

Sportsmen Hear Wildlife Men Tell of Programs on Refuges

Two speakers, Claude Lard, manager of the Aransas Wildlife Refuge, and Caleb Glazener, assistant director of the Welder Wildlife Refuge at Sinton, were the program for the regular meeting of the Rockport Sportsmen's Conservation Association.

Lard, whose domain includes the wintering ground of America's last flock of whooping cranes, told assembled sportsmen and tourists something of the work now being done on the sprawling, 47,000-acre sanctuary that occupies all

of Black Jack Peninsula, just across the bay from Rockport.

Brush control is one of the major problems of the refuge, where more than 10,000 acres have been cut, while another 500 acres have been mowed. Brush control work was begun there as early as 1946, and is being done primarily to increase food sources for wildlife on the Refuge.

Deer, javelinas, wild turkeys, bob-white quail, armadillos, coons, skunks, squirrels, coyotes, and an occasional red wolf constitute the upland game of the Refuge. In addition, the coastal waters of the Refuge serve as a sanctuary for various species of waterfowl, among them the rare whooping crane.

Santa Gertrudis cattle are stocked on the Refuge at a comparatively light rate, in compliance with government regulations on the grazing of public lands and generally the cattle stay in good condition on grass, without supplemental feed. Three and four year old steers attain weights of around 1100 pounds.

In the conservation plan on the Refuge, provision has been made for fresh water for all forms of wildlife. In addition to overflow ponds at each of the 31 windmills on the sanctuary, 43 lakes and ponds have been constructed, varying in size from less than one acre to 435 acres. Total lake area on the Refuge is 1140 acres.

Glazener, who was for some years director of wildlife restoration for the Game and Fish Commission, before going with the Welder Wildlife Refuge as assistant director, spoke on the work being carried on there.

Current activities on the Welder include range and wildlife research, and construction of physical improvements for better management of the area.

Within the next few years, the foundation will build up a small staff of experts to carry on research, to act as department heads, to assist scientists working there from other institutions, and help in the selection of students for research scholarships.

Dr. Clarence Cottam, research director of the foundation, will supervise the entire program, and specialize in waterfowl research. Glazener, an expert on upland game, will specialize in turkey and quail. Others will undertake big game management, fresh water fisheries, and other branches of research essential to the overall project.

In time, a wildlife educational specialist will be retained to help spread the lessons that these men have learned.

In addition to the talks, Lard showed a new film on the activities of the whooping cranes, which have gained the admiration of America by the gallant fight they are making against extinction.

Lard was accompanied by his assistant, Earl Benam, and there were a number of visitors from towns throughout the area. Dr. J. E. Bauer, of Refugio, was there, along with people from Bayside, Corpus Christi, and tourists from out of state.

Along The Waterfront



Mills Wharf reports ran from bad to good. They were:

Friday: Willard Woods and party, Houston, with Harry, 36; S. M. Suggs and party, with Eddie Edmonson, 18 trout.

Friday, Saturday, and Sunday: Ernest Coker and party, Houston, with Herb, 32 (Friday), 50 (Saturday) and 19 (Sunday).

Saturday: Elton McCabe and Carl McCabe, San Antonio, 19 trout; W. L. Dennis and party, San Antonio with Harry, 91 trout; Gilchrease Oil party, San Antonio, with Eddie Edmonson, 38 trout.

Saturday and Sunday: W. A. Freer and party, Houston, with Morris Gregory, 37 (Saturday) and 32 (Sunday).

Sunday: J. L. Jordan and party of Corpus Christi, with Eddie Edmonson, 17 trout; M. O. Simon and party, Victoria, with Harry, 20; Elmer Gustafson and party, Gonzales, with Ray Washington, 15 trout.

Tuesday: Bill Allbright and party, with Harry, 94 trout.

Wednesday: Bill Lampan and party, San Antonio, with Morris Gregory, 164 trout.

At Rattlesnake Point on Wednesday, Mrs. Harold Alekna and Bill Bardwell, Rockport, 11 trout, 3 drum, 2 nice reds. Mr. and Mrs. Art Beckum and son Larry and Ray, Odem 18 trout.

Calvin Hedke, Woodsboro, 15 drum; Scott's Robinson, Odem, 40 pounds of drum.

ROTARY CLUB MEETS

At Rotary Wednesday, Arthur Bracht, in charge of the program introduced Jim Furlong as his speaker. Furlong told the assembly of his long sailing voyage from Copenhagen to Houston some years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christilles are in California.

Approximately Two Hundred Athletes Expected For First Toast of Coast Relays To Be Held Here Tomorrow

Approximately 200 athletes from twelve schools will meet here Friday to vie for track honors at Pirate Stadium, when the first "Toast of the Coast Relays" get under way at 2:00 p. m.

Schools entered in the senior division are ACHS (Rockport), Tuloso-Midway, Agua Dulce, Bishop, Bruni, George West, Ingleside, Woodsboro, Riviera, West Oso, Yorktown and Jourdanon. In the junior division athletes from ACHS, Bishop, Ingleside, Woodsboro and Jourdanon will compete.

Boys to watch are Billy Shaver, Rockport, and Jimmy Dornak, Jourdanon, in the 120 high hurdles; John Cabanis, Rockport, and Domingo Patino, Woodsboro, in the 100-yard dash. Eugene Satsky, Rockport, and Larry Sievers, Yorktown, are probably the fastest in the 440 yd. dash.

Tommy Stewart, Ingleside, and Ruby James, West Oso, will vie in the 880 yard run. Moeller, Yorktown, and Vivarrel, Riviera,

are among the top competitors at a mile; George West and Yorktown rate high in the sprint medley relay; Agua Dulce and Jourdanon are outstanding performers in the 880 relay.

George West, West Oso, and Bruni have fine teams in the 440 relay; ACHS (Rockport), George West, and Ingleside are probably the top three teams in the mile relay.

Yorktown has a very fine weight man in Weldon Slayton, who took first place in both the shot and discus at Port Lavaca last week.

A meet the size of this one takes a lot of organization and the cooperation of everyone, including the spectators. Coach Borchert has asked that everyone who is not an official, participant, or coach, to please remain in the stands during the meet. The success of the relays will depend largely on the conduct and courtesy that the student body and townspeople show out-of-town visitors.

Local Merchants Combine To Give Bargain Days

Local merchants, convinced that they are giving as good or better values as those in other towns throughout the region, have combined to give a series of bargain days for the next three months, and, if the plan works, throughout the rest of the year.

The first of these starts today, and will last until Saturday, and a four page circular has been printed and distributed in Rockport and the surrounding area, setting forth the list of bargains, and aimed at convincing customers that they are wasting their money and gas by shopping elsewhere.

The plan stemmed from the Merchants' Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, but an organization of merchants was formed separately to work with the problem, as it was felt that this was the best way to handle it.

Those participating in the project are: Prophet Furniture, Townsend's Dress Shop, Johnson's Drug Store, Del Mar Grill, Rockport Electric, West's Red & White, Walker's Variety, Figgly Wiggly, Western Auto, Bill's Sinclair Station, Aransas Butane and Hardware, Vandagriff Cleaners, Roaten's Drug Store, and Byron's Gifts.

Caldwell To Be Recommended For District Attorney

Rep. Harold Parish of Taft said this week that if his bill creating a new 121st judicial district is passed by the Legislature he will recommend Joe Caldwell, local city attorney, for appointment to the new office of district attorney and John Miller for judge. Caldwell has agreed to serve only until a new district attorney can be elected, but Miller may be a candidate for election in the first ballot, Parish said.

Parish's House Bill 645 encompasses Aransas, San Patricio, Bee, Live Oak and McMullen Counties in a 121st district co-extensive with the present 36th judicial district.

Sen. W. S. Fly of Victoria has introduced a similar bill in the Senate.

The Parish version is scheduled for hearing before the House judicial districts committee March 20.

Mrs. Charles A. Roe Attending Sport Show With Exhibit From Here

Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr., is attending the San Antonio Sports Show from here, with an exhibit, and will be there the rest of this week, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holland, Bob Winton, and Alex Scott.

Mrs. Roe is largely responsible for the exceedingly attractive exhibit which will later go on to Dallas after the San Antonio show closes.

At one end of the panorama is an oak forest, with a golf-links and golfer in front of it. In the center the bays are represented by mirrors with a tiny sail and power boats sailing upon them.

Between the oaks and the sea is a beach pavilion like those at Goose Island, and at the water's edge a long wharf juts forth, complete with a boy who has a fish on his line.

Around the edges of the bay is a palm-lined, sandy beach, with a little girl and her dog playing in the sand, a couple of feminine sun-bathers under a beach parasol, and an artist in front of her easel.

At the other end of the bay is a coastal marsh with a whooping crane peering from the reeds, and a sleepy pelican and sea gulls resting by the water's edge.

Calling attention to it all is a big Rockport "Toast of the Coast" sign, with a champagne glass that actually bubbles and a smaller transparent, rotating sign showing some fanciful marine life.

Mrs. N. F. Jackson painted the Toast of the Coast sign.

Hitherto unknown talent in sculpturing was uncovered by Mrs. Roe when constructing the exhibit. The pelican, the whooping crane, the sea gulls and some of the other figures were modeled by Charles A. Roe Sr., who helped with construction of the exhibit which was donated to the Chamber of Commerce by Mrs. Roe.

Mrs. Roe was assisted by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holland.

Explorer Troop 49 To Receive Charter

Explorer Troop 49, Boy Scouts of America, will receive its charter in ceremonies to be conducted on Monday, March 18, in the VFW Hall at 7:30 p. m.

Judge John D. Wendell will present the charter to the troop for the sponsoring organization, Stewart Wendell Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

All parents and explorers are urged to be present, Explorer Leader Bill Gray said, because at this meeting plans for some explorer to attend the Valley Forge National Jamboree to be held in Pennsylvania in June.

The VFW has sent in the necessary funds to hold one place, and will pay the expenses of one boy, who will be chosen according to a point system set up last year.

April 15 is the deadline for presentation of points for this purpose, and shortly thereafter a committee of five men will consider the work of all explorers in the troop, and award the trip.

This committee is composed of Rev. A. Arnott Ward, Judge John D. Wendell, A. C. Glass, Bill Pierson, and Father G. J. O'Doherty.

Chamber of Commerce Banquet Saturday Very Successful

The Spring Chamber of Commerce Banquet, held at the Woman's Club on Saturday night, was a very successful one, with 124 members, wives, and guests attending.

Retiring president Arthur Bracht introduced incoming president Jack McDavid, new directors of the Chamber, and Major and Mrs. D. L. Graff, who were here for the occasion. Major Graff is in charge of the construction of the 813th AC&W Squadron here, and commanding officer of the 747th AC&W Squadron at Ellington Air Force Base, near Houston.

Entertainment for the evening was furnished by five members of the 747th Squadron, who treated the assembly to an hour of sparkling wit and music.

Schedule of Events At Toast of Coast Relays Announced

Coach Borchert has announced the schedule of events for the "Toast of the Coast Relays" to be held out at Pirate Stadium tomorrow afternoon and night.

Preliminaries:
3:00 - Pole Vault, Sr. High Jump, Sr.; Shot Put, Sr.; 120 yd. low hurdles, juniors.

3:10 - 120 yd. high hurdles, Sr.
3:20 - 100 yd. dash, juniors.
3:30 - 100 yd. dash, seniors.
3:40 - 440 yd. dash, seniors.

3:50 - High jump, juniors; Shot Put, juniors; Discus, seniors; 180 yd. low hurdles, seniors.

4:00 - 440 yd. relay, juniors.
4:10 - 440 yd. relay, seniors.
4:20 - Broad Jump, seniors.
4:30 - 200 yd. relay, juniors.
4:40 - Broad Jump, juniors.
4:50 - 880 yd. relay, juniors.
5:00 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

5:10 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
5:20 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

5:30 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
5:40 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

5:50 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
6:00 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

6:10 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
6:20 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

6:30 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
6:40 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

6:50 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
7:00 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

7:10 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
7:20 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

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7:50 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
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10:40 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

10:50 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
11:00 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

11:10 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.
11:20 - 880 yd. relay, seniors.

Council Sees Plans For New City Hall

Plans for a new city hall were considered by the City Council on Monday night, but not officially approved.

The building, to be of concrete block construction, with its foundation consisting of a monolithic concrete slab, will be approximately 30 x 50 feet, furnishing fifteen hundred square feet of floor space for various offices.

There will be a main office, a council room, private offices for the city secretary and the water superintendent and the necessary washrooms and a vault for the storage of records.

The ceilings will be of acoustical tile; interior walls of sheet-rock; the windows will be aluminum; and the floor will be laid of asbestos tile.

No estimate of cost was made, but city fathers say that they have enough money in the treasury to build it.

If built, it will be placed on the triangular block of land immediately west of the Woman's Club of Aransas County.

Councilman Jimmy Hunt, during the course of the discussion, asked C. C. Fowler, who prepared the plans, to make out a material bid and labor estimate as soon as possible, for submission to the Council.

Mrs. Byron Bushart met with the Council in an attempt to settle her property situation. She contended that the city is utilizing part of her land for a street. The council promised to take this matter under advisement.

Dr. L. G. Woods resigned as city health officer.

Joe Caldwell, city attorney, reported on the delinquent tax situation.

Alumni Association Plans Golden Jubilee Banquet

At a meeting of the High School Alumni Association, Wednesday night at the auditorium of the Rockport Elementary School, the foundation was laid for the observance of the Golden Jubilee of the organization, on June 1st at 8 p. m. at the school gymnasium.

The events will be a banquet served by Little Bobs of Aransas Pass, on a semi-formal scale at the price of \$1.50 a plate. Members of the senior class of the Aransas County High School will be honor guests; any of them wishing to bring a guest may do so by paying the price of the plate.

Announcements and invitations will be sent to the more than 700 members on the alumni roster and every effort made to encourage their attendance for the 50th anniversary occasion.

The trophy will be awarded this year on the basis of the class having the most in attendance.

Some of the committees were named and others will be called into action as the plans develop.

Mrs. Lynwood Eller was named chairman of the invitation committee, to serve with her, Mrs. Roy Lee Hart and Mrs. Tom Webb; Mrs. Herbert Mills, Program chairman, Mrs. Hart and Miss Iris Sorenson; Mrs. A. C. Shivers, table arrangements and decorations, assisted by Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mrs. Leonard Le Blanc, Mrs. Malcolm Bocquet, Mrs. Robert Landrum, Mrs. Woody Hunt, Mrs. Norman McLead and Mrs. J. R. DeForest.

Mrs. Chester Johnson and Mrs. John Albert Ratliff head the collections committee, with the rest of the group to be named by them. Appointed to the committee responsible for securing tables and chairs are Bill Gray, Norvell Jackson, Charles A. Roe Jr., Milton Harrell, Travis Smith, Floyd Rouquette, Dick Picton and Jim Cruser.

Named to the nominating committee were Mrs. Jordan Weber, chairman, Mrs. Jimmy Little and Mrs. Raymond Owens.

Members of each class in the association are asked to be personally responsible for urging their class mates to be in attendance for this anniversary celebration.

Officers of the organization are Mrs. S. F. Jackson, president; Mrs. Travis Johnson, vice-president; Mrs. Roy Lee Hart, secretary and Mrs. Lynwood Eller, treasurer.

ABSENTEE BALLOTING STARTS TODAY

Absentee balloting started today for the City Election which will be held on April 2 for the election of two councilmen.

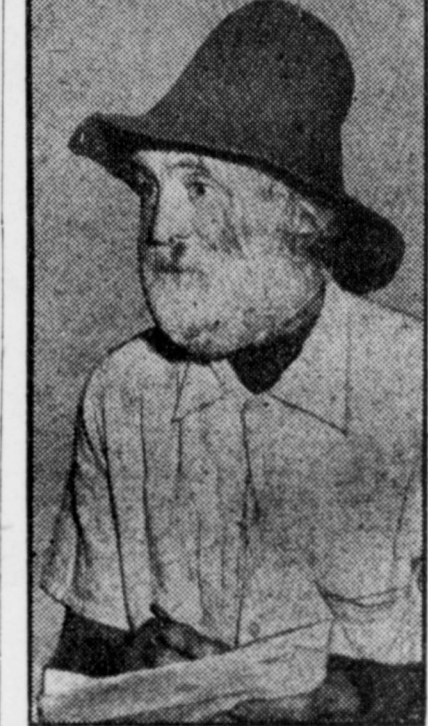
School Board Hires Greene For 1958

Classroom Teachers offered Individual Contracts For Coming School Year: 3 File For Places

On Board: Vandalism To School Plant And Lawns

The Aransas County Independent School Board, at its regular meeting, rehired Superintendent Pat H. Greene for the school year of 1957-58, and principals Jack Horton, of the High School, A. R. Griffith, Jr., of Rockport Elementary, and Millard Ownes, of Fulton Elementary.

The Board had previously decided to abolish the Junior High principal's position at the end of this year, when both Junior and Senior High Schools will be under one roof.



Mr. James Calhoun, who has held the place for the last several years, was praised for his fine work in this post, and was offered the place of assistant-principal of the High Schools, and Junior High coach.

In addition, contract renewals were offered classroom teachers on an individual basis.

A trustee election has been called for April 6, to fill the places left by expiration of the terms of Shelley Roaten, and James B. Jackson in the Rockport area, and J. R. DeForest from Fulton. All three men have re-filed for the posts. Any others wanting to get their name on the ballot must file with the secretary of the board Shelley Roaten, before 6:00 p. m., March 25.

The board heard a report from Superintendent Greene on the progress being made in the district's \$600,000 building program, which has furnished a new junior high school, a new school at Fulton, additional classrooms at Rockport, and a new gymnasium and field house at the high school.

Vandalism at the schools resulting from firing rifles at school windows was discussed, and citizens of the county are asked to help combat the senseless destruction of property, and damage to school lawns by people driving across them.

Satsky Brings Home Two Medals From Port Lavaca Meet

The ACHS track team got their first taste of competition last Saturday afternoon and night when they participated in the Calhoun County Relays in Port Lavaca.

Competing against 12 other schools in their class, the Pirates qualified four boys and two relay teams for the finals that night. Eugene Satsky brought home the only two medals, as he won a third place in the shot put and a third in the 440 yard dash. Others qualifying but not placing in the finals were Billy Shaver, 120 yard low hurdles; Danny Adams, 180 yard low hurdles, and Lewis Stone in the discus.

The two relay teams that did not place in the finals were: 440 yard, John Goff, Clyde Townsend, John Cabanis and Eugene Satsky; mile: Ray Washington, Alfred Pena, Mike Townsend and Eugene Satsky.

Several key boys on the track team have been suffering from "Charlie Horses" but Coach Borchert hopes they will be ready for the "Toast of the Coast" relays here tomorrow. John Cabanis and Mike and Eugene Townsend are among those on the ailing list. Cabanis did not get to compete in either of the dashes in the Pt. Lavaca meet.

Mary Frances Woods, a sixth grader, one first place in the junior girls declamation contest. Barbara Owens, a fifth grader, was second in the sub-junior girls declamation. A team composed of a fifth grader, Beck Sue Rouquette, and Mary Frances Woods, took third in the spelling and plain writing contest.

A picture memory team from Rockport Elementary, composed of Shelley Poe Roaten, Janice Garrett, Janis Clark, Mary Lou Johnson, Lola Jean Lewis, Tommy Ben Thompson, Tommy Wells, Terrie Thomas, Chris Sorenson, and Linda Salge took second place in the picture memory contest.

Four fifth graders from Fulton Elementary, Clara Perez, Mary Louise Perez, Elidia Navidades and Mary Evelyn Johnson took a third in the same contest.

A spelling team from Rockport Elementary was composed of Sue Johnson and Georgia Couser.

A total of seven schools were entered in most of the contests.

Junior High District Track Meet To Be Held Here On Saturday, Mar. 6

This Saturday, at 1 p. m., the Junior High District Track meet will be held at Pirate Stadium, with Gregory, Ingleside, Port Aransas, Portland, Aransas Pass and Rockport participating.

The meet will include the following events: 50 yard dash, 75 yard dash, 100 yard dash, 440 relay, chinning, shotput, high jump and broad jump. Individual winners will be awarded ribbons, and a trophy will go to the winning team.

The girls district volleyball tournament will be held in the gymnasium on the same day.

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MARCH 14 - 15 - 16



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Booth's **FISH STICKS** 8 oz. 31c

Star-Kist **TUNA PIES** 8 oz. 25c

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Texas Valencia **Oranges** 5 lb. bag 35c

Paschal **CELERY** 2 stalks 19c

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1/2 Gal. **Sta-Flo** 45c

Snow Queen **FLOUR** 5 lbs. 39c

Bar-T-Ranch **PEACHES** 2 1/2 can 29c

Libby's **Fruit Cocktail** 303 can 22c

April Shower **PEAS** 303 can 18c

Texanne **PEANUT BUTTER** 10 oz. 23c

Northern Napkins 2 ctns. 25c

1/2 Gal. **CLOROX** 29c

Swift Prem. 1 1/2 lbs **CHILI** 43c

Valley Gold **MELLORINE** 1/2 gal. 35c

Valley Gold **CHOCOLATE DRINK** qt. 25c

Flour, Light Crust 5 lbs. 45c

Del Monte C/S **GOLDEN CORN** 303 can 15c

First Choice **Tomatoes**, 303 can 2 for 25c

Rotel 300 Can **WHITE HOMINY** 2 for 15c

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TIDE or CHEER 30c

SUGAR 5 lbs. 49c

Delight **DOG FOOD** 3 for 25c

20 Oz. Bama **RED PLUM JAM** 33c

Star Kist **TUNA** Chunk Style **29^c**

SUN SPUN

BACON lb. **45^c**

SAMUEL'S MOHAWK HICKORY SMOKED PICNIC

HAMS lb. **25^c**

SWIFT'S PREMIUM HEAVY BEEF

Chuck Roast lb. **39^c**

3 Pounds **Hamburger** 89c

Wisconsin Longhorn **CHEESE** lb. 49c

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Skinner's **Macaroni or Spaghetti** 2 for 25c

Luster Creme Shampoo, Med. Size
Vaseline Hair Tonic, 2 Oz. Size
Colgate Tooth Paste, Giant Size **45^c**

JELLO 3 for 25c

400 Size **KLEENEX** 25c

KOTEX 29c

Niagara **STARCH** 19c

Red & White **MILK** 2 for 25c

FROZEN FOODS

Gordon's **FISH STICKS** 39c

ESSEX STRAWBERRIES
Box **15^c**

Patio **MEXICAN DINNERS** 55c

VEGETABLES

No. 1 Idaho Russet **POTATOES** 10 lbs. 49c

Fresh Radishes or **GREEN ONIONS** 5c

Central American **BANANAS** lb. 10c

Sunkist **LEMONS** 6 for 15c

46 OZ. DEL MONTE **PINEAPPLE JUICE** **29^c**

Del Monte **SLICED OR CRUSHED PINEAPPLE** Flat Can **6 for \$1**

Vacuum Pack or Del Monte **CREAM STYLE GOLDEN CORN OR SAUERKRAUT**

3 LB. CAN RED & WHITE **SHORTENING** **79^c**

FOREMOST **MELLORINE** 1/2 gal. **35^c**

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Bids, addressed to the Mayor and City Council of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, for the construction of extensions to the existing sanitary sewer system in the City of Rockport, Texas, will be received in the office of the City Secretary at the City Hall in Rockport, Texas until 2:00 p. m. March 18, 1957, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and Specifications are on file with the City Clerk at Rockport, Texas.

Plans and Specifications may be examined and information and Proposal blanks may be obtained at the office of the Engineer, in the Aransas County Courthouse at Rockport, Texas.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a proposal guarantee in the amount of 10% of the bid as set out in the specifications.

The City of Rockport reserves the right to reject any or all bids or waive any or all formalities.

CHESTER JOHNSON Mayor, City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas

ORDER OF INTENTION TO ISSUE TIME WARRANTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF ARANSAS

The County Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, convened in special session at the County Courthouse in Rockport, Texas on the 28th day of February, 1957, with the following members present, to-wit:

John D. Wendell, County Judge; W. B. Allen, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; J. M. Sparks, Jr., Commissioner Precinct No. 2; A. L. Davis, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; J. H. Mills, Commissioner Precinct No. 4; James C. Herring, County Clerk.

When the following business was transacted:

Commissioner Mills introduced an order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Allen and carried by the following vote:

AYES: COMMISSIONERS Allen, Sparks, Davis and Mills.

NOES: None.

The order thus adopted follows:

BE IT ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the County Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas:

That it has been found and declared that it is necessary to purchase right-of-way for State Highway purposes, to-wit:

Triangle building and all fractional part of Lots 9, 10, and 11 in Block 398, Manning Addition, and additional twenty feet along west side of business route of Highway No. 35 in Block "N" and Block No. 105, Manning Addition to the City of Rockport.

It is the intention of the Commissioners' Court to authorize the issuance on April 3, 1957, of Road and Bridge Time Warrants in payment of said right-of-way not to exceed \$9,000.00 bearing interest at the rate of not to exceed 2% per annum and maturing serially with the maximum date June 3rd, 1960.

The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to waive formalities.

By order of the Commissioners' Court this 28th day of February, 1957.

JOHN D. WENDELL, County Judge Aransas County, Texas. ADOPTED this 28th day of February, 1957.

JOHN D. WENDELL, County Judge. W. B. ALLEN, Commissioner Precinct No. 1. J. M. SPARKS, JR., Commissioner Precinct No. 2. A. L. DAVIS, Commissioner Precinct No. 3. J. H. MILLS, Commissioner Precinct No. 4. (SEAL)

ATTEST: JAS. C. HERRING, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court. Aransas County, Texas. c49

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the following named Defendants whose residences and/or whereabouts are unknown:

- 1. Judge Company
2. Leslie-Judge Company
3. E. A. Miller
4. M. M. Langford
5. Russell B. Harrison
6. Maude Miller

8. All stockholders, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all corporate Defendants enumerated above.

9. All members, beneficiaries, and interest holders, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all of the Defendants enumerated above who are or were trusts, joint stock companies, or other unincorporated associations.

10. All partners, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all of the Defendants enumerated above who are or were partnerships.

11. The heirs, wives, husbands, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all of the Defendants enumerated above who are or were partnerships.

DEFENDANTS IN THE HEREINAFTER STYLED AND NUMBERED CAUSE:

You, and each of you, are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas, to be held at the Court house of said County in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, at or before 10:00 A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. of Monday the 15th day of April, 1957, and answer the petition of D. B. KINSEY, Plaintiff in cause numbered 3263, styled D. B. KINSEY vs. JUDGE COMPANY, ET AL, filed in the District Court of Aransas County on the 2nd day of March, 1957, wherein the said D. B. KINSEY is Plaintiff, and all the persons, firms and corporations above enumerated or identified, and to whom this citation is addressed, are Defendants; and the nature of which said suit is as follows: In

Trespass to Try Title brought by said Plaintiff against all said Defendants, to recover the title and possession of the following described tracts of land in Aransas County, Texas, to-wit:

Lots Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16), the South one-half (1/2) of Lot Three (3) and the South one-half (1/2) of Lot Fourteen (14) in Block Eighteen (18) in the SMITH AND WOOD DIVISION in the City of Rockport, in Aransas County, Texas, according to the official Map or Plat thereof recorded in Volume E, Pages 272-273 of the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas.

together with damages in the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), for costs of suit, and for general relief, by which said Plaintiff seeks to cut off all rights, titles, claims and interests of every character of all said Defendants in and to said land.

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

WITNESS Jas. C. Herring, Clerk of the 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF said Court at Office in the City of Rockport, this 2nd day of March, 1957.

JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk of the 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas. By WRETHA B. JOHNSON, Deputy. (SEAL) Issued this 2nd day of March, 1957.

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Monthly Meeting Of Boy Scouts In Sinton, March 21

The regular monthly meeting of the adult leaders in the Mustang Boy Scout District will be held Thursday, March 21, 7:30 p. m. at the Sinton High School, it was announced today by Claude Bosworth, District Chairman. Directing the discussion of the District Committee will be Bosworth and Seth Yarbrough, Vice Chairman of the District. Leading the Scout leaders roundtable will be Joe Benson of Sinton. Their discussions and demonstrations will center around the coming Council Camporee. The Cub leaders roundtable will be led by Joe Olle of Refugio and Ken Edwards of Sinton. The Cub leaders will cover all the details relating to the annual Cub Field Day scheduled for Refugio on May 4th. Oney Chafin and Tracy Speake of Sinton will lead the Explorers in their planning of another district Explorer Event. A special session for all troop committeemen will be led by W. C. Glazner of Taft and W. T. Henry of Sinton. Bosworth urged all scout, cub and explorer leaders to attend the meeting. Bosworth added that 85 people attended the meeting last month and he is hoping for a larger turn out this month.

BOY SCOUTS HAVE MANY LEADERS IN ROCKPORT REGION

The Boy Scouts of America have a number of leaders in the Rockport area, siding with the work of the scouts.

Among them, the following are key personnel: Claude Bosworth, Sinton, Mustang District Chairman. Other committeemen are Seth Yarbrough, vice chairman, Woodsboro; E. Charles Lewis, district commissioner; and Vernan Lay, Refugio, assistant district commissioner.

Jimmy Reid Simmons, of Rockport, is advancement chairman for the local troop; Fred A. Bracht is on the organization and extension committee. J. J. McCabe is camping and activity chairman; Rev. A. Arnott Ward, Rockport, is in charge of the activities committee. Colonel James A. Porter, is finance chairman; troop chairman here is Floyd T. Smith; and scoutmaster is Robert Little.

J. J. McCabe is also institutional representative for the VFW or Rockport, sponsors of the Rockport explorer troop. A. C. Shivers is chairman of the troop committee; explorer advisers are Cecil V. (Bill) Gray, Richard Happer, A. L. Holland, Port Baughman, and Cully Roberts. Other committeemen serving with Shivers are Richard Fox, Joe Johnson, Clyde Townsend, and Marvin Townsend.

BAPTISTS PLANS SPECIAL MEETING IN BEEVILLE

First Baptist Church this week announced that on Friday, March 15, at the First Baptist Church in Beeville there will be held a special study for adults interested in sponsored activities of boys of the community.

The Blanco Association of which this church is a member, is bringing to Beeville to direct this course, Robert Chapman of Dallas, who is serving as State Secretary of the Royal Ambassadors.

The study, open to all adults, will start at 6:00 p. m. in the First Baptist Church of Beeville.

Railroading By Radar Film Available Says W. E. Beasley

"Railroading By Radar", a 17-minute sound color motion picture has been produced by Southern Pacific for showing before luncheon, civic, trade and other groups, W. E. Beasley SP freight agent said today.

The new motion picture tells the story of Southern Pacific's new Englewood Gravity Yard at Houston, one of the most modern installations of its kind in the country. The film explains handling of cars through this \$7,000,000 facility and how these operations contribute to the railroad's efficiency in serving the public.

Prints of "Railroading By Radar" may be obtained for showing by writing the Southern Pacific Public Relations Department, Room 604, Southern Pacific Building, 913 Franklin St., Houston, Beasley said.

Mrs. Larry Childs, and daughters, Roxanne and Rhonda Lee of La Porte are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. McLester. Mr. Childs returned home Sunday after spending the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cooper, and Mrs. Raymond Risher of Refugio visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett.

MRS. G. C. MULLINAX HONORED BY SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. G. C. Mullinax was honored with a surprise birthday party at her home over the weekend.

Guests were Mrs. Lady Stewart, Mrs. Ethel Smith, and Robert Ray Caswell, of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Caswell, of Corpus Christi, and George Gibson, of Odessa.

Steve Atwood, Joe Herring, Richard Simpson, and Gene Sprinkle of Texas A and I were home over the weekend.

PRESBYTERIANS TO HOLD REVIVAL IN CORPUS

One of the outstanding events in the Presbyterian year is an eight-day series of evangelistic meetings scheduled from March 17th through March 24th at the Del Mar Auditorium, with Dr. Louis Evans, Minister-at-large for the Board of National Missions, conducting the services.

The First Presbyterian Church of Rockport will dismiss its evening service on both the 17th and 24th for the congregation to attend the Corpus Christi Services.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS HAVE 632 VISITORS DURING PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK

Schools belonging to the Aransas County Independent School District had a total of 632 visitors during Public School Week, it was learned today.

On Friday of that week, 23 members out of 26 in the Rotary Club made a special trip to visit the high school.

Ollie Schleider visited his brother-in-law, P. E. Fagan Sunday who is in the Refugio Hospital.

WE'RE CELEBRATING OUR... FIRST ANNIVERSARY. Tuesday, March 19 With An Open House. THE PUBLIC IS INVITED. In appreciation of the wonderful patronage we have enjoyed by the fine people of Rockport and area during our first year of business. We are celebrating our First Anniversary by inviting the public to visit us Tuesday, March 19 for a cup of coffee and doughnut. Your visit will also enable you to familiarize yourself with our New Spring Merchandise now on display.

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BROWNIES SEND CLOTHING AWARD

Members of Fulton Brownie Troop 43, with Mrs. F. L. McCord, leader, have shipped two large boxes of clothing to aid the Hungarian refugees. This troop is now preparing to "fly up" into intermediate scouting this spring.

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Style Show Slated For Country Club

The Woman's Association of the Live Oak Country Club are staging a style show at the club house on Saturday, April 6, at 1:00 p. m. Reservations may be made through Mrs. Roy Woods, phone 3421, Rockport, before April 5,

at 1:00 p. m., at which time the list closes. As only 200 hundred can be seated, those attending must have reservations in advance, and present tickets at the door on the day of the show. Rockport and Aransas Pass merchants will furnish styles for the show, which will have an Easter theme, and models will come from Rockport and Aransas Pass.

Doyle Kane Passes Away

Funeral services for Doyle Kane, 47, Corpus Christi, who died unexpectedly Friday following a heart attack at his home were held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the home with the Rev. John T. DeForest officiating. Burial was in the Rockport Cemetery. Kane was an employe of Rossen & Richards Co. and had resided there for the past eight years. Survivors include his wife, Ophia; three daughters, Mrs. Billie F. Wenzell of Orange; Mrs. Jane McLain of Alice, and Patricia Kane of Little Rock, Ark.; a stepdaughter, Betty Sue Gladden of Corpus Christi; two stepsons, Larry Paul Gladden of Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico, and Jerry Kenneth Gladden of Gaddo Gap, Ark.; two brothers, Albert of Las Cruces, N. M. and Warren of Oklahoma; five sisters, Mrs. Maxine Lassiter and Mrs. Maurine Barnard of Rockport; Mrs. Thelma Chesshire of Amarillo; Mrs. Alma Dyke of Fort Stockton, and Mrs. O. W. Williams with the U. S. Armed Forces in Germany, and his mother, Mrs. Florence Kane of Rockport.

CHARLES DUPNIK GOES TO GERMANY

Fort Knox, Ky. — Pvt. Charles R. Dupnik, whose wife, Willa Mae, lives in Rockport, Texas, departed from the U. S. early in March for Germany as part of "Operation Gyroscop 4," the Army's unit rotation plan. Dupnik is a member of the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment, formerly located at Fort Knox, Ky., which is replacing the 6th Armored Cavalry Regiment in southern Germany. The 22-year-old soldier, a member of the regiment's Company A, entered the Army last August and received basic training at Fort Bliss.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Theodore, of Port Lavaca, are welcoming the arrival of a little girl, Katherine Jeanette. Mrs. Theodore is the former Miss Kitty Coaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Coaker.

Rockport PTA Meets, Hears Program

The Rockport PTA met Friday, March 8 at 7:30 p. m. at the Rockport School Auditorium climaxing Public School Week. Mrs. Bill Schuster, program chairman presented the following program by 5th and 6th grade students. Song — "The Eyes of Texas" — 5th and 6th grades. Song — "Too Much" — Suzanne Keith, Carla Lee and Diane Waggoner. Tap Dance — Georgia Couser. Clarinet Solo — Janice Garrett. Songs — Three Macks — Booker T. Mack Jr., Kay Francis Mack and Rose Marie Mack. Song — "Sixteen Tons" — group of boys. Song — "Love Me Tender" — Janine Torres, Sue Johnson and Peggy Chambers. Piano Solo — Jerry Lynn Harrell. Song — "City of Angels" by Dolores Etheridge and Ann Cassel. Texas Our Texas — by 5th and 6th grades. There was a total of 333 visitors during Public School Week at Rockport Elementary and Jr. High Schools.

Miss Katie Lee Charles, fifth grade won the \$5 prize for having the most visitors during Public School Week. After the program a business session was held and the following officers were elected for the new PTA year: President, Mr. Ran Wilde; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Grady West; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. C. C. Atchley; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. Jack Sparks; recording secretary, Mrs. Nancy Currie; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ted Little; treasurer, Mrs. Don Henderson.

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ANTIQUe DEALERS MEET

Mrs. Rubye Traylor was hostess to the Antique Dealers Association of South Texas, at her shop at Fulton Beach last week. Mrs. Traylor led the discussion. The next meeting of the organization will be with Mrs. Naomi Johnson at Rockport April 4.

THE LUZOKA CIRCLE OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MET

The Luzoka Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Grady West on Monday, with 7 members present. Mrs. West finished teaching the book "Home Mission, U. S. A." Refreshments were served to Mrs. Lillie Calvert, Mrs. Viola McNorton, Mrs. Ed Beasley, Mrs. Mabel Thompson, Mrs. E. B. Crawford, and Mrs. C. W. Brisbin. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Crawford.

TEXAS IN REVIEW

A pulpit pow-wow with Chief White Eagle, pastor of the First Indian Baptist Church on the Alabama-Coushatta Reservation near Livingston will highlight the Humble Company's Texas in Review TV program next week. Chief White Eagle guides the congregation in a church that was built entirely by the Indians and is owned and operated exclusively for them. Cameras will also spotlight roller skating — one of the top participation sports in Texas from bruised beginners to acrobatic experts. Another interesting story will tell of the daily activities of an FBI agent in Texas. His routine includes daily physical workouts, instructing local police in the use of fire-arms, talks to school students and conducting investigations. Texas in Review can be seen Monday (March 18) over KPRC-TV, Houston, 9:30 p. m. On Tuesday (March 19) Texas in Review can be seen over KRIS-TV, Corpus Christi, 8:00 p. m. Wednesday (March 20) Texas in Review can be seen over VENS-TV, San Antonio, 6:30 p. m.

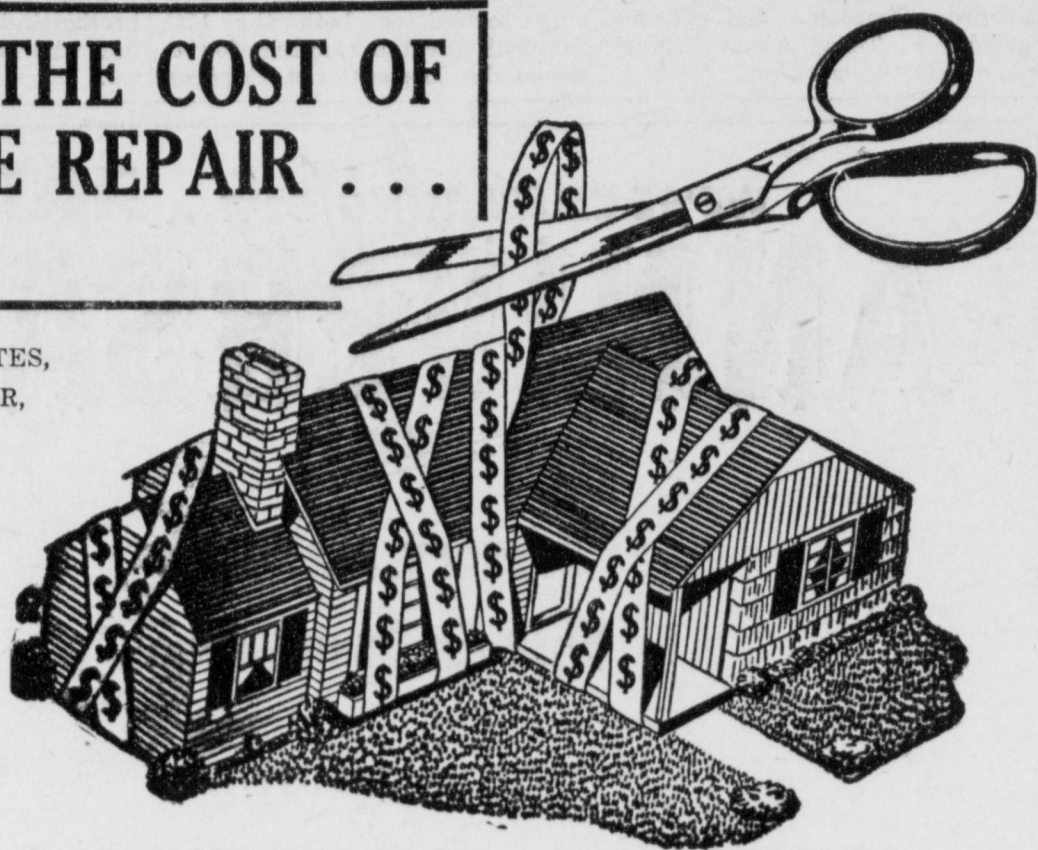
COUNTRY CLUB NEWS



There will be a buffet supper and game night at the Live Oak Country Club on Saturday night, March 16. Reservations must be made by Saturday noon. Call either the Country Club, or phone Alex Scott at 577.

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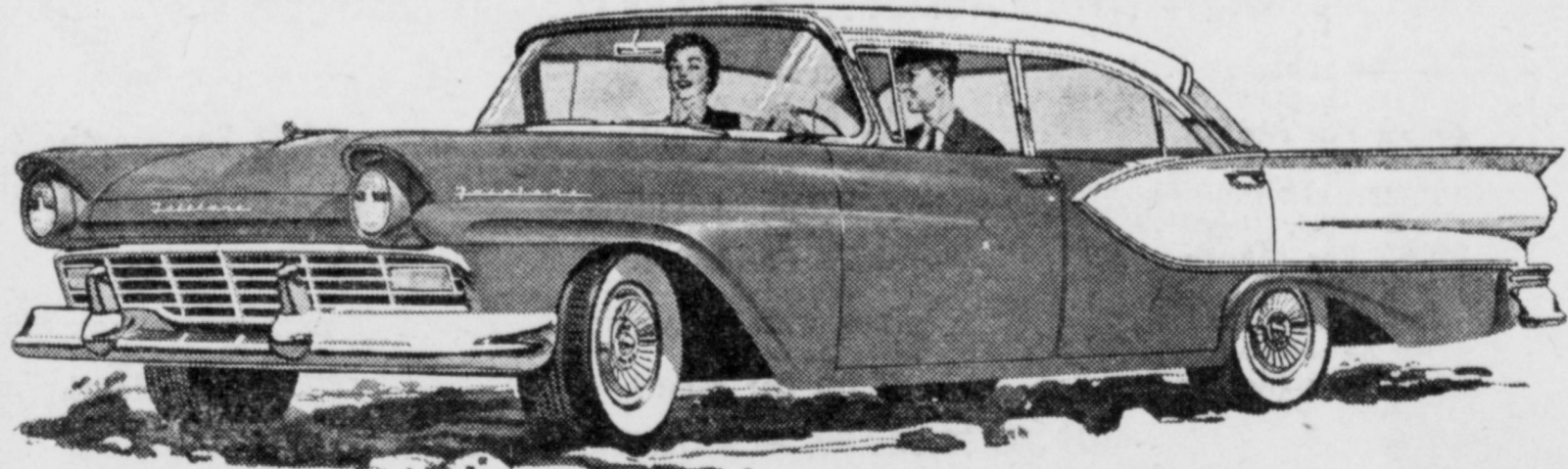
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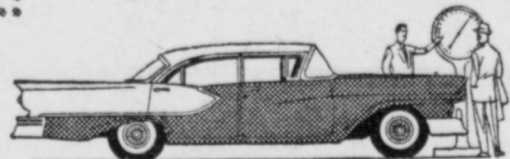
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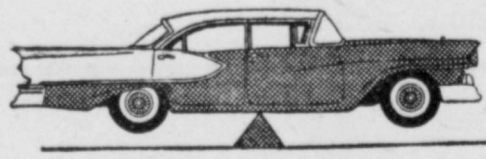


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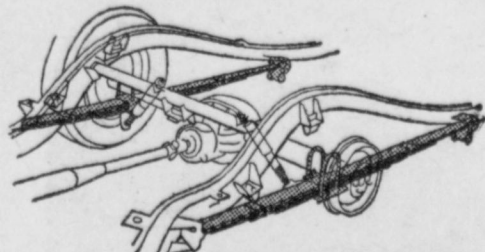
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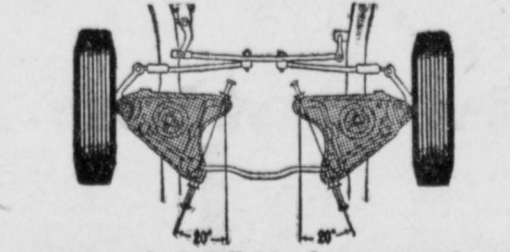
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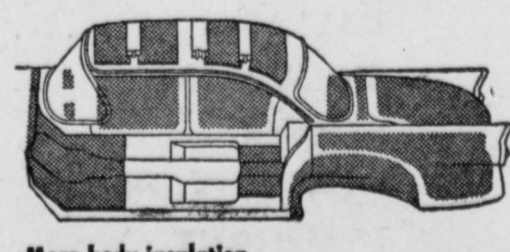
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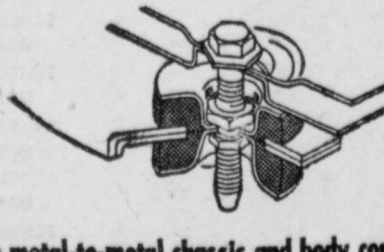
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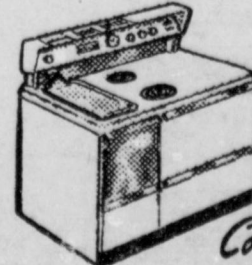
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Den Four of Cub Scout Pack 9 held its first meeting in March on Tuesday the 5th at the home of the Den Mother, Mrs. N. F. Jackson, with Mrs. W. D. Edwards assisting. The usual business meeting of the den was dispensed with, in order that sufficient time might be available for the day's handwork. The entire meeting was spent in the construction of Indian tom-toms, which the cubs made of five-quart oil cans painted rust color, with circles cut from inner tubes stretched over each and painted in vivid Indian designs. Each cub also constructed a drum beater. These instruments will be on display at the monthly pack meeting on the 28th. Denner Jack Gwynn served refreshments to Butch Begnaud, Bobby Ray Edwards, Andy Everett, N. F. Jackson, Gary Tuer, Chris Sorenson, Den Chief Raymond Ingersoll, and the den fathers.

on the 12th, served the double purpose of a regular den meeting and as a celebration of Cub Scout Butch Begnaud's 9th birthday. Extra special refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the den and guests by Mrs. G. P. Begnaud and daughter, Charleen, with Mrs. Dan Brown and daughter, Patricia, of Aransas Pass, as guests for the birthday celebration, which was held on the patio of the den mother's home.

Jack Gwynn, Denner, presided over the business meeting, which was opened with a flag ceremony led by Dellon Beasley, and Chris Sorenson, Keeper of the Buckskin, read the minutes of the previous meeting. Dellon Beasley was placed in charge of the refreshments for the next meeting, and Bobby Ray Edwards was named flag leader. Each cub, upon answering roll call, added colored beads to his string on the Den Doodle according to the number of achievements and electives he had completed during the last two weeks. Den Mother Mrs. W. D. Edwards and Den Dad Lou Tuer assisted the cubs during the activity period, which was spent in the painting and stringing of shell macaroni for use as Indian necklaces. It was decided to construct Indian headdresses at the next meeting, and each cub was

asked to bring as many turkey or chicken feathers as he could find. At that time, Indian dance rattles will also be made by the cubs of Den Four, who will perform an Indian War Dance at the March pack meeting.

In addition to the special guests and Den leaders, the following were present for the meeting: Andy Everett, Butch Begnaud, Dellon Beasley, Chris Sorenson, Gary Tuer, N. F. Jackson, Jack Gwynn, Bobby Ray Edwards, Den Chief Raymond Ingersoll, Chris Edwards, Johnny Jackson, and Bobby Jackson.

FIDELIS CLASS MEETS TUESDAY

The Fidelis Sunday School Class met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. W. J. Terry for its monthly business meeting and social hour.

Mrs. Eva Lutz, president, presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Rita Utz gave the devotional, and Mrs. Edith Baugh recited a poem that carried out the thought of the devotional.

After the business meeting, the members participated in several amusing games planned by Mrs. Davenport.

Mrs. Terry and her co-hostess, Mrs. Christine McDonald served pecan pie, coffee, and Coke to sixteen members and to Mrs. Terry's mother, Mrs. Moore.

MR. AND MRS. LOPEZ RETURN TO ROCKPORT

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Lopez returned home Sunday afternoon after spending two months in Laredo, Texas. Mr. Lopez was in Mercy hospital for 18 days where he underwent major surgery. They stayed at the home of Gilberto Flores, son of Mrs. Lopez.

Minnie and Gertrude Lopez and Ramon Dominguez went to Laredo Sunday and returned in the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lopez.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson and daughter Laurie of Nebraska are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Kautz, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rouquette, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kautz of Corpus. Mrs. Anderson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kautz.

Mr. W. C. Champion, Jr. of Haiti flew in Sunday to visit with his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Champion, he had with him Mr. Otto Thiele of Austin.

Texas Shrimp Fishermen Up In Arms Over Bill

Texas shrimp fishermen are up in arms over a bill that they claim threatens destruction to the \$75 million shrimp fishery in the State of Texas.

Cause of the uproar is House Bill 610, authorized by Representative Harrington of Port Arthur, aimed at the regulation of catching and sale of shrimp from waters in Texas.

At an executive meeting called by the Texas Fishermen's Association in Galveston, it was pointed out that there are three main objections to the bill:

1. It reduces the size of shrimp trawls from the present sixty to one hundred feet across the mouth to only 35 feet, thus cutting the catch potential in half or less.

2. It applies not only to all coastal lakes, bays, and other inland salt waters, but also to "Tidal Waters" which Texas statutes define as three marine leagues, out from the shores of the Gulf.

3. It provides regulatory powers in which one lone member of the Game and Fish Commission can invoke regulatory powers at will, either in a special or regular meeting.

N. F. Jackson, Rockport, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Shrimp Association of Texas, said, after a conversation with John Mehos, of Galveston, that the situation would be laid before the directors of the Association at a meeting to be held at 10 a. m. in the Nueces Hotel in Corpus Christi this morning.

Jackson felt that such legislation would be of great harm to the industry, and spokesmen for the Texas Fishermen's Association said that "we feel that it is definitely class legislation".

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who sent flowers, cards and telegrams during the illness and at the death of Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. M. H. Anderson, in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas and Allen.

DISABLED WORKERS INSURED AGAINST LOSS OF EARNINGS

Every doctor has some patients who became disabled and have to stop work before they reach age 65. According to H. M. Cleveland, District Manager of the Corpus Christi office of the Social Security Administration, most of these patients not only face the problem of their families' financial security, but they also have the emotional problem of adjusting to their disabilities.

For almost twenty years, social security did not provide any protection against the financial insecurity of disability. In 1954, the law was changed to permit a worker to freeze his social security record if he should become totally disabled for any substantial gainful work.

Now, due to further changes in the law, Cleveland says that the payment of disability insurance will begin in July to totally disabled workers who have reached age 50.

These disability insurance payments are figured from the worker's social security account — the record of earnings on which he and his employers have paid social security taxes.

Applications for the disability payments or for the disability freeze may now be filed at the office of the Social Security Administration. In Corpus Christi, the office is located at 530 South Water Street. Cleveland says that information as to the rights and obligations of all workers to retirement, disability, or family insurance, will be furnished upon request.

Mrs. J. R. Allen who has been confined to Memorial Hospital in Corpus Christi for the past three weeks, is expected to return home late this week. Mrs. Allen suffered a cerebral hemorrhage.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Yeo of Ottawa, Ontario, Canada are visiting Mr. Yeo's cousin, Mrs. Boyd Faucett at Rattlesnake Point.

Marine News

There may be shrimp off the Guatemalan Coast and there may not, but the Hunting and Fishing Section of the Department of Agriculture is not going to stick its neck out, and say that there is. No technically directed exploration of any kind, national, private or governmental has ever been made for the purpose of collecting such information.

However, the one thing that has impeded the growth of any such industry is the absence of any good harbors for small boats along the Pacific coast of the country, and there seems no reason to believe that there should not be shrimp of the species taken in Costa Rica in some numbers.

As a matter of fact, the Section says, there have been reports that Mexican boats have caught substantial quantities from beds near the El Salvador border. The shrimp in this instance were blue, running about eight or nine to the pound, heads on.

On the Caribbean side, several boats have tried the coast along British Honduras and Guatemala without a marked success.

MRS. REESE RECEIVES POETRY AWARD

In the recently held Byliners Poetry Forum in Corpus Christi; Mrs. Paul Reese won an award for her verse 'Three Ibis.'

Mr. and Mrs. Turley Cook of Lincoln, Nebraska are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kautz and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rouquette.

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Pirate News



Marie Holland, Editor-in-Chief
Student Council Dance Planned
 The Student Council is planning a dance to be given March 16, at the Woman's Club at 8:00. The admission is 50c stag and 75c

drag. The purpose of the dance is to raise money for the Student Council Fund.
Students To Attend Convention
 Four students from Aransas County High School will attend the state convention of the students councils. These students are Raymond Mikeal, Bobby Close, Mary Martha Shivers, and Guy Clark. They will travel to Galveston on March 30.
Morrison Honored
 The Associated Press has chosen Eddie Morrison of Aransas County High School to be on the all-state basketball team. He was chosen because of his value to the team as an individual and as a teamworker. Morrison was chosen from this entire district as was Russell Bowers from Bishop. **Port Lavaca Track Meet Held**
 Twelve boys from the ACHS track team traveled to Port Lavaca last Saturday to compete in the relays held there. Eugene Satsky placed 3rd in shot put and 3rd in 440 yard dash. The

Pirates competed against school teams from Gregory-Portland, Austwell-Tivoli, Bloomington, Tidehaven, Vanderbilt, Woodsboro, Calallen, Needville, Ganada, Sheridan, St. Joseph's of Victoria and Palacios.
 The boys attending from Rockport were Danny Adams, Billy Shaver, Eugene Satsky, Wayne Smith, Ray Washington, Clyde Townsend, Mike Townsend, John Cabaniss, Robert Shivers, John Goff, Hank Schleider, and Henry Garcia.
Assembly Given
 On March 6, the Assembly Committee presented the band from the Southwest State Teachers' College of San Marcos, Texas. The band played a series of concert music which was well received by the student body as a whole.
Candidates Named
 Candidates for Queen of the Toast of the Coast Relays, to be held here on March 15, have been chosen by the high school organizations. The winner will be crowned at 7:30 that night during the finals of the meet.
 Girls chosen so far are: Clydene Armstrong, FHA; Betty Mae Armstrong, Curtain Club; Jerry Armstrong, Press Club; and Merrily Johnson, Aquatic Club.
 The Queen will be elected by popular vote and the runners-up will be her duchesses.
Visitors At School
 During the past Public School Week which was held March 4 - 9, the high school welcomed 333 visitors to its classes and daily routine. The visitors were greeted at the door and introduced to the executives of the high school. They were given a guided tour through the building and a visit to the classroom of their choice. Coffee and cookies were then served in the cafeteria.
 We welcome these parents and visitors to return to the high school at any time and see the public school in the process of educating the leaders of tomorrow.
Timely Reminder
 This is the second week of the fifth six-weeks. That only leaves us with ten more weeks of school. At this time how to your grades stand? Do they need improvement? Even if the time is growing short, there is still time enough to get down to do some studying. For some of us, it will mean not graduating if our grades show no improvement in May. To others, it means not passing on to another grade. Which ever should be the

case, one should take pride in himself to show that it is possible to make good grades.
 What are you going to do about our grades. There is still time to start taking neat and accurate notes, to keep a notebook, to carry on your share of the load in school work to keep up with your assignments and to start paying attention in class.
 It doesn't seem like all these small things would add up to so much, but it pays to do all of them for in the end, your grades will be good and you will have learned something.

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Funeral Services Held For Albert Hawes

Funeral services were held in Seadrift Sunday at the Baptist Church for Mr. Albert Blutworth Hawes. Mr. Hawes was born July 5, 1898 in Lamar, Texas, and passed away Saturday, March 9th. He is survived by his wife, 2 daughters, one son and 3 grandchildren.
 Mrs. Fred Mires of Taft spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Brundrett.
 Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett attended the funeral of Mr. Albert Hawes in Seadrift Sunday.

ELLIOTT-HUGHES CLINIC

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson are parents of a 4 lb. 13 oz. boy born March 8th in the Aransas Pass Hospital.
 Chris Bekins was treated for lacerations on right cheek which he received while playing at school.
 Barbara White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis White received emergency treatment for a severe injury cut heel.
 Mr. and Mrs. Edric Deason and family spent the weekend in Portland with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Robbins.

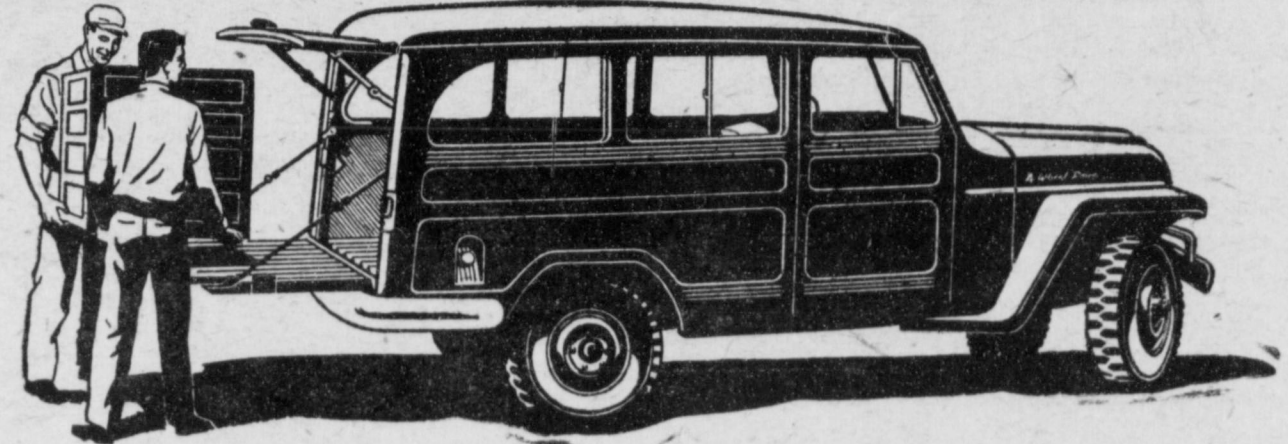
B & P WOMEN'S CLUB MEETING POSTPONED

The Business and Professional Women's Club will not have its regular monthly meeting Monday, March 18. The meeting date has been changed to Thursday night, March 21 at 8:00 p. m. The meeting is a dinner meeting at Brocato's Cafe.
 Mrs. Edith Herring is in charge of the program, "Women and Government".
 All members be present for this dinner meeting.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bissett of Tivoli spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett.

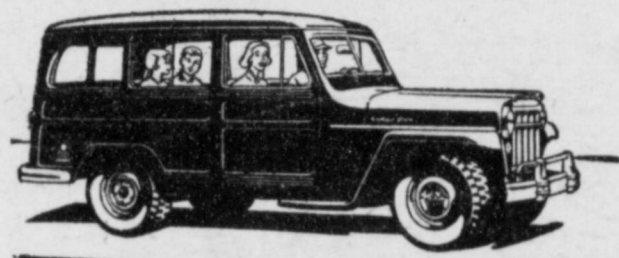
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Salt Water Fish Yield Shows Gain

Legislative attention to proposed salt water sports fishing licenses apparently prompted finny cooperation, because reports indicate angling has been good from Sabine Pass all the way to Brownsville.

As the lawmakers continued consideration of a proposal to require licenses for salt water sports fishing, as well as for all fresh water fishermen current checks show that both bay fishermen and grassy flat waders have been bringing in good strings.

At the same time, the winter kill of game fish in the shallow waters has been "insignificant." The only loss of consequence was in a small area along the lower coast where some sizeable trout were trapped by a cold spell.

One of the projected improvements from revenue under the suggested universal fishing bill would be to expand general coastal research and also to finance such refinements as fish passes, fishing reefs, and shrimp and oyster culture.

Meanwhile, the seasonal trend to "go for the big ones" is just around the corner. Some tarpon are being caught at Port Aransas and scattered points but the swing toward king mackerel, sailfish and other tackle smashers will not get under full headway for another six weeks or so.

Small Ocean Sunfish Beaches Near Corpus

A small oceanic sunfish, estimated at about 200 pounds, recently went aground at North Beach in Corpus Christi.

Bob Kemp, assistant director of the Marine Laboratory, said that the sunfish, which had apparently just succumbed when noticed in the surf, was "peculiar looking, like the head of one's fist, with a small mouth, no tail, a couple of fins, and was grayish white in color."

This is the second one of these fish to be brought ashore in Texas, the first having been harpooned by Florida Roberts at Port Isabel, in 1952, at which time the Game Commission's magazine carried an article and a picture of the odd-looking prize.

Oceanic sunfish ordinarily occur in deep water, where they feed on jellyfish and other marine coelenterates.

Starting life as a tiny fellow only a fraction of an inch long, they enlarge in size many thousand times, reaching weights of a thousand pounds or more.

The present specimen would probably qualify as a teen-ager.

To Europeans the plover is the "rain bird" because of its habit of scolding before rain. "Plover" is derived from "pluvia," the Latin word for rain.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

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 Bible class, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 10:50 a.m.; Sunday evening class, 6:30; Sunday evening worship, 7:30; Wednesday night service, 7:30; Ladies Bible class, Thursday, 3:00 p.m. and men's Bible class at 7:30 p.m.

FULTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Merriman
 Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service, 11 a.m.; Training Union, 7 p.m.; evening service, 8 p.m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. J. R. Fleming, Pastor
 Sunday school, 9:45; Preaching service, 11 o'clock; Evening Evangelistic service, 7:45; Week night service Thursday, 7:45 p.m.

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 Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Senior Young People, 6:00 p.m., Evening Service, 7:30 p.m. Pioneer Young People, each Tuesday evening, 7:00 p.m., Deacon's meeting third Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Men of the Church, first Thursday of each month, 6:30 p.m. All Circles meet second Thursday; morning at 9:30 a.m. afternoon at 3:00 p.m., Evening at 7:30 p.m. Session meeting second Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Women of the Church, fourth Thursday at 3:00 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dana Green, Pastor
 Sunday school, 9:30; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:00; Methodist Men, 2nd Thursday, 7:30; WSCS, general meeting, 1st Thursday, 3 p.m.; fellowship dinner, 3rd Sunday at noon; Intermediate MYF, Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Dick McClure, Pastor
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Girl Scout Troop 36

The Girl Scouts in Fulton held their regular meeting in the Fulton Lions Club building on March 7. New officers were nominated and each assumed their duties immediately. The officers elected were: President, Phyllis Cox; vice-president, Mary Johnson; treasurer, Darlyne Fincher; secretary, Pat Weber; parliamentarian, Becky Rouquette; and reporter, Barbara Owens.

Mrs. E. W. Hackett and Mrs. M. O. Owens and Mickey visited with the scouts.

Refreshments were served by Sue Hackett and Darlene Fincher.

Barbara Owens, Reporter

More than 80 Girl Scouts, including Brownie and Intermediate Scout troops, leaders and other adult members, attended the Sunday morning worship service at the First Methodist Church, in uniform.

Crafts and posters are in store

windows in Rockport and Fulton and the large "Whooping Crane" is in the display window at Johnson's Drug Store in Rockport.

The service days of citizenship, health and safety, international friendship, homemaking and arts and crafts are being accented on the days each troop meets this week, and the climax will be reached Saturday night when troop members leaders and families will meet at 6:30 at the Girl Scout Little House for a supper, emphasizing the "out-of-doors".

The supper will be served buffet style and games and songs will furnish entertainment.

The sale of Girl Scout cookies began this week and will continue thru March 31, with the troop members conducting the sale. The proceeds of this sale will go to the established area camp, Camp Copano.

The girls are also making troop pouches that will contain penny donations to the Juliette Low World Friendship Fund.

This fund, which is endorsed each year, sponsors the Swiss Chalet where Girl Scouts of all countries meet together. These pouches will be presented Saturday night by one girl from each troop, elected for that purpose.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keller and Kenneth spent the weekend in Hallettsville.

V. A. Schleider visited in Tivoli Sunday.

Drama Presented To Woman's Club

A drama, "Shadow of a Dream", was presented by a group of Aransas County High School students, Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Woman's Club. This one-act play, directed by Mrs. Jack Horton is to be entered in the University Interscholastic League events at Woodsboro, March 19. Included in the cast are Myra Ingersoll, Marilyn Morrison, Shirley Owens, Roy DeForest and Hank Schleider.

In the business session, the secretary was instructed to write to the State Librarian relative to being considered in rural library development.

The nominating committee was named and includes Mrs. Fred A. Bracht, chairman, Mrs. J. V. Ferguson, Mrs. A. L. Bachman, with Mrs. Frank Lenoir, alternate.

Mrs. A. C. Glass, chairman of the Aransas County Library operating committee, reported that to date, 511 books had been checked out; there were 113 borrowers, including 71 adults and 42 children and that last Friday, checking out reached its peak when 57 books were taken out.

Thanks were extended to Fred A. Bracht for a cash donation to the library.

Mrs. Morrell DeReign of Carothersville, Mo. prominent club and church woman, was introduced.

Use Classified Ads for Results

Pink and Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Elton McCabe

Misses Mary Evelyn Mundine and Sally Warden were hostesses for a pink and blue shower in honor of Mrs. Elton McCabe, Jr. Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Mundine.

The table was laid with a lace cloth and an arrangement of pink sweetheart roses was the center piece.

Before the opening of gifts a game prize was awarded to Mrs. Cecil Casterline.

Punch and angelfood squares were served to 38 guests by Mrs. Sherman Mundine, after they had registered in the "Log of Life" book.

Among the out of town guests were Mrs. Monta McNorton, Mrs. Cecil Casterline, Mrs. J. R. McNorton, Mrs. Karl Bartels and Mrs. James McNorton of Corpus; Jeanie Mullinax and Mrs. Carl McCabe of San Antonio.

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by Bob Watson, Manager

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Right here in Rockport, we added 109 telephones last year, and we're planning to add even more this year to make telephone service more valuable to you and your family.

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It's no secret to anyone that life is moving at a faster clip. All around us there are more things to do and see. People everywhere, it seems, are wishing there were more hours in the day as the pace of living gets faster.

Well, one good way to keep up with the pace is to use Long Distance frequently: For business or social calls, save yourself time and trouble by keeping in touch with out-of-town customers and friends by telephone.

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You'll find that your calls go through twice as fast when you call by number.

Have Fun With The Phone

From time to time, some of our customers have kept a "diary" of telephone calls — calls they make and calls they receive.

At the end of a week's time, they have been surprised to find the number of errands their telephone ran for them, and the miles covered by the calls.

There were calls to friends, the grocery store, the dry cleaner, the drug store, and maybe the dentist or the doctor.

Anyway, there were many calls made and received, and lots of miles covered around town.

The telephone in your home is there for you and your family to use. Use it often and make all the calls you want to make. In other words, have fun with the phone.

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WANTED: To keep several small sets of books at my home. Mrs. Shirley Frandolig, phone 6304. c51

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FOR SALE: 1950 Ford 2-dr., motor excellent, one owner, actual mileage 41670, first \$125.00 takes it. See Richmond at Edgewater Trailer Park. p49

MISCELLANEOUS

LADIES BATH SUITS priced to sell — 1/2 price; children's bath suits, 50c. J. M. Sparks and Son. ctf

PHONE 6319 FOR COMPLETE paint, body work and auto glass. AR-Co. Body Works, John Petrey, owner and manager. Highway 35 next to County barn. ctf

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PAINT SPECIAL: Oil base rubberized wall flat, \$3.50 per gallon. Paint roller free with over 2 gallons purchased. Rockport Lumber Co., phone 463. c49

INCOME TAX SERVICE: Don't put off making your 1956 tax return. Confidential help and advice. We can determine in advance as to amount of refund or of further tax. Income Tax and Bookkeeping Service, Dr. Schmidt Bldg., South End Business Section. c50

WANTED: Waitress 4 a. m. to 12 noon. Phone Corky's Coffee Shop for appointment. c49

FOR SALE

FOR SALE One of Rockports finest waterfront homes, completely furnished. 25 lots in Rockport, \$100 up. Two bedroom home, Fulton, near beach. Small house to be moved. Two lots in Fulton Oaks. Deluxe cafe, Hiway 35. For results list your property with SETH H. STEELE Phone 482 Box 595 ctf

FOR SALE Choice lots in Little Bay Shore subdivision. Good buy in large home, nice location, priced to sell. Ideal for large family. Has view of bay. See to appreciate. Nice 2 bedroom home close in. \$8000.00. Pay \$1000 move in, balance \$7500.00 month. Lots and acreage in Market Street Homes addition. Small down payment, small monthly payment. New 2 bedroom house, \$5000.00 down payment. Business lots — motels — cafe. FULTON Nice home with view of bay. Small house, good location. Terms. Lots with lots of trees — trailer park. COPANO Home on large tract of land, has riparian rights. 2 bedroom cottage with view of bay. Waterfront lots. MRS. R. B. SIPE Phone 803 ctf

FOR SALE: A house 24x24 feet to be moved. Has been built a little over a year. Phone 3757. ctf

42,318 TEXANS ENTER ARMED FORCES IN 1956

A total of 42,318 Texans entered the armed forces in 1956, and 42,264 were separated during the same time, according to a consolidation of state Selective Service headquarters reports. Of the 42,318 reported as entering, 34,857 went in by enlistment or other voluntary means. The remaining 7,461 were drafted through the state's 137 Selective Service boards. "Actually, a considerable number of those drafted were volunteers," Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service director, said. "During 1956, the percentage of our inductees who volunteered for induction," he continued, "ranged from 13 per cent in the lowest month to 53 per cent in the highest month. Volunteers for induction took a nosedive in the fall of 1956." A Selective Service registrant 18 years old through 25 years old may volunteer through his own local board. Any male who has attained the age of 17 may volunteer for induction with the written consent of his parents or guardian. Under such circumstances, he is registered with the local board at 17. State Selective Service during the year 1956 forwarded a total of 11,913 men to armed forces examining stations for combined mental and physical examinations. Of this number, 7,601 were accepted for armed forces service, the remaining 4,312 being rejected as unacceptable, a rejection rate of 36 men out of every 100 examined.

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c51

FOR SALE

FOR SALE New modern 2 bedroom house, built in oven, range and central heating. Has 16 large live oaks in yard. Modern 5-room home with nice furniture. Close to business district, \$9000. New 2 bedroom home in West Rockport, \$1500 down, balance like rent. In Copano. Lovely new cottage, small down payment, balance monthly. Motel and trailer park. Two bedroom trailer. New 2 bedroom home to be moved. For Rent: Furnished apartment for couple. 2 bedroom home on Highway 35 with garage. Price \$4,500.00. Listings appreciated MILLER REALTY Phone 6473 Office Downtown Rockport

Safety Council, Another Local Agency Aided By U. F. Fund Without Drive

The Rockport-Fulton Area Safety Council is another local agency whose financial needs have been met through the Agency of the United Fund without a drive having to be made, it was disclosed Wednesday night. At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Fund, a request for aid from the council was read by Mrs. Dean Steele, secretary of the board, and the directors, under leadership of Emory M. Spencer, approved a donation of \$100. This money, the directors were told in a letter from Ed Beasley, finance chairman of the safety council, would be used to print membership cards, to obtain posters, and in various other ways to educate the people of Rockport in the need for greater safety in traffic. In addition, a request from the National Red Cross for an additional \$80, needed to help care for flood sufferers in the nation, was also approved. The moneys were taken from the small contingency account of the United Fund, and as Spencer pointed out, eliminated the need for two drives, small ones to be sure, but nevertheless drives that would have otherwise taken time and effort. In this, the United Fund has served a very real purpose. It aids citizens of Rockport to give to all the things they need to give, at one time, and through that giving to support both the local needs and national ones.

FORMER ROCKPORT MAN DIES AT 78 IN ARANSAS PASS

Robert Ince, 78, died yesterday morning at the residence of his daughter in Aransas Pass, following a brief illness. He had lived in Rockport since 1929 and had resided in Aransas Pass for the last six months. He was a retired farmer. He is survived by his wife, Flossie of Aransas Pass; four sons, V. D. with the U. S. Navy in Germany, James Robert of Bend, Oregon, Wendell and Cecil of Rockport; two daughters, Mrs. R. M. Kersh of San Antonio and Mrs. W. M. Kersh of Aransas Pass; three brothers, Lee of Johnson County, Texas, Edward of Fort Worth and Edgar of Coleman; two sisters, Mrs. Emma Thompson of Big Sandy and Mrs. Nora Louis of Oklahoma City; and 22 grandchildren. Funeral services will be announced by Cage-Marshall Funeral Home. **BOY SCOUTS TO HOLD COURT OF HONOR ON MONDAY, MARCH 18** A Court of Honor will be held Monday, March 18, at the Scout Hut, at 7:30 p. m. All parents of scouts are invited and urged to attend. The troop charter and membership cards for 1957 will also be presented at that time.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment in Fulton. Glen Mar Courts. Phone. 3401. ctf

FOR RENT: Two 2-bedroom houses in the north end of town, unfurnished. Will consider furnishing. Phone 6191. ctf

FOR RENT: Furnished house, unfurnished house; Furnished also unfurnished apartments. Phone 803, Mrs. R. B. Sipe. ctf

FOR RENT One bedroom furnished apt. 2 bedroom unfurnished house. 2 bedroom furn. home, Fulton. Furnished apartment, Fulton. SETH H. STEELE Phone 482 ctf

FOR RENT in Fulton: Nicely furnished apartment, air conditioned. Couple only. Phone 803, Mrs. R. B. Sipe. ctf

FOR RENT: Modern 4-room home, garage. Phone 219. ctf

FOR RENT OR SALE: 4 room unfurnished house. Phone 544. D. L. Touchstone. ctf

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment close to town, monthly rates. Phone 844. ctf

FOR RENT: On Fulton Beach, large furnished home. Phone 803, Mrs. R. B. Sipe. ctf

FOR RENT: Large office for doctor or dentist. Phone 803. Mrs. R. B. Sipe. ctf

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, bills paid \$11.00 weekly, for two. 1 block north of Post-office, 109 N. Austin. ctf

FOR RENT: Unfurnished large 2 bedroom home. Call 892 after 5 p. m. ctf

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished cottage. Copano Village, near airport. Bills paid. Phone 6213. p62

FURNISHED HOUSE FOR RENT: \$45 per month, bills paid. North of Courthouse. McGill Cottages. p49

Reynolds Metals Has Two Big Plants At Ingleside

Reynolds Metals has not one but two big plants in the Ingleside-La Quinta area. The La Quinta plant, now undergoing a \$25 million dollar expansion, extracts ore from Jamaican bauxite, brought up by Reynolds-owned ore carriers which unload alongside the plant. An elaborate chemical process removes impurities from the mountain of reddish earth, leaving alumina — or aluminum oxide — as the finished products of this plant which, when the expansion is finished, will produce about 1500 tons daily. This alumina is a white, coarse powder, resembling granulated beet sugar. About half the output goes to Reynolds San Patricio plant, between LaQuinta and Ingleside, where it furnishes the raw material for aluminum, and the rest is shipped to customers and other Reynolds smelters. In the San Patricio plant, alumina, electricity and carbon are combined to produce metallic aluminum through electrolysis. The San Patricio has four pot rooms, each containing a long row of steel-skipped pots which measure 40 feet long and 12 feet wide. A shaped carbon lining inside the steel serves as the negative electrode, and the positive electrode, 35 feet long, 5 feet wide, and six feet high, is suspended inside the pot. Molten aluminum resulting from the process, is deposited in the recessed bottom of the pot and drawn off in 30, 50 and 1000 pound pigs.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends who were so thoughtful in remembering me with cards and flowers while I was confined in the hospital in Aransas Pass. c49 Austin Smith.

Benjamin Franklin designed a dollar made of silver, brass and pewter, bearing the motto, "Mind Your Own Business," and minted in 1776. Only with the permission of Congress may an officer in the U. S. Government accept a title of nobility or order of honor from another country.

Fur, Feathers & Fins



By JACK BAUGHMAN

This is no tale of how the big bass of Booodle Bend was shot in the fin with a double-barreled .600 putter while I was flipping, in the best tradition of sporting magazines, to some unnamed mud-hole in the wilds of Manhattan where only 20,000 fishermen had been before me. No curvaceous water nymphs with a minimum of clothes and a maximum of sex are going to cavort through these lines on foam-rubber upholstered water skis, powered by an Evinwater-merc outboard. Worst of all, and entirely unthought of by anyone that wants to write about the outdoors, there's not a moose or a musky in the entire story.

Instead, it is as sincere a tribute as I can pen to that rarest of all things, a sportsman and a gentleman, who never once, in some 64 books and a thousand or more articles, has lost sight of the fact that the outdoors is a strange and wondrous place, peopled by creatures of forest and stream that are a delight to observe as well as to hunt.

Archibald Rutledge was born in 1883 on Hampton Plantation, two rivers, three swamps and a pine forest from the nearest railway station, in the delta region of the great Santee River of South Carolina. There he grew up. The house that was his home and that he has spent years of his life restoring, is one of America's noblest colonial mansions, and was built in 1730 by one of his ancestors. This is Rutledge's country. As a boy he rode to school along its sandy little roads. Here he learned to hunt and know the ways of animals and birds. He left it as a young man, to teach English in a famous eastern preparatory school — Mercersburg Academy. There he stayed for more than twenty years, returning to Hampton from time to time, until that day when, his stint of teaching done, he returned, once more, to make it his home for always.

As a boy, life wasn't very busy on that plantation. He had plenty of time to ride and hunt and explore the woods and the swamps; watching the wild things, storing their ways in his mind until, in later years, he could make them live again for you and me on paper. Rutledge was no naturalist; he was and is a nature lover. Not for him the painful processes of the statistician and biologist, or the restricting rules of science, because his joy lies not only in seeing the occurrences but in interpreting them and in deducing for himself and others the meaning that fits them into the great purpose of life.

These interpretations have made him beloved as a writer, and, lest you think he is the sort of maudlin blatherskite referred to in the first paragraphs, be it known that you will rarely, if ever, catch him in an error. No man in America knows the deer, the wild turkey, the fox, the racoon, the quail, or the rattlesnake better than Rutledge, for he grew up on intimate terms with all of them — and has remained so ever since. Santee Paradise, published by Bobbs-Merrill, of Indianapolis just before Christmas, was his 64th book — not to mention a broad collection of stories and poems in most English and American magazines, as well as a thousand or more articles that have appeared in almost every magazine of any stature published in America. Practically all of them deal with the outdoors in some form or other. His best seller, also published by Bobbs-Merrill, came out back in 1943 and has been selling ever since. So popular has it been that the publishers issued a new edition in 1955, with an introduction by Frances Parkinson Keyes. It is "Home By The River", an account of his work in restoring Hampton Plantation, the centuries-old seat of his family, near McClellanville, South Carolina. This was an occupation in itself, and showing it to tourists makes it a continuing occupation, according to Harrison Platt, of Bobbs-Merrill.

Rutledge talks to thousands upon thousands of them as they come from all over, drawn by his writings. The hot weather he usually spends in Spartanburg, where everybody knows him. Not everyone has that privilege, but in his books the man shines through; a gentleman, a scholar, a sportsman, and a nature lover, who has seen, and seen pretty straightly the things he writes

about, and who can translate into your very living room his own love of the outdoors.

Of an entirely different character is another book, recently published by the University of Texas Press, called "The Cow Killers", which nevertheless carries as authentic an imprint of the land as do those written by Rutledge. "The Cow Killers" is the story of the Aftosa Commission, which invaded Old Mexico in 1949, armed with syringes, to stamp out the deadly foot and mouth disease, and in so doing some times lost their own lives, as The People defended their cattle.

The thing I like about it is the sketches, done by lanky Bill Leftwich, a Texas cowboy with the commission, and the text, by Fred (Hound Dog Man) Gipson. Both the illustrations and the dialog are the breath of the border itself.

The People were old in the ways of oppression. After all, they had been here in the land before Cortez, and so they resisted, with many a fantastic episode resulting — and a number of lives were lost. Bill Leftwich has recorded, with brush and pen, many of the vivid scenes he encountered in the course of his work, and now, some years later, forty of them have been reproduced with Gipson's accounts of the episodes.

Some of them are priceless; the story of the appraiser and the fighting bulls has the wry humor or Texas and Mexico intermingled; but the story of "Patachica" and his rise to becoming one of the most respected men in Acuitzio is even better.

If Leftwich and Gipson have captured the wry humor, they have also captured the stark tragedy of the whole proceedings. The Americans were there under the terms of a treaty with the Mexican government, and they were supported by the bayonets of the Mexican army, but that did not help matters any when infected cattle were herded into ditches and killed, and when well cattle were rounded up to be pricked by the sinister gringo needles.

The sketch of the Old Woman of Tzengio presents, with pathos, the will of "The People" to keep their cattle.

"Our cattle shall not be murdered!" agreed The People, but even then all would have gone well had it not been for the old woman, Teodora Marta.

"Que pasa, hombres? Are you men — or he-goats? and with that she slashed open the captain's chest, while the rest of the town attended to the veterinarian and the other six soldiers.

The whole difficulty lay in the fact that so few owners of Mexico's livestock read the papers.

The People live with their domestic animals as they have lived for generations, in a family-like intimacy often difficult for foreigners to comprehend and hold for the animals a deep and abiding affection, so that it is nothing unusual for favorite pigs, oxen, or chickens to be housed in the same dwelling that shelters the family.

For The People to have their private lives and the lives of their stock intruded upon was a shock and a humiliation. And to stand helplessly by, as they often did, while their beloved animals were herded into pits and shot, filled them with horror and tragic bitterness.

And sometimes in their fear and ignorance, in their resentment of the power of the Mexican army and the highhanded ways of los matavacas, the Gringo cowkillers, they resorted to open and passionate violence.

However, the real flavor of the book lies in the insight with which both sketches and words portray THE PEOPLE.

The bite of the short-tailed shrew is poisonous, owing to a secretion in the salivary glands.

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