



**Along The Waterfront**  
Fishing has picked up again, and Mrs. Lawler over at Mills' Wharf reports:

Thursday: J. D. Petray, San Antonio, 147 trout.  
Friday: Lee Gollibart and party, of Houston, three boats, and the first caught 99, the second 114, and the third 118.  
Saturday: The same party had two boats, and the first caught 68 and the second one 56 Mr. Mansfield and party, of the Mansfield Lumber Co., San Antonio, caught 96.  
Sunday: W. F. Anderson, San Antonio, 53.  
Monday: We built duck blinds.  
Tuesday: We built duck blinds.  
Wednesday: Dr. and Mrs. Gillespie, Dallas, 110; John Clifton, Eagle Lake, 44; H. J. McClanahan, Houston, 64.

At Rattlesnake Point there were also a lot of fish caught during the past week, according to Mrs. Faucett's report:

Thursday: The Frisenhahn and Gemmler boys of San Antonio caught 26. Silvester and Onisry Niestroy and A. J. Kolokzie, of Floresville caught 125 trout, 3 drum and a red.  
Friday: W. T. Dotson, Dallas, caught 5 reds and 4 trout, and Mrs. Faucett said that the trout would average close to 5 pounds apiece. Earl Burke and Kenny Roethe, San Antonio, caught 118 trout. George Eckert, Bill Alder and Monroe Houser, San Antonio, caught 10 reds and 75 trout.  
Saturday: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson and Mrs. Waller, of Houston, 29 trout. Captain A. H. Burrow and W. R. Weir, San Antonio, caught 18 trout and 1 red. Abe Holland and party, Luling, 13 trout; Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bice, Luling, 10 trout; Joe Hoffman, Ed Roehm, Louis Nashlinger, and Pete and Rufus Becker, San Antonio, caught 145 trout.  
Tuesday: W. B. Storey and T. A. Lancaster, 18 trout; Raymond Boerger and Adolph Beyers, Seguin, 92 trout.

Frazier Cantrell reports various catches as follows: Mrs. Jean Davis and son, Houston, 24 trout; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stevenson, Fort Worth, 31 trout; D. Larson party, 22 trout and a 3-pound pompano on one day and the following day they caught 27 trout.  
The Dun and Bradstreet party caught 17 trout; M. H. Ogden, of Ohio and A. C. Jaeger, Austin, 41 trout; J. D. Faulk and Earl Lott, San Antonio, 146 trout; Mr. and Mrs. Max Bernard, Houston, 86 trout; G. M. Selzer and C. Creighton, La Grange, 43 trout; H. Weechite and H. M. Goodfactor, 73 trout.

Floyd Brown reports: Saturday and Sunday: Dr. Foster, San Antonio, 200 trout and reds, some of the reds running to 8 pounds.

Monday: Allen Klein and party got reds up to 8 pounds, as well as trout, drum and flounder in a mixed bag of 65 fish.

### There Are Plenty Of Rattlers Around

There have been lots of rattlers around recently. Delo Caspary killed one with 13 rattles the other day, and R. L. Wofford clobbered another that had 15 rattles. Chas. Ankele got one with 9 and a button over the weekend and Dale Barnard also killed one.

### TWO ROCKPORT MEN ON VICTORIA COLLEGE FOOTBALL SQUAD

Two Rockport men are on the Victoria College football squad, according to a lineup received here.

They are E. Z. Jones and Ernest Henry Cameh' Jones was a letterman last year.

### BANK CLOSED SATURDAY

The First National Bank will be closed all day Saturday, October 12, in observance of Columbus Day.

## Coring Crew Now Working In Little Bay to Determine Types of Bottom Soil

A Shilstone Testing Laboratory crew, from Corpus Christi, under direction of Leroy Shanks, moved into Little Bay on Wednesday morning to obtain a series of preliminary cores upon which future planning may be based, in case the Aransas County Navigation Board decides to develop the area for water sports and recreational values.

Both Shanks and Homer Innis, of Lockwood, Andrews and Newman, Corpus Christi consulting engineers, emphasized the fact that the cores, ranging from 10 to 20 feet in depth, and located from one end of the bay to the other, were nothing more than an indication of what to expect. "Certainly any plan which contemplates moving any great amount of material from the bottom of Little Bay and using it elsewhere in the area will require more extensive and careful coring than this, Innis and Shanks said.

"The present cores will be analyzed for soil types, and they may indicate that other such cores will be needed. In any event, the analyses will be turned over to the District's engineers to be evaluated from the standpoint of possible use."

"We need data of this kind badly," Innis said, "before any intelligent planning can be done. You just don't go out and start moving dirt these days without knowing everything you can about it. Dirt, in these times, is a building material, and if it can be confined, often it can be used in place of more expensive materials at a considerable saving."

The Navigation District spurred on by requests from various interested people throughout the community, at their last meeting authorized the coring, as a basis for further consideration of development of Little Bay for an added recreational, business and residential area, pointing out that only in this way would it be possible to add to the assessed valuation of the county.

### Workshop For Local Unit Leaders, TSTA Held At Kingsville

Two members of the Aransas County Local Unit of TSTA attended a workshop for the leaders of local units. Purpose of the meeting was to present problems from the local units for possible solving. Another purpose was to share ideas for programs, membership drives, public relations.

The legislative committee mentioned that the citizens of Texas should be informed of the work that the committee of 24 is to do (H.C.R. 105).

Mrs. Sadie Ray Powell, vice president, TSTA, San Antonio, Sam B. Culpepper, director of field service, Austin and E. L. Galyean, director of research records, TSTA of Austin served as consultants.

Miss Rose Mary Walthall and Chester Barre attended the workshop.

### Special Programs Held At Local Churches

World Communion Sunday, Oct. 6 was observed by several Rockport churches at the 11 a.m. services. At the Methodist church, in addition to the message by the pastor the Rev. Asa F. Avant, the service was marked by an anthem "Peace I Leave With You" directed by Mrs. E. F. Everett.

### FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR JOHN E. JOHNSON

Funeral services for John Edwin (Jeff) Johnson, 47, were held in the Cape-Marshall Chapel at 4 p.m. Monday.

Johnson, a lifetime resident of Rockport, died Saturday in a San Antonio hospital after a long illness. The Rev. Arnold Ward, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of which Johnson was a member, officiated. Burial was in Rockport cemetery.

Johnson is survived by his mother, Mrs. Georgia Hood of this city.

### Vandals With Guns Liable To State And Federal Fines

Vandals with guns, whether they are small boys with air rifles or larger ones with shotguns and rifles are liable to prosecution if caught firing any or them within the city limits, Sheriff A. C. Shivers said this morning.

Pointing out that senseless vandalism was on the increase, Sheriff Shivers said that it is against the state law for air rifles to be fired within the city limits and warned that any boy or other person caught doing so will be prosecuted.

Vandalism of this type is on the increase, The Pilot learned. Windows and street lights have been shot out around the Presbyterian church; glass that had to be replaced in the Scout Hut as the result of such shooting amounted to \$33; some months ago windows and screens at the Navigation District were damaged by boys with air rifles, and even mail boxes on the star route have been damaged, along with the mail inside, by some one with a gun.

Federal prosecution for such offenses is provided in the laws of the United States, and penalties for this can be exceedingly stiff, ranging from a large fine to imprisonment.

Nor are these the only acts of vandalism. Two small boys last week, without any regard for the rights of others, climbed around the memorial statue of St. Francis of Assisi in St. Peter's Episcopal church yard, breaking the wings from the ceramic bird held in the statue's left hand.

### Rockport Flying Club Slates Contest For Sunday

The Rockport Flying Club has scheduled a contest this coming Sunday afternoon that is open to all comers from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., according to Buster Coward, who has been working out arrangements with other members of the club.

Spot landings and bomb droppings will be features of the afternoon, with the bombs consisting of paper bags filled with flour or lime, and cash prizes will be given to the winners of the various categories.

### 5 Complete Red Cross Refresher Instruction

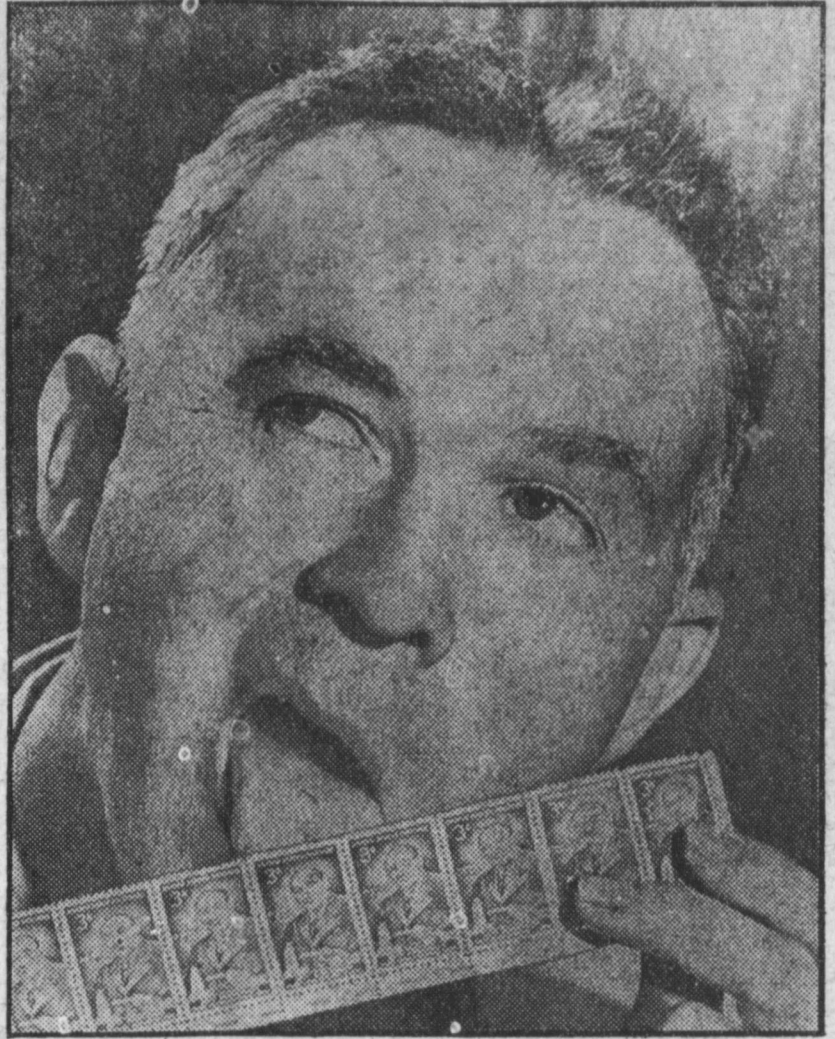
Five members of the Aransas County Emergency Corps have completed the refresher course in first aid and Red Cross water instruction taught by Cary Young of Corpus Christi.

They are Charles Ankele, Red Cross disaster and first aid chairman for the corps, J. P. Keith, Eiva Mullinax, Edric Deason and Verna Gray.

### MOTHERS' CLUB TO HOLD RUMMAGE SALE

The Altar Society and Sacred Heart Mothers' Club will have a rummage sale and sell cakes and pies on October 18 and 19 in the building formerly occupied by Kelly's IGA Store.

### Mr. and Mrs. Jay Easley and children of Victoria spent the weekend in Rockport with Mrs. G. H. Eller.



HE'LL LICK 'EM ALL—All such things as stamps, that is. Norman E. Foster, of Minneapolis, Minn., is a Pure Food and Drug Dept. man. He has to make sure everything meets the Department's standards, and so is tasting the glue on a new stamp issue.

### Rockport Lions Club Changes Meeting Day And Place

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Rockport Lions Club at the C. of C. building, Tuesday night it was decided to move the meeting place to Thompson's Spa and to change the meeting days to the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month.

The meeting time will remain from 12 noon to 1 p.m. This move was sanctioned by a poll of the majority of the members and was made necessary because the catering service of the Del Mar Grill wished to be released from their contract of serving the club at the Woman's Club building.

The next regular meeting will be at the Thompson's Spa, Thursday, October 17.

### Justice C. O. Bailey New Legion Head

Officers were elected at a meeting of the American Legion Post Monday night.

Justice of the Peace C. O. Bailey was named commander, succeeding W. L. Jones. Other new officers are Fred Procknow and Rudy Nava, first and second vice-commanders; Paul Villa, adjutant; Jack McCready, finance officer; Willie Solis, sergeant-at-arms; Birch Addington, service officer; and Blas Ramirez, chaplain.

### Fulton Lions Club Hold Meeting

The Fulton Lions Club had their regular dinner meeting Monday night.

J. Thomas Kelley, consulting engineer and Harry Ratliff, of McClung and Knickerbocker, investment securities, of Houston, talked to the club on the possibility of the formation of a water and sewer district. This was a continuation of a study that was started in January, on a possible sewer and water district.

### Rotary Club Meets

Arthur Bracht presented Jack McDavid and Walter Heldenfels, president and chairman of the Civic Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, on the Rotary program Wednesday and they discussed civic affairs that the Chamber has interested itself in.

### Band Boosters To Hold Meeting

The Band Boosters' Club will hold their regular monthly meeting next Monday, October 14, at 7 p.m. in the Band Hall.

There will be a 30-minute program given by the band, under the direction of band director Jerry Hoffman, followed by the business meeting.

All parents of the band students and those who are interested in the progress of the band are urged to attend this meeting.

### Rockport P-TA Schedules Father's Night, October 15

The Rockport Elementary P-TA will have a special Father's night meeting on October 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium.

The program will be a panel discussion with Rev. C. W. Brumley, Dr. H. F. Elliot, Mr. J. B. Jackson and Mr. Bill Clark taking part.

A social will be held after the meeting and all parents are urged to attend.

### LeBlanc Elected President Of Country Club

Directors of Live Oak Country Club met at Little Bob's in Aransas Pass Tuesday night to canvass the votes in the recent election for directors of the club.

Ed Barnard, of Rockport, Warren Howery and Cecil Miller of Aransas Pass were elected as the new directors.

### LeBlanc Elected President Of Country Club

Leonard LeBlanc, the other director from Rockport, was elected as president by the directors, who also selected Dr. Neil Kirkham, of Aransas Pass, as vice president and Wallace Witt, also of that city, was re-elected secretary.

### Woman's Club Plans Tourist Card Parties

The first of the afternoon card parties open to everyone will be held Monday, November 4, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and each Monday thereafter for the coming tourist season. Hostesses for the first party will be Mrs. Arthur Bracht, Mrs. Joe Sloum and Mrs. Robert Harrell.

### Presbyterians To Hold Family Night Supper

There will be a family night supper at the First Presbyterian Church at 6:30, on Wednesday, October 16, and this will be followed by a one-hour program in the sanctuary, using the theme "Christians are Citizens".

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## United Fund Still Short of Goal Set

**Board of Directors of the Organization Told That While Civic Clubs Promised Support In Beginning That Workers Were Very Scarce**

The Aransas County United Fund is less than two-thirds of the way to its goal of \$9,000 and has bogged down for lack of workers, it was learned at the regular meeting of the board of directors.

Mrs. Dean Steele, organization secretary, told the directors that while some workers on the drive had done the work of two and three people, that there were still eleven areas, representing about 140 or 150 families, that had not been canvassed.

Total cash and pledges to date, she said, amounted to \$5,058.82, leaving approximately \$4,000 yet to be collected.

Directors pointed out, in the discussion that followed, that while every civic organization and club in the county had pledged their fullest support at the time the fund was organized three years ago, many of them had apparently forgotten the promise, even though Mrs. Steele had contacted all of them before the drive which started on October 3.

Jack McDavid, chairman of the drive, said that in order to finish the work, at least eleven more workers, who could give a day's time, were badly needed, and suggested that any such workers call Mrs. Mary Juergens at the Chamber of Commerce.

An interesting point brought out in the discussion was that people who had moved here from other areas where the United Fund had long been an accepted thing were much more receptive to the idea than were many people who had lived here most of their lives and had never come in contact with community giving of this sort.

Mrs. Steele and Mr. McDavid were loud in their praise of those workers who had participated so far in the program and one organization that drew particular commendation for its excellent aid was the Girl Scouts. In contrast with this, a number of organizations who participate in the fund sent no workers at all.

Directors agreed to do everything they could to push the drive through to a successful conclusion, and decided to wait on nomination of officers for the coming year until a later date, after the work of the drive was completed.

### Pirates Tangle With Woodsboro On Friday Night

The ACHS Pirates and the Woodsboro Eagles will tangle Friday night in the Pirate's third game in the 31A conference.

The Eagles, who outgamed West Oso a week ago are light but very fast, a fact attested to by the fact that they ran 76 plays against the Bears, against a normal team's 60 during a game.

Their star is Darel Hartfiel, who, in the West Oso game, carried 22 times out of the 76 plays. Other than Hartfiel, the Eagles are a comparatively inexperienced club. However, their line moves fast and charges hard.

ACHS, which showed a lot more pep and go last week than they have in some time, is in pretty good shape, Coach Melvin Borchert says, with only two men banged up.

Jerry Payne, an end, sprained his ankle last Friday in the game with the Mathis eleven, and will only see limited service this coming Friday night. Victor Torres is another starter not expected to do much in this game, as he has a knee that has been slightly injured, and will probably spend most of the night on the bench.

However, taking everything into consideration Borchert said that the Pirates had had a very satisfactory week, and that they should give a good account of themselves when they make the trip to Woodsboro.

### Mrs. Martha Kennedy Passes Away Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Kennedy, 85, were held at 2 p.m., Tuesday, at the First Baptist Church, with the Reverend C. Wilson Brumley, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Kennedy died Monday in the home of her daughter, Miss Floy Lorena Kennedy after a long illness. She had lived in Rockport for 20 years and had been a member of the Baptist Church for 56 years.

She is survived by her daughter and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Mabel Kennedy Bryant, of this city.

Mrs. Kennedy married the late George Kennedy on November 28, 1894 and lived in Skidmore for many years before making her home here.

Burial was in Rockport cemetery with Cage-Marshall Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Simmon, visited with Mr. Simmon's mother, Mrs. Bertha Simmon, in Kingsville on Wednesday.

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11-12

## FRUITS and VEGETABLES

- New Crop Texas **YAMS** . . . . 2 Lbs 15c
- Large, Red, Ripe **TOMATOES** . . . . 2Lbs. 29c
- Jonathan **APPLES** . . . . 3 Lb. Bag 39c
- No. 1 Russet **POTATOES** . . . . 10 Lb. Bag 49c

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GET 1 CARTON 12 PACK

### COKE FREE

Plus Deposit

- Bama **Peach Preserves** 20-Oz. Glass 39c
- Skyway **Strawberry Preserves** 18-Oz. 37c
- Bar-T-Ranch, Spiced **Peaches** 2 1/2 Can 25c
- Hunt's **Purple Plums** 2 1/2 Can 25c
- First Choice **Pineapple Juice** 46-Oz. Can 24c
- Hunt's **Tomato Sauce** 3 Cans 25c
- Libby's Whole **Green Beans** 303 Can 22c
- Mixed Vegetables **Veg-All** 303 Can 16c
- Gladiola Flour** 5 Lbs. 47c

- SUGAR** 5 Lbs. 49c
- First Choice **OLEO** Lb. 20c
- LeGrande, Cream Style **CORN**, 303, 2 for 25c
- Brown Beauty, Reg. **BEANS**, 303, 2 For 25c
- Rose-Dale **Green Limas**, 303 16c
- First Choice **Blackeyes**, 300, 2 For 23c
- Delight **DOG FOOD** 3 For 25c
- Northern **NAPKINS**, 2 Ctns. 25c
- Northern **TISSUE** 3 Rolls 25c



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| Exchangeable Type <b>Nylon Mops</b> Each 89c        | <b>Clorox</b> 1/2-Gal. 31c                                    |
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- FRESH FINE COFFEE**
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RATH'S BLACKHAWK **BACON** Lb. 59c

CUDAHY REX **Franks**, Lb. 39c

Good Baby Beef **BONELESS BRISKET** lb. 49c

## FRYERS . . . . lb. 29c

Swift's **Brookfiela Sausage** lb. 59¢ | Cudahy **Polish Sausage** 3 Lb. Bag 99¢

Good Baby Beef **Chuck Roast** lb. 43¢

Good Baby Beef **Crown Roast** lb. 45¢



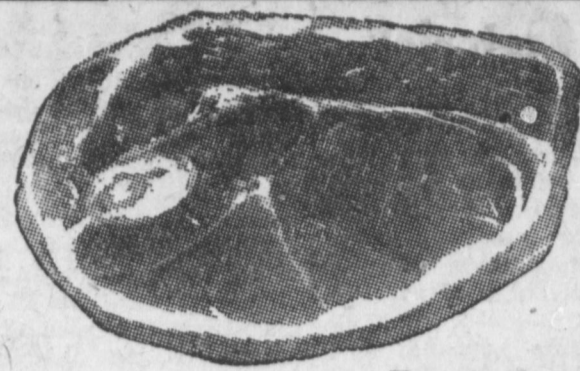
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## FROZEN FOODS

- Libby's **STRAWBERRIES** 10-Oz. 19c
- Libby's, Whole Kernel **CORN** 10-Oz. 15c
- Parker House or Cloverleaf **ROLLS** 2 Doz. 37c
- Harris Quality, All Flavors **ICE CREAM** 3 Quarts \$1.00

U. S. GOOD TENDER VEAL

# ROUND STEAK



Pound

# 69<sup>c</sup>

BOSTON BUTT

Pork Roast **49<sup>c</sup>**

WISCONSIN LONGHORN

Cheese lb. **49<sup>c</sup>**

SUN SPUN

BACON lb. **59<sup>c</sup>**

POUND

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11 & 12

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SWIFT'S PREMIUM CORN FED HEAVY BEEF

Chuck Roast **43<sup>c</sup>**

SWIFT'S BABY BEEF

LIVER lb. **29<sup>c</sup>**

SAMUELS' MOHAWK

HAMS Picnic lb. **35<sup>c</sup>**

U. S. GOOD TENDER VEAL

Rump Roast **59<sup>c</sup>**

SWIFT'S PREMIUM

Franks lb. **45<sup>c</sup>**

HEAVY BEEF

BRISKET lb. **35<sup>c</sup>**

3 POUND CAN

CRISCO **89<sup>c</sup>**

COFFEE, FOLGER'S . . . Lb. **89<sup>c</sup>**  
 COFFEE, MARYLAND CLUB Lb. **92<sup>c</sup>**  
 COFFEE, ADMIRATION . . Lb. **86<sup>c</sup>**

BORDEN'S OR FOREMOST

Mellorine <sup>1/2-Gal.</sup> **35<sup>c</sup>**



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**WEST'S**



*Fresh Vegetables*

No. 1 Russet  
**POTATOES**  
10 Lbs. **45<sup>c</sup>**

Fresh California  
**TOMATOES**  
Lb. **15<sup>c</sup>**

Fresh Yellow Banana  
**SQUASH**  
2 Lbs. **25<sup>c</sup>**

*Frozen Foods*

Spare Time  
**POT PIES**  
**19<sup>c</sup>**

Patio Mexican  
**DINNERS**  
**59<sup>c</sup>**

6-Oz. Treesweet  
**Orange Juice**  
2 For **27<sup>c</sup>**

Del Monte  
**Pineapple Juice, 46-Oz. Can 29<sup>c</sup>**

Del Monte  
**Fruit Cocktail 303 Can 21<sup>c</sup>**

Del Monte  
**Sliced Pineapple No. 2 Can 29<sup>c</sup>**

Del Monte, Cut  
**Green Beans 303 Size 21<sup>c</sup>**

Del Monte, Cream Style  
**Golden Corn 303 Size 16<sup>c</sup>**

Del Monte 303 Size  
**Sugar Peas 2 for 39<sup>c</sup>**

Bcma  
**Apple Jelly 20-Oz. Jar 29<sup>c</sup>**

Fideo  
**Vermicelli pkg. 7<sup>c</sup>**

Skinner's  
**Macaroni or Spaghetti, 2 for 25<sup>c</sup>**

**Pinto Beans 2 Lb. Bag 25<sup>c</sup>**

**TUNA, Star Kist 27<sup>c</sup>**

**MILK, Red & White 2 For 25<sup>c</sup>**

**MILK, Pet 3 For 39<sup>c</sup>**

1 1/2 Pound Box  
**Corn Meal, Quaker 2 For 35<sup>c</sup>**

Van Camp's 300 Size  
**PORK and BEANS 2 For 27<sup>c</sup>**

Red and White 12-Oz.  
**STRAWBERRY PRESERVES 25<sup>c</sup>**

Red and White No. 2 Can  
**GOLDEN HOMINY 2 For 23<sup>c</sup>**

Red and White 4-Oz. Car.  
**BLACK PEPPER 25<sup>c</sup>**

**SUGAR 5 Lb. Bag 49<sup>c</sup>**

Banner  
**MARGARINE Lb. 19<sup>c</sup>**

**KLEENEX 400 Count 25<sup>c</sup>**

**LUX SOAP 3 Reg. Bars 27<sup>c</sup>**

**NORTHERN TISSUE 3 For 25<sup>c</sup>**

Pecan Valley  
**CUT GREEN BEANS Can 10<sup>c</sup>**

Our Value  
**CORN, Cream Style Can 12<sup>c</sup>**

**PEAS, Our Value 2 For 25<sup>c</sup>**

**SPINACH, Del Monte 15<sup>c</sup>**

SUN SPUN  
**Salad Dressing**  
Quart Jar  
**43<sup>c</sup>**

GLADIOLA  
**FLOUR**  
5 Lb. Bag  
**45<sup>c</sup>**

### Famous Nature Writer, Wife Visiting Rockport On Trip to Gather Material

Edwin Way Teale, one of America's greatest nature writers, said here today that he intends to include Texas and the Coastal Bend in the fourth book of a series which was headed by his best-seller "North With The Spring."

"But if I don't get to it any faster than I did to the second book in the bunch, 'Autumn Across America,'" he said, "it may be some time before it comes out. I wrote the first in 1947, the second came out ten years later. The third, on summertime, I'm working on now, and if nothing goes wrong, I may get to the fourth, or at least to gathering material for it some time next year."

Teale and his wife, on the last leg of a 22,000 mile journey, expect to stay in Rockport two weeks, catching up on his notes; watching the hummingbird migration under the tutelage of Mrs. Jack Hagar, nationally known birdwoman; and maybe, if they have time, making a trip to the Waelder Wildlife Refuge, over at Sinton.

"We started last June," he said, "and by the time we get home, we'll have covered around thirty-five states. We began in New England; swung across the Great Lakes; and then down through Colorado, taking notes and pictures all the way. Now we've got to get home so I can start on this book."

Teale said that a trip of this sort is hard work.

"I start off by putting down under the heading of the various states that we intend to visit, everything that I can think of that we ought to see, and the times that they can be seen, if I know this. For instance, this year we were on the lookout for a vast hatch of mayflies on Lake Erie, and we hit it right on the button."

The mayflies, the author said, came out in such clouds that they blacked out the lights of a ferry he and his wife used to go to a small island where they could observe the hatch more closely, and there were so many of the insects that their crushed bodies made the deck planking greasy.

"Along the way," he continued, "I watched the ways that animals adapted themselves to the summer's heat. Out in the Western states, where there are lots of grasshoppers, you can see them on a hot day, lined up on the shady side of fence posts, dodging the heat as well as they can."

"I saw crickets in some places that seemed to walk on their toes, keeping their bodies as far away from the hot sand as they possibly could; and there are some grasshoppers that turn their bodies so as to take advantage of the sun. When the sun is just coming up, or in the early morning, they will swing sideways, so that they present as large a surface to the sun's rays as possible. Then, later on, as the sun gets hotter and hotter, they swing head on, so that they will absorb little heat."

And when Teales says that insects do this, he knows whereof he's talking. One of his first books, "Grassroot Jungles" is one of the most beautifully illustrated and interesting books ever to be published about insects. The photography, showing horrendous monsters, enlarged pictures of the common insects, is Teale's own, as are the illustrations in the rest of his books.

"Even the animals adapt themselves," the naturalist said. "Jackrabbits will lay down in the shadow of a fence post, and stretch themselves so that they remain in the shade."

As the Teales progress from spot to spot, he makes voluminous notes; because otherwise he knows that he would forget the sounds, colors and smells, and all the other things that go to make up Nature's procession during the year.

"If you have these," he said, "after you get in you can use them to reconstruct the places that you've been and the things that you've seen. I transcribe them every night, from little pocket notebooks in which I jot them down during the day. There are generally eight or ten pages every day, and by the time I'm ready to start writing I may have a half million words, and hundreds of pictures."

"All this has to be culled, and the text has to be written and re-written before it's ready. A lot of times things go pretty smoothly, and then, other times you strike a snag and you can work all day without accomplishing much."

"I once heard an author at one of these writers' conferences get up and tell the audience that whenever she sat down to write a spirit seemed to come along and guide her hand. She was a popular writer and had any number of books to her credit, but I felt like asking her what sort of a spirit used some of the swear words with which her fiction was liberally sprinkled, but I didn't."

"Most of the time, though, when the reader strikes a part in a book that flows along beautifully, he doesn't have to much concept of the amount of work that entered into it. Parts like that are sometimes the hardest to write."

Teale says that he has a filing cabinet with twenty seven drawers in it, and slots to hold cards on the front. In each drawer, which he labels, he dumps all the material for one chapter, and then when he gets ready for that chapter, having worked up his

### COMING EVENTS FOR MUSTANG SCOUT DISTRICT

A schedule of coming events for the Mustang District of the Boy Scouts of America has been announced by Claude Bosworth, District Chairman. Thursday, Oct. 10, 7:30 p.m. at the Parish Hall of the Catholic Church in Sinton is the last session of an Advanced Training Course for Cub Leaders of the District.

On Saturday, Oct. 12, 7:30 p.m., a District wide social for all Explorers of the District will be held at the Taft Scout Hut with Post 43 of Taft as the hosts for the affair.

Thursday, Oct. 17, 7:30 p.m. at the Sinton High School will be the regular Scouters night and roundtables for the month.

On Saturday, Oct. 19, 1:30 p.m. at the Sundeen school a council wide Cub leaders Pow Wow will be held with all cub packs taking part in the informal training program.

The annual fall Boy Scout campore will be held Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 26 and 27 at the Benson Nursery in Sinton. The campore will be under the direction of the Camping Committee of the District.

Monday, Nov. 4th, 7:00 p.m. at the Sinton Junior High Cafeteria is the date set for the annual dinner meeting of the Mustang district. Some 250 adult leaders and their wives are expected to attend the dinner meeting of the Mustang district. Some 250 adult leaders and their wives are expected to attend the dinner and installation of officers.

Bosworth urged all leaders to take advantage of the training opportunities and the other events being held.

### Rockport Makes A National Magazine Again

Rockport publicity has made a national magazine again, the second time within three months for this to happen.

In the October 1 issue of the Maritime Reporter, published in New York, there was a very complete writeup of the new boats ordered by the firm of Caspary and Wendell some time ago.

This is part of widespread coverage on this particular item, as stories on it appeared in the Houston Chronicle, the Houston Post, the Corpus Christi Caller-Times, the San Antonio Light, the San Antonio Express, the Beaumont Enterprise and the Port Arthur News, among the newspapers of state, and perhaps others, while two national magazines also carried the story, although in a more condensed form than the Maritime Reporter.

Offshore Magazine, published in New Orleans, La., and the magazine Offshore, published in Conroe, Texas, both of which have national circulations, gave space to the purchase made by the Rockport firm.

This makes the second time within three months that Rockport has been featured in these magazines, the first time occurring when Bagnaud's new boat, the Charlee B, made its trial run in July.

The publicity was sent out from here.

### Fire In Exa Givens' House Extinguished

A fire which broke out in the rear of Exa Givens' rent house Tuesday morning, was quickly extinguished by the fire department, after causing some damage.

Mrs. Dick Picton flew to Mexico City Saturday for a week's vacation.

notes, he has everything pretty easily accessible. Even so, there is a lot of work between that point and the final book.

One thing that he noticed on this trip was the difference in names out where the west begins from those back east. In New England, he says, early settlers, homesick for the England they had left, tacked English names on to everything. Then, as their children moved westward, they carried those English names with them.

Thus there are two or three vertical bands of town, river and lake names between the eastern seaboard and the Mississippi, all of English origin. But after you strike the west, he said, names begin to pick up a flavor all their own, and the towns may rejoice in cognomens like Dime Box and Muleshoe.

Starting when he was 42 to write, Teale has a dozen or more books to his credit, and is rapidly becoming the best loved nature writer in the United States. His books have been published in England, and have been translated to French, Spanish, Swedish, Finnish and Braille editions. He is a past president of the New York Entomological Society, a Fellow of the New York Academy of Sciences, and an Associate of the Royal Photographic Society.

Besides that, he's a whale of a nice fellow.

### Oregon Finds Tuna In the Caribbean

Exploratory shrimp trawling, tuna fishing and a searig for live bait were the objects of the 46th cruise of the Fish and Wildlife Service vessel, the Oregon, which has just returned to its base at Pascagoula, Miss.

Six long line sets for the tuna were made south of Cape Gracias a Dios, off the Hinduran coasts in the Caribbean. Two of them, made west and south of that pirate hangout, Old Providence Island, yielded no results, but four sets made off the coast of Panama and Costa Rica caught a total of eighty-one yellowfin tuna, at the rate of from 2.9 to 6 fish per hundred hooks, with the fish averaging 110 pounds in weight.

Seventy-two drags for shrimp were also made on the edge of the broad continental shelf that borders Honduras and Nicaragua, in depths of 100 to 550 fathoms.

Royal red shrimp were caught in small numbers over wide areas, in depths of 250 to 450 fathoms, but none of the catches exceeded 15 pounds on hour. Catches made beyond 400 fathoms showed small numbers of very large scarlet shrimp, running from four to ten to the pound. Fifteen drags made from ten to a hundred fathoms produced little results, and the bottom was foul.

Live boat for pole and line fishing was caught with a trap lift net at Old Providence Island, Cristobal Harbor, and Swan Island. Several schools of blackfin and skipjack tuna were seen, but efforts to catch them were unsuccessful.

### Rockport School Of Fine Arts To Show Paintings On Nov. 9

The Rockport School of Fine Arts will hold its first outdoor show on the grounds of the school on November 9, according to an announcement made today by Simon G. Michael, director of the school.

In previous years, Michael said, the shows have been held in the Woman's Club building, but the weather is so fine, and an outdoor show is of so much interest that it was decided to hold it under the great oak trees that grace the school site.

Over 200 landscapes, marines, still lifes, and figure paintings will be shown from the work of Michael's pupils the past year, the most extensive showing that the school has ever held.

Strings of lights will be looped through the trees, and the paintings will be hung outdoors in much the manner that the River Art Show at San Antonio is held.

The school, which is an extremely active one, is also the only art school in this part of the country, or in the United States, where the pupils have access to a boat, on which they can travel from location to location during the sessions of the summer school, seeking subjects to paint.

Michael started the school here not long after the close of the war, because of the varied range of subjects available for painting. The wide range of scenery around the city, as well as easy access to the shores of the Gulf are responsible for Rockport becoming an art center, Michael said.

An unusual feature of the school is the great amount of work turned out by students during the summer periods of two weeks each. In most classes, from four to six paintings would be considered adequate, but Michael's students are expected to produce 24 in the same period, one each evening and morning.

Michael feels that the first brilliant concept of a subject should be seized and conveyed to a canvas immediately. Details are filled in later. Consequently, anyone attending one of the sessions works hard and carries many canvasses. From the best of these, students chose the ones that they want to exhibit in the fall show.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Atchley and Mary Lou and Charles, of Kingsville, were in Rockport last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Quinby and two daughters of Houston, are vacationing at Palm Village for two weeks. Mrs. Quinby will be remembered as Miss Georgia Smith.



BY JOY HAMLIN

### Clubs Organized

Many school clubs held their first meetings Tuesday afternoon.

The F. H. A. Club met and discussed a style show for sometime this year. A committee was appointed to see about it. Those on the committee are Nell Mundine, Georgia Benningfield and Janice Bateman.

Also a committee was appointed to discuss and plan an initiation for the new F. H. A. members. Ann Williams is chairman of the committee and her helpers are Karen Casterline, Mary K. Hattenbach, Bennie Johnson and Joyce Warden.

The officers of the F. H. A. are as follows: President, Joyce Warden; Vice President, Georgia Benningfield; Secretary, Geraldine Wright; Treasurer, Nell Mundine; Parliamentarian, Grenda Mundine; Historian, Janice Bateman and Reporter, Barbara Wright.

The Curtain Club also held its first meeting of the school term. The Curtain Club members discussed plans for the annual variety show. The club will also sponsor school assemblies.

The officers elected for this year are: President, Barbara Schuster; Vice President, Betty Armstrong; Treasurer, Marilyn Morrison; Secretary, Mary Martha Shivers; Reporter, Maurine Davis and Historian, Linda Mills.

Assembly Held Tuesday  
In the Assembly Tuesday morning, Mr. Palmer, Game Warden showed us a film on "Safety" and talked to us for awhile.

It was a very interesting film and talk and everyone enjoyed it.

### Rev. Avant Addresses Church Convention

The Rev. Asa F. Avant spoke to the members of the commission on membership and evangelism of the Methodist Church Tuesday night.

H. A. McDonald has been named chairman of the commission, and other members include Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Boughton, E. T. White, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Glass, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Sanders, Mrs. I. E. Allemang and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tuer. Ex-officio members include LeRoy Young, Woody Hunt, Mrs. E. T. White, Jack Horton and Dick Weekley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Court, Jr. announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy Elizabeth to Frank Stovall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fabin Stovall, of Kankakee, Ill., on Nov. 1.

Mrs. Paul Reese returned home Thursday from Houma, La. where she had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John P. Reese. Mr. Reese has just recovered from a tonsillectomy.

Laymen's Sunday will be held at the First Presbyterian Church on October 13, with John Hill, of Victoria, acting as speaker for the occasion.

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### EPISCOPAL WOMEN NAME PRESIDENT

Mrs. J. P. Hanway has been elected president of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

Others include Mrs. S. C. Rozzell, vice president; Mrs. James Jarboe, secretary; and Mrs. M. W. Cochran, treasurer.

Mrs. Jarboe was in charge of the program and showed slides of the Wrangell Institute in Wrangell, Alaska, of particular interest to the members as the Auxiliary had adopted an Indian orphan at the school.

Coach and Mrs. Fred Blundell visited Coach and Mrs. Melvin Borchert over the past weekend, bringing their son, Robert Allen, with them. Blundell is teaching in the Bay City schools this year. While they were here a number of their friends called at the Borchert home to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Klolbas and family, of San Antonio, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Schaefer.

Visitors from Stewart-Wendell Post and Auxiliary who visited the Naval Base Hospital Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Brundrett and Ben Taylor, Mrs. J. J. Buckley also visited her husband, who is in the hospital.

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**COUNTY AGENT MEETS WITH LOCAL BOYS**

County Agent Dan Pawlik, of Sinton, met with a group of boys at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kinsel and organized a 4H Club.

The following officers were elected: Monte Rouquette, president; Bubba Armstrong, vice president; Alton Kinsel, secretary and John Cook, treasurer. Others present were Eddie Steele, John Hugenberg, Mrs. Seth Steele and Mrs. Monte Rouquette.

This group was organized too late to raise a calf for this year's show. There are many other smaller projects that are interesting.

The next meeting will be held October 16 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kinsel. Any boys interested in becoming 4H members are invited to attend.

**NOTICE**

The School Tax Office is no longer in the old building where it was for several years, but has been moved to the new building to the west of the old Rockport Elementary School building. To reach it, drive down the side street, and enter the covered walkway between the old and new buildings. The tax office is on the right. p28

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**WCS Holds Meeting Thursday, Oct. 3**

The general meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met last Thursday, Oct. 3 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon in Fellowship Hall. The executive board met prior to the general meeting with 7 members present.

Mrs. Avant opened the meeting with prayer and Mrs. C. H. Boggs presided at the business meeting in the absence of the president. The annual Mexican dinner was set for Nov. 14 with committees to be appointed later. All will participate in the sale of the Reader's Digest and renewal subscriptions.

The Week of Prayer and Self Denial will be observed Sunday, October 27 at the evening service with Mrs. Jack Horton as leader. A quiet day will be observed the following Wednesday all day. The sanctuary will be opened at 7 in the morning and will remain open all day. All members and friends are invited to stop some time during the day for a word of prayer.

Mrs. E. G. Cooke was leader of the program "Our Home Mission Centers and Race". The lesson was in the form of a panel discussion. Those participating were: Mrs. Curtis Harrist, Mrs. H. A. McDonald, Mrs. Asa Avant, Mrs. E. E. Anderson and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin. The meeting closed with the WCS benediction.

Hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. E. D. Boggs, Mrs. H. E. Wilson and Mrs. H. D. Wilson. The refreshment board carried out the Halloween theme with a cornucopia filled to overflowing with different fruit and small cornucopias with candy corn around over the table. Hot tea with ginger bread topped with a cream filling was served to 21 members.

**MISS NANCY COURT HONORED BY SHOWER**

Miss Nancy Court, bride-elect of Frank Stovall, was the guest of honor Saturday afternoon at a personal shower in the home of Mrs. Pat Gode. Co-hostess was Miss Davey Carol Brown.

The table was laid with a white cloth and had an arrangement of hibiscus.

Miss Brenda Mundine poured the punch and Miss Jeraldynne Wright served the cake.

The guest list included Mary Martha Shivers, Mary Lucille Jackson, Frances LeBlanc, Mrs. Clifford Cuss, Nell Mundine, Nina Ann Fields, Jeraldynne Wright, Maude Jarboe, Leonore Faber, Barbara O'Neal, Janice Bateman, Joy Hamblin, Brenda Peterman, Bonnie Johnson, Mrs. Roy Court, Pammie, Cindy and Roy.

**Presbyterian Men Hear M. B. Mullinax**

M. B. Mullinax, division supervisor for the Game and Fish Commission for the coastal area which extends from Matagorda to Riviera, spoke to the Presbyterian Men of the Church Thursday night. He explained his job, the new game and fish laws and answered questions.

Robert Little presided at the business meeting. The devotional was given by Jimmy Little. The group voted to sponsor curbing and sidewalks on the two sides of the building which face the street.

Hostesses for the dinner were Mrs. Earle Thomas, Mrs. G. L. Brundrett, Mrs. Herbert Mills and Mrs. Norvell F. Jackson.

**VFW Post Host At Barbecue**

Stewart-Wendell Post 3904 was host to the Bi-County Council VFW for a barbecue supper at the VFW Hall, Monday at 7:30 p.m.

Commander L. Hennessy of Mathis, who is also the sixth District commander was in charge.

Under consideration was a membership drive for a veterans' hospital in this area and an increase in pensions for World War I veterans.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Woodman are parents of a 6 pound 14 ounce baby girl, born Sept. 29. She has been named Laurie Beth.



The Rockport-Fulton Neighborhood Association will meet at the Chamber of Commerce building on Friday, October 11 at 1:30 p.m. All leaders, assistant leaders and committee members are urged to be present.

**Troop 43**

Troop 43 met at the Fulton School at 3:45 on October 7. A short business meeting was held. Our plans for the hike on Saturday, October 12 were completed. We will have this hike with Troop 50 and 58. After the meeting, we attended our first art lessons, given by Mr. Simon Michael.

Bobbie Taylor served refreshments at Mary's Malt to Mrs. McCord, the leader, Lynn Campbell, Sally McCord, Florence Casterline and Lydia Benavidez.

**Troops 50 and 53**

Troops 50 and 58 met at the Girl Scout Little House on Oct. 8. Chairman Pam Court called the meeting to order and asked the troop to repeat the Girl Scout Promise. Jeanie Diederich called the roll and Linda Eller collected the dues and gave the treasurer's report.

Plans were then made for a hike and cook-out on Saturday, October 12. The troop discussed what they were going to cook, appropriate dress and games they would play after reaching their destination. They plan to meet Troop 43 from Fulton at the Roadside Park.

The hostess, Linda Eller, served refreshments to their leader, Mrs. Jerald Brundrett, assistant leader, Mrs. Roy Court, Jr., Mrs. E. E. Miller, a guest and the scouts, Sherry Brundrett, Janis Clark, Jeanie Diederich, Pam Court, Lynn Hoehne, Mary Lou Johnson, Donna Lassiter, Lola Jean Lewis, Elizabeth Perez, Sue Taylor, Terrie Thomas, Donna Campbell, Sandra DeForest and Aurora Garcia.

A new Brownie troop under the leadership of Mrs. Jack Sparks, assisted by Mrs. Denver Mahon, met at the Girl Scout Little House on October 10 at 2:30 p.m. Games were played and the Hokey-Pokey was danced after a brief business meeting. Kay Sparks and Beverly Agler were hostesses and served refreshments to their guests, Mrs. T. E. Minyard, Mrs. Slim Haynes, leader, Mrs. Jack Sparks, and assistant leader Mrs. Denver Mahon, Nan Gibson, Sherry Lowe, Nancy Mahon, Carolyn Mayes, Brenda Jo Hoehne, Barbara Minyard, Denise Picton, Ann Smith, Pamela Turner, Pearl Merritt and Kay Bradshaw.

A new Brownie Troop in Fulton was organized on Monday, Oct. 7 at the Fulton Elementary School, with Mrs. F. L. McCord, the Troop organizer. Mrs. H. M. Oakman invited the third grade mothers.

**Well-Known Aransas Pass Man Passes Away**

Ted Bigelow, 55 a former city secretary and an employee for 15 years of the city of Aransas Pass died Wednesday morning after suffering a heart attack Tuesday.

Bigelow had been chief dispatcher for Aransas Pass for two years. He was a member of the First Methodist Church and a member of its official board, a member of Methodist Men, the volunteer fire department and of Masonic Lodge 1018. He had lived in Aransas Pass for 50 years. He was a graduate of the local high school and attended Texas A & I College.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Frances Ruth Bigelow of Aransas Pass; two daughters, Mrs. Lloyd Hagy and Mrs. E. J. Patin, both of Aransas Pass; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Bigelow of Aransas Pass; three brothers, Guy and Neal of Aransas Pass and Robert of Bruni, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Thursday at the First Methodist Church in Aransas Pass. The Rev. Gordon Birdwell of Louise, former pastor of the Aransas Pass church, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Dale Hasson. Burial was in Prairie View cemetery under direction of Cage-Marshall.

Pallbearers were Frank Belken, Emory Brown, F. N. Turnbough, Buster Soward, Cliff Cavitt and M. L. Shaw.

**MIKE MATERN HAS 7th BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Ralph Matern honored her son, Mike, with a birthday party Saturday morning from 9 to 11.

Eric Henderson won the balloon blowing contest and John McDavid won the double bubble blowing contest.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served to Craig and Scott Taylor, Eric and Patricia Henderson, Eddie Lee, Freddie Jackson, Sonny Harwick, Bobby and Johnny Jackson, John McDavid and Laurie Matern.

Mrs. Matern was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Leon Barber.

**O'NEAL CIRCLE HOLDS MEETING**

The O'Neal Circle of the WMS of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. John McLeister Tuesday morning at 9:30 with 6 members present for a business meeting.

Several phases of business were attended to as this was the first meeting of the circle for the new church year.

The following officers were appointed: Mrs. Lillie Calvert, circle chairman; Mrs. John McLeister, co-chairman and Mission Study chairman; Mrs. G. A. West, Prayer chairman; Mrs. Roy Mullinax, Stewardship chairman; Mrs. E. R. Crawford, Sr., Bible Study and Mrs. W. S. Sanders, Community Mission.

Plans were made. Mrs. Oakman will be the leader. The mothers attending were Mrs. J. H. Rains, Mrs. E. M. Huff, Mrs. Monte Rouquette and Mrs. L. C. Taylor.

**FIDELIS CLASS NAMES OFFICERS**

The Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Curtis Utz, to name the following officers for the coming year:

Mrs. Eva Lutz, president; Mrs. Viola Ferguson and Mrs. Amy Simons, vice presidents; Mrs. Clara Dervage, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Nora Casey, corresponding secretary and Mrs. Utz, teacher.

President Lutz asked the executive officers to meet at her home this next Saturday morning to complete plans for the year-book. There were 15 present.

Mrs. C. G. Roberts and daughters, Carol Ann and Robyn of Ft. Worth spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Faucett at Rattlesnake Point.

Mrs. J. H. Ayers of La Porte, is visiting relatives in Rockport this week. She was the former Lockey Belle Mundine.

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**WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS THURSDAY**

The Wesleyan Guild Service of the Methodist Church met Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Fellowship Hall with 10 members present and 4 guests, Mrs. E. D. Boggs, Mrs. John Haynes, Mrs. I. E. Alleman and Mrs. Asa Avant.

Mrs. J. P. Keith presided over the business meeting and Mrs. Edna Snyder gave the devotional. Mrs. L. W. Tuer and Mrs. Chester Barre showed a film and gave the first part of the study "Cross and Crisis in Japan."

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. J. P. Keith.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

James Richard (Rickey) Morrison was born on Thursday, Oct. 3, at the Methodist Hospital in Houston, weighing 7 pounds and 3 ounces. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morrison, whose new home address is 3320 Avenue P, Galveston, where Morrison has been promoted by the J. C. Penney Company.

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John M. Mathis, one of the biggest shippers from Indianola, but who resided in Rockport, enlisted the aid of Captain Charles Dean and the Morgan Steamship Lines to establish a cattle shipping point at Rockport. Sufficient deep water was found to accommodate cattle ships carrying three hundred head.

Under terms with the Morgan Line, a big wharf, pens, and facilities were constructed at Rockport and the Morgan steamers called at Rockport for cattle cargoes three times a week. This was in 1870, a few years before cattle driving on overland routes began. Mathis was joined in this venture by T. M. Coleman and G. W. Fulton and the company was known and became famous as the Coleman-Mathis-Fulton Pasture Company.

The plant was built on a rocky point, just east of the old Merchants' Square, later the site of the Del Mar Hotel, where, at present, the First National Bank of Rockport is building a new bank. The wharf ran for 1100 feet out in the bay and the structure was about 40 feet wide, and had a six foot chute on one side to drive the cattle from the pens to the ships, and space for two wagons abreast to haul freight.

A "T" head, 400 feet long, with two big warehouses to store cargo brought in by the steamers and destined for interior points.

Cattle were driven from as far away as West Texas to be shipped out by the Rockport company. About four miles west from Rockport the firm maintained a big pasture. The late S. B. Sorenson had charge of this unit. When ships arrived at Rockport, the cattle were driven from this pasture over the old Beef Road to the wharf. To this day, vestiges of this old road remain, and the late Captain C. O. Williams of Aransas Pass used to point out that the

biggest trees in Rockport are in the vicinity of this pasture — the manure of the cattle fertilized and enriched the soil and made the large growth possible.

The total number of cattle shipped annually amounted to about 50,000 head. The ships brought the money for the cattle on the return voyages, and it was a common sight to see kegs of money, like nails, sitting out on the wharf waiting to be picked up. In fact, the late Colonel James Fulton once said that the money kegs sometimes sat on the pier for several days until the rightful owner came by to pick them up.

But sometimes the opposite happened; once Cal Skidmore came by to pick up his money keg — but found only a freight bill because his cattle had failed to bring enough on the market.

Gambling dens flourished around this pier and plant. The most famous saloon was known as "The Finish," supposedly dubbed this because it had more than once finished up a cattleman's herds. Once, "Uncle" Meyers, the Methodist preacher went down to "The Finish" and told the boys he needed \$500 to complete his church. The boys promptly dug down and presented him with the amount. He thanked them, and invited them to hear his sermon—the saloon closed shop and everybody marched down to hear "Uncle" Meyers preach.

As was the inevitable conclusion, the overland trails meeting railroads at Abilene, Kansas, and other northern points soon made it unprofitable to ship cattle by boat. The big plant ended activities about 1888, ending one of the most colorful chapters in South Texas history.

### Methodist Youth Fellowship Meets

The Methodist Youth Fellowship held its regular meeting on last Sunday evening, and the program subject was "Getting Along With Myself". Sue Eller attended for the first time, and the fellowship was glad to have her.

The next meeting will be at the Methodist Church on Saturday, October 12, at 3:30 p.m. for a weiner roast, and from there will go to Goose Island State Park. Everyone is invited to bring someone.

### CARD OF THANKS

The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us as a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting acts. May God bless all of you.

Miss Floy L. Kennedy  
Mrs. Mabel K. Bryant

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The Methodist Committee on Membership and Evangelism, of which H. McDonald is chairman, met Tuesday night.

### Mrs. McNorton Entertains Circle

The home of Mrs. M. D. McNorton was the meeting place for the new enlistment circle of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church.

At this first meeting the Circle was organized and the following officers were named:

Chairman, Mrs. M. D. McNorton; Co-chairman, Mrs. Chas. Brisbin; Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bobby Landrum; Bible Study Chairman, Mrs. Mary Casey; Program Chairman, Mrs. Norman McLead; Mission Study Chairman, Mrs. Earl Brown; Enlistment Chairman, Mrs. L. R. Davenport; Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. R. W. Willis.

Also present were Mrs. Bill Clark and Mrs. Curtis Utz.

A devotion given by Mrs. Casey was on the "Field Is White Unto Harvest".

The next meeting will be Tuesday, October 15, at 10 a.m. at the church.

Mrs. McNorton served refreshments to Mesdames Curtis Utz, Loyce Landrum, Bill Clark, Mary Casey, Louise Brisbin, Georgia Davenport and Mrs. Willis.

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### DEFENDANTS IN THE HEREINAFTER STYLED AND NUMBERED CAUSE:

You, and each of you, are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas, to be held at the court house of said county in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, at or before 10:00 a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of Monday the 18th day of November, 1957, and answer the petition of CLYDE C. HAYDEN, Plaintiff in cause numbered 3290, styled CLYDE C. HAYDEN vs. JUDGE COMPANY, ET AL, filed in the District Court of Aransas County on the 30th day of September, 1957, wherein the said CLYDE C. HAYDEN is Plaintiff, and all the persons, firms and corporations above enumerated or identified, and to whom this citation is addressed, are Defendants; and the nature of which said suit is as follows: In Trespass to Try Title brought by said Plaintiff against all said Defendants, to recover the title to and possession of the following described tract of land in Aransas County, Texas, to-wit:

Being Lot Eight (8) in Block Thirteen (13) in the Doughty and Mathis Division in the City of Rockport, in Aransas County, Texas, according to the official Map or Plat thereof recorded in Volume E, pages 272-273 of the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas together with damages in the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00), for costs of suit, and for general relief, by which suit Plaintiff seeks to cut off all rights, titles, claims and interests of every character of all said Defendants in and to said land.

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

WITNESS Mrs. Jas. C. Herring, Clerk of the 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF said Court at Office in the City of Rockport, this 30th day of September, A. D. 1957.

MRS. JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk of the 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas.

By WEETHA B. JOHNSON, Deputy. Issued this 30th day of September, 1957.

MRS. JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk of the 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas.

By WRETHA B. JOHNSON, Deputy. c29

### WOOD STORKS DWINDLING, MAY SOON JOIN WHOOPERS

Wood storks, the only member of the family in America, are dwindling away, and Robert P. Allen, whooping crane expert and specialist in vanishing birds, has been assigned to discover the causes by the National Audubon Society.

Where once great flocks of them nested in Texas, Louisiana and Florida, today only scattered thousands remain.

Years ago, A. C. Bent, one of the great ornithologists of the U. S. National Museum, reported a colony of these birds nesting along the Guadalupe, yet Mrs. Jack Hagar, ornithologist of this city, says that in twenty years observation she has never seen or heard of a nest in this area.

Several years ago, before the ponds and lakes on Live Oak Peninsula were drained, a sizable flock of these storks used to use a pool near Highway 35, at the corner of the Aransas County Airport. That pool and the birds are no longer there, and Mrs. Hagar, when queried, said that only occasional birds, singly or in pairs, had come to her attention recently. These she had observed feeding in salt water, whereas normally most of the wood stork's food is found in freshwater swamps.

Allen, a frequent visitor to Rockport, particularly in the years when he was concerned with the whooping crane investigation, is now engaged in ferreting out the reasons for this decline in Texas, and elsewhere along the Gulf coast, where great flocks of thousands of these birds were found.

Where there were once fifteen or twenty active breeding colonies numbering untold thousands in Florida alone, they have been gradually disappearing, just as they did in Texas. Drainage, lumbering operations, farm and real estate developments, along with drought and other factors have combined to destroy safe nesting and feeding sites.

During the 1950's Allen says, these wood storks have been faced with increasing threats to their continued abundance. After complete and partial failures of nesting in 1951 and 1952, the three

### ROCKPORT DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

Thursday, Oct. 17, at 7:30 p.m. at the Woman's Club is Master Point night.

Visitors to Rockport are cordially invited by the Woman's Club to join in the bridge games which take place every Thursday night.

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Washington announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Faye, to Johnny Sapp, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sapp, of Houston. The young couple are planning a November wedding.

colonies that survived again abandoned their eggs in 1956 and 1957, and virtually no young wood storks have been raised in Florida since 1955.

During two years, Allen said, the wood storks, disturbed in their homes in Florida, have apparently tried to find some other place where conditions are more to their liking.

Many cooperators in the project noted unprecedented dispersals throughout the country. One invasion of this sort involved a flock of not less than 50,000 of the giant white birds which visited the Rockefeller Refuge in Louisiana a couple of years ago, and then disappeared. No flock of that size, or no comparable number of birds has ever been seen since in the United States.

Allen, with the help of Alexander Sprunt, Jr., is trying to find out what is happening to the wood stork.

No active nesting sites are known outside Florida, and the present status of the remaining Florida colonies is apparently uncertain. Numbers reported from Florida in the last few years only account for about a thousand birds, and, although Allen and Sprunt have been canvassing other areas, the great days of the wood stork in the United States seem to be over, and it may, as far as this country goes, soon be numbered with the bison and the passenger pigeon.

## Property Transfers

E. F. Couger et al to H. R. Merchant et al, Lot 9, Block 7, Fulton. M. F. Hoopes et al to R. J. Beaman trustee, parcel of land in W. M. Carper Survey.

C. T. Picton Lumber Co. to C. Nava et ux, part of Outlot 26, D&M.

H. E. Alekna et ux to A. H. Staffa et ux, Lot 1, Block 22, D&M.

H. E. Alekna et ux to O. H. Staffa et ux, Lot 9, Block 22, D&M.

E. Reininger et ux to N. D. Phillips et ux, Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, D&M.

B. P. Wagley et ux to Bobby Bell et ux, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 15, 16, Block 219, S&W.

A. M. James to C. A. Anderson, Sr., et ux, Lot 76, Old Tasselfoot. Little Bay Shores, Inc. to J. S. Dean, Jr., et ux, Lot 37, Tule No. 2.

H. E. Nichols et ux to W. H. Stanley et ux, Lots 16, 17, Block 8, Fulton Oaks.

J. H. Mills et ux to M. E. Fox et al, Lot 7, Mills.

B. P. Wagley et ux to H. R. Roensing et ux, Lots 3, 4, Block 128, S&W.

H. J. Lippert et ux to J. Rodriguez et ux, Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, Block 154, D&M.

T. McLelland to E. A. Brown, Lot 5, Block 99, D&M.

W. A. Henshaw to P. A. Henshaw, Lots 13, 15, Copano Village.

P. A. Henshaw to W. A. Henshaw, Lot 14, Copano Village.

B. J. Buchanan et ux to H. E. Collum et ux, Lots 15, 16, Block 113, S&W.

Celeste Low et vir to W. E. Fox, property in Cause 400, pages 328-9, Probate Minutes Refugio County. (vol V-3, page 554, No. 30976)

### Methodist Men Have Covered Dish Supper

The Methodist Men will hold a covered dish supper this evening at 7 p.m., and afterwards will see a film, "Dedicated Men". Speaker for the evening will be the Rev. Dale Hassen.

### Wesleyan Service Guild Sees Film

The Wesleyan Service Guild, at their regular meeting on Tuesday night, in their study of "Cross and Crisis in Japan" saw a film strip "From the Church at Nishio". The devotion was led by Mrs. Edna Snyder; leader of the discussion was Mrs. L. W. Tuer, and hostess for the occasion was Mrs. J. P. Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Herring and two little daughters, Lydia Ann and Barbara Lynn, of Corpus Christi were here over the weekend, visiting their great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hinton, of Austin, who were visiting at the Roy Hinton home.

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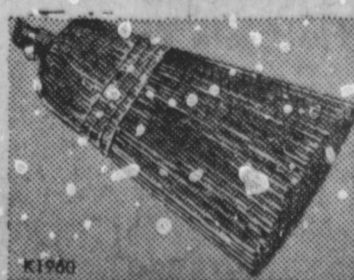
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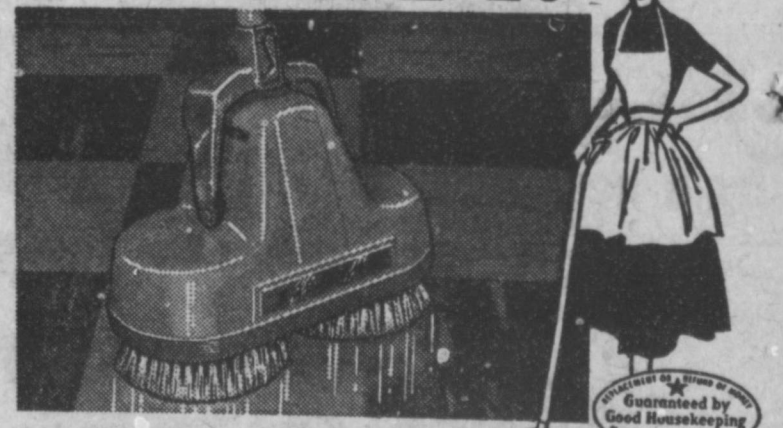
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## Fried Worms and Canned Rattlesnake Are Merely Conversation Pieces, Says Mrs. Sol Silverman, of the Del Mar

"Fried worms, canned rattlesnake meat and birds' nest soup are conversation pieces," said Mrs. Dorothy Silverman, of the Del Mar Grill.

"Fried grasshoppers and snails come in the same category. When I was managing imported food stores in Beaumont and Galveston we always had things like that in stock, but it was mainly for people who had so much that it was hard to know what to give them.

"We handled lots of other things, too, and you sure had to know about food and cooking, because hostesses were always trying to surprise their guests with exotic foods and drinks.

"After an affair like that, the women who had been there would all start calling me and describing this dish or that, wanting to know what was in them, and a lot of the time I could tell them.

"I've always had a sort of knack for taking a dish apart and being able to duplicate it."

There was a period in her life when she couldn't cook.

"When Sol and I got married," she chuckled, "I didn't know a thing about it, and there was one time when I got a bunch of crab meat and he told me just to let it alone, he'd eat it raw rather than trust me with it."

After that, cooking became a challenge, and the harder a thing was to make, the more it challenged her. French and Danish pastries from her talented hands melt in your mouth, and the things she can do to seafood are wonderful.

Her crab cakes, Baltimore style, are becoming more and more famous, with people coming from as far off as Austin and Houston to eat them, and to take them home frozen.

"I honestly can't tell you how to make them," Mrs. Silverman says.

"I tried to teach my daughter-

in-law and just couldn't do it. I cook with my hands and never use a recipe. When they feel right they are right, that's all I can tell you. I don't even taste them or measure the seasoning, and I reckon that's one reason why people that have tried to imitate them haven't had much luck."

The Silvermans, many years ago, came from Baltimore, where they had a hotel and restaurant where H. L. Mencken used to drop in daily, even having his own autographed beer stein back of the bar.

"One of the first things we noticed was the fact that hardly anyone did much with seafood. In Baltimore we had all sorts of fish, crabs, oysters and clams, and we cooked them in a lot of different ways. And we didn't boil or fry everything," Mrs. Silverman said.

"Take crabs. Everyone there liked them steamed, which is a way you never get them on this coast, and they sure are better that way. Here, about the only way you get them is boiled, stuffed, or as hot buttered crab meat, and up around Galveston they sometimes serve them barbecued.

"There are all sorts of ways to fix them besides that. Crab cakes like mine are made only in the area immediately around Baltimore, but we used to serve hard fried crabs, where you take a whole, boiled, stuffed crab and dip it in batter before frying it. Then there was crab soup, where you used the whole crab, baked crabs, and Imperial crabs. For those, you use only pure crab meat and a little seasoning, and put it in the shell and bake it."

There are just as many ways to serve shrimp, Mrs. Silverman says. They can be fried, steamed, stuffed, served as shrimp Creole, shrimp Neuberger (cooked in wine the way you do lobsters or crab meat), and au gratin. Then, too,

there are curreid shrimp with rice, and boiled shrimp with a whole batch of different kinds of sauces, including shrimp remoulade.

The Silvermans, who, as you have guessed, like seafoods themselves, have their big ice boxes at the Del Mar crammed with all sorts of exotic marine products.

There are huge shrimp, imported from India; there are chicken lobsters from Maine; tremendous king crabs from California; South African crawfish; Maryland oysters (when they can't get them from Texas); and soft-shelled crabs from Louisiana.

"It's funny," the lady said, "but you don't get many soft-shells in Texas and they're one of the finest seafoods there is. Only in some cosmopolitan city like Houston are they on the menus regularly, and it's the same way with oysters on the half shell when they're in season, but only a few places in Texas handle them."

Of course, if you don't like them that way, you can always make oyster stew the way it should be made.

"You just use gobs and gobs of butter," she continued, "and you ought to cook the oysters separately and slowly in their own juice. Then you add half and half milk and cream that has been heated but not allowed to boil."

Give Mrs. Silverman some seafood, a handful of herbs or two, and a little time, and she'll come up with a meal that will make your mouth water—gumbo, crab cakes, a salad of fresh lettuce with a dressing made of oil, vinegar and toasted sesame seed, really chilled, and a strawberry-filled meringue that's out of this world.

At least, that's our choice, but Sol, who's had more experience with her cooking, says that he'd rather start off with steamed crabs, then crab cakes, steamed shrimp broiled redfish, winding up with a little old chafing dish concoction that Dorothy whips up.

"There's really not much to it," she said. "Just some crab meat, rice, shrimp, herbs, butter, and anything else that's handy, but Sol likes it."

We'll bet he does. He ought to!

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### DISABLED WORKERS SHOULD APPLY FOR BENEFITS NOW

All workers who have been disabled for six months or longer should apply now to determine their rights under the disability provisions of the Social Security Act, says H. M. Cleveland, district manager of the Corpus Christi Social Security Administration. Beginning with the month of July, disability benefits are being paid to severely disabled workers between the ages of 50 and 65.

To be eligible under the social security disability provisions, an individual must meet certain work as well as medical requirements. He must (1) be so severely disabled that he cannot do any substantial gainful work, (2) have worked in 5 out of the 10 years before his disability began, and (3) have at least 1 1/2 years of work in covered employment out of the last 3 years just before he became disabled. Disabled workers under age 50 may qualify to "freeze" their social security earnings record and protect their rights to future insurance payments.

Disabled workers who have not yet applied for the disability benefits may be paid back to July of this year, if their applications filed before the end of December 1957 show that they meet the requirements, Cleveland said.

Persons in this area who are now severely disabled and who worked regularly in employment which is covered by the social security law before they became disabled should immediately get in touch with the Social Security Administration, 530 South Water St., Corpus Christi. Contact may be made in person, by letter, or by telephone. If you cannot go to the office, "the office will come to you," Cleveland concluded.

A booklet "If You Are Disabled" is available upon request. Just ask for Booklet No. 29.

### ADVANCED TRAINING COURSE FOR CUB LEADERS ANNOUNCED

An advanced training course for Cub Leaders of the Mustang Scout District has been announced by Joe Alle, Cub training chairman of the district. The first session will be held Thursday, Oct. 3 and will deal with the fundamentals of the "Den Meeting."

Additional sessions on the "Pack Meeting," "Pack Administration" and "Den Mother-Den Chief Relationships" will be held on Monday, Oct. 7 and Thursday, Oct. 10.

All sessions will begin at 7:30 p. m. and will be held at the parish hall of the Sacred Heart Church in Sinton. The parish hall is located one block from the city

limits of Sinton on the highway toward Taft.

Instructors for the course will be Ken Edwards of Sinton, Art Nelson and Olle, both of Refugio. The course is designed to give Cub leaders the necessary information for the successful administration of the Cubbing program.

All Den Mothers, Cubmasters,

and Assistants and Pack Committeemen are urged to attend the three sessions. Olle also announced that there would be a council-wide Cub Leaders Pow Wow at the Sundeen School on Saturday noon, Oct. 19.

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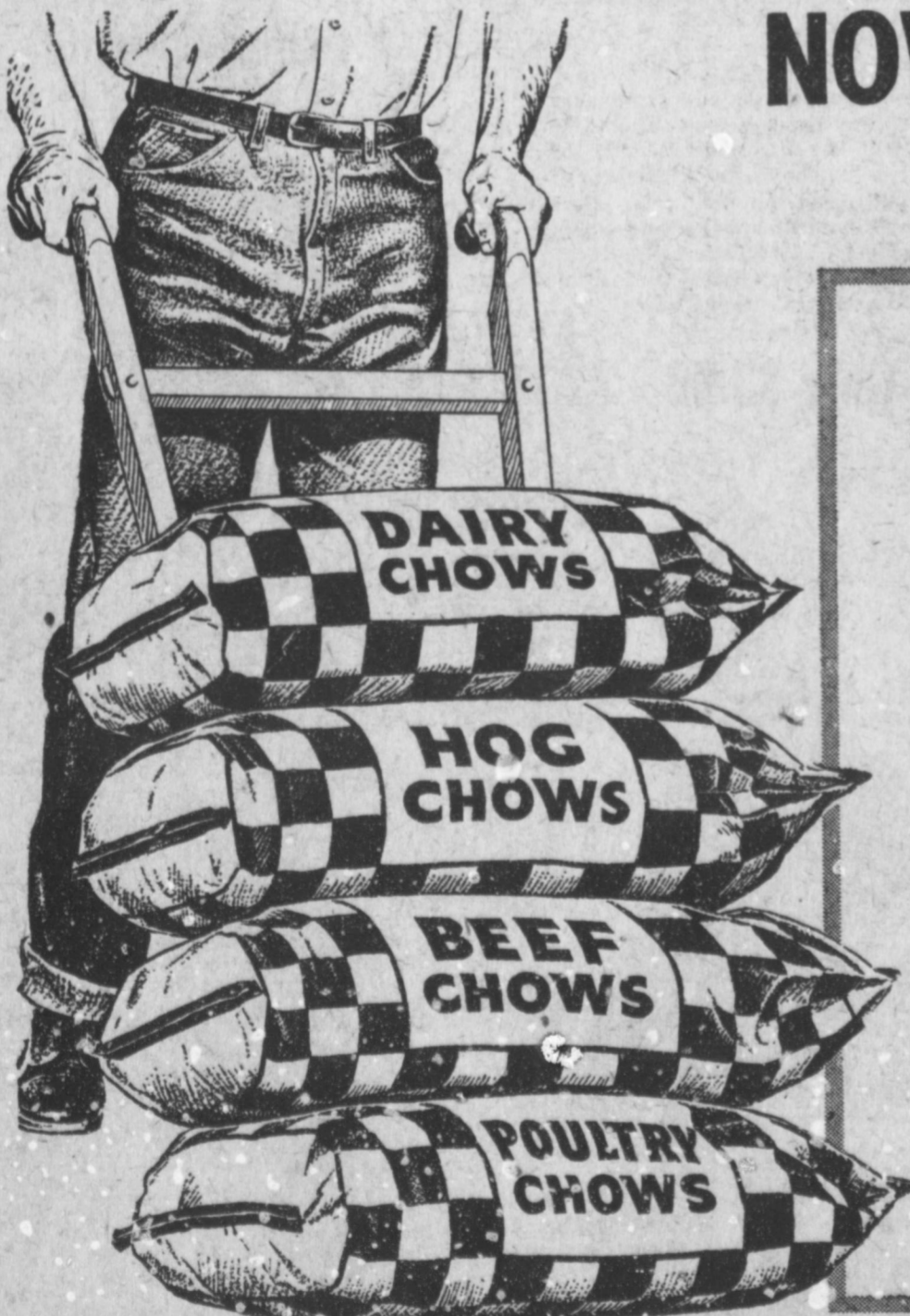
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# ACHS Pirates Win Over Mathis Friday Night, 27-6

A much improved Aransas County team turned in a fine performance last Friday night to win over a stubborn Mathis eleven by a score of 27-6.

Mathis kicked off and on the first play of the game, Cabaniss went around his own left end for 12 yards to the 40. On the next play, ACHS was penalized 15 yards for illegal use of the hands, yardage which it looked as though would be regained, as Adams chunked one to Cabaniss for 13 yards. However, passes to Mike Townsend and Rouquette were incomplete, and Satsky booted the ball down to the Mathis 32, where Rouse returned it for a yard before being clobbered. A play on which Rouse carried was penalized 5 yards for illegal use of the hands on offense. Then Coffin passed to Rivers, incomplete. A keeper by Coffin was clobbered with no gain, with Barnard, Close and Casterline making the tackle. On the next play, a pass by Coffin, Satsky intercepted, and ACHS took over on the Mathis 18-yard line.

An 18-yard run by C. Townsend over left end was called back and the ACHS team was penalized 15 yards for illegal use of the hands. Then Satsky clicked off a couple. C. Townsend made 6 more yards, with Stridde tackling him. Satsky made 7, and Townsend made 2 more, giving ACHS a first down on the Mathis 8. Cabaniss lost a couple, C. Townsend went through the line for 2 before Mengers and Allen tackled him. A jump pass, Adams to Rouquette was incomplete, and when he tried it again, Allen, the Mathis full-back intercepted it and set sail, although he didn't go far.

Running from their own 13, Mathis tried Rouse against the ACHS line without much luck, and was penalized to their own 1-foot line for illegal use of the hands on offense. On the next play Rouse booted the pigskin for 29 yards.

ACHS tried Satsky through the line, and he picked up 7 yards before Edmondson and Stridde tackled him. Then Cabaniss added the needed yardage for a first. London made the tackle for Mathis.

Adams kept on the first down and racked up 7 before he was spilted by Simpson, and on the second play, with C. Townsend carrying the ball ACHS was penalized 5 yards for offside. Satsky then carried for 3; a short pass to M. Townsend netted another 3, and Cabaniss made another, but the ball was fumbled and Mathis took over on their own 9.

Allen carried for 5 and was

tackled by Torres. Edmondson made 4, and was tackled by Weatherly, then ACHS was penalized for 5 yards for offside. The first down was the signal for a handoff to Edmondson, then the quarter was over.

On the first play of the second quarter, Coffin tried one to Riveria which went incomplete, but were penalized 15 yards for use of an ineligible receiver, and then had another 5 chalked up against them for offside before Rouse got off a booming kick that traveled out to the Mathis 47.

On the first down C. Townsend took off like he had wings, and made 24 yards before he was downed. On the next play Satsky took a pitch out and skirted his own right end for another 13, and ACHS was knocking at the door. C. Townsend carried for no yardage, and then Adams flipped one to M. Townsend who was in the end zone. Satsky converted, and the score was 7-0.

Satsky kicked off for the ACHS team, and Edmondson ran it back for 12 yards to the Mathis 37. On a pitch out, Rouse chalked up 3 yards, but the same play with Allen carrying wound up in a yard loss. Coffin the passed to Riveria, but it was knocked down, and then Rouse kicked to the ACHS 18, a high spiral that was one of the longest kicks made all night.

Satsky ran the kick back for 12 yards, and then Shivers skirted his own right end for 20 yards. On the next play, C. Townsend made 30 yards, putting the ball on the Mathis 20. Shivers pitched out to Cabaniss, who made 3 yards before he was tackled by Hall. C. Townsend made a couple, and then Cabaniss skirted his own left end, gaining fifteen yards, Shivers failed to gain, then Adams on a keeper, picked up 3 of the needed yards before C. Townsend finally bulldozed over the touchdown and Satsky kicked the point.

Rouse took Satsky's kickoff on the Mathis 19 and loped back for 25 yards before he was stopped. On the first play Coffin threw a pass to Hicks for 5 yards, then tried another one to Riveria that was incomplete. However, this didn't stop the Mathis team, for Coffin chunked another one for 25 yards into the waiting arms of Rouse, who went the remaining 30 yards standing up. The point after touchdown was missed.

ACHS had time for one play before the half ended.

The ACHS band, during the half time, put on a very fine exhibition of precision marching, and then the ACHS band, crippled as it was by many players being on the sick list, staged the ceremonies attendant upon the crowning of the band sweetheart, Robbie Bocquet, drum major.

Satsky kicked off at the opening of the second half, and Ed-

mondson ran the ball back for 20 yards, putting Mathis on their own 37 yard line for the first play in the third quarter. They advanced 8 yards when, on the third play, they fumbled and ACHS recovered.

C. Townsend made a yard; Adams to Cabaniss produced 2 more and then on a second Adams to Cabaniss pass, Cabaniss picked up 10 yards, being tackled on the Mathis 32. Cabaniss made 2 more on the next play; Shivers' pass to Cabaniss was incomplete; and then Adams to Cabaniss was good for 9 and another first down.

However, Adams, on the next play, fumbled, with Mathis recovering. A pitch out to Carroll netted short yardage for the Mathis team, although on the next play Coffin went around his own right end for 6 yards. Allen, Mathis fullback, tried the center without any luck and then Rouse kicked on fourth down, with ACHS taking over on the Mathis 47.

Satsky made 2; Cabaniss made 8 and a first down. Shivers handed off to Satsky, who made 5; C. Townsend made no yardage; Cabaniss made 3; and then Satsky picked up another 5.

Barnard made 1; then Shivers flipped a 6-yarder to Satsky over the left side of the line and Satsky went the remaining 13 yards standing up, and then kicked the point.

Satsky kicked off, and on the first play Coffin's pass to Allen was broken up by Adams. Another from Coffin to Rouse was incomplete, and then another Coffin to Rouse, was intercepted by Adams on the 50-yard line, and it was ACHS's ball. C. Townsend made 8 through the line before he was tackled by Stridde. On the next play, ACHS was penalized 5 yards for offside; then Townsend turned in 2 yards; another 5 yard penalty was assessed against ACHS and only Shivers 8 yard pass to M. Townsend pulled the fat out of the fire. On the next play Adams made three, and the quarter ended.

C. Townsend tried again, then Shivers flipped another pass to Satsky, who galloped 18 yards for another score. The point after was missed.

Satsky kicked off and Rouse returned for 12 yards. Coffin's pass to Riveria was broken up by Adams, and then the Mathis full-back passed again, this time to Allen, who racked up 8. The next play failed to gain, and Rouse kicked.

On the first play by ACHS, Barnard made 2. Adams to Pena on a jump pass netted 3; and then a handoff to Pena was good for 6 more. Kelly made 4 on one carry, and repeated with 16 yards more on the next. Kelly made 3 more, Barnard made nothing, and then a long pass by Adams was intercepted by Stridde of Mathis and the Mathis team took over on their own 20. A penalty against ACHS gave Mathis 5 yards and then Edmondson galloped 14 yards, racking up a first down.

Edmondson made 1; Rouse made 8; and an offside penalty against ACHS gave Mathis 5 and the needed yardage for a first down. Coffin passed to Riveria for 8; Edmondson made a yard before Close tackled him, and then came back for 2 more.

Allen made a yard and first down. Coffin passed to Rouse for 9 yards, and then heaved a long one down field that was intercepted by M. Townsend.

Adams made a yard, Barnard made 4; Kelly loped for 3, and then Adams to M. Townsend netted 2 yards and a first down. Pena made 8, and then on the next play a penalty was assessed against ACHS, Adams to Pena netted 6; Adams to Rouquette was incomplete, and then Satsky kicked, just at the end of the ball game.

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Benjamin Franklin was the first American ambassador to France. Henry Clay is credited with saying "I'd rather be right than president".

The flag of the 11 Confederate States of America was known as the "Stars and Bars".

Originally the dollar was subdivided into halves, dimes, and cents; there were no quarters.

Letter carriers' uniforms are a 50-50 blend of the Union Blue and Confederate Gray.

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Sunday Masses, 7 and 9; Holy Days same as Sundays; week-day Mass at 8; Friday night Novena devotions at 7:30; Confessions: Saturdays, Vigil before Holy Days and Thursdays before First Fridays, 4:30 to 6:00 and 7:30 to 8:30.

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Monday: 4 p.m. YWA. 7:30 p.m. BWC. Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. S.B. & W.M.S. 3:15 p.m. S.B. & W.M.S. 4:30 p.m. Int. G.A. Wednesday: 4:00 p.m. Jr. G.A.

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N. E. Hicks  
Bible class, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 10:50 a.m.; Sunday evening class, 6:30; Sunday evening worship, 7:30; Wednesday night service, 7:30; ladies Bible class, Thursday, 3:00 p.m. and men's Bible class at 7:30 p.m.

### FULTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Merriman  
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service, 11 a.m.; Training Union, 7 p.m.; evening service, 8 p.m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

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Rev. J. R. Fleming, Pastor  
Sunday school, 9:45; Preaching service, 11 o'clock; Evening Evangelistic service, 7:45; Week night service Thursday, 7:45 p.m.

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Sunday services, 11 a.m.; Wednesday evening service, 8:00. All are welcome.

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Aransas Pass  
Otto F. Marshall, Pastor  
Bible school, 9:45; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

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## Mrs. A. L. Bruhl Home Again From Arizona

Mrs. A. L. Bruhl returned to Rockport Monday from a trip to Tucson, Arizona, where she had been on business.

She left Corpus Christi at 8:45 last Thursday morning by plane, and was joined at San Antonio by her niece, Mrs. James Millar of San Antonio, and her nephews, Lawrence and Kenneth Bruhl of Llano.

They flew to Tucson by American Air Lines, arriving at 1 p.m. Thursday.

The party returned by car.

## HUMBLE BROADCASTS FOOTBALL GAMES THIS WEEKEND

A live telecast of the Texas-Oklahoma football game will highlight the Humble Company's coverage of Southwest Conference football this weekend. Kern Tips will be on hand to describe the action and Alec Chesser will tell about the colorful halftime and pre-game activities.

The telecast will begin at 1:45 p.m. (CST) Saturday over KRIS-TV, Corpus Christi.

In addition, there will be radio broadcasts of seven games being played in the Southwest.

The SMU-Missouri game Friday night will be broadcast from Dallas by Eddie Hill and Coit Butler. Radio time will be 7:45 p.m. (CST) over KRYX, Corpus Christi.

The Texas-Oklahoma game will be broadcast Saturday by Jim Wiggins and Stan McKenzie. Radio time will be 1:45 p.m. (CST) over KRYX, Corpus Christi.

The Texas A & M-University of Houston game will be broadcast Saturday from College Station by Eddie Barker and Dave Smith. Radio time will be 7:45 p.m. (CST) over KRYX, Corpus Christi.

The Baylor-Arkansas game will be broadcast from Waco by Dave Russell and Mike Mstovich. Broadcast time will be 7:45 p.m. (CST) over KMAC, San Antonio.

The Rice-Duke game will be broadcast Saturday from Houston by Bob Walker and John Smith. Broadcast time will be 7:45 p.m. (CST) over WOAI, San Antonio.

The TCU-Alabama game will be broadcast from Fort Worth on Saturday by Ves Box and Jake Dale. Broadcast time will be 7:45 p.m. (CST) over KENS, San Antonio.

## Mrs. Glenn Wendell Heads Fulton Unit

Mrs. Glenn Wendell was elected president of the Fulton Parent-Teacher Association at the meeting Thursday afternoon, and Mrs. Otis Rouquette, secretary.

Announcement was made of the Hallowe'en Carnival which will be held in the Fulton Elementary School building, Oct. 31.

Chairmen of the booths and concessions include Mrs. Everal West, Mrs. Volney Cavitt, Mrs. Robert Madden, Mrs. Prentice Owens, Mrs. Raymond Owens, Mrs. Otis Rouquette, Mrs. L. R. Davenport and Thomas Dannelly, school principal.

The affair will start at 6:30 p.m. with the parade of costumes and will be followed by the crowning of the Hallowe'en Queen.

## FOOTBALL IN REVIEW

Every Southwest Conference team will be seen in action next week on The Humble Company's "Football Review".

Highlighting the program will be Kern Tips colorful descriptions of key plays from the SMU-Missouri, Texas A & M-Houston, Baylor-Arkansas, Rice-Duks, TCU and Alabama and Texas-Okla. games.

Another feature on the program will tell the story of Coaches Darrell Royal of Texas and Jack Mitchell of Arkansas whose teams meet for the first time. Both were All-America players at Oklahoma.

Abe Martin will also tell about the TCU-Texas A & M game that A & M won in bad weather last season.

"Football Review" can be seen Monday, October 14 over KONO-TV, San Antonio, 9:30 p.m.

On Tuesday, October 15 over KRIS-TV, Corpus Christi, 7 p.m.

The National flower of the United States is the goldenrod.

Benjamin Franklin was the first Postmaster of the United States.

John Adams was the first U. S. ambassador to England.

## JAYCEE-ETTES HAVE MEETING

The Jaycee-ettes met Tuesday night at Brocato's Cafe. After eating at Brocato's, they went to the Chamber of Commerce, where Mrs. Mary Juergens spoke to them on beautification of the city.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. Cecil Cole, Mrs. Jimmy Little, Mrs. Tommy Blackwell, Mrs. Will Schuster, Mrs. Joe Pat Mills and Mrs. Melvin Borchert.

In the business meeting Mrs. Borchert was elected secretary.



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## Harbor City, Ghost Port of Texas, Had Quarantine Station Where Mrs. Weber And Milton Court Once Lived

Port Aransas — Harbor City, on Harbor Island, is one of the ghost ports of Texas where — in the days before the 1919 storm — oil tankers out of Tampico and Tuxpan came regularly to discharge cargoes of crude when this state had just begun to tap its petroleum reserves. At Harbor City they discharged their oil into great storage tanks, from whence it went to tank cars or barges for distribution to coastal and inland points.

There, too, came full-rigged ships fresh from Cape Horn voyages, and freighters from the far corners of the earth to take on fuel or cotton, for Harbor City was one of the important ports of Texas.

Forty years ago all traffic to Corpus Christi, Aransas Pass, Rockport, and Fulton came in through the jetties that protect Aransas Pass and render it navigable, then down Lydia Ann Channel and through the old Morris and Cummings cut to Corpus Christi, or across Aransas Bay to the other little harbors.

On the northeast corner of Harbor Island, the U. S. Public Health Service had a quarantine station. There was a residence for a physician; a pesthouse or hospital; a house for a boatman and his family; and docks and boats to make up a station as large as the lighthouse, before, in 1919, the great storm of that year swept the beach where the station stood as clean as a hound's tooth, and the facility was never rebuilt.

Deepening of Corpus Christi channel diverted most of the traffic, and almost twenty years ago the government wiped every trace of the station from its books by selling the 7-acre site, which lay about a mile or so north of the lighthouse.

The late Roy Court was in charge of the station's boat, the Mildred Collins, which was washed ashore in the storm, near the Heldenfels shipyard. Heldenfels bought the hull afterwards, and it is still one of their fleet.

Mrs. Court, her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Weber, and her son, Milton Court, all of whom still live in Rockport, and another brother, Maurice, who passed away some years ago, all lived on the island before 1919, although the rest of the Court children were born in Rockport.

"We had just moved to Rockport before the 1919 storm," Mrs.

Weber said, "so we could go to school. Daddy had bought a house here, and we had already moved off the island, he came over in the Mildred Collins and tied her to the wharf that used to run out in the bay about opposite where Sorenson's store still stands. She broke loose and washed ashore below town, just about where Johnson's Bait Stand is today.

"We weathered the storm on the island in 1916, though. We had started for Rockport when the storm hit, but the Mildred Collins broke her rudder after we got a ways down the channel, and we washed ashore again, and fought our way back to the quarantine station.

"We spent the night in our house there. All the buildings were up high, like the houses in New Orleans, and there were other people there, health officers and others.

"Daddy got a gold medal for heroism afterwards. All the big pilings and timbers that had been washed loose between us and the pass came down towards the buildings, and would have torn them down if it hadn't been for Daddy. Some of the people that were on the island that night recommended him, and he was awarded the medal.

"I don't remember all the doctors that were there, but there were Dr. Skilton and Dr. Ramsey. Dr. Ramsey was murdered over at Mathis after he left the quarantine service, by a man named Leahy. And then there was Dr. Skipper. He was there in 1919.

"After the storm they built a new boat — the Sea Parrot — but they never rebuilt the station."

Uncle Bob Mercer, at Aransas Pass, used to tell the story of an operation he helped Dr. Skipper to perform.

"The last time I went to the station," he said, "I was working on the Terminal Railway, and we had just gotten in a shipment of big cypress cross-ties that were to be used in capping the piling trestle.

"While we were unloading them, one of them fell on the toe of a big West Indian longshoreman, and another fellow and I put him in a boat and carried him to the quarantine station.

"Dr. Skipper decided that his toe would have to come off. The doctor didn't have anything to kill

### SCHOOL MENU

The following is the school menu at the High School for the week ending October 18:

Monday: Breaded veal cutlets, catsup, pork and beans, cabbage and raisin salad, bread, milk, Graham crackers and peanut butter.

Tuesday: Barbecued franks, seasoned spinach, buttered corn, bread, milk cherry cake squares.

Wednesday: Assorted cold cuts, macaroni salad, lettuce wedges, French dressing, bread, milk, sliced peaches.

Thursday: Chili with beans, whole new potatoes, pineapple ring with cottage cheese, bread milk, jello.

Friday: Fish sticks, catsup, macaroni and tomatoes, combination salad, beard, milk ice cream.

### RUTH BAPTIST CLASS INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

New officers were installed at the initial fall meeting of the Ruth Class of the First Baptist Church.

Included in the group, with Mrs. Tom Shults installing officer, were Mrs. Howard Lee, president; Mrs. W. E. Beasley and Mrs. F. C. Williams, vice presidents; Mrs. R. H. McHugh, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. J. J. DeForest, Mrs. C. C. Landgraf and Mrs. O. A. Carroll, group leaders.

### WCSO Study Course To Be Continued

The WCSO study course for women of the Methodist Church will be continued by Mrs. B. W. Hamblin at 7:30 this evening. The theme tonight will be "Christ, the Church and the Race".

### NOTICE

Aransas County Independent School District will receive sealed bids, addressed to Pat H. Greene, Superintendent, Rockport, Texas, and will sell to the highest bidder the following described property:

(1) Lots 3, 4, 13, 14, 15, 16 in Block 7, Smith and Wood subdivision of the City of Rockport.

(2) Two buildings on the Rockport Elementary campus known as the barracks building and annex; these two buildings to be removed from the school property.

Bids will be received until noon, Monday, November 11, 1957.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Signed:

SHELLEY P. ROATEN, Secretary, Board of Trustees, Aransas County Independent School Dist. c30

the pain, so he gave the longshoreman a plug of tobacco and laid him out on the operating table.

"The other fellow and I got a board and laid it across the patient's chest, and he sat on one end and I sat on the other and the doctor went to work.

"I never did see a man chew tobacco like that longshoreman. He was spitting tobacco juice in all directions and grunting in between times. But you had to take it in those days."

According to old residents, the quarantine station was originally built by the state, and on maps made 20 or 30 years ago it was shown and referred to as the state quarantine station, and they operated it until just after the first yellow fever epidemic in the United States, some time around the Spanish American War. After that, the U. S. Public Health Service staffed the station.

Cy Farley, of Aransas Pass, said that the doctor used to raise some of the finest watermelons and muskmelons on the island that were ever seen in this section. There seemed to be some peculiarity of the soil that made the melons thrive.

## Mrs. Fred Werhan Has Two of World's Rarest Shells

Mrs. Fred Werhan, of this city, is the envy of other shell collectors with whom she trades, for Fred is a shrimp boat captain as interested in her hobby as she is, always eager to bring her new or rare shells that his nets may scoop up.

As a result, she has approximately three hundred species in her collection from the Gulf of Mexico, including fourteen or fifteen that scientists had not suspected as living here, and about twice that number from California, the west coast of Mexico, the South Pacific and Australia.

And she's a little different than the average shell collector, because she definitely goes at the whole thing in a scientific manner. Not for her are the tactics of some collectors who gather the molluscs like pack rats decorating their nests.

Mrs. Werhan wants to know where the shell came from; how deep the water was; what other shells were taken in the same drag; what the date was; what kind of bottom it came from, and other data on which Fred keeps careful notes, in the intervals between drags.

"That's part of the fun," Mrs. Werhan says, "and it makes the shells ever so much more interesting when you find out everything you can about them. I get as much pleasure out of that as I do from the actual acquisition of the shell."

And when Fred comes in with his catch after a trip, all this data is transcribed to a series of note books under the number of that shell, for Mrs. Werhan numbers each one carefully in India ink, if it is to go into her collection, setting down the salient facts under that number, and identifying the shell.

Often, the identification runs into a lot of work. She uses text books prepared by scientists at the U. S. National Museum and Harvard, and with the majority of the Gulf of Mexico species she is fairly familiar and can go along rapidly, but every once in a while she comes up against a shell that stumps her. Then, if visiting scientists or collectors can't identify the mollusc beyond any shadow of a doubt, off it goes to Harvard or the Smithsonian, so that next time she finds a similar shell she'll know exactly what it is, and usually a whole lot about it.

Every shelf and table in the Werhan home is a repository for shells and still more shells, along with occasional pieces of coral and a few fossil teeth that she and Fred have picked up during their four years of shell collecting.

And among them she has two of the world's rarest shells, shells that were identified and named almost a hundred years ago, and then lost to scientists until recently.

One of these was named by a man named Sowerby, a famous conchologist of the last century, and the only other specimen reposed in a museum in Switzerland.

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Mrs. Pat Smith was honoree for a pink and blue shower Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Jr. Cohostesses were Mrs. Chester C. Barre, Mrs. Dave Segler and Mrs. Philip Baldwin.

The gifts were presented from a small crib, guarded by King Baby, a baby doll with crown and scepter. The lace covered tea table had for a centerpiece an arrangement of hibiscus in shades of pink.

Mrs. Jimmy Little, Mrs. Robert Little and Mrs. Jimmy Sparks served.

Daniel Good returned home on a 30 day leave from duty at Long Beach, Calif. He is visiting his wife and son at Fulton.

through a chain of circumstances strange enough to make a mystery novel.

In the nineteenth century and earlier, it was the custom for rich men and dilettantes to form cabinets of natural history, in which they endeavored to outshine their fellows by the number, variety, and rarity of the specimens displayed therein.

When Napoleon was thundering through Europe, one of his generals became wealthy enough to assemble one of these cabinets. And because of his position, sycophants saw to it that he obtained rare shells, bird skins, and similar articles from Europe's outlying colonies.

In a shipment that arrived from Martinique there was a shell with brown spots on a cream-colored background that scientists of the day named Scaphella kieneri, and that was the only one of its kind known to the world.

When Napoleon was sent to Elba and his generals dispersed or killed, the natural history collection of this particular one was acquired by the Swiss museum already mentioned. The shell lay there for almost a hundred years before a shrimp boat captain in the Gulf of Mexico, brought up another in his net. So far was it from where the other had been found, and so much like another rare volute known as Junonia, that it was some time before scientists at Harvard actually confirmed its identification as kieneri.

Mrs. Werhan has two of these, one from the waters off Texas and another from the Campeche Banks.

## The Church of Christ What It Teaches

The Church of Christ is neither Jewish, Protestant, nor Catholic; but is composed of all those who have obeyed the Gospel of Christ, whether Jew or Gentile. For the Lord adds to the church daily such as should be saved. (Acts 2:47).

Protestantism had its organized existence from the sixteenth century, and is composed of many, and varied denominations. But a denominator only denotes into how many parts a thing is divided; hence denominations could not be the church of Christ; for obviously the Lord's church is composed of all the saved, and not a part.

Moreover, the Lord prayed that His people should all be one as He and the Father are one. (Jno. 17:20,21). Also the Apostle Paul rebuked the church at Corinth for being divided up into sects.

Now listen to him. "Now I beseech you brethren by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you; but that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment.

For it hath been declared unto me of you, my brethren, by them which are of the house of Chloe, that there are contentions among you. Now this I say that everyone of you saith, I am of Paul; and I of Apollos; and I of Cephas; and I of Christ. Is Christ divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were ye baptized in the name of Paul? (I Cor. 1:10-13).

Hence religious division is wrong and sinful. But neither is the church of Christ Catholic in the commonly accepted sense, for there is but one head of the church, and that is Christ. (Col. 1:18). Paul says that Christ is the head of the church, the body. (Eph. 1:22,23)

Hence the church of Christ does not have one head in heaven, and some man for its head on earth; anything with two or more heads would be a monstrosity. In the beginning all churches were churches of Christ. (Rom. 16:16).

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**LAW AWAY NOW** XMAS toys, coats, sweaters, skirts, men's work clothes at Bargain Spot, Hackberry at Young. p27

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Atwood and their twin daughters, Tedda Ann and Karen Gay, of Corpus Christi, visited with the Ted Atwoods over the weekend.

E. C. Ricks, former resident of this city, is still seriously ill in NAS Hospital at Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore E. Giese have recently become members of the First Presbyterian Church.

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## El Copano Most Famous of Ghost Towns Along the Texas Coast Is Least Known

Most famous of the ghost towns along the Texas coast, El Copano, located on the northern shore of the bay after which it was named, is among the least known today, its mouldering ruins overgrown with brush and cactus.

A couple of old cisterns and the remains of a wall here and there are all that mark what was once a Mexican customs house, a way station on the way to Refugio Mission, and one of the principal ports of Texas.

Don Jose Galvez founded it in 1785, and put the first customs house at Goliad—an open invitation to smugglers of which they soon took advantage. They landed their goods along the shore almost at will—until the post and its customs collectors were moved to El Copano—carrying them inland by mule trains and two-wheeled ox carts, evading the payment of duties wherever possible.

El Copano was a port of much consequence, being regularly used to supply the missions at Goliad and San Antonio de Bexar, and one of the earliest records of the area speaks of a Spanish barkentine which was wrecked near the settlement.

Blown ashore by a terrible tropical storm, close to the mouth of a little creek that is still known as Barkentine Creek, the vessel carried (so legend says) gold to pay Spanish soldiers in the area, who went payless, for Karankawa Indians were supposed to have carried away the bullion.

The Fagan family, whose descendants still live in South Texas, used the iron and wood of the hull to build their home on the San Antonio River.

Practically every crew of colonists famous in Texas history landed at El Copano, although many died of shipwreck or cholera when in sight of the promised land, and were buried in lonely graves on Copano beach. However, a little at a time a small community was formed, and by the middle of the 19th century there were a dozen houses of shell concrete, including a two-story one erected by Empresario James Power.

In addition to the residences, there was a store belonging to Walter Lambert, and another, the property of Henry Dearborn Norton, which also doubled as a post office.

In front of Norton's store a wharf ran for almost a 1900 feet out into Copano Bay, supported on mesquite posts, a number of which were still visible within recent years, projecting above the surface. However, the procedure generally followed when a ship arrived was for wagons to be driven into the bay as far as possible without wetting their loads, and these were then lightered to the ships. The vessels had to stay 300 yards or more offshore to remain afloat, as the water was so shallow.

There was a thriving shipping business, with supplies for the hinterlands coming in on three-masted schooners, which on their outward voyages loaded with hides and tallow, prepared at the packery about six miles south of Refugio, on the Mission River.

Products from the packery were shipped from El Copano to New Orleans, and most of the young men in the settlement were engaged in stevedoring.

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**LEATHERNECK ON LEATHER STOMACH**—The marines have landed—right on the tummy of Elaine Malbin. At attention on her abdomen is 1/Sgt. James R. Pippin, a 200-pounder. Elaine was crowned Queen of the 2nd Marine Division at the unit's seventh annual reunion in New York. Her strong stomach was developed by singing exercises—Miss Malbin is also an opera star.

### UNICEF Hallowe'en For Rockport, Fulton

Traditionally, October 31 is a time for dressing up as witches and spooks and begging for goodies at the neighbor's doors. Last year in 8,400 communities in the U. S. and Canada the children carried milk cartons bearing the UNICEF label and collected money for milk, medicine and other aid for children in 95 countries. The program requires self help. Each country assisted put up \$2.00 for every \$1.00 it receives. This year's collection will reach over 45,000,000 needy children and others. The mission of UNICEF is to protect, to provide, to teach and to train.

This year the Baptist, Episcopal, Methodist and Presbyterian Churches in Rockport will combine their efforts to make the UNICEF drive a success. They ask the cooperation of the entire community. If you would like to volunteer your services by furnishing a car or helping with refreshments please contact one of the following: Miss Elsie Hawes, general chairman, Mrs. C. W. Brumley, Mrs. Noah Taylor, Mrs. S. F. Jackson or Mrs. Jack Horton.

A meeting of all those who will assist has been set for Monday, October 14, at 7:30 p. m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church to work out details. Please attend.

### ROBBIE BOCQUET CROWNED BAND SWEETHEART

Robbie Bocquet, drum major of the Pirate Band, was crowned band sweetheart Friday night, during half-time ceremonies at the Rockport-Mathis game.

Mrs. Dorothy Dorsey, of Corpus Christi, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett.

Joe S. Herring left last week for Charlottesville, Va. where he will be district engineer for the Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lee Sorenson attended the funeral of her cousin in Shiner last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Jeffers and son, of San Antonio, were weekend visitors in Rockport.

Philip Baldwin was in the NAS Hospital over the weekend, for a checkover.

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