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July 24	90	80	.00	29.98
July 25	89	80	.00	29.92
July 26	90	80	.00	29.90
July 27	89	80	.00	29.86
July 28	90	79	.00	29.96
July 29	90	78	.00	29.96
July 30	89	78	.00	29.98

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Three Weeks To Deadline In Aransas Hunt Drawing

AUSTIN — Deer hunters have weeks to get their name in the pot for the September gun hunt on Aransas National Wildlife Refuge on the Texas Gulf Coast according to Gordon Hansen refuge manager.

Harbor Oaks Bridge Under Construction

Construction has started on the structure of the 120-foot reinforced concrete high-level bridge on the Rockport-Fulton Beach Road at Harbor Oaks, newest waterfront residential development in this area. For more than a month work has been in progress on earthen approaches to the bridge. Meanwhile, traffic has been routed over a bypass.

The new bridge will span a 50-foot boat channel connecting Harbor Oaks waterways with Little Bay and Aransas Bay. It will have a 20-foot vertical clearance above water level.

Driving of 22 prestressed concrete piles to support the bridge was completed this week. Ten of the piles are 18 by 18 inches square and 60 feet long. The others are 16 by 16 inches and 50 feet long. A Vulcan steam hammer which delivers 22,500 foot-pounds of impact was used to drive the piles. Construction workers of the Austin Bridge Co., which holds the bridge contract point out that steam pile drivers are virtually the only steam-driven heavy construction equipment in use today and that they have been changed very little in the past 50 years. Other steam equipment, such as steam shovels, steam tractors and steam hoists have been supplanted by more modern equipment powered with gasoline or diesel motors, they explained.

The new bridge will be floored with precast, hollow core, reinforced concrete panels covered with hot-mix asphalt paving. Completion of the bridge is scheduled for early fall.

Meanwhile, work is progressing on schedule in Unit 1 of the 134 acre development, according to James E. McCord, executive vice president in charge of the project.

The Vermillion Construction Co. of Fulton, which has the general contract for Unit 1, has completed almost all of a total of 8,000 linear feet of concrete bulkheading on the waterways. Much of the storm and sanitary sewers and water lines have been installed and work is progressing on concrete curbs and gutters. Asphalt-paved streets will follow, according to McCord.

Unit one of Harbor Oaks, which will be within the city limits of Rockport, will include 33 residential building lots and an 11-acre condominium area. Lots average 80 by 90 feet and building sites have a minimum elevation of 7½ feet. All waterways have a minimum depth of 8 feet.

Join NAVY?

Petty Officer Bill Sneed, Corpus Christi Navy recruiter, will be in Rockport every Friday morning at the VFW Hall, located on Market Street, from 4 to 11.

Any persons interested in the Navy or retired persons wanting information may contact P. O. Sneed at this time. "It is my utmost desire to serve Rockport with the best of Navy standards in service as its new Navy recruiter," Sneed said.

Regan Building, Austin 78701. Completed application must be in Austin before the 5 p.m. deadline, Aug. 15. Applications received after the deadline cannot be used and will be returned to sender.

A public drawing will be to participate in the two-day hunt held at 10 a.m. Aug. 20 in Austin to select 1,800 hunters to begin Sept. 1 and end Sept. 19. Hunters who draw successfully for the hunt will be notified what two-day period they can hunt on the Refuge.

The gun hunts were scheduled first this year in hopes more deer would be taken from the refuge. With gun hunts first, the archery season was extended to Oct. 5, and will give archers 14 days of hunting this year. Last year, archers hunted the first eight days of September.

Hansen reported a fair fawn crop this year on the Refuge, even though there were a good many fawns lost in May due to high water. Since then he said the Refuge has dried up considerably and like other areas of the State is "awfully dry."

"It is still a little too early for an estimated deer population," Hansen said "but it is excessive for the range when you consider our other objectives on the Refuge."

Because of the heavy population both gun and bow hunters can take three deer, one of which must be an antlerless deer during the September season.

Archers who hunt Oct. 1-5 will be able to take only two buck deer.

Vote on Constitutional Amendments Aug. 5th

Residents of Aransas County will have an opportunity Aug. 5 to vote on nine proposed amendments to the constitution.

All voting will take place in the lobby at the north end of the courthouse from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The amendments are: Amendment No. 1: Making no substantive change, but cleaning up obsolete, superfluous, or unnecessary sections of the Constitution by repealing sections of certain articles.

Amendment No. 2: Granting the power and flexibility of operation to the Texas Water Development Board necessary to develop sufficient water resources for present and future economic development of the state.

Amendment No. 3: Authorizing the legislature to set the salary of the lieutenant governor and speaker of the house of representatives at not more than half of the salary of the governor and to set the salary of other members of the legislature at not more than the salary of a district judge.

Amendment No. 4: Exempting nonprofit water supply corporations from ad valorem taxation.

Amendment No. 5: Increasing the maximum amount that may be expended in one year from state funds for public assistance to needy aged, the needy disabled, needy blind, and needy children to \$80 million, in order to comply with federal requirements for obtaining matching funds.

Amendment No. 6: Authorizing removal of constitutional interest-rate limitations on certain bonds subject to limitations imposed by the legislature.

Amendment No. 7: Adding certain governmental employees, officers, and agents including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units, and others to the list of persons whose surviving spouses and children are eligible for assistance as provided by law.



YOUTH PAYS TRIBUTE to age in this photo of Swiss children performing a round dance around one of the oldest trees in Switzerland. The venerable oak, more than 1,000 years old, is more than 78 feet high and nearly 10 feet in circumference.

\$200,000 Project Is Planned For Goose Island Park

A \$200,000 improvement project is scheduled for Goose Island State Park, according to Tom McGlathery of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

He said the project will include a ranger's residence, 15 to 20 new camp sites, renovation and repair of the concession headquarters and some work to solve drainage problems.

McGlathery said most of the work will take place in the wooded, existing camp site area, and that, "if everything goes according to schedule," the project should be completed by next February.

Life Saving Course Will Start August 8

A Coastal Bend Red Cross Life Saving Instructor, V. L. Strock, will be at the Key Allegro Community pool Friday, Aug. 8, at 6:30 p.m., to give a preliminary test to all those interested in taking either the Junior or the Senior Life Saving Course. At this time, he will sign up applicants who have passed the screening test he gives.

The course will begin Monday, Aug. 11 at the Key Allegro Pool from 6 to 8:30 p.m., and run for two weeks, Monday through Friday. If enough pass the test and indicate after the first night of swimming that they would prefer morning classes, the group may be split and some may swim from 8 or a.m. to noon at the Peninsula Oaks pool.

ance as provided by law.

Amendment No. 8: Authorizing the legislature to provide for additional loans to students at institutions of higher education under the Texas Opportunity Plan.

Amendment No. 9: Providing for annual sessions of the Texas Legislature.

Area's Economy Is Evaluated By Bartholomew

Editor's Note: This is another article based on the comprehensive plan for Rockport, prepared by Harold Bartholomew and Associates and local advisory committees.

Summary

The following is the summary of the primary factors which have influenced Rockport's economy in the past and which will affect its future development potential.

1. Rockport's economy has been strongly influenced by its geographical location, natural assets of climate, mineral

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District Governor Visits Rotary Club

Ernest G. Bice, of Brownsville, governor of this district of Rotary International, visited the local Rotary Club yesterday, gave the principal address at a luncheon meeting in the Road Runner Room at Corky's Restaurant, and conferred with Dr. J. Martin Shaw, president of the Rockport Club.

Bice spoke on the ideals and goals of Rotary International and some of the accomplishments of the past year, stressing the extensive program of youth exchange. In this activity, Rotary helps finance the cost of an exchange program in which youths from foreign countries are given the opportunity to study in the United States and other countries, and young people from America go abroad to study in foreign countries.

Guests at yesterday's meeting, in addition to Mr. and Mrs. Bice, were Ben Foss of Ingleside and Bob Merts of Taft, group representatives of the district governor, 12 visiting Rotarians and two non-Rotarians.

Schools Set Rules For Students' Appearance

Believing that the students should have a desire to be clean and neat at all times and that attire and appearance should always complement the learning situation, the Rockport-Fulton Junior and Senior High officials have set the following standards for boys' and girls' wearing apparel and appearance in school:

GIRLS: Proper dress for girls should be dresses, skirts, blouses and culottes cut in an acceptable manner so as not to be distracting to the school learning situation for the student or other students. Short skirts, or skirts shorter than the accepted local style for fashion at the present time are not acceptable school wear.

The suggested hem length of the dress or skirt is for the hem to be not more than three inches above the center of the kneecap when the student stands erectly. Attention is called to the fact that because of growth a dress or skirt barely meeting the standards could become unacceptable in a short time. Blouses cut in a dress shirt pattern should be tucked in.

BOYS: Long sideburns, beards, mustaches, and distracting or long hair style are not acceptable school wear and will not be permitted. Proper dress for boys—wear belt; all shirts cut on dress shirt pattern or any other shirt of excessive length should be tucked in trousers. Socks must be worn.

Clothing or accessories that distract from the learning situation should not be worn.

PRESBYTERIAN KINDERGARTEN

Register your child now for the Presbyterian Kindergarten. Call Mrs. Somer Smith, SO 4-6025, or Mrs. Hugh Morrison, SO 4-6251. If you are a working mother, Mrs. Smith will take care of your child in the afternoons.

No Bidders For City's \$400,000 G. O. Bonds

There have been no bidders for the city's \$400,000 general obligation bonds for storm sewer and drainage work, it was announced at Monday night's City Council meeting.

Residents on June 20 voted in favor of authorizing the city to issue \$400,000 in bonds for 1) a new fire station, \$15,000, and 2) for constructing, enlarging, extending and installing storm sewers and

drainage, curbs and gutters, and other improvements, \$385,000.

Mayor Delmar R. Hiller said it was essential for proposition No. 2 to pass to go with the previously passed \$125,000 sanitary sewer revenue bond issue in order for the city to receive a \$315,000 grant from the U.S. Housing and Urban Development Agency.

On June 23, the Council au-

thorized Laddie Janeeck of First Southwest Company, San Antonio, the City of Rockport's financial advisor, to offer the bonds for sale July 28.

At this week's Council meeting Janeeck said that due to market conditions, he had received no bids for the bonds. He pointed out that prospective buyers are concerned about "what Washington is going to do about income tax on municipal bonds and that everybody is sitting tight." Currently, municipal bonds are exempt from income tax.

After considerable discussion, the Council instructed Herman Johnson, city tax assessor-collector, to contact the Housing and Urban Development Agency to seek a 30-day extension for their approval of the complete project.

In other actions, the Council:

—Passed an ordinance annexing to the city the 363 by 700-foot property of A. C. Vandever and Paul K. Heron, Sr., directly north of the present city limits on the west side of Highway 35 North. This property is zoned B-2 business and is being converted into a mobile home and trailer park.

—Granted a six-months time extension for the final plat for Harbor Oaks subdivision.

—Voted to create an opening in the fence on the east side of the road, leading to the city dump to permit Dudley Bracht access to use the road to reach a portion of his property where he gets fill dirt for sale. The action is on a temporary basis, subject to any instance of anybody other than Bracht entering the dump ground through this opening.

—Regarding a request to pave Eloise Street which is one block long and is about 600 feet long, instructed Public Works Commissioner Tom Shults to investigate draining plans paving etc.

—Set Aug. 25 for a public hearing for a request for a special permit from H. C. Thomas to locate a mobile home behind 719 Hackberry Street and set the same time for a public hearing on the city's proposed budget.

Riding Ass'n. Rodeo Scheduled Aug. 9

Mrs. Peggy Hunt of the Aransas County Riding Association reminds members that they have only this week and next to practice for the rodeo they will hold at their arena Saturday, Aug. 9.

The events, for which an entry fee of \$1 each will be charged, include breakaway, pole bending, cloverleaf barrels, tie down, flag race, figure eight barrels, ribbon roping and egg race. Books will be open from 3 to 6 p.m. at the arena on Aug. 9.

Mrs. Hunt reports, "On my way to work one day last week a member of Paws and Taws Square Dance Club stopped me and asked how I planned to teach a horse to square dance when I can't?"

"Why do you think we're horseback?" I replied.

S. B. A. Man To Be In Corpus Christi

The Small Business Administration will have its representative available for interview from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday Aug. 6-7 and also on Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 20 and 21 at the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce, 1201 N. Shoreline Drive, Corpus Christi.

W. E. Woodman, regional director of the San Antonio Office of the Small Business Administration, said that anyone desiring information concerning the SBA program may contact the representative in Corpus Christi or at the San Antonio address.

Greenbackers To Meet Monday

The Greenbackers will hold a meeting at 4 p.m. Monday, Aug. 4, in the Rockport-Fulton High School auditorium. One purpose is to start decorating the halls. Another is for the members to get the ties for their dresses.

All members are urged to attend. Those who cannot attend are asked to let one of the officers know ahead of time.

Along The Waterfront



Mr. and Mrs. Fred Levitt of Dallas caught seven nice trout and one red fishing the flats Sunday.

Vernon Townsend of Key West, Fla., and Cathy Meyers of Pasadena got eight flounder.

Dave Crooks and Charles Watts had a catch of 12 trout. Dave caught one 6½-lb. trout fishing the redfish flats.

Anthony Del Rocco of Rockport caught a 6 lb. red and four 2-lb. trout Monday fishing in California hole.

Charles Watts caught 14 nice reds Sunday in Redfish flats.

Merle Kelly of Houston caught four reds and three trout Tuesday fishing in Redfish flats.

Jim Wiley of San Antonio and Bill Mitchell of Palm Harbor had a catch of 16 reds.

Tony Starrey and Quinna of Yoakum caught 43 trout Tuesday fishing by Mud Island.

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Do You Remember?

From The Pilot Files — 10 Years Ago

BENEFIT GAME FOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

On Aug. 1, there will be a double header between the Commissioners and Managers and the All-Stars of the Big League.

The Commissioners are Ross Demory, Bill Jones, and Tom Dannelly. Chester Barre is in charge of the concession stand. The Managers are as follows: Junior League, Braves, Jimmy Hayden, Kasper Kutach and Bill Edwards; Dodgers, J. N. May and C. E. Nickerson; Cubs, Rex Davis and Bill Kelsay; Giants, Charlie Smith and Bill Parker; Indians, Thomas Lee and Mike Hernandez; Cardinals, "Frenchie" LaBorde and Santos Lopez;

Big League: Red Sox, Ed Beasley; Orioles, Valentine Florez; Bombers, Manuel Florez; and Dodgers, Richard Sharp.

DALLAS NEWS EDITOR HERE

Tom Simmons, editor of the Dallas News, and Jean, his wife travel editor for the same paper along with their little daughter, Susie, were in Rockport for an extensive tour of the area.

Through courtesy of Simon G. Michael, the guests were given a boat ride along the entire waterfront, with Hugh Morrison as skipper; Bob Conwell of the Coastal Bend Tourist Association as guide and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Faber assisting in pointing out places of interest.

WATER PROBLEM SOLUTION SUGGESTED

As a partial solution of the water problems of the Coastal Bend and particularly Refugio, Rockport, Fulton, Aransas Pass, Sinton and Taft, Homer C. Innis of Lockwood, Andrews and Newnam, engineers of Corpus Christi, said:

"It appears that there is an excellent location at the confluence of Mission Bay with Copano Bay for a large reservoir that would make maximum beneficial use of the Mission River.

"Our brief field explorations have shown that there are at least two locations on the Aransas River as well—one just west of the causeway between Rockport and Bayside, and the other upstream on the river about four or five miles.

"It may not be possible to store and conserve sufficient runoff in this area of those two rivers to provide a firm and dependable yield for the population and industrial needs of the region.

"However, these fresh water resources, augmented by ground water supplies and supplemented at times of low water with supplies from the Nueces, may well develop a scheme of regional water resource conservation to serve those towns."

HARRELL RESIGNS AS COURT REPORTER

Harvey Harrell has resigned as official reporter for the 36th Judicial District, a position he has held nearly 36 years under four judges.

"I'll still do reporting but no longer as an official court reporter after July 31," he said.

Judge John H. Miller presiding judge of the district, was expected to name Harrell's successor within the next several days.

SCHOOL DOLLAR ONLY COSTS LOCAL TAXPAYERS 16c

People who live in Aransas County are getting a dollar's worth of taxes for only 16 cents, according to Supt. of Schools J. D. Gray, who says that out of every dollar collected by the school's tax agency, 84 cents comes from oil and utilities and only 16 cents from the pockets of property owners.

From The Pilot Files — 20 Years Ago

CofC SECURES MOSQUITO SPRAYING MACHINE

A fog spraying machine has been contracted for by the Chamber of Commerce in an attempt to alleviate the menace of mosquitoes and other insects. The spraying will get under way as soon as high winds cease and the work can be done.

The Chamber directors appropriated \$500 to have the spraying done. It is estimated that it will take from three to five days to go over the entire Rockport and Fulton area.

RESEARCH ON FISH TO START

The Copano Research Foundation in cooperation with the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission will carry on the investigation of trout and redfish in the bay area, which was started by Pearson of the Fish and Wildlife Service several years ago. Biologist Dewey Miles will take over the work in September with headquarters in Rockport.

BULKHEAD, BREAKWATER COMPLETED

The contract held by Baas Brothers of Victoria on the Fulton Harbor has been completed. The breakwater was extended about 600 feet and the bulkhead constructed to hold a fill from Bracht's Grocery to one block north. Dredging of the harbor will be the next step.

DISCUSS PURCHASE OF WAR SURPLUS BUILDING

Mr. Johnson, of Delta War Surplus Co., met with representatives of the Rebekahs, Odd Fellows, and VFW to discuss plans regarding the purchase of a war surplus building.

All of the organizations are in the market for a building to be used as a meeting hall.

The VFW will send a committee to Corpus Christi to further investigate the details. Those on the committee are Roy Mullinax, Marion McElveen, Charlie Garrett and Ceylon Ammons.

W.S.C.S. WILL HOLD BAKE SALE

The Youth Fellowship group of the Methodist Church will hold a cake and pie sale at Johnson's Drug Store and Kelley's Grocery store tomorrow. The sale is sponsored by the Methodist W.S.C.S.

Arrangements for the sale were made at the monthly meeting of the W.S.C.S. which was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Young with Mrs. Curtis Harriet as co-hostess.

The program on United Nations was conducted by Mrs. Howard Kinsey. She was assisted by Miss Lucille Haynes and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin.

PUBLIC OPINION SOUGHT ON ZONING

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce met to discuss zoning and the advantages or disadvantages it might have for this city.

It was agreed that the recommendations of the Chamber for the city council to sponsor a zoning project should be backed by all citizens rather than just a few.

The secretary was asked to compile pertinent facts regarding zoning for publication in the Pilot in the hope that questions regarding zoning might be answered and the public could become more familiar with what zoning might or might not do for the city.

The Chamber urges that everyone fill in the ballot stating their opinions and return it to the Chamber office by Aug. 2.

EDITOR'S VIEWPOINTS

THE OUTSTRETCHED PALM IN RUSSIA

Soviet authorities have decided that tipping is not an evil bourgeois custom after all, and may indeed insure better service from waiters, baby sitters and such. Their spy system must be slipping, because tipping is one capitalistic custom which we would gladly part with. Maybe it will get better service for the Russians than it does for us. — Chicago Tribune.

STICK TO GASOLINE

It begins to appear that there will not be a practical electric-powered automobile after all, in your lifetime.

Detroit, where several research projects have been underway, or still are, to develop such a car, appears to be discouraged.

Ford says research work on an electric jalopy will continue and officials offer semi-optimistic reports but just reading between the lines it appears enthusiasm is lukewarm. There also appears to be some significance that Arjay Miller, who served as president of Ford, is leaving and so is Jack Goldman, who headed up the company's laboratory, who, at one time, was enthusiastic about a possible "break-through" in the development of a sodium-sulphur battery.

Succeeding Miller is Semon E. Knudson, formerly of General Motors, who admits he is not overly-enthusiastic about an electric car.

Henry Ford III, chairman of the company, says he doesn't see an electric car in the crystal ball for his lifetime. He is 51. So that isn't being optimistic in this day of science wonders.

General Motors has been playing with an electrically-operated car, using various types of batteries and so has American Motors in cooperation with Gulton Industries. American's top engineer has resigned and AMC officials are now tight-lipped about work on an electric model.

Chrysler apparently hasn't thought much about this kind of car all along.

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the telephone calls, visits, and other acts of kindnesses we are deeply grateful.

The family of
George Bohn, Jr.
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Coming Events

Aug. 1: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beck on their wedding anniversary.

Aug. 2: Happy birthday to Julie Hiller, Mildred Brundrett, Willie F. Rice, Sr., Totsy Mitchell, Thurman Purdy, Stanley Albers and Glen Wagner.

Aug. 3: Birthday greetings to Danny Adams, Jodie Leatherwood, Diana Moore, Marilu Richards and Anne Smith.

Aug. 4: Eastern Star and Fultons Lions Club will meet.

Aug. 5: Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors and VFW Auxiliary will meet. Betty Wood will celebrate her birthday.

Aug. 6: Aransas County Navigation District No. 1 and Rotary Club will meet. This is Tommy Nuckles' birthday.

Aug. 7: Rebekah Lodge No. 88 and Rockport Lions Club will meet. Happy birthday to Kathryn Morgan and Chester Barre.

So hang on to the gasoline credit cards, pay your bills promptly, because the odds are that gasoline-powered cars are going to be around for a long, long time.

Children should definitely go to school and learn the alphabet so they can identify the movies they shouldn't see so they can tell their parents who probably will see them.

Winter is the time of the year when you pay back the time you thought you saved during the summer under the new uniform time law.

STATE DEPARTMENT NOT ALONE IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS

When it comes to foreign affairs, the natural assumption is that it is the State Department that has jurisdiction.

But not necessarily so.

Only a small portion of the programs and activities carried on by the U.S. in foreign affairs comes under the State Department.

It is the State Department that we have been told handles these foreign duties.

However, it is now revealed that virtually every Cabinet-level department of the Federal Government has functions overseas. Most of these functions were created after World War II and are administered by such organizations as USIA, AID, CIA, AEC, to name a few.

It is also said that 80 percent of all Americans serving overseas are employed by agencies other than the State Department.

Yet it is the State Department that must still play the guiding and coordinating role, and also be responsible to the President.

It has been suggested that a super foreign affairs agency be created. This would handle all of the businesses we have with other countries, but students of government are inclined to believe such an agency would not be worthwhile because of different interests and problems that need, perhaps, to be handled on an individual basis.

Nevertheless, some problems are cropping up because of so many overlapping agencies. Foreign policy, for one thing, becomes foggy and creditability gaps open up. Then some agencies have more money to spend than others and this creates problems.

Perhaps there is one answer: Dispense with some of the more useless foreign affairs.

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NERO ON THE HUDSON

Gov. Rockefeller's call for rigorous fiscal austerity was worthy of a spartan captain. But the governor has since proceeded to practice a brand of austerity worthy of a Roman emperor.

The Romans were notorious for their hang-the-expense attitude when it came to constructing public buildings. Albany may not be Rome, but Rockefeller could probably teach Nero a few things about construction. The governor has quietly slipped a \$50,000,000 item into his proposed deficiency budget to build a cultural center in New York's version of the Roman forum, the Albany Mall. Presumably, this would enable the state to bring the world's finest musicians to the capital to fiddle while the taxpayer goes bankrupt.—Garden City (N.Y.) Newsday.

In Oregon, the voters apparently have little recollection of or little use for the Morse code.—Charlotte Observer.

We know a guy who dresses up to go to afternoon affairs, so the other guests will think he is going to a better party later.—Salt Lake City Desert News.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Lester G. Hill, Rector
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., Holy Communion; 10 a.m., Family Worship.
Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. Prayer Group; 9:30 a.m. Lola Sorenson Guild; 7:30 p.m., Holy Communion.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. Edmund Folkner
4th and Lott St., Aransas Pass
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
200 N. 8th St.
Aransas Pass
Rev. W. K. Carouthers, Pastor
Sunday school, 10; worship, 11; evangelistic, 7:30; mid-week service Wednesday, 7:30.

MISSION BAPTISTA BETHEL
Rev. Gregory Perez, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; morning service, 11:00 a.m.; training union, 7:00 p.m.; evening service, 8:00 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH
Et. Rev. J. Wm. Hennel, Pastor
Rev. Eugene E. Erdelt, Assistant
As effective on Saturday, April 12, 1969:
Lord's Day Masses: Saturday, 7:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7:00 a.m.; 9:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m., and 6:00 p.m.
Holy Day Masses, (on Holy Days which are not civil holidays): Eve of the Feast, 7:30 p.m.; Feast Day, 6:00 a.m.; 8:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m. (Holy Days which are civil holidays follow Lord's Day schedule.)
Weekday Masses: Daily, 6:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. During school year: also daily, 8:00 a.m.
First Friday Masses: 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 7:00 p.m.
Confessions: Saturdays, Eves of Holy Day, 4:30 to 5:20 p.m., 6:30 to 7:20 p.m.; Thursdays before First Friday, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., 6:30 to 6:50 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, FULTON
Rev. U. S. Lucky, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service, 10:45 a.m.; Training Union, 6:00 p.m.; evening service, 7:00 p.m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

UNION PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
1 Block East of Security
A. C. Ege, Pastor
Tuesday and Thursday, 8 p.m. One block north of Joe's Trailer Park.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD
Highway 35 South
Rev. L. D. Crawford, Pastor
Bible school, 10:00; morning worship, 11:00; evening worship, 7:00; prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Ed Sisson
Bible class, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 10:50 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 8:30; Wednesday night service, 7:30; ladies Bible class, 9:30 a.m.

ROCKPORT CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. George Hawkins, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45; Morning worship, 11:00; Youth Fellowship, 6:00; Night Service, 7:15; Wednesday night, Prayer meeting and Women's Missionary Society, 7:30; Friday, Bible class, 7:45 p.m.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Bank repossession, duplex in new condition, 701-703 King St. Rockport. Price \$21,500.00. \$2,150.00 down payment, financing available with good credit. Call Delmar Hiller. SO 4-2266, SO 4-6760. ctf

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FOR SALE: Two lots in Lazy Acres for Mobile home, 100'x135'. Landscaped, carpet grass and well, well house, carport and storage room, louvered front porch, guest room and patio. Jim Breedlove on Sunset Dr., second large trailer. p20

NEIGHBORHOOD GARAGE Sale: 1104 Oak (Oak Terrace) Ladies watch, golf clubs, radio, beautiful hand-knitted Barbie Doll outfits (new), kitchen appliances, aquarium, toys, lots of nickel and dime stuff, many good men's (M & L), women's (5-16), children's and baby's clothes, many household items, 5c-\$5.00. Thursday thru Sunday. p19

FOR SALE: Take cash or car for equity in 1966 Galaxie 2-door, 289 standard; good condition; radio and heater; pay off or assume \$1,450 balance. Trailer 3, Brooks Gift Shop. SO 4-6125. p19

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1969 Lawn Boy Mowers and Edgers, John Deere tractors. Dealer: Marineland, Hwy. 35, North. SO 4-2319. ctf

FOR SALE: One city block, 16 lots, in Rockport, sacrifice price, write Roland Manning, 353 So. Commercial, Aransas Pass, Texas. ctf

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FOR SALE: 1967 Sears minibike, 2 1/2 hp., good condition. Call SO 4-5155. c19

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FOR SALE: The former home of E. N. Adams, Sr., on St. Charles Bay. Central air and heat, water well with electric pump, double garage, guest house and storage room. Fenced with chain link fence, large lot. Will sell for cash. Terms. Goliad, Texas, Phone 645-3010. p20

FOR SALE: Estate sale of the late Miss Violet Percival, antiques, household furniture, and miscellaneous. 1903 Colt .32 automatic. Go 50 feet west of Highway 35 at Duck Inn Restaurant, turn right on Allen, then 3 blocks north. Five-day sale starts at 9 a.m. Saturday. p19

Mrs. C. A. Rooke was admitted to Spohn Hospital Sunday and underwent major surgery Tuesday. She is in room 327 and can have visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Rozzell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Livingston were in New Orleans last week where they attended the funeral services of their uncle, George Bohn, Jr.

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OAK TERRACE

A lovely three-bedroom, two bath home located on two lots. Living room is carpeted, kitchen is paneled and has central air and heat. This home has a double garage, screened room on the back, waterwell and redwood fence. Fully furnished and draped and priced at \$24,500.

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A two-bedroom, two-bath home, with large living area, kitchen and walk in closets. Home is carpeted and has utility room and single car garage down stairs. Priced at \$19,500.

CITY BY THE SEA

A new four-bedroom, three-bath home with all electric kitchen. Central heat and air and upstairs is completely carpeted. This home is located on a canal with a dock for your boat. Priced at \$33,500.

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ST. CHARLES BAY

A lovely cottage located on St. Charles Bay. This cottage and furnishings is ideal for summer or weekend vacations. Priced at only \$3,900.

LOTS WITH RIPARIAN RIGHTS

We have a lot for sale on South Beach. This lot is 50' by 102' and has riparian rights and is priced at only \$6,500.

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FOR SALE: 1964 Galaxie XL. Loaded. Steal it for \$395 cash. Call SO 4-6765. c20

FOR SALE: German Shepherd puppies. Call SO 4-2830. c20

FOR SALE: Used farm and garden equipment: Farmall-B, \$195.00; Oliver 88 with 3-point hitch, \$895.00; Ford, 12 HP riding mower, like new. \$850; John Deere, 8 HP riding mower, \$425; Devere riding mower, \$129; New International 7 HP Cub Cadette with 38" mower, \$789; Int. Harvester Sales and Service, Taft, Texas. Phone 528-2554. c19

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Small bay shrimp boat. Will trade for automobile. Phone 758-2048, Aransas Pass. c19

FOR SALE: 8 acres, lots of trees. Will sell all or part. Owner will finance at 7%. Small down payment. Ph. SO 4-6916. p20

FOR SALE: TV-record player combination, good condition. Danish couch, 2 chairs and ottoman. 1808 Bayshore-Key Allegro. SO 4-6395. p19

GARAGE SALE: Starting Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. until the week end. 805 Oak Ave., Oak Terrace. c19

Mrs. Dane Hicks

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2-bedroom frame, all city utilities. \$500 down and \$80 month.

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Furnished weekend place for \$4,000. Terms available. Rockport. Furnished cedar home, 1/2 block from bay, all city utilities, \$9,500 cash.

Copano Cove. On deep channel, covered boat storage, boat docks, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, large screened area downstairs, nicely furnished, all in tip-top condition. A bargain at \$15,000.

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Oak Terrace. Eight plans to choose from in various stages of construction, some completely finished. From \$19,500 up.

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FOR SALE: Hardwick gas range, 20", 4 burners, oven and broiler, \$15.00. Call 764-5863. p19

RUMMAGE SALE: Everything goes, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, and 25c. Thursday and Friday. Highway 35, across from Vest Grocery Store. p19

MOVING OUT SALE—Umbrella table and chairs, swivel chairs, occasional chair, cedar chest, white bedroom chest, kitchen utensils, more. SO 4-2753. 817 Oak Terrace. p19

GARAGE SALE: Friday & Saturday, No. 13 Riviera Drive. p19

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FOR RENT: Furnished house. Also furnished house. Furnished apartment. bills paid. Sipe Real Estate, Inc., phone SO 4-2603. ctf

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FOR RENT: Mobile home, clean, fishing pier, \$65 month, bills paid. Call SO 4-6538. ctf

FOR RENT: Housekeeping trailers with plenty of shade trees, large shower rooms, rent by week or month, adults only. Brooks Gift Shop, Highway 35 North. ctf

FOR RENT: Small furnished cottage, all bills paid. Ph. SO 4-8690. ctf

WANT TO RENT: Now or later, unfurnished two or three bedroom house. Quiet couple only. SO 4-2285. ctf

FOR RENT: Furnished house, bills paid. Children accepted. Phone SO 4-2180. ctf

FOR RENT: Two bedroom Apartment. Call SO 4-6503. c20

FOR RENT: 10 x 55 ft. mobile home on private lot, air conditioned, central heat, carport added, utility house. Wyatt's Grocery. SO 4-8554. c19

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FOR RENT: Redecorated one bedroom apartment with cool shady yard, 2 blocks from downtown Rockport business section. SO 4-5561. p19

FOR RENT: 3 room furnished apartment, bills paid, Copano Village, \$65.00. SO 4-6335 and SO 4-6907. c19

Celery was first grown in America near Kalamazoo, Mich., in 1834.

ATTENTION!

SOFTBALL GAME

—at— Little League Ball Park

Wednesday AUG. 6

8 P.M.

p19



Art Guild Gatherings

By
JAN WENDELL

Bill Bigl, noted artist and instructor from Dallas, has come and gone and in his tumultuous sloop through the Art Association, he has left in his wake numbers of enlightened landscapists and disillusioned painters, budding artists and discontented dabblers, possible impressionists and quite a lot of finger painters.

Classes morning and afternoon were completely filled and as if one week of torture were not enough, Bigl was talked into another week of instruction for capacity classes again. Torture it was, too, for the Gallery is not air-conditioned (we refer to it as our little "suana bath") and there was a lot of natural hot air breezing through as well as the other kind.

Looking back, all the students were thrilled with the opportunity of intensified study that the course offered and not a few artists made vast improvement.

Clem Northington is thinking of buying a beret and moving to Greenwich Village; Estelle Stair is charging 25c per person for just a look at the seascape she produced; Ruth

Lewis is patting herself on the back just for getting through with her mammoth seascape (2 million by 3 trillion inches); an dall the painters are proud of at least one painting completed.

Pat Krueger said, speaking of her seascape, "I like it but I don't understand what I did." Probably most of us learned merely through association with good painting.

Now that the air has settled, everyone is at work on new paintings, applying new principles and trying to get new viewings for the Gallery. There is no project ahead for August with the exception of getting ready for the "Starving Artists Sale" set for the Labor Day weekend.

G. I. FORUM DANCE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Rockport G.I. Forum met Tuesday night and made final plans for a dance to be held from 1 to 7 p.m., Sunday, Aug. 3, at the Forum Hall.

Music will be furnished by Jesse Soto and his Orchestra from Corpus Christi. The public is invited and there will be no admission charge.

WHO'S WHO AT FIRST NATIONAL



Mrs. Daphne Ehrlich

Sort of custodian of accounts, Mrs. Daphne Ehrlich is responsible for posting deposits and checks to the accounts of First National Bank customers. Her official title is bookkeeper. She has been a member of the bank staff since November, 1968.

Mrs. Ehrlich is a native of Mississippi and a graduate of the Rowling Fork (Miss.) High School. She attended Belhaven College in Jackson, Miss., and Southwestern College in Memphis, Tenn.

She is a member of St. Peter's Episcopal Church and says that fishing, sewing, and hooking rugs are her hobbies.

The Ehrlich family lives at 18 Flamingo Road, and Mr. Ehrlich is sales representative for the Steck Co., of Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Ehrlich have four children, Jack, 22; Michael, 20; Daphne, 18, and Peter 15.

Job Opportunities With F. B. I.

The Houston Office of the FBI, through its Special Agent in Charge, Wesley T. Whaley, has advised of excellent job opportunities with the FBI in Washington, D.C., for young people, male or female, who are at least 16 years of age, United States citizens, high school graduates, and able to pass a rigid investigation of loyalty, reputation, and character. No previous experience is required. Qualified applicants are being sought for the positions of clerk, typist, and stenographer.

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A typist enters on duty at a salary of \$4,917 per year, and applicants for this position must be able to pass a typing test of 45 words per minute and a 20 word spelling test.

A stenographer is paid a beginning salary of \$5,522 per year, and applicants for this position must pass a dictation test given at the rate of 80 words per minute; pass a typing test of 45 words per minute; pass a 20-word spelling test, and successfully answer a 20-question vocabulary examination.

Further details, together with appropriate application for employment forms, may be obtained by contacting the FBI at P. O. Box 2288, Corpus Christi 78403; telephone 882-8671.

Chamber Happenings

The Chamber of Commerce welcomes another new member, Kim's Hickory Pit Bar-B-Q, which is owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kimbrough.

The CoC wishes to express appreciation to Misses Mabel and Genevieve Bracht for supplying the cookies, coffee, and punch for the hospitality program this week at the Chamber Building.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the City Council, meeting in Regular Session, July 28, 1969, did set the date of August 25, 1969, for a Public Hearing on the proposed budget for the City of Rockport, Texas. This budget is for the fiscal year 1969-1970.

The Public Hearing will be held at the City Hall, Rockport, Texas, at 7:30 p.m., August 25, 1969.

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I, _____, estimate that I purchased
(Name)

the following broad spectrum antibiotics during the period 1954-1966. Please consider this my claim for refund on account of these purchases.

Name of Drug	Year Purchased	Pharmacy	Amount
(List one or more of the following: Aureomycin, Terramycin, Achromycin, Mystecilin, Panalba, Panmycin, Polycycline, Steclin, Tetracycline or Tetrex)			

I was reimbursed for these payments:

(Check one) Yes _____ No _____

NAME

ADDRESS

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me by the said _____

on this _____ day of _____

1969, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Antibiotics Refund Claim Form

AUSTIN — Attorney General Crawford C. Martin today urged Texas consumers to check their records and file refund claims for broad spectrum antibiotics purchased during the years 1954 through 1966.

Aug. 16, 1969, is the deadline for mailing a notarized claim to the Clerk, U.S. District Court, P. O. Box 745, Bronx, New York 10451.

Texas consumers will receive a share of \$100 million offered

by five large drug manufacturers in settlement of multiple civil antitrust actions filed against them by Martin and the Attorneys General of other states.

Forms may be picked up at the County Clerk's office in each Texas county. Many newspapers are also printing copies of the form which can be used by consumers.

The drugs involved are Aureomycin, Terramycin, Achromycin, Mystecilin, Panalba, Panmycin Polycycline, Steclin, Tetracycline and Tetrex.

If a person fails to file a claim, it will constitute authorization to use the money recovered in his behalf for the benefit of all consumers in a manner directed by the Federal Court.

"Thousands of Texans are eligible to make claims and I hope they will avail themselves of the opportunity," the Attorney General said. "The form is a simple one, providing for estimates of the total dollar amount a consumer purchased and the names and addresses of the drugstores where the

purchases were made in the years 1954 - 66."

Mrs. L. E. Casterline, Annabelle and Frankie were in New Orleans last week, where they attended the services of George Bohn, Jr., and also visited with relatives in Houma, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fox spent the weekend in McAllen visiting Mrs. B. S. Fox and Bernard. Mrs. Fox had surgery Monday. Mrs. Fox remained with her mother-in-law.

F. B. STERLING DIES

Fred B. Sterling, 61, brother of Mrs. J. T. Stellman and Mrs. Bernice Mott, died in Roanoke, Va., Monday, apparently of a heart attack. He was returning from vacation in Bangor, Me., to Odessa where he and his family resided.

Sterling, the nephew of former Gov. Ross Sterling, retired from Humble Oil and Refining Company in 1964. Funeral services and burial will be in Bellville, Texas Thursday (today).

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Rouquette, Jr., and children of College Station, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard Livingston of Kingsville spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monte Rouquette in Fulton.

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CHRISTINA BENAVIDEZ

Graveside services were conducted Tuesday in the Casa Blanca Cemetery at Sandia for Christina Benavidez, 13, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guillermo Benavidez, of Rockport, who died July 26, in a Corpus Christi hospital after an illness. Marshall Funeral Home of Rockport was in charge of funeral arrangements.

She was a student at Aransas County Junior High School. She was born in Beville.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guillermo Benavidez; three brothers, Rolando, Catrino, and Juan Martin Benavidez; four sisters, Nacisa, Rosario, Guillermina, and Elizabeth Benavidez, all of Rockport; her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Maria Benavidez of Abilene; and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Tomasa Aguilar of Sandia.

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PALM HARBOR NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Crooks and children, Beverly and David of Dallas are visiting in the David Crooks home. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Crooks is Miss Peggy Terry of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Griffith and children of Seabrook are new residents of Palm Harbor.

New vacation home owners are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newman and children, Cole, Blake and Kathy of San Antonio. Also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Levitt and son, Ricky, of Dallas.

Merle Kelly and daughter, Janice, and Mrs. Edith Huhn of Houston were guests in the home of Mrs. S. E. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Thiel Sharp had as house guests their son, Richard Sharp and two children of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brannigan of Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wright left last week on an extended trip to Wisconsin.

Stuart Symington was the first U.S. Secretary of the Air Force.

Wednesday Bridge Club Has Meeting

Mrs. Fred Christilles was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club at the Sandollar Colony Room with a dessert bridge last week.

Members attending were Mrs. Arthur Bracht, Mrs. Fred Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Mrs. Charles Cleveland, Mrs. Arthur Curry, Mrs. J. V. Ferguson, Mrs. Fred Hunt, Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mrs. J. H. Mills, Mrs. Lois Rozzell and Mrs. Joe Slocum. Mrs. Joe Slocum won high score, Mrs. Lois Rozzell second high and Mrs. Travis Johnson, the bingo.

Mrs. Monte Rouquette and Mrs. Jack Sparks returned Friday from New Orleans, La., where they had been visiting Mrs. George Bohn, Jr., and family.

Elbert Mundine is in the Robert-Lyman Hospital, Aransas Pass, and will undergo surgery Thursday (today).

Class of 1949 Holds 20-Year Reunion

The class of '49 held its 20-year reunion on July 26. An open house was held at the Paws & Taws Square Dance Building in the afternoon. Eleven graduates and families, a total of 56, enjoyed visiting with friends and teachers.

In the evening the adults gathered at the Lynn Wendell home for dancing, refreshments and a snack and to talk about what's been going on during the last 20 years or since the last reunion in 1964.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Heibsen (Sally Weatherly) and three children from Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Schrader (Barbara Freeman) and two children from Corpus Christi; Mrs. Mildred Wilkerson Snyder and three children from Beeville; Mr. and Mrs. Sherman McKinley and two children from Beeville; Mrs. Sam James and four children from Bryan; Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLead (Jean Faye Johnson) and four children; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Wendell Yvonne Wiginton) and three children; Mr. and Mrs. James Gurley (Lois Townsend), and four children; Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Prophet and three children; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Landrum and three children; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hayden and four children and John Arthur Ballou all of Rockport.

The helper recently hired to assist in mowing became ill and is unable to continue the work. No replacement has been hired as yet. The treasurer, Mrs. Mills, reported that two new lawn mowers had been purchased.

The next meeting will be held October 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird and daughter, Nancy, of Angleton, spent the weekend with Mrs. Rae Glass Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Owens, Beeville, and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cade and son of Abilene spent Sunday with Mrs. Arthur Edmison.

Rockport Cemetery Association Meets

The Rockport Cemetery Association met Monday at the Chamber of Commerce building.

Those present were Mrs. W. B. Allen, president; Mrs. Gertrude Mills, treasurer; Mrs. Evelyn Townsend, secretary; Mrs. Crompton Sowerbutts, chaplain; Mrs. Mabel Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Miss Ruth Lipscomb, Mrs. S. F. Jackson, Miss Velma Picton, Miss Vivian Picton, and a new member, Miss Katherine Theodore.

Mrs. Allen presided over the meeting. Minutes of the last meeting were approved and read, and the treasurer's report was accepted. Mrs. Allen reported that since the last meeting April 28th, 16 funerals had been held.

The city requested that Mrs. Allen inform the members that those using water in the cemetery should not turn sprinklers on and leave them unattended.

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OFFICER CANDIDATE

Pensacola, Fla.—Naval Aviation Officer Candidate Peter J. Rowen of Rockport has reported to the Aviation Officer Candidate School at Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.

The classes last 11 weeks. Instruction includes Naval history and world affairs, Naval justice, leadership, physical fitness, swimming, communications, seamanship and military instruction.

Upon completion of the course he will receive a commission as an ensign.

Douglas Kieschnick of Bishop spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Taylor and girls.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the State Building Commission Sam Houston State Office Building Austin, Texas, until 10:00 a.m., August 20, 1969, for park facilities at Goose Island State Park—Project No. 9-004-802. Plans specifications and instructions available from the office of Mr. Albert E. Sheppard, Chief Architect, Brown and Root, Inc., P. O. Box 3, Houston Texas 77001. Telephone 672-3451. A deposit of \$50.00 will be required for the plans and specifications. Contractors must receive written permission from the State Building Commission to obtain the plans and specifications from Brown and Root, Inc. Bids to be made in accordance with state procedures. c20.



This and That
*
JOHN KINSEY

It's really too bad that few people attend City Council meetings unless something highly controversial is coming up.

In the first place, you'd think local property owners would want to know everything that is discussed and acted on at the Council meetings to be sure that their representatives—the aldermen—are taking actions in agreement with the thinking of the taxpayers.

But even if property owners are satisfied that they are being well represented on the City Council, people should come to the meetings because the sessions are interesting.

Also, if one attends every meeting, as I do to report the news in the Pilot—he enjoys noticing little personal things about the members of the City Council.

For example, take appearance. Mayor Delmar R. Hiller and Alderman Joe "Pepe" Zambrano always wear coats and ties. Aldermen Charlie Garrett and Norvell Jackson wear sleeveless sport shirts. Alderman Mrs. J. W. "Tony" Harden always is attractively dressed.

Next, what about some of the action characteristics of the City Council members?

Personally, I regard Charlie Garrett as the "watchdog of the treasury." He does a good job of asking lots of questions about any expenditure made by the city.

Norvell Jackson? One of his abilities is to spot any error in the minutes of the previous meeting when they are presented for approval. Not even a misplaced comma escapes Jackson's eagle eye.

"Pepe" Zambrano? He is the champion of the common man and does everything possible for the benefit of low income individuals and families.

"Tony" Harden? To be certain that she thoroughly understands every proposal, she asks for detailed information on every subject under consideration before she votes yes or no.

Mayor Hiller? In my opinion, he has vision and suggests projects which he believes are good for the future of the

area. Also, he does a good job as a diplomat when the aldermen are not in complete agreement.

Obviously, these brief sketches in no way cover the complete capabilities of the members of the City Council. They are just glimpses.

Wesley Jamison of Dallas flew down Saturday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Glass. He is the nephew of Mrs. Glass.

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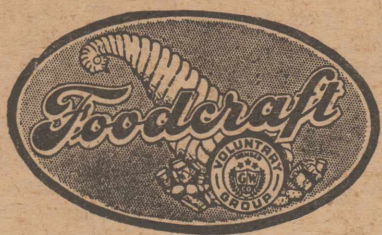
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SALT 2 for 25¢

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DILL PICKLES 33¢

Pompeian 4-oz. Bottle
OLIVE OIL 25¢

Chun King Chicken 16-oz. Can
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Chun King 5-oz. Bottle
SOY SAUCE 19¢

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Shoulder Roast 73¢

USDA Good Lb.
CHUCK ROAST 69¢

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Golden Ripe Lb.
BANANAS 15

Crisp Head
LETTUCE 19¢

Russet Lb.
POTATOES 10¢

Cello Pkg.
CARROTS 13¢

Sara Lee 12-oz.
POUND CAKE 75¢

Sara Lee — CHERRY 20-oz.
Cheese Cake 85¢

Frosty Acres 6-oz.
Orange Juice 2 for 49¢

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TOMATOES 2 for 37¢

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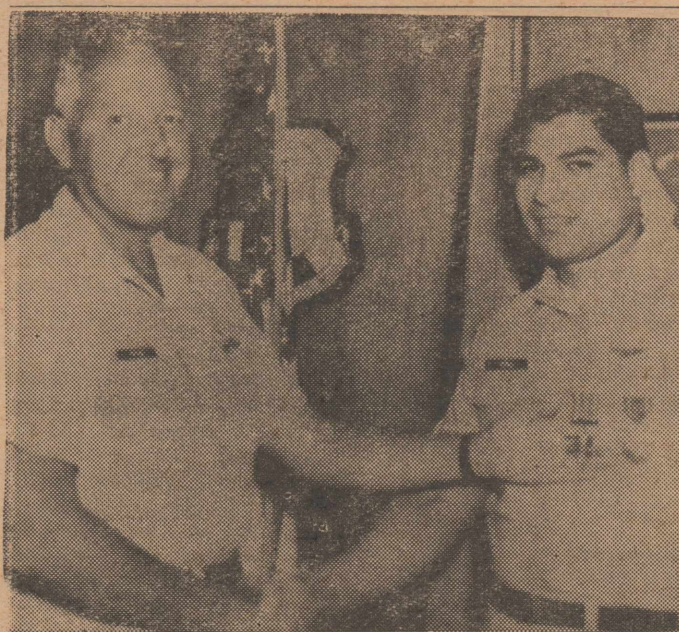
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Mr. and Mrs. Angel Flores, who will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, Aug. 3, will be honored with a family reunion and reception on that date. The reunion will be held at 1508 South Mathis Street. The couple was married August 2, 1919 in Corpus Christi. Helping them celebrate will be 47 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren, and the following children, daughters-in-law and sons-in-law: Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Flores, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Flores, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Flores, Joe A. Flores, Mr. and Mrs. Nino Garcia, Mrs. Joyce Donnan, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Peres, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Covarrubias, Mrs. Annie McCann, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Jacobs, r. and Mrs. Jerry Schexnider, Miss Connie Flores, Mrs. Paula Flores, and Amrozo Gonzales.

LASSITER CIRCULATES PETITION ON SALE TAX

Lloyd Lassiter, local cleaner,
is busy this week asking cus-
tomers to sign a petition
against the sales tax on ser-
vices as proposed to the present
special session of the state leg-
islature by Gov. Smith.

Tuesday morning, he already
had one page filled with sig-
natures, and says he hopes to
obtain many more before the
petitions have to be sent to the
legislators.

"Every cleaning shop in the
state and many filling stations
and others are circulating the
petitions," Lassiter stated. "We
hope to impress the legislature
that we do not want to place
a tax on services."

Benefit Association Meets At Sandollar

The North American Bene-
fit Association, Review No. 9
of Corpus Christi, met July
23 at the Sandollar for lunch,
business meeting, and games.

After the business meeting,
games of bridge, canasta and
42 were enjoyed by the fol-
lowing members: Mesdames John
Mew, W. B. Mobley, Gurdine
Howard, W. W. Downer, Belva
Wallschleger, Walter Fitzpat-
rick, Pat Christian, Althea
Robinson, Bertha Davis and
Rona Baker, of Corpus Christi.

From Robstown were Mrs.
Myrtle Dale, Mrs. Emma Gos-
sage and Miss Ethel De Spain.
Mrs. Walter Vettes and Mrs.
Lola Alexander were hostess-
es for the social hour.

The next meeting will be in
Corpus Christi Aug. 14, with
Mrs. Lucille Felder as hostess.

Mrs. Sherman Mundine who
recently had surgery is ex-
pected home this week.

Mrs. Fannie Taylor of Ber-
tram, Texas, spent the week-
end with her sister, Mrs. Oph-
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and Mrs. Jack Pruett, Steve,
Teri, Dale, Bo and Tina, of
Fresno Calif., are visiting their
parents, Col. and Mrs. Harry
Kautz, Mr. and Mrs. Jim
Kautz, and son and Mr. and
Mrs. Floyd Rouquette and
sons.

Rebekah News

Mrs. Myrtle McLester, Vice
Grand, presided at the Rebe-
kah Lodge meeting July 24.
The family night supper will
be at 7:30 instead of 6:30
Thursday, July 31.

Miss Ruby Lawson received
the flower fund gift. Refresh-
ments were served by Mrs.
McKinney during the social
hour.

Mrs. Ora May has returned
to Spohn Hospital for treat-
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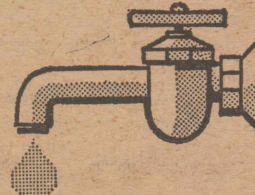
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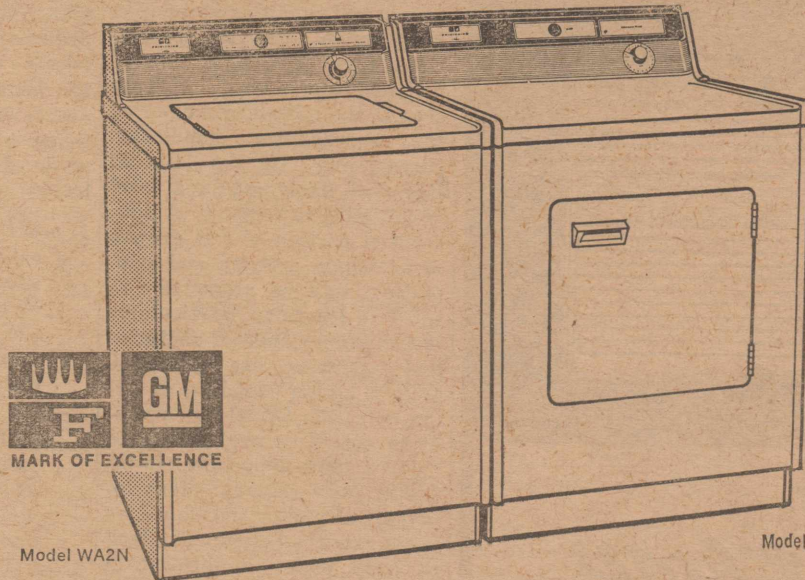
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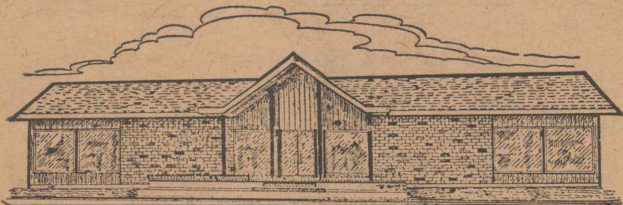
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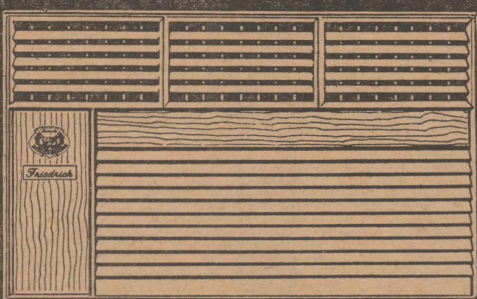
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AREA'S ECONOMY (Continued from Page 1)

and wildlife resources.

2.—Manufacturing has played a relatively minor role in the economic development of the city. As a result, most employment is found in the non-manufacturing sector and this is expected to continue during the planning period. Some light industrial activities primarily associated with marine services have a good potential because of the city's site advantages.

3.—Commercial fishing, oil and gas production, other resource exploiting industries and activities associated and related activities will continue to play an important part in the economy of the city.

4.—Tourism represents perhaps the best opportunity for continuing growth. In addition to tourism, the attractiveness of the area as a retirement center will also have a significant impact. Standards of development and facilities provided will largely influence the ability of the city to capitalize on these growth prospects.

5.—As an economic satellite of Corpus Christi, the city will continue to receive the benefits of the larger community without many of the associated problems. Wholesale and retail activity will be reduced by the competitive facilities in the larger city. At the same time, however, retail sales and services operating within the tourist economy should continue to expand.

The Future Economy

Long-range growth prospects is Rockport and Aransas County will be determined to some extent by national trends and changing standards. Long-range growth projections for the Corpus Christi metropolitan area indicate that in the next 50 year period the metropolitan population surrounding Corpus Christi Bay will likely attain a level of 1.2 million persons. A substantial portion of this growth in economic activity and population may be attracted to satellite locations, particularly if the proper type of facilities and amenities are provided. With a higher standard of living, vacation travel and recreation activities are certain to become more important. In industry, new regional plant locations are being developed on large suburban sites. The lack of deep water facilities will tend to reduce this kind of activity in Aransas County; however with the advent of large-scale water desalinization facilities, atomic power, and other technological advances, dramatic changes can be forecast for the city. In order to best take advantage of projected growth in the region and metropolitan area, Rockport residents need to have a basic understanding of its present assets and weaknesses.

Assets

1.—Attractive geographical setting, ideally situated to capitalize on tourist and recreational advantages. The proper utilization of these assets can establish Rockport as one of the major tourist destinations on the South Texas Coast.

2.—An attractive natural environment in the city and its environs. This environment is largely the result of the very attractive combination of natural vegetation and the waters of Aransas Bay.

3.—A good employment picture which is reasonably well insulated against temporary fluctuations in the economy.

4.—A satellite location in a large metropolitan area which offers a large diversification of additional employment opportunities with close proximity to the city itself.

5.—A steady increase in population in the metropolitan area will continue to attract growth to Rockport and its surrounding area. To do this adequate standards for the development of residential areas need to be enforced and provision of public facilities will need to be implemented.

Weaknesses

1.—An unattractive urban center with many marginal structures of questionable value. Deteriorating conditions in central business district have made the central commercial function vulnerable to the establishment of outlying shopping centers.

2.—A large portion of the population now lives near or below poverty levels. In addition to this there is a relatively low level of educational achievement in the county. Limited education and low income usually go hand-in-hand.

3.—The off-center location has tended to reduce industrial time has offered benefits for the development of tourism and recreation. Additional industrial development is estimated to have a limited short-range impact on the community.

4.—Early land speculation has contributed to a pattern of fragmented land ownership in areas surrounding the city. This has caused a haphazard growth process and in some areas has constituted a barrier to the economical growth of the city.

5.—There appears to be an overall lack of awareness of the problems facing the community and at the same time opportunities which are available are also not widely understood. This can be attributed to an absence of community-wide goals and objectives.

Understanding these assets and weaknesses can offer the community an opportunity to act boldly to take advantage of existing assets and to minimize weaknesses. The central business district can be upgraded to make it more attractive to vacationers and tourists. Provisions can be made to establish adequate standards and control measures which can regulate development in new growth areas. Deterioration in outlying portions of the community can be corrected through incisive public action directed toward upgrading the character and physical environment of the city. The comprehensive plan is based upon utilization of these assets. To accomplish goals and objectives residents of the community must understand what can be done and how it can be accomplished to benefit the city and its residents.

Goals and Objectives

Goals of the planning program are greater than the plan itself. Continuing appraisals, new ideas and ways to wisely use opportunities for the benefit of the community are a vital part of the on-going planning process. The goals of the community should be:

- 1.—TO PLAN for the physical, economic, and social growth and development of the community keeping the plan up-to-date and current with changing conditions.
- 2.—TO CO-ORDINATE local planning activities and projects with other improvements in the county, metropolitan area, region, and state.
- 3.—TO IMPLEMENT the plan through careful administration of control measures, construction of specific improvement projects, and wise use of available financial and human resources.

Objectives for the planning program are also greater than the plan since they embody short and long-range improvements which will have a major impact on the quality of the community. These objectives are embraced by proposals in the plan and must be broadened as the plan is modified to reflect current needs. The objectives of the community are:

- 1.—To achieve an efficient, desirable and lasting relationship between people and the use of land.
- 2.—To provide adequate means for transportation in urban areas, the larger community and region.
- 3.—To secure a safe standard of health through the construction of adequate utilities: water, sewer, and storm drainage facilities.
- 4.—To maintain a decent, safe and sanitary quality of housing for all inhabitants.
- 5.—To achieve a high standard of community facilities: schools, parks, and recreational areas, suitable to serve local residents and visitors alike.

6.—To stimulate economic expansion, using all assets to the benefit of local residents.

7.—To accomplish basic social objectives insuring the opportunity for all people to lead healthy, satisfying, and meaningful lives.

POPULATION

Since 1900, the Rockport population has increased from 1,153 to 3,800 persons. At the same time, Aransas County has increased from about 1,700 persons to about 10,000 in 1967. The growth pattern of the city has been slow, but fairly consistent. Only in 1930 did the city suffer a loss of population from the preceding decade, but the county increased slightly. These losses occurred during the depression period when much of the speculative land promotions were being carried on in the county. Aransas Pass, with a portion of the community in Aransas County, has experienced a steady growth since 1910.

Since 1930, the city has displayed a steady increase in population, averaging a 31 percent increase each decennial period since 1940. Current population estimates indicate that in 1967, the city had approximately 3,800 persons, nearly a 40 percent increase over the 1960 figure. A considerable amount of this growth has occurred through the annexation of new growth areas. Since 1940, the county has increased each decennial period by approximately 50 percent. A substantial amount of this urban development has occurred in the Fulton area and west of Rockport in unincorporated areas. Population in the planning area is estimated at 8,800 persons.

Population age distribution shows a slightly higher percentage in the under five and over 65 categories than was true for the state or nation. The 1960 Census figures also indicated that approximately 50 per cent of the total population was under age 25.

Existing population densities are not illustrated because of cyclical variations with a substantial increase in the summer months. At present, population densities are calculated at between 800 and 1,000 per square mile in the planning area. In Rockport, population density now reaches about 1,300 persons per square mile.

PROJECTIONS

Population forecasts prepared as a part of the Coastal Bend Regional Plan indicate that by the end of the planning period, the population of the county should reach approximately 25,000 persons. The population in Rockport is estimated to have a potential for increasing from 3,800 persons in 1967 to approximately 18,000 persons by 1990. Much of these population increases will occur through annexations to the west and north.

Density of population should vary between 1,200 and 1,300 persons per square mile. Seasonal fluctuations in population will primarily occur in the tourist-resort areas. Coastal areas will contain nearly all of the resort facilities and will attain highest population

density levels in the summer months.

Near the end of the planning period, it is estimated that the population in Aransas County and the interchange of the labor force between Aransas County and the Corpus Christi Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area will qualify Aransas County to become a part of the metropolitan area.

Some husbands have freedom of speech, since they can say anything they wish—at least once.—Garden City (Kans.) Telegram. * * *

A poll shows 41 percent of Americans saying four or more is the ideal number of children. Until shoe-buying time, of course.—Birmingham (Mich.) Eccentric. * * *

Things most men are not really worried about: not making that list of the 12 best-dressed men.—Windsor (Ont.) Star.

Texas Realtors Oppose Amendment 4,

The 14,000 member Texas Association of Realtors has launched a campaign to defeat passage of proposed Amendment number 4 to the Texas Constitution, it was announced today by Ana Wishert, President of the Aransas-San Patricio County Board of Realtors. Considered by the Realtors to be other than in the public interest, proposed Amendment 4 will be balloted upon Aug. 5. This amendment, if passed, would exempt private non-profit water supply corporations from taxation.

"Too many self-interest groups are already escaping responsibility for taxes," Mrs. Wishert stated. "This is an unfortunate situation that should not be worsened. The cost of government is increasing, and all Texans should be required to assume their fair share without favoritism to

special interest groups," she concluded.

Don Mason, of Amarillo, president of the Texas Realtors, pointed out that many privately owned water supply corporations operate for a profit. "These would be placed in a serious competitive disadvantage if the non-profit corporations were relieved of taxation," Mason said. "And with rising costs of government and a search by the legislature for new sources of revenue, any such reduction of the tax base is unwise," he added.

The Aransas-San Patricio County Board of Realtors was founded in 1965, and now numbers 35 realtors, 56 associates, and eight affiliate members. One of the Board's functions is the protection of private property rights and the interests of real property owners of the Aransas - San Patricio Area.

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AROUND THE AREA

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Arrowhead Display

There is a very neat display of arrowheads at Kline's Cafe. It contains over 100 picked up "around Copano Bay" by John Goff, Rockport. Mrs. Kline placed them artfully in a heavy picture frame, and as one looks at them, he cannot help but wonder if at one time some of them belonged to the feared cannibalistic Carancahu Indians who were in this area when the first white men arrived, and if some of them were used against these foreign invaders from another shore.

The Carancahuas, (or however the word is spelled) are reported to have disappeared, much like the tribes of Israel, never to be seen again. They are said to have eventually made Padre Island their home, and years later when the white men ventured there, they were all gone. All reports of them described them as standing well over six feet in height, which, at that day and time, was much larger than the average white man, and some of these referred to them as "giants who raced over shell and thorny weeds, barefoot, apparently unharmed by the cactus and other thorny plants of the area."

You will find this display of these arrowheads, some of them far from "crude" very interesting.

Lloyd Lassiter, cleaner, also has 250 to 500 arrowheads at his place of business, picked up by his wife and members of his family, near Laredo, El Paso, Freer, and other points. These are of entirely different appearance.

BRIGHT LIGHTS PASSE'

A decade ago, and even a shorter time away than that, dawn and dusk hours were the dangerous ones on highways, primarily because of bright lights blinding other drivers. But, times have changed. The other morning (early) between the Nueces Causeway and this city, we met 153 cars. Two had lights on bright, 11 were running without lights, the rest on the low beam. If enough people get killed, those of us remaining will learn. Bright light driving can be suicide... one of those who had bright lights on was coming up behind us, which is actually even more dangerous as we could not see when his lights reflected from the mirror, and had to reset it, which

Question and Answer Column

This column of questions and answers on Federal tax matters is provided by the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q.—What records do I need to support a deduction for a theft loss?

A.—Your records should show the date the theft was discovered, the cost basis and fair market value of the stolen property, the amount of the insurance or any compensation received or recoverable, and proof of your ownership. You must also be able to establish that the property was actually stolen and not lost or mislaid. The amount of each theft loss of nonbusiness property is deductible to the extent it exceeds \$100. The loss must be reduced by insurance or other compensation received.

Q.—If my son goes to work for me, should I treat him as my other employees for withholding purposes?

A.—Yes. His salary is subject to the same withholding requirements as your other

employees if he is 21 or over. If he is under 21, do not withhold Social Security taxes, but do withhold income tax.

The salary you pay your son can be treated as a business expense to the extent it is what you would pay a person not related to you for performing the same services.

Q.—Can you lose your tax deduction for a business trip overseas if you take a vacation at the same time?

A.—It is possible for your deduction to be less on a combined business and pleasure trip overseas.

Under certain circumstances, the cost of travel, including meals and lodging, to the place of the business meeting and back to the taxpayer's home will not be allowed in full as a business deduction because those expenditures would be allocated between the business and vacation portions of the trip.

Rules for handling business deductions in these circumstances are explained in Publication No. 463, "Travel, Entertainment and Gift Expenses," available free at all IRS offices.

eliminated our vision of the cars coming behind us. Think about the other driver when driving at night. Dim your lights at least a mile behind him as you come up on him.

If planning a long trip, remove the heat regulator in your radiator, put in when you had anti-freeze installed. It can cause your engine to burn up if it happens to be rusted or frozen... The National League showed its adaptability last week by defeating the American League at its own game—home runs and heavy hitting... They didn't do too bad on the base paths, either!

Congress' next step is to pass a law forcing manufacturers of alcoholic beverages to place signs on each container reading "If you drink enough of this it will make you drunk."... and the telephone company stamp on each phone, "if you talk too long, it will make your pocketbook unhealthier etc. etc."... Used to only state department employees made trips to Europe, but other department employees like to visit foreign countries, too... and so does the President!... There have been so many space flights, announcers tried to increase interest in the moonwalk by telling of all the imagined dangers involved.

A friend, trying to make photos of the TV scenes followed all the directions for taking the pictures, but forgot to put any film in his camera...

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THE FAMILY LAWYER

No. 1 MAN IN COURT

Not the scientist, not the sociologist, not the philosopher is the most-cited-expert in today's courtroom. Far more influential is a fictitious fellow known as the Reasonable Man.

Created by an English court more than a century ago, the Reasonable Man has become a basic yardstick for measuring right and wrong. To avoid being held negligent, you are expected to drive like the Reasonable Man, shave like the Reasonable Man, golf like the Reasonable Man, and drink like the Reasonable Man.

Then what sort of person is he?

In the purely physical sense, he looks very much like you. If you have only one leg, so does he. The law would expect you to cross the street only as fast as a Reasonable one-legged man. In this way, when judging your conduct, the law makes fair allowance for personal handicaps which you simply cannot help.

But in the mental sense, the Reasonable Man generally resembles not you but the average man—which is quite a different matter. Thus:

Suppose you are a person who is forever overlooking traffic signals or dropping lighted cigarette butts. You cannot expect other people to suffer, without complaint, the consequences of your absent-mindedness. For this is a handicap which, presumably, you can overcome if you really try.

So the Reasonable Man has the average degree of alertness to danger, the average degree of consideration for the safety of others. He also has, broadly speaking, an average memory, average bravery, average judgment, and an average amount of useful information in his head.

Thus, the Reasonable Man knows (even if you, personally, do not) that hay will burn, that a wet floor is slippery, that worn tires may blow out and that a loaded gun is dangerous.

In other words the Reasonable Man is a composite—partly like you, partly like the average person. He has your built-in defects, but not your defects that could and should be corrected.

But isn't that a pretty loose standard for deciding legal issues in the courtroom? True enough. Yet, experience has shown it to be a wise and workable compromise between the rights of the individual and the rights of society.

By using this compromise, the law itself has acted like the Reasonable Man.

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Bill Bernard.

On the day Margaret got a learner's permit, her boy friend Fred took her out for a driving lesson. As they approached another car, waiting at a stop light, Margaret suddenly "froze." Worse, so did Fred.



SHE'S ONLY 11, but Valli Satchithananda has been acclaimed by authorities as one of the finest exponents of India's classic dance form, Bharata Natya.

OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

That misfit, the nutria, has it seems met its match.

(The nutria is reputed to be a rat that gets almost as large as a hog, brought in from South America to kill off the snake population in Louisiana swamps. It spread rapidly and many were reported in Texas, especially the northeast section. Two were reported seen as far south as the Nueces River near Calallen a few years ago).

Despite man's diligent efforts to eradicate this pest, it continued to thrive and multiply. But now Nature seems to be getting things in hand—at least along the Gulf Coast where the nutria were most abundant.

On a recent trip to Port Arthur for instance we were told we couldn't go on a nutria hunt because, believe it or not, there weren't enough nutria. Talk about a switch!

(The first nutria reported as seen in Texas was by a group of printers from Port Arthur whose camp was attacked and destroyed by the nutria one night).

A few short years ago people were bemoaning the fact that nutria were taking over the land. Then along came Hurricane Carla and suddenly there weren't many nutria any more. Nature had done what man couldn't do.

Actually, this rat-looking creature is a victim of poor press relations more than anything else.

"There has been a tremendous amount of erroneous information published about nutria," says Ed Holder, out-

doors editor of the Port Arthur News and a student of nutria behavior. "Much of it is true. But some of it is merely propaganda, exploited by some, out to pick up a dollar."

For a long while the nutria was considered worthless. It had things to its own liking. Nobody bothered it. So it went happily on its way. It ate everything from swamp grass to the farmer's crop, including mama's flowers and gardens. Then, the nutria suddenly had an imposing enemy—man. A profitable market was created for its pelt and hunters started seeking them in earnest. This is another reason why nutria populations no longer are exploding.

Nutria trappers sell the animals "on foot," or simply the dead carcasses. Buyers skin the pelts, and eventually the skins make their way to furreries.

There also is a market for nutria meat. It is high in protein. Meat is used primarily as a supplement in the mink's diet. This use occurs at certain times of the year, when it is needed most, such as during the mink's pregnancy.

In addition, however, nutria meat is sold in some super markets. Here, of course, there is no great demand for the meat. After all many people claim it would be like eating an over-sized rat. But those, who have tried it say nutria meat is, in fact, quite good. The flesh is lean and tastes much like rabbit.

Those who complain most about the nutria damage are

VISITING HERE

Col. Zim E. Lahon, director and professor of military science of the University of Scranton in Pennsylvania and a graduate of Princeton University with several degrees, is spending this week at the Lainhon vacation cottage, "Moongate," in Little Bay Shores with his mother, Gertrude. The colonel's German-born daughter, Gretchen Arnold, accompanied him on the Texas trip.

BURGLAR ALARM

A burglar alarm sounded in the home of Earl Miley, owner of Anglers Motel, early in the morning of July 24. The sound aroused Mrs. Miley, who got up turned the lights on and looked around. Apparently the would-be burglar had been frightened away by the alarm.

Mrs. G. S. Spinney of Aransas Pass and Mrs. A. C. Shivers of Rockport spent the weekend in Pharr visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Butler. Mrs. Butler is Mrs. Shivers' daughter.

the duck hunters. They claim the nutria is destroying the marshes. But Holder debunks some of this talk.

"The truth is simply that the nutria has made duck hunting more difficult, but has not appreciably hurt duck habitat," he explains. "In fact, in some areas the opening of patches in the marsh has probably helped ducks more than it has hurt them. I've seen nutria clean cane from an area and watched wild millet grow in the same area the next year feeding thousands of ducks."

Nutria make fascinating targets for hunters. In the water, the cagey nutria can be quite elusive. Now, they've become so educated that hunters go after them at night, with lights. This because in daylight they promptly dive at the first sign of danger.

Most sporting method is to hunt them with a .22 rifle. The hunters move through canals cut in the marsh, watching for the telltale head.

When a nutria swims only a portion of the head protrudes above the surface, presenting a difficult target. A nutria is a hardy animal and can take a wallop from a .22 slug in the body without stopping. Only truly vital spots are in the head or spine.

Nutria are regarded as "slow," but Holder says this is a misnomer. On land one can move almost as fast as a rabbit, but in the water it is no great shakes of a swimmer. It dives slowly, too. But it can swim under water for a great distance.

Nutria are natural enemies of dogs. Most dogs seem to—outdoors in Texas continue to go wild when they smell nutria.

Labrador retrievers, carried into the marsh by their duck-hunting owners often attack the so-called "rats." Many suffer severe injuries from the encounter.

A nutria isn't, by habit, a vicious creature. It will run from both man and beast. But when cornered, it is a valiant and fast fighter, using teeth and claws to defend itself.

Most experts believe the remarkable nutria population explosion is over. It is felt that the nutria is ready to become a normal part of our animal kingdom and natural elements will probably control their numbers. When that happens, the nutria will increase and diminish in numbers in a regular cycle, just as all other forms of wildlife do.

For the much-cussed nutria, it is indeed a new and different role.

OIL NEWS

King, Imperial and Flournoy have teamed to drill a deep Aransas County explorer four miles southeast of Rockport.

Permitted to 10,500 feet, the No. 2 State Gas Unit 212-200 scales 1,200 feet from the south line and 990 feet from the east line of Tract 200 in Aransas Bay.

Continental Oil Co. No. 44 St. Charles Co., wildcat 8.5 miles south-southwest of Austwell, was preparing to perforate after drilling to 12,000 feet total depth. Earlier 5 and 5½-inch combination liner was cemented at 11,971 feet.

Operator's Number 48 St. Charles Co., Un Burgentine Lake Field was making hole below 7,505 feet after setting 10¼-inch casing to 835 feet. Voss Drilling Co. is contractor on the 8,000-foot project.

Neil E. Hansen, Houston, plans immediate drilling of a deep Aransas County Nine Mile Point Field test four miles southeast of Rockport.

Projected to 12,000 feet, the No. 1 State Gas Unit 154-155 bottom hole location will be 660 feet from the north and west lines of State Tract 154. Surface location will be slightly northwest of bottom hole location in order to comply with Corps of Engineers rules to stay 1,000 feet from center line of Intracoastal Waterway, and scales 467 feet out of the northwest corner of the tract in Aransas Bay.

LOGISTICAL POST

U. S. Army Vietnam—Army Corporal John H. Holden, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Holden, Aransas Pass, was assigned July 8 to the 1st Logistical Command in Vietnam, as an office equipment repairman. His wife, Elsie lives on Route 1, Rockport.

IN VIETNAM

U.S. Army, Vietnam — Army Private First Class John M. Genis, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard W. Townsend, was assigned July 10 to the 199th Light Infantry Brigade in Vietnam as an infantryman.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, TO JAMES PIERCE STUART SMYTH, natural father of LISA MARIA SMYTH:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County, Texas to be held at the Courthouse of said county in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock 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 September, 1969, and answer the Petition of W. W. HILLIARD, Jr., Petitioner, in Cause Number 4302, styled IN RE: A MINOR, which Petition was filed in said court on the 30th day of April, 1969; the nature of which said cause is as follows: Petitioner, W. W. HILLIARD, JR., respectfully petitions the Court for leave to adopt LISA MARIA SMYTH, a minor.

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

Witness W. E. Beasley, Clerk of the 36th Judicial District Court, Aransas County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the City of Rockport, this 28th day of July 1969.

(SEAL) W. E. BEASLEY, Clerk, District Court, Aransas County, Texas.

By: Ruby Hart, Deputy.

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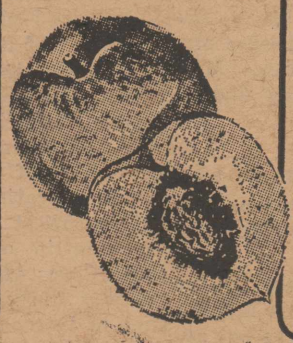
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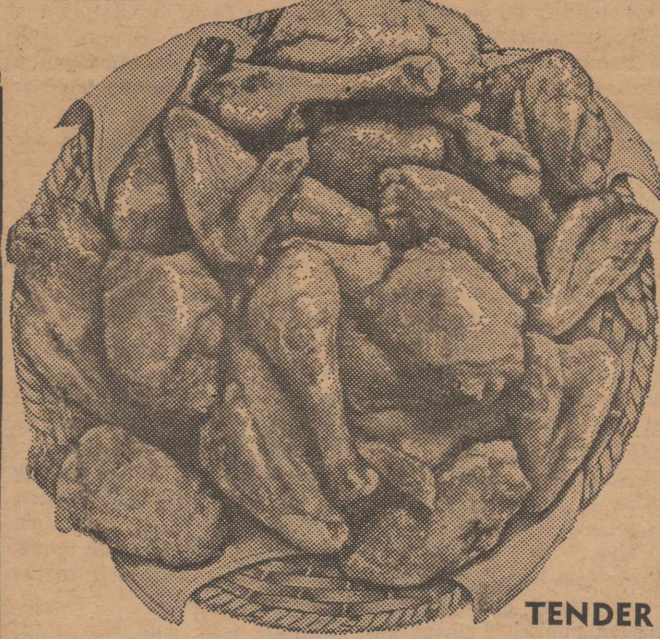
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