

## First Men for Radar Site Will Arrive About June 10

Major D. L. Graff, of the 747th AC&W Squadron, Ellington Field, in charge of construction of facilities here that will be occupied later by the 813th Squadron, and the first two men to be permanently assigned to the Rockport radar station — Sergeants W. S. Jackson and Stockton — have been

seeking quarters within the past two days for the officer and ten men that will arrive about the tenth of June as the initial stage in activation of the base.

The first cadre that will receive their orders for here include Lieut. Donald R. Burleson, the two sergeants, two communications personnel, two radar maintenance men, three supply personnel (including Sergeant Stockton), and a personnel man — Sergeant Jackson.

According to Major Graff the trip was in the nature of a routine inspection and intended to familiarize the sergeants with the base where they would be stationed.

After arrival on June tenth, Lieutenant Burleson and his command will be charged with receiving incoming materials and for distribution of supplies to various buildings, in preparation for the advent of the main group of about 200 officers and men. This, Major Graff said, will not take place till some time the latter part of the year, and depends largely on how rapidly installations at the base are made, and upon logistics.

Personnel from the San Antonio Air Material Command will install all radio, radar, communications, and power equipment, the Major said, and not until then will any appreciable number of the 813th's two hundred officers and men be transferred to this base.

Practically all the buildings at the site are finished and ready, Major Graff stated. The only one that remains to be built is the power house, and, perhaps, an addition to the operations building. However, as soon as the power house is ready, he said, the base can be put in readiness for operation. If there is an addition to the operations building, this can be built at any time.

## Along The Waterfront



At Rattlesnake Point, Bill Mays and Scoots Robinson, of Odem, caught 3 trout, 10 drum and a sheepshead last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Procknow, Rockport, caught 20 trout. Bill Adler, Monroe Toussler, and George Eckert, San Antonio, caught 56 nice trout, and one of them, caught by Eckert, weighed 9 pounds. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Emerson of Rockport, strung 16 trout, five of which totaled 22 pounds. Johnny Whiteley and Don Guion, of Corpus Christi, came in with 3 trout, one of which weighed 7 3/4 pounds and another that weighed eight, and the next day went out again and snagged a red that weighed 12 pounds, along with 33 average sized trout.

On Saturday, Clarence Wolshohl and partner, of Woodsboro, strung fifteen drum.

Sunday, Jack Hellums, Corpus Christi, caught 6 large specks. Ted Gawron, Earl Burke, and Mr. Roethe of San Antonio, caught 81 trout and gafftops. Pete Becker, John Hoffman and Ed Roehm, also of the Alamo city came with 64 trout and gafftops.

Monday, Ray and Elmer Boone, of Rockport strung nine reds, 4 trout, and 8 gafftops, as well as one drum.

Tuesday Otto Byers, of Seguin, caught 3 drum and 1 trout.

At Mills Wharf, Harry Mills reported some of the best catches that we have heard of in a long time.

Dr. Schumann, Houston, and 4 others, fished with Harry last (continued on page 8)

## Reservations Needed For Alumni Banquet

Every mail is bringing in reservations for the banquet in observance of the 50th anniversary of the High School Alumni Association on June 1st at the Rockport Elementary School gymnasium. Don't forget to make your reservation by May 22. It is necessary to know in advance how many to prepare for, both for the meal and also for the committee in charge of table arrangements and decorations. The Golden Anniversary is the theme for the program and the table appointments.

Among the reservations made are those of Mrs. Ida Brittain Adams of Benavides, Mrs. Vivian Brittain Brigham and Mrs. Helen Brigham Ashton, both of Houston, all of whom are well remembered here. Mrs. Brigham is a former member of the Rockport School faculty.

Also making reservations are Mrs. Clara Glass Price of Uvalde and Harry Ingersoll of San Antonio.

## ED BARNHARD NOW COMMERCIAL MOTORS REPRESENTATIVE HERE

Ed Barnard, Rockport theater operator, has also been appointed Rockport representative of the Commercial Motor Company of Aransas Pass.

Walter Boehnke recommends that anyone interested in the purchase of a new Ford or Ford truck contact Barnard.

## TROTLINE YIELDS DUCK

Kelley McGlamery caught a duck on a trotline.

The bird flew into a hook left out of water when the tide went out. McGlamery freed the duck.



IS HE RADIOACTIVE—If so, he might infect other patients. This was part of a mass casualty exercise conducted by Seventh Army in Germany when medical personnel worked a 14-hour day to care for 2000 "victims" of atomic warfare. Training was so realistic that one soldier spent five days immobilized in a cast.

## Visitors From Philadelphia See One Of Lost Seals of The Gulf of Mexico

Have the lost seal herds of the Gulf of Mexico once more begun to frequent Texas beaches? Have the sea wolves that Ponce de Leon saw in vast numbers, as he sought for the fountain of youth, again made their appearance on the sandy shores of this southern sea, where they were once so abundant that Spanish Conquistadores slaughtered them for their hides, oil and meat?

Mr. and Mrs. William K. Reynolds, amateur naturalists here for a few days birdwatching with Mrs. Jack Hagar, wouldn't know about that. All they're sure of is that they're familiar with seals, having seen them many times on Maine beaches, and that, as they were driving down Bolivar Peninsula, headed for Rockport, they saw one on the sandy beach!

"It was only about fifty yards away when we first saw it," Reynolds said, "and it flopped across the sand in that curious way seals have as we drove towards it. It slipped into the surf and swam along the shore, watching us. By that time we were only about fifteen or twenty feet from it, and

## Ten Explorers To Leakey Camp

Ten boys from the local explorer scout post will go to camp Leakey on June 2 through 8, according to Bill Gray, explorer leader, and he says that if any more want to go, they should get their fifty cent deposit in immediately.

The entire explorer post will attend an overnight camp at Camp DeLeon, up the other side of Victoria, Gray said, on May 25-26. The trip will start after five p. m. on Friday evening.

## Little Church League Meeting Called Tuesday

According to Coach Melvin Borchert, there will be a meeting of the Little Church League on Tuesday evening, May 14, at 7:30 in the Chamber of Commerce building.

Borchert urges all ministers and managers to be there as there are a number of matters of importance that have to be discussed.

## SENIORS TO BE GUESTS OF PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Aransas County High School seniors will be guests of the women of the Presbyterian Church for a boat trip across the bay on Friday, May 17th. The party will also include swimming in the Gulf and a wiener roast. Each senior will be allowed to bring one guest, and they are to meet at the Rockport Yacht Basin at 4:30 p. m.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PLANS FISH FRY

The congregation of the First Presbyterian Church is planning a churchwide fish fry for May 16, at 6:30 p. m., and all members are urged to come and bring their families and friends.

we could see it plainly. We used our 8-power binoculars, and could see its whiskers as it lifted its head out of the waves and looked at us."

When told that appearance of a seal on Gulf beaches was a sight so rare that many naturalists would have traveled many miles to see one, Reynolds said:

"I wouldn't know whether they were rare or not. This is our first trip to Texas, but we've seen seals many times in Maine. My first thought was surprise at a seal in such warm waters, and then we wondered what it was doing up on the beach. When it was in the water, it acted as though if we would just leave, it'd come out on shore again."

The animal was about four feet long, Reynolds said, and dark brown in color, which neatly fits it into the description of the West Indian seal which used to inhabit these waters, before sealers wiped out the great herds, not for fur, but for oil, hides, and meat. These seals were supposed to be practically extinct many years ago, but persistent rumors have said that there were scattered individuals and herds still inhabiting the Gulf.

An old legend of the Laguna Madre tells of Kathbobs — seal-like creatures that appeared there the first full moon before spring, and a considerable folklore grew about these animals, most of it inaccurate. There were supposed to be about fifteen of them — croaking three-toed animals that lived on land and sea, eating fish and rabbits and anything else they could capture. According to tales of old time Mexican fishermen the animals were even known to rob new-made graves.

It is probable this legend had its inception in a herd of seals that once used the waters of the Laguna.

A small herd of these seals was seen off Galveston twenty-five years ago, and in the same year workman patching the jetties at Port Isabel said that seals crawled out on the rocks.

When Rollover Pass was opened, engineers on the job for Lockwood and Andrews, Houston engineering firm, saw a herd of furry brown animals that hauled out on the beach, and citizens of Gilchrist, the little town near the Pass are said to have seen them, too.

Andy Anderson, late sports writer of the Houston Press, heard about the occurrence and sent a photographer down to see if he could get a picture of them, wherever they were, without any luck.

Probably these were seals, also, although no one could say for sure. But the fact remains that Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds saw one of the beasts on Bolivar, the first time one has been definitely identified in twenty-five years. Maybe it was a sort of whooping crane, among seals — the last of the race — or maybe it was the forerunner of new and greater seal herds than Ponce de Leon ever saw.

On the other hand, it may have been lost.

## School Board Calls For Tax Raise to Meet Cost Rise

Rising Costs and Decreasing State Income  
Places Undue Burden of Resources of System  
Which Must be Met by Increase in the Tax Rate

The Aransas County Independent School District finds it necessary to call an election on the 18th day of May, to ask the citizens of Aransas County to vote for a tax increase not to exceed 50c per \$100.00 valuation to meet expenses necessary to the completion of the present building program and for future maintenance and operation of the school system. Certain conditions have arisen that were unknown to us at the time our financial budget was arranged, namely,

## Clark Wins Club Trophy

Bill Clark defeated Roy Tom Rogers 1 up Saturday to win the Live Oak Country Club Championship. Rogers had won medalist honors but could not stop Clark on the last two holes of the match. Through 16 holes Clark was 1 down to Rogers. Clark drove the green on No. 17 and sank his putt for a birdie, evening the match. On No. 18 both were on the green in two, Rogers missed his birdie putt, but Clark made his second birdie in a row to win the watch. Medal scores were: Clark 38-34-72; Rogers 37-36-73.

In the championship consolation, Stan Beardsley defeated J. D. Griggs.

Ed Barnard won the first flight by beating Kokie Couch. In the consolation, Warren Howery won over Floyd Pittman.

Matt Matthews defeated Bob Hayward to win the second flight. Gerald Spears won over Matt Scott for consolation honors.

Third flight honors went to Gerald Tiner who won from John Meredith. Walter Boehnke defeated Roy Rogers for consolation.

Ernie Falgout won the fourth flight, defeating George Bartlett. Consolation honors went to Roy Westmoreland who beat Gene Webster.

In the fifth flight, Cecil Miller defeated his son, Bill. Bob Winton beat Ed Richmond for the consolation.

## Park Board Chairman Fred Bracht Has Ball Diamond In Good Shape

City Park Board Chairman Fred Bracht has pulled another miracle out of the hat, so to speak, and with no money, and little help has the ball park looking in excellent shape, considering the handicaps he has labored under.

With the Church League about to take off in a big way, Bracht has had the grounds cleaned, the fence repaired, and everything that can be done to ready the park for this summer's games.

## Library Has Big Day Friday

Last Friday was a red letter day for the Aransas County Library when one hundred books were checked out. Also twenty-one new library cards were issued, all in all making it the busiest day since the library opened in January.

Volunteers to serve as librarians on Tuesday and Friday of each week, from 1:30 — 4:30, are badly needed.

According to those who are serving so faithfully in that capacity, it is a very simple matter to check out books and issue book cards — it is mainly just giving of their time to the project.

Under "Juvenile" literature at the Aransas County Library this week will be found the following:

Television Works Like This; First Book of Horses; Wonder World of the Seashore; What's In The Dark; Little Mermaid Who Could Not Sing; Cottontail Rabbit; Snipp, Snapp, Snurr Learn to Swim; Thidwich the Big-Hearted Moose; Horton Hatches the Egg; The Littlest Reindeer; Walt Disney's Bongo; Rin Tin Tin and the Lost Indian; Rin Tin Tin and Rusty; Madeline; Little Black Sambo.

## Pirate Band to Give Annual Concert Tuesday

The Aransas County High School Pirate Band will give its annual spring concert in the auditorium of the High School on Tuesday, May 14, at 8:00 p. m., and those who attend are in for a treat, as the young musicians have rounded into a nicely-finished organization, and won a straight II placement in State contests this year.

The program starts with the Charter Oak March, by Osterling. Next is the "Arioso from Cantata No. 156" written by Johann Sebastian Bach. Then follows "La Virgen de Macarena" a traditional paso doble with which most bull fights are opened in Spanish bull rings, and in this a cornet solo by Abner West will be featured.

Fourth on the program is "The Pilgrim", by Lake, a grand march, and this will be followed with the selection "And Suddenly", composed by Del Baroni. The "Song of the Bayou", by Rube Bloom is No. 6 on the list, and then the band will present a novelty trio, Karen Casterline, Richard Horne, and Mike McGlamery in "Three Vice Presidents".

Next is "A Tribute to Glenn Miller" arranged by Gass, and this is followed by "Round and Round".

"Colovama", by Pieter de Rose is tenth on the program; March Poco, composed by D. I. Moore is the concluding number.

Admission to the concert will be 20 cents for children and forty cents for adults, all proceeds going to aid the band in its various projects that are not covered by funds allotted by the school.

So far the record attendance at a band concert here has been a hundred people, which is little recognition of the hard work and long hours band members put in. Director Jerry Hoffman is hoping that at this concert the biggest turnout that has ever attended a band concert will put in an appearance, giving the youngsters both moral and financial support.

Members of the band are:

Cornets: Abner West, Marvin Davis, Terry Wills, David Perkins, Ronnie Blissett, Sydney Forster.

Accordion: Georgia Kresta. Clarinets B: Karen Casterline, Marilyn Morrison, Charia Hare, Ellen Ann Gilley, Robbie Boquet, Nancy Court, Lenore Faber, Betty Johnson, Patricia Web, Barbara Wright, Ann Cassell, Jolene Clark.

French Horns: Loretta Wilson, Jack Ballou, Nan Jackson. Trombones: James Ballou, John Ballou.

Perussion: Ann Williams, Mike McGlamery, Aloa Harvey, Susan Sanchez.

Clarinet-Alto: Shirley Cole. Clarinet-Bass: Glenda Nell Dunn. Saxes: Shirley Owens, Davey Carol Brown, Bill Hottle, Margaret Pena, Sue Ann Johnson, Daniel Alamon, Jimmy Morgan.

Bassoon: Snooks Roberts. Oboe: Merrily Johnson. Baritone: Roy DeForest.

Basses: Gary Horne, Richard Horne.

Flutes: Carla Eller, June Knippa.

## Oleander Court Pool Opening

Jack Horton announces that general cleanup and paint work are completed for opening of Oleander Court pool on May 11 from 3 to 6 P. M. on Saturdays and Sundays until June.

The pool will be open daily from 3 to 6 p. m. during June, July and August. Special parties may be arranged by reservation. Swimming classes can also be arranged. See Ad in this issue.

## County Court Cases

Adolph Romero pled not guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated in Judge John D. Wendell's County Court Monday and was released under a \$500 bond.

known to us at the time our financial budget was arranged, namely,

No. 1. A substantial reduction in state aid funds by the State Board of Education based on our balanced budget and general prosperity of the area.

No. 2. Our building costs were higher than we had anticipated owing to the steel strike and a higher over all wage increase for the building trades in general, however, the board decided to go ahead with the building program believing sincerely that costs would be no lower in the future but would generally be higher.

No. 3. A new sewer and water system connection to the City of Rockport, sewer and water system supplying the present high school and auditorium and new junior high school, gymnasium and field house, a project we believe to be sound both from a healthful standpoint and one of efficiency. This cost was borne entirely by the school system.

No. 4. At present a bill has passed the State House of Representatives and is awaiting passage by the State Senate, proposing to change the state aid per pupil from a local census total to an average daily attendance. Should this bill pass the Senate and become law, we would again be hurt seriously financially.

This tax increase we ask must not be mistaken as another bond issue. Our bonded indebtedness is in sound financial shape. What is needed is financial aid for general maintenance and operation of the school system. We have appreciated your trust in us in the past, and we hope you will continue to endow us with your trust by voting for the tax increase.

All resident, personal or real property owners who have paid their poll tax are eligible to vote.

This statement is a joint and unanimous one from the Board of Trustees, Aransas County School System.

## Notaries Public Must Re-Qualify Between June 1 - 30

Secretary of State Zollie Steakley has announced that he will reappoint persons now holding notary public commissions but that such persons must re-qualify by the filing of a new oath and bond with the County Clerk of his residence between June 1, 1957 and June 10, 1957.

Steakley emphasized that notaries public should not send requests for reappointment or for commissions directly to the Secretary of State. The law specifically requires the County Clerks to approve notary bonds.

Any person not now a notary public who desires appointment should apply to his County Clerk between May 1, 1957 and May 20, 1957. Application during this period will assure prompt attention before the rush procedure of reappointing present notaries.

Secretary of State Steakley further pointed out that each person applying for a commission as a notary public must be at least 21 years of age and a resident of the county for which he is appointed. The exact name and permanent address of the application must be furnished the County Clerk.

## ALTAR SOCIETY TO HOLD SALE

The Sacred Heart Altar Society will hold a rummage sale on Friday and Saturday, April 24 - 25, starting at noon on Friday and ending at noon on Saturday. Co-chairmen of the event are the Misses Genevieve and Mabel Bracht.

The sale will be held in the Sacred Heart Hall.



*Only the Best for Mother!*

**PIGGLY WIGGLY'S**

**MOTHER'S DAY SPECIALS**

MOTHERS DAY  
SUN. MAY 12<sup>th</sup>



SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MAY 10 - 11

**FLOUR** Snow Queen 5 Pounds **39<sup>c</sup>**

**TIDE** Reg. 30<sup>c</sup>

Kraft's 46 oz.

**Orange Drink** 4 FOR 1.00

Skyway Strawberry

**Preserves** 18 oz. 37<sup>c</sup>

First Choice Cut — 303 can

**Green Beans** 2 FOR 23<sup>c</sup>

Harris

**Ice Cream** 3 Quarts 1.00

**FIRST CHOICE OLEO** lb. 20<sup>c</sup>  
**PILLSBURY FLOUR** 5 lbs. 47<sup>c</sup>

Kraft's

**CHEEZ WHIZ** 8 oz. 29<sup>c</sup>

Libby's

**FRUIT COCKTAIL** 303 can 21<sup>c</sup>

Del Monte

**SPINACH**, 303 can 2 for 25<sup>c</sup>

Del Monte Cream Style

**GOLDEN CORN**, 303 can 2 for 29<sup>c</sup>

Del Monte

**PEAS**, 303 can 2 for 37<sup>c</sup>

Texas Magic

**TOMATO SAUCE** buffet size, 3 for 19<sup>c</sup>

**NIAGARA STARCH** 12 oz 20<sup>c</sup>

Northern

**TOILET TISSUE** 3 rolls 25<sup>c</sup>

Northern

**NAPKINS** 2 cartons 25<sup>c</sup>

Hunt's

**CATSUP** 14 oz. 19<sup>c</sup>

First Choice

**SLICED PINEAPPLE** No. 2 can 23<sup>c</sup>

**CRISCO** 3 lbs. 93<sup>c</sup>

Plymouth Brand

**Coffee** . . lb. 81<sup>c</sup>

**Maryland Club** lb. 95<sup>c</sup>

**Sugar** 5 Pounds 47<sup>c</sup>

Food Club

**MILK** . . . 2 cans 27<sup>c</sup>



Fresh Blackeyed

**PEAS** 2 lbs. 25<sup>c</sup>

California New Crop Long White

**Potatoes** lb. 4 1/2<sup>c</sup>

Cello Bag

**CARROTS** . . 7<sup>c</sup>

Winesap

**Apples** 2 lbs. 29<sup>c</sup>

Carton of 6 — plus deposit

**COKE** . . 19<sup>c</sup>

Golden

**Fluffo** 3 Lbs. 83<sup>c</sup>

**FROZEN FOODS**

Libby's Apple Cherry, Peach, Boysenberry

**FRUIT PIES** 10 1/2 oz. 25<sup>c</sup>

Welch's

**GRAPE JUICE**, 6 oz. 2 for 39<sup>c</sup>

Libby's Whole

**BABY OKRA** 10 oz. 23<sup>c</sup>

Good Veal

**Chuck Roast** lb. 39<sup>c</sup>

Good Veal

**Crown Roast** lb. 45<sup>c</sup>

Good

**Veal Chops** lb. 59<sup>c</sup>

Cudahy

**FRANKS** . . . . lb. 35<sup>c</sup>

Swift's Premium

**BOLOGNA** . . lb. 39<sup>c</sup>

Good Veal

**BRISKET STEW** lb. 23<sup>c</sup>

**Turkey Fryers** lb. 39<sup>c</sup>

Texas Brand

**SLICED BACON** lb. 49<sup>c</sup>

Wicklow Thick-Sliced  
**BACON**

2 lbs. 98<sup>c</sup>



RATH'S BLACKHAWK — FULLY COOKED

**HAMS**

SHANK  
END  
pound

**49<sup>c</sup>**

Butt Portion lb. 55<sup>c</sup>  
Center Slices lb. 79<sup>c</sup>





# CRISCO

# 75<sup>c</sup>

With Coupon from Corpus Paper

# WEST'S



SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MAY 10 - 11

**Grapefruit Juice**  
Texsun  
46 oz. **19<sup>c</sup>**

Tide or Cheer **30c**

Regular ZEST 2 for **25c**

SUGAR 5 lb. bag **49c**

303 Can - Our Value TOMATOES 2 for **25c**

5 Lbs. Gold Medal FLOUR **45c**

300 Size - Brooks LIMAS 2 for **25c**

6 oz. **1<sup>29</sup>**

**NEW!**



INSTANT COFFEE

Red & White Shortening 3 lb can **79c**

Niblet's Whole Kernel CORN 12 oz. **15c**

### COFFEE

Admiration - - - lb. **91c**

Folger's - - - lb. **93c**

Maryland Club - - lb. **95c**

Quart Miracle Whip **53c**

## Red Plum Jam

Bama 20 oz. **29<sup>c</sup>**

ARMOUR'S STAR YOUNG FAT

# HENS

3 to 4 Lbs. Pound **35<sup>c</sup>**

Longhorn CHEESE lb. **49c**

Swift's Premium FRANKS lb. **43c**

Fresh Ground Hamburger 3 lbs. **89c**

Samuel's Country Style Smoked Sausage lb. **54c**

Swift's Premium Shoulder

# Round Steak lb. 49<sup>c</sup>

Swift's Premium CHUCK ROAST **39<sup>c</sup>**

Sun Spun Bacon **49<sup>c</sup>**

# HAMS

Rath's Blackhawk Canned Picnic 4 1/4 Lbs. **2.98**



Fresh Produce

No. 1 California Long White

POTATOES  
10 lbs. **45c**

Large Head LETTUCE **10c**

Yellow Home Grown SQUASH lb. **10c**

Fresh Green

BLACKEYED PEAS  
lb. **10c**

### Frozen Foods

Libby's STRAWBERRIES **23c**

Treesweet LEMONADE CAN **10c**

Treesweet ORANGE JUICE 2 FOR **29c**

Thrif-T-Pak VEGETABLES **18c**

Van Camp's 300 Size Pork & Beans 2 - **27c**

Hunt's 3 For Tomato Sauce **25c**

No. 2 1/2 Hunt's Purple Plums **29c**

303 Can Green Giant PEAS **19c**

EGGS  
Fresh Country, Dozen **35c** Large Country, Dozen **39c**

Carton of 12 Coke **39<sup>c</sup>**  
plus deposit

# Pork & Beans

Our Value **10<sup>c</sup>**

Pet MILK 2 for **27c**

Starkist Chunk Tuna **29c**

1/2 Gal. Sta Flo Liquid Starch **43c**

Sun Spun 303 Crushed PINEAPPLE **19c**

Red & White 4 Oz. Black Pepper **25c**

Northern Toilet Tissue 3 for **25c**

Montmorency 300 Size PIE CHERRIES **23c**

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

Banner OLEO lb. **19c**

Sun Spun OLEO lb. **25c**

# Charlotte Freeze

Borden's 1/2 Gallon **39<sup>c</sup>**

Quart Sun Spun Salad Dressing **43c**

Delight DOG FOOD 3 for **25c**

Libby's CORNED BEEF **43c**

**NOW! STRONGER WHEN WET**



400 Size 4 For **99c**



**SPORTSMEN'S CLUB TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY, ELECT OFFICERS**

The Rockport Sportsmen's Conservation Association, of Aransas County, will hold their monthly meeting next Tuesday evening at 8:00 p. m. in the Woman's Club Building.

According to President Harry Mills, new officers will be elected for the coming year, and some films obtained from the Game and Fish Commission will be shown.

Mrs. Chas. T. Picton returned from Houston Tuesday after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. DeWilton B. Jeffries and children and relatives for the past 2 weeks.

Out-of-town guests visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Happner and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Townsend over the weekend were Mrs. Nell Webb and Lloyd of Comfort and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Webb of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schleider left Wednesday for the Valley where they will visit with friends and to be with Mrs. E. C. Ricks who underwent major surgery in the McAllen hospital.

**TRAIL**

**DRIVE-IN THEATRE**  
Aransas Pass, Texas

First Show Starts at Dusk

**THURSDAY**  
May 9

**FAMILY NIGHT - 75c PER CAR**  
Pack Your Relatives And Friends In the Car and Bring Them to See

DOUBLE FEATURE  
Newman in

**"THE RACK"**

— and —

George O'Brien in

**"FURY AT GUNSIGHT PASS"**

**FRIDAY - SATURDAY**  
May 10 - 11

DOUBLE FEATURE

Rhonda Fleming in

**"ODONGO"**

— and —

John Agar in

**"STAR IN THE DUST"**

**SUNDAY - MONDAY**  
May 12 - 13

Victor Mature in

**"LAST FRONTIER"**

**TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY**  
May 14 - 15

Doris Day in

**"JULIE"**

**Tarpon**

**DRIVE-IN THEATRE**  
ARANSAS PASS, TEXAS

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**THURSDAY**  
May 9

Lana Turner in

**"GREEN DOLPHIN STREET"**

**FRIDAY - SATURDAY**  
May 10 - 11

DOUBLE FEATURE

John Ireland in

**"GUNSLINGER"**

— and —

Clark Gable in

**"MUTINY ON THE BOUNTY"**

**SUNDAY - MONDAY**  
May 12 - 13

Dana Andrews in

**"WHILE THE CITY SLEEPS"**

**TUESDAY ONLY**  
May 14

DOUBLE FEATURE

Abbott & Costello in

**"DANCE WITH ME HENRY"**

— and —

Joyce Holden

Don Megowan in

**"WEREWOLF"**

**WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY**  
May 15 - 16

Alan Freed and

Frankie Lyman in

**"ROCK, ROCK, ROCK"**

**Rouquette's Entertain With Fish Fry**

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Rouquette entertained with a oyster and fish fry Sunday afternoon.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Rouquette, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schleider, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Atwood, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Schleider and Hank, and Mr. Ollie Schleider from here and out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Fagan and Blue Schleider of Tivoli and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Genty of Victoria.

**SHOP DISPLAY TO BE FEATURED**

A display by shop pupils from Aransas County High School will be featured on Thursday, May 9, as part of the Parent-Teachers program, according to Philip H. Baldwin, in charge of the shop training program.

All parents and patrons of the schools are invited, Baldwin said, to the exhibition which will be open to everyone at 7:30 p. m. He particularly urges all parents of boys who took shop this year, or who intend to take it next year, to come out and see the type of work which students can turn out.

Mrs. Leona Nelson, of Leona's Beauty Salon, attended a Beauty Clinic in San Antonio last week.

**COVE Drive-In Theatre**

— Rockport —

**THURSDAY - FRIDAY**  
May 9 - 10

**"BETWEEN HEAVEN AND HELL"**

with Robert Wagner

**SATURDAY ONLY**  
May 11

DOUBLE FEATURE

**"GUN BROTHERS"**

with Buster Crabbe

**"THE MAN IS ARMED"**

with Dane Clark

**SUNDAY - MONDAY**  
May 12 - 13

**"THE BRAVE ONE"**

with Michel Ray and Joi Lansing

**TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY**  
May 14 - 15

**"BOOMTOWN"**

with Clark Gable

We Have

"Pic" Mosquito Repellant

For Sale — 25c

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**Spring Band Concert**

The band concert will be held May 14, at the High School auditorium. It will be under the direction of band leader Mr. Jerry Hoffman.

**Junior-Senior Prom**

The junior-senior prom is to be held May 10, at the Live Oak Country Club.

The banquet starts at 7:00 p. m. A short program is planned. Guy Clark will give a reading, Charia Hare is to sing "Graduation Day", Georgia Kresta is to play "Star Dust", which is the seniors song.

Ben Cooper and his orchestra will begin the dance at 9:00 p. m. Servers for the banquet are Carla Eller, Linda Mills, Pat Fields, Jeraldyn Wright, Patti McMahan, and Joyce Weatherly.

**Seniors Honored With Banquet**  
Women of the First Baptist Church, honored the seniors with a banquet at the Baptist Fellowship Hall Monday night.

The theme for the banquet was "Dreamers". The colors of blue and silver were used in decorations.

Mrs. Grady West was master of "Dreams". Brother Brumley talked on "Fulfilling Your Dream."

Music of the evening was furnished by Mrs. Grady West and Mrs. Bill Clark, who sang a duet, "Beautiful Dreamer."

**Last Assembly Held Tuesday**

The last assembly of the year was presented by Mr. David Workman of Southern School Assemblies. He played the Swiss bells, the trombone, and a cornet. The highlight of the program was when he called on eight of the students to assist him in playing the bells.

They played "Home on the Range," Bill Hottle, Ray Washington, Allen Blisset, assisted Mr. Workman in his interpretation of "Jingle Bells."

**Freshman Class Party**

The freshman class will be entertained Saturday afternoon, May 11, at Goose Island State Park. Among the various activities will be swimming, dancing and a picnic.

The average weight of the human brain is 48 ounces.

**FLAMINGO CAFE OPENS WITH FRENCH FRIED ICE CREAM**

The Flamingo Cafe opened Saturday, with barbecued chicken and french fried ice cream on tap, and the chicken was good and the ice cream is a novelty in this part of the country, at any rate. This reporter doesn't know just how it's done, but anyhow, the ice cream comes to the table looking sort of like an overgrown hushpuppy, and when you get through the flaky crust there's the ice cream inside.

**SAN PATRICIO COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE V. F. W. MET**

The San Patricio County Council of the V. F. W. met in Sinton Monday night, and members from this post that attended were Clinton McElveen, Ernest Russel, Delotte Wright, Oliver Brundrett and W. C. Cutcher.

Nomination, election and installation of officers was held and Bill Pierson of this post was elected senior vice president of the county council.



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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tartaglia, from Denver, Colorado, are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Tartaglia.

**BARBARA BARNARD ONE OF SPELLING CONTESTANTS LISTED**

Barbara Barnard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barnard is one of the 19 county spelling bee champions who will participate in the Caller-Times Regional Spelling Bee at 2 p. m. Saturday in the Terrace Room of the Driscoll Hotel.

At the Mustang district Cub Day, held in Refugio last Saturday, three Rockport boys and one pack won places in the competition.

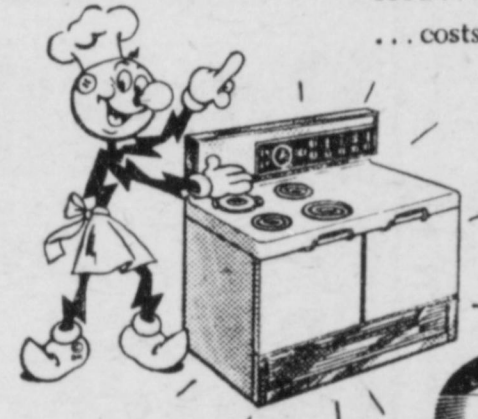
David Fleming won second in the broad jump, followed by Shelley Roaten, Jr., who placed third.

Billy Ormand was third in the high jump. In the tug-of-war Den 4 of Pack 49 won fourth place.



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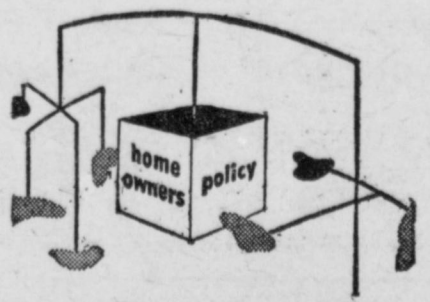
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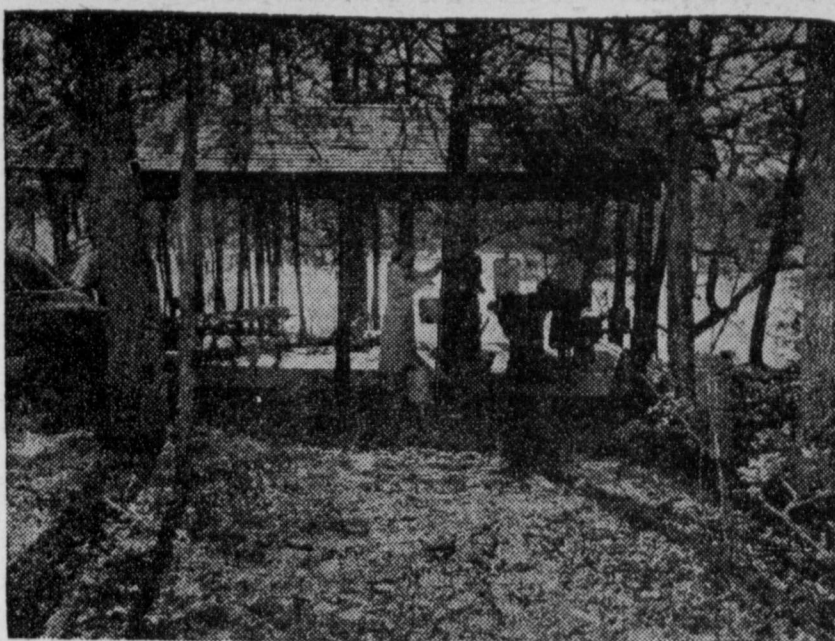


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LIONS INSTALL OFFICERS JOINTLY

Joint installation of officers of the Rockport and the Fulton Lions Clubs was at a dinner meeting at Thompson's Spa Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m.



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Park of the Week — Buescher State Park

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Main entrance to Buescher State Park is reached by turning off State Highway 71 about a mile northwest of Smithville.

New Officers Of Woman's Club

The final meeting of the year will be held by the Woman's Club, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 at the club building. The new officers will assume their duties at this meeting and it is hoped that a good representation of the membership will be present to assure them of their cooperation for the coming year.

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SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fr. G. J. O'Doherty, Pastor Sunday Masses, 7 and 9; Holy Days same as Sundays; week-day Mass at 8; Friday night Novena devotions at 7:30; Confessions: Saturdays, Vigil before Holy Days and Thursdays before First Fridays, 4:30 to 6:00 and 7:30 to 8:30.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C. Wilson Brumley, Pastor Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., Training Union, 6:30 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.; Sunday School workers meeting, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Women meet every Monday.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

N. E. Hicks 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.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. Arnott Ward, Minister 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 Sunday school, 9:45; preaching service, 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

Aransas Pass Sunday services, 11 a.m.; Wednesday evening service, 8:00. All are welcome.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Aransas Pass Otto F. Marshall, Pastor Bible school 9:45; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

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PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. L. C. Barnett, Pastor 1 block north of Joe's Trailer Park Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Night Service, 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Young People's Service, Saturday, 7:30 p.m.

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LADIES AUXILIARY OF THE V. F. W. MET

The Ladies Auxiliary to the V. F. W. met Tuesday night with 8 members present. After the meeting, president Velma Malchar served coffee and cookies.

REBEKAH LODGE MET

The Rebekah Lodge met Tuesday night with 18 members present, after the meeting a bingo party was held and the refreshment committee served punch, coffee and cookies.

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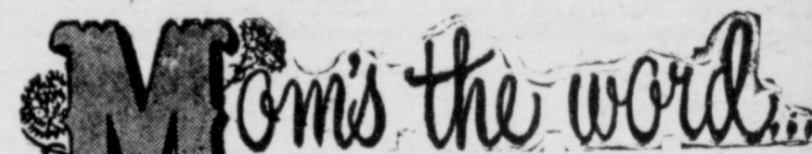
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**MRS. GENE CARTER GIVES PARTY**

Mrs. Gene Carter honored Mrs. Art Lindquist with a coffee and get acquainted party Friday evening from 2 til 4. Those present were Mrs. Woody Jackson, Mrs. Bill Gray, Mrs. Edric Deason Mrs. Fred Werhan.

**BAPTIST HOMEMAKERS ENJOY MONTHLY SOCIAL**

The Homemaker Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church had its regular monthly meeting and social Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Del McLain. The fourth chapter of "These Things We Believe" was taught by Mrs. E. D. Simpson. Afterwards refreshments were enjoyed by Mrs. E. D. Simpson, Mrs. Robert Blake, Mrs. E. L. Bliss, Mrs. C. W. Brisbin, Mrs. William Ed. Jackson, Mrs. Terry Moore, Mrs. James Paul Ord, Mrs. James W. Reed, Mrs. W. H. Schuster, Jr., Mrs. Jimmy Reid Simmons, Mrs. Gary Smith, Mrs. J. C. Tompson, Mrs. Earl Brown, Mrs. Norman McLead, Mrs. Bobby Landrum, Mrs. Zack Washburn, Mrs. Del McLain. Little Nelson Thompson, Joe McLead, Deborah McLead, Sue Ann Simmons were present also.

**COUNTRY CLUB NEWS**



Maurine Barnard won the George Clark Trophy last Thursday at Live Oak Country Club. The tournament was a 36-hole, low net, medal play affair. Mrs. Barnard shot 194 for the 36 holes, her handicap of 30, gave her a net of 164. Elaine LeBlanc was second with 215 gross. Her handicap of 50 gave her a score of 165. Fannie Yeager was third with 198 gross. A handicap of 32 gave her a score of 166. Winnie Rice won low putts with 61 for the 36 holes. She also had a low gross score of 190.

**Roberts-McIntosh Vows Are Exchanged**

Miss Sally Anne McIntosh of Houston and Raymond Culley Roberts were married Friday night at St. Anne's Catholic Church in Houston. The Rev. L. Lacey officiated at the double ring service. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McIntosh of Jacinto City, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Roberts of this city. The bride wore a dress of ice blue embroidered nylon over taffeta. A matching bolero was worn with a sleeveless bodice, which was fashioned with a sweetheart neckline. Her accessories were white, and she carried a white orchid on a prayer book. Mrs. Joan Boatwright of Pasadena was matron of honor. Her dress of pink taffeta was worn with white accessories and a white rosebud corsage. J. E. Earthman III of Houston was best man. After the ceremony a reception was held at the McIntosh home. The bride a graduate of Galena Park High School and is attending Lillie Jolly School of Nursing in Houston. The groom graduated from the Rockport High School and Commonwealth College of Mortuary Science in Houston. Among out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Roberts of Rockport, parents of the groom; A. L. Roberts of Aransas Pass, the groom's brother; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Homberg of Galveston, aunt and uncle of the groom; and Mrs. George Vineyard of Floresville.

**KAY SPARKS CELEBRATES SEVENTH BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Jack Sparks honored her daughter Kay on her 7th birthday Friday evening from 3 to 5 at the V. F. W. Hall. Favors of gum, candy and balloons were given to the children. Punch and cake was served to 20 of Kays friends.

Mrs. Woody Jackson honored her husband with a barbecue Sunday at their home. Those enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. Edric Deason and family of here; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Elliott and grandson; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Graham and Eddie; Tom Cass; Mrs. Mary Alice Cass and daughter Cathy, and Bill Stark of Portland, and Albert Plank of Aransas Pass.

Mrs. J. L. Day of Corpus Christi spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Cassel and family.

Terry Thomas spent the weekend in Tivoli with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Crews.

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**Charles Potter Dies in Hospital**

Charles Potter, 79, died at 3:30 p. m. Friday in a Corpus Christi hospital. He had lived in Fulton and Rockport since 1934. He was a retired Aransas County employee and a member of the Baptist Church. Survivors are three sons, Charles, Jr., of Fulton and Roy and Alby of Nashville, Tenn., two daughters, Mrs. Charles McKinney of Beneto, Ore., and Mrs. W. O. Steward of Rockport, and 10 grandchildren. Funeral services were at 4:30 p. m. Sunday at Cage-Marshall Funeral Home. Burial was in Rockport Cemetery.

**Fulton PTA Met**

The Fulton PTA met in the ion's Club on May 1. The following officers for the coming year were installed by Mrs. S. F. Jackson. President, Mrs. Millard M. Owens; first vice president, Mrs. Robert Madden; second vice president, Mrs. L. E. Casterline; third vice president, M. M. Owens; recording secretary, Mrs. L. R. Davenport; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Glen Wendell; treasurer, Mrs. Raymond Owens; parliamentarian, Mrs. F. L. McCord. Mrs. Herbert Mills, Mrs. Prentice Owen, and Mrs. Ernest Mackett were chosen as delegates to the Aransas County Council. Mrs. Everal West was appointed health chairman, and Mrs. Meader room representative. Third and fifth grades tied for the attendance prize.

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SNOWDRIFT	3 lb. can	79c
SHOESTRING POTATOES, Marshall	2 for	21c
PORK AND BEANS, Marshall No. 2 can	2 for	27c
WHOLE KERNEL CORN, Kounty Kist	2 for	27c
LARGE GOVT. GRADED EGGS	Dozen	39c
SOUTHERN TISSUE	roll	5c
VIENNA SAUSAGE, Campfire	2 for	19c
ROUND STEAK	lb.	69c
T-BONES	lb.	69c
SIRLOINS	lb.	59c
HAMBURGER	3 lbs.	79c
FRANKS (Roegelein)	lb.	29c
PURE PORK SAUSAGE (Roegelein 1 lb. roll)		33c
7-CUT ROAST	lb.	39c
PORK LIVER	lb.	25c

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<b>SPUDS</b>	10 Lb. Mesh Bag	<b>45c</b>
<b>Rolled Roast</b>	lb.	<b>39c</b>

BACON, Racorn	lb.	33c
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BRISKET	lb.	23c
LUNCH MEAT, Assorted	lb.	49c
SALT JOWLS	lb.	25c
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WAX PAPER, Waxtex	roll	21c
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VINEGAR, Spea's Distilled	gallon	45c
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**BARBARA TERRY ELECTED CLASS OFFICER AT BELTON**

Belton — Miss Barbara Terry of Rockport has been elected secretary of the senior class at Mary Hardin-Baylor college for the school year 1957-58.

Miss Terry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Terry of Rockport, is a business major. She is a member of the college newspaper staff and Life Service band.

**BAPTIST PASTOR TALKS TO PRESBYTERIAN MEN**

The Rev. Wilson Brumley, new pastor of the First Baptist Church spoke at the dinner meeting of the men of the Presbyterian Church Thursday. Introduced by the Rev. A. Arnott Ward, host pastor, he discussed his experience in the ministry and as a pilot in World War I.

Hostesses for the dinner were Mrs. J. H. Schleider Mrs. John T. Slocum, Mrs. Fred Cloberdants, and Mrs. Jack Sparks.

**Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Sue Rooke**

Mrs. Sue Hanes Rooke, 69, died at 4:15 p. m. Thursday at her home here.

She had been a resident of Rockport 18 years. She was a member of the Methodist Church and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors are her husband, Tom Rooke; two sons, Francis Fallis of Duncan, Okla., and Sevier Fallis of Tulsa; and one sister, Mrs. Flora Fletcher of Dallas.

The body was sent to Seago-ville, for funeral services there Sunday afternoon.

Cage-Marshall Funeral Home of Rockport was in charge of local arrangements.

**Wesleyan Service Guild To Install Officers Sunday**

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will have a special service for the installation its officers at evening worship on Sunday, at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Clara McNeil of Sinton, district secretary, will give a short talk and install officers in a candlelighting ceremony.

All members and friends of the church are invited to attend.

**Ruth Circle Meets Tuesday**

The Ruth Circle of the Womans Society of Christian Service met with Mrs. A. C. Glass, Tuesday morning, May 7th at 9:30 o'clock. Mrs. W. N. Sanders assisted the hostess in serving refreshments to twelve members and Mrs. Bob Bekins as vistor. The two new members were Mrs. Mildred Weekly and Mrs. Bob Lehman.

The nominating committee reported on the new officers for the coming year who are: Mrs. Matt Scott, Chairman, Mrs. E. T. White, vice-chairman, Mrs. A. C. Glass, secretary, Mrs. W. N. Sanders, treasurer. The telephone committee is Mrs. Newell Boughton and Mrs. Frank Prescott.

Mrs. E. T. White led the members in a very impressive pledge service ending with a prayer.

Mrs. Glen Daniel will have the devotional in June and the officers will be installed for the new year. This will be the last meeting of the year until September. The June meeting will be with Mrs. Matt Scott at Oak Shore. The meeting closed with the WSCS benediction.

**TERRY THOMAS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Earl Thomas entertained her daughter, Terry on her 10th birthday Friday evening.

Favors of whistles and balloons were given to the children.

Those helping Terry celebrate were Linda Salgie, Sue Taylor, Sherry Brundrett, Pammie Court, Linda Eller, Jean Miller, Susie LeBlanc, Cathy Johnson, Jan Clark, Mary Lou Johnson, Jeanie Diederich.

Terry played the piano while the other girls sang songs.

Ice cream and cake was served. Mrs. N. G. Crews of Tivoli, grandmother of Terry assisted with the party.

**TRAINING UNION HAS 'MAD HATTER' PARTY**

Members of the Training Union of the First Baptist church had a "Mad Hatter" party Saturday night at the home of the pastor, the Rev. Wilson Brumley and Mrs. Brumley.

Mrs. Brumley and Robert Landrum were in charge of the games.

The highlight of the evening's entertainment was the creation of spring hats from household articles by the 18 members in attendance.

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We wish to take this means to thank our many friends for their kind words, deeds, and flowers during the illness and at the death of our father. Thanks especially goes to Bro. George Merriman, Charles Potter, Virginia Steward.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our deep gratitude to our many friends who were so thoughtful and kind with their expressions of sympathy, cards and gifts during the last illness and death of our father. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison and family, Paul W. Morrison, Donald B. Morrison.

**Rockport Duplicate Bridge Club**

The second meeting of the Club was held last Thursday night at the Womans Club.

A vote was taken to start play at 7:15 p. m. and to finish play by not later than 10:30 p. m.

The following officers were elected President: Mrs. A. L. Bachman; director of duplicate games, Mrs. Homer Faber; secretary and publicity, Mrs. Paul Stewart.

Remember, tonight and every Thursday night at 7:15 p. m. promptly at the Womans Club, is Duplicate Bridge night.

**HOME ON LEAVE**

Robert Cassel is spending a 10-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cassel in Rockport. He arrived Friday from Fort Carson, Colo. Cassel, who is attached to the Second Battalion of the 47th Infantry Regiment, will report to Fort Lee, Va.

**LESLIE COLE FINISHES RECRUIT TRAINING**

Great Lakes, Ill (FHTNC) — Leslie E. Cole, son of Mrs. Birdie L. Cole of Fulton, Texas, and husband of the former Miss Wanda J. Jordan of Aransas Pass, Texas, graduated from recruit training April 27, at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

The nine weeks of "Boot Camp" included drill and instruction in seamanship, gunnery, life saving, sea survival, boat landing, and the use of small arms.

Following 2 weeks leave, graduates report to shipboard duties or service schools depending on the qualifications each has demonstrated.

**SANDRA SHIPMAN CROWNED QUEEN**

Sandra Shipman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Shipman was crowned Talent Queen at the Talent Show sponsored by the Fulton Parent-Teacher Association Friday night at the Fulton Elementary School auditorium. Sandra, who was escorted by Prentice Owens Jr., is a fifth grade student.

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## Chamber of Commerce Holds Regular Monthly Meeting On Tuesday Night

The Chamber of Commerce directors held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night, and listened to a most interesting presentation by Matt Scott on the needs of the school system.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, Scott said, the school system needs approximately \$90,000 at this time, to meet a number of expenses and deficits that could not have been foreseen at the time contracts were signed for the erection of Rockport's new school plant.

A large part of this was due to the steel strike, and to unexpected rises in the costs of other materials and labor, and a smaller part (about a fifth of the total) to the fact that the school system, because of the improved economic index of the county, was no longer receiving about \$15,000 a year in state aid, and hadn't received it for the past two years.

He pointed out that this had nothing whatever to do with the bonded indebtedness of the school district. This, he showed the assembled directors, was in excellent shape, with plenty of money coming in to take care of the bonds on or before they fell due.

Scott's presentation was forceful, well-voiced and clearly put, and when he finished the directors assured him that they would be glad to give aid to the program as he had outlined it.

Other business of the meeting included tabulation of a vote on the frequency with which Cham-

ber of Commerce banquets would be held in the future. Mrs. Mary Juergens said that she had polled the membership, and the majority was in favor of just one such gathering a year. On a vote of the directors, the Chamber's by-laws were amended to so read.

A point brought out during the discussion attending this part of the meeting was the fact that some of the members had said that they would like a public gathering in the nature of a business meeting once a year.

President Jack McDavid pointed out that all members of the Chamber of Commerce were welcome at any time to attend any meetings of the board of directors, as these were public meetings, and he urged anyone having interest in the way Chamber business is conducted to attend these meetings.

Roy Rogero was appointed chairman of the committee on small conventions, in absentia, and reports from the various committees were heard.

The directors were informed that two local firms — Cox's Service Station and the Rockport Yacht and Supply — had reinstated their memberships, and that two new members had been gained since the last meeting. These new members, according to Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr., chairman of the membership committee, are Aransas Butane Company, owned by Noah Taylor, and Anderson's Magnolia Filling Station on Hiway 35

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### MISCELLANEOUS

**YOUTH ASSOCIATION LUNCHEON CLEARS \$145 FOR BUILDING**

According to Mary Martha Shivers, secretary of the organization, the Youth Recreation Association cleared \$145 for their building fund at the luncheon given under their sponsorship last Saturday in the Methodist Annex.

The Association wants to thank the Methodist Church, the many high school students, and everyone else that worked to make the affair such a success.

The Theta Rho girls club met Monday night and at which time made plans to send a representative to the Theta Rho assembly which will be held in Houston in June.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**MRS. JACK McDAVID ENTERTAINS YOUNG MATRONS BRIDGE CLUB**

Mrs. Jack McDavid entertained the Young Matrons Bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home with 3 tables of bridge.

Those playing were Mesdames T. J. Johnson, Jim Jackson, Randy Stivers, N. F. Jackson, Emory Spencer, Herbert Mills, Roy Rogero, Delo Caspary, Harold Picton, Chester Johnson, Chas. Ankele, Arley Shivers. Tea guests were Mrs. Birch Addington, Mrs. R. L. Hart, Mrs. C. L. Taylor, and Mrs. Travis Johnson.

High score was won by Mrs. Jim Jackson; second high, Mrs. Arley Shivers; low, Mrs. Chas. Ankele; and bingo, Mrs. Herbert Mills.

Refreshments were served.

Maurice Curry of Los Angeles, California, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Arthur Curry and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc the past ten days returned to California this morning by plane.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**WATERFRONT—**  
(Continued from page 1)

Thursday and caught 125 trout. On Friday Colonel Bessie, San Antonio, out with Harry, brought in 22 trout. Dick Connolly, Corpus Christi, with Herb, strung 65 trout. On Saturday and Sunday Leon Dennis, San Antonio, fishing with Harry, caught 40 trout.

On Monday, Bob Carsey, Houston, fishing with Herb, came in with 125 specks, and the next day went out again and caught 220 more.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt, of San Antonio, fishing with Eddie Edmonson, came in with 252 trout on Monday.

Marvin Tyler, of Eagle Lake, fishing with Harry on Tuesday, caught 285 trout.

Bill Crist had a party this past week, when he fished Major and Mrs. R. S. Vliet, of San Jose, California, and C. W. Buckner, of San Antonio, coming in with 29 fish.

On Friday, Fred Christilles fished Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Boswell, Fort Worth, and Dr. and Mrs. Dreschel, from the same town, and they strung 73 trout, 2 flounder and 2 gafftops.

On Saturday, Dutch and Jerry Hardersek, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blume, and M. G. Neale, all of Houston, came in with 39 trout and 20 gafftops, fishing with Fred.

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