

## School Bond Election Called To Build Gym RED CROSS DRIVE GETS OFF TO GOOD START FIRST DAY

### Piloting

The inter-season lull in the fishing business continues, with a little more activity than reported last week. More fish were caught in the fish bowl Wednesday and Thursday than for some time, and they are reported to be of better than average size.

Weather conditions having been what they were during the past several days, Ford Jackson says that his oystermen have been doing pretty good. He also notes that the quality of the oysters has improved somewhat.

Spring shrimping opens officially today, with no shrimp around to be caught. The fishermen are spending these days working over gear and boats to get ready for the runs when they do start.

Clyde Armstrong feels that Travis Johnson should be hailed before the court of Neptune for being a malingering in his duty as head fisherman for the Johnson Fish Co. "The truth is," said Clyde, "that Travis has joined the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and forbids his fishermen to catch sea animals. He now forces them to play tiddle-winks at two-bits per wink."

Oscar Dye was on the soap box telling Henry Gimehl what a wonderful work the Red Cross is doing. This, we feel, is particularly fitting at this time. Oscar really shouldn't tell everything he knows.

Incidentally, Oscar nearly joined the Perch Club (and St. Peter) by cutting through a hot cable beneath Johnson's Fish house.

"Elaine," shrimper of Jackson's fleet, is getting a new Chrysler Marine engine with 3½ to 1 reduction gear. She has been waiting for this engine since January 27.

Charlie Silberisen was sitting out in the warm sun dreaming of the happy days he just spent down Mexico. But he did take time out to say that fishing ought to start picking up soon, and that Ernest is getting along just fine.

Bill Bauer and Harry Smith, well known watermen from Port Lavaca passed through on a flying visit this week.

T. F. Murchison's Wheeler runabout is on Jackson's ways for a cleanup, as is the shrimper "Neva."

"Julia Ann" is getting a new Chrysler Marine Engine with a 3½ to 1 reduction gear. Delivery on the engine is expected this week. Buckley's "Billie Boy" is receiving the same installation.

Jack Davis is busy these days hauling explosives and personnel for a geophysical exploration outfit.

Jacobsen at the Bass Boat Works has Dr. Blair's 36-foot schooner hauled this week.

Ray Strube, rod and reel man at Morrison's launched "Ruth Valita" last Saturday. She is a 25-foot tunnel stern party boat formerly owned by Mrs. Amos Adolphus.

"Marcia K. III", 38-foot Chris-Craft cruiser was sold by Otto Koehler of San Antonio to the Pearl Distributing Co. of Corpus Christi. She will be moved to Corpus Christi.

Rouquette and Wendell were standing sadly looking into the water. There wasn't an oyster in the house, and all the openers were there just looking at the walls. "Bunk", says Zeph, with tears in his eyes, "we got four shrimp and oyster boats, and they are all broke down so bad its a goin' to cost a thousand dollars to git 'em fixed."

"Yep", said Bunk, do ye reckon Goldy is always going to do us this way?"

The cats and dogs deserted Som-

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### Many Business Places Go 100 Per Cent

#### Fulton Committee Reports Canvassing There Completed First Day

Aransas county people made a good start Thursday toward reaching their assigned quota of \$2,900 for the Red Cross War Fund.

Volunteer workers began working early today and reported that contributions were coming in nicely at the start of the drive. Several business places were displaying 100 per cent stickers, indicating that the firm and all employees had contributed.

It was reported that workers at Fulton had completed their solicitations early on the first day of the drive, meeting with success. This, however, does not mean that no further funds will be secured at Fulton, as there may be "call backs" and others who were not contacted who will make donations.

Several committees were working in Rockport and other sections of the county. It was too early to make any report on the amount of money raised, but if the large quota is met every person must do his or her part.

Chas. T. Picton, chairman of the drive, points out that the need is urgent, because of the heavy demands made upon the Red Cross in war theatres.

The drive will continue throughout the month, or until the quota has been met.

### R. R. Cole Dies Following Boat Mishap

R. R. Cole, about 73 years old, died today (Thursday) in Corpus Christi. He was aboard the Orion, a tugboat that was capsized in the swell of two other vessels in the Corpus Christi ship channel.

Coast Guardsmen worked over Cole for a hour trying to revive him.

The Orion was owned by the Bay Towing Company of Houston and carried a crew of five.

Cole, who lived here years ago, but whose home was in Galveston, is survived by his sons, Robbie Cole, Jr., and Vallie Cole of Fulton, and three daughters of Galveston.

### Fulton Church Groups Sponsors Womanless Wedding

Members of the Fulton Community church are sponsoring a "Womanless Wedding" to be held at the church on the night of March 9. The "wedding" will be a benefit affair. No admission will be charged, but a freewill offering will be taken.

This is a part of the effort of the Fulton church group to raise money to free their new church of debt by April 1. Rev. Wolker said a balance of only \$881 remained to be paid.

### 17 Minutes Of Bliss

DALLAS, Tex.—This is a time schedule worth mentioning:

7:40 p. m.—Two negro youths stole an automobile on a city street.

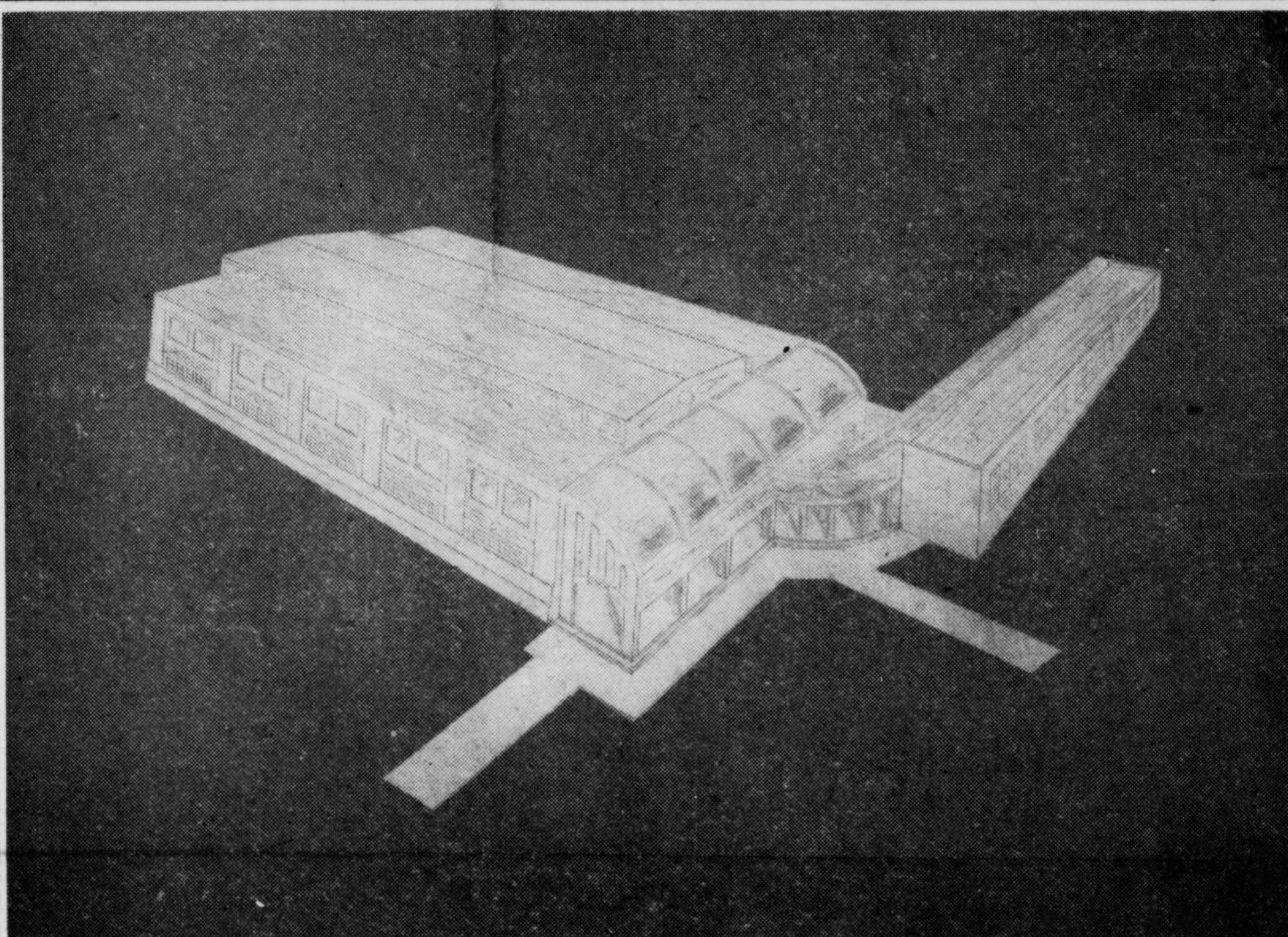
7:48 p. m.—The boys were stopped several streets away by city officers.

7:56 p. m.—The two were booked in city jail.

7:57 p. m.—The owner of the car reported to the detective secretary that his car had been stolen.

Total time involved — 17 minutes.

### Proposed New Rockport School Gymnasium



Pictured above is a sketch of the proposed new Rockport school gymnasium, showing its relation to the present high school building. The wing to the left, which replaces the home economics department recently destroyed by fire, is to be the modernly equipped gymnasium. An election has been called for March 10 at which time bonds to build the structure and equip it will be voted upon. The building, 120 x 87 feet, will have a stage, hardwood playing floor, bleachers, etc. It will provide adequate facilities for school athletic programs, as well as fill a need as a place for large community gatherings. (Design by A. O. Freeman. Sketch by David Herring.)

### Back Again



Everybody should know Tony Peres by this time. He is the boy who stepped off the bus one night in October after having been reported missing by the Navy. He is the boy that started back after his little buck toothed apes, after his ship was sunk under him in the Mediterranean. Now he is back, this time with serious injuries to his left arm as a result of enemy action.

It all happened one day when the ammunition ship, on which he was serving as radio man, was cruising through dangerous territory. A general alarm was sounded, and when everyone with nothing to do should have been taking cover a lone nurse stood on the lifeboat deck watching enemy planes as they approached. It fell Tony's lot to see that the nurse got to cover, and up he went from the deck below.

Tony pulled the nurse behind a life boat, and afterward unfortunately exposed himself. Bomb splinters from the only direct hit on the ship ruined Tony's arm and rendered him unconscious. Tony came to his senses four days later aboard a hospital ship.

If anybody has a job to offer, Tony would be glad to apply. He is here for at least six months, and maybe for good.

S. D. Howell is now at work in Corpus Christi at a chemical plant.

### Rationing Dope Bucket

Meats, Fats:  
Red stamps Q5, R5, S5, good through March 31.

Red Stamps T5, U5, V5, W5, X5, good thru April 28.

Red stamps Y5, Z5, A2, B2, C2 and D2, good thru June 2.

New Stamps will be validated March 4.

Processed Foods:

Blue stamps X5, Y5, Z5 and A2 and B2, thru March 31.

Blue stamps: C2, D2, E2, F2, and G2, thru April 28.

Blue Stamps H2, J2, K2, L2 and M2, thru June 2.

Blue stamps, N2, P2, Q2, R2, S2, thru June 30.

Sugar Stamps:

Stamp 34 good thru Feb. 28. Stamp 35, good thru June 2.

No new stamp will be validated until May 2.

### Judge B. S. Fox Attends Highway Hearing In Austin

Judge B. S. Fox returned Wednesday from Austin where he spent Monday and Tuesday in attendance at meetings of the State High Commission to present a petition for the designation of a highway from Woodsboro across the back bay, through Aransas county for a short distance and then into San Patricio county to connect with Highway 35 near Aransas Pass.

"Everything looks alright for the designation," Judge Fox said, "but, of course there could be a hundred things to keep it from being designated. The building of this highway would save us expense of maintenance and give us a western outlet."

Judge Ivey and Commissioner George Clark of San Patricio county were also in attendance at the Highway Commission hearing.

### NINA FAIR FAX DOING HER PART



NINA FAIR FAX  
... Produced \$125 In February

Nina Fair Fax, registered Jersey cow belonging to J. A. Rogers, is doing her part in the production effort these days. During February she produced 1503 pounds of milk (178½ gallons) which Rogers sold in 716 quarts for a gross of \$108.40. In addition there were 28 quarts of cream that brought the total dollars and cents production up to \$125.20. The cow averages better than six gallons a day. Nina Fair Fax is six years old and is one of only two Jerseys Rogers has left out of a large herd. He sold the rest and bought war bonds with the money when help became so short he could not operate his dairy.

### Tony Rinche, F. 2-c Arrives Home

Tony Rinche, son of Mrs. Tomasa Rinche arrived home Tuesday at noon for a surprise furlough visit with his folks. He has been in the South Pacific battle area and his family had not heard from him for two months. He has a 17-day furlough.

### Texas Independence Day Brings Holiday To Schools Here

Friday, March 2, Texas Independence Day, brings a week-end holiday to students and teachers of the Rockport schools. School was dismissed Thursday afternoon for the week.

### \$30,000 Issue Election Set For March 10

#### Election Called For Issue Not to Exceed 2¼ Per Cent

An election to decide whether the Rockport Independent School District shall issue \$30,000 in bonds to build and equip a modern gymnasium has been set for March 10. An official notice of the election is published in this issue.

The election calls for the issuance of the \$30,000 in bonds to be repaid \$3,000 annually for a period of ten years at an interest rate not exceeding 2 1/4 per cent per annum.

The money, if the bonds are voted, will be used to erect a modern school building to be used as a gymnasium. The new building, school officials point out, will meet a need that is increasing yearly. It will provide a building where the physical education program of the school can be carried out, and will also provide a place where large public gatherings may be held.

The election was called by the Board of Trustees on Feb. 15 and is to be held March 10. The only polling place will be the main school building. Miss Violet Percival has been appointed judge of the election, and Miss Floy Kennedy and Mrs. Alvin Brundrett, clerks.

The election order states: "None but resident qualified property taxpaying voters of said Rockport Independent School District, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be allowed to vote at said election."

### Chief Williams To Speak Here On March 6

Chief Frank Williams, field instructor of the Firemen's Training School of A. and M. College, will be here Tuesday, March 6, on his yearly visit to the volunteer fire departments of Texas. He will speak here at the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock, according to announcement by Fire Chief Robert Key.

"This year Chief Williams will devote his entire time to the teaching of the basic fire department evolutions and it is intended especially for the training of new men," Key said.

"It is requested that every member of the Rockport Volunteer Department be present and a very cordial invitation is extended to all prospective members and anyone interested in the department's work."

### Five Fined For Fighting In Public Place

Victoriano Herrera, Eduardo Martinez, Gavino de la Zorda, Domingo Rodriguez and Jose Arispe, were arrested last Saturday night and charged with "fighting in a public place."

All five entered pleas of guilty before Justice of the Peace Joe Smith and paid \$18.00 fines. Several were reported to have cuts and bruises.

### CONGRATULATIONS

John L. Brundrett and his wife are the proud parents of a new six-pound boy. Mother and child are in Memorial Hospital in Corpus Christi and are reported doing very well.

Porcelain manufacture can be a reality for Texas, because of the vast source of mineral reserves necessary for it, F. K. Pence, in charge of ceramic research for the University of Texas believes.

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Receptionists Makes
Necklace Of
Wisdom Teeth

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Clinic—psychologically as well as
orally wise in the ways of men—
found that the practice of having
their comely office girl "hold
hands" with jittery soldiers about
to undergo treatment worked
wonders with jangled nerves.

Out came the wisdom teeth, and
in came a hobby, said Miss Grant.
The young receptionist has
stitched together a neat 23-tooth
bracelet—all perfectly-matched
wisdom teeth of 23 once-ailing
Camp Maxey soldiers.

Miss Grant's plans call for a
wisdom tooth necklace as well as
earrings.

Admitting that she had dated
several of the contributors to her
collection, Miss Grant said quite
frankly, "I may not be wiser as a
result of collecting wisdom teeth,
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men."

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About twenty boxes were
auctioned off by W. P. Hoover and
the high school boys had a great
time boosting bids.

Prizes for the prettiest boxes
went to Charlyne Davis and Rosa
Faye Hamblin. Charlyne received
the first prize which was a bottle
of cologne. Her box was a shrimp
box decorated with red and blue
crepe paper complete with white
fish nets and a United States Flag.

Rosa Faye received a box of stationery
as second prize. Her box
was covered with green crepe paper
edged with white scallops and
decorated with pink and white
roses.

Following the box supper, games
and dancing were enjoyed.

Steak Supper,
Dancing Is
Enjoyed Sat.

One of the most entertaining
parties of the week was the steak
supper and dance given Saturday
night by Mrs. Don Alger and Mrs.
C. H. Grett, Jr., at their home.

Following the supper, the guests
pushed back furniture and enjoyed
dancing. Cold drinks were served.

Those attending the affair were
Mr. and Mrs. Frances Elliot, Miss
Mary Ella McElveen, Mrs. Frances
Ewart, Miss Nada Jean Hawes Bill
Huddleston, O. V. Dye, Miss Myrtle
Lee Bell, Miss Bonnie Jean Smith,
Blazek, Johnson, and Sweeney of
Corpus Christi, and the hostesses.

Isham McElveen
Celebrates
Ninth Birthday

In celebration of his ninth
birthday anniversary, Isham McElveen
entertained with a party at the
Recreation hall Saturday afternoon.

The guest list included Nancy
Hayden, Mildren Lee Davis, Jackie
Smith, Carol Simpson, Kane
Lassiter, Lola Jean Ballou, Iva Lea
Haynes, Harry Lee Mills, Joanne
Smith and Isham McElveen.

Refreshments of sandwiches,
cakes and punch were served by
Ella McElveen, Nade Jean Hawes
and Mrs. M. E. McElveen.

Costume Ball Is
Stated For Friday

The long-awaited Costume Ball
will be given this Friday night by
members of the Student Council
for all high school students. A
phonograph or juke box will
furnish the music.

All guests will appear in
costumes and prizes will be awarded
the couple in the most novel attire.

Members of the student council
who are giving the Ball, are Colleen
Smith, Lucille Haynes, Harris
Pollard, Elmer McLester and Joe
Johnson, Jr. Colleen Smith is the
social chairman.

Answer to Bird
Migration Riddle
Believed Found

"Do birds cross the Gulf of
Mexico in Spring?" is the title of
a scientific treatise published in the
January issue of the "Auk" by
George Williams, of the Rice
Institute at Houston. The work is
one of great importance to ornithology,
and will probably change
many prevailing ideas on the
subject.

"There is no direct evidence,"
says Williams, in his conclusion,
"to show that birds migrating from
regions south of us in Spring
actually cross the Gulf of Mexico
in any appreciable numbers; but
there is abundant evidence to show
that vast numbers of these birds,
both individuals and species, take
the coastwise routes around the
eastern and western edges of the
Gulf."

In citing the evidence to support
his conclusion Williams pays special
tribute to Mrs. Conger Hagar
as one of three people without
whom the work could not have
been done.

The wooded terrain of Live Oak
Peninsula provided the setting for
many of the studies involved in
this important piece of research.

Leaving Tuesday morning for
Christoval were Mr. and Mrs. Ray
Thomerson. They went up to spend
a few days with some of his
relatives.



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'The Sunbonnet Girl' On May 4th

Parts has been assigned and
practicing is underway on a comic
operetta, "The Sunbonnet Girl" to
be presented May 4th at the school
auditorium under the direction of
Miss Mona Ruth Butcher.

The operetta was written by
Geoffrey F. Morgan and Frederick
G. Johnson.

Parts were assigned to Shirley
Ratiseau, Bert Haney, Harris
Pollard, Charlyne Davis, Winola
Stewart, Roy Lassiter, Charlotte
Cron, Wilbern Hamblin, Tommy
Blackwell, Bonnie Cron, Joyce
Williams and Justyne Nixon.

Smith Yard
Is Scene For
Weiner Roast

A crowd of young people gathered
at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Lloyd Smith for a weiner roast
Friday night. The boys furnished
the weiners and the girls brought
the salads, buns and cold drinks.

Those enjoying the fun were Lois
Mae Townsend, Loyce Shults,
Phillis Walker, LaVerne Thompson,
Barbara Ann Freeman, Helen
Landrum, Betty McGregor,
Justyne Nixon, Betty Dye, Elizabeth
Freeman, Pat Wallace, Ileta and
Loretta Townsend, La Nell and
Vaunda Smith, Clifton Evans, Sam
James, Robert Franklin, Travis
Smith, Gene Smith, Billy Jo Hunt,
Bobby Landrum, John Albert
Ratliff, Tim Haynes, Elmer McLester,
Glenn Owens, John Arthur
Ballou and Jimmy Hayden.

Blue Birds Plan
Easter Baskets

Under the direction of Mrs. E.
M. Mundine, the Bluebirds held
their meeting at the school
Tuesday afternoon.

Plans were completed to make
Easter baskets for hospitals to be
used as tray favors.

A "Sunshine and Shadow"
contest got underway and the losing
side will entertain the winning
side with a party. The contest will
last two weeks.

Oyster Roast Given
For Willie Wilson

An oyster roast was given near
the Point Sunday afternoon in
honor of Willie Wilson of Galveston.

Those enjoying the hospitality
were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis,
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Winkle, Mr.
and Mrs. Jack Davis, Mr. and
Mrs. Henry Camehl, Mr. and Mrs.
Lloyd Lassiter, Mrs. Mollye Davis,
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davis and the
honoree.

Thirty Camp Fire
Girls Meet

The camp fire girls met Monday
afternoon in the auditorium to
practice for a campfire program to
be given next month in connection
with their anniversary celebration.

Thirty girls were present and the
president, Ruby Mae Wilkinson,
presided over the meeting.



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Personals

Another visitor to Corpus Christi
Saturday was Miss Mona Ruth
Butcher.

Mrs. Bill Cavitt spent the week-end
with friends in Aransas Pass
and Taft.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wheeler visited
in Beeville Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Mills left Tuesday
morning for San Antonio where
she went to meet her sister, Mrs.
Ethel M. Cox of Kansas City. They
will return here Thursday and Mrs.
Cox will visit in the Mills' home.

Chief Motor Machinist Chester
Johnson has been released from a
hospital in Rhode Island and is now
on limited duty in Galveston. Mrs.
Johnson expects to join him there
soon.

Mrs. Floyd Smith and son, Mike,
and Mrs. T. H. Pollard spent Tuesday
in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Casterline
went to Corpus Christi Tuesday.

Yeoman 2nd class Marvin Pollard
was here Tuesday to spend the
day with his parents, Rev. and
Mrs. T. H. Pollard. Marvin is
stationed in Corpus Christi.

Francis Roe, who is attending
Nazareth Academy in Victoria, was
over the week-end visiting with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Roe.

Aviation Cadet Charles Roe, Jr.
arrived here Friday from the Douglas
Army Air Base in Arizona to
spend two weeks. He is busy at
the market at present while his
father, Charles Roe, is in Marlin,
going through the clinic.

Word has been received from Betty
Haynes a former Rockport student
who recently went to Richland
Washington to be with her mother,
that she is enjoying her school in
Richmond and likes it very much
up there. She added that there is
no place like Texas and that she
misses her friends here. She also
said that she has seen lots of snow.
While here Betty stayed with her
aunt, Mrs. Annie McClure.

CAGE FUNERAL HOME
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Gentry Reynolds G. O. Hitchcock

Mrs. James Hooper has returned
home after visiting in Taft and
San Antonio. Mrs. Hooper was a
guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry
Schmidt, while in Taft.

Mrs. James Hooper has returned
home after visiting her sister,
Mrs. Henry Schmidt, in Taft. While
there she attended the Taft Women's
Club meeting in the home of
Mrs. H. H. Watson in Corpus
Christi. Before returning home,
Mrs. Hooper and Mrs. Schmidt
made a trip to San Antonio.

C. K. Tatum met with a painful
accident in chopping brush. He is
in room 104 at the Spohn Hospital
suffering from eye injuries.

Kim Haynes is also going to
Corpus for eye treatment.

Mrs. Cosby is recuperating from
major surgery in the Memorial
Hospital.

J. T. Barker, who was taking his
boot training in San Diego, California,
returned home early Monday
morning after receiving an
honorable discharge from the Navy.

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Cron returned
Sunday from a four day
trip to San Antonio and Laredo.
While in Laredo, Dr. Cron attended
a medical meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Corbin and
two boys came in Saturday from
Ingleside to spend the week-end
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.
F. Jackson. Mrs. Corbin and sons
remained here until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Archer and
W. T. Coble of Amarillo are visiting
with Mrs. Fancher Archer.

Mrs. Travis Bailey and Mrs. Fancher
Archer attended the Russian
Ballet sponsored by the Civic Music
Association in Corpus Christi
Wednesday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lee Sorenson
visited friends and relatives in
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### Clothing Price Reductions Are On Schedule

A substantial reduction in prices of certain types of fall and winter wearing apparel for men, women, and children is in prospect, along with other developments designed to improve the clothing situation, Clifton George, Jr., district OPA price executive, has informed S. B. Daggett, chairman of the Aransas County War Price Rationing Board.

Effective March 1, a reduction of about eight per cent in manufacturers' ceiling prices for certain kinds of fall and winter outerwear will represent the first tangible development in the OPA-WPA program for bettering the supply of lower-priced garments, Mr. Daggett said. By late spring, when these garments will begin to reach the retail market, it is expected that a larger and better-balanced proportion of lower-priced clothing will be available in stores here in Rockport.

Any price reduction made possible by the approximate eight per cent cut in manufacturers' ceiling prices will be passed along, by that time, to the public, Mr. Daggett explained. Included in the mark-down will be such garments as wool shirts and pants, leather and corduroy jackets.

Under the new OPA-WPB clothing program it is expected that prices will drop at least six per cent—possibly as much as ten per cent by late summer and fall. That will save the public at least half a million dollars a year, George wrote Mr. Daggett. He stated that, speaking generally, this program will put prices back to where they were in 1943. To do this, the new pricing regulations will "go right down the line, from the textile mill to the retail store." "That means dollars-and-cents ceiling prices on a great deal of clothing, just like we've had on groceries and meats," Mr. Daggett added. "These ceilings will apply to low-priced, essential cotton clothes. For example, cotton house dresses sold under \$4 will be plainly marked with the ceiling price. Children's overalls will be available at ceiling prices of from \$1.05 to \$1.25. Boy's underwear shorts will cost about 38 cents. Children's pajamas will be about \$1 to \$1.25. Manufacturers will tag or label each garment with the ceiling price."

Shortages in children's and infants' underwear and dresses, women's housedresses, most types of work clothing, underwear, shirts, blouses, pajamas and men's and women's lower-priced coats, dresses and suits, will soon be relieved, Daggett said. This will be especially welcome to families living on fixed incomes, such as service men's families. In an effort to get better quality clothing for the price, the amount of finishing of fabrics, and trimming of garments, will be limited. Textile mills will produce yard goods at the average prices of 1943.

While a larger amount of lower-priced clothing will be available, Mr. Daggett said, shortages of many types of garments will not be relieved. There will be less higher priced clothing. Military requirements will take much of our textile production for the duration. At present our armed forces are getting four-fifths of all processed wool, a third of all manufactured cotton, and a fifth of all our rayon. Retailers, under the new program, still will find profits well above the pre-war level, even

### NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ARANSAS  
ROCKPORT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT.

To the Resident Qualified Property Taxpaying Voters of Rockport Independent School District:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 10th day of March, 1945, within said District in obedience to an order duly entered by the Board of Trustees on the 15th day of February, 1945, which is as follows:

On this the 15th day of February, 1945, the Board of Trustees of Rockport Independent School District convened in special session with the following members present: T. C. Kelly, Virgil Mullan, Algine Moss, Lloyd Smith, Sherman Mundine, D. R. Simmons, Ted R. Little, and among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following:

There came on to be considered the petition of C. C. Hayden and 49 other persons asking that an election be ordered upon the question of issuing bonds of said school district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building to be used as a gymnasium, in said school district; and,

it appearing to the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees that said petition is signed by at least twenty qualified property taxpaying voters of said school district, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and is otherwise in conformity with law, the Board is of the opinion that said petition should be granted and said election as prayed for shall be ordered:

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ROCKPORT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

That an election be held in said Rockport Independent School District on the 10th day of March, 1945, which is within thirty days from the date of this order, at which election, in accordance with said petition, the following proposition shall be submitted to the resident qualified property taxpaying voters of said school district for their action thereupon:

"Shall the Board of Trustees of Rockport Independent School District be authorized to issue the bonds of said School District to the amount of \$30,000.00, to become due and payable serially, \$3,000.00 in each of the years 1946 to 1955, both inclusive, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed two and one-fourth (2 1/4%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building to be used as a gymnasium in said School District, and if there shall be annually levied and collected on all the taxable property in said School District for the current year, and annually thereafter while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to pay the principal thereof as the same becomes due."

The said election shall be held at the Main School Building in said Rockport Independent School District, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of said election:

Miss Violet Percival, Judge; Miss Floy Kennedy, Clerk; Mrs. Alvin Brundrett, Clerk.

though price reductions will be felt. These reduced prices, however, will serve as a form of insurance against the disastrous inflation and depression which followed the first world war.

### Rationing In Japan Rough

The local chairman is appointed by the police, and the local food corporation delivers the food ration to the door of the consumer. That is the way rationing is handled in Japan, the Office of War Information states in a report on conditions within Japan. Furthermore, all food and clothing is rationed, and so are matches, medicines, gasoline and fuel.

The food is distributed through neighborhood associations, and each association serves ten families.

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote.

None but resident qualified property taxpaying voters of said Rockport Independent School District, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be allowed to vote at said election.

The Secretary of this Board of Trustees shall forthwith issue a notice of said election stating in substance the contents of this election order and the time and place of said election, and said Secretary shall post a copy of such notice at three different places within the boundaries of said Rockport Independent School District, which posting shall be done not less than ten days prior to the date fixed for said election.

Immediately after said election has been held the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof to the Board of Trustees of said School District, and return the ballot box to the Secretary of said Board for safekeeping.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed, as near as may be, by the General Election Laws of this State, except as modified by Articles 2785, 2786, 2788 and 2955a, Revised Statutes, 1925, and this Board of Trustees shall furnish all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

TED R. LITTLE  
Secretary, Board of Trustees  
(SEAL)

### R. F. C. Gives Details on Sale Surplus Property

All government-owned surplus property sales made by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, no matter how small or how high the dollar amount involved, will be open to public inspection beginning today, Mr. L. C. Andrews, Manager of the RFC Disposing Loan Agency of San Antonio, announced.

Surplus property assigned as of December 31, 1944, to the San Antonio RFC Agency for disposal had an acquisition cost of \$724,325.00. In addition, similar regional records are being made public in the other 22 Disposing Loan Agencies of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

"The government's Goldfish Bowl policy will be implemented with respect to RFC transactions in Government surplus property in several ways," Mr. Andrews explained. "Sales lists will be supplied to news papers, trade journals and other interested publications, and to Chambers of Commerce and other trade organizations. In addition, lists will be posted on public bulletin boards in RFC Agency offices."

"These records will list a general description of each item sold, its condition—whether used, new, obsolete, damaged, or reconditioned—acquisition cost, sales price, to whom sold, and the address."

"A detailed record of individual transactions, supplying all bids, whether successful or not, time, place and type of sale, and other information will be available for inspection at the RFC Agency offices upon request."

"The reports will be made public twice a month, covering the periods from the first to the fifteenth and from the sixteenth to the last day of the month, inclusive."

"The reports will cover all sales. The step has been taken with the approval of the Surplus Property Board which, under the Surplus Property Act, among other responsibilities, sets disposal policies. The Goldfish Bowl policy is high on the list and was incorporated in the Act by Congress."

"The compilation of detailed reports of all RFC transactions, twice a month, will greatly increase the work burden of the RFC organization. Nevertheless, it is agreed that the extra is justified in order to give the public adequate information."

### Mental Well-Being Included in U. of T. Physical Training

AUSTIN, Tex.—Something new has been added to physical training for freshmen women at the University of Texas.

Physical well-being as it applies to mental well-being is the basis for a weekly discussion period in twelve fundamental classes for freshmen, with specialists in the fields of mental hygiene as speakers.

Discussions center around vocations, good grooming, personal hygiene, boy-girl relations, science, religion, war, and day-to-day problems which freshmen meet.

"The territory served by the San Antonio Agency covers 54 counties in South Texas. However, sales are not restricted to property declared surplus within any one Agency's territory or local jurisdiction. The prospective buyer in this region need only contact this agency to obtain information regarding materials and production equipment he wants to acquire, whether the property has been declared surplus in this or another RFC region. By means of teletype communication, the 23 RFC Disposing Loan Agencies and their branch sales offices bring buyer and seller together regardless of geography. Not infrequently, we receive an inquiry from a prospective buyer which we can't fill from our own inventory of surplus property but can speedily fill from the surplus inventory in another RFC disposal area."

### Home Canning Sugar Allotments Reduced

The method adopted for issuance of sugar for home canning and preserving during the 1945 season has been announced by Stanley Daggett, who received information on the new program from H. B. Lesesne, district OPA food rationing officer.

According to Daggett, the home canning allowance per person will be a maximum of 20 pounds, of which only five pounds may be allowed for making jams, jellies, preserves, marmalades, fruit butters, canning vegetables, and making products such as pickles, relishes, catsup, and mincemeat, or for curing meat. In 1944 the allowance was 25 pounds per person, counting Stamp No. 40, which was good for five pounds of canning sugar. This year, Daggett explained, the applicant must show need for 15 pounds of the 20-pound maximum for the purpose of canning fruit or fruit juices.

The period for making application, in this county, will start March 5 and end October 31, Daggett said.

There will be a limit of 160 pounds per family, regardless of whether the family has more than eight members. Application is made on OPA Form R-341, to the local War Price and Rationing Board. Spare Stamp No. 13 from War Ration Book Four must be attached for each member of the family covered by the application.

People of Aransas county are asked to mail the application form to the board, as mailing will save time. Also, applicants are asked to wait until they need the sugar, as the board's decision as to the amount will be based upon actual needs at the time the application is made. Sugar will be allowed at the rate of one pound for each four quarts of finished canned fruit or fruit juice, with a total five-pound limit per person for all other products.

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**Bran, reg size pkg. 10c** **Hemo, 16 oz. jar . 45c**  
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**Mix, 14 ounce pkg. 20c** **Greens, No. 2 can . 10c**

CLABBER GIRL 16-OZ. CAN 25c CAN  
**Baking Powder 8c 17c**

TEXAS TURNIP SUN SWEET  
**Greens, No. 2 can . 10c** **Prune Juice, qt bottle 29c**  
 TEXAS TOMATO APPLE KEG APPLE  
**Puree, No. 1 can 5c** **Juice, big 1/2 gal. jar 45c**

FLAKY BAKE 10 LB. BAG 25-LB. BAG 50-LB. BAG  
**FLOUR 49c; 1.15; 2.53**

GEBHARDT'S Small size 11c Large size 27c  
**Chili Powder** DANDRUFF REMOVER — FITCH'S  
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### Rio Theatre Bills Little Hit Parade For March

Ronald Coleman, Kathryn Hepburn, Lana Turner, Don Ameche, Deanna Durbin, and others like them are the stars that will gladden the screen of the Rio Theatre during the month of March, according to the management.

From the list of some of the most successful hits comes William Bendix in "Abroad with Two Yanks", Ronald Coleman in "Kismet", Lana Turner in "Marriage is a Private Affair", and Kathryn Hepburn in "Dragon Seed."

The billings for the month include sufficient variety to appeal to all movie goers and many who are not regular movie fans, but who do like good movies. The variety for March is completed by Laurel and Hardy in "Big Noise", Deanna Durbin in "Christmas Holiday", Don Ameche in "Wing and a Prayer", Maria Montez in "Gypsy Wildcat", and others of similar quality.

### Baptist Announce Active Program For Month of June

Plans for the Baptist Vacation Bible School are about complete and with a revival to start soon after, June will be a very busy month for the local Baptist church.

The Vacation Bible School will be held from June 4th to 15th inclusive. Rev. Meyers announced that the best faculty ever had will lead the school in its studies.

The Revival meetings will be led by Rev. J. F. Miller, pastor of the Ingleside Baptist Church. The meetings will be held from June 17th to July 1, both dates inclusive. Singing at the revival meetings will be led by Mr. and Mrs. Meyers.

### Cemetery Association Elects Officers For Ensuing Year

The Rockport Cemetery Association began its ninth year of service last Monday at its regular business meeting. The principal business before the assembly was election of officers for the coming year.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. John C. Sorenson, president; Miss Vivian Picton, first vice-president; Judge B. S. Fox, 2nd vice-president; Mayor Jack Blackwell, 3rd vice-president; Miss Velma Picton, secretary; Miss Rith Lipscomb, treasurer.

Mrs. Sorenson appointed the following officers and committee chairmen: Mrs. S. F. Jackson, parliamentarian; Miss Grace Smith, asst. secretary; Mrs. Pat Hooper, grounds; Mrs. James G. Hooper, ways and means; Mrs. J. W. Brundrett, membership.

A call for new members was issued by the secretary.

### W.M.U. Meets

Both circles of the Women's Missionary Union met with Mrs. Walter Bell Monday afternoon for their regular meeting.

Mrs. Dora Shuffield led the Mission Study and seven members were present.

### Personals

Mrs. F. L. Booth and Mrs. Harry Mills were Corpus Christi visitors Friday.

Mrs. Gladys Gibson and Mrs. Virginia Garrett and son, Bud, were here from Corpus Christi Monday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruhl.

Mrs. Ed. Barnard and children, Dale and Barbara, Mrs. O. W. Williams, and Mrs. Richard Fox and nephew, Gary Smith, were all in Corpus Christi Tuesday.

Visiting with Mrs. Manch Brundrett over the week-end were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mires and children.

Miss Bonnie Jean Smith was home from A. and I. College in Kingsville this week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith.

Another A. and I. student, Miss Myrtle Lee Bell, was here over the week-end visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bell.

Mrs. W. W. Clarke of West Columbia came down a week ago Friday to spend the week-end with her sister-in-law, Miss Katie Lee Clarke. They spent the following Saturday in Corpus Christi.

Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Butcher of Smithville are expected down Monday to visit their daughter, Miss Mona Ruth Butcher, for a few days.

J. H. Reinbolt of Houston visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Allemang Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Week-end guests in the I. E. Allemang home were Mr. and Mrs. Jo New and daughter, Judy of Ingleside.

### Texas' Own Benefits From Red Cross

WITH THE 36TH "TEXAS" Division, Seventh Army France.—The work done by the American Red Cross at the 36th "Texas" Division Rest Camp cannot be overestimated. Doughboys have proclaimed the camp by far the finest they have ever visited, and not one leaves after his rest without praising Red Cross Field Director William Fine and Red Cross lassies Carmel White and Katherine McDonald.

The Red Cross Corral is the center of the entire camp. It is the gathering spot where the men can find big soft easy chairs in which to relax and listen to the radio and swap stories. In the Corral is the library of popular magazines procured through the Red Cross. There too is the writing room, well stocked with pens and ink and paper. During December, Mr. Fine secured seventy-five thousand sheets of writing paper, thirty thousand envelopes, as well as enough wrapping paper and twine to enable the men to send home souvenirs. He also provided the souvenirs—perfume, pipes, and gaily decorated wooden shoes.

Adjoining the Corral is the Red Cross snack bar, a boon to late risers. Coffee is always available during the morning, and after the evening movie, it becomes the bustling center of activity. Until the supply gives out, "Candy" White and "Kay" McDonald pass out hot coffee and fancy pastry. This is the gayest hour of the day.

The red cross also discovered that the local photographer could take care of all the men providing she could get an adequate supply of hypsulphate to develop the negatives. Mr. Fine got it. When the Special Services Officer discovered he needed mess articles, Mr. Fine located them, from three hundred soup bowls and three hundred glasses to a dozen cooking kettles and sixty candles.

But the Red Cross at the rest camp does a lot more than find perfume and buy kettles. The Field Service Office is always open to help the men with their home problems, to write letters for them, purchase special presents at their request. When the Chaplain discovered that certain material would be of considerable value to him, Mr. Fine tracked down a supply and secured it.

All the work done at the rest camp is in addition to the regular Red Cross activity with the Division. Both Miss White and Miss McDonald are on temporary duty with the Rest Camp. In addition to these, four girls are regularly at work with the line units, as well as several Field Directors.

At the dances held twice-weekly most popular partners on the floor are ex-actress White and ex-model McDonald, when they get on the floor between sessions at the Snack Bar, which is set up at the dance pavilion to supply the dancers with extra energy.

But the compliment one of them treasures more than any was given by a grinning doughboy as he plunked her squarely with a snow ball: "Those gals," he said, "Those gals are it."

Mrs. Elizabeth Howell has returned home from Corpus Christi, where she has been since Jan. 15. She is improved after an attack of flu.

Mrs. Laverne Howell Caperton visiting home folks here last Sunday, returning to her work in San Antonio this week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reid Simmons for dinner Sunday included: Lt. and Mrs. Chas. Simmons of North Carolina, Mrs. Grady Johnson of Palestine, Mrs. Howard of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wright of Coahuila, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Dennis of Kingsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dennis. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Simmons, Sr., and Mrs. B. Simmons all of Robstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Ratliff were business visitors in Port O'Connor last Sunday.

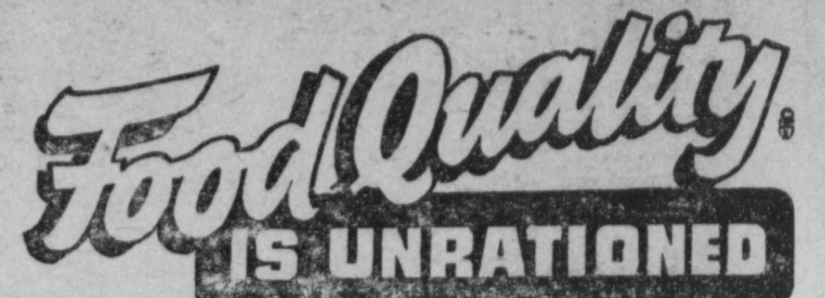
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McNatt, guests at Triple Oak, spent Friday and Saturday in Alice, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Roach. Mr. Roach is superintendent of schools there.

### Negro Baptist Church To Hold Dedication

A series of services will be held here beginning Wednesday night, March 7, to dedicate the Negro Baptist church. The building was recently completed and the services continuing through Sunday are being held as a part of the dedicatory program.

In Corpus Christi was Miss Katie Lee Clarke.

Cape Henry, at the entrance to Chesapeake Bay, Va., received its name in 1607 from the English settlers there, who gave it that title in tribute to Prince Henry, son of King James of England.



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- OLIVE BUTTER, 5 oz. glass 20c
- JAM, Heart Concord Grape, pints 25c
- MONTEREY GRAPE PUNCH, pints 25c
- GIANT YELLOW POP CORN, 2 lbs. 35c
- SEED POTATOES, Minn. Certified, lb. 6c
- BERMUDA ONION PLANTS, large bunch 10c
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### PILOTING--

(Continued from Front Page)  
 er Smith so he's still hanging nets down at Johnson's.

John Peres and Johnny Chupe are making good progress planking their new ship.

W. S. Cocker's "W.A.C." is hauled out for a clean-up on Preston Paul's ways.

John Johnson is making good progress on "Viking's" frame.

Out of state licenses seen around the yacht basin: Oklahoma, Arkansas, Illinois, Wyoming, Indiana and New Mexico.

Alvin Brundrett was opening a batch of oysters tonged from the rocks near Hunt's Wharf. They seemed to be of excellent flavor, though a little small.

"Fiddie" has her engines out and is being cleaned up.

The sunshine crew was sitting in the doorway just soaking it up with nothing much to do at Cast-erline's.

Rumor had it that trout, redfish and other fish swarmed through from the Gulf to the bay several hours yesterday. Maybe the Tarpon are getting ready for the Rockport Tarpon contest, too.

Early one morning Clyde Hayden was reading GI stories from the Reader's Digest to Jack Davis and Wes Johnson over the soda fountain.

We reported last week that Hugh Morrison had launched "Louise". By his own pronouncement he had to stay up and wet nurse her all night to keep her from sinking.

George Beury, secretary of W-O-A-I, San Antonio, is going to come to Rockport to fish with his old cronies, Jack Toops and Lawrence Jasmin—when the weather gets warm "down here." The "down here" isn't our. The good secretary of W-O-A-I might be glad to know that contrary to what it is in San Antonio, the climate down here has been balmy all winter.

Now in its 48th year, the Texas State Historical Association has a membership of approximately 2,000. Dr. H. Bailey Carroll, University of Texas professor of history and acting research director for the Association, said. In the past quarter alone, 160 members have been added to the roster, he reported.

Investors' institutes, designed to furnish technical and business information for new enterprises, have been proposed by Dr. E. P. Schoch professor of chemical engineering at the University of Texas. Such institutes, he said, would carry on a continuous general research program for the benefit of a particular industry, and they would enable individual investors to secure the training and facts needed for their enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc and Mrs. Arley Shivers spent Friday in Corpus Christi.

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- SOAP GRAINS, large pkg. . 17c
- CAKE FLOUR, Swans Down 25c
- BAKE POWDER, K.C., 10-oz. can 8c
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- LEMONS, per dozen . . 19c
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