

Along The Waterfront



The fish are really out in the bay these days and are biting, too, if it is not too rough for the fishermen to go after them, although citizens of this area are not complaining about the small amount of wind there has been here compared to other parts of Texas.

Here are some of the good catches of fish that were made during the past few days:

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oeding and Jack Samm and party, all of San Antonio, fished at Lenoir's Landing during the week and all had good catches. On Tuesday S. L. King, Richard Sayes, Leo Willison, Odell Brown and Jim Stokes of Houston, fishing at the Landing, caught 253 trout and a number of gaff-tops. Some of the trout were large.

On Sunday Hugh Morrison had Karl Binchede, Emil Muska, and party of Hallettsville fishing, catching 113 nice trout, a number of them weighing 2 to 2½ pounds. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClelland, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner of San Antonio and John Y. Kelson of Corpus Christi, got 103 trout.

Otis Ross and party, Fern Lan- (Continued on page 8)

YOUTH DROWNS IN ARANSAS BAY

William J. Shumann Jr. slipped away from his parents at Bay Haven Lodges this morning, and while playing in the bay, apparently waded into water over his head and was drowned.

Justice of the Peace F. Iansen of Fulton said that M. L. Pittman found the body floating in the water and picked him up. The Aransas County Emergency Corps, Dr. H. F. Elliot, and others responded to the call and every effort was made to save the child but to no avail.

Billy was two and one-half years old. Cage-Marshall Funeral Home took charge of the body.

McDavid Joins Local Insurance Concern

Announcement was made this week that Jack McDavid has entered the insurance field, being connected with A. C. Glass and James H. Sorenson Jr. in their insurance business. The firm formerly known as Glass and Sorenson will hereafter go under the new name of Glass, Sorenson and McDavid.

Mr. McDavid was formerly connected with the Johnson Fish Company since moving here from San Antonio six years ago. Before moving to Rockport he was a representative of the Travelers Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn. He has been very active in civic affairs and the past year was chairman of the March of Dimes drive.

Glass, Sorenson and McDavid will in the future, as in the past, handle all types of marine, auto, fire, and other allied lines of insurance.

In the near future the business will be moved to the offices now occupied by Clark C. Wren, attorney. Mr. Wren will move to larger quarters on the second floor of the bank building.

Sheriff's Dept. Reports Two Wrecks Last Week

Sheriff Shivers reports two wrecks during the past week. On Friday night, two local youths had a collision, damaging the cars but neither of them were injured.

Elroy Parr and Leon Bateman ran together right in front of the Rockport hospital, but neither was hurt.

Saturday night Perry Horine and part of his band was coming to Rockport to play for the V.F.W. dance at the Woman's Club building and ran into a truck on Highway 35, between the Triangle and Ham Smith's Filling Station. They came on and played for the dance but Mr. Horine's car was demolished.

Red Cross Seeks Donations for Tornado Victims

The following telegram has been received by A. L. Bachman, chairman of the local chapter of the American Red Cross:

"Tornadoes that struck San Angelo and Waco, Texas, May 11, impose tremendous responsibility on the Red Cross to meet needs of injured and homeless. Feel certain that the citizens of Texas wish to come to the assistance of their neighbors in these two communities. Present figures indicate seven known dead, 50 seriously injured in San Angelo, with 200 homes destroyed and 175 damaged. In Waco known death toll stands at 67, with number of seriously injured over 100, but total still unknown. Waco chapter estimates 125 homes damaged or destroyed, over 100 separate business houses demolished with especially severe destruction in downtown business district. Red Cross blood plasma and equipment provided by Fourth Army, sent into disaster area within first few hours. More than 20 national staff disaster workers already on the scene, including nurses. Additional personnel enroute. Further emergency requirements of staff and supplies can be anticipated. Allocation has been made from Red Cross funds in the amount of \$200,000. Additional financial assistance will be provided as needed. Urge your chapter give full opportunity to citizens your community to contribute through Red Cross."

In view of the fact we in Aransas County might be the next to call for Red Cross aid it is felt our citizens should be happy to respond to this request. Donations should be made to Mrs. Mary Juergens at the Chamber of Commerce office, who is treasurer of the local chapter of the American Red Cross.

Baptists Plan Vacation Bible School

A faculty meeting for Vacation Bible School workers was held at the First Baptist Church last Monday morning. Mrs. Grady West, who this year will be principal of the school, had charge of the meeting. General plans, such as place of meeting for each age group, number of workers needed for each department and material to be used, were discussed.

The two week school will begin June 8 and will continue through June 19. Children from the ages of 3 through 16 will attend.

The departmental superintendents were named at the Monday meeting. They are: Intermediates, ages 13-16, Mrs. John Roaten; Juniors, ages 9-12, Mrs. C. L. Easterwood; Primaries, ages 6-8, Mrs. Norman McLead; Beginners, ages 4-5, Mrs. Roy Mullinax; Mrs. Lonnie Wright will have charge of the 3 year old children. A nursery will be provided where those who work in the school might leave their babies. Mrs. H. B. Ramsey will serve as secretary of the school.

Another faculty meeting will be held June 1 at which time the full corps of workers will be named and final plans for the school will be announced.

McLester Home Disturbed Friday Nite

About eleven o'clock Friday night, John McLester heard some one trying to open the screen door. He waited a few minutes, thinking who ever was there would leave, but they kept trying to open the door so he got up, when he spoke the man ran away. Mr. McLester and Sheriff Shivers hunted for him but to no avail.

Mrs. Cruser to Sponsor 'Play School'

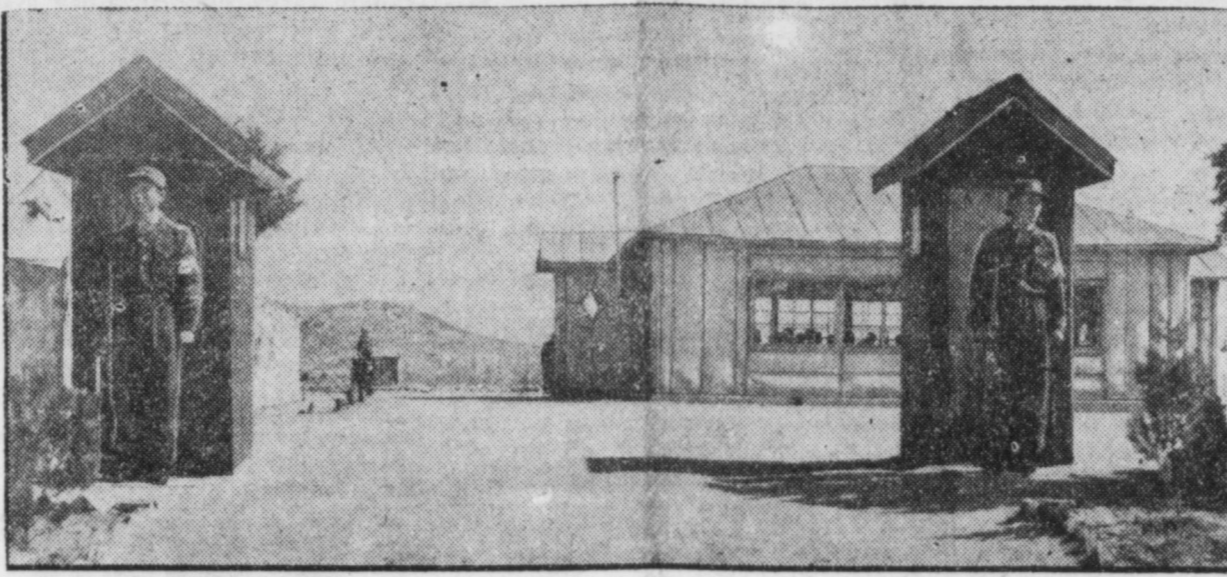
Mrs. Edith Cruser, H. S. Teacher, will conduct a "play school" at the H. E. Cottage during the first two weeks in June. School starts at 9:30, closes at 11:00 a.m.

The school is for children three through five years of age and the tuition will be 50 cents per week. This is a project of the H. E. Department.

Those who want to enroll their children or see more about the school should call Mrs. Cruser, telephone 6136.

Driver Examiner To Be Here Friday

There will be an examiner at the Aransas County Court House next Friday to give drivers tests.



THE GUARDSMEN—Standing ready at their posts while truce negotiators bargain inside the building seen in the background, are two North Korean Communist guards. The truce-talk group can be seen silhouetted through the windows of the building at Panmunjon.

C.A.P. Invites Local Boys and Girls to Free Plane Ride

All boys and girls of Aransas County between the ages of 14 and 18 are invited to come out to the airport Sunday, May 24 at 2 p. m. for a free airplane ride. These rides will be given to encourage membership in the Civil Air Patrol. Parents' written consent will be required.

At the meeting last Tuesday night Cadet Commander Richard Kephart appointed the other Cadet officers. Harry Lee Mills was given the position of Assistant Cadet Commander; Joy Roe was appointed Cadet Adjutant; Tommy Shults, Cadet 1st Sergeant; Bill Jones, Supply Officer; Jimmie Clobertans, Supply Sergeant. The other Cadets present were: Burke Cabaniss, H. B. Ramsey, Rudy Gwynn and Sally Fields. Cadet Commandant Thomas Stencil gave the Cadets a short orientation on military discipline.

The senior members present were Thomas Stencil, Dave Segler, Steirly Rozzell, William Blevens, Buster Coward, C. M. Deason, Gene Robbins and a new member, Alfred Cooke. This makes a total of eight senior members. Seven more are still needed.

Rotary Has 100% Attendance

The Rotary Club had 100 percent membership attendance Wednesday noon at the Methodist annex and Dr. C. L. Graham of Cisco, Warren Brown of Houston, and Mrs. Mary Juergens of Rockport, were guests.

Mrs. Juergens explained to the club about the 4th of July celebration which the Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring. The affair will be in the form of a home carnival, with different organizations having concessions. The booths will be placed on the waterfront and the Chamber of Commerce wants 5% of gross from each concession to help pay for advertising the celebration. There will also be boat rides in the afternoon, sail boat races which Travis Bailey will help sponsor; the Lions Club will sponsor a dance that night with Perry Horine's orchestra furnishing the music. Fred A. Bracht and B. B. Bettell were appointed to see what the Rotarians will do.

Fred Bracht had the program and he introduced Port Baughman, an Eagle Scout, who has been elected to attend the National Scout Jamboree in California this summer. Port gave a history of Scouting, which originated in England about 1906, and was brought to America in 1910. The first Cub Pack was organized in 1930. He demonstrated the new artificial respiration system with Jack Horton as the victim.

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Lionettes Open Softball Season Wednesday Nite

The Rockport Lionettes will open the softball season in their own back yard Wednesday night, May 27 at 8 o'clock, when they meet the Corpus Christi Waves.

The local team will be donned in new uniforms, with a new sponsor and a new manager. The field is in A-1 shape and new bleachers have been provided; there will be seats for all. Everyone is invited to come out and back the home team.

Out of three games matched with the Corpus Christi Waves last year, the Lionettes were downed once, and were beaten only one other time last year in this district, by Goliad on their field, and regained that loss by defeating Goliad on our diamond by a score of 4 to 3. Wednesday night's game should be one of the best of the year.

Fighting to improve last year's record and hold their reputation of being the strongest team in this district, this should prove one of the most exciting seasons for local softball fans.

Pitcher Warden and Catcher King form the first game battery for the Lionettes, with Mary Wright, Ruth Ann Crawford, Nell Richie, LaVerne Smith, Willa Mae Elliot, Lola Bonner, Merl Wright, Bessie Atwood and Shortie Price to form a strong backing.

Official Umpire Albert Griffith will call all home games for the Lionettes.

Millard Owens, manager of the local team will be pushing the girls to a record-breaking season.

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SUMMER SESSIONS OF FINE ARTS SCHOOL WILL BE HELD HERE

The Rockport School of Fine Arts, with Simon Michael instructor, will hold its summer sessions in Rockport this year.

These schools are sponsored and planned by the Victoria Art Guild. The first session of the school will be June 15 through 26 with the subject "Landscape and Marine." Ruth Ashberry, of Victoria, will sponsor it.

The second session starts July 13, continuing through the July 24, with Mrs. E. F. Ritchey of Victoria, sponsor. This session will be devoted to figure and portrait painting.

The last session will be from Aug. 10 through 21 with "Marine and Landscapes" as the subject for this term, and Mrs. Frank Neblett of Refugio will be the sponsor.

The student body is made up of members of Mr. Michael's classes up and down the coast.

Rockport Lions Hold Regular Meeting

The Rockport Lions Club met for their regular meeting at the Methodist annex Tuesday and Lion Osborn made a report on the district convention which he and Mrs. Osborn attended in McAllen last week. Lion McElveen gave a report on the minstrel show sponsored and put on by the local club. A net profit of \$181.08 was realized from the show and the entire membership of the club wishes to extend their deepest thanks to all who took any part to make this show a success.

The Rockport Lions will sponsor the 4th of July dance at the Woman's Club building. Music will be by Perry Horine and his orchestra. Mark this date as one to remember.

Sacred Heart School Students to be Honored

The sixth graders of the Sacred Heart School are to be given certificates of promotion to the public school, Tuesday, May 26 at 8 p. m. at the Rockport Elementary School auditorium.

Father O'Doherty, pastor of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, and Sister Ranado, principal of the school, will honor the first class to finish the curriculum in the convent school since it was reopened in January, 1950.

The students are: Charles LeBlanc, Paul Cochran, James Richard Fox, Maurice Hernandez, Robert Arley Shivers, Christin Lassiter, and Heather Wren.

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High School Baccalaureate Set For Sunday

The commencement programs of the 1953 graduating class of Aransas County High School will begin Sunday night, May 24 with the baccalaureate sermon at the new high school auditorium.

Sam Hill of Cuero, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon, invocation will be given by Rev. Calvin Peterson, pastor of the local Methodist Church, and Lay Minister Harry Carter of the Episcopal Church, will pronounce the benediction. Mrs. Neva Sorenson will render the processional and recessional.

The commencement exercises will take place in the new high school auditorium, Friday, May 29 at 8 p. m.

Western Natural No. 1 McDowell Is New Pay Opener

Western Natural Gas Co. No. 1 H. H. McDowell, new pay opener in Aransas County's St. Charles Field, eight miles northeast of Lamar, has been completed for an open flow gauge of 8.4 million cubic feet of wet gas daily.

Gas-distillate ratio was 268,000-1 and distillate gravity was 54-4. Production was through 31 perforations from 7,616-24 feet in 7-inch casing at 8,335 feet, the total depth. Tubing pressure on a ½-inch choke was 2,675 pounds and 24-hour shut-in pressure was 2,830 pounds. Location is in Sumpter Turner Survey, A-210.

William H. Hunt No. 1 W. C. McCampbell wildcat nine miles northwest of Aransas Pass, was preparing to run final log at 9,010 feet. This test is in James Oetiek Survey, A-167.

C. G. Glasscock and Humble Oil and Refining Co. No. 2 State Tract 11, test in the Fulton Beach Field area seven miles northwest of Rockport, was drilling below 5,630 feet.

In the same area but in Refugio County, the same operators' No. 2 State Tract 9 was making hole below 5,170 feet.

Fulton Lions Club Elects Officers

The Fulton Lions Club met Monday night, May 18, and after enjoying a fried chicken dinner the following officers were elected to take over at the first meeting in July:

H. E. Dean, president; E. W. Jones, first vice president; W. T. Sivells, second vice president; Zeph Rouquette, third vice president; M. M. Owens, secretary; M. W. Scott, treasurer; Simon Lee Sorenson, lion tamer; Arthur Bracht, tail twister.

After the election a round table discussion was held, covering the subjects of the proposed bond election, the proposed "hot dog" stand at the July 4 celebration, and other community projects.

Lion Simon Lee Sorenson advised he would run a gas line to all concessions needing gas for booths at the July 4 celebration. He will make no charge for his services.

Roland Rogers was a special guest. He is on furlough from Roberts, Calif., and gave an interesting talk on army life versus the life of a school teacher. Mr. Rogers was a member of the Fulton School faculty before entering the armed service.

Eastern Star Elects Officers

The Eastern Star lodge elected officers at their regular meeting Monday night. Those named to serve for the year were: Mary Cooke, Worthy Matron; Jack Davis, Worthy Patron; Edna Taylor, Associate Matron; Jess Eitel, Associate Patron; Gertrude Allemand, secretary; Mary Juergens, treasurer; Nancy Scott, conductress; Ethel Scott, associate conductress.

Mrs. Melie Edmison and Mrs. Elizabeth Jones were initiated into the Eastern Star.

The hall was decorated with spring flowers and the centerpiece on the lace-covered table, with pink skirt, was a vase of bougainvillea in the center of a silver star with colored points.

Delicious homemade cookies and punch were served.

District V.F.W. Convention Proves Success

The Stewart-Wendell Post V.F.W. was host to the 6th District convention here Saturday and Sunday and Commander McElveen reports that the convention was a success even though a larger crowd was expected, but the bad weather prevented many from attending. There were over 100 out-of-town visitors here for the affair.

The dance Saturday night was acclaimed the most outstanding that has ever been attended in the district, partly due to the local people coming out to mingle with the V.F.W. delegates, for which Commander McElveen expressed himself as very grateful, since it gives the local townspeople a chance to see the calibre of people that make up the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the auxiliaries.

Judge Harry Carrol from Corpus Christi, gave a very impressive address Sunday morning at the new high school auditorium and a seafood barbecue was enjoyed at Dobkin's Cottages at noon.

McElveen Named Senior Vice Commander

At the district meeting of the V.F.W. Sunday the following officers were elected for the year: Commander, Leon K. Frankel of Odem; senior vice commander, Marion L. McElveen of Rockport; junior vice commander, John Standlea of Mathis; quartermaster, A. A. Luckenbacher of Odem; judge advocate, DeWitt McGee of Corpus Christi; chaplain, Boyce Reed of Odem; surgeon, A. A. Price of Corpus Christi.

The V.F.W. Auxiliary elected the following officers at the convention for 1953-54: President, Mary McCandless, Kingsville; senior vice president, Doris Tomlin, Freer; junior vice president, Velma Harding, Corpus Christi; secretary, Mamie James, Corpus Christi; conductress, Maxine Ott, Corpus Christi; guard, Thelma Rattiasseau, Rockport; chaplain, Lou M. Stallings, Corpus Christi; trustee No. 1, Ruth McShan, Rockport; trustee No. 2, Catherine Ouer, Corpus Christi; trustee No. 3, Ella Jean Moses, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Lois Gilson of Rockport was appointed district musician.

MELVIN BORCHARD PIRATE COACH FOR '53

Pat H. Greene, superintendent-elect of the Aransas County Schools, announced Wednesday morning that Melvin Borchard has been elected head football and track coach for the 1953-54 school term and assistant basket ball coach.

Dave Segler will be head basket ball coach and assist Mr. Borchard in coaching football and track.

At present Borchard is assistant football coach at Comanche, Texas. He is a graduate of the Lockhart High School where he played football three years.

He lettered three years in football at Howard Payne and was all-district conference tackle in his junior and senior years. He received his Bachelor Degree at Howard Payne prior to his entrance into the Navy. He got his Masters Degree at S.T.S.C. in San Marcos since leaving the service.

Borchard played on the Naval Air Station football team in Corpus Christi during the war.

On receiving his discharge from the service he went to Hallettsville as head coach of all sports for four years. The third year he was there they won the regional football championship.

In the fall of 1950 he went to Comanche as assistant football coach and head track coach. The track team has won the championship every year since he has been there. The past season the football team tied for the district championship, losing by a very narrow margin.

Mr. Borchard is 32 years old, is married and has two children, a boy, 8 years old and a girl, 4. He will be in Rockport next week to look for a place to live and will move here in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Borchard are members of the Methodist Church.

Equalization Board To Meet Friday

A special meeting of the equalization board for the oil and utility companies, will be held Friday, May 22, at the courthouse.

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RECORD HIGHWAY DEATHS IN 1953?

The National Safety Council recently revealed that highway fatalities in the first three months of 1953 were occurring at a near record rate. In the first quarter of this year, 8,310 fell victim to highway and traffic accidents.

The record number of highway and traffic deaths occurred in 1941, when some 39,969 lives were wiped off the books in the United States. Considering the fact that the first quarter of the year is not the period when accidents are most frequent, the 1953 toll may set a new record. If other quarters are in their usual proportion to

the first quarter, a toll of about 38,000 deaths is indicated.

If the rate increases, then the toll may well equal the 39,969 record figure. Automobile deaths are always higher in the summer months, and December is quite often the record month of the year. Whether or not a new record is established this year, it is almost certain that deaths will average between 500 and 1,000 a week for the year, which is a lot of manpower going down the drain needlessly.

Larry Childs, a student at A & M College, was a weekend guest in the L. V. McLester home, and attended the junior-senior banquet Saturday night.

TIPS ON TORNADOS

This is the tornado season in the Central and South-Central states. Already there have been two tornadoes of major proportions in Texas, and several smaller ones. Here is some information about the violent storms, prepared by the Texas Press Association, that readers of the Pilot might find of interest:

1. Tornadoes are not peculiar to Texas. They have occurred in every state in the Union. They are more common in the central United States.

2. Tornadoes are usually seen as a spinning funnel-shaped cloud, extending toward the earth from the base of a thundercloud. When close by, it sounds like the roar of hundreds of airplanes. Oftentimes the funnel cloud is obscured by rain, dust or low clouds, or cannot be seen because of darkness. Sometimes two or more funnels may be seen in the same thundercloud. The funnel cloud may be in the shape of a rope spinning down from the cloud; or it may be barrel shaped or like a huge elephant's trunk.

3. Familiar thunderstorm clouds are present. An hour or two before a tornado the under part of the clouds may be seen bulging down instead of up. Often there is a greenish-black color to the clouds. Rain and hail often accompany the tornado. The funnel-shaped cloud of a tornado should not be confused with low or ragged cloud remnants which frequently are seen hanging down from the main cloud, often where the visible cloud leaves off and

the curtain of rain begins.

4. Tornadoes are localized. They usually cover a very limited area. Most tornadoes are less than a block wide. A few have had paths over 2 miles in width, but this is unusual. Tornado paths are usually short, less than five miles long. Because they slight. Most Texans will never see nor ever experience a tornado in their entire lifetimes.

5. Tornado damage varies greatly with the storm and where it strikes, and many tornadoes cause little or no damage and no loss of life nor injuries.

6. Tornadoes have occurred every month of the year, but about two-thirds of all tornadoes occur between April 8 and June 9.

7. Tornadoes are most likely to occur in the late afternoon or early evening. Thirty-five per cent of all tornadoes occur between 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. Twenty-nine per cent between 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Less than one-fourth of all tornadoes occur during school hours, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

8. Tornadoes usually move from southwest to northeast; less frequently from west to east. Tornado spotters should particularly keep watch in these directions. There are exceptions—they have moved from practically every direction. In some few cases they have traveled almost in a circle.

9. Tornadoes move forward at a rate usually from 15 to 40 miles per hour average, but the rate of progress has been somewhat less as well as much greater.

10. Warnings about an approaching tornado are seldom possible longer than an hour in advance, usually less and sometimes only a few minutes, but despite any

disadvantage occasioned by a brief warning period, the warnings can be extremely effective in saving human lives.

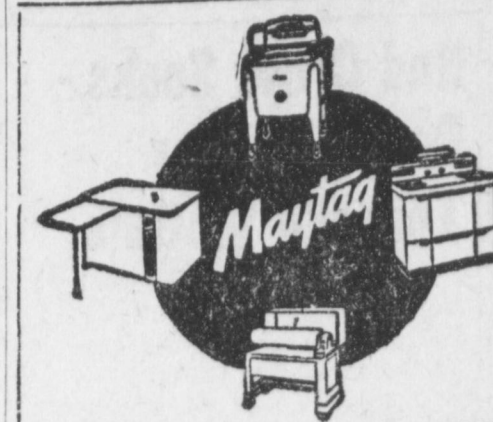
11. School officials should become familiar with factual information regarding the characteristics of tornadoes, safety precautions to be taken in case a tornado is sighted in their immediate locality, and recommended procedure to be followed when forecasts and warnings are in effect and until an "All Clear" advisory is issued. The same suggestion holds for the public in general.

12. In the great majority of cases, the tornado affects less than one-tenth of 1 per cent of the "warned area" and is seen by less than 1 per cent of the population. Safety precautions generally need not be taken until the tornado cloud is seen or local community warning given or until unusually threatening thunder-

storm type clouds are observed.

13. School officials and instructors have a special responsibility to remain calm and thus prevent school children from becoming excited. Do not wait until a storm is approaching but have a prearranged plan well thought out beforehand and be ready to carry it out

should the necessity arise. It would be a good plan to have two or more good pictures of tornadoes in action in Texas or nearby states in order that school children and others might early and easily recognize such a storm, either while in attendance or in going home from school.



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

PTA Gets Stung by a "Bee"

The local PTA is feeling sheepish today. Seems they complained the youngsters weren't learning enough. Said they couldn't even spell. So the kids challenged them to a spelling bee.

"I was captain of the PTA's," "Doc" Brown told me. "Both teams made the first round just fine. But on the second round Speedy Taylor went down on 'efficiency.' Then his boy Chip, who happened to be next on the school team, rattled it right off. From then on it was murder!"

So now "Doc" says that the

whole PTA is thinking of signing up for night school!

From where I sit, it always pays to look and think before you leap to conclusions. Take those folks who would deny me a temperate glass of beer without a moment's thought. They wouldn't want me to interfere with their personal preferences for, say, buttermilk. It's a good idea to think twice before you "spell out" rules for your neighbor.

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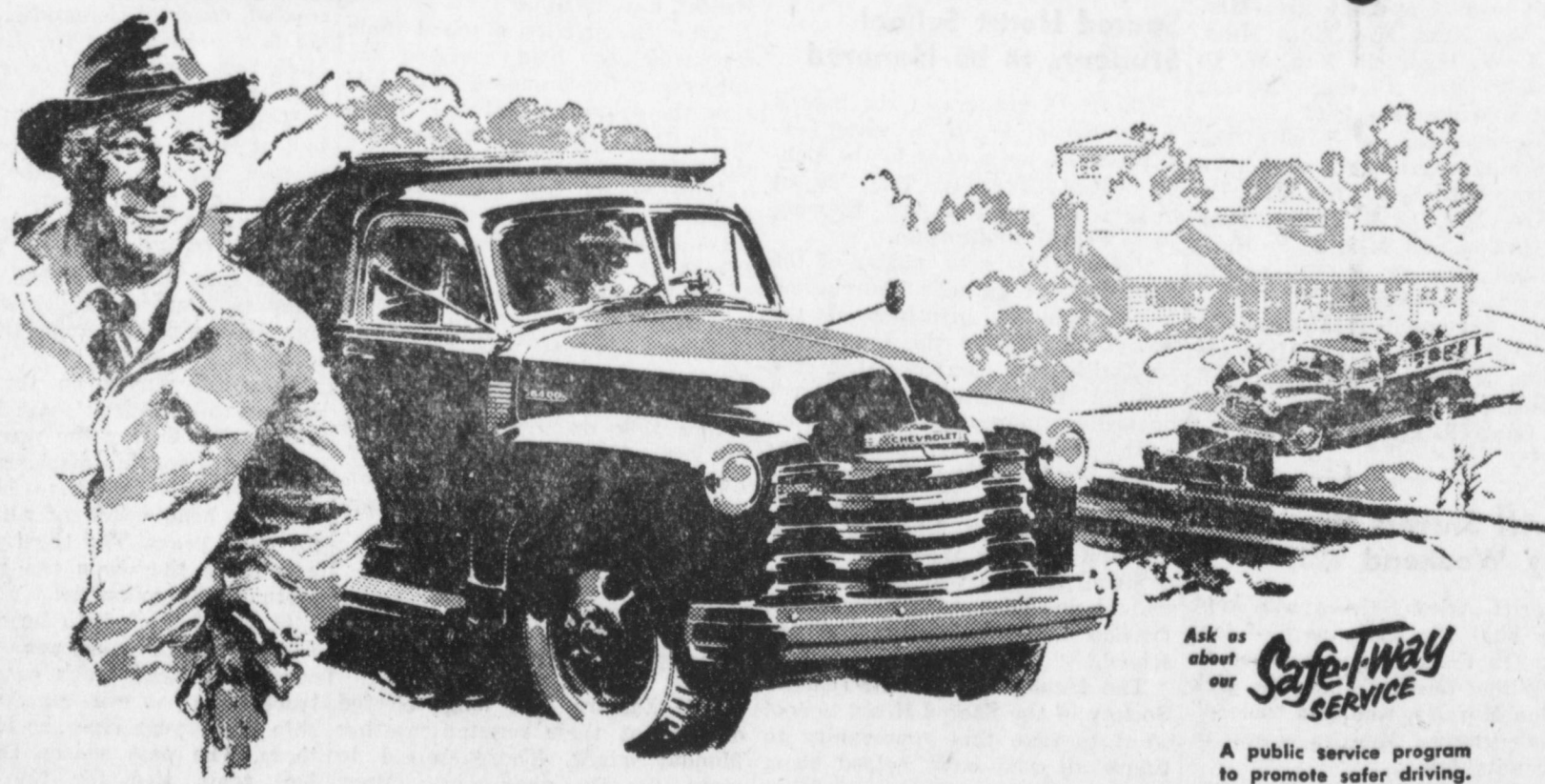
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What Does the Bible Say?

Names Are Important
 "A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches," Solomon said. Names are important. For example, in political circles thousands of people will vote "Democratic" or "Republican" because of their allegiance to the name even though they may disagree with the policies of the party.

In religious circles names, and the loyalty of people to certain names, serve to divide Christendom. We are pleading for every believer to accept the Bible name of "Christian," meaning of or pertaining to Christ. Continuing our study in Acts we find that "the disciples were called Christians first in Antioch." Acts 11:26.

Isaiah had prophesied hundreds of years before Christ that a new name would be given to the people of God which was to be given when the Gentiles had seen God's righteousness. (Isaiah 62:2). The Greek text indicates that the calling of the disciples "Christians" in Antioch was from a divine source. Paul accepted this name when King Agrippa used it as recorded in Acts 26:28. Peter taught us that "if a man suffer



M. NORVEL YOUNG

as a Christian," he should not be ashamed, but should "glorify God in the name." (1 Peter 4:16.) Paul told the followers of Christ that whatever they did, "in word or deed," they should do "all in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ." (Colossians 3:17.)

The name "Christian" then is eminently scriptural and all believers should be able to unite on using this name to designate the followers of Christ. What a wonderful step toward Christian unity it would be if all party names were abandoned and everyone who is striving to follow Jesus Christ would accept only the name "Christian."

Before the New Testament was finished there was the threat of division in the church at Corinth and some began to call themselves by the names of prominent leaders such as Paul, Apollos, and Peter. Paul rebuked this by saying: "Is Christ divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were ye baptized into the name of Paul?" (1 Cor. 1:14.) Paul's teaching still applies today!

Of course there is more involved

in Christian unity than the matter of names, but if all party names were dropped and the loyalty to religious party changed to wholehearted loyalty to Christ only, it would be a major contribution to the goal of unity for which Christ prayed. (John 17-21.)

May I appeal to you to accept no Lord but Christ, no name but His, and be just a Christian, nothing more and nothing less!

Hear this man in person at the Rockport Church of Christ, north of the courthouse, June 15 through 21, 8 p.m. nightly.

Brownie Troop 4 Has Special Meeting

Brownie Troop 4 had an investiture ceremony for three new members on Monday, May 18, during the regular meeting at the home of Mrs. James B. Jackson.

Those receiving their Brownie Pins were Mary Northrup, Sherry Crawford, and Peggy Lois Chambers.

At the same time the troop celebrated its first birthday, having been organized about this time one year ago. The birthday cake was iced in white and decorated with the Brownie Insigna and one candle.

Cake and ice cream were served to the following: Peggy Lois Chambers, Sherry Crawford, Dolores Etheridge, Janet Washington, Saundra Harralson, Jerry Lynn Harrell, Nan Jackson, Sue Johnson, Mary Northrup, Beverly Sue Simpson, Sandra Spencer and Janine Torres.

Mrs. Parker was a guest at the meeting. Mrs. Marvin C. Northrup assisted Mrs. Jackson, troop leader.

This was the last meeting of the season for troop 4. Members of this troop will take part in attending the Girl Scout Day Camp, June 1 through 5, but will not resume regular weekly meetings until the fall.

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Women of the Church Have Birthday Party

The annual birthday party of the Women of the Presbyterian Church which was held in the assembly room Thursday night was a delightful affair.

The birthday offering this year will be used to build homes for missionaries to live in while they are home on their year's furlough, and Mrs. Carl Osborn wrote two skits on the subject which were presented by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little, "Skeeter" Everitt and Hank Schleider, who impersonated the Frank McElroy family, currently in the U.S.A. from Africa.

Mrs. Herbert Mills called the meeting to order and Mrs. Manch Brundrett welcomed the guests.

Mrs. T. H. Pollard, in behalf of the Women of the Church at Rockport, presented Mrs. N. F. Jackson with an honorary life membership certificate in the Women of the Church — Presbyterian Church U.S.A., and a membership pin.

Mrs. Mamie Hooper sang "Bless This House," and Mrs. I. O. Walker read "It Takes a Heap of Living."

The west end of the assembly room represented the home of the McElroy's in Africa, with straw covering of the tables, earthen jars, etc. Mrs. Norvell Jackson served punch from an earthen jar in a basket during the social hour. The east end of the room represented the furlough home. In this home the table, covered with a red linen cloth, was centered with arrangements of white and red flowers in a silver tray. Mrs. Herbert Mills presided at the silver coffee service. Silver trays of sandwiches and cookies were on the table. Modern furniture was in this room, with a vase of flowers on the piano.

Mrs. Floyd Smith was in charge of the meeting and the hostesses were Mrs. T. H. Pollard, Mrs. W. T. Suttle, Mrs. I. O. Walker and Mrs. Charles Roe Sr.

Cecil Hope "Bope" Cole went to Sinton Monday morning to be inducted into the army.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Janice Steward

Mrs. Jack Bright and Mrs. J. M. Murphy honored Miss Janice Steward, bride-elect of Bobby Bell of Lamar, with a miscellaneous bridal shower at their home Monday night from 7:30 to 9:30.

After the guests were entertained with several games and the gifts were opened and admired, refreshments of cake and punch were served.

The plate favors were plastic baskets filled with assorted mints.

W.S.C.S. Has Study Class

The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist Church met with Mrs. J. W. Townsend Thursday for mission study.

They will have their social meeting next Thursday at the home of Mrs. B. W. Hamblin.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Foster and family moved to Dallas the latter part of last week. They have rented their home here to Mr. and Mrs. Marcus McHenry of Corpus Christi.



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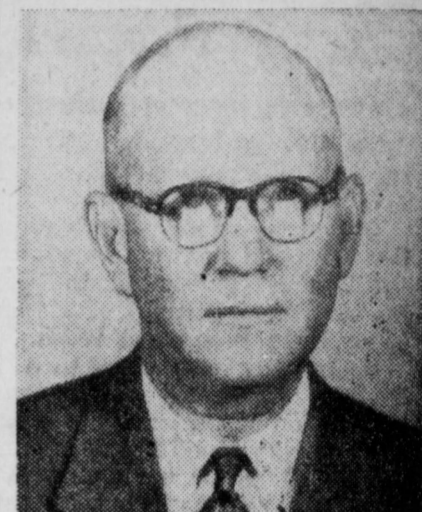


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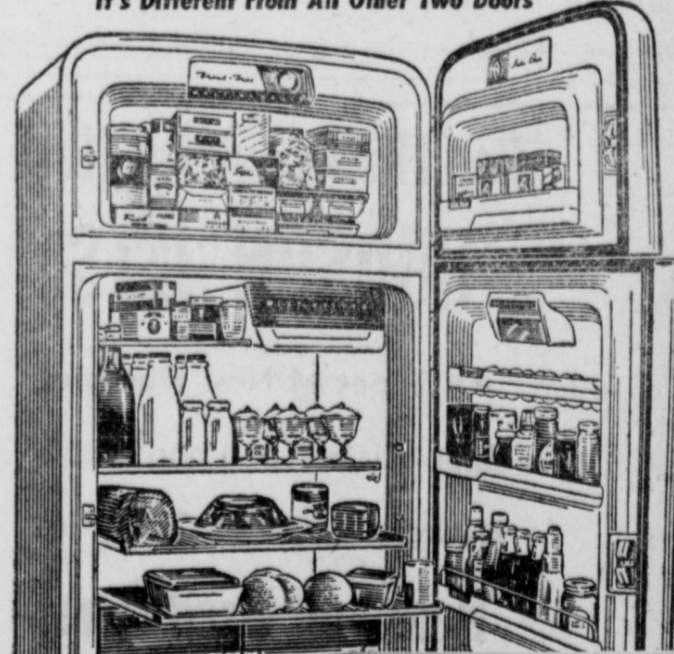
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Property Transfers

These legal transactions were recorded at the county clerk's office recently:

Warranty Deeds with vendor's lien recorded were:

Elbert Mundine et ux to Douglas O. Warden et ux, lots 6, 7 and 8, block 52, Smith and Wood.

George Duckwall et ux to A. K. Kelly et ux, lot 7, block 1, Stewart subdivision of Outlots 8, 9, 10 and 11, Doughty and Mathis.

R. B. Melton et ux to John William Hayes et ux, lots 9, 10, and 11, block 111, Doughty and Mathis.

Conn Brown to G. A. Patterson, lot 28, block 476, Aransas Pass.

Paul A. Henshaw et ux to Norman W. Emerick et ux, lots 9, 10 and 11, Copano Village subdivision.

R. B. Melton et ux to James W. Porter et ux, lots 7 and 8, block B, Rickford subdivision of Outlot 16, Doughty and Mathis.

General Warranty Deeds recorded were:

William C. Collins to Helen Booth, north one-half of Outlot 12, and south one-half of Outlot

13, Fulton Outlots. William Tanksley et ux to R. B. Melton, lots 7 and 8, block B, Rickford subdivision of Outlot 16, Doughty and Mathis.

Quit Claim Deeds put on record were:

Cyril M. Peltier et ux to O. V. Dye et ux, lots 13 and 14, block 2, Smith and Wood.

Walter P. Brennan, et ux to W. A. Fritze, lot 9, block 47, Doughty and Mathis, and lots 10 and 11, block 47, Doughty and Mathis.

Walter P. Brennan et ux to W. A. Fritze, lots 1 to 6 and 12 and 13, block 47, Doughty and Mathis.

Beverly Sorenson to Emory M. Spencer, et al of that portion of Outlot 18, of Fulton Outlots which lie east of the west boundary of State Highway 35.

Emory M. Spencer to Robert McBride Jr., that portion of Outlot 18, Fulton Outlots, which lies east of the west boundary of State Highway 35.

Georgia McLane Cantrell and Alfred E. McLane to Chas. Weatherford, all of lots 106 to 114 inclusive Fulton Pasture Co. subdivision, also land left for road along west side of block 111 and between lots 112, 113 and 114, strip of land 40x1100 feet, 100 acres.

George L. Taft et al to Alice Wing Taft, 4/5 acres of Quail tract, north, adjoining blocks 69, 68, and 57, Aransas County.

Elizabeth Taft Green et vir to Alice Wing Taft, 4/5 acres of Quail tract, north and adjoining blocks 69, 68, and 67.

Eva Winston Johnson to Mildred Lyon Stephens, Lamar Outlots 13 and 12.

H. F. Hanks to Lara Hanks, Outlot 3, Doughty and Mathis, lots 6, 16 and 13, block 2, Doughty and Mathis; an undivided 1/4 in-

terest in blocks 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10, St. Joseph Island; all other real estate of R. M. and Alice Hanks estate which may be owned by H. F. Hanks.

Allie P. Campbell et vir to Emory M. Spencer, blocks 129 and 130, Doughty and Mathis.

Joseph Lyman Burton, indiv. and as ind. executor to R. L. Spinnen, lot 14, block 241; lots 2 and 5, block 343; lot 16, block 344; lot 2, block 345; lots 28, 27, 30 and 31, block 388; lots 4, 5, 6, 8, 13, 21, 25 and 26, block 389; lots 2, 4, 15 and 16, block 391; lots 1, 6 and 13, block 407; lot 2, block 408; lots 5, 6, 13, 14 and 20, block 409; lot 215, block 455; lot 19, block 595; lots 19 and 28, block 619; lots 4, 5, 7 and 15, block 658; lots 5 and 14, block 781; lots 11 and 14, block 782; lot 14, block 783; lots 11 and 12, block 787, Aransas Pass.

Owen Horne et ux to Audrey Emberton, lot 23, Copano Village addition.

Sheriff's Deeds recorded were:

W. B. Glosson et al by sheriff to Norma E. Graham, lots 7 and 8, block 43, Doughty and Mathis.

J. C. Mat et ux to C. L. Utz et ux, lots 14, 15 and 16, Fulton Mansion addition.

O. T. Jones et ux to A. B. Williams et ux, block 88, Townsite of Fulton.

Frank T. English et ux to Leslie Carroll et ux, lots 9 and 10, block 22, Fulton Townsite.

W. A. Butler et ux to C. O. Bailey, lot 8 and south 1/3 of lot 11, block 2, Stewart subdivision of Outlots 8, 9, 10 and 11, Doughty and Mathis.

W. B. Friend et al to Frank T. English et ux, block 100, Smith and Wood.

Robert T. Key et ux to Steirly Rozzell et ux, lots 2 and 3, block 1, Live Oak Heights.

R. B. Melton et al to Coren A. Conner et ux, westerly 100 feet of frac. lot 9 and lots 10 and 11, block 200, Doughty and Mathis.

R. B. Melton et ux to L. L. Davis et ux, lots 11, 12 and 13, block 32, Doughty and Mathis.

L. L. Davis et ux to D. T. Harkrider et ux, lot 13, block 32, Doughty and Mathis.

L. L. Davis et ux to Slon Kealhofner et ux, lot 12, block 32, Doughty and Mathis.

Francis Sanders et vir to R. L. Harrell, lots 4 and 5, block 1, Fulton Townsite.

Emory M. Spencer to Mrs. Mary Stephenson, the surface of lot 46, Copano Village subdivision.

R. B. Melton et ux to James W. Porter et ux, lots 9 and 10, block B, Rickford subdivision of Outlot 16, Doughty and Mathis.

F. W. Heldenfels to G. Z. Greer, lot 8, block 3, Stewart subdivision of Doughty and Mathis.

J. C. May et ux to J. A. Hodges et ux, lots 17 and 18, Fulton Mansion addition.

Sarah Katherine Bennett to Mark L. Browne et al, lot 1, block 439, Manning addition, together with 50 feet waterfront lying east and adjoining said lot 1.

R. R. Rice et al to George G. Tassos, 2.475 acres, more or less, part of lot 9, block 238, Burton and Danforth.

National Bank of Commerce, San Antonio, to Guy C. Peyran, all lands, oil, gas and mineral leasehold rights and titles to lands in Aransas County, which were owned by Lucille Wiseman Peyran and Guy C. Peyran or either of them.

E. Z. E. McKinney, et ux, to Georgia Cole, N. 5 ft. of lot E, block 135, Manning Addition.

Alice Wing Taft to Aransas County, 4 1/2 acres of N. of and adjoining blocks 67, 68 and 69, Fulton Townsite.

M. V. Fleming to Robert L. Fleming, lots 3, 4, and 5, block 14, Smith and Wood Division.

Robert L. Fleming, et ux, to Hubert Johnson, et ux, lots 3, 4, and 5, block 14, Smith and Wood Division.

Hubert Johnson, et ux, to Robert L. Fleming, et ux, S 1/2 of lot 11, all of lots 12, 13 and 14, block 30, Smith and Wood Division.

R. B. Melton to J. F. Cantrell, et ux, lot 9, block 2, Stewart Subdivision of lots 8, 9, 10 and 11, of Doughty and Mathis Division.

Emory M. Spencer to the Jas. D. Spencer Trust Estate, et al, All of blocks 222, 235, 295 and 298 and lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 189, Manning Addition. All of block 243, and lots 1, 2, 15 and 16, block 323, lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 235, Smith and Wood Division.

The James Darrell Spencer Trust Estate, et al, to Emory M. Spencer, all of block 422, Manning Addition.

Herman C. Johnson, et ux, to A. C. Doebbler, et ux, undivided 1/2 interest in lots 1 and 9, block 26, Doughty and Mathis Division.

Warranty Deeds with Vendor's Lien recorded are:

H. G. McDaniel, et ux, to Dowell King, et ux, all certain portion of triangular shaped tract of land on the southern end of John Reed land adjacent to Bissett 100-acre tract, Aransas County.

Special Warranty Deeds recorded were:

R. L. Spencer, et ux, to Mid-Coast Investment Co., Inc., Trustee, 1/2 of lot 6, block 544; lot 23, block 594; lot 25, block 594; lot 27, block 594; lot 30, block 594;



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Jas. S. Gregg, et al, to J. R. Howe, farm lots 3 and 4, block 228, according to map filed for record in Vol. 1, page 62.

Quit Claim Deeds filed were:

R. L. Spencer, et ux, to Mid-Coast Investment Co., Inc., lot 14, block 241; lot 2, block 343; lot 5, block 343; lot 16, block 344; lot 2, block 345; lots 27 and 28, block 388; lots 30 and 31, block 389; lot 4, block 389; lot 5, block 389; lot 6, block 389; lot 25, block 389; lot 12, block 391; lot 14, block 391; lot 15, block 391; lot 16, block 391; lot 1, block 407; lot 6, block 407; lot 13, block 407; lot 2, block 408; lot 5, block 409; lot 6, block 409; lot 14, block 409; lot 20, block 409; lot 25, block 455; lot 19, block 595; lot 19, block 596; lot 28, block 596; lot 4, block 698; lot 1, block 616; lot 15, block 658; lot 5, block

781; lot 14, block 781; lot 11, block 782; lot 14, block 783; lot 11, block 787; lot 12, block 787, Aransas Pass.

Joe Price to Berry Kelly, lot 28, block 454, Aransas Pass.

Exchange Deeds: Aransas County to Charles Jackson et ux from Aransas County to Chas. Jackson, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 10, Fulton Townsite for strip of land 60x400 feet, lying between blocks 68 and 69, Fulton Townsite to Aransas County.

Corrected Sheriff's Deeds: W. L. Warren et al by sheriff to Claude and Margaret Dendy, lot 16, block 408, Aransas Pass.

Correction Deed: Mary Herring Patrick et vir to John Lee Herring et ux, one-half undivided interest in block 10, Outlot 8, Town of Lamar.

Special Warranty Deed: Josephine DeKunder et al to Vernie DeKunder, lot 10, block 238, Doughty and Mathis.

Deed with vendor's lien: Chas. Edward Barnard et ux to Ed Barnard Theatres, Inc., all block 170 and 183 and street between blocks; lot 1, block 386, Manning.

Warranty Deed with vendor's lien: Charles Edward Barnard et ux to Ed Barnard Theatres, Inc., south 10 feet of lot 11 and north 40 feet of lot 12, block 21, Doughty and Mathis.

Surface Deed: Bessie Beryl Heard to Bessie Beryl Jacks, Outlots 9, 10 and 11, Townsite of Lamar.

Corrected Deed: W. A. Butler et ux to C. O. Bailey, lot 8 and south 1/3 of lot 11, block 2, Stewart subdivision of Outlots 8, 9, 10 and 11, Doughty and Mathis.

Frank D. Hunt Now Stationed at Dakota Air Force Base

A/2C Frank D. Hunt of Rockport, has recently been assigned to the 28th Armament and Electronic Squadron at Rapid City Air Force Base in Weaver, South Dakota. He is a member of the Strategic Air Command. Rapid City Air Force Base is the home of the giant RB-36 Reconnaissance Bomber and is under the command of Col. Ariel W. Nielsen. The base is located near the famous Mount Rushmore memorial in the heart of the Black Hills of South Dakota. "Woody" and Mrs. Hunt and baby recently moved to his station in South Dakota from the Air Force base in Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cantrell of Temple, Texas, have purchased the Balboa Courts, and have moved to Rockport to make their home. They plan to build several new units to the courts.

Baptists Entertain Students Following Junior-Senior Bonquet

A group of junior and senior high school students gathered at the Baptist parsonage for a social following the junior-senior bonquet last Saturday evening. The group enjoyed stunts and games and were served cookies and Coke.

Those attending the social were Margaret Smyth, Katherine Freeman, Ruth Torres, Connie Murphy, LeVina Kephart, Leon Fuller, Richard Kephart, Bill Jones, G. L. Smythe, Broadus Ramsey from the University of Corpus Christi, James Hawkins from Ingleside and Arden Hander from Corpus Christi.

B. & P. Womens Club To Meet Monday Nite

There will be a meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club at the courthouse Monday night.

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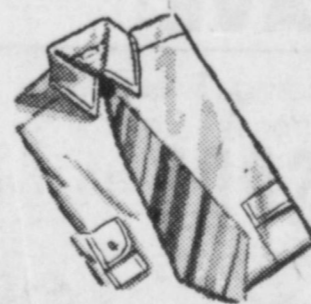


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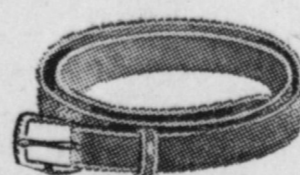


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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Jenschke and Miss Lucille Smith of Dallas, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bracey in Copano Village, and attended the Indianola pilgrimage.

Bill J. Hunt of Rockport will receive his Bachelor of Science degree from East Texas State College this month. The senior economics major is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Malchar.

Sherman Steede is in the Rockport hospital for observation and treatment.

Mrs. Ted Bacon of Cisco, Texas, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert Griffith and family this week.

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James Murphrey Will Receive Degree From University of C.C.

James Murphrey of Rockport will be among the 35 seniors who will receive bachelor degrees at commencement exercises at the University of Corpus Christi, Monday, May 25 at 8 p. m., Dr. W. A. Miller, president of the university, has announced.

The 1953 class is the fifth in the university's history. Previously the university has granted 222 degrees.

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, May 24 at 3 p. m.

Chamber of Commerce NEWS NOTES

The Tourist Promotion Committee are well along with plans for a 4th of July celebration. It will take the form of a home carnival with churches, service clubs and other organizations participating with booths of games, novelties and food.

A complete barbecue dinner will be served by one of the church groups. The setting will be around the waterfront. There will be sail boat races, boat rides and a dance in the evening at the Woman's Club building with Perry Horine and his orchestra furnishing the music.

We feel like this is going to be a gala event and invite any club or organization to participate, as it is a community affair. Contact the Chamber office for details about the booths.

New members added to the roster since the last acknowledgement are Duck Inn and Aransas Natural Gas Co. We are very happy to have them join forces with us.

Mrs. Mary Juergens, Sec'y-Mgr.



Even in Korea a soldier succumbs momentarily to spring fever. Being awakened by his dog is Third Division man, Pfc. William Getz, of Dubuque, Ia.

Father O'Doherty Is New Sacred Heart Pastor

Father G. J. O'Doherty is the new pastor of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church. He arrived here Friday to relieve Father McCarthy, who has returned to New Mexico.

Before coming to Rockport, Father O'Doherty was an administrator at the Cathedral in Corpus Christi. He is no stranger in Rockport, having been assistant to Father Kelly from March, 1945 until April, 1946.

Father O'Doherty plans to promote the building program for the new church building.

Texas and Louisiana R. R. Lines Receive One Of Nat'l Safety Awards

W. E. Beasley, local agent for Southern Pacific, has received word that the railroad's Texas and Louisiana lines have won one of the six safety awards given by the National Safety Council.

Mr. Beasley said the Southern Pacific award was for winning first place last year in the 20,000,000 to 50,000,000 man-hour group. The railroad's ratio of injuries per million man-hours for 1952, he said, was 3.78 as compared with 5.95 for all railroads in this category.

The safety record established by Southern Pacific in Texas and Louisiana, was substantially better than the national average, statistics compiled by the National Safety Council show. The six Class I roads to receive safety awards finished the year with a 4.07 ratio, as compared with a 7.31 ratio for all railroads in the group. Class I railroads are those whose operating revenues exceed \$1,000,000 annually.

Low-down On Drafted Selection Given

How does a local draft board consider a draft registrant's case when it comes before the board in the manner governed by law and regulations?

The members of a board sit around a table—and the file containing the man's papers are placed before it by the clerk.

The board then considers the man from the following standpoints, based on information in the file:

1. Is he on active duty in the military service? (1-C.)
2. Is he a conscientious objector who has been ordered to a civilian job? (1-W.)
3. Is he too old for service under the law? (5-A.)
4. Can it be determined at the board level whether he is physically, mentally, or morally unfit for service? (4-F.)
5. Is he a minister of religion or divinity student? (4-D.)
6. Is he subject to exemption as an alien? (4-C.)
7. Is he a public official defined by law? (4-B.)
8. Is he a World War II veteran as defined by the law? (4-A.)
9. Is he subject to deferment because of his dependents? (3-A.)
10. Is he eligible for deferment as a member of the armed forces reserve or a student taking military training? (1-D.)
11. Is he a student in a college or university deferrable under local board authority? (2-S.)
12. Does he meet the requirements for farm or other civilian job deferment? (2-C and 2-A, respectively.)
13. Is he a college or high school student subject to deferment by law for a short period? (1-S.)
14. Is he one of the two types of conscientious objectors? 1-0 and 1-A-0.)

If the evidence in the file indicates to the satisfaction of the local board that he is eligible for none of these, then the registrant is considered available for military service. (1-A.)

CONGRATULATIONS

Postmaster and Mrs. Marion L. McIvreen are the parents of a girl, Claudia Beth, born at the Aransas Pass Hospital, Monday, May 18. She weighed 9 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Harrist have adopted a baby daughter, Patricia Gale. The young lady was born May 12.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Earl Sutton Jr. of Houston, have a baby girl, born last week. Mrs. Sutton was formerly Miss Suma Larsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Solis are the parents of a daughter, born at the Aransas Pass Hospital Monday, May 18.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Dye of Fulton at the Aransas Pass Hospital, Saturday.

Final Examinations Start This Week

The final examinations will start in high school this week. The Seniors will complete their examinations on Wednesday and Thursday to allow them a couple of days to practice before their exercises.

Fifth Grade Has Annual Party

The 5th grade of the Rockport Elementary School, sponsored by Miss Katie Lee Clarke, had their annual party and picnic at the school, Thursday afternoon.

The room mothers, Mrs. J. F. Harbin, Mrs. J. J. Stephens, Mrs. Bob Ayers and Mrs. N. F. Jackson served the refreshments and assisted with the games.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to Aransas County of Rockport, Texas, will be received at the office of County Judge until 10:00 a. m., May 23rd, 1953, for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence, and labor for constructing certain foundations, and masonry walls for airport hangar except as otherwise stated in the plans and specifications, improvements for Aransas County airport, Owner, of Rockport, Texas.

Bidders must submit Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a Bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of J. D. Wendell, County Judge, Aransas County, in an amount not less than five (5%) percent of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without required check or Proposal Bond will not be considered.

The Successful Bidder must furnish performance bond on the attached form in the amount of 100 percent of the total contract price from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as Surety, or other Surety or Sureties acceptable to the OWNER.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids, the Owner reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. Unreasonable (or "Unbalanced") unit prices will authorize the OWNER to reject any bid.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Attention is called to the fact that there must be paid on this project not less than the general prevailing rates of wages which have been established by the OWNER as the following:

Mechanic, Workman or Type of Labor.
General Prevailing per diem wage based on 8-hour working day.

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Common Labor
Steel Workers
Carpenters
Masons (Concrete Block)
Mortar Mixer
Hod Carriers
Labor Foremen
Superintendent
Bookkeeper, Timekeeper.

Instruction to bidders, proposal forms, specifications, and plans are on file at the office of J. D. Wendell, County Judge, Aransas County, Rockport, Texas.

Copies may be secured from J. D. Wendell, County Judge, Rockport, Texas upon deposit of \$5.00 which deposit will be returned to the CONTRACTOR on submission of a bona fide bid on the work, with such Plans and Specifications; or upon returning the Plans and Specifications immediately after examination of same, and advising the ENGINEER that bid will not be submitted; otherwise, the deposit shall be forfeited.

Aransas County Airport
Owner
J. D. Wendell, County Judge,
Aransas County

Fifth Grade Has Picnic at Beach

The Rockport Elementary 5th grade which is sponsored by Mrs. Agnes Currie, had a picnic at the beach Wednesday afternoon. Various games were played.

The room mothers, Mrs. Edric Deason, Mrs. Malcolm Bocquet, and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, assisted by the other mothers of the children, served a picnic lunch.

Sixth Grade Has Party In Study Hall

Mrs. Charlyne Hunt's 6th grade had a party in the study hall last week. The mothers of the children assisted with the party, serving sandwiches, cake and punch from a beautifully appointed lace covered table.

Bunco was the game of the evening and all had a delightful time.

Swimming Party for 5th and 6th Grades

The fifth and sixth grades of the Fulton Elementary School had a swimming party at the Oleander Court swimming pool in Rockport, followed by a weiner roast at the roadside park between Rockport and Fulton Friday after school.

W. F. Richards, the class sponsor, and the following room mothers accompanied the pupils: Mrs. Roberts Johnson, Mrs. Herbert Mills, Mrs. Paul Wilhelm and Mrs. W. E. Wills.

Altar Society Met Tuesday

The Sacred Heart Altar Society held its regular monthly meeting at the school, Tuesday, May 19.

The meeting opened with prayer led by Father O'Doherty. The minutes were read and approved and roll called. There were 11 members and one new member present. The treasurer's report was given.

Mrs. Travis Johnson and Mrs. Bill Johnson were appointed on the church cleaning committee for June. Mrs. Dick Picton and Mrs. Charles Picton were appointed on the visiting committee.

The meeting closed with prayer.

G. E. Turner, son of Mrs. Ben Thompson, has returned from an Aransas Pass hospital following surgery last week. He is recuperating nicely at present.

Mrs. J. B. Diedrich went to Port Lavaca Tuesday to be with her sister, Mrs. Chester Burton, who underwent major surgery last week.

Selling Weather Forecasts

It was reported recently that a major telegraph company had offered to sell private weather forecasts, ranging up to six months in advance, for specified fees. Expected buyers are farmers, and other business men depending upon the weather to conduct their business.

The weather service fees range up to \$120 a month, for those who want all the trimmings. There has been a controversy in recent years over the value of long range weather forecasts, now being offered for sale. A spokesman for the United States Weather Bureau recently said he believed the weather in the Eastern half of the United States is affected by variable factors from day to day.

As for predicting the weather six months in advance, the issue has been debated hotly on both sides. The leading long-range forecasters in the country assert that their forecasts are not offered to prove their contentions by test predictions. The Weather Bureau sells a thirty-day forecast, which is issued bi-monthly, for \$4.80 a year. This only predicts conditions which will be abnormal in various areas.

For those who would do their own forecasting, we suggest they obtain the observations of the U. S. Weather Bureau for past years, thereby arriving at an average condition for various periods. Then, with a barometer, a copy of the latest Weather Bureau map (which can be obtained from a nearby newspaper,) a hydrometer and a wind-direction indicator, even the amateur can often read the signs in the sky.

7 STINKERS BORN

Denver, Col.—Sam Arnold and his wife captured a skunk in the mountains nearby and brought it home as a companion for their bulldog and cat. The skunk unexpectedly gave birth to seven little stinkers. Their problem won't be intensified for another six weeks, however, according to veterinarians.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perrenot and baby from Pharr, Texas, visited their mother, Mrs. W. T. Crawford, last weekend. Mrs. Crawford is ill again.

Sgt. and Mrs. Duane Heasley and Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmy Hayden and baby from Seguin, spent the weekend in Rockport, visiting the H. C. Mullinaxs, the Haydens, and the Morris. Mrs. Heasley and Mrs. Hayden and the baby remained for a weeks visit.

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Piano Recital Friday At Woman's Club

Mrs. Neva Sorenson, music teacher, will present her pupils in a piano recital at the Woman's Club building, Saturday, May 23 at 8 p.m.

Mrs. H. T. Bailey Honored Sunday

Mrs. Byron Bushart entertained for her mother, Mrs. H. T. Bailey, at her home Sunday afternoon with a party in honor of Mrs. Bailey's 85th birthday, which was Saturday, May 16.

A pink, white and green color scheme was used in the dining room. The antique dining table, covered with a lace cloth had a tall cut glass vase of beautiful roses in the center.

The frosted punch was served in green crystal. Miss Dorothy Calhoun and Mrs. Jack Greer, great nieces of Mrs. Bailey, served.

Several of Mrs. Bailey's nephews and nieces were present for the occasion. They were Mr. and Mrs. Findley Connally, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gregory, Miss Buelah Hodges, Souterland Hodges and Miss Dorothy Calhoun, all of Beeville; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deer, Mrs. Louise Russell and son Tommy, of Kingsville. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bailey, Mrs. Byron Bushart and a few close friends, of Rockport.

Granddaughter of Mrs. Kane Is T.C.U. Sweetheart

Mrs. U. L. Kane's granddaughter, Miss Peggy June Dyche, of Ft. Stockton, Texas, is the new T.C.U. Sweetheart.

She will represent T.C.U. at various functions throughout the coming year. Miss Dyche is finishing her second year at T.C.U. She was cheer leader this year and was voted freshman favorite last year.

Miss Dyche has a host of friends in Rockport, having visited here a number of times.

Kindergarten Class To Give Program Friday

Mrs. T. H. Pollard's kindergarten class of fourteen pupils will present their closing program for the year in the assembly room of the Presbyterian Church, Friday, May 22 at 7:30 p.m.

Parents and friends of the pupils are invited.

BUILDING PERMITS

The following building permits were issued at the city hall in Rockport during the past two weeks:

A permit was issued to R. B. Melton for a screened-in back porch on one-half of lot 8 and all of block 9. Approximate cost \$200.

Chas. T. Picton Lumber Co. has a permit to build a garage, 20x40 feet, frame construction. Cost approximately \$1,500.

Chas. A. Roe, Piggly Wiggly; Seth Steele builder, a 24x34 concrete block addition to the Piggly Wiggly grocery store, on lot 4, block 9, Doughty and Mathis. Cost \$2,000.

M. E. McElveen, laundry, 28x40, stucco finish, on lot 11, block 17, Doughty and Mathis. Cost \$2,500.

W. A. White, a 12x20 patio on the Dairy Malt, frame construction, block A, Smith and Wood. Cost \$100.

Hubert Johnson, Bill Pierson, builder, a 19x72 concrete block building on the north 28 feet of lot 3, all of lots 4 and 5, block 14, Smith and Wood. (Yacht Basin Motel).

Miss Martha Jane Eschenberg of Floresville, was a weekend guest of Miss Joy Roe. She attended the junior-senior banquet Saturday night.

Peterson, Beetley Entertain Men

Rev. Calvin Peterson and William Beetley were hosts for the Methodist Men at the parsonage Thursday night. There were ten members present.

The men decided to have the election of their officers coincide with the election of the other officers in the church so they held an election Thursday night. Mr. Loflin was elected president; J. R. DeForest, vice president, and William Beetley, secretary-treasurer, for another term, as they had not served a full year.

The men voted to apply for a charter with the Methodist Board of Lay Activities.

Various affairs of the church were discussed.

B.W. Circle Met Thursday Night

The W.M.U. Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the church annex Thursday evening for their monthly missionary program.

Mrs. Mildred Jones led the program. The circle will meet next week for Bible study.

Members present were Mrs. Mildred Jones, Mrs. H. B. Ramsey, Mrs. Albert Lee Ballou, Mrs. Claude Easterwood, Mrs. W. J. Moss, Mrs. Milton Mundine, and Mrs. Tom Shults.

Coffee and doughnuts were enjoyed during the social hour.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Turner are the proud parents of a baby boy, Michael Wayne. He weighed seven pounds and was born at the Aransas Pass Hospital, Thursday, May 14.

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SATURDAY ONLY May 23

DOUBLE FEATURE Victor Mature and Patricia Neal In

Something for the Birds

—Also— Thomas Gomez and Dorothy Dandridge In

The Harlem Globetrotters

SUNDAY & MONDAY May 24-25

Percy Kilbride and Marjorie Main In

Ma and Pa Kettle On Vacation

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY May 26-27

Broderick Crawford and Claire Trevor In

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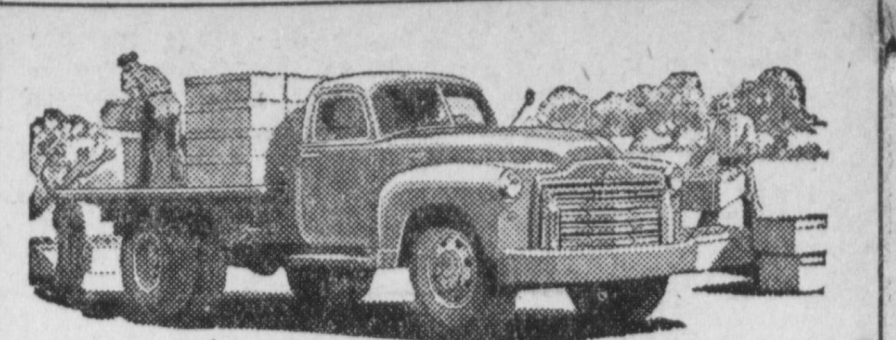
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NOTICE TO NOTARY PUBLICS

The term of the Notary Publics of Aransas County as all others in the State of Texas regardless of date of appointment will expire on June 1, 1953. Deadline for filing new bonds for the new terms which start June 1, 1953 and expires June 1st, 1955 is the first day of June. All new bonds and oaths of office must be dated June 1st and not before. It is permissible to have bonds prepared and delivered to the County Clerk's office before June the 1st. A fee of \$2.00 must accompany the bond.

JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk, County Court of Aransas County, Texas. May 11th, 1953. c6

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and two daughters of Aransas Pass, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. Smith's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John McLester.

W. M. U. Met at Church

The Business Women's Circle of the W.M.U. met for a missionary program at the First Baptist Church last Thursday evening. Those attending were Mrs. W. A. Jones, the circle chairman and Mesd. H. B. Ramsey, W. J. Moss, Tom Shults, Milton Mundine, C. L. Easterwood and A. L. Ballou. Refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were served to the group at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Jarvis of the Federal Housing Administration of San Antonio, and John Y. Keltner of Corpus Christi, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClendon of Fulton Beach. They spent Saturday fishing in the bay with Hugh Morrison and Eddie Morrison as guides. More than 100 fish were caught.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET PROVES GALA AFFAIR

The junior class of the Aransas County High School entertained the seniors with a banquet and dance in the gym, Saturday night.

The theme for the evening was "Starlight," and the gym was converted into a moonlight garden, with the class colors, blue and white predominating.

The ceiling was covered with crepe paper representing the starlit sky. There was a partition across the room with a dance hall on one side and a garden scene with a wishing well, lovers' lane, porch swings and the tables placed in checker effect on the other side. Blue candles in crystal holders and candelabrum lighted the tables.

The "hat check" girls were Mary Miffin and Mary Clark; "Camera" girls were Dawn Olson and Jo zielen May.

The menu consisted of: Dew Drops, Birds of Paradise, Milky Way, Capricorn, Clouds and Stardust; Honeymoon Salad, Moonshine and Heavenly Pie.

The invocation was given by Wm. L. Nelson, and the following program was presented:

- N—"Never Too Dark," Anna Torres (welcome).
I—"Into the Night," Port Baughman (response)
G—"Going Out," Clydene Sparks (class will).
H—"High Point of Evening," Jo Ann Smith.
T—"Into the Dawn," Johnny Joe Atwood.

Address by Supt. J. F. Harbin. The junior class officers are: President, Ann Torres; vice president, Billy Rowe; secretary, Domingo Rodriguez; treasurer, Sandra Court; business manager, Janet Washington; social chairman, June Grenawalt.

The junior class flower is a carnation and their colors are blue and white; the class motto is "The set of the sail, not the gale, determines our way." Stardust is their song.

There were 153 in attendance at the banquet and Jack Trussell and his 5-piece orchestra of Kingsville, played for the dance.

Bill J. Hunt Receives Award for Outstanding Student Council Work

Commerce, Texas. — Bill J. Hunt of Rockport has been awarded a gold key for outstanding work done on the Student Council at East Texas State College.

Hunt is retiring vice president of the council and has represented the college at Denton and Houston for meetings of the Texas Intercollegiate Student Association.

The senior economics major is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Malchar of Rockport.

Francis Stewart, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Stewart of Ingleside, is in the Memorial Hospital in Corpus Christi, with spinal meningitis. He is improving and he hopes to be able to bring him home this week. The disease was first diagnosed as polio.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pollard of Brownsville visited their parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Pollard over the weekend.

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., beginning on the 22nd day of May, 1953, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Aransas County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1953, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

JAS. HERRING, County Clerk, Aransas County, Texas, Rockport, Texas. This 11 day of May, 1953 c6

Tea Commemorates Anniversary of Girls' Auxiliary

A tea, commemorating the 40th anniversary of the Girls' Auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Union, was given by the Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the W.M.U. last Friday evening.

Guests of honor were the mothers of the G.A. members. Mothers attending were: Mrs. H. B. Ramsey, W.M.U. president; Mrs. John Roaten, W.M.U. Young Peoples secretary; Mrs. Roy Mullinax, Jr. G.A. leaders, and Mmes. C. C. Rivmunde, George Benningfield, C. L. Easterwood, A. O. Freeman, G. L. Smyth, Lonnie Wright, and Noble Evans.

The members of the G.A. attending the tea were Marlene Evans, Lois Smyth, Mary Helen Freeman, Geraldine Wright, Nell Mundine, Barbara Wright, Brenda Mundine, Meclie Rivers, Pattie Easterwood, Carolyn Murphrey, Georgia Benningfield, and Judy Mullinax.

The girls presented a program "The More Excellent Way for Excellent Youth" which portrayed, in story form, the five star ideals of the G.A. star. The five parts of the program were: Abiding in Him Through Prayer, Advancing in Wisdom by Bible Study, Enlarging My Stewardship, Adorned with Good Words and Accepting the Challenge of the Great Commission.

The magazine "Tell," the new official publication for the organization, was presented to the group. A poem "Honoring Mothers" by Mrs. Roy Mullinax, was given by Georgia Benningfield.

The tea was held in the annex auditorium at the First Baptist Church. The auditorium was decorated in green, white and gold ribbons and flowers, the G.A. colors. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and punch were served.

Harris Pollard Invited To Attend Austin College Coaching School, Reunion

Sherman, Texas. — A unique reunion that will bring back to the Austin College campus May 22-23 many of its former athletic lettermen and ex-coaches, will be featured by a one-day coaching school conducted by Del Morgan and Cecil Grigg now of the Rice Institute coaching staff. Also on the program will be Pete Cawthon, famous coach of early-day athletics at Austin College and now director of athletics at the University of Alabama.

The ex-lettermen now in the coaching profession who have been invited to attend the coaching school and reunion include Harris Pollard.

Billy Rork, who is in the U.S. Navy at San Diego, Calif., called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rork, Sunday. He was having his first leave since joining the Navy. He has met a buddy of his from the School of Pharmacy at the University of Texas, and they were seeing sights together.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kell and two daughters of Bruni visited Mrs. Kell's mother, Mrs. Manch Brundrett, last weekend. Bill Kell Jr., Storekeeper 3/c, on a U.S. destroyer which docked in Beaumont for Armed Forces Day, joined his parents here and returned home with them for a short leave.

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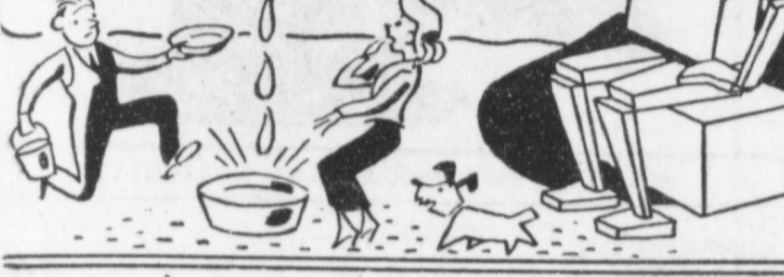
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WATERFRONT—

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caster and Orville Lancaster, of Jolly, Texas, fished with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. (Shorty) Townsend Sunday, bringing in 84 nice trout and gafftops. The party hooked over 100 fish but threw the small ones back into the bay.

E. G. Brooks, science teacher and Supt. J. F. Harbin fished out of Pete's Bend one evening last week. Mr. Brooks caught 8 nice reds and one 7-pound trout. Could not contact Harbin, but he took a nice string of fish out of his car.

Miss Martha Hlavinka, Miss "Sissy" Rowe and Miss Mary Ann Close went fishing with Willie Close Sunday. They caught 52 lovely trout and Miss Hlavinka caught a nice pompano.

Fishermen going out from Floyd's Boat and Sales Co. have been bringing in nice strings too. H. R. Dean and L. Bannon and wife of Houston, caught 40 trout Tuesday. L. M. Grimm and party of San Antonio, caught 124 trout on Saturday. Last Sunday Mrs. Harold Elekna and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Staffa of Rockport, caught 100 trout, 49 gafftops and one blue fish. Tuesday Charlie Rose of Houston caught 45 trout and E. W. Rose of Rockport, and H. C. Floyd got 84 trout the sameday.

with 120 trout, and Mr. and Mrs. Stelzer of San Antonio, fished with Harry Mills, also bringing in a nice string of trout. On Saturday there was a party of ten from Houston out in three boats from the Wharf, bringing back over 200 trout. Pat Lambert of San Antonio fished with Herb Mills Tuesday, catching over 50 trout. Milo Harriow of Eagle Lake was out with Harry Mills and hooked 169 trout by 11 a. m. Mullet Gregory fished off the Wharf Tuesday, landing 17 trout which weighed 2 1/2 and 3 pounds each. Two men went out with Herb Mills Wednesday, landing 30 trout.

On Saturday Mr. Newkirk of Houston, fished with Fred Christilles, catching 68 trout, and on Sunday, Mr. Lawrence, fishing with Christilles, got 117 nice trout. Tuesday, Marcus Warden of Kenedy, landed 117 trout.

Wm. Charles Hill, 7-year-old, suffered a broken leg Wednesday while playing on the merry-go-round at Rockport Elementary School. His father is Gilbert Hill and works for Picton Lumber Co.

Mrs. Wm. Woellert of Poth and Misses Linda and Kay Russell of Kerrville, were weekend guests of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. L. M. Bracht.

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Mrs. Christilles served a salad plate to the following guests: Mrs. Fred Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Mrs. Fred Booth, Mrs. A. L. Bruhl, Miss Mabel Bracht, Mrs. Arthur Curry, Mrs. Fred B. Hunt, Mrs. Chas. Picton, Mrs. Arthur Bracht, Mrs. James Sorenson, Mrs. J. H. Mills, Mrs. Lois Roozell, Mrs. Charles Cleveland, Mrs. F. L. McCord, Mrs. Otis Hare and Mrs. Thomas Yarrell.

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