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Along The Waterfront



Redfish weighing up to 8 pounds have been rewarding the efforts of fishermen aboard the Sea Gun's charter fleet. Decreased water temperature and cooler weather has been concentrating trout and reds into the deeper bay waters.

Capt. Jimmy Warrach and Al Hagy on four trips totaled 264 nice speckled trout, sheepshead and reds. The trout weighed 1½ to 3 pounds and the reds were in the 6-8 pound class. Cedar Bayou and San Antonio Bay gave up most of the reds, with good trout fishing in Mission and Copano Bays.

The Sea Gun basin has yielded nice catches of trout for those fishing from the bulkhead. Live bait has been in good supply.

Although duck hunting slowed down a bit, hunters have been getting a lot of good shooting and many are bagging their limit. A few mallards have shown up in the bags along with pintail, redhead and mergansers. Copano Bay is most productive in the afternoon.

Captain Brown, skipper of the 65' MV "Whooping Crane," continues to be successful on his scheduled runs across Aransas Bay and up the Intracoastal canal past Blindworth Island to observe the almost extinct whooping crane. The MV "Whooping Crane" departs from the Sea Gun marina at 1:30 p.m. each Wednesday, Friday and Sunday throughout the migratory season.

Students to Present Christmas Music

The music students of Rockport Elementary School will present two Christmas cantatas Friday morning in the school auditorium.

"A Pageant of Carols" by Benjamin Suchoff is based on the best-loved carols from all the world. The cantata is scheduled to be given by the students of Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. Phyllis Moore at 9 a.m. The story of the Nativity will be sung by the sixth grade music class when the present "Lo, A Star" by Robert Graham. This program will be given at 10:30.

Both groups will be accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Lucille Schultz and directed by Miss Lois Ann Stephenson.

BICYCLE SAFETY PROGRAM TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Chief of Police Bob Hewes reported that the Bicycle Safety Program will be held Saturday morning at 9 a.m. at the Elementary School. Any child living in Aransas County interested in bicycle safety is encouraged to attend this program. It is being sponsored by the Stewart-Wendell VFW Post No. 3904 and conducted by the Rockport Police Department.

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City Opens Bids For Water Wells

Bids for new water wells for the City of Rockport were opened at the City Council meeting Dec. 13 by Mayor Hollis Collum.

They were as follows: Texas Water Wells, three wells for \$35,394; two for \$23,894 and one for \$12,394 (90 days); Vickers Water Wells, three for \$36,000, two for \$24,000 and one for \$12,000 (70 days); Layne Texas Co., three for \$38,946, two for \$26,464, and one for \$13,732 (125 days).

These bids were reviewed and discussed and the matter was tabled until the next regular meeting.

RYSCO Is Building Trawlers For El Salvador

John P. Mitchell, vice president of the Rockport Yacht and Supply Co., Inc., announced today that the company had received contracts for two 60-foot trawlers for shrimp operations in El Salvador, Central America.

These vessels were designed by A. B. Silchenstedt, production superintendent of RYSCO and are similar to four shrimp boats built for L. E. Casterline of Fulton, and vessels built for T. J. Johnson of Rockport, and R. A. Bedre of Aransas Pass.

"These boats," Mr. Mitchell explained, "have proven to be exceptionally fine producers during the current shrimp season."

Pirates Win District Game

Big Thomas Lewis scored 30 points as Aransas County (Rockport) erased a 28-15 half-time deficit to come from behind and clip Tuloso-Midway 44-38, in the District 30-2A basketball opener here Tuesday night.

Larry Plimber and Ronnie Cain scored 10 points apiece to share honors for Tuloso-Midway.

In the girls game, Tuloso-Midway posted its 11th victory of the season against a lone defeat with a 69-41 triumph. Louise Teller led Tuloso-Midway with 31 points while Pam Smethers was hitting 19 and Sue Farley 17. Roylynn Harris was high for Rockport with 30.

Rep. Wieting To Be Honored

An appreciation dinner honoring Rep. Leroy Wieting of Portland will be held at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 13 in the Gregory-Portland High School.

The main address of appreciation will be given by Rep. Ben Barnes, Speaker of the House of Representatives. General chairman is Pat Greene of Rockport. Tickets will sell for \$2.

Shetland Pony To Be Given Away

The Aransas County Riding Association is giving away a Shetland pony on Wednesday, Dec. 22 at 7:30 p.m. at the Rockport Fire Station.

This pony is three years old and will make someone a wonderful Christmas present.

MONTE ROUQUETTE AWARDED \$2700 GRANT

Monte Rouquette, of Fulton, a graduate student at Texas Technological College at Lubbock, has been awarded the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Assistantship for 1965. The grant carries a stipend of \$2700.

Rouquette, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Rouquette, Box 54, Fulton, is enrolled in the graduate department of the School of Agriculture as an agronomy major.

ARANSAS COUNTY OIL NEWS

W. L. Pickens, Dallas, No. 1 B. L. Gartin, Aransas County Dubose wildcat nine miles north of Gregory, was testing after setting 4½ inch casing at a total depth, 9,725 feet.

Youth Escapes Death As Car Plunges Into Bay

Robert Johnson, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnson of Rockport, is recovering at Memorial Hospital in Corpus Christi after miraculously escaping death early Wednesday morning when his car plunged into Copano Bay a few miles north of Rockport on Route 35.

Alone in his 1965 Mustang, Johnson was heading north when his car went out of control on the rain-slicked Copano Bay causeway, crashed through the railing and plunged 15 feet to water about a foot higher than the top of his car.

Although his right arm was badly injured, Johnson managed to unloosen his safety belt, get out of the car and make his way to shore. An unidentified couple in another car saw the accident, rushed to a nearby home and summoned a Cage-Marshall ambulance which took the youth to the hospital.

Johnson's condition was reported to be fair. His right arm was seriously cut and he sustained lacerations and bruises on his head.

The accident happened 240 feet north of the south end of the causeway.

Dr. Elliot Receives High Scout Honor

Dr. Homer F. Elliot has received the highest honor which the Gulf Coast Council, Boy Scouts of America, can bestow. At the annual banquet of the Council in Corpus Christi Dec. 10, Dr. Elliot and five other South Texans were given the Silver Beaver Award for outstanding service to Scouting.

Dr. Elliot is a Scouter in multiple service for eight years in his district, is Cub Committee Chairman, Troop Committee Chairman, also Chairman of the Local finance campaign and O&E committeeman.

He is a deacon in the First Presbyterian Church, active member of Presbyterian Men, member of the Lions Club, and President of the local school board.

This Scouter has served scouting in every way. He has conducted Scout Master basic training courses, and assisted in other courses. He has been chapter advisor for the Order of the Arrow and under his leadership, the chapter has organized and directed the annual district Camporee for several years.

He has organized one new Scout troop and re-organized an Explorer Post, he serves as Merit Badge Counselor and assists in medical checks at summer camp. He has earned the Scouts Training Award and has Wood Badge training. He was recently given the Vigil Honor in the Order of the Arrow.

Holiday Events Slated At Country Club

With the approaching holiday season, numerous parties have been scheduled at Live Oak Country Club.

A Sherry Party, for the ladies, sponsored by the Ladies Association, will be held at the club Dec. 17 from 5 to 7 p.m.

On Saturday night, Dec. 18, the annual Christmas dance of the club will be held from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Music will be furnished by the Don Bennett Orchestra.

A party and dance for the Pre-Teen group will be held at the club on Dec. 28. The children in the age group from the fifth through the eighth grades will be entertained.

The event is sponsored by the Ladies Association and each of the members will be permitted to bring three guests. Karl Lanz, disc jockey, will be in charge of the music.

The New Year's Eve dance will be on Dec. 31 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. with music by the Al English Orchestra.



THE BIG BOMBERS. A navy Phantom II jet returns to the aircraft carrier USS Midway after a bombing mission over North Vietnam. The plane is passing over the stern of the carrier at about 135 mph, guided in by a landing signal officer.—WFS Photo

Tourist Bureau Directors Meet At Sea Gun Sports Inn

Various ways to attract people to the Coastal Bend area were discussed at a luncheon meeting of directors and guests of the Corpus Christi Area Convention and Tourist Bureau Dec. 10 at Sea Gun Sports Inn.

One new project of interest to Rockport business people was reported by Mrs. Fran Beckman, president of the Advertiser Advertising Agency of Corpus Christi.

She said the Rollins Sign Company, as a public service, is donating the use of a number of large highway billboards for tourist promotion during several months of the year—including winter—when the regular advertisers are not renting the billboards.

Mrs. Beckman explained that the tourist promotion signs are being designed and worded to focus attention not just on Corpus Christi, but also on Rockport and other areas. (Continued on Page 8)

High School Choir Presents Concerts

The Aransas County High School Choir presented a short concert at the annual Christmas banquet of the local chapter of the Texas State Teachers Association on Dec. 6. The choir which has 70 members sang several Christmas carols from England, France, Spain, and the United States.

On Thursday, Dec. 16, the choir will sing for the Lions Club dinner meeting.

On Friday, Dec. 17, the choir will present a program for the student body at Aransas County High School. The program will begin at 1:20 p.m. Numbers on the program will include, "Fum, Fum," "Carol of the Drum," "Sleep of the Infant Jesus," "What Child is This," and others.

On Tuesday night, Dec. 14, six members of the choir sang in the annual Women's Christmas Program. The students were: Kathy Allgood, Sandra St. Clair, Mary Lou Little, Diana Gonzales, Rose Ann Elliot, and Sue Ballard. They sang S.S.A. arrangements of "Angels From the Realms of Glory," and "Song of the Crib."

The choir is under the direction of Miss Annette Berger.

OPEN HOUSE AT ROCKPORT GALLERY

The Rockport Gallery of Fine Arts will hold open house from 3 to 7 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 19. One of the highlights will be the opening of a unique new wing featuring the work of many artists and a variety of objets d'art.

KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM

The Presbyterian Kindergarten will have their program and Christmas tree Friday morning at 9:45 and will let out for the Christmas holidays and will resume Jan. 3.

More Money Sought For Mosquito Control

The Commissioners Court has asked County Judge John D. Wendell to invite Sen. Wm. Patman and/or Rep. Leroy Wieting to attend the next meeting of the court on Friday, Dec. 17, to discuss the possibility of special legislation to produce additional funds for mosquito control.

This suggestion was made Monday morning at the conclusion of a discussion of how to secure more money for mosquito control and methods of spraying.

Another matter presented to the Court was a request to retain Deputy T. A. Kilgore as a special deputy at a salary of \$40 a month. After due discussion and consulting the county auditor about finances, it was unanimously decided, with regret, that the deputyship will terminate as of Jan. 1, 1966.

Another subject discussed was the matter of renting the county gopher machine to citizens of the county for rodent control. The Commissioners discussed the proposal and voted unanimously not to lease the machine for this purpose.

Attending the meeting were Judge Wendell and Commissioners W. B. Allen, J. M. Sparks, Jr., Raymond Owens and Albert Wofford, and County Clerk W. E. Beasley.

Methodist Choir To Give Special Pageant Sunday

The 53 voices of the Carol, Youth, and Adult Choirs of the First Methodist Church will combine with the Sunday School Department to present a special Christmas pageant Sunday, Dec. 19 at 7:30 p.m. Each choir will sing special Christmas music. Everyone is invited to attend.

The members of the Carol Choir are Roxanne Adams, Bobby Agler, Danny Boone, Mary Beth Boone, Phyllis Dannelly, Sherry Demory, Jeanette Demory, Lisa Hill, Jimmie Keith, Renee Labounty, Pat Minier, Jane Moore, David Prophet, Carolyn Prophet, Paula Rogers, Pat Schendel, Cynthia Schendel, John Sprigg, Glenda Swann, Susan Stafford, Sharon Wood and Delois Young.

The members of the Youth Choir are Beverly Agler, Cindy Agler, Peggy Armstrong, Charles Baugh, Diane Boone, Beth Bohmfalk, Philip Dannelly, Ada Demory, Annette Demory, Debra Everett, Diane Hunt, Rosa Lynn Hunt, Pat Harritt, Cissy Harritt, Lenora Irwin, Kaye Lauer, Jeannie Prophet, Richard Schendel, Beverly Young and Robert Schendel.

The members of the Adult Choir are Mrs. Leroy Young, Mrs. Tom Jessee, Mrs. Ben Bohmfalk, Mrs. Minta Lancaster, Mrs. H. A. McDonald, Mrs. W. H. McCoy, Mrs. Lois Bristow, Mrs. W. J. Sprigg, Dick Weekley, Stan Heath, A. C. Glass and Leroy Young.

The Adult Choir will be under the direction of Rev. Ben Bohmfalk and the Carol and Youth Choirs will be directed by Mrs. W. J. Sprigg. Mrs. E. G. Cooke will be the organist. Mrs. R. L. Irwin is directing the Christmas story for the Sunday School Department.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Sacred Heart Parochial School will present Christmas programs in the Parish Hall at 7 p.m. Sunday and Monday.

Parents and friends of children in primer through second grades are urged to attend the Sunday night program, and parents and friends of pupils in the third through sixth grades are asked to attend the Monday night program.

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Copano Citizens Discuss Water

A group of about 50 people from the Copano Bay rural area met Monday night in the Rockport Elementary School Auditorium to discuss the organization of a non-profit Water Supply Corporation to provide an adequate water source for the Live Oak Peninsula.

The main speaker was Alfred Conrad of Corpus Christi, Area Supervisor of the

School Board Accepts Freezer-Refrigerator Bid

The Board of Trustees of the Aransas County Independent School District on Monday night accepted the low bid of Nelco Home Improvement to supply a freezer-refrigerator for the school cafeteria for \$8,900. This bid compared with those of O. J. Beck, \$9,585, and Lanphier Construction Co., \$10,250.

The next action of the Board was acceptance of the resignation of Mrs. Zella M. Haynes as librarian at Rockport Elementary School due to ill health in her family. Mrs. Susan K. Sprinkle was named to succeed her.

Appointment of Mrs. Fred Diederich as Census Trustee (Continued on Page 8)

ACHS Lady Pirates Defeated In Tournament

The ACHS Lady Pirates played Industrial Thursday night in the Tivoli tournament and were defeated by a score of 67 to 44.

Roylynn Harris was high with 26 points; Darlene Rouquette, 9; Betty Sue Huff, 9, and outstanding guard was Dolores Setterbo.

For Industrial, Stuart was high with 33; Baker, 24; Moody, 6; Hefernick, 4, and outstanding guard was Linda Karl.

Friday night, Woodsboro defeated the Lady Pirates in Tivoli by a score of 50 to 42. Roylynn Harris had 29; Darlene Rouquette, 8; Betty Sue Huff, 4; Laura Gibson, 1, and outstanding guard was Kay Sparks.

For Woodsboro, Gayle Geistman was high with 36 points; Elsie Levien, 10; Caroline Crews, 4, and outstanding guard was Elaine Henkhouse.

LIVING TABLEAU AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The annual "living tableau" depicting the Christmas story will be presented outside the First Presbyterian Church at 8:30 p.m. Sunday, 7 and 8 p.m. Monday and 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Presented by the Senior High Fellowship, the tableau will feature Mike Jeffers and John and Richard Cummings as the Three Wise Men; Johnny Jackson, Jody Evans, Freddy Jackson, Kenny Jurgens and Kay Sparks as the Shepherds; Mary Lou Little will portray Mary, and Denny Elliot will take the part of Joseph.

De Ann King, Charlotte Hale, Cindy Court, Susan Ballard, Susan Griffith, Vicki White and Janet Nelson will represent the Angels. Horses (real ones) will be supplied by Kay Sparks, Mary Lou Atchley and Mary Sorenson. Some sheep and a donkey also will be included in the cast.

Susie and Sally Griffith will be in charge of refreshments the first night; De Ann King and Cindy Court, the second night; and Denny Elliot, the third night.

In charge of makeup will be Neva Jackson, Billie Meek and Tillie Frye. Technicians will be Mark Lang and Mary Lou Atchley.

Rockport people are invited to see this interesting and inspiring presentation while parked in their cars. Only rain would cancel a tableau, not cold weather.

Farmers Home Administration of the United States Department of Agriculture.

He explained that to assist people in rural areas and towns with a population under 5500, the Department of Agriculture has set up a program of aiding non-profit water association by supplying 40-year loans at five per cent.

Conrad said the Copano Bay project is the fifth of this type to be considered in South Texas. He said successful water projects aided by the Department of Agriculture already are operating in communities where as few as 11 people and as many as 1500 families are being served.

"No taxes are involved in this kind of water system," he explained. "The users pay on a basis of the amount of water they use and the minimum cost per family is about \$6 a month. Installation of such a water system invariably improves the value of property in such a location."

Conrad said the first thing a community interested in this plan has to do is form its own association, name a steering committee and determine how many individuals want water and are willing to pay their share.

He explained that as soon as these requirements are met, the newly formed association employ a civil engineer to investigate the various sources of water, determine costs, etc.

As evidence of the local interest, a steering committee already has been appointed consisting of Lt. Col. D. M. Davis, Col. Thomas Morgan and Bill Franklin.

In addition, survey data sheets drawn up by the Department of Agriculture were distributed to all who attended the meeting. These forms are designed to produce such information as how many people want water, where they live, how much water will they use, etc.

Conrad said the next step is to fill out these forms and return them, plus \$50 for each interested person. The \$50, he added, will pay for one membership, one share of stock and will assure one water meter for the interested person.

Another speaker was Gene Urban, a civil engineer from Corpus Christi, who described several projects of this nature which are functioning so successfully that the members have the choice of either reducing water rates or paying off their loan at a faster pace.

Preliminary approval for the project already has been received from Farmers Home Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

ARANSAS COUNTY RIDING ASSOCIATION WILL MEET

The Aransas County Riding Association will meet on Friday, Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the Rockport Fire Station.

The club would like to thank the following for their donations: F&M Drive Inn; Charlie Ankele, merchandise at cost on water well and also labor; Ed Godde, materials; and Ship & Shore Novelty Shop of Aransas Pass, materials.

The club's membership fee is still \$5 for the first member of a family and \$1 for each additional member of the family. This membership fee will be in effect until Feb. 1, 1966. Thereafter, it will be raised.

The members of the club would like to invite anyone to join their club or come out to their arena, which they work on every weekend.

PILOT WILL BE PUBLISHED WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22

Next week the Rockport Pilot will be published on Wednesday, Dec. 22, instead of on Thursday. Because of this, the deadline for news items will be Tuesday noon.

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	87c
SNOWDRIFT	3-lb. can
	69c
Staley's	24 oz.
CORN OIL	49c
First Choice	5-lb. bag
FLOUR	39c
Gold Medal	5-lb. bag
FLOUR	49c
McCormick Ground	1 1/2 oz.
NUTMEG	45c
Hershey	16 oz.
CHOCOLATE SYRUP	23c

MIRACLE WHIP . 59c

Towie	4 1/2 oz.
SALAD OLIVES	2 for 49c
Rainbow	12 oz.
SWEET MIDGET PICKLES	45c
Libby's	46-oz. can
TOMATO JUICE	35c
Hunt's or Libby's	No. 2 1/2 can
PEACHES	29c
Libby's	303 can
FRUIT COCKTAIL	27c
Musselman	303 can
CHERRIES	21c
Libby's C/S	303 can
GOLDEN CORN	21c
Libby's Cut	303 can
GREEN BEANS	2 for 39c
Libby's	303 can
PUMPKIN	2 for 29c
Del Monte	303 can
PEAS	23c
Heinz	No. 1 can
TOMATO SOUP	9c
Skinner's Medium	10-oz. pkg.
NOODLES	27c
Sunshine	lb. box
KRISPY SALTINES	31c
Borden's	1/2 gal.
EGG NOG MIX	89c
Knolle	2-lb. ctn.
COTTAGE CHEESE	43c

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Texas Ruby Red
GRAPEFRUIT . . . 25c
No. 1 Louisiana
YAMS 11c

2 For
GREEN ONIONS . 15c
CELERY Stalk 15c

No. 1 Russets
POTATOES . . . 49c

giant size
CHEER 59c

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ORANGE JUICE . . 3 for 59c

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MILK 99c

Rath's Black Hawk lb.

BACON . . . 85c

Rath's 12-oz. pkg.

SMOKEYS . . 59c

Rath's Black Hawk lb.

FRANKS . . . 53c

Spiced lb.

Luncheon Meat 59c

Mild lb.

Cheddar Cheese 59c

DRUG DEPT. SPECIALS

Crest	large size
TOOTHPASTE	53c
Enden	4 oz.
SHAMPOO	69c
Suave	14 oz.
HAIR SPRAY	79c
Top Brass	4 1/2 oz.
HAIR DRESSING	79c

Reynold's	reg. roll
FOIL	29c
Northern	roll
JUMBO TOWELS	29c
Northern Assorted	
TISSUE	4 for 35c
	reg. size
AJAX Detergent	27c
First Choice	
OLEO	2 lbs. 39c
Meadow Lake	lb.
OLEO	29c
Ken-L-Ration	26-oz. can
DOG FOOD	2 for 49c

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 GERMAN CHOCOLATE
 Cream Cheese Danish Rolls Pkg. 49¢
 Danish Almond Coffee Cake Ea. 49¢
 DONUTS Sugar Coated Pkg. 39¢
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 Lipton's, Mix 37¢
 Freshie, Giant Rounds Pkg. 29¢
 Luden's Chocolate Covered 10 1/4-Oz. Box 45¢

OLIVES Lindsay, Ripe Pitted Tall Can 43¢
PICKLES Derby, Small, Whole Sweet 16-Oz. Jar 43¢
 Bordo, Pitted 16-Oz. Pkg. 47¢
 None Such 9-Oz. Size 27¢
 28-Oz. 63¢
 5¢ off Label, Your Cost
MORSELS Nestle, Chocolate 12-Oz. Pkg. 41¢

7-Up 25¢
 Carton of 6 Plus Deposit
Wesson Oil 39¢
 24-Ounce Bottle

SWEET POTATOES Bruce's Cut No. 2 1/2 Can 25¢
SUGAR Imperial, Brown or Powdered Lb. Box 15¢
PINEAPPLE Hartex, Sliced No. 2 Can 25¢
DRESSING H.E.B. Salad Quart Jar 45¢
TAMALES Gebhardt's Jumbo No. 2 1/2 Can 39¢
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 MARGARINE Evadale Pound Carton 19¢
 Cranberry Sauce Eatmor, Strained 25¢
 PECANS Fancy Pieces 12-Oz. Cello 75¢

Juice HARTEX Pineapple 46-Oz. Can 23¢
 Niblets Whole Kernel Golden
CORN 12-Oz. Can 19¢
 Assorted Flavors
Royal Gelatin Reg. 3 Box 27¢
 Del Monte
PUMPKIN No. 303 Can 2 For 25¢

Del Monte 48-Oz. Can **TOMATO JUICE . . 35¢**
 Reynolds Broiler 25-Foot Roll **FOIL 65¢**

Silver Valley Half Gallon **FREEZE 39¢**
 Featuring: Peppermint & Pecan Krisp



CELERY 2 For 29¢
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Florida - Fresh Full Ears **CORN 3 for 19¢**
 Valley, Sweet & Juicy, 5-Lb. Cello 39¢
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PIANO STUDENTS ENTERTAIN ROTARY

Four girls who are advanced piano students of Mrs. Neva Sorenson presented an outstanding musical program for the Rotary Club on Wednesday. The program chairman was Fred Bracht.

Visiting Rotarians included Muri McCasland of Amarillo, Homer Hornaday of Indianola, Ia., Russell Itchner and John Loftin of Aransas Pass, J. C. Weaver of Sinton and Mel Ready of Houston. John Mitchell brought Steve Coycault of Houston.

PARAMEDICAL CLUB GOES TO HOUSTON

The 16 members of the Paramedical Club of the Aransas County High School traveled to Houston Dec. 9 to visit the Baylor Medical School Center. Accompanied by Chester Barre, principal, and E. B.

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Brooks, science teacher, the group was greeted by Russell Clem, director of public relations at the Medical School. He gave a synopsis of the Center's history and presented a film titled "The First Twenty-five Years."

Clem told the student guests what the requirements were to enter Baylor Medical School. He said that out of 1500 students who apply each year, only about 84 are accepted.

During the tour the Rockport youths visited the Anatomical Museum, the Department of Physiology, the Department of Laboratories and other areas. They also saw some experimental work which included transferring a heart to a calf, and an operation on a dog's spinal column.

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DOUBLE BIRTHDAY

The Emil Reals had their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Real and daughters, Susan, Debbie and Brenda, also a sister-in-law, Mrs. Theresa Stadelmaier of San Antonio to celebrate the birthdays of Emil Real and granddaughter, Debbie, together Dec. 6. Debbie was 14.

MRS. EVANS VISITS

Mrs. Lena Evans of Rogers, Ark., has been visiting Mrs. Tiny Gayle and other relatives.

It has been seven years since she visited Rockport and she thinks it has grown quite a bit. Mrs. Evans grew up in Rockport and was known as Lena Ansley.

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WEEKLY POT-LUCK DINNER AT TAYLOR OAK

The weekly pot-luck dinner was held in the recreation hall of Taylor Oak Trailer Park on Tuesday Dec. 14. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heller, Huron S. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley, Houston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carthorn, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Jorgensen and Mrs. Aletta Fleming, Texhoma, Okla.

Mrs. Minnie Randle, San Saba; Mr. and Mrs. A. Gantenall, Denver, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Michaels, Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. L. Hoffman, Clinton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Russell, Indianola, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ramsey, Kansas City, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Troy of Aitkin, Minn.;

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, St. John, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Larimore, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Beck, Marble Falls; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Towne and Mrs. Jennie Towne, Jamiaca, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Overturf, Edgar, Neb.;

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hornaday and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cronk, Indianola, Ia.; Fred Green, Arlington Heights, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Spurlin, Chickasha, Okla. Also Mr. and Mrs. Tom Luker, Ted Giese, Willis Fort, Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith, John Bennett and Mrs. Ray Bennett of Taylor Oak.

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REBEKAH NEWS

The noble grand, Mrs. Della Scott presided at the regular meeting of the Rockport Rebekah Lodge, Thursday, Dec. 9, at 7:30 p.m.

W. C. Beckham is ill in the hospital in Boerne.

The committee, Mrs. Georgia Haynes, Mrs. Mellie Edmison, Mrs. Alice Ballou and Mrs. Ella Mae Ebert served sandwiches and coffee after lodge.

Don't forget the Christmas party Saturday night, Dec. 18, for all Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and their families.

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GIRL SCOUTS



Girl Scout Troop 48 met at Mrs. Starkie's house Monday. We went out side and sat on a bench and practiced Christmas songs while the Turtles made a fire.

When the fire was made the Girl Scouts roasted marshmallows. Then we played games. —Pam Ross, Scribe

Junior Girl Scout Troop 69 met Thursday, Dec. 9 and practiced for the community Christmas Carol sing-song.

The girls will go Christmas caroling after the sing-song and then meet at the Little House for a Christmas party with Junior Troop 48, from Fulton.

BETHANY CLASS HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Bethany Class of the First Baptist Church held its annual Christmas party Monday night in the home of Mrs. Shelley Roaten.

The living room and dining room were attractively decorated for the holiday season and a lighted tree added to the Christmas motif.

The dining table was laid with a lace cloth and was centered with an arrangement of red and white carnations. A delicious buffet dinner had been prepared by the class members and was served from the dining table. Mrs. Virgil offered a prayer of thanks before the dinner began.

After the enjoyable meal, the class assembled in the living room. Mrs. Mary Wright read the Christmas story from the Bible. There was a brief business discussion and the reading of the minutes.

An exchange of Christmas gifts followed the business meeting and the usual merriment was enjoyed by the following:

Sue Moss, Melinae Shults, Vivian Wynn, Lahoma Roaten, Vallie Frandolig, Lillie Funderburk, Olga McLester, Georgia Davenport, Louise Shults, Bertha Gilley, Gladys Cessac, Mary Wright, Elizabeth Dasher, Emma McLester, Nadine Goodman, Teresa Owens, Opal Wills, Kathleen Lindenmayer, Minnie Collum, Pearl Ivey, Esther Ballou and Linda Jane Ballou.

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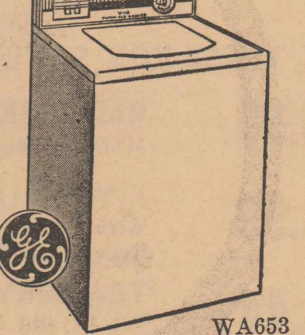
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Each year, Central Power and Light Company awards service charms to the ladies and service buttons to the gentlemen who have completed 5, 10, 15, 20, 25 etc., years of continuous service with the Company. Those who have served with the company 25 years are given special recognition for having completed a "Quarter-Century" of service.

Jerry Anderson received a ten year award, and Byron Hardeman received a 30 year award.

Executives of the company from Corpus Christi were in attendance. Employees and guests attended from the following cities in the District: Sinton, Alice, Aransas Pass, Rockport, Refugio, Benavides, Bishop, San Diego, Ingleside, Falfurrias, Freer, Kingsville, Premont, Taft, Three Rivers and Woodsboro.

J. M. Wilson, vice president of the company, Corpus Christi, presented the awards.

R. E. Horine, district manager of Gulf Coast District, served as master of ceremonies for the occasion.

LEDBETTER ATTENDS INNKEEPERS MEETING

Jerre Ledbetter, manager of the Sea Gun Sports Inn, attended a meeting of the Independent Innkeepers International in Dallas last week. This organization consists of a group of prominent independently-owned hotels.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was held on Thursday, Dec. 9 at Taylor Oak Trailer Park, honoring those born this month. The hostess were Mrs. M. McCleese, Mrs. C. Troy, Mrs. W. Bacon and Mrs. H. Hornaday. The tables were decorated with Christmas ornaments. The honorees were Mrs. Ralph Miller and Mrs. Ed Whitfill. Refreshments were served, after which games were played.

Mrs. O. D. McCoy was high at bridge. Mrs. Jerry Hodges won the canasta prize, Mrs. L. H. Ramsey was high, playing marbles and the bingo prize went to Mrs. Carson Bell.

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Chief of Police Boy Hewes has reported that now is the time of the year that all persons should be thinking about protecting their property more than at any other time. Hewes stated that nearly all the surrounding communities have reported thefts from automobiles, homes and business houses.

A few reminders are in order, Hewes commented. First if you have a business, make sure that all doors are double checked before you leave at night and be sure that there is a light on inside.

This is the cheapest insurance there is if you make sure when your store is dark in the rear that you place a light to the rear of the business.

When shopping in town, lock your car. If you leave it in a parking lot, take the trunk key off the key ring and place all packages in the trunk.

Never leave your house unlocked. Most people have thousands of dollars worth of valuable items in their homes. Protect them. If you have items with serial numbers, jot them down and keep them in a safe place. A serial number helps identify the item if it is stolen.

For those going out of town for an extended period of time, please notify the police. They will make extra patrols around their locations. In the event you see a suspicious person in or around your home, or business, please notify the police at once. Chief Hewes reported that his department will put in extra hours to try to keep our community safer but that it will take the citizens' co-operation to do a perfect job.

LADY PIRATES LOSE TO TULOSO-MIDWAY

The Tuloso-Midway Cherokees defeated the Lady Pirates in the first district game by a score of 79 to 41.

Roylenn Harris got 30 points; Darlene Rouquette, 5; Betty Sue Huff, 4; Laura Gibson, 2, and outstanding guard was Courtney Johnson.

Tuloso - Midway forwards were Louise Teller with 31 points; Pat Needhan, 27; Sue Farley, 17; Cathy Kinard, 4, and outstanding guard was Sandi Koster.

The Lady Pirates will play Gregory-Portland at 6:30 p.m. at Portland on Thursday, Dec. 16, followed by the ACHS Pirates at 7:30 p.m.

SING-SONG

The Girl Scouts and Brownies will have a community sing-song Thursday, Dec. 16, 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Fire Station.

They extend a special invitation to all Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, their parents and others in the community.

Parents are responsible for their children's transportation to and from the sing-song.

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SCHOOL SHOW TO BE TELEVIEWED

The musical program to be given in Rockport at the Aransas County High School today will be televised over KVDO-TV. The musical director is Mrs. Elaine Scorzaz.

FIRE LOSSES UNDER \$200

In the past two years Rockport citizens have claimed less than \$200 from fire insurance companies, a record that the city can well be proud of, as it has kept our insurance rates here at a minimum. Much of the credit for this exceptionally low rate must go to the Aransas County Emergency Corps, to give the fire department its full name.

LETTERMEN ON PIRATE SQUAD ANNOUNCED

The following lettermen were announced for the Pirate football squad at the football banquet:

Center: Leslie Cole.
Guards: Jim Mills, Elton McCabe, Jerry Iles.
Tackles: Jackie Smith, Clyde Townsend, Mickey Casterline.
Ends: Billy Shaver, Eugene Satsky, Ray Washington.
Quarterback: Eddie Morrison.
Halfbacks: Tommy Bradshaw, Winston Weber, Martin Pena.
Fullbacks: Allan Thomas, Bobby Close.

REAL ESTATE TRADING BRISK

Real estate trading has been brisk recently, according to Mrs. R. B. Sipe, who handled the sale of Balboa Courts to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lee of Glenwood, Ia.

BUILDING NEW FISHING PIER

Curly Floyd has been making good progress with the extension of his fishing pier. Over 100 feet of new construction are now in, and when he has finished, he will have a nice, lighted fishing spot.

CITY COUNCIL OKAYS ADDITIONAL LIGHTING

The City Council approved installation of 15 additional street lights of the mercury vapor type to supplement those recently installed. The new lights will be placed on Broadway in the vicinity of Haynes Coffee Shop and between the Chamber of Commerce building and the Y at the T. Noah Smith residence. On Highway 35 the gap between the present light at Pearl Street and the Market Street intersection will be filled, and additional lights will be placed on Market Street between that corner and the present lights on the bay end.

DISCOVERS OCTOPUS ON BEACH

Mrs. A. O. Burton was doing a little beach combing when she discovered a fairly good-sized octopus that had evidently been cast aside by some netter. When stretched out, it was large enough to cover the top of a garbage can.

MAKING PROGRESS WITH JAIL CONSTRUCTION

The Braselton Construction Co. is making excellent progress with the new jail. Forms are going up this week for pouring the second floor.

AT THE MOVIES

Randolph Scott and Dolores Dorn (who she?) were appearing in "The Bounty Hunter" at the Cove Drive-In Theater.

SON OF COCHRANS TO BE MARRIED

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kuserelis of Ann Arbor, Mich., announce the betrothal of their daughter, Eras Mary Ellis, of Chicago, to Maurice William Cochran, Jr., of Rockport, now stationed at Chanute Air Force Base in Illinois.

TALKS ON AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHY

Shelly Roaten was in charge of the program at the Rotary Club meeting and gave a talk on amateur photography.

From The Pilot Files — 20 Years Ago

CLERKS HAVE MOPPING GOOD TIME

Clerks in the courthouse were housekeepers for a day. Any attorney coming in to file an instrument would have had to look behind a mop handle to find a taker.

Courthouse caretaker Gray was ill and Molly Sparks, Lillian Casterline and Kathryn Rouquette decided the building was getting no tidier by the moment.

SAMUEL BAUGH ENLISTS

Samuel Baugh of Rockport, Son of John Baugh, was one of four men sent from Corpus Christi to the Army recruiting station at San Antonio for examination before entry into the Army.

TWO CUBS RECEIVE AWARDS

Two Cub Scouts received awards at the Pack meeting. Jimmy Ben Clobardants received the Wolf Gold Arrow and Joe Herring received the Wolf badge.

SANTA CLAUS MAKES A VISIT

Santa Claus put in an unexpected appearance at a party given for James Richard Fox. The young boys and girls besieged Santa with their Christmas wishes and stood round-eyed while two of their number made every effort to pull his beard.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lonie Leslie Taylor and Miss Stella Jo Crews.
William Stafford and Matilda George.
Lawrence Wesley Barker and Miss Allie Lee Howery.
Samuel Edward George and Vera Vivian Hill.

PERSONALS

Cecil Casterline of Fulton, who is in a San Antonio hospital, is reported to have improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Rouquette, Floyd Rouquette, Glenn Wendell and Bruce Davis are spending several days at New Orleans.

Mrs. Bev. Spawd of Austin has arrived to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Loveless.

Joe Farned of Baton Rouge, La., spent last week here with Gerald Adolphus.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Booth left for Fort Worth where they will spend Christmas with their daughter and her family.

Mrs. J. W. Brundrett returned from a trip to Palacios and Old Ocean. She is expecting a number of members of her family as holiday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Seburn Crawford will have as Christmas guests their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Atley and Barbara Sue of Kingsville.

Sgt. Charles Garrett spent a three-week furlough here with his wife and three children. He is stationed at an Army hospital in San Antonio.

Editorials

NO IMMEDIATE PEACE

We may as well face some facts. There is little chance of an immediate cessation of hostilities in Viet Nam. Rather, indications are that forces are going to be there for many months to come, even years. Some are saying it may take as many as 10 to 12 years to stabilize South Viet Nam.

Reports that Romania may be willing to intercede add little optimism to those familiar with the situation. Britain is reported giving consideration to another attempt to bring peace. This is well and good. Efforts should be continued and encouraged, of course. And perhaps somewhere along the way something will be accomplished, but don't expect them to show immediately.

Soundings of both sides must continue, and communications are being established. Incidentally, the public seems to have the notion there is a lack of communication with the Reds, especially the Chinese. It isn't true. Undersecretary of State Douglas MacArthur has very pointedly brought out that there are many ways of communicating. The Russians, he said, have an embassy in Washington and we have one in Moscow. There are other ways, he said. In fact, he said, lines of communication have been maintained and they have been used.

He also pointed out that one of the conditions on which the other side is willing to talk peace is for a pull-out of American troops, and also those of other countries fighting the cause of South Viet Nam. This, he said, we are not going to buy. To pull out would leave South Viet Nam at the mercy of her enemies.

Just after some of the peace rumors started floating, Ho Chi Minh, president of North Viet Nam, reiterated his demand that U. S. troops be removed as a condition to peace talks.

For the time being, this appears to just about settle the chances for even a concrete start toward ending the conflict. No one should become over-optimistic, but let the efforts to bring peace to the world continue.

When the meek inherit the earth the first thing they should do is to look around for a good bankrupt court lawyer.

ACTING FOR ALL

President Johnson reacted with the concern felt by millions of Americans in placing at the disposal of former President Eisenhower's doctors any government facilities and assistance needed.—Raleigh (N.C.) News & Observer.

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Presbyterian Women Hold Christmas Party

The women of the First Presbyterian Church held their annual Christmas party Sunday night. Hostesses were the four Circle chairmen: Mrs. J. H. Schleider, Mrs. W. P. Pettit, Mrs. J. D. Griggs and Mrs. Walter Hatley, assisted by the president, Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Mrs. L. W. Hight, co-chairman of Circle 2, assisted in greeting the guests on their arrival. Mrs. Hatley was in charge of the guest register.

The room was decorated with a large decorated Christmas tree, poinsettias and other Christmas decorations. Recorded Christmas carols were played during the arrival of guests.

Mrs. Morrison narrated the program, opening with a prayer and introduction of the visitors, including Mrs. J. W. Budge of Minnesota, Mrs. G. R. Bennett, a winter visitor, and her granddaughter, Alice

Hanson, and the following from Rockport: Mrs. William H. Douglas, Mrs. Dominguez Covarrubias, Mrs. O. M. Brown, Mrs. Gladys Gibson, Mrs. Marilyn Cannon and Mrs. Jewel Ballard.

Mrs. Robert Little gave the monthly Bible lesson on "A Praying Church" from the Book of Acts, followed by a reading of the Christmas Story by Miss Lillie Fahr.

A program of the Advent of Christmas, titled "The Four O's of Christmas," was under the direction of Mrs. Byron Bushart, vice president, with Mrs. J. D. Griggs as narrator. Those taking part in the Meditations were Mrs. J. H. Schleider (Emmanuel — the awaiting crib); Mrs. Setterbo (the Daystar); Mrs. H. H. Dick (the Key to the Kingdom); and Mrs. James Maher (the King and Lord of all Nations).

A large cardboard figure of each of these symbols was on the wall back of the table, which contained a wreath with four white candles. The

candles were lighted by Mrs. Ed Godde as the group sang a verse of "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" preceding each Meditation. Mrs. N. F. Jackson led the singing, and Mrs. J. Allen Frye accompanied at the piano.

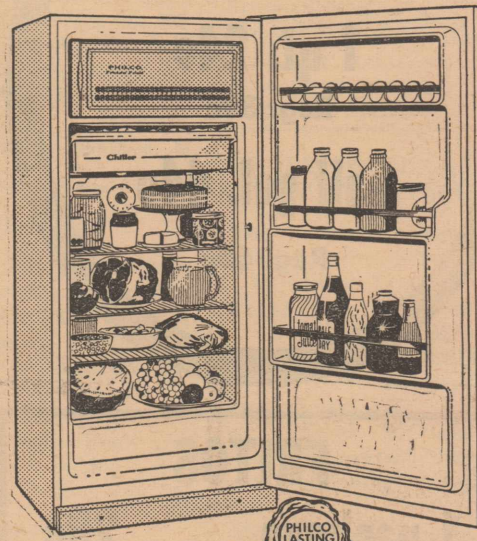
Mrs. Cecil Lang read a bit of verse by Henry Van Dyke on "Keeping Christmas." After this group participated in a scrambled word game on Christmas shopping. The program ended with the singing of Christmas carols.

The refreshment table was covered with a beautiful white felt cloth with a small Christmas tree in the center graced by two red candles. Mrs. Schleider poured the coffee from a silver service, and Mrs. Griggs poured the punch. Tiny sandwiches, cookies and nuts were served to about 40 women. Two large boxes of canned goods and an offering were contributed for the needy.

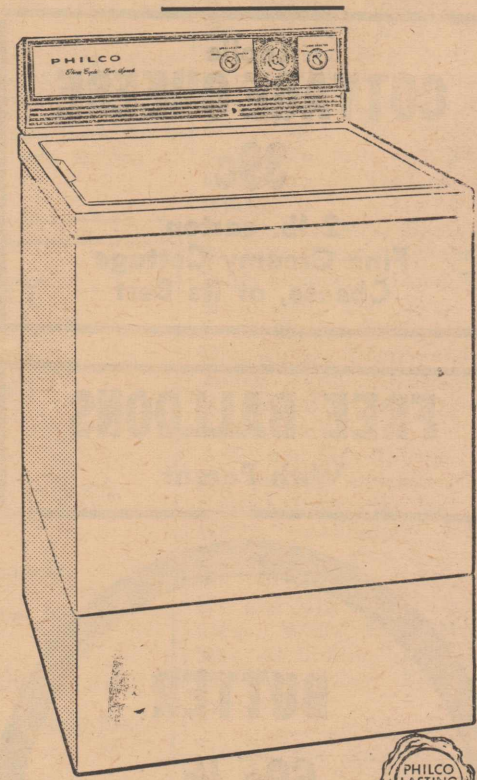
Gregory Gardner, of Austin, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Max S. Gardner, in Fulton, until after the Christmas holidays.

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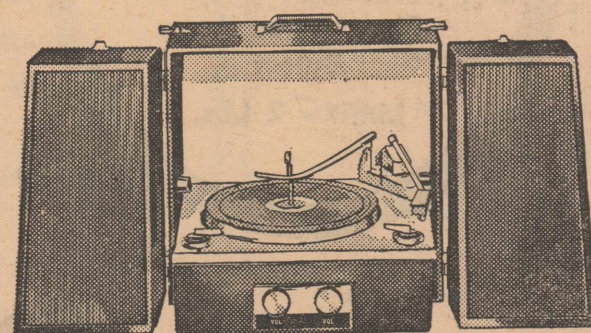
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Rev. Jose B. R. Contreras, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; morning service, 11:00 a.m.; training union, 7:00 p.m.; evening service, 8:00 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

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N. E. Hicks
Bible class, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 10:50 a.m.; Sunday evening class 5:30; Sunday evening worship, 6:30; Wednesday night service, 7:30; ladies Bible class, Thursday, 9:30 a.m., and men's Bible class at 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service 10:45 a.m.; Training Union 6:00 p.m.; evening service, 7:00 p.m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

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METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Ben Bohmfalk, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:30; 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.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Vernon Helgren, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; morning worship, 10:45 a.m.; training union, 5:00 p.m.; evening worship, 6:00 p.m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Rev. M. R. Crawford, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; morning worship, 10:45 a.m.; evening service, 7:00 p.m.; mid-week service, Wednesday night, 7:00 p.m.; Women's Missionary Council, Thursday, 9:30 a.m.

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MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gardner announce the marriage of their daughter, Annette, to Kenneth Griffith of Brady.

The couple were married Thanksgiving evening, Nov. 25. Rev. Edward Chappell, Methodist minister of Alpine, officiated at the candlelight ceremony which was held in the Catholic Church at Terlingua, Texas. This is the only church at Terlingua and was the first wedding in the little

town in 25 years.

Miss Gardner wore a street length dress of white lace with a white lace mantilla. She carried a bouquet of white carnations on a white satin covered Bible.

Their closest friends were matron of honor and best man. Annette is a graduate of ACHS and was a student at Sul Ross College in Alpine.

They will make their home on the Aqua Frio Ranch where Kenneth is ranch foreman.

BAPTIST TEL CLASS HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The TEL Class of the First Baptist Church held their Christmas dinner at Los Amigos Cafe Tuesday with all the trimmings. After dinner the class met at the home of Mrs. Wreatha Johnson for a party. Mrs. Johnson was hostess and Mrs. Ethel Robbins was co-hostess.

Mrs. Sally Townsend, president, opened the meeting for business. Reading of the minutes was by Mrs. Robbins, secretary. Mrs. Johnson read the treasurer's report.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Lelia Crawford who chose the second chapter of Matthew. The opening prayer was by Mrs. Lillie Calvert. The Christmas reading was by Mrs. Johnson.

Christmas gifts were exchanged by the class members. Refreshments of cake and coffee, punch, nuts and mints. Present were Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Calvert, Mrs. Summerville Ballou, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Robbins, Mrs. Alice Ballou, Mrs. Floy Thomerson, Mrs. Laura Stephens, Mrs. Rowena Smith, Mrs. Sally Townsend and Mrs. Millie Edmison.

Proper name for the ordinary house cat is "Domestic Shorthair."

CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS

Among visitors at Sunday's service at the Church of Christ were the following Rockport persons: Sherry Haynes, Bonifaye Evans, Mrs. Ike Lee, Con Heumel, Mrs. Alton Evans, Clay Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morgan, Belvia Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coleman, John Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stewart.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker, Houston; Edith Woods, North Liberty, Ind.; Bill Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mitchell and Faye B. Weaver, all of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lieurance, Burlington, and Mr. and Mrs. George Sickler of Dannel, Minn.

In other news from the church, Norris Authement reentered the John Sealey Hospital in Galveston for further treatment and tests.

Mittie Brown is now home following surgery at Spohn Hospital and is recovering nicely.

Sharon Russell has been sick for more than a week at her home but is now feeling better.

A baby shower was given for Connie Authement and her young daughter, Sandra Elizabeth, at the Gurley home. Iris Hicks and Elaine Lipe assisted Mrs. Gurley with the party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Moore, now living in the Mobile Inn Trailer Park in Fulton, have joined the local church after coming from the South Side Church in Austin.

NAME OMITTED

The name of Pat Falk, senior at Aransas County High School, was inadvertently omitted from the honor roll list from the last six weeks grading period.

BAPTIST DORCAS CLASS HAS CHRISTMAS DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Watkins were hosts Saturday night for the First Baptist Dorcas Sunday School Class annual Christmas dinner. The dinner tables were decorated with red and gold candles, greenery and red ornaments.

Watkins gave the address of welcome and Rev. Charles Fake led the invocation. After a delicious dinner, a fellowship hour planned by Mrs. Norman McLead and led by her.

Special guests included Mrs. Virgil Dasher, substitute teacher for the class, and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Summerford of Houston, weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wagley. Thirty-six members were present.

Ten inches of snow equals about one inch of rain.

BAPTIST NIGHT CIRCLE

The Night Circle of the First Baptist Church met this week in the home of Mrs. Sallie Townsend for Bible study.

There were nine members present and on visitor, Mrs. B. T. Hardeman, circle chairman, called the meeting to order.

Mrs. Mellie Edmison read the names of missionaries on the Calendar of Prayer. Mrs. Alice Ballou led in prayer. Mrs. Olga McLester had charge of Bible study. Mrs. Tom Shults dismissed with prayer.

Those present were Miss Evelyn Townsend, Mrs. B. T. Hardeman, Mrs. Tom Shults, Mrs. Summerville Ballou, Mrs. Olga McLester, Miss Ruth Lipscomb, Mrs. Mellie Edmison, Mrs. Sallie Townsend, Mrs. Tiney Gayle and a visitor Mrs. Alice Ballou.

JOSEPHINE WARD CIRCLE MEETS

The Josephine Ward Circle of the First Baptist Church met for Bible study at the home of Mrs. Lee Cookston Tuesday morning.

Mrs. R. F. McKnight opened the meeting by reading the names of the ones on the Calendar of Prayer, for the day, and Mrs. Clemmie Beedy led in prayer for the missionaries.

Mrs. McKnight led Bible study on the Missionary Message of the Bible, "The King-

dom is Coming O Tell Ye the Story."

There were 10 members present: Mrs. Bernice McKnight, Mrs. Eva Lutz, Mrs. Alice Ballou, Mrs. Ethel Robbins, Mrs. Clemmie Beedy, Mrs. Josephine Cox, Mrs. Wanda Agee, Mrs. Clara Der-vage, Mrs. Ilma Cookston and Mrs. Lillie Calvert.

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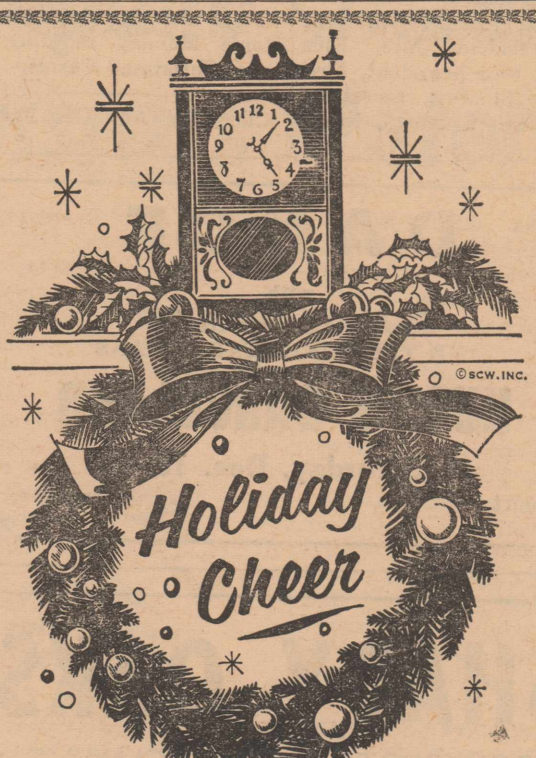
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Mrs. Somer Smith, Mrs. Coy Truelove, Miss Sara Belle Smith, Mrs. Bill Gray, Mrs. Gilbert Hill Jr., Mrs. H. J. Gurley, Mrs. Max Simpson, Mrs. Gilbert Hill, Sr., Mrs. Edward Truelove.

Officials elected for the year were, president, Mrs. Elva Mullinax; vice president, Mrs. Gilbert Hill Sr.; secretary, Mrs. Edward Truelove; treas-

urer, Mrs. Gene Howland; parliamentarian, Mrs. J. C. Gurley; sergeant at arms, Mrs. Somer Smith; historian and reporter, Mrs. Royce Harrell. The ladies brought gifts for their secret pals. After the meeting the ladies went to Corky's Restaurant for refreshments, furnished by Mrs. Max Simpson.

The next meeting will be Jan. 11 at 8 p.m. at the Fire Hall.

VISIT BAYVIEW

Mrs. Somer Smith and her Presbyterian Kindergarten visited the Bayview Nursing Home Monday morning and sang Christmas Carols.

Classified Ads Get Results

SCHOOL BOARD—

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for 1966 took place next.

Supt. of Schools J. D. Gray reported that due to top priority government purchases, school buses should be ordered as soon as possible to insure delivery by September. The Board authorized Gray to submit a requisition to the State Board of Control, through the County Transportation Board, for a 72-passenger bus.

Gray also reported that the application for \$45,822 in federal funds to assist school programs for educationally deprived children had been approved, with the result that the following personnel actions had been taken for the benefit of the project:

Mrs. Alma Jenkins has been re-assigned as remedial reading teacher; Mrs. Susana Sorenson re-assigned as visiting teacher; Mrs. Mary F. Thornton employed as school nurse; Mrs. Frances LeBlanc employed as library clerk at Fulton; Mrs. Patsy E. Harper employed as teacher aide at Rockport; Mrs. Ernestine Boone employed as teacher aide at Rockport; Miss Dorothy Rowe employed as librarian aide at Rockport and Miss Susie LeBlanc as instructional secretary. These salaries will be paid from federal funds. Mrs. Jewel N. Baldwin was employed to replace Mrs. Jenkins in the classroom, and Mrs. Mary M. Kautz to replace Mrs. Susanna Sorenson.

Gray also reported that the After School Study Centers seem to be well received and that the head teacher at the High School is Mr. Whitfill and at Rockport, Mrs. Ruby M. Rascio. Teachers in this work are paid on an hourly basis from federal funds.

Attending the School Board meeting were Dr. H. F. Elliot, president; James B. Jackson, vice president; F. Rouquette and Thomas M. Rogers and Ottie Mundine. Also present were Superintendent Gray, Lynn Evans, architect for the district, and Miss Iris Sorenson.

METHODIST FRIENDSHIP
CLASS HOLDS
CHRISTMAS PARTY

The members of the Friendship Class of the First Methodist Church enjoyed their annual Christmas party Monday night, Dec. 13, at Fellowship Hall. The table was beautifully decorated in red and silver with a small silver tree surrounded by a lighted village scene as a centerpiece. Antique red goblets filled with silver balls, and red candles decorated with silver pointsettias lined the tables. Mrs. Elsie Jane Sprigg was in charge of decorations.

After a delicious dinner, a Christmas film was shown and games were played by those attending. Members and guests present were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McDonald, Mrs. Paul Wilhelm, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rasch, Mr. and Mrs. Max Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Busch;

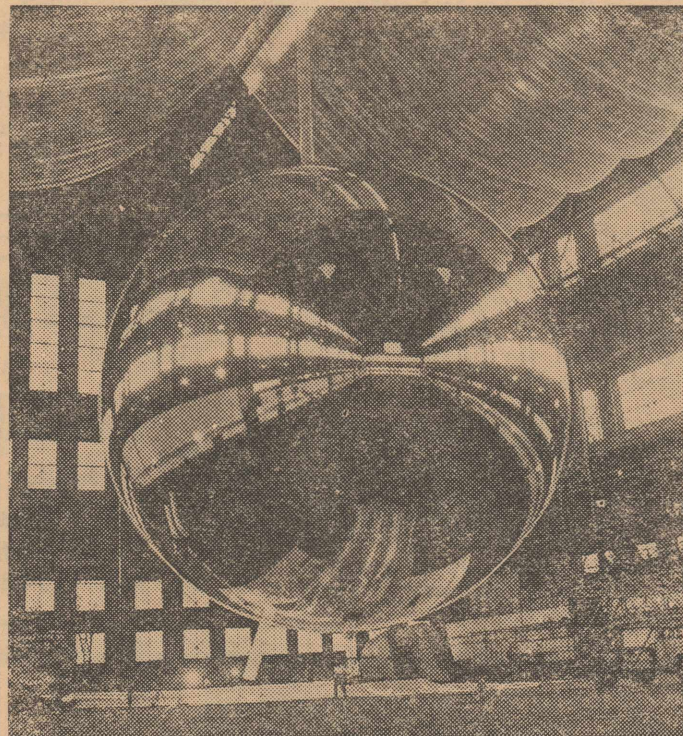
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PROTECTION. General Joseph Mobutu, above, who declared himself President of the Congo after ousting President Joseph Kasavubu in a bloodless coup, has pledged he will use his army "to protect the people from anarchy and chaos." — WFS Photo



NEW LOOK IN FLIGHT. Combining rotor blades, a fixed wing and a jet engine for fast forward propulsion, this rotocraft has been hailed as the most promising development in aviation since the advent of the jet plane. It can reach speeds of 272 m.p.h. — WFS Photo



A CHRISTMAS DECORATION? This huge silver ball may look like a decoration to hang on some giant Christmas tree, but in reality it's a U.S. satellite. Called the PEAGEOS, it's 100 feet wide, and will be launched next year into an orbit at 2,300 miles altitude. Ground cameras will use it to locate points on earth. — WFS Photo

CRANES GAIN
PAIR FOR '65
PLUS REPLICA

Austwell. — The intriguing books, now closed on the North American continent's ranking wildlife store of 1965, revealed feathered tragedy mingled with a modest population gain and significant flyway tracking conquests.

Here on Black Jack Peninsula, a ancestral wintering grounds of the Whooping Cranes, 44 of the giant birds have checked in, a small net gain from the 42 that left last spring for the distant Canadian northland.

Now it's for Aransas National Wildlife Refuge personnel to maintain a constant air, sea and ground vigilance while painstakingly briefing the hundreds of visitors from even distant areas about the majestic birds which symbolize the struggle to preserve wild creatures generally.

From one conspicuous tragedy involving the Kansas highline death of one of the 1964 young enroute back south, has come a definite gain for the refuge trade. The crane was perfectly preserved, according to Gordon Folzenlogen, assistant refuge manager, and is being mounted on a good study skin already available.

Then the rare specimen will be exhibited in a refuge lobby glass case so that spectators may study a true model to augment the present illustrations. The overall effect, he said, would be improved public aid in noting Whooper travels. The tracking conquest came in tracing four late-season migrants from distant Saskatchewan southward through Kansas where the group was

reduced to three by the fatal mishap, on into the Texas Panhandle and down to the refuge. The last leg took three days.

There was nothing in the unusual monitoring to shatter the ancient migration mystery of Whooper movements, mainly at great altitudes, for Folzenlogen said the most satisfying part of the successful charting was the mighty contribution of laymen in accurately identifying and relaying their observations to trained field people.

One chapter in the 1965 Whooper story marked the death of 25-year-old Josephine, the first crane ever successfully mated in captivity, which succumbed at the New Orleans zoo. She is survived by four Whoopers, all thriving in captivity.

Folzenlogen said the make-up of the Whooper colony, now comprising eight 1965 young and at least some of the ten young of 1964, reflects studies that indicate the flock "turns over every seven and one-half years." That is to say, he added, that seven and one-half years is the average life span of the huge birds in their natural sphere.

Thus six deaths, including the one crane which had enough brown juvenile feathers to identify it as a 1964 product, occurred at an unknown place after the 1965 spring migration.

Annual expenditures by the Veterans Administration range from \$3.5 million in Alaska to more than \$567 million in California. They total more than \$6 billion exerting a stabilizing influence on the nation's economy.

Mail It Now
Postmaster Urges

It is urgent that any remaining Christmas mail be sent out over the weekend, Postmaster M. A. Rowan stressed to day.

In the last three weeks, the nation has witnessed more people mailing gifts, cards and letters than ever before.

The Postmaster said that across the nation every piece of Christmas mail that can possibly be delivered will reach its destination on time. However, at this time of year, the strain on transportation facilities and the unpredictability of weather can mean unexpected delays. The use of Air Mail and Special Delivery for out of town mail should be considered.

He noted that holiday schedules will be in effect on Saturday and many business firms will be letting their employees off Friday, a sufficient number of postal workers will remain on duty to see that all Christmas mail entering post offices in time for delivery will reach its destination. Only Special Delivery and perishable mail will be delivered Christmas Day.

The Rockport Postmaster thanked all the postal patrons for their excellent cooperation so far.

CITY OPENS BIDS—

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ular meeting of the Council.

Vic Dullye met with the Council to request re-imbursement of one-half of his cost for laying a water and sewer line to his property in the Smith & Wood Division. These connections were made in 1962 at a cost of \$354.83. The matter was discussed and Alderman N. F. Jackson moved that the request be denied. The motion died for lack of a second. The matter was tabled.

Jackson moved that the secretary, Mrs. Mary Lake Segler, be authorized to send the annual payment of \$2,000 to the Rockport Fire Department. Alderman Charlie Garrett seconded, and the motion carried.

The Planning and Zoning Commission and the Board of Adjustment was discussed and the Council submitted the following name with the request that they serve in this capacity:

Planning and Zoning Commission: Seth H. Steele, Fred Bracht, Jr., Jack McDavid, Tom Rogers and Pepper Everett. Alternate, Rev. Charles Fake.

Board of Adjustments: Lola L. Bonner, Dick Picton, Don Meek, Port Little and Col. William Brown. Alternates William Hottle and Earl Harle.

The mayor called a meeting for Monday, Dec. 20 at 7 p.m. to discuss the Planning and Zoning Ordinance. William McClendon, engineer, and Tom Shults, director of public works, reported on the progress of the proposed off-street parking at First Methodist Church.

Attending the Council meeting were Mayor Collum, Aldermen Ernest Harritt, Jackson, Garrett, Wallace Maley; Mrs. Segler, Shults, Tax Assessor and Collector Herman Johnson, Attorney Richard D. Hatch, Chief of Police Hewes, McClendon and visitors.

CHRISTMAS TREE—

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Charles E. Pierson, Executive Editor of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, one of the best known newspapers in the United States.

While visiting with John Kinsey, reporter for the Rockport Pilot, Pierson said, "You know, 'I'm on vacation and I don't intend to do much work until I return to St. Louis, but I am so impressed with the Rockport area as an ideal vacation spot that I think I'll write an article for our travel editor.'"

Seven Auto Deaths
In Eleven Months

During the first 11 months of 1965 there were seven deaths in rural traffic accidents in Aransas County, compared to five deaths during the corresponding period last year.

This information was contained in a report issued by Lt. F. C. Carpenter of the Texas Highway Patrol, Region III, Corpus Christi.

Other comparisons showed that 47 persons were injured during the same period, as compared to 44 last year, although the total number of accidents decreased from 78 to 77.

Lt. Carpenter said that before 1965 becomes history, many other citizens will die on Texas highways. "This Christmas season," he added, "will be a very unhappy one in the homes where a traffic wreck has killed or seriously injured a loved one. Adding to the grief will be the knowledge that the wreck that caused their unhappiness could have been avoided."

"Please exercise your best driving knowledge, skill and courtesy in your travels," he urged.

County Finances Are
In Healthy Condition

Those officials entrusted with the responsibility of spending Aransas County funds wisely are doing just that, judging from the report for expenditures during the first 11 months of 1965.

The budget for this period called for spending \$343,108.47, but the actual expenditures amounted to only \$307,580.57. This means that the county actually did not spend \$35,527.90 which had been allocated to the budget for the 11-month period of January through November.

A breakdown of the expenditures showed the following: General fund, \$186,409.68 budget, \$160,928.45 actually spent; road and bridge fund, \$134,923.62 budget, \$124,928.45 actually spent; jury fund, \$4,868.23 budget, \$2,578.53 spent; mosquito control, \$10,312.90 budget, \$13,057.04 spent; and library, \$6,594.04 budget, \$6,680.20 spent.

Only in the cases of mosquito control (\$274.14 over the budget) and library (\$86.16 over the budget) were funds spent in excess of the budget.

TOURIST BUREAU—

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Coastal Bend areas.

Among the Rockport people attending the meeting were Carl Krueger, Jr., Jerre Ledbetter, Emory M. Spencer, who are directors of the Bureau, and the following guests: Homer Faber, Jack Sanders, Burl Wagley, William J. Sprigg, Hugh Johnson, Gene Clynne, Byron T. Hardeman, Mrs. Denver Agler (Corky), Arlo Hansen, Port Little and John Kinsey.

Bob Conwell, executive vice president of the Tourist Bureau, distributed material pertaining to the tourist industry. One report was on "What decides a tourist on where he wants to visit?"

According to a study made for the Knoxville Tourist Bureau by the Department of Statistics at the University of Tennessee, the answers were:

Advertising 37%. Newspaper stories, radio, TV, 28%.

Conventions, events and tours, 30%.

A previous visit 36%.

Friends 32%.

Some people, naturally gave more than one reason. That's why the total exceeds 100%.

What attractions to tourists look forward to on their vacations?

Conwell reported that a study by the Florida Development Commission revealed the following answers:

No. 1 is Beaches and Swimming, 63%.

No. 2 is atmosphere of relaxation and fun, 47%.

No. 3 is Fishing, Hunting and Boating, 46%.

No. 4 is Historical Places, Museums and National Parks, 39%.

No. 5 is Natural Scenery, 33%.

No. 6 is Sports, 31%.

No. 7 is Parks and Picnics, 29%.

No. 8 is Commercial Attractions, 24%.

No. 9 is Dancing and Night Life, 13%.

No. 10 is a variety of little things. Again, multiple responses made the total more than 100%.

TRAVIS BAILEY
BUYS REGISTERED
ANGUS BULLS

Travis Bailey of Rockport recently purchased three Aberdeen-Angus bulls from A. E. Englehardt of George West.

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COMING EVENTS

Dec. 17: Square dance every Friday night at Fulton Beach. The Commissioners Court will meet. Sam Porterfield and Rhonda Lee Bauknight will celebrate their birthdays.

Dec. 18: Clyde Barre and David Lang will observe their birthdays.

Dec. 20: Seaman's Lions Club, Fulton Lions, Eastern Star and Rockport Business and Professional Women's Association will hold meetings. Mrs. Ken Jurgens and Royce Itschner will have birthdays.

Dec. 21: VFW Auxiliary will meet.

Dec. 23: Rebekah 88 will meet. Rosetta Givan will observe her birthday. Roy and Birdelle Norton will celebrate their wedding anniversary.

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POT LUCK DINNER AT MOBILE INN PARK

The residents and visitors enjoyed a pot luck dinner in the recreation hall on Dec. 10 at Mobile Inn Park.

Honored guests who were observing birthdays were Mrs. Fleetwood Giles of Rockport, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Blumer of Minneapolis.

The main course was barbecued venison furnished by Henry Schnabel after a successful hunting trip near Mason, and barbecued by the men in the park.

Residents and guests of Mobile Inn Park enjoying this special treat were: Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Avery, Laramie, at Mobile Inn Trailer Park Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McConn, Cleveland, Ohio; W. F. Blumer, Minneapolis, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Staner, Baytown; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayer, San Antonio;

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ebert, Rockport; and Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood Giles, Mr. and Mrs. Hinie Gerlach, Mr. and Mrs. George Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schnabel, Mrs. K. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Woody, and Susan Woody, all of Mobile Inn Park.

A year is more than 31,000,000 seconds long.

OLDER STUDENTS NOW RECEIVE SOCIAL SECURITY

The 1965 social security amendments made many changes in the social security program, one of which is the payment of benefits to a child of a retired, disabled, or deceased worker up to age 22, if he is a full-time student, H. M. Cleveland, social security district manager in Corpus Christi, reported.

Benefits can be paid for a vacation period of up to four months if the child intends to continue in school after the vacation.

If payments were stopped when the child became 18, he may have benefits started again by filing a new application, if he is a fulltime student and has not been married. If the child is over 18 and under 22 when one of his parents becomes entitled to benefits or dies, he may be eligible for social security benefits beginning as early as January 1965.

A child who is receiving social security benefits and is not yet 18 should get in touch with the social security office a few months before his 18th birthday, if he is a full-time student, to see about having his benefits continued, Cleveland said.

A leaflet, "Social Security Benefits for Students Up to Age 22," is available without charge at your social security office located at 1802 South Staples Street, in Corpus Christi. If you have any questions about benefits for students, write or call the office and ask for this leaflet. The telephone number is TU 3-5511.

CHIMES, NOT CRIMES

Many of our "friends"—some of them in hysterics—called to our attention that there was an error in a heading in last week's Pilot in the feature called "Do You Remember?"

In bold face type under the "10 year ago" part appeared these words, "CRIMES INSTALLED AT METHODIST CHURCH." Somehow or other, "Chimes" came out "Crimes."

To all Methodists, we say "Please forgive us and may your chimes peal mellifluously for many years." Wouldn't it be terrible if "peal" came out "peel?"

Records show that a woman may have up to ten cesarean operations performed on her with little or no danger.



COUNTRY COOKING. The delicious site of golden, puffy home-made breads and jewel-toned jams is familiar this time of year as home baking contests are held at small-town fall fairs across the country. Judges report a resurgence of interest in yeast baking among women. — WFS Photo.

FULTON PTA

The Fulton Elementary PTA met Dec. 8. Hostess for the hour was Mrs. J. O. Funderburk. The meeting was opened with the Pledge to the Flag led by W. C. Underwood, School Principal.

The meditation was given by Mrs. Charles Dryden. Reading of the minutes was by Mrs. Penny D. Baldwin. Statement of the treasury was given by Mrs. J. O. Funderburk. Mrs. Harold Oakman announced that the PTA had 90 paid-up members.

Charles Dryden gave a report about the state convention she attended last month. Mrs. Billie Griffith, 4th grade class, won the room count prize.

The program was introduced

by Mrs. Jerre Ledbetter on "Together We Help a Child by Working with Youth Development Organization." The speaker was Rev. Charles Fake who spoke about "A Child's Learning is Within the Home."

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Copano Land Co., et al, to Jan Hutsell, general warranty deed.

Emory M. Spencer to C. L. Hale, et ux, release of lien.

Cuero Federal Savings and

Loan Ass'n to Charles L. Hale, et ux, release of deed of trust.

Charles L. Hale, et ux to Ralph E. Brown, warranty deed.

James G. Kautz, et ux to United Savings Ass'n, deed of trust.

United Savings Ass'n to Key Allegro Dev. & Sales Co., partial release.

Key Allegro Dev. & Sales

Co. to Jack C. Carmichael, et ux, warranty deed, vendors lien.

Jack C. Carmichael, et ux to Key Allegro Dev. & Sales Co., deed of trust.

Key Allegro Dev. & Sales Co. to United Savings Ass'n, assignment.

Hugh S. Thompson et ux to Tessye Bell Maner, Tr., quit claim.

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Good news for telephone users:

Telephone excise tax reduction goes into effect January 1 for Texas customers

Effective January 1, 1966, the Federal Excise Tax on telephone service will be reduced from 10 to 3 per cent. Following the initial drop, the tax will be lowered 1 per cent each year until it is eliminated in 1969.

Telephone users will receive the full cash benefit from this tax reduction. The tax, which is levied directly on those who use telephone service, has been included on monthly telephone bills, and each month your tax payment has been sent on to the federal government. In effect, the telephone company has been a collection agency:

When the excise tax is eliminated in 1969, telephone users in Texas will save more than \$50 million annually. This will mean more than \$4 million a month added to Texans' spendable income.

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HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS
FROM YOUR STATE CAPITALBy: Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association

Many a hunter has left a deer to rot in the woods simply because he failed to check to see if his bullet hit the target.

Usually a deer falls or at least humps when struck by a high-velocity bullet. But there are many instances where mortally wounded deer ran spritely off after the shot, and didn't fall dead for as much as 100 yards. By then he has disappeared from view.

In his new book "Hunting the Whitetail Deer," Russell Tinsley points out that it is the obligation of every hunter to check thoroughly to determine whether or not he missed. Even though no blood may be present, a bullet-struck deer always leaves a calling card. A bullet will knock loose some hair. With a little experience the hunter actually can determine where he hit the deer solely by the type of hair left on the ground.

This is one of many facts covered in Tinsley's new 144-page book.

The author, who is outdoors editor of the Austin American-Statesman, was raised in the small hill country community of Mason, in the very heart of Texas' prime deer range. He bagged his first deer when he was nine years old and has missed very few seasons since getting that initial whitetail.

"Hunting the Whitetail Deer" is published in both hardcover (\$3.95) and paperback (\$1.50) and is available in local bookstores. Or it can be ordered direct from the publisher (Harper & Row, 49 E. 33rd St., New York, N. Y. 10016). If there's a hunter in your family, this book would make a fine Christmas present.

Tinsley comprehensively covers all phases of deer hunting. He gives some background on the whitetail deer in the opening chapter, then delves into such things as rifle and sight selection, bullet placement, equipment, stand and stalk hunting, hunting the storm fronts, advanced deer hunting, field dressing the deer and caring for and cooking venison.

Also he discusses bow hunting and preserving the trophy

There's even a chapter on that dreaded thing called buck fever.

In his chapter on selecting the rifle, Tinsley points out that while there is no "best" deer rifle, his vote is for either the .243 Winchester of the 6 mm Remington. He points out that these rifles shoot flatter and have more velocity. This means more knockdown power and surer kills.

He says a scope is much more than just a device for magnification. It also has the ability to gather and intensify light, making it easier to sight in early morning and late afternoon and on bleak overcast days. Furthermore, it has the ability to almost "see" through brush, making it much easier to place the bullet in a vulnerable area.

In bullet placement, the ideal shot, he says, is the so-called "high-lung shot." This is just behind the shoulder and gives the hunter much more margin for error. While the neck shot is fatal and ruins negligible meat, the neck of a deer is much smaller than most people imagine and is difficult to hit.

A heart shot also is, at best, a long-shot proposition, since the heart is set low in the body and any bullet placed in this region will destroy much meat.

One of the most neglected hunting methods, yet one of the most effective, is driving deer. Tinsley tells what it involves and how several hunters, working together, can make deer show themselves. A drive needn't be an elaborate thing; two hunters working together actually can drive and intercept deer.

In field-dressing deer, "how-to" photos show the step-by-step procedure.

Two of the handiest items the hunter can have, Tinsley explains, are a short length of rope and a plastic bag.

First use of the rope is to tie one leg of the deer out of the way while dressing the animal. Then later it is used to hang the deer where it can drain.

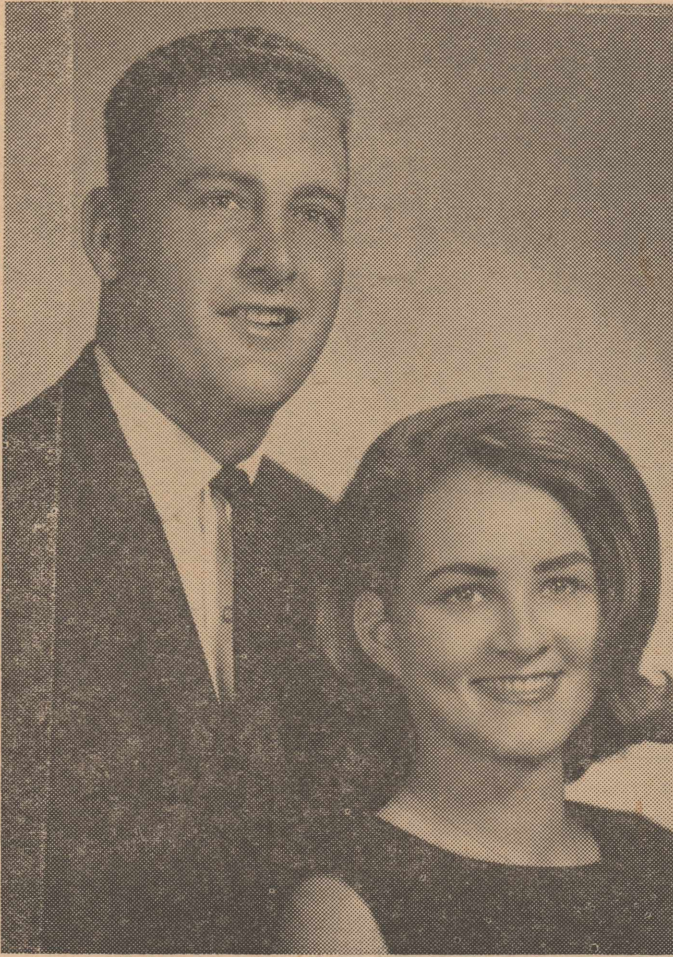
The plastic bag can be used to transport the liver and heart to camp, to prevent clothing from becoming bloody.

Texas should be proud of this book written by one of their native sons. And also happy to learn that its sales already run into the thousands.



IT WAS 20 YEARS ago this month that the late Gen. George C. Marshall, above, was sent by the U.S. to China, to mediate peace between Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist forces and Mao-Tse-tung's Communist rebels. A coalition government was agreed upon, but never formed. In 1949, the Communists secured full control of the mainland. — WFS Photo

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barnard of Rockport have announced the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Sharon to Leslie Haynes Stewart of Houston. The bride-elect was a graduate of Aransas County High School and Lamar Tech in Beaumont, and has been an employee of Tenneco in Houston for over a year, most recently serving as confidential secretary to the Chief Engineer. The prospective groom was graduated from the University of Tulsa, where he was on the football team, a member of the Lettermen's Club, Omicron Delta Kappa fraternity and was named Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. He now attends South Texas law school. He is the son of Mrs. Basil M. Stewart, 1502 Smallwood, Houston, and the late Mr. Stewart.

The wedding is planned for Jan. 29 at the Christ Church Cathedral in Houston.

New Tourist
Attraction Based
On Past Culture

One of the newest tourist attractions in Texas is based on a culture out of the past. It is the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation in the "Big Thicket" forest of East Texas and opened to the public for the first time this year.

Set amid picturesque woodland scenery and offering historical and educational fun for the whole family, it is the only Indian reservation in Texas. There is no charge for admission to the reservation which is located 17 miles east of Livingston on U. S. 190 (Livingston is approximately 74 miles northeast of Houston at the intersection of 190 and U. S. 59). However, travelers should plan on a visit from Tuesday through Saturday, as the reservation is closed on Sunday and Monday. The tourist season runs from March through November.

The reservation village features an arts and crafts shop offering a large selection of authentic Indian handicrafts, many of which are made from natural materials found on the reservation; a museum showing the colorful, interesting heritage of the Alabama and Coushatta tribes; and a dining room staffed by Indian waitresses and featuring tribal foods such as "cofkee" and "fry" bread plus short orders. Historical tribal dances are performed five times daily (11-1-2-3-4) by the "Na Ski La Dancers," and a nature trail is open with more than 100 plants and trees identified along the trail. For those who like their scenic wonders the easy way, a specially constructed vehicle is available to carry tourists along a three-mile road through the Big Thicket.

Although tourists are welcome at other hours, the museum, crafts shop and dining room are only open from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. on the days the reservation is open and the entertainment programs are scheduled during those same hours.

There are no overnight facilities for visitors on the reservation but motels are available in Woodville (16 miles east of the village) and Livingston.

According to tribal legend, the Alabamas and Coushattas once lived as neighbors in the land named Alabama by DeSoto in 1541. Later, the tribes moved west through the Southern woodlands and into what is now Texas about 150 years ago.

General Sam Houston reserved 1,280 acres of land for the Alabama tribe in 1854 and the Coushattas joined them to continue the peaceful existence the tribes enjoyed before the days of the DeSoto Expedition.

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THIS AND THAT

By
JOHN R. KINSEY

Twenty-seven years ago a man and his wife adopted a three-month-old baby son. Before taking this step they asked their minister, a psychologist and other experts, "Should we tell our boy he is an adopted son?"

Without exception, they were told by the authorities they should tell their son he was adopted as soon as he was able to comprehend. It was pointed out that many times when parents do not tell their youngsters they are adopted, tragic things happen. In some cases, adopted boys or girls learning the truth when they are teen-age suffer a shock that sometimes does irreparable damage. Some start on a futile search for their real parents.

Having become convinced that the experts knew what they were talking about, this couple started explaining things to their boy when he five years old and attending kindergarten. They explained that when it came time for them to have a baby they looked and looked at many babies and CHOSE their little boy as the one they wanted.

A short time later the youngster came home one day from kindergarten and said to his mother, "Let's play 'tend,' which was his way of saying, 'Let's play pretend.'"

His mother said, "O.K., let's play 'tend, what do we do next?"

Her son said, "Let's 'tend that I am a little boy looking for a nice mother and I look and look at lots of mothers and finally I choose you as the best mother in the world."

My wife will never forget this, nor will I.

OVER 15,000 DOE
PERMITS FOR SO. TEXAS

Through November, 15,471 antlerless deer permits were issued to 1,201 South Texas ranchers, according to T. D. Moore, regional wildlife restoration supervisor for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

The permits, designed for hunters, involve 1,392,253 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Leyton Brundrett and girls, of Portland, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Elmo Brundrett, and daughter.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

1-Short sleep

4-Bucket

8-Drink slowly

11-Girl's name

12-Ireland

13-Relain

15-Container

17-Beam

19-Greek letter

20-Number

21-Crowd

22-Man's nick-

23-Toward the

25-Ethiopian

26-Possesses

28-Animal's

29-Nahoor

31-Preposition

32-Before

33-Ship channel

34-Simian

35-Cry of crow

37-Pulverized

38-Heavenly

40-Exist

41-Partner

42-Cut

43-Distress

44-Footlike part

45-Babylonian

46-Ventilate

47-Conjunction

50-Delineate

52-Mountain

54-Guido's high

55-Sodium

56-The caama

57-Excavate

DOWN

1-Penpoint

2-Girl's name

3-Separated

4-Point of

5-Bell

6-Prefix: not

7-European

8-The heavens

9-That is

10-Pertaining to

14-Haul

16-Female ruff

18-Hebrew

21-Experts

22-Macaw

24-Conducted

25-Ethiopian

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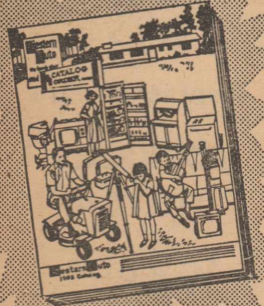
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NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF MARIE SEEFELD BAUGHMAN, DECEASED:

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Marie Seefeld Baughman, Deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 25th day of October, 1965, in the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that I now hold such Letters; a

All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and Post Office address are 707 Storywood Drive, Houston, Texas 77001.

DATED this 15th day of November, 1965.

Carl J. Seefeld, Independent Executor of the Estate of Marie Seefeld Baughman, Deceased, No. 775 in the County Court of Aransas County, Texas, Probate Docket.

STATE DRAFT BOARDS WILL INDUCT 1475 MEN IN JANUARY

Austin.—State draft boards are scheduled to induct 1,475 men into the armed forces in January, Col. Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service director, said Friday.

This compares with a quota of 1,523 in December and 1,456 in November. The January quota of 1,475 is the Texas share of a national call for 38,280 men, 29,300 for the Army and 8,980 for the Marine Corps.

Colonel Schwartz also announced that 9,575 men will be forwarded to examining and entrance stations during January to undergo the draft physical and mental examination.

Local board quotas for both induction and examination are scheduled to be placed in the mail to the boards Friday.

The January quota for induction will be filled with single and childless married men, 19 through 25 years old, and volunteers who have not attained the age of 26.

No married man with children, or an expected child, will be selected to fill the January call.

"Draft boards must have the information about children, of course," Colonel Schwartz said, "and an unborn child must be certified by a physician. Otherwise, a young husband and father may find himself selected."



SYMBOL OF CHRISTMAS. This youngster finds a stranger perched on his Christmas tree. Like any space-age boy, his interests take wing and the dove is made welcome. But the real symbolism is older than the space-age: Peace On Earth.—WFS Photo

WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS CHRISTMAS TOURIST PARTY

The Woman's Club met Dec. 13 at the club building for their Christmas tourist party. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Roy Burke, Mrs. Jones Christian and Mrs. W. C. Lonquist.

Mrs. R. L. Eckman presided

at the tea table which was laid with a beautiful Christmas cloth and held a Christmas arrangement. The hall was also decorated with Christmas trimmings and a large decorated Christmas tree. The register table held a miniature Christmas tree.

High in bridge was Mrs. Frank Boyle of Tucson, Ariz. Second high was Mrs. Al Smith of Rockport.

High in canasta was Mrs. Frank Nayer of San Antonio, and second high was Mrs. Falian of Yetter, Ia.

The final prize went to Mrs. J. F. Chaney and the door prize was presented to Mrs. William Christian of Denver, Colo.

The next tourist party will be held at the Woman's Club Jan. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Faucett spent the weekend in Uvalde, with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jackson and family.

FUN IN THE PRESS

A three-year old boy cried bitterly as a large, friendly dog bounded up to him and licked his hands and face. "What is it?" asked his mother. "Did he bite you?" "No," came the cry, "but he tasted me!"—N. C. Veterinarian.

Next time you're talking "from the shoulder"—try a bit higher up.—Rodney (Ont.) Mercury.

Mrs. Peters: "I followed your advice and went to the doctor and he told me to drink carrot juice after a hot bath."

Pharmacist: "Did the carrot juice taste good?"

Mrs. Peters: "I don't know. I'm still drinking the hot bath."—Prescription Health.

Ah, it's, autumn and foot. ball time! There's a nip in the air and some nipping in the stadium, too.—Griffin (Ga.) Daily News.

One Illinois newspaper reportedly enclosed pink slips with their papers recently which read: "This is a free ticket. It's not good for anything, it's just free. Compliments of the Great Society."—Arcola (Ill.) Record Herald.

An English politico was orating and shouted: "I was born an Englishman—I live as an Englishman—and I hope to die an Englishman."

From the audience came a voice: "Mon! Hae ye no ambition?"—Canadian Doctor.

A city problem is that the traffic goes in fits and starts, with pedestrians having most of the fits.—Brandon (Man.) Sun.

You can tell when you're getting old. Your feet hurt before you get out of bed.—Cut Bank (Montano) Pioneer Press.

Grasping at any and every angle to forestall cutbacks in the number of firemen on diesel locomotives, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen has started an essay contest for engineers. They are asked to write on "Why I Need a Helper." The more accurate title might be: "Featherbedding and I."—Milwaukee Journal.

In some cases the reference to the TV set as the "idiot box" is flattery at its highest level.—Boston Globe.

This is the time of year when the guy who spent all summer not mowing his grass prepares to spend a few weeks not raking his leaves.—Nashville Banner.

Robin Hood started the first war on poverty. Still, the suspicion lingers that the reason he robbed only the rich was that they were the only ones with the money.—San Diego Union.

An owl is the only bird that can look at an object with both eyes at once.—Poultry & Eggs Weekly.

Danish brides sometimes wear crowns at their weddings. Nothing like making who's who quite clear right from the start.—Port Arthur (Ont.) News-Chronicle.

The Roman Emperor Marcus, confiding to friends that he was spending 2.5 million



TOP SCORER. Gordie Howe of the Detroit Red Wings has scored more goals than any other player in National Hockey League history. Above, he shows the puck used to score his 600th goal, during a game against Montreal Canadiens. — WFS Photo

denari a year on gladiators, expressed the opinion that the bloody Roman games would have to be ended.

"The lions are eating up all the prophets," he complained. —Anderson (S.C.) Independent.

There was a time when a fool and his money were soon parted. Now it happens to everybody. — Regina (Sask.) Commonwealth.

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD FOR EVERETT BROWN

Funeral services for Everett A. Brown, 61 year old, who died last Friday at his home following a short illness, were held Saturday at Cage-Marshall Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Charles Fake, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery in Beeville.

Brown was born in Beeville and had been a resident of Rockport since 1949. He was a retired contractor and had served as constable for Aransas County for six years. He is survived by his wife, Mary.

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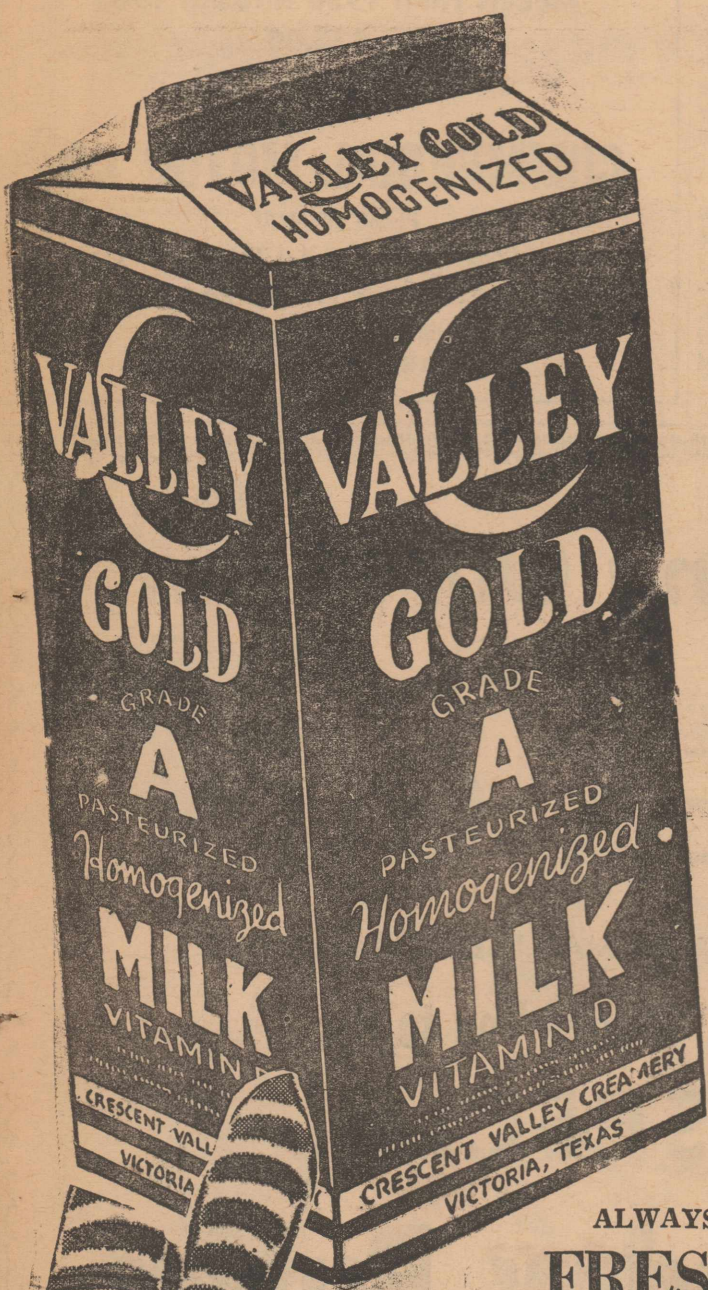
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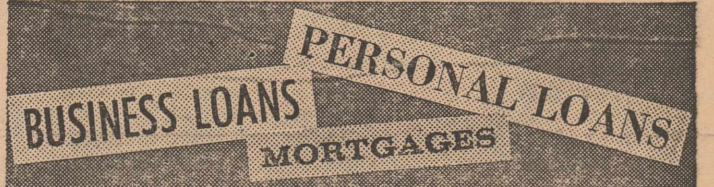
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FREE SHOW**First Boy Scout Troop Organized Here in 1931**

FIRST BOY SCOUT TROOP IN ROCKPORT — This photo, made Jan. 4, 1934, shows members of the original Troop 49 (organized in 1931).

Front row, left to right: Otha Eaves, an unidentified youth, Frank Wheeler, Pete Bracht, George Adolphus,

David Ainsley, Marvin Townsend, "Nothin" Kelly and Thomas Winslow.

Back row, left to right: Scoutmaster Gordon F. Stark, Cecil Smith, Jim Bart Jackson, Willie Robbins, Edward Barnard, Charles Wheeler, Frank Muska, Bill Gray and Harold "Mike" Townsend.

The early history of the Boy Scout movement in Rockport was traced by Otha L. Eaves of Cuero, who lived here from 1926 to 1937, in a recent letter to The Rockport Pilot.

Eaves, who is still active in Scouting as Scoutmaster of Troop 245 in Cuero, supplied the following information:

"Troop No. 49 was chartered on Aug. 31, 1931, with 18 boys registered and Father J. E. Sullivan the first Scoutmaster. Ralph Hossinger was the Assistant Scoutmaster who took us camping on weekends.

"The first meeting was held in the Bracht store building, next door to Prophet's Confectionery, but only a few meetings were held there as

we moved to the Community House.

"Edward Barnard was our first Senior Patrol Leader and also the Bugler. The initiation and registration fee was 50c and is the same today. We paid 5c dues and \$1 a year for Boy's Life, a Scout magazine. It costs \$1.50 today. The uniforms cost \$7.50, which during the depression was rather steep, so any of us wore old World War I uniforms.

"The Troop was rechartered in 1932 with Gordon Stark, a schoolteacher, the Scoutmaster, and Hossinger, the assistant. The Troop had 34 boys by this time and more boys on the waiting list. I will not attempt to name them as I

know I would be unable to remember all of them.

"We built four cabins by the bay near Nine Mile Point, using some chicken houses given to us by the Peterson chicken farm. Hossinger and two carpenters, a Mr. Turner and Mr. Kinser (I think were their names) helped us with the building.

"Several of us earned our carpentry merit badges on this project. The cabins were furnished with steel doubledeck cots which Hossinger got from Army surplus through the Simon Barber Post of the American Legion.

"We held camporees and other events there for about three years and Hossinger dreamed of having a permanent camp for the Gulf Coast Council on this site but he left town about this time and his dream was lost.

"The troop almost went under after he left as Hossinger had been the force that kept the interest up and many of the boys thought they would be unable to earn enough merit badges to reach the rank of Eagle so some of the older boys dropped out, among them

Edward Barnard who had attained the rank of Life Scout.

"I was promoted to Senior Patrol Leader after he left. We were fortunate to have a man on the committee who took over the job of Assistant Scoutmaster. He was H. W. Haveman, the manager of Central Power & Light Co. in Rockport. He became Scoutmaster in 1934.

"I do not recall who the men were that served on the committee, but I will try to name some of those who counseled us on our merit badges. Oscar Dye counseled on plumbing and electricity; Mr. Fox, on agriculture. Mr. Groesbeck and a woodwork shop and counseled on carpentry and woodwork. Bill Stevenson helped us with automobile and machinery knowledge.

"A. C. Glass taught Edward Barnard to blow the bugle. I am sure there are others that I am not naming but it has been so long ago, I just wish I could remember everyone and also the organization that sponsored us.

"I remembered the first Eagle Scouts as we all came from the Wolf Patrol—Frank



FIRST FOUR EAGLE SCOUTS (left to right): Frank Wheeler, David Ainsley, Otha Eaves and Charles Wheeler. H. W. Haveman (now the Postmaster at Orange Grove) was the Scoutmaster.

NEW BOOKS IN LIBRARY

New additions to the library include: The Big Play, Harold Rosenthal; How to Punt, Pass and Kick, Richard Pickens; The Boy's Life Book of Baseball Stories, William Mackellar, et al; The Boy's Life Book of Sports Stories, Jackson Scholz, et al; When Girls Meet Boys, Charlie Briggs, et al; The Flying Tigers, John Toland; Hop On Pop, Dr. Suess; Fox in Socks, Dr. Suess; The Cat in the Hat Comes Back, Dr. Suess. The above books are memorials given to the Children's Library.

The following are new books not as yet given memorial presentation cards, and the also appearing on the junior and young adult shelves:

The Cat in the Hat, Dr. Suess; Ten Apples Up on Top, Theo. LeSieg; I Wish That I Had Duck Feet, Theo. LeSieg; The Mystery of the Stuttering Parrot, Alfred Hitchcock; The Secret of Terror Castle, Alfred Hitchcock; The Boys' Life Book of Outer Space Stories, Editors of Life; A Visit to the Doctor, Knute Borger, M.D., Robert A. Tidwell, M.D., and Margaret Haseltine, M.N.;

Meet John F. Kennedy, Nancy Bean White; Meet Abraham Lincoln, Barbara Cary; Meet George Washington, Joan Heilbroner; The King, The Mice, and The Cheese, Nancy and Eric Gurney; Animals Do the Strangest Things, Leonora and Arthur Hornblow.

Other contributions included three boxes of good used books, presented by Herman Jenschke and the 1964-65 editions of The Wall Street Journal, presented by Jim Ballard.

Mrs. Henry Camehl has returned home from Dallas where she spent some time with her mother, Mrs. Grace Roberson, who underwent surgery and is doing nicely.

Wheeler, David Ainsley, Charles Wheeler and myself, Otha Eaves.

"I will always remember Jan. 4, 1934, as it was the high point of my youth. I have had many proud moments in my 48 years but I think the proudest was that night in the old Rockport Courthouse when my mother pinned my Eagle Badge one-eighth of an inch above the flap seam of my left pocket.

"Among those active in Scouting in Rockport in the 1930's, Gordon Stark became my brother-in-law and is living in Silver Creek, Wash. H. W. Haveman is the postmaster in Orange Grove, Texas and still working with the Scouts."

Edric Deason was admitted to John Sealey Hospital in Galveston last week for a checkup.

Tamara Camehl and Caroline Herbert spent last weekend at the University of Texas and in Dallas.

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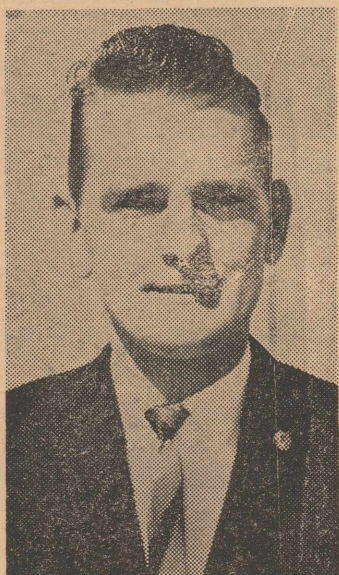
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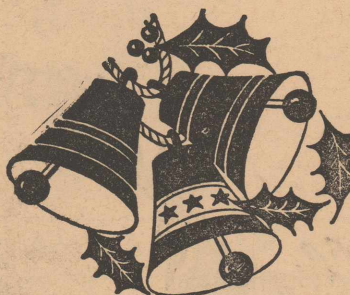
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