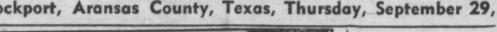
YOU WILL LIKE OUR STORE

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Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, Thursday, September 29, 1949







the basin this week. Some of the which were caught on artificial high school in Aransas County. Rat reds are also being caught off the breakwater. Trout fishing has been good along the St. Joe Island shore. Lots of fish County, the school district is can be seen in the bays and it starting the year free of debt. biting better than a few weeks totaling \$9,111.14 at the begintaken in the back bay. The fish are striking several different paid off by the beginning of the shrimp.

H. E. BENN AND PARTY from Houston went out from Mills' redfish.

ing Monday. Sunday they were heretofore. accompanied by L. E. Grimm and

FRANK BROWN, D. BROWN and party from Gonzales fished with Henry Ballou Sunday and brought in 48 fish which included four large reds, one large drum with the remainder rat reds.

mont, Alec Scott and Matt Scott portation and \$37,336 which will fished with Ballou Wednesday and be due for 728 scholastics at \$48 in will push the figure over the Mundine. landed 60 fish. The catch included per scholastic. four large reds with the rest rat | The budget for the 1948-49 reds and drum.

Island Wednesday.

BERT RODIE AND PARTY of San Antonio fished with Fred Buy-At-Home Campaign Christilles Sunday and landed 10 Gains Momentum redfish, 3 flounder and 12 trout.

MR. AND MRS. CHAS. ANkele and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chris- an early check that the total tilles went out on Christilles' boat Tuesday and made a fine catch of buyers will exceed \$100,000. redfish. The smallest of the reds tipped the scales at seven pounds time the book goes on sale that and Christilles has photographs the individual purchaser will have to prove it. They also caught some an opporuntiy to receive at least | The Grand Jury trout and sheepshead.

RONALD LEE AND DONALD Lee of Houston fished with Christilles Wednesday and landed 27 erel and 2 flounder.

week. Mrs. Ed Ankele was at the there this year. basin with her granddaughter, Terry Ankele, when Terry fell mother in after her. Jimmy Hanway happened to be at the basin at the time and appeared on the scene as soon as possible after the pair fell in. Neither were able to swim and were reported to have gone down for the second time when Hanway grabbed Terry by the hair and lifted her to the surface. Then he assisted Mrs. Ankele out of the water. The family received quite a scare and now that the pair are safe and sound they can boast that they have joined were fairly successful in finding. the Perch Club.

The Rockport Junior football team will play a doubleheader against the scrappy Sundeen team, week. with Aransas Pass tonight at the Zade Jones scored the first touchlocal field. The first game will down in the first quarter. In the ond conference game Friday when get underway at 6 p.m.

WEATHER REPORT

Instruments are read at the marine laboratory each day at Monday: Max. 88, min. 70. Ba-

rometric pressure 29.91 inches. Ppt. 1.7 inches. Tuesday: Max. 88, min. 74. Ba-

rometric pressure 29.89 inches. Wednesday: Max. 91, min. 73. Barometric pressure 9.87 inches. Thursday (1 p.m.): Max. 87, min. 71. Barometric pressure 29.95 inches.

Budget Set Up Waterfront For Consolidated **School District**

School Board members of the County Independent School District will go to San Antonio Tuesday, October 4, to consult with the architectural firm of which Dahl DeWees is a senior member, and make an inspection of buildings for which he has been an architect in San Antonio. DeWees serves as an architect for the San Antonio pubof trout have been reported at lic school system. The school board is making the trip in regard to catches had from 15 to 20 trout plans for construction of a new

The school authorities have reported that through the cooperation of the people of Aransas has been reported that they are The amount of loans or advances ago. Nice sized reds are being ning of the 1948-49 school year, plus the interest of \$508.46 was lures, live shrimp and some dead 1949-50 school year. No vouchers are being carried at the beginning of the 1949-50 term.

It has been estimated that under the new Gilmer-Aiken pro-Wharf Wednesday and caught 40 gram that more financial assistance for equalization aid schools, under which schools in the Aransas County Independent School H. E. NICHOLS AND H. C. District are classified, will be Grow Steadily Floyd landed 36 trout while fish- available than has been received

The Aransas County Independincluded in the party's catch were ent School District will be opa 71/2 pound red and a 3 pound erating this year under a budget of \$131,000, of which \$24,000 stands now and that when this is allocated to bonded indebted- sum is paid, donations will be ness. This leaves an operational figure of \$107,000. These figures are based on the school district ed. valuation of \$6,069,126 and an 80 per cent tax collection.

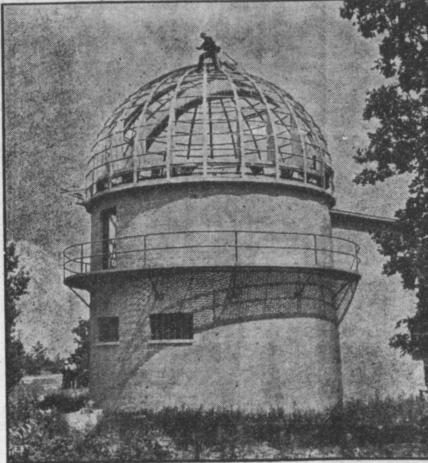
Also included in this figure of \$131,000 is \$15,565 which will be received in salary aid, \$6,400 B. F. GOODNIGHT, OF BEAU- which will be received for trans-

school term of the former Rockport Independent school district was \$76,300. A 91.4 collection of H. C. FLOYD CAUGHT 18 taxes was reported last year with trout while fishing near St. Joe delinquent taxes which were collected raising the figure above 100 per cent .

The Retail Merchants Trades Program, Buy-at-Home campaign planned for December, reflects on amount of goods to be offered to

It is anticipated that by the \$250 in free merchandise with purchases in December.

her home in Gonzales this winter the September term of court, was Aransas Pass by the doctor and trout, 10 redfish one nice mack- with her son and family, Mr. and apprehended here Wednesday Mr. Nichols was taken into cuswell is staying with her sister, Curry. A NEAR TRAGEDY OCCUR- Mrs. Herbert Mangum in Gonred at the Rockport basin last zales, and is attending school bond and is subject to appearance released from the hospital.



SKY SEARCHER-Photographs of the sky about 12 times the moon's diameter will be taken at this new University of Michigan observatory nearing completion at Portage Lake, Mich. The observatory, equipped with a 24-inch reflecting telescope, will expand teaching facilities of the university and will be used in

Community Building Fund Continues To

The Woman's Club of Aransas County reported this week that only \$1,500 remains to be paid on the community building as it sought so that the interior can be finished and the building open-

To date \$8,200 has been paid on the building. Total costs has been estimated at \$15,000.

Many places of business and \$1500 mark so that work on the inside can get started.

Donations received since the last release have come from: Ankele's Hardware. Ballard Drug.

Glory Oh Beauty Shop. Sam Prophet. Gulf Service Service Station.

Nueces Furniture Co., Corpus Christi.

Christi. Moranda Lumber, Corpus Chris-

Storage. Oleander Court.

Man Indicted By Released On Bond

Mrs. J. O. Blackwell is making grand jury for child desertion in to the Walter Nobel hospital in Mrs. Jack Blackwell. Elsie Black- about 5 p.m. by Sheriff A. R. tody by the authorities.

Langley was released on \$500 to be recovering nicely, has been in the Ferbuary term of court.

George Langley, indicted by the arrived. Mrs. Nichols was taken

into the basin, pulling her grand- Pirates Down Sundeen 38-6 To Win First Conference Football Game Friday

last Friday night.

some good holes which the backs the Sundeen team.

second period Jim Morrison made they meet Woodsboro here Friday a one-handed catch of a jump night. The Woodsboro team is repass in the end zone and brought ported to have a strong line, the crowd to its feet when he went especially in the center, and the over for another 6 points. Ozzie Rockport boys will be out to win Williams also scored for the Rock- so it should be a good ball game. port team in the second period. ROCKPORT Jones managed to cross the goal 15 line for another tally in the third | 406 quarter and Gene Smith got across 5 the line for a second touchdown 4 in that quarter. Woody Hunt 2 made the final score in the fourth | 25 period. Sundeen scored in the third 3 for 25

for 60 yeards. The Rockport reserves played a 8 great deal of the game. Outstand- 38

played good defensive ball. Hall The boys worked well as a unit in the backfield and Robert Mur-

making points after touchdowns. against about 3 yards which they The Pirates got several breaks allowed Port Lavaca the previous

> The Pirates will play their sec-First Downs

Net Yds. Rushing Passes Attempted Passes Completed Passes Intercepted By Net Yds. Passing Penalties 2 for 20 quarter on a pass which was good 3 Fumbles Ball Lost On Fumbles Penetrations Score

Not Guilty Plea Entered To Charge Of Assault

E. A. Nichols, 74, entered a plea of not guilty to charges of a hearing before Judge D. R. Simmons Tuesday morning. Nichols was released on \$2,000 bail and bound over to the next remn of the grand jury.

The defendant was represented by attorney Henry Juergens and C. of C. Directors county attorney Weldon Cabaniss represented the State. Testifying at the hearing were Bill Nichols, many residences have not as yet son of the defendant, and Sheriff been contacted for donations. It is A. R. Curry, who investigated the hoped that donations yet to come accident with Deputy Sherman

> Mrs. E. A. Nichols, 59, wife of the defendant, was reported to have been shot with a 10-gaug shot gun about 8 o'clock Saturday morning, September 24. One shot was fired from the gun, striking Mrs. Nichols largely in the face where she was standing about 21 yards from the house.

Bill Nichols reported that he was going out the door when the Gillespie. Buick Co., Corpus shot was fired and while he did not observe the actual shooting, the gun was in his father's hand when he arrived outside and his Corpus Christi Transfer and mother's face was bleeding. He claimed that his first act was to knock his father down and to unload the gun. Later he picked up his mother and carried her down the road to a neighbor's home where he requested that a doctor and the law be called. He was sitting at the side of the road with his mother when the sheriff

Mrs. Nichols, who is reported

Cabaniss Named To **USO Speakers Committee**

Weldon Cabaniss has been named to membership on the Tex-The Rockport Pirates continued ing in the backfield for punt re- as USO Speakers Committee to to show lots of spirit and drive turns was Woody Hunt, who aver- participate in USO's \$500,000 rewhen they downed the Sundeen aged 9 yards per carry. Gene activation campaign in this state, eleven 38 to 6 in the first con- Smith averaged 6 yards. Dave John Ben Shepperd, Chairman of ference game played at Sundeen Davis and Cecil Cole in the line the Committee, announced today.

Mr. Cabaniss is a member of a panel of well-known Texans who offensively. The line opened up ray as tackle were outstanding on are being enlisted to tell the story of USO all over the state by ap-. The Pirates let the Sundeen pearing before luncheon groups However, they lack consistency in team average 4 yards per carry and other organizations of their home counties to report on the work of USO.

Governor Allan Shivers is general chairman of the campaign in Texas and T. E. Braniff is campaign chairman.

Contest Winner Leaves For Factory Tour Friday

B. W. Hamblin will leave Rockport Friday for Dallas where he will board a special train for Newton, Iowa. The special will carry Texas winners of the Maytag contest which was conducted throughout the United States re-

Hamblin placed second in his district. Dealer and salesmen making the trip will tour the factory 0 in Iowa.

Election Saturday, Oct. 1 to Determine Whether City of Rockport or Navigation District Will Assume Harbor Bond Payments

Home Destroyed By Fire Sunday

mon Benavides, located to the south of Forest Park Cottages and next to the old Hall mansion, was destroyed by fire during the noon hour Sunday.

wiring was the cause of the fire which got underway about 11:55 a.m. It was first noticed by Mr. St. John of San Antonio who was visiting at the W. J. Moss nursery. He was able to remove most of their belongings from the burning house as the Benavides who are employed at the Forest Park Cottages, were away from home at

Both the Fulton and the Rockport fire departments answered the call. Within a matter of min-With Attempt To Murder utes the house was in flames and sparks had spread to a roof of a near-by vacant building, which was extinguished. The pumper assault with intent to murder at provided salt water from the inlet to fight the blaze. Flames were trees and buildings but the home was burned beyond repair.

To Meet Tues. Night

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will meet at the Rice Boat Works, Tuesday night at 7:30, October 4, President R. R. Rice has announced.

Plans for the barbecue to be membership and their families will be completed at this time. Reports will also be made on the membership drive which is expected to be completed by next Tuesday.

President Rice has urged that all directors make an attempt to attend the meeting.

Masons Confer Degree On J. R. Ince Monday

Ince, son-in-law of Mr. Bob North Dakota; Lubbock, Texas; derived from the ad valorem tax. Crossman, by Mr. L. E. Harvey Amarillo, Texas; St. Lopis, Mo.; of the Oso Naval Lodge of Corpus Fort Worth, Texas; Peoria, Ill.; Christi, at the regular meeting Wichita, Kans.; and Tulsa, Okla. of the Rockport Masonic Lodge The only magazine in which an Monday night. Mr. Harvey was ad has been placed this year is assisted by other members of the the Rotary magazine, a monthly Oso, Falfurrias and Beaumont publication. The ad will appear in

Oso Naval Lodge.

Revenue From the Waterfront Property Will Be Available For Use By the Body

The county wide election to decide whether the Navigation District will assume the liability of the City of Rockport on the state aid seawall and breakwater bonds or whether the City of Rockport will retain the responsibility for the bond payments, will be held Saturday, October 1.

The official body named by the election to assume the It was believed that defective assumption of bonds will be responsible for improvements and maintenance and will re-

Scout Drive Gets Underway Tues.

funds will get underway in Rockport Tuesday, October 4, with E. J. Albin as chairman. The drive being backed by the Rockport Rotary Club.

This is a Gulf Coast Council drive for Rockport's part of the Scouting budget for 1950. The total of the budget is \$68,895.

Items included in the budget are field service for Scout troops kept from spreading to near-by and Cub packs, maintenance of Scout camp at Lake Corpus Chrisinsignias.

Chamber of Commerce **Outlines Extensive** Advertising Campaign

Chamber of Commerce met Monpapers which will carry ads tell-

Advertising boosting the area the November issue.

Visitors were Alec Scott, Matt | Advertising carried out during Scott, W. F. Goodnigh, Beaumont, the last two years has been highly Robert Crossman, T. C. Brown, successful and as a result the Corpus Christi, Paul M. Taylor, Bureau feels that it is advantage-Corpus Christi, Sam Perkins, Fal- ous to the community as a whole furrias and Bert Shorlemmer, to extend the scope of advertising this year.

The Tourist Bureau of the

day night at the fire hall to com- to come. plete plans for the fall advertising. About \$900 has been allot- cause for concern would be if the held October 16, for the general ted to be used in the most ex- State should fail to remit the ad tensive campaign ever carried out valorem tax as it did in 1948 and by the Bureau. The number of 1949. ing of the advantages to be had for submitting a bill to the legisby spending a winter in the Rock- lature in the spring to permit this port-Fulton area is nearly twice election. It all seems to revolve the number which carried ads last around the ad valorem tax.

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| Aransas County Navigation District No. 1. Special Election

October 1, 1949

NOTE: VOTER'S SIGNA-TURE TO BE AFFIXED ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

SAMPLE BALLOT

FOR the Assumption of the Bonds

AGAINST the Assumption of the Bonds

The above ballot will be used to determine if the bond liability will be retained by the city or if the Navigation District shall assume the assumption of the bonds. You vote for an issue by scratching against it and vice

If FOR the assumption of bond have a majority, it will mean that the Navigation District will assume the bonds and

will have control of the basin and vice versa. If you desire to vote for the City of Rockport to continue having the bond liability, you scratch FOR the assumption

If you desire to vote for the Navigation District to assume the bonds, you scratch AGAINST the assumption of bonds.

Named To Assume Payment Of the Bonds

ceive the revenue derived from the property.

The original purpose for calling the election was to place responsibility for payment of the The annual Scout campaign for bonds in the hands of the same official body that receives revenue fro mthe harbor for which the bonds were levied.

With this in mind, it would appear that the question at hand is which official body-the City of Rockport or the Navigation District-can best assume the financial responsibility now and in the future. In the overall picture the financial responsibility does not end with the payment of bonds; repairs in case of disaster, proper maintenance of all property inti, leaders training, badges and volved, expansion to facilitate growth of the communitymust be considered.

Voters also should look to the future and consider what would be best for the Rockport harbor after the bonds have been paid in regard to extension and expansion which may be required in years

At the present time the only

Let us go back to the reasons

In November of 1948, a constitutional amendment was passed as a winter resort will appear in abolishing the State ad valorem 17 Sunday editions over a wide tax which will go into effect in area. Newspapers were chosen in 1951. It exempted, however, those the following cities: Des Moines, divisions of the State who had Iowa; Omaha, Nebr.; Minneapolis, obligated themselves on the basis The Masters degree was con- Minn.; Cleveland, Ohio; Denver, of paying off bonds levied for ferred upon Mr. James Robert Colo.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Fargo, harbor improvements with funds

> Travis Bailey, mayor of Rockport, attended a meeting of municipalities directly affected by the abolishment of the tax who met to determine a plan of action, and it was reported that the constitutionality of the amendment was being attacked. In the case of the City of Rockport this meant that the \$112,000 indebtedness would have to be paid for by the City.

> Upon returning to Rockport Mayor Bailey was instrumental in arriving at a solution to solve the problem-namely a manner by which the same official body could receive the revenue that is responsible for the bond payment. In July the State automatic tax

board revived the 30 cent ad valorem tax for the year 1949-50, which made the situation less acute. Thirty cents per very \$100 valuation in Aransas County will be refunded to the City of Rockport for payment on the seawallharbor bonds.

If the State should fail to levy the 30 cent ad valorem tax after 1951, the county, should they have the responsiblity for paying off the bonds, could levy a 30 cent tax (the same as has been levied this year by the State) on a \$6,000,000 valuation. The city would be required to raise an equal amount of money on a \$1,-282,970 valuation should they continue to be responsible for the bond payments.

The ad valorem tax remissions will continue to be paid to the county the same as they would be paid to the city according to Section 2 of House Bill 817, which states that should the Navigation District assume such liabilities "nothing herein should be construed to effect in any way the grants of State taxes heretofore made to the City of Rockportexcept that all such taxes shall hereafter be paid when collected to

the county treasurer of Aransas (Continued on last page)

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Traffic Hampers Firemen

The need for an officer to direct traffic at fires was indicated once again at the scene of the fire in Fulton Sunday when observers blocked the road and hampered movement The display will show the work of the fire trucks.

Some curiosity seekers may be cooperative but many certainly are inclined to follow the mob and after the first car made the turn off the highway onto the road leading to the flaming house many others followed. Three trucks were trying to operate to best advantage in the narrow View, The Texas Agricultural Exquarters where one house was blazing and the roof of another had caught.

Perhaps if someone were on hand to direct traffic at these occasions, it would help to solve the problem. Requests its growth and automatic slide for people to park their cars considerable distance from a projects will show activities. An fire has been of no avail. In this instance cars could have been kept off the side road and instructed to park well on and engineering. the shoulder of the highway, permitting a flow of two-way traffic instead of the narrow strip of one-way traffic which was not always open.

The services of members of the fire department are purely voluntary and they deserve the cooperation of the citizens. Perhaps if one of us were to serve as a traffic director it would help to solve the problem.

Accurate Wage Reports Assure Full Payment

by each worker in covered em- his social security card." ployment, H. M. Cleveland, Manager of the Social Security Administration in Corpus Christi, ex-

wages is kept from the reports of temporary. Employers are help- Gilchrist of Texas A&M College loss, says Ulich, can be avoided Pullin, Corpus Christi and Chas. which employers send in with so- ing to pay for the protection of in charge of the program

wages be correctly reported," Cleveland said.

"Accuracy in recording the

to keep faith with their employees vation and improvement. by reporting their wages properly. "A record of each earner's er they are full time, part time, day, Oct. 16, with Chancellor Gibb

cial security taxes four times a their workers when they get old year. Since the benefits which a and for their families when they Fuel Conservation worker or his dependents will get die. Properly completed reports are based on the worker's wage assure getting value received for record, it is essential that his social security tax payments.

in us is justly placed for over a period of many years our name and reputation have grown-as a result of our unwavering policy of giving our clients sympathetic guidance in time of trouble. You too will benefit by letting us apply our skill and experience to the solution of your funeral

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Texas A.&M. College System Will Have Exhibit At State Fair of Texas

The Texas A&M College System exhibit at the 1949 State Fair of Texas Oct. 8-23 will give Texans a quick look at one of their most valuable properties, an educational and research institution which reaches into every corner of the state.

The system, which Texans have never seen depicted in one piece before, includes four colleges and it operates on an annual budget ly and conducts adult education courses for 25,000 other Texans holes.)

The State Fair exhibit will cover nearly 5,000 square feet of space in the Agriculture Building. of the nine major divisions of the system - the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas at College Station, Arlington State College at Arlington, Tarleton State College at Stephenville, Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College at Prairie periment Station, Texas Engineering Extension Service and Texas

Huge photographs and models will picture the vast system and air-conditioned theater will show educational films on agriculture

Adult education conducted by the agricultural and engineering extensionn services will be described in the exhibit. The Agricultural Extension Service, with county agents in nearly every Texas county, is one of the state's best-known agencies. Less widely known are the activities of the Engineering Extension Service, which trains Texans for jobs in industry.

Research in the fields of agriculture and industry will be shown by the experiment station diswages is made possible through plays. The Agricultural Experisurance benefits under the Social the use by employers, of the exact ment Station is the nation's big-Security Act are based on the name and correct account number gest. The Texas Forest Service wages received and the time spent of each worker as they appear on Exhibit will feature the story of one of the state's most valuable Cleveland urges all employers resources, its protection, conser-

> Texas A&M System Day at the This applies to all workers wheth- State Fair has been set for Sun-

COLLEGE STATION - Farm for storage is much better than tractor operators should be in- barrels that set out in the sun. to 8 gallons per day. Watch the terested in making every gallon Always stop the engine before of fuel that goes into the farm filling the tank, and adds Ulich, tractor fuel tank work for him, leave room in the tank for exsays W. L. Ulich, extension agri- pansion-don't get it too full. cultural engineer of Texas A. & Check the fuel system often M. College. Tests and reports in- to see that there are no leaks in bill, says Ulich, and you can just dicate that a lot of gasoline is the gas lines and be sure the being wasted and in most in- carburetor is functioning as it stances you can do something should. If the carburetor leaks, it about it.

Ulich says there are about float valve, he says. Use the 240,00 farm tractors in the state choke only when necessary. (A and a conservative estimate in- choked tractor wastes a gallon of dicates that each tractor burns gas an hour). Make carburetor adabout 900 gallons of gasoline per justments only when the engine year. Tests show that about 10 is hot and follow the instructions percent of this is wasted. A little in your tractor operator's manual. simple arithmetic and you have Don't change the carburetor set-21,600,000 gallons of wasted fuel. ting to start or pull when the Now this is the amount of gaso- engine is cold—use the choke. The line that is not working for the proper adjustment on the idle and farmers of Texas. Figure a little idlespeed stop screw can save up further and see what this is cost- to 100 gallons of gasoline per ing you in dollars and cents-that year. amount will help pay the taxes | Use the correct type of manior might even buy the wife a new fold or manifold setting for the

Anyway it's a lot of gasoline. spark plugs every 200 hours and It would fill 1,160 tank cars- replace faulty plugs. Use the coreach holding 10,000 gallons and rect type of plugs for the fuel that in turn would make up 21 you use. Check the magneto regutrains—each of more than 100 larly and service the air cleaner

LOOPHOLES in the Law

By WILL WILSON Past President, Texas District and County Attorneys Association



(Editor's Note: This one of a quiet Joe by talking to him. But series of short case histories, all Joe was in no condition to listen taken from court records, showing to reason. He threatened to kill how legal loopholes often enable the sheriff. five major statewide services. criminals to escape punishment in The sheriff was unarmed, so he

With a staff of 5,000 teachers, re- Texas. Will Wilson, of Dallas, is went back to his car and got a searchers and extension workers, chairman of a special steering pistol. When he returned to the committee of the State Bar, which tavern Joe had been carried to the of \$25,000,000, controls some 45,- is working for revision of the back door by two men. The sheriff 000 acres, enrolls more than 13,- antiquated Criminal Code and followed the men and approached 000 students in its colleges year- Code of Criminal Proceedure in Joe. As he came close, Joe stabbed order to eliminate these loop- him in the chest with a knife.

The wound was wide and went Having drunk more beer than he to the rib. It would have produced could handle, Joe started a great death if it had not struck a rib. disturbance in a tavern. The coun- Since that happened, however, the ty sheriff was called. When he wound was not serious and the reached the tavern he tried to sheriff had to make only one visit

> Joe was arrested of course, and charged with assault with intent to murder. He was convicted of that charge. But when the case was appealed the higher court reversed the decision, the court ruling that the trial testimoney was faulty because the record contained no testimony regarding the size and length of the knife blade or the type of knife Joe had used.

> Too many criminals go free in Texas because of such technicalities as this one. The State Bar wants to close the loopholes through revision of the criminal statutes.

Kemper Williams **Guest Speaker At** Rotary Luncheon

Kemper Williams, secretary of the Victoria Rotary Club, related his experiences at the 40th annual Rotary Convention which he attended in New York last June, to the members of the Rockport Rotary Club at their noon luncheon Wednesday. Williams also gave the highlights of the trip enroute to New York.

J. C. Williams, who reports that he intends to be a permanent resident of Rockport, was admitted to the club as a new

Guests at the meeting were John Brandenberger of Houston, Bert Warrick, Enid, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nyland, Corpus Christi, H. cars, one mile long. Much of this E. Palmros, Fort Worth, Melvin

An elevated and shaded tank daily and oftener in dusty work. temperature of the water in the

radiator. This is important. These are a few of the "gremlins" that are working on your about get them all out of the way by just simply watching and caring for the farm tractor in an probably needs a new float or orderly way.

So called "closet dramas" are Only persons who have been those designed to be read, but not dead for ten years can qualify for election to the Hall of Fame.



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neat tweed skirt completes the

maintained and operated.

if the farm tractor is properly E. Grighton, Tulsa, Ckla.

convertible neckline. The cardi-

We believe that the election is thoroughly explained in this issue with an unbiased opinion. We ask that every voting citizen of Aransas County express their sentiments Saturday, October 1

ARANSAS COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT

Commissioners:

TED R. LITTLE, Chairman F. G. HUFFMAN, Secretary ERNEST JONES, Member

Society

Doings of People You Know In Aransas County

FACULTY OF ARANSAS COUNTY SCHOOLS

ENTERTAINED AT BLEVINS HOME MONDAY

Honoring the faculty of Aran-|charge of the register. sas County, their wives and husbands, Mrs. Roy Hinton, Mrs. Wm. with lace and centered with a bride because the ring bearer lost Blevins and Mrs. E. J. Albin en- huge arrangement of bronze, yel- the ring and the groom didn't be-

afternoon at the Blevins home. the bay, carried out the autumn The cake, a special compliment long pointed sleeves and veil. The motif in all the decorations. Dolly to the teachers, was iced in pale Lee Hart greeted the guests upon yellow, embossed with bronze tuxedo. They followed the wedarrival and Judy Albin was in

WOMEN OF CHURCH MEET AT MANSE

Mrs. J. B. Jackson led the program at the meeting of the Women of the Presbyterian Church which was held at the manse last Juergens, Mrs. Somer Smith, Mrs. T. H. Pollard, Mrs. A. M. Mc-Natt and Mrs. Norvell Jackson assisted with the program, "Youth with Christian Convictions.'

It was announced that the fall conference will be held at Woodsboro Friday, Sept. 30. Plans were discussed regarding a rummage sale planned for later in the fall. Eighteen members were pres-

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Reminder...

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tertained at a tea Wednesday low and white mums in a bronze container, was flanked by seven-This spacious home overlooking tiered brass candelabra tapers. who wore a white satin gown with mums and inscribed, "Faculty ding party onto the stage. 1949 and '50." It was encircled by ruffles of gold maline.

Mrs. Roy Lee Hart served and Mrs. U. M. Albin presided at the gown with a tiara of blue. The coffee service, assisted by Ann and Sue Blevins.

The living room, a bower of autumn leaves, was lighted by the Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Henry glow of green, yellow and orange tapers in single brass holders. Thirty-five guests called between the hours of five and seven.

> Mrs. George Jacobsen of Dumont, New Jersey, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alec Scott. Mrs. Jacobsen, Mrs. Matt Scott and Mrs. Alec Scott visited in Monterrey, Mexico, last week. Mary Lou Johnson and Herbie

PARTY FOR TOM THUMB WEDDING ATTENDANTS FRIDAY

Members of the Tom Thumb Wedding party will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Joe Johnson Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Sept. 30.

The marriage ceremony was performed at the school auditorium Tuesday night. Eddie Ratliff was the minister and Tommy Cron was the master of ceremonies. The refreshment table spread The groom refused to embrace the lieve that he was married.

The bride was little Janet Grant groom, Steirly Rozzell, wore a

Leading the wedding party was petite little Azalea Shivers attired in a dainty blue floor length best man, Bubba Armstrong, also wore a tuxedo.

Bridesmaids and groomsmen as they came in were Janet Haseman and N. F. Jackcon, Agnes Hemmi and Don Alan Vance, Rebecca Rouquette and Tommie Picton, Cynthia Highfill and Joe Blevins, Sherry Garrett and Slick DeForest, Terry Ankele and Raymond Owens, Beverly Simpson and Milton Court, and Sue Ann Johnson and Rob Johnson. The girls wore floor length gowns of pastel shades and the boys wore white suits.

Following the ring bearers, Mills, were the bride's mother and father, Nan Jackson and Jimmy Jackson. The bride's grandparents, Frances Adele LeBlanc and Robert Arley Shivers, were next in fine. They also sang a duet. Wedding guests to enter were Delan Beasley and Gail Yates, Jerry Lynn Harrell and Mary Ann Barber, Jackie Lynn Deason, Judith Deason and Betsy Lou Sparks, attended the Get-Acquainted pic-Sharon Spencer and Sandra Spen-

The little flower girls were Connie Sue Hunt, Terry Thomas and Janice Garrett.

Ruby Wilkinson was the pianist. the affair, wishes to extend thanks to all that participated in making the Tom Thumb Weding a suc-

MRS. J. B. JACKSON ENTERTAINS YOUNG MATRONS CLUB

members and guests of the Young Matrons Bridge Club at her home McCabe, Mrs. Chas. Roe, Sr., Wednesday afternoon. Floral ar- Mrs. Floyd Smith, Mrs. Roy Lee rangements of zinnias were colorful in the home.

Mrs. Chester Johnson won the prize for holding high score. Sec- Close, general chairman, Mrs. Soond high was claimed by Mrs. Joe Johnson. Mrs. Chas. Ankele held inson, Mrs. High Morrison, Mrs. low and Mrs. Roy Woods received Herny Juergens and Mrs. Tom the traveling prize.

Five tables of bridge were in progress. Those playing were Mrs. N. F. Jackson, Mrs. Steirly Rozzell. Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Mrs. Ed Barnard, Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. Roy Rogero, Mrs. Roy Woods, Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. Chas. Ankele, Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mrs. Jack Mc-David, Mrs. Dick Picton, Mrs. Arley Shivers, Miss Shirley Johnson, Mrs. John Haseman, Mrs. C. the committee following the meet-F. Rozzell, Mrs. Emory Spencer, ing. Mrs. Harold Picton and Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss.

A refreshment plate was served

Boys Named For **Cub Scout Awards**

Cub Scout awards will be presented at the next pack meeting Cub Master Ceylon Ammons reported today. Boys who will receive awards are Rudy Gwynn, wolf rank, gold and silver arrow; Mitchel Ammons, bear rank, gold arrow, lion rank; Bobby Close, bear rank, gold and silver arrow; Hank Schleider, wolf rank and gold arrow; Harvey Fleming, wolf rank, gold arrow; Rodney Johnson, wolf rank; Phillip Albin, wolf rank, gold and silver arrow.

Boys who recently joined the Cub Scouts are Joe Lee Satoky, Clyde Townsend, Stephen Weber, Wesley Hill, Roy Skinner, Richard Steward, Gene Clinton, Tonnie Mc-Lester, John Cabaniss, Herschel Sanders, Michael Collins, James Richard Fox, Gary Horne, Eddie Ratliff, Robert Shivers, David Owens, James Dupnik, Johnny Baxter, Michael Casterline, Jimmy Chrittenden, Roy DeForest, John Goff, Walter Heldenfels, Carl Kelly, Charles LeBlanc, Rudy

Langley and Bobby Reed.

Vern Herring, field Scout executive will be in Rockport Monday night, October 3, to meet with parents of the boys at this time. He will have films to show. All Cub Scouts are urged to attend with their parents.

SUNDAY SINGING

The regular Sunday afternoon singing will be held at the Fulton Community Church on October 2 starting at 2:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Newly Crowned 'Miss America'



ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—"Miss America of 1949", Jacque Mercer of Phoenix, Ariz., receives the first of the major prizes awarded following her triumph in the annual "Miss-America" pageant here. The 18-year-old chestnut-haired dramatics student accepts the keys to a new Nash Ambassador sedan from E. M. Christie, eastern sales executive of Nash Motors. Nash is a sponsor of the pageant's \$25,000 scholarship fund, 35,000 of which goes to "Miss America" and the rest to 15 runners-up.

ABOUT 200 ATTEND GET-ACQUAINTED PICNIC AND PARTY

About 200 students and adults nic and party given by the home room mothers of the high school last Saturday night.

The students gathered at the mar where the picnic was held The Altar Society, sponsor of in the school bus. After the picnic they returned to the school via bus to attend the dance which was held in the gym.

Those who attended other than high school students were faculty members with their husbands and wives, room mothers and their

Room mothers who arranged the affair are Mrs. Lloyd Lassiter, Mrs. J. B. Jackson entertained Mrs. Fred Cloberdants, Mrs. Clark Herring, Mrs. Catherine Hart, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, Mrs. Chas. Garrett, Mrs. Clyde Townsend, Mrs. Ted Atwood, Mrs. W. F. mer Smith, Mrs. J. W. Wilk-Shults.

W. S. C. S. GIVES SUNSHINE SHOWER

The Methodist W.S.C.S. gave a Sunshine Shower at their regular social meeting Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Mary Werldsma who is ill at her home. Gifts were presented to Mrs. Werldsma by

The program on "Faith" was led by Mrs. E. G. Cooke who was assisted by Miss Ethel Friend, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, Mrs. T. C. Kelly, Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Curtis Harrist.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. J. A. Walling and Mrs. Chas. Garrett who substituted for Mrs. Homer Graham who was ill.

A business meeting will be held at the church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, October 4.

Mrs. Pierson Raymond was admitted to Ghormley hospital in Corpus Christi last Friday. Her condition is reported to be slightly improved.

Movie Shown To Cub Scouts and Parents

Vern Herring, Scout field executive, showed a motion picture, 'Cubbing in the Home", designed primarily to prepare young boys for entry into Boy Scouting, at the auditorium last Thursday school and made the trip to La- night. The film pointed out that the parent must work in close cooperation with the Cub in order that he can progress in Cub

> About 85 boys and their parents attended the meeting.

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In the dining room the table was laid with a lace cloth over green. The centerpiece was an arrangement of bachelor buttons, ivy and Queen's crown and flanked with pink tapers in crystal candelabra on a reflector.

Mrs. Jack Sanders Sr. and Mrs. Dick Picton alternated at the

punch bowl and Mrs. Emory M. Spencer and Mrs. C. C. Fowler presided at the silver coffee service. Assisting in the house party were Mrs. C. F. Rozzell, Miss Norma Lou Roe and Miss Joy Roe. All were in formal attire.

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1949 Ford coupe—Charles

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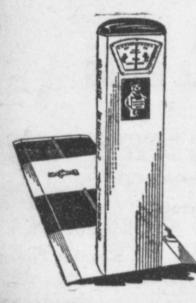
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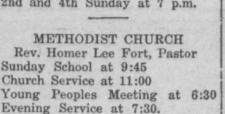
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Cemetery Ass'n To Celebrate Anniversary At Silver Tea

Mrs. James G. Hooper, finance chairman, announced at the Cemetery Association meeting Monday afternoon that the initial Silver Tea in the chain of teas planned for the fall would be held at her home October 12. Mrs. G. M. Hooper, Miss Ruth Lipscomb and Mrs. Jas. G. Hooper will be cohostesses. The event will be in celebration of the eleventh birthday aniversary of the organiza-

Mrs. G. M. Hooper, grounds chairman, reported that work on cleaning the grounds is progressing as fast as possible with preference being given to lots whose owners are paying dues. Publication of an ad in the Pilot calling for additional workmen was authorized.

The association met at the home of the president, Mrs. John C.

Mrs. Willie Rees of Fulton underwent a major operation in the Aransas Pass hospital last week. Her condition is reported to be

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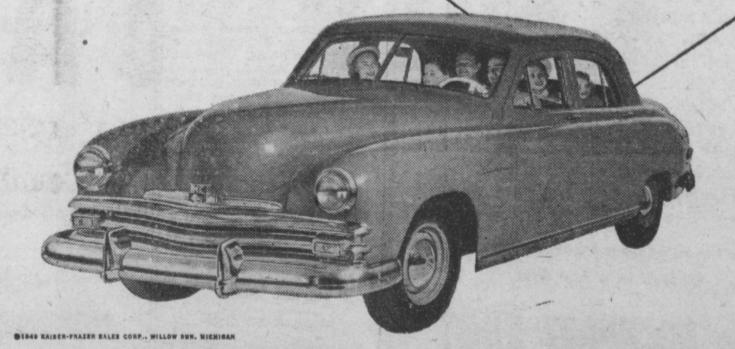
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3. Agriculture will use it to im- atomic energy, it will affect the from Oak Ridge for its first pub-

The dramatic and comprehensive atomic. "Whether or not we understand State Fair exhibit will come direct lives of each of us," declared Da- lic showing in the South outside dioactive iron, phosphorus, sodium, determine the location of oil healing diseases but also for mak- to grasp the possibilities of atomic broaden the scope of knowledge

of the average man in matters

The State Fair will honor the Institute of Nuclear Studies on Oct. 15, when the executive director of the institute, Dr. William G. Pollard, will be the guest of the fair at ceremonies in the Science Building and at the football game between Rice and SMU. Dr. Pollard received his master's and doctor's degree at Rice.

The "Man and the Atom" show at the fair will picture the world of 20 or 30 years from now as it probably will be shaped by the vise use of atomic energy.

Exhibits, although comprehensive, are presented in such a simple manner that a grade school pupil can understand them.

New Equipment Installed At Carbon Black Plant

The new unit for the manufacture of high grade carbon black which has recently been installed at the United Carbon Company plant north of Aransas Pass was shut down on Saturday, Sept. 4, in order that newly arrived equipment might be installed, H. L Teegerstrom, General Superindent, has announced.

The new equipment, consisting of the latest and most improved type of smoke control devices, was included in the original plans for the unit and has been on order for many months. Due to the wide demand for this type of equipment, the manufacturer has been unable to make delivery prior to this

Mr. Teegerstrom was unable to estimate the time required to install the equipment. He estimated that approximately 60 men were affected in the shut-down.

Governor, State Solons And Press to Open **Texas Prison Rodeo**

Huntsville, Tex.-Opening day at the greater Texas Prison Rodeo will be known as "Governor's Day," French M. Robertson, Abilene prison board member and chairman of the board's rodeo committee, announced today.

He said that Governor Allan Shivers has accepted the prison board's invitation and will appear pack since 1944, but it was only as guest of honor at the opening of the Prison Rodeo on Sunday, Oct. 2, in Prison Stadium, Huntsville. It will also be a day in honor of the members of the Texas Legislature. Each member has cline of 53,407 cases from the 1947 been issued a personal invitation total, but an increase in value of by prison General Manager O. B. \$518,046.

In a further display of honor by states: to Governor Shivers, A. C. Turner, | Canned shrimp-Louisiana, 444, men to be his guest on "Gover- cases, \$590,810. nor's Day." He expects about 2,-000 newshawks and their wives to be present, and has arranged 85,673 cases, \$1,157,740; North a special "press section" for the

special features for the "Governor's Day" ceremonies and rodeo manager Albert Moore insists that he'll have the fastest, wildest show ever staged during his 16 years of prison rodeo experience. Activities begin promptly at 2 p. m. on opening day and each Sunday thereafter during October. A Wednesday performance is also scheduled for Oct. 19. Reserved seats are now on sale at the ticket office in Huntsville. Prices are the same as last year: Two dollars for reserved seats and one dollar for standing room. "Early

Hugh V. Haddock of Sulphur Springs, Ark., and Hugo Vetter of San Antonio visited friends in Rockport this week and did a little

rodeo ticket office.

ticket sales are brisk," says L. J. Craig, chief cashier at the prison

ON THE CAMPUS

Nominated as a campus fashion favorite again this year is the everpopular corduroy jumper dress. Here, a campus belle shows one of the new back-to-school jumper styles by Tabak in soft cotton corduroy. The scooped-out neckline and the panelled skirt are important style details, according to National Cotton Council fashion-

Canned Shrimp, Oyster Business Nets \$12 Million

Washington - Canned shrimp and oysters were a \$12,500,000 businesses last year.

The Fish and Wildlife Service said the U.S. pack of canned shrimp in 1948 was 558,870 cases valued at \$7,791,313 to the pack-

This was an increase of 86,537 cases (48 five-ounce cans to the case) over 1947 and the largest about a third as large as the 1933 record of 1,613,408 cases.

The pack of canned oysters in 1948 was 357,080 cases, valued at \$4,777,531 to the packers—a de-

The 1948 production and value,

prison rehabilitation director and 543 cases, \$6,104,539; Mississippi, rodeo publicity chief, has asked 76,917 cases, \$1,095,964; Georgia, all Texas newspaper and radio Alabama and California 37,410

Canned oysters--Louisiana, 114,-722 cases, \$1,486,177; Mississippi, Carolina, South Carolina and Alabama, 73,196 cases, \$838,699; Mr. Robertson promised many Washington and Oregon, 83,489 cases, \$1,294,915.

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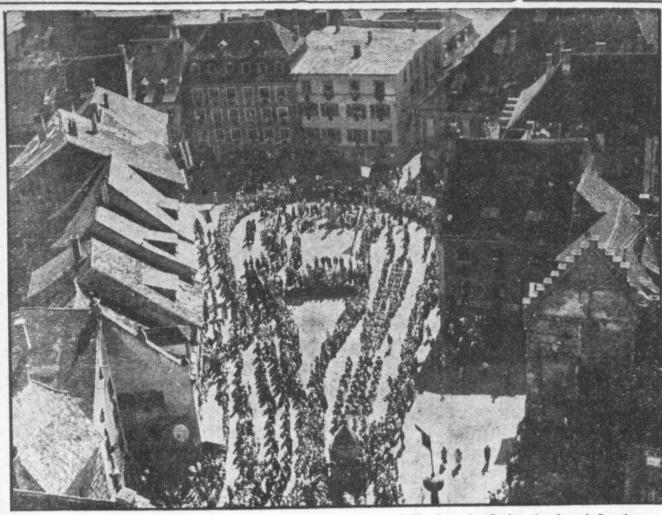
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We believe that the election is thoroughly explained in this issue with an unbiased opinion. We ask that every voting citizen of Aransas County express their sentiments Saturday, October 1

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COMMEMORATIVE DANCE-More than 1200 visitors from Austria, Switzerland and Southern Germany gathered in Uberlingen, Germany, on Lake Constance for the traditional Schwertle Dance or dance with the little swords. The dance, held every 10 years, commemorates the city's heroic defense against Swedish troops back in 1634. Dancers, above, performed amid a big crowd on

regular session each year.

The first regular session would come in the odd years, the same as under present constitutional

sion would come in the even num-

bered years, and be restricted to 1, appropriations to pay monthly

recurring expenses and salaries;

2. Proposals to amend the consti-

tution, and 3, such other measures

only as four-fifths of the member-

ship of each house may determine

shall be considered. Such non-re-

The purpose of this change, as

stated in the amendment, is to

salaries paid by the state to not

more than twelve month periods.

the six states which have annual

sessions had a long-term debt, with the full faith and credit of the state behind it, in round fig-

New York 824 million dollars. Massachusetts 175 million dollars, California 132 million dollars, New Jersey 102 million dollars, South

Carolina 59 million dollars, Rhode Island 43 million dollars. For Texas the amount was 4 million dollars. The total such debt for the

six states was one zillion, three hundred thirty-six million dollars

-42.7 percent of the total for

A serious question has been

raised as to demands on the legislature in its first session to spend

all the money in sight. The result of such action, more particularly

in a period of declining revenues, might be a sharp reduction in appropriations for state salaries and

all forty-eight states.

ures as follows:

Constitutional Amendments

the second of a series of articles ment or of the opinion that higher provisions. The second regular sesdesigned to discuss proposed pay will attract candidates of a amendments to the State Constitu- higher calibre, and that this will tion which will be voted on in the result in a more judicious handling

of every two years.

would have paid out one million very able, and who devote their dollars more in salaries to mem- time to public affairs, not because bers of the legislature had this of the pay involved but because restrict appropriations for the salary increase been in effect of a genuine desire to be of service | monthly recurring expenses and during the current biennium end- to their state. ing Aug. 31, 1949.

Many members of the legisla-



This week the Pilot offers you ture and many students of governof the affairs of the State. There H.J.R. No. 5 is an amendment are other students of government proposed to increase the pay of who question the effectiveness members of the legislature, and and the wisdom of this amendproviding for annual sessions of ment. These people suggest that,

if more pay is required to attract It proposes to amend Section a better class of legislators, then curring items as building pro-24 of Article III of the Constitu- it will take substantially more grams, emergency appropriations, tion of Texas so to pay each mem- than \$3,600 per year to get men claims against the state could not ber of the legislature an annual of higher ability and intelligence be considered, nor could taxes salary of \$3600. It also proposes to devote their time to legislative or special matters submitted by to amend Section of Article III work. In fairness to members of the Governor be considered by to provide a regular session of the present legislature, it should the legislature in the second reguthe legislature each year instead be noted that Texas now has and lar session unless four-fifth of the almost always has had a legisla- membership in each house voted In round numbers the State ture composed of men who are to take them up.

> The proposed amendment re- There are many who favor this tains provisions for payments of restriction, feeling that the legismileage now in the constitution lature can not adequately foresee but eliminates the prohibition of either the needs or the income of payment 'for any extra session the State for a longer period. hat may be called within one day There are others who feel th after the adjournment of a regular appropriations for a two year period are a reasonable comproor called session.'

> The legislature now meets in mise between a desirable longregular session every two years term look at expenditures and the and amendments to the constitu- limitations on forecasting state tion can be submitted only at the income. They point out that a regular session, not at special ses- state's debt is an important meassions. The proposed amendment ure of its ability to balance exwould provide for consideration of penditures and income. In 1948 constitutional amendments at

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other departmental expenses in the following year. If remaining revenues for the second year are low, it might be very difficult, or impossible, to obtain a four-fifths regular employees and services of the State government and might have a crippling effect upon departmental efficiency.

The adoption of H.J.R. No. 5 would not change other provisions in the constitution for special sessions of the legislature called by the Governor to deal with emergency measures.

consideration and voting on bills. chance of hasty passage of unre- 42,879.

Local Boy To Appear In Marine Production

Camp Pendleton, Calif.-Marine Private First Class Ramon L. vote of both houses for considera- Rodriguez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sands of Iwo Jima."

The film, a Republic Studio's production includes such famous Adele Mara.

lated laws. The proposed amend-The constitution now regulates ment discards this theory. It prothe time to be given in regular poses that the legislature adopt session to introduction of bills, rules of procedure without this committee hearing and finally the constitutional guide or mandate.

Amendments to this same sec-Either house of the legislature tion to increase the pay of legiscan, and in some cases has chang- lators have been submitted to the ed this procedure by a four-fifths people eight times since the convote of its membership. The theory stitution was adopted. In 1945 an was that this orderly handling of amendment was submitted to

Rotary To Sponsor Cub Scout Group

be under the direction of the Youth Committee which is headed stars as, John Wayne, John Agar, by Hugh Morrison. E. J. Albin the committee.

The committee was instructed to arange for the purchase of 25 chairs for the Scout hut. The Board voted to sponsor the Scout Drive for funds to be held in October. E. J. Albin will be the chairman of this committee.

Plans for the entertainment of the District Governor were made He will be a guest of the Club at the October 19, luncheon meeting. The directors announced that a vocational book, "Service is my the state's business would insure make the annual pay of the legis- Business", a book covering the a better understanding by each lators \$3,650 (\$10.00 per day dur- proceedings of the Rotary Intermember of all proposals before ing their tenure of office.) It was national Convention in 1949 and the legislature, and lessen the defeated by a vote of 103,983 to the monthly Rotary magazine will be placed in the school library.

Former Pastor Returns To Theological Studies

AUSTIN - Frank Walker of Fort Worth, one-time pastor of the The Board of Directors of the Fulton Community Church of Rocktion of new taxes. The burden of Arthur Rodriguez of Rockport is Rotary Club voted to officially port, has returned to his theologisuch uneveness would fall upon taking part in the forthcoming take over the sponsorship of the cal studies at the Austin Presbyproduction, of the film, "The Cub Scouts at a meeting held terial Theoligical Seminary, He Wednesday night. The work will will be a senior at the Seminary. Walker is a gradute of the University of Texas (1949) and is serving as student pastor of the Leon Forrest Tucker, Wally Cassel and and Weldon Cabaniss are also on Springs Presbyterian Chuch, San Antonio. He is maried and has two children.

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We believe that the election is thoroughly explained in this issue with an unbiased opinion. We ask that every voting citizen of Aransas County express their sentiments Saturday, October 1

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Texas Takes a Holiday

wrong-not in taking their holi- bred beef cattle than any other issued at the county courthouse day at the 1949 State Fair of state. Texas, Oct. 8-23.

total is not surprising in view of assembled for this greatest of all spiring finer domestic arts. state fairs on earth. Piling climax on climax, this year's exposition promises to be the grandest ever a fitting milestone for an au- ambitious program for rural tumn when Texas farmers expect youth. This year more than 75,to make their second biggest har- 000 farm boys and girls will have vest in history.

the State Fair of Texas has com- better citizens. piled an impressive list of contributions to better living in Texas. Down through the years it hours of relaxation, which are has grown, developing with the times-often, as in the case of its dramatic atomic energy exhibit this year, ahead of the times to chart new courses, new meth- eldest of us a long draught from ods and better ways of living.

The State Fair has spurred the tremendous progress of the Texas dish. And appetizing to all of us, livestock industry from a day hungry or not. when the scrawny Longhorn steer

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Giant strides made by the That's a lot of Texans, but the large measure from the the Fair. state's New Agriculture stem in a In the field of home-making, the amazing array of attractions it has been instrumental in in-

One of the most outstanding contributions the State Fair has made in recent years lies in its the time of their lives as guests Since its birth 64 years ago, of the Fair—and they'll go away dine Nola Norris.

The "fun" side of the Fair is never neglected. This year the needed to forget the cares of the workaday world, will be well filled as the carnival atmosphere and

the fountain of perpetual youth. Yep, the State Fair is quite a

The 1949 State Fair of Texas, now little more than a week off, boasts the biggest livestock show in its history, with unprecedented increases in entries for both junior and senior events, final tabulations have revealed.

Matching the overall scope of the greatest extravaganza ever produced by the State Fair, the huge entry list includes 3875 head of beef and dairy cattle, swine, sheep, goats and horses valued at more than \$2,000,00. This is an roller coaster rides and foot liniincrease of 968 over entries for

The 524 entries for the National Aberdeen-Angus Show alone far exceed the total 410 beef cat-There are also 233 Hereford, 114 Braham, 46 Shorthorn and 14 crossbred beef cattle.

In dairy cattle shows, there will be 93 Guernseys, 50 Holstein-Friesians, 78 Jerseys and 81 Milking Shorthorns. The swine show will break all records with 553 entries; there will be 251 sheep and 73 Angora goats, 115 quarter horses and 36 Palominos.

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Mrs. Antonieta Gonzales. Antonio O. Garcia and Miss Ponposa O. Reyes.

Dionicio H. Benavidez and Esther Garcia.

Arthur F. Miller and Mrs. Na-

W. A. Grisset and Lee Drury. Billy D. Everett and Miss Catherine B. Farr. George D. Phipps and Miss

Viola Gillum. Sam Ward and Mrs. Hattie Floyd A. Stevens and Mrs. Inez

Cecilio Robles and Miss Hernencia Garza.

Charlie C. Ilse and Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Goodwin. Joseph Martin and Doris Van-

Felix Morales Pena and Angeita Rinche. Denzel Bardwell and Anna Lee

Harold Eugene Hope and Louise

John C. Dumman and Mrs. Boby Ruth Hall.

course, such things as hot dogs, Among the sensational free at-

tractions at the Fair are: The "Man and the Atom" show direct from the first and biggest New State Law The "Man and the Atom" show tle entries received last year. atomic energy museum in the

> of the atom bomb. A complete miniature television station in action, where KBTV of In Election Sat. Dallas will televise virtually all of its programs during the Fair.

Selden the Stratosphere Man feats of aerial daring on the Mid-

fiesta ever presented in the South- Simmons reported this week. west, every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday night in the Cotton

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world, at Oak Ridge, Tenn., cradle Will Be Observed

and the world-famous Cimse Rockport harbor election Satur- rida, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roe, Troupe, who daily will perform day, October 1, they will ex- Jr. perience a new type of ballot and The most spectacular fireworks new requirements, Judge D. R.

First the voter will be required And there'll also be the South's receipt or exemption certificate. manner provided by law. biggest Automobile Show, the In the event either is lost they new Poultry Show and Agriculture may still vote by signing an af-Show, special features at five fidavit before the election judge. have prepared his ballot, he shall museums, hundreds of commercial If over 60, and with no exemption immediately detach therefrom the xhibits, and many other features certificate you may also vote with perforated stub and affix his sigthe affidavit before the judge.

> n the following release pertainng to the new election laws:

After affixing his signature on Beach. Phone 3191, P. O. Box 422. the back of each ballot, the elecctf tion judge shall then check all ballots to see that they are properly numbered, removing any mutilated or unnumbered ballots, thoroughly dissarange and mix the ballots so that they no longer Registered Civil Engineer are in consecutive numbered sequence or in sequence of arithmetic or geometric progression, and then place the ballot face down in a stack or stacks from which each voter shall be allowed to take his own ballot without the number being known to or P. O. Box 522 written down in any manner by the election judge. The election judge shall place a notation on ctf the list of voters showing that the particular person has voted, but shall not make any record of his ballot number. When an election judge is satisfied as to the right of the citizen to vote, the judge shall stamp in legible characters with a stamp of wood or rubber, the poll tax-receipt or the certificate of exemption with the words: 'Vote on day of A.D.," or write the same words in ink and then return said receipt or certificate to the voter, and shall at the same time allow the voter to select his official ballot as above set out. The voter

Couple Celebrates 39th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Townsend celebrate their 39th wedding anniversary with a dinner party at their home Sunday. Guests included Mrs. J. W. Townsend, Mrs. As voters go to the polls in the Whitfield, visiting here from Flo-

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend have been residents of Rockport since

for voting by the election officers, to bring to the polls a poll tax and there prepare his ballot in the Depositing ballots: When a

voter who is voting in person shall nature to the back of the same and deposit it in the stub box before Other differences are explained depositing his ballot and without disclosing to anyone the number of his stub. Should the voter be unable to sign his name, he shall place the stub face down so as not to expose the number of his stub and he shall sign the same with an "X" with the election judge placing the voters name in the election judge's own handwriting, and the voter shall then drop the stub in the stub box before the voter deposits his ballot. The voter shall then fold the ballot so as to conceal the printing thereon and so as to expose the signature of the presiding judge or the back of the the ballot, then deposit the ballot in the proper ballot box, and unless the ballot is deposited in such ballot box and the stub in the stub box by the voter in person, the same shall not be counted as a vote in such

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shall then immediately retire to a voting booth or a place prepared

A Big Boost For Smitty!

Stepped into Smith's Depart- have certainly taken a big step ment Store the other noon and saw the strangest thing. "Sis" Davis was coming up the stairs from the basement with a bundle of wash.

"Is Smitty taking in washing these days?" I asked. "Not quite," she says. "He's just put in a new automatic washing machine, so the girls who work here can get their laundry done while they're eating lunch. Means more time to relax at night and on weekends."

I thought what a swell boss Smitty must be. Human relations between the boss and employees forward during my lifetime.

From where I sit, people seem to be doing a better job of seeing our neighbor's viewpoint these days. Though his ideas and tastes may not be ours, we can understand his preference for a certain breakfast cereal, a favorite movie star, or for a temperate glass of beer or ale. That's the way it should be in a free country.

goe Marsh

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Victoria Resident **Builds Home Here**

Kemper Williams, insurance agent of Victoria, recently purchased a lot in Laguna Vista, a new subdivision on Aransas Bay, north of Fulton.

A home is now under construction on the property which is being built by Baas Bros., concrete contractors, of Victoria. The house will be of concrete. The walls were poured in Victoria and brought here to be placed on the founda-

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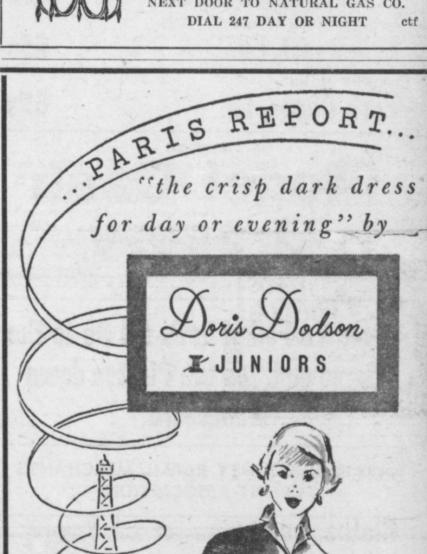


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WILLING HELPER - This friendly-looking Pandora Chimp, resident at the Philadelphia Zoo, clears the way for a giant bulldozer. The task is one of breaking ground for a new lion house at the zoo. If the chimp's doing more than his share, it's probably because he wants to make sure the lions are kept well within

Former Teacher Awarded City Council Makes Tour Of Historic Spots

Miss Ellen Johnson, formerly a ctf teacher in the Rockport school and low a teacher in the Austin Pub-FOR SALE: 11/2 lots in Hunter lic Schools, was one of the 13 Division, 75 x 300 feet, phone 421. teachers out of 650 who was approved to spend her 10-month inof Columbia, and 2 provinces of ROOFING and SIDING-Tile, Canada-Quebec and Ontarioshingle or hot asphalt. Immediate and brought back 300 slides, service. All work guaranteed, free ranging from old Jamestown, Va. estimate. Jim Hinson, tel. 3861, to Mark Twain's Hannibal and ctf | President Truman's Independence, Mo., the slides will be used by FOR RENT: Two nice cottages the Austin Public School Visual on the bay, \$45.00 per month each. Aids Department. She attended ctf tions in Boston, Mass., and in Plymouth, New Hampshire. She was accompanied on her 2 months

ctf Johnson. Before coming to Austin 4 years ago, she taught in Rockelementary principal and her last FOR SALE: Under market year as high school principal; gree at Sul Ross State Teachers

tour by her mother, Mrs. Mattie

Austin. Miss Johnson's sister, the form-

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Statement Regarding **Election Saturday**

In answer to numerous inquiries of citizens of the City of Rockport and Aransas County, the City Council wishes to make the statement that they believe the most benefit will be derived by FOR SALE: Maytag washing service training in traveling. She the City of Rockport and Aransas visited in her tour most of the County if their vote is cast against historic spots in 16 states, District the Bond Assumption by the Coun-

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Did You Know That-

Plaster of Paris was originally manufactured near Paris, France. Heliotherapy is the treatment of disease by sun baths.

A horseshoe should be hung with the ends pointing down. By trade, St. Paul was tent-

In China the first course at dinner is the dessert.

Boston Commons in Boston is the oldest public park in the U.S. Women are not eligible for Rhodes Scholarships.

Grapefruit are so-called they sometimes grow in clusters. Peninsula literally means "almost an island."

er Miss Marie Johnson, and now Mrs. John Boyle, who taught art in Rockport school at the same time, is, and has been, an art instructor in the Austin Public Schools for the past 5 years.

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Election Saturday

(Continued from page 1)

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If the Stats ad valorem tax remissions continue, the average tax payer will not be affected one way or the other as the State taxes are county wide.

Under City operation, revenue from the harbor could be used for maintenance and improvement of the Rockport harbor only; while if under the Navigation District, revenue from the harbor could be used throughout the Navigation District for maintenance and mprovement of the District as a

Qualified resident voters of the county who own taxable property within the county are urged to turn out at the polls and cast their vote Saturday.

The polls will be open at the following places:

Precinct 1, Box 1, Rockport fire station—Mrs. Faye Brundrett,

Precinct 1, Box 2, Sportsmen's Haven at Aransas Pass-Mrs. C E. Spencer, Judge.

Precinct 2, Court House at Rockport—John Haynes, presiding Judge.

Precinct 3, Fulton School House W. J. Moss, Judge. Precinct 4, Concession building at Goose Island State Park-Otto Key, Judge.

Fog indicates approaching fair

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> Dan Daily and Celeste Holm in

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