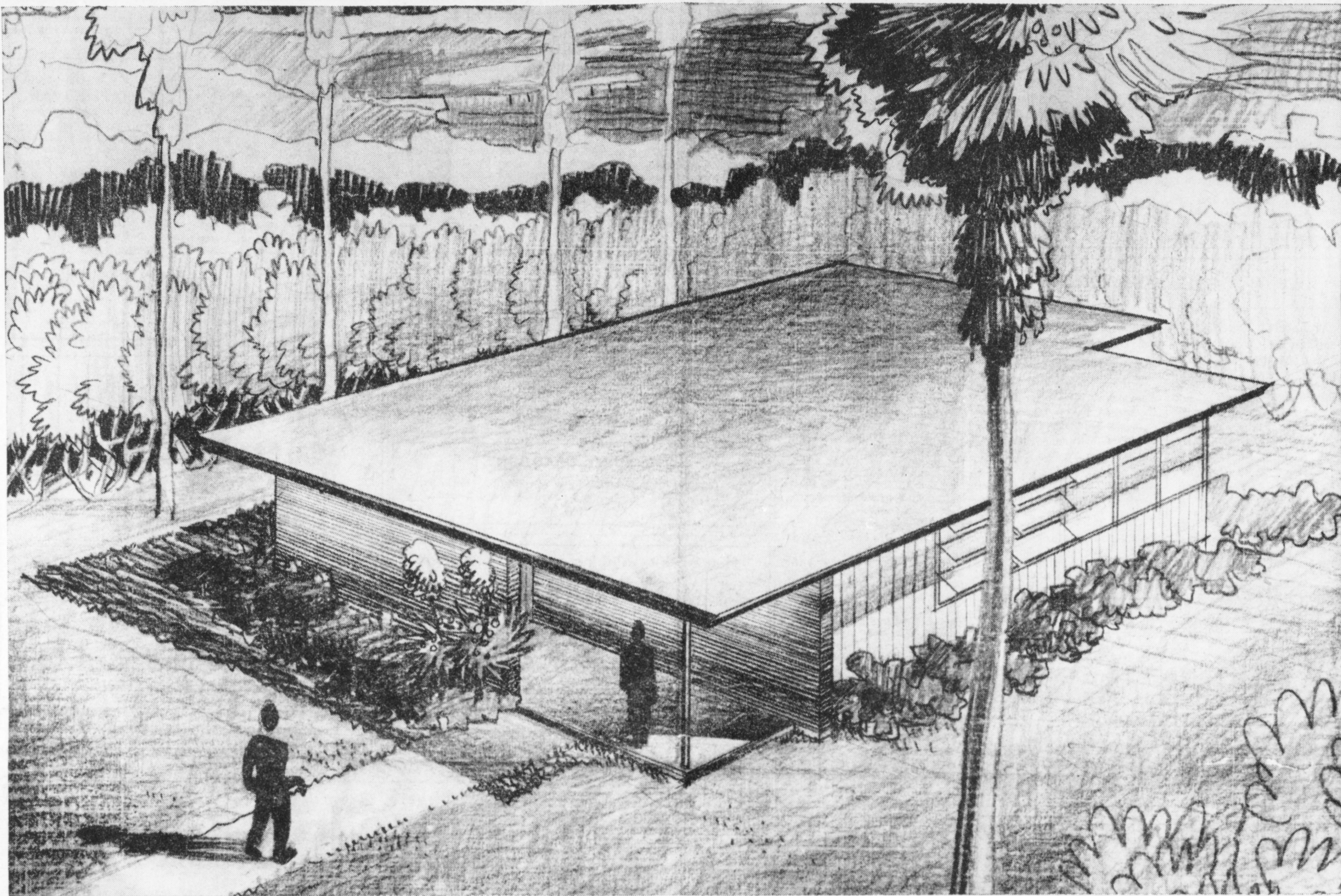




PROPOSED NEW HOME FOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE—
At a directors' meeting held Monday night the above drawing of a proposed Chamber of Commerce building was discussed and preliminary plans for construction were enthusiastically endorsed. The proposed building site is on Navigation Board property directly south, across the street from the Woman's Club building, at the Yacht Basin. The building will consist of a secretary-manager's office and a directors' meeting room with a porch running the

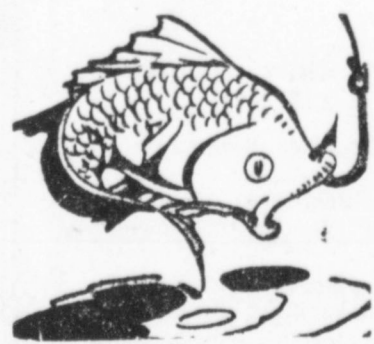
full length of the building. Detailed building specifications are not complete at the present time, as slight modifications as to size and accommodations have been recommended by the directors. However, such modification will not change the character of the building.

The directors of the chamber are most anxious that all persons in the community share in this complimentary civic project. Such a building on that proposed, desirable location, will consti-

tute both a convenient service installation and an architecturally attractive addition to the community and is certain to impress visitors to the area.

The chamber officials believe that plans for the construction of this building should proceed because of very generous offers already made by chamber members and local contractors and suppliers, but it is going to need the contributions of everyone to make it a reality.

Along The Waterfront



The cool norther this week blew the fish out again for a few days but they are coming back as some places report nice catches of gaff top and some trout are reported. There have been several nice strings of gaff top caught at Perry Jones' Wharf last week and one fisherman caught a nice string of trout Wednesday morning. Archie McLester caught a 40 pound drum the first of the week.

Mrs. Ratisseau reports several fishermen during the week and they caught anywhere from 18 (Continued on page 8)

May Fete Program At High School Gym Friday Night

Friday night, May 11 is the date set for the May Fete program in the high school gymnasium. Everyone is urged to attend. The time is 8 p. m.

Admission will be 15c for children and 35c for adults. Tickets are now on sale by members of the junior class.

Western Natural Gas Line Preliminary Survey Made

Preliminary surveys have been completed for a 20-mile 12-inch natural gas line from the St. Charles Field in the north part of Aransas County to the new Reynolds aluminum plant being built near Gregory.

Western Natural Gas Co., which acquired the St. Charles acreage from Continental Oil Co. several years ago, will build the new gas line.

The Reynolds plant is expected to use about 40 million cubic feet of gas daily, and has contracts with both Western Natural and Houston Natural Gas Co. Full details of the contracts will be announced in a few days, Reynolds officials said Saturday.

Meantime, prospects of new development in the Fulton Beach-Copano Bay area still were holding the exploration area, while 2 wells tested. Both wells had cut faults which may separate them from Fulton Beach production.

Western Natural continued to test its big gas-distillate wildcat discovery, and several Fulton area tests were starting, as was a wildcat down in the Aransas Pass area.

Western Natural Gas Co. No. 13 St. Charles Ranch Co. which found gas-distillate pay at 10,320-60 feet, had run another gas-distillate test about 50 feet up the hole, then tested salt water in the 9,900-foot sand and was running another test in that zone.

On drillstem test on 96-shot perforations at 10,260-84 feet, 3/4-inch chokes, working pressure was 3,025 pounds and the well flowed gas (Continued on page 5)

Improvements On Softball Field Total \$2,500

Improvements of the approximate value of \$2,500 have been placed on the Rockport softball field. These improvements consist of building bleachers, fencing grounds, building back-stop, grading grounds, and resetting light poles.

The plans and supervision of work has been under Julius Malchar, a member of the City Park Board, and the construction of the bleachers and fencing was done by Edwin Ballou and assistants. This job has been possible through the cooperation of every one. In the first place the City Park Board, Softball Teams Division, is a joint project of the City of Rockport who furnished the site, and the Chamber of Commerce who furnished the personnel of Fred A. Bracht, chairman; James H. Sorenson Jr., treasurer; Raymond Roberts, Julius Malchar, Travis Johnson and Urban Hemmi.

Upon being organized last year three adult men's teams, the Sun Oilers, Humble Oilers, and Malchar's Cafe, and two women's teams, Liquefied Gas Co. and Dickson Drilling Co. were organized and were allotted the field for one night a week. Youth Night, under Elbert Mundine, was allotted one night a week. This year Youth Night has been allotted two nights a week.

The playing schedule will start Friday night, May 11 when the (Continued on page 5)

Coastal Bend Council of Chambers of Commerce Meet In Bishop Monday

Alex Scott, president of the local chamber of commerce; Mrs. Mary Juergens, secretary-manager, and Mr. and Mrs. Clark C. Wren will attend the May meeting of the Coastal Bend Council of Chambers of Commerce on Monday night, 14 at 7:30 o'clock in the Bishop High School cafeteria.

The subject for discussion for the evening will be "Farm Labor For the Cotton Harvest." Anyone in this area interested in this subject is invited to attend this meeting. Please make reservations with Mrs. Juergens at the chamber of commerce office, phone 825.

Dickson Girls Meet Naval Air Nurses Here Friday Night, May 11

The Cotton Dickson girls softball team will meet the Naval Air Station Nurses team of Corpus Christi in Rockport Friday night, May 11 at 7:30. This should prove to be a very exciting game and all softball fans are urged to come out.

The Dickson Girls will journey to Alice on Friday, May 14 for a match in that city.

Dance Saturday Night At V.F.W. Hall

The V.F.W. auxiliary will sponsor a dance at the V.F.W. hall Saturday night, May 12. Music will be furnished by the Copa Cabana orchestra. A door prize will be awarded.

Jess Neely to Speak At Dedication of Softball Field

Jess Neely, director of athletics and head football coach at Rice Institute, has accepted an invitation to speak at the dedication of the Dickson Memorial Field to be held on Friday night, May 18.

The dedication will take place at Dickson Memorial Field at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Inez Lee Dickson, widow of the late W. A. "Cotton" Dickson, for whom the field is named, will be presented with an illuminated scroll by Mayor Travis Bailey on behalf of the City of Rockport. The scroll is being prepared under the direction of Simon D. Michael, nationally known artist who resides here.

MOVIE STARS, GOLF PROS VISIT CITY

Sunday night Glen McCarthy, Houston oilman, and party arrived in his plane from Houston. They were guests at the summer home of T. I. Larsen, on South Beach. The party consisting of Yvonne de Carlo, Clara Campbell, John Agar, John Carroll, Paul Mantz, Jimmy Demaret, Jack Burke Jr., Frank Moncrief Jr., Linton B. Carney and Billy Gray, went to the Gulf Monday on Larsen's boat "Suma" in charge of Jimmy Ross and Pete Ramirez.

At 4:30 p. m. Monday the party left Rockport aboard McCarthy's plane for Mexico.

Miss Gay Julian and Jimmy R. Hopkins are guests of their aunt, Mrs. Mollye Davis this week.

SATURDAY SET AS CLEANUP-UP DAY FOR ROCKPORT

The clean-up campaign which is sponsored by the Rockport Lions Club and was to have taken place last Saturday, but was postponed because of the serious illness of Sheriff A. R. Curry. Mr. Curry is somewhat improved and the clean-up will take place next Saturday, May 12, with Jack Hagar in charge and he and other members of the Lions Club will appreciate all the help offered.

The clean-up will start near the Jane Ellen Motel and will continue from that point to the south end of town. Rockport elementary school children have been contacted and asked to help collect the rubbish and place it in sacks. The Lions Club will pay them by the bag for collecting the trash. The children and other workers are asked to meet in front of Johnson's Sinclair Station at 8 a. m. Saturday morning.

Industrial Arts Dept. To Display Projects At High School

Phillip Baldwin, teacher in the Industrial Arts Department in the Rockport High School, reports that his students will have a display of woodwork and mechanical drawings in the elementary building at the school, on May 15, 16, and 17.

One project and one drawing from each student in the class will be on display and the public, especially patrons of the school, are requested to come and view this exhibit.

Annual Spring Band and Choral Concert May 15

The Fulton Elementary Choral Club and the Rockport High School band will appear in joint concert at the Rockport High School auditorium at 8 p. m. Tuesday, May 15. An interesting program has been arranged and the general public is invited to attend. There will be no admission charged.

Grady Kincannon is the director of the high school band.

The program follows: "Star Spangled Banner," band and choir.

"Onward Christian Soldiers," and "When the Works All Done This Fall," choir.

"Anchors Aweigh," band. "Old Black Joe" and "God Bless America," choir.

Other numbers on the program are: "Star Dust," "Twin Eagles March," "Luzerne—Overture, On the Alert," "Red Rhythm Valley," Rhythm Arrangement "Golden (Continued on page 5)

CITIZENS URGED TO RENDER PROPERTY FOR TAXATION

Citizens of Aransas County are urged to go by the courthouse and render their property for taxation. This becomes quite necessary because of the illness of Sheriff A. R. Curry.

Those who do not render their property for taxation cannot claim exemption from state tax on their homestead.

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Gulf Coast Area News

One of Largest Ranches In Matagorda County Sold for \$300,000

One of the largest recent land transactions in Matagorda County was made recently when 4,570 acres of land in the Kuykendall Ranch, east of Wadsworth, was sold to Cornelius Cattle Company for \$300,000.—Palacios Beacon.

Entries Open for Boat Races At July Fourth Carnival

Stock boat racers over a wide area are being invited to participate in the second annual Fourth of July Carnival, sponsored by the Palacios Lions Club.

Those registering by June 15 will qualify for a handsome special trophy.—Palacios Beacon.

Aransas Pass Voters Will Decide On Framing New Charter for City

Shall a commission be chosen to frame a new charter for the city of Aransas Pass? That question will be decided by the voters of the city in an election scheduled for June 12.—The Aransas Pass Progress.

Building Permits Show Gain In Taft for April

A total of \$30,650.00 in building permits were issued during the month of April. They include a garage apartment, a duplex and garage apartment, a commercial store building and a residence.—The Taft Tribune.

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Loyalty Day Observance Commended

Veterans of Foreign Wars Refugio County Post 6190 Commander C. E. Brandon thanked the business houses of Refugio who displayed flags on May 1. This day is marked by the International Communists as their Labor Day, and is being set in the United States by Loyalty Day.

The Communists have as an ultimate goal the overthrow of different world governments with the substitution of the communist way of life, and they are accomplishing this in our country through the indifference of some of our people.—Refugio Timely Remarks.

Newspaper People Join Tidelands Scrap

Newspaper people, 163 strong, meeting in San Antonio on April 21, unanimously approved Texas' fight to return the tidelands to the people of the Lone Star State.

The South Texas Press Association in the Alamo City, passed a stirring resolution setting forth the press' opinions regarding the big grab of federal officials in taking away the tidelands and absorbing the funds that supported the schools of Texas.—Goliad Advance-Guard.

\$300,000 Bond Election Called for Saturday, May 26

Portland commissioners met Tuesday night and called a \$300,000 bond election for May 26. There are three issues to be voted on separately. They are: \$130,000 for an improved water system; \$100,000 for a sanitary sewer system; and \$70,000 for a gas system.—Gregory-Portland Observer.

Refugio Lions Appeal For Blood Donors

An appeal is being made by the Refugio Lions Club for every one to answer the call to have their blood typed.

Today we are still blest with no bloodshed on our shores, but who knows? Tomorrow may be a different story. Our boys in Korea are giving 24 hours a day and gallons of blood. Surely we can spare a few minutes and a drop.—Refugio Timely Remarks.

Two-wheel Chairs Given Hospital by Refugio V.F.W.

Two wheel chairs and a set of crutches have been donated to the Refugio County Hospital by the Refugio County Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.—Refugio Timely Remarks.

Taft Women Are Spreading Cheer Among Naval Hospital Patients

Women of Taft are spreading cheer at the Naval Air Station hospital in Corpus Christi, through Friday afternoon entertainment sponsored by different church groups.—The Taft Tribune.

V.F.W. Offers Fair Use of Buildings

The Odem V.F.W. Post 8916 voted to offer the San Patricio County Fair Association six acres of land that lies adjacent to the post lawn for a permanent site for the county fair barns and pens. The use of the post hall building for 4-H Club and other exhibits was also made available to the fair association for exhibition purposes.—The Taft Tribune.

Toland Brothers Plan Number of Houses in Taft

The Toland Construction Co. is currently building the first of a number of housing units for resale in Taft. The houses will have five rooms and be of frame construction. They will contain about 1,000 square feet and sell for approximately \$10,000.—The Taft Tribune.



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Five Hundred Kids In May Fete Friday

Five hundred and thirty elementary school children will take part in the fourth annual May Fete that begins Friday night at 7:30 at the high school football stadium.

Humorous highlight of the "Holiday Parade" theme will be live Indians, an Indian village, and turkeys in the Thanksgiving portrayal, and live rabbits to enliven the Easter presentation.—Palacios Beacon.

Town Cleaner As Campaign Is Completed

The clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign for Refugio is over as far as the official date is concerned, but lets not neglect our city the rest of the year. The people of Refugio have done a swell job. Lets keep it up. If you doubt cleaning was done, just drop by the city dump grounds.—Refugio Timely Remarks.

CAP Organizational Meeting In Sinton Thursday Night

A meeting to organize a Civil Air Patrol squadron for the Sinton area has been set for Thursday night of next week.

The main reason for organizing and operating a senior member squadron here is to secure a cadet training program for boys and girls from 15 to 18 years of age who are students in the Sinton High School.—The Sinton Enterprise.

New Bus Station Opening Friday

Formal opening of the new Missouri Pacific Bus Station has been set for Friday, May 4. The new station is of masonry construction with a plate glass front and provides a large waiting room and rest rooms for bus patrons.

Free coffee and doughnuts will be served all day Friday.—The Aransas Pass Progress.

Plymouth Oil Co. Plans \$250,000 Building in Sinton

The Plymouth Oil Company this week announced tentative plans for the construction of a new office building at Sinton.

W. M. (Mike) Griffith, general manager of the company, said that the two story building proposed would cover three-fourths of a city block and would cost approximately \$250,000.—The Sinton Enterprise.

Inaugural Band Plays Two Concerts in Beeville

The inaugural band of the presidents will circle the rafters of Beasley auditorium next Monday with the enduring melodies of Arthur Pryor, John Phillip Sousa, and George Gershwin.

The band, frequently in demand at the White House, is making its appearance here under the personal direction of Lt. Comdr. Chas. Brendler, U.S.N.—Beeville Bee-Peayune.

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Leon Brundrett Completes Aircraft Carrier Training

Pensacola, Fla.—Naval Aviation Cadet Leon P. Brundrett of the United States Navy took off and landed his SNJ "Texan" trainer six successive times recently aboard the USS Monterey, cruising in the Gulf of Mexico, to complete his aircraft carrier qualifications.

Cadet Brundrett, son of Mrs. C. M. Brundrett of Alta Loma, enlisted in the Navy in Oct. of 1949 and served until he was accepted in the Naval Aviation Flight training program. He reported to Pensacola, Florida, "The Annapolis of the Air" in April of 1950 and has completed a stringent schedule in military, academic, physical and flight training.

From Pensacola, he has been sent to advanced training at Corpus Christi, Texas. This will be a four month syllabus in combat type aircraft. Graduation from advanced training will win him the coveted Navy wings of gold.

Mrs. Manch Brundrett is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Kell and family, in Bruni, Texas.

Mrs. Albert Hunt came over from Corpus Christi Thursday afternoon and attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. H. G. Smith.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for all the kind and generous deeds that were shown us in our time of sorrow.

Special thanks go to Dr. H. F. Elliot for his faithful service as a doctor and a friend.

Mr. Ham G. Smith and Children. p4

Miss Arlene Morris of Port Lavaca, spent the weekend in Rockport with friends.

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Services are held in the Christian Science Church in Aransas Pass on Sundays at 11 a.m. Sunday School is held at the Woman's Club building at 11 a.m.

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Rev. T. H. Pollard
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Sunday School at 10:00.
Worship Service at 11:00.
Evening Service at 7:30.
Men's Meeting 1st Monday of month, 7:30 p.m.
Pioneer Young People meet Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
Senior Young People's Meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.
Women of the Church, 4th Thursday, 3:00.
Evening Circle, 2nd Monday at 7:30 p.m.
Circle 1 meets 2nd Thursday at 3:00.
Circle 2 meet 3rd Thursday at 3:00.

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Rev. Lee Bateman
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Sunday School at 10:00.
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Evening Services at 8:00.
Wednesday night services, 8:00.
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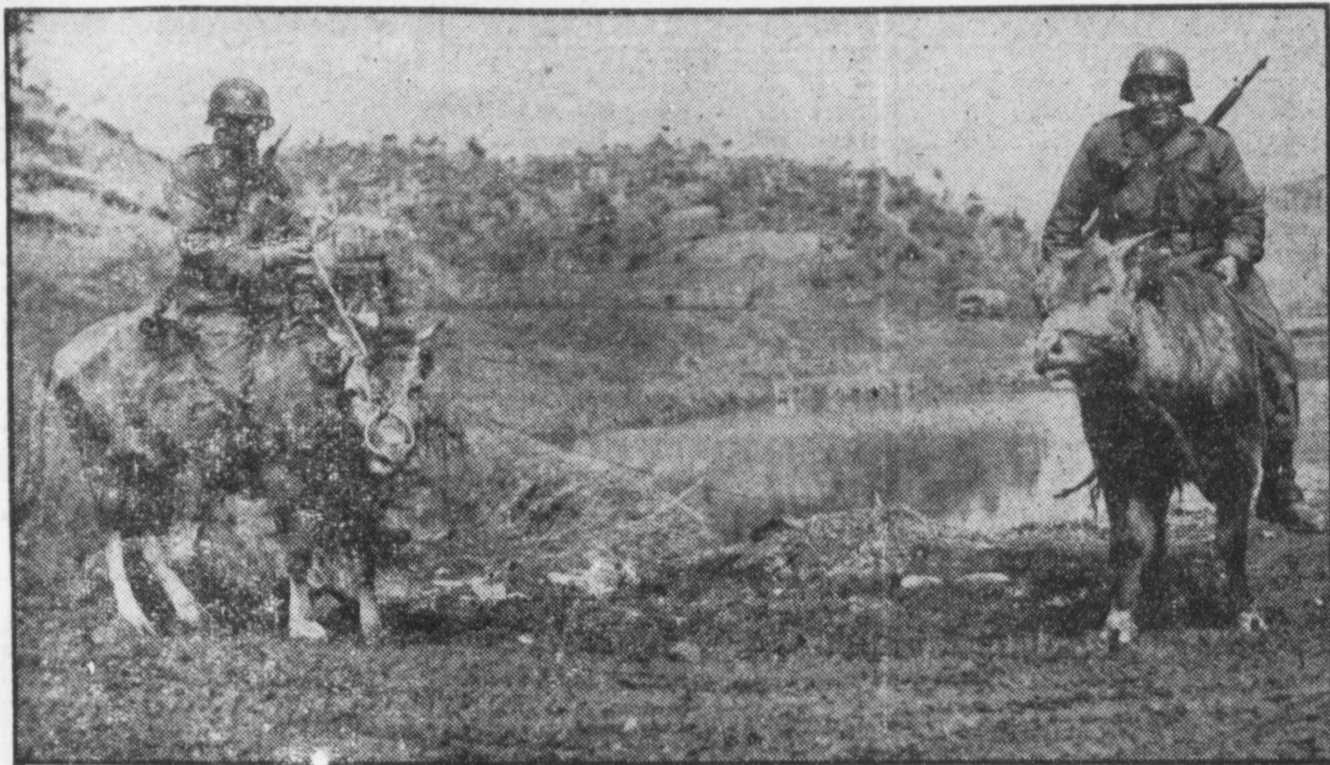
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LIVING UP TO THEIR NAME—G.I.'s of the First Cavalry Division hopped aboard a pair of oxen in Central Korea in what might have been an attempt to prove that the word "cavalry" still has some meaning. Rough and muddy terrain may have also entered into their decision to ride.

Bobby Joe Hewitt Receives Degree

The University of Texas College of Business Administration has 288 candidates for Bachelor of Business Administration degrees June 2, Dean William R. Spriegel has announced.

Among those scheduled to receive this degree is Bobby Joe Hewitt, a Rockport boy, whose many friends will be glad to hear of his success.

Rotary Dinner Meeting Wednesday at Noon

The Rockport Rotary Club enjoyed their dinner meeting in the Methodist annex Wednesday noon. One visitor was present, Jim Eddy, of Austin.

Members of the club discussed different projects of work which they might undertake, but no definite action was taken.

The program consisted of songs by the members.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mullinax Sr. and daughters, Linda and Judy, were in Wallace Saturday and spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Noble Evans and family.

Eugene J. Johnson left Friday morning for Buffalo, Leon County, Texas, to attend a memorial and family reunion of the Johnson family. Mr. Johnson will visit an uncle at Mahara and go to Groesbeck and visit in the home of an aunt before returning to Rockport.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mundine and Miss Ina Zoe Demory returned Monday afternoon from a trip to West Texas and New Mexico. They visited Carlsbad Cavern and other places of interest while they were away.



FOR SALE: ONE TOWN—Here's your chance to complete an unusual real estate deal. As the sign says, the town of Nahma, Mich., worth about \$2,500,000, is on the block for 10 cents on the dollar. Price includes sawmill, railroad—engine above—and harbor with docks. The Bay de Noquet Lumber Co., owners of the town, are pulling out because there's no more timber to cut.

GYMNASIUM IS SCENE OF JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET SATURDAY

The Rockport High School gymnasium was a perfect setting for the Junior-Senior Banquet held there Saturday night, May 5 at 8 o'clock.

One-half of the ceiling of the gymnasium was covered with moss and the other half and sides were decorated with crepe paper and there was a profusion of many varieties and colors of spring flowers used about the room.

The head table was centered with a cart holding a beautiful doll and on green paths leading from the cart were other dolls dressed in pastel shades of net. The other tables were decorated with fern and red flowers. Favors were miniature water sprinklers with a spade and rake, and the nut cups were miniature water sprinklers.

Ladies of the V.F.W. auxiliary prepared the banquet, which consisted of fruit juice, turkey with cranberry sauce, gravy, potatoes, English peas, tossed salad, hot rolls, and iced tea. The dessert was ice cream and gold cake squares. Girls from the elementary and high school served the banquet.

Dancing was enjoyed from 9 until 1 o'clock.

Miss Marmette McBride from Tacoma, Wash., is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. McBride and her brother, John. When she leaves Rockport Miss McBride will go to Dallas where she has a position.

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CONGRATULATIONS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stephens in the Aransas Pass hospital Sunday morning. He has been named James Daniel.

There were two new cars registered at the Aransas County courthouse last week: Aransas Butone Gas Co., 1951 Chevrolet truck and W. S. Kelly, 1951 Ford sedan.

Will Porter of Jewett, Texas, returned with Eugene J. Johnson and is spending the week in the Johnson home.

Conrad Richter Receives Pulitzer Award

Conrad Richter received the Pulitzer Award for the best book of the year. This is the highest honor awarded in the United States. "The Town" is the title of the book by Mr. Richter.

Mr. Richter is a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hagar and spent two months with them last fall when he was working on another book which will be released soon.

Rebekahs Met Tuesday

The Rebekah Lodge held their regular meeting at the Methodist annex Tuesday night. Two visitors were present.

After the business meeting the committee for the month served delicious sandwiches, potato salad, and iced tea.

Lieutenant Bruce Davis, who has been at Camp Gordon, Ga., for the last five weeks, spent the weekend with Mrs. Davis and little son, Ford, in the S. F. Jackson home. Lieutenant Davis has been returned to Fort Sam Houston, in San Antonio.

Woman's Club Holds Regular Meeting

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club of Aransas County was held in the club building Tuesday afternoon, May 8.

The following officers began their term of service for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Jack Hagar; first vice-president, Mrs. H. F. Elliot; second vice-president, Mrs. Emory Spencer; third vice-president, Mrs. M. W. Cochran; secretary, Mrs. Harry Mills; treasurer, Mrs. Chester Johnson; and parliamentarian, Mrs. J. B. Jackson.

Mrs. Cochran as program chairman, presented a history of the work of the Woman's Club for the last three years.

There were five new members introduced and welcomed.

After a full business session Mrs. Hagar turned the meeting over to Mrs. Chas. Ankele, retiring first vice-president, who presented Mrs. C. C. Fowler, retiring president with a lovely wrist watch as a token of appreciation from the club members.

Mrs. Charles Roe Sr., as social chairman, had charge of the social hour. Cake and coffee were served on the lace-covered banquet table.

The unique decoration of the table caused much favorable comment. A tall brown-haired doll dressed in yellow, stood under a blossoming apple tree on one side, while a small gray-haired doll received the key to the club from her.

Two large heart-shaped cakes were embossed with yellow roses and one was embossed with the name "Betty" while the other was lettered with the name "Connie."

MRS. BEASLEY ENTERTAINS TWO W.M.U. CIRCLES

Baptist W.M.U. Circles Ethel Hardy and Darlene Elliot met with Mrs. Ed Beasley Thursday afternoon and finished the mission study book, "Texas W.M.U. Yearbook."

Mrs. Beasley served frosted cakes and cookies to the nine members present.

Mrs. Lloyd Smith and Mrs. T. H. Ratliff were in San Antonio Saturday to bring John Albert Ratliff and Jimmy Hayden home from Lackland Air Force Base so they could attend the Junior-Senior banquet at the high school gym Saturday night.

Society

Doings of People You Know In Aransas County

MEETING OF COUNCIL OF CHURCH WOMEN IS WELL ATTENDED

There were 75 present at the meeting of the Council of Church Women, held in the Presbyterian Church Friday afternoon and a very interesting program was presented.

This was the May fellowship meeting and the emphasis was placed on "Fellowship" during the social hour, everyone endeavoring to greet each one present.

The white damask covered table was centered with a May basket of flowers with Mrs. T. H. Pollard presiding at the punch bowl.

A representative from each of the churches belonging to the council greeted the guests at the door and Mrs. A. C. Glass presided at the register.

The visitors from out of town were Mrs. J. W. Albin, Mrs. F. L. Morris, Mrs. W. M. Wiseman, Mrs. F. B. Boykin, Mrs. H. W. Schmidt, Miss Willean Schmidt and Mrs. Maynard Abrahms, all of Taft; Mrs. Robert R. Woods of Seguin; Miss Marguerite Coleman of Encinal, and Mrs. C. L. Teegerstrom and Mrs. C. Henesley from Corpus Christi.

GUY BARBERS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barber and Mary Ann entertained the country clan, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mullen, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. McLester and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cloberdants with a forty-two party at their home Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Mullens played together and won every game.

Youth Softball Teams Play Saturday Night

Elbert Mundine has announced the list of teams and players who will participate in the softball games in Dickson Memorial Field Saturday night. They are:

Fulton Boys: Elton McCabe, c.; Harvey Fleming, rf.; James Skeen, 3b.; Leslie Cole, cf.; Victor Der-vage, 2b.; Cecil Casterline, ss.; John Teegerstrom, 1b.; Ray Washington, lf.; Roy DeForest, p. Substitutes are Ivan Bigley, Bobby Reed and Neal Owens.

Rockport boys: Martin Pena, c.; Ernest H. Camehl, 3b.; Rudolph Gwynn, cf.; Jimmy Mills, 2b.; Allen Thomas, ss.; Ronnie Kuntz, 1b.; Winston Weber, lf.; Tommy Bradshaw, p. Substitutes are T. Bulnana, Wayne Shults and Alfred Pena.

Jimmie Ben Cloberdant's team: Jerry Ballou, Eddie Bradshaw, Lee Ingersoll, Don Hander, Bobby Chittenden, James Boone, John Silberisen, and Bruce Mayes with Eddie Bradshaw captain, and Jimmie Ben Cloberdants manager. They will play a team to be selected.

City Council Purchases Balance of Park Block

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday night and transacted the general routine of business.

The council has purchased lots 1 and 2 in block 34 and to finish out the park block.

Mayor Travis Bailey has stated that through the cooperation of County Commissioners W. B. Allen and Jack Sparks, who have utilized their equipment and men in the work on city streets, the work is progressing very satisfactorily and at a considerable saving to the city.

William Johnson and daughter, Merrily, left last week on a business trip to Rockford, Ill. While there they will visit with relatives and friends.

BRIDAY SHOWER HONORS MISS CASEY

A very pretty bridal shower honoring Miss Ruby Casey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Casey of Rockport, who will become the bride of Ernest Simmons, son of Mrs. Gem Simmons and the late Mr. Simmons of Bastrop, was given by the ladies of the Baptist Church in the educational building Thursday night. Mrs. G. A. Hander, Miss Ruth Lipscomb and Mrs. H. F. Elliot acted as hostesses for the occasion.

The honoree, her mother, Mrs. G. E. Casey, and Mrs. G. A. Hander, were in the receiving line. Mrs. Mrs. C. E. McElveen, sister of the honoree, had charge of the guest register.

The tea table was covered in a linen lace cloth and a miniature doll, standing near an arrangement of blue and white daisies was placed in the center of the table. Mrs. Ann Jotaine of Corpus Christi, presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. H. F. Elliot served cookies to the guests.

The gift table was laid in white damask and a bouquet of sweet-heart roses and a small bride were placed as a centerpiece. There were flowers of various kinds placed in the different rooms in the building.

Mrs. C. E. McElveen, sister of the honoree, Mrs. Simmons and Mrs. Casey assisted in opening and displaying the many beautiful gifts that were received.

A large number of Miss Casey's friends attended this shower. Those from out of town were Mrs. Gem Simmons and Mrs. Nan Williams from Bastrop, Mrs. Ann Jotaine and daughter Helen Margaret Jotain, Mrs. Velda James and daughter Leigh and Mrs. J. L. McMullen, all from Corpus Christi.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION PLANS RECEPTION AND DANCE JUNE 2

Officers and committees of Rockport High School Alumni Association are making plans for the annual dance and reception in honor of the 1951 graduating class of Rockport High School. This affair is planned for Saturday night, June 2, at 8 o'clock.

Miss Charlotte, Cron, president of the association, has announced the following officers who are serving the association this year:

Vice-president, Miss Mary Elsie Rowe; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Gurley; chairman of the program committee, Mrs. Herbert Mills; chairman of entertainment committee, Mrs. R. L. Hart; chairman of refreshment committee, Mrs. Chas. Roe, Jr.; chairman of decoration committee, Mrs. Judith Collier.

The nominating committee is composed of Mrs. Sam James, Mrs. Travis Johnson and Mrs. J. F. Cloberdants.

Dues are \$1 this year and may be paid to Mrs. Tom Shults at the First National Bank, Mrs. J. C. Gurley at the Rockport Lumber Co. and Cleveland Kelly at Kelly's I.G.A. Grocery, and after May 15, to Mrs. Corinne Zawadzki at the Central Power and Light Co. office.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings at the passing of our beloved daughter and sister, Patsy June.

We pray God's richest blessings on each and every one.

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Bateman and Family. p4

ROUQUETTE HOME IS SCENE OF SHOWER

Mrs. Francis Rouquette and Mrs. Steve Truitt honored Mrs. Stanley S. Shults with a stork shower Saturday afternoon at the Rouquette home in Fulton.

The gifts were placed in a basket near the chair of the honoree and all present enjoyed watching her open the many lovely gifts.

The hostesses had prepared two games which caused a great deal of merriment for all. Mrs. Gene Shults and Mrs. Cloberdants received the prizes which were given the honoree.

Purple and white larkspur were used in the decorations in the living room and dining room. The table, covered with an ecru lace cloth, was centered with a reflector, outlined with a wreath of lavender larkspur, and holding a miniature basinet and baby. The bowl of pink punch was on one end of the table and Miss Mary Ann Wright presided there. The sandwiches, cookies, mints, and nuts were served buffet style.

There were twenty-six guests present, including Mrs. Shults' mother, Mrs. Wright, and her sister, Miss Mary Ann Wright from Robstown.

CONGRATULATIONS

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Freeman will be glad to learn they are the proud parents of a daughter, born Wednesday morning in El Paso, Texas.

Leon Brundrett of the U. S. Air Corps, who is taking his advanced training in Corpus Christi, was in Rockport visiting relatives and friends over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Mitchell left Friday night for a two weeks vacation. They will visit in Montgomery, Ala. and Louisville, Ky., while away.

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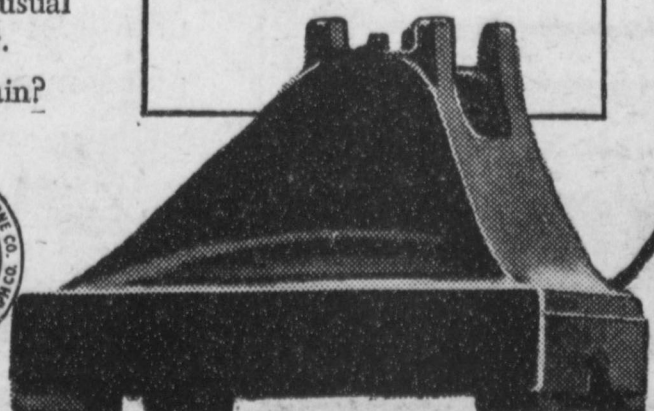
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Improvements On Softball Field Total \$2,500

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Dickson's girls team will take the field.

Saturday and Monday nights are Youth Nights with the first game set for Saturday night, May 12. Elbert Mundine, who has charge of the youth organizations that will participate in the games this year, has arranged an interesting schedule.

Sunday night is open.

On Tuesday nights the Catholic youth organization will play, while Wednesday nights is reserved for older men. Thursday nights has been reserved for the ladies' team known as the Merchantes, sponsored by Rockport merchants and managed by Otis Mundine.

Admission to the games will be 25c for adults and 10c for children.

Softball games have provided wholesome recreation for adults as well as youths and has gone a long way toward establishing a congenial relationship between our local people and those who are living with us temporarily in connection with the oil activity in Aransas County.

The field has been named Dickson Memorial Field in memory of W. A. "Cotton" Dickson who was killed in a plane crash on Feb. 28 of this year. Dedication of the field is planned for May 18, this being the first night that the Dickson team plays a home game.

The Softball Teams Division of the City Park Board acknowledges the following contributions of money, materials and services in connection with the improvements recently made at Dickson Memorial Park:

Cash Donations — Estate of William Kent, through William Kent, Jr., San Francisco, Calif.; Estate of Charles R. Crane,

through Fiduciary Trust Company, New York, N. Y.; Dickson Drilling Co., through Nig Deputy, Rockport; T.G. & M. Drilling Co., through George W. Graham, Wichita Falls, Texas; Sun Oil Co., through Charlie Freeman, Dallas, Texas; Renwar Oil Corporation, through H. W. Campbell, Corpus Christi, Texas; United Carbon Co., through F. T. Drape, Corpus Christi; Western Natural Gas Co., through Henry O. Weaver, Houston; Atlantic Refining Co., through Wm. S. Bicknell, San Antonio; Central Power & Light Co., through Byron Hardeman, Rockport; S. W. Richardson of Fort Worth, Texas; Humble Oil & Refining Co., through Hal Parks, Aransas Pass.

Contributions of materials — Phillips Petroleum Co., through Mr. McCord of Phillips Petroleum Co. and Otis Hare of Dickson Drilling Co., two 50-foot poles; Central Power & Light Co. through Byron Hardeman, two 35-foot poles; Picton Lumber Co. through Dick Picton, 15% discount on materials bought; Bob Hamblin, one 30-foot and one 35-foot pole; Roy Hinton, one 35-foot pole; Norvell Jackson, switch box.

Contribution of Services — Byron Hardeman, services in connecting up lights; Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., through Stan Bell, services in digging holes and setting the light poles; James A. Jarboe, for services surveying grounds; Aransas County, through Jack Sparks and W. B. Allen, services grading and shelling streets and grading grounds; Emory M. Spencer, services in contributions soliciting.

Fulton Woman's Club Will Meet Thursday

The Women's Club of Fulton will meet at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night at the school house. Bylaws and constitution will be introduced and decided upon.

This is a very important meeting and all interested are urged to attend.

Western Natural Gas Line Preliminary Survey Made

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and distillate. These perforations were squeezed and salt water was tested on perforation in the 9,900-foot area and another squeeze job was run.

A few days ago, crew had perforated and was testing in the bottom section of the 9,900-foot sand.

The perforations at 10,320-60 feet, from which the well had flowed at the rate of 7.6 million cubic feet of gas daily, through 1/4-inch chokes, under 5,150 pounds working pressure, with gas-oil ratio of 54,000 to 1 still were open.

The new St. Charles Ranch discovery is about 4 miles northeast of the St. Charles Field.

Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Copano State 76, Fulton Beach area test which had cut a fault and had good oil and gas shows, drilled to 7,443 feet, set 5 1/2-inch casing at 7,214 feet and was testing on perforations at 7,132 1/2-34 1/2 feet.

About a mile west of Fulton Beach Field, Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 9 Copano Bay-State Tract 67 wildcat which also had cut a big fault and had several good shows below 6,600 feet, drilled to 8,053 feet, set 5 1/2-inch casing at 7,843 feet and was testing.

Sun No. 2 State of Texas Tract 41, Fulton Beach Field, was drilling in shale at 5,140 feet on a 7,300-foot contract Friday.

Placid Oil Co. No. 1 Fulton Outlot Unit No. 4, has moved in materials for an 8,000-foot test in Fulton Beach Field.

This test is in Fulton Outlot 91, 660 feet from the northwest line of Lot 92, 330 feet from the northeast line of Lot 91 and of 41.6969-acre unit lease. It is on the H. Traylor part of the unit, and is in William Carper Survey, A-47, 1,370 feet southeast of W. H. Hunt Trust Estate No. 4 F. G. Fuffman, oil well.

Out in Aransas Bay, 1 1/2 miles south of the northeast end of the Copano Bay Causeway, about 4 miles northeast of Fulton and east of Fulton Beach Field production, Humble Oil and Refining Co. No. 1 Aransas Bay-State Tract 118 was building derrick and rigging up barge for a 10,000-foot venture.

Modesett and Graham were building derrick at F. Wm. Carr's No. 1 McCampbell Estate, wildcat 3 1/2 miles north of Aransas Pass.

This is at the site of a dry hole drilled by the late Tom Graham, in 1938. The new operator will go back in the old hole to around 4,000 feet, and sidetrack, and is scheduled to search for pay around 7,100 feet.

Over on the San Patricio County line, in the Mud Flats area, Sun No. 2 Milton Gabriel ran electrical log at 2,007-7,472 feet, took 14 sidewall cores, no shows, and Friday was drilling at 7,505 feet. A T.G. & M. Drilling Co. rig was digging this wildcat, which is in Section 56, Sixth Taft Farm Lands Addition, and is about 3,960 feet southeast of No. 1 Gabriel, pumpjack at 9,018-28 feet.

Auto Upsets On Highway 35 Monday

Deputy Sheriff Sherman Mundine investigated a wreck on Highway 35 Monday morning about 7:30.

He reported Herman Zajicek of Alice was driving south on Highway 35 and struck some mud on the wet pavement at the intersection just south of Bob Crossmans. The 1950 Mercury he was driving skidded and turned over on its top. No one was injured in the accident but there was about \$250 damage to the car.

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Cub Scouts To Hold Pet Parade

At the April Cub Scout Pack meeting, parents and den mothers began plans for a Cub Scout Day in Rockport.

A Pet Parade will be a feature of the celebration. Children and young people of all ages in the county are cordially invited to participate. Very young children may be accompanied by a parent, or older brother or sister or friend.

Any kind of pet from guppies and gold fish to horses may be entered. The only requirement is that animals must be on leash, rein, in cages or otherwise under complete control at all times.

The sponsors wish to stress the fact that all residents or visitors to the county are welcome to display their pets.

The parade will begin at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 26, and will form at a central meeting place, to be announced later. Costumes may be worn by the pet owners or by the pets themselves, or both. Small carts, wagons, or other vehicles may be used. They may be decorated or bear signs telling the name of the pet. The aim is to express the personality of the pet and the more amusing the entry, the more the parade will be enjoyed by all.

Prizes will be awarded at the end of the march. It is hoped that all in the county will cooperate with the Cub Scouts on the last Saturday in May, to make Aransas County's first pet parade an occasion to be remembered.

COUNTY OFFICIALS ATTEND CONVENTION

Judge John D. Wendell and Commissioners W. B. Allen, A. L. Davis and J. H. Mills were in Laredo Wednesday morning to attend the County Judges and Commissioners Convention which was held in that city May 9 through May 11. They returned home Sunday morning.

Miss Maxine Ives visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ives, in Alice Sunday.

Annual Spring Band and Choral Concert May 15

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Bears March," and "Show Boy March."

The following students are members of the Fulton Elementary Choral Club: Shirley Owens, Polly Ann Mitchell, Shirley B. Cole, Karen Casterline, Roy A. Jackson, Evelyn English, Davy C. Brown, Joanne McCoy, Fay Washington, Dora Lou Brooks, Francis Blevins, James Chittenden, Walter Heldenfels, Elizabeth Wofford, Roy DeForest, Ray Washington Harvey Fleming, Michel Casterline, Herbert Toriant, Patsy Stacy, Cecil Casterline, Victor Dervage, John Teegerstrom, Leslie Cale, Martha Henry, Neal Owens, Jim Teegerstrom, Opal Owens, Bobby Reed, Loretta Wilson, Carol Caldwell, Dona Caldwell, Celeste Skeen, Jim Skeen, and Robert Davis.

Members of the Rockport High School band are: Port Baughman, baritone; Judy Collier, clarinet; Jerome Wallace, bass; Nancy Sparks, clarinet; Gerald Huffman, cornet; Joyce Rice, clarinet; Joe Herring, cornet; Johnny Atwood, cornet; Seth Steele, drums; Iva Ann Shaver, horn; Mary Mundine, clarinet; Bill Harmon, saxophone; Jo Helen May, clarinet; Billie Brown, cornet; Juia Everett, horn; Cully Roberts, saxophone; Bill Jones, cornet; Clydene Sparks, flute; Shirley Harrell, saxophone; Gladys Coleman, clarinet; Tanya McElwee, clarinet; Richard Horn, baritone; Gary Heath, cornet; Jessie Gilson, drum major; Virginia Mundine, Ruth Mullinax, Frances Deason and Jo Ann McCabe, majorettes.

J. L. Owen of Junction spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Rockport visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gray and family. Mr. Owen is Mrs. Gray's father.

Joe Gibson Completes Marine Recruit Training

Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif.—Marine Private First Class Joe L. Gibson, son of Mrs. N. A. Parr, Rockport, Texas, recently completed his recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif.

In recognition of this accomplishment he was promoted to the rank of Private First Class.

The young Leatherneck has been thoroughly trained in basic weapons of the Marine Corps, first aid, field sanitation, map reading, military courtesy, infantry drill and many other military subjects. Almost one-third of this training was at the rifle range where he quickly became an efficient marksman with the M-1 rifle.

He will now be transferred to one of the numerous udty stations where Marines are serving throughout the world, or be assigned to specialist school for further technical training.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomerson left this morning for Cristover to spend Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs. Thomerson. They will also visit Mr. Thomerson's brothers and sisters while they are away.

12 Marriage Licenses Issued In April

The following couples obtained marriage licenses at the Aransas County Court House during April: Herbert Monroe Awants and Mary Louise Parker

Abraham Manwell and Miss Margaret Lou Copenhaver

Morris Clifford Talbert and Marina Clagpool

George Stafford and Bernice Williams

Edward Floyd Bailey, Jr. and Miss Nola Mae West

Allen Otis Gary and Mrs. Ruby Mae Hawkins

Oliver Claude Cooper, Jr. and Miss Dorothy Alice Palmer

Guillermo Olivarres and Miss Sylvia Guadalupe Garza

Enoch Adolph Ory, Jr. and Mrs. Laura Frances Duncan

J. F. Cheek and Mrs. Marie Ruth Catchings

Elias Joseph Buzan and Mrs. Jaleen Margaret Buzan

Wallace Clayton Bert and Miss Marie Mullis.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen James from Port Isabel, were in Rockport over the weekend visiting relatives and friends. Mr. James is teaching in Port Isabel this school term.



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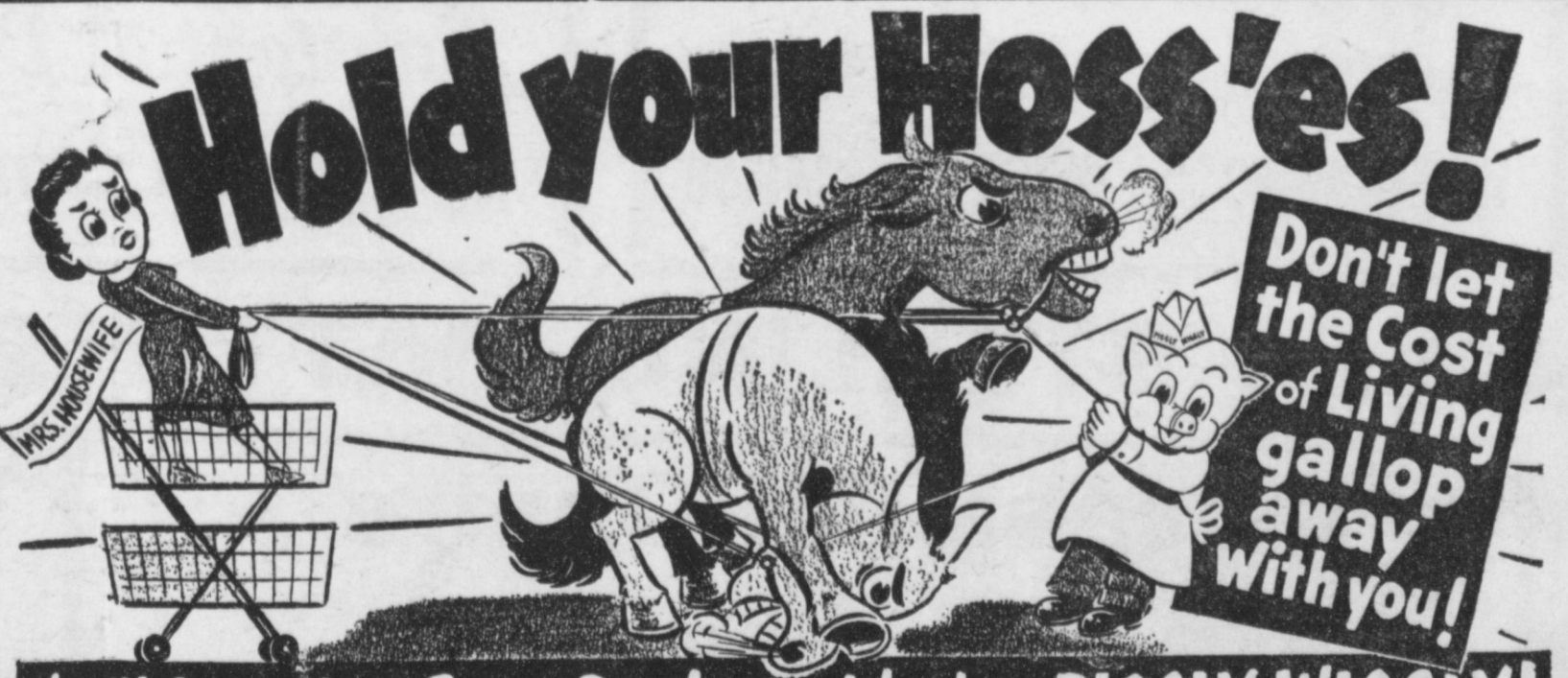
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**Health Officer Warns
Of Vacation Hazards**

Summer is here, and boys and girls will soon be out of school. More people usually drive in summer than at other times. There are more ball games and opportunities for chasing the ball out into the street to regain it. These, and many other summer situations, call for added caution to keep people safe says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

According to statistics, 9,900 pedestrians were killed in motor vehicle accidents in our country in a year, and 230,000 persons were

injured in a single year. These figures would indicate that both drivers and pedestrians have much to learn.

The pedestrian is often his own worst enemy. Ignorance of the rules of the road, failure to understand the problems of the driver, and carelessness about reading signs and observing safe walking habits are the causes of many pedestrian accidents.

Children interested in a game, or absorbed in a certain activity, are apt to run out into the street from the walk, or from behind a parked car and pay dearly for this action. People do not want to

make children fearful, but through understanding safe practices, they want them to be confident and responsible for themselves.

Those who ride bicycles are the cause of certain types of accidents. A few safety rules for them are: Ride close to the right curb or to the right side of the highway; obey all traffic rules; refuse handle bar rides; and refrain from hitching to autos, buses or street-cars.

When walking on a highway at night, wear or carry something white. This should be worn or carried as low as possible so that car headlights which will pick it up

**Open House at
Marine Laboratory
Is Well Attended**

The open house at the Marine Laboratory of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission held for residents of this area was well attended last Sunday.

Jack Baughman, chief marine biologist and his entire staff were on hand to explain details of the scientific work now in progress and the results which it is hoped can be obtained.

Visitors were conducted on guided tours of the laboratory through-

out the hours of the open house.

There were 429 visitors in attendance on Sunday and 102 Monday. These visitors consisted of 131 from Rockport, 93 came from Corpus Christi and there were 26 from Aransas Pass.

San Antonio and Sinton each had 20 people here, while Taft had 14, Portland 12, Fulton nine and Alice seven. Bay City, Dallas, Three Rivers and Victoria each had six present and there were five from Papalote, Port Lavaca and San Angelo. Four came from Houston, Ingleside, Kingsville and Seadrift, and two each from Burket, Eden, Galveston, Halletts-

ville, Pampa and Texarkana. Abilene, Bryan, College Station, Refugio and Robstown had one each.

There were 21 visitors from out of the state. Iowa, New Jersey and Oklahoma were represented by three from each state while two each from Idaho, Missouri, South Dakota, Pennsylvania, and one each from Georgia, Indiana and Minnesota.

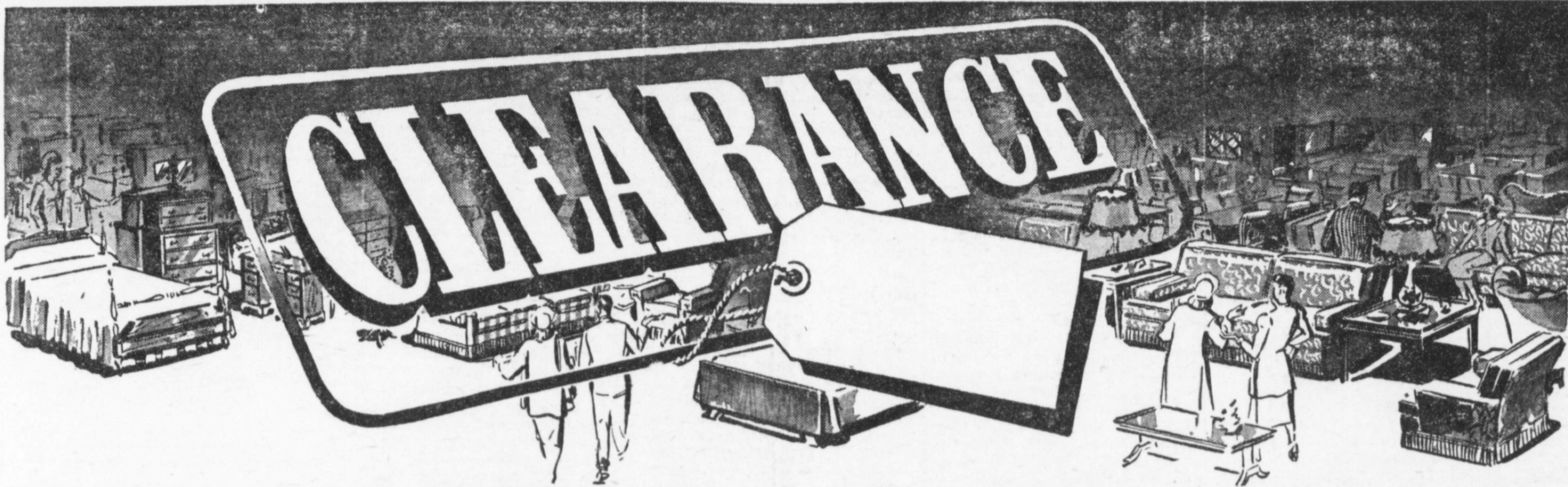
There were nearly 100 eighth grade students from Corpus Christi visited the laboratory last Monday and 60 are coming from Kenedy and 30 from College Station to visit at the lab next Saturday. Mr. Baughman expressed him-

self as well pleased with the attendance at the open house and has stated that he believes the Marine Laboratory is the best advertisement that Rockport has.

Mrs. Dewey Wilson of Brownsville, visited a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, and attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. H. G. Smith.

Mrs. Corinne Zawadzki and children, Mike, Danny and Patricia, were in Orchard, Tex., for a weeks visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Evans.

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Texas Reserve Units Will Train in Louisiana

Austin, Tex.—One hundred and seventy Army Organized Reserve units from Texas will train at Camp Polk, La., during June, July and August, Colonel C. M. Culp, Chief of the Texas Military District, announced this week.

All units will be assembled at their home stations and moved to Camp Polk as unit organizations under command of their own officers. Generally travel will be by

rail or commercial bus line, however, in some cases units may be moved by air in order to meet training schedules.

Colonel Paul B. Malone, Jr., Senior Army Instructor for Texas, returned this week from an inspection of facilities for summer training at Camp Polk and classed them as "superior."

"Reserve units will be provided excellent billets, mess buildings and ample training areas that include the most modern firing ranges for all types of weapons,"

Colonel Malone said.

This is the first time that the Organized Reserve has been ordered to move to summer camp in unit formations. This policy was adopted this year as a part of the training program to give reserve commanders practical experience in assembling and transporting their organizations under actual conditions. Commanders will get experience which will be of great value to them in case their units are ordered to active service, Col. Malone stated.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS

The Civil Service Commission announces examinations for filling vacancies in the position of clerk at entrance salaries ranging from \$2200 to \$2450 per annum. Applications will be accepted from male applicants who have reached their 16th birthday and from female applicants who have reached their 18th birthday. Employment will be with various federal agencies in the State of Texas. Application forms and additional information

may be secured from the post office or from the Regional Director, Fourteenth U. S. Civil Service Region, 210 South Harwood St., Dallas 1, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Glass, who have been visiting friends in Oklahoma, returned to Rockport last week.

Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Mrs. Edith Cruser and Mrs. M. C. Pendery attended a vacation church school institute in Aransas Pass Thursday.

Fulton Lions Club Met Monday

The Fulton Lions Club held their regular meeting Monday night at their hall in Fulton.

The nominating committee made their report and the election of officers will be held at the next meeting on May 21. All members are urged to be present at this meeting and vote for their favorite candidate. Nominations may be made from the floor at that meeting.

Lion Teegerstrom generously offered paint for the bleachers at the Fulton softball park, which was accepted and the work will be done immediately, weather permitting.

The club is indebted to the Fourth Army for the film showing when the Chinese Reds entered the Korean conflict.

The Fulton Lions will take under consideration at a future date the request for a tennis court in Fulton.

Lion Arthur Bracht has tickets for the Ladies Night dinner to be held at the Woman's Club building in Rockport on May 29. These tickets are for the Fulton Lions and are to be sold before May 21, so they will know how many are going from Fulton, as this is a joint meeting with the Rockport Lions. Tickets for the dinner may be purchased at the door but they will cost 25c more.

Lion Ernest Jones has been requested to see if he can match a softball game between the Rockport Lions and the Fulton Lions.

The Fulton Lions Club is repeating their offer to the Fulton School and P-TA to use the Lions' film projector, if and when the club can furnish an operator. The school or P-TA will have to furnish the film as the club does not own any film.

Miss Elsie Hawes Wins First Prize In Flower Show

At the Aransas Pass Hibiscus Garden Club's flower show which was held in the V.F.W. hall in Aransas Pass, May 5 and 6, Miss Elsie Hawes of Rockport won first place.

The following is a list of the winners sent in by Mrs. Lloyd Richardson of Aransas Pass:

Arrangement Division: Miss Elsie Hawes, Rockport, first; Mrs. Ivan Tate, Aransas Pass, second; Mrs. Richey Richardson, Aransas Pass, third.

Horticulture Division: M. E. Naylor, Aransas Pass, first; Elmer Wright, Ingleside, second; Mrs. Floyd Matthews, Aransas Pass, third.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends, and members of the Rockport Methodist Church for the many nice cards, letters and beautiful floral offering we received during the recent illness and death of our loved one, Mr. M. E. Montgomery. May God's richest blessings abide with each and every one in our prayer.

Mrs. M. E. Montgomery
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Montgomery
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Rev. and Mrs. Homer L. Fort. p4

Local Merchants Will Benefit by Attending Retail Merchants Meeting

Every merchant in the Aransas County area—no matter what type of business he is in—will benefit by attending the 51st annual convention of the Retail Merchants Association of Texas and allied groups, Mrs. Mary Juergens, manager of the local association, said today.

"The 5-star convention, lasting May 19-22, will have a program replete with attractions for all types of merchants, businessmen and credit managers and personnel," Mrs. Juergens said.

The convention will be held at the Buccaneer Hotel in Galveston. Groups participating will be the Retail Merchants Association, Retail Credit Executives of Texas, Collection Service Division, Associated Credit Bureaus of Texas and Lone Star Council of Credit Women.

Of primary interest will be sessions at which price and credit regulations and the way business is being affected by mobilization will be discussed, she continued.

The convention will include annual business meetings of the participating groups, two joint sessions of all groups at which operations in a mobilization economy will be discussed, and ten group meetings for the various classifications. These will include credit bureaus, collection service divisions, automotive and finance, building materials, furniture, home service, jewelry, medical and dental, utilities and wearing apparel.

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MRS. CABANISS ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss entertained the Young Matrons Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon at her home, with four tables of bridge.

Mrs. C. C. Fowler won high score and Mrs. Roy Woods was second high; Mrs. Emory Spencer received low and Mrs. Charles Ankele received the traveling prize. Mrs. DeWilton Jeffries won the bingo prize.

METHODIST W.S.C.S. HOLDS BUSINESS MEETING

The W.S.C.S. ladies of the Methodist Church held their business meeting in the church Tuesday afternoon with the president, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, presiding.

Mrs. Walling gave the devotional. Her theme was "Love Is Victory."

Reports of the officers were given, and the promotion secretary, Mrs. Harold Tegerstrom, called an executive and officers training meeting at her home for May 21 at 2 p.m.

The members voted to purchase one adult life membership as a special feature for the coming year. There were 14 members present.

The W.S.C.S. will have a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Townsend to study the mission book, Thursday, May 17.

Mrs. Alfred Huffman Buried Last Week

Mrs. Alfred Huffman passed away at her home in Tivoli on Sunday, April 29, and funeral services were held in the Presbyterian Church there on Tuesday, May 1. Burial was in Tivoli Cemetery.

Lona Crews Huffman was 49 years old on May 16, and had been ill for several weeks and bedridden for some time before her death. She leaves to mourn her passing besides her husband, one son, Dwight Dale, who finishes high school this month; one sister and seven brothers.

Those attending the funeral from Rockport were Floyd Huffman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Barber, Mrs. Sam Mundine, Mrs. Minnie Edmond, Mrs. Johnny Young, Mrs. Curtis Harist, Mrs. Earle Thomas and Mrs. Bob Young.

Rockport P-TA to Meet Wednesday, May 16

The Rockport P-TA will hold its regular meeting in the school auditorium on Wednesday afternoon, May 16. (May 16 is a correction of the yearbook as it reads May 15).

The following is the program for the day: Convention reports, annual reports, installation of officers, P-TA prayer by Mrs. Earle Thomas, history of National Music Week by students of the music department; concert in honor of National Music Week, Grady Kin cannon, director; business; social hour.

Rockport V.F.W. Names Convention Delegates

At a meeting Wednesday evening, May 2, Stewart-Wendell Post, V.F.W., named delegates and alternates to attend the district convention in Alice, May 19 and 20.

Marion McElveen, Oscar Dye and Ceylon Ammons were named as delegates with James Sorenson Jr., C. O. Bailey and Jimmy Hunt, alternates.

So that Rockport would have full voice at all convention meetings, it was unanimously voted to make all members of Stewart-Wendell Post, delegates-at-large. This is to enable any member to step in should one of the regularly elected delegates find it impossible to attend.

The same delegates were also named to represent the post at a state convention in Austin at a later date.

Earle Johnson was presented for membership by Quartermaster Oliver Brundrett and was unanimously welcomed into the post. Mr. Johnson saw action in North Africa during World War II.

Ceylon Ammons, after volunteering to serve as scoutmaster was enthusiastically endorsed by the entire post for that position.

MRS. JOHN RORK ENTERTAINS WITH SILVER TEA

Mrs. John Rork entertained with a Silver Tea at her home Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 for the benefit of the Methodist Church organ fund.

Mrs. Rork's home was decorated with Easter lilies and wild flowers and the May Pole theme was carried out in the decorations. The table, laid with a Hawaiian table cloth, was centered with a May Pole.

Mrs. T. C. Kelly assisted the hostess in entertaining the guests. Plate favors were cookie hats. Open-faced sandwiches shaped like rats, cookies, mixed nuts and mints were served buffet style. Mrs. John Haynes presided at the punch bowl.

Junior Class Will Sell Mothers Day Cake

The junior class of Rockport High School are selling tickets on a mother's day cake. The cake is a large white confection and is decorated with sugar-spun red flowers. Tickets are 10 cents each or three for 25 cents.

Corporal Don Banning, who is stationed at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, was home last weekend visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. M. Sparks Sr. and grandchildren, Jimmy Sparks and Pam Court, spent Sunday in Beeville, visiting friends and relatives. They also visited friends in Bayside.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lassiter and family spent Sunday in Edna with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bronaugh. Mrs. Bronaugh is Mr. Lassiter's aunt.

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Emory M. Spencer has accepted the appointment as chairman in Aransas County of the State Bar Committee on Legal Assistance to the Members of the Armed Forces.

This appointment was made by Honorable Harry M. Carroll, judge of the 106th District Court of Nueces County, Texas, who is the state chairman on this committee.

Mr. Spencer has notified the draft board at Sinton that he will be available for consultation at his office in Rockport from 1 to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday of each week.

Spencer served in a similar position from April 15, 1941 to June 24, 1944 as a member of the Advisory Board for Registrants in the Selective Service System of the United States.

Presbyterian Men Have Regular Meeting

The Men of the Presbyterian Church held their regular monthly dinner and business meeting in the church assembly room Monday night with twenty-seven present.

The men voted to install a public address system in the church and Carl Osborn, Ted Atwood and George Lee Brundrett composed the committee appointed to make the arrangements for the installation.

Those present also agreed to sponsor a baseball team for the senior group of young people, if arrangements can be made for them to enter the league.

In the absence of the program leader, the program was omitted. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sittfurth and Slick, who have been living in Alice for several months have moved back to Rockport.

Mrs. Steve Truitt attended a birthday supper honoring Mr. C. Truitt in Aransas Pass Tuesday night.

Miss Marjory Jarboe from Houston spent the weekend with friends in Rockport.

Mrs. Clyde Townsend and Miss Carol Jeanette were in Corpus Christi Sunday buying the new fall lines for the Townsend Dress Shop.

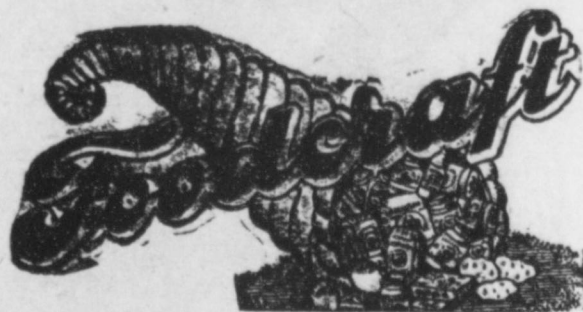
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MRS. CABANISS ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss entertained the Young Matrons Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon at her home, with four tables of bridge.

Mrs. C. C. Fowler won high score and Mrs. Roy Woods was second high; Mrs. Emory Spencer received low and Mrs. Charles Ankele received the traveling prize. Mrs. DeWilton Jeffries won the bingo prize.

METHODIST W.S.C.S. HOLDS BUSINESS MEETING

The W.S.C.S. ladies of the Methodist Church held their business meeting in the church Tuesday afternoon with the president, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, presiding.

Mrs. Walling gave the devotional. Her theme was "Love Is Victory."

Reports of the officers were given, and the promotion secretary, Mrs. Harold Teegerstrom, called an executive and officers training meeting at her home for May 21 at 2 p. m.

The members voted to purchase one adult life membership as a special feature for the coming year. There were 14 members present.

The W.S.C.S. will have a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Townsend to study the mission book, Thursday, May 17.

Mrs. Alfred Huffman Buried Last Week

Mrs. Alfred Huffman passed away at her home in Tivoli on Sunday, April 29, and funeral services were held in the Presbyterian Church there on Tuesday, May 1. Burial was in Tivoli Cemetery.

Lena Crews Huffman was 49 years old on May 16, and had been ill for several weeks and bedridden for some time before her death. She leaves to mourn her passing besides her husband, one son, Dwight Dale, who finishes high school this month; one sister and seven brothers.

Those attending the funeral from Rockport were Floyd Huffman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Barber, Mrs. Sam Mundine, Mrs. Minnie Edmonson, Mrs. Johnny Young, Mrs. Curtis Harnist, Mrs. Earle Thomas and Mrs. Bob Young.

Mrs. J. M. Sparks Sr. and grandchildren, Jimmy Sparks and Pam Court, spent Sunday in Beeville, visiting friends and relatives. They also visited friends in Bayside.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lassiter and family spent Sunday in Edna with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bronaugh. Mrs. Bronaugh is Mr. Lassiter's aunt.

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Rockport P-TA to Meet Wednesday, May 16

The Rockport P-TA will hold its regular meeting in the school auditorium on Wednesday afternoon, May 16. (May 16 is a correction of the yearbook as it reads May 15).

The following is the program for the day: Convention reports, annual reports, installation of officers, P-TA prayer by Mrs. Earle Thomas, history of National Music Week by students of the music department; concert in honor of National Music Week, Grady Kin cannon, director; business; social hour.

Rockport V.F.W. Names Convention Delegates

At a meeting Wednesday evening, May 2, Stewart-Wendell Post, V.F.W., named delegates and alternates to attend the district convention in Alice, May 19 and 20.

Marion McElveen, Oscar Dye and Ceylon Ammons were named as delegates with James Sorenson Jr., C. O. Bailey and Jimmy Hunt, alternates.

So that Rockport would have full voice at all convention meetings, it was unanimously voted to make all members of Stewart-Wendell Post, delegates-at-large. This is to enable any member to step in should one of the regularly elected delegates find it impossible to attend.

The same delegates were also named to represent the post at a state convention in Austin at a later date.

Earle Johnson was presented for membership by Quartermaster Oliver Brundrett and was unanimously welcomed into the post. Mr. Johnson saw action in North Africa during World War II.

Ceylon Ammons, after volunteering to serve as scoutmaster was enthusiastically endorsed by the entire post for that position.

MRS. JOHN RORK ENTERTAINS WITH SILVER TEA

Mrs. John Rork entertained with a Silver Tea at her home Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 for the benefit of the Methodist Church organ fund.

Mrs. Rork's home was decorated with Easter lilies and wild flowers and the May Pole theme was carried out in the decorations. The table, laid with a Hawaiian table cloth, was centered with a May Pole.

Mrs. T. C. Kelly assisted the hostess in entertaining the guests. Plate favors were cookie hats.

Open-faced sandwiches shaped like hats, cookies, mixed nuts and mints were served buffet style. Mrs. John Haynes presided at the punch bowl.

Junior Class Will Sell Mothers Day Cake

The junior class of Rockport High School are selling tickets on a mother's day cake. The cake is a large white confection and is decorated with sugar-spun red flowers. Tickets are 10 cents each or three for 25 cents.

Corporal Don Banning, who is stationed at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, was home last weekend visiting relatives and friends.

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Spencer Will Assist Servicemen With Legal Matters

Emory M. Spencer has accepted the appointment as chairman in Aransas County of the State Bar Committee on Legal Assistance to the Members of the Armed Forces.

This appointment was made by Honorable Harry M. Carroll, judge of the 106th District Court of Nueces County, Texas, who is the state chairman on this committee.

Mr. Spencer has notified the Iraft board at Sinton that he will be available for consultation at his office in Rockport from 1 to 1 p. m. Monday through Friday of each week.

Spencer served in a similar position from April 15, 1941 to June 24, 1944 as a member of the Advisory Board for Registrants in the Selective Service System of the United States.

Presbyterian Men Have Regular Meeting

The Men of the Presbyterian Church held their regular monthly dinner and business meeting in the church assembly room Monday night with twenty-seven present.

The men voted to install a public address system in the church and Carl Osborn, Ted Atwood and George Lee Brundrett composed the committee appointed to make the arrangements for the installation.

Those present also agreed to sponsor a baseball team for the senior group of young people, if arrangements can be made for them to enter the league.

In the absence of the program leader, the program was omitted.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sittfyrth and Slick, who have been living in Alice for several months have moved back to Rockport.

Mrs. Steve Truitt attended a birthday supper honoring Mr. C. Truitt in Aransas Pass Tuesday night.

Miss Marjory Jarboe from Houston spent the weekend with friends in Rockport.

Mrs. Clyde Townsend and Miss Carol Jeanette were in Corpus Christi Sunday buying the new fall lines for the Townsend Dress Shop.

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