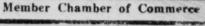
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Out at Rattlesnake Point Scoots Robinson, wade fishing, has been bringing in some good fish all this week. Saturday he had four drum, two reds and two trout that totaled 261/2 pounds. On Tuesday he caught a nine-pound trout, a six-pound trout, a four-pound trout, and a two-pound trout, and 20 pounds of drum. On Wednesday at the beginning of the week, he caught six more nice trout. with Mrs. Roe to help set up the All of which points up the old saw booth, and later on other Rockthat you've got to know your fishing ground and how to fish, out literature from here, and to for there were few other catches meet and make friends for the

Sunday Carl Krueger and party, San Antonio, caught 15 drum; days; Alex Scott was there for a Monday, Cecil West, Corpus night; and Mrs. Mary Juergens, Christi, and Elward West, Cuero, manager of the Chamber of Comcame in with nine reds and three trout; Tuesday Louis and Joe Jupe, of San Antonio checked in with 5 drum, 3 sheepshead, and a trout.

At Mills Wharf, Mrs. Lawler had a few good catches to re-

Thursday Leo Brand of Houston, fishing with Harry, brought in 64 trout, but when they went back the next day, the best they could do was 13.

Marvin Tyler, Eagle Lake, on Thursday, caught 127 trout. Lee Golibart, Houston, had two boats chartered on Saturday. Herb's boat brought in 34 and the fellows with Eddie Edmonson had 21. On Monday, Mr. Gillespie, Dallas, with Harry, caught 73 trout; Wednesday, Mr. Kamin, Houston, also fishing with Harry, came in with a four-pound red, some rats, and a nice string of trout - 53 fish

Plenty of live bait is available.

Explorer Scouts Receive Charter

Explorer Troop 49, Boy Scouts of America, received its charter Monday night at the VFW Hall. Judge John D. Wendell presented the charter to the sponsoring organization, Stewart-Wendell Post of Veterans of Foreign

A. C. Shivers, chairman of the troop committee, gave cards to the troop and other committee members, J. J. McCade, Richard Fox, Clyde Townsend, Joe Johnson, Marvin Townsend. McCade presented pins to the troop committeemen and emblems to the ex-Morers for their uniforms.

A committee, composed of the Rev. A. Arnott Ward, A. C. Glass. Weldon Cabaniss, Judge Wendell and the Rev. J. G. O'Doherty, was requested to report on a nominee for the National Scout Jamboree in Valley Forge.

Bill Pierson, post commander. was named troop finance chairman for the troop. Vernon Gray is advisor and his assistants are A. L. Holland and Richard Hap- three ways. A trench could be awash, was close enough inshore pner.

ROCKPORT VFW AUXILIARY ELECTS

Officers were elected at a meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Mon-

Named were Mrs. J. H. Malchar, president; Mrs. Ruth Mc- was shallow, boatmen on the job he told Vinson the story of the Shan, senior vice president; Mrs. Cleo Smith, junior vice president; Mrs. Jack Sparks, treasurer; Mrs. Richard Happner, chaplain; Mrs. Oliver Brundrett, conductress; Mrs. Ingrid Hansen, guard; Mrs. Lynwood Eller, three-year trusyear trustee.

The following officers were appointed by the president: Mrs. Townsend, patriotic instructor; and Mrs. Bailey, historian.

ROTARY CLUB MET

the Rotary program Wednesday and the line fell into the trench, ship, censers of the precious metal, and showed a Humble film on oil. and there we were.

Y., and Cotton Gunther, Houston.

Mrs. Roe Says **Exhibit Popular** In San Antonio

cently returned from the San Antonio Boat Show, says that the Rockport booth was popular, contacting many people that had been here in past years, and many more that had never been here at all, making friends for the town, and helping acquaint the 60,000 or more people that attended the show with the attractions

Rockport was the only south Texas town to be represented by a booth, Mrs. Roe said, and many compliments were paid to the ex-

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holland made the trip to San Antonio port people went up to help pass region. Bob Winton, of the Anchor Motel, was in San Antonio three merce, was there for three days the last of the week.

Mrs. Juergens said that they had many calls for fishing maps of the Rockport-Fulton region, which were by far the most popular item the booth handled, and these were supplemented by the new folders, of which a large number were distributed.

The exhibit will go to Dallas next, where it will be set up from Mar. 22-31. Mrs. Chas. Roe, Sr., Mrs. A. L. Holland, Marie Holland, and Mrs. Juergens will make will return to Rockport Sunday.

All materials for the exhibit and gasoline attendant on the deer from Matagorda and St. Jotrips to San Antonio.

Rockport Man Seeks Patent On **Burying Pipelines**

of the old saw about building a al passage of the stage from Sabetter mouse trap than your neigh- luria. This, in the days before the

ing in Copano Bay oilfield, where Matagorda Island, across the little he had his boat chartered to one ferry at Cedar Bayou, past Vinof the big companies that had a son's driftwood mansion, to the problem. For years the laying and little town of Aransas Wharf, on maintenance of pipelines in salt the south end of St. Joseph's. water bays and swamp land along This settlement, of some thirty or the coast has confronted the oil forty houses, stood south of the industry with special difficulties in present site of Sid Richardsons' production and pipe line opera- palatial home, about opposite the

In these areas, pipe is an easy radiator-like cooling action of the the earth."

tide as it moves to and fro. The logical answer to both corrosion and freezing was to bury the line, but the question then

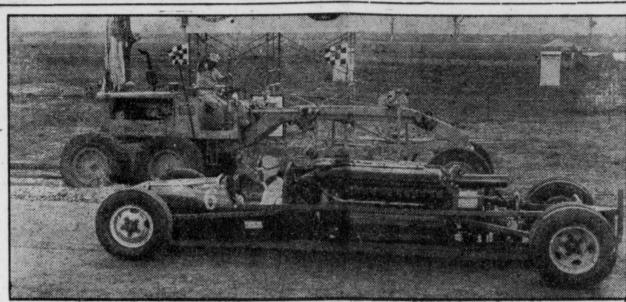
It could be done in two or ditched under water, just as on that he could reach it by wading dry land, but that's expensive and trough the surf. Exploring, he time-consuming. Another method, found a single survivor in the casutilizing a jet stream of water sock of a priest lashed to the to cut the ditch, has proved very stump of one of the masts, exsuccessful, but it, too, is costly. hausted, unconscious half-drown-In both these operations, divers ed. This survivor - a Francismust go below to see that the pipe can father - he carried ashore falls into the trench properly.

In Copano, where the water used the wash from their propel- fabulous wealth that lay in the lors to bury the line, but this was sand-filled hold of the ship. now unsatisfactory and slow, running almost buried by the action of the

must be an easier way," Ted said, jewel-studded; of crucifixes of "but darned if I knew what it was. precious metals, and golden statues tee; and Mrs. C. O. Bailey, two Finally, I made a collar that fitted of the Virgin Mary and the Savior, around the pipe we were trying priceless treasures fashioned by to bury, with rubber rollers in- the artists of old Spain to adorn side and a sort of plow on the a new cathedral in Mexico City. Eller, secretary; Mrs. Clyde bottom. It had a tow line at either Vinson—his imagination aflame end, and when we went one way, -pressed the priest to salvage the other line just followed us car- the hoard, and for many months ried by a buoy. When we turned the pair of them labored bearing around, we unhooked one line and chalices of pure gold, glittering hooked on to the other. The plow with gems, candlesticks of curious Dudley Bracht was in charge of on the bottom scooped up the dirt, design and ingenious workman-

James A. Jarboe returned to the "The only trouble was, it didn't symbolical figure of a globe surclub as a new member, sponsor- work so good, and I'll bet I built mounted by a cross far up into ed by Homer Faber. Jarboe was a dozen of the things before we the sandhills, away from the beach. one of the charter members of got one that would do pretty well the club when it was formed. what we wanted it to. We were over there," Ted said. "Every time J. A. Roaland pled guilty to driv- of the house for final passage.

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PLENTY OF DRAG-Arthur Arfons, of Akron, Ohio, eases his 1,200-horsepower "Green Monster" past a grader at the Kansas City Timing Association's drag strip at Kansas City, Mo., prior to running of the second annual National Championship Drag Races.

Treasure Trove -

Beneath St. Joseph's Beaches Lie Vinson's Lost Hoard of Gold and Jewels

During that vague and mysterious time between the end of Spain's rule and the Civil War, when Texas was almost as thinly populated as in Karankawa days, Little says that a derelict named Vinson floated ashore on the vast and lonely beach at the head of St. Joseph's Island, near Cedar Bayou.

A victim of a shipwreck which he alone survived, he established the installation, leaving here on his abode in a driftwood shack Thursday. Mrs. Holland and Marie at the southern end of the lagoon which still bears his name. There his vigil. he lived on the bounty of the were donated, as were all help sea, supplemented by occasional seph's islands and the meager luxuries cast upon the beach by the restless Gulf of Mexico.

The tall, red-headed Irishman, Ted Little is a living example panionship except for the occasionwar, ran from that ghost town Way back in 1949, he was work- (then alive and bustling), down old Aransas Pass Lighthouse.

came forth and discovered the are as follows: wreckage of a Spanish ship strewn along the beach, victim of the mighty winds and seas, while the battered hull, dismasted and and nursed back to health.

As the good father recovered, wind and waves. It was a story "I got to figuring that there of massive golden candlesticks,

the golden images and the massy

"You know how those dunes are Visiting Rotarians were Mer- over in Corpus Christi Bay by that the wind blows they change some. ing while his license was suspendafterwards, and the priest, aware and sentenced to 5 days in jail.

Beneath the lonely beaches of of this, buried the gold in a blow-St. Joseph's Island, says Ted Little out, where the wind had scooped of Rockport, there lies a hoard of a hole back of the crest, close to gold and jewels - the lost trea- some big Spanish daggers, and sure of Vinson's Slough - waiting then they took bearing on the for some fortunate man to recover mainland shore, over the other side of the bay, figuring that they'd change the least. They marked the bearings on a map

and each took half." Their ardous task finished, and mained with the gold. Days and by. Spring tides, northers and hurricanes came and went, each changing the face of the land, endless task of existence, still kept

Then came the day when the priest returned with a detachment of Spanish soldiers - worn and haggard from his journeying, but joyful over his reunion with Vin-

As soon as he and the soldiers with eyes as blue as Killarney's' had rested, they started digging lakes, was lord of all he surveyed, to recover the treasure, taking mainland and excavating where the lines crossed - for the great clump of Spanish daggers had been destroyed by a hurricane. "However," Little says, "it soon

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Ingleside Captures Junior High District Track Title

The 1957 Junior High District kum, 3, 1; Edna, 2, 2; and Goliad, Track Meet was held at the local athletic field Saturday, April 16. "The storms were Vinson's har- Larry Jones of Ingleside led his ty High School, 2, 2; Woodsboro Sunday and attended the House of prey to costly corrosion. Little vesters," Little said. "After a team to the championship by winsea animals, mostly barnacles, de- blow, old timers who knew him ning the 50, 75, and 100 yard vour the wrapped coating, allow- said that he would emerge from dashes, the broadjump, and placing the salt water to do its worst his hurricane-battered house in ing second in the shotput. The to the metal. Freezing of hydrates the dunes to comb the beach, depth of Aransas County kept the in flow lines during cold weather littered with the flotsam and jet- local boys even with the Mustangs also poses even greater problems sam of one of the roughest oceans until Ingleside pulled away in the ratings of 1 and 2 was the only en club, extended the official welin some localities. On natural bot- in the world, comparable only to broadjump which was the next Class CC competing. tom the pipe is exposed to the the China Sea on the other side of last event, Aransas County winning the last event which was the One September morning Vinson 440 yard relay. Team point totals Place at Yoakum, 1, 2; Industrial national President Gian Paolo

1. Ingleside, 29 points; 2. Aran- and Refugio, 3, 3. sas County, 24 points; 3. Portland, 18 points; 4. Gregory, 9 points; 5. Port Aransas, 6 points; 6. Aransas

Pass, 3 points. Local boys winning ribbons are: Chinning, 1st, 440 yd. relay.

David Pena — 3rd, 75 yd. dash, 3rd, 100 yd. dash, 1st, 440 yd. re- Funeral Home in Aransas Pass.

Donnie Blissit - 1st, 440 yd. relay. Tommy Dowdy - 1st, 440 yd.

relay, 2nd, high ump (tie). Tommy McCabe - 1st, Chin-

Explorer Scouts Make Cruise On U. S. S. Pascagoula

Scouts of Explorer Post 49 Rockport, accompanied by Travis Bailey as adult supervisor, made a day long cruise on the U. S. training ship Pascagoula on Mon-

The following boys were in the group: Clyde Townsend, Eddie BILL FOR NEW DISTRICT Ratliff, Victor Torres, James Goff, COURT OUT OF COMMITTEE John Goff, Mike Johnson, Gary Horne, Richard Happner. Jr., and Guy Clark.

RECENT CASES IN COUNTY COURT

Pirate Band Does Well At Woodsboro

The Pirate Band, in competition Woodsboro Saturday, played its way to two Class II ratings in concert competition and sight reading among the Class A Bands at

Individual members of the band ratings, two Class II ratings, and one in Class III.

Class I ratings were: Snooks Roberts, Bassoon; Shirley Cole, Alto Clarinet; Davy Brown, Baritone Sax; and Carla Eller and the map completed, the good father | Loretta Wilson in Student Conleft to make his way to Mexico ducting; Jack Ballou won a Class City for help, while Vinson re- II rating on the French Horn; Terry Wills on the Cornet; and in months passed; then years went Class III a rating went to Karer Casterline on the Clarinet.

Twenty-five bands participated in the competition, held at the while Vinson, occupied with the Refugio High School auditorium. Those which were rated 1, the

top listing, in both contests were Bay City Junior High School, Industrial High School at Vanderbilt, Refugio High School, Cuero High School and Victoria High

Ratings were from 1 to 3 and cert Judges were Jack Manry, facilities available. and director at Dely Mar College; Pasadena, and L. H. Buckner, band director of Henderson High School, Lyle Skinner of Waco was the sight reading Judge.

Victoria was the only school in Class AAAA. Other ratings in Valley Rotary Meeting Class AAA besides Cuero were Bay City concert, 2, sight 1; Port Lavaca, 2, 1; and Beeville, 2, 1 Other in Class AA aside from Refugio were Palacios, 3, 3; Yoa-

In Class A were Aransas Coun-1; Pettus, 3, 2; Yorktown, 2, Louise, 2, 2; and Vanderbilt. Schools competing in Class B Stanley Crockett of Harlingen. were Nordheim, 2, 2; Pawnee, 3,

3; and Tidehaven, 3, 3.

High School in Class C were Park Okla., and representative of interat Lolita, 3, 2; Victoria, 2, 3;

RANSOME OWENS PASSES AWAY

Funeral services for Ransom Joe May-2nd, 50 yd. dash, 4th, Owens, who died in a Aransas 75 yd. dash, 3rd, Shotput, 3rd, Pass hospital at 1:20 a. m. Wed- Talent Show May 3 nesday, will be at 4 p. m. Friday in the chapel of Cage-Marshall Dr. Chalmers Long, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Prairie View

> Owens was born at Rockport March 20, 1892, and had lived taken this year. The talent will be at Aransas Pass for the past 35 used from the students of the Ful-He was a retired Humble Oil

Co. employee and was a member of the Presbyterian Church. Surviving are his wife, Irma of

Aransas Pass; one son, Raymond, of Fulton; two daughters, Mrs. Albia Fartheree and Mrs. Pauline Briscoe, both of Aransas Pass; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

According to a telegram received here Thursday morning by

courts in this region.

County To Have Elections On April 2 And April 6 For Senate, City Council **And Two Different School Boards**

April 6, will be election days in some time.

Aransas County. April 2 is the date of the state-

wide election to fill the unex- be elected to the senate. Those pired term of Governor Price Daniel in the U.S. Senate in one of the greatest free for alls that

Judge Wendell Says Air Rifle **Damage To Stop**

The senseless damage to buildbeing wrought by a group of Colonel James C. Porter is runyouths around town, with their air rifles must stop, according to V. Rogero has re-filed for the posi-John D. Wendell, or parents are tion in Precinct 2. going to be held responsible.

Pointing out that there is an ordinance in the area that makes it against the law to shoot air School District and County rifles, Judge Wendell said that trustees. For the district, it will did well, also, with five Class I damage caused by these guns was be necessary to fill the positions reaching a point where something which expire this time, namely would have to be done. If parents those of Shelley Roaten, Precinct will co-operate, the Judge said, 2, J. R. DeForest, from Fulton, this will be fine, but if they will and J. B. Jackson, also of Precinct not, then the county will take the 2 in Rockport. All three men have necessary steps to see that the filed to succeeed themselves, and, nuisance is stopped.

Here's How Corpus Christi Tourist Courts Keep Cabins Filled

High school seniors throughout the state are being invited to take their annual class trips in Corpus Christi by the Coastal Bend Tour ist Association.

CBTA manager Bob Conwell said Monday his office is sending brochures, pictures and hotel and motel rates to about 1,800 schools in the state along with a letter were made on bands competing urging them to come to Corpus in Class C to Class AAAA. Con- Christi and describing some of the long series of bird observations

Gene Stuchbury, band director at 100 schools sent students to Corweeks at a time."

W. N. Meigs Attends

W. N. Meigs attended the District 185 Rotary Meet in Harlingen on Manday and Tuesday this week.

Between 400 and 500 Rotarians and Rotary Anns attended from all parts of South Texas. Many of the visitors arrived in Harlingen Friendship in the afternoon at the Sun Valley Gold Room.

conference chairman, presided at the opening session. H. G. Chaf-Travis Junior High School with fin, president of the host Harlingcome. Dan Proctor, Rotary inter-Along with Bay City Junior national director from Chickasha. Lang of Italy, was introduced, along with other officers and special guests. A report of the district was made by Robert Hudgens of Freer, district 185 gover-

Fulton PTA Schedules

The Fulton Parent Teachers Asspring "Talent Show", to be given at the high school auditorium on Friday night, May 3rd.

This is the only fund raising project that the PTA has under- da." ton Elementary School. Several individual acts are planned as well as a number of group activities.

Mr. F. L. McCord is the general chairman, assisted by Mrs. L. R. Davenport, Mrs. Herb Mills, Mrs. E. L. West, Mrs. Vivian Calhoun and Miss Margaret Cash. The king and queen for 1956-57 srhool year will be crowned. Candidates for this election will be annnounced as soon as they have been nominated.

DE WILTON JEFFRIES INJURED IN WRECK

De Wilton Jefferies, leaving Cor-Weldon Cabaniss, the bill for crea- pus Christi for Brownsville, hit a as coast. tion of a new district court which slick patch in the road about 15 The broad continental expanses will take in Aransas County has miles south of Corpus Wednesday to the northward, narrowed by been passed out of committe last morning, and turned his car over. the great coastal bend of Texas, In a recent case in county court, night, and now goes to the floor Both he and the passenger riding form a funnel through which trewith him escaped serious injury, mendous numbers of northern, The new court, if created, will although Jefferies will probably be eastern and even western birds ritt Hulett, Saratoga Springs, N. time, and it was a year later. I Vinson, according to tales he told ed, and was fined \$25 and costs, lighten the load of the district confined to the hospital for the leave colder climes in the winter, next six or seven days.

Toesday, April 2, and Saturday, has occurred in Texas politics for

There are twenty-two soliciting the voters of the state, asking to seeking the office are: Elmer Adams, H. J. Antoine, Sr., Rev. M. T. Banks, Jacob Berelofsky, Searcy Bracewell, Jon C. Burns, Sr., Frank G. Cortez, J. Cal Courtney, R. W. Currin, Martin Dies, C. O. Foerster, Jr., Curtis Ford, Ralph W. Hammond, James P. Hart, Charles W. Hill, Thad Hutcheson, Walter McNutt, Clyde R. Orms, John C. White, J. Perrin Willis, Hugh Wilson and Ralph

W. Yarborough. The City Elections is for elecings, windows, and other property tion of Aldermen. In Ward One, ning to succeed himself, and Roy

> The April 6 election is for both Aransas County Independent although deadline for filing is 6:00 p. m., March 25, there seems little likelihood that any others

> will seek the posts. In the county trustee race, Richard Fox. Precinct 2, Arthur Bracht, 3, and J. F. Cloberdants, trusteeat-large, have all filed to succeed themselves.

Chamber of Commerce Asks For Information On Mrs. Hagar

Nature made Rockport the bird capital of America, but it was not until Mrs. Jack Hagar began her that ornothologists began to real-He said last year "more" than ize the extreme importance of this little town on the Texas coast. pus Christi and filled up motels for Since that time, practically very bird student of any note has been here not once but several times, and over the course of the years both amateurs and professionals

> have flocked here in thousands. Hence, it is impossible to answer a request from the Hannibal (Mo.) Chamber of Commerce on Rockport's standing as a natural bird sactuary without speaking

> of both the lady and the city. Prior to Mrs. Hagar's arrival in Rockport some 22 years ago, the Gulf Coast of Texas was (and still is, to some, extent) the leastknown ornithologically of any coast in the United States. Occasional visitors had made observations at Corpus Christi and Brownsville, but, once she had settled here, she spent part of every day in the field, in every kind of weather. observing and recording details of bird behavior,

> nesting, and other activities. Her self-imposed project is perhaps the most intensive study ever made of a local area in the United States.

Some of her discoveries have been so extraordinary that many leading ornithologists have traveled to her home to see for themselves, and seeing, have gone away convinced, although when she first sociation is making plans for a listed the Connecticut Warbler some of them said:

"Impossible. You're too far west. Those birds come into and leave the United States through Flori-

But Mrs. Hagar says:

"The poor little things didn't know they were supposed to go another way, so they just kept coming through Rockport and I just kept reporting them."

A lot of her other reports met with the same reception until the birdmen came, went out with Mrs. Hagar, and became convinced that Rockport was a veritable crossroads of the air.

They also rapidly recognized Connie Hagar for what she is, one of the greatest field observers of

birds in America. Having disposed of the lady for the time being, we turn for a moment to Rockport and the Tex-

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MARCH 22 - 23

Texas Brand

Bacon

2 cans 25c

Wicklow Thick-Sliced

Rath's Blackhawk

FRESH GROUND

ALL MEAT

Good Veal - Fine For Bar-B-Q

lb. 45¢ Bacon 2 rounds 89¢ Bacon lb. 59¢ Short Ribs 25¢

RURGER



5 lbs. 49c reg. 30c

Joy giant can 63c; 2 reg cans 71c

pounds

4 reg. bars 31c

HUNT'S PEACHES SCOTT TISSUE

Pillsbury or Ballard

BISCUITS

FIRST CHOICE OLEO

21/2 can 29c

Bar-T-Ranch PEARS

21/2 can 31c

First Choice

SLICED PINEAPPLE No. 2 can 24c

Strawberry Preserves 20 oz 41c

Kounty Kist W/K

GOLDEN CORN

12 oz., 2 for 25c

NBC

Peanut Butter Drop Cookies Ib. 45c doz. 39c

FRESH COUNTRY EGGS 303 can 17c RENOWN WHOLE BEANS Luncheon Size

SCOTKINS

2 boxes 29c

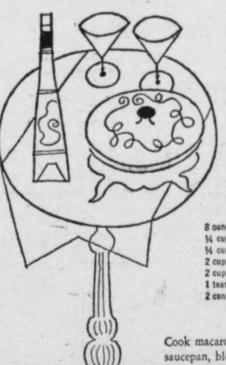
FLEECY WHITE PILLSBURY CAKE MIX 1/2 gal. 29c

box 29c MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE lb. 99c ADMIRATION COFFEE Ib. 95c

PLYMOUTH COFFEE PARKAY OLEO lb. 29c

FROZEN FOODS

BOOTH'S BREADED SHRIMP LIBBY'S ORANGE JUICE, 6 oz. LIBBY'S STRAWBERRIES



Macaroni Casserole

(4-6 SERVINGS)

2 cups (1/2 pound) grated cheese 1 teaspoon salt 2 cans tuna fish, drained and flaked 14 cup chopped mushrooms 6 cup chopped green pepper 4 cup chopped red pimiento 6 cup chopped onion 1/2 cup chopped olives

Cook macaroni 20 minutes in salted boiling water; drain. Melt Fluffo in saucepan, blend in flour, add milk and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Stir in salt and cheese until melted. Combine remaining ingredients. except corn flakes, with macaroni. Place in 2-quart casserole which has been rubbed with Fluffo and top with corn flakes. Bake in a moderately hot oven (400°F.) about 25 minutes.

SKINNERS MACARONI 2 boxes 23c LONGHORN CHEESE lb. 49c STARKIST TUNA can 29c 2 for 27c CARNATION MILK GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 5 lbs. 49c 3 lbs. 93c GOLDEN FLUFFO

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Snow Queen

FLOUR 5 Pounds 39C

RICE 2 pounds 290

Fruits & Vegetables

New Crop

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lb. 5c

Large Crisp

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lb. 15c



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Arkansas Black

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10 lb. bag 49c

2 for 29c

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DELICIOUS

Folger's lb. 96°

Kraft

15c DINNERS

Campbell's

Tomato Soup 2 - 25c

Bama Peach

20 oz. jar

Preserves

39c

Scott — White or Colored

TOWELS

46 Oz. Tex Sun

Grapefruit Juice

25¢

Decker's **OLEO**

lb. 19c

Red & White

MILK

2 for 25c

Toilet Tissue 3 - 25c

Sour Pickles qt. 27c

5 lb. bag

Gold Medal Flour

Fruit Cocktail

Tomato Sauce

Texas Magic

O K Whole

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29c

3 for 25c

2 for 27c

Carton of 6 - Plus Deposit COKE 20c

Chicken of the Sea

TUNA

Delight

DOG FOOD

Regular

21c

5c

ZEST

Bayer

ASPIRIN 24 count 19c

TIDE or CHEER

Featuring Proctor &

Gamble brands

MELLORINE

Foremost 1/2 Gal.

TEXAS CUT BEETS

Sun Spun Mustard or Turnip

Greens

SUGAR

5 lbs. 49c

TOMATO JUICE

Libby's

300 Size 2 For

U. S. Good

Round Steak

Longhorn

CHEESE lb. 49c

Bologna lb. 39c

Fresh Ground

Hamburger 3 lbs. 89c

19c Stew Meat

Sun Spun

BACON Ib.

Samuels Mohawk

Rolled Sausage

pound 29¢

Samuels Mohawk Thick

Sliced Bacon

24 oz. 75¢

Swift's Premium Heavy Beef Chuck - Pound

Roast or Steak

Produce Specials

No. 1 Idaho 10 lb. bag **POTATOES** 49c

Yellow lb. 5c ONIONS

Florida Avocados

ea. 12c

Carrots lb. cello 9c

Frozen Foods

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VEGETABLES 17c

Your Choice Morton's Chicken, Turkey

25c

or Beef POT PIES

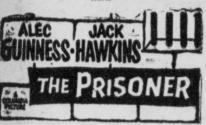
Treesweet Orange Juice 2 - 29c

Mrs. Ted Atwood entertained

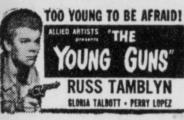
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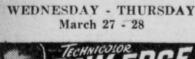
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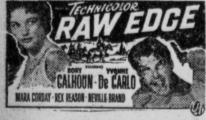


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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY



Luke Short Was An Interesting **Texas Character**

As a youngster around Fort robe. Worth in the 70's, Luke Short's education was sketchy but adequate. He could ride almost any- fully around his 5-foot-6-inch thing with hair on it by the time form. His derby hat was cocked he was twenty, and was about over one eyebrow. Across his vest

He was also a mean hand with place of a diamond roughly the a running iron, and his loop was size of a locomotive headlight, wide enough it rarely missed a and on his dainty feet gleamed a yearling, no matter whose brand pair of patent leather boots whose

However, he saw no future in stickpin! the cow business, and hied himself forth in search of adventure. questioned talents could have sur-The trail was long; the pay was vived such raiment. However, surlow, and, after he hit Dodge City vive he did. A number of rough (then in the height of its glory) | characters who misjudged his deftness with artillery were either he was busted.

To a man of Luke's talents this temporarily retired or permanently fatal, and within a few days and a friend were headed for terms with such masters of trigthicket just ten miles south gernometry as Wyatt Earp, Bat of the great Sioux Indian agency in North Dakota.

They were traders; their stock was 150 cases of whiskey!

By the time, an exasperated cavalry captain (in the absence of his partner, who was away replenishing their stock of Old Busthaid) had ridden Luke out of the thicket on a swaybacked mule, the boys had accumulated \$60,000 in cash and Short had a private burying ground that held no less than six Indians!

In later years, however, he al-

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ways refused to tally these scalps, holding that no credit accrued to

a man for abolishing one of the At Denver the partners split up and Short, taking his \$30,000, was off to the races, all 140 pounds of him, after first acquiring a ward-

Those present were: Mr. and His checkered suit, tailored to hide his hardware, hung graceas vivid an enterprise when it of robin's-egg blue was festooned Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Yaussi, all of came to handling a six gun as a massive watch chain. A scarlet Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Richard the average man wanted to tackle. silk cravat served as the resting Herr, South Dakota, as were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heller. Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith, Calif .;

Rockport.

Finally, however, he wound up In Cowtown once more, the best dressed, most polite package of sudden death ever to honor that community. There he founded the White Elephant - the finest, fanciest saloon and gambling house in the city. Patrons of the ornate bar could and did obtain anything served at any other bar in the U. S., and if a customer wanted to take a little flutter at roulette or faro, White Elephant dealers were always ready to oblige. If some cattle king drifted in, looking for large chunks of action, all he had to do was ask for Mr. Short, and Luke would come arunnin'. Then reform lifted its ugly

with a gun.

Only a man of Luke's un-

Luke was smart; he sat tight and watched his competitors. Instead of running wide open, they merely closed their front doors and received their patrons through the alley. So did Short.

However, there was one differ-

The reformers imported, as head collector and enforcement officer for their regime one Courtright, reputed to be a gun-slinger.

As Luke was the only gambling house operator in town who refused to pay off, it was inevitable that he should be the early recipient of a visit from this eminent member of the purity party.

Short planted him for keeps; the White Elephant continued to do business unhampered by any similar manifestations of foolishness; and Luke was tendered a vote of thanks by sundry grateful citizens.

Five years later, having shot it out with the best of them, Short died peacefully in his bed, without ever having been touched by a bullet or knife!

Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Brooks and Donna Jo of Ingleside visited in Rockport Tuesday.

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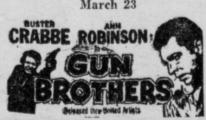
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SATURDAY ONLY March 23



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Taylor Oaks News

A community dinner was held at Taylor Oaks on last Thursday, with fried chicken and all the trimmings. This was topped off by a slide show by guests, showing the places they had reached in their

Mrs. Cecil Dixon, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vickery and Betty Mosher, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilley,

Mr. and Mrs. Art Oblander and Mr. and Mrs. Jean Chaney, Oklabrilliancy matched that of his homa; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Townsend, Saskatchewan, Canada; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown and Howard, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. William Speicher, Minnesota; General and Mrs. R. Corputt, New Jersey; Mr. and was annoying, but not necessari- ly planted, and Luke went his Mrs. Albert Martineau, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Fred McElya, Houston; merry way associating on equal Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stansell and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barnett, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Travis, San Masterson, Doc Holliday and other prominent members of the Homi- Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. John Belt and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cooper, cide Club, all of whom were re-Lockney; Bill Savoie, Kankakee, puted to think highly of his speed Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Roper,

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weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd

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Mrs. D. R. Simmons.

the sister of Mrs. Rooke.

the members of Presbyterian Cirthe following ner * * * 38 980 AW The First Presbyterian Church day afternoon. will observe a special week of Evangelism Visitation from March

Miss Ruth Hill and Mrs. Agnes PRESYTERIAN CIRCLE

cle Four at her home last Thurs. Refreshments were served at the arrival of the members, and then Mrs. Robert Little, circle chairman, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Lynn Wendell opened the session with prayer, and Mrs. Jimmie Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Camp of Little and Mrs. Hugh Morrison Junction will come in Friday to presented on the lesson on "Our spend the weekend with Mr. and Goal, Nationalism, International-

AT ATWOOD HOME

ism, and Evangelism". Mrs. J. H. Fletcher of Dallas is The visitation committee reportvisiting with Mr. and Mrs. Tom ed ten visits made by the mem-Rooke this week. Mrs. Fletcher is bers, and ten cards sent for the month of February. It was voted to give collections for the month The regular deacon's meeting of to the White Cross.

the First Presbyterian will be held The next meeting, in April. Tuesday, March 26, at 7:30 p. m. will be with Mrs. Ingersoll.

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SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fr. G. J. O'Doherty, Pastor 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.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p. m., Training Union, 6:30 p. m.; prayer service, Wednesday, enumerated or identified.

DEFENDANTS IN THE HEREmeeting, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Women meet every Monday.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Vincent Gaskill

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.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD 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.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. Arnott Ward, Minister Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Wor-Young People, 6:00 p. m., Evening Service, 7:30 p. m. Pioneer Lots Fifteen (15) and Sixteen Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Women sas County, Texas. of the Church, fourth Thursday together with damages in the sum at 3:00 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Dana Green. Pastor

7:00; Methodist Men, 2nd Thurs- said land. day, 7:30; WSCS, general meeting, 1st Thursday, 3 p. m.; fellowship mediate MYF, Sunday at 6:30 p.m. returned unserved.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Dick McClure, Pastor

Staday school, 9:45; preaching service, 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE Aransas Pass

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

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 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.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH Lone Star Park Bldg. ARANSAS PASS

Sunday school and Bible class, 10:00 a.m.; Worship service,11:00 a.m.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. L. C. Barnett, Pastor 1 block north of Joe's Trailer Park Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Night Service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Young People's Service, Saturday, 7:30 p. m.

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who are or were partnerships. 11. The heirs, wives, husbands, states and not in others? devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all the Defendants above enumerated or identified.

p. m.; Sunday School workers INAFTER STYLED AND NUM-BERED 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 15th day of April. 1957. and answer the petition of D. B. KIN-SEY, Plaintiff in cause numbered 3263, styled D. B. KINSEY vs. JUDGE COMPANY, ET AL, filed in the District Court of Aransas County on the 2nd day of March, 1957, wherein the said D. B. KIN-SEY 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 ship Service, 11:00 a. m.; Senior described tracts of land in Aran-

Young People, each Tuesday ve- (16), the South one-half (1/2) of ning, 7:00 p. m., Deacon's meet- Lot Three (3) and the South oneing third Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. half (1/2) of Lot Fourteen (14) Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, 7:30 in Block Eighteen (18) in the p. m. Men of the Church, first SMITH AND WOOD DIVISION Thursday of each month, 6:30 p. in the City of Rockport, in Aranm. All Circles meet second Thurs- sas County, Texas, according to day; morning at 9:30 a. m. after- the official Map or Plat thereof noon at 3:00 p. m., Evening at recorded in Volume E, Pages 272-7:30 p. m. Session meeting second 273 of the Deed Records of Aran-

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 Sunday school, 9:30; morning interests of every character of worship, 10:50; evening worship, all said Defendants in and to

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> WITNESS 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 2nd day of March, 1957. JAS C. HERRING,

Clerk of the 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas. By WRETHA B. JOHNSON, Deputy. (SEAL) Issued this 2nd day of March,

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traption?

And here is another purpose the different kinds of laws may Some people find confusing our serve. You may look upon each different state and national laws as a sort of experiment. Some

> But in the give and take of public discussion, these efforts

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to So it bothers them. Why should inform - not to advise. No permunity property laws in some cerning the facts involved, because be held each night this week. a slight variance in facts may Is law merely a man-made con- change the application of the

California.

Holds Meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary to the V. F. W. held a regular meeting As man finds out more and Tuesday night with 8 members present and one visitor, Past Dept. President Rosemary Smith of El

> The committee chairman made a report on the Winter Tourist er Jo Helen May. Parties which was held at the V. F. W. Hall on Thursday nights. There were 781 persons who attended the eleven tourist parties.

After the meeting a social was held in honor of the president, Mrs. Velma Malchar who was celebrating her birthday. Refreshments of Danish pastries and coffee were served by Mrs. Ingrid

Thirty-two Rockport Presbyterians attended the initial meetare unknown to Plaintiff and to Englishmen drive on the left side son should ever apply or interpret ing of the Louis Evans Meeting his attorney, of each and all of of the street? Why should mar- any law without the aid of an in Corpus Christi, at the Del Mar the Defendants enumerated above ried couples hold title under com- attorney who is fully advised con- Auditorium, where services will

> Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wendell and children and Mrs. Ray Wendell spent the weekend in the Valley. The Fred Christilles are still in They attended the Livestock show in Mercedes.

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Mrs. Sherman Mundine and Mrs. Don Henderson honored Mrs. Dave Jackson of Corpus with a miscellaneous shower Friday night, March 15th at the home of Mrs. Mundine. Mrs. Jackson is the form-

The St. Patrick theme was carried out. The lace covered table was centered with a bouquet of the meeting with a prayer. sweetheart roses and fern.

Punch and angel food squares were served to 25 guests. Mrs. Ora May and Mrs. Sher-

man Mundine served the cake and been visiting with her and also Mrs. Henderson served the punch. with Mrs. William Kell in Pre-

Mrs. Jimmie Reed Simmons and Sue Ann spent the day in Odem, Wednesday visiting.

LUZOK CIRCLE OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MEETS AT E. B. CRAWFORD HOME

The Luzok Circle of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. E. B. Crawford Tuesday March 19th, at 9:30 a. m. with 8 members present.

This week they had Bible study. Mrs. Crawford announced next Tuesday would be a business meeting. Mrs. Viola McNorton closed

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kight of Falfurrias brought Mrs. Manch Brundrett home Tuesday; who had mont.

Miss Lorna Sontag is in Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi.

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Frank M. Frandolig Passes Away

Frank Matthew Frandolig, 70, a life-long resident of Rockport, and San Antonio, died at 3:40 a. m. Monday at his daughter's residence in San Antonio.

A retired railroad employee, he was a member of the Catholic

three daughters, Mrs. T. R. Sandoz, Mrs. S. A. Nathan and Mrs. candidates to be nominated by Laura Burney, all of San Antonio; each of the six grades. Mrs. F two sons, Frank Jr., of San Antonio and Charles of Houston, and a sister, Mrs. Eleanor Tanksley of Rockport,

Funeral services were at 9 a. m. Wednesday at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. J. G. O'Doherty officiating. Burial Rockport was crowned Relay was in Rockport Cemetery under the direction of Cage-Marshall Funeral Home of Rockport.

CARD OF THANKS

ty to thank all who helped us strong and Jerry Armstrong, repwith prayers, money, letters and resentatives from the FHA Cur- plan, now under way, of as many cards, the Fire Department and tain Club and the Press Club and Plant for blood donations. Without duchesses to the queen's court. you grand people of Rockport and Fulton the Hoffman family would never have made it. We also wish to thank Drs. Hughes and Elliot Robert Cassel that he has been disease. We will be forever grateful to you all.

Evelyn Hoffman, Jerry Hoffman, Roanna Roberts, Snooks Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Atwood visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mikeal. with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Atwood and Steve in Kingsville over the weekend. Sunday after attending Refugio visited in Rockport Sunthe Presbyterian church they tour- day with Mrs. Sommerville Baled the King Ranch.

Fulton PTA To Elect Officers

The Fulton PTA met on Wednesday at 3:30 in the Lions Club coming year will be held on April served preceding the meeting.

On May 3, at the high school auditorium, there will be a talent Surviving are his wife, May; night and the coronation of a king and queen to be chosen from the L. McCord and Mr. M. M. Owens are in charge of this project.

MERRILY JOHNSON CROWNED QUEEN

Merrily Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson of Queen at the Toast of the Coast Relays at the Aransas County High School Friday night. Merrily is a freshman student and the entry from the Aquatic Club. Cly-We wish to take this opportuni- dene Armstrong, Bettie Mae Armthe men at the Carbon Black runners-up in the contest, were

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cassel has received word from their son, Pvt. for finding out the nature of the attached to Company "E" 47th Infantry regiment and is stationed at Fort Carson, Colorado, Cassel enlisted February 21st.

> Gervis and Gentry Hildebrand, Mrs. Ebbie Wells, Mrs. Evie O'Rorke and friends of Oklahoma and Kansas visited Saturday with

Mr. and Mrs. Nial Goforth of

Taft, Texas

Circle 2 Meets With Mrs. Ingersoll

Circle II of the Women of the Presbyterian Church met with Mrs. building. It was announced that J. W. Ingersoll, Thursday afterthe election of officers for the noon. Refreshment plates were

> Mrs. Oliver Brundrett, vice-chairman, presided. Mrs. John T. Slocum was named chairman of the group, filling the vacancy created by the resignation of Mrs. E.

Miss Lillie Fahr presented the bert Mills in charge. Bible lesson which was followed by a general discussion and the Fred Brundrett, who stressed "Evangelism",

Announcement was made of the evangelistic services to be held in Corpus Christi from Sunday, March 17 to March 24 at the Del Mar College auditorium, conducted by Dr. Louis Evans, nationally known Presbyterian minister, and members were urged to attend.

Mrs. S. F. Jackson, Church Extension chairman, explained the members as possible, from all circles, meeting at the church assembly room at 2:30 on each third Thursday and going out, two by two, on a program of visitation evangelism, visiting new church members and prospective mem-

Mrs. A. Arnott Ward, chairman of Spiritual Life and Growth, announced that the Intensive Bible Study would be conducted on Tuesday, April 9th, from 9 a. m. till 3 p. m. with picnic lunch at noon,

at the church assembly room. The circle visitation report showed that nine members had made 26 visits since the last meeting and that 46 cards had been

Twelve members answered roll

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis entertained their son Buck with a bar- laws of the pack. becue Saturday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Luke Aransas, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Parker of Matagorda Island, Mr. and Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis and the honoree, Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mundine and Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. are visiting Harold Glenn, Mrs. Annie Evans with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Picton and Darlene have gone to Savan- and children until some time in nah, Ga. to visit Mr. and Mrs. April. Mr. Hansen is the brother Alton Evans and family.



Scout Den 5 met March 12 at the home of Mrs. Dick Pic-C. Ricks, who has moved away. ton with den mother Mrs. Her-

The meeting was opened with the scout promise. There was no Royce and Pammie Court; Cathy March 24. monthly emphasis given by Mrs. business meeting, because of the Green; Cathy Deason; Kay ing on March 28th.

painting Indian designs on oil Court and Mrs. Milton Sparks.

Roy Alan Rogero, Kenneth Dullye and Herby Mills turned in their home work for the month. All cubs in den 5 are to work on some Indian project at home this month and display it at our regular pack meeting.

Cub Scouts of Den 5 met March 19, at the home of Mrs. Roy Rogero with den mother Mrs. Herbert Mills. We are still missing the council and guidance of den mother Mrs. Shelley Roaten who is at the bedside of her father in the hospital in Victoria.

The meeting was called to order by denner Roy Alan Rogero and the scout promise was repeated as an opening ceremony. Keeper of the buckskin, Herby Mills called the roll, collected dues and read the minutes of the last

Achievements were checked and home work projects were discussed. The cubs made plans for their den skit to be presented at the pack meeting.

For a closing ceremony we used the Living Circle and repeated the

During the activity period Indian jackets were completed, an of Ingleside, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Indian drum, shield, war clubs, Crawford and Andy Ray of Port canoes and teepe were also partly finished.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Richard Sharp and Jackie Roy Alan Rogero.-Cub Reporter.

> Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hansen of of Mrs. Dick Picton.

Donna Ann Sparks Celebrates 6th Birthday

Mrs. Max Keller and Mrs. Jack Sparks entertained Donna Ann Sparks with a birthday party Sunday at the V. F. W. Hall. Favors of candy and balloons

were given to the children. Winners of the different games that were played was Suzie and wick

were served to Jr. Parr, Sonny and Valerie Harwick; Cynthia, James, Christi from March 17 through beautiful gifts, punch and cake great amount of work to be done Sparks; Charles, Mike and Meloon our projects for the pack meet- dy Caywood; Diane Shults, Sally and Suzie Griffith and Mesdames The cubs worked at decorating Elroy Parr, Chuck Caywood; Gene Indian jackets, and head bands by Shults; Kenneth Harwick; Roy

> Mrs. Jack Davis left Wednesday morning with her son Buck who is returning to Los Angeles where he is stationed. They plan on going through the Carlsbad Cavern and do some more sight seeing on the way. Mrs. Davis plans on returning about the 1st of April.

> Mrs. R. F. McKnight and Mrs. Faith Rice of Oklahoma City are visiting with friends in Rockport this week.

Circle 5 Meets

Circle No. 5 of the First Presbyterian Church met March 14 at the home of Mrs. A. L. Bachman. The meeting was called to Miss Sally Chittenden at a misorder with prayer offered by the cellaneous prenuptial shower Frichairman, Mrs. Floyd Smith. Mrs. day, Mar. 1st, at the Fulton Lions Morrell De Reign of Carothersville, Club building. Mo. who is a member of the Board of Women Work for the Presby-Sally Griffith and Valerie Har- terian Church U. S., presented a ring cake and the side tables devotional, encouraging the group with large bride dolls. Refreshments of punch and cake to attend the Dr. Evans Evangelical meetings being held in Corpus the bride had opened her many

> The Bible lesson on Christian Citizenship "Nationalism vs. Internationalism was led by Mrs. Bachman. The emphasis for the month is Evangelism and the topic "30 Million Unchurched People" was presented by Mrs. Travis Bai-

Refreshments were served by the hostess to 8 members and 2 visitors.

Mrs. E. W. Ebert, Noble grand of the Rebekah Lodge left Saturday to attend a Rebekah Assembly at the Gunter Hotel in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Johnson of Sinton spent the weekend with Mrs. Chas. T. Picton.

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TEXAS IN REVIEW

The Border Olympics, held at Has Election Laredo and the ABC Relays in Big Spring will highlight The Humble Company's Texas in Review next

neets. The ABC Relays will feature teams from the University of Houston, SMU, Oklahoma A & M and the University of Souther Calia as well as junior college and high school divisions.

A statewide roundup of Girl Scout activities will picture all concepts of this important movement. Films were taken during the recent observance of Girl Scout Week in Goose Creek, Houston, Corpus Christi, Dallas, Abilene and

A special feature for the ladies will be a visit with Katrinka, a in women's clothing.

"Watching Texas History" will show the unique collection of unusual watches owned by a Dallas Circle No. 3 Meets hobbyist. Odd, antique watches are his specialty.

On Tuesday (March 26) Texas TV, Corpus Christi, 8:00 p. m.

TV. San Antonio, 6:30 p. m.

High School PTA

Dave Segler, head of the physical education department and basketball coach in the Aransas Coun-Films will show the important ty schools, spotlighted the detrack and field events from both partment at a meeting of the Aransas County High School Parent Teachers Association.

> Officers elected in the business session include Mrs. Walter Heldenfels, president; Mrs. Hugh 3. Moeller, Yorktown; 4. Villareal, heart roses. Morrison, first vice president; Riviera. Mrs. Floyd Smith, second vice president; Mrs. E. N. Adams, third vice president; Mrs. James A. Jarboe, recording secretary: Mrs. Norvell Jackson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Malcolm Bocquet, treasurer; and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, historian.

Delegates to the District Conference which will convene in fashion designer in Houston. Here, Alice April 2-4 are Mrs. J. R. talent and initiative have combin- DeForest, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. ed to build a successful enterprise A. C. Shivers, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Heledenfels and Mrs. Adams.

Circle No. 3 of the Presbyterian Church met Thursday Evening at 3. Potanske, Yorktown; 4. Bauman, in Review can be seen over KRIS- the home of Mrs. Homer Faber. Ingleside. There were 13 members and 1 Wednesday (March 27) Texas in visitor present. Mrs. J. D. Griggs Review can be seen over KENS- | gave the Bible Study on Christian Citizenship, "Nationalism vs. Internationalism". The "Let's Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Close About Period" was led by Mrs. and sons of Corpus spent the Gerald Brundrett. The next meetweekend in Rockport with their ing will be in the home of Mrs. H. H. Dick, April 11th. DRI-DON Better Half & Coquette just couldn't be prettier ... with its rows of lace and tucks ... its full pleated skirt...and it's so practical too... just dip in suds, hang and dry. Pink, blue, yellow or Iilac. Sizes 12-20 or 121/2-221/2.

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Yorktown Winner In Toast of Coast Relays

Yorktown was big winner in the first annual Toast of the coast sociation. relays at Pirate Stadium Saturday. The events and winners are given below:

Senior Division Tuloso-Midway; 3. Johnson, West Oso; 4. Dornak, Yorktown. Best time — 16.0.

100 yard dash - 1. Burnett, Henderson, treasurer. West Oso; 2. Marek, Aqua Dulce; 3. Harper, West Oso; 4. Jaeger,

Yorktown. Best time — 10.6.

sas County; 3. Lester, Bruni; 4. Jackson. James, West Oso.

Best time — 54.0. 180 yard low hurdles - 1. Bennett, George West; 2. Boldt, York- TWO HOSTESSES ENTERTAIN town; 3. Marek, Aqua Dulce; 4. Young, Bruni.

Best time — 21.9. town; 2. Rader, Yorktown; 3. afternoon honoring Mrs. Elton Mc-Czaja, Yorktown; 4. Holland, Cabe, Jr. The home of Mrs. Sher-George West.

Best time - 2:17.7. Mile Run - 1. Gonzales, Jourdanton; 2. Bednors, George West;

Best time — 5:02.0 Sprint medley relay — 1. Yorktown; 2. George West; 3. Aransas County; 4. Bruni.

Best time — 4:00.5 880 yard relay - 1. Tuloso-Midway; 2. Jourdanton; 3. George West: 4. Woodsboro.

Best time - 1:38.7 440 yard relay — 1. West Oso; 2. Jourdanton; 3. Yorktown; 4. Bruni.

Best time -47.4. Mile relay - 1. Yorktown; 2. Jourdanton; 3. Woodsboro; 4. Aransas County.

Best time — 3:45.9. Shot Put - 1. Weldon, Yorktown; 2. Phillips, Tuloso-Midway;

Best distance - 46' 101/2" Discuss - 1. Weldon, Yorktown; nicely. 2. Potanske, Yorktown; 3. Phillips, Tuloso-Midway; 4. Williams, George West.

Best distance - 127' 61/2". High Jump -1. Phillips, Tuloso-Midway; 2. Bennett, George West; 3. Davis, Tuloso-Midway; 4. Morales, Bruni.

Best Height - 6' 0". Broad Jump - 1. Bennett, George West; 2. Davis, Tuloso-Midway; 3. Walker, Tuloso-Midway; 4. Martin, Woodsboro.

Best distance - 19' 10". Pole Vault - 1. Johnson, West Oso: 2. (Tie) Walker, Tuloso-Midway and Davis, Tuloso-Midway 4. (Tie) Sanez, Bruni and Polk, Woodsboro.

Best Height - 10' 5". Team Points - 1. Yorktown 56; 2. Tuloso-Midway 40: 3. George West 33; 4. West Oso 25; 5. Jourdanton 23; 6. Aransas County 9; 7. Bruni 81/2; 8. Woodsboro 71/2; 9. Aqua Dulce 5; 10. Ingleside and Riviera 1 each. Scoring: Individual Events (5-

302-1). Relays (10-6-4-2). Records: All 1sts go down as

Junior Division 100 yard dash - 1. Happner, Aransas County; 2. Elswick, Ingleside; 3. Navaar, Jourdanton; 4.

Smith, Tuloso-Midway. Best time - 11.6. 120 yard low hurdles - 1. Roquette, Aransas County; 2. James, Tuloso-Midawy; 3. Pacheco, Jourdanton; 4. Johnson, Aransas

County. Best time — 18.4. 200 yard relay — 1. Woodsboro; 2. Tuloso-Midway; 3. Jourdanton; 4. Aransas County.

880 yard relay - 1. Jourdanton; 2. Tuloso-Midway; 3. Woodsboro; 4. Aransas County.

Best time - 24.2.

Best time — 1:47.0. 440 yard relay - 1. Tuloso-Midway: 2. Woodsboro; 3. Jourdanton; 4. Aransas County.

Best time — 51.3. Shot Put (8 lb.) - 1. Earley, Jourdanton; 2. Smith, Tuloso-Midway; 3. Gregory, Aransas County; 4. Adkinson, Tuloso-Mid-

Best Distance - 45' 31/2". High Jump — 1. (Tie) Catchings, Woodsboro and Nix, Tuloso-Midway; 3. Walters, Woodsboro; 4. Elswick, Ingleside. Best Height - 5' 3".

Broad Jump - 1. Walters, Woodsboro; 2. Smith, Tuloso-Midway; 3. Nix, Tuloso-Midway; 4. Norton, Tuloso-Midway. Best Distance — 18' 5".

Ernst Henry Camehl of Victoria spent the weekend in Rockport with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Camehl.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eller and son of Victoria visited his mother, Mrs. G. H. Eller Saturday and Sunday.

Jim B. Cloberdants and Johnnie Sapp of the University of Houston spent the weekend in Rockport with Mr. and Mrs. Fred

ROCKPORT PTA ELECTS OFFICERS

Officers have been elected by the Rockport Parent Teacher As-

The slate included Ran Wilde president; Mrs. Grady West, first vice president; Mrs. C. C. Atch-120 yard high hurdles — 1. Jack Sparks, third vice president; ley, second vice president; Mrs. Bennett, George West; 2. Davis, Mrs. Agnes Currie, recording secretary; Mrs. Ted Little, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Don

Delegates were named to the District Conference which will convene in Alice, April 2 - 4 and are Wilde, Mrs. West, Mrs. 440 yard dash — 1. Martin, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Currie, Mrs. March 14. The Brownies gather-Tuloso-Midway; 2. Satsky, Aran-C. C. Hayden and Mrs. S. F.

Mrs. Earle Thomas, president, will also represent the group.

Miss Sallie Warden and Miss Mary Evelyn Mundine were host-880 yard run — 1. Korth, York- esses for a shower last Thursday man Mundine was the scene of the courtesv.

The tea table, covered with a lace cloth, had for a centerpiece an arrangement of pink sweet- Students At Luncheon

Thirty-eight were in attendance. including Mrs. Monta McNorton, Mrs. J. R. McNorton, Mrs. James gram presented by Dave Segler, McNorton and Mrs. Karl Bartels master of ceremonies. Barbara of Corpus Christi and Miss Jeanne Mullinax and Mrs. Carl McCabe is preparing for Interscholastic of San Antonio.

ELLIOT-HUGHES CLINIC

Mr. and Mrs. Glafrio Solis are Weber as his guest; Jack Baird, parents of a 8 lb. boy born March Sr., was host-to Carl Vickers. 18th in the Aransas Hospital.

Mrs. Bill Etheridge was admitobservation.

Hospital under observation.

Miss Sarabelle Smith had surg-

Mrs. L. W. Williams of San Antonio visited last week with Mikeal.



Fulton Brownie Scout Troop 43 Mrs. Merritt Hulett was hostess to Brownie Scout Troop 43 at her ed the necessary types of wood for basic fires which they then built. While the fires burned down games were played and the girls gathered shells. Then each girl roasted wieners over the coals.

Brownie Scouts present were Florence Casterline, Lynn Campbell, Sallie McCord and Susan Hulett. Guests included Yvonne Graham, Elidia Benavidez, Mary Hulett, Mrs. F. L. McCord, troop leader and Mrs. Hulett.

Lions Club Hears

The Lions Club, at their luncheon Tuesday, listened to a pro-Schuster gave the declamation she competition, and Charia Hare recited a poem that she intends to present in the same meeting. A. C. Shivers presented Jordan

One new member, Elva Mullinax, was introduced to the club. In the business meeting, the ted to the Aransas Hospital for Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville was discussed, and it was brought out that anyone having Mike Solis is in the Aransas a child that they wished sent to the camp should contact Jack Baird, Sr.

A director's meeting of the club ery Friday morning and is going was held earlier in the week, at the home of Milton Harrell, at the Port Bay Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bartlett and her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Travis of San Antonio spent the weekend in Rockport.

Mr. Edgar Barber who underand doing nicely.

Mr. Charlie Stryker of Clifton, wen surgery in the Spohn Hospi- Texas, brother of Ira Stryker of tal last week is now at home this city passed away the 16th of March, 1957.



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Circle One of the First Presbyterian Church met March 14, 9:30 a. m., in the home of Mrs. J. W. Ingersoll. The hostess, asto sell - 1/2 price; children's bath sisted by Miss Myra Ingersoll, served coffee, home-made cookies and candy, to her guests upon arrival, numbering 11 members and 2 guests. The circle co-chairman, Mrs. Harry Lee Mills presided at the meeting. The Bible sure for himself. 'Nationalism vs. Internationalism." Mrs. F. C. McCord led the "Let's Talk About" period, on Evangelism. The circle voted to give the day's cash donation to the White Cross quota, toward the purchase of medical supplies; also to make several baby dresses for White Cross. Ten visits and ninteen cards sent were reported by the Visitation chairman. The next meeting will be at the church, April 11th, at 9:30 a. m., with Mrs. Lloyd Smith as hostess. Mrs. Pat Greene will be the Bible Study leader.

ACCIDENT NEAR ROCKPORT

ard Dominguez, 22, escaped serious treasure. injury Friday when their car ran off the embankment by the beach to the four-mule stages with their road and overturned twice.

were reported in satisfactory con-

ton to Rockport.

parently failed to make a curve to a convent in San Antonio. and ran off the road and over Later he escaped, and in some the 21/2-foot embankment. It came way returned to his desolate home. to rest on its top.

BROWNIE TROOP 58 MEETS

Brownie Troop 58 met at the Little House, March 20. A skit was read and acted out by the girls. This troop will fly up into Girl Scouts this year and spend a great deal of the time on their tenderfoot requirements. Refreshments were served to Sherry Brundrett, Jan Clark, Mary Lou Johnson, Linda Salge, Sue Taylor, Elizabeth Pena by Bobbie Tay-

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scott are moving to San Antonio to be near their daughter.

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Treasure Trove -

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became evident that something They checked and rechecked the location; they dug tons of sand, going deeper and deeper until quicksand made their efforts use- \$40 per month, bills paid. North

Frusteration turned to fear; fear turned to doubt, and doubt turned to anger, with Vinson and the priest accusing each other of treachery. The priest accused Vin-

searching for the treasure."

ly buried the good father's re- speech on "What's Ahead for Audubon Society sanctuary in the mains in the hole they had dug. Business in '57". These students Second Chain of Islands, its color pipe right in the hole, and can searching for the gold, and left will attend the interscholastic contrasting with those other pink be unlocked in this position, never on their long journey to Mexico League contest in Woodsboro on birds of the Texas coast, the ro- causing the line to move after

Vinson, embittered, aging, and almost insane with disappointment, quickly uncovered the body and took the priest's half of the map from the bosom of his robe and then, as the days went by, con-Gabriel Benavides, 20, and Rich- tinued his search for the hoard of At times he denied right-of-way

passengers, accusing them of ob-They were taken to Aransas literating the landmarks by which Pass Hospital unconscious but he hoped to find the gold. At other times, as he grew older, he molested the settlers at the south end The accident occurred about 5 of the island, robbing their garp. m. about two miles north of dens and chickenroosts, and oc-Rockport. The car, driven by Bena- casionally killing a calf when he vides, was headed south from Ful- couldn't find a deer. At last they captured him, half-wild, hairy, in-Sheriff A. C. Shivers said it ap- sane and old, and packed him off

> alone except for the sand and sea, and there he disappeared from the knowledge of men.

since been consumed by time and the shifting dunes. But the eerie light of Vinson's torch may still be seen, according to fishermen who frequent Cedar Bavou, a lantern borne by a shade that stumbles over the dunes and along the endless beaches.

Little still has a portion of the map, given to him by an oldtimer on the island, who said that he found it in Vinson's ramshackle home after the beachcomber disappeared, and in recent years one other clue has appeared to point con, Flossie Lown, Rita Matthews, the water side. the way towards the treasure.

mouth of Cedar Bayou some years Shirley Owens, and Susan San- latest techniques are used to preago, picked up an ancient brooch chez. in his net, made of virgin gold, studded with diamonds. A number of neople around Rockport remem- ning at 6:30 when we play Sun- times. ber that, and they remember even deen. better its estimated worth - in excess of \$10,000.

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of courthouse. McGill Cottages.

PIRATE NEWS Asseambly Held

Tuesday morning the son of removing the treasure Speech Department presented an harlequins, three kinds of scoters, inch, and I have used it on eightwhile he was gone; Vinson ac- assembly of the speech contestants ruddys, three kinds of mergensers, inch without any trouble, though cused the priest of trying to entering the interscholastic league either as individuals or in flocks it wasn't originally designed for hoodwink him and keep the trea- contest. The students presented the audience with an entertaining ever seen. Anger turned to violence, and half-hour of material that they Stduy lesson was led by Mrs. A. Vinson struck the priest over the will give in contest. Barbara C. Faucett, on the subject of head, a terrible blow with a piece Schuster presented for senior girl's have been seen by Mrs. Hagar, rig is its cheapness and ease of of driftwood, causing his death, declamation the "Hall of Heroes". or by ornithologists staying with operation. It takes only two but not before he had pronounced Lenore Faber who is entering the her and her husband at their tour- and a boat to operate. The jet a curse on the beachcomber: "That junior girl's declamation present- ist court, Rockport Cottages, which job takes two big barges, four or his soul should have no rest, and ed "Two Portraits". Charia Hare is a sort of unofficial University five men, and a boat, and another that he should spend eternity read "My Patch of Blue" for of Birds of the South Texas Coast. rig, used by Humble takes about girl's poetry reading. To conclude There was the incredible flamin- the same equipment and labor, al-The superstitious soldiers, afraid the program Roy DeForest gave go that popped up one morning though it uses a plough instead even to kill a man accursed, quick- a five-minute extemporaneous among the birds on Carroll Island, of the jets. March 30.

Junior Play Being Cast

stage April 25 - 26. 1-Act Play Contest Held

play contest was held last Tuesday the world where Mrs. Hagar's evening in Woodsboro. Aransas watchful eye spotted them. County was presented with the 1-act play, "Shadow of a Dream". Those participating were Hank terested in them and who has Schleider, lawyer; Myra Ingersoll, his wife; Marilyn Morrison, bers and variety of the birds is maid; Roy DeForest, the butler; and Shirley Owen, state's witness. western, eastern, northern, Mexi-

March 30 in Woodsboro.

Mrs. Iris Sorenson, Mrs. Florence Horton, and Mr. J. W. Inger-The driftwood shack has long soll were sponsors for the trip. Clubs to Meet

Next week on Thursday is the regular meeting day for all clubs. Volleyball Begun The girl's volleyball teams play-

the scores being 15-11 and 15-10.

Geraldine Wright, Clara Rodri-Big Teney, shrimper from Port guez, Robbie Bocquet, Janice Bate- fuge is an excellent demonstration Aransas, dragging a trawl off the man, Maud Jarboe, Sue James, of conservation in action, as the The next girl's volleyball game

will be held here Thursday eve-

Mrs. John T. Slocum is the new president of Presbyterian Circle

tem were dried up.

Mrs. Hagar -

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migrating to Central and South America.

Rockport is a small fishing and resort village on Aransas Bay, situated on a peninsula where stand great groves of live oaks, leaning before the southeast trade winds, forming the only habitat ctf of its kind in miles and miles of capital of America. Texas prairies, narrowing the funnel still further. Through this fununfurnished. Will consider furnish- nel in the spring and fall pour ctf tremendous waves of thousands Rockport, and her careful reportof swallows, buntings, warblers, orioles, flycatchers and many other land birds.

The aried habitat, comprising as it does woodland, bays, swamp, prairie, attracts not only land birds in the migrations and for summer nesting, but is also suited to the anyone, but she has been asked to needs of waterfowl and shore birds, which also come along the coastline.

Great flights of birds move north or south every month of furnished apartment, air condi- the year, often tens of thousands tioned. Couple only. Phone 803, of a single land or water species of them made through her knowlctf passing through at one time. The edge of birds and nature. FOR REN: Modern 4-room numbers, according to ornitholoctf | gists, are incredible, and probably FOR RENT OR SALE: 4 room such a flood of birds is found

In addition, during the nesting season, islands north of Rockment close to town, monthly rates. port support great nesting coloctf nies of gulls, terns, ibises of several kinds, roseate spoonbills, pelicans, bitterns, several sorts of egrets and herons, black skimmers, and similar waterfowl.

> especially in spring and fall, there are hordes of wading birds such as willet, curlews, stilts, avocets, oyster catchers, many, many species of plover, godwits, sandpipers, and avocets, each in its season.

The ducks and geese come in in fall, and the roster of species includes practically every sort FOR RENT: Nicely furnished found on the continent. There are Canadas, Lesser Canadas, Hut-FOR RENT: Furnished home, Lesser Snow geese, and American p50 brants among the anserine tribes. There are black-bellied tree ducks (occasionally), fulvous tree ducks (nesting), mallards, black, mottled, the rig on, and start down the p50 gadwells, European widgeon, bald- line. It the trench isn't deep pates, pirtails, three kinds of enough when you come to the teals, shoveller, wood ducks, red- end, you just turn the boat around heads, ring-necked ducks, canvas- and make another pass or two, backs, two kinds of scaups, golden- until you get the thing as deep as eyes, buffleheads, olf squaws, you want. It works fine on fourgreater than most people have that. The hardest is two-inch line,

Then, too, there are rarities that | The great advantage of Little's

seate spoonbills, and making its trenching is over. identification easy. Then there was the sooty shearwater that almost The Junior class has chosen the made a number of ornithologists said, "we've buried more than halfpresent as the junior play a ro- flip their lids: it just couldn't a-million feet of line at about mantic comedy entitled, "One In be there, but it was, just like half the cost to the company that A Lifetime". Parts are being cast the albino hummingbird that she we used to charge, and although this week. The play will go on reported from out towards the every bit of its has been inspecttip of the peninsula, or the Afri- ed by the Corps of Engineers, can cattle egrets which made their we've never had a foot of trench The Interscholastic league 1-act first appearance in this part of or line rejected."

To anyone not interested in birds, or to anyone that is innever lived in Rockport, the numalmost unbelievable. Here meet Bishop took first place with can, oceanic, and freshwater spethe winning play, "Muncaf Med- cies. In one day, April 25, 1953, ford". Mathis won second place Mrs. Hagar and six people with with "Gray Bread". The rest of her, saw 216 species of birds in the district contest will be held one day, and thousands upon thousands of individuals.

To add to the importance of the region, on the Aransas Wildlife Refuge, just up the road a little piece from Rockport, is the last home of the whooping cranes, where they come each year from their far off nesting grounds in Wood Buffalo National Park near ed their first game last Tuesday the Artic Circle in Canada. Rocknight in Ingleside. The senior high port is the headquarters for viewlost both of their games the scores ing this refuge, and practically being 15-7 and 15-2. The junior everyone that comes to see the high lost both of their games also whoopers puts up at one of the tourist courts in this area, and The girl's playing on the team drives the 25 or 30 miles by road, are: Faye Washington, Prissy or takes a charter boat out of Fields, Ann Stephens, Mary Fal- here, and visits the refuge from

Besides the whoopers, the Reserve the other game and birds on the area, while experimental work is being carried on at all

To the south of Rockport about as far as the Aransas Refuge lies to the north, is another, the Rob and Bessie Welder Wildlife Foundation of Sinton, directed by Dr. Clarence Cottam, former as-A man whose normal weight is sistant director of the U.S. Fish 150 pounds would weigh about 50 and Wildlife Service, and an ornipounds if all the water in his sys- thologist of international note. He, as time permits, is elaborating

Mrs. Hagar's field observations from the scientific standpoint.

There, as on the Aransas sanctus ary, are deer, wild turkey, javelinas, bobcats, armadilloes, and a whole host of other South Texas animals that are of interest to the naturalist.

Hence, Rockport, lying between these two points, and with its magnificent bird fauna there for everyone to see, is probably the bird

Mrs. Hagar's part in the whole scheme is her continued, accurate. day-by-day observations around ing that has served to clear up many mysteries of migration and bird behavior. This sounds simple but it has been and is a life-tin job. In addition to this, she has been an evangelist of birds. She never presses her knowledge on talk from one end of Texas to the other, by schools, clubs, service organizations, college classes, and anyone else in search of a tremendously interesting and vital speaker. She has friends everywhere, most

Sometime back, Life carried her picture and a few lines on her work, thus publicly acknowledging what these friends could have told the editors without any prompting Connie Hagar is a very remarkable woman.

Seeks Patent -

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had a contract to bury 20,000 feet Along the shores of the bays, of line for Atlantic and there were times when I thought we weren't going to make it, and I'm sure the company didn't.

"After while, however, we worked out the one we have now, and on which we're getting a patent. It's an elongated sleeve that can be fitted over the pipe line and locked home. This sleeve share along the line, and the plowing device on the bottom makes a trench in which the pipe is retained by another gadget on top of the rig.

"Now, all you have to do is lock because it's so limber.'

On Little's gadget, it lays the

"Since I got it worked out," Ted

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and son have gone to Oklahoma and Kansas to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis and Buck spent Thursday and Friday on Matagorda Island fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schleider visited in Tivoli Sunday.

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