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DOLLAR A YEAR LEASE VOTED MARINE LAB

Along **The Waterfront**

"Shorty" Townsend took out a party in the "Snooks" Tuesday, and brought in 100 trout.

Al C. Wolk reported 'a good catch at the Jolly Roger Sunday. P. D. Henderson, M. D. Faerres and W. E. Gibson, of San Antonio, bagged 70 trout, 10 gaff-tops, and four whities off Redfish Point.

Proudest fisherman of the week was Mrs. C. A. Glass, of 102 East Mandalay Drive, San Antonio. Using a drop-line and a perch hook, Mrs. Glass caught a string of 60 fish.

Most of her catch were angel fish, sheephead and whities. The prize was a 2-pound trout, and she landed several other trout.

Mrs. Glass will be back this week-end to try her luck again.

The total catch at Mill's Wharf over the week-end was 189 fish.

R. W. Hagen and R. L. Sims, of Houston, brought in 60 of these, Johnson, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIlheran and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIlheran, Jr., of Wichita Falls; Dr. O. H. Huntley, and S. H. Kemp and party, of San Antonia, restrict of the series o Wichita Falls; Dr. O. H. Huntley, Antonio, reported catches of reds, flounder, trout and drum.

A. H. Bolser, Charles Duck, Ellis Dentler and Bob Ayers gigged 36 flounders night-fishing near Rockport.

for the S. P., reports dwindling director for the project. shipments of fish over the week. will be September before shrimp lishment of a home for abandoned, arc regular. * * *

Former "San Antonio Rose" Being **Fitted Here For Deep-Sea Fishing** Lawrence Miller, theatre owner Tarpon Rodeo at Tampico, Mex-

house for deep-sea fishing.

Pass next July 16-18.

world's record.

writer.

of Robstown, this week purchased ico, last March 16-21, where the the "San Antonio Rose" from S. fishing is done in the Panuaco C. Thurman, of San Antonio, and River. Miller's catch was a 36is fitting out the 26-foot Chris- pound bull red, but Mrs. Loretta Craft cruiser at the Morison Boat- Miller, an ardent sportsman in her

own right, salvaged family honors Mr. Miller has changed the name by snaring a "keeper". of the boat to "Fisherman", after The tarpon, measured by Mr.

a boat by that name owned by his Miller with a wet line, was exactly late friend, Zane Grey, world fam- five feet long. But the line, when ous novelist and outdoor sports dry, drew up an inch and the knotted length measured only four feet Mr. Miller is installing Brook's and eleven inches. Mrs. Miller lost outriggers and equipment on the her fish. Only one other woman

'Fisherman", the latest type man- placed in the event. ufactured before the war. The out-"She would have brought home riggers do not require guy-wires, a bag of medals and ribbons," Miland Miller will probably give the ler said ruefully, "if I hadn't boat its "shakedown" cruise durmeasured the fish with a wet line. ing the Tarpon Rodeo at Aransas The president, the mayor, and all of the other Mexican officials, Miller has fished at Bimini and

Cat Cay, in the West Indies, and were giving away honors for the event. in 1941 caught the second largest marlin in the world, weighing 417 The Millers plan to do a lot of pounds. On the same day he caught sail fishing in waters adjacent to a 427-pound giant tuna. The man Aransas Bay, and will endeavor

who caught the biggest marlin to catch blue marlin. R. J. Montmostly reds. Mr. and Mrs. Frank that year, 737 pounds, broke the gomery, of Port Isabel, reported the only seven marlin ever caught Mr. and Mrs. Miller entered the in these waters.

KABC Changes Dial Position; New Power 50,000 Watts

Have Boys' City Radio Station KABC, San An-A home for underprivileged boys in South Texas will soon be cstablished in Corpus Christi, ac- Tuesday turned on its new transcording to a statement sent out

The movement for the estab-

Donations Allow Fire Department New Equipment

Response in Rockport to an appeal on behalf of the Fire Department has been fairly satisfactory,

according to Miss Iris Sorenson, secretary and treasurer of the department. Over \$200 was raised, and the

money will be used to buy muchneeded equipment. Among the contributors were: DeWilton Jeffries, Ed Barnard,

Harold Picton, Ruth Lipscomb, Mrs. James B. Hooper, Victor Clark, Mrs. W. B. Allen, Sam T. Prophet, Mrs. Francis Smith, A. R. Curry, Mrs. Pat Hooper, J.

W. Sorenson, and John Haynes. Miss Sorenson expressed the hope that the money would keep rolling in, since the department has suffered a decrease in ef-

ficiency of equipment during the war and is not able to replace it.

Stamps Asked For Philatelists In Vet Hospitals

Veterans confined to hospitals need absorbing avocational inter-

ests, and Mrs. Pat Hooper is starttonio's outlet for the American ing a drive to collect stamps for Broadcasting Company Network, those interested in philately.

No less a man than Franklin mitter of 50,000 watts power and Delano Roosevelt, our late presi-W. E. Beasley, Station Agent by W. R. Duke, public relations switched dial position to 680. For- dent, was an avid stamp collector, merly heard at 1450 on the dial and for many wounded Army and with 250 watts power, KABC Navy veterans in hospitals scatstarted construction on its new tered around the country, philately underprivileged and negle ted boys transmitter located on the Bandera furnishes escape and amusement.

Three Parties, Banquet Keynote School Week In Rockport The Freshman, Sophmore and ...

Junior classes gave parties during Indianola Group Will

has a banquet scheduled for Fri- Meet On May 19 day night.

The first meeting of the Old In-The Freshman party was held dianola Association since war on Wednesday evening at the High has been set for Sunday, May 19, School, and fifty-five attended. Room 18 was decorated for the H. C. Innis, chairman of the aroccasion with gold and purple rangements committee, announced this week. streamers. Open-face sandwiches. The meeting will be held at the

potato chips, cookies and orange juice were served, and guests played "cootie".

There will be a fish fry at noon, High score for the girls was won and a brief program, and afterby Ruby Mae Wilkinson, and low wards the trek to the site of the score by Patricia Wallace. High old Texas seaport will be made. score for the boys went to Clifton Evans, and Gene Lassiter had is richer in folklore, fiction and the low score. fact than Indianola, once the first

port in Texas and later almost Additional guests were Miss Katie totally destroyed by two great Lee Clarke and Bill McGrath. Mrs. storms.

Sophomore Party Grass Grows", wrote of Indianola, and Ruel McDaniel, Joe Small, Fred Gipson and other Texas writers have mentioned it many times in western story magazines. The April issue of ".44 Western"

entertainment for the group. carried a novel by John H. Latham, The treasure hunt was won ileditor of the Pilot, with Indianola legally by Car No. 1 driven by and Matagorda Island the locale. Joe Johnson, Jr., and legally by

Stewart and Jimmy Little. Mrs. Cron, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin

sponsors

The Junior class of the Rockport High School was honored with hayride and wiener roast last Friday evening, May 3, by Mrs. Joe Johnson, Sr., and Mrs. Alice ficulties of moving, and what with certainty now for Rockport. workmen whisking Linotype ma-Haney. The class assembled in

Commissioners **Take Step To Insure Project**

Navigation District Meets Game and Fish **Department Demands**

The Navigation Commission of the Aransas District met last Monday night and voted a thirty-year lease on an approved site, at \$1 a year, to the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, for the purpose of establishing a marine laboratory at Rockport.

Definite approval of the city for ocation of the laboratory has been withheld for the last several months pending the outcome of negotiations for a more suitable lease. The "Navigation District wanted \$100 a year for the seventyfive by seventy-five foot frontage. The stipulation was struck out of Allen Bosworth in his Saturday the contract, however, when How-Evening Post serial, "Wherever and Dodgen, executive secretary of the game commission, objected to the terms of the lease.

At a prior meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors, a resolution was passed recommending to the Navigation District that the game commission be given a 99year lease on the property at \$1 year. Charles T. Picton was the only member of the navigation . commission present.

Picton and "Bunk" Wendell met this week, after confering with Marshal T. Anderson, the third member of the board, on the telephone. The commission then issued its statement that a 30-year lease at \$1 a year had been apleaving the Pilot blushing in error. proved, and Mayor Albert Collier The mistake was due to the dif- said the laboratory was almost a

The laboratory, to be built on chines out from under the opera- the Rockport seawall, will be mator's nose and the paper being sonry or concrete type, and as served with the wieners. The guests pig for sale in the obituary col- and it will be the only one of its kind on the Gulf Coast, with the exception of Marineland, at St. Augustine, Fla. Failure on the part of the game commission to operate the lab for a given length of time will cause The sheriff's sale of property it to revert to the Navigation Dis-Elveen, Clifton Evans, Buddy Gray, last Tuesday, May 7, was a huge trict, and become the property of

Each freshman invited a guest. W. F. Close and Mrs. Ruth Hayden were sponsors.

The Sophomore class held its party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Cron. The social chairman was Patti Ballou, and a treasure hunt and wiener roast provided

Car No. 2 driven by Cyrus Davis. Cars 3 and 4 were driven by Alex

and Mrs. Susan P. Butler were

And Apologizes Hayride and Roast Rules in Political Announcements were transposed last week,

Haegan, of Houston.

Mother's Day Will Be **Observed At Baptist** Church On Sunday

Next Sunday, Mother's Day, will be observed at the Baptist Church ing citizens of South Texas. The 680 both day and night. Estimates in sermon and song. E. John Mey- boys will govern themselves and ers, pastor, will bring timely mes- attend public schools and churches there are over 3,000,000 listeners trict met Tuesday night and electsages at both morning and evening of their own choice. services. The T. E. L. Class will sing a Mother's Day special at the be through an honorary citizenmorning service.

Solo: "My Mother's Prayers to its support will receive a cerservice.

Don't fail to wear a flower for your mother, red if she is living, and white if she has departed this ing that time will be on his honor. life.

Everyone welcome to all serv- be accepted. ices.

Reception For Father Kelly Celebrates Silver Jubilee, May 15

On Wednesday, May 15, 1946, Father James H. Kelly will cele- Summer Camp brate his Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood. A reception will be held that evening in the Secred Heart School, from 5:30 to 8:30 for all friends of Father Kelly, Sandia, Texas, Mrs. Roy Lee Hart, and all are invited to attend.

On May 15, 1921, Father Kelly was ordained to the priesthood by the Most Rev. Thomas F. Lillis, that the girls have attended camp. Bishop of Kansas City, in the They will spend one week, in July Cathedral of Kansas City. The following morning Father Kelly normally be \$13.50 for each girl, said his first low Mass in the but money raised by the Tom Chapel of Loretto Academy and Thumb wedding enables all memthe following Sunday sung his bers to attend free. Mrs. Hart first Solemn High Mass at St. will accompany the group and Theresa's College.

After working in the Diocese of Kansas City for thirteen years, he came to the Diocese of Corpus tractive quarters, and facilities in-Christi to carry on his priestly du- clude handcraft, nature lore, muties. For the past ten years he has worked here in the Rockport Parish.

Reverend James H. Kelly "'ly invites you participate in lemn High Mass morning the fifteenth of May n hundred and forty-six ten-thirty o'clock ed Heart Church ckport, Texas e occasion of the fth Anniversary of ination to the thood

ght-thirty

between the ages of ten and six- Highway approximately a year was brought into the Morrison Club of that city. Don F. Holiman that KABC will now be heard dur- at Johnson's Drug, Sparks' Gro-Boathouse this week by Cullum & and J. Richard Tabor, co-founders ing the daytime over a wide area cery, or Bruhl's Drug. of Boysville in San Antonio, have been brought to Corpus Christi to

-- its primary listening area being jumped to 105 counties surroundhelp make the plans a reality. transmitter will operate at 50,000 The home will be a non-secwatts during the daytime, the tarian, non-profit, non-political ornighttime power will be 10,000 ganization governed by a board of directors selected from outstandwatts but the dial position will be

based on field surveys show that The financing of the city will

the engineers responsible for ship, whereby those contributing checking the signal strength ceeding 3-year term. Ted Little Have Followed Me" at the night tificate proclaiming them to be radio signal during the daytime board. than any other San Antonio stahonorary citizens of Boys' City. Each boy will be accepted for a tion.

thirty day trial period, and dur-**Red Cross Chapter** Applicants from this county will **Completes 75 Pairs Of Boys Overalls**

Camp Fire Girls Register For

pairs by August, and anyone de-The Tanda Camp Fire Girls are siring to contribute may call Mrs. now registering for their annual Sorenson or Mrs. J. F. Brundett. summer outing, which this year will be to Camp Shawondasse, at Sandia, Texas, Mrs. Roy Lee Hart, group guardian, announced this John H. Latham week.

serve on the camp staff.

ing sings, fishing and hiking.

PILOT REPORTER

RESIGNS DUE

TO ILLNESS

will recover soon.

who plan to make the trip be

registered as soon as possible.

This will be the third summer

New Editor at Shawondasse. The fee would Of Pilot

port.

John H. Latham, fiction writer of the Rockport Independent magazines, this week assumed edi- tions be directed by the faculty." torship of the Pilot.

completed 75 pairs of boys over-

The chapter will complete 165

Mr. and Mrs. Latham moved The camp is beautifully situatago, and are staying at the Jolly Christian Science ed in a woodland area, with at-Roger, on Copano Bay. Mr. Latham was editor of the sic, dramatics, Indian lore, riding, Texas Ranger, humor magazine swimming, camp craft and land of the University of Texas, and sports. Special activities include has been art editor and feature treasure hunts, bird walks, mornwriter for several southwestern Mrs. Hart requests that all girls

as a locale, and knows the country well.

ing", to the magazine South. The Mass., will deliver the lecture, 1945. Miss Dot Jeffreys, reporter on article boosts fishing and fun in title of the lecture being "Christ-

the Rockport Pilot, has resigned the Copano Bay area. her position and returned to her home in Austin, due to illness.

anywhere.

Mrs. Hooper has asked that all A new 26-foot Richardson Cruiser teen was started by the Optimist ago. Engineering estimates show stamps for the wounded be left

> ing San Antonio. While the new Kelly, Simmons **Head Trustees**

> > The board of trustees for the Rockport Independent School Dis-

president, respectively, for the suc-KABC will now put out a stronger will serve as secretary to the

> Sherman Mundine and Reed Simmons received 24 votes, none dissenting, to serve during the next term of office. guests.

The tax rate for 1947 was discussed, and set at the '46 figure. The board passed a resolution to underwrite one month's salary for

The Red Cross Chapter has a coordinator of summer recreational programs, a post slated for alls, according to a statement made Mr. John Ramseur and to be workby Mrs. John F. Sorenson, voluned out in conjunction with various teer special chairman for Rockclubs in town.

The last payment on band uniforms was approved and sent off. vis Morgan C. Wheeler, the school superintendent, gave a report on

the inspection made by W. T. Lofland, deputy state superintendent Stewart

of schools. Following a suggestion by Mr. Ruby Mae Wilkinson Lofland, the board voted to repaint j

and reroof the Latin-American Shults School with funds taken from the storm insurance of last year.

The board also went on record that "Freshman Day be made an official day in the life of the school

and free-lance contributor to many School District, and that its ac-

The vote carried unanimously.

Lecture Sunday

A free lecture on Christian materials, building permits issued Science will be given Sunday af- in Texas in March were almost newspapers and magazines. He ternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the First twice as large as they were in has written a number of western Methodist Church, Corner Rife and February, statistics prepared by lot, was elected chairman of the here as a girl. She is the author stories with the Rockport vicinity Nelson Streets, Aransas Pass. Oscar Graham Peeke, C. S. B., Business Research show.

of Kansas City, Mo., member of On the day that Mr. Latham the Board of Lecturship of the cities in March were \$43,065964. went to work for the Pilot, he sold Mother Church, the First Church as compared with \$24,069,479 in an article, "Retreat-to Real Liv- of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, February, and \$9,890,702 in March, to fill the vacancy created when Mrs. C. Kuchenbaker

ian Science: The Religion of Com- dollars in permits issued were fort and True Friendship."

front of the school house and rode the wagon out to Sparks Colony. Potato salad, pickles, potato printed in transit, we are frankly storm-resistant as posible. \$25,000 chips, cookies and cold drinks were surprised that we didn't list a has been set aside for the project.

included: Joe Johnson, Jr., Juanita Pitschke, Sissy Rowe, Lynn Wendell, David Herring, Wilbern Hamblin, Sheriff's Sale Russell Rowe, Glann HeFlorest, Kenneth Phagan, Norman McLeod, Thomas Blackwell, Dickie Mc-

Charlotte Cron, Tommy Steele, success, Sheriff A. R. Curry re- the county. in the primary area now to be cov- ed T. C. Kelly and Reed Simmons Jr., Bonnie Cron, Bobby Hewitt, ported. ered by the station. According to to serve as president and vice- Colleen Smith, Bert Haney, and Lucille Haynes.

Ralph Hardeman, Patti Ballou, James Wallace, Lynelle Smith, Al

Wright, Leroy Young, Mike Johnson, Mr. Owen James and Mrs. Morgan C. Wheeler were also

The Junior class expresses its thanks to Leroy Young for the use of the wagon.

Banquet on Wings The 8th Grade Banquet will be

given this Friday evening at 7:30. at the High School. The program simulates a flight through life, and follows:

Chaplain, Invocation, Cyrus Da Dispatcher, Toastmaster, Gene For the Summer

Smith Technician, Class Poem, Geneva

Flight Commander, History,

Assembly Line Lt., Will, Joyce

Ground Crew, Helen Theodore Loyce Shults and Billie Kane Test Pilot, Mr. Owen James Flight Maneuver of the Squad-

on, Prophecy, Billie Kane Old 8th Grade, Song, Entire

Class. Mrs. W. R. Rundlett is the sponsor.

Texas Building Permits

Issued In March Total \$43,065,964

In spite of shortage of building

Total permits in 47 Texas cinct delegates last April 24.

Cities having over a million ed to Runge.

Amarillo, Austin, Corpus Christi, tails of election in the Democratic Antonio, has purchased the Dr. They used to rear to them as The Christian Science Society Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, and Primary. Precinct committeemen Kinsey home on the waterfront. Miss Jeffreys made many friends kitchen matches. Now they call of Aransas Pass extends a cor- San Antonio with Youston leading are Elwood Weber, James C. Her- Mrs. Kuchenbaker is having the in Rockport, and it is hoped she 'em Union, because ney will strike dial invitation to the public to at- the list with \$15,358,681 in per- ring, Rob Johnson and Iris So- house remodeled and will occupy mits.

umn.

USO building in Port Lavaca.

Probably no section in the state

The meeting is open to the pub-

lic and all old-timers are especially

urged to attend.

The Pilot Erred-

Pardon our error.

Huge Success

The Pilot will run a complete list, and description of the prop-

erty, in next week's issue. bert Hunt, Pat Wallace, Dexter Barbecue For Firemen

Saturday Night

The Fire Department will have a barbecue on Saturday night, May 11, and all members are invited

Church Service Changes In Rockport

Sunday Masses at the Sacred Heart Church will be held at 6:00 and 8:00 o'clock a. m. effective this date.

Evening Worship at the First Baptist Church will be advanced from 7:30 to 7:45 o'clock.

Evening Worship at the First Methodist Church will be at 7:45 o'clock.

Other changes will be listed in the near future.

Jack Blackwell New Democratic

Chairman Jack Blackwell, former editor and publisher of the Rockport Pi- of Rockport and attended school the University of Texas Bureau of county Democratic executive com- of a book, "Golden Fleece", and mittee at a meeting of the Pre- the Companion ran a short story Mr. Blackwell will assume his thers".

duties this week. He was elected Pat Mixon, former chairman, mov-

The committee handles all de-

renson.

Deep-Sea Fishing Draws Writers To Rockport

It was learned this week that and are entitled to bring one guest. Joe Austell Small, publisher of The Fire Department has voted the Western Sportsman and the to take out a blanket insurance Southern Sportsman, will bring a policy to cover its members both party of writers to Rockport in at fires and at drill. This covers ac- the near future to try for the tive members only, and all others "big ones" in waters adjacent to are asked not to ride on the trucks. Aransas Bay.

Mr. Small has a serial, "Jungle Journey", in this month's Sports Afield, and is a regular contributor to Field & Stream, Outdoorsman, and other national magazines. A recent article in True, by Small was on duck hunting with George Ratisseau, at Copano Bay, called "Blue Norther Bluebills".

It is probable that Fred Gipson, a former reporter with the Caller-Times, will be among Small's party. Gipson has a book out on the 101 Ranch, and has made bigtime with several sales to Liberty, Collier's and Reader's Digest.

Rockport Writer Sells Novelette **To Campanion**

Huey Florence, writing under the name of Mrs. Huey Call, has sold a novelette, "Dark Moment", to be published in the June issue of the Woman's Home Companion. Mrs. Call is a former resident by her in February entitled "Fea-

Buys Kinsey Home

Mrs. C. Kuchenbaker, of San it for the summer,

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All poetry, obituaries, and resolutions will be charged for at the rate of one cent per word.

Tom Thumbs Are Honored With Party

The Tanda Camp Fire Girls hostesses at a party given last Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Charles Roe, honoring participants in the Tom Thumb wedding. Bride Theresa Beth Hemmi and Groom Mike Johnson were special guests.

Games were played on the lawn under the direction of Mrs. Roe. Ice cream and cookies were served. Flags and red, white and blue baskets filled with candy made by the Camp Fire Girls were used as favors.

The Camp Fire Girls held short meeting after the party, and Forest. presented the group leader, Mrs.

Roy Lee Hart, with a black leather monogrammed traveling kit. Mrs. Loyd Smith, Mrs. H. C. Mul- kerson, Shirley Kathryn and Marie linax, Mrs. J. W. Wilkinson and Jones. Mrs. J. W. Wilkerson and Mrs. G. S. Bisett assisted with ar- Shirley Jones assisted Mrs. Roy rangements.

Camp Fire Girls present were Wanda Smith, Mary Ann Close, Oma Jean Sweetser, Joyce Nell Mr. and Mrs. Hesseltine Townsend, Carol Townsend, Dolly Lee Hart, Norma Lou Rowe, Mary Lee Koehler, Marjorie Hunt, Rosa Faye Hamblin, Faye Nell Cole and Ruby M. Wilkinson.

Guests included Theresa Beth Hemmi, Mike Johnson, Clyde Townsend, Betty Mae Armstrong, Bobby Close, Geraldine Armstrong, Charles LaBlanc, Linda Beth Deason, Judy Lee Collier, Jane Collier, Robert Shivers, Dee Jeffries, Dale Barnard, Mary Martha Shivers, Ronnie Simpson, Jackie Sanders, James Richard Fox, Jackie Lynn Deason, Peggy Jean Webb, Thomas Ratliff, Jimmy Ankele, Merrill Johnson, Freddie Hunt, conserverencesson governers

NOVEL PARTY FETES **Ed Barnard Asks CARROLL JONES' Election As Treasurer 13th BIRTHDAY** I wish to take this opportunity to announce my candidacy for the

Mr. and Mrs. Freelyn Jones gave a novel birthday party for their son, Carroll, last Thursday, May 2. All of the guests registered upon entering the house. The table was a punch bowl at one end. The cake

was a huge square, decorated in pink roses, with "Happy Birthday, \$2.00 Carroll" in pink and green icing. Plates, napkins and cups were pink and green, to carry out the qualified and have the background

color scheme. Madame Swami (nee Mildred duties of the office. Jean Wilkerson) had a fortune telling booth decorted in red crepe, and passed out omnious predictions about stars and stuff.

Loyce Mae Shults did the best job of pinning on the donkey's tail, and Lee Billings was the "booby." Favors were peanuts done up in colored paper. Miss Shirley Jones, sister of the celebrant, directed all own merits. I have been a lifegames.

and with the exception of two Guests registered were Cloyce years spent in the Navy, I have Hayden, Jim Ben Cloberdants, been here conducting my own busi-Charlie Garrett, Edward Lee Billness and taking an active part in ings, Max Keller, Pat Smith, civic affairs. I feel for these rea-Johnnie Tedford, of Portland, J. D. sons that I need no introduction. Stewart, Ruby Mae Wilkerson, and with this announcement I leave Loyce Mae Shults, Jean Mikeal, the matter to the voters. I assure, Virginia Ann Mundine, Dora Belle you that I will sincerely appreciate McLester, Shirley Faye Harrell. your vote and support in the com-Gary Smith, Charles Hamlin ing Democratic primaries. Smith, Ruth Glenda McShan, Norma Lou Rowe, Alma Jean Ratliff,

Vonda Smith, Ruby Casey, John **Arthur Davis Enters Race** Paul Reese, Johnnie McBride, Charlotte Gunter, Leon Barber, For Commissioner Nancy Ingersoll, Roy Edward De-

I, A. L. (Arthur) Davis wish to announce as a candidate for Cathering Freeman, Dolly Lee County Commissioner of Precinct Hart, Henry Rosing, Mildred Wil-No. 3, and if elected I will serve the voters and general public to the best of my ability. Your vote and support will be appreciated. Lee Hart to serve. A. L. (Arthur) DAVIS

Entertain With Dinner Party Sunday

bur Hesseltine and son, Delmas,

Jr., Melvin Hesseltine and Mrs.

Mary Scoggin, all of Sinton.

Sr. had as dinner guests Sunday, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. the following item of road machand Mrs. Bert Powell and sons inery to be bought by Aransas Maurice and Foy, of Freeport, Texas. Also their sons and families of Sinton, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hesseltine and family, Mr. line. and Mrs. Albert Hesseltine and son Albert, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Wil-

THE ROCKPORT PILOT

Culley Roberts Celebrates JOHN E. LYLE ANNOUNCES FOR **His Eleventh Birthday RE-ELECTION** Thursday, May 2

Congressman John E. Lyle this Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberts entertained for their son, Cully week announced his intention to Tel. 457-J on his eleventh birthday. Thursseek a second term as Representaday, May 2. Games were played tive from the 14th Congresional and then refreshments of sand- District by filing for re-election wiches, cake and punch were serv- with County Democratic Chairman ed to Mary Ann Chase, Virginia Pat Nixon, of Rockport.

Ann Mundine, Alma Jean Ratliffe, Dora Belle McLester, Charles Hammond Smith, Cloyce Hoyden, Christi attorney had requested that I feel safe in saying that I am Gerald Huffman, Joe Herring, his name be placed on the ballot. Jimmie Cloberdants and the honoree Cully Roberts.

Jee Smith Announces For Justice of Peace the position of County Treasurer.

the district "drafted" him and In this issue of the Rockport placed his name on the ticket by Pilot Jce Smith is announcing petition. Lyle was swept into ofas candidate for the office of Just- fice by nearly two-to-one majority, ice of the Peace, Precinct 1. and the Army subsequently re-Mr. Smith is the present encumleased him in order that he might bent in that office and would ap- return to the United States and preciate your vote and support in take his seat in Congress.

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long resident of Aransas county, the coming election.

Mrs. Wright To Join **Husband In Colombia**

Mrs. Juliet Wright, former editor of the Rockport Piloot, visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackwell.

Mrs. Wright edited the Pilot for over a year and is well known in Rockport. She will leave soon for Colombia, South America, to join her husband who is working there.

A. R. Curry Announces For Re-election

I, A. R. Curry, Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor, wish to announce for re-election subject to the action of the Democratic primaries and if elected I will continue to serve the voters and the general public to the best of my ability. Your vote and support will

be appreciated. A. R. CURRY.

Announcement The Pilot is authorized to announce the candidacy of T. E. De-Forest for re-election as County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4. Mr. DeForest will appreciate the vote and support of the voters of H. P., Power Lift, Diesel or gaso- Precinct No. 4 and if re-elected to

that office will continue to serve the county as he has always done, in a fair and just manner.



Sand or Gravel Dirt or Mudshell

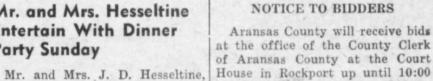
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J. W. SORENSON



NOTICE TO BIDDERS Aransas County will receive bids at the office of the County Clerk

office of County Treasurer of

Aransas County. I have delayed

making this announcement, because

I wanted to first determine to my

own satisfaction, by working a

few months at the job, that I would

be able to satisfactorily handle

this responsible position. Most of

the newness has worn off now, and

and experience to fulfill all the

I now respectfully submit my-

I have the conviction that the

voters themselves know who they

want for their Treasurer, and that

they make their decision in this

matter fairly and honestly, and

that any candidate wins on his

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Church Directory Oddfellows And

CATHOLIC CHURCH SACRED HEART

Rev. J. H. Kelly, Pastor Rev. W. P. Disney, Ass't

o'clock a. m.

Weekday Masses: 7:00 and 7:30 o'clock a. m. Sacred Heart Novena devotions

Friday nights at 7:45 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. E. John Meyers, Pastor

Morning Bible School: 10:00 o'clock.

Evening Worship: 7:45 o'clock. membership. Bro. R. H. Cunning-Prayer Meeting: Wednesday ham, of Fulton, made the presennight, 7:30 o'clock.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. T. H. Pollard, Pastor

Sunday School: 9:45 o'clock. Morning Worship: 11:00 o'clock. Evening Worship: 7:30 o'clock. Young People's Service: Wednesday night, 7:00 o'clock.

FIRST METHODIS' CHURCH Rev. F. A. Bank: Pastor

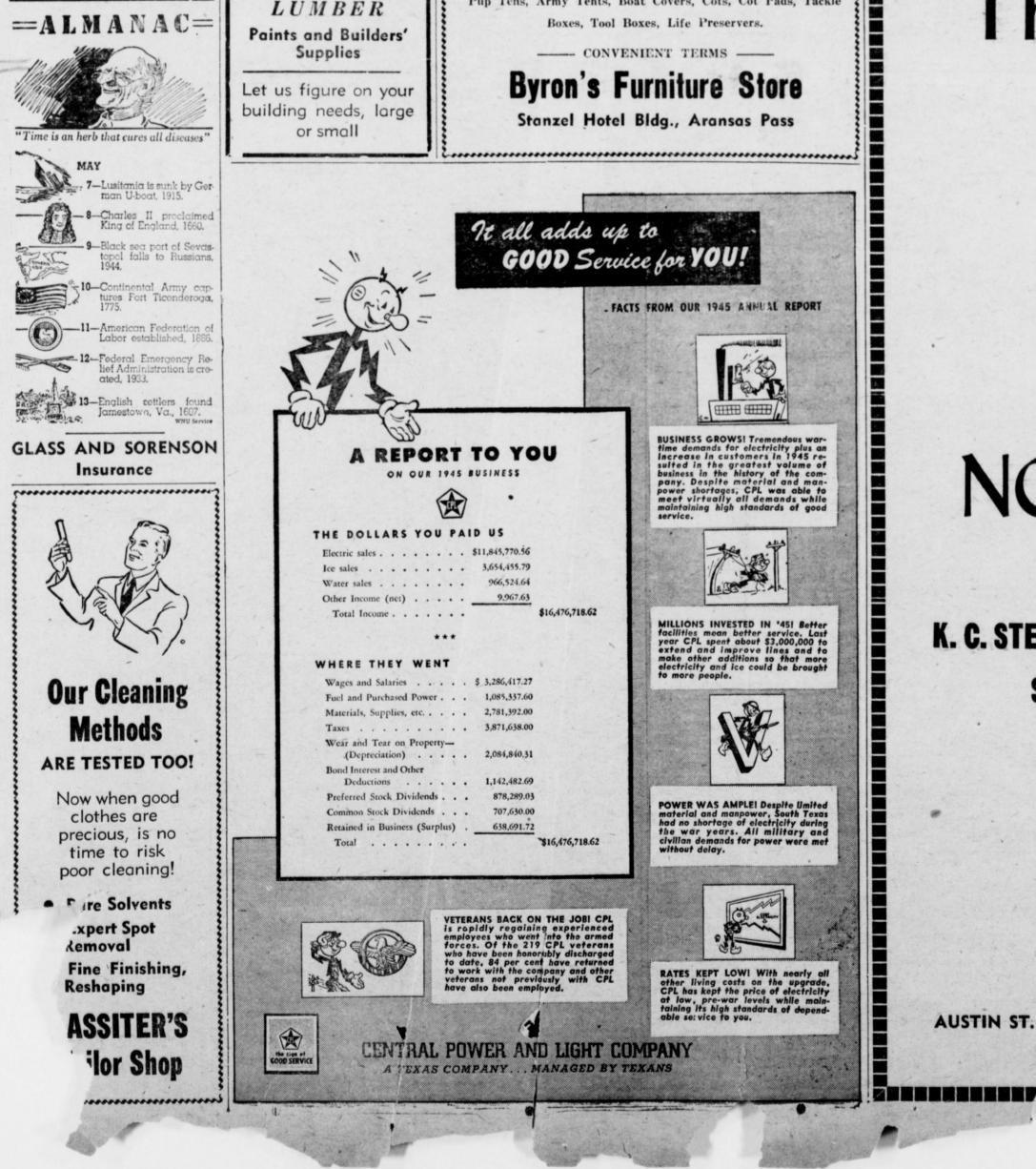
Sunday School: 9:45 o'clock. Worship Service: 11:00 o'clock. Young People's Service: 6:30 o'clock. Evening Worship: 7:45 o'clock.

Theatre Party Is Given For Faculty Last Monday Night

John Ramseur, Mrs. Ruth Rundlett and Mrs. Clara Seaton were hosts for a theatre party given the faculty last Monday night.

The group had dinner at the Tourist Grill, and returned there for refreshments after seeing "Abilene Town" at the Rio.

Present were Mrs. Charlie Hunt, Mrs. Bertha Harper, Miss Katie Lee Clarke, Mrs. Fred James, Mr. and Mrs. Owen James. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cavitt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Hart, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Sorenson, Miss Ruth Lipscomb, Mr. and Mrs Clyde Hayden, Mrs. Claude Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes, Bill McGrath, and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan C. Wheeler.



Rebekahs Have Interesting Meeting

Saturday, May 4, 1946 the Rockport Lodge IOOF No. 342 and the Seabreeze Rebekah Lodge No. 88 Sunday Masses: 6:00 and 8:00 celebrated their 25th anniversary with a supper for all and a program.

A short history of the Odd Fellows Lodge No. 342 by S. D. Howell and a short history of the Seabreeze Rebekah Lodge No. 88 by Mrs. J. W. Townsend was given. The minutes of the first meeting of the Odd Fellows were read

by W. G. Harist, Sec. A 25-year jewel was presented to Bro. Fred Morning Worship: 11:00 o'clock. Cloberdants for 25 years continous Episcopal Guild tation.

Family Barbecue Given Last Sunday

Sunday was the scene of a family barbecue, honoring those hav- Mrs. J. C. Sorenson; vice-pres., ing birthdays in April. They were: Mrs. Emma Reese; treas., Mrs. S. Mrs. A. J. Adolphus, Mrs. Bertha T. Prophet; sec., Mrs. Kate Ezell. Lasiter and A. R. Curry, of Rockport, and Capt. G. S. Spinney, of Aransas Pass.

There was an abundance of barbecued rabbits, salads, beans, Jewel Fulton, Mrs. Blanch Kiehns, Mr. Herring was born and reared olives, pickles, pies, coffee and Mrs. D. C. McBride, Mrs. C. Saur- in Rockport and states that he odas.

Those atending were: Capt. and Katie Lee Clarke. Mrs. G. S. Spinney, of Aransas Pass, Mrs. Corinne Spalding, of Corpus Christi, Sheriff and Mrs. A. R. Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc and Charles and Francis, Mrs. A. J. Adolphus, Gerald and Joe Adolphus, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shivers, Robert and Mary Martha, Mrs. Bertha Lassiter, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Close, Mary Ann and Frederick, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberts and Culley. Those of the family who were unable to attend were Mrs. G. E. Roberts and sons, George and Gordon, and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Davenport and daughter and Mrs. A. M. Roberts and

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Mr. R. R. Rice took a party of friends on a cruise across the bay

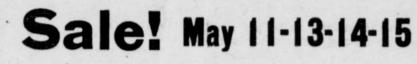
aboard the "Rusty" last Sunday. Parent-Teachers Association next A chicken dinner was served at anchor off St. Joseph Island, and Jack DuBois, of Aransas Pass, auditorium, for the purpose of inbrought more of the party in his speedboat. Guests included Mr. and Mrs.

Jack DuBois, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel ing definite planned for the pro-McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Cope, Joel Hedgespeth, and Mrs. year's officers having priority. Juliet Wright, who will leave soon to join her husband in South Mills, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Jack America.

Meets May 7

The Guild of St. Peters Episcopal Church met on Tuesday, May , with Mrs. Jas. C. Herring. The devotional services were led by the Rev. G. W. Wolton. During Jas. Clark Herring the business meeting the following officers were elected: Pres.,

A social hour was enjoyed after ized this week to announce the the business hour. Present beside candidacy of Jas. Clark Herring the above named were Mrs. Albert for the office of County-District Collier, Mrs. W. L. Patrick, Miss Clerk of Aransas County, Texas. butts, Mrs. W. C. Stephenson, Miss will appreciate the vote and sup-



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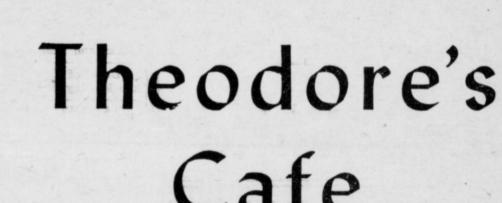
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Ir. and Mrs. J. D. Hamil, of Sugio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde yden Sunday afternoon.	THIS WEEKS SPECIALS
Ir. and Mrs. Roy Lee Hart	MODESS Sanitary Napkins, 12s, 2 for 35c
nt the week-end in Refugio.	SNUFF, Garrett or Honest, 6 oz., 3 for 1.00
t. Robert L. Jones, of Victoria, ted in the home of Mr. and	SNUFF, Garrett Sweet, 6 oz. 35c POTATOES, New Red, 6 lbs. 25c
s. Freelyn Jones over the week-	ONIONS, New Bermuda, 4 lbs. 25c
* * *	POTATOES, New Calif Washed, White
Ir. and Mrs. Norvell Jackson ertained the John Hasemans	Rose, 4 lbs
the Jim Jacksons with a dge party Saturday night.	2 CUCUMBERS, home grown, 1 lb. 5c
* * *	CHOPPED HAM, Armours, 12 oz. cans _ 371/2c
Ar. and Mrs. J. E. Whiteside, Devine, Texas, are visiting Mr.	TREET LUNCH MEAT, 12 oz cans, 3 for 1.00
Mrs. Roy Rogero this week. and Mrs. Whiteside are Mrs.	Armours Veal & Pork Loaf, 7 oz. 20c
gero's parents.	SOAPADE, Proctor & Gambles, Ige. pkg. 15c
Irs. Birdie Howard, Mrs. Roy	Alamo Lye or Saniflush, 2 for 15c
gelloz and Mrs. Harry Strol- n, of Aransas Pass, were guests	Royal or Calumet Baking Powder, Ib. 15c HONEY, new crop Uvalde Catclaw, 5 lbs. 1.40
Mrs. Raymond Roberts Monday.	JAR LIDS, Kerr, Mason, fresh stock, doz. 10c
Irs. Bertha Lassiter is visiting	JAR LIDS & CAPS, Crown, Mason, doz. 20c
Aransas Pass as guest of Capt. I Mrs. G. S. Spinney.	FRUIT JAR RUBBERS, all sizes, doz. 5c
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Ars. A. J. Adolphus, Joe Adol- us, and Mrs. Willie Close spent	3
arsday in Corpus shopping.	YOU CAN SAVE MONEY BY
Ar .and Mrs. J. T. Trull, Mrs. rinne Spalding and Mrs. Gordon rtsight of Corpus Christi were e Monday night for the Tom	PATRONIZING
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Capt. and Mrs. G. S. Spinney,	BRACHT BROS.
Mrs. Bertha Lassiter, of Aran- Pass, attended the Tom Thumb	Your Neighborhood Grocery
iding, Monday night.	
Ar. and Mrs. W. B. Brittain and	At Our Residence Phone 219 A. L. Bracht
Stanley of Sinton, visited Mr. Mrs. Herring Sunday.	2
* * * Guests in the home of Mr. and	CONF OVER AND FNUOY OUD
s. J. C. Herring over the week-	COME OVER AND ENJOY OUR -
l were their daughter, Ruth Lin- from Corpus and Mrs. Herring's	MEXICAN DISHES
ee sisters, Mrs. Cassie S. Beach Refugio, Mrs. M. W. Carroll	We Cater to Special Parties
and Miss Ruth Linda Sneed of	Please make reservations for Special Parties
llas. Mrs. Herring accompanied m to Refugio where they visit-	in afternoon
with their brother Joe W.	
	Mrs. C. Garcia
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