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Windy weather during most of the week provided fishermen with an excuse again for not landing fish. Wednesday proved to be one of the best days for fishing. Sevmorning due to windy weather.

pier this morning.

and daughters of Tulsa, Okla., fished with Henry Ballou on the Lola Jean Wednesday and caught pounds. They fished in Mesquite and San Antonio bays.

* * * Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crossman and guests went out with Fred Chris-5 pounds each.

while fishing at Beacon 108 Wednesday.

Bill Bardwell and Frank Halmachek caught 35 trout in Copano Bay Wednesday which weighed up is offered. to 4 pounds each.

ton caught 18 trout and two drum on by Art Guilds in other coastal

over the weekend and reported mer art colony. bringing back a nice catch of red-

Dallas Roope, investment bank- On A. C. Glass Home er from Dallas, has leased the J. T. Hord home for the summer and berthed his 28-foot cruiser, "El Pesador" at the T. Noah Smith boathouse.

Hunt Copano Bay Test Makes Oil

Hunt Oil Co. No. 3 State Tract 72, Copano Bay, Fulton Beach Field, flowed 11.75 barrels of oil on potential test through 7/64 inch choke, under 1,175 pounds sealed. Perforations, with 42 shots, were at 7,133-40 feet. Gravity was 42.3 degrees and gasoil ratio was 767 to 1. Total depth is 7,204 feet and 51/2 inch casing is set at 7,192 feet.

Salt Lake Field has a new 8,000 foot test scheduled at Atlantic Refining Co. No. 3 V. G. Gwynn, 525 feet from the south line of Joseph Hollis Survey, A-76. Location is in Salt Lake, 2,780.9 feet will be erected on the west onesouthwest of No. 1 Gwynn. It scales about 1,320 feet north of Atlantic No. 1 C. H. Adams, south Victoria is the contractor. extender of the field.

On initial test, George W. Graham, Ryan, Hays and Burke No. A-1 K. E. Werland in lot 2, Block 51, made oil. On perforations at 8,606-14 feet, it made an estimated 100 barrels of oil, through 1/8-inch choke under 1,600 pounds pressure. On perforations at 8,874-78 feet with 100 shots, it flowed gas and water white distillate through 10/64 inch choke, under flowing tubing pressure of 3,450 pounds.

Rev. H. L. Fort has been returned as pastor of the Methodist Church for another year, according to an announcement made at the Methodist conference which was held in San Antonio last week

WEATHER REPORT

Instruments are read at the marine laboratory each day at 3:30

Monday: Max. temp. 83, min. 78. Barometric pressure 29.77 inches. Tuesday: Max. temp. 87, min.

Wednesday: Max. temp. 87, min. 68. Barometric pressure 29.79. 79. Barometric pressure 29.85.

Reception Sunday To Welcome Art **Colony Group**

The Chamber of Commerce will join with the Aransas County Art Guild to give a reception at the community building Sunday evening from 5 to 7:30 o'clock, to welcome the first class of summer art students scheduled to arrive this

Invitations have been extended to the members of Art Guilds of Victoria, Bay City, Palacios, Goliad and Yoakum. The people of Aransas County are invited to come out and welcome these students to the area at this time.

Simon Michael, noted Eastern eral parties were canceled this artist, has been conducting art classes in this area for three years. Many people in the community Mr. Staffa landed 24 pounds of that is being done to put the redfish while fishing near Hunt's Rockport-Fulton area on canvas. Interest has been aroused up and down the coastline and Rockport Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Murphy and Fulton has been chosen as the center of the summer painting Buildings Remodeled activities.

The summer classes, which were inaugurated last summer, will con-67 trout which weighed up to 21/2 tinue throughout the summer. Twenty-four persons are scheduled to arrive to begin the first class of two weeks duration, Monday. The reception Sunday evening will be given in their honor.

Students come from all over tilles Wednesday and caught 16 Texas to attend these classes. nice trout which weighed up to Many come for the straight two week period. Others attend only a few days during each period, this week. Robert E. Lee landed 22 trout managing to make up their two weeks throughout the summer.

Painting is carried on both indoors and outdoors. Work in oils, landscaping, portraits and still life

Pictures by local students have been accepted for exhibit in Cor-Mr. and Mrs. Kimble of Hous- pus Christi as well as shows put ditioned throughout and equipped Court. He attended John Tarleton while fishing at Rattlesnake Point towns. Members of the local Guild play cases. Business will be and is an accountant by profeswill arrange for a few of their handled on a cash and carry basis. works to be on display Sunday.

Mr. Roe estimates that the new communist work for the government of the sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rice made Everyone is invited to come out grocery will open around August a boat trip to the Laguna Madre and welcome members of the sum-

Construction Begins

clude two bedrooms, sun porch, son, owner, reported. living room, dining room, kitchen with breakfast nook, and a breezeway leading to a two car garage. It will be located in north Rock- Canal Re-routing port one block west of Highway

Lynwood Eller was issued a permit at the city hall to erect an pressure on tubing, with casing 8 by 12 foot tin office building on lot 5, block 9, Doughty and Mathis. granted permission for the building to be erected in the fire zone temporarily-for a period of six

tractor. Tom O'Connor, Jr. obtained a permit to erect an 18 by 34 foot two story frame building to be used as storage and laundry. It half of lots 14 and 15, block 201, Smith and Wood. B. D. Shiller of

H, C. Dudley was issued a permit to build a four room home with porch and carport on lots ? and 8, block 45, Doughty and Navy Recruit Service Mathis. The frame building was To Be In Rockport estimated to cost \$3,500. Rock-

port Lumber Co. is the contractor. B. T. Duncan obtained a building permit to move a 14 by 38 foot frame three room house with bath for E. L. Critcher. The building will be moved from outlot 28, Doughty and Mathis lot 6, to outside the city limits on Market St. Mrs. G. M. Hooper is having a

two bedroom frame house moved from Ingleside to lot 7, block 17, Doughty and Mathis.

Three Rockport Boys Graduate From Del Mar

Bob Albin were among the 100 sophomores who were presented of Education, at Del Mar College pus Christi Tuesday night.

Attending the exercises from peace time Navy. Rockport were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thursday: Max. temp. 84, min. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Little, daughter of Houston spent the Jas. A. Jarboe, M. W. Cochran, Berta Gene Shults, Mr. and Mrs. weekend at the Fred Christilles Floyd Huffman, Zeph Rouquette, las are vacationing at their sum-Rainfall for week: .37 inches. E. J. Albin, Phillip and Judy.



U. S. TEACHES ARMS "KNOW-HOW"-In addition to furnishing arms to Atlantic Pact nations under the Mutual Defense Assistance program, the United States is teaching these nations how to use the weapons they are receiving. More than 1600 officers and men from the military forces of Pact nations are receiving instruction in training periods lasting from one to 10 weeks. Above, U. S. Army Lt. Matthew Svilar instructs on the use of the light machine gun at the Eschwege, Germany, training center. His pupils, left to right, rep resent France, Norway, Italy, Belgium and Greece. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Bert Ashworth.)

For New Grocery-**Prescription Counter**

A 15 by 50 foot addition is being made to the northwest side of the Modern Market building in preparation to the opening of a Piggly Wiggly Grocery later in the summer.

space will be discontinued as of election in March. July 1, Chas. Roe Sr. announced

This locker space will be reto accommodate a complete line came to Rockport in 1945 at which watercolors, pastels, sculpturing, fresh fruits and vegetables as well as a full line of fresh and cured Gas and Transmission Co. Since handled in the past.

The building will be air conwith self serve refrigerated dis- Junior College in Stebbenville,

Remodeling has also begun in the Johnson Drug Store in preparation to the installation of a

prescription counter. The counter and small waiting Construction got underway this room are being installed midway week on a new seven room home in the blilding with storage space with bath for Mr. and Mrs. A. C. to be arranged in the rear of the Glass. The home, which will be building. Plans for the opening erected of Austin stone, will in- will be announced later, Mr. John-

35 beyond the Y. The contractor To Be Discussed is C. C. Fowler.

office of the U. S. Corps of En- office of county judge.

Members are requested to make June 17. morning, June 5. Ladies are also the present time. invited to attend the meeting.

Friday, June 2

Chief Hudson has seen some 14 with the work. to young men and women of the the beach.

Ayers Enters Sheriff's Race

Bob Ayers threw his hat in the political ring this week when he announced his candidacy for sheriff and county tax assessorcollector. Incumbent A. R. Curry All lockers and frozen storage announced his candidacy for re-

Mr. Curry has lived in Rockport for many years and is well moved and the building remodeled known in this area. Mr. Ayers superintendent for the Tennessee meats which the market has that time he has been associated in business with C. A. Duck and has served as manager of Wells ment since coming to Rockport. This is Ayers first attempt to seek public office.

Competition for other county offices has also been announced. Bruce Mayes and Geo. M. Harrell have announced their candidacy for commission of Precinct 1. W. B. Allen is the incumbent seeking re-election. Fred M. Hunt has announced his candidacy for commissioner in Precinct No. 2. J. M. Sparks Jr., incumbent, is seeking re-election. Hunt and Sparks were opponents in the 1948 election. C. K. Tatum, incumbent county treasurer, recently announced that he would seek re-election. Mrs. Ettoit "Duck" Eller filed her can-

didacy for the office in March. Other opponents in the 1948; Mr. Sessions and Mrs. Minor, D. R. Simmons, incumbent, who bers and guests of the Rotary Club The fire marshall and fire chief from the Corpus Christi district have announced candidacy for the at their ladies night banquet Wed-

gineers will discuss the re-routing L. W. Davis announced this when the American people must of the intracoastal canal that has week that he will seek re-election choose between the freedom to do months. W. G. Harrist is the con- been approved by Congress at the as Justice of the Peace in Precinct as we want to do in business and Chamber of Commerce monthly 2. He is opposed for the office in private life and the freedom dinner meeting Tuesday night at by William P. Hoover who an- from want and fear which the 7:30, June 6, at the Methodist nounced his candidacy recently. Deadline for announcing is

> reservations with the Chamber | Candidates for the remaining and lost 450,000 lives, perhaps of Commerce secretary by Monday county offices are unopposed at the peace, and accumulated a

County Agrees to **Establish Property** Line Along Fulton Beach

Chief Gunner's Mate J. T. Hud- to finance surveying in Aransas in touch with their congressmen.' son of the U. S. Navy recruiting Bay from the Fulton harbor to service will be in Rockport on Fri- the causeway in an effort to esday the 2nd of June, 1950. He will tablish a property line. This proj- Methodist annex. Perry Horine of be stationed at the post office ect is recommended to assist in Corpus Christi entertained the from 10:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. soil saving as well as making way in the afternoon, and will be pre- for a road along the shoreline, tions. pared to give information on U. S. Judge D. R. Simmons said. Prop-Navy programs and enlistments. erty owners have indicated that Many vacancies are now open they will attempt to create a disto young men who wish to learn trict to build a retaining wall from Students Receive Awards a trade in the 62 different career the harbor to the causeway, once fields of the Navy. Special em- the property line has been estab-

junior college diplomas by Dr. years service in practically all The Commissioners Court ap-Foy Moody, member of the Board parts of the world and is fully pointed a committee to make a qualified to answer any questions study of Fulton Beach in April, commencement exercises held at about the adventurous life and to determine what could be done students who had not missed a day the First Baptist Church in Cor- many other advantages offered to prevent further erosion along of school during the year.

> Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marx and posed of Fred Percival, chairman; and L. E. Sanders.

Sight Seeing, Beach **Trips Entertains Visiting Orphan Boys**

Twenty boys from the State Orphans Home at Corsicanna are having the time of their life here this week. W. R. Hetherington, a building will be available for the owner of Bill's Sporting Goods Store, has the boys as his guests this week. They were accompanied Hetherington in arranging for entertainment.

The youngsters, ranging in age from 11 to 14 years, arrived here of staple and fancy groceries, time he was employed as division Monday evening the day was spent the boys after they had gone to come and go at will. bed Tuesday night.

ranged to take them to St. Joseph with equipment available for box- desiring the building should con- Island. Boats were provided by ing, wrestling, ping pong, and tact Mrs. Joe Johnson, rental Mr. Hetherington and John Fagan gymnastics. Baseball and football of Calvert, Texas. After a day teams would be organized in seaof swimming and playing on the son with equipment provided by beach, they returned to Rockport the club. Swimming lessons would where they went crabbing.

Today the group was scheduled to visit the Marine Laboratory here, after which they were to visit the Naval Station and other points of interest at Corpus

They will leave for Corsicana Friday morning.

Rotary Speaker Urges People to Demand Strong Leadership

Fenton W. Holmes, representaelection returning to the political tive of the Corn Products Refining scene are Johnnie D. Wendell and Co. in Corpus Christi, told memnesday that the time has come government is offering to provide. "Since the two wars in which we won a great military victory great national debt, our national life has been characterized by confusion," he said.

"The American people should demand strong leadership working for the welfare of all," he said, "by exercising their right to vote, by keeping up with cur-The Commissioners Court agreed rent legislation, and by keeping

About 50 persons attended the banquet which was held at the group with several vocal selec-

Eighth Grade Honor

Bill Jones was presented the phasis is placed on the electronics lished. It is estimated that the scholarship award at commenceprogram which offers highly tech- cost of surveying will amount to ment exercises held for the eighth Jim Little, Bob Morrison and nical training to qualified young about \$500. Major Jas. A. Jarboe grade at the school auditorium last has been instructed to proceed Thursday night The outstanding student award was presented Ann Torres.

Eleven students were named to receive attendance awards, those

Dr. Norman C. Mohn, professor The survey was recommended at A. & I. College, delivered the by this committee which was com- address to 37 graduating students.

> Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Sabo of Dalmer home here,

Work On Exterior of Community Building Scheduled to Begin Monday

Dodd Bros. of Austin Contract to Finish Exterior of Building With Barber Stone

Rockport Lions

Athletic Club

the idea.

activities, he said.

also be arranged.

Aransas Pass Asks

Channel Widening

asked federal aid in widening the

A public hearing will be held at

V.F.W. Memorial Hall in Aransas

Pass at 3 p.m. Wednesday, June

The channel project would in-

PILGRIM POET-Prayer book

in hand and a crucifix on his

lapel, Fred Kendall-Husband

pauses in Trieste after a 6000-

mile hike from his Birmingham,

England home, across France to

Rome. Called the "walking

poet," he was one of the first

British Holy Year pilgrims to

arrive in Rome on foot. He

plans to hike through Greece,

Turkey and Palestine before re-

turning home.

for 1 p.m. on the same day.

U. S. Aid In Ship

gineers, U. S. Army.

100 feet to 125 feet.

To Sponsor Boys

The Rockport Lions Club voted

to assist with the organization and

to sponsor a Boys Athletic Club

from the club to work with Dr.

Dr. Blackburn reported Wednes-

day that prospects are good for

obtaining a building to house the

club in the near future. The entire

plan depends upon whether or not

charge a small membership fee-

More than 40 boys have indicat-

Mrs. C. C. Fowler, president of the Woman's Club of Aransas County, announced Wednesday that work is scheduled to get underway Monday, June 5, on the exterior of the community building. Dodd Bros. of Austin have contracted to finish the building with Barber stone, which is made out of Austin stone. The stone will be of natural color.

> It is estimated that the work will be completed before July 1.

Completion of the exterior of the building was made possible through the efforts of business men of Rockport. A meeting was called to discuss the matter last Thursday night. At this time Emory M. Spencer offered to advance the sum of \$3,000 to comhere. A committee will be named plete the project provided that a group of business men would R. S. Blackburn, who originated pledge themselves to raise this amount through donations in the

coming 6 to 12 months. Men who agreed to lend their support to the project were L. E. Sanders, C. C. Fowler, R. R. Rice, J. H. Mills, Jas. Sorenson, Jr., Weldon Cabaniss, Travis Johnson, Boys from the age of six to Judge D. R. Simmons, and A. C. twenty would be eligible for mem- Glass. Representatives of the by Mr. Collins, director of athletics, bership, according to present Woman's Club also attended the at the home, who is assisting Mr. plans. It will be necessary to meeting and agreed that funds raised through projects sponsored probably one dollar and a small by the club would be applied to monthly fee to provide needed this obligation.

The community building was opened for public use March 15 of at Port Aransas. Tuesday night ed that they would be interested this year. Since that time banthey were seranaded by a group in joining an organization where quets, dances, card parties and of local boys playing Western they would have supervised in other social affairs have been music. Charles Davis, Robert Hat- struction in all types of sports and held at the building. During the tenbach, Leroy Parr and Gene gymnastics as well as a place summer months the building will Brown of Aransas Pass surprised where they would be permitted to be opened to the Teen-Agers for Such an organization would pro- by the Rotary Club. It is available Wednesday a boat trip was ar- vide a permanent meeting place for use at all times and persons

chairman. Donations from nearly every person in Aransas County and many throughout the state have made the building financially possible. During a period of two years, nearly \$15,000 has been raised through donations and projects sponsored by the club to complete the building.

The community building was moved here from Ingleside in May, The city of Aransas Pass has 1949. It was constructed in 1936 at a cost of \$32,000 by the Humble ship channel, and has asked the Oil Co. and was purchased by the federal government to take over Woman's Club in March 1949 with maintainance of Conn Brown Har- the backing of local interests. It bor at Aransas Pass, according to has been estimated that the same the district office of Corps of En- building, were it to be erected now, would cost approximately

The large triangular tract in the park area lying to the northwest 14. The hearing was previously set of the Rockport basin was leased to the club by the Navigation Board for a period of 25 years.

clude widening of a six-mile During the past year the 40 stretch, from Harbor Island to by 75 foot building has been com-Aransas Pass, from the present pletely redecorated throughout. Walls in soft shades of green enhance the highly polished oak floors. The main section of the building is 40 by 60 feet with a stage at one end of the hall. A large kitchen, equipped with facilities to prepare a banquet for 150 persons, is finished in the same manner. Rest rooms are newly equipped and the 37 windows, of which nearly 30 are in the main hall, are covered with newly painted venetian blinds.

The Woman's Club was organized in June of 1948 for the purpose of erecting a community building in Rockport. Since that time every effort has been devoted to obtaining and completing the building. Every lady in the county interested in furthering this project is eligible for membership in the

Teen-Agers Will Dance At Community Building On Friday This Summer

Hugh Morrison, chairman of the Rotary Youth Committee which sponsors the Teen-Ager dances each Saturday night, reported that the social will not be held this week because of the Alumni dance which has been scheduled for Friday night and which many will attend.

Beginning Friday, June 9, the Teen-Age dances will be held at the community building, Mr. Morrison reported, and will continue each Friday night throughout the as the most democratic form.

basic commercial design.

"Changes that took place in the

social and economic order requir-

ed a reorientation of chamber of

commerce functions. Thinking of

business men changed. New prac-

tices gained a foothold in the

world of business. Recognition was

business in the long run is the

one bringing benefits to both buy-

change of goods and with regula-

to be looked upon as general com-

munity development agencies as

well as agencies of trade promo-

"Emphasis on community de-

velopment lifted the organization

up the ladder of public opinion.

Today it is almost as unusual for

a city to have no chamber of com-

merce as it is to have no city

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"The change from trade to community organization was accom-

were those who believed that any-

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"Chambers of Commerce came

tions affecting that exchange.

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WILL THE NON-VOTER DECIDE?

Recently released figures reveal that in 1940 the national total of votes cast in the presidential election was 49,-820,312, while the total for 1948 was 48,833,680.

Of the nation's voting strength, 66 per cent voted in 1940, while only 51.6 per cent voted in 1948. Incidentally, in 1896 there was balloting by 85 per cent of the eligible voters.

Texas has a better record in voting than the national average in comparing 1940 and 1948. This state was one of the twenty that showed an increase in total vote for 1948 over 1940. However, the increase of 10.2 per cent was not as large as the increase in eligible voters, which was 12.2.

Today is the time for voters to decide to exercise their privilege at the forthcoming elections in July, August and November.

Voting is not a partisan privilege or obligation. The ballot box should be used to the fullest extent by all our

Millions of non-voters may decide BY THEIR FAILURE TO VOTE key issues of any vital election.

The community, the county, the state that takes an active interest in voting is respected . . . and is given attentive consideration by both elected and appointed public officials.

Thus far this year—in school and city elections—the voters of this county have shown little interest . . . effort in behalf of greater interest in balloting is necessary.

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Real Function of Chamber of **Commerce Is to Serve as Clearing** House for Ideas and Civic Effort

In an effort to clarify the purpose and the work of the Chamber of Commerce, the local secretary-manager has prepared the following article:

"There are still those who have the wrong conception of a local Chamber of Commerce and the type of work they are set up to do. Probably the best definition of the organization is this: A Chamber of Commerce is an organization

of forward looking citizens of a community created for the this created delays, it is recognized purpose of promoting the civic, commercial and industrial and community needs brought maprogress of the community.

"The real function of the modern Chamber of Commerce is to the 20th century. They acquired act as a clearing house for ideas an outlook as community organiand civic effort. Its role is to help zations which overshadowed their solve community problems, improve facilities, to make it more attractive as a center in which to trade and to make it a desirable community in which to live. This kind of self improvement will attract new population and new industry as naturally as a magnet will attract iron filings.

"The modern Chamber of Commerce is an outgrowth of early efforts of business to organize. It undoubtedly had its beginnings fairs and guilds of Medieval Europe. The name was borrowed from the French, having been applied first to an association of merchants at Marsailles in the 15th Century.

"Early associations were closely affiliated with the government. Of those organized and conducted independently, the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, founded in 1768, is one of the world's oldest. It was the first in America. Five years later, a Chamber of Commerce was organized at Charleston, South Carolina, and afterwards at New York City and Boston.

"Consistently since then, Chambers of Commerce have become more important and more numerous. Almost every town and village in Texas alone has a paid executive and full time organization or has an organized Chamber of Commerce.

functioned as such for nearly a century. They were organized to protect commerce, the market places, to promote sales and to made in ship charters and matters fare solvency. relating to operations of a sea

"Many were patterned after the panied by some confusion. There New England town meeting. Decisions were made at mass meet- thing affecting the community was ings of the members. Although within the field of the chamber

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mere ballyhoo organizations whose primary object seemed to be spectacular growth regardless of economic principles. "The chamber of commerce can

and should play a leading role in the community. Through cooperation and active interest on the part of all its citizens, it can help to solve community problems, im-"Changes in business policies prove facilities, to make it more attractive as a center in which jor developments of chambers of to trade and a desirable commucommerce about the beginning of nity in which to live."

of commerce and might properly

be taken up by it. These visionaries frequently lost sight of the

fact that the chamber of com-

merce, despite its ventures in other

fields, is first of all a medium by

which the practical judgment of

businessmen is brought to bear

upon community affairs. Another

mistake was the conversion of

some chamber of commerce into

Communist Threat Discussed at Lions Dinner Meet Tuesday

Dr. Robert J. Brune, osteopathic physician and surgeon from Corpus Christi, recently returned from a week's intensive training at the University of Southern made of the fact that successful California, where he was one of two doctors from Texas at a blast injuries, addressed members and guests of the Lions Club at their ladies night banquet Tueser and seller. It came to be known that the successful chamber of commerce is one which considers day night. The dinner meeting designed to be worn over wet bathwas held at the V.F.W. hall with the interest of the community even while concerned with the exwas held at the V.F.W. hall with terry cloth shortie was designed by the V.F.W. Auxiliary preparing Rose Marie Reid. the meal. More than 40 persons attended.

Doctors attending the course were from Alaska, California, Ha NURSERY - TROPICAL waii and Texas. They were named by the governors of their respec tive territories or states to be the first members of a civilian defense organization which is now being

"The bomb dropped at Hiroshima," Dr. Brune said, "weighed "Organization structure has about 2.2 pounds, equal to 50,000 been changed to meet the chal- tons of TNT, and it is outmoded lenge of broader functions. Struc- now." Doctors at the course were Phone 3663 tural changes were necessary to told, Dr. Brune said, that diagnosis meet demands of a broadened of atomic warfare victims begins scope of activities. With the in- with geography. In the case of a auguration of the board of direc- hit on Corpus Christi surviving tors, a type of organization de- doctors would plot the spot where veloped with greater concentra- the bomb fell on a city map and "Originally designated almost tion and delegation of authority; draw concentric circles around it. exclusively as trade bodies, they more ability to marshal the com- All the people within a mile of the bomb would be dead, or dying. money for worthwhile activities. | Doctors would have to examine "Like all human institutions, the people who were farther away chambers of commerce have made from the blast to determine what make rules to govern market mistakes. They have not always sort of protection they had had. places. Some of them had trading been farsighted and frequently "People three and four miles away floors, like the old Boston Cham- they have been deficient in their and looking as healthy as you and fected by the blast and the answer would be simply 'no treatment' because we would know they would be dead in two weeks, no matter

> Dr. Brune went on to discuss the communist threat to our democratic way of life.

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Plymouth Oilers Schedule June Series

Sinton, Tex. - The Plymouth Oilers journey to Weimar Friday night to help the 1949 Texas NBC champion Herder Truckers open the 1950 season. This game will. be the first of seventeen scheduled for the Oilers during the month of June.

On Saturday night at 8:00 and Sunday afternoon at 3:00, the Oilers will meet the strong San Antonio Aztecs in Oiler Park.

On Tuesday the Oilers will again invade Riverside Park for another tilt with the Rosebudsthe seventh in the series. Wednesday night the Plymouth nine will return to Oiler Park for a game with El Campo.

Other teams slated for appearances in Oiler Park during June include Weimar, Gonzales, Cuero. Victoria, Humble Oilers of Baytown and Columbus.

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Somer Smith, refreshments: Mrs.

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barbecue at the community build-

the doughnuteating contest. Win-

J. W. Wilkinson and Mrs. Alec

June which is Monday, June 5.

PICNIC FOR SACRED

Mothers of youngsters attend-

ing the Sacred Heart School gave

a picnic for the students last Fri-

day afternoon at the Goose Is-

land State Park. Also attending

Mrs. Roy Hinton entertained at

in the near future to spend the

summer with her husband who is

The table was centered with a

large pineapple surrounded by a

mound of fruit. An Italian dinner

was served, followed by two tables

Guests other than the honoree

Sorenson, Mrs. Charlyne Hunt,

Mrs. Jas. C. Herring, Mrs. Urban

Hemmi, and Mrs. Jim Herring of

employed there.

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ALUMNI ASS'N GIVE RECEPTION-DANCE FOR SENIORS AND GUESTS FRIDAY NIGHT

A reception and dance will be tory address and response, music, held at the community building roll call of brides, and grooms, Friday night honoring graduating brides-to-be and the cradle roll since the last meeting. seniors and their guests. The affair is sponsored annually by the Miss Charlotte Cron, decorations; Alumni Association of the Rock- Sissy Rowe, invitation; Mrs. Cleveport High School. The program land Kelly, entertainment; Mrs. will get underway at 8 p. m., Fri-Roy Lee Hart, finance. day night, June 2. The Tom Cats Members are urged to turn their orchestra will provide music for dues, which are \$100 per person, Mrs. Hugh Morrison and Mrs. T.

A short program has been arranged by Mrs. S. F. Jackson Lumber Co., Cleveland Kelly at WEINER ROAST which will include a congratula-

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HOLD ANNUAL BIRTHDAY PARTY

Members of the Presbyterion S. F. Jackson were hostesses.

table as well as the birthday cake carried out this motif.

charge of the program which con- tioned, she said. The small and everyone was helpful. They cerned the birthday project, student work in Tex-Mex education. The birthday offering was taken for this cause. Mrs. Hooper was assisted by Mrs. Fred Cloberdants, in immediately. Dues can be paid H. Pollard.

FOR KINDERGARTEN

Mrs. Bill Johnson entertained weiner roast.

The children played games and Attending were Gary and Terry Club and their wives enjoyed a Thomas, Nan and Jimmy Jackson, Peter Sorenson, Tommy Lee ing in Fulton Monday night.
Highlight of the evening was Michael, Christine Roff, Steirly

TEEN-AGERS TUESDAY

After the weiner roast the evening was spent dancing.

Guests were John Cron, Freder-Gene Smith, Virginia Ann Mundine, Jim Morrison, Kathryn Tor-Jimmy Hayden, Yvonne Wiging- the cable car took half a day. ton, Tom Cron and Jim Sparks.

ANNOUNCEMENT

"God the only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the quarterly Bible sermon to be read in Mrs. Urban Hemmi, Mrs. Bill all Christian Science churches Johnson, Mrs. Arley Shivers, Mrs. Sunday, June 4. The public is in-Joe Johnson, Mrs. Richard Fox, vited to attend services at the Christian Science church in Aransas Pass at 11 a.m. Sunday. Sunday school will be held at the Woman's Club building at 11 a.

Mrs. W. S. Shelton and daugha supper at her home Sunday ter Salley Ann are in Rockport night honoring Mrs. Roy Lee Hart, for an extended visit with Mr. and

> Edward Seaton returned to his home in Freeport Wednesday after spending the week at the Annie Evans home.

Dr. R. S. Blackburn were Misses Verona Klaeser, Iris CHIROPRACTOR

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WOMEN OF CHURCH

Women of the Church enjoyed their annual birthday party at the S. F. Jackson home last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. J. F.

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Kelly's Grocery, or to Bonnie Smith at Sparks Dry Goods.

Rozzell, and Eddie Johnson.

ners of the contest were Harry WEINER ROAST FOR Wilson and Mrs. M. W. Cochran.

Scott were the losers. In between Arlene Morris, Kathryn Atwood dows every day-regardless. were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brown. and Sheena Currie entertained at Mrs. Arthur Bracht won the Election of officers will be held at the first meeting scheduled in near future.

were Rev. H. H. Bockholt, Sister Superior Hroswitha, and Sister Those who gave the party were Mrs. Ed Barnard, Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, and Mrs. M. E. Nichols.

who plans to leave for Surf, Tex., Mrs. Seth Steele.

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June 4-5 John Payne and Rhonda Fleming in

Texaco The Eagle and the Station Hawk

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY June 6-7 Glenn Ford and Janet Leigh in

The Doctor and the Girl

Miss Mary Beth Picton Relates Highlights of Recent European Tour

Miss Mary Beth Picton, recently returned from a tour of several European countries, remarked this week that the Brundrett, Mrs. Herbert Mills, trip is worthwhile for the boat trip alone and persons that Mrs. Norvell Jackson and Mrs. fly instead of going by boat are missing half of the trip.

The first stop was England which she toured for a in the Mexican theme. The floral week with a party of five. The bill of fare consisted of fish, arrangement centering the serving poultry, bread and potatoes. It is obvious that the people

there are poor by their dress Mrs. Jas. G. Hooper was in and that clothes are still ra- excellent, Miss Picton remarked, autos and taxis driving on the the whole travel is by train-high- home," she said. ways are not crowded, she point-

an overnight boat to The Hague liner will accommodate a crew of and went on to Amsterdam. They 1,200 and 2,300 passengers. The enjoyed sightseeing by boat on 14 decks provide entertainment of the several canals there. Holland every sort and there was never a kindergarten youngsters at her impressed the party with its clean- dull moment on the trip. home Tuesday afternoon with a liness and good food. The countryside with people in their native York City, Miss Picton also visitdress provided a colorful sight roasted weiners in the back yard. for the visitors. While in Holland they took a 20-minute boat ride to a small historic fishing village, the Isle of Marken, populated by 1,400 persons. Here all dress in the native costume with wooden shoes. Miss Picton found that the cleanliness attributed the Dutch tained at a Sunday dinner at the was not exaggerated as she ob- S. T. LePage summer home on served that they wash their win- Copano Bay.

the Patio Court Tuesday night gium, they traveled on to Switzer- Mrs. William McClendon, Mr. and with a weiner roast for Kay Keen, land. One of the highlights of the Mrs. C. F. Truby, Mr. and Mrs. who will move to New York in the trip to this country was a ride in J. Wiley Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. ick Close, Judy Albin, Gary Smith, prevented a view of the glacier Mr. and Mrs. W. Hoover, Mr. and res, Betty Garrett, Tippy Ruth, to civilization though the trip on and Mrs. Doll Etter. Many historic cities in Italy

were on the itinerary. Museums and points of interest were crowd- HOLDS INITIATION ed with tourists and Miss Picton expressed relief that their trip was made early in the season. While in Rome they attended the public audience of the Pope at St. Peters, which is held each Wednesday and Saturday. The cathedral can accommodate 100,-000 persons, she said; about 45,-000 persons were in attendance are held at the church at 8 p.m. ence stands. The Pope delivered Evans. his talk in eight languages.

After tours of Nice, Milan, Flor ence, Venice, and Monte Carlo, the party flew to Paris where they spent six days. Rain each day kept them from visiting the sidewalk cafes but they were amazed at the fabulous interiors of shops which exhibited a very shabby exterior. After visiting the usual points of interest and some of the night spots, they returned to London by plane. Before returning to the States, they visited in Scotland and Ireland.

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found that, on the whole, people speak two or three languages and left side of the road were amus- it was easy to find English speaking, though Miss Picton observed ing people. "It didn't seem posmany Chryslers and Fords. On sible that we were so far from

The return trip was made on the liner Queen Elizabeth, which From England the party took she described as a big resort. The

Enroute to Rockport from New ed in Chicago.

COPANO BAY SUMMER HOME IS PARTY SETTING

Twenty four guests were enter-

Mr. LePage was host to Mr. and After a short trip through Bel- Mrs. E. B. Neiswanger, Mr. and cable car to the top of Mt. Jung- Robert L. White, Mr. and Mrs. Alfrau, 13,000 feet. They enjoyed bert Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Norlunch in the hotel at the top of man Howlett, Mr. and Mrs. Delthe mountain but a snow storm mar Snow of Lake Charles, La., which it was promised they would Mrs. Bill Goldston, Mr. and Mrs. see. Al were happy to come back Harry Price, Miss Gladys Givens,

REBEKAH LODGE

Mrs. Lillian Gray was initiated as a member of the Rebekah Lodge at the Tuesday night meeting held at the Methodist annex. Mrs. Mary Mullinax was reinstated as a member at this time.

Following the installation refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mr. and Mrs. that day. Kneeling benches and Lawrence McLester, Mr. and Mrs. m. Wednesday evening services seats are not provided—the audi-

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WEDNESDAY CLUB PLAYS BRIDGE AT BOOTH HOME

Mrs. Fred Booth entertained members and guests of the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

High score was held by Mrs Fred B. Hunt. Mrs. Emory Spencer claimed second high, Mrs. Arthur Bracht, third. Mrs. A. L. Bruhl claimed the "bingo" prize.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Bruhl, Mrs. L. M. Bracht, Miss Mabel Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Mrs. Fred Christilles, Mrs. A. R. Curry, Mrs. C. C. Fowler, Mrs. J. P. Hanway, Mrs. Fred B. Hunt, Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mrs. Howard Mills, Mrs. C. F. Rozzell, Mrs. Arthur Bracht, Mrs. Emory Spencer, Mrs. Roy Woods, Mrs. Chester Johnson. Mrs. Gordon Terry and Mrs. Chas. Roe, Sr.

Mrs. J. J. Thurmond returned to Beevile this week after spending a week with her sister Mrs. J. M. Sparks. While here they visited their aunt, Mrs. W. W. Cadlisle of Houston and their sister, Mrs. Aron Donis of Liberty,

Mrs. Sidney Summers Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Summers, Jr. of Beeville visited Mrs. J. M. Sparks on Mothers Day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hayden went to San Marcos Tuesday to get Jimmy Hayden, who finished his freshman year at S.W.S.T.T.C. Harry Stapp of Fallsmere, Fla., returned to Rockport with them for a few days visit.

HOUSEWARMING PARTY SUNDAY AT ROBT. E. LEE HOME

Capt. and Mrs. Robert E. Lee and Mrs. Bertha Williamson were surprised with a housewarming party Sunday evening. Former residents of the Edgewater Trailer Park, they recently purchased a home adjoining the park. Gifts for their home were presented to them by guests: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Thielen, Sr., and Edward J. Thielen, Jr., of Taft, Tex.; Miss Evelyn Houston, Corpus Christi; Col. and Mrs. L. D. Stephenson, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Richmond, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Osborn, Rockport.

The evening was spent playing canasta. Homemade ice cream, cake and

coffee were served.

Mrs. May Little **Buried Here Today**

Funeral services for Mrs. May McCrea Little were held here this afternoon at 3 p.m. at the First Methodist Church with the Rev. H. L. Fort, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Rockport ceme-

Mrs. Little, 69, had been a resident of Rockport for 29 years She died in a Corpus Christi hospital early Tuesday morning. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Otis Little; a daughter, Mrs. E. T. Eller of Elizabethton, Tenn.; two sons, O. R. of Rockport and J. P. Little of Norman, Okla.; a brother, Will McCrea of Lohrville, Iowa, and three sisters, Mrs. Walter Ball of Milton, Iowa, Mrs. Frank Sweaney of Milvane, Kan., and Mrs. Ike Johnson of Wichita,

E. J. Albin and daughter Judy attended the graduation exercises for Alamo Heights high school seniors Wednesday night at San Antonio. The exercises were held at the sunken garden at Brackenridge Park.



"DIAMOND QUEEN"-Broadway musical comedy star Carol, Channing was crowned "Diamond Queen" in New York by the Diamond Council of America. Here, the sparkling Miss Channing illustrates what she means when she sings in her show about diamonds being a girl's best friend.

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Padre Island Causeway Preview At Conference

The 300 writers, editors and publishers who attend the Southwest Writers' Conference June 3-6 in Corpus Christi will have a preview of the Padre Island causeway and Gulf beach June 5. Arrangements have been made for special buses to use the causeway which will not be opened to the public until June 17. Hosts will be Nueces County Judge, George Prowse; Bob McCracken, managing editor of the Corpus Christi Caller-Times; and Col. W. W. (Bill) Sterling, manager of the

The writers' conference is offering a prize of \$50 for the best article of any kind on Padre Island, among 44 prizes totalling more than \$1,000. All who register can enter manuscripts which will be judged by professionals.

The conference will open the afternoon of June 3 with a large

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registrants. South-of-the-Border atmosphere will prevail. Invitations are being widely circulated in the city and in South Texas neighbor towns. Writers will autograph books at this party.

Celebrities will be introduced at the annual Who's Who session June 4. Forums on the novel and publishers' wants will form the night program.

History, folklore, juvenile literature, writing for newspaper magazine sections, use of fact in ficzation, biography research and the publishing business as it affects the writer today are among topics for June 5. The Padre Island party will begin at 4:00 p.m.

June 6 on the subject "How to stitute. Write What Will Sell." Participants will represent publishers, newspapers, magazines, trade An extensive poetry session will include a display of original poetry. Non-attending poets may mail exhibits to the conference director, 406 Carancahua, Corpus

The annual awards dinner, with Mrs. Maude Gerhardt, local celebrity, as mistress of ceremonies. will conclude the conference.

The Pilot is authorized to announce L. W. Davis as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2, subject to action of the ctf Democratic Primary, July 22.

Judge Burkett Visits In Rockport Last Friday



Judge Joe Burkett of San Anonio was in Rockport last Friday n the interest of his candidacy for Associate Justice of the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals. The Democratic Primary is to be held July

Judge Burket states that he has been practicing law for more than 30 years in all of the Courts, 'bienvenida" welcoming staff and from Justice of the Peace to Supreme Court of the United States, and in addition thereto has served as County Judge, District Judge, District Court in Bexas County.

Judge Burkett formerly lived in Corpus Christi, and while in the Legislature and Senate he materially assisted in passing the law making it possible to build the Corpus Christi seawall and port. He also on two occasions, while in the Texas Senate, assisted in preventing the abolition of the tion and vice versa, characteri- State School at Kingsville, and is well known in the Valley.

Mrs. Henry Ballou and children drove to Houston Sunday to get Patti Ballou, who has completed lar and commemorative stamps Workshop Day will be observed her sophomore year at Rice In-

Laverne Thompson arrived home during the past week from Sam journal and poetry publications. Houston State Teachers College at for a nominal fee at the exhibit Huntsville.

Frederick Close has returned to his home in Rockport after completing his freshman year at St. Mary's University in San Antonio.

Harris Pollard is visiting with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. H. College at Sherman, Tex., to attend summer school in the near



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Texas Philatelic Ass'n Holds Annual Convention Begin Sunday at Fulton In Corpus Christi In June Community Church

This year the Texas Philatelic Association will hold its 54th anon June 9, 10 and 11.

The Robert Driscoll Hotel has Club of Corpus Christi will act Rev. Thurman S. Scott. as host. Twelve stamp dealers have already reserved bourse of the foremost auctioneers in the South. This auction will give delegates and South Texas stamp colty to acquire at their own price their collections might lack. Mr. Turner has advised that some ex- 1944. ceptionally good material has been submitted for this auction.

Arrangements have been completed for an outstanding exhibition of rare and valuable stamps; nothing to equal it has been assembled in this part of the state before. Philatelists from far and near are entering their finest collections to compete for the prizes which will be awarded to the best collection in six different classes. The National Philatelic Museum in and Special Judge of the Criminal Philadelphia is also sending some unusual and valuable stamps and covers to the exhibition. All of these will be on display in the Terrace Room of the Robert Driscoll Hotel.

> of this singular opportunity to at- July 22. tend a real stamp exhibit and auction. Through the courtesy of the postmaster, a window will be open at the exhibit where current reguwill be available. A special cachet has been designed for the 54th convention of the T.P.A. and collectors desiring covers imprinted with this cachet can obtain them during the three days of the con-

The fire department was called out Tuesday afternoon to extinguish a trash fire which was threatening the Shelby Drive-Inn on Highway 35. The flames were Pollard. He will return to Austin | readily extinguished without property damage.

> Mrs. Chas. F. Cron and John Cron journeyed to Austin Sunlay. Miss Bonnie Cron, who ha completed her sophomore year at the University of Texas, returned home with them Monday.

Illetta and Loretta Townsend arrived home last week after completing their sophomore year at Baylor University.

Mildred Wilkinson and Mary Ruth Dervage returned home during the past week from S.W.S.T.T. C. at San Marcos. Miss Dervage will return next week to attend summer school.

Evangelistic Services

Evangelistic services will be conducted at the Fulton Communual convention in Corpus Christi nity Church for a two week period, June 4 through June 18. The services will begin each night at 8 been designated convention head- p.m. The public is invited to atquarters, and the Sea Gull Stamp tend. They will be conducted by

Rev. Scott of Pawnee, Okla., is a staff evangelist of the Fuller tables. There will be a stamp auc- Foundation, Inc., Charles E. Fulltion Saturday afternoon, June 10, er, president. This foundation conducted by B. A. Turner, one sponsors evangelistic work in all parts of the United States.

Mr. Scott received his A.B. degree, Cum Laude, from Oklahoma lectors an unparalleled opportuni- Baptist University in 1941. He graduated from Southern Baptist the rare and hard to find items Theological Seminary, Louisville,

> Following this preparation and ordination Mr. Scott held successful pastorates in Oklahoma and Kentucky. During this time he was in great demand for evangelistic campaigns in other churches.

> Mr. Scott has been the evangelistic speaker at numerous Baptist conferences. He was moderator of the Le Flore Baptist Association in Oklahoma. His work has been effective among youth as well as adults. He is a former athlete and two-year letterman in basketball.

The Rockport Pilot is authorized to announce the name of Bob The public is cordially invited Ayers as a candidate for election to visit the exhibit; it will be in- to the office of Sheriff, Tax Assesteresting and instructive. South sor and Collector of Aransas Coun-Texas stamp collectors are es- ty, subject to the action of the pecially urged to avail themselves Democratic Primary, Saturday,

Humble Team Wins From Shaw Electric

The Humble softball team won a tight game from the Shaw Electric team of Aransas Pass in a game played there last Thursday night. Humble won the game 3-1, having made three hits and got, three runs, the first of which was in the third inning and two in the sixth. Shaw Electric got four hits and made one run in the fourth

Humble players were Jack Smith, Zade Jones, Tim Haynes, Travis DuBois, Donnell, Bob Morrison, Kelly, Corpus, Steve Truitt, and Edwards. Truitt was catcher and Edwards, pitcher, for Humble.

The Liquefied girls team will meet Beeville here at the local Kentucky with Th.M. degree in They played Refugio last Friday undergone treatment in the Rocknight and won the game 16 to 8. port hospital for several days.

The Liquefied team lost to Clasco of Corpus Christi Tuesday night,

Saturday night the Cubs, captained by Blackie Chupe, won from the Pirates, captained by Gary Smith. The Eager Beavers won from the Rustlers in the second game of the evening.

Elbert Mundine, manager for the Youth teams, reports that there are openings for more teams and would like to see one team entered in the age group under 15 and another from the age group 15 to 18. New equipment has been provided, he reported, and a 5game series has been planned for each of the teams in the various age groups. A trophy will be presented to the winners.

Mrs. Richard Simpson returned field Friday night at 8 o'clock. to her home Monday after having

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Many of Faculty Off to Summer School

Plans for the summer as revealed by the faculty of the Aransas County Independent School Northeast State Teachers College goal. District are varied. Many plan at Tahlequah, Okla. Mrs. Seth The size of the causeway proj-to vacation at home and others Steele will do graduate work at a ect is reflected in the amount of will attend summer school for California university. the major portion of the summer.

Several teachers wil go graduprincipal; C. J. Kutach, social science teacher; Mrs. Agnes Currie, Hollis, elementary dept.

attend school at Texas A. & I. for the major portion of the sumat Kingsville. They are Mrs. C. C. mer. Supt. J. F. Harbin reports Hayden, mathematics instructor; that he will remain here for the Miss Katie Lee Clark, junior high better part of the summer. instructor; Mrs. Claude Prophet, elementary instructor.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roe, Jr., University of Oklahoma at Nor- day.

man, Okla., this summer. Miss Mary Louise Hilderbrand, junior high instructor, will attend Oklahoma A. & M. at Stillwater, Okla. project sometime late this year in-

home economics course at the pounds of reinforcing steel. home economics cottage here durelementary teacher; Mrs. S. L. ing the month of June and plans Sorenson, elementary dept.; Miss to spend the rest of the summer The paint protects the steel Charlotte Cron, and Mrs. Edna at her home in Edinburg. Mrs. against the damaging effects of Charlyne Hunt and Mrs. Bertha A number of the faculty will Harper will remain in Rockport

Mrs. Wm. Patrick and Margaret will take graduate work at the of LaGrange attended the gradu-University of Denver at Denver, ation exercises held here at the Colo. T. Houston Foster, grade high school Friday night. Mrs. Alschool principal, plans to complete bert Collier and daughters returnwork on his Masters degree at the ed to LaGrange with them Satur-

Nueces Bay Causeway Job Continues Ahead of Schedule

Construction of the 2.4 million Nueces Bay Causeway is continuing ahead of schedule, with nearly half the concrete work finished and plans being prepared for the Portland approach.

A separate contract for the Portland approach work probably will be awarded in July. Plans and specifications, now being drafted, will be completed in about another 30 days, according to Fagan B. Mason, engineer for the State Highway Department.

Nearly half of the concrete and structural steel bridge is finished except for railing. According to spokesmen for Austin Bridge Co., builder of the causeway, virtually all the steel work is finished, with pouring of concrete the only re maining large task.

The bascule portion of the span has been instaled and in operation for some time now.

"We are most anxious now to complete plans and award a contract for the Portland approach,' Mason said. Originally, it had been expected that this contract could be let in June.

Even with the award of the contract sometime in July, the present pace of contruction should bring completion of the gigantic Mrs. Fred James will enroll at the stead of early in 1951-an original

material needed to complete it. Miss Eulah Cornforth plans to The bridge portion alone is requirvacation in Michigan and Canada ing 90,000 lineal feet of metal ate work at San Marcos. Those for a month before returning to shell piling, 15,000 cubic yards of who plan to enroll at S.W.S.T.T.C. her home in Waco, Tex. Miss Betty concrete, 5,600,000 pounds of are Wm. McGrath, high school Heaton will conduct a summer structural steel and 1,645,000

> About 5,000 gallons of paint are needed to paint the exposed steel the elements.

Sacred Heart Students Present Program at Close of School

Students of the Sacred Heart Catholic School presented a program for their parents and friends Thursday night at the school. Included in the program was a recital by piano students of Sister Superior M. Hroswitha.

Rev. H. H. Bockholt gave the opening address. Following the singing of "America," by students of the second and third grades, the welcome and recitations were given by the girls in the first grade. Boys of the first grade performed a drill, recitation and song.

Several dances were performed by the youngsters. They were: "Little Dance," Mary Zamora and Peter Hernandez; "Wigwam, Indian Dance," with music by Charles LeBlanc. Other dances were given by Mary Martha Shivers and Barbara Barnard, Robert

Shivers and a group of girls. A short play, "When Dolly Is Sick," was presented by Frances LeBlanc and Billy Johnson. Action songs given were "Lullaby," by a group of girls; "Hansel and Gretel," by Barbara Barnard and John Hemmi; and "Lightly Row" by students of the second and third grades with Mary Shivers at the piano.

Piano numbers were given by Gloria Dye, Doris Jean Huffman, Mary Shivers, Joyce Griggs, Joy Roe, Sue Blevins, Sally Fields, Virginia Gwynn, Robert Shivers, and Charles LeBlanc.

Mrs. Annie Evans, Mrs. Corinne Zawadski and children and Edward Seaton of Freeport visited in Refugio Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Camehl and Tamara are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Roberson, in Dallas.



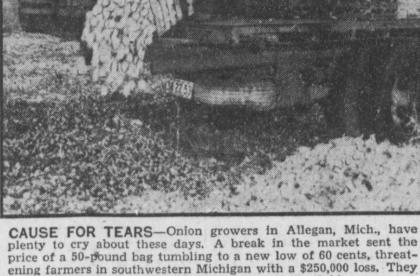


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plenty to cry about these days. A break in the market sent the price of a 50-pound bag tumbling to a new low of 60 cents, threatening farmers in southwestern Michigan with a \$250,000 loss. They dumped much of their surplus into the fields.

Eleven Couples Obtain Marriage Licenses

James Edward Murray and Mrs. Mrs. Geo. Lee Brundrett. Ruth D. Radar.

Dewey J. Wilson, Jr. and Lloyd Vaunda Smith. Norman McLead and Jean Faye

Wm. Michael Shome and Effic Aleen Turner.

Jas. Bernie Helm and Mrs. Ida J. W. Patterson and Opal Com-

Roy Charles Nolte, Jr. and Loretta Matthews. Harold Bush Webster and Nancy Wilson Wright.

Wayne C. Lewellen and Eleanor Robert McKnight and Mrs. Lillie

Dell Jiles. Jose Cazares Alaniz and Martha Flores Jimenez.

Mrs. John D. Haseman and daughters Verna Ann and Janet left Friday from New Orleans for Eleven couples received mar- Caracus, Venezuela, where they riage licenses at the Aransas will join Mr. Haseman who is em-County courthouse during the ployed as equipment engineer for the Atlantic Oil Co. Mrs. Haseman months of April and May. They and children have lived here for several months with her mother,

> The only longhorn cattle in Texas today are in the San Antonio

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Cars Damaged Sunday In Accident at Fulton

A 1947 Buick, driven by Raymond Owens of Fulton, and a 1949 Mercury, driven by Irvin Ma-Fulton Sunday morning. Neither noon about 3 o'clock. party suffered injury, however.

going north on the beach drive. in. Store are located. The accident oc- not posted on either street. curred about 8:40 a.m.

Mazurek, who was driving a car owned by B. L. Pullin of San Antonio, plead guilty to charges of driving without a drivers li-cense in Justice of the Peace lansen's court and paid a fine of \$1.00 plus cost, which amounted

Mrs. Jas. C. Herring and Mrs. Roy Hinton motored to LaGrange Monday to attend graduation exercises there Monday night, where Margaret Patrick was a member of the graduating class. Wm. Mc-Grath, Dolly Lee Hart and Mary Ann Close also attended the exercises Monday evening.

Cars Collide Monday at Hiway 35 Intersection

A 1937 Ford driven by George Walter Miller of Palacios and a 1948 Chevrolet, driven by Allan C. zurek of San Antonio, received Faris of Fort Worth, collided at considerable damage as the result the intersection of Magnolia St. of an accident which occurred at and Highway 35 Monday after-

Damage to the autos was minor It is reported that Owens was and neither of the men were indriving east on Broadway (the jured. The right fender of the street leading into Fulton from Ford was bent and the right front Highway 35) and Mazurek was door of the Chevrolet was mashed

The cars collided at the intersection where the Red and White that they thought they had the Grocery and the Fulton Drug right of way since stop signs are

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Hominy, 3 No. 2 cans	250
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Coffee, pound tin 66c 63c Shortening, 3 lb. pail

RED & WHITE 10c Milk, tall can 39c

Sugar, 5 lb. bag 22c Vel, large size

59c Fryers, fresh dressed, lb. 46c Franks, 1 lb. cello

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Shortening, 3 lb. carton	15c
Toilet Tissue, 2 rolls	
Sardines, 3 cans	250
Beans, 1 pound	10c

Strawberry Preserves, 1 lb. jar 31c Vel, pkg. 21c

California Spuds, 10 lbs. 34c

Oleo, colored, 1 lb.

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LAWN FURNITURE made and delivered. Write or see W. T. Fain, Box 102, Ingleside, Texas.

FOR RENT: Business location, next door to Casterline Grocery. See W. L. Mikeal.

WANTED: If interested in buying or selling Aransas County real estate contact an old timer in business here sixty years. A. L. Bracht, Realtor, Box 505, Rockport, Tex.

FOR SALE: 4 rooms and bath. Stucco house and furniture. Call 246 or write Box 87, Rockport. ctf FOR SALE-Cabinet model elec-

tric Singer sewing machine. Call 802 after five. FOR SALE-One 18-foot house trailer. Butane gas, innerspring mattress, ice box. Keffer, Joe's

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ctf LIST YOUR PROPERTY with me. Have buyers waiting. M. E. Nichols.

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FOR SALE-New, modern house with 2 large lots and double gar- Jackson Day Dinner, a gathering age. Furnished or unfurnished of prominent Texas democrats, in On Highway 35, next door to Austin Saturday night. Fred's Barbecue. J. M. Cowan,

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FOR RENT-Apartment at Cecil Casterline's residence in Ful-ton. Call 3936.

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Announcements

All Political Announcements Cash In Advance

Political

The Pilot is authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices named, subject to the Democratic pri-

ctf 70th District: JOHN N. BARNHART

> JAS. CLARK HERRING (re-election) For County Judge: JOHNNIE D. WENDELL

D. R. SIMMONS (re-election) For County Attorney: WELDON CABANISS

(re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: A. R. CURRY (re-election) BOB AYERS

For County Treasurer: ETTOIL 'Duck' Harrist ELLER C. K. TATUM Re-election

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: W. B. ALLEN (re-election) BRUCE MAYES GEO. M. HARRELL

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2: J. M. (Jack) SPARKS, JR. (re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: A. L. DAVIS (Re-election)

FRED M. HUNT

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:

J. H. MILLS (re-elect.on) For Justice of the Peace Precincts No. 1 and 2:

WILLIAM P. HOOVER

Watch this space for our offer-L. W. DAVIS ings. A. L. Bracht, Realtor. Box For Justice of the Peace,

Prectinct No. 3: H. B. WISMER

For County Surveyor: FRED M. PERCIVAL (Re-election)

Attend Democrat Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss

The featured item on the prowas held at the Austin coliseum.

Mrs. J. M. Sparks Sr. and son Leslie, spent the weekend in son of Austin are visiting rela-Mexico and Brownsville.

Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss and childthis week.

Harvin Stresses Necessity for Work In Senior Address

Dr. E. L. Harvin, president of seniors that it will be up to each of them to make a place for themselves in the working world, Hall on June 2, 3, and 4. Prowhether they go on to college or ceeds from this event will be used not, in an address delivered at the to construct the city's first Little Commencement Exercises last Friday night. While he stressed the cialized and competitive age, at 7 p.m. The Wing Ding, which each one to make the best of his start at 4 p.m.

for the four years was 93.57.

award for serving as accompanist entries. for the choir. The club named Jim Morrison to receive the graduat-

ing senior award. ating musician was presented sions on the three evenings. Ruby Wilkinson by the school. Harvey Shomette, music director, made the presentation. Loyce Mae ject. Shults and Jim Morrison received the faculties nomination for the best all-around girl and best allaround boy.

Morrison, with a grade average of of great entertainment and fun. 90.96; Jewel Murphy, 90.51; Loyce Mae Shults, 90.01; Camilo Del- gate. gado, 90.02, and Thomas Crossman, 90.01.

Diplomas were presented Ina Zoe Demory, Myrtle Maxine Den-Nancy Juergens, Joyce Lassiter, Jewel Murphy, Loyce Mae Shults, Betty Jean Wheeler, Ruby Wilkinson, Cecil Hope Cole, Vicente Corpus, James Cox, John Cron, Thomas Crossman, Dave Davis, Camilo Delgado, Jr., Walter Richard Denny, Robert Floyd, James Gurley, Frank Hunt, Theodore James Morrison, John Albert Ratand Mr. and Mrs. Emory M. Spencer attended the Jefferson-

Mrs. Jas. G. Hooper has gone gram was a talk by Vice-President to Austin where she will attend Albin Barkley. About 3,000 per- graduation exercises at the Unisons attended the dinner which versity of Texas Saturday night. Her niece, Willeen Schmidt, is a member of the graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Davis and tives here this week.

Mrs. Norvell Jackson and chilren are visiting with her mother, dren are visiting with her parents, Mrs. M. O. Flowers, in Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Porter, in Aus-

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CHAS. A. ROE, Mgr.

Corpus Christi Little Theatre Sponsors Turtle Derby and Wing Ding

Members of the Corpus Christi Del Mar College, told graduating Little Theatre will sponsor a Turtle Derby and Wing Ding on the building site on So. Alameda next to the Knight of Columbus Theatre building.

Much enthusiasm has been aroused by this unique sport and importance of higher education, he fun and hilarity is in store for cautioned the graduates that they those who attend the derby on one will have to work to make a place of the three evenings. The turtle for themselves in this highly spe- races will get underway nightly whether they continue their edu- consists of approximately 50 concation or not. He pointed out that cessions offering the usual carnitheir education will continue val wares and foods will begin whether or not they go on to operating at 5:30 p.m. on Friday school and that it will be up to and Saturday and on Sunday will

More than 400 turtles will par-Miss Ruby Wilkinson, valedic- ticipate in the races during the torian for the class with a grade three nights. The top purse is a average for the four year period \$1,000 Savings bond. Corpus of 93.95, gave a talk, "One Heart Christi citizens and business es-One Way." The subject of the tablishments as well as those of address given by Gene Smith, sa- surrounding towns have placed lutatorian, was "Never Ended, entries in the derby. Adding color Just Begun." His grade average to the derby, the turtles will be painted in bright hues and have ren The Choir Mothers Club pre- their names across their backs sented a special award in music. in order that derby owners may be Ruby Wilkinson received this able to watch the progress of their

Civic organizations and clubs are cooperating with the Little Theatre in staging this event, and The award to the best gradu- will man the booths and conces-

Mrs. A. J. McCalf is general chairman of the fund raising pro-

An invitation to the citizens of Rockport has been extended by Lewis Weil, president of the Little

Theatre to join the organization Honor students named were Jim in what promises to be an event Tickets may be purchased at the

David Herring returned to Rockport from the University of Texas, Tuesday with Mrs. Roy Hinton and ton, Ruthie Mae Gibson, Thelda Mrs. Jas. Herring as they were Jean Haynes, Janice Ingersoll, enroute home from LaGrange.

Clifton Evans of Morgan City, Joyce Sumner, Lauriano Falcon, La., returned to his home Sunday Helen Theodore, Geneva Walker, after visiting with relatives here

> H. C. Floyd, Jr., recently found employment in Corpus Christi and is now making his home there.

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Teachers Named To School Faculty

Supt. J. F. Harbin announced this week that three more teachers have been added to the faculty for the 1950-51 school term and that three teachers are yet to be

Philip Baldwin, Sam Houston State Teachers College graduate, will teach Industrial Education in the high school next year. The school board proposes to lead up to a program whereby students can obtain as much as four years of shop training, Harbin said.

Mrs. Philip Baldwin, also a graduate of the Sam Houston College, will teach in the Rockport elementary school next year.

C. J. Kutach, social science teacher in the Rockport school this year, will be transferred to the Fulton school next term. Dennis Andricks, A. & M. graduate, will teach social science at the Rockport school as well as junior boys physical education. Andricks was an understudy for John Kimbrough at A & M for two years and was a regular fullback on the A & M football team after Kimbrought graduated. He is a veteran, is married and has two child-

Harbin said the school board has yet to hire a band instructor, first grade teacher and a teacher for the junior high division.

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Francis

Tuesday & Wednesday June 6-7 Joan Davis Andy Devine

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Thursday & Friday June 8-9 Joan Crawford

David Brian Damned Don't Cry

> Saturday June 10 Gene Autry

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