

## Along The Waterfront



Fishing picked up along the reefs and in the basin at Rockport this week. Trout ranging from 1½ to 4 pounds were being pulled out of the basin. While it is true that the fish were being caught in small numbers, when a catch was made it provided a tasty bit for the dinner table.

Friday Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sipe hooked 12 trout at the basin which ranged from 3 to 4½ pounds each. They were back at work Saturday morning, this time back of Smith's Boat House and landed 16 trout. Wednesday morning they caught 6 trout in the same place and reported that all fish in the catch weighed at least 3 pounds.

Mrs. C. L. Thomas caught a trout on live bait at the basin Friday that weighed 2¼ pounds. She was so pleased with the size of the fish that she decided to try her luck again Saturday and landed a trout which tipped the scales at 4¾ pounds.

Cotton Zowarka found fishing to be good at the old shipyard Sunday evening. He had a string of 14 trout the largest weighed 2½ pounds dressed, when he was stung by a stingaree and was forced to leave the fish still biting.

The reefs were good Sunday. Many fishermen were out in boats from the Edgewater Trailer Park and from The Cedars. The boats averaged about 30 trout each.

H. C. Floyd caught 11 trout Tuesday while fishing on the reef and 9 Wednesday. The fish weighed from 1½ to 2 pounds each when dressed.

C. C. Caldwell, M. T. Taylor and John Dalrymple flew in from Lubbock in a Navio plane last week to fish at the Jolly Roger fishing camp over the weekend. They reported nice catches of redfish and trout while fishing on Lap Reef in Copano Bay.

Last year Mrs. R. B. Boren, Mrs. Houston Fowlkes, Mrs. Garland Brown and Mrs. Willie Waggoner of Dimmitt, Texas, had the 'time of their life' while fishing in Rockport. Besides hooking 40 pounds of trout at the basin which averaged 4 pounds per fish they made a haul one day of over 100 catfish. This year the ladies were back in Rockport again for more fishing sport. Accompanying them were Mrs. Faye Holland, Mrs. Nora Mae Newsom, Mrs. Birdie Duree and Mrs. Hattie Webb, who wanted to come along and try their luck at the sport. The ladies fished for 10 days and left for Buchanan Lake today after again reporting having had 'the time of their life' while fishing here.

Shorty Townsend, charter boatman, got his boat, "Snooks", back in the water this week. He has installed a new Gray marine 125 h.p. engine, new shaft and new wheel. The boat has received a new paint job inside and out. Shorty is now prepared to go anywhere you want to fish as soon as you want to go.

### Lillies Available

D. R. Simmons, county judge, reported this week that the lillies around the court house are being dug up and will be disposed of. Anyone desiring the lillies can obtain them by going to the court house for them.

### WEATHER REPORT

Instruments are read daily at 3:30 at the marine laboratory.  
Sunday: Max. 78, min. 64. Barometric pressure 29.88.  
Monday: Max. 74, min. 62. Barometric pressure 30.03.  
Tuesday: Max. 72, min. 64. Barometric pressure 29.74.  
Wednesday: Max. 80, min. 66. Barometric pressure 29.86. Tide 2.5 feet.

## School Board Election Set For April 2

The school board of the Rockport Independent School District have issued a call for the regular election to be held Saturday, April 2. The city election will be held April 5.

Members of the school board whose terms expire this year are Sherman Mundine and DeWilton Jeffries. Jeffries was appointed in the spring to fill out the unexpired term of D. R. Simmons. Mundine has announced that he will seek re-election to the board. Jeffries reported this week that he is undecided as to whether he will announce his candidacy. Those elected will serve a three year term. Last year J. B. Jackson and Lloyd Smith were elected to the board. Those whose terms will expire next year are T. C. Kelly, Hugh Morrison and Algie Moss. T. C. Kelly is president of the board and J. B. Jackson is secretary. Mrs. A. L. Brundret has been named election judge.

Those who had filed as candidates for the city council election March 5 were W. C. Stevenson and John H. Ray in Ward 1 and J. P. Hanway in Ward 2. Ray was named to the council last year to fill the unexpired term of Leonard LeBlanc who resigned. Those named in the election will serve a two year term. Other councilmen are Arlie Shivers in Ward 1 and Dick Picton in Ward 2.

## Seismic Work Proposed In St. Charles and Mesquite Bays

The McCollum Exploration Company of Houston has applied to the Department of the Army for a permit to conduct seismic explorations in St. Charles and Mesquite Bays.

The work would be conducted in 15 State Tracts located in three areas, all work central to a point 12 miles northeast from Rockport. The areas in St. Charles Bay consist of 8 state tracts between Lamar and Black Jack Peninsulas, two state tracts lying between Black Jack and Hail Points and six state tracts lying between Indian Head and Big Sharps Points. The area in Mesquite Bay consists of seven state tracts adjacent to Bludworth Island and the southeast shore of Black Jack Peninsula.

The work would be done by drilling holes to depths varying from 50 to 75 feet below the bed of the waterways at intervals of 500 feet along straight intersecting lines spaced at intervals of one-half mile. A temporary buoy (a five gallon can) will be used to mark the shot holes and would be held in position by a flexible line and standard small sand anchor. Casing would be placed in the holes extending from the bottom of the holes to an elevation of three feet above the surface of the water. After the casing has been placed, charges of explosive would be detonated near the bottom of the holes and seismic recording made.

The applicant proposes to remove all obstructions from the waterways immediately after seismic recordings have been made. If not removed promptly, the casing would be marked by flags during the day and by lights at night. No casing would be placed within 50 feet of dredged channels, bridges, wharves or other improvements in the waterway.

## R. R. Rice to Head Cancer Society's Fund-Raising Drive In Aransas Co.

R. R. Rice has been appointed Aransas County chairman for the American Cancer Society's annual fund-raising drive which will open April 1. Mrs. S. F. Jackson was appointed co-chairman and Dr. George Wood, medical advisor.

The announcement was made by Karl Hoblitzelle, 1949 Texas Division campaign chairman, who said, "In asking these people to head the drive in Aransas county we have attempted to select persons whose leadership will inspire others to join this crusade against cancer."

"I take this opportunity of calling upon every person in Aransas county to support the drive in his community. This is the fight that concerns everyone."

## District President To Address P.-T.A.

Mrs. I. M. Smith, Tenth District president of the Parent-Teacher Association, of Elsa, Texas, will be the guest speaker at the P.-T.A. meeting to be held Wednesday at 3:30, March 16 at the school auditorium. Her subject will be "A Unit for Development of Emotional Ties".

The program for the day will be given by sixth grade students. The Camp Fire Girls will also take part in the program.

Mrs. Wm. Patrick, president of the association, reported this week that the annual spring membership drive is now underway.

All members are urged to attend the meeting at the school Wednesday.

## Students Prepare For U. I. L. Events

Floyd W. Parsons, director of the Interscholastic League District 73B of which Rockport is a member, released the schedule for U. I. L. events which will be held during March and April.

Contests will be held in the following events: declamation, typing, number sense, slide rule, ready writers, debate, spelling and plain writing, extemporaneous speech, one-act play, pole vault, shot put and discus, broad and high jump, playground ball, tennis, volleyball. Rockport students are preparing for entrance in these contests and students will be named in the near future to represent Rockport.

All literary events except one-act play will be held in Aqua Dulce April 1. One act plays will be given in Aqua Dulce April 4. Junior and senior track and field events will be held in Bishop on April 2. Boys volleyball ball will be held in Gregory March 18 and 19. Girls volleyball ball contests will be played in Odem March 18 and 19. All divisions of playground ball will meet in Bishop April 29 and 30. All divisions of tennis will play in Bishop March 25 and 26.

Either pennants or trophies will be awarded to the following winners: literary division, athletic division, all-around championship, each division of volleyball, each division of playground ball, one-act play and debate. Ribbons will be awarded to first, second, third and fourth place winners in all other literary and athletic contests.

## Rowan Purchases Trailer Park

M. A. Rowan, owner and operator of Mars Court, purchased the Green Tree Trailer Park from Karl McCulley last week. The trailer park, which is located across the road from the court, will be known as Mars Oaks.

Mr. Rowan reports that he will soon install new rest rooms, showers and laundryette. He has discontinued selling beer in order to keep the 20 by 40 foot recreation building for recreation only.

Rowan says that he intends to construct shuffle boards and other facilities for recreation to be enjoyed by those staying at both the trailer park and the courts.

Mr. Rowan built Mars Court about one and a half years ago.

Gene Key, of Nixon, Texas, spent the week-end with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Key.

## WEEK'S NEWS



MAJOR GENERAL VAUGHN HONORED—President Truman presents his military aide with award certificate at dinner held by the Reserve Officers Association.



WRITES AND LIGHTS — Ray Middleton, handsome star of Broadway's hit "Love Life," lights up with the new Ronson Penciliter.



WHAT A BITE! Dasha Jitkoff of Houston, Texas, 12 months old, displays 8 of her 16 teeth. It is believed that she has the greatest number of teeth for a child her age.



THE TIMELESS DRESS—Lucille Ball, film star, selected this black wool jersey for her personal wardrobe. The skirt is joined to the bodice with wide belt of the jersey.



MISS BLUE BONNET—Here's a real life version of the Blue Bonnet Margarine trademark that's heading the style parade. Snapped with Miss Blue Bonnet and Standard Brands executives R. G. Spears and R. M. Russell. Joan Bennett, Billie Burke are some of the celebrities who also have posed wearing the Blue Bonnet.

## Seven Scouts Receive Awards at Court of Honor

Eighteen scouts from Troop 49 attended the District Court of Honor which was held in Ingleside Monday night. Rockport and Odem scouts were the only troops in the Karankawa District to receive honors. The local troop was awarded points on the trophy for having the largest number of scouts in attendance and in uniform.

Scouts who received second class awards were Wm. Heit, Urban Chupe, Johnny McBride, Billy Joe Rowe and Jimmy Sparks. Cully Roberts was awarded the merit badge for music. Mrs. Willie Close was presented the merit badge for her son, Frederick Close, in pioneering and pathfinding. Frederick was unable to attend because of illness.

The scouts wish to thank Harry Mills, Mrs. Willie Close Jr., Mrs. Berkley and W. S. Heit for furnishing transportation for the troop. Mr. R. A. Roberts and Mrs. Heit also attended.

The local troop will present a scout trophy to the patrol that has the best attendance each month and the largest number of advancements. The patrol that wins the trophy for six consecutive months will be permitted to keep the trophy for the year.

The next district committee meeting will be held in Rockport at the school cafeteria March 21.

## Open House Today At New Grocery

Open house at the new Casterline Food Store, which is located in the new addition recently added to Mike's Service Station, will be held tonight from 6 until 9 o'clock. The grocery will be open for business Friday morning. Owners and operators are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Casterline.

The grocery will carry a complete line of fancy and staple groceries, meats and fresh fruits and vegetables. Refreshments will be served at the open house to which the public is invited to attend.

## Addition Made to Magnolia Station

The Magnolia Petroleum Company have obtained a building permit from the city and are constructing a brick addition to the south of the J. W. Sorenson Service Station. The contractor is H. E. Woodruff.

Jim Smith was issued a permit to construct a 24 by 30 foot frame building with asbestos shingled siding on lot 8, block 434, Manning addition on South Water St. The house which would have four rooms and a bath is estimated to cost \$5,000. Lyle Diederich is the contractor.

Walter Gibson was issued a permit to construct a 12 by 24 foot frame dwelling on lot 15, block 9, Smith and Wood. The cost was estimated at \$400.

## Glenn Miller Killed In South America

Word was received in Rockport this week that Glenn Miller, former party chief for Rogers-Ray Inc. in this area, was killed Sunday night in Venezuela. His body was flown back to the United States Tuesday. Details regarding the fatal accident are not known in Rockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller made their home in Rockport for several months. Recently he was transferred to Venezuela for a two-month period where he was to serve as party chief for the corporation. Mrs. Miller returned to her home in New York.

Funeral services have been scheduled for Sunday afternoon at 2:30, March 13, in Guthrie, Okla. The Smith Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

## P.-T.A. BAKE SALE

The Fulton P.-T.A. will have a pie and cake sale at the community house beginning at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, March 18. Pie, cake and coffee will be available to be eaten at the center or taken home.

## Rockport Instructors Will Take School Census Friday

### Military Services For Dick Stewart Here Sunday

Funeral services for Orion Driscoll "Dick" Stewart, Army PFC, Battery D, 105 CAA Battalion, who was killed in the North African campaign May 19, 1943, will be held at the Cage Funeral Chapel here Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Burial will be in the Rockport cemetery.

Military services will be under the direction of the Stewart-Wendell V.F.W. Post. The Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi will furnish a chaplain, honor guard and bugler. The body will arrive in Rockport Saturday. Guard will be furnished and watch provided until the funeral Sunday by the local V.F.W. Post.

Stewart was born in Odem on June 23, 1918. He lived in Rockport most of his life. Before going into the service in 1941, he was employed at the Naval Air Station in Corpus Christi.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Stewart, Ingleside; four brothers, James O., San Antonio; Herbert L., Aransas Pass; Francis and Tommy of Ingleside; four sisters, Mrs. T. H. Overdorf, Corpus Christi, Mrs. T. R. Wendell, Fulton, Mrs. E. J. Offer, Baytown and Luella Stewart, Ingleside. Pallbearers will be Lyle Diederich, Bill Gray, Francis Rouquette, Glen Wendell, E. W. Townsend and Willie Robins of Portland.

## Civic Club Plans Floor Show For St. Patrick's Dance

Members of the Women's Civic Club made arrangements to have a floor show at their St. Patrick's Day Dance which will be held at Mills' Wharf, Thursday, March 17. Mrs. Chas. Roe Sr. is in charge of the show which will be given by local talent.

The committee in charge of activities was named for April, May and June. Mrs. N. F. Jackson will serve as chairman. Assisting her will be Mrs. Arlie Shivers, Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Mrs. Emory M. Spencer, Mrs. Steirly Rozzell and Mrs. Jas. A. Jarboe.

This committee has planned a White Elephant Sale for April. Anyone having any of the following items which they would be willing to give for the sale include: clothing, dishes, furniture, pictures, jewelry, shoes, hats and knickknacks. It has been requested that the items be clean.

Those having anything to give should contact Mrs. Norvell Jackson, Mrs. Shivers, Mrs. Steirly Rozzell, Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Mrs. Emory Spencer or Mrs. James Jarboe who will call for them if they cannot be delivered. This committee will start immediately to collect the items and will continue to do so until the time of the sale which is to be held about the second week in April.

The membership voted to purchase a piano which they have been able to obtain for \$112.50. Mrs. Chas. Ankele was also given authority to purchase 100 chairs at \$1.19 each.

The treasurer announced that the Club now has \$2086.50 in the bank toward the building fund.

Mrs. Harry Mills was present at the meeting Tuesday as a new member of the club.

## Fire Chief Ankele Issues Warning Regarding Burning of Trash and Brush

The Fire Department was called out twice Wednesday to extinguish brush fires which had been started out on Market Street, and got out of control as a result of having been fanned by the breeze. Fire Chief Chas. Ankele issued a warning to people starting brush fires or burning trash without first checking with the fire department, whether they reside in the city limits or outside. He pointed out that the season for

Student's attendance in the Rockport school will not be required Friday as their instructors will be busy taking the census for the Rockport Independent School District.

The census takers will be seeking the names of all students who will be six years of age or older by Sept. 1, 1949, and who are residing in the district between March 1 and April 1, for recording.

The number of teachers in a salary aid school is based on the net scholastics (which excludes all students who have graduated from high school and all colored children). The school district receives \$55 in state aid for each enumerated scholastic.

All tourist court operators and apartment owners with children residing there of school age are urged to contact Miss Katie Lee Clarke, who is in charge of the census.

## Fulton P.-T.A. To Present 'Our Town' In April

The Fulton Parent-Teacher Association will present a play, "Our Town", at the Fulton school auditorium April 29, as their project for the year. The play by Thornton Wilder has been a legitimate stage success, was successful in the movies and has been performed by many community groups. It is a play of small town life signifying every day human life.

The entire community is participating in the production of the play which will be sponsored in an effort to raise funds to purchase a new curtain for the stage in the auditorium. Practice is being held at the Fulton community house. The cast of 35, which will be announced later, is augmented by a number of back stage workers.

The production is being directed by Mrs. M. W. Cochran, who moved to Fulton from Detroit, Mich., with her husband and seven year old son last June.

The P.-T.A. is fortunate in having Mrs. Cochran as a director. She was dramatic director at the Kingswood School for Girls at Cranbrook near Detroit for 12 years, and has directed a number of community productions in that area. She has also directed plays for the outdoor Greek Theater at the Cranbrook Foundation.

She is an actress also having played Miss Moffet in "The Corn is Green", a part frequently played by Ethel Barrymore, the lead in "Ladies in Retirement", and "Elizabeth the Queen", Maxwell Anderson's play.

Mrs. Cochran has arranged and produced a number of Shakespearean plays as well as a number of modern plays for young people of high school age. She has written and produced children's plays and has directed religious productions. She also did radio work at Wayne University in Detroit.

The former Ellana Born grew up in Corpus Christi. Her mother was the daughter of T. M. Coleman who owned the Chittipin Ranch here. Her grandfather was associated with Mr. Fulton in the Coleman-Fulton Pasture Company.

Mrs. Cochran graduated from the Ward-Belmont dramatic school in Nashville, Tennessee, where she worked under the direction of Pauline Sherwood Townsend. She did work at the American Academy of Dramatic Art in New York prior to her work at the Cranbrook Foundation.

strong winds is at hand and that the brush and ground is dry; a fire started under these conditions could soon get out of hand.

Chief Ankele has asked, in view of these conditions, that persons desiring to start a fire, first check with the department for permission and when permission is granted to be sure that some one is watching the fire at all times to see that it doesn't get out of control.

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## How Much Shall I Give to Red Cross?

What would you give to save the life of a friend, to save a drowning child, to help the family whose home was destroyed by a tornado, to furnish a few comforts and pleasures to the veteran who now lies in the hospital bed because he risked his life to save American democracy?

Yes, you would dig deep, and give generously if money could prevent the death of the friend, save the life of the child, divert the winds of the tornado, or make the days in the hospital more pleasant for the ex-soldier.

No, money alone won't save that life, but money contributed through your Red Cross will make it possible for the many volunteers, through their services, to help. The friend may have lived had first aid treatment been given in time. The child may not have drowned had he been taught to swim or had a trained lifesaver been at the pool. No, the Red Cross can't divert the winds of the tornado, but where there isn't insurance and the family doesn't have sufficient resources, the Red Cross through your support comes in as the good neighbor and helps re-establish the family and the home. It is the Red Cross Gray Lady who helps make possible a few pleasures for that soldier.

How much are these services worth to you and your community? That's how much you should give!

The strength, the support and the program of the American Red Cross solely is in the hands of the people. The Red Cross is the collective expression of the neighborliness, kindness, and understanding of the American people doing for their own and for the people of the world the things they would like to do individually. Through it, the strength and resources of the nation are made available to many who suffer misfortune.

The Red Cross expended \$12,000,000 during the last fiscal year in helping 312,000 individuals whose communities had been ravaged by floods, fires, tornadoes or other disasters.

For the continuance of its missions of mercy in the next fiscal year the Red Cross is appealing for voluntary contributions amounting to \$60,000,000. The local chapter is conducting a drive to raise \$1,000 of this amount.

## CAPITOL TALK

By Nell Churchwell

Many people ask what work the Senators in Austin have to do following their comparatively short morning sessions on the Senate floor. It all starts from a mistaken idea that all work of the State Legislature goes on in legislative session.

The committee meeting is the focal point where bill's merits are heard and decided on before reaching the floor of the Senate. Most often the public doesn't understand that each senator must meet with several of these committees once or twice each week.

For instance your district legislator, Senator John J. Bell, is serving on thirteen committees, is chairman of the Public Health Committee and vice-chairman of the Labor Committee.

In addition to presiding as committee chairman at meetings, Senator Bell must explain in public hearings the thirteen bills he has introduced. Meetings are scheduled throughout the day when the Senate is not in session, evenings, and even on Sundays.

Back at his office he receives an average of 100 pieces of mail every day, plus 80 to 100 telegrams on other days when important legislation is pending. After proper consideration all of the mail is answered promptly. His secretary is Mrs. Geraldine Steen of Runge, and his stenographer is Mrs. Lillian Jones, formerly of Cuero.

They report that Senator Bell's mail is especially heavy now on the Gilmer-Aikin, the minimum standards, public accountants, pharmacy, and the fishing bills.

Senator Bell now has seven bills on the calendar set for Senate action. His Pure Food, Drug, and Cosmetic proposal is scheduled for committee hearing this week.

Another committee that the Cuero senator serves on is Constitutional Amendments, where he has a joint resolution proposing a water conservation project. Add to this list Military Affairs; Counties, and County Boundaries; Nominations of the Governor; State Affairs; Veterans Affairs; Post Laureate; Public Debts, Claims and Accounts; Engrossed Bills; Enrolled Bills and Highways and Motor Traffic.

All this sums up that your legislators in the capitol work long hours, late at night, and are often scheduled to be three or four places at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyers of Corpus Christi visited at the E. W. Townsend home Sunday.

Mrs. Mollye Davis spent last week in Houston visiting with her niece, Mrs. June Davis, and her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Pou.

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The Navy has found that loud, long words are best on radio-telephone communication.

## Kostoryz Baseball Team Seeks Games

The Kostoryz baseball nine is seeking games with teams within 100 miles of Corpus Christi, preferably on a home and home basis. Home field is at the Moravian Hall, two miles south of Corpus Christi.

The first road game date open is Sunday, April 10 and the first home game date open is Sunday, April 17.

Interested teams should contact Edwin Kosarek, 4941 Hakel Drive, Corpus Christi.

In winter maneuvers off Argentina, only one warship fitted with modern gear was "lost" and five "enemy" snorkel submarines were "sunk."



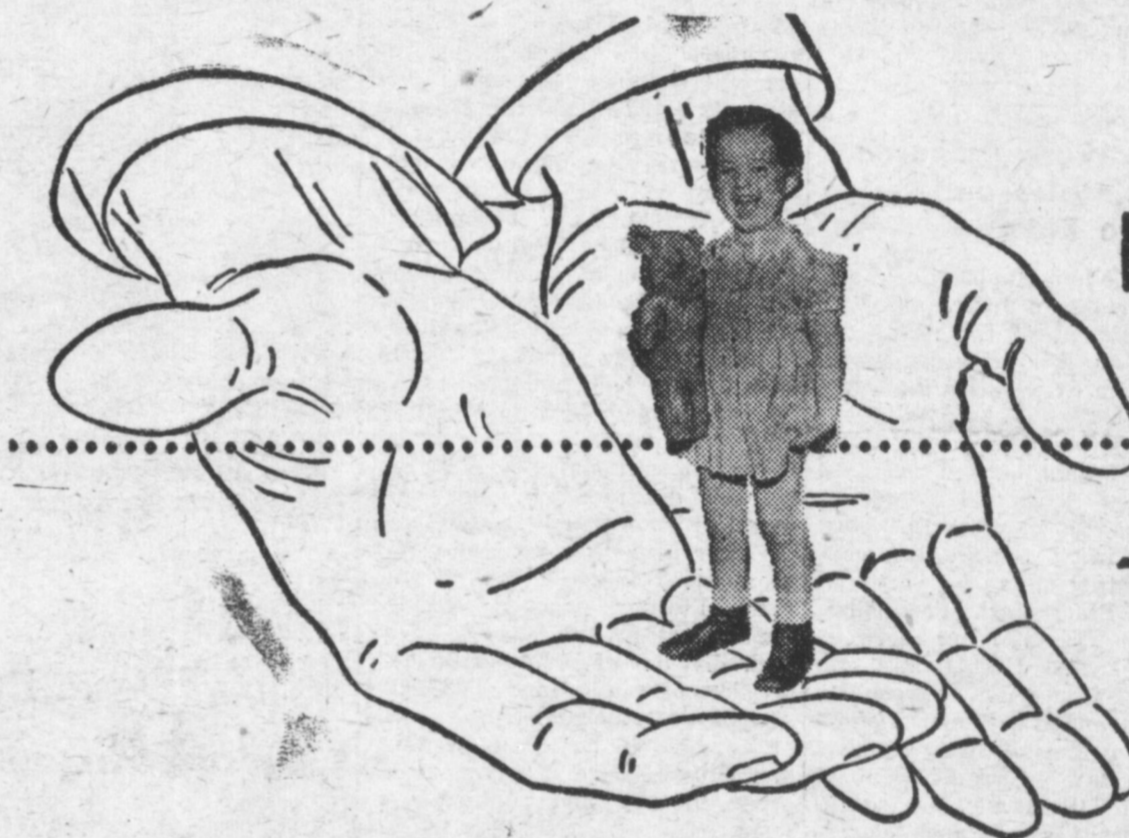
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The Minimum Standards Bill, which is now pending with the State Legislature, is designed to provide that legal guarantee of fundamental knowledge on the part of all persons who intend to practice any branch of the healing art in Texas. It would require evidence of at least basic qualifications of anyone who attempts to effect a cure of any human physical ill.

Anyone who proposes to enter any branch of the healing art would be required to pass examinations in the six sciences generally recognized as being basic to all forms of healing. They would then appear before the licensing board of whatever branch of healing they propose to enter.

The Minimum Standards Bill does not affect anyone who is now legally practicing a healing art in Texas.

Examinations would be conducted by a qualified board of science teachers from our leading Texas universities and colleges. These teachers would be appointed by the Governor at regular intervals. No practitioner of a healing art could be a board member. This means a fair and impartial board.

Examinations would be in these six basic sciences: Anatomy, Physiology, Chemistry, Bacteriology, Pathology, Hygiene and Public Health. Applicants will identify their examination papers by number, not by name.

Eighteen other states have enacted minimum standards laws. Here in Texas, we require that our plumbers, lawyers, veterinarians, teachers—just about everyone except the people who treat us for illness—meet minimum standards.

Isn't it high time we got the horse back in front of the cart?

For your health's sake, urge your State Legislators to vote for the Minimum Standards Bill.

YOUR INQUIRIES ARE WELCOMED: If you would like to have additional information regarding the Minimum Standards Bill, consult your doctor, or contact the Secretary of this Society.

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DINNER PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Hunt and Jimmy entertained with a dinner party at their home Saturday evening.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hanway, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christilles, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sanders, Mrs. C. F. Rozzell and Mrs. Chas. Roe, Sr.

DOROTHY BISSETT, CHARLES A. DORSEY PLEDGE VOWS

Miss Dorothy Leg Bissett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Bissett, became the bride of Charles Alvin Dorsey, son of the late N. A. Dorsey of San Francisco, Calif., in a ceremony performed in San Diego, Tuesday in St. Joseph's Church.

The Rev. Fr. N. Gilliffin officiated for the ceremony. Miss Bissett wore a pink gabardine dress-maker suit with navy accessories and a white orchid corsage. She carried a white prayer book. After the wedding trip to Hollywood, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey will be at home in San Diego where he is employed by the Consolidated Aircraft Co. Mrs. Dorsey is a graduate of the Rockport High School and has spent the last four years in San Diego where she has been employed at the Institute of Technology.

COFFEE GUESTS AT A. L. BRUHL HOME

Guests for coffee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruhl Monday afternoon were Mrs. Harry Carroll, Mrs. Frank Allison, Mrs. Gladys Gibson and Mrs. W. Kline of Corpus Christi, Miss Irene Wright from Virginia, Mrs. Tom Miller, Austin and Mrs. Fred Booth of this city. The Corpus Christi visitors and Miss Wright came to Rockport with Mrs. Gibson, daughter of the Bruhls, on a sightseeing trip.

BARBECUE AT HUNT HOME SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Hunt entertained with a barbecue at their home Sunday evening in honor of their son, Edward Hunt and Mrs. Hunt, who were visiting them. About 25 attended the affair.

Edward Hunt has re-enlisted in the army and will be stationed in Austin.

Society

Doings of People You Know In Aransas County

ARANSAS COUNTY ART CLASS HOLDS ITS FIRST EXHIBIT AT TRAVIS BAILEY HOME

The Aransas County Art Class held their first art exhibit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bailey Wednesday night. Twenty-five persons interested in art viewed the 41 paintings which were but a part of the work accomplished by the students since the class was organized in November.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Travis Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Micheal and Mrs. E. J. Albin. Punch and cookies were served by Mrs. Pat Hooper, Mrs. J. R. Singleton, Mrs. E. W. Townsend and Mrs. Roy Hinton.

The works presented included some of the student's earlier drawings and some of those still in the process of being produced to give the public an insight in the painting of a picture.

The drawings were in charcoal and pastels. Later the group will do work in oils.

"Just Boots", by Mrs. E. J. Albin, was a unique though commonplace subject. It was interesting to observe such a subject used which could show such beauty and be of so much interest.

Mrs. Travis Bailey had a striking still life on display of an antique candle stick surrounded by bronze bell, marble bust and platter with blue and gold background. Mrs. Pat Hooper did the same subject and it was unusual to see the interpretation of two individuals on the same subject.

Mrs. Roy Hinton's duck hawk in charcoal received much comment. It was impressive and monumental in its conception. Mrs. M. W. Cochran made a western type of still life in charcoal. Her subject, which included her son's hat, gun, book with a tobacco can and horse, was an unusual choice of subject. The drawing was rugged and worthy of praise.

Simon Michael, instructor of the class, is a firm believer in art education and has the distinction of bringing Art Appreciation and Art Exhibits to the smaller towns in Texas. Mr. Micheal has held his students strictly to the mechanics and fundamentals and there has been no attempt on the part of

the instructor to destroy the individualism of the subject.

"The exhibit should have inspired those who have leanings toward art to get in behind the organization and help it grow.

Mr. Michael is making plans to have an exhibit which will combine the works of students from Yoakum, Victoria and Rockport, which should be of interest to the public.

He has made arrangements to hold a summer school for persons interested in drawing, painting, sculpture, figure work, landscape and marine painting. The classes will begin June 7 and will be conducted from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. for two week periods.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON FOR TOURISTS AT HINTON HOME TUES.

A bridge luncheon at the Roy Hinton home Tuesday at 1 o'clock, March 15, will climax the series of bridge parties which have been sponsored this year for winter tourists by the Tourist Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce.

The luncheon has been arranged and will be served by the tourist women who have attended the parties as a token of appreciation to the bureau for holding the parties for them. The Modern Market will furnish the ham for the luncheon which is the only item on the menu that will not be furnished by the guests.

The wives of all the merchants who have contributed to make the parties possible have been invited to be guests at the luncheon and bridge which will follow.

This series of bridge parties is the first attempt in Rockport to entertain the ladies who come with their 'fishermen' husbands to spend the winter here. Twenty-five to thirty-five ladies have attended each party.

Judge D. R. Simmons was in Georgetown and Austin on business early this week.

W.S.C.S. CALLS MEET TO ELECT OFFICERS

The Women Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church have called a meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Townsend Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, March 15. The meeting has been called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year and electing a delegate for the annual conference at San Angelo.

The Fellowship supper at the Methodist church will be a St. Patrick's Day party. It will be held at the education building at 7 o'clock Thursday night, March 17.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shults are the parents of a daughter born at the Walter Nobel hospital in Aransas Pass March 9. The infant weighed 7 1/2 pounds at birth and has been named Diane Kay.

A jimmy is an iron bar used by burglars to open windows and doors.

MEN OF CHURCH DINNER MEET

Men of the Presbyterian church held their monthly dinner meeting Monday night at the home of J. F. Brundrett. Twenty-three men were present for the dinner.

Those who prepared the dinner

were Mrs. Brundrett, Mrs. Herbert Mills, Mrs. N. F. Jackson and Mrs. Ceylon Ammons.

Mrs. A. H. Bruhl of Llano, Texas and Mrs. Chas. K. Bruhl of Houston are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruhl.

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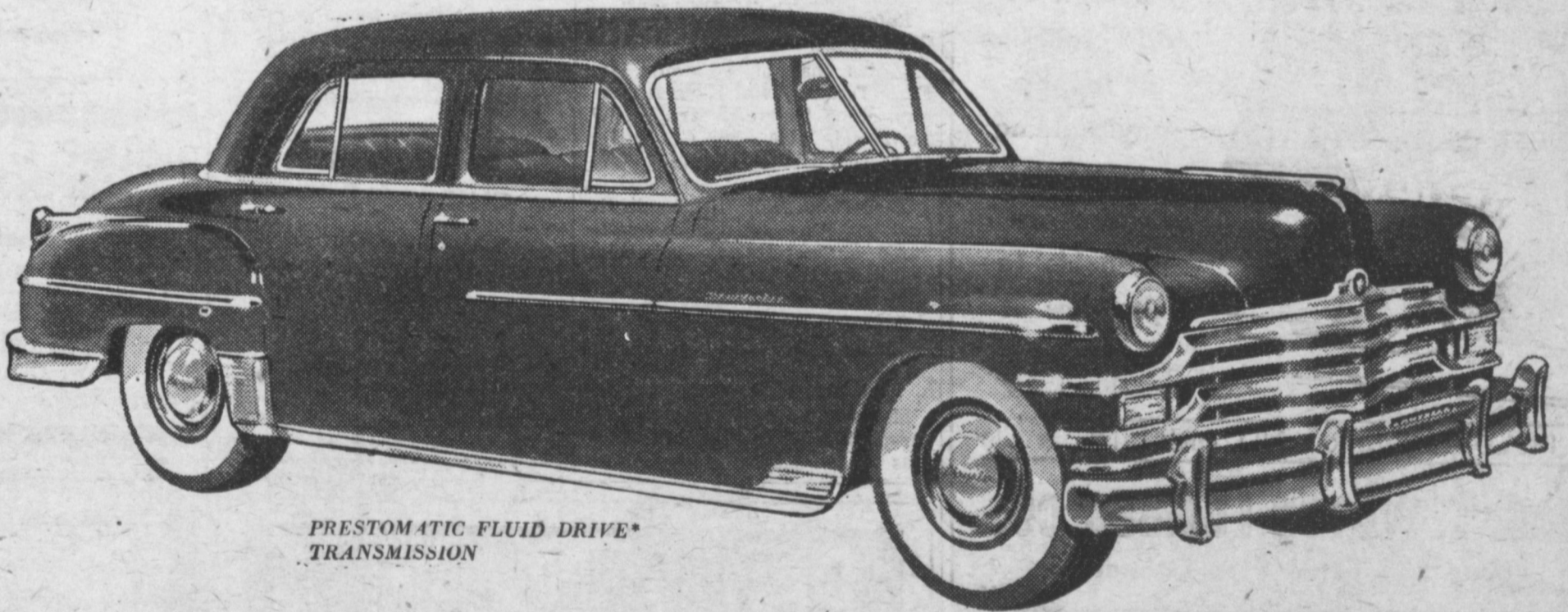
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Mr. Moody will continue to carry on his business in Tulsa and the cafe will be managed by Mrs. Moody and her son, D. L. Moody,

who lives here.

The Moodys have been vacationing in Rockport for the last three years and were frequent visitors to south Texas prior to that.

Mrs. Thomson sold the cafe because of ill health.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hilderbrand of Goliad visited friends in Rockport Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Hilderbrand underwent a major operation at Gormley hospital in Corpus Christi Tuesday.

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Miss Mary Augusta Deane was presented with \$25 in prize money by the Chamber of Commerce president, R. R. Rice, as a result of having submitted the winning slogan, "Toast of the Coast". The slogan is featured here in conjunction with the drawing as it will be used for display purposes. The drawing pictured above was made by Mrs. E. J. Albin from the original by the Design Studio in San Antonio. In the picture from left to right are Jas. Sorenson, Jr., retiring president of the chamber, R. R. Rice, recently named president of the organization, and Miss Deane, slogan winner.

**Men Seek Second Game With Ladies**

The married men derived so much pleasure from beating the married ladies at basket ball last Thursday night that they have requested another game. The second game has been scheduled for Thursday night at 7:45, March 17. Proceeds from these games will be used to purchase jackets for the football and basket ball boys.

The men, who had never practiced, beat the ladies 20 to 14. Those who turned out for the battle were Ted Little, Floyd Smith, Edric Deason, Somer Smith, Rev. T. H. Pollard, Travis Bailey, Fred Bracht, Chas. Garrett, Richard Hapner and E. W. Townsend.

Referees were Glen Owens and Coach Chas. Roe.

Ladies that played were Mrs. Edric Deason, Mrs. Hays Atwood, Mrs. Chas. Garrett, Mrs. E. W. Townsend, Mrs. M. G. Taylor, Mrs. Tom Shults and Mrs. Raymond Sparks.

Those who desire to play in the next game are asked to come prepared as recruits are not being sought for the team.

The junior-senior banquet will be held at the school gym April 29.

Mayor Travis Bailey was in Austin Monday in regards to business of the city.

**W. H. Bauer Jr. Guest Speaker at Lions Club**

Ninety-seven percent of the membership turned out for the dinner meeting of the Lions Club at the Fulton Community house Monday night.

W. H. Bauer Jr. of Port Lavaca was guest speaker for the evening. His subject was "Coastal Waterways". The Fulton Club voted to join the Texas-Louisiana Intercoastal Canal Association.

Mr. Whitten was appointed to approach the Rotary Club in regards to arranging a basket ball game between the two clubs.

Jas. Sorenson Sr. was appointed to investigate the possibility of obtaining street lights for the shore front at Fulton. It was reported that there was a good possibility that the lights could be

obtained.

It was announced that the bicycle racks for the school children have been completed and are at the school.

Other guests at the meeting were Capt. W. H. Bauer, Port Lavaca, Jack Sanders, Jr., and Floyd Huffman.

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Mrs. Somer Smith, social chairman of the auxiliary, is chairman of the affair. Those assisting here are Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mrs. N. F. Jackson, Mrs. Henry Juergens, Mrs. T. H. Pollard, Mrs. Fred Cloberdants, Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Mrs. Floyd Smith and Mrs. Ted Little.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis of Bay City were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hord.

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### Trailerites Come To Rockport to Fish and Like It

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Denny of Union, Illinois, are spending their second winter at the Edgewater Trailer Park. Mr. Denny is a consistent fisherman who likes to supply new guests at the park with Rockport fish until they get started for themselves. The Denny's are also ardent bridge players.

Capt. and Mrs. Franklin Glendenning, McAllen, Texas, are guests at the park. Capt. Glendenning has business interests in the Rockport area as well as in the Valley.

Others staying at the park are W. H. Wood and family of Hutchinson, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Rice, Coyle, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ayers, Hover, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. George A. Seibert, Cuba, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young, Wichita, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ives, Jackson, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Evans and son, Mason, Mich.

The guest personnel at Edgewater has always been predominantly pro 'Isaac Walton', Carl Osborn, owner, remarked this week. The trout reefs off the basin entrance and around the old shipyard are in plain view from the camp grounds and field glasses are used to spot where the trout are biting best. Even though fishing weather during the last 10 days has not been too good, there have been enough good catches among the guests to encourage them to stay over and write other trailerites to include Rockport in their plans.

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drum and a 7 pound 3 ounce sheephead. The young shark are beginning to bite which is welcome news to old timers because it is a sign of early good fishing besides furnishing a supply of one of the most delicate of seafoods for the trailerite table.

### Gulf Coast Marine Ways Proposes to Construct Warehouse and Shops

Gulf Coast Marine Ways, Inc. of Aransas Pass has proposed to the Dept. of the Army to construct a 60 by 160 foot warehouse, 30 by 90 foot carpenter shop, a 25 by 60 foot machine shop, a 30 by 45 foot wharf, a 6 by 60 foot conveyor, three marine ways and a channel approximately 6 by 100 feet, and to construct eleven 3-pile mooring dolphins, a marine way, a timber wharf and to drive piling for boat slips in Redfish Bay at Aransas Pass.

The existing structures are located at the east end of Rice Island with the channelward face of the wharf a minimum distance of approximately 225 feet from the near bottom edge of the channel to Aransas Pass. The eleven 3-pile mooring dolphins, having a top elevation of 8 feet above mean low water, would be placed 25 feet on centers in two parallel lines spaced 50 feet apart with the shoreward line located parallel to and 10 feet channelward from the face of the wharf.

The marine way would be located parallel to and 20 feet east of the existing marine ways at the above location. The proposed 12 by 425 foot wharf would have a deck elevation of 6 feet above mean low water and would be located central to a point approximately 450 feet west of the applicant's existing structures on the south bank of the applicant's channel adjacent to Rice Island.

According to the plans submitted, the face of the wharf would be located parallel to and 45 feet channelward from the center line of the old terminal R.R. The boat slips would be located at an angle to the face of the wharf and would consist of 63 piles, having a top elevation of 6 feet above mean low water, placed 12 feet on centers and would be driven in three parallel lines spaced 17 feet apart with the shoreward line parallel and adjacent to the face of the wharf.

Byrd L. Minter of Aransas Pass has also proposed to construct a boathouse 30 feet long and 18 feet wide on the west bank of the sea wall channel, approximately 500 feet south from Port Aransas Causeway at the foot of Nelson Ave., Aransas Pass, in Redfish Bay.

A new anti-submarine destroyer will be named in honor of Admiral Marc Andrew Mitcher.

"Riding the rods" refers to hoboes riding on the brake rods under railway cars.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF REV. JAMES HENRY KELLY, DECEASED.

No. 397 THE ESTATE OF REV. JAMES HENRY KELLY DECEASED

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF ARANSAS COUNTY, TEXAS Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration upon the estate of Rev. James Henry Kelly, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 18th day of February, 1949, by the County Court of Aransas County, Texas.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present same to me within the time prescribed by law.

My residence and Postoffice addresses are: St. Patrick's Church, 3350 Alameda Drive, Corpus Christi, Texas.

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### Presbyterian Young People Attend Falfurrias Meet

Twenty-one young people of the Presbyterian church attended the Presbytery of Western Texas youth conference in Falfurrias Sunday. They brought the attendance Oscar back with them as a result of having had the largest number of miles.

The theme of the program was "Stewardship". One hundred thirty-eight registered for the meeting which convened at 3:30 p.m. Those from Rockport who took part in the program were Mildred Wilkinson, who explained the budget plan used in Rockport, and Mrs. T. H. Pollard, who led a discussion on the local church budget. After officers were elected, a supper was served by the women of the Falfurrias church.

Rev. Herf Applewhite of Corpus Christi gave an address on "Stewardship." Those who took cars from Rockport were Mrs. Chas. Cron, Somers Smith, Mrs. T. H. Pollard and Bob Albin.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Brundrett and daughter of LaMarque, Mrs. Geo. Sorenson of Palacios, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mires of Taft and Mr. and Mrs. Ingle Turner of Woodboro spent the weekend with their mother Mrs. Manch Brundrett.

### Kingsville Lantana Parade and Coronation March 18 and 19

Visitors to Kingsville on March 18 and 19 for the Lantana Parade and coronation at A and I will have an opportunity to witness a parade, which will feature 13 bands and beautiful floats with the queen and ladies of the court on them.

The parade will go through the downtown section at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Lantana Coronation will be held Saturday night, one of the high light events of the college year which is expected to attract thousands of visitors from all over South Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Russell of Kingsville spent the week-end in Rockport.

Mrs. Henry Bailey has returned to her home in Rockport after an extended visit with her sister and friends in San Antonio.

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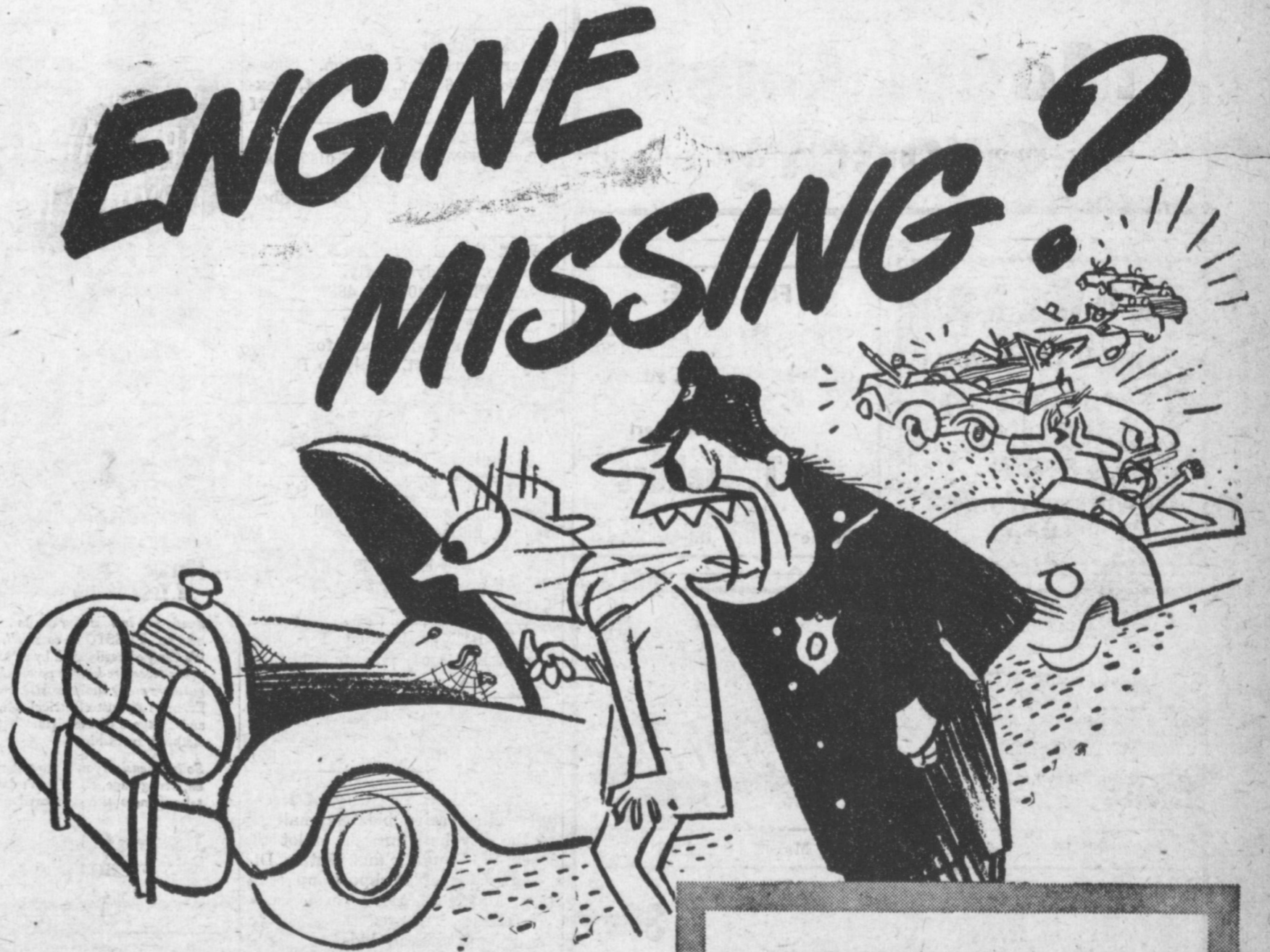
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Tommy Key, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Key, who recently talked with Roy Rogers over the phone when he was a visitor in South Texas, received a picture of Rogers and his horse, Trigger, this week. Tommy was promised the picture in the telephone conversation and is now proudly displaying it to his friends.

Gilmer-Aikin Bills Are Described

AUSTIN—The third key measure in the Gilmer-Aikin school reorganization program Monday slid through the Senate and into the House with only two "no" votes.

It was Sen. A. M. Aikin's bill setting up a special fund from which the state would help needy school districts finance a guaranteed minimum education program.

Aikin told the Senate it would cost the state \$30 million a year more than it now is paying.

There was little effort to harass the third Gilmer-Aikin bill.

Sen. Gus Strauss of Hallettsville offered two amendments with little debate. One that would have guaranteed state aid to insure no reduction in teacher personnel lost on a technicality. It was ruled irrelevant to the bill.

A 19-to-8 vote killed the second amendment which would have guaranteed payment of the state's \$55 per capita apportionment each year before the transfer of any money to the new fund.

Sen. Dorsey Hardeman of San Angelo questioned the constitutionality of the measure. He noted that the Constitution requires that appropriations be "definite" and for a period of not more than two years.

"The bill is certainly as indefinite as to the amount as could be conceived," he said before voting for it.

The bill authorizes the annual allocation to the fund of whatever amount is determined necessary by a special budget committee. Its use would be for those school districts which, after taxing the maximum amount allowed by law, still found themselves unable to finance the minimum education program guaranteed by the state.

The bill is a companion to the two bills already passed by the Senate to reorganize the administrative setup on the state level and to provide a financing pattern to determine how much districts would pay in relation to each other and how much the state would pay.

Provisions of the Gilmer-Aikin bills for overhauling the public

Rotarians Hear Discussion of Arab-Jewish Situation

Rabbi Sidney Wolfe of the Temple Beth El in Corpus Christi spoke to the Rotary Club Wednesday in regard to the "Jewish-Arab Situation As It Exists Today in Palestine."

Visitors at the noon meeting were Carl Spalding and Chapman Rice of Weslaco.

It was announced at the meeting that the Fulton Lions Club had challenged the Rotarians to a basketball game, the date for which will be announced in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Albin and Col. and Mrs. C. M. Davis will attend the Inter-city Rotary meet in Monterrey, Mexico, this weekend.

1949 Chrysler On Display in Aransas Pass

The new Silver Anniversary model of the Chrysler is on display at George Motor Sales in Aransas Pass today.

Everyone who observes the Chrysler between March 10 and 18 will be reminded to register.

The new 1949 model of the Plymouth will be on display March 18 and those who have registered during the 8 days may receive a motor scooter, fog lights, cigar lighter or other auto accessories.

school system of Texas which have been approved by the Senate, with the third passing this week by overwhelming vote, and are due for debate in the House of Representatives next week.

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Spectators Acclaim Boxing Finals Tuesday

The boxing tournament finals at the gym Tuesday night drew a large crowd and the spectators were rewarded with some real action.

In the paperweight division James Richard Fox won a decision over Charles LeBlanc. The match between Donnie Billings and Peter Berkley was outstanding as the youngsters put all they had into the fight. Billings won the decision. Robert Shivers won a decision over Mike Johnson.

In the flyweight division Leon Bateman won a decision over Lee Billings. Woody Hunt won the decision over Urban Chupe in the bantamweight division.

In the featherweight match between Glenn Owens and Paul Dominguez the judges awarded the bout to Owens.

Camilo Delgado defeated Glafiro Solis in the lightweight division.

Dudley Prophet received the decision over Frank Garza in their welterweight match.

The judge's split decision was awarded to Dave Davis over Zade Jones in the middleweight-division. Light-heavyweight Vicente Corpus won a decision from Gene Sprinkle.

In the heavy weight match between Carlton Salch and Jimmy Hayden the judges split decision was awarded to Salch.

Of all participating Camilo Delgado and Vicente Corpus were probably the best boxers; they showed real boxing class.

The tournament was sponsored by the Lettermen's Association and the proceeds will be used to purchase awards for the football and basketball lettermen.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beck of Houston spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen.

Rice Heads Cancer Drive

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home treatment of cancer cases and to furnish transportation to treatment centers for those who need it. Twenty-five per cent of the money goes into a national program of research to finance more than 200 projects seeking the causes and new cures of cancer. The other 15 per cent is used for education on a nation-wide scale.

Mr. Rice is owner of the Rockport Boat Works and is active in civic affairs. He is president of the Chamber of Commerce and has been nominated to serve as director of the local Rotary club, a service organization.

Mrs. S. F. Jackson, a veteran worker for civic improvement, was a charter member of the Parent-Teacher Association, served as its president and is still an active member of the organization. She has been a staunch worker in the Presbyterian church. For several years she has taken an active part in the affairs of the Cemetery Association.

Dr. Wood has shown interest in the promotion of the public welfare since coming to Rockport last May. He is a member of the Rotary Club and the Chamber of Commerce.

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