

Along The Waterfront



Despite the fact that the wind fouled us up this week, our report isn't too bad, though it's nothing to compare with a week ago when over 8600 speckled trout were reported by anglers in the area.

Fred Christilles fished Dr. H. F. Elliott and party, Rockport, on Thursday last, and the party caught one king and one ling, on a trip to the Gulf. Saturday he had Howard Lee and children, from Houston, and they came in with 15 trout. Monday he had Volney Cavitt, Rockport, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Crane, Jr., and Glen Crane III of McGregor for a trip to the Gulf that produced 1 king and 14 specks. Tuesday he fished Captain Alton Huseman, of Lawton, Okla., and D. F. Grothe, Houston, coming in with 58 big trout. Wednesday he had John H. Darnell, Fort Worth, and a Dr. Gardner, of Beaumont, who snagged 38 fish.

Bill Crist fished M. A. Giles and M. A. Giles, Jr., on Thursday, bringing in 59 trout. Saturday he had Wade and Jack Roberts of El Campo, and Bill Nixon, of Austin, and they pulled in 31 trout; Mr. Harmon, of Refugio, fished with him on Wednesday, and caught 20 specks.

Over at Mills Wharf, Mrs. Lawler said that quite a few fish have been coming in, although the high winds over the weekend had messed up some fishing trips.

Thursday Mr. Kamin, of Houston, fished with Harry Mills and caught 68 fish; Mr. Kagan, Houston, fished with Harry Lee Mills, and brought in 139. Buddie Hicks and party, fished with Herbert Mills and caught 65. A. T. Hickey, San Antonio, fished with Eddie Edmonson and tallied 98 specks.

Friday was rough but H. W. Wilson and party, Houston, fished with Harry and caught 25 trout (Continued on Page 8)

Rockport School of Fine Arts Has 24 Students in 2nd Week

The Rockport School of Fine Arts has opened its second summer session this week, with 24 students in attendance from all over the country. Attendance for the first week was set at 34.

For the third session, according to Simon Michael, director of the school, classes will be moved to Fredericksburg.

Sacred Heart Church To Hold Barbecue Sunday

The Sacred Heart Church will hold a barbecue on Sunday, June 24, at the church. Meals will be served from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m., and from 4 p. m. to 6 p. m. Everyone is urged to come, as the profits go to the church fund.

Rotarian Hear Meteorologist

Bill Meigs was in charge of the Rotary program Wednesday, and presented Russel Mozeney, meteorologist in charge of the Corpus Christi weather bureau.

Mozeney showed a film on tornadoes. Visiting Rotarians were Alex McDonald, Lubbock; John D. Harper, Grandview; and Norton Hargish, Wallace Rogers Jr. and Napier Rogers, all of San Antonio.

Freeman to Address Baptists in Rockport

John Freeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Freeman, will conduct a prayer service at the First Baptist Church this evening.

A student at the University of Texas, Freeman is in training to become a teaching missionary. He has just returned from holding a 10-day mission in Dallas and in a few days will be en route to Juarez, Mexico, to conduct a six-week mission.

This spring he was elected by the Baptist Student Union of the University of Texas to hold such missions.

Fire Marshall, And Fire Chief Give Warning

Fire Marshall Carl Osborn, and Fire Chief Dick Fox, warn everyone to be especially careful about setting fires of any sort during this season, when everything is so dry. There have already been a number of small blazes that have caused little damage, but there's always the chance that a big one can get started like that which caused so much damage at Fulton a few years ago.

Fulton Lions To Celebrate Fourth of July

The Fulton Lions, at their regular meeting Monday night, received one new member, heard various reports, and decided to celebrate the Fourth of July at Fulton.

James B. Calhoun was the new member.

Henry Schmidt, chairman, and members of the Youth Committee recommended, and the club approved, a club-sponsored Brownie swimming party, to be given at Oak Shore Apartments on July 7, with A. L. Bachman in charge. The committee further recommended, and the club further approved joining with the Rockport Lions to send three crippled children to the crippled children's camp at Kerrville, Texas this summer, and the matter was turned over to Simon Lee Sorenson for action.

The club then voted to support the Fulton Baptist Church baseball team in the Little League, and to support the groups who are sponsoring the Teenage Dances at the Woman's Club, and Bob Winton and James Calhoun were placed in charge of this segment of the club's activities.

Little Bill Johnson and B. T. Oliver, co-chairmen, and the waterfront recreation committee recommended and the club approved activities on the Fulton waterfront and in the yacht basin, following the barbecue to be staged by Rockport Lions on the Fourth of July.

Fulton events will include outdoor motor relay race for fishing boats, a water skiing exhibition, a balloon relay race, a joust, and a free-for-all speedboat race.

Major Wentworth, pilot of a B-47 bomber crew, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Harrell, in Fulton, was a guest at the meeting, and told the assembled Lions about the B-47 bombers, its crew, and its high-altitude bomb dropping activities which are controlled by radar.

From their base at Lincoln, Neb., they are over Rockport in one hour and thirty minutes, traveling at a height of about 30,000 feet. Refueling high above the earth or ocean has become a routine matter to the crews, he said.

Postoffice Erects Latest in Mail Boxes

The postoffice, in keeping with the times, has erected the latest thing in mail boxes, and now letters can be mailed without ever leaving your car, at this new drive-in box.

GRASS FIRE ON MARKET STREET

The fire department answered a call Tuesday afternoon about 4 o'clock, to extinguish a small grass fire near Charlie Roe's slaughter house on Market St.

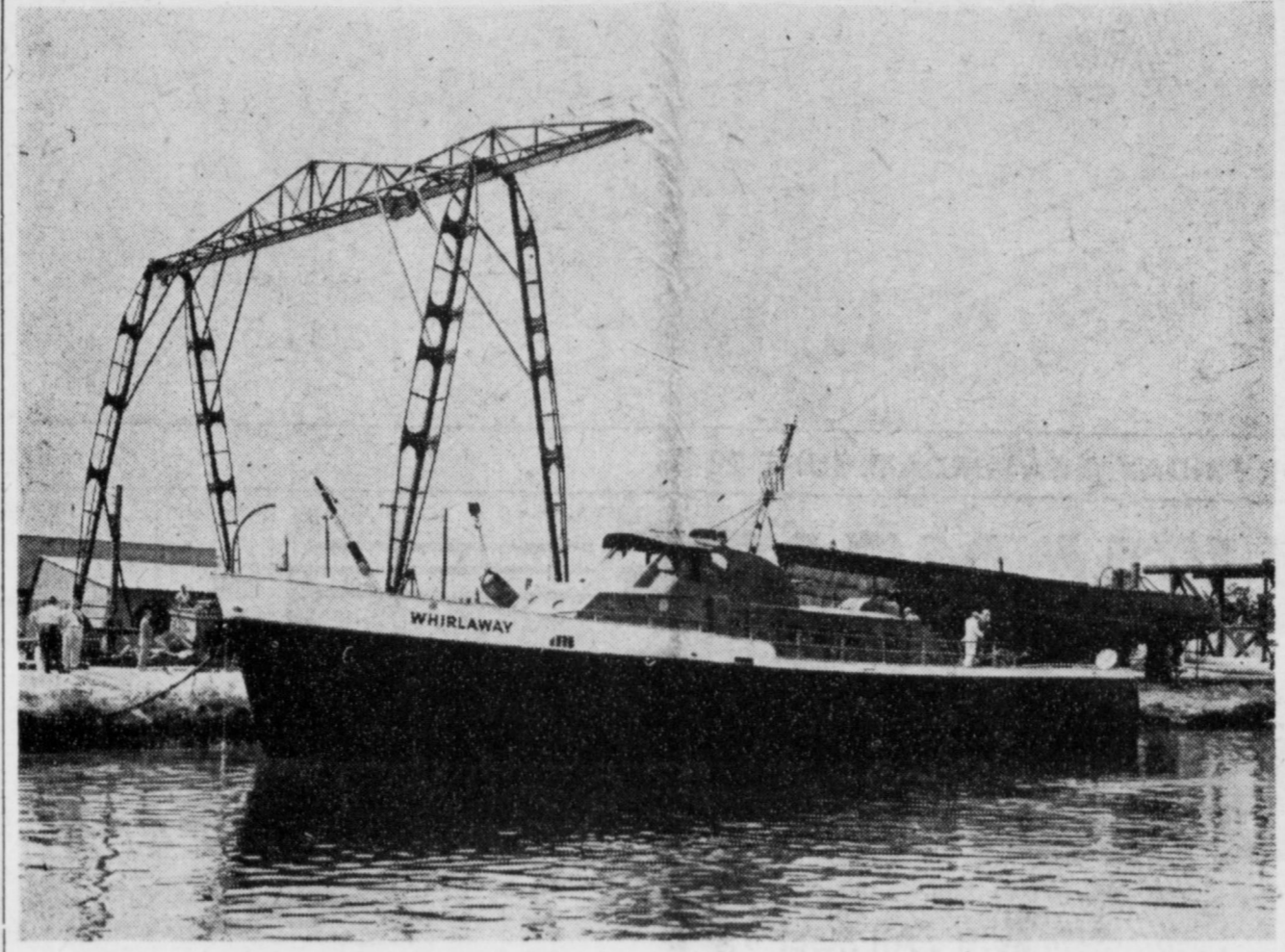
Associated General Contractors Hold Annual Fish Fry at Fulton Saturday

Four hundred and fifty members, wives, and guests of the Associated General Contractors of South Texas held their annual fish fry and meeting at Fulton last Saturday.

Guests included Captain J. F. Cunniff, in charge of naval construction in the Corpus Christi area, and his staff, the Aransas County School Board; architects and engineers of Corpus Christi and their wives; and Judge John D. Wendell and the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County.

The Associated General Contractors is a trade association from

Caspary-Wendell's 'Whirlaway' Makes Test Run



Caspary and Wendell's new crew boat, the Whirlaway, lying at the wharf in Platzer's Boat Works, in Houston, before speed trials which were held last Saturday. Powered with two 600 H.P. General Motors diesels, the Whirlaway did 20 1/2 miles an hour on her run, which was held at the San Jacinto Battleground. A group of forty, including Delo Caspary, Jerry Wendell, Harold Picton, and representatives of the Llanco Drilling Company, Humble Oil, the Texas Company, the Atlantic Refining Company, Phillips Petroleum, Brown and Root, and the Gulf Oil Corporation were on board.

Children Entering School in Fall Of '56 Should Request Birth Records At Once From State Department of Health

Austin—The State Department of Health is asking all parents of children who will enter public schools for the first time in September to make requests "now" for copies of the children's birth records.

Most school systems require a birth certificate to prove the child was six years old on September 1.

"Making early requests for birth records will save parents and us time and trouble," said State Registrar W. D. Carroll.

Carroll, director of the health

Presbyterian Mission To Hold Vacation Bible School June 16-30

The local Presbyterian Latin-American Mission is holding its vacation Bible school from June 16 through the 30th. Simultaneously with the school, they are holding revival services each evening in the vacant lot adjacent to the Presbyterian manse.

The First Presbyterian Church is assisting in the effort.

VFW Invites New Members

Commander Bill Pierson invites all veterans to come in and join the VFW Post here. Any one wishing to join should contact him at 6105. The VFW committee that attended the Ingleside meeting came back with the news that Rockport had sold more poppies in accordance with the population than any other town in the district.

A. ARNOTT WARD ATTENDING CAMP

Rev. A. Arnott Ward, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, is acting as leader for one of the Presbytery's senior camps at Singing Hills, just out of Leakey, this week. Elder Ted Little conducted the Sunday evening worship.

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It's a good bet the original will be on hand. Carroll's office keeps track of some ten million birth and death records, some dating back to 1903.

There's just one more thing: if you don't care to write to the State Department of Health in Austin, check with your local registrar or county clerk. Chances are he can supply the record.

In either case, do it soon. Carroll says that fall bind can get mighty tight.

ARANSAS TRY STARTS

Harrell and Southworth No. 1 Mary J. Baker, proposed 8,600-foot Aransas County wildcat three miles north of Rockport, was waiting on a Dan Clark Drilling Co. rig of Corpus Christi. This test is in J. W. Paup Survey, A-179.

Courthouse, Radar Building Making Excellent Progress

Construction on Rockport's new courthouse and on the 813th ACW Station here, both scheduled for completion about the first of next year, is making excellent progress, and, at the radar station, is five percent ahead of schedule, according to a spokesman for the Ricks Construction Company, which has the contract.

Access roads are being paved at the radar station; foundations for most of the thirteen buildings are in; and steel is on the ground for walls and floors. The sanitary lines have also been installed.

At the courthouse, for which Braselton Construction Company of Corpus Christi has the bid, steel has started up, and most of it should be in place by the beginning of next week.

The building is steel and brick construction, and replaces Rockport's old Moorish-style courthouse which had been in use for 65 years.

Mozeny, Weatherman, Says Warning Signals May Be Changed

R. P. Mozeny, meteorologist in charge of the Corpus Christi weather bureau, says that changes in the system of storm warnings are being considered by the heads of the Weather Bureau in Washington, and that they may be made later in the year.

These changes, he said, will be made in order to give more efficient service.

Now being considered, the following signals will be used, if and when the changes are made:

One red storm pennant will be used to warn of storms having gusts up to 39 miles an hour.

Two will be used for those from which gusts up to 55 miles an hour may be expected.

One red flag, with a square, black center, will signify storms with gusts between 55 and 74 miles an hour.

These are all the changes that are contemplated, and the hurricane signal, two red flags, with black, square centers, one above the other, will still be flown where gusts and winds are expected to reach hurricane force of 75 miles or over.

Brownies Help With Marathon

Two Brownies, Jan Clark and Mary Lou Johnson, have contributed their help to Rockport's marathon outdoor race. While Mrs. Ellis Clark addressed envelopes and titled letters, the two Brownies folded the letters, put them in the proper envelopes, and sealed and stamped them. This was quite a chore as there were over three hundred letters to be sent out.

Camp Copano Starts Second Big Week

Girls from Bee, Aransas, and San Patricio Counties Lead Rugged Life of Swimming, KP, Taking Care Of Own Beds, Hiking, Canoeing, Handicraft Work

Camp Copano, permanent summer camp for the tri-county Whooping Crane Girl Scout Council, is off to its second big week, with 44 girls present from Bee, Aransas, and San Patricio counties in attendance—this being only six less than capacity.

The camp, completed early this month for the council, opened its first session on June 10 with 38 girls present from Taft, Beeville, Gregory, Portland, Sinton, Aransas Pass, and Hebbronville.

All Motorboats Are Subject To Numbering Act

Located six miles north of Rockport, on the shores of Copano Bay, the camp presents ideal opportunities for swimming canoeing, hiking, nature study, and handicraft work, for which there are innumerable raw materials in the shape of seashells found along the edge of the bay.

Operations are participated in by the girls, who wait on table, do KP, and clean their own cabins for inspections in the mornings.

However, said Mrs. Allison Nichols, evening programs may vary. Style shows, movies, unit campfires and various other forms of diversion are furnished by the girls themselves, or by visitors. Last week, for instance, Lincoln Borglum, Beeville sculptor, showed colored movies of the times when he and his father, Gutzon Borglum, were working on the great Mount Rushmore Memorial in the Black Hills of North Dakota.

On other nights, a part of the girls hiked into Rockport, spending the night at the Girl Scout Little House here, and returning the next morning.

Operation of a motorboat in violation of these regulations is punishable by a fine.

If you own a motorboat or contemplate purchasing one, register it with the Coast Guard. Remember, it is for your own personal safety.

First Church League Game Scheduled For June 25th

The Church League of Aransas County has scheduled its first game for Monday night, June 25, and will play on Friday and Monday night thereafter. A complete set of rules has been completed, and these and the game schedule are given below.

Age:
1. Little Team—Any boy 13 yrs. of age and under.
2. Big Team: Any boy 16 yrs. of age and under.

Sunday School Attendance:
Each player must attend Sunday School at least 3 Sundays of each month. If you miss 2 Sundays in a row you become ineligible until you have attended a previous Sunday. A written statement when attending an out of town Sunday School.

Player Roster:
A player roster must be present (Continued on Page 8)

Rockport Lions To Install Officers

The Rockport Lions Club will hold an installation of officers and Ladies Night dinner on Tuesday, June 26 at 7:30 p. m. in the Woman's Club building.

New officers for the coming year are: C. A. Roe Jr., president; Dave Coleman, secretary-treasurer; Eugene Everett, second vice president; Clyde Townsend, third vice president; Grady M. Harrell, lion tamer; and Jack Hagar, tail twister.

New directors are Carl Osborn, Frank Kresta, Herman Johnson, and Ellis Clark.

The following Lions will be presented with awards for 100% attendance for the past year: Melvin Borchert, O. A. Carroll Jr., Ellis Clark, Dave Coleman, A. C. Shivers, Seth H. Steele, Eugene Everett, Clyde Townsend, Carl Osborn, Charles Roe Jr., and Dave Segler.

Rockport Scouts To Hold Court of Honor

Rockport Scout Troop No. 49 will hold a Court of Honor on Monday night, June 25. The following awards will be made:

John Keith, Raymond Orman, Raymond Ingersoll, and Peter Scherrer will receive their second class badges. Willard Neil and Gary Thomas will be given their tenderfoot awards. Britton Dick will receive his first class award and the swimming merit badge. Robert Shivers and Richard Happner, Jr., will be presented with the swimming merit badge. All the awards were won during the boys' recent trip to Camp Karankawa, where Happner was also called for the Order of the Arrow.

The Court of Honor will be held in the Scout Hut at 7:30 p. m.

Scripps Institute Scientists Return


Scripps Institute scientists engaged in exploration of the continental shelf of the Gulf of Mexico returned this past week, laden with samples from the ocean floor, and the news that big barracuda were still found off the Texas coast.

The expedition, which left here aboard the Jackson Seafood vessel Neva J a little over two weeks ago, sampled the Gulf bottom along the self from one end of Texas to the other.

Geological specimens from the vicinity of the east and southeast banks at Freeport led them to conclude that this area was probably an old bay that had been submerged in the long ago.

This year, as last, they intended to do considerable diving to determine the geological facts about some of the reefs along the coast, and this year, like last, when they came to banks close to the Claypile and Flower Garden reefs, south of Galveston, there were too many barracuda around for the divers' peace of mind.

Captain Jones, of the Neva J, said that when they reached Pinnacle Rock, southwest of the Claypile, water was so clear that it was easy to see the bottom of the Gulf, here only a few fathoms below the surface. It was just as easy to see the barracuda, also, and the divers decided not to go down.



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LIPTON TEA BAGS 16's **23c**

SCOTTIE DOG FOOD 3 cans **21c**

VEL large **29c**

Maxwell House Coffee

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Libby's **LEMONADE** 6 oz. **15c**

Admiration Coffee

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Northern Napkins . . 2 Cartons **27c**

Sta-Flo Starch . . 1-2 gal. **45c**

Gold Medal **FLOUR** 5 lbs. **47¢**

RIO OLEO

pound

20c



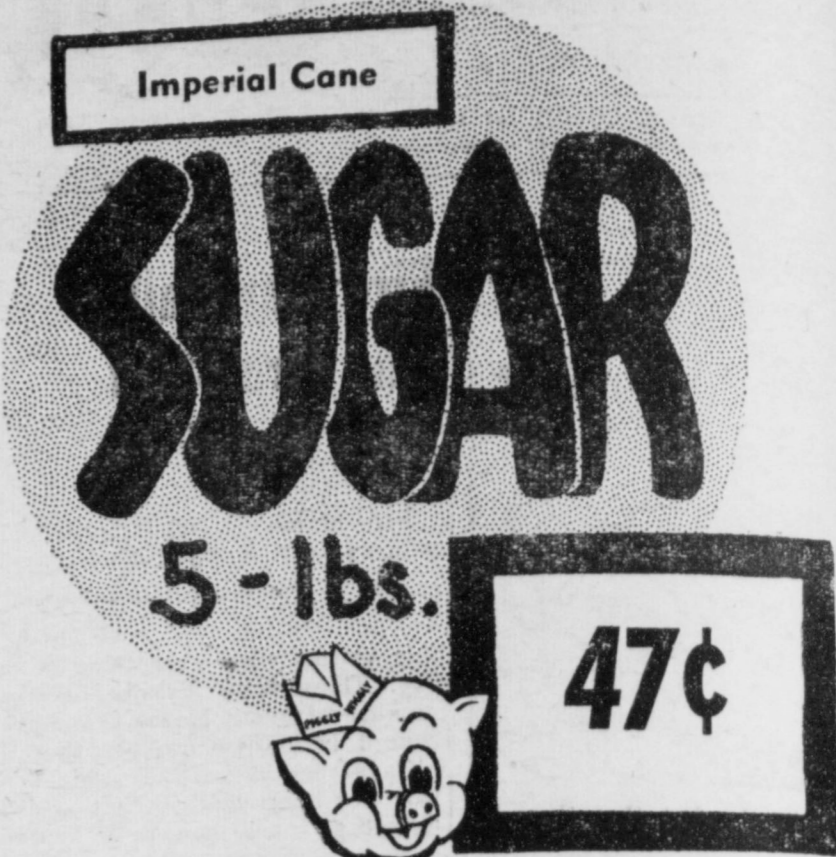
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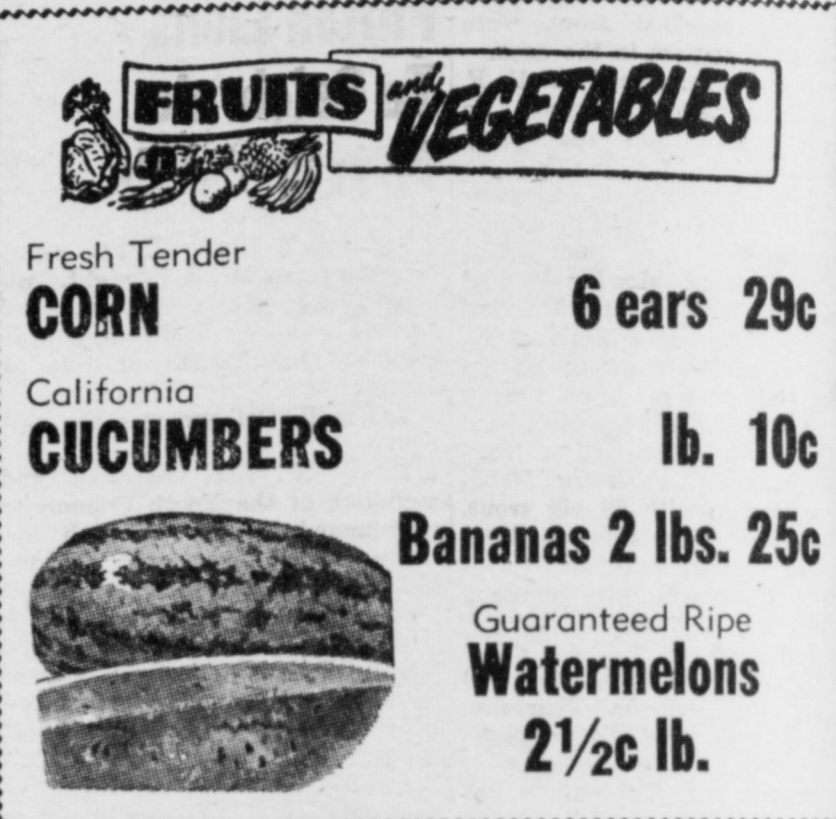
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Rotel Cut Green
Beans
 303 can
11c



Imperial Cane
SUGAR
 5-lbs.
47¢



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Spam 35c
Red & White 4 oz. Black Pepper 25c

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Gladiola
FLOUR
5 lb. bag
48c

Northern
TISSUE
3 for
25c

Red & White
Shortening 3 lbs. 85¢

5 lb. bag
SUGAR 47c

Decker's
MARGARINE 19c

Giant
CHEER 69c

Carnation or Pet
MILK 2 for 27c

Large Box
TIDE 29c

Red & White
COFFEE 97c

Admiration or Yarborough
COFFEE 93c

Bright & Early
COFFEE 79c

Red & White
MILK 2 for 25c

Comstock Sliced
APPLES No. 2 23c

Sun Spun
SLICED PINEAPPLE No. 2 25c

Del Monte Whole Kernel
CORN 12 oz. 17c

Johnson's
NO-ROACH 89c

100's Bayer
ASPIRIN 49c

Bama Red Plum
JAM 20 oz. 33c

Sun Spun Fancy 22 oz.
SWEET PICKLES 45c

Our Value Cut
GREEN BEANS 2 for 25c

Val-Tex Tomato
CATSUP 19c

Del Monte Cream Style
CORN 17c

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PEAS No. 300 19c

Borden's
PINEAPPLE DRINK Quart 19c

Large Sun Spun
BREAD loaf 21c

Swift's Premium Heavy Beef

Chuck Roast lb. 39¢

Swift's Premium
FRANKS
pound
39c

Wisconsin Longhorn
CHEESE
pound
49c

Sun Spun
BACON
pound
39c

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Swift's Premium Heavy Beef Shoulder Round

Steak lb. 49¢

Swift's Premium Heavy Beef Pin Bone

Steak lb. 59¢

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Exploring West Texas and The Big Bend

Twenty-four-year-old William Henry Chase Whiting was only four years out of West Point, and innocent as a babe of Indians and western travel, when he was ordered "to ascertain if there be a practicable and convenient route for military and commercial purposes between El Paso and the Gulf of Mexico, passing by or near Austin or San Antonio de Bexar."

That's all there was to it, just the bare, bald words of a military command, yet, in carrying it out, Whiting and his party wrote another chapter of the hectic history of the Texas frontier.

He left San Antonio in February, 1849, with 14 men, taking 7 days to cover the 70 miles to Fredericksburg, delayed by wild weather and wilder mules.

Once there, he picked up another man and headed, via the old Pinta Trail, for Indian country and the Rio Grande, passing, on the way, the first prairie dog town Whiting had ever seen and the ruins of San Saba Mission (near the present site of Menard).

At the headwaters of the San Saba they had their first Indian scare. All day long they had noticed Indian signs and that night, when they camped, guards were doubled.

Nevertheless, savages tried to steal their mules, and, says Whiting: "About one o'clock the mules

stampeded with great snorts, the strength of the new ropes with which they were tied being all that saved them for us. . . Pulling back with all its force, every animal, with its ears pricked, was looking in one direction. However, the crack of the sentry's rifle showed he had discovered the cause, and the Indians disappeared while the mules resumed their grazing."

The march continued next day as usual, and the party pressed ever westward until (in what is now El Dorado County) it struck a long dry spell. Men and animals went for 2 1/2 days without water and were suffering great distress before they reached Live Oak Creek, about where it joined the Pecos.

From here they kept on west, through country "bleak and utterly desolate," that "even game seemed to shun."

They met a Lipan chieftain and his wives on the way, and finally struck the Great Comanche War Trail. Along this they swung south to Ojo Escondido, then west to Comanche Springs.

Between there and the present site of Fort Davis, Whiting and his men ran into trouble, for this was Indian country and swarmed with hostiles, mostly belonging to the bands of the Apache chief, Gomez, after which the present peak in West Texas is named. These bands had only recently returned from raiding in Mexico, and were spoiling for trouble!

"Our scouts came galloping in, pursued by Apaches, and, simultaneously we were enveloped, front, rear, and left flank, five different parties! Issuing from every gorge the painted devils came crowding up at full speed, and we could see

them on every hill!" Whiting parleyed with the chiefs.

Gomez, "a well-made fellow, apparently about 30 or 35 years old, was hostile and insulting, and evidently desirous to fight us."

However, the other chief was not, and this, plus the determined bearing of Whiting's men, and his own cool head, all combined to avert the battle, and the party continued its explorations.

On March 20, they rode through a gap in the Davis Mountains, where "wild roses," Whiting says, "the only ones I had seen in Texas, grew luxuriantly. I named the defile Wild Rose Pass and the brook the Limpas."

Here the party intended to spend the night. However, alarmed by Indian smoke signals, the men only went through a pretense of camping. The animals were staked out; fires were lit, as if for an evening camp. Supper was cooked and eaten, then, with the coming of dark, the party quickly and silently

saddled, and through a night lit by the flare of Apache signal flares on surrounding peaks, made a forced march of 18 miles more, before stopping. Among the rocks at the foot of a hill, "without water, weary and desperate," they slept on their arms.

Next morning they set a southern course for Presidio del Norte. Passing through a prairie dog town, they killed a panther, which they ate for breakfast. It was very old, very lean, and very tough, but it was all they had!

Three days later they reached Leaton's Fort in the Big Bend (now a ruin) where they bought pinole, jerky, corn meal, and mules.

Leaton, who operated a trading post here, in the middle of Apache territory, was an extraordinary character. He had come in from Chihuahua after the Mexican War, and Whiting says: "His position is in every respect remarkable. Located in the valley

of the Rio Grande, a little below Presidio, with some eight or ten Americans in his employment, he has in a few months accomplished a great amount of severe labor, fortified himself in good position, secured his stock, and carried to considerable extent his farming operations, his men being all the while obliged to work with their arms at hand. They have been exposed to the incursions of the Indians on one side, and to a series of outrageous impositions and aggressions on the part of the Mexicans on the other, and forced to mount guard day and night."

Nevertheless, Whiting opined, the fort should become an important military and commercial site. However, Presidio del Norte was "a miserable, Indian-blighted place," stripped of everything, and presenting no attractions even to an Apache!

After a good rest, the party went on by hard, rough marches, up the river, through Socorro, past the falls of Isletas, arriving on April 11, exactly two months after they had started, at Ponce's Ranch, opposite the Mexican town of Paso del Norte. This ranch later became the site of the modern city of El Paso.

The trail from San Antonio to Presidio del Norte was feasible for wagons, Whiting said in his report, but, because he concluded that from the latter town to El Paso it was not, he returned by another route.

This branched off from his former trail upriver from the Mexican town of Pilares and, passing through the Davis Mountains, rejoined his old path at Wild Rose Canyon. From there he retraced his steps to Live Oak Creek and the Pecos, and then headed south and east to Devil's River, which he followed for a time, swinging east just above present Del Rio. Through Las Moras (Brackettville today) Whiting traveled, and from there followed more or less closely the present route of Highway 90 to San Antonio.

This return journey mapped out the path of the old Texan Lower Road, followed by gold seekers on their way to California, and opened up a permanent route between San Antonio and El Paso.

Texas Coast in For Hurricane Rich Future Says C. C. Scientist

A hurricane-rich future has been predicted for the Texas Coast within the next few years by a Corpus Christi scientist, Dr. W. Armstrong Price, geologist and oceanographer formerly of A&M.

According to Price, whose prediction occurs in a recent publication of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, the years 1954-55 marked the beginning of a cycle which may continue for 7 to 16 years.

Price's study, entitled "Hurricanes Affecting the Coast of Texas From Galveston to Rio Grande" is well worth some attention. A technical publication by the Beach Erosion Board, it deals with hurricanes of the past 125 years. Using these as a guide, Price concludes that a 17-year hurricane-poor period ended in 1953, and that the period from 1956 to 1970 may be like periods which centered on the years 1913 and 1933, in having hurricanes every year or so, and in some years even turning up with two of the gigantic twisters.

Because periodicity curves indicate that 1954-55 marked the beginning of such a period, when hurricanes average about one every 1.4 years, the scientist concludes that "Gulf coast communities for the next two decades should be fully instructed each spring as to hurricane hazards and should be prepared to put emergency measures into effect in advance of any hurricane arrival."

One of the more interesting parts of the report, for the general reader, is the hurricane chronicle, which reaches from 1818 until the present.

Between that date and 1867, no less than 22 hurricanes belabored the Texas coast. Eight of these hit Galveston, as well as other sections of the coast; no less than fifteen struck at the mouth of the Rio Grande and the southern end of Padre Island, where others were to strike in succeeding years. The one that occurred in 1867 totally destroyed Bagdad and Clarksville at the mouth of the Rio Grande.

The great Indianola storm was a tremendous gale, that occurred in 1875, accompanied by high tides from the bay, which caused nearly all the destruction, when 176 lives were lost and three-fourths of the town were swept away. The final finisher, however, was the storm of 1886, when every house in the town was damaged or demolished, and the place was not rebuilt.

Fourteen years and nine storms later, Price's statistics show, the tremendous storm that wrecked Galveston hit the Texas coast, battering the doomed city with winds that reached 120 miles an hour before the wind gauge was destroyed.

Twelve storms later, the great 1915 blow happened, followed by one in 1916, as a prelude to what Price states is possibly the greatest hurricane of the present century, that of 1919, with ten vessels sunk, property damage at least \$22 millions, and 600 lives destroyed. Winds reached 200 miles an hour at New Orleans, 158 at Galveston, and 110 at Corpus Christi.

There have been 34 more since. Price's tables and graphs show that there have been four hurricane-rich and four hurricane-poor periods within the time covered

by his study. The periods when they were frequent averaged about 15.5 years in length, with 11 hurricanes during that cycle. Poor periods are just a little longer (15.7 years) but produce only two blows during that time.

Most hurricanes occur during September, according to graphs that accompany the report. During the period from 1850 to 1949, 14 were recorded in that month; August had 12; and October produced 8. June and July each had five; but only one occurred in November.

American Legion Hears Admiral

The American Legion, at its regular monthly meeting, heard Admiral W. R. Wright, retired, of Aransas Pass, speak on Japanese naval warfare. Presentation of the post's charter, scheduled for the meeting, was delayed. Milton Schmidt, State Commander, from New Braunfels, was in an automobile accident while en route to the meeting, and unable to make the presentation.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hunt and family of Corpus Christi visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith.

Cemetery Association To Meet at Jackson Home

The Rockport Cemetery Association will meet Monday, June 25 at 4:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. S. F. Jackson. Members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Lloyd Smith visited Tuesday in Port Lavaca in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roden and Rocky.

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Circle Five Meets

Circle Number Five of the First Presbyterian Church met Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. Herbert Mills. Mrs. Lloyd Smith presided. The meeting was opened with a prayer given by Mrs. Arnett Ward. The lesson on "A Typical Jewish Home" was presented by Mrs. Mills. Mrs. Pat Greene gave the emphasis on General Funds Agency. A short discussion was held on the conference to be held at Mo Ranch in August. Coffee cake, coffee and Coke were served to five members.

Darlene Evans, daughter of Mrs. Annie Evans broke her leg last Thursday night and was treated in the Aransas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams and son Mickey, of Houma, La., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes.

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Jane Russell in **The Revolt of Mamie Stover**

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY June 26-27

Mario Lanza and Joan Fontaine in **Serenade**

Marine News

For the past March and April shrimp landings at the Valley ports of Texas remained unchanged. For the Coastal Bend port of Texas, shrimp landings from Gulf fishing areas were down slightly when the Bay shrimp fishery is deducted. The drop in landings for the Coastal Bend ports from March to April was due principally to smaller catches of pink shrimp in the Campeche

fishing area, the Service's Fishery Marketing Specialist in those areas report.

A dozen or so Corpus Christi boats commenced trips to Campeche the first part of April. However, since only 1 Campeche trip was completed during the month and since they freighted to Tampa and, to a lesser extent, Ft. Myers, there were practically no landings of Campeche pink shrimp in the Coastal Bend area.

Over 50 percent of the Brownsville and Port Isabel fleet worked one nearby area. Some of the vessels caught as high as 5 barrels of shrimp a night, but the average was slightly above 3 barrels each night over a two-week period. The only large run of good shrimp in this area was off Tampico.

Five to ten Coastal Bend trawlers went to the Lobbs area and south and made good catches. The bulk of the Coastal Bend fleet fished off Pass Cavalle and off Freeport during the first part of the month. During the latter part, they returned to the area off Pt. Aransas Bar.

Coastal Bend Bay production was from Corpus and Aransas Bays. The small bay shrimp were mostly brown, but there were a few large white shrimp landed.

During the first part of the month, bay production consisted of mostly 51 - 65 count heads-off shrimp, but towards the end of the month a fair amount of 43-50 count shrimp was reported.

Valley ex-vessel prices for 15-20 count machine-graded heads-off shrimp were 68c a lb. with 5c a lb. less for each smaller size grouping and 3c more for under-15 count shrimp. Prices of shrimp were about the same for the entire month.

Coastal Bend ex-vessels price for heads-off 15-20 count brown shrimp started at 68c a pound for the first part of the month and rose to 72c a pound towards the end of the month. White shrimp brought 2c a pound more than brown. The "fresh" or "green" market absorbed practically all the landings according to reports.

Two Coastal Bend trawlers fished for red snapper during Ap-

ril, and perhaps 3 or 4 others made both red snapper and shrimp trips.

Heldenfels Brothers have made application for a permit to operate in Copano Bay, at a location near the north end of the trestle portion of Copano Causeway, where they propose to construct a wharf and dredge a channel and basin. The wharf would consist of a sheet pile bulkhead 100 feet long located approximately 20 feet bayward from the mean low tide line on the highway embankment, with 20-foot wings at the ends and fill behind the bulkhead. A basin 150 by 200 feet would be dredged in front of the wharf and a channel would extend from the basin southwest 650 feet. The channel and basin would be 8 feet deep at mean low tide. Material from the channel and basin would be placed in the bay at two locations north-west from the channel and basin.

Shrimp production in the Rockport-Fulton area, for the 24 hours ending at 8:00 a. m., June 14, amounted to 4700 pounds of tails.

Shrimp production in the Rockport-Fulton area for the 24 hours ending at 8:00 a. m., June 15, amounted to 2900 pounds of tails.

The mission of a two-week cruise of the M/V George M. Bowers, scheduled to depart June 13, 1956, will be preliminary scouting and experimental fishing for sardine-like fishes. The cruise will be made in cooperation with biologists of the University of Miami Marine Laboratory at Coral Gables, Fla.

Observations over a period of time have revealed the presence of several species of sardine-like fishes in the Gulf of Mexico. The area selected for the preliminary work will be Florida Bay and westward to the Dry Tortugas Islands. A trap-life net, bait net, dip nets and other gears will be used to take representative specimens and samples for technological assay.

While in the Tortugas area some tows will be made with commercial scale shrimp trawls using savings gear in continuation of escapement studies by the University of Miami Marine Laboratory.

The George M. Bowers will return to Miami, Fla., on or about June 27, 1956.

CARD OF THANKS

Now that I am recovering from my recent illness, I want to thank all friends and acquaintances for the expressions of good will shown me, and for the beautiful flowers, pot plants, cards, telephone calls, dainty food and visits from friends.

I thank you, every one, and I pray God's blessing upon each of you.

Sincerely,
Bonniene C. Gregory
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Mitchel Ammons and Roy Alan Davis returned home with J. D. Spencer to Mobile, Ala., where they will visit for two weeks.

Mrs. Harry Mills, Jimmy and Harry Lee and Miss Sally Warden visited Sunday in Tivoli with Mr. A. L. Schultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLead and children, Diane and Lonnie of Louisiana are visiting with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Close and sons, Freddy and Eddie of Corpus Christi, were guests Sunday in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hart and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Close.

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Fred Barrett Dies In Corpus Christi Hospital

Fred Barrett, 61, custodian of the Aransas County High School and a resident here for three years, died at 2:30 a.m. Sunday in a Corpus Christi hospital.

He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Velma; one son, Ralph L. of Malvern, Ark.; five daughters, Mrs. Willie Stovall and Mrs. Gloria Kline of Rockport; Mrs. Bennie Moore of Soda Springs, Idaho; Mrs. Ada Bell Mueller and Tommie M. Barrett, both of Random Lake, Wis.; one brother, Joe Barrett and a sister, Mrs. Mattie Coats, both of Houston; 14 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Cage - Marshall Funeral Home was in charge of local arrangements. The body was taken to Garison, Texas, Sunday for funeral services in the First Baptist Church at 4 p.m. Monday.

Mrs. Charles Dorsey of Corpus Christi, visited during the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett.

Mrs. DeWilton Jeffries and family of Houston, are visiting during their vacation with her mother, Mrs. Charles Picton.

Guests during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Brundrett were Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Holley Brundrett and son, David Lee, of Houston, Mrs. George Sorenson and Mr. and Mrs. James Sledge of Palacios.

Bachmans Hold Open House Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bachman held open house Sunday from 2:00 to 7:00 p.m. at their lovely new home in Little Bay Shores. Mrs. Bachman and her sister, Miss Winona McFall, greeted the guests and showed them the home, including a patio. A large arrangement of flame gladioli served as a contrast to the shades of green which were the setting for the living room-dining room and potted plants in attractive containers also furnished a decorative note for the rooms. The lace laid tea table had an arrangement of white carnations and alternating at the silver coffee service and the punch bowl were Mrs. Fred Brundrett, Mrs. S. F. Jackson, Mrs. Annie Simpson and Mrs. Fred Marklin of Houston and Mrs. Huber Thornton of Corpus Christi. Mrs. James G. Hooper was in charge of the guest register.

TEXAS IN REVIEW

How a typical minister goes about his work will be featured next week on The Humble Company's TV program, Texas in Review. Shown will be Dr. John F. Anderson, Jr., of the First Presbyterian Church, Dallas, as he performs his duties including writing a weekly newspaper column, preparing a radio broadcast, meeting with church officials and visiting the sick.

Vacation time is here and Texans will be interested in the feature showing the vacation spots in the Highland Lakes area of Texas near Austin.

And from Corpus Christi will come films of the state Teen-Age Road-e-o. In this contest youngsters show their skill at driving.

Tuesday, June 26, Texas in Review can be seen over KRIS-TV, Corpus Christi, 8:30 p.m.

Miss Blue Schleider of Tivoli is visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Atwood.

Misses Bracht Entertain Sisters

Misses Genevieve and Mabel Bracht entertained their sisters, Mrs. A. E. Sparks of Corpus Christi and Mrs. W. H. Woellert of Poth, with a bridge party Saturday night at their home. High was won by Mrs. C. H. Whiteley; low, Mrs. A. R. Curry, and the surprise game was won by Mrs. Charles Picton.

Guests included Mesdames Fred Bracht, Travis Johnson, Charles Picton, Templeton, A. B. Vogt, Harry Traylor, Curtis Utz, C. O. Lutz, C. H. Whiteley, Arthur Bracht, Lois Rozzell, Arthur Curry, Charles Cleveland, Joe Sneed of Refugio, and the honorees, Mrs. Sparks and Mrs. Woellert.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Haney of Sepulveda, Calif., announce the birth of a daughter, June 9. The young lady, named Miki Lynn, weighed 7 pounds 2 ounces.

Visitors at the home of Mrs. Manch Brundrett over the weekend were: Mrs. George Sorenson and Mr. and Mrs. James Sledge and their four children, from Palacios; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kight, of Fallfurias; Mr. and Mrs. James Hill, of San Antonio; Miss Delyle Kroeger, of Salt Creek; and Mrs. O. H. Davenport, Houston.



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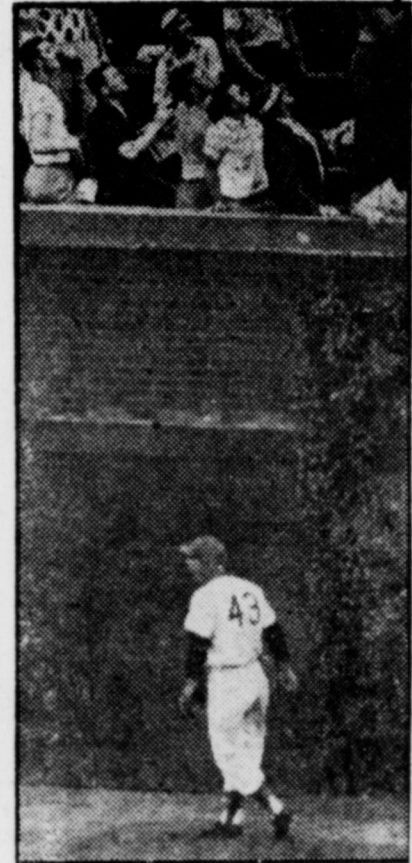
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A (YAWN) HOMER—Cubs' outfielder Walt Moryn walks disinterestedly away from the wall as a home run hit by Pittsburgh's Dale Long sails into the right field bleachers at Chicago. The fans are more concerned about it than the player.



TALL CORPORAL—Army's guided missile, "Corporal," dwarfs spectators at the recent International Air Show at Zurich, Switzerland, where this unusual high-angle shot of the lethal weapon was taken. Designed for use in the field, it can be equipped with either a conventional or atomic warhead. Corporal's effective range is said to far surpass that of conventional field artillery.

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Miss Nancy Embury, Henry Keller Honored

Mitchell Ammons honored Miss Nancy Embury and Henry J. Keller, Friday night. The event started with a swimming party at Oleander Court Pool, followed by a back yard wiener roast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Ammons. The entertainment then took the turn of a miscellaneous shower in a unique way as both the bride and the groom elect received gifts. Ten couples, friends of the honorees, were in attendance.

Mrs. Harry Mills and Miss Sally Warden were in Corpus Christi Saturday afternoon to meet Jimmy Mills who was returning from San Diego, Calif., where he had been receiving Marine reserve training for two weeks.

Aransas County Students at San Marcos

SAN MARCOS—Three Rockport students are enrolled for the first semester of summer school at Southwest Texas State College. Officials expect the total enrollment to reach 1500 by the time registration is complete.

Students from Aransas County include Mis Shirley Harrell and Russell Segler, Rockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bartlett and son, Ricky and Mr. and Mrs. Woods of San Antonio, were in Rockport during the weekend enjoying a fishing trip.

Chief and Mrs. Waylan Livingston and daughter, Cheryl Ann of Pettus, were guests during the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barrett.

Hunters Sue Doctors Who Plagued Rabbits

Paris — French hunters have filed a lawsuit against Dr. P. Armand-Delile. The doctor's property was plagued by rabbits, and to get rid of them he inoculated a pair with myxomatosis virus. Not only did it clear the rabbits off his farm, but the disease spread so fast it decimated the rabbit population of all France within a single hunting season.

JOLLY FISHERMEN

Fishermen are getting smarter all the time: They may not be catching any more fish, but at least they're making sure the long hours in the boat will be physically comfortable by adding such items as sun-tan lotion, bandages, eye drops, iodine and salt tablets to their tackle boxes. Also it's wise to take along a comfortable kapok cushion that can double as a life preserver.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Herring and daughters, Lydia Ann and Barbara Lynn of Corpus Christi, were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. C. Herring and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hinton.

Jimmy Mills, Martin Pena and Donnie Fields returned home by plane Saturday from San Diego, Calif., where they had been receiving their Marine reserve training for two weeks.

Mrs. J. R. Morgan of Hixon, Tenn., and her daughter, Mrs. Frank Allen of Detroit, Mich., are visiting in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Morgan and son, Michael.



WINGED LOOK—The classic suit takes wing this fall as German designer Heinz Oestergaard fits it with a pair of floating "wings" streaming from the waistline to the hem of the slim, tight skirt. The tailored suit, done in dark red flannel, is trimmed with dyed red persian lamb and matching hat.

Class Reunion Held At Goose Island Park

Goose Island State Park was the scene Sunday afternoon for the reunion of the Class of 1951 of Aransas County High School. Seventeen members of the class of 26 were present to enjoy the barbecue which was supervised by Bob Little. In addition to the barbecue, potato salad, beans, potato chips, pickles and cold drinks were served buffet style.

Reminiscing old times was enjoyed during the afternoon. Special tributes were made in memory of Mrs. Sandy Steele, class sponsor and John McBride, member of the class, who are deceased.

A short business meeting was held at which time it was agreed to meet again in five years. Mrs. John Gilmore, class treasurer, was again placed in charge of collections and keeping in touch with the members.

Members of the class attending were Bobby Little, Gene Sprinkle, Frank Garza, Urban Chupe, Berta Gene Shults Little, John Paul Reese, Jimmy Reid Simmons, Kathryn Atwood Gilmore, Steve Atwood, Mary Ann Close McNabb, Laverne Wright Blackburn, Richard Simpson, Joyce Townsend Ratliff, John Freeman of Austin, Max Keller of San Antonio, Betty Lou Garrett Livingston of Pettus, and Ruby Casey Simmons of Corpus Christi.

VACATION TIPS

Here's a tip for vacationing motorists: Put that glove compartment to work by turning it into a well-stocked first aid kit which should include such standard items as bandages, iodine, eye drops, aspirin and salt tablets. Each of these will play an important part in making the long drive to vacationland an enjoyable experience instead of a nightmare.

Miss Connie Sue Hunt of Corpus Christi has been visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith the past three weeks. Connie Sue has been attending Vacation Bible School at the First Presbyterian Church.

Miss Belle Geistman is visiting friends in Robstown.

Mrs. Joe Sneed of Refugio visited Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Charles Picton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dietrich of Seadrift visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koehler.

HAPPY DAYS

Personal safety is evidently becoming a matter of increasing importance to bathers and sun-worshippers, if the contents of milledy's beach bag are any indication. Along with the books, magazines and cigarettes, more and more women are smart enough to take along sun-tan lotions, eye drops, insect repellent and sun glasses to help insure a day of carefree relaxation.

Miss Margie Jarboe of Houston is visiting friends in Rockport during the summer.

Those from Rockport attending the Mires-Sloan wedding Saturday evening in Taft were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, Mrs. Manch Brundrett, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Brundrett and daughter, Billie Louise.

SLOW DOWN AND LIVE

"Arrive Alive—Slow down and Live!" That's the slogan of the current speed control program which the Texas Safety Association, the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council are sponsoring this month in cooperation with the "Slow Down and Live" program of the National Conference of State Safety Coordinators. It's also a pretty good maxim for any motorist to live by.

In commenting on the program, E. C. McFadden of Dallas, Vice-President of Employers Casualty Company and President of the Texas Safety Association, stressed the necessity of impressing the average driver with the importance of setting his speed to suit the prevailing conditions.

"Much has been said about the speed demon's role in the traffic accident toll, and rightly so," McFadden said. "But too many people lose sight of the fact that many drivers invite accidents by driving at speeds too fast for conditions, even though these speeds are far below what is thought of as 'burning up road'."

McFadden said the average driver should check constantly to see that his speed is safe for conditions of weather, traffic, road, the mechanical condition of his car, and his own physical and mental condition at the time.

"Much of the dangerous haste that involves ordinary drivers in traffic accidents comes from the too-prevalent habit of not allowing enough time for the daily schedule," he said. "Trying to make up a

Mail Thief Captured

ASHLAND, Va.—Postal Worker Ned Smith, Jr., captured and juggled a sneak thief caught tampering with the mail at the post-office. The sneak was a two-foot long black-snake slithering around in a carton of baby chicks. Smith plopped the snake into a glass jug after the chicks had chirped the alarm.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jones and family of Houma, La., arrived Friday night to spend their two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hayden.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kight of Falfurrias, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kell and family of Premont and Mr. and Mrs. Ingle Turner of Woodboro were weekend guests of Mrs. Manch Brundrett. While here they attended the wedding of Miss Patsy Jo Mires to Wally Sloan in Taft Saturday night.

few minutes in traffic can be deadly."

He pointed out that the driver who is obsessed with making time will not slow down for heavy traffic, slippery or rough roads, reduced visibility, fatigue or other physical disability. Moreover, his preoccupation with the time element impairs his judgment.

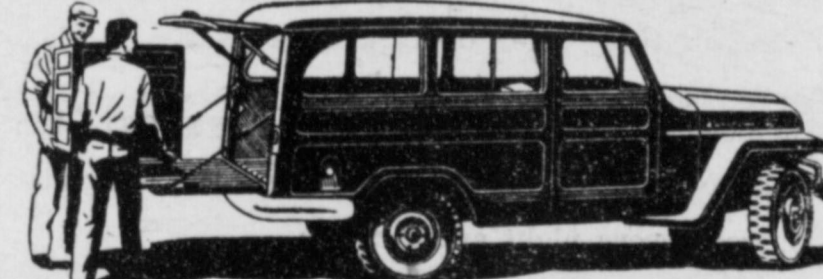
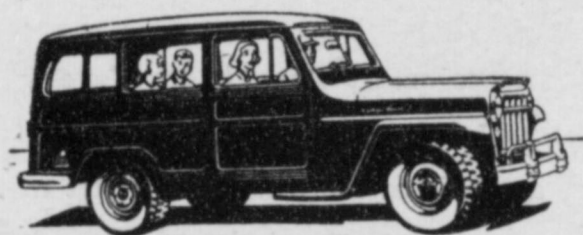
"My advice to drivers is to allow enough time to make the journey without pressure," McFadden said. "If you do happen to get a late start, don't try to make up time on the way. It's better to get there late than not at all!"

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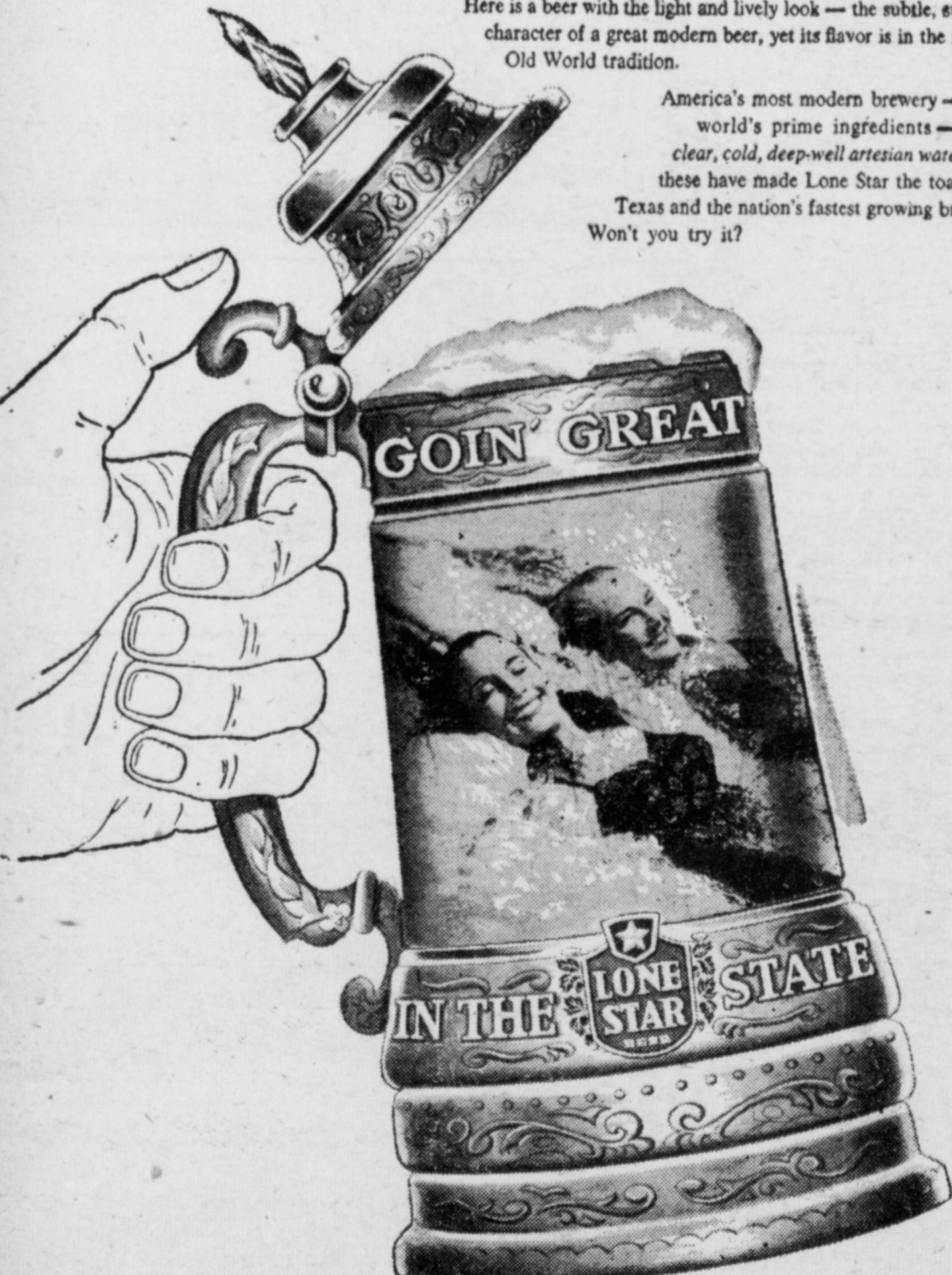
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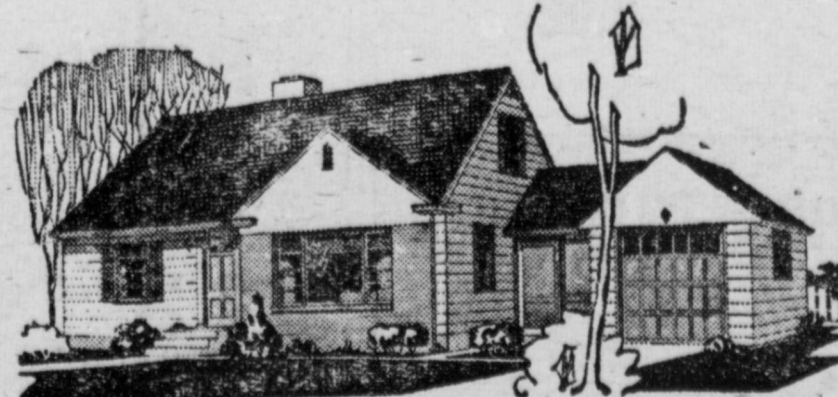
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Coast Guard, FCC, Urge Crackdown On Gulf Shrimpers for Radio Abuse

Both the U. S. Coast Guard and the Federal Communications Commission have been urging congress for funds to crack down on Gulf shrimpers who abuse the use of their ship-to-ship radios, and, from all indications, both organizations are fixing to get tough.

According to the Coast Guard Magazine, slated for this year are: Stricter FCC regulations; an extensive educational program sponsored by the Coast Guard, Coast Guard Auxiliary, and the FCC, and—it is expected—an extra dozen FCC law enforcement agents, who can make things mighty tough for the shrimper or pleasure boat operator not willing to obey the rules.

Misuse of these radios makes it difficult and sometimes impossible for a vessel in trouble to contact the Coast Guard, and for Coast Guardsmen to help somebody in

trouble. You can't start a search and rescue operation unless you know somebody is in trouble, and he can't tell you he's in trouble if some shrimper is using the distress frequency for a bull session.

For some reason, the South Atlantic and Gulf Coasts are the worst offenders, and in these areas shrimp boat radios have been labeled "the world's biggest party line." And sometimes selfish radio operators on these coasts are so completely hoggish that they refuse to get off the air so the Coast Guard can answer a distress call.

There are many cases like this on record, as all Coast Guardsmen know, and the service and the Communications Commission finally got their heads together and decided to do something about it. Tape recordings were made of a number of the worst cases, and

one, from the New Orleans area, was played for the Congressional Budget Committee, as an accompaniment of a request by the FCC for money to hire some extra air waves cops.

The Budget Bureau, always slow to give up a dollar, had asked why more cops were needed, and was answered with the tape. Officials sat speechless and almost unbelieving as they listened the voices of a Coast Guardsman and some unidentified civilian radio operator out in the Gulf. Coast Guard had received a distress call that was vague and garbled because the civilian was hogging the emergency frequency to talk to a friend. It was a matter of life and death, and the Coast Guardsman explained this patiently, at least three times, only to be told in no uncertain terms where he and the Coast Guard could go.

The Budget Bureau gave the cash the green light, and the request has also been approved by the House of Representatives. Approval is expected from the Senate and the President.

When final approval is given, agents hired will be sent to the South Atlantic and Gulf coasts, for all observers are agreed that the East and West Coast and the Great Lakes are "in pretty good shape," as a FCC spokesman said. However, he quickly added "the worst offenders are the Gulf Coast fishermen."

He emphasized that while most Gulf fishermen and pleasure boat operators are law-abiding, the ones that weren't had things in a terrific mess.

These selfish few jam the emer-

gency channels with non emergency chatter and monopolize the regular communications bands so that no one else can talk. Moreover, they use profane and indecent language—"some of the tapes we've got," said this same FCC official, "we can't even use, the language is so bad."

Many of the radios and operators are without a license, and lots of the sets are so souped up with additional power which is strictly unauthorized that they blanket weaker sets. This has gotten so bad, says the FCC, that Canada has protested to this U. S. because Canadian vessels operating in the Great Lakes were being drowned out by American fishing craft in the Gulf.

Misuse of ship-to-ship radios along the Gulf Coast has become a tremendous problem, and the Coast Guard and Federal Communications Commission are both doing all they can to solve it. When a violator is caught, he can be taken into the nearest U. S. District Court and fined if found guilty. Beyond that, both organizations say, it's largely a matter of educating ship owners and crews.

The FCC, according to an article in the U. S. Coast Guard magazine, has praised Coast Guard efforts in this direction, but the fact remains that, despite all past efforts, and despite probable addition of another dozen FCC enforcement agents, this year's headache shapes up as the worst yet.

To help cope with the turmoil, FCC has issued new and stricter rules. According to FCC agent N. A. Hallenstein, as quoted in the

magazine, here's the latest dope:

As now worded, Section 8.358 (a) of the rules authorizes only the following types of radio telephone communications on the intership channels:

1. Safety communications.
2. For all vessels, operational communications provided that they do not interfere with safety communications.
3. Commercial transport vessels and vessels of municipal or state governments may use these intership channels for ship business purposes as well as operational communications.

Definitions of these types of communications are given in Section 8.6 of the rules, and are as clear and concise as possible.

(a) Safety communications. The transmission or reception of distress, alarm, urgent, or safety signals, or any communication preceded by one of these signals or any form or radio communication which, if delayed in transmission or reception, may adversely affect the safety or life or property; and occasional test transmission and reception as necessary for determining whether or not the radio equipment is in good working condition for purposes of safety.

(m) Operational communication. Radio communication concerning the navigation, movement or management of a ship or ships.

(1) Navigation. This includes the piloting of a vessel.

(2) Movement. This includes information and necessary communications relative to where and when the boat or ship will move or be moved as, for instance, rendezvous at a port, basin, or marina, or for maneuvers during a cruise.

(3) Management. This includes the obtaining of necessary supplies for the ship, limited to immediate needs, and the scheduling of repairs or modifications.

(n) Business communication. Radio communication pertaining to economic, commercial or governmental matters related directly to the purpose for which the ship is being used.

FCC has had to proceed against various licenses of marine radio telephone stations and their operations for many and repeated infractions of the regulations. The Commission points out that one of the best ways to avoid this, if you own and operate such a radio, is to follow the Golden Rules of radio operating. In the order of their importance these are; 1. Listen, do not talk unless necessary. Restrict all transmissions to the type of message traffic authorized. Keep all communications short and to the point. Use proper operating procedures, especially 2182 kc. for listening and calling.

Watch your language; obscene, profane and indecent language are prohibited by the U. S. Criminal code.

Proper operating procedure is as follows:

1. Listen in on 2182 kilocycles, the calling and distress frequency, at all times, except when other channels are being used by you for communication.
2. If you hear another vessel calling you, or wish to call another, make the initial answer or call on 2182 kc., the calling frequency.
3. When communication has been established, change to a working frequency (2638 or 2738 kilocycles for intership communications in all areas except the Gulf, where they're 2638 and 2830 kilocycles, and the Great Lakes,

Rockport Is Speckled Trout Capital; Over 8,200 of These Salt Water Game Fish Captured Here During One Week

Rockport is the speckled trout capital of Texas, with sportsmen from all over the state coming here to fish for these salt water battlers which are so plentiful in the bays surrounding the city that over 8,200 were reported as caught in one week. And that's only part of the story, for in the last four weeks, one of which was so windy that fishing was badly curtailed, anglers have taken home 19,000 specks from Rockport, by actual count, not to mention hundreds of other fish like kings, gafftopsail catfish, red (or channel bass), mackerel, and kingfish.

And this is no fisherman's yarn. The fish were reported by charter boatmen to the Rockport Pilot's Waterfront column as follows:

For the week ending May 24, there were 5147 speckled trout or spotted weakfish caught, along with two ling or cabio that weighed 40 and 43 pounds, one bonito, 84 gafftops, 31 kingfish, one pompano, five redfish or channel bass, and 25 drum.

The following week, anglers didn't do quite so well, but they still caught a lot of assorted fish including 1833 specks, eight gafftops, nine reds, and a few more drum.

During the week ending June 7, a lot of the Rockport boats went to the Gulf for kingfish, and they brought back 144, which weighed close to 3/4 of a ton. Other anglers caught 3819 of the weakfish, if you dislike the term speckled trout, two blues, lots of skipjacks or ten-pounders, 15 reds, a dolphin, a dozen and a half drum, five flounder, six gafftops, and one devil ray, just to add to the excitement.

But it was the week following this one when specks, like June, began busting out all over. Anglers that reported their catch caught 8201 trout, and then topped them off with drum, dolphin, pompano, a ton of kingfish, some Spanish mackerel, more reds, and a few flounder, jack crevalle, gafftops, bonito and cabio.

Nor were the speckled trout little ones. There were plenty of

them that weighed two and three pounds, some that went five and six, and one buster that went over nine, which merely bears out the fact that there hasn't been a freeze on this coast in a long, long time—since the spring of 1951 to be accurate about it.

The trout hatched the following summer have been growing and spreading ever since, and a heck of a lot of them have come to Rockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Cavitt and son, Joe spent several days last week in San Antonio. Joe took the train there for Waco, where he is visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. John D. Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. Cavitt are leaving the latter part of this week for their home in McGregor. They have spent the last two years at Fulton Beach.

Burney Tedford of Corpus Christi, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Mundine and family.

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President Signs Law Affecting Party Boats

Already signed by President Eisenhower, the so-called "Marvel" law, which goes into effect in early 1957, will have far-reaching effects along the Texas coast, where party boats make a business of carrying groups of people fishing and for boat rides.

Sparked by the dissolution of the vessel Levin J. Marvel in a storm, with the loss of 14 lives, and the loss of 56 more lives when the Jack and the Pelican capsized off Long Island in 1951, the new law provides for Coast Guard inspection and regulation of all vessels carry-

ing seven or more passengers for hire.

Such craft can be of any size or shape, with any sort of motive power, but the controlling factor is the number of passengers carried.

As signed by the President, boats or vessels carrying less than that number are exempt from such controls, but the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries has specifically urged that "state and municipal governments should devote more attention to the adequacy of their own laws relating to motorboat inspection, particularly since small-boat operation probably represents the largest

segment of comparatively unregulated traffic in the country.

"In recent years," the committee report continued, "casualties on inspected vessels have been relatively minor compared with those on-uninspected vessels."

So there will be inspections—at least once every three years, and oftener if necessary. For each violation, a fine of \$1000 can be imposed on the boat owner.

MILLS WHARF TO APPEAR IN FORD MAGAZINE

Walter Boehnke, of Commercial Motors, here and in Aransas Pass, recently received a letter from Mary Kennedy, associate editor of the Ford Times, telling him that a painting and short description of Mills Wharf would appear in the September issue of the magazine.

The description given and the recipe that goes with it are as follows:

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IT'S NO YOLK—No joke at all, says Rickey Silvega, of Williamsport, Pa., who found this three-yolk fried egg on his breakfast plate one recent morning. A two-yolk egg is not too rare, but a three-yolker is something for chicken experts to cluck about.

Broiled Flounder

Take 4 medium size flounder (from 3/4 to 2 pounds) and cut a checker board design across each. Place flounder in buttered pan and spread butter on each fish. Season with salt, pepper, paprika and lemon juice. Broil 15-20 minutes until golden brown. Serve with green salad and French fried potatoes. Serves 4.

Shrimp Salad

1 pound bay shrimp, cooked and diced; 2 large stalks celery; 1 white onion, minced; 2 hard boiled eggs, diced; salt and pepper, to taste; 2 tablespoons lemon juice; 1/3 cup mayonnaise; 4 fresh tomatoes. Combine shrimp, celery, onions, egg, seasoning and mayonnaise. Quarter tomatoes and place each in lettuce bed. Then arrange salad on tomato. Makes 4 portions.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

ARANSAS COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT NO. 1 proposes to lease a portion of its property lying North and East of the Chamber of Commerce Building. The use of the area will be restricted to recreational facilities and no permanent buildings or facilities shall be permitted.

Interested parties are invited to inquire at the Harbormaster's office in Rockport, Texas, for a more definite description of the property to be leased and for other details. Parties desiring to lease the property shall submit written proposals, setting forth the use to which the property shall be put, the term of lease required, rough sketches of any buildings to be erected, the amount of consideration to be paid for the lease, and

any other details which should be brought to the attention of the Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners. Such proposals should be submitted to Aransas County Navigation District No. 1 before 12:00 Noon, June 28, 1956.

N. F. Jackson, Chairman, Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners, Aransas County Navigation District No. 1. c11

EDDIE MORRISON RETURNS WEDNESDAY

Eddie Morrison came home in an ambulance Wednesday, and will have to spend another four weeks in bed, his mother says, to recover from injuries received in a car accident two weeks ago.

Mrs. Morrison says that he can receive visitors, and hopes that his friends will drop in and see him.

CARL OSBORN OUT AND AROUND

Carl Osborn, injured two weeks ago in a Corpus Christi car accident, and operated on since that time, is up and around, and dropped into the Pilot Wednesday morning, for a few minutes to attend to a little business for the Lions and the Fire Department. He says that he hopes to be going again by the end of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory M. Spencer and family returned Friday, after a two weeks vacation in Florida.

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despite high winds and muddy waters, and Mike Brookmiller and party, Victoria, fishing with Harry Lee Mills, brought in only 25 trout and one rat red.

On Sunday Marvin Tyler, Eagle Lake, fished with Harry, and they came in with 87 specks, and two drum weighing 5 and 7 pounds. Herbert Dromgoole, also of Eagle Lake, went out with Herb and caught 99 fish; J. A. DeLoit, San Antonio, fishing with Jimmy, senagged 25 trout.

Monday, W. A. Whitley, Dallas, out with Mullet Gregory, strung 27 specks; but that was all, Mrs. Lawler said.

Tuesday, W. L. Dennis, of San Antonio, fished with Harry Mills, and brought in 29 trout and three gafftops; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coker, Houston, chalked up a score of 165 fish; and Chester Grubb and party, Houston, came in with 106 specks. One of these, a three-pounder was the prize of a nine-year-old boy.

Earle Thomas had L. J. Kates, J. A. DeLoit, E. B. Lofton, of San Antonio last Sunday, and the two strung 55 specks.

On Sunday, Hugh Morrison fished Mr. and Mrs. Culverhouse, of Waco. They strung 43 trout. Hugh's Wednesday party included Wallace Goodwin, of Dallas, and Henry Carter and B. W. Bennett, from Eastland County, who caught 55 fish.

Frazier Cantrell only had three parties, the high winds and rough water knocking him out of some that he had booked, as they did every charter boat man on the waterfront.

However, he did fish Dr. and Mrs. McWhorter of Taylor, on Thursday, and they caught 39. Monday he had Mrs. W. C. Hildebrand and sons, of Houston, who checked in with one jack crevalle and 39 trout. His Wednesday fishermen were Captain and Mrs. Alton Huseman, of Lawton, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Grothe, of 1819 Gardenia, Houston. The party brought in 84 specks.

Hu Johnson, on the Mary Lou, had A. Z. Lawson and party, San Antonio, on Thursday, and they caught 184 specks. The next day, Jolly and Bonita Herring, of Fort Worth, checked in with 184 trout; Saturday, E. J. Walker and son, Houston, fished with him and caught 133 fish.

On Sunday Hugh had C. F. Fleck and party, Taft, who strung 63 trout; Monday, J. W. Williamson and party, San Antonio, fished with him and caught 286 specks; Tuesday Leroy Anderson and wife, Fort Worth, brought in 46.

Floyd Smith fished Dr. C. W. Drechsel, of Fort Worth, Thursday, and they caught 47 trout; Friday the same fishermen caught only 20 specks. Saturday he had J. H. Dixon and Bus Jackson, of Houston, who strung only 6 fish, the weather was so bad; Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, he fished Pete Gibson and party of Hearne,

and in the three days they caught 189 speckled trout.

Curly Floyd said that H. A. Thompson, A. G. Zirkel, and A. G. Zirkel, Jr., all of San Antonio, caught 42 specks on Juneteenth, but had nothing else to report.

Willie Close, on the Missie III, fished Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lucas, and Bert Lucas III, of San Antonio, last Thursday and they caught 57 trout. He took the same party out again on Thursday and they caught 75. On Monday he had Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shannon, of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman D. Adams, Dallas, and they caught 40 trout in the evening. Wednesday he fished Joe Saunders, of Houston, and he strung 70 nice trout.

Ray Hopkins, on the India Lee, fished Freda and Jake Burnett last Thursday, along with W. I. and Estelle Gibson, all of Terrell, and Fred and Bob Heyser of Putnam, last Thursday, and said they got a lot of big gafftops and a few trout. Wednesday he had Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson, all of Big Springs, who caught 19 gafftops and 30 trout.

Bill Bardwell, of Rockport, said he caught five reds on Tuesday that dressed 13 pounds, and 15 trout that dressed 19 pounds and a half.

Mrs. Faucett at Rattlesnake Point said that fishing had been fair. Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Seidenglanz, Dallas, caught 11 trout. John Bandy, Odem, caught 27 pounds of fish that included two reds. Dwane Jackson, Corpus Christi, brought in five trout that averaged two pounds and one of 5 pounds, while Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bice, Luling, tallied with five big gafftops and an equal number of trout.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Neumeyer and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Owens of Hallettsville, caught 15 specks that averaged two and a half pounds each.

Sunday Jack O. Harrington and son, with C. C. Oliver and S. G. Carpenter, all of Plano, checked in with 20 trout; Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Boswell of Sweeney caught 19; and Hal C. Stevenson, Walter F. Travis, and Ray Grice, Houston, caught 14 specks.

Wednesday, R. C. Brandt, Cuero and S. G. Mueller, San Antonio, fishing together, caught a dozen specks, and another party, Clyde Trusty and J. V. Geren, Corpus Christi, and H. T. McClean and son of Lampasas, strung 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kennon, Granbury, caught four trout, one flounder and one drum.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Crain, Jr. and son, Glen, III and daughter, Suzanne, of McGregor were guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Volney Cavitt.

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WANTED: Baby sitting, day or night. Call 503. Mrs. Crist ctf

SINGER PORTABLE Sewing Machine. Brand new. Never used. Bought at Unclaimed Freight Sale. Will sacrifice for \$65 cash. Write to Don's Sewing Machine Co., P. O. Box 9022, Corpus Christi, Texas. ctf

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FOR SALE Two 3-room houses, \$3,000 ea. One 2-bedroom house, \$5,000. 2000 sq. ft. residence, Fulton. Small house to be moved. 960 ft. residence and rental unit. Rockport. Convenient to schools. One 3-room residence. Suitable for office or living. Downtown Rockport. Lots. ctf

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FOR SALE: Three room house on 140x50 foot lot, with four big oak trees, \$1750. See William Ish, across from Simmon's Courts. p11

First Church League (Continued from Page 1)

ed to the scorer prior to June 25. An entry fee must be paid to the treasurer before June 25. Each Church belonging to the Church League may have five (5) players on their respective roster or from a church that is not a member of the Church League. Under no circumstances shall a player that has his name on a Church League Roster in compliance with the above date transfer his name to another Church League Roster. Any Church League Member may start a game with no less than seven (7) players.

Time Schedules: All games will be played on Monday and Friday nights. The first game shall start at 7:00 and end at 8:30 (the little team). The second game shall start at 8:45 and end at 10:15 (the older or big team). Each team shall be allowed five (5) minutes infield warm up time. The game shall terminate at the above stipulated time upon the termination of the inning in progress.

Umpires: Each Church shall for each game furnish one (1) umpire.

Concessions: Each Church shall for each of its games be responsible for the taking care of the concessions of that game and the collection of the donations from the spectators for that game.

Register Deadline: There shall be no change in any Church League Roster after August 1.

PLAYING SCHEDULE June 25—Meth. vs. First Bapt. Presby. vs. Meth. July 29—Fulton Bapt. vs. Presby. Cath. vs. Fulton Bapt. July 2—Fulton Bapt. vs. Cath. Presby. vs. Fulton Bapt. July 6—Presby. vs. Meth. Cath. vs. Meth. July 9—Presby. vs. First Bapt. Presby. vs. Cath. July 13—Meth. vs. Cath. Meth. vs. Fulton Bapt. July 23—Meth. vs. Fulton Bapt. Presby. vs. Meth. July 27—First Bapt. vs. Cath. Fulton Bapt. vs. Cath. July 30—Cath. vs. Presby. Presby. vs. Fulton Bapt. Aug. 3—Fltn Bapt. vs First Bapt. Cath. vs. Meth. Aug. 6—Date for Rainouts and or All Star Game (Little Boys) Presby. vs. Cath. Aug. 10—Same as above for little boys. Meth. vs. Fulton Bapt.

Aransas County Bond Sales Are \$2114 In May

Sales of Series E government bonds in Aransas County amounted to \$2114 in May, according to Fred Bracht, local chairman. This is only 24.3% of the quota set for the county, despite the fact that the year is almost half over.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE One water front home and two 100 foot tracts on Aransas Bay, north of Rockport. Business locations on Highway 35. Motor hotel in Fulton. Water front tracts on Copano Bay. Water front tract near Goose Island. Modern residence and income apartment each two bedrooms on 100 foot lot in Fulton. Owner will take large modern trailer in trade. See us for Little Bay Shores Subdivision lots, where FHA and GI mortgage loans are available. We can arrange conventional mortgages for you on both commercial and residential property in this area. Excellent buy on two bedroom house, 125 foot frontage on Broadway Street, in Fulton, \$5,500.00. COCHRAN REALTY CO. On Hy 35, in Fulton Rockport Phone 6335, P. O. Box 1205 ctf

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FOR SALE: 17-jewel lady's Waltham wrist watch, \$20. See Lucy Davis at Roaten Drug. c11

CORPUS CHRISTI LITTLE THEATRE TO PRESENT 'SOLID GOLD CADILLAC'

The Little Theatre of Corpus Christi is presenting the Broadway comedy hit, "The Solid Gold Cadillac" by Howard Teichmann and George S. Kaufman at the air-conditioned Del Mar Auditorium on Thursday and Friday evenings, June 28 and 29. Curtain time is 8:30 p. m.

Tickets for the production may be had by mail order to the Little Theatre, P. O. Box 6034, Corpus Christi. Reserve seats are \$2 and include the first 15 rows. General admission includes the rest of the orchestra and the entire balcony is only \$1 per person.

THERE'S SOMETHING FISHY ABOUT THIS

The old question of "What's in a name" popped up here aboard the charter boat, Mary Lou, belonging to Hu Johnson.

One of his passengers, Mrs. Bonita Herring, of Fort Worth, and husband, Mr. Jolly Herring, caught a hundred and eighty four speckled trout.

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FOR SALE Furnished house with view of bay—has riparian rights. Large home on Highway 35, good business location. Lots in new addition—nice trees—terms. New 2-bedroom house, \$4,500.00. Two bedroom house, good location, has nice trees. Business lots on highway. Small furnished house to be moved. Can be sold with small down payment. Building downtown. Has good lease. Cafe business and fixtures. — Courts — Trailer Park. COPANO VILLAGE Cottage with view of bay. Waterfront lots with riparian rights.

FULTON 3 bedroom home, good location. Large furnished home. 2 bedroom house, Fulton Oaks—terms. Lots with trees. Courts, trailer park. MRS. R. B. SIPE Phone 803 ctf

FOR SALE: My 2 1/2 foot Gar Wood open launch with a 148 h.p. motor. One of the fastest boats in the area, \$600. John Keffer. ctf

SELL OR TRADE for Rockport property, 4329 acre ranch, improved, near Eagle Pass, Texas, \$24.25 per acre. 1104 acres, 263 irrigated, planted in alfalfa, \$67.93 per acre. 1544 acres, 252 irrigated, \$60.00 per acre. Terms. Three bargains. CHARLES OWENS REALTY CO. Fulton, Texas Phone 6334 ctf

FOR SALE: 18-foot cabin cruiser. Glass bottom, bait boxes, Compass and head. Excellent. Also 5 h.p. Johnson motor and TV antenna rotor. C. L. Utz, phone 6336. c11

FOR SALE: Factory new Dodges and Plymouths and Dodge trucks. Compare our prices before you buy. Dodges start at \$1,995.00, Plymouths at \$1,795.00. Factory service at home. Auto Service Co., Direct Factory Dealer. Phone 505. c12

LEON BARBER AT ITAZUKE AIRBASE

Itabuke Air Base, Japan.—Cpl. Leon W. Barber, 19, son of Mr. is a gunner in Battery D of the 2nd Mrs. Jim Barber, Rockport, 37th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion in Japan.

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