily oil allowable for each well shall be the sum of its acreage and per well allowables.  
 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this cause be held open on the docket for such other and further orders as may be necessary.  
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**Veteran Newspaperman Dies At Three Rivers**

Jim Cunningham, veteran newspaper man of 49 years, died in Three Rivers Tuesday evening. Mr. Cunningham has been editor and publisher of the Three Rivers paper since 1913. He is a half-brother of Rev. G. T. Cunningham and a brother-in-law of Mrs. J. O. Blackwell.

**Artists Make Sketching Trip To Rockport**

Members of the Victoria Art Guild spent Wednesday sketching at Rockport. At noon they were the luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Simon G. Micheal. Mr. Michael is a noted eastern artist who is now living at Rockport and is instructor for the guild.  
 Members present at Rockport Wednesday included Mrs. E. F. Ritchey, Mrs. Brett Baillio, Mrs. Marion Fisher, Mrs. Dick Turpin, Mrs. C. C. Kerelegon, Mrs. Ball and Steve Galembeski.

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**Immediate Commissions Offered Qualified Vets.**

Qualified veterans of the Armed Forces who have completed two years of college can get immediate commissions as second lieutenants in the Officers' Reserve Corps under a plan recently announced by the Department of the Army. Successful applicants will be given two years active duty with the Army.

The program is part of an intensive nation-wide campaign to rebuild the officer strength, particularly in the company grades. The expansion of the Army has created many openings in the officer grades.

The new plan provides one of the simplest and easiest means for qualified young men to attain commissioned status ever offered by the Army. Qualified applicants, of whatever previous rank in the Army, Marine Corps, Air Force, or Coast Guard, will be given commissions immediately, followed by a 12-week course in a branch service school to prepare them for their responsibilities as an officer. It is believed the offer will attract a large number of qualified young men who did not attain commissioned status during the recent war.

The offer is open to men between the ages of 19 and 32, who have had at least one year's active service in any of the Armed Forces of the United States during the period December 7, 1941, and June 30, 1947. The educational requirements specify that applicant must have completed two years at a nationally accredited college or university, and score at least 110 in the Army's General Classification Test.

Applicants must pass a physical examination and be approved by a board of officers. These boards are located throughout the United States, at Army posts and stations and at U. S. Army recruiting district headquarters.

This opportunity for commissioned status also is available to men now serving in the Army.

Because the policy of the Army is to encourage young men to complete their education, college students, or men scheduled to attend college at the time of expected entry on active duty, are not eligible.

U. S. Army recruiting stations will begin to receive applications at once. Men already in the Army will send their applications through military channels. It is expected the first group of men will start their 12-week training course about December 1.

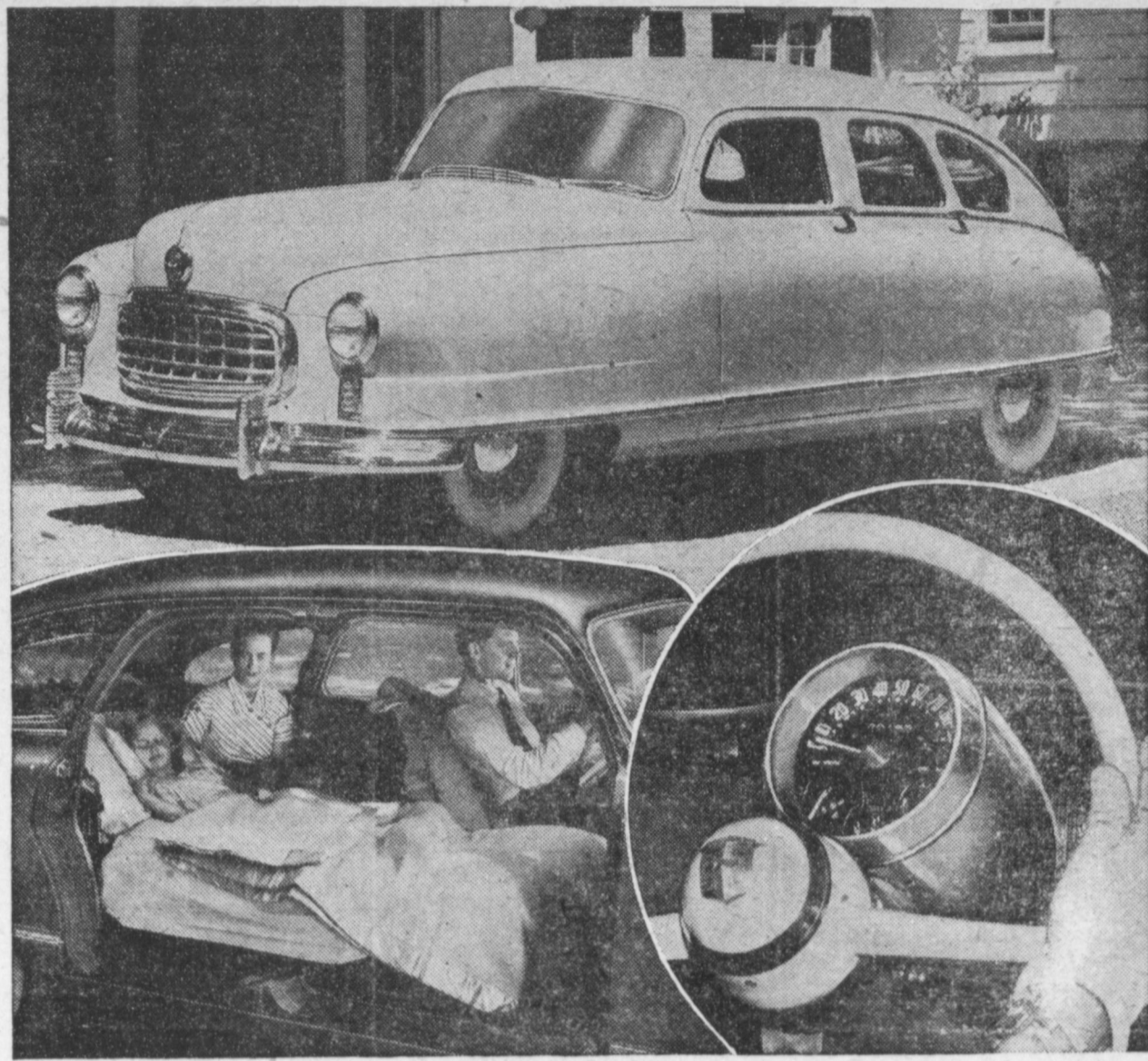
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instrument panel have been relocated directly in front of the driver and housed in a single grouping, identified as the 'Uniscope,' mounted on the steering column. Full-length twip convertible beds, shown in a cutaway view above, are an outstanding new development available in 2-and-4-door sedan models. The beds are quickly made up to provide a single bed en route or a double bed when the car is not in motion. Among many other features is a new one-piece curved safety glass windshield.

No. 372

**NOTICE IN PROBATE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Aransas County—Greeting:  
**YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED** to cause to be published once, and said publication shall not be less than ten days before the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in Aransas County, the following notice:  
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mary H. Hall, Deceased and particularly the following named heirs of the said Mary H. Hall, to-wit:

Mary Estella Stallcup, Cora Jones, Irene Reeder, Marie Durham, Marjorie Clewis, Bryan S. Dunsworth, Floyd R. Dunsworth, Harvey Stallcup, R. A. Stallcup, Lora Mae Waller, Vallie Thornton, S. A. Alley, Rachel Proctor, and J. L. Jones as Guardian of the Estate of Dallas Whittaker, N. C. N., all of whom are residents of the State of Texas; and L. Mertice McIntire, Jessie J. McIntire, Gladys Ragsdale, Emma Golithly, Ralph Edward Dunsworth, Phyllis Baldwin, and John Stallcup, all of whom are non-residents of the State of Texas. A. C. Glass, Administrator, has filed an application in the County Court of Aransas County, on the 21st day of October, 1948 for a hearing and audit of his Final Account and Exhibit of Said Estate and Petition for Distribution of said

Estate which said application will be heard by said Court on Monday the 22nd day of November, 1948, at the Court House in said County, in Rockport, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court, at the time aforesaid, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, at Rockport this 27th day of October, 1948.

JAS C. HERRING, Clerk.  
County Court, Aransas County, Texas.

By Wretha B. Johnson,  
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I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the original writ now in my hands.  
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contributing cakes, pies, and coffee, the men contributing the meat for barbecuing, and the beer or ale.

From where I sit, it's this simple wholesome side of country life in America—its spirit of good-fellowship—that makes for tolerance and better understanding between neighbors.

As I say, Neighbor, any one can join up! So come along a week from this Saturday.

Joe Marsh

**Texans Will Vote For Amendment No. 2**

Regardless of which party wins the November 2 election, Texas voters will chalk up another first in the state's political history according to John Ben Sheppard, chairman of the non-political Texas Committee for Redistricting.

"For the first time Texans are being given the opportunity to vote for automatic redistricting," Sheppard pointed out. "Constitutional Amendment Two, which provides for state-wide redistricting, has been hailed as one of the most important amendments ever submitted to voters."

Sheppard predicted overwhelming voter approval for Constitutional Amendment Two which will replace the present antiquated system of apportionment under which many sections of Texas are denied fair representation in the State Legislature.

"Texas has not been redistricted in 27 years," Sheppard stated. "Although there have been tremendous increase in population in many counties during that time, these areas have no more voice in the operation of our state government than they had in 1921 when the state was last redistricted."

Under Constitutional Amendment Two a board is provided to redistrict the state according to population after every Federal census if the Legislature fails to do so.

Sheppard, former national president of the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, is heading the non-partisan Texas Committee for Redistricting organized by more than 1000 prominent Texans from all parties and all areas to urge support for Amendment Two.

Gubernatorial candidates of both the Democratic and Republican parties, six former Texas Governors, labor organizations, the League of Women Voters and numerous civic groups have endorsed Amendment Two, Sheppard stated.

"Amendment Two assures fair representation for all Texans in the Legislature," Sheppard declared. "Therefore, it deserves the support of every fair-minded Texan at the polls on November 2."

In 1925 Mary Kay Browne held national ranking in both golf and tennis.

Branches of the banyan tree send down shoots which pierce the earth and take root.

**Civil Service Examiners List Vacant Positions**

The Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, San Antonio, Texas, has announced examination for the position of Heat Treater, salaries for this position range from \$1.54 to \$1.63 per hour; Aircraft Plastic Worker, salaries for this position range from \$1.10 to \$1.33 per hour; Inspector (Diesel-Electric Locomotive), salaries for this position range from \$4,855.80 to \$5,608.20 per annum, according to Elyse Henry, Executive Secretary, today.

These positions will be filled at all Government establishments in the vicinity of San Antonio, Texas. Applications will be accepted until further notice.

No written test is required. Applicants' qualifications will be judged from a review of statements as to experience, education, and training. Credit will be given for all valuable experience of the type required, regardless of whether compensation was received or whether the experience was gained in a part-time or full-time occupation.

Applicants must have reached

their 18th birthday but must not have passed their 62nd birthday on the date of filing application. These age limits do not apply to persons entitled to veterans preference.

Application forms and further information may be obtained from the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, 527 Federal Building, San Antonio, Texas.

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# Society

Doings of People You Know In Aransas County

## KELLY-WRIGHT MARRIAGE PERFORMED HERE FRIDAY AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Miss Betty Wright, daughter of Admiral and Mrs. W. L. Wright of Aransas Pass, became the bride of S. E. Kelly, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Kelly of Aransas Pass, in a single ring ceremony performed at the Episcopal Church in Rockport Friday night at 7:30, October 22. The Very Rev. George S. Walton officiated.

The bride wore a white satin gown with chiffon yoke and ruffle. The full skirt extended into a train. She wore a floor-length veil, which had been worn by her mother when she was married, which was held by a halo of old family lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses centered with two orchids.

Miss Nancy Wright, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a gown of gold crepe fashioned from the same pattern as that of the bride. She carried a bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums tied with a chartreuse ribbon.

W. C. Kelly, Freer, Texas, brother of the groom, was the best man.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the Wright home in Aransas Pass. The dining room table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with the brides bouquet. A three tiered wedding cake centered with a miniature bride and groom was cut by the bride and served by James I. Goodgion of Corpus Christi, brother of Mrs. Wright. Miss Nancy Wright poured the punch. About 70 persons attended the reception.

The couple left for a short wedding trip at New Braunfels and San Antonio following the reception. They are making their home in Aransas Pass.

Mr. Kelly is employed in Rockport by the Central Power and Light Company.

## WED. BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED AT J. H. MILLS HOME

The Wednesday Bridge Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. J. H. Mills last Thursday afternoon. The Halloween motif was carried out in the decorations.

Mrs. Fred Bracht won the high score. Second high was claimed by Miss Mabel Bracht and third went to Mrs. Fred Christilles.

Four tables of bridge were in progress. Those playing were Mrs. Fred B. Hunt, Mrs. Fred Christilles, Mrs. J. P. Hanway, Mrs. Fred Booth, Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mrs. L. M. Bracht, Mrs. Fred Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Miss Mabel Bracht, Mrs. L. E. Sanders, Mrs. Jas. Sorenson, Mrs. C. C. Fowler, Mrs. C. F. Rozzell, Mrs. C. A. Hopkins, Mrs. Joe Collins and Mrs. Harry Mills.

Favors were little hats. Refreshments of chiffon pumpkin pie, cheese puffs, salted nuts, coffee and Halloween candies were served.

## BEASLEYS GIVEN HOUSE WARMING

Mrs. Shelley Roaten and Mrs. Urban Hemmi were hostesses to a housewarming party given in honor of Mrs. W. E. Beasley at her new home Monday night. The Halloween motif was carried out in the decorations.

After the gifts were opened, refreshments of open faced sandwiches, potato chips, olives, cookies mints and punch were served to the following: Mrs. Robert Key, Mrs. Ernest Russell, Mrs. M. H. Hall, Mrs. Calvin Cole, Mrs. Lillian Skinner, Mrs. Tom Shults, Mrs. Bertha Harper, Mrs. Gus Engeling, Mrs. Albert Lee Ballou, Miss Mollie Sparks, Mrs. Emory Spencer, Mrs. S. L. Sorenson, Mrs. Mabel Bryant, Miss Ruth Lipscomb, Mrs. Reid Simmons, Mrs. G. T. Cunningham, Mrs. Pat Hooper and Mrs. R. R. Roberts.

## ALTAR SOC. HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The Sacred Heart Altar Society held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon, October 26, in the Catholic school. Father Bockholt met with the group.

Those who attended were Mrs. J. F. Harbin, Miss Mabel Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Mrs. Arlie Shivers, Mrs. Raymond Roberts, Mrs. Lena Cole, Mrs. Arthur Curry Mrs. Urban Hemmi, Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mrs. Annie McGrath, Mrs. W. F. Close, Miss Vivian Picton, Miss Grace Smith, Miss Velma Picton, Mrs. Chas. Picton and Mrs. Elva Mullinax.

## REBEKAHS HOLD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Members of the Rebekah Lodge held their monthly birthday party at a potluck supper at the I.O.O.F. hall Tuesday night. Those whose birthdays were honored were Miss Augusta Deano, Fred Clodermant and Miss Ruth Lipscomb.

The hall was decorated with Jack O'Lanterns and greenery. The Halloween motif was carried out in the table decorations.

Five visitors were present from Aransas Pass. They were Mrs. Noble Manship, Mrs. Pearl Garner, Mrs. Georgia Stirk, Mrs. Mildred Fender and Mrs. Irene Monroe.

The committee of the month had charge of the entertainment and decorations.

## W.S.C.S. MEETS AT HAMBLIN HOME

The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. B. W. Hamblin Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Garrett and Mrs. Homer Graham as hostesses.

The program an Alaska was followed by the regular business meeting. Refreshments of cookies, candies, chocolate and coffee were served to Mrs. Oscar Thompson, Mrs. G. E. Cooke, Mrs. Frieda Harris, Mrs. Regina Phelps, Mrs. Neil Raulerson, Mrs. John Baugh and son, Mrs. J. W. Townsend, Mrs. Curtis Harnist, Mrs. J. E. Sontag, Mrs. T. C. Kelly, Mrs. Ed Moore, Mrs. J. A. Rogers, Mrs. Homer Graham, Mrs. Chas. Garrett, Mrs. Nellie Johnson, Mrs. Howard Kinsey Mrs. W. B. Wheeler, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin and daughters, Joy and Rosa Faye.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mills attended the Texas-Rice football game in Houston last Saturday.

## BLOW, WINTER WINDS!



All buttoned up in a smart cotton velveteen overcoat, this fashionable young lady is ready for cold winter winds to howl. Her topcoat by Jane Derby in Juilliard's Juliette velveteen is warm as toast and high-style, too. The National Cotton Council reports that velveteen coats are among the most popular of the new winter fashions.

## BRIDGE PARTY AT CONCESSION HALL

Mrs. Roy Woods entertained with a bridge party at the concession hall at Goose Island State Park Wednesday afternoon. The Halloween motif was carried out in the decorations.

Mrs. Chas. Ankele was awarded the prize for high score. Second high was won by Mrs. Herbert Mills. Mrs. T. J. Johnson claimed the traveling prize.

Six tables of bridge were in progress. Those playing were Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. C. C. Fowler, Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss, Mrs. Emory Spencer, Mrs. Richard Fox, Miss Shirley Johnson, Mrs. Jack McDavid, Mrs. Chas. Roe, Sr., Mrs. C. F. Rozzell, Mrs. Steirly Rozzell, Mrs. Harold Picton, Mrs. Ed Barnard, Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. Roy Rogero, Mrs. Arlie Shivers, Mrs. Dick Picton, Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, Mrs. DeWilton Jeffries, Miss Mary Beth Picton, Mrs. Chas. Ankele, Mrs. Herbert Mills and Mrs. T. J. Johnson.

Refreshments of a salad plate with sandwiches and coffee were served.

## Junior Stamp Club Meets

The first Junior Stamp Club meeting was held at the school cafeteria Saturday night. Seven youngsters were present. The next meeting will be held at the cafeteria November 6.

Sponsors of the group are Urban Hemmi and J. L. Baughman.

Mrs. John C. Squiers Sr. of Detroit, Michigan, arrived in Rockport this week where she will visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Albin. Mrs. Squiers plans to be here for several weeks.

## Lack of Refrigeration Contributes to Disease

AUSTIN.—From statistics compiled by the State Health Department, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer has disclosed that a lack of proper refrigeration contributes materially to the total disease outbreaks for one year, caused from foods other than milk and milk products.

During the year, there were 299 outbreaks of diseases from contaminated foods, incapacitating 12,526 persons, 17 of whom died. "The food poisoning was usually caused from contamination through insanitary conditions, infections of food handlers, or even more significance, lack of early and adequate refrigeration," Dr. Cox said. "Even when contaminated, foods will seldom develop toxins sufficient to cause poisoning if properly refrigerated promptly after preparation. Outbreaks caused from foods have totaled nearly six times the number caused from water or milk."

The State Health Officer pointed out that the consuming public is, in many cases, protected by proper enforcement of sanitation standards for eating establishments such as are set up in the United States Public Health Service Milk Ordinance and Code. The public is entitled to a good, clean, safe and wholesome food supply, including milk which has been produced under strict sanitary conditions and properly refrigerated. This is a great protection against disease outbreaks caused by contaminated foods of various kinds, and Dr. Cox said this was especially obvious in view of the fact that no disease outbreak has as yet been traced to pasteurized grade A milk, which had been adequately refrigerated.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Staffa of Lufkin, Texas, have purchased the Edwards home on the waterfront in Rockport. They moved into the home this week. Mrs. Staffa says they plan to come to Rockport frequently as they like it here.

Mrs. C. C. Thomson was taken to Nix Hospital in San Antonio last Thursday night. She returned home Monday after diagnosis and treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haynes of Combes, Texas took Mrs. Thomson to San Antonio and are visiting with her at the present time.

## OFF TO LAND OF NOD



Off for a visit to the Land of Nod, this little miss wears cotton flannelette pajamas and matching peignoir in fabric by Ameritex designed especially for juvenile fashions. The design on the soft flannelette shows Chessie, the famous trade-mark kitten, in her traditional sleepy-eyed pose.

## Antique Show Benefit Nov. 4

An Antique Show, which is being given by the Women's Civic Club, will be held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Fowler Thursday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock, November 4. Mrs. Jack Hagar will lecture during the afternoon.

The antique pieces will be on display on the sun porch of the Fowler home which is furnished with early Victorian furniture. Mrs. Chas. Picton is in charge of the committee arranging for the pieces to be on display.

Admission to the benefit show will be 50 cents. Light refreshments will be served throughout the afternoon.

Committee chairmen urge all members to take the antiques and other items to the Fowler home on Tuesday.

## Stamp Club Meets Tues.

The Trade Winds Stamp Club will meet at the Marine Laboratory Tuesday night at 7:30. Each member is to answer roll call with a discussion of a stamp item of interest.

Mrs. J. L. Baughman and Port of Houston spent the week-end at their home in Rockport. Port attended the Junior Stamp Club meeting Saturday night.

An idiosyncrasy is a physical or mental peculiarity.

Brown University is in Rhode Island.

## BIRTHDAY OCCASION FOR PARTY

Mrs. C. L. Grant gave a party Tuesday afternoon for her daughter, Janet Clair, who was three years old.

The afternoon was spent playing games on the lawn.

Refreshments of cake, sandwiches and a soft drink were served to Agnes Hemmi, Julia Fox, Melanie Hall, Jeanie Mullinax, Joyce Ann Barber, Raymond Owens, Steven Russell, Margaret Ann Haynes, Sandre McElveen and Lynn Deason.

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MONDAY, NOV. 1:

9 a. m., judging of cattle;  
12 noon, parade;  
2 p. m., judging of child riders;  
2:30 p. m. rodeo;  
8 p. m., rodeo;  
9 p. m., dance.

TUESDAY, NOV. 2:

9 a. m., judging of Quarter Horses;  
2 p. m., auction sale of registered Hereford cattle;  
2:30 p. m., rodeo;  
8 p. m., rodeo.

## CATTLE AND HORSES ON EXHIBITION ALL DAY EACH DAY

This is the 12th annual show and sale of the South Texas Hereford Breeder-Feeder Association and Rocky Reagan's Rodeo, the acknowledged top rodeo event staged annually in South Texas.

Two College and 15 High School Bands in Great Western Parade!

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**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ARANSAS

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE dated October 7, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 2006, styled The State of Texas vs. A. T. Stauberg, et al, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on October 7, 1948 seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in December, 1948, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Rockport, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

100 feet by 300 feet, a part of the west half of Outlot 6, Doughty and Mathis Division of the City of Rockport, being the same property described in deed of record in Volume T-2, Page 202, of the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas, or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED at Rockport, Texas, this the 7th day of October, 1948.

A. R. CURRY, Sheriff  
Aransas County, Texas  
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**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ARANSAS

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE dated October 7, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 2635, styled The State of Texas vs. John Speicher, et al, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on October 7, 1948 seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in December, 1948, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Rockport, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 14, in Block 1; Lots 2, 17, Block 2; Lots 2, 20, Block 3; Lots 3, 9, Block 4; Lots 4, 5, 18, 19, 20, Block 5; Lots 1, 2, 3, 7, 18, Block 6; Lots 6, 9, 12, Block 7; Lots 2, 3, 4, Block 8; Lots 1, 2, 15, 18, 20, Block 9; Lots 1, 2, 6, 7, 13, 20, Block 10; Lots 1, 7, 14, Block 11; Lots 1, 13, Block 12; Lots 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, Block 13; Lots 16, Block 14; Lots 4, 5, 7, Block 15; Lots 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, Block 16; Lots 2, 4, 12, 13, 15, Block 17; Lots 5, 13, 14, 15, 17, Block 18; Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 17, Block 19; Lots 9, 10, 12, Block 20; Lot 1, Block 38; Lots 8, 13, 14, 15, 17, Block 39; Lot 5, Block 41; Lots 11, 12, 15, 20, Block 42; All of said property being located in the North Rockport Subdivision according to the official plat of said subdivision of record, in the Plat Records of Aransas County, Texas; Lots 8, 16, Block 418; Lot 8, Block 443; Lot 2, Block 386; All of said property being located in the Manning Addition to the City of Rockport; Lot 6, Block 192; Said property being located in the Doughty and Mathis Division of the City of Rockport; Lot 16, Block 1; Lot 9, Block 7; Lot 5, Block 8; Lots 3, 4, Block 12; all of said property being located in North Bellevue Subdivision according to the official Plat of said subdivision of record in the Plat Records of Aransas County, Texas; Tract 66 McCombs Subdivision; Said property being located in the McCombs Subdivision according to the official Plat of said subdivision of record in the Plat Records of Aransas County, Texas, or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above styled

and numbered cause, together with interest, penalties and cost of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED at Rockport, Texas, this the 7th day of October, 1948.

A. R. CURRY, Sheriff  
Aransas County, Texas  
c30

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ARANSAS

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE dated October 7, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 2630, styled The State of Texas vs. E. G. Sartain, et al, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on October 7, 1948 seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in December, 1948, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Rockport, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 10, Block 1; Lots 3, 6, 8, 9, 15, Block 2; Lots 5, 11, 13, 17, 18, Block 3; Lots 4, 8, 15, Block 4; Lots 15 to 17, Block 6; Lots 1, 2, 8, 11, 13, Block 7; Lots 5, 6, 20, Block 8; Lots 6, 13, 17, Block 9; Lots 4, 5, 12, 15, 17, Block 10; Lots 4, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 20, Block 11; Lots 8, 9, 16, 17, Block 12; Lots 2, 7, 11, 17, 20, Block 13; Lots 10 to 15, 18, 19, Block 14; Lot 6, Block 15; Lots 8, 11, 15, 16, Block 16; Lots 1, 10 to 12, 16, 18, Block 18; Lots 1 to 3, 10, 13, 14, Block 19; Lot 7, Block 20; Lots 2, 3, 5 to 7, 9, 10, 14, 17 to 19, Block 38; Lots 7, 10, 11, 12, Block 39; Lots 1, 12, 16, 18, Block 41; Lots 1 to 3, 9, Block 42 all of said property being located in the North Rockport Subdivision to the City of Rockport;

Lots 2, 5, 6, Block 143; Lots 4, 5, Block 209; Lots 1 to 4, Block 216; Lot 16, Block 264, all of said property being located in the Smith and Wood Division of the City of Rockport;

Lot 4, Block 155; Lots 3, 7, Block 193; Lots 5, 9, 10, Block 201; Lots 6, 10, Block 237, all of said property being located in the Doughty and Mathis Division of the city of Rockport;

Lot 16, Block 139; Lots 1 to 8, Block 191; Lots 12, 15, Block 290; Lots 10, 11, 12, Block 291; Lots 1 to 8, Block 329; Lot 7, Block 386; Lot 12, Block 418; 50 feet of water front east of Lot 3, Block 440, all of said property being located in the Manning Addition to the City of Rockport;

Lots 7, 8, Block 6; Lots 29, 30, Block 7, said property being located in the Denver Heights Addition to the City of Rockport;

Lots 7, 11, 20, Block 30; Lots 4, 8, 13, Block 38, said property being located in the Bellevue Subdivision of the City of Rockport;

Lots 1, 6, 12, 16, Block 1; Lots 9, 13, 14, Block 2; Lots 17, 20, Block 3; Lots 3, 4, Block 4; Lots 8, 11, 19, Block 5; Lots 1 to 3, 7, 8, 14, 16, Block 6; Lots 7, 8, Block 7; Fraction of Lots 1 and 6, Block 8; Lots 1, 4, and fraction of 9, Block 9; Lots 1, 7, 8, 12, Block 10; Lots 4, 7, 8, 9, Block 11; Lots 8, 11, 12, 15, 18, Block 12; Lot 5, Block 14; all of said property being located in the North Bellevue Subdivision of the City of Rockport;

Tracts 2, 9, 10, 38 and 43 of the McCombs Subdivision.

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest, penalties and cost of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED at Rockport, Texas, this the 7th day of October, 1948.

A. R. CURRY, Sheriff  
Aransas County, Texas  
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**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ARANSAS

By virtue of an order of sale dated October 26, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit number 2396, styled the City of Rockport vs. C. F. Bailey, et al unto me directed and delivered as sheriff of said County, I have on October 26, 1948, seized, levied upon and will on the first Tuesday in December, 1948 the same being the seventh day of said month at the Court house door of said County in the City of Rockport between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the rights, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the proper-

ty of said defendants the same lying and being situated in the City of Rockport, County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 8, 9, 10, Block 14, D & M Subdivision of the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas.

Or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereto to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs subject however, to the rights of redemption for the defendants or any person having interest therein to redeem the said property or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law and subject to any other and further rights to which the Defendant or anyone interested therein may be entitled under the provision of law, such sale to be made by me to satisfy judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause together with interest, penalties and costs of suit and the proceeds of such sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Rockport, Texas, this the 26th day of October, 1948.

A. R. CURRY, Sheriff  
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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ARANSAS

By virtue of an order of sale dated October 26, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit number 2683, styled the City of Rockport vs. H. L. O'Neill, et al unto me directed and delivered as sheriff of said County, I have on October 26, 1948, seized, levied upon and will on the first Tuesday in December, 1948 the same being the seventh day of said month at the Court house door of said County in the City of Rockport between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the rights, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants the same lying and being situated in the City of Rockport, County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 15, 16, Block 60, S & W Subdivision, Lot 12, Block 3, Stewart Subdivision, and the water front lying east and in front of the South 8 1/3 feet of Lot 2, Block 27, D & M Subdivision of the City of Rockport, Texas.

Or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereto to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs subject however, to the rights of redemption for the defendants or any person having interest therein to redeem the said property or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law and subject to any other and further rights to which the Defendant or anyone interested therein may be entitled under the provision of law, such sale to be made by me to satisfy judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause together with interest, penalties and costs of suit and the proceeds of such sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Rockport, Texas, this the 26th day of October, 1948.

A. R. CURRY, Sheriff  
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COUNTY OF ARANSAS

By virtue of an order of sale dated October 26, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit number 2682, styled the City of Rockport vs. Harry Traylor, et al unto me directed and delivered as sheriff of said County, I have on October 26, 1948, seized, levied upon and will on the first Tuesday in December, 1948 the same being the seventh day of said month at the Court house door of said County in the City of Rockport between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the rights, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants the same lying and being situated in the City of Rockport, County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 13, 15, 16, Block 26, D & M Subdivision, Lot 5, Block 247, Rooke Addition, Lot 10, Block 434, Manning Addition, Lots 23, 24, Block 412, Manning Addition, 50 ft. WFE lot 5, Block 29, D & M Subdivision, all in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas.

Or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereto to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs subject however, to the rights of redemption for the defendants or any person having interest therein to redeem the said property or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law and subject to any other and further rights to which the Defendant or anyone interested therein may be entitled under the provision of law, such sale to be made by me to satisfy judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause together with interest, penalties and costs of suit and the proceeds of such sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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Dated at Rockport, Texas, this the 26th day of October, 1948.

A. R. CURRY, Sheriff  
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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ARANSAS

By virtue of an order of sale dated October 26, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit number 2676, styled the City of Rockport vs. Frank Muska, et al unto me directed and delivered as sheriff of said County, I have on October 26, 1948, seized, levied upon and will on the first Tuesday in December, 1948 the same being the seventh day of said month at the Court house door of said County in the City of Rockport between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the rights, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants the same lying and being situated in the City of Rockport, County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 11 and 12, Block 113, S & W Subdivision, Lot 14, Block 118, S & W Subdivision, all in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas.

Or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereto to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs subject however, to the rights of redemption for the defendants or any person having interest therein to redeem the said property or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law and subject to any other and further rights to which the Defendant or anyone interested therein may be entitled under the provision of law, such sale to be made by me to satisfy judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause together with interest, penalties and costs of suit and the proceeds of such sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Rockport, Texas, this the 26th day of October, 1948.

A. R. CURRY, Sheriff  
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COUNTY OF ARANSAS

By virtue of an order of sale dated October 26, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit number 2672, styled the City of Rockport vs. M. E. Sheldon, et al unto me directed and delivered as sheriff of said County, I have on October 26, 1948, seized, levied upon and will on the first Tuesday in December, 1948 the same being the seventh day of said month at the Court house door of said County in the City of Rockport between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the rights, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants the same lying and being situated in the City of Rockport, County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 8, Block 118, S & W Subdivision, all in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas.

Or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereto to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs subject however, to the rights of redemption for the defendants or any person having interest therein to redeem the said property or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law and subject to any other and further rights to which the Defendant or anyone interested therein may be entitled under the provision of law, such sale to be made by me to satisfy judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause together with interest, penalties and costs of suit and the proceeds of such sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Rockport, Texas, this the 26th day of October, 1948.

A. R. CURRY, Sheriff  
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COUNTY OF ARANSAS

By virtue of an order of sale dated October 26, 1948 and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Aransas County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit number 2670, styled the City of Rockport vs. Claire McBride Anderson, et al unto me directed and delivered as sheriff of said County, I have on October 26, 1948, seized, levied upon and will on the first Tuesday in December, 1948 the same being the seventh day of said month at the Court house door of said County in the City of Rockport between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the rights, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants the same lying and being situated in the City of Rockport, County of Aransas and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 4, 5, and 19 in Block 1, Lots

**WEEK'S NEWS**



**AFTER SEVENTEEN YEARS**—Adolf Bolaban, Polish-born former U.S. soldier, is greeted by his wife, of La Guardia Field, N.Y., on his return from Poland after a delay of 17 years because of passport trouble.



**AIDS COMMUNITY CHEST DRIVE**—Ma Perkins, often called America's Mother of the Air, becomes one of the million volunteers working for the Community Chest Drive. Congratulating her is Glenn Wood, Director of Campaign Service.



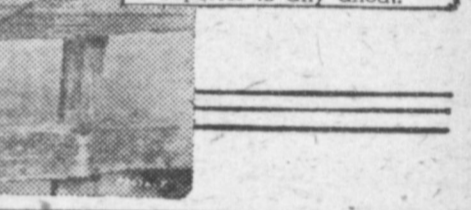
**GRAZIANI GOES ON TRIAL**—Former Marshal Grazianni goes on trial in Rome on charges of collaboration with the Nazis. He is the highest ranking surviving fascist.



**DISCLOSES SUPERSUBMARINES**—Uncle Sam is building supersubmarines, Sen. Raymond E. Boljwin of the Senate Armed Services Committee reveals in an American Magazine article outlining our military strength. The Connecticut Republican says the supersubs are believed to be equal or superior to any afloat.



**LITTLE STAR**—Mary Jayne Saunders will be seen for the first time on the screen in "Sorrowful Jones" with Bob Hope and Lucille Ball. She is 6 years old and weighs all of 42 pounds.



J. L. Baughman was guest speaker at the Kiwanis Club in Taft Wednesday at their regular weekly meeting. He addressed the Sportsman's Club in Freeport today.


Miss Eleanor Ferrell of Los Angeles, Calif., and Miss Phyllis Jackson of Santa Monica, Calif., are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruhl. Miss Ferrell is a cousin of Mrs. Bruhl.

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# JACK PORTER

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- ★ Scratch the U. S. Senatorial Candidate In the First Column.
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RED AND WHITE SLICED, IN HEAVY SYRUP  
**Peaches, 8-oz. 12c; No. 1 can 19c**
- DRIP OR REGULAR  
**Folger's Coffee, Pound Tin 50c**
- BORDEN'S EAGLE BRAND  
**MILK, 14-oz. Tin 26c**
- SKINNER'S  
**Raisin Bran, 10-oz. Pkg. 15c**
- RED AND WHITE  
**NOMINY, No. 2 Can 10c**
- RANCH STYLE  
**BEANS, Tall 300 Cans 12c**
- SUNSPUN BLACKEYE  
**Peas, 2 Tall 300 Cans 25c**
- WITH SOLIUM  
**RINSO, Large Package 31c**
- WITH CAKE IMPROVER  
**SPRY, 3-Lb. Can \$1.06**
- WISCONSIN FULL CREAM  
**CHEESE, Pound 53c**
- SWIFT'S PREMIUM  
**FRANKS Per Pound 49c**
- STOKELY'S FOR YOUR PIES  
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- RED AND WHITE  
**Vienna Sausage, Halves Can 19c**

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- KRISPY  
**CRACKERS, 7-oz. Pkg. 14c**
- KELLOGG'S  
**VARIETY PACKAGE 31c**
- HILEX, Quart 13c**
- CAMPBELL'S  
**TOMATO SOUP 10c**
- MUSS.  
**Apple Butter, 38-oz. 25c**
- PALMOLIVE  
**SOAP, Regular Bar 9c**
- HAMLIN SEEDLESS  
**ORANGES Pound 5c**
- GREEN HEADS  
**CABBAGE, 2 Pounds 9c**

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FOR SALE: One 6"x18" thickness planer. One Walker-Turner cut off saw, one combination band saw and 12" jointer, one 6" jointer, two shapers, one saw filing machine, one 3 h.p. electric motor. Fulton Boat yard. Phone 423. ctf

FOR SALE: 10-man rubber boats, \$25.00 each at Lenoir's Landing. Phone 3795. See F. O. Lenoir. ctf

READY MIX CONCRETE, sand, gravel, shell, fill dirt and cement. Ready mix concrete dump truck service. Phone 392. If no answer, call 213-J. Coast Materials Co. Aransas Pass. ctf

HAVE YOUR LOT GRADED and leveled. I also do plowing, discing and weed cutting. A. B. Brock, Phone 223, Mundine Filling Station. ctf

FOR SALE: 14-ft. aluminum alloy boat and trailer. Floyd's Boat and Sales. ctf

FOR SALE: — 5 room house, garage, only six years old, 2 lots. Call 449. ctf

NEED A HOME?: See the beautiful furnished and unfurnished homes I have priced so reasonably. Best of terms. Home with income, three bedrooms, garage apartment, well located, corner lot, is unusual value. Tourist courts: Two very special, well worth investigating. Aransas Pass, Rockport. For income property see the four cottages in Rockport, would consider selling separately. ctf

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FOR RENT — Three furnished cottages, brand new, all modern conveniences. C. C. Fowler, old Mathis home, Rockport, Tex. ctf

FOR RENT—Sleeping room for two men, private bath and entrance, garage. O. B. Thompson, phone 827. ctf

FOR SALE—2700 plus sq. ft. of galvanized metal lath as good as new. Can be seen at Oak Shore Apartments. ctf

WHY WALK?—when you can ride anywhere in the city for 50c. Phone 440. Mollye Davis Taxi Service. ctf

WOMAN WANTED to clean apartments in tourist court. Phone 577. ctf

FOR SALE: Everything to operate fishing camp, including Mercury motors, 16 skiffs, tackle, etc. Phone 3735. ctf

FOR SALE—1931 model De Soto coupe. Good condition. Phone 518. ctf

FOR SALE — 25-gallon butane tank in good condition. Call 818. ctf

UPHOLSTERING, refinishing and repairing. Drop me a card and I will call. N. B. Hancock, Rt. 1, Rockport. p32

FOR SALE: One V-8 Ford, 1 Plymouth pickup, 1 DeSoto. All in good running condition. 5 acres of land and good 5-room house. See G. C. Mullinax or Dial 3513, Rockport, Texas. p29

FOR SALE—85 gallon butane tank. Practically new. CALL 217. p28

LOST—Round red key holder with 9 keys attached. Reward \$1. Call Karl Geis, 585. p28

HAVE YOUR OWN individualized cosmetics and perfumes. Trained cosmetic consultant. Bessie Clark, phone 16-J, Aransas Pass. p28

FOR SALE—Two 550 gal. butane tanks complete with 5 regulators. Condition guaranteed. Bring your shovels and \$300. Call 855. c28

FOR RENT: Singer sewing machine. See Mrs. W. W. Atwood. c28

FOR SALE by owner — New 5-room house front porch screened back porch and half block of land, gas, water, lights and telephone, located two and half blocks from beach at Fulton, Texas. Price \$7,500.00. Call Coleman Pady, Phone 3701. p28

**Clarification of Proposed Amendments To Our State Constitution**

**Editor's Note:**

Since it is nearly impossible to determine the exact nature of proposed amendments from reading the skimpy description of each as printed on the ballot, we hope to clarify their meaning by printing the following by printing the following:

Eight constitutional amendments will appear on the general election ballot November 2, and we propose to write a series of editorials designed to tell just what these amendments propose.

We shall take them in order as they appear on the ballot, and today's installment concerns ...os. 1 and 2.

No. 1 is House Joint Resolution No. 30 proposing to amend Article III of the state constitution authorizing the Legislature to pass laws enabling all counties to provide workman's compensation insurance for county employees. This would give counties the right to provide their own insurance system for employees, and to administer the same under state statute.

Proposition No. 2 on the ballot is Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, providing means of forcing the legislature to perform a constitutional mandate which it has performed only twice in more than forty years—redistrict the state into new senatorial and representative districts. This is of vital importance to South Texas, where the population growth has been phenomenal, and which has suffered for decades because of the legislature's failure or refusal to carry out its constitutional mandate.

This amendment No. 2 is the most vital one of the eight listed on the ballot, and is of particular concern to this part of the state.

The third amendment on the ballot in November is one of the most interesting, intricate and inutile of the entire eight to be voted on. You couldn't tell from reading its description on the ballot what on earth it means, but we'll try to interpret and explain.

It is H. J. R. No. 13, which, if adopted, would permit husband and wife in Texas to partition their community property at any time they mutually see fit. The courts of Texas have held that husband and wife may not effect such partition except by divorce, so the amendment would change that.

Why would husband and wife want to partition their property? Well, the estate tax laws, when husband or wife died, levied upon the whole of their joint properties. The surviving spouse was, therefore, compelled to pay a death tax while still living, since the tax was levied on his or her half of the property.

So much for Amendment No. 3. The fourth of the eight amendments on the November ballot would bring the gubernatorial succession into line with the experience in Georgia, which had two governors for a time last year. We are not sure that Amendment No. 4 is a wise and reasonable proposition. It seems to confer too much authority on the legislature, which by finding a duly-elected governor "disabled" could refuse to let the elected governor take his seat, and instead declare the lieutenant governor the rightful successor.

It is of the utmost importance that all citizens shall give a lot of their time and effort to see that H. J. R. No. 24—to be voted on at the November general election—carries by a good majority. This will be Amendment No. 7 on the ballot. This Amendment abolishes, after January 1, 1951, the present authorized 35c per hundred-dollar ad valorem levy for the State General Fund. It allows those of the 53 counties which now receive tax remission to continue to collect this tax or necessary part thereof until all local obligations against such remissions have been liquidated.

There are many reasons why this levy should be eliminated. We shall cite a few Sec. I, Article VIII, Texas Constitution reads:

WANTED—250 to 500 gallon used butane tank, good condition and priced reasonably. Write Harry Nelson, Austwell, Texas. p30

FOR SALE—14 cottages, very cheap; also night club to be moved. Write box 552. c28

WANTED — Real good milch cow. Phone 3546, J. A. Rogers. p28

FOR SALE—One Sea-Bee outboard motor, 5 horse; one Johnson Seahorse out board motor, 9.8 horse power. Both in good condition. Keffer (Old Sarg) Market Street Trailer Park. p28

I HAVE THREE GOOD small houses for sale. Priced \$1750.00, \$2,000.00 and \$2,250.00. A few repairs needed but very livable now. Will take \$500.00 down on each, with small monthly payment. Near school. Good location. Phone 3122. John L. Herring. p28

**Truck Runs Into Cow; 3 Injured**

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Eller and Mrs. Louis Eller, enroute to Rockport from Victoria Saturday night, were injured when the pick-up truck in which they were riding ran into a cow on highway 35 just north of Mills' Wharf, causing the truck to turn over two times.

Others in the car, but not injured, were Mr. Louis Eller and a child two years old. The accident occurred about 5:30 Saturday evening. The Ellers were coming to Rockport to visit at the home of a relative, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Eller.

As a result of the impact the cow was thrown about 60 feet. The truck continued down the highway for about 100 feet and turned over 2 times, coming to a stop right side up in a ditch.

The injured were taken to a hospital in Victoria by ambulance. G. H. Eller suffered a broken collar bone, Mrs. G. H. Eller received several cuts and abrasions and Mrs. Louis Eller is reported to have several broken ribs.

They were accompanied to Victoria by Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Eller.

The truck, a 1942 Chevrolet, belonged to the York Oil Co. in Victoria.

**Strictly Rumored**

By IMA GOSSUP

The old saying, "like father, like son", does not always hold true as was proven Wednesday afternoon when Joe Johnson and little Mike went fishing.

Of course Joe knew that his son would never catch a fish so he let him fish with an old rod and reel. The reel did not run too free, but Mike would never get a bite anyway, so Joe thought.

After several attempts to cast as far as his dad, Mike finally got his line out and before long started reeling in, shouting "I got one."

Joe went over to remove the catfish that he knew Mike had on his line. After quite a battle Mike finally brought his fish in, a 17-inch speckled trout, weighing over 1 1/2 pounds.

Total fishing score: Mike 1; JOE 0.

A certain young Rockport matron was PLEASANTLY surprised one day this week when a certain proprietor sneaked up behind her and kissed her, wishing her a Happy Birthday. Was her face RED!

Those two-bit wagers on the various football games are getting more complicated every week end. One particular bettor makes so many different wagers that he never knows whether he wins or loses. I think that the BOYS are getting to him.

**Annual Scout Drive Goes Over Goal**

The annual Boy Scout drive for funds has netted \$346, \$46 over the goal which was set at the beginning of the campaign, according to DeWilton Jeffries, chairman in charge of the drive.

This \$346 stays in the Gulf Coast Council to be used to purchase badges and books and to maintain the scout camp.

**Football Team to See Texas-S.M.U. Game Sat.**

The Pirate football squad will go to Austin Saturday to see the Texas University-Southern Methodist University football game. They will be accompanied by Coach Charles Roe, Jr.

**RIO THEATRE**

**PROGRAM**

SUNDAY - MONDAY  
Oct. 31 - Nov. 1  
**Silver River**  
Errol Flynn, Ann Sheridan

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY  
Nov. 2-3  
**Tarzan's Secret Treasure**  
Johnny Weismuller, Maureen O'Sullivan

THURSDAY - FRIDAY  
Nov. 4-5  
**Call Northside 777**  
James Stewart, Helen Walker

SATURDAY  
Nov. 6  
**Western Heritage**  
Tim Holt, Nan Leslie

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

**Foodcraft**

LIGHT CRUST  
**FLOUR, 5-Lb. Box 40c**

**SUGAR, 5 Pounds 44c**

HUNT'S  
**Peaches, No. 2 1/2 Can, Halves 25c**

CRUSTENE  
**Shortening, 3-lb. tin 87c; 1-lb. 27c**

LIBBY'S  
**Tomato Sauce, 3 for 19c**

**Admiration Coffee 52c**

PALMOLIVE  
**SOAP, Regular Bar 9c**

**PUREX Pints, 2 for 17c**

**TIDE 33c**

CRYSTAL WHITE  
**SOAP, 3 bars 25c**

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