Weather Report

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Apr. 14 —	73	61	.00	29.96
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Absentee Voting to Go on Until May 1

Absentee voting for the May 4 Democratic primary election began Monday in the County Clerk's office and will continue through April 30.

There are seven candidates for County Commissioner, Precinct 2, and three candidates for County Commissioner, Precinct 4.

Following is the complete list of candidates, as furnished by Miss Lola L. Bonner, Domocratic County Chairman:

District Clerk, Agnes A. (Tony) Harden.

County Judge, John D. Wendell.

County Clerk, Ruby Hart.

County Treasurer, Ettoil (Duck) Harrist Eller.

County Commissioner, Precinct 2, C. L. (Bubba) Browning, R. J. (Dick) Fox, J. M. Franz, Felicia Gonzales, Carl Hardin, Earnest Harrist, Ray Longino.

County Commissioner, Precinct 4, Tom D. Brown, Charley L. Hale, J. L. (Larry) Stewart.

County Surveyor, T. E. Griffith.

Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, Lawrence Miller.

Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2, Roy Hinton.

Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3, J. Paul Rogers.

Party Offices: County Chairman, Lola L. Bonner; Chairman, Precinct 1, Mrs. H. F. Elliot; Chairman, Precinct 1-A, Marie Baker; Chairman, Precinct 2, Mrs. David T. Rossman; Chairman, Precinct 3, Miss Freddie A. Lingner; Chairman, Precinct 4, L. E. Casterline; Chairman, Precinct 4-A, Louise A. Wilken.

Absentee Voting For G.O.P. Primary

Absentee voting for the Republican Party was begun Monday, April 15, at the County Clerk's office in the courthouse.

Contested offices occur at the non-local level for governor and lieutenant-governor. At the county level there are candidates for precinct chairmen and county chairman with no contests.

Candidates for chairman are Harold Shirey, county chairman, Mrs. Dona Mae Schocke, chairman precinct 1, Blas Ramirez, chairman precinct 2, and Mrs. Kay Rowland, chairman precinct 4.

Also included on the Republican ballot are referendums on three topics to allow voters to express an opinion separately on whether the Constitution of Texas should include a "right to work" clause, approval by all state voters on any enactment fo a state personal or corporate income tax and whether the voter favors a law to permit parimutuel wagering on horse races by local option.

Garden Club Plans May Flower Fair

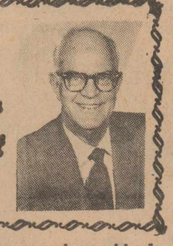
The members of the Rockport Home and Garden Club began months ago talking, planning and preparing for "the big happening" -- a May Flower Fair. Mrs. E. H. Butler was appointed general chairman.

The theme of the May Flower Fair is "May Time in Rockport" and will be held Friday, May 3, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the Woman's Club Building.

Plants have been potted and readied for sale. Flower arrangements will be made for showing. Exhibits of soil, compost and special plants are being prepared for various booths.

Mark your calendar today, you won't want to miss the opportunity of coming, seeing, enjoying and choosing on Friday, May 3, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m., plants and flowers for your home, yard and garden.

The Kinsey Report



I have discovered an ideal way to get more exercise and lose weight.

Spend a week trying to keep up with two grandsons, one 5 years old and the other 2 years old.

Our daughter, Mrs. Ken (Pam) Herbort and her two sons, Mike and Jay, visited us last week and we all had a wonderful time. Pam drove down from Kerrville in a pickup truck and brought with her not only the boys but also a bicycle and a tricycle to help keep them amused.

My job was to watch over Mike and Jay as they rode their bikes in front of our home. There is very little traffic but I felt better to look after their safety.

Every so often the kids would get bored with riding back and forth in front of our home and Mike would say, "Gramp, how about taking a ride around the block?"

So around the block we would go, causing Gramp to jog a bit to keep up with the fast-moving boys. If once around the block was fun, the boys figured that twice around the block would be more fun, so around we would go.

Mike and Jay were good for Gramp. They made him feel younger. And they sure made him feel good when they said each night before going to bed, "I want to kiss Gramp goodnight."

Grandma and Grandpa Kinsey kind of love those kids and their mother, too.

Rt. Rev. Beck Dies In Corpus Christi

The Rt. Rev. Frederick O. Beck, retired vicar of the Victoria Catholic Deanery and longtime pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Victoria, died Sunday in a Corpus Christi hospital after a short illness.

He served as pastor of St. Mary's Church from 1941 to 1967 when he retired to live in Fulton.

Beck, 78, was born in Red Rock. He was ordained in 1921 at Pontifical College of Joseph in Columbus, Ohio. He held pastorates in San Antonio, New Braunfels, Seguin, Yoakum and Hallettsville before coming to Victoria.

Beck was superintendent of St. Joseph's School in Yoakum for nine years and served as chairman of the school's board of education. He also acted as spiritual adviser of Incarnate Word College Board of San Antonio and as dean of religion for Victoria schools. He was conferred an honorary doctor of law degree in 1946 by St. Edwards University in recognition of his special interest in education.

Beck helped organize interfaith hymn festivals, the annual celebration of Christ the King and the Serra Club and served as faithful friar for the fourth-degree Knights of Columbus, chaplain of the Court of Catholic Daughters of America, moderator for St. Mary's Altar Society, chairman of the interfaith committee of the Victoria Ministerial Alliance and chaplain of the Serra Club.

He was also active in many area church building projects.

In 1964, Beck was given the citizenship award by the Victoria Rotary Club and designated man of the year by the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

He is survived by one sister, Miss Marie Beck, and a niece, Miss Frances Beck, both of Victoria.

The Rosary was recited on April 16 in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Victoria. Funeral Mass was scheduled to be celebrated at St. Mary's at 2 p.m. Wednesday, with entombment in Resurrection Mausoleum.

U.S. AND EGYPT

CAIRO--The United States and Egypt have announced agreement to resume diplomatic relations and exchange ambassadors within the very near future.

Charge Cruelty To Animals

Cruel and inhuman treatment of at least two animals in the Lamar area has been impetus to efforts to establish animal control regulations in Aransas County.

Baited fish hooks strung from trees have caused the death of one dog and one cat in recent weeks.

"I only saw a picture of the cat," said County Judge John D. Wendell, Monday.

It obviously died from exposure, hunger and bleeding, he said.

While the two known incidents of animal hooking shocked county officials, and others, it is not the chief reason the commissioners court last Thursday directed Wendell to call a referendum on the question of registering all dogs in the county.

More than 100 Rockport residents petitioned the court for the election, and petitions are still circulating in the communities of Lamar and Holiday Beach.

Wendell said stray dogs running in packs generated the current interest in some kind of animal control.

"I had complaints from parents in Fulton who said their children were afraid to walk to school," because of the dogs, Wendell reported.

Wendell said the fish hook baiting of animals was called to his attention after the petitions started circulating.

Meat was apparently used as the bait, he said, and the hook was high enough off the ground that the caught animals hung in the air.

"It wasn't nice," Wendell said, of the one photograph he saw.

The proposed local option election will be called under relatively new legislation, the county judge said. It gives counties the authority to register and levy a tax on all dogs, upon voter approval.

Wendell emphasized that the county is not talking about a leash law. But unregistered dogs running at large would be subject to pick-up and unless claimed and properly registered within a specified time, disposed of.

He said details on hiring a dog catcher and disposing of unclaimed or unwanted animals would be worked out after the election is held.

Wendell also said he has 10 days to set the election date from the time the order was passed last Thursday.

--Corpus Christi Caller

Comment Sought On Dredging

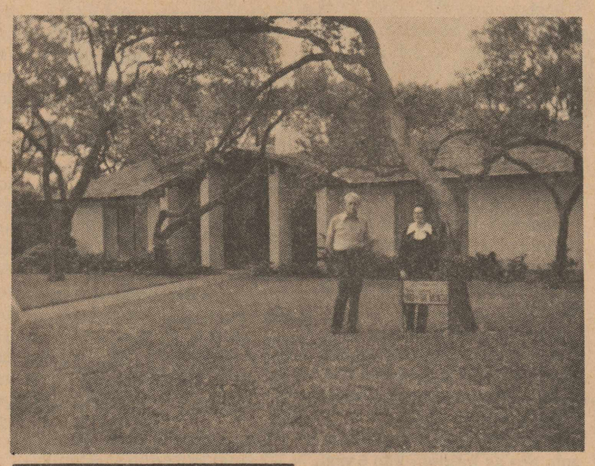
Comments will be received by the district office of the U.S. Corps of Engineers at Galveston until May 6 on an application to perform maintenance dredging in Aransas Bay, near the Copano Bay Causeway.

The applicant, Lamar Hunt Trust Estate, proposes to dredge an area 30 by 50 feet under an existing permit. Approximately 300 cubic yards of dredged material would be placed on land.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Close, Anne Close and Barbara Richardson of Houston spent the weekend as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hart and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Close.



DANIEL FORD, a graduate student at M.I.T., recently caused the shutdown of a nuclear power plant in Plymouth, Mass., when he convinced the Atomic Energy Commission that the plant lacked the safeguards needed to prevent a catastrophic accident.



Synthetic Diamonds Discussed In Talk

Development and growing popularity of substitute diamonds was discussed by John Vandike of Houston at a luncheon meeting of Rotary Club April 10 at Ramada Inn.

He explained that attempts have been made to duplicate precious gem stones for hundreds of years without much success. There is a record that Egyptians produced imitation gems from glass in 1600 B.C. However, at that time glass probably was more valuable than many kinds of gem stones, according to Vandike.

He explained there are two types of so-called imitation gem stones -- synthetic gem stones made from the same material as natural gem stones, and simulated stones made in laboratories from materials unrelated to the components of natural gems.

While there have been both synthetic and simulated reproductions of a number of gem stones, reproduction of diamonds always has been a great challenge to scientists, he asserted.

It was not until shortly before World War II that an acceptable synthetic diamond was developed. However, it did not retain its brillance long so was never very popular.

About seven years ago, a General Electric Co. laboratory worker experimenting with the laser beam developed a simulated diamond by subjecting carundum to the laser beam. The product is cut and polished by the same artisans and by the same methods as are used on gem diamonds. The simulated diamonds are flawless, while all natural gem diamonds have faults or flaws, Vandike said. He added that one of the ways simulated diamonds are distinguished from natural diamonds is the absence of flaws. He said only an expert can distinguish between simulated Aristocrat gems and true diamonds.

Many owners of very expensive diamond jewelry have had them duplicated in Aristocrat gems which they wear instead of their genuine jewelry, largely because of the saving in insurance costs. According to Vandike, no one knows the difference and the cost is only a fraction of genuine diamond jewelry.

Vandike displayed a collection of rings and other types of jewelry set with Aristocrat simulated diamonds.

Young Homemakers Hold Meeting

Mrs. Glenda Blankenship presented the program at the April meeting of Young Homemakers. She explained the purpose of the local Family Planning Center. She told of the services available and noted that all local women are eligible to receive the benefits.

On April 20 the chapter is planning a field trip to Browning Brothers Furniture Store in Corpus Christi. The group will be instructed in interior decorating and given design ideas by a staff decorator. A luncheon is planned after the meeting.

VISITING HERE

Marine Sgt. Joe R. Garcia and family are spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Garcia of Rockport.

Sgt. Garcia after completing his assignment at the American Embassy in Mexico City has been transferred to Camp Pendleton, Calif., where they are returning after their visit here in Rockport.

Yard of Month To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas

The Yard of the Month Award has been presented to Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Thomas, 2009 Glass Avenue, Rockport, according to Mrs. B. F. Street, chairman of the project sponsored by Rockport Home and Garden Club.

Beneath many towering, wind gnarled live oak trees, the front and back yards boast a variety of shrubs, plants and flowers attesting to the Thomas' gardening ability and devotion to detail. Tall symmetrical matching Norfolk palms stand on each side of front door.

Foundation plantings are pink and variegated Hydranga, Japanese Yew, Verbena, pink Hawthorne, Ajuga, yellow jasmine, dwarf natal plum, variegated pittsporum, holly fern, sago palm, Easter lillies, dwarf palm fern, Aucuba, Nandina and bottle brush.

Flower beds are hibiscus, geranium, day lillies, zinnia, poinsettia, oxalis, iris, oleander, Kolanchoe, petunias, amarylis, firecracker plant and Eleagnus.

Items of special interest are Magnolia tree, gardenias, pineapple Guava, roses and pyracantha grown espalier fashion.

A garden of wild flowers, sheltered by sweet bay trees, is bordered by Liriope.

A space in the house roof line has been cut out to accommodate a graceful outflung limb, of a beautiful live oak tree.

The Yard of the Month award is given by the Rockport Home and Garden Club. Anyone is eligible to receive it. Nominations by mail may be made to Mrs. B. F. Street, 1306 Redbird Lane, Rockport 78382.

Fires In Tents Present Hazards

Spring days will tempt thousands of campers into the outdoors, and a sudden shower or drop in temperature will tempt some of these campers into making a fatal mistake.

They will carry a lantern or a stove into their tent, taking the risk of dying a horrible, flaming death.

Safety officials are reporting an increased incidence in burning tents and maiming, disfiguration and death due to tent fires.

The problem, say Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials, is that the substances used for waterproofing are highly flammable.

Once a spark from a lantern or stove or the ember from a campfire or cigarette starts the tent burning, occupants are surrounded by walls of flame in a matter of seconds.

Safety experts say that illumination inside a tent should always be done by flashlights or the new neon camp lights.

Cooking inside a tent is just asking for trouble, not only from fire but also from carbon monoxide poisoning as well.

Campfires should be well away from tents, and careful consideration should be made concerning the wind. Campers should also remember that the wind direction can change in the middle of the night, making a safe campfire into a very dangerous one.

L.U.L.A.C. NEWS

Rockport Council No. 625, LULAC reports there was a good attendance at Cove Theatre for the movie shown for the benefit of the building fund on April 3. After expenses, the profit was $185. LULAC members thank Tom Davis for use of the theatre. Members are asked to return any speakers still attached to car doors inadvertently.

Aransas County Commissioners Act on Wide Variety of Matters

On April 11 there was a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court with the following members present: John D. Wendell, County Judge; Erie Eller, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; Wanda Sparks, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; Raymond Owens, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; Charley Hale, Commissioner Precinct No. 4; and Ruby Hart, County Clerk.

It was voted to appoint Elva Mullinax fire marshal giving him an expense account of $25 per month retroactive to April 1, 1974.

The matter of drainage at City by the Sea was left pending from last meeting until the County Surveyor Tommy Griffith could check same. He reported that the drainage pipe should not be closed as suggested.

The Judge called to the attention of the Court that the Commissioners Precincts should be realigned again because of discrepancy in the number of voters in each precinct.

Franklin Kelly requested premission to close the garbage transfer station during the noon hour. After due consideration the court agreed to the closing on a trial basis.

A letter was read from Miss Lola L. Bonner, chairman, Aransas County Democratic Executive Committee, stating that the following designations be made for the May 4th election: place, District Courtroom--Courthouse; manager, Sheriff Robert Hewes; and tabulation supervisor, Douglas E. Wolnitzek, Corpus Christi Bank and Trust. The Court agreed to the appointments.

It was voted to allow $1,800 to the Rockport Fire Department and $1,500 to the Lamar Fire Department.

It was decided to call an election prohibiting unregistered dogs from running at large.

Woman Sees Bald Eagle

A local resident scored a bird-watching coup April 9, spotting a bald eagle perched on a fence post beside Highway 35 just beyond the Aransas Pass city limits.

Mrs. Clifford Zeisler said she spotted the rare eagle as she was driving slowly along the road toward Gregory. "It thrilled me to death," she said.

"There was a brush fire right in that area," Mrs. Zeisler recalled, "and evidently he'd gone out of the brush.

She said the bird remained on the post -- located between city limits and a rest area a short distance down the road -- until she could no longer see him.

The bald eagle, an increasingly rare species, is seldom seen in the Coastal Bend. Individuals have been known to frequent the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge, however, and in February of 1973 a pair of the birds was reported nesting on a ranch near Refugio.

Danny, Betty Adams To Operate Racquet Club Restaurant

Danny and Betty Adams, owners and operators of Copano Causeway Restaurant, will assume responsibility for operating the restaurant and cocktail lounge of Rockport Racquet and Yacht Club Resort effective May 1.

They are joining George Falk and Joe Couch, operators of the resort, but their responsibilities will be limited to the food and bar facilities.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams are natives of Rockport. In addition to the Causeway restaurant, they have a management interest in a restaurant and club at Copper Mountain ski resort in Colorado. They plan to continue this association as well as operation of Causeway restaurant after they join the Racquet club operation, Adams said.

After they take over the Racquet Club restaurant they will put greater emphasis on seafood, Adams added, explaining that a shrimp boat he owns will insure ample supplies of seafood.

Willeen Schmidt On Water Dist. Board

Two recently elected directors of Aransas County Conservation and Reclamation District were sworn in after results of the election held April 2 were canvassed and certified by members of the board.

Elected for six-year terms were Thomas L. Morgan and J. Henry von Pein. Later by unanimous action the board appointed Willeen Schmidt to fill the unexpired term of director William Sprigg who resigned recently.

The board agreed to share the cost of repairing and repainting water towers used by the local water distribution system.

In response to a suggestion that the board join a number of other area organizations in urging the Texas Water Quality Board to oppose a planned toxic waste landfill which has aroused some opposition, especially in Corpus Christi, the local board decided to take a more moderate stand. It authorized President Jack McDavid to write a letter to the state water board endorsing the stand of the Coastal Bend Council of Governments which urged that a full investigation be completed on possible danger to water sources before a decision is made on the proposed landfill.

Boating Rules For Ski Basin

A number of local people have asked questions recently about rules and regulations regarding the use of boats in the Ski Basin.

The Pilot contacted the Navigation District for information on this subject and received the following data from the minutes of two Navigation District meetings:

Excerpt: August 7, 1973 Regular Meeting - The Ski-Basin discussion was on the need to separate sail boats and ski-boats. Due to the safety factor involved, sail boats will be required to remain at the North end of the Basin and signs to that effect shall be erected. No Air Boats will be allowed in the Basin. The City Police are to be called upon if necessary to enforce the rules.

Excerpt: February 5, 1974 Regular Meeting - Mr. R. L. Eckman appeared to protest the use of boats, particularly air boats, in the Connie Hagar Wildlife Sanctuary. The Navigation District agreed at the August 7, 1974 regular meeting that no air boats were to be allowed in the Basin and now agrees an addenda be made to exclude air boats in all of Little Bay. It was further agreed that all boats are off limits in the Wildlife Sanctuary during the wildlife season with signs posted to that effect. The Board also agreed that notice of such action be given to the City Council, Aransas County Commissioners Court, Parks and Wildlife Department, Parks and Wildlife Commission and the Audubon Society.

Garden Clubs Workshop Set

Mrs. D. L. W. Carter, director of District VII Garden Clubs, will conduct a workshop for garden club presidents and program and/or yearbook chairmen. This workshop will be held May 2nd at 1:30 p.m. in the Corpus Christi Garden Center at 5325 Greely St.

The District Chairmen will also give tips for carrying out garden club work and for compiling yearbooks for the coming year.

Attending the meeting will be local garden clubbers, District Officers and District Chairmen.

To obtain the names of those attending this workshop from your area, please contact Mrs. Thomas E. McArdle, 2426 Paisano Street.

National Day Of Humiliation

Officials of First Baptist Church of Fulton pointed out the following:

That it has been "resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States that Congress hereby proclaims that April 30, 1974 be a National Day of Humiliation, Fasting and Prayer;

"And calls upon the people of our nation to humble ourselves as we see fit, before our Creator to acknowledge our final dependence upon Him and to repent of our national sins."

Cemetery Association

The Rockport Cemetery Association will hold its quarterly meeting, Monday, April 22 at 4 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce Building. All members are urged to attend. Visitors are welcome.

Aransas County Commissioners on Monday canvassed the votes cast in the April 6 election for members of Aransas County School Board and declared that Milton Harrell received 63 votes and Walter Heldenfels received 33 and thus both were re-elected since they were unopposed.

New Bank Building Nearing Completion

As completion date for First National Bank's $600,000 new building project approaches, final touches are being added to the structure at State Route 35 and Austin Street, according to James H. Sorenson, Jr., president.

Driveways and parking areas have been paved with asphalt, and landscaping with trees, shrubs and grass will be underway soon, Sorenson said. Included will be an aluminum flagstaff at one corner of the new building.

Most of the interior walls have been painted and all woodwork has been either stained or painted. All millwork on tellers' stations and lobby tables have been completed but some vinyl covering has yet to be applied.

Metal grillwork for the bank's suspended ceilings is in place as are light fixtures and air conditioning vents. Ceilings will be completed when acoustical tile panels are installed, acording to Syl Cunningham, general superintendent in charge of the bank project.

The terrazzo floor in the main lobby has been finished, but carpeting and floor tile in other parts of the building are yet to be installed.

Two massive steel vault doors are in place, and tile flooring and painted walls inside the vaults will be completed soon.

A major project awaiting completion is installation by Mosler Safe Co., of the bank's four-lane drive-in banking facilities. However, all construction work to house the system has been completed and placing the mechanical and electrical devices involved is relatively routine, according to Mosler representatives.

It was explained that drive-in customers will push only one button to get immediate person-to-person contact with a teller. Further, a pneumatically operated remote transaction system permits a teller to serve more than one customer at a time, resulting in faster service. Tellers see each customer and talk with them individually on separate circuits, Mosler people said.

"When the installation is completed First National will have the most modern and most convenient system of drive-in banking available anywhere," they added.

Girls Track Team Second In District

The girls' track team on April 8 participated in the 21AA District Track Meet at Buc Stadium in Corpus Christi. Out of 14 teams the Lady Pirates finished second behind Flour Bluff.

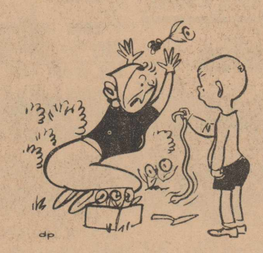
The Lady Pirates also qualified six people for the Regional meet to be held in Victoria on April 27.

Placing in the meet for the Pirates were Becky Bateman, 4th in the triple and long jump; Alice Carter, 6th in the long jump and hurdles; Nina Green, 2nd in the 60 yard dash (regional qualifier) and 6th in the 100 yard dash; Barbara Lewis, 5th in the hurdles; and Mary Laird, 1st in the high jump (regional qualifier) and 3rd in the hurdles.

The 440 relay and the 880 relay teams both qualified for the regional meet. Relay team members are 440 relay: Mellinee Harwick, Nina Green, Corina Rivera, Barbara Lewis; 880 relay: Harwick, Bateman, Rivera and Lewis. These relay teams came in second and first respectfully.

The mile relay placed fourth. The mile relay was composed of Lynn Moody, Betty Baldwin, Jena Miller and Lucy Rivera.

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★Service News★

Army Sergeant First Class Harold C. Wilson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Wilson of Rockport, was graduated from the 3rd Armored Division Noncommissioned Officer Academy near Kirch Gons, Germany.

Sgt. Wilson received training in leadership responsibilities, exercise of command, map reading and military teaching methods.

He is assigned to Headquarters and Company A of the Division's 45th Medical Battalion in Hanau.

His wife, Vivian, lives in San Antonio.

The United Nations switchboard has about 5,500 extension telephones connected to it.

Shrimporee Beauty Contest on May 18

The Aransas Pass Shrimporee Beauty Pageant will be held May 18 at Roosevelt Stadium in Aransas Pass. Application blanks may be obtained at the Rockport Chamber of Commerce Building.

Following is information pertaining to the beauty pageant:

Registration fee of $5 must accompany application; make check payable to the Aransas Pass Chamber of Commerce.

Each contestant furnishes her own bathing suit.

Deadline for entry is Saturday, May 11.

Shoes and hose worn by contestant are optional.

Choice of bathing suit may be either one or two piece.

Contestant will not be allowed to wear a wig or hairpiece for beauty pageant.

Makeup is optional.

Contestants must be at stadium to check in with the lineup chairman at 5:30 p.m. behind stage to pickup number.

The 5 categories for contestants are as follows: 3 to 6 yrs., Miss Shrimp-Tot; 7 to 10 yrs., Miss Shrimpette; 11 to 13 yrs., Miss Shrimp-Petite; 14 to 17 yrs., Miss Shrimpteen; 18 to 21 yrs., Miss Shrimporee.

Three trophies will be awarded in each of these divisions.

All applications to be mailed to P. O. Box 501 -- No application will be accepted unless mailed in to this box.

The Shrimporee telephone number is 758-2750.

Alligators In Texas Have Recovered

Although still classified by the federal government as endangered throughout the United States, the American alligator in Texas has recovered to the point that with proper management Parks and Wildlife Department biologists feel that the reptiles should continue to increase where there is suitable habitat.

An informal, statewide survey of alligators in Texas conducted by the department in 1973 revealed some 26,451 gators in an estimated 1,927 square miles of suitable habitat.

Jefferson, Chambers and Brazoria Counties on the coast housed the majority: 15,600 between the three areas.

Alligator range extends from the coast north to Bowie County and west into Dimmit County. Isolated gators were also found in Archer County south of Wichita Falls, Hamilton County in north-central Texas and in Kimble County in the Hill Country.

Biologists speculate that gators found outside of their natural range probably are from releases.

If the alligator population continues to grow, trapping unwanted or nuisance gators from areas of high concentration and transplanting them to suitable habitat would be an alternative available to game managers.

Two captive alligators were recently taken from the Balcones Research Center of the University of Texas at Austin and released on a study area near Nacogdoches.

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Fidelis Class Meets

The Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Maizie Dunn. Mrs. Mary Scrivner was co-hostess.

The meeting was opened with the devotional given by Mrs. Mary Scrivner.

Mrs. Olga McLester read the minutes of the last meeting, and Mrs. Mellinee Shults gave the treasurer's report.

Old and new business was discussed.

Mrs. Josephine Cox was in charge of the social hour.

Chocolate cake, punch and coffee was served to the following ladies: Mesdames Eva Lutz, Josephine Cox, Geneva Taylor, Marjorie Alexander, Chris Chrisman, Lillian Sorenson, Ruby Mundine, Olga McLester, Jewell Blair, Bessie Edgar, Estle Turner, Mellinee Shults, Ethel Brown, Mary Scrivner, Maizie Dunn and Louise Shults.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis and family of George West were in Pearland and Houston last week because of the death of Mr. Hamblin's brother-in-law, Neil Creiglow, who died suddenly of a heart attack April 7.

The funeral was held April 9 at South Park Funeral Home. Interment was at South Park Cemetery. Mr. Hamblin remained in Pearland with his sister, Madeline Creiglow, for a few days.

Air pollution is not a new problem. England passed a pollution law in 1273.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 21,

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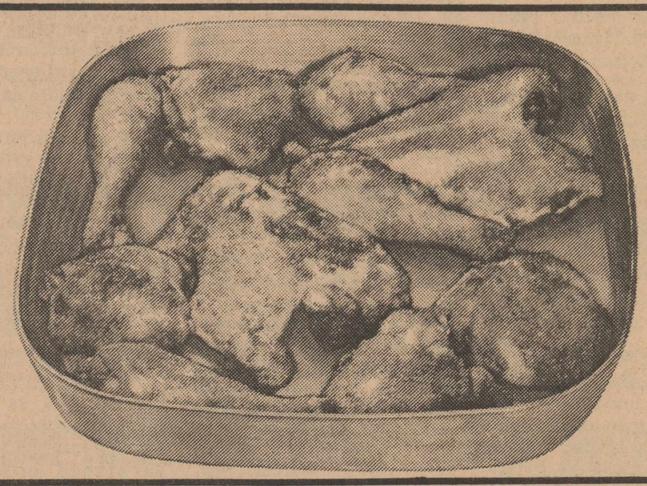
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First Choice **SLICED BEETS** ..... 23c 303 Can

First Choice Cut **GREEN BEANS** ..... 2 for 49c 303 Can

Sugary Sam **YAMS** ..... 49c 2½ Can

First Choice **SLICED CARROTS** ..... 22c 303 Can

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THURS., APRIL 18 thru WED., APRIL 24

PLUS

Double Stamps Tuesday

With $2.50 Purchase or More

FROZEN FOODS

GARDEN DELIGHT Crinkle Cut **POTATOES** ..... 65c 2 Lbs.

FROSTY ACRES **CAULIFLOWER** ..... 35c 8 oz.

PEPPERIDGE FARM **TURNOVERS** ..... 65c 11 oz.

SARA LEE **BROWNIES** ..... 95c 13 oz.

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FIRST CHOICE

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Micrin .. $1.49 12 oz.

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Tuesday, w/2.50 or More Purchase

First Choice **FLOUR** ..... 89c 5 Lbs.

Sun Valley **OLEO** ..... 49c Lb.

McCormick **BLACK PEPPER** ..... 63c 4 oz.

Swansdown **CAKE MIX** ..... 39c Box

Baker's Southern Style **COCOANUT** ..... 29c 4 oz.

Towie Red **MARASCHINO CHERRIES** 49c 8 oz.

Kraft's **CARAMELS** ..... 59c 14 oz.

Kraft's **BAR-B-Q SAUCE** ..... 43c 18 oz.

Van Camp's **PORK and BEANS** ..... 33c 300 Can

RANCH STYLE BEANS ..... 27c 300 Can

Macaroni and Cheese **KRAFT DINNER** ..... 29c 7 oz.

Nabisco Premium **CRACKERS** ..... 47c Lb. Box

Skinner's Short Cut **ELBO MACARONI** ..... 29c 8 oz.

Ken-L-Ration **DOG FOOD** ..... 2 for 45c 15 oz.

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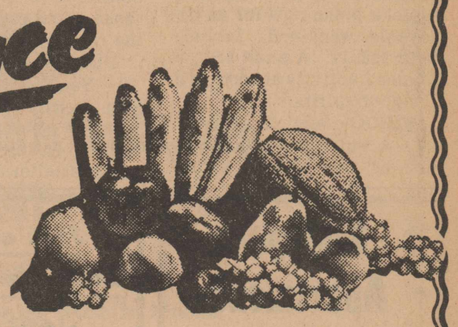
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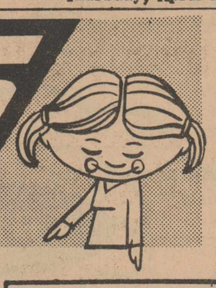
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HELP WANTED: Reliable mechanic. Apply in person at Jack's Exxon, corner of Market and Church Street. ctf

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REWARD for information leading to arrest of person or persons responsible for breakage of Balboa Courts neon sign. Please call at office with information. c8

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FOUND: Horse, to identify. call 729-6593. p5

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B.J. Crowley's HOROSCOPE

Week of April 22, 1974

TAURUS--Those born under this sign usually like to travel. They are fearless and strong of mind. They are both shrewd and emotional. Their lucky number is 1, best color is yellow and lucky day is Monday.

TAURUS--April 21 to May 20 -- Take care of your personal affairs by updating your files or records. An organized method can cut your work time in half. Use the time you save for an enjoyable pursuit.

GEMINI -- May 21 to June 20 -- You have someone at advantage. Be ethical in your dealings with them. Your honest ideas prove to be profitable.

CANCER--June 21 to July 22 -- Utilize and accumulate money wisely. New methods will increase profits. Use a little psychology in dealing with others.

LEO -- July 23 to Aug. 22 -- Make plans now for an enjoyable week-end. Include your family. A short trip of planned activity at home will lift your spirits.

VIRGO -- Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 -- A whirlwind of activity can be expected in social life. You feel well poised and utterly charming. Take advantage of this period of being extremely well liked by your peers.

LIBRA -- Sept 23 to Oct. 22 -- Try to avoid impulsive spending. Good management of your affairs now will afford more comfort for you a little later this year.

SCORPIO--Oct. 23 to Nov. 22 -- Roll with the punches. Although the going may seem a little rough right now, you can look forward to a much brighter future.

SAGITTARIUS -- Nov. 23 to Dec. 21 -- Accept an offer of help if you need it. Watch a tendency on your part to be too independent for your own good.

CAPRICORN -- Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 -- You may have to grin and bear it when someone says "I told you so." They will be right.

AQUARIUS -- Jan. 20 to Feb. 18--Say what you mean and mean what you say! Be sensitive to the needs of those about you. This is not the time for self indulgence.

PISCES--Feb. 19 to March 20 -- You must realize that you cannot do everything yourself. Delegate your authority. Let others take care of the smaller details, while you handle the more important ones for which you are perfectly capable of handling.

ARIES--March 21 to April 20 -- A dream comes true for you. Take your gifts and use them for the betterment of your fellowman. The gift could come in the form of a business success.

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ROUQUETTE'S DUMP Truck and Tractor at your service, 729-6650. ctf

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WEDDINGS: Receptions catered; wedding cakes; shower cakes with hand-molded candy-clay decorations. Custom made veils; Bridal headpieces 729-7869. p6

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Metropolitan Museum Seminars May 6-10

The Art Workshop will bring to Rockport the Metropolitan Museum Seminars in art during the week of May 6 through May 10, as the first in a series of audio-visual art experience presentations.

The lecture and slide presentation will be conducted by Irwin Tuttie, director of the Art Workshop and the Craft and Design Center of South Texas. Tuttie is an artist and former professor of fine art, having taught in the past decade at several leading universities in New England. Tuttie has held the post of museum director and gallery owner.

The presentation will consist of 5 sections, viewed over a 5-day period.

Unit One called what is a "Painting" and Realism in Art. Explains the fundamental principles of art appreciation. Examining some popular misconceptions about well known paintings. Realism in painting is traced historically from Van Eyck to Hopper.

Unit Two Expressionism and Abstraction as seen through different artists and times. El Greco, Van Gogh, Albert Ryder, John Marin and Kirchner. Painters point out that expression is neither allegorical nor realistic.

Unit Three investigates Composition as Pattern, Structure, and Expression. Focusing on patterns from Gozzoli to Matisse and structure from Pollaiuolo's to Cezanne. Explaining in depth the variances artists can produce.

Unit Four. This unit describes in detail the technical aspects of working in various media: Fesco, Tempera, Oil, Water Color, Pastel, Woodcuts and Wood Engraving, etching and Engravings, Lithography. This unit discusses the water colors of Homer, pastels of Degas, woodcuts of Durer and many other artist of significance.

Unit Five. The artist as Social Critic: The Artist as Visionary. This unit deals with the function of the artist in the world, his relationship to society and his interpretation of the world about him. The artist as a poet is also viewed with insight into such people as Blake, Bosch and many of the surrealists painters of the Twentieth Century. To the visionary painter there are no boundaries between tangible fact and visionary creation.

This five unit presentation will include 400 slides and 5 tapes. These slides not only represent individual paintings but include special split-screen visuals, and fine line overlays and diagrams. Special graphic techniques have been employed to enable the viewer understanding and appreciation of the basic principles of Fine Art.

It is believed that this workshop will be of benefit to the art collector as well as the artist. Understanding and developing an artistic awareness will help in acquiring work that is meaningful and of proper value.

The seminars will be May 6 through May 10, 10 a.m. to 12 noon at The Craft and Design Center of So. Texas, 410 S. Austin Street. The price is $35 for one week (5 days). Registration in advance. Limited to 20 students. Call Irwin Tuttie, director, 729-7693, or come in to The Art Workshop, 406 S. Austin.

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New 3-bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, central air, only $21,500.

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Bayfront tract 110x300, substantial pier, large comfortable home, see to appreciate at $40,000.

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$16,500 3-Bedroom, Fulton, view of bay. Owner will finance.

$3,000 Weekend house 7 blocks from boat basin, Rockport, Terms.

$5,900 Weekend cottage, oak trees.

$9,500 Weekend cottage on 60 ft. channel lot, quick access to Copano Bay. Boat Dock.

Bayfront and channel lots in Copano Ridge & Copano Cove.

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Where does the weather come from?

In the United States the layer of gas, which is our weather, generally moves west to east. On the west coast masses of moist Pacific air come from the southwest and northwest, and are warm and cool, respectively.

The clear, dry air of the non-coastal states in the Midwest generally comes from the southeast, over Mexico, and, likewise, the clear, cold dry air that invades the eastern half of the country moves down from Canada.

In addition, moist air masses from the Atlantic move into the east from both the southeast and northeast, being warm and cool, respectively. When these masses of air meet, they often create an occluded front and unpredictable, but often rainy, conditions.

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FOR SALE: 16 ft. Flatbed trailer with spare tire. 729-2488. ctf

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SWAP-O-ROUND, 101 Concho & Doughty. Sell out of your car and a large rummage sale. Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, 729-5864. H. C. Mills. ctf

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FOR SALE: Men's and boys' swim trunks, girls bathing suits, men's and boys' tank tops, knit shirts, straw hats, assorted caps and visors, white belts, men's large size belts. Army Store, 438 South Commercial, Aransas Pass. ctf

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FOR SALE: Fulton, 3 beautiful landscaped lots fenced, large 2 bedroom, 2 bath, livingroom, fireplace, den, built-in kitchen, central heat and air, furnished, double car garage, $34,000. Wishert Realtors, 729-2124. ctf

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FOR SALE: 14 ft. Glastron Alpha sailboat, everything included -- blue & white, $275. 803 N. Terry, Rockport. 729-6570. ctf

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FOR SALE: Villa del Palmas; 3 bedroom, 2 bath TownHouse. Central air and heat; built-in kitchen. Can assume a 7 1/2% interest loan. $30,500. Wishert Realtors, 729-2124. ctf

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FOR SALE: Four year old, 1500 sq. ft. house, 2 1/2 baths, rear building 1000 sq. ft. unfinished with bath, convert to extra apartment or shop, sacrifice, $14,000. Financing available, will take trade, travel trailer, etc. 729-5922. ctf

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FOR SALE: Portable air dryer and one sheet of fir plywood finished on one side. 729-2580. p5

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RUMMAGE SALE: Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to noon. St. Peter's Episcopal Church, corner of Live Oak and Mimosa. p5

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FOR SALE: Dinette table with extension leaf, four vinyl swivel chairs. Call 729-2295. p5

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GARAGE SALE: By local club at 1206 Lady Claire, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 18th, 19th, and 20th. 8 a.m. daily. p5

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FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, large kitchen and dining area. Living room plus 12x26 carpeted family room. Central heat and air. Over 1600 sq. ft. living area plus double enclosed garage. On two corner lots with 22x48 ft. concrete driveway. Sell furnished or unfurnished. See owner at corner Ivy Lane and Winding Drive, Peninsula Oaks, 729-0850. p5

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GARAGE SALE: FM. Rd. 1781 Antique bottles, dishes, crab traps, plants. p5

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Rural Traffic Accidents Down

Texas Highway Patrol reports that rural traffic accidents in Aransas County last month totaled 27 as compared to 31 the same month a year ago. No deaths occurred in March 1974 whereas one fatality was reported a year ago. There were seven persons injured in March of each year.

Rural traffic accidents during March 1974 took 19 lives in 14 fatal accidents that occurred in 9 of the 21 counties that comprise the Corpus Christi district of the Texas Highway Patrol.

Hidalgo County reported four rural traffic deaths while Cameron County and Brooks County reported two rural traffic deaths. Nueces County, San Patricio County, Refugio County, Jackson County, Victoria County, and Kleberg County each reported one rural traffic death.

A total of 281 accidents were investigated by the Texas Highway Patrol in this district during March 1974. In addition to 19 persons killed there were 154 injured in the 14 fatal accidents and in the 86 personal injury accidents. There were 181 property damage only accidents investigated by the Texas Highway Patrol.

A Comparison Summary of accidents investigated by the Texas Highway Patrol for the first three months of 1974 with the same period of 1973 shows that the number of fatal accidents decreased by 11. There being 30 fatal accidents in 1974 against 41 such accidents in first 3 months of 1973.

The number of people killed reflects a decrease of 26. (39 as compared to 65 for this same period in 1973).

There were 414 people injured in January, February and March of 1974 as compared to 571 in 1973. This reflects a reduction of 157 less people injured.

There was a decrease of personal injury type accidents. 243 in 1974 as compared to 287 in 1973 for a decrease of 44.

Property damage only type accidents reflect a decrease of 221 over the same period of 1973. (521 as compared to 742).

Total accidents of all types investigated by the Texas Highway Patrol for the first three months of 1974 shows a substantial decrease of 276 over the same period of 1973.

The alligator population in neighboring Louisiana is also considered by state game officials to be recovered. Estimated alligator population in Louisiana is some 250,000 animals.

Texas, however, has no plans at the moment for a future season to harvest Texas alligators.

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COPANO — Large stilt house with channel on two sides, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, central heat and air conditioning with garage and bath downstairs.

FULTON — Located near bay, stilt house, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, central heat and air conditioning with sun deck. Carport with lots of storage space, landscaped yard. One year old.

KEY ALLEGRO CONDOMINIUMS — Two and three bedroom units now being completed. Each with its own private boat dock and balcony. Tennis Court, swimming pool. Choose your own carpet and colors. $28,900 to $37,500.

ROCKPORT WATERFRONT — Three bedroom, two bath, on Aransas Bay on corner lot. 50' Riparian rights with 300' pier.

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The Pilot is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons for nomination to office, subject to the action of the Democratic Elections, May 4 and June 1.

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LEROY J. WIETING
(Re-election)

For District Judge,
156th Judicial District Court:
WILLIAM B. MOSER, JR.
W. RACHEL LITTLEJOHN

For District Clerk:
Agnes A. "Tony" Harden
(Re-election)

For County Clerk:
RUBY HART
(Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
Ettoil (Duck) Harrist Eller
(Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
J. M. FRANZ
RICHARD J. "Dick" FOX
RAY LONGINO
FELICIA GONZALES
C. L. "Bubba" BROWNING
CARL T. HARDIN
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For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
CHARLEY HALE
(Re-election)
J. L. "Larry" STEWART
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The above political announcements were paid for by the candidates listed.

In the Kitchen

HAM/CHEESE CASSEROLE

5 slices whole wheat bread
1 cup diced cooked ham
1/3 cup chopped sweet mixed pickles
3/4 cup grated American cheese
3 eggs
1-3/4 cups milk
1 teaspoon salt
Dash paprika
1 tablespoon grated onion

Remove crusts from bread and cut into cubes. Arrand half the bread and cut into cubes. Arrange half the bread cubes in greased 1-1/2-quart casserole. Combine ham and pickles. Place over bread cubes. Add cheese and top with remaining bread. Beat eggs. Add milk, salt, paprika and onion; beat thoroughly. Pour over ingredients in casserole. Place in pan of hot water. Bake in 350-degree oven 1 hour. Makes 4 servings.

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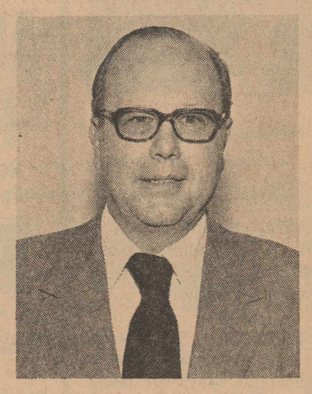
COPANO BAY: 4.65 acres, 200 ft. waterfront, boat basin and docks, 3 houses, swimming pool, many oak trees, on bluff. $180,000.

FULTON BEACH: 100 ft. waterfront and 100 ft. on Hwy. 35, large house and guest house. $100,000.

COPANO BAY SUBDIVISIONS: Spacious Colonial 2 bedroom house on Salt Lake, $32,000. 3 bedroom furnished house with SOLD $20,900. 1 acre with house, 100 ft. dock. $22,000. House on 2 lots; furnished, all built-ins; central air and heat. $28,500.

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Best Policy for Snakes? Leave Them Alone

For many folks, just the sight of a snake is enough to spoil an otherwise pleasant outing.

And as the weather warms, the chances of seeing a snake increase.

According to experts, our reaction to snakes is more emotional than intellectual, and if we fight our gut reaction to reptiles, there should be fewer outings spoiled.

Here are some intellectual considerations about snakes which should assuage primal fears:

--Snakes are an important part of the ecoystem. They eat all sorts of pests which offer more threats to man than the snake.

--Only a small number of the hundreds of species of snakes found in the U. S. are dangerous to man.

--If you think you're afraid of the snake, consider the snake. He's terrified, and he wishes you would just go away and leave him alone.

--Some snakes are interesting to observe. The hognose snake, for example, spreads a hood like a cobra in an effort to bluff his way out of a tight spot. If this doesn't work, he feigns death, rolling over on his back and hanging out his forked tongue.

Not that it would pay to become completely blase' about snakes. Some are genuinely dangerous.

There are four general species of poisonous snakes in the U.S., the rattlesnake, the cottonmouth water moccasin, the copperhead and the coral snake.

The rattlesnake, of which there are many subspecies, the cottonmouth and the copperhead are pit vipes which inject poison into their victims through hypodermic-like fangs.

The coral snake has small, fixed fangs and must bite and hold its victim while the venom is injected. Bites from the coral snake are extremely dangerous. Fortunately, few persons are ever bitten by these nonaggressive little snakes, and they offer little threat unless handled, mashed or pinched.

Bites from the other species are more common. New methods for treating these snakebites have been developed and new first-aid procedures are being recommended.

The old method of cross-cutting the puncture marks and sucking out the poison has fallen from favor because doctors say the cross cuts do more harm than good.

The new first aid calls for placing restricting bands both above and below the bite.

Rubber bands are recommended since they will retard the spread of venom without obstructing the flow of blood. An ice pack, if available, should be applied to the wound and the victim taken to the nearest hospital.

Like any poison, the more you get, the more serious the problem. Approximately 30 percent of snakebite victims receive no venom and do not require treatment. Another 30 percent do not get enough venom to worry about but eventually require some treatment. Only about 40 percent require extensive and rapid treatment.

Symptoms and signs of snakebite where venom has been injected include blueness, pain, swelling, nausea and vomiting, low blood pressure, slow heart rate, lack of waste removal and, in extreme cases, coma.

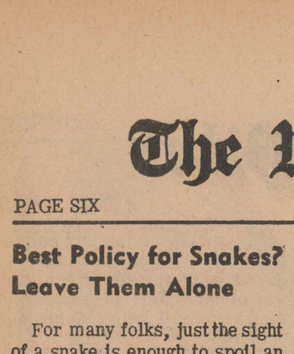
A little common sense can prevent most snakebites. Stay out of thick brush, look before stepping over a log or other obstruction, look before placing your hand in a crevice when climbing rocks, wear boots or tough shoes in snake country and restrain from searching burrows and crevices with hands.

Most snakes would be content to go on their way undisturbed if left alone. Don't feel compelled to kill every snake you see. Even poisonous snakes should be left alone unless they are found near inhabited areas.

Unlucky Number

The superstition relating to the number 13 being unlucky is said to have had its origin in the fact that Christ and his disciples made a total of 13 and that He was betrayed by one of them.

Pharmacy Topics



By SHELLEY ROATEN

New incubators for premature babies feature the soothing sound of a beating heart and rocking action that mimics motion inside womb. Studies indicate babies do better in this "mechanical mother".

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In Rochester, New York, home care is replacing long-term hospital stays for many patients. Blue Cross or Medicare pays for visiting nurses and special equipment. Surveys show patients do better at home, costs are lower, and hospitals are not overtaxed.

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Choose your vacation spot carefully, if you are allergic. The Ragweed pollen index is available in a booklet (50¢) from Allergy Foundation of America, 801 Second Ave., New York, N. Y. 10017.

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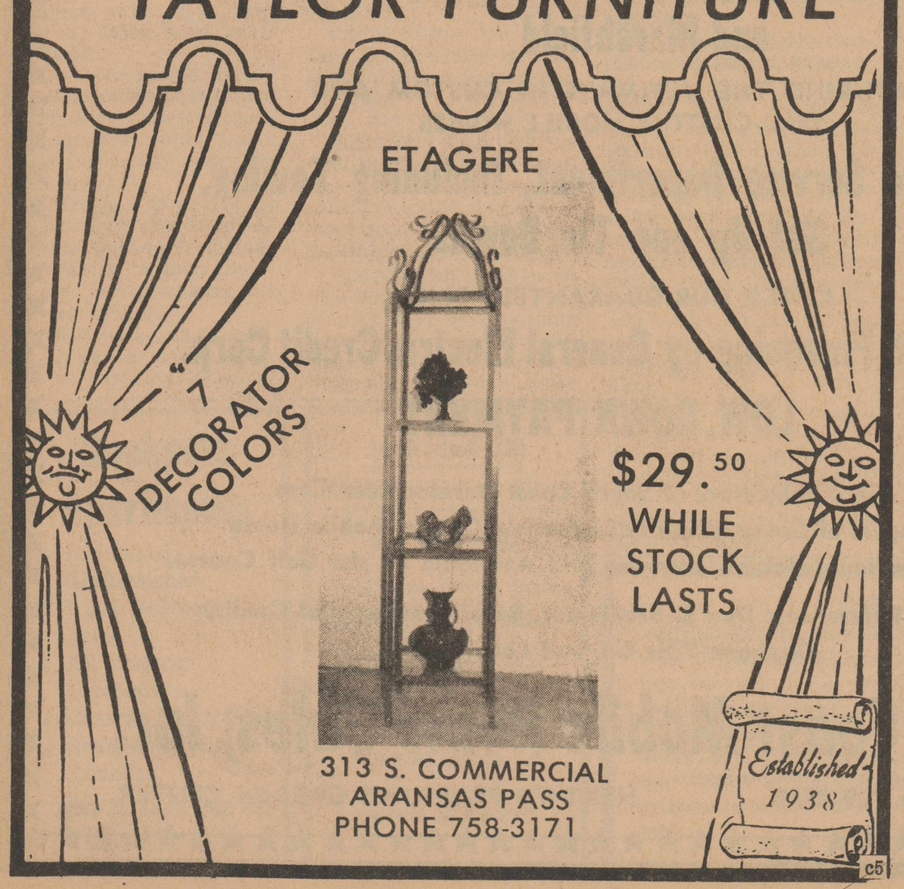
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Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. William W. Bush announce the engagement of their daughter, Rhonda Faye, to Mr. John Michael Jacobs, son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Jacobs.

Miss Bush is a senior at Rockport-Fulton High School.

Jacobs is a graduate of Rockport-Fulton High School. He is employed by a local construction company. Both will attend Southwestern Assembly of God College, Waxahachie, Texas in September. The couple plans to be wed June 22 in the Assembly of God Church of Rockport.

T.S.T.A. Opens Kingsville Office

A new source of assistance to teachers in Aransas County on school-related problems is now available from the newly established Region 5 office of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Nine such regional offices have been established by TSTA, to extend services of the Association's state headquarters in Austin.

Aransas County will be served by the regional office at Kingsville, with Harrel McKinzie as regional consultant to assist teachers in the area.

McKinzie directs the Region 5 office at 910 East Caesar at South 14 Street, Kingsville. The telephone number is 512/592-8494.

In the past, TSTA field service personnel have operated solely out of the Austin headquarters office. This office will continue to serve members on a statewide basis.

Functions of the local office at Kingsville, which will serve a 28-county area, will be to coordinate programs, supply information, help TSTA local associations with member services and benefits and assist in workshops.

"We hope to be able to serve the teachers of Region 5 on any matter relating to their profession," McKinzie said. "If we cannot give them the information or service they need, we will refer them to those who can supply it from the Austin headquarters," he said.

STRANGE PROFESSION

WEST PALM BEACH-- Called a profession or hobby, Armand Henault, 69, immortalizes friends and acquaintances by molding their ashes in flower pots an sculptures.

Family Gathering

A family gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sparks April 13 honoring Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Edmison of Eugene, Oregon, who are here visiting relatives and friends. Those enjoying dinner and an afternoon of visiting were Mrs. Eunice Mullinax, Mrs. Clark Powell and family of Baytown, Mrs. Kenneth Moore and family of Woodsboro, Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Velez and daughter of Killeen, Barbara McLester of Edna, Donna Sparks of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Felma Mundine, Mrs. Olga McLester, Mrs. Tiney Gayle, Mrs. Max Keller, Mr. and Mrs. El Roy Parr and family, Mrs. Lee Roy Young and daugher of Rockport.

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Rouquette Family Reunion Held

The Rouquette family enjoyed a barbecue and family reunion Saturday, April 13 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Littleton.

Those enjoying the occasion were Ricky, Rex Jr. and Connie Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. Monte Rouquette and Mike; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Livingston, Carrie and Kellie; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Rouquette, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Picton, Claire, John H. and Sarah Shank;

Mrs. Wanda Sparks, Johnny Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schleider, Taylor Blocker and Kenneth Peters, Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Livingston, Premont;

Mr. and Mrs. Jody Rouquette, Darlene Rozzell, John Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Picton and Little Charlie, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Zelenka, Jeremy and Christy, Denise Webb and son Tommy, Mrs. Bromie Hollon, Bill Baker,

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. Neal McMillan and four children, Pat Littleton, Mrs. Martha Henderson, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Royce Itschner, Kingsville; Mrs. Peggy Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Price and Peggy, Texas City.

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"Yes," said the old man. "I'll be ninety-six tomorrow. and I haven't an enemy in the world."

"A beautiful thought," answered the new vicar.

"Yes, sir," went on the old man. I've outlived them all."

Early Bird League

Karen West was a winner in the Brunswick "Bowl Your Way To Europe" contest for the month of March.

There were two splits dealt with successfully and they were the 5-10 by Ann Kirpatrick and the 2-7 by Joyce Close.

The weekly standings are: Armstrong Auto Parts 77 1/2-42 1/2; Kelly's Drive Inn 68-52; Ray's Texaco 63-57; Roaten Drug Store, 60-56; Kim's Bar-B-Que 57-63; Sipe Real Estate 52 1/2-67 1/2; Kinkades 49 1/2-70 1/2; Little Bob's 48 1/2-67 1/2.

High team series: Kelly's Drive Inn 3061; Sipe Real Estate 2972; Roaten Drug Store 2933.

High team game: Kelly's Drive Inn 1085; Kim's Bar-B-Que 1052; Sipe Real Estate 1045.

High individual series: Joyce Arthur 690; Marie Mullinax 672; Marvine Wix 666.

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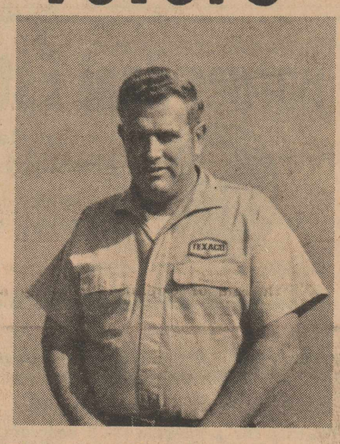
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A.A.R.P. Hears Talk On 'Public Domain'

Seventy-six members and guests were present at V.F.W. Hall, April 11 for semi-monthly meeting of Rockport Chapter #1536, American Association of Retired Persons.

Lynn King, a surveyor of Aransas Pass, spoke to the group on "Public Domain." It was an interesting and informative talk on the history of Texas, starting back in 1835 with the story of land grants and a growing population in the wilderness; the settling of colonies and the organization of a system of land management whereby the State of Texas was permitted to obtain title to her public domain. Mr. King concluded his talk with a poem "The Path", a humorous legend depicting the calf who was instrumental in making the crooked boundaries covering the vast territory.

The speaker, a chapter member, was introduced by Paul Riddle, program chairman. Mr. Riddle stated that the date for the scheduled boat trip to St. Joseph Island will be announced soon. Those desiring to make the trip should pay the $5 reservation fee in advance. Plans are also being made for a chartered bus trip to Brownsville to visit the Gladys Porter Zoo and to shop across the Mexican border. The last meeting in May will be a picnic at Memorial Park, with fun and games.

A covered dish luncheon, followed by games, will be enjoyed at the next meeting at V.F.W. Hall, April 24. Doors will be open at 10:30, food should be brought by 11:30 and serving will begin at noon. Games will follow the luncheon.

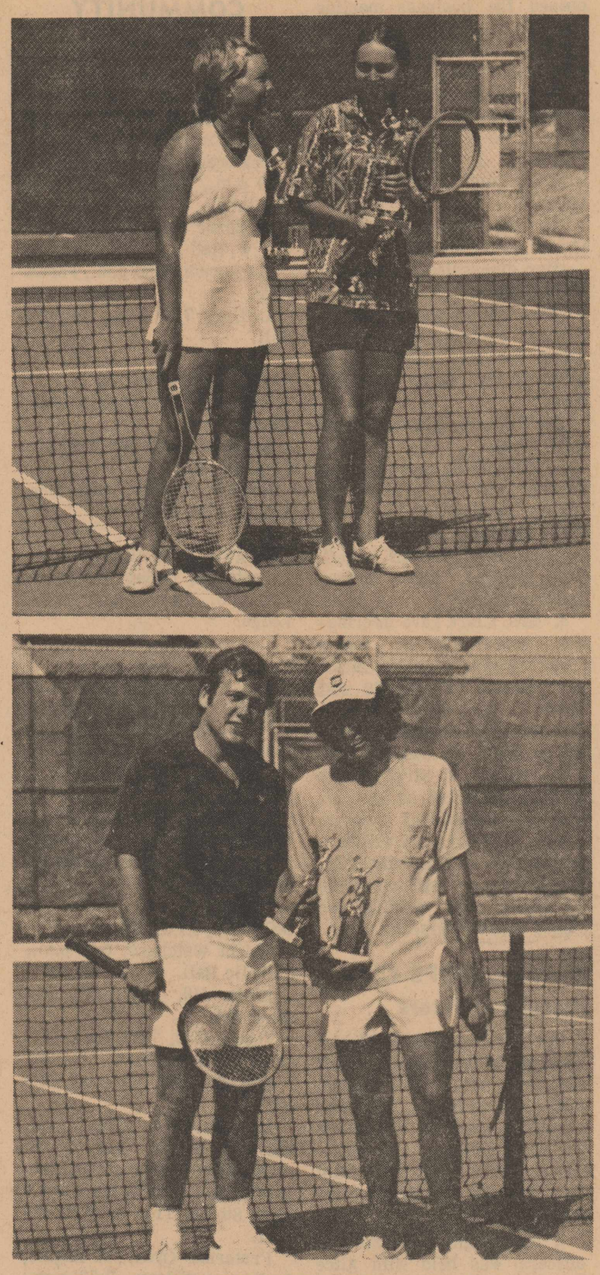
Visitors are welcome at all meetings.

DEAN'S HONOR LIST

Alfred Heinsohn, sophomore chemistry major at the University of Texas at Austin, has been notified by Dean James W. McKie that he attained the designation of cum laude on the Dean's Honor List for the fall 1973 semester. Alfred is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heinsohn.

Mobile Inn News

Creative Arts Club of Mobile Inn Trailer Park met April 2 with 16 persons present including one visitor, Carroll, granddaughter of Ethel Schnabel. Several projects were worked on. Hostesses were Helen Kellum and Ethel Schnabel.



TENNIS TOURNEY WINNERS — In the recent spring tennis tournament at Rockport Racquet and Yacht Club winner in women's singles was Kathy Langham (top right) who defeated Peggy Lingo (left). Willie Rinche (bottom right) defeated Joe Hugenberg (left) in men's singles.

TOPS No. 493 Holds Meeting

Rockport TOPS #493 met at Wagley's Office Building on April 9. Weigh-in time was from 6 p.m. until 6:40 p.m. with the business session beginning promptly at 7 pm. Faye Cowdrey, the leader, discussed with the members some projects to be considered in the near future.

An interesting program was presented by the program chairman, Bernita Kinsey. This was an audience participation demonstration on posture in standing, sitting and walking. Several times each month new exercises will be added.

Thirteen members and one guests, Pam Herbort of Kerrville, enjoyed the talk and demonstration. Betty Jean Ward won the "HaHa" prize for the week as well as being queen of the week. Judy Von Heuvel was runner-up.

A social hour honoring Bertha Ormand who was recently married concluded the evening's activities. The club presented Mrs. Ormand with a gift and light refreshments were served.

The TOPS evening group extends an invitation to the women of the community who are interested in "Taking Off Pounds Sensibly".

Kam Heinsohn Is Honored

Kam Heinsohn, senior elementary education major at Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, was initiated March 5 into Iota Gamma chapter of Kappa Delta Pi.

This national honor society for education majors was established in 1911. The purpose of Kappa Delta Pi is to encourage high professional, intellectual, and personal standards and to recognize outstanding contributions to education.

Kam is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heinsohn and will graduate this May with a bachelor of science. She is a 1971 graduate of Rockport - Fulton High School.

Family Reunion Held

A family reunion was held at the James Bracht residence April 13 to celebrate the birthdays of Virgil and Floyd Isaacks. Tables of dominoes and 42 were set up to entertain the guests, while the young ones hunted Easter eggs. A buffet supper was served to the guests.

Co-hostesses for the reunion were Mrs. James Bracht and Mrs. James Townsend, Austin. Guests were Miss Ann Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Isaacks and Ryan of Taft; Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Isaacks, Floyd Isaacks, Mr. and Mrs. John Huddler and Lisa, Portland;

Mrs. LaVerne Isaacks, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Isaacks and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. James Isaacks, Justin and Robert, Gregory; Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCown, Terry and Brady, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Isaacks, Georgetown, and Mr. and Mrs. James Townsend, Austin.

Library News

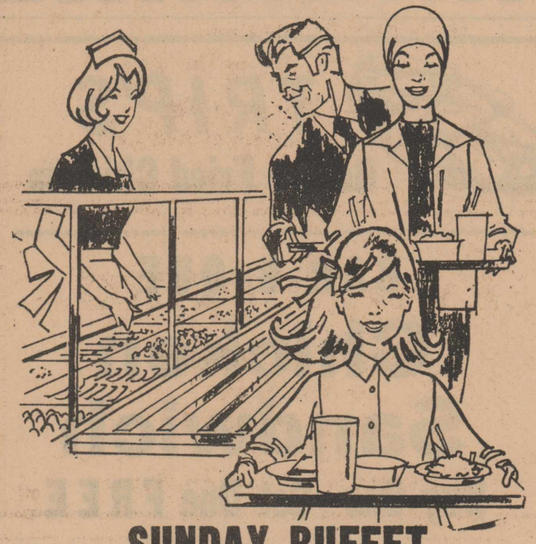
National Library Week will be observed all next week with "Open House" at the Aransas County Public Library. National Library Week is the focus for continuing year-round efforts by librarians, teachers and concerned citizens to foster good reading habits and promote more extensive use and development of all types of libraries.

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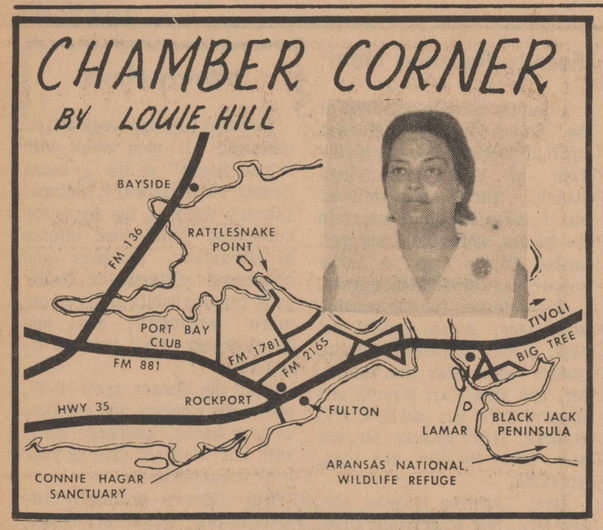
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This bit of trivia is included only because it is still the first thought that comes to my mind when someone mentions the Chamber of Commerce . . . I wonder what mental image you associate with the Chamber. I wonder if it is a good one. I wonder if it is accurate.

Perhaps you think of a Chamber of Commerce as a place to write in a distant city to receive information about that city; perhaps you think of it only as a place for tourists to visit to learn about our town. These thoughts are true. But the Chamber is much more. The Rockport Chamber is 209 members strong--businesses, professional persons and private citizens who love and support our area. It is your neighbor, maybe it is even you.

And that is what the CHAMBER CORNER will be about: you, your neighbors, your city, your county. The Chamber wants to remind you of our history and to keep you abreast of developments in our area, to let you know who your Chamber is and what they are doing.

The CORNER would also like to serve as an interesting resource for you, and one of the best ways for you to get the information you want is to send us your questions. Drop a line to Chamber Corner, %Chamber of Commerce, Rockport. If I can't answer personally, I will surely seek out someone who does have the information. I have already confessed that I can't promise perfection, but the CORNER will do the very best it can!

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Presbyterian Circle Meets

The regular meeting of Circle 1 of the Presbyterian Church was held at the home of Mrs. Volney Cavitt on April 11. Delicious refreshments were served to 8 members and 4 guests. They were happy to have Mrs. L. D. Kight and Mrs. M. L. Hulett of Rockport, Mrs. Gray Taylor of Albany, N. Y. and Mrs. L. V. Clark, president of W.O.C. as visitors.

Mrs. Ned Halleck, chairman, opened the business meeting with all repeating the Lord's Prayer. The secretary's report was read and approved.

Mrs. Clark reported that 4 women from the church attended the Mo Ranch Retreat in February. Lucille Little and Kathryn Cavitt from Circle 1 attended.

The chairman told of the March sewing meeting.

After discussion led by Mrs. Walter Hatley, it was decided to have the secretary send a card of appreciation to Mrs. Libby Roe who furnishes the palms in the church at Easter time.

The following announcements were made:

1. The sewing meeting of all Circles will be held at the church, April 18.

2. Circle 1 is to furnish cookies and coffee for W.O.C. May meeting. Mrs. Grover Traylor offered

3. Mrs. Clark gave information concerning the Sinton Church Women's Annual Birthday Meeting on May 20 with Rolyn C. Parkhill as speaker. The subject is home for retarded children at Mendon, La.

4. Meeting at First Church in Corpus Christi on May 21, with Mr. Parkhill as speaker.

Mrs. Walter Hatley will have the Circle 1 May meeting. Mrs. Anges Reasor will moderate the lesson. The meeting was closed with the Mizpah.

Morning TOPS Club Installs Officers

Rockport Morning TOPS met April 8th at the Methodist Youth Building with Cathy Gaskin, leader, presiding. Nineteen members were in attendance and two visitors were introduced, Debby Turnbull from Port Aransas and Janet Odem from Ingleside.

A candlelight installation of officers was held with Alice Wright as installing officer. Sgt. at Arms Betty Kelly was presented with a badge and whistle as part of the insignia of her office.

Amid great jubilation, weight recorder Jo Ann White announced no gains at all, and a week's total loss of 35 pounds.

Queens of the Week were Kathy Borey and Polly Driver with a 5 1/2 pound loss each. Runner-up was one of our Sir TOPS Chuck Smith with a 4 1/4 pound loss.

Further information on Morning TOPS may be obtained from Leader Cathy Gaskin at 729-2116 or from Secretary-Reporter Betty McMeredith at 729-6213.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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Key Allegro Community Supper, 6:30 p.m., Community Bldg., For residents & guests.

Fraternal Order of Eagles, 7:30 p.m., Eagles Lodge, Hwy. 35 North.

Explorer Post #49, 7:30 pm. V.F.W. Hall.

G.I.Forum, 7:30 p.m., Forum Bldg.

LULAC, 7:30 p.m., Catholic Hall.

THURSDAY, APRIL 18

Rockport Lions Club, 12 noon, Ramada Inn.

Rebekah Lodge #88, 7:30 pm. I.O.O.F. Hall.

Bowling Center, call Mrs. Zeisler, 729-0845.

FRIDAY, APRIL 19

Fraternal Order of Eagles, 7:30 p.m., Game Night, Eagles Lodge.

SATURDAY, APRIL 20

Pee-Wee Bowling, 10 a.m. Aransas Pass Bowling Center, call 729-7204, 729-0845, or 729-2508.

SUNDAY, APRIL 21

Leathercraft Classes, 2 p.m. Girl Scout Little House, Robert Tillison, Instructor, No charge except for material.

MONDAY, APRIL 22

Weight Watchers, 6:30 p.m., Catholic Hall.

Troop #49, 7:30 p.m., Boy Scout Hut.

Troop #280, 7:30 p.m., Girl Scout Little House.

City Council, 7:30 p.m., City Hall.

Masonic Lodge #323, 8 p.m., Masonic Lodge, Hwy. 35 N.

Business & Professional Women's, &:30 p.m. at the home of Dean Steele, 1146 Ruby, Rockport.

Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ladies Auxiliary, 7:30 p.m., Eagle Lodge, Hwy. 35 N.

TUESDAY, APRIL 23

P.E.O.-EO Chapter, 1 p.m. at home of Mrs. W. M. Denny, 2003 Cochran.

Duplicate Bridge Club, 1 pm. Islander Club, call 729-5371, if you'd like to play.

Weight Watchers, 9:30 a.m., Catholic Hall.

Mobile Inn Park, 2 to 4 pm., Creative Arts & Crafts Club.

Troop #281, 7:30 p.m., Boy Scout Hut.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 pm. Bishop Elliott Conf. Center. Information call 729-6822.

Episcopal Women's Night Bridge, call 729-2103 for place and time.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

Rotary, 12:05 noon, Ramada Inn.

American Association of Retired Persons, 11:30 a.m., V.F.W. Hall. Covered dish luncheon and games.

Episcopal Women's Bridge 1:30 p.m., Call Mrs. Johnson 729-5687 for place.

LULAC, 7:30 p.m., Catholic Hall.

Explorer Post #49, 7:30 pm., V.F.W Hall.

G.I. Forum, 7:30 pm., Forum Bldg.

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TO: John F. Marberry, Defendant, Greeting:

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

NOW COMES Interstate Securities Co. of Texas, Inc. hereinafter called Plaintiff, complaining of John F. Marberry hereinafter called Defendant, and for cause of action would show the Court the following:

I. Plaintiff is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Texas. The Defendant's whereabouts are unknown but was last known to be living in Stevens County, Texas. Plaintiff would request citation by publication on said Defendant.

II. Plaintiff is the owner in fee simple that is entitled to possession of the following described land located in Aransas County, Texas, to wit:

Lots Two (2), Three (3), Ten (10), and Eleven (11), Block Three-Hundred Sixty - Five (365), MANNING ADDITION, Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof, recorded in Volume 1, Page 7, Map and Plat Records, Aransas County, Texas

III. That the Plaintiff purchased said property at Trustee's Sale at Public Auction at the Courthouse door of Aransas County, Texas on December 6, 1966 from Substitute Trustee, Dwain Skrobarcek. That Plaintiff from said date has been in possession of said described land by virtue of the Statute of Limitation of three and five years and that said Plaintiff has held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of land.

IV. That the Defendant is asserting an unfound claim of title adverse to Plaintiff's said title to the above described property, casting clouds upon Plaintiff's said title, thereby interferring with the exercise by Plaintiff of acts of domain over said property and depreciating the value thereof, causing Plaintiff injury. Defendant has publicly asserted and filed various instruments of record asserting such claim of title adverse to Plaintiff's title to said property.

WHEREFORE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Plaintiff prays that the Defendant be cited to appear herein; that upon final hearing Plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said property and that Plaintiff be quited in his title thereto against any and all claims of every kind, character of the Defendant and that the clouds cast by the claims of the Defendant and any instrument evidencing same and the records thereof be removed from Plaintiff's title to said property; that Plaintiff recover his costs and such other and further relief, both general and special, at law and in equity, to which Plaintiff may be justly entitled.

s/ Jack P. Kelso
Attorney for Plaintiff
First Savings Building
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as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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CITY OF ROCKPORT SANITARY SEWER FOR ROCKPORT, TEXAS

in accordance with the plans, specifications and contract documents will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City of Rockport, P. O. Box 1058, Rockport, Texas 78382, until 7:30 p.m. on May 13, 1974, and then publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

Plans, proposal forms, specifications and contract documents may be obtained from Urban Engineering, 3100 South Alameda, P. O. Box 6355, Corpus Christi, Texas 78411, for a deposit of Twenty-Five Dollars ($25.00). If this material is returned within ten (10) days from the bid opening date in good condition, the deposit will be refunded.

A Bidder's Bond or a Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a Texas Bank, payable without recourse to the order of the City of Rockport, in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the largest possible bid, must accompany each bid as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the Bidder will promptly enter into a contract and execute bonds as required by law and as outlined in the specifications and instructions to Bidders.

As required by law, a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive formalities and to accept the bid which, in the City's opinion, seems most advantageous to the City and its best interest. The notice of award of contract shall be given by the City within thirty (30) days following the opening of bids. Contract will be awarded on the basis of the low bid for the work to be performed.

The Contractor shall be required to comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Davis-Bacon Act, the Anti-Kickback Act and the Contract Work Hours Standards Act. All bidders shall submit with their bids a statement that they do not, and will not, maintain or provide for their employees any facilities that are segregated on a basis of sex, race, color, creed or National origin.

CITY OF ROCKPORT
s/Walter S. Falk, Jr., Mayor
ATTEST:
s/Herman C. Johnson,
City Secretary c5



THE FASTEST PANCAKE IN THE U.S. belongs to Patricia Cheeks, 20 (right) who recently won the 25th annual pancake race at Liberal, Kans. Ms. Cheeks carried her pancake over the 415-yard course in 59.8 seconds. Carolyn Glenn, 19, (left) came in second.

Deaths

MRS. WILLIAM G. GARRETT

Mrs. William G. (Audria Lucille) Garrett, 68, died April 12 in a Taft hospital after a long illness.

She had lived in Rockport 26 years.

Surviving are her husband; five daughters, Mrs. Lucille Lee of Mexia, Miss Gwendolyn Garrett of Carbon, Mrs. Edith Barnette of Waco, Mrs. Bobbie Allen of Dallas and Mrs. Sherri Doggett of San Antonio; one son, Billy James Hammonds of Orange; one brother, Ben Sykes of Winnsboro; 14 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held April 13 at the Marshall Funeral Home Chapel in Rockport. Interment was in Rockport Cemetery.

MRS. JACK HORNER

Mrs. Jack (Kay Irene) Horner, 56, died April 10 in a Corpus Christi hospital after a short illness.

She had lived in Rockport 14 years.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Robert L. Richey of Rockport, Hanley A. Barker of Houston, and J. E. Richey of Corpus Christi; two daughters, Mrs. Catherine Hargrove of Rockport and Mrs. Frances Hopkins of Houston; her father, W. A. Powell, Sr., of Corpus Christi; two brothers, Melford Powell of Fort Worth and W. A. Powell, Jr. of Corpus Christi; one sister, Mrs. Vivian Gifford of West Palm Beach, Fla.; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were held April 12 in the Marshall Funeral Chapel in Aransas Pass. Interment was at Prairie View Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

May we take this method to thank all our friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses, flowers, food and prayers. May God bless you all.

Cecil G. (Pete) Melton. p5

LUNCHEON MENU

The following lunchroom menu selections will be offered in the schools next week:

Monday, April 22: Barbecued Beef on Buns, Scalloped Potatoes, Tossed Green Salad, Oatmeal Cake, Milk.

Tuesday, April 23: Swiss Steaks, gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Peas and Carrots, Hot Rolls-Butter, Cottage Pudding, Milk.

Wednesday, April 24: Cheese Enchiladas, Pinto Beans, Cole Slaw, Cornbread-Butter, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

Thursday, April 25: Cup of Orange Juice, Fried Chicken, gravy, Steamed Rice, Seasoned Green Beans, Bread-Butter, Ice Cream, Milk.

Friday, April 26: Breaded Veal Cutlets, gravy, Potatoes with Cheese Sauce, Cabbage-Pineapply Salad, Hot Rolls-Butter, Brownies, Milk.

NOTE: These menus are subject to change without notice, depending upon availability and delivery of foods.

MRS. H. HERSCHKOWITZ DIES

Mrs. Hermine K. Herschkowitz, 60, died Sunday in an Aransas Pass hospital after a long illness.

She was born in Vienna, Austria, and had lived in this area since 1967.

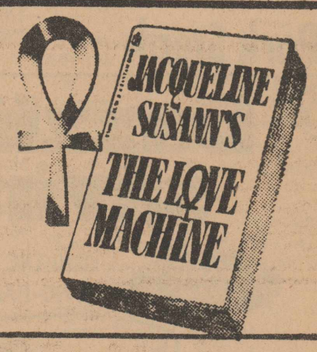
There are no known survivors.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church. Burial was in Rockport Cemetery. Marshall Funeral Home was in charge.

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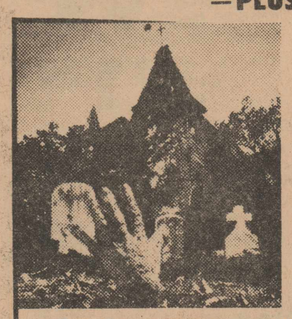
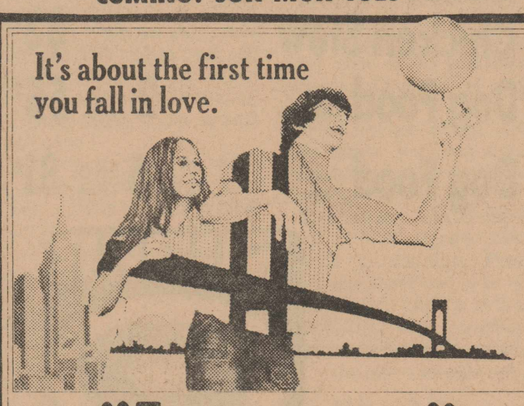
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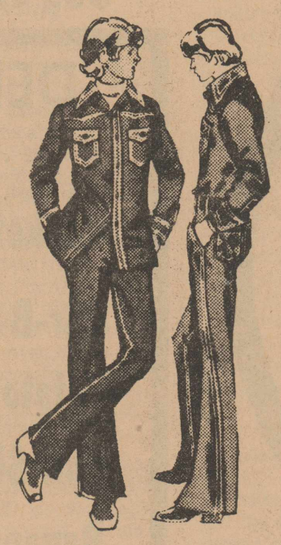
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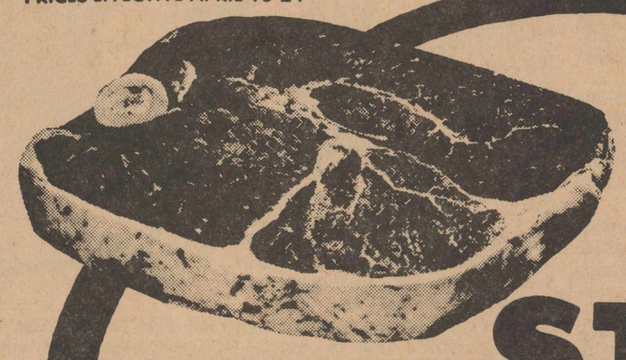
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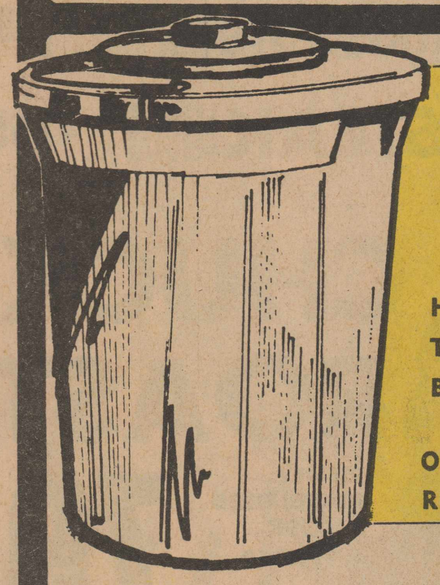
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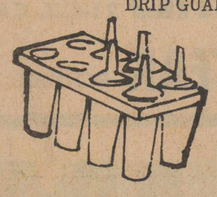
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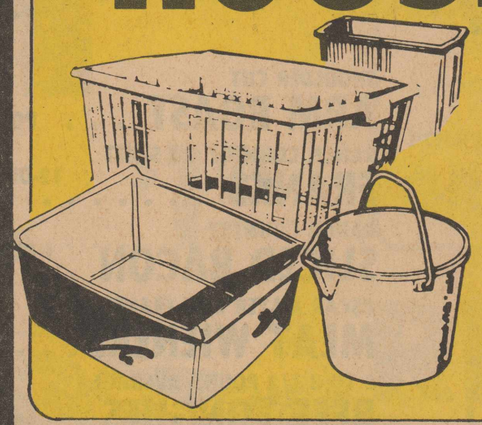
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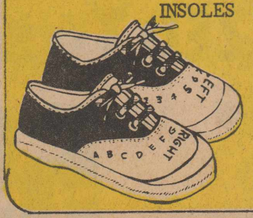
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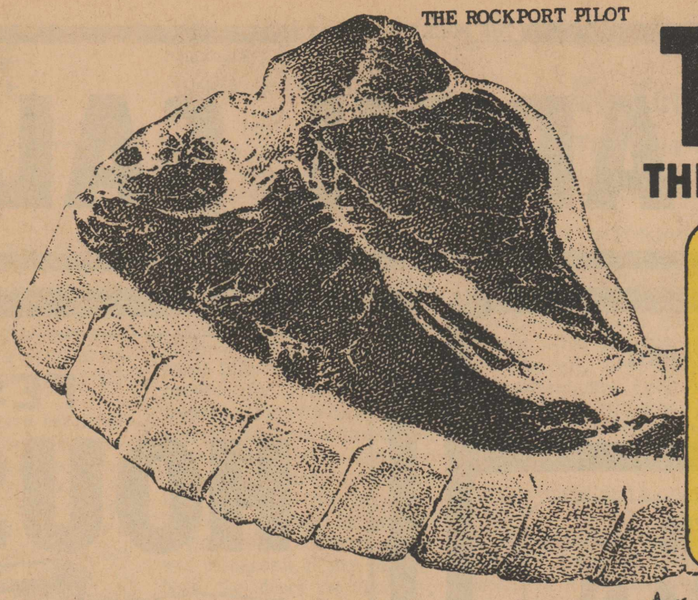


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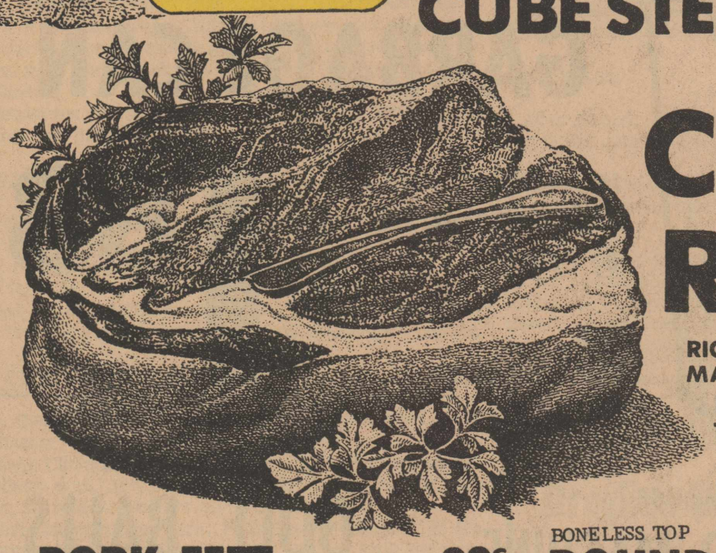
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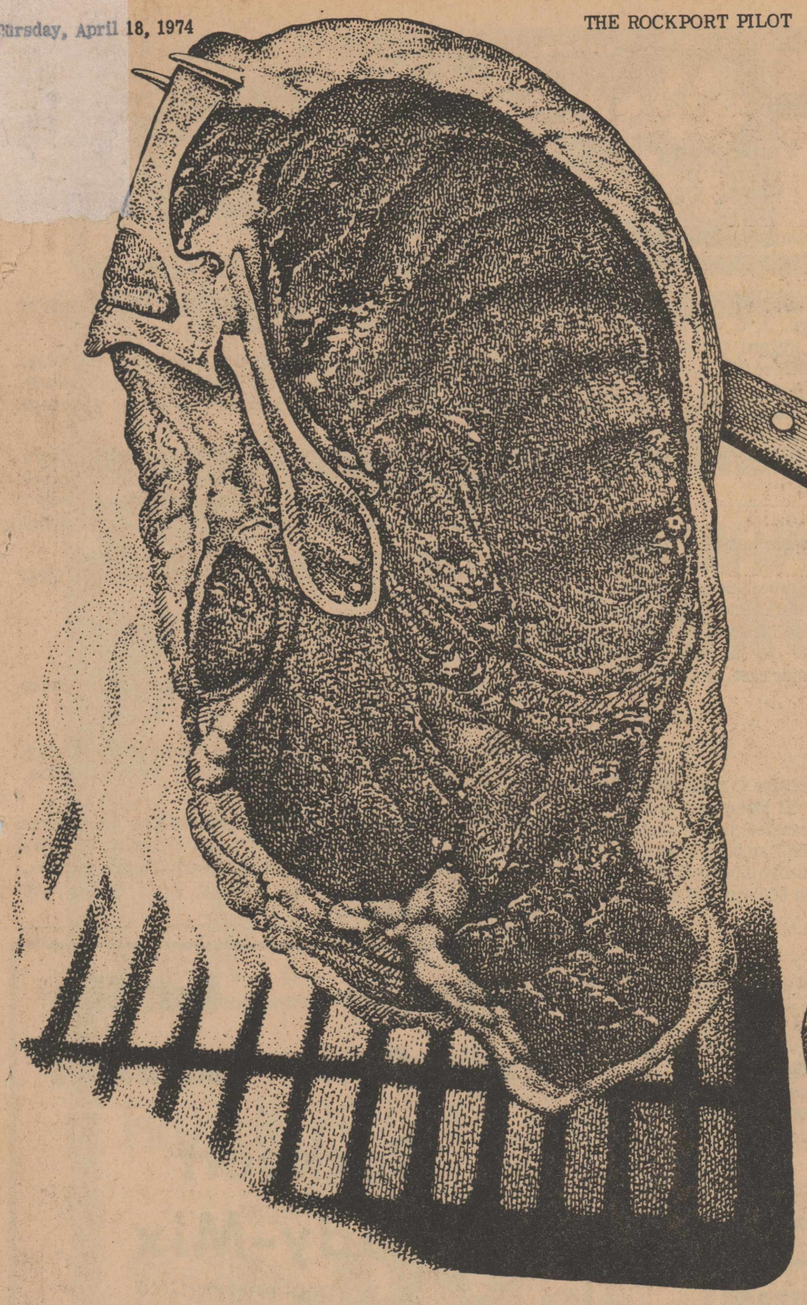
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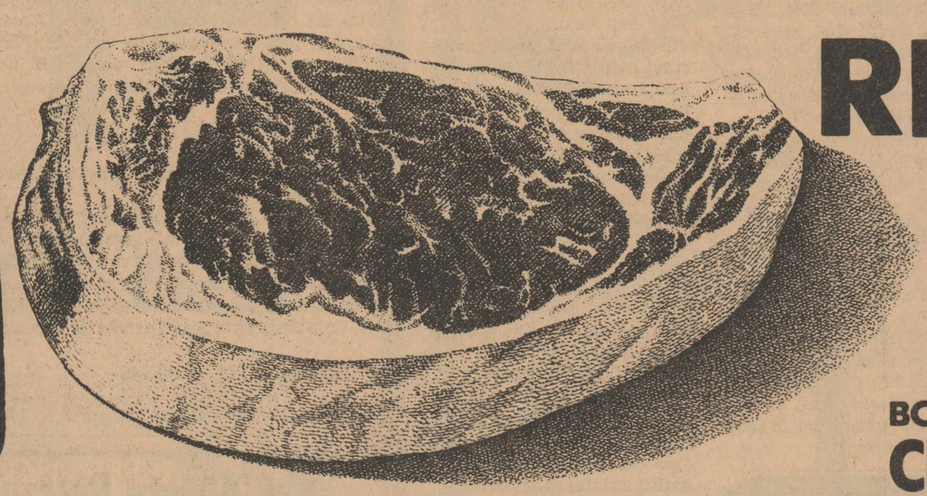
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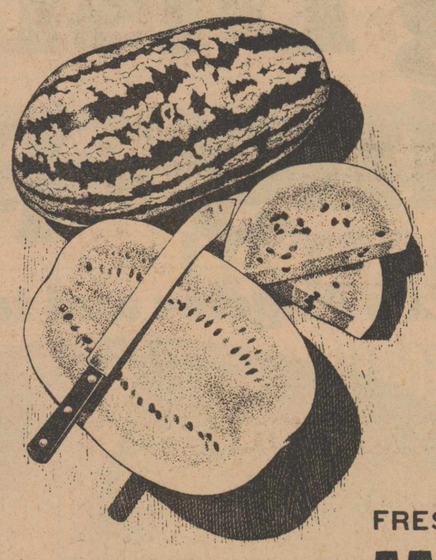
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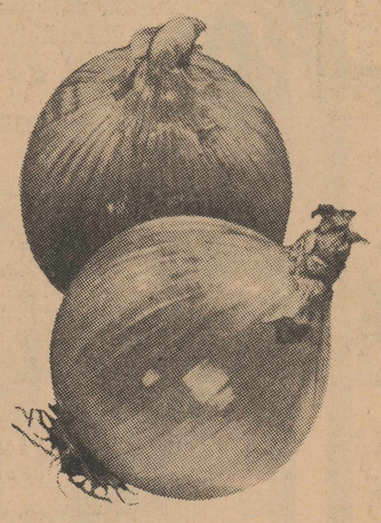
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KRAFT ROKA DRESSING 8-OZ. BOTTLE 65c

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SUPREME STEAK SAUCE 5-OZ. BOTTLE 45c

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The Rockport Pilot

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Flortam May Be Answer for Those Sad Sack Lawns

Valley homeowners have a new weapon with which to battle chinchbugs and St. Augustine Decline (SAD) in their St. Augustine grass lawns.

Floratam, a new variety of St. Augustinegrass that is resistant to these maladies, is now available at some local nurseries, notes Dr. Jose Amador, plant pathologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The new grass was developed jointly by the Florida and Texas Agricultural Experiment Stations and released to commercial sod producers in 1972.

Floratam is also tolerant to downy mildew and gray leaf spot; however, brown patch and rust still pose problems.

"And it isn't as hardy as common St. Augustinegrass," cautions the Texas A&M University specialist.

The new grass is moderately coarse-textured, fast growing and has a dark green color. It also has a larger root system than Common St. Augustinegrass.

"Some demonstrations have been established using this grass in South Texas with good results," said the plant pathologist. "Plots planted along the Corpus Christi bayfront, at Monte Alto and McAllen have proved it to be well adapted to our climatic conditions."

Floratam can be used in establishing a new lawn or for interplanting in established lawns affected by SAD, Amador pointed out.

For the best results he had these suggestions:

--When interplanting, plant the sprigs on 18-inch centers. For new lawns or seedbeds, plant on 12 to 18-inch centers.

--Keep unplanted sprigs out of heat and drying conditions. After planting, water the grass thoroughly and keep it watered. Apply a complete fertilizer when the new runners begin to grow.

Be sure to purchase Floratam sod or sprigs from a reputable nursery since it is hard to distinguish from Common St. Augustinegrass.

A list of certified Floratam producers is available from local county Extension offices, Amador concluded.

P.E.O. News

CHAPTER EO, P.E.O. will meet at 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 23, at the home of Mrs. W.M. Denny, 2003 Cochran.

In keeping with the "Getting to Know" theme of the year, Mrs. Leland Fisher will present a program on the Wildlife Refuge. Unaffiliates are welcome.

Mrs. Howard Montgomery will leave Sunday, April 21, for Amarillo. She is the delegate from Chapter EO to the State P.E.O. Convention being held in that city on April 22, 23 and 24. Chapter EO will be co-hostess to the State Convention to be held in San Antonio in April 1975.

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Woman's Club Installs Officers

The annual luncheon of the Woman's Club of Aransas County was held at the Ramada Inn, April 9. Many door prizes were given to lucky winners and all officers, both incoming and outgoing, were presented with corsages.

The tables were beautifully decorated with favors of miniature fruit and vegetable baskets and a centerpiece of snapdragons and fruit made by the social committee composed of Mrs. W. R. Schocke, Mrs. Roy Burke and Mrs. Willard O. Young. Mrs. W. E. Blackshare assisted at the luncheon.

After a business meeting Mrs. Joe Slocum presided over the installation of new officers as follows: Mrs. Paul Morris, president; Mrs. H. C. Bristow, first vice president; Mrs. J. H. Clampit, second vice president; Mrs. Theil W. Sharpe, third vice president; Mrs. Fred Bracht, fourth vice president; Mrs. John Tennent, associate house chairman; Mrs. Charles Watts, secretary; and Mrs. C.R. Gibson, treasurer.

The retiring president, Mrs. W.J. Tuttle, was presented with an engraved gavel by the members and an engraved golden cross by the officers.

Bridge and canasta were played for the remainder of the afternoon. Mrs. Fred Christilles won high in bridge and Mrs. Joe Slocum was second high. Mrs. Chris Kofod, Fulton, was high in canasta and Mrs. W. R. Schocke was second. The finale prize went to Sadie Albert, Rockport.

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Rockport Firemen's Auxiliary Meets

The Rockport Firemen's Auxiliary met April 8 for their monthly business meeting. President Ivalea Hinze called the meeting to order with fifteen members answering roll call. Guests present were Grady McNutty, Billy Howland and Jason Kelly.

Minutes were read and approved. Correspondence was read. Bills were read and approved for payment. The treasurer gave the financial report. Standing committees gave their reports. Ivalea Hinze and Mary Lee Frizzell are to furnish cakes for the firemen's business meeting on May 2.

The annual auxiliary dance was discussed. It was voted to have the dance on Saturday, June 8 at Lillian's Danceland. The price of the tickets are $2.50 each and the name of the band will be announced later.

Sarah Belle Smith and Terry Roberts were appointed delegates to the South Central District Firemen's Convention in Portland on April 21. The auxiliary voted to have members buy their own meals. The auxiliary will enter a team for the pumper races consisting of Gwyne Howland, Teresa Howland, Frances Redden, Joan Truelove, Ivalea Hinze, Terry Roberts and captain Lois Gurley.

The auxiliary voted to pay state dues of $5 to allow the auxiliary to have a vote. Lois Gurley was appointed to be the delegate for the state convention in June in Laredo.

Members present were Frances Redden, Teresa Howland, Gwyne Howland, Mary Lee Frizzell, Teet Mullinax, Sarah Belle Smith, Cleo Truelove, Mona McNutt, Evalon Redden, Ivalea Hinze, Joan Truelove, Lois Gurley, Judy Kelly, Kathy Ratliff and Terry Roberts.

--Terry Roberts, Reporter

The town of Shepardsville, Ky. has purchased its first police patrol car.

Do You Remember?

From The Pilot Files — 10 Years Ago

FIREMEN'S AUXILIARY WIN CONTEST

Members of the Rockport Firemen's Auxiliary won in the ladies pumper races at Agua Dulce in connection with a meeting of South Texas Firemen's Association.

Attending from here were Miss Sarah Belle Smith, Mrs. W. A. Ormand, Mrs. Somer Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gurley, Mr. and Mrs. Elva Mullinax, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carter, Mrs. Royce Harrell, Mrs. Gilbert Hill, and Gilbert Hill, Jr., Mrs. James Ankele, Mrs. Cecil Cole and Cecilia Cole.

Mrs. Gilbert Hill was elected parliamentarian for the South Central District Firemen's Auxiliary. Mrs. Somer Smith and Mrs. Elva Mullinax were local delegates to the meeting.

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STUDENTS WIN PLAY CONTEST

At the University Interscholastic League one-act play contest in Bishop, Aransas County High School won second place.

Members of the cast were Cliftinia McElwee, Susie LeBlanc, Gregg Henderson, Joe Hugenberg and Annette Gardner. Assisting stage group were Nicki Dick and Carla Lee. Director was Mrs. Florence Horton.

Gregg Henderson was selected on the all-star cast. Mrs. Harold Dick accompanied the group.

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CATCH BIG SAWFISH

Captain Steve Walker of the shrimper Loraine C came in with a 15-foot sawfish he caught in his net off Matagorda Island.

The big fish had become completely entangled in the shrimp net and it took the crew of the Loraine C half an hour to get the big fish out of the webbing which was badly damaged. It was estimated that the sawfish weighed between 800 and 900 pounds.

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WOMAN'S CLUB INSTALLS OFFICERS

Aransas County Woman's Club installed the following newly elected officers:

Mrs. Jones Christian, president; Mrs. M. D. Oliver, second vice president; Mrs. Arthur Bracht, third vice president; Mrs. C. S. Heath, secretary; and Mrs. Al Smith, treasurer.

Mrs. Christian appointed Mrs. Paul Rogers chairman of the social committee to be assisted by Mrs. Walter Falk and Mrs. R. E. Copeland. Mrs. Max Gardner is reporter.

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DUPLICATE BRIDGE WINNERS

Duplicate bridge winners on April 8, 1964 were: first, Mrs. Gene Bird and Homer Faber; second, Frank Prescott and Frank Lenoir; third, Mrs. Lynn Wendell and Mrs. Robert Willis.

On April 9, winners were: first, Mr. and Mrs. George Dickey; second, Mrs. Robert Willias and Russell Eldridge; third, Mrs. N. F. Jackson and C. C. Crabb; fourth tie, Mrs. C. C. Crabb and Mrs. Lyndell, and Mrs. Margot Anthony and Mrs. Gene Bird.

From The Pilot Files — 20 Years Ago

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

The annual Easter Sunrise Service sponsored by the Council of Church Women will be held at the Yacht Basin.

The service will include the following; doxology, invocation, the Rev. Dana Green, pastor of First Methodist Church; Gloria Patri, anthem, "He Is Risen"; scripture reading, Reverend Green;

Anthem, "Praise Ye the Lord"; Easter message, Harry Carter, lay minister of St. Peter's Episcopal Church; congregation, "Come Thou Almighty King"; anthem, "Easter Morning"; benediction, the Rev. H. B. Ramsey, pastor of First Baptist Church.

The choir will be directed by Mrs. N. F. Jackson, with Mrs. Sam James as accompanist.

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PERSONALS:

Miss Beverly Sue Matern attended the Lantana Ball at Texas A&I as the guest of Joe Herring.

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Burney Tedford of Corpus Christi visited his sister and family, Mrs. and Mrs. Sherman Mundine, Nell and Mary Evelyn Mundine.

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The following persons completed the examination for a Texas driver's license: Richard Bateman, Norman Emerick, Frances Arthur, Z. R. Martin, C. F. Smilie, Nancy Sparks, Shirley Shultz, Water Warner, Sue James, George Whaling, E. G. Brooks, Sue Fuhrman and Sallie Fuhrman.

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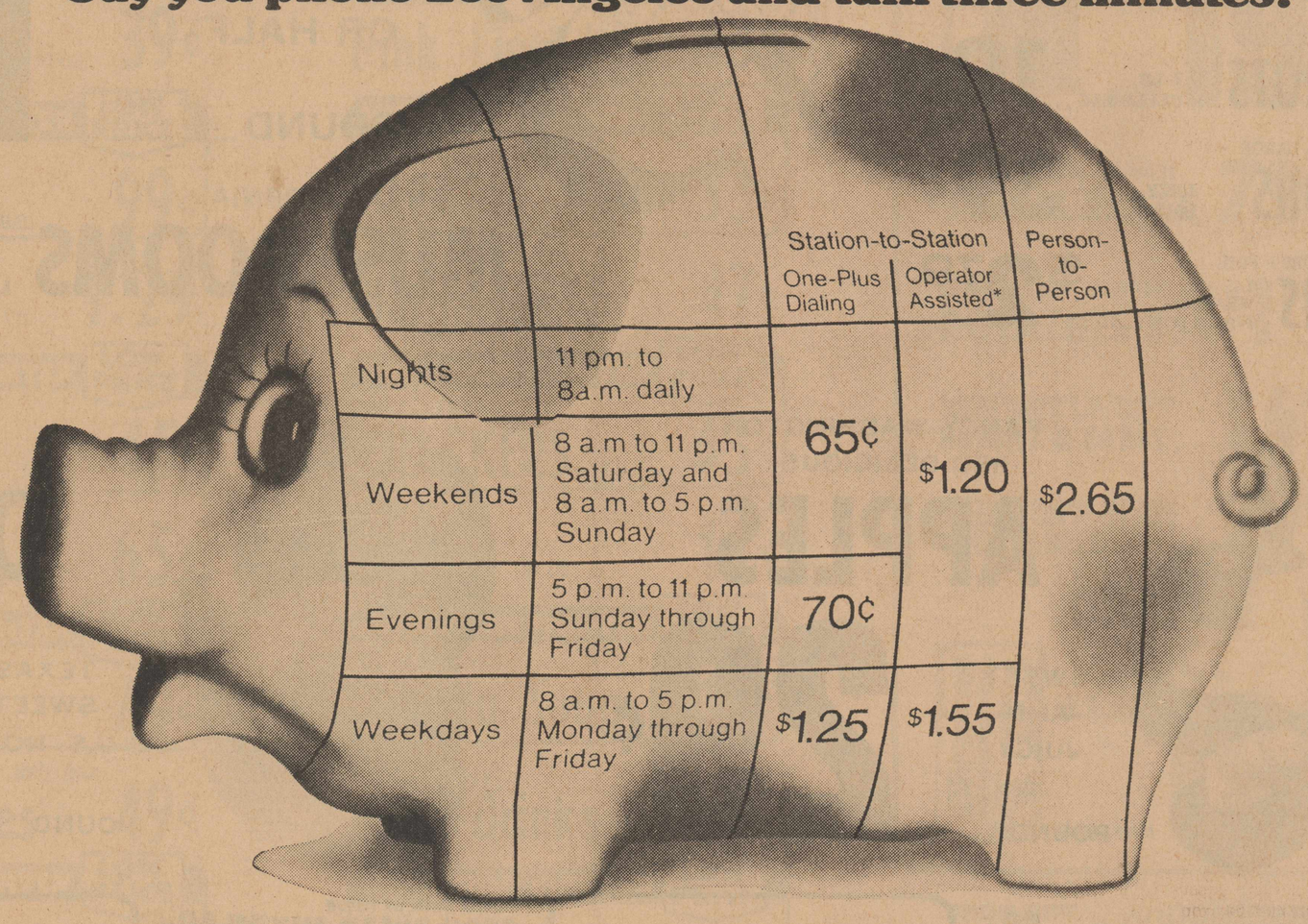
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