

Along The Waterfront



Out at Taylor Oak the trailerites never quit trying, with the result that they catch fish every now and again.

Jerry Hodges, of Crosbyton, caught 10 good sized reds and 21 specks in two trips this week.

Ed Whitfill, on two trips, caught 36 trout, a large proportion of which went to Mrs. Elaine LeBlanc for the use of the Sacred Heart Altar Society, in serving the luncheon to the ladies of the Refugio Deanery today.

J. J. Heron, of Lake City, Minn., caught 13 trout, one weighing 6 1/2 pounds.

Charlie Signs, a Sooner, strung four nice trout, one weighing 3 1/2 pounds.

Archie Johnson, another Minnesota visitor, caught 15 specks.

Dynamite Bill Savoie has been giving the fish a rest.

Man Tells Council He Has Lost House

At the council meeting Monday night, Troy E. Frost turned up with a sad tale of woe. He had lost his house.

Frost, who asked for shell on a street in the south end of town where he intended to move a small house from North Beach in Corpus Christi, told the councilors that he had last seen the structure when it was loaded by a Corpus Christi house moving firm Saturday, and started for Rockport.

He and his wife waited for Rockport where they started on the house. The moving firm called and said that its truck had broken down. Sunday the fog was too thick to travel, and Monday the truck broke down again. The house has since arrived in Rockport.

In other business, the council approved and passed an ordinance closing portions of certain streets to clear up survey inconsistencies, allocated \$3,000 to be split between County Precincts One and Two, for work on city streets. They also approved the purchase of a new steel cattle guard for use at the city dump, for \$150.

City Attorney Dick Hatch presented a draft of an electrical ordinance for the council's consideration.

They also authorized City Water Superintendent Tom Shults to employ Tommy Griffith to look over the Highway Department plans for Loop 70, and to indicate where city utilities would have to be located.

Youth Organization Donates \$20 to M.O.D.

The Youth Organization of Aransas County, at their dance on Jan. 31, realized enough from admissions to donate \$20 to the March of Dimes. Sponsors at the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Vic Schleider and Mr. and Mrs. George Weatherly, and the music was furnished by the J. D. Griggs Combo, with Abner West as guest soloist on the trumpet. There were 84 present.

On Feb. 7 there was another dance held, with Mr. and Mrs. Schleider and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mills as sponsors and 66 present.

Scouts to Make Park Around Hut

Scoutmaster Louis Tuer of Troop 49, appeared before the city council Monday evening to ask permission for his troop to make a park around the Scout Hut, on the two lots which the scouts lease from the city.

According to Tuer, the boys will clean up the grounds, whitewash the tree trunks, build barbecue pits as time, materials and money are available, erect swings, and put up tables and benches for public use.

Tuer said that this would be a sort of continuing project for the scouts, over a long period of time, as a community service.

The council, complimented Tuer on the fine spirit shown by the boys, and told him that they appreciated the offer, which they were glad to accept.

March of Dimes Drive Total Nears \$2,200

Aransas County contributed generously to the March of Dimes this year, with collections going close to the \$2,200 mark. Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, drive chairman, announced today. The exact total is not yet known, she said, as there are two or three local groups who have not turned in their collections as yet.

However, she stated, the Rockport business district had contributed \$374 this year. The Fulton business district collections totaled \$130.20; coin collectors, \$119.27; chain coffees, \$203.16; and March of Dimes Mailers \$308.60.

Special events brought in almost as much as the preceding. The Mothers' March collected \$448.61, Mrs. LeBlanc stated, while the Business and Professional Women's supper contributed \$124 to the fund, and \$105.82 came from the Woman's Club party at which Mrs. Libby Roe and her sister, Mrs. Lois Rozzell, were hostesses.

Section Two of the Holy Name Society of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church contributed \$63.49 from their cake walk; the rummage sale brought in \$38.10; from the basket ball game, \$26.35 was realized; school children donated \$98.36 and from various other sources came \$33.16.

Mrs. Floyd Smith was chairman of the Mothers' March, and assisting her were:

Mrs. M. B. Mullinax, Mrs. George Keller, Mrs. George Adolphus, Mrs. C. F. Gilpin, Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Mrs. Johnny Wright, Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. H. E. Collum, Mrs. C. V. Gray;

Mrs. Bill Johnson, Jr., Mrs. Arthur E. Clinton, Mrs. J. H. Malchar, Janet W. Smith, Mrs. Erie (Continued on Page 8)

Hobby Show Very Success Here, Hifi Awarded to Hissong

Joe Hissong, of the Agate Shop, was the winner of the High Fidelity door prize at the second annual hobby show, staged here Saturday night by the Aransas County High School Parent Teachers' Association.

The show, which was even better than last year's maiden effort, is fast becoming one of the things that people of the community look forward to every year, because of the variety and beauty of the exhibits.

And there is variety, as the hundreds of people saw who crowded into the Woman's Club Saturday night.

One of the features of the show that attracted a great deal of interest were the many paintings of pupils of Simon G. Michael's Rockport School of Fine Arts that were displayed on practically every inch of all space, and ranging from marines and landscapes to figure painting and portraits.

Mrs. John Sutherland had a most interesting exhibit of Mexican textiles, glass, silver, masks, and other items, including a glass ink well that had originally belonged to Maximilian, the Mexican emperor. Mr. and Mrs. George Dickey had a most interesting showing of Japanese materials, including samurai swords, wood block prints, lacquer ware and similar items.

A gun collection was shown by Joe Earl Hunt, and he had a fine example of one of the Colt Bisley .45s, a nice Sharps .50 caliber buffalo gun, and one of the big Smith and Wesson .44s, the most powerful handgun ever made.

Miss Lola Bonner exhibited a most interesting group of musical instruments, most of them made of gourds, and coming from the Latin American countries.

Britton Dick showed skin diving equipment; Mrs. Charlene Hunt had a beautiful group of hand painted china dishes that she had completed from time to time. Nina and Liza Dick had a whole menagerie of stuffed animals. Shell pictures were displayed by Fulton Girl Scout Troop 43.

Mrs. Ralph Matern showed a collection of coins, an antique bank and other items, and model makers were represented by Gary Tuer, with boat models, and Jonathan Knauth with airplanes.

Mrs. A. C. Glass showed a most interesting collection of china shoes; Niki Dick and Azalea Shivers exhibited their collection of cups and saucers; Mary Martha Shivers had a most interesting showing of salts and peppers. Other cups and saucers were shown (Continued on page 8)



LATE LATIN LOVER—Giving with that soulful look is a bust of the Roman Emperor Vitellius who reigned for only a few months in the year 69 A.D. Famed as a pleasure-seeker, Vitellius would undoubtedly have been pleased by the caress given him by a pretty garlanded miss in Rome 20 centuries after his death.

Committees Picked for 1959 C. of C.

At a meeting over which executive James A. Jarboe presided, committees were picked for the work of the Rockport Chamber of Commerce in 1959. In the following, the first name given is that of the chairman, followed by the names of the members of his committee:

Membership: George Dickey, Jack McDavid, M. W. Cochran, and J. T. Slocum.

Finance: Charles LaBouty, A. C. Shivers, and Randy Stivers, Jr. Tourist Promotion: John Sutherland, Matt Scott, Bob Morrison, Vernon Kleypas, Mrs. H. E. White, Melvin Borchert, and Frazier Cantrell.

Merchants: John Albert Ratliff, Mrs. Denver Agler, Charles A. Roe, Jr., James Furlong, Jr., Bill Jones, Bob Hamblin, N. C. Vandergriff, Dave Kelso, Glenn Mundine, Bob Naper, Charlie Ankele, and Noah Taylor.

Industries, Roads, Highways, and Streets: James A. Jarboe, Seth Steele, M. W. Cochran, Harold Picton, B. T. Hardeman.

Legislation: Judge John D. Wendell, Roy Woods, Norvell Jackson, and Leonard LeBlanc.

Community Affairs: Homer Faber, Pat Greene, Jack Horton, Walter Heldenfels, Dr. Leonard Goldman, J. D. Gray, V. A. Dullye, Jr., Cecil Cole, and Miss Lola Bonner.

Military Affairs: Rev. A. Arnott Ward, Ray Longino, Herman Johnson, and other members to be added later.

Committee on Committees: Jas. A. Jarboe, Harold Picton, Cecil Cole, J. T. Slocum, and Alex Scott.

Ratliff Furniture Has New Building Under Construction

The Ratliff Furniture Co. has a new building underway and completely new and more diversified stocks ordered, to replace those lost several weeks ago in the disastrous fire which gutted the Bushart building.

The new building, which Ratliff will occupy, will be owned by C. D. Prophet, and erected by C. C. Fowler.

Of concrete block construction, with brick and plate glass front, the new building will be semi-fire proof, and will have 7,000 square feet of floor space. Floors will be concrete and walls will merely be painted inside, Ratliff stated.

There will be an office and a 28x50 shop in the rear of the store, Ratliff stated, and the showroom will be 59x75 feet, giving even more room than he had at his previous location.

A completely new and larger than ever stock of TVs and stereo record players has been ordered, he said, along with the furniture lines previously carried.

"We also intend to add some new lines," John Albert said, "although we are not ready to make any announcement on them now. We are set up and doing business in the building next to the post office, where Ellis Clark's offices were formerly, and will remain there until our new place is ready."

Date	Bar.	Rain	Wind	Hi	Lo
Feb. 6	30.32	0	10	60	44
Feb. 7	30.22	0	4	64	50
Feb. 8	30.00	.06	1	65	53
Feb. 9	29.78	.01	15	70	50
Feb. 10	29.34	0	6	72	63
Feb. 11	30.16	.07	8	65	47
Feb. 12	30.08	.69	2	—	—

School Board Appoints Board Of Equalization

The board of the Aransas County Independent School District, at its regular meeting Tuesday night, appointed a three-man equalization board, consisting of Milton Harrell, Zeph Rouquette and C. L. Grant, with S. F. Jackson as an alternate.

The board also called an election for April 4, to replace two trustees whose terms expire this year—Charles A. Roe, Jr. and Robert A. Johnson. Candidates for the two positions must file with Shelley Roaten, secretary of the school board, before 8 p. m., March 4, to be eligible to have their names placed on the ballot.

Election judges were named, consisting of Mrs. E. G. Cooke, in Fulton; Mrs. A. L. Brundrett, Rockport; and Mrs. Ludene Worford in Lamar.

In other action, the board authorized the school tax collector to allow a 3% discount on taxes paid before the end of October, for the coming year, and no discount after that date.

Two-year contract extensions were voted for A. B. Lefevre, principal Aransas County High School; Chester Barre, junior high school principal; and the principals of the two elementary schools, A. B. Griffith, Jr., at Rockport, and Tom Dannelly, at Fulton.

The school census report, according to Superintendent J. D. Gray, showed a rise of 131 scholastics over the report a year ago, the total being 1,325 children of school age.

Enrollment data at mid-term showed a ten per cent increase over figures last year at the same time, Gray said, and he expects a ten per cent increase over this year's figures in 1959-60. At present Rockport Elementary School has 522 students; Fulton, 131; Junior High School, 176; and Senior High School, 207, for a total of 1,036.

Commissioners Have Busy Session

The Commissioners Court of Aransas County had a busy session Monday. First of the agenda was cancellation of a portion of the Manning Addition that will be affected by the Aransas County Navigation Districts new harbor, the Cove, which will get underway in the near future.

County Court terms were left as they are at present, and court will be held on the first Monday of the months of February, April, June, August, October and December, as it has been in the past. The crop duster plane owned by the county, on which bids were taken recently, was sold to the Southmost Aviation Company, of Brownsville, for \$4,447.50, a bid which was more than twice as high as the \$2,001.95 bid made by the Fancher Air Service of Refugio, the only other bidder.

Approval was given to the request of James A. Jarboe, county surveyor, for an additional \$300 to be used in bringing necessary data up to date for use in the suit of Aransas County for realignment of the boundary between this county and Nueces County.

County Auditor J. R. Millikin recommended that the county tax rate be kept at \$1 per hundred, and this recommendation was approved by the commissioners.

Bids were received on two T-hangers for the airport, and these were tabled for the time being, although the commissioners did approve employment of Seth H. Steele as inspector, when the bids had been evaluated and construction started.

The calendar of holidays for the coming year was set, and includes Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's.

Poling places were also set, and officers for 1959 elections were appointed, as follows:

Precinct No. 1: Fire Station, Rockport; Mrs. Faye Brundrett, presiding judge; Mrs. Fred Diederich, judge.

Precinct No. 2: Courthouse, Mrs. Alma Ratliff, presiding judge; Mrs. Elbert Mundine, judge.

Precinct No. 3: School house, Fulton; C. L. Utz, presiding judge; Mrs. E. G. Cooke, judge.

Precinct No. 4: Concession Hall, Lamar; Mrs. Elmo Brundrett, presiding judge; Mrs. Ludene Worford, judge.

Little Bay Contract Goes to Richardson

Lloyd W. Richardson Construction Company of Aransas Pass Given Contract On \$122,668 Bid And R. C. Thwing Says Work Will Take 50 Days

The Aransas County Navigation District announced Monday that it had awarded a contract for dredging a channel and constructing a levee in Little Bay, between Rockport and Fulton, to the Lloyd W. Richardson Construction Company of Aransas Pass, on the company's low bid of \$122,668, made last November.

Chairman Dick Picton was authorized by the Navigation and Canal Commissioners to complete

Work On Cedar Bayou to Start Over Weekend

Homer C. Innis, Corpus Christi head of the Houston consulting firm of Lockwood, Andrews and Newnam, said in a telephone call today:

"The Cedar Bayou Pass project is about to begin. We have moved a survey party into the area, for control and construction staking in advance of actual construction by the contractor, King Fisher, of the Kingfisher Marine Services of Port Lavaca, which will begin this weekend.

"The contractor's first operation will be to construct retaining levees along the south edge of the pass with a drag line, to retain the excavated material from the realigned channel, and at the same time he will commence other operations."

King Fisher, when contacted, said that the dredge, Shamrock, would be used to open the channel, which is the natural course of the bayou, closed some years ago by the forces of nature. The pass, a project of the Game and Fish Commission, when completed, will lie between St. Joseph's and Matagorda Islands, and will, its proponents hope, improve fishing in the bays surrounding Rockport.

BISHOP GARRIGA HERE FOR REFUGIO DEANERY MEETING

Approximately 125 women of the Refugio Deanery of the National Association of Catholic Women met here today for a session which started at 9:30 a. m. this morning with celebration of the Mass in Sacred Heart Church by Father Gregory Boensch, of Aransas Pass, and which was attended by the Right Reverend M. S. Garriga, of the Diocese of Corpus Christi with other Catholic clergy of the region.

The morning's sermon was delivered by the Rev. Father John Malloy, of Refugio.

Miss Emma Huddleston, president of the deanery, presided over the business meeting which followed.

Bishop Garriga said grace before the seafood dinner served by members of the Sacred Heart Altar Society, headed by Miss Veronica Klaeser, in the Woman's Club building.

During the afternoon an address was given by Dr. Sidney Greenberg on Catholic parenthood.

Other speakers were the Rt. Rev. Msgr. H. F. Palmer, spiritual moderator for the diocese; the Right Rev. Msgr. E. J. Miller, diocesan moderator; Bishop Garriga; and Mrs. Paul D. Moore, diocesan president.

D. R. Simmons Named Member of Draft Board

David R. Simmons of Rockport was informed today that he has been appointed a member of local draft board No. 107 at Sinton to represent Aransas County.

Mr. Simmons was appointed by President Eisenhower after being recommended by Governor Price Daniel. He was advised of his appointment by Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state director of Selective Service.

"I am sure your membership on this board will reflect great credit to yourself and the Selective Service System of Texas," Colonel Schwartz wrote Mr. Simmons. Local Board No. 107 has jurisdiction over San Patricio, Aransas and Bee counties.

the necessary formalities so that the work can start as soon as possible.

Awarding of the contract had been delayed for almost two months by protests entered with the U. S. Engineers by various conservation agencies and individuals against approval of a permit allowing dredging in the Little

Bay Game Sanctuary, which completely blankets the entire Rockport waterfront, although the land and water which comprise it belong to the Navigation District.

However, the permit has been granted and is in the hands of the Navigation District which immediately went ahead with the project, designed to accommodate shallow-draft boats such as outboards and other recreational-type craft.

R. C. Thwing, head of the construction company, said that it would be about three weeks before the dredge would move in, and that the work would require about 50 days to complete. Immediately upon completion of this, unless some unforeseen circumstances occur, a fourth harbor will be undertaken by the Navigation District.

The Little Bay work is the first (Continued on Page 8)

World Day of Prayer Services At St. Peter's

The World Day of Prayer service, sponsored by the local Council of Church Women, will be held at St. Peter's Episcopal Church on Friday, Feb. 13 at 4 p. m.

The World Day of Prayer service begins on Tonga Island in the Pacific and continues throughout the day around the world, closing with the observance on St. Lawrence Island, Alaska.

This year the service, with the theme, "Lord, I Believe," was written by Egyptian women of the Coptic Orthodox, Anglican and Evangelistic Churches. The Coptic Orthodox Church in Egypt is the ancient Christian Church founded by St. Mark.

World Day of Prayer projects carry on the work of Christian Education in a world where ignorance goes hand in hand with distrust and violence.

President of Texas Farm Bureau Guest Speaker Here Tonight

Under the auspices of the Aransas County Ministerial Association, J. H. West, president of the Texas Farm Bureau, will be the guest speaker tonight at a dinner for laymen and lay women of the local churches.

The dinner will be held at the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church, and will start at 7 p. m.

West, a distinguished lay speaker, well-known throughout Texas, will be introduced by the Rev. Ssa F. Avant, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Musical entertainment at the dinner will be furnished by J. Allen Frye, soloist, accompanied by C. D. McClure, organist.

Nursery facilities will be provided free of charge at the Methodist Educational Building. Men and women of all faiths will be welcomed.

A. C. Glass and Sergeant J. A. Angelman, chaplain's assistant at the radar station, are in charge of the ticket sales. Tickets are \$1.25 each.

Congressman Young Appoints Terry Wills To Air Force Academy

Terry Wills, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wills of Rockport, has received an appointment as a candidate to the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, according to a letter received by Rev. Wilson Brumley of the First Baptist Church. This said, in part:

"I am most pleased to advise you that I am today nominating Terry Wills as a candidate to the Academy."

Terry will have to take a competitive examination with other candidates later in the year.



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Green ONIONS or RADISHES, bunch 5c
CELERY stalk 9c
AVOCADOS 3 for 19c
No. 1 Russet POTATOES . . 10 lb. bag 45c

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Flour LIGHT CRUST 5 lbs. 45c

First Choice Cut GREEN BEANS 303 can 10c

Le Grande Cream Style GOLDEN CORN 303 can 2 for 25c

Kraft's MIRACLE MARGARINE . . . lb. 29c

Del Monte CHUNK TUNA No. 2 1/2 can 29c

Scottie DOG FOOD . . . Tall Can 5c | 5 lbs. Sugar 49c

Bama Red PLUM JAM . 12 oz. glass 19c | Giant Tide 69c

Hunt-for the best

CATSUP 14 oz. 19c
TOMATOES 300 can 2 for 25c

TOMATO SAUCE 8 oz. can . . 3 for 25c

TOMATO JUICE 300 can 10c

PEACHES No. 2 1/2 can 27c

PEARS No. 2 1/2 can 35c

Good Veal Shoulder SWISSSTEAK lb. 59c

Rath's Shankless, Fatless **HAMS**
End Cuts Center Slices
lb. 49c lb. 79c

First Choice OLEO lb. 19c

Northern JUMBO TOWELS roll 29c

WAX TEX roll 20c

Northern TISSUE 3 rolls 25c

Luncheon Size SCOTKINS box 15c

LAVA SOAP, regular size 2 for 23c

NBC PREMIUM CRACKERS lb. 27c

Kraft's ITALIAN DINNER box 25c

JELLO 3 for 25c

First Choice DETERGENT giant box 59c

Borden's CHATEAU CHEESE, 2 lb. box 75c

Appian Way PIZZA PIE MIX BOX 35c

Duncan Hines Deluxe CAKE MIX . . . 3 for 1.00

Rose-Dale PEAS 303 can 15c

Del Monte Sliced - flat can PINEAPPLE . . . 2 for 33c

Del Monte Crushed - flat can PINEAPPLE . . . 2 for 29c

MARYLAND CLUB . lb. 73c

ADMIRATION . . lb. 69c

MASTER CHEF . lb. 69c

Tenderleaf TEA . 1/4 lb. 35c

Gebhardt's CHILI (no beans) . . 39c



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Apple or Cherry each PET-RITZ PIES 49c

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One 16-18 lb. Armours Ready to Eat Ham
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Whole or Shank Portion lb.

49^c

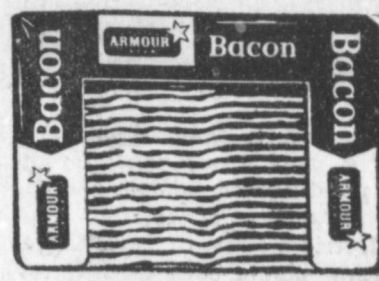


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Fresh Ground Hamburger 49c pound	Armour's Banner Thick Slice BACON 89c 2 lb. pkg.	Armour's Star SAUSAGE 89c 2 lb. bag
Baby Beef LIVER 49c pound	Armour's Star FRANKS 55c pound	Armour's Star U. S. Choice Shoulder Round Swiss Steak 69c pound



lb. **55^c**

Armour's U. S. Choice Heavy Beef **CHUCK ROAST** lb. **53^c**

Scott TOWELS , reg. . . . 19c	Pink Beauty No. 1 can SALMON 49c
Deodorant Soap Reg. ZEST 2 for 25c	Bama 22 oz. APPLE BUTTER . . 25c
Northern 200 count FACIAL TISSUE . 2 for 25c	Kellogg's VARIETY PACK . . 39c
Fleecy White BLEACH . . . qt. 16c	Gerber's BABY FOOD . . 3 for 27c
Red & White Golden HOMINY . . . can 9c	Large Loaf Sun Spun BREAD . . 1 1/2 lb. 24c



Frigid Dough Cherry or Apple PIES . . . 49c	4 oz. Red & White BLACK PEPPER 27c
6 oz. Treesweet ORANGE JUICE . . . 2 for 43c	20 oz. Bama RED PLUM JAM 31c
Valley Frost STRAWBERRIES 19c	Northern Luncheon NAPKINS 2 for 25c
Red Bird 2 1/2 can SWEET POTATOES . . . 25c	Northern TOILET TISSUE . . . 3 for 25c
Kounty Kist Whole Kernel 12 oz. can CORN 2 for 27c	3 lb. can SPRY 69c
Del Monte SPINACH 2 for 29c	Ungraded EGGS doz. 38c

Rath's Blackhawk **Pure Lard** . . . 3 pounds **49c**

5 lb. Light Crust **FLOUR** 45c

PINTO - 2 lb. bag **BEANS** 21c

Star Crust **BISCUITS** . . can 9c

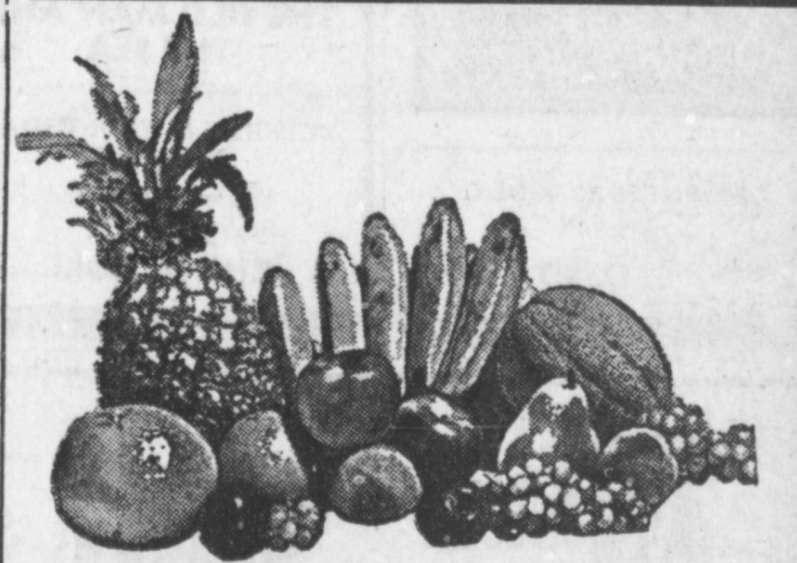
Large Red & White **MILK** 2 for 25c

Texas Magic **Tomato Sauce** 4 for **25c**

Red & White **Shortening** . . . 3 lb. can **69c**

Admiration 1 lb. pkg. Soap Powder **Coffee** 69c **Surf** . . 26c

Red Bird 2 1/2 can SWEET POTATOES . . . 25c	Idaho Russet POTATOES 10 lbs. 49c
Kounty Kist Whole Kernel 12 oz. can CORN 2 for 27c	Fresh Valley CABBAGE lb. 4c
Del Monte SPINACH 2 for 29c	BANANAS 2 lbs. 25c
Chicken of the Sea CHUNK TUNA 31c	Fancy Delicious APPLES 2 lbs. 25c
Sun Spun SALAD DRESSING . . . qt. 43c	
Nabisco, Sunshine or Supreme CRACKERS . . . 1 lb. box 27c	
Delight DOG FOOD 3 for 25c	
Sun Spun No. 303 can SLICED PINEAPPLE 26c	
5 oz. Instant Borden's COFFEE 89c	
Texsun 46 oz. GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 28c	
TIDE 31c	



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BANANAS 2 lbs. 25c
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SCOUTS, EXPLORERS AND CUBS TO ATTEND SCOUTORAMA FRIDAY

Boy Scouts of Troop 49, Explorer Scouts of Post 49, and Cubs from Pack 49 will attend the Boy Scoutorama in Corpus Christi on Friday, according to Explorer Leader Cecil Gray.

Gray says that the scout bus will be used, and that all boys who wish to go should be at the Scout Hut between 5:30 and 6 p. m.

TRI CIRCLE HAS MEETING

The Tri Circle WMU of the First Baptist Church, met with Mrs. Katie Moss at her home in Fulton Tuesday. In the absence of Mrs. Brumley, Mrs. D. R. Simmons presided. Mrs. Pearson led in prayer and Mrs. Eva Lutz read the minutes. Mrs. John Talley brought the lesson of salvation.

Those present were Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. Eva Whitfill, Mrs. Lutz, Mrs. Suits, Mrs. Bill Clark, Mrs. John Hayes, Miss Pauline Brooks, Mrs. Talley, Mrs. Simmons, and the hostess Mrs. Moss.

SOPHOMORES PLAN VALENTINE DANCE

The sophomore class of Aransas County High School are planning their annual Valentine's Day dance for next Saturday, Feb. 14 at the Youth Hut.

APPLICANTS CAN SPEED UP SOCIAL SECURITY PAYMENTS

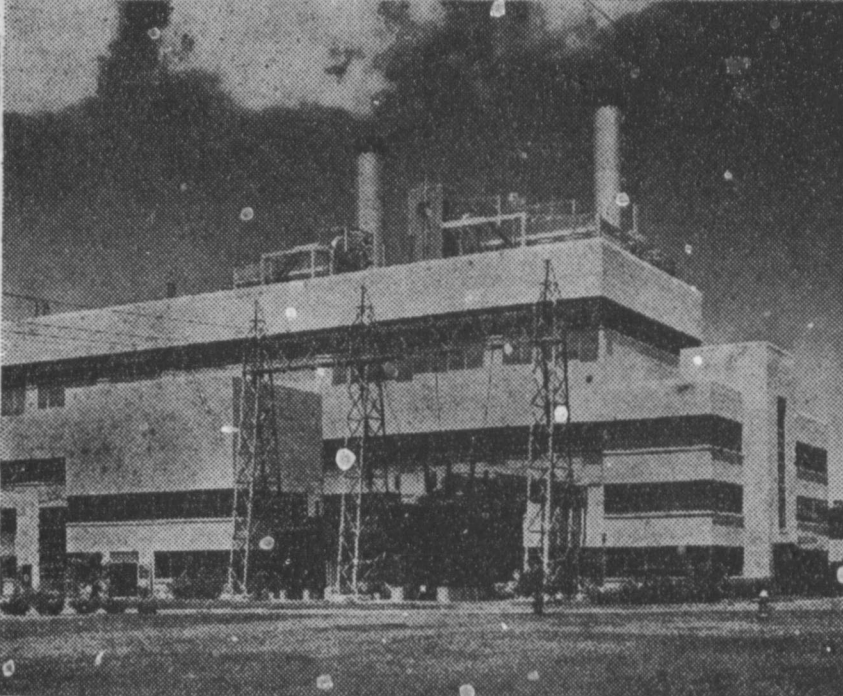
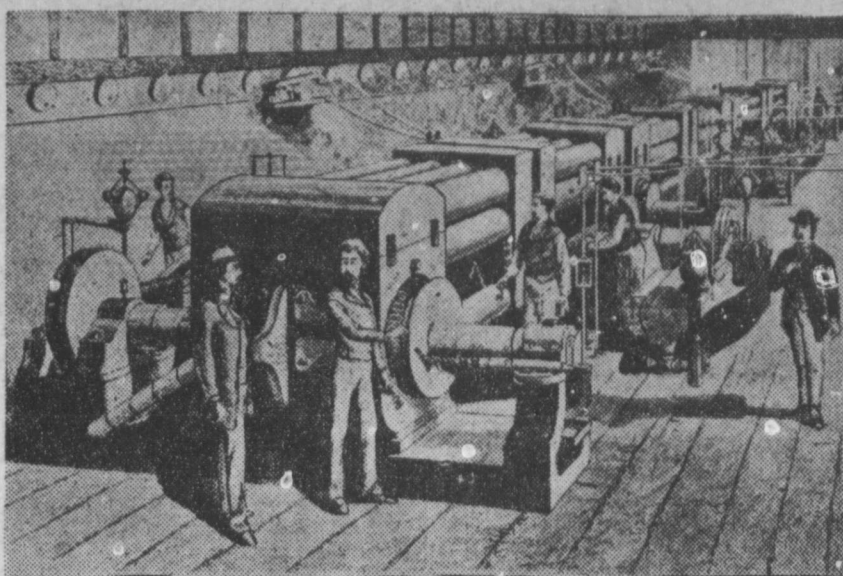
Anyone who plans to retire and apply for his social security insurance can help speed up the first payment by some advance preparation, according to George A. Miles, field representative of the Corpus Christi office of the Social Security Administration.

"The Social Security Administration wants the treasury check in payment of benefits delivered to every proper claimant, at the earliest possible time," Miles says. "However, before a claim can be paid, certain requirements must be met. Applicants are often required to furnish certain records to establish their right to receive the benefits."

"A person who applies for the retirement insurance should bring his social security card so that his account can be located quickly. If he worked for wages last year, he should bring his withholding slip, Form W-2, to show the amount he was paid. If he was self-employed last year, he should bring a complete copy of his income tax return to be kept in the file and the cancelled check or other receipt showing that the self-employment tax has been paid."

"A person does not need a birth certificate to qualify for social security benefits," Miles added. "If the applicant has any records that show his age or date of birth, he should bring the record with him when he files his claim. There are many types of records which can be used as proof of age."

Further information or assistance in filing a claim can be secured from the Social Security Administration, 530 South Water Street, Corpus Christi, Texas.



THEN AND NOW — Times have changed since Thomas Edison's first electric generating plant (top) began producing electricity in 1882. That first plant lighted about 400 light bulbs for the 59 original electric customers. Today, Central Power and Light Company supplies electric power to 240,000 South Texas families from giant generating plants such as the one shown in the bottom picture. Improved efficiency of larger power plants has kept electric rates down. CPL and all other phases of the electric industry are paying tribute to Edison for his contributions to the development of electricity during National Electrical Week, Feb. 8-14.

The Farmers' Almanac

By Jo Hunt

My friend in Maine has just sent me a copy of the Farmers' Almanac for 1959. I've been getting one from my Yankee friend for 20 years and have come to look forward to receiving it each year at this time. After all, how would I know otherwise that Monday and Wednesday will be my lucky days, and February and November my lucky months, in 1959? When we get further into the shank of the year, I can report whether or not the prognostications were correct.

In the matter of weather, the 142-year-old journal has been calling 'em right for years. The 1938 edition, for instance, predicted the exact date of the destructive hurricane which struck the New England coast that year. The weathermen were surprised—and embarrassed—but subscribers to the Farmer's Almanac were not. They knew it was coming.

The 1959 edition, just off the press, states that this winter will be a rugged one with plenty of snow in the East. It further states that the following several winters will be mild . . . so be of good cheer.

The old, familiar pages of the almanac are dressed up with a wealth of handy advice. You can learn what to do if you have opened up a soft-boiled egg too soon, and what to do to add new life to a broom. (Sorry, I couldn't find anything for human beings.) There's advice on carrot growing and feeding hens—and gags galore.

The almanac contains the usual facts and figures and the homey touch of yesteryear. It has anecdotes, poems, and axioms that serve as guide to pleasant living. In "Capsules of Wisdom" it states that "the best place to find a helping hand is at the end of your arm," and, "nature has given to men one tongue but two ears, that we may hear twice as much as we speak."

The Farmers' Almanac sticks its neck out to predict the weather more than a year in advance. It will tell you when to expect storms

and if you will have a sunny Fourth of July.

"If the hens roll in the dust or go to roost later than usual," the Almanac says, "but doesn't guarantee this one, 'bad weather is on the way.' Or, (not guaranteed), 'Look for crows perched in the tree tops—good weather.'"

The Farmers' Almanac is not for sale although 1,200,000 copies were printed this year. Advertising pays the publishing costs. It is published by Geiger Bros. of Lewiston, Maine, and looks the same today with its old wood cuts as it did under its first editor, David Young, astronomer, poet and teacher from Morris County, N. J. He called himself a "philom"—a lover of learning."

Senior Play to Be Hilton's 'Lost Horizon'

The Senior Class of 1958-59 has chosen for its play a dramatization of James Hilton's famous novel, "Lost Horizon."

Rehearsals are now underway under direction of Mrs. Florence Horton.

A new different setting for the presentation is planned by the stage crew.

The play is to be given Feb. 26 and 27 at 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Ernest Camehl returned to Trinity University last week after spending mid-term holidays with his parents.

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Local Women Attend Meeting of Red Cross

Miss Iris Sorenson, Aransas County chairman of the Red Cross, and Mrs. Mary Juergens, manager of the local Chamber of Commerce, attended a meeting of the South Texas Chapter of the Red Cross in Sinton Monday night, at which new officers for the coming year were elected.

H. B. Pendleton of Sinton was elected chairman. Dr. Eldon Brinley of Kingsville, former secretary, was named vice chairman and Mrs. James Odem of Sinton, secretary. Pendleton succeeds John A. Ferris of Corpus Christi. Brinley replaces Clarence Parkins of Alice.

Chapters from Aransas, Bee, Duval, Jim Wells, Kleberg-Kenedy, Nueces and San Patricio Counties attended the annual meeting held at the Colony Club. Sixty-one persons were present.

Speakers on the program included Mrs. William J. Murray, Jr., and E. C. Stokley, Texas member of the board of governors, ARC; Curtis M. Smith, national vice chairman, and John B. Boye, regional chairman for the 1959 campaign for members and funds.

Mrs. T. M. Caspary, accompanied by Mrs. Bill Fair and Mrs. Charles Ferson of Corpus Christi, left Tuesday morning for New Orleans to attend the Regional Bridge Tournament being held there this week.

Pack 49 to Have Blue and Gold Banquet Feb. 28

Cub Scouts of Pack 49, their leaders, parents and friends will stage their annual Blue and Gold banquet on Feb. 28, according to Philip Baldwin, cub master.

The dinner is slated for 7:30 p. m. in the old gymnasium at Rockport Elementary School, Baldwin said, and about 250 people are expected to take part.

TERRY LEARY PRESENTS ROTARY PROGRAM

Terry Leary was in charge of the program at Rotary Wednesday and he gave a talk on the Rotary Bulletin, of which he is editor. Visiting seniors this week were Terry Wayne Wills, Jerry Wayne Iles, and Eugene Satsky.

Visiting were Merritt Hulett, Saratoga Springs, N. Y.; LeMoyné Shellbrana, from Indiana; Judge John Miller, from Sinton; District Attorney John Flynn, Sinton; Mornie Brash, Apalachicola, Fla.; Bud Eise, Ingleside; R. L. Irwin, Ingleside; Wright McMillan, Montclair, N. J.

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FACULTY-SENIOR CAGE GAME SCHEDULED FEB. 20

A basket ball game between the senior class of Aransas County High School and faculty members has been scheduled for Friday, Feb. 20, in the Pirate gymnasium, at 7:30 p.m.

Sponsored by the Lettermen's Association, proceeds of the game will go to projects aimed at betterment of the local athletic program. Admission is 50c for adults, 25c for students.

WARD, BRUNDRETT ATTEND MEETING

The Rev. A. Arnott Ward and George L. Brundrett, ruling elder, attended a meeting of the South Texas Presbytery at the First Presbyterian Church in Mission Tuesday and Wednesday.

JEWEL EDWARDS HEADS ARANSAS FLYING CLUB

Officers for a six-month period were elected by the Aransas County Flying Club Tuesday night.

Jewel Edwards of Ingleside was named president, Paul King, Ingleside, first vice president, and Woody Jackson, Rockport, second vice president.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Chupe are the proud parents of a baby boy born Monday, Feb. 9 at Aransas Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces, and has been named Urban John, Jr. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hernandez of Aransas Pass; paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Chupe, Sr.



SEPARATES—Mary Ann Mobley, Miss America 1959, wears colorful separates by Joe Davison. Outline quilting accents floral motif in the skirt. The fabric is Everglaze cotton satin by Everfast.

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Sunday Masses, 7 and 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Holy Days 8 a.m. and 7 p.m.; week-day Mass Monday, Tuesday and Friday at 8; Wednesday, 5 p.m.; Thursday, 11:30 a.m.; Saturday 7:00 a.m.; Friday night Novena devotions at 7; Confessions, Saturdays, from 4:30 to 6 and 7 to 8 p.m., Vigil before Holy Days and Thursdays before First Fridays, 4:30 to 6:00.

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.
Monday: 4 p.m. Y.W.A. 7:30 p.m. B.W.C. Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. S.B. & W.M.S. 3:15 p.m. S.B. & W.M.S. 4:30 p.m. Int. G.A. Wednesday: 4:00 p.m. J. G.A.

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, 9:30 a.m. and men's Bible class at 7:30 p.m.

FULTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Eulon Mills

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, 7:30; Week night service Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. Arnott Ward, Minister
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Senior Young People and Pioneer Young People, 6:00 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. A. F. Avant

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

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Buford Harris, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45; preaching service, 10:15 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; p.m.; Sunday prayer service, 6:30 to 7:00 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

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

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Frank Reese, 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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Rev. L. C. Barnett, Pastor

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MILTON FAVER TEXAS' FIRST CATTLE KING

The first 20 years were the hardest, but Don Milton Faver was a lusty man, who thrived on Apaches, bandits, cattle rustlers and similar troubles, and he claimed an empire for his own in the Big Bend. After that he settled down to enjoy life at Texas' first and foremost cattle king, exterminating a cow thief or an Indian now and then, and growing richer and richer.

Just who he was or where he came from, no one seems to know, but he turned up some time in 1854 and proceeded to settle a part of the border that, until that time, no one but Indians or bandits wanted.

When Faver arrived in the country he had no cattle, but there were thousands upon thousands just across the river, which could be persuaded with little trouble that the grass was greener on the American side of the Rio Grande. The little matter of brands was easily remedied with a running iron or a cinch ring, heated in a fire of mesquite roots, which were plentiful.

It was only a little while, therefore, until longhorned cattle wearing one of the F brands were roaming from one end to the other of a gigantic triangle bounded by the Pecos, the Guadalupe, and the Rio Grande.

It must not be thought, however, that Don Milton, as his vaqueros called him, was lacking in appreciation of the finer things of life. No self-respecting king can do without a castle, and, as emperor of a million-acre empire, Faver had three of them. Flat-roofed, and built of 'dobe, they were large enough to hold an army of retainers who, like the Don, slept with only a goatskin between them and the earthen floor.

The main building of all of them stood in one corner of a huge enclosure and at Cibolo, his favorite seat of government, this enclosure held a peach orchard.

Where Don Milton got the trees is an unsolved mystery of the Big Bend, but there isn't the slightest doubt about the use he made of the peaches. When, some years before they were planted, the trees bore a bumper crop, Faver was ready. Long before the fruit had ripened a mule train from Chihuahua city made its appearance in the courtyard of his castle. On the back of the biggest, orneriest, toughest mule of them all was a

gleaming 200 gallon still, fashioned for him in the city.

Into its cavernous maw disappeared the peach crop, to emerge as brandy, smooth as silk and powerful as an H-bomb. Don Milton was indeed a man of vision, and if that vision occasionally included pink elephants and sky-blue giraffes, it was his business, just as it was his brandy.

In all things he conducted himself as a king of the cattle country should. Benign and bearded, he might have passed for a saint, except that there was a noticeable absence of such gentleness along the river.

He packed his hogleg beneath his shirt, and when some cow country badman jumped Faver, thinking him unarmed, the Don merely caressed his beard, slipping his hand beneath the chin whiskers, then unlimbering his artillery and planting the audacious citizen with a permanence that brooked no refusal.

Being equipped with the necessary castles and peach brandy, life was good to the Don. During six months of the year he was busy branding his calves; during the other six months he was equally busy driving them to market. However, the vaqueros attended to all that, and to lighten his dull hours and to dispense his hospitality which, via gourd dippers, was generally served directly from the barrel of peach brandy, the king looked around for a consort. In due time he returned from a trip below the border with a queen that was young and beautiful, to bear his sons and daughters, at least one of which was eventually educated in London and Paris.

However Faver's long day began to wane at last.

The advent of barbed wire was his downfall, and the vast kingdom which he had never owned but merely controlled through his vaqueros became the prey of land-hunters. In this way more than one West Texas cattleman got his start, and Don Milton, older now, paid no attention, his time being taken up with worrying about really important things like the quality of his peach crop.

When at last he died, full of years and honor, the brand passed to his wife and was dissipated in litigation. But Texas' first cattle king knew nothing of this, for on the hill behind Cibolo, he sleeps beneath a stone on which is carved:

En Memoria A
Meliton Faver

Quien Murio el dia 23 Diciembre del anno 1889 a la una de tarde. Si Tuvo faltas que sean olvidadas, y sola tenga presente sus buenas acciones.

J. P. Hanway, confined to Bayview Hospital, is improving.

CIRCLE ONE HAS MEETING THURSDAY

Circle No. 1 of the First Presbyterian Church held its regular meeting last Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. A. L. Bachman. Orange juice, coffee and gingerbread, topped with whipped cream and apricot halves was served.

Members present were: Mrs. Jerald Brundrett, Mrs. J. W. Ingersoll, Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mrs. F. L. McCord, Mrs. Fred Christilles, Miss Winona McFall, Mrs. H. T. Temperton, Mrs. A. L. Bachman, Mrs. Thomas Yarrell and Mrs. J. M. Joplin. The guests were Mrs. Terry, Mrs. J. F. Cloberdants, Mrs. Ruby Clark, Mrs. Homer J. Everall, and Mrs. DeReign.

The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. J. W. Ingersoll, and Mrs. J. B. Jackson was moderator for the lesson on "The Inheritance of the Christians."

The next meeting, on March 12, will be held in the home of Mrs. Joplin, with Mrs. Ingersoll acting as moderator.

SURVEYING CREWS MOVE IN, DREDGE DUE NEXT WEEK

Surveying crews from both Lockwood, Andrews and Newnam and the Loyd W. Richardson Construction Co. both moved in this afternoon, setting stakes for the work to be done in Little Bay.

The Lockwood and Andrews men say that from here they will go to Cedar Bayou to set stakes there, for the Kingfisher dredge, moving in from Port Lavaca over the weekend.

The Loyd Richardson crew say that their dredge will start on Little Bay sometime within the next week, if nothing goes awry.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Slaughter are parents of a daughter, Linda Kay, born Feb. 11, weighing 5 pounds, 11 ounces.

Mrs. Paul Stewart left by air Tuesday morning to attend the Louisiana State Regional Bridge Tournament at the Hotel Roosevelt in New Orleans. She will be gone a week.

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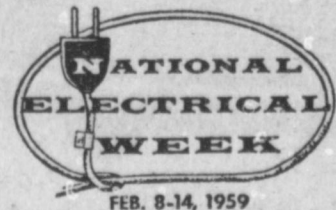
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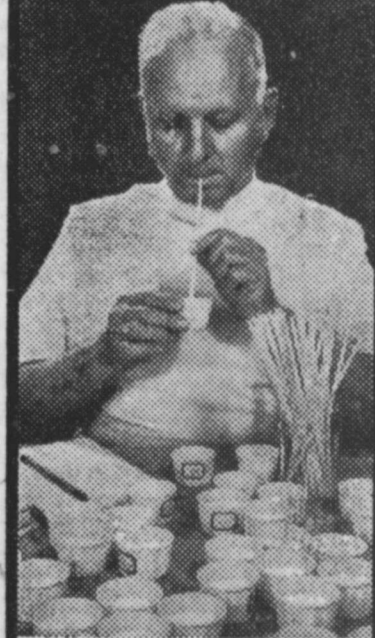
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Marine Scientist Places Price Tag On Bay Resources

How much is bay water worth an acre?

Dr. Howard T. Odum, director of the Institute of Marine Science at Port Aransas, raised this question last week before members of the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce navigation and foreign trade committee.

Outlining a study he has made of the values and conflicts of marine resources in Texas, Dr. Odum conjured up figures to be used in estimating the cash value of Texas coastal waters and their contents.

"These are largely guesstimations," he said, "but there are real values to the contents of and the uses to which the bay waters can be put. If that same area containing similar mineral deposits happened to be in central Texas it would belong to somebody as real estate and have a fancy price tag on it."

The navigation and foreign trade committee of the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce plans to use Dr. Odum's findings as a basis for an even more comprehensive study of the true values of bay waters in the Corpus Christi area. This would include the coastal stretch from Flour Bluff to Rockport.

Pointing to navigation as a major use for Texas coastal waters, Dr. Odum cited a report by the Corps of Engineers that 57 million tons rode through Texas bays in 1957.

"If water transportation a ton involves a savings of \$1.50 over railroad costs, the value of the marine waters a year for Texas is about \$86 million. This amounts to \$64 an acre of bay," said Dr. Odum.

In like manner he showed how the actual cash value of bay waters could be calculated for the chemical raw materials, for disposal of sewage and industrial wastes, for commercial fishing, for cooling and circulating purposes, for recreational purposes and for aquatic agricultural potentials.

Although no attempt has been made to evaluate all of these uses of the bay waters and Dr. Odum emphasizes that the calculations made in his study are preliminary, he estimates that marine resources are worth at least \$150 million a year, with potential values of \$400 million.

By comparison, he pointed out that about \$300,000 is spent annually on marine research, with work being done mainly by the University of Texas Institute of Marine Science, the Texas Game and Fish Commission Laboratory at Rockport and the Department of Oceanography and Meteorology at A&M College.—C. C. Caller.

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Tourist Parties Keep Growing

The Monday Tourist Party attendance keeps growing all the time, according to Mrs. Joe Slocum, who says that there were 64 people there this week.

Bridge winners were Mrs. Birch Addington, high; Mrs. Frank Boyle of Tucson, Ariz., second high; and Mrs. C. L. Thomas, consolation.

Mrs. Lucy Thomas, of Lockney, Texas, was high for canasta and the consolation prize in this division went to Mrs. Ruby Clark, Goltry, Okla.

Mrs. Grant Kiser of Delphos, Kan., was the bingo winner.

Ellen Adkins Circle Meets

The First Baptist Ellen Adkins Circle met Tuesday morning at 9:30 at the home of Mrs. C. W. Brisbin. Mrs. Howard Lee is chairman of the circle, and opened the meeting with the devotional. Mrs. Brisbin, mission chairman, led the study of "Ways and Witnessing."

Mrs. E. B. Crawford, co-chairman of the circle, gave the closing prayer. The hostess served refreshments to Mrs. Corinne Holmes, a new member, and Mrs. C. C. Casey, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Brisbin, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Bobby Bell, Mrs. Betty Carroll, Mrs. W. E. Beasley, Mrs. Perry Moore and Mrs. J. C. Thompson.

ALMA ROHM CIRCLE HOLDS MEETING AT McNORTON HOME

The Alma Rohm Circle of the First Baptist Church WMU met in the home of Mrs. M. D. McNorton Tuesday afternoon, for mission study with eight members present: Mrs. Mabel Thompson, Mrs. Mabel Bryant, Mrs. Eunice Mullinax, Mrs. May Terry, Mrs. Viola McNorton, Mrs. Emma McLester, Mrs. Bert Smith, Mrs. Lillian Calvert, and Mrs. Dennie Moore, a new member.

Mrs. Mullinax led in the Calendar of Prayer, remembering the missionaries of the church. Mrs. McLester taught the mission book on "Ways and Witnessing." The closing prayer was led by Mrs. Thompson.

Cookies, coffee and punch were served by the hostess, Mrs. McNorton.

CIVIL CASES IN DISTRICT COURT

Civil cases heard by Judge John Miller this week in district court were as follows:

Alvarado Ramos vs. Virginia Benavidez Ramos, divorce granted and custody of oldest child. Defendant awarded custody of youngest child and \$3 per week for its care.

Dora Bean Conway vs. James Irving Conway, divorce granted.

Lillian Ivey vs. Julius Ivey, divorce granted.

State vs. J. D. Wheeler, taxes, dismissed.

F. A. Bracht, Jr. vs. J. L. Ruthroff, damages, dismissed.

FIDELIS CLASS HAS PARTY TUESDAY

Mrs. Nora Casey and Miss Ruth Lipscomb were hostesses to the Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church, Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Mabel Bryant. After reports from various officers of the class a social hour was enjoyed.

LOCAL YOUTHS REGISTER FOR DRAFT

Four local youths registered this month with Local Draft Board No. 107 in Sinton. They were Gary Wayne Horne, Raymond L. Mikel, Jerry W. Iles, and Charles E. LeBlanc.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

Emma Smith, Defendant as to Tract No. 1 hereinafter described;

D. W. Morris, Defendant as to Tract No. 2 hereinafter described;

Viola Gibson, Defendant as to Tract No. 3 hereinafter described;

R. W. Napier, Defendant as to Tract No. 4 hereinafter described;

Theresa Cornell and/or Thirza Cornell, Defendant as to Tract No. 5 hereinafter described;

Bundy & Clifford, Defendants as to Tract No. 6 hereinafter described;

Jas. L. Penny and Josephine E. Penny, Defendants as to Tract No. 7 hereinafter described;

Alma Le', Defendant as to Tract No. 8 hereinafter described;

The unknown wives and husbands of the above enumerated and identified persons, if living and if any or all of the above named persons be dead, the unknown heirs, wives, husbands, legatees, devisees, and legal representatives of any or all such persons who may be dead, and their unknown heirs, wives, husbands, legatees, devisees, and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and to his attorney of record, of each, and all the Defendants above enumerated or identified, and all persons owning or claiming any interest in the hereinafter described land, hereinafter called Defendants.

DEFENDANTS IN THE HEREINAFTER STYLED AND NUMBERED CAUSE: GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court, 36th Judicial District of Aransas County, at the courthouse thereof in Rockport, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 16th day of March, A.D. 1959, then and there to answer the Plaintiff's petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of January, 1959, in the Cause numbered 3684, on the docket of said Court styled W. H. Taylor, Plaintiff vs. Emma Smith, et al, and the following named person is Plaintiff: W. H. Taylor; and those persons are Defendants who are first named in this Citation and to whom it is directed.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit in Trespass to Try Title to and possession of, as well as for damages on the following described tracts of land in Aransas County, Texas, to-wit:

Tract No. 1, Lot 9, Block 407, in the City of Aransas Pass

Tract No. 2, Lot 26, Block 409, in the City of Aransas Pass

Tract No. 3, 1/2 of Lot 30, Block 593, in the City of Aransas Pass, being that portion in Aransas County, Texas

Tract No. 4, Lot 22, Block 594, in the City of Aransas Pass

Tract No. 5, Lot 28, Block 594, in the City of Aransas Pass

Tract No. 6, Lot 29, Block 594, in the City of Aransas Pass

Tract No. 7, Lot 12, Block 618, in the City of Aransas Pass

Tract No. 8, Lot 13, Block 618, in the City of Aransas Pass.

All of the above mentioned property being shown on map or plat of said City of Aransas Pass made by P. L. Telford, Surveyor & Civil Engineer, recorded in Vol. 3, page 41, Map Records, San Patricio County, Texas; and also filed in the office of the Clerk of the County Court, Aransas County, Texas; to which map and the records thereof reference is here made for further description of said property.

On the first day of October, 1958, Plaintiff, W. H. Taylor, was and still is the owner in fee simple of the above described property.

On said first day of October, 1958, Plaintiff, W. H. Taylor, was in possession of said premises and afterwards on the same date, the Defendants, each and all unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed Plaintiff of said premises, and such unlawful possession has continued since said date of October 1, 1958, to Plaintiff's damage in the sum of Ten and No/100 (\$10.00) Dollars for each of said tracts. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Rockport, Texas, this 30th day of January, 1959.

W. E. BEASLEY, Clerk of the District Court, Aransas County, Texas.

By WRETHA B. JOHNSON, Deputy (Seal)

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Reception and Tea Honors Mrs. Norvell Jackson

A reception and tea honored Mrs. Norvell F. Jackson, Thursday afternoon at the Woman's Club with Mrs. Fred A. Bracht, Mrs. Charles A. Roe and Mrs. Ellis L. Clark, hostesses.

The occasion was a courtesy following the naming of Mrs. Jackson as artist of the month of January by the Corpus Christi Fine Arts Colony, and a special showing of her pictures which were exhibited at the WMCA in Corpus Christi.

Mrs. J. Allen Frye and Mrs. Bill Clark furnished music during the calling hours.

The hostesses, honoree and Mrs. S. F. Jackson greeted the guests on their arrival and Mrs. Roy Hinton and Mrs. H. H. Dick alternated at the register, where the guests were handed catalogs of the exhibit.

Peach taffeta, with floor flounce, covered the tea table.

White tapers burned in crystal candelabra which were flanked by small arrangements of pink and white ranunculus and two marine scenes, the work of the artist, resting on miniature easels.

The coffee table was laid in peach taffeta, where Mrs. M. W. Mrs. Grace Lentz and Mrs. Travis Cochran, Mrs. James A. Jarboe, Bailey presided at the silver service.

Mrs. James B. Jackson, Mrs. Tommy Garrett, Mrs. James C. Bracht, poured punch.

Also in the house party were Mrs. A. L. Holland, Mrs. Glenn Daniel and Mrs. Maynard Abrahams of Taft, and the junior hostesses which included Miss Mary Lucille Jackson, Miss Linda Mills, Miss Caroline Clark, Miss Nan Jackson, Miss Virginia Holland, Miss Janis Clark, Miss Mary Martha Shivers, Miss Niki Dick and Miss Mary Scott.

The guest list numbered approximately 400 and included friends of the honoree from Sinton, Taft, Ingleside, Aransas Pass, Beeville, and Port Lavaca.

SHERRI GARRETT MAKES GIFT OF PENNIES TO M.O.D.

Sherri Garrett has made her annual contribution to the March of Dimes, and the \$10 that she gave makes a total of \$115 that she has donated since she has been in Rockport, all of it saved penny by penny.

Each year Sherri saves all the pennies that she receives and puts them away until the March of Dimes rolls around. Then she donates it to the drive. Each new chairman looks for the gift, which has become a part of the March of Dimes drives in Rockport.

KEYS HAVE WRECK SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Key of Lamar were shaken up Sunday morning, when they are said to have driven off into an unmarked culvert on Highway 35, and their car turned on its side.

The Keys were proceeding south on the highway at a low rate of speed, due to the heavy fog. Opposite the airport, where the road has been widened, a culvert has been marked at one end but is said not to be marked at the other. Mrs. Key, due to the fog and poor visibility had two wheels of her car off the road, and when the car reached the drop off, it overturned.

Neither Mr. or Mrs. Key appeared to be seriously injured.

TAX REMINDER GIVEN BY BUREAU OF INTERNAL REVENUE

Here's an easy tax reminder from Ernest E. Fannin, Jr., administrative officer for Internal Revenue at Corpus Christi.

"If you have an additional tax to pay when you file your 1958 federal income tax return, make your check or money order payable to Internal Revenue Service," he advised.

This is the sixth year that Uncle Sam's tax collecting agency has used the official title, "Internal Revenue Service."

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

The general meeting was held Thursday, Feb. 5 at 3 p. m. in the Fellowship Hall. The president, Mrs. I. E. Allemang opened the meeting with prayer. Announcements were made, urging all members and visitors to attend "World Day of Prayer," Friday, Feb. 13 at 4 p. m. at Episcopal Church; also "May Fellowship Day," May 1, to be held at the Presbyterian Church. The above meetings are sponsored by "Council of Church Women."

The program, "A New Frontier on Literacy and Christian Literature," was presented by Mrs. Mina Harrington. Special talks were given by Mrs. A. G. Collins, Mrs. M. B. Hulet and Mrs. R. J. Leth.

Mrs. I. E. Allemang, Mrs. E. E. Anderson and Mrs. H. A. McDonald were hostesses for the social hour. The refreshment table was decorated in Valentine motif. The white cloth was centered with a large red heart, the centerpiece was of a silver base, with red balloons and hearts extending upward, coffee, cake and Valentine mints were served to 21 present. Visitors were Mrs. Rae G. Smith, Leakey, Texas; Mrs. O. E. Burrows, Lexington, Ill.; Mrs. C. R. Towne, Fort Collins, Colo.; and Mrs. George Towne, Jamaica, Iowa.

Meeting closed with W.S.C.S. benediction.

DEN 3 VISITS THE PILOT

Cub Scouts of Den 3 visited The Pilot Tuesday afternoon. Den Leader Mrs. Ernest Russell was unable to make the visit with them and they were in charge of Assistant Den Leader Mrs. C. L. Grant.

George Allard is in Spohn Hospital for a few days, but can receive visitors, Mrs. Allard said.

Carl Osborn says he has some fig cuttings for whoever wants them, for free.

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During the war with Mexico which followed the annexation of Texas by the United States, Ben commanded the "McCulloch Rangers." Before the decisive Battle of Buena Vista he scouted the enemy's force from a hill less than a mile away. For that service he was promoted to Major, a man famous from coast to coast for daring, skill and courage. More years of patriotic service followed... as U. S. Marshal, as Commissioner to settle Mormon troubles in Utah and as a ranking officer in the Confederate Army... always ready to defend the rights and independence of his people, wherever and whenever duty called.

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Explorers Elect Officers Monday

Explorers of Post 49, sponsored by the local Veterans of Foreign Wars, elected officers for the coming year on Monday night.

New president is Clyde Townsend, Jr. Vice president for the new term is Guy Clark. Mike Johnson is secretary-treasurer of the organization and representatives to the District Explorer Council are Robert Arley Shivers and Richard Happer, Jr.

Four councilors were elected this year for the first time, under the new explorer set-up. They are Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, Mrs. Connie Hagar, Dudley Bracht and C. F. Kaywood.

The explorer project for 1959, Leader Cecil Gray said, will be completion of a rifle range four miles south of town, opposite Estes, and Kaywood, a member of the National Rifle Association, will be rifle range master.

Gray is explorer adviser, and Richard Happer, Sr., and Port Baughman are associate advisers for the year.

Chairman of the explorer committee for the year is Sheriff A. C. Shivers, and committeemen are Ellis Clark, W. A. Ormand, Joe Johnson, J. T. Keith and Clyde Townsend, Sr.

Institutional representative from the VFW is J. J. McCabe.

The explorers will meet on the first and third Mondays of every month, at the VFW Hall.

RECREATIONAL LAB HELD BY SAN PATRICIO-ARANSAS COUNTY HD CLUB COMMITTEE

The members of the H.D.C. recreational committees for San Patricio-Aransas area met at the H.D. building in Sinton Feb. 6 at 2 p. m. for a recreational lab.

Mrs. Dorothy Ives, county H.D. agent, led the discussion of essentials necessary for good recreational leadership. The group defined a good leader as "a democratic individual sharing ideas in recreational meetings."

The members were divided into groups to plan a party according to the standards set up. Each group gave a demonstration of their plan. Evaluations of the plans were made by all the members.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Lee Hart spent the weekend in Dallas visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Frederick Close and family, including sons Freddie, Eddie and Dennis Hart.

Mrs. Jack Hagar Speaker at Club Tuesday Afternoon

Mrs. Jack Hagar was the guest speaker at the Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon, telling the assembled members some of the little known facts about birds from Biblical times until the present, and told of those mentioned in the Bible that can be seen in Rockport and its area.

She showed many ceramics, bird prints, nests, and skins to illustrate her talk.

A nest showed the weaving ability possessed by a vireo; skins of the various hummingbirds that can be seen here were also a feature of Mrs. Hagar's lecture.

She told the assembled members of the club that birds have had more influence on the style of women's hats and on science and art than most people realize. And she recalled to her listeners the fact that a prothonotary warbler played a very important part in the trial of Alger Hiss for treason some years ago.

Mrs. Birch Addington was hostess and from a table centered with a dried arrangement, served sandwiches and heart-shaped cookies.

Forty-six members and visitors heard the program. In the business meeting they were informed that the Woman's Club had furnished the sandwiches and cookies for the Firemen's Benefit held at the club last week.

Mrs. Grace Lentz was welcomed back as a member.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN, ONE BOY SCOUT TRAILER

According to Explorer Leader Cecil Gray, one trailer belonging to local Boy Scouts, and usually parked at the Scout Hut is either lost, strayed, or stolen, and he wishes that it would be returned, by whoever has it, to the Scout Hut, where it belongs.

DR. AND MRS. SCHULTZ ON MEXICAN TRIP

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Schultz are leaving Saturday on a month-long trip to Mexico. They will visit Monterrey, San Luis Potosi, Guadalajara, Mazatlan, Mexico City, and Matamoros while they are away.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Weber and family were in Kingsville Sunday, to visit their son Winston, who is attending A&I.

Peter Dupnik Passes Away

Peter (Grandpa) Dupnik, 91, long time resident of Rockport, passed away at a rest home in El Campo Tuesday morning, Feb. 10. Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the Catholic Church at Falls City, Texas.

He is survived by two sons, Ben of Rockport, and Theodore of Aransas Pass; and two daughters, Mrs. Ed Madden of Poolville, Ark., and Mrs. E. A. Michna of Leslie, Ark.; and 26 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

TEXAS DRAFT QUOTA CALLS FOR 364 MEN

Austin, Texas.—The state quota for Texas draft boards in March calls for 364 men, Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state selective service director, said Wednesday.

The state's March call for 364 compares with a quota of 412 for February and 359 for January. The March call is the state's share of a national quota of 8,000 men, all for the army.

Colonel Schwartz also announced pre-induction physical and mental examinations for 1,152 men in March.

Local board quotas for the March call already have been completed and sent to the state's 137 local boards.

The March quota will be filled with men who are at least 22 years old on March 1, 1959, with the exception of volunteers or delinquents, who may be younger.

SAN PATRICIO-ARANSAS COUNTY H.D. COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

The council members of the San Patricio-Aransas County H.D. clubs met with the county agent, Mrs. Dorothy Ives, in the H.D. room of the court house in Sinton Feb. 6 at 9 a. m. for the organization of standing committees for the year.

Mrs. V. W. Hesselstine, chairman, presided. The following members were selected to serve on committees:

Exhibit, Expansion, Educational: Mrs. N. J. Gibson, chairman, Mrs. Tom Elzner, Mrs. B. C. Attaway.

Finance: Mrs. Owen Dragoo, chairman, Mrs. George Ramsey, Mrs. George Matula.

4-H Club: Mrs. J. H. Northam, chairman, Mrs. R. C. Eakin, Mrs. Shelton of Odem.

Yearbook: Mrs. M. W. Manship, chairman, Mrs. A. E. Hesselstine, Mrs. Martin Wheeler.

Recreation: Mrs. Keith Baker, chairman, Mrs. Carlos McAtees, Mrs. N. J. Gibson.

Civil Defense: Mrs. Keith Baker, chairman, Mrs. R. Munson, Mrs. R. L. Capehart, Mrs. V. W. Hesselstine.

Parliamentarian: Mrs. Owen Dragoo.

Reporter: Mrs. Martin Wheeler. The next council meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. W. Manship in Ingleside March 20, at 9 a. m.

Church of Christ visitors this past week included Mr. and Mrs. Alto Clark, Amboy, Minn.; and Chris and Carlton Fricks, of Bay-side.

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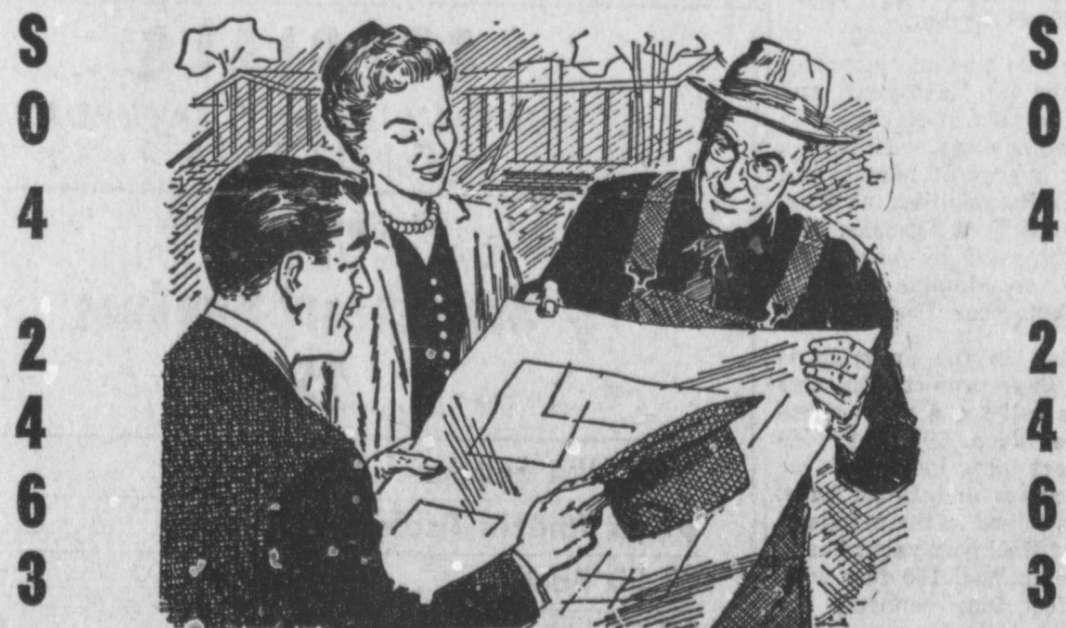
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FOR SALE: 1950 black Studebaker Champion 6-cylinder with overdrive. Good condition, \$125. Phone SO 4-2298, Kenneth L. Harwick. p45

CAMP COPANO SETS PROGRAM Camp Copano near Rockport will open its summer camping program for Brownie and Girl Scouts on June 7, Mrs. Vera Bielenburg, executive of the Whooping Crane Council, said. ctf

The executive board has approved a four-week camping period for this summer but this period will be extended if registrations warrant additional sessions, Mrs. Bielenburg said. ctf

Registration for the summer sessions is now open and will be restricted to girls within the council up to May 1. After that date, girls outside the council may register for any of the sessions having vacancies. ctf

Primitive camping for older Intermediate Scouts will be offered at Copano for the first time this summer. Two sessions, one beginning Aug. 4 and another on Aug. 11, are planned. During these sessions, girls will live in tents, prepare their own camp and meals as a troop, Mrs. Bielenburg said. ctf

BAYVIEW HOSPITAL Jane Herrera, minor surgery, dismissed Feb. 12. Juan Mora, back injury, admitted Feb. 11. Oristio Salazar, car wreck, admitted Feb. 5. ctf

NOTICE Bids for construction of concrete block type church building, 2100 square feet at Rockport will be accepted up to and including Feb. 15. Plans and specifications may be had by applying at the home of Charles F. Wright, corner of Broadway and Fourth Streets, Fulton, Texas. c45

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FOR SALE: Newly remodeled business building next to Johnson's Drugs. Priced right! 4 lots on highway in front of high school. Large lots in Fulton—some nice oak trees. ctf

Neat little 5 unit court—close to town—Rockport. If you want to buy or sell, see—ED BARNARD. ctf

GRAND JURY RETURNS 13 INDICTMENTS

The Aransas County grand jury, after two days of deliberations, returned six true bills Tuesday afternoon in Judge John Miller's 36th District Court, now sitting in Rockport. Judge Miller set bonds in all cases as follows: ctf

James C. Pearsall, charged with burglary of the place of business of William Rumpf, with intent to commit forgery, \$1,500. Walter A. Pikesimer and Robert L. Griffith, felony theft of an automobile belonging to J. E. Zorn, \$2,500 each. ctf

Raul Benavides, forgery and passing, \$1,500. George Edward Ellender, forgery, \$1,500. Seferino Cortinas, second offense DWI, \$1,500. ctf

Pedro Pete Herrera, second offense DWI, \$1,500. Herrera pled guilty before Judge Miller Wednesday and was given a suspended sentence. ctf

Ellender and Pearsall are now serving sentence at the State Farm at Huntsville and Pikesimer and Griffith are in the federal prison at New Orleans. ctf

In addition, Judge Miller set the case of Stanley Starling, charged with theft by bailee, for Monday, Feb. 16. ctf

PHILLIPS PETROLEUM ASKS COPANO BAY PERMIT

The Phillips Petroleum Co. has asked permission to operate in Copano Bay, on State Tracts 35, 36, 40, 41, 42, 43, and 70, seven miles north of Rockport. The company proposes to place two 6-inch pipe lines at the above location. The pipe lines would be placed 1 1/2 feet below the bed of the bay. One line would extend from a header platform in State Tract 43 south-easterly to the mean high tide shoreline in State Tract 70 and the other line would extend from a header platform in State Tract 35 southwesterly to the mean high tide shoreline in State Tract 41. ctf

CONGRATULATIONS Mr. and Mrs. Richard Murdock are proud parents of a son, Claude Wayne, born Feb. 11, weighing 7 pounds. ctf

FOR SALE Pontiac 1956 8-cylinder Station Wagon Hydromatic, radio, heater, tubeless tires, luggage carrier, 33,000 actual miles. 1 owner car. A-1 mechanical condition \$1,395.00 Cash Call SO 4-6131 p46

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Modern, new 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, living room, family room, screened patio with barbecue pit, air-conditioned, central heating, double garage, terms. ctf

Two bedroom home, garage, modern, \$6,000.00. 3 blocks from downtown Rockport. ctf

Small house, furnished, Copano Village, excellent location, \$4,250, terms. ctf

Two bedroom, furnished house, Copano Village, lot 100'x150', \$7,500.00, terms. ctf

Two bedroom home, Tule Sub-division, priced to sell. Two bedroom house, Live Oak St., Lot 70' wide, beautiful trees. 40 ft. '56 Anderson trailer, modern, excellent condition, owner must sacrifice. ctf

LOTS Tule Subdivision - \$595. Shady Side Subdivision, close to schools. Sylvan Height Addition, Fulton. Little Bay Shores. ctf

Seven lots, Fulton, five on Highway 35, two on Seventh St., good location. Priced to sell. 4 good business lots in Fulton, will take nice residence lot with trees in trade. ctf

Cafe, Drive-In Grocery, Apartment House, Warehouse—Valuable Property. Listings appreciated. MILLER REALTY Phone SO4-6473 Office Downtown Rockport. ctf



UNITED FUND HOLDS MEETING

The Aransas County United Fund, at its regular meeting Wednesday night, decided on an extensive educational program of civic clubs, merchants and other organizations in Rockport before the next United Fund drive starts. ctf

In addition, they set the date of this year's drive up somewhat, and extended the period of which it will run. The date is from July 15 to Aug. 15, and in that period it is the hope of the directors that the fund appeal will gain somewhat more momentum than has been possible in the past with only the single day devoted to the purpose. ctf

Drive Chairman George Dickey was authorized to proceed with the planning and to obtain materials necessary to thoroughly publicize the need for the collections. ctf

In addition, it was decided to make a special effort to show people of Aransas County where the money goes and exactly how much of it remains here. ctf

COASTAL BEND ASSOCIATION TO BE ENTERTAINED

The Coastal Bend Water and Sanitary Association will be entertained here on Feb. 18 by the City of Rockport. The association, whose members are city officials concerned with these matters from surrounding towns, meet every month in one of them. ctf

City Water Superintendent Tom Shults is in charge of arrangements, and is making preparations to play host to about 50 guests. ctf

Following this was another project, completed late last year, and which put the port of Rockport in the heavyweight class, with over a million tons a year of bauxite ore passing over its facilities at Harbor Island, near Port Lavaca. This ore is transhipped by barges to Alcoa's big new alumina plant at Point Comfort, near Port Lavaca. ctf

Fourth step in the program is the Little Bay project. At this stage, plans call for a main channel four feet deep, 300 feet wide and 1,139 feet long, inside a levee between Aransas and Little Bays. This levee is joined to the mainland just north of Rockport yacht basin. An entrance channel 150 feet wide and 1,800 feet long connects the inner channel with Aransas Bay. ctf

A feature of this project is a launching ramp in protected waters capable of handling four small boat trailers at once. And, as a side product, the present Rockport beach, one of the finest and safest in Texas, will be extended approximately a mile to the northward. ctf

Immediately after the Little Bay project is completed, Chairman Picton said, work will start on the Navigation District's fifth harbor, planned for industrial use by barges and commercial vessels of all sorts, too large to be handled easily in the present harbors. This harbor, to be known as The Cove, is situated about a mile south of the southern limits of Rockport, and is served by rail and highway transportation, as well as being easily accessible from the Intracoastal Canal. ctf

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MARCH OF DIMES—

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Eller, Mrs. Ted Atwood, Mrs. Jack Sparks, Mrs. Mary Juergens, Mrs. W. L. Mical, Mrs. C. C. Atchley, Mrs. M. L. Court, Mrs. James C. Gurley, Mrs. R. D. Torres, Mrs. James B. Jackson, and the following girls of Girl Scout Troop 32: Janice Garrett, Azalea Shivers, Nan Jackson, Tamara Camehl, Jean Miller and Judy Deason; ctf

Mrs. Philip Baldwin, Mrs. Chas. A. Roe, Jr., Mrs. W. C. Cletcher, Mrs. Jerald Brundrett, Mrs. W. F. Close, Mrs. Frank D. Hunt, Mrs. Norman McLead, Mrs. Clementi Hernandez, Mrs. Susie Odoms, Mrs. Hester Allinice; ctf

Mrs. Victor Hernandez, Mrs. Mary M. Ramirez, Miss Dora Martinez, Mrs. John Chupe, Sr., Mrs. F. L. McCord and girls of Troop 43, Mrs. J. D. Gray, Mrs. C. J. Kutach, Mrs. William Dube, Mrs. Stanley, Mrs. George Hattenback, and Mary Katherine; ctf

Mrs. Raymond Owens, Mrs. Clifton H. Tidd, Mrs. J. M. Joplin, Mrs. Harry McDow, Mrs. Arthur David, Mrs. Harry Wilson, Jr., Mrs. Kathryn McLester, Mrs. Evelyn West, Mrs. Stauffer, Mrs. Floyd Rouquette and Mrs. Herbert Mills. ctf

Other committees were as follows: Business Collections: Mrs. Lois Rozzell, Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr., Mrs. J. D. Griggs, and Mrs. Arlo Hansen. ctf

March of Dimes Mailers: Mrs. T. H. Ratliff, Mrs. D. R. Simmons, Mrs. C. L. Grant, Mrs. Ingle Turner, and Mrs. Harry Mills. ctf

Coffees: Mrs. Fred Brundrett, Campaign Treasurer: Jack McDavid. Coin collectors: Mrs. Roy Hinton, Mrs. C. L. Taylor, Jr., and Mrs. T. J. Johnson. ctf

Woman's Club benefit bridge party: Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr. and Mrs. Lois Rozzell, hostesses. Benefit supper: The Business and Professional Woman's Club of Aransas County. ctf

Rummage Sale: VFW Post, who loaned their building. Publicity: The Rockport Pilot and Jack Baughman, and Mrs. S. F. Jackson. ctf

Rummage Sale: Mrs. A. L. Holland, Mrs. Arthur Curry, Mrs. C. L. Grant, Mrs. I. E. Allemang, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gray, Mrs. Durwood Chapman. ctf

Coffee Hours: Mr. and Mrs. Sol Silverman at the De Mar; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Brocato at Brocato's; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Nast of Nast Coffee Shop; Mr. and Mrs. Rankin of Rankin's Cafe. ctf

Cake Walk: Section Two of the Holy Name Society. Basket Ball Game: Charles A. Roe, Jr., and members of the Aransas County High School Alumni and the 813th Radar Squadron. ctf

Youth Donations: Mrs. A. C. Shivers and members of the Aransas County Sponsors and Youth Organization. ctf

Collections in Schools: A. B. Leffevre, A. R. Griffith, Jr., T. E. Dannelly, Sister Mary Ludhema, and Chester Barre, Miss Elsie Faris and the Greenbackers. ctf

Taylor Oak Donation: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roper and guests at the Taylor Oak Trailer Park. Oak Shore Donations: Mrs. Alex Scott, Mrs. Matt Scott. ctf

Coffees: Too numerous to mention. To all these and to everyone else who helped, Mrs. LeBlanc expresses her sincere thanks. ctf

HOBBY SHOW—

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by Mrs. E. A. Brown. Mrs. Hissong exhibited a most interesting display of pine needle work, and Joe, of course, had his usual nice exhibit of semi-precious stones and gem materials, alongside of Tommy Picton's mineral collection, one belonging to Miss Elsie Hawes, and another shown by Miss Virginia Holland. ctf

A collection of coins was also shown by R. E. Howe; Mrs. J. C. May exhibited shell jewelry; Mrs. E. D. Boggs had more hand painted china and a hooked rug. Needle point and knitting were displayed by a number of ladies, and one of the more interesting showings was the pair of mosaic tables made by Mrs. James A. Jarboe. ctf

Rodeo equipment was shown by Sonny Rawlins, and Mrs. Fred Werhan had her beautiful collection of Gulf shells displayed for everyone to see. ctf

Sallie McCord had a very interesting collection of foreign dolls, and Pamela Harris exhibited a beautiful group of Japanese fans and dolls. The Cub Scouts had a most interesting display also, and there were many others, too numerous to mention. ctf

Music was furnished for the occasion by the J. D. Griggs Combo, consisting of Ralph Matern, J. D. Griggs, Buck Hawes, Vernon Kleppas, and C. D. McClure. ctf

Chairman of arrangements was Mrs. A. C. Shivers, assisted by Mrs. Jarboe and the other members of the Parent-Teachers Association. Proceeds are used for the organization's projects at the high school. ctf

Aransas Pass Fire Chief Dies While Fishing

Ray B. Crinklaw, 63, Aransas Pass fire chief and fire marshal, was found dead in his car Sunday on Goose Island State Park. ctf

Crinklaw apparently died of a heart attack while on a fishing trip. Justice of the Peace F. Iansen rendered an inquest verdict of death by natural causes. ctf

He was found in his car, which was parked near the St. Charles Bay Hunting Club, about 6:30 p. m. Sunday. However, he had been seen in the seat of the car as early as 4 p. m., but no one had paid any attention at the time. ctf

Justice Iansen theorized that Crinklaw had been fishing, felt ill, and tried to make it to the car. The door was open and he was slumped over the seat. ctf

A bait box tied to him had dropped about 10 feet from the car, and his fishing rod was standing against the vehicle. "It looked as if he was just able to get the door open and fall in the front seat," Iansen said. ctf

Crinklaw had gone fishing shortly after lunch yesterday. His body was found by Walter Heldenfels, who had been to the hunting club. Crinklaw had been fire chief in Aransas Pass for 15 or 20 years. He has been in the firefighting business since he was a youth, having worked at the trade in Oklahoma and Nebraska. ctf

Survivors include his wife, Josephine and a daughter, Sally. ctf

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