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TAXI SERVICE

DAY OR NIGHT

PHONE
440 or 3441

Mrs. Mollye Davis

Mrs. Clyde C. Hayden
Makes Report At
Eastern Star Meeting

Mrs. Clyde Hayden made a report of her trip to Grand Lodge at Amarillo when the Order of the Eastern Star met at the Lodge Hall Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden presided at the meeting as worthy patron and worthy matron. Plans were made for a Christmas program and tree to be held at the next meeting.

Mrs. Jim Hooper is program chairman of the party. Mrs. Morgan C. Wheeler offered her home for the party. The program will be held there and gifts exchanged under her tree.

JOHN BARBER HOME ON
LEAVE FROM PACIFIC DUTY

John Robert Barber, son of Jim Barber of Rockport, is at home on a 30-day leave from the Merchant Marine. He has served at Okinawa and other Pacific points.

Glenn Mundine Made
Technician Fourth

Dave Glenn Mundine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman, Mundine of Rockport, has been advanced in rating from technician fifth to technician fourth.

Mundine is serving with the Army at Hawaii. He expects to return to the States within a few weeks, and be discharged. Working in Galveston before his enlistment, he has been in service three years.

Forty Attend Tacky
Party At Fulton
School Friday

The tacky party given by the Fulton Bible Study Friday night at Fulton school was attended by about 40 persons and made \$21.40 for the benefit of the society.

Mrs. Will Stevenson won the prize for the woman with the tackiest costume. She wore a pink dress covered with green ruffles. Her huge hat was covered with flowers. Conrad Day, prizewinner for the men, combined every color in his clothing.

Children's prizes were given. Ida Mae Crossman wore a dress many sizes too large for her, and Bobby Gerald Boone wore overalls with patches and covered with feathers. Fortunes were told during the evening, guessing contests, held and games played.

Roden Discharged
After Submarine Duty
With Pacific Fleet

J. I. Roden, who has served in the Pacific on a submarine, has arrived at home and has been discharged from the Navy. He is living with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roden.

Another son, M. W. Roden, recently returned to his home at California after spending two weeks here with his parents.

Rosa Fay Hamblin
Honored By Parents
At Birthday Party

Rosa Fay Hamblin was honored by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, with a party on her twelfth birthday anniversary Tuesday afternoon.

She opened the gifts brought by her guests before both outdoor and indoor games were played. A white cake with pink lettering and candles was served with ice cream and cookies. Mrs. Hamblin was assisted in the service by her daughter, Wilbern.

Guests were Pat Smith, Bobby Little, Carol Townsend, Elsie Blackwell, Bob Griffin, Dolly Lee Hart, Tommy Cron and Ruth Glenda McShan.

Children of Mrs. J. C.
Russell to be Here For
Thanksgiving Holiday

Mrs. J. C. Russell is expecting a son and daughter as Thanksgiving guests and the return of another son from Manila on December 8.

Ralph C. Russell of Alabama University will arrive within the next few days and Mrs. Ralph Long of the University of Texas at Austin will also be here for the holiday.

A. L. Russell, serving as an accountant in the Army, will be home in December. He has been in the Army for three years and stationed at Manila since May. He expects to be discharged when he reaches the states.

Travis Johnson Is
Back In States

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Johnson received a phone call last week from their son, Travis J. Johnson, who had landed at Newport News, Virginia. He said he would report to Tyler and would be discharged.

Johnson has recently been with the Army of Occupation with the 82nd Air Borne Division. A paratrooper, he was wounded last December in the Battle of Belgium. He was in the hospital for a month after that time.

Mary Beth Picton
Is Hostess To
Bridge Club

Miss Mary Beth Picton entertained the Young Matrons Bridge Club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Ballou was high score winner for the game and Mrs. Arlie Shivers held the second high score.

Miss Picton served a salad course to her guests who were Mrs. Norvell Jackson, Mrs. Clara Louise Schmeling, Mrs. Helen Jane Sloan, Mrs. Roy Lee Hart, Mrs. Shivers, Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, Mrs. Charles Ankele, Mrs. Ed Barnard, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. Ballou and Mrs. DeWilton Jeffries.

Three Teachers
Are Hostesses
To Faculty Party

Mrs. Bertha Harper, Mrs. John Haynes and Miss Katie Lee Clarke were hostesses to the Faculty Club when it met at the Homemaking Cottage Friday night.

In anagrams game, Mrs. Charlyne Hunt won the high score prize for the women and Mrs. Clyde Hayden won low. Owen James was high for men and Bill McGrath was low score winner. Mrs. Susan Butler was winner in the turkey contest.

Refreshments were served at the card tables on large trays of basketweave. Centering each tray was a decorated apple fenced in with olives on toothpicks. On the trays were open-faced sandwiches, pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee.

Attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde C. Hayden, James, McGrath, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Bill Cavitt, Miss Ruth Lipscomb, Mrs. Lucy Roberts, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Clara Seaton and Mrs. Simon Lee Sorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stephenson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cloyd shopped at Corpus Christi Tuesday.

Surprise Birthday
Party Given For
Charlotte Cron

A bridge party was given Friday night in honor of Charlotte Cron on her seventeenth birthday anniversary by Wilbern Hamblin at the Hamblin home.

The party was a surprise to Miss Cron and guests showered her with gifts.

A white birthday cake with blue candles was served with cookies and punch.

High score was won in the game by Lucille Haynes who also won the traveling prize.

Mary Elsie Rowe held second high score. Guests were Charlotte and Bonnie Cron, Miss Haynes, Miss Rowe, Mary Lou McLester, Patti Ballou, and Jean Hinton of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. George Lee
Brundrett is Hostess
To Circle Two

Mrs. George Lee Brundrett was hostess to Circle II of the Presbyterian Auxiliary when it met at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Clobardants presided at the business meeting with the program led by Mrs. James Lathrup. Subject for the afternoon was "Is My Christianity Reaching Out?"

Mrs. Brundrett served a dessert course of mince pie and coffee, ices in her centerpieces in the ices in her centerpieces in the living room and dining room.

There were four visitors at the meeting, Mrs. Fred Brundrett, Mrs. Clarence Landgraf, Mrs. I. C. Furman and Mrs. Connie Painter. The members present were Mrs. Lathrup, Mrs. T. H. Pollard, Mrs. Clobardants, Mrs. Jim Hooper, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. W. H. Morrison and Mrs. Lloyd Smith.

First Freshman
Party Planned

The first Freshman party, an informal dance, will be held at 7:30 o'clock Friday night in Room A of the Rockport school.

Each Freshman will have an invited guest at the dance. Mrs. W. F. Close, roommother, will assist Mrs. Clyde Hayden, homeroom teacher, in arrangements for the dance.

PICNIC CELEBRATES
BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

Five high school girls celebrated Charlotte Cron's birthday anniversary with a picnic at Lamar. On the picnic were Charlotte and Bonnie Cron, Patti Ballou, Jean Hinton and Mary Elsie Rowe.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Alvin Wesley Vickery and Jo Virginia Alderson.

Edwin Mundine, Edwin Mundine, Jr., and Milton Mundine, have been in Lee County on a business trip.

Personals

Mrs. Roy Lee Hart and daughter, Dolly Lee, spent the week-end at Falfurrias with Mrs. Hart's husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Mogran C. Wheeler spent the week-end at Yoakum visiting Mrs. Wheeler's parents.

Bill Cavitt, who recently returned from overseas, has gone to Austin to receive his discharge from the Army.

Eddie Keller of Tivoli spent a day this week with the family of his brother, George Keller, who is overseas.

Mrs. Maynard Abrahams underwent a major operation at a Corpus Christi hospital. Her mother, Mrs. S. F. Jackson, has been with her for several days.

A. F. Sartor, Jr., of Houston and Sam Lee will be Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin. Sartor is Mrs. Hamblin's brother.

A. Smith, who recently underwent an operation at Corpus Christi Osteopathic Hospital, is at home and much improved.

Mrs. Jim DeForest, Mrs. A. Davis, Mrs. Alice Marion and Mrs. Joe Smith spent Saturday at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Ruby Morris returned Tuesday from Sulphur Springs who she visited her mother. She brought back with her her daughter, Eulalia, who has been living in Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Williams and daughter Pamela Kay left Friday for Shreveport, La. After a visit there, they will return to their home in Lawton, Oklahoma. They have been guests here of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.

Mrs. J. W. Brundrett has as her guests for two weeks her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. El Brundrett and daughter, B. Louise, of Texas City.

Mrs. Ingle Turner and child of Refugio spent the week-end with Mrs. Turner's sister, Mrs. Lloyd Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mires and daughters of Taft spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Natalie Smith, who is working Central Power and Light Co. at Taft and was spending the end with her parents here, and with Mr. and Mrs. Mires.

Mrs. Harry Mills spent Tuesday at Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ho Wichita Falls spent Wednesday here with Mr. and Mrs. B. T. man.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Dery will have as their guests Thanksgiving Mrs. Dervagter, Lt. J. D. Branstetter, and the Army Nurses Co. El Paso; and two brothers Bay City, Jennings and Harry Branstetter who recently returned from overseas.

Mrs. G. E. Saint of Arkansas and Mr. and Mrs. William Bay of Rockport spent Friday at Corpus Christi.

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Nelson Johnson, Jr., first class who 25th U. S. Naval station, played an in the final drive ring Japan to her was one of the Seabees for the rapid of the Ryukyus island base. The 125th one day after the been officially declared within a few days, members were helping to com- the Awashi airstrip. two weeks later, the battalion ed to Yanabaru to begin work the airfield started by the Japs. The Seabee group previously had ent 14 months on Oahu in the waiian Islands.

Marshall On Way Home

no C. Marshall, boatswain's first class, brother of Mrs. of Rockport, expect- to leave for the United States about November 8 and be discharged when he arrives here.

Marshall, a commercial fisher- man here before he went into ser- vice, has been in the Pacific 22 months. He has served on Guadal- canal and the Russell Islands.

Round-up Begins On Rouquette and Wendell at Rockport

Fall round-up on Rouquette and Wendell Ranch began Tuesday afternoon and will continue the rest of this week.

About sixty to seventy head of calves will be sold to F. B. Archer, West Texas cattle buyer. The calves will be delivered by truck at Cuero.

DOCTOR CRON ATTENDS TWO MEETINGS

Tuesday night, Doctor Charles Cron attended the annual dinner and staff meeting at Spohn Hos- pital, Corpus Christi. Friday night attended at Odem, a meeting of the Medical Association, of he is president.

BILL BOARD ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED: by the City Council of the City of Rockport, Texas that after the publication of this ordinance, it shall be un- lawful for any person, firm or corporation to erect or cause to be erected, place or cause to be placed any form of bill board or sign for advertising or other purposes along any of the streets of the City of Rockport or highways traversing the City of Rockport, or on vacant lots, road markers and lot owner's "for sale" notices ex- cepted, within the Corporate limits of the City of Rockport, Texas.

Any person or persons guilty of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined in a sum of not more than \$25.00 and an additional fine of \$5.00 per diem for each day said violation is al- lowed to exist.

Passed and adopted this the 13th day of November, A.D., 1945.

ALBERT COLLIER
Mayor

W. B. FRIEND,
City Secretary

JACK SAMPSON RETURNS TO CIVILIAN LIFE

Pvt. Jack F. Sampson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sampson of Rockport, formerly stationed at Camp Wolters Infantry Replacement Training Center, has been separated from the Army and re- turned to civilian life.

BUILDS ON BUILDING

Henry Schmidt of Taft is having the front porch repaired and a back porch built on his building oc- cupied by Dr. Charles F. Cron's office.

The building was damaged by the recent storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cloyd of Hereford have arrived in Rockport to spend the winter.

O. P. Winslow, who underwent an operation at Spohn Hospital at Corpus Christi, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Land- graf were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Landgraf Sat- urday. Landgraf recently returned from overseas service and is living at Tivoli temporarily.

Col. and Mrs. J. E. Miller and son Bobby of Tyler have been guests for the week of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson. Mrs. Miller is Mrs. Johnson's sister.

Two Sons of Mrs. Stelzig Discharged

Mrs. Oscar Stelzig has had as guests last week four members of her family, two of whom were sons recently discharged from service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smothers of Austin spent the week-end with her, an her niece, Mrs. J. R. Reed of Yoakum, is visiting here.

A. J. Stelzig, discharged from the Marine Corps, spent a week here and is now working at Corpus Christi. Clyde C. Stelzig, chief shipfitter, had been in the Marian- nas Islands with the Seabees for two years. He was also here for a week and is now at Corpus Christi.

AN ORDINANCE REGULAT- ING THE BUSINESS OF HOUSE OR BUILDING MOVING; BOAT MOVING OR LOADS OF OTHER WARES OF EXCESSIVE HEIGHT, WIDTH AND LENGTH

BE IT ORDAINED: by the City Council of the City of Rockport, Texas:

Section 1. (a) It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to move or cause to be moved a house or building from one location to another within the city of Rockport or to move a house or building from without the city to a location within the city or to move a house or building within the city to a point outside the city without first securing a permit therefor as hereafter pro- vided.

(b) It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to transport over the streets of the City of Rockport without first securing a permit therefor, any boat or load of wares of what ever nature of a height in excess of Twelve feet six inches from the ground, a width in excess of Nine (9) feet and an overall length of Forty-five (45) feet

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Section 2. Any person, firm or corporation desiring to move a house or building as provided in section 1 (a) of this ordinance shall deposit with the Clerk of the City of Rockport the sum of 150 Dollars upon condition and with the express agreement that the city is to retain said money for a period of 10 days after the house or building reaches its new loca- tion. If within said time it shall appear to the governing body of the City of Rockport that any damage has been done to the streets or any wires, or any trees, or any other private or public property, in the opinion of said governing body, then the govern- ing body shall, by resolution, as- sess the amount of such damage, after viewing the alleged property injured, either in favor of the City of Rockport or the owner of the property in front of which the trees or other injured property may be situated or the owner of any private property alleged to have been injured; and the finding of said governing body shall be final. The deposit of the money above referred to with the Clerk shall be held to be an express agreement to the terms and provisions of this ordinance. Should the Clerk upon compliance with this ordi- nance decline to issue such per- mit, an appeal may be had to the governing body of the City of Rockport which may, if it deems proper, by resolution, authorize such use of the street, avenue or alley.

In lieu of the deposit herein re- quired those regularly engaged in house moving may file a surety bond or other bond as may be ap-

proved by the governing body of the City of Rockport, in the amount of 1,000 Dollars and such bond shall inure to the benefit of any person or persons damaged, as well as to the City of Rockport. It shall be conditioned that the principal will pay to the City of Rockport or any other person or persons dam- aged thereby, all such damages as may accrue to it or them by reason of moving such house or houses or building along the streets permit- ted.

Section 3. (a) The Clerk of the City of Rockport will issue the per- mit required in Section 1 (a) upon the payment of a fee of 5.00 Dol- lars for a permit to move a house of more than two (2) rooms and a fee of 2.50 Dollars for the mov- ing of a house of two rooms or less.

Section 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordi- nance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not to exceed \$100.

Passed and approved this the 13th day of November, A.D., 1945

ALBERT COLLIER,
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City Secretary

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Mrs. Sally Coghill has returned to her home here after visiting at Houston.

Mrs. Evans Corbin of Ingleside spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Jackson.



WE GIVE THEE THANKS

In the name of the living, and of the dead,
And of those unborn — Lord, bless the bread
Of brotherhood that now we break
In gratitude for Thy sweet sake.

In the name of the living — we thank Thee, Lord,
For deliverance from flame and sword;
For loved ones spared; for the task well done;
For the battle fought — and the victory won.

In the name of the dead — locked deep in sleep
Under alien earth — give us strength to keep
Untarnished their dear-bought legacy,
The brave, bright armor of liberty.

And for those unborn — Lord, we lift a prayer
For a wiser world where we all may share
A lasting amity with men.
We thank Thee, Lord, for peace.

Amen.

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- CHILI CON CARNE, 17-oz jar 30c
- FLOUR, Flaky Bake, 10 lbs. 49c
25 lb. bag \$1.16- 50 lb. bag \$2.20
- OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, Can 7 1/2c
- PUREX BLEACH, qt. bottle 15c
- PEACH PRESERVES, 2-lb. jar 57c
- COCOA, Hershey's, 1/2-lb can 9c
- MALTED MILK, 16-oz jar 39c
- WHEATIES, 8-ounce package 10c
- RICE KRISPIES, Kelloggs, pkg. 12c
- CREAM OF WHEAT, 14-oz pkg 14c
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FOR RENT: Furnished cottage. Mrs. Travis Bailey. 11-8

FOR SALE: 5 large room house, bath, garage, Modern conveniences; Large 90x150 ft. lot, close in. See H. E. Bahr. 10-25 lf

BAIT—Plenty Live Shrimp for sale. \$1.50 per hundred. Fred's Bait Stand, Fulton. 11-8-4tp

WANTED TO BUY: Lot or small house on waterfront in north part of town. Write Mrs. C. E. Nelson, 415 Paseo Encinal, San Antonio, Texas. 10-25 ptp

Household Furnishings

WANTED TO BUY:—All kinds of used furniture, glass ware and dishes. Edds Furniture Shop, West Commerce Street, Aransas, Pass, Texas. Phone 317W2. 9-13-4f

WARNING TO HUNTERS

All of my lands in Aransas County, known as Copano Village, the Peterson or Middle Pasture is posted according to law and all trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. A reward of \$25.00 is offered for the arrest and conviction of unauthorized persons entering the premises.—F. G. Huffman, owner. 10-25tf

The Wendell and Roquette Pasture of 1,600 acres more or less is posted according to law and all trespassers will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. This pasture is bounded on the North by the Bailey pasture, on the West by Copano and Puerto Bays; on the East by lands of Charles Cleveland and the Rogers Dairy and lands of Ed Moore and Market Street and on the South by the Market Street-Port Bay Club Road. 11-1 2tp Albert Maier, Lessee

The following property is posted according to law and no hunting is allowed: The property known as the Devere Property, and all of the Sparks Property. All hunters are warned to stay off this property. — J. E. Moore.

POSTED—The following property, known as the Fairchild property, is posted according to law. All hunters are warned to stay off this property. 11-15-2tp C. C. RIVERS

Miscellaneous

FOR SALE: Hens and Fryers, Fred's Fowl Market. 11-15-4tp

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Program

SUNDAY & MONDAY
November 25 and 26

"Valley of Decision"

Greer Garson

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY
November 27 and 28

"Molly and Me"

Monty Wooley - Gracie Fields

THURSDAY & FRIDAY
November 29 and 30

"Bewitched"

Phylis Thaxter

SATURDAY

December 1

"Navajo Trail"

Johnny Mack Brown

Chapter No. 4

BLACK ARROW

Rockport's First Woman Veteran Files Discharge From Service

Seven Men Released From Army And Four From Navy

The first Rockport WAC to come back to her home with a discharge filed her papers with the county clerk last week and is a veteran.

She is Mrs. Hazel M. Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Hoover, and was discharged because her husband, who is serving in the Navy, is being released.

Mrs. Martin was a medical technician fifth grade with the 119th WAC Division. She served for seven months and was awarded the Victory Medal.

Her discharge was like all others that have been filed by Army veterans with but one difference. No other discharge had on it, "civilian occupation, housewife."

Seven men filed their Army discharges and four filed Navy discharges.

Buckley Wright, a staff sergeant with the 697th Engineers Petroleum Distribution Company, served in Naples-Foggia, Rome-Arno, Southern France, Rhineland, Central Europe, North Africa and Sicily. He was awarded the EAME Campaign ribbon with five bronze stars, Meritorious service plaque, bronze arrowhead, good conduct medal, seven overseas bars and one service stripe.

Oswaldo Garza, private first class with Company B, 48th Engineers Combat Battalion, served in Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland and Central Europe. He was awarded the EAME campaign ribbon with five bronze stars, the bronze arrowhead, the good conduct medal, the Distinguished Unit Citation and three overseas bars.

Roscoe S. Johnson, staff sergeant with the 1060th AAF Base Unit, was an aerial gunner serving in Northern Appennines, Rhineland, Air Combat in Balkans, Po Valley and Central Europe. He received the EAME medal with one bronze star, the good conduct medal, the Air Medal with one oak leaf cluster.

Lee R. Young, technical sergeant served with the headquarters of the Third Army Infantry in Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland and Central Europe. He was awarded the EAME medal with five bronze stars, Good Conduct medal, one service stripe and three overseas service bars.

Enrique P. Delgado, a staff sergeant in Company E, 12th Infantry Regiment, was a squad leader in Central Europe, Ardennes and Rhineland with three battle stars.

Elmo H. Bauer, technician 4th, Company C, 773rd Tank Destroyer Battalion, served in Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland and Central Europe and was awarded the EAME campaign medal with four bronze stars, good conduct medal, American Theater campaign ribbon, the Bronze Star medal, Distinguished Unit Badge, one service stripe and three overseas bars.

George A. Wulff, sergeant in the 244th Army Air Force Base Unit, served in the American Theater and was awarded the American defense ribbon, the Victory Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He was in service five years.

Discharged from the Navy were Noble Trueman Evans, fireman first class; Louis Albert Schultz, seaman first class; Dennis Andrew Wilson, coxswain; Richard Lloyd Lassiter, fireman first class.

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Surprise Birthday Party Given For Floyd Smith

A surprise party was given Tuesday night by Mrs. Floyd Smith for her husband in celebration of his birthday.

Guests met at the home of Mrs. Ted Little and came in a group. They played "forty-two" during the evening. High score for women was won by Mrs. J. T. Malchar and high for men by Harry Mills.

The hostess served cake squares and coffee. She used arrangements of pink oleanders to decorate the game rooms.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clobberdants, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Little, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Malchar, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pollard and Mrs. Charles Garrett.

Methodist Church Being Remodeled

About \$500 is being spent in repairing and remodeling the Methodist church in Rockport. Part of the money is being spent for the repair of storm damages.

The Rev. F. A. Banks, pastor of the church, said the heltry was removed because the slanting roof was leaking. It is being replaced over the cement porch and will not be on the church proper.

Cement steps were put at the entrance to the church, and a back entrance cut into the study in the church building. The entire north side of the building was roofed and underpinned and four windows replaced.

A new ceiling will be put in the church. All of the exterior and a part of the interior will be repainted.

\$15,000 Damage Suit Filed In District Court

With a three postponed charge of negligent homicide still pending in county court, a civil action was filed in district court this week against the San Antonio owners and operators of a truck involved in an accident fatal to Richard Bailey Brown.

The suit for \$15,000 damages names Mrs. Rose Bailey Brown Brown's mother; and Paula Jeanne Brown and Richard Brown, his minor children, as plaintiffs, and E. H. Zirkel and C. H. Zirkel, doing business as Zirkel Monumental Works, and Julian Benavides and Jesus Benavides, operators of the Zirkel truck, as defendants.

The brief charges that at 10 o'clock on the night of January 26 Brown was riding a motorcycle on the highway between Rockport and Aransas Pass when he was fatally injured in a collision with the truck.

The plaintiffs allege that the truck was on the wrong side of the highway, that the driver was negligent and not keeping a proper lookout and was driving at an unsafe rate of speed.

The \$15,000 asked is based on the amount of support the plaintiffs claim Brown would have contributed to his family if he had lived a normal lifetime.

A hearing of a plea of privilege is set for January 2 before Judge W. G. Gayle. Attorneys for the defense are asking that the case be heard at San Antonio where their company does business.

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