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Rockport Stunned But Not Beaten

City Performs Well In Crisis

What did the City of Rockport, city officials and city workers do to help out immediately before, during and after the hurricane? Plenty! And they did it well.

Here are a few of the highlights:

—Herman Johnson, as Civil Defense Director and project coordinator of state and federal emergency projects, worked almost constantly, as he still is.

—Mayor Delmar R. Hiller assisted Johnson and coordinated the work of city officials.

—Chief of Police E. D. Taylor and Patrolmen Daniel Vargas, Tom Vannoy and Jack Baird round-the-clock.

—Tom Shults, Director of Public Works, and his men were on the go constantly doing everything to minimize damage to the water system and then to restore water and sewer service as soon as possible.

Mayor Hiller reports that as the hurricane approached, the following steps were taken:

1) Shults and his men prepared water system for the coming blasts of wind, by filling the towers to decrease chances of damage, and turned off the water system.

2) City vehicles and generators were checked and prepared.

3) City officials met with county officials to determine evacuation procedures.

4) Live Oak Elementary School was set up as an emergency shelter, with James F. Gillis, principal of the school in charge. About 325 persons found safety there. Food, water and shelter was provided. Some persons whose homes were destroyed or badly damaged stayed until the first part of this week. Gillis concontacted the Red Cross to help those persons whose homes were destroyed.

5) "Ham" radio operators arrived, set up their equipment at the City Hall and went into action. (See separate story on this elsewhere in this issue).

6) Twelve trailer-van trucks from various companies arrived, bringing ice and water. Pearl and Lone Star Breweries were among them. Rice University sent mattresses.

7) Teen-agers and even boys as young as 12 came to City Hall and offered to help in any way. They unloaded supplies from the trucks, ran errands and helped in other ways.

8) City crews concentrated on trying to get water, sewer and sanitation connections back into opperation.

9) The Veterans of Foreign Wars helped distribute mattresses.

10) Drive-in groceries stored the ice and furnished manpower to help distribute the ice.

The mayor praised local residents for their spirit of cooperation and for helping those who were in need. Also, for being understanding about their own inconveniences.

LOOTING COPPER WIRE

An Aransas Pass shrimper was arrested late Monday afternoon for looting copper wire belonging to the Central Power and Light Company. The theft occurred at the intersection of Highway 35 and 1069 south of Rockport. Charges were expected to be filed for misdemeaner theft in County Court.

Claudia Nelson, president of the Aransas County unit of TSTA, was among some 350 local, district and state leaders of the Texas State Teachers Association who held their 1970 Local Association Presidents Conference in Austin Aug. 10-11 at the Terrace Convention Center.

Council Concurs With Zoning Commission Recommendation

The City Council on Monday accepted the recommendations of the Planning and Zoning Commission of five requests, as follows:

1) Granted Mrs. E. N. Adams permission to sell antiques in a garage in block O, Hotel Reserve, S&W Addition, by appointment only. Permission was limited to present ownership. The Commission and the Council indicated they will adopt an amendment to the zoning ordinance that would handle such requests by a special use permits and not by rezoning.

2) Denied an application by J. S. Ramsey for a special permit to locate a mobile home on South Beach Road, two blocks south of Market Street, on the grounds that such use would not be the "highest and best use of the land."

3) Granted an application of Canoe Lake Corporation for a special permit to erect a two-faced sign, 10 by 32 feet, on lot C in Harbor Oaks Subdivision.

4) Tabled action on an application by Harold Wise for the rezoning of lots 15 and 16 behind the Duck Inn from R-1 Residential to B-2 Business to permit Dr. J. Martin Shaw to build an optometry office building. The Commission indicated it would grant approval after the special use amendment is passed.

5) Adopted the following amendments to the zoning ordinance:

(a) Section IX, Subsection 2b shall be amended as follows: the sentence reading "Where the road is curved, the setback line shall be parallel to the curve of the road and not be a straight line."

Shall be amended to read: "Where the road is curved the setback line shall be a minimum of fifteen (15) feet from the property line, but in no case shall any portion of a building project beyond the building line established on the adjacent lot."

(b) The sentence reading "A corner lot shall have a front yard on each street side of such except that the buildable width of such lot shall not be reduced to less than forty (40) feet, and no accessory buildings, shall project beyond the front yard line along either street."

Shall be amended to read: "A corner lot shall have a front yard in accordance with Table A, the front yard being as shown on plat, the side yard of a corner lot shall have a minimum of fifteen (15) feet, except that the building width of such lot shall not be reduced to less than forty (40) feet and no accessory building shall project beyond this line."

(c) Section XII, Subsection 4, shall be amended as follows: the sentence reading "No accessory building shall be constructed upon a lot until the construction of the main building has actually commenced and no accessory building shall be used for dwelling purposes other than by domestic servants employed on the premises."

Shall be amended to read: "No accessory building shall be constructed upon a lot until construction of the main building has actually commenced. An accessory building may be constructed for the guest or domestic help but in no case shall such building be leased, or rented for dwelling purposes."

ROE STRICKEN

Charles A. Roe, Jr., well known grocer, was stricken, apparently by a heart attack and taken to Spohn Hospital by ambulance Wednesday morning.

Hurricane Celia blasted through here about 3 p.m., Monday, Aug. 3, smashing buildings, leveling houses and tossing boats about as though they were toy boats in a bathtub.

But by Saturday, Aug. 8, the people of this area, although still stunned, were going about their business of rebuilding, starting over, determined that the Rockport area not only will be put back in shape, but that it will continue to grow and prosper as it has for years.

Perhaps uppermost in the minds of everyone was the fact—and the gratefulness—that no lives were lost. Many prayers were said, expressing gratitude for this.

From the standpoint of damage, the figure of $3 million was given as an estimate by a man skilled in such matters.

Help for those in need came fast—from the federal government, the state government, Aransas County officials, the City of Rockport, the Red Cross, Salvation Army and many organizations and individuals.

All citizens are thankful for such fast action and also for the fine work performed by all police, including the City Police Department, the Sheriff's Department and the State Highway Patrolmen.

Also, Civil Defense officials and members of the Aransas County Emergency Corps worked around the clock to render assistance to those in need. "Ham" radio operators also played a vital role in maintaining communications when telephone service was knocked out.

But by Saturday, the thing that stood out most was the quiet determination being demonstrated by those whose homes and business establishments were damaged.

Even the owners of homes in some of the waterfront developments, many of whose dwellings were badly smashed up, were personally starting to remove debris and get things ready for rebuilding.

"This is just a temporary setback," one owner said, "We'll get our home back in shape and once again enjoy the good life here, fishing, playing golf, swimming and enjoying all the advantages which the Rockport area offers. We're not even considering moving away."

Local people driving around to inspect the damage were saddened when they saw the damaged homes of friends and other folks they didn't know.

Particularly tragic was the large number of mobile homes crumbled by the vicious hurricane. In many cases, these homes represented the life savings of the owners.

But the spirit of hope, determination and help-the-other-fellow was evident everywhere.

Untold instances of people helping were heard in every part of the area.

One lady who owns and lives in a sturdy brick home took 13 persons into her home to "sit out" the hurricane. Every person came through fine and only minor damage occurred to the structure.

One local ice firm distributed bags of free ice. Two breweries gave free bottles, kegs of good drinking water.

Hurricane Celia slowed Rockport down a little but she failed to still the determination of the local folks to rebuild this wonderful city which proudly boasts of being "The Toast of the Coast!"

METHODIST SERVICES

Services at First United Methodist Church on Sunday, Aug. 16, will start at 8:30 a.m. instead of the usual 10:50 a.m. This is because Hurricane Celia knocked out the air conditioning and its a little cooler at 8:30 than at 10:50.

HUD Bringing Mobile Homes For Homeless

The Federal Housing and Urban Development Agency is bringing new mobile homes to the Aransas County area to provide temporary housing for people left homeless by Hurricane Cecial.

This was announced Monday by Mayor Delmar R. Hiller at a City Council meeting.

Hiller said the city and Aransas County has been instructed to appoint a housing director to take applications and administer the program which will involve bringing numerous mobile homes here. HUD is leasing the new mobile homes from manufacturers.

The mayor said persons whose homes were made unlivable by the hurricane will be assigned mobile homes on a "first come, first served" basis.

James C. Bibb, Jr., retired and now living at Copano Ridge, volunteered to serve as housing director with no salary. He is former finance director of the City of Beeville. The Council thanked Bibb for his offer and appointed him director. Aransas County Commissioners previously had approved the appointment.

The City Council and the Planning and Zoning Commission agreed that the mobile homes may occupy locations for six months during which time it is assumed, and hoped that the occupant, will have started rebuilding his damaged or destroyed home. At the end of six months, the occupant must apply to the city for permission to remain in the mobile home longer if he has not completed the repairs on his home.

HUD is offering such people free rent for 90 days and a modest rent for occupancy after that time. Government regulations permit the occupants to live in the mobile homes for as long as one year.

To assist hurricane-affected persons repair or reconstruct their damaged structures, the City Council agreed to waive building permits for a period of 90 days after work starts. However, plumbing permits will be required and if an entire new structure is to be erected, a building permit will be required.

In other actions, the City Council:

—Passed a resolution designating the Red Cross as the official disaster relief agency.

—Discussed the Rockport Fire Station situation. Hiller described the building as "100 per cent gone." He said fire equipment is being stored in Port Little's warehouses.

Regarding a new fire station, Hiller said the Office of Emergency Prepardness "probably will help with a grant, and we expect to receive a claim payment from our insurance coverage. Thus we expect to be able to build a new fire station on the new location the city purchased southwest of the courthouse."

FOOD DISTRIBUTION ON N. CHURCH ST.

Jessie Carrera, director of the distribution commodity center for Aransas County is now located at 1028 N. Church St.

They are now distributing food on emergency basis. Because of the loss of records it will be necessary for those receiving food to re-apply beginning next week.

The next distribution of food will be in the month of September.

Don't Burn Trash

Fire Marshall Elva Mullinax strongly urged residents —inside or outside the city limits—not to burn trash at the present time.

"The Fire Department temporarily has no operating sirens," Mullinax said, "we have a limited number of men available to fight fires, and we have a limited amount of water available.

"So please DO NOT burn any trash until the present emergency is over," Mullinax warned.

Interfering With Emergency Work Means Jail Sentence

Aransas County Judge John D. Wendell on Monday instructed County Attorney Ellis Clark to "place charges against anyone interfering with hurricane emergency work being done by county employees—and put such persons in jail, if necessary."

Wendell's order was issued at a Commissioners Court meeting after he told of one man in this area "threatening with a gun a county employee operating a mosquito spraying vehicle, until the man had time to remove his dogs from his property."

"The county is doing its best to carry out emergency procedures following Hurricane Celia," Judge Wendell said, "and mosquito spraying is one vital service to help prevent disease.

"We will not tolerate any interference with this or any other county emergency work which is being done for the welfare of the residents of Aransas County."

Judge Wendell also instructed Clark to "take strong action against any "scalpers' who come into our area and try to fleece people by offering overpriced services or products needed by those whose homes, boats or business properties were destroyed or damaged by the hurricane."

In other matters at the Commissioners Court meeting:

—Judge Wendell said he had located some workers to start doing repair work on the administration building at the airport and other county buildings damaged by the hurricane. It was indicated that the damaged airport hanger may be redesigned before being put back together.

—Mrs. Margaret Weber, tax collector, reported that the estimated taxable value of real property, excluding land and mineral rights in Aransas County for 1970 was $32,225,090.

—Passed a resolution authorizing County Auditor Bob Mosier to execute and file an application with state officials for the purpose of obtaining federal financial assistance under the Federal Disaster Relief Act.

—The county was notified by the State Board of County and District Road Indebtedness that on Sept. 1, the county's lateral road account will be credited with $6,592.77 representing the county's share of the surplus as of Aug. 31. This amount will be forwarded to the county to be used for the construction or improvement of county lateral roads.

—Approved a plat for an 11-lot subdivision, south of the city owner by Elmer McLester. It was stated that the six-acre tract fronting on Highway 35 South will offer lots 100 by 128 feet for occupancy by mobile homes or trailers.

—It was reported that the county barn had been badly damaged by the hurricane and that some redesign work and an additional stall will be added when the building is restored. The county expects to receive reimbursement from the federal government for restoration of this and other county buildings hit by Celia.

Red Cross Doing Great Job Here

The Red Cross is doing a great job of helping people stricken by Hurricane Celia.

Milt Whitten of St. Louis, director of the Aransas County operation based at the courthouse here, said Tuesday that hundreds of persons have applied for, and received, assistance so far.

Te urged all persons in this area who need help to come to the courthouse and contact Red Cross volunteers or staff personnel.

Up to today, the Red Cross has distributed over 40 tons of foods, serving about 750 in front of the couthouse, offering sandwiches and coffee. persons a day at the canteen

More than 12,000 pounds of dry ice and 192,000 pounds of wet ice have been distributed. Tons of clothing have been handed out to men, women and children who lost most of their garments.

Whitten said food, clothing and other items worth more than $20,000 had been distributed by Monday night.

Among local firms Whitten said had given clothing, food or ice for free distribution were Sparks Dry Goods, Jackson Marine Service, Casterline Fish Co., F & M Drive-In Grocery, Cox's Gulf Service

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SBA IN BUSINESS HERE

The Small Business Administration Disaster Loan Office is open for business at the Aransas County courthouse in Rockport.

J. P. Dugan, who is in charge of the office, said that the Rockport office will remain open from 8 a.m. until 7:30 p.m. seven days a week for as long as necessary to accommodate the victims of the Aug. 3 hurricane.

The Administrator of the Small Business Administration has issued a declaration making disaster loan assistance available in Atascosa, Aransas, Live Oak, McMullen, Bee, Jim Wells, Nueces, San Patricio, Refugio, Goliad, Karnes, Wilson counties of Texas as a result of hurricane Celia.

Loan application forms and information may be obtained from the disaster loan office, Dugan said.

Persons whose homes, businesses, personal property, or inventory were damaged or destroyed are eligible for 3 percent loan to make repairs or obtain replacements. The loans may run for as long as 30 years in some cases and are repayable in monthly installments. Loans must be repaid however, in the shortest period possible without creating undue hardship to the borrower.

The amount of loan is limited to the actual tangible loss, less any insurance funds received.

Personal and business assets must be used by the applicant to the greatest extent feasible to restore disaster damaged or lost property.

Dugan says he is highly gratified with the response of local bankers and city, state, and local officials, all of whom have been very helpful and cooperative.

STATE HIGHWAY POLICE LAUDED

Local authorities and residents were unanimous in their praise for the fine patrol work performed here following Hurricane Celia by Department of Public Safety officers.

The following men saw service here: Walter Mangum, Charlie Adams, Less Bevel, Don Cook, Jerry Grizzell, Lee Guerra, Wayne Frickes, Jerry Glaeser, John Easley, Kirby McCravey, Mike McLaughlin, Regis De Arza;

Henry Brune, Robert Madeira, Albert Madeira, Albert Sneed, Leslie Dawson, Bill Pierson Pete Daggett, David Kile, Robert Seiferman, Boyd Prepwinkle, Bob Beard, Sgt. Otis Hildebrand, Sgt. Bill Ennis, Sgt. Ray Holub, H. G. Palmer, Robert Stone, W. S. Granbury, K. J. Anthony;

T. R. Johnson, R. L. Hollis, J. O. Clark, B. G. Lawrence, Jack Wasson, Ed White, B. L. Dean, L. F. Dobbs, V. Crook, J. L. McCraig, T. L. Green, C. J. Bailey, F. S. Segura, T. D. Hicks, J. R. Purdue, and Bill Hill and David Morgan, the last two being station at Rockport.

Four Arrested For Stealing Lamp Posts

On Friday, Aug. 7 three adults and one juvenile were arrested at City by the Sea for felony theft in connection with the theft of two lamp posts from private residences at City by the Sea.

Sheriff Bob Hewes reported that a call was received from the Aransas Pass Police Department that Olly Otten, a resident of City by the Sea had caught four persons loot-near his home there.

Deputies Cosby and Ramirez were sent to the scene and made the arrest of three adults and one juvenile from Tivoli. Bond for them was set at $1,000 for the adults and they were released from custody after they made proper bond. The juvenile was released to his parents. One of the adults was 72, one 68, one 64 and the juvenile was 15 years old.

Pirates Footballers To Report Monday

It's that time again and Monday, Aug. 17, will mark the date when all high school footballers in the Rockport-Fulton area will somehow side-step the removal of Celia's debris and the rebuilding of homes and businesses to begin concentrating on becoming a hurricane themselves and moving aside any obstacles in the way of gaining the 30-AA District title this year.

Celia dealt the community a tremendous blow, but as far as Rockport-Fulton football is concerned, the graduation of 1970 did far more damage, leaving a great rebuilding job to be done.

Only twelve lettermen return to this year's Pirates, with most of the experience being in the offensive backfield. Robert Brooks will return after having gained over 1,500 yards in ten games last year. Along with Brooks will

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$1 Million Channel Project Planned Here

A $1 million project to deepen waterways and improve harbor facilities in this area may become a reality as a result of action taken Wednesday by Aransas County Navigation District.

Commissioners Matt Scott and Dick Fox voted to authorize Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, of Corpus Christi, consulting engineers for the Navigation District, to contact the Economic Development Administration, the Office of Emergency Planning and other federal agencies to develop a program of marine-oriented and industrial-related facilities that can be financed by federal and local funds.

If the proposal is successful, voters of Aransas County would vote favorably on a bond issue to provide $500,000 of the needed funds, and the federal goverment would provide the other $500,000—for a $1 million project.

Some of the projects to be considered are deepening the channels from Rockport Harbor, Fulton Harbor, Cove Harbor and Lamar to the Intracoastal Canal in the Gulf of Mexico. Also to be considered are improvements at Conn Brown Harbor at Aransas Pass and cleaning up and improving the above named harbors.

Spearheading this marine plan which, if adopted, would improve economic conditions in this area and create many new jobs, were a group of local community leaders who conferred with Dempsey Duprie, Corpus Christi, executive director of the Coastal Bend Economic Development District, which works closely with the U. S. Department of Commerce on projects of this nature.

Duprie, at a hastily called meeting at the First National Bank of Rockport, met Wednesday afternoon with the following men:

Homer C. Innis, regional vice president of Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam; James H. Sorenson, Jr., president, First National Bank of Rock-

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Salvation Army Helps Out

State representatives of the Salvation Army were here last week to make plans to work through the local committee to supply assistance to those in need following the hurricane.

The state disaster chairman authorized Mayor Delmar R. Hiller as local chairman to draw on state Salvation Army funds as needed. The local committee consists of the Rev. Cecil H. Lang, Jr., Mrs. Ruby Hart, J. D. Gray, James H. Sorenson, Jr., Sheriff Bob Hewes, Shelley Roaten and Herman Johnson.

Hiller said local Salvation Army committee members can write out vouchers for needs. Such needs have included food, clothing, household items and transportation.

"The local representatives of the Salvation Army will continue to help as long as help is needed," Hiller said.

Sanders Gets Local Cleanup Contract

Jack Sanders Corp. has received a contract from the U. S. Corps of Engineers for removal of hurricane debris from Rockport. The contract was for $17,690.

The contract for removal of debris from Aransas County, outside the Rockport city limits, was awarded to McKenzie Road Service, Bay City, St. Louis, Miss., for $76,380.

Application forms for debris removal in Rockport may be obtained in Rockport at the City Hall; for debris removal in the county, outside the city limits, forms are available at the Courthouse. The form reproduced in last week's Pilot is not sufficient, since duplicates are required.

Sanders also got an $89,840 contract to cleanup the debris in Portland and a $131,840 for the same type of project in San Patricio County.

Contracts let by the Corps of Engineers has brought the cost thus far for removing hurricane debris to $2.9 million.

The Corps estimated that the amount of debris in all areas so far under contract is about one million cubic yards.

George West and Three Rivers have authorized the Corps to handle their debris removal.

Robstown, Mathis and Orange Grove have told the Corps they will arrange to clean up their own debris, a Corps spokesman said. Eight other municipal governments in the hurricane struck area have before them proposals to allow the Corps to let their debris clearance contracts, but have not yet arrived at a decision. Those areas are: Refugio, Refugio County, Woodsboro, Banquete, Agua Dulce, Alice, Jim Wells County and Ingleside.

The contracts cover streets, sidewalks, areas between the two, and, where there are no sidewalks, 15 feet to either side of the street or highway. The contracts also include such private areas as the Corps may instruct the contractors to clean up.

T. C. KELLY DIES

Thomas Cleveland Kelly, 84, a pioneer resident, grocer and civic leader here, died Wednesday in his home after a short illness.

A native of Tennesee, Kelly came to Texas in 1891 by covered wagon and settled in Rockport in 1927. He was an independent grocer, a member of the First United Methodist Church, the Rotary Club, the Chamber of Commerce and both the Oddfellow and Rebekah Lodges. He was superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School for many years.

An active member of civic affairs of his community, Kelly was president of Rockport School Board for 10 years. He was instrumental in the accomplishment of the affiliation, segregation, and the consolidation of the Aransas County Independent School District, and the building of the new Rockport High School.

Kelly was married in 1912 to the former Gladys Wooden at Anadarko, Okla. He survived three of the six children born to the union.

Funeral services were held Sunday from the First United Methodist Church in Rockport, with interment in the Rockport Cemetery under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home.

The Church service was conducted by Rev. Palmer, a solo was sung by one grandson, Sterling Kelly. Pallbearers were eight of the grandsons, Wm. Cleveland Wills, Jr., Henry David Ainley, Darrell Ainley, Robert Kelly, Rodney Kelly, Bradley Kelly, Michael Kelly, Carl Kelly and Walter Stryker of Rockport.

Surviving Kelly are his wife, Emma Gladys of Rockport; a daughter, Mrs. Romalie Fergason of Corpus Christi; two sons, S. C. Kelly of Corpus Christi and W. A. Kelly of Houston;

One brother, D. A. Kelly of Aransas Pass; four sisters, Mrs. N. F. Hennessey of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Kellie Earnest of Ft. Cobb, Okla., Mrs. Harry Roberts of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Allie Gilliland of Port Aransas; 14 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

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REGISTER FOR DRAFT

The following local youths were registered by the Selective Service Draft Board at Sinton in July: Jesus Corpus, Norman E. Horton, JrJ., William Kelsay, James Moody, Gayle Robbins, Dale Turner, William R. Walters, Jr., and John W. Winzenried, JrJ., of Rockport and Ernesto Rios of Fulton.

One-seventh of Sweden is beyond the Arctic Circle.

C of C Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah G. Hayes, North Andover, Mass., one of the couples selected as "Tourist of the Week" by the Chamber of Commerce last winter, were kind enough to send the following letter to the C of C, for which we are grateful:

"Dear Friends:

"Ever since we become the recipients of your unique hospitality last winter we have not left off bragging about and explaining to our friends what a delightful time we has in Texas.

"We are still puzzled about the why we became tourists of the week (Feb. 10, 1970) but the memory of the hours we spent in your pretty town beside the sea will long be with us.

"The motel where we spent the night was comfortable, convenient and first class in every way. Our hostess with whom we chatted was delightfully friendly. We had fine food when we stopped to eat and drove about town and went down to watch the birds along the shore. We saw many which were unfamiliar to us which were especially interesting. The following day we took the boat trip to see the cranes, an unforgetable experience.

"Because we here in New England have suffered in destructive hurricanes in recent years—1938 and others, we are anxious to learn how Rockport, Texas has fared in this terrible storm of 1970. It would be of interest to us to have a few lines from the Chamber and hope that our concern will prove to you that we truly appreciate all you did for us.

"In summer Rockport, Massachusetts is lovely but not as attractive in winter as we found your town to be.

"Please accept our bread-and-butter note as further proof of our friendship."

P.S. The Chamber of Commerce assured Mr. and Mrs. Hayes that the Rockport area came through the hurricane in pretty good shape and is already rebuilding and confident that progress will be resumed.

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The Chamber of Commerce welcomes as a new member Helga's Original European Oil Paintings, 1819 Fulton Beach Road, owned and operated by Mrs. Donna Price.

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Refreshments for the hospitality program at the C of C Building, Aug. 3-8, were furnished by Morrison's Sportsmen Center. Thank you, Dorothy and Hugh.

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The Corpus Christi Datsun auto dealer contributed $5 for refreshments at the Chamber of Commerce this week.

HOLD STUDY RETREAT

Eighteen youths between the ages of 15 and 21, from Grace United Methodist Church in San Antonio, held a play and study retreat here from Sept 25 to 27. They divided their time between First Presbyterian Church and Rockport Beach. On July 27 they attended services at the local church and left for home immediately afterwards. They were accompanied by six adults headed by the Rev. Ed Wink, pastor of the youths' home church.

CARD OF THANKS

May I take this method of thanking everyone for the cards, flowers, visits, gifts, telephone calls and other acts of kindness shown me during my stay in the hospital and at home.

Mrs. Jack Sparks

American motorists use about 100-million tires a year.

NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF ARANSAS

In the name and by the authority of the State of Texas notice is hereby given as follows:

TO Charles Schultes, Laura Triplett, Margaret E. Williams, Conn Brown, Edmund S. Gonshor, the following persons who have personally served in this tax suit but are named in the affidavit and in the citation by publication only because they are defendants in this tax suit as the law requires all defendants to be named in the citation by publication whether they have been personally served or not: Rosie Henry, Mrs. Conn Brown;

All of the Stockholders, all of whom are unknown to plaintiff and his attorney, of each and all of the corporate defendants enumerated above; all partners, all of whom are unknown to plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all of the defendants enumerated above, which are or were partnerships; all members, beneficiaries, and interest holders, all of whom are unknown to plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all of the defendants enumerated above which are or were trusts, joint stock companies, or other unincorporated associations; all of such persons and their legal status, viz., whether incorporated or unincorporated, and if incorporated, whether in good standing or defunct, being unknown to plaintiff and his attorney;

If living, and if any or all of the above named defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of each or all of the said above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said above named persons; and the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described land; and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees, devisees, husbands, and wives of the above named persons, and any and all other persons including adverse claimants, owning or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiff herein, for taxes, all of said property being located in said County and State, to-wit:

Lot 3, Block 522, Original Town, City of Aransas Pass, Aransas County. Texas; Lots 4 and 5, Block 522, Original Town, City of Aransas Pass, Aransas County, Texas; Lot 6, Block 522, Original Town, City of Aransas Pass, Aransas County, Texas; Lot 8, Block 522, Original Town, City of Aransas Pass, Aransas County, Texas;

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiff for taxes in the following amounts: $202.57, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein. You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State of Texas, for itself and Aransas County, Texas, as plaintiffs, against the above named persons, as Defendants, by first amended original petition filed on the 17th day of June, 1969, in a certain suit styled The State of Texas vs. Charles Schultes, et al, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Aransas County, Texas, 36th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is 4,306, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit are: none.

Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including plaintiff, defendants, and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes which were delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties here in, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereinafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance here of, the same being the 14th day of September, A.D. 1970, (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Aransas County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse there of, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the city of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, this 31st day of July, A.D., 1970.

W. E. BEASLEY,
Clerk of District Court,
Aransas County, Texas,
36th Judicial District.
RUBY HART, Deputy.

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Approximately fifty meters were sheared off, due primarily to mobile homes, residences, fences and other debris being thrown against them.

Our primary concern at that time was the safety factor in getting the wild gas contained. By noon of the following day this was accomplished.

Gas service was never interrupted with few exceptions and all meters have been replaced with the exception of those around demolished residences.

Due to the fact that our I.B.M. service office was severely damaged and meter cards are not available for this reading, bills will be estimated this month based on last month's consumption. Rest assured they will be adjusted on the following reading.

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to our good friends with the other utility companies who are doing a magnificant job in restoring service. Also to the courtesy and understanding of our customers who were inconvenienced during the crisis.

Please call our office at 729-5465 if we can assist you in any way.

ARANSAS NATURAL GAS COMPANY
VERNON KLEYPAS, Operations Manager
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR 22)
General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Subsection (a), Section 64, Article III, of the Texas Constitution, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 64. (a) The Legislature may by special statute provide for consolidation of governmental offices and functions of government of any one or more political subdivisions comprising or located within any county. Any such statute shall require an election to be held within the political subdivisions affected thereby with approval by a majority of the voters in each of these subdivisions, under such terms and conditions as the Legislature may require."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for consolidating governmental offices and functions and allowing political subdivisions to contract for performance of governmental functions in any county."

PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (SJR15)
General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 1-d, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 1-d. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by law for the establishment of a uniform method of assessment of ranch, farm and forest lands, which shall be based upon the capability of such lands to support the raising of livestock and/or to produce farm and forest crops rather than upon the value of such lands and the crop growing thereon."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the Legislature to provide by law for the establishment of a uniform method of assessment of ranch, farm and forest lands, which shall be based upon the capability of such lands to support the raising of livestock and/or to produce farm and forest crops."

PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (HJR30)
General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Subsections (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (11), (12), and (13), Section 1-a, Article V, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"(5) The Commission may hold its meetings, hearings and other proceedings at such times and places as it shall determine but shall meet at Austin at least once each year. It shall annually select one of its members as Chairman. A quorum shall consist of five (5) members. Proceedings shall be by majority vote of those present, except that recommendations for retirement, censure, or removal of any person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section shall be by affirmative vote of at least five (5) members.

"(6) A. Any Justice or Judge of the Appellate Courts and District and Criminal District Courts, any County Judge, and any Judge of a County Court at Law, a Court of Domestic Relations, a Juvenile Court, a Probate Court, or a Corporation or Municipal Court, and any Justice of the Peace, and any Judge or presiding officer of any special court created by the Legislature as provided in Section 1, Article V, of this Constitution, may, subject to the other provisions hereof, be removed from office for willful or persistent conduct, which is clearly inconsistent with the proper performance of his said duties or casts public discredit upon the judiciary or administration of justice; or any person holding such office may be censured, in lieu of removal from office, under procedures provided for by the Legislature.

"B. Any person holding an office named in Paragraph A of this subsection who is eligible for retirement benefits under the laws of this state providing for judicial retirement may be involuntarily retired, and any person holding an office named in that paragraph who is not eligible for retirement benefits under such laws may be removed from office, for disability seriously interfering with the performance of his duties, which is, or is likely to become, permanent in nature.

"(7) The Commission shall keep itself informed as fully as may be of circumstances relating to the misconduct or disability of particular persons holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section, receive complaints or reports, formal or informal, from any source in this behalf and make such preliminary investigations as it may determine. Its orders for the attendance or testimony of witnesses or for the production of documents at any hearing or investigation shall be enforceable by contempt proceedings in the District Court.

"(8) After such investigation as it deems necessary, the Commission may in its discretion issue a private reprimand, or if the Commission determines that the situation merits such action, it may order a hearing to be held before it concerning the removal, or retirement of a person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section, or it may in its discretion request the Supreme Court to appoint an active or retired District Judge or Justice of a Court of Civil Appeals as a Master to hear and take evidence in any such matter, and to report thereon to the Commission. If, after hearing, or after considering the record and report of a Master, the Commission finds good cause therefor, it shall issue an order of public censure or it shall recommend to the Supreme Court the removal, or retirement, as the case may be, of the person in question holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section and shall thereupon file with the Clerk of the Supreme Court the entire record before the Commission.

"(9) The Supreme Court shall review the record of the proceedings on the law and facts and in its discretion may, for good cause shown, permit the introduction of additional evidence and shall order public censure, retirement or removal, as it finds just and proper, or wholly reject the recommendation. Upon an order for involuntary retirement for disability or an order for removal, the office in question shall become vacant. The rights of an incumbent so retired to retirement benefits shall be the same as if his retirement had been voluntary."

"(11) The Supreme Court shall by rule provide for the procedure before the Commission, Masters and the Supreme Court. Such rule shall afford to any person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section, against whom a proceeding is instituted to cause his retirement or removal, due process of law for the procedure before the Commission, Masters and the Supreme Court in the same manner that any person whose property rights are in jeopardy in an adjudicatory proceeding is entitled to due process of law regardless of whether or not the interest of the person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section in remaining in active status is considered to be a right or a privilege. Due process shall include the right to notice, counsel, hearing, confrontation of his accusers, and all such other incidents of due process as are ordinarily available in proceedings whether or not misfeasance is charged, upon proof of which a penalty may be imposed.

"(12) No person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section shall sit as a member of the Commission or Supreme Court in any proceeding involving his own retirement or removal.

"(13) This Section 1-a is alternative to and cumulative of, the methods of removal of persons holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section provided elsewhere in this Constitution."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment relating to the removal, retirement, or censure of Justices, Judges, and Justices of Peace under prescribed circumstances."

PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (HJR28)
General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 52, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 52. (a) Except as otherwise provided by this section, the Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company.

"(b) Under Legislative provision, any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, and which may or may not include, towns, villages or municipal corporations, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts, may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof, as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes to wit:

"(1) The improvement of rivers, creeks, and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation thereof, or in aid of such purposes.

"(2) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation, or in aid thereof.

"(3) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

"(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsection (b) of this Section, bonds may be issued by any county in an amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property in the county, for the construction, maintenance, and operation of macadamized, graveled, or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of the county, and without the necessity of further or amendatory legislation. The county may levy and collect taxes to pay the interest on the bonds as it becomes due and to provide a sinking fund for redemption of the bonds."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing any county, on the vote of a majority of its qualified property taxpaying electors, to issue road bonds in an amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property in the county."

PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
General Election Nov. 3, 1970
NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (HJR15)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Section 51-b, Subsection (a), Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"(a) The State Building Commission is created and succeeds to the powers and duties heretofore vested in the agency of the same name by this Constitution and to the powers and duties the Legislature has vested or may vest in the Commission. Its membership shall consist of three Texas citizens appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. The term of each member shall be six years except in the first appointments to the Commission the Governor shall appoint one member for two years, one for four years, one for six years, and thereafter one member biennially. The Governor shall biennially designate one member as Chairman. Vacancies in the Commission shall be filled by appointment by the Governor for the unexpired term. The provisions of this paragraph shall be self-enacting."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment reconstituting the State Building Commission as a three-member appointive commission."

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School Registrations Are Scheduled

HIGH SCHOOL

Following is information about registration at local

All new students who are planning on attending Rockport - Fulton High School, grades nine through 12, should register in the principal's office of the high school from Aug. 3 through Aug. 14.

The office will be open from 8 a.m. to 12 and from 1 to 4:30 p.m. New students are those students who did NOT attend any of the Aransas County Public Schools; such as Rockport-Fulton Junior High or Rockport-Fulton High School.

JUNIOR HIGH

Student who will be in the seventh or eighth grade during the 1970-1971 school year and did not complete the 1969-1970 school year in Aransas County Schools are asked to come to the Junior High School office in order to be registered for classes which begin Aug. 31 at 8:10 a.m. Office hours are 8-12, 1-4.

New students should bring any information such as report cards, immunization record, etc. from the last school attended. Students who did attend the Rockport-Fulton Junior School, Fulton Elementary School or Rockport Elementary School have already been registered and need not come to the Junior High School until the opening day of school.

Male students are reminded of the school district's policy concerning the proper length and style of hair. The hair. is considered to be proper length and style when:

1. The hair remains above the eyebrows when combed or styled.
2. The hair remains out of the eyes when combed forward.
3. The hair does not cover the ears.
4. The back of the hair is shingled.
5. The sideburns do not go past the bottom of the ear cavity.

Beards and mustaches are not acceptable.

Students who did not receive report cards at the close of the 1969-1970 school year because of unpaid fees may come to the Junior High School office and pay these fees.

LIVE OAK SCHOOL

Students who were not enrolled in Live Oak Elementary School during the 1969-70 school year and did not register before school closed this past year are to come to the principal's office from 8:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m., starting Aug. 10, 1970 to register.

It is necessary to bring birth certificates and immunization records for students entering school for the first time. Students who have attended other schools and will be entering Live Oak Elementary this year, need their report card or transcript of school work and their immunization record from the school they attended last year.

Students wishing to register before the above mentioned date should call the principal's office for an appointment.

FULTON SCHOOL

All students who will attend George Fulton Elementary school this school year for the first time and have not previously registered at the principal's office should do so before school opens on Aug. 31. Those who attended this school last year are automatically registered.

Students who will enter the first grade as beginners must have a birth certificate before they can be registered. All new students need a record of small pox and DPT immunizations. These, if not at at hand, can be secured later.

Any elementary school student who will change from one local school to another local school should notify the principal of the school previously attended so that records can be sent to the receiving school and pupils assigned to a section prior to the opening of school. Following the above suggestions will save much time and confusion for all on the opening day of school.

The principal's office will be open from 8:30 to 11:30 and from 1:00 to 3:30 daily.

Sheriff's Dept. And Celia

As tropical storm Celia formed in the Gulf of Mexico at 11 a.m. on Aug. 1, the Aransas County Sheriff's Department was put on alert for the oncoming storm. By late evening the tropical storm had been changed to a full-fledged hurricane.

Further preparations were made and a continuous tracking of Celia was made on the hurricane map. Early Aug. 2, both the county judge and the city civil defense director were put on alert about Celia.

By late afternoon the alert had been extended to the Rockport area and all persons were on the watch. At 6:30 a.m. on Aug. 2, the Sinton Sheriff's office advised the Rockport sheriff's office that all evacuees could take shelter in the Sinton gymnasium.

Early Monday morning the last of emergency measures were taken by the sheriff's department. Emergency rations were taken to the jail, all radios were checked and in good working order and the emergency preparedness was in good shape.

All Aransas County vehicles were checked and full of gas and in good shape. The gas pump at the rear of the courthouse was working and had approximately 1,000 gallons in it.

Persons in the low-lying lands were asked to evacuate because of the danger of high tides and 90 mph winds expected. Shortly after 10 a.m. It was reported that we could expect up to 10 foot tides and 115 mph winds.

Full evacuation of the county was asked by Judge Wendell. In the meantime, persons were already calling offering their assistance. Motorola Radio Company out of Corpus Christi offered any assistance they could with extra radios.

An evacuation center for the county was set up at the Live Oak Elementary School. The Red Cross called from Corpus Christi and advised that they would have units available if we needed them. Shortly after noon the ferry was closed to Port Aransas. Our time was drawing near.

At noon the average number of calls on family disturbance and dog and horse calls were being received. At mid-afternoon we had reports of the boat barn at Jackson's being down, Morrision's, George Clark's and Fowler Frame Shops in Aransas Pass were damaged heavily.

Mrs. Pepper Everett, Mrs. Gladys Nelson and Mrs. Jo Stautzenberger arrived at the sheriff's office to help with the telephones and police radios.

One unit was sent to Shell Ridge to pull a plug in a boat so that it would not get full of water. Chief of the Emergency Corps and Deputy Ramirez were dispatched to south of the Carbon Black plant to investigate a stranded family but they were already gone.

At the height of the blow, the burglar alarm went off at the bank and although it was thought to be an electrical failure, City Patrolman Vargas was sent to check the bank.

All sheriff's department units were called into the courthouse to weather the storm. While there, the persons witnessed windows blowing out and those who dared look outside saw all kinds of debris flying in the air.

Priority security measures were put into effect to protect property in the county. With the emergency generator going out, gas lanterns were used and a walkie- talkie radio was used as the only means of contact with the patrol units in the field.

Early Tuesday morning what sheriff Bob Hewes termed a Godsend, Sgt. Hildebrand, reported to him with 10 department of Public Safety units consisting of two men to the unit. These men worked 12-hour shifts until relieved and then 11 more units converged on the Aransas County area.

Sheriff Hewes termed the low number of lootings and thefts to these men, plus the large number of parks and Wildlife personnel who were sent into the county to help with the security.

Emergency generators were set at the jail and the courthouse to get the police radios back on the air. Because of the lack of water and sanitation facilities, both Refugio and Calhoun County sheriff's department offered the use of their jails if we needed them. Very few routine police calls were being handled at this time as all units were busy checking the security of vacant homes and businesses, particularly those that had been damaged.

Except for all the Sheriff's Department personnel working around the clock for a three-day period, things were relatively quiet for awhile until the telephones were back in working order. Then things began to go like mad.

The three telephones in the sheriff's office were ringing constantly with people wanting information about friends or relatives in the Rockport area. About 98 per cent of these messages were delivered and the other two per cent were attempted.

We are sure that some wrong information was given out but when people are that busy and we are human, some things are bound to go wrong.

The Red Cross and the Small Business Administration set up in the courthouse and some members of the sheriff's office helped set up their facilities and did errands for these people.

Much coordination was done by the sheriff's office with the Red Cross and with the city Civil Defense for obtaining groceries and supplies for the needy.

Now all we need to do is to dig out of the rubble. The Aransas County Sheriff's Department would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every one who was so kind to all of us during the visit of Celia.

Read the Classified Ads.

Miss Nancy Crow, Jack Frost Sanders Exchange Vows

St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church in Estes Park, Colo., decorated with yellow and tangerine roses and white daisies, was the setting for the wedding of Miss Nancy Crow, to Jack Frost Sanders, both of Los Angeles, Calif on Aug. 8.

The Reverend King of St. Bartholomew officiated at the single ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Milton Crow, Shreveport, La. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders of Rockport are the parents of the groom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an empire wedding gown designed by Chistos of the House of Galinia. Venice lace flowers covered the square necked bodice of the imported net gown. The A-line skirt was scattered with lace appliques and deeply bordered the hemline. A detachable chapel length train of the English net and lace fell gracefully from the back empire bodice. The imported silk illusion, short-tiered veil was attached to a headpiece, designed for the bride out of the Venetian lace to match her dress. She carried a bouquet of long-stem yellow roses.

Maid of honor was Miss Carol Crow, Manhattan Beach, Calif., sister of the bride. Bridesmaid was Miss Sheri Sanders, sister of the groom. Flower girl was Miss Carol Roth Livingston, Dallas niece of the bride. The attendants wore long brown dresses of cotton voile with white embroidery, and carried white baskets filled with yellow and tangerine roses mixed with white daisies and baby's breath. The same type of flowers were worn in the hair. The flower girl wore a long dress of white organza accented with white embroidery and trimmed with yellow ribbon.

Donald W. Crow. Las Vegas, brother of the bride, served as best man. Groomsman was David A. Robins of Las Vegas. A wedding reception breakfast was held at the home of Milton Crow, Estes Park, Colo.

After a wedding trip to Vancouver, Seattle and Portland, the couple will be at home at 6124 Del Valle Dr., Los Angeles, Calif.

The bride attended the University of Texas and SMU. She received a B.S. degree in mathematics from SMU.

The groom attended SMU, and University of Texas. He received his B.S. in architectural engineering from the University of Texas.

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Art Guild Gatherings

By JAN WENDELL

The Art Gallery nearly blew away—but not quite. Huysmans said in 1906, "Art is the only clean thing on earth." Perhaps he would change his tune if he could see the interior of the Gallery now.

The windows blew in and the roof fell in in one place and there is insulation material everywhere covering everything—a general mess.

Fortunately, only a few of the paintings were damaged. Estelle Stair had stacked as much as she could in the back where the roof was spared. However, there is some damage to some paintings and some watercolors. There is a little frame damage.

None of the artists came down to help before Celia struck or to take out their their paintings—so Estelle just had to do the best she could.

The Association carries insurance that covers up to 80 per cent damage on paintings so it would really help matters out if the artists who have paintings in the Gallery would get in touch with Estelle Stair and get their paintings and equipment out of the Gallery so that we can see where we stand and can clean up the mess.

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VICTORIA
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FULTON BEACH ROAD
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APARTMENT HOUSE
Four apartments, all brick construction. Central heat and air with garages for all apartments. Nice two bedroom house included in sale. Good return on your investment. Total price is $51,-500.

WEST TERRACE
Three bedrooms, two baths. Separate den and living room. Carport and storage area. Three full lots with garden area and fruit trees. $15,900.

COPANO VILLAGE
A one bedroom, one bath home with sleeping porch on front. Air conditioner, attached garage and one bedroom, one bath apartment. $10,500.

OAK TERRACE
Lovely three bedroom, two bath home located on two lots. Living room is carpeted, kitchen is paneled, double garage, screened room on back. Waterwell and redwood fence. This home is fully furnished and draped. $24,500.

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FULTON
A three bedroom, three bath home in Fulton. Located on two lots and priced at $18,500.

Harper Real Estate

Hurricane Notes

First Baptist Church, which was badly damaged by the hurricane, held services on the lawn Sunday.

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The Red Cross and Jackson Marine Service worked together Sunday distributing free ice to those who needed it. Some of the volunteer workers came as a result of announcements from the pulpits by local ministers that helpers were needed.

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Since there were no fresh flowers available for churches, one thoughtful florist loaded a van with beautiful, artificial flowers (florists prefer to call them "permanent"—and it's a good idea) and delivered them to local churches early Sunday morning.

*

Hurricane Celia couldn't stop the Pilot from printing the paper. Since there was no electricic power to run our presses, this is how we got the paper out:

The owners and printers got back on the job Tuesday. The editor, who had gone to Kerrville, was contacted by "ham" radio and immediately headed back to Rockport.

One of the owners got in his car Wednesday and took pictures of homes, business places and boats destroyed or damaged by Celia. He also wrote several articles about the hurricane.

When the editor got back, he gathered as much information as he could in a hurry and wrote as many stories as possible.

The printers meanwhile were setting heads for the articles and "pulling" proofs of articles previously written and set.

Since there was no phone service, one of the owners gathered together all of the material to put out a paper —photos, typewritten news stories, printed heads and headlines, ads, etc.—and headed for Victoria Thursday afternoon where he used a phone and called an offset printing plant in Seguin.

The owners agreed to reserve their presses and have printers on hand to print the Pilot.

On Friday afternoon, the Pilot co-owner returned to Rockport with twice the usual number of Pilots ordinarily printed.

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The owner of an almost-demolished home at Key Allegro paused while surveying the damage and said to the next-door lady whose home was hardly touched:

"What is the name of the church your husband is a deacon? I may join that church."

*

Lions Clubs in San Antonio on Sunday contacted W. C. DeWeese, president of the Rockport Lions Club.

"We are going to send several truck loads of clothing and canned goods to help those in need in Rockport and surrounding communities."

DeWeese gladly assumed the responsibility of accepting the generous offer and immediately contacted members of the Rockport Lions Club who agreed to be ready to pitch in and distribute the items.

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Vest's Drive-In Grocery on Highway 35 was squashed by Hurricane Celia. A few days later, a sign appeared in front of the once busy store stating: "The Score: Vest's Grocery 0, Celia 100."

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The oyster shell roof of a home at Key Allegro was plucked off by the hurricane. The owner, who obviously has a sense of humor, put up a sign saying: "Oyster Shells for Sale."

*

This is a true story. One lady has a poodle who wouldn't "go out" when the electric power and light were out, except when the lady lit a candle and showed poochie where the outdoors was.

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Talk about service. First National Bank of Rockport was closed ONLY Monday afternoon, the period when Celia blasted through. The rest of the time, the bank was open for business as usual.

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A salute to officials of the Small Business Administration who arrived and set up business in the lobby at the First National Bank at 8 a.m. Wednesday to aid people for low interest loans to rebuild structures torn down by the hurricane.

*

During the height of the hurricane, W. B. Allen was on his front porch pounding a nail into the bottom part of a pillar holding up the porch roof. Powerful winds and pieces of debris were flying through the air. Mrs. Allen was inside, shouting, "W. B., you come on in here and get out of that storm." W. B. made it and so did the porch.

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With Celia blasting 160-mile-an-hour winds, Tommy Woodman, out in Peninsula Oaks Subdivision, saw a big tree in his front yard begin to sway "like Sammy Kaye." Tommy got a rope, tied it around the tree and hooked it up to the rear of his pick-up. Then he pulled in the direction which he hoped would prevent the tree from falling on his home or on Jimmy Whitfill's residence across the street. The tree remained upright and Tommy made it back into his home. His wife, Carol, was about to go out of her mind with fear and anxiety.

The candlefish was dried and used as a torch by Indians.

Fulton Fire Dept. Auxiliary Meets

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Fulton Volunteer Fire Department met Monday night at the Fulton Fire Station.

Mrs. Harold Oakman, Mrs. Lorean Collins and Miss Hettie Weber were appointed on the nominating committee.

The Auxiliary voted to buy some extra tables and chairs to be used for their game nights in the fall.

Members present were Mrs. Leslie Cole, Mrs. Pat Loflin, Mrs. Harold Koert, Mrs. Harold Oakman, Mrs. Frances McCullough, Mrs. Royce Harrell, Miss Hettie Weber and Mrs. Johnny Burke.

RECOVERING

Ken Olds, who recently had a heart attack, is reported to be recovering satisfactory at his home.

Pirate Yearbooks

Good news! The 1970 Pirate yearbood has arrived at last. If you have already purchased your annual, bring your receipt and the money you owe to the place designated. The annuals will be given out between the hours of 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Aug. 14 and 15, in front of the office at the high school. Extra annuals will be sold at the total price of $6.25. Please bring your receipts.

The Greenbackers of Rockport-Fulton School will meet Tuesday, Aug. 18 at 4 p.m. in the high school auditorium. This meeting is for all of the old members and new members who wish to join.

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Joe Wright, a pharmacist at Roaten's Drug Store, is recuperating following a heart attack suffered July 24 while he was vacationing in Tyler. After being stricken, Wright was taken to a hospital in Tyler.

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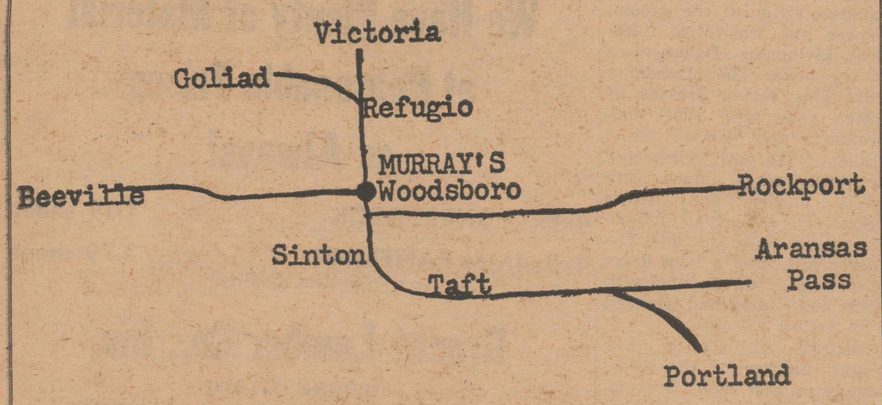
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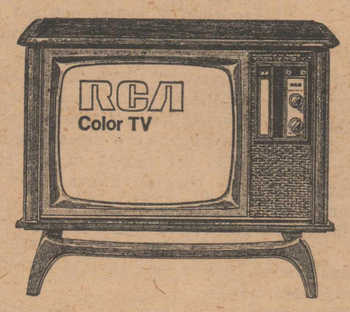
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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:00; Methodist Men's breakfast, first Monday, 7 a.m.; WSCS, general meeting, 1st Tuesday, 9:30 a.m. The Wesleyan Service Guild First Methodist will meet regularly each second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. MYF, Sunday, at 6 p.m.

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The entire Gulf Coast was without electric power for four days because over 1,100 transmission structures were down. This did not include the additional 2,000 distribution poles carrying electricity to homes.

Estimated damage will be approximately $4 million to CP&L, according to Bill Janecek, manager of the local office.

The crews worked night and day. One man from Dilley and one from Jourdanton lost the roofs off their homes and have not been home yet. Their families are doing the best they can until the men finish the work here.

"All of our customers have been great," Janecek said. "Some are still without electricity but are patiently waiting for our men to get to them. To those customers who have waited so long for electricity, we thank you."

Among the CP&L workers on the job here are Mike Guevara, Armando Garza, Reynaldo Lopez, Felipe Jimenez, Ramond Munos and Paulo of Laredo, Joe Causey of Sabinall, Joe Matthews of Dilley, Fabian Martinez and Henry Fortune of Eagle Pass,

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Coming Events

Aug. 14: Meeting: Commissioners Court. Birthdays: G. R. Mitchell and Sally Chavez. Wedding anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mosier.

Aug. 15: Birthdays: Stephanie Hattenbach and Janie Davila.

Aug. 16: Birthdays: Diana Pina, Roque Garcia, Sr., and Mrs. Fred Diederich.

Aug. 17: Meetings: Eastern Star, Fulton Lions Club and B&PW.

Aug. 18: Wedding anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hesseltine. Birthday: Linda Matlock.

Aug. 19: Meeting: Rotary Club. Birthdays: Joe Wright and Richard Miller.

Aug. 20: Meetings: Rebekah Lodge No. 88 and Rockport Lions Club.

Birthdays: Rueben Molina, Alan Leisenheimer, Andy McDavid, Del McLain and Susan Ann Cox.

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86 Working on Rockport Phones

Hurricane damage to Southwestern Bell Telephone plants in the Coastal Bend area will exceed $10 million, according to C. "Bud" Richards, manager for Southwestern Bell.

Eighty six telephone workmen are presently working around the clock in Rockport to restore communication services as fully and as quickly as possible. This includes seven plant employees who normally work in Rockport plus 33 construction workmen, 30 maintenance men, 23 contractors and nine supervisory people.

These men are from Beaumont, Port Arthur, Lubbock, Victoria, Arkansas and Kansas City, Mo., in addition there are two telephone service representatives in the business office which has been opened seven days a week since hurricane Celia hit.

There are more than 1,000 telephone people working in the storm damage area. There were ninety thousand telephones knocked out of service during the hurricane throughout the storm area. Of the 4,635 telephones in Rockport, 3, 500 were out of service Aug. 4. Rockport was also isolated from the long distance net work. At present 1,483 telephones are still out of service, but Rockport has DDD capacity.

There are 75 coin telephones operating in various locations throughout Rockport, including two at the dial office on Austin St.

All long distance circuits are in service and local callers are not experiencing many problems calling out of the stricken area. Circuits have been re-arranged to favor outgoing calls. Those attempting to call in the coastal bend area had been experiencing delay because of the tremendous volume of incoming calls being placed.

Oil News

The Cherryville Corp. No. 1 State Tract 16, Aransas County wildcat nine miles, was a failure at 9,322 feet.

Out of a total of 55,000 persons killed on highways in 1968, says the National Automobile Club, one-third of the accidents involved drivers under 25 and 40 percent of the deaths happened on weekends.

The cranberry crop for 1969 is estimated at 1,623,000 barrels, up 11 percent from the previous year.

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Proposed **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**
NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (SJR10)
General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Subsection (a), Section 20, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"(a) The Legislature shall have the power to enact a Mixed Beverage Law regulating the sale of mixed alcoholic beverages on a local option election basis. The Legislature shall also have the power to regulate the manufacture, sale, possession and transportation of intoxicating liquors, including the power to establish a State Monopoly on the sale of distilled liquors.

"Should the Legislature enact any enabling laws in anticipation of this amendment, no such law shall be void by reason of its anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on November 3, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition:

"Repeal of the prohibition against open saloons found in Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas."

PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**
NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (SJR32)
General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read as follows:

"Section 51. The homestead, not in a town or city, shall consist of not more than two hundred acres of land, which may be in one or more parcels, with the improvements thereon; the homestead in a city, town or village, shall consist of lot, or lots, not to exceed in value Ten Thousand Dollars, at the time of their designation as the homestead, without reference to the value of any improvements thereon: provided, that the same shall be used for the purposes of a home, or as a place to exercise the calling or business of the head of a family; provided also, that any temporary renting of the homestead shall not change the character of the same, when no other homestead has been acquired."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment increasing the value of the homestead which is exempt from forced sale."

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Electric service has been restored to most customers affected by Hurricane Celia.

CPL employees working during the storm and many of them have been on the job every hour since. Regular service workers have been joined by employees from other departments to get the damage repaired as quickly as possible.

Extra service men and line crews have been brought in from areas unaffected by the storm. Office workers, meter readers and others have helped man the service trucks.

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Pirates—

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be Richard Schendel, last year's starting middle linebacker on defense, who will carry the ball more this year on offense; Mike McLead, who produced well last year in his appearances and will be counted on heavily this year; and Pete Perez, a man with the big job of leading the Pirates from his quarterback position.

Tackle Melvin Moore will anchor a line which will have to depend on quickness and determination to work themselves into a first class unit because of a lack of varsity experience. Other returning lettermen from last year's District Champs who are expected to do a great share of the work will be centers Robert Little and Daniel Burke; guards John Cooling and Guy Ricards; and ends Eddie Setterbo, Charlie Nava and Russell Johnson.

The Pirate varsity will welcome last year's sophomores and freshmen, and perhaps some of this year's freshmen to bolster and fill the gaps left by those who graduated last year.

In a year after winning a title the Pirates will take on its roughest competition in many years, many who have been either district winners or have advanced further in state competition within the last three years. The Pirates will play five non-district games this year against Aransas Pass, Taft, Poth, Refugio, and Palacios. Then the fireworks will really begin. With Taft moving up to AAA caliber, Rockport will face the remainder of 1969-70's District 28-AA for the new District 30-AA title. Most of the teams will come back strong with lettermen in greater number than RFHS. The first district game will be against Mathis, followed by Woodsboro, Ingleside, George West, and Calallen.

With practice less than a week away, a title to defend, and a great rebuilding job to do, Coach Benny Bloomer has started the challenge rolling with a letter to boys who represented RFHS last year in which he stated "Come to WIN and come to WORK because nothing worthwhile comes easy, and remember that the will to win is not half so important as the will to prepare to win."

Monday morning at 8 a.m. this year's seniors and lettermen will check in at the fieldhouse; at 9:30 the juniors; at 10:45 the sophomores; and at 1 p.m. the freshmen coming up from the 8th grade and the transfers to the school system will report. All boys who intend to play are urged to be there at their proper check-in times, with proper appearance and a completed medical form.

The first practice for the "Mean Green" of RFHS will be at 6 p.m. Monday.

$1 Million—

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port; Jim Barnette, project engineer with the engineering firm; Ellis Clark, attorney for the Navigation District; Matt Scott and Dick Fox, Navigation District Commissioners; L. E. Casterline and Bubba Casterline of Casterline Fish Co.; John P. Mitchell, Jr. vice president, Rockport Yacht & Supply Co.; Emory M. Spencer, oil operator, real estate man and land owner; Roy Rogero, co-owner, and John Kinsey, of the Rockport Pilot.

Duprie pointed out that $478 million has been allocated for the present fiscal year, under the Economic Development Act, for use in such projects as the one planned here.

From the standpoint of improving economic conditions in the area, Sorenson pointed out that the shrimping and boat building industries are vital and that a project such as the one initiated here would "have a great favorable impact on the entire area from Aransas Pass to Lamar."

Duprie said that although the federal funds have been available for some time, Hurricane Celia and the damage it caused in this area "has accelerated the availability of such funds."

L. E. Casterline pointed out that his shrimp boats draw 11 feet of water and he emphasized that deepening the channel from Fulton Harbor would benefit many people and firms in the shrimping business.

Red Cross—

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Station and Bay Shore Drive-In.

In addition to Whitten, other members of the Red Cross staff on duty here are Al Whear, San Francisco, assistant director; Miss Victoria Cage, Omaha, in charge of case workers; Jim Stone, Wichita Falls, Texas, supply officer.

First Presbyterian Church and Sacred Heart Catholic Churches are serving as clothing and food distribution centers.

Volunteers include Mrs. Gladys Ennix, Mrs. Odessa Emerson, Mrs. Dora Lee Siverland, Mrs Anne Mae Fergerson, Mrs. Lillie May Silverland, Mrs. Raphaelita Flores, Mrs. sabel Rodriguez Flores, Felicitas Ramirez, Leo Rene Pina, Tommy Garcia, Joe Dominguez,

Miss Linda Fisher, Miss Norelia Solis, Mrs. Margaret Ferguson, Mrs. Barbara Rogers, Mrs. Florence Griffith, Miss Deborah Lineberry, Miss Dorothy Wolfron, Mrs. Owenlyn Whitfill, Miss Nan Jackson and Miss Dolores Buenano, and 20 male Mennonites from Hutchinson, Kan., headed by Norman Ensz who are helping elderly people.

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the American National Red Cross is recognized as the nation's disaster relief agency and as such has demonstrated its ability to meet the needs of families and individuals suffering from disasters; and,

WHEREAS, the American National Red Cross is already extending emergency assistance to the citizens of our community in this grave hour of emergency and will follow the same with rehabilitation assistance to all those in need of such assistance; now, therefore,

I, Delmar Hiller of Rockport, as mayor, hereby officially designate the American National Red Cross as the official disaster relief agency in Rockport for assistance to stricken families and individuals.

I urge all our citizens to extend their full coperation to the American National Red Cross in this time of great need. All agencies, both public and private, are requested to extend to the American National Red Cross their full support.

I further urge that all individuals, groups, and organizations desiring to make contributions for the relief of disaster victims send their contributions to our local Red Cross chapter. All such donations will be used by the Red Cross in the humane task of caring for the needs of our people who have suffered loss in the disaster and who are unable to rehabilitate themselves without assistance.

Done this 10th day of August in the year 1970, at Rockport, Texas.

Signed: DELMAR HILLER, Mayor.

Gas Company Personnel Praised

The Pilot salutes the people at Aransas Natural Gas Company who devoted much time and work to keep service available following the hurricane.

Those working long hours included operations manager Vernon Kleypas, service foreman John Jacobs, Royce Harrell, Benny McLester, Edward Pena, Jimmy Hill, Chuck Kleypas, Jimmy Jarboe, Sharon Wright, Doris McElveen, Gladys Thomson and Libby Ledbetter.

The office was open for business the morning after the hurricane hit. All men stayed in Rockport and started repair work immediately after the hurricane, working most of the night and starting again at daylight the next day. Emergency work continued through Saturday and Sunday.

No pressure lines were broken. Many gas lights still burned throughout the area. Many were blown down and will be repaired as soon as possible, Kleypas promises.

Some of the rocks brought back to earth from the moon are believed by scientists to be 3.5 billion years old.

State Organization Helps In Celia

The statewide organization of the Parks and Wildlife Department went into action when it became apparent where Hurricane Celia would strike. Patrol cars, boats, airplanes, Game Management officers, and specialists moved into the sorm-struck area within hours, and in some cases minutes, after the storm had passed.

A total of 51 patrol cars reported to the Department of Public Safety for whatever duty that might be assigned to them. Most of the cars brought small boats on trailers, but because of the absence of floods, these were not needed. The primary duties assigned to the GMO's and their patrol cars was night and day patrols to prevent looting.

Two Department airplanes, one based at Rockport and one from LaPorte were used to patrol beaches and other outlaying areas looking for people who needed help. The planes' most important duty, however, was to circle over Corpus Christi on four-hour shifts furnishing mobile radio relays that allowed emergency workers in the area to communicate directly with Civil Defense headquarters in Austin.

Here in Rockport the Department boats that had been removed from the water were returned as soon as possible to furnish water transportation for various government agencies. Maintenance personnel went back to work at once helping to raise sunken boats and remove debris from the harbor.

A specialist team of radio men from Parks and Wildlife headquarters in Austin was in the area to repair and raise a department radio tower near Gregory. This team was pressed into action when the base control station in the Sheriff's office went out leaving Sheriff Hewes with no communication. They soon had the base station working and law enforcement radio communications on the air in Rockport.

Tom Moore, regional director, said "I am really proud of the way all departmental personnel pitched in and worked not only to protect Parks and Wildlife Department property and material, but to serve the public as well. They worked long, hard hours under trying conditions even after some of them knew their own homes were badly damaged or, in some cases, totally destroyed."

Clothes make the man, but the emphasis for women these days is certainly on something else. Decorah (Iowa) Public Opinion.

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The newest drink in a New York cafe is the hemline cocktail. Two of them and you're high as a skirt.—(Roger Allen) Grand Rapids Press.

STORM OFFICES GENERAL ADJUSTMENT BUREAU OPENS

In response to the crisis caused by Hurricane Celia, the General Adjustment Bureau (GAB) has opened five storm offices and brought in nearly 200 special adjusters to speed handling of insurance claims in the Corpus Christi area.

The objective of these offices is to provide professional adjusting services to companies, agents and insured in the wake of the estimated $233 million insured damage.

Local GAB storm offices are located at the Sandollar Motel.

The GAB is a nationwide organization whose professional adjusters are available to insurance companies they serve.

The male Cardinal has a black throat and head.

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Pharmacy Topics



By SHELLEY ROATEN

Pharmacies of the future may give instantaneous electronic face and hair analysis for computerized makeup and hair styling instruction.

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Dr. E. Jacobs of the State University of New York reports dramatic improvement in the symptoms of senility when a group of elderly patients breathe pure oxygen for two ninety-minute sessions daily for fifteen days.

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Chocolate has no effect on adolescent acne, according to University of Pennsylvania medical researchers.

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William Montagna, director of the Oregon Primate Research Center has found that the bald areas of the scalp metabolize testosterone (male sex hormone) faster than other areas. This may be helpful in finding a cure for baldness.

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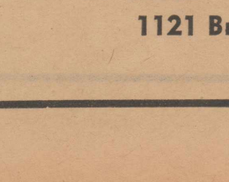
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MRS. NICHOLS DIES

Graveside services were held Wednesday at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio for Mrs. Harold Nichols, 76, who died Aug. 6 in a Taft hospital following a long illness. Arrangements were under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Aransas Pass.

Mrs. Nichols was a native of San Antonio and had been a resident of Rockport for the past 24 years. She was a retired nurse. Her given name was Marguerite.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Audrie M. Morgan of Pacific Grove, Calif., and Mrs. Joyce Tyson of El Paso; one sister, Miss Isabell Forrester of San Antonio; two brothers, William Forrester of Kentucky and Harry Forrester of San Antonio; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Longest will on record consisted of four bound volumes containing 95,940 words.

SERVICE NEWS

Marine Corporal Howard E. Hoisington has arrived with his squadron at Naval Air Station, Roosevelt Roads. Puerto Rico, from Marine Corps Air Station, S.C.

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The final sentence in the main hurricane story in last week's Pilot stated:

"Those who were spared this time should take a moment to meditate and give thanks to a Supreme Being who saw fit to spare them."

A local minister in his sermon Sunday said he "took exception" to the final sentence in the article.

In explaining his "disagreement," he said he does not believe that God sent the hurricane to inflict harm on people.

The Pilot did not THINK or SAY that God sent the hurricane to harm people.

The owners and the editor of the Pilot are not theologians, but they still believe that following Hurricane Celia,

"Those who were spared this time should take a moment to meditate and give thanks to a Supreme Being who saw fit to spare them."

I believe I have written what the minister said, not the exact words, but in substance what he said. I heard him and I believe that, generally speaking, I report things accurately.

If the minister believes that he has been misquoted, or if he wishes to put in writing what he thought and said about the Pilot's sentence, this paper will be glad to publish his statement.

SERVICE NEWS

Airman First Class James R. Windstrup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Windstrup, has graduated at Lowry AFB, Colo., from the training course for U.S. Air Force weapons systems mechanics.

Airman Windstrup is being assigned to Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C., for duty with a unit of the Tactical Air Command which provides combat units for air support of U.S. ground forces.

Three Local Youths To Get SWT Degrees

Three Southwest Texas State University students from here are candidates for degrees to be awarded in summer commencement ceremonies, Aug. 18.

The local SWT graduation hopefuls are among 71 candidates for bacculaureate and masters degrees to be presented in the evening graduation exercises. Degree candidates include 138 for masters from Graduate School, 197 from the School of Applied Arts, 172 from the School of Education, 126 from the School of Liberal and Fine Arts and 78 from the School of Sciences.

Local students seeking diplomas in August commencement ceremonies at Southwest Texas include Mrs. Sue Blair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester R. Johnson, who is a candidate for the Masters of Education degree from the Graduate School. Mrs. Blair is a Counseling major. While at Southwest Texas Mrs. Blair was a member of Chi Omega, Alpha Chi, Pi Omega Pi, Kappa Delta Pi, Strutters.

Mrs. Janet Nelson Jeffers, daughter of Mrs. Gladys Nelson, is a candidate for the Bachelor of Science in Education degree from the School of Education. Mrs. Jeffers is an Elementary Education major.

Michael Jeffers of Fulton is among the candidates for degrees to be awarded at Southwest Texas State University.

Michael, the son of Mrs. Marian Jeffers, is a candidate for a Bachelor of Science degree from the school of Science. He is a math major.

L. D. SMALL'S UNIT RECEIVES COMMENDATION MEDAL

Navy Petty Officer Second Class L. D. Small of Route 1, Rockport, is serving with the Training Squadron, which was awarded the Meritrious Unit Commendation during ceremonies at the Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi.

The unit was cited for its outstanding achievement in the training of naval aviators from July 1, 1968, to July 1, 1969. The award marked the first such commendation presented to a command within the Naval Air Advanced Training Command.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Dr. Elliot and all the personnel of the Bayview Nursing Home for the kindness and care given to my wife and our mother, Marguerite E. Nichols, while she was a patient at the home. May God bless you all.

Harold E. Nichols
Audrey M. Morgan
p21 Joyce A. Tyson

Posthumous Navy Cross Award

The nations second highest award, the Navy Cross Medal, was recently awarded posthumously to Hospital Corpsman Third Class Mack H. Wilhelm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Wilhelm, formerly of Rockport.

The Navy Cross was presented to his parents by his eminence The Most Reverend William J. Moran, D.DD Auxiliary Bishop to the Military Vicar, at ceremonies at the Naval Shipyard, Brooklyn, New York.

Wilhelm received the medal for action on Feb. 19, 1969 which his company came under a heavy volume of fire from an enemy force occupying a well concealed bunker complex at the crest of a hill in the northern section of the Republic of Vietnam. Wilhelm spotted a wounded marine lying dangerously exposed to the intense fire and quickly raced across the fire-swept terrain to the side of the casualty. Although he was painfully wounded in the shoulder, Corpsman Wilhelm skillfully administered emergency first aid to his companion, picked him up, shielded him with his own body and commenced to carry him to a sheltered position.

Once again wounded, this time in the leg, Wilhelm managed to evacuate his patient to a relatively safe location. He then returned through a hail of fire to the side of another critically wounded marine and at that time was mortally wounded by a burst of enemy fire.

RUSSELL PASSES WELDING COURSE

Jack Russell graduated from a two year course in welding technology at the James Connally Campus of the Texas State Technical Institute in Waco.

Russell completed his course of study in commencement exercises Aug. 6.

TSTI is the state's first technical institute. The James Connally Campus is in its fourth year of operation and offers 57 different courses of study.

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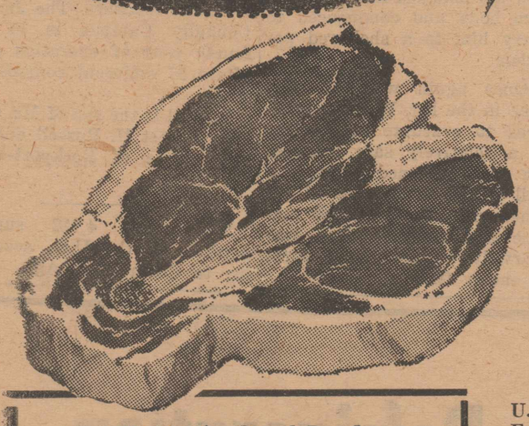
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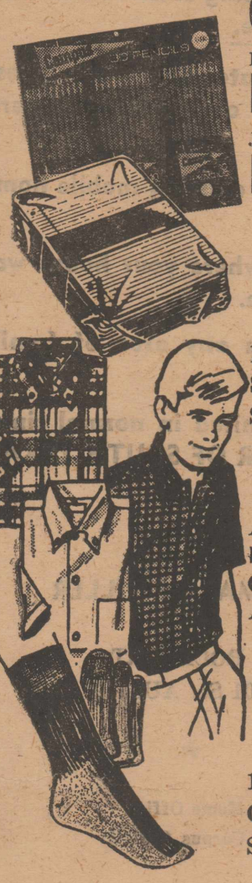
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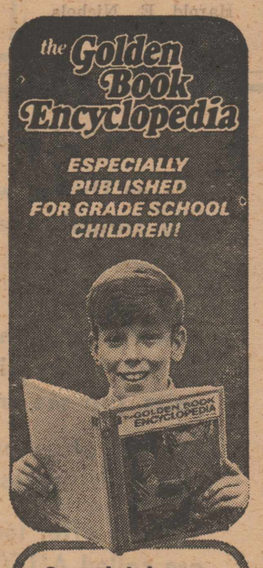
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