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May 14	85	77	0	29.80
May 15	83	61	1.57	30.12
May 16	79	64	0	30.26
May 17	80	70	0	30.28

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Local Boy Dies Following Ordeal in Bay

A 10-year-old boy died Tuesday morning in an Aransas Pass hospital after spending more than 24 hours tied to the mast of a sunken boat in Copano bay.

He was Patrick Dean Hynes, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hynes of Rockport. The boy was a fourth-grade student at Rockport Elementary School. He was born in Oklahoma City and spent most of his life at Portland before moving here with his family a short time ago.

The youth was tied to the mast by his father after their fishing boat sank about 10 a.m. Sunday in Copano Bay. Hynes held onto the mast, which stuck above the water, until they were rescued about 11 a.m. Monday.

The boy was suffering from exposure and near-drowning when taken aboard a boat by Eddie Keith, motor boat chief at the Point Comfort division of Alcoa.

The boat sank after the engine quit running. Waves rocked the boat, breaking a 30-gallon fuel tank loose which shifted and caused the boat to overturn.

Surviving, besides the parents, are three sisters, Mrs. John Turnbow of Austin, Mrs. William Gudim of Minneapolis, Minn., and Miss Molly Hynes of Rockport, and one brother, Michael Hynes of Rockport.

A Bible service for Patrick will be at 8 p.m. today Maxwell P. Dunne Funeral Service Chapel in Corpus Christi.

Funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. tomorrow at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Rockport with burial in Rockport Cemetery.

Junior High Exams Announced

The Junior High final exam schedule will be as follows:

Friday, May 26: 2:30-3:30, spelling test;

Monday, May 29: 8:15-8:30, home room; 8:30-10:00, seventh grade—math; eighth grade—H & PE; 10:00-10:25, break; 10:30-12:00, seventh grade—history; eighth grade—math; 12:00-1:00, noon; 1:00-1:45, supervised study (checkin textbooks); 1:45-2:00, break; 2:00-3:30, seventh grade—elective; eighth grade—science.

Tuesday, May 30: 8:15-8:30, home room; 8:30 - 10:00, seventh grade - reading; eighth grade—history; 10:00-10:25, break; 10:30-12:00, seventh grade - English; eighth grade—elective; 12:00-1:00, noon; 1:00-2:30, seventh grade—PE; eighth grade—English; 2:30, dismissal for summer.

All tests will be given by home room teachers and students should report to their home rooms for the tests. Exceptions:

1. The band test will be given in the band hall.
2. The choir test will be given in the choir room.
3. Boy's PE will be given in the gym.
4. Girl's PE will be given in the cafeteria.

Check Booklet Put Out By VFW

A booklet titled "Don't Give Your Money to Ball Point Bandits" was being distributed this week to merchants in the Rockport area by the Stewart-Wendell VFW Post 3904.

The booklet was prepared by Chief of Police Bob Hewes and financed through the courtesy of the First National Bank of Rockport.

PIANO RECITAL SET FOR MAY 21

Mrs. Neva Sorenson will present her pupils in a piano recital at the First Baptist Church at 3 p.m. Sunday afternoon, May 21. It is open to the public and everyone is invited to attend.

Alumni Association's 60th Anniversary Scheduled for May 30

The High School Alumni Association of Aransas County will observe its 60th anniversary, May 30 with a reception honoring the senior class of 1967 in the cafeteria of the Junior High School.

This function will take place immediately following the graduating exercises at Pirate Stadium.

Special recognition will be made of the first graduating class of 1907 and of three members of this year's class who represented the 3rd generation of Alumni members. To date there have been eight 3rd generation graduates inducted into the organization.

Members are urged to rally and salute their Alma Mater on this 60th anniversary of its organization. Dues are in order as soon as possible for the social committee to know how many to prepare for but will be accepted at the door when registering for your class.

The president, Mrs. Dixie Townsend Roe, will welcome the group and Mrs. Pauline Shults Rouquette will present a short program.

Miss McCready Gets Scholarship From B&PW Club

Miss Margaret McCready, a graduating senior at Aransas County High School, has been selected as the recipient of the annual scholarship awarded by the Business and Professional Women's Club.

Announcement was made this week at the club's installation of new officers in the Sandollar Colony Room. Miss McCready will use the scholarship to help pay expenses at Del Mar College where she will enroll this fall.

With Miss Iris Sorenson in charge of the candlelight installation ceremonies, the following ladies were inducted into office:

Mrs. Ruby Hart, president; Mrs. Virginia Shivers, first vice president; Mrs. Charlyne Hunt, second vice president; Mrs. Barbara Rogers, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Bernice L. Ingersoll, recording secretary; and Miss Elsie Hawes, treasurer.

Other members present were Mrs. Lois Schnepf, Mrs. Edna Hamilton, Miss Katie Lee Clarke, Mrs. Earline Ballou, Mrs. Buna Suttles and Mrs. Ettoil Eller.

Guests included Miss McCready, Mrs. Jack McCready and Miss Sorenson. Another feature of the evening was the exchange of gifts with "secret pals."

Mark Lang 4th In Intl. Science Fair

Mark Lang, 16, son of Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Lang, Jr., and a sophomore in high school, won fourth place in the National - International Science Fair competition in San Francisco May 9-13.

There were 425 entries in the Fair from nearly every state plus 45 entries from foreign countries. There were 13 first places of \$100 awarded. Next were 15 second places award of \$75 each. Mark was among 94 to receive a 4th place award of \$25.

Serving this year as some of the judges for this very competitive Fair were three American Nobel Prize winners. Chairman of the judges and Fair was Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, the outstanding American Nobel Prize Laureate, and outstanding radiochemist and physicist.

Mark's entry was "A study of the Digital Computer." At this point, several hundred dollars, and several hundred clock-hours of labor are wrapped up in this project. It presently adds, divides, multiplies, and subtracts.

In its completed stage the computer will be capable of having information fed into its "memory cells" and programmed and then will read-out answers. It will, as a completed project by Mark's Senior year, be a "Complete Read-out Computer," the same as NASA and Army and Navy use in their space programs.

Spring Musicale Set for Friday

The annual Spring Musicale will be presented in the high school gym Friday evening at 8:00. The public is urged to attend to hear the Junior and Senior high school music groups as they perform for the last concert of the season.

The groups participating are the seventh grade choir, the eighth grade choir, the high school a cappella choir and the instrumental groups from both the Junior and Senior high.

The program planned has taken into consideration your time and musical preference. These students would be honored by your presence. There is no charge.

County Not To Participate In Street Extension

The Commissioners Court voted at its latest meeting not to participate in work on proposed extension of Laurel Street across Highway 35 to Rockport Beach.

The Court gave as its reason that the property concerned "is on Navigation property and within the city limits of Rockport."

The street extension is recommended by the Chamber of Commerce to provide a left turn to the beach at Laurel Street for motorists proceeding south on Highway 35. The city has approved the project.

Other matters considered by the Court were: —M. W. Cochran requested that further engineering and attention be given to drainage on Enterprise Street. The Commissioners unanimously agreed to view present construction and status of Enterprise Street.

—Application was made for a water line to cross Fauqua Street, thence west down and along the south side of Bay Street, crossing Verne Street to Bethel Baptist Mission. The request was approved, provided that Commissioner W. B. Allen be advised at least two days in advance of work to be done and further providing that all road crossings and backfills meet with his approval.

—The report of James W. Hunt, County Service Officer, for the months of March and April was read and approved.

—Sheriff Joe Earl Hunt was given authority to purchase barbering equipment for the county jail.

School Program Given By VFW

On Wednesday morning a program was given at the Rockport Elementary School for the 4th, 5th and 6th grades.

The program sponsored by VFW Post 3904 was presented by Chief of Police Bob Hewes on a recent booklet distributed to the VFW by Lt. Gov. Preston Smith titled "Laws Teenagers Should Know."

The booklet was distributed to each student attending by members of the VFW and an explanation was made on specific laws that every teenager should have knowledge of.

New Art Guild Elects Officers

Jim Whitfill has been elected president of the newly formed Rockport Art Guild.

Other officers are Carl Duckworth, vice president; Mrs. Robert Little, secretary; Mrs. Jerry Wendell, publicity; and Mrs. Estelle Stair, chairman of show committee.

At a meeting Monday night in the Sandollar Colony Room the Guild decided to hold an art show in the downtown area June 30-July 4, featuring the work of local artists.

The paintings will be stored each night in the Woman's Club building and judging will take place there also. Announcement will be made later as to exactly where the art works will be exhibited each day.

Sewer Plan Given Okay

The city has authority to double the capacity of its municipal sewage treatment system, under a permit just approved by the Texas Water Pollution Control Board.

The board Monday authorized the city to discharge up to an average of 500,000 gallons per day of treated and disinfected municipal sewage effluent from a proposed treatment plant to be located north of the city limits.

The presently authorized volume of discharge is a maximum of 250,000 gallons per day.

The effluent will continue to be discharged into Tulle Ditch at the plant site in Aransas County, thence into Tulle Lake, thence into Little Bay immediately south of the north line of Little Bay Shores subdivision.

The permit was cleared with the shell fish sanitation program of the State Health Department.

Use of Buddy Poppy Funds Outlined By VFW Commander

In the belief that contributors are entitled to know where their money goes, Commander Bob Hewes of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 3904 today spelled out the exact channels into which all funds collected in the annual VFW Buddy Poppy sale are diverted. The VFW Post and Auxiliary will be selling Buddy Poppies on the streets of Rockport on May 27.

"The manner in which Buddy Poppy funds are spent," Commander Hewes said, "is regulated by our National By-Laws; they must be expended only for the relief and welfare of needy and disabled veterans." He stated that specific purposes for which these funds may be used are outlined as follows:

"For the aid, relief and comfort of disabled and needy veterans, their dependents and their widows and orphans.

"For maintenance or expansion of the VFW National Home for widows and orphans of veterans at Eaton Rapids, Mich.

"For hospital or individual assistance and entertainment for needy veterans or service patients, and their dependents.

"For rehabilitation, welfare and service work, including, liaison service with the Veterans Administration.

"For necessary expenses for military funerals of deceased veterans.

"For acquisition, improvement and maintenance of burial plots, and decoration of (continued on page 8)

Polio Vaccine Is Available

There is still polio vaccine available for all who have not had any. There were many Rockport area people who did not return for the second dose of polio vaccine.

If you will come to the Rockport Elementary School from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. or from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday for the next two weeks you will be given the vaccine by school nurse, Mrs. Thornton.

It is very important for all children to get the polio vaccine. There are many children from the age of six weeks to six years in this area who have not been protected against polio.

Teachers Association Elects Officers

The Aransas county unit of the Texas State Teachers Association has elected Joel Mixon president.

Other officers elected at the unit's meeting May 12 were Vernon Townsend, first vice president; Walter Richards, second vice president; Mrs. Linda Bradley, secretary; and Mrs. Cepha Jessee, treasurer.

Retiring president Pat Smith presided at the meeting in the Sandollar Colony Room. Supt. of Schools J. D. Gray presented service pins to faculty members and other employees of the school system.

Honored for five years of service were Mrs. Mattie Benningfield, Mrs. Ellen De Lamure, Mrs. Trinidad Garcia, Zenon Hernandez, Mrs. Jessee, Mrs. Phyllis Moore, Mrs. Ver-

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Country Club Barbecue May 21

The Live Oak Country Club barbecue and golf championship finals will be held Sunday, May 21. The barbecue will start at 5:30 p.m.

The annual Club Dance will be held Saturday, May 27 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., with music by Don Bennett's Orchestra.

The swimming pool is open every day except Monday for members and out-of-town guests.

United Fund Workshop May 19

There will be a Texas United Fund area workshop meeting Friday, May 19 from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Neptune Hall at Sea Gun Sports Inn, according to announcement by Mrs. Bernice Ingersoll, secretary of the local United Fund. All directors of the local United Fund and interested campaign workers are urged to attend.

\$20,000 May Be Allocated For Local Fishing Piers

Summer Recreation Program Scheduled

A second summer recreational program will be conducted at Aransas County High School due to the wide support received last summer.

All boys and girls in the county between the ages of 7-18 are invited to participate in this recreational program. The main purpose of the program is to build interest in track and field events, with emphasis placed on recreational group games.

Registration will be on June 12 in the high school gymnasium. All girls between the ages of 14-18 as of June 5, 1967, will register at 11 a.m. All boys between the ages of 14-18 as of June 5, 1967, will register at 5 p.m.

Miss Helen Schulze will be in charge of the girls. Coach Ben Bloomer and Coach Frank Stephenson will be in charge of the boys.

Boys and girls will be given an opportunity to participate in individual track and field events on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Speed drills and numerous group activities will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The group activities will include such sports as basketball, volleyball, badminton, tennis, tumbling, table tennis, trampoline, and archery.

The track program will be conducted in conjunction with the A.A.U. Track meets have been scheduled this summer between participants from Aransas County and participants from other schools. On June 17, June 24 and July 1, track meets will be held at Taft, Rockport, and Calallen, respectively.

High School In Safety Program

The National Commission on Safety Education of the National Education Association announced today that Aransas County High School is one of about 8,500 secondary schools enrolled in the 1966-67 National Student Traffic Safety Program. Participating schools represent all of the 50 states and the District of Columbia. American Oil Foundation, Chrysler Corporation, Firestone Tire and Rubber Co., and the Ford Fund contribute to the Program's operation through financial grants. The basic program of the National Commission on Safety Education, of which NSTSP is a part, is made possible by grants from the Automotive Safety Foundation. This represents the eighth year of continuous NSTSP activity.

The Program is designed to aid high school groups as they devote their energies toward a critical social concern — the safety and well-being of our citizens. Educators at all levels hail the activity as an outstanding example of involving youth in a serious community endeavor. The National Association of Secondary School Principals includes the NSTSP on its approved list of secondary school activities.

Program materials are prepared and distributed by the (continued on page 8)

11 Rural Traffic Accidents In April

There were 11 rural traffic accidents in Aransas county in April, according to a report by Lt. F. C. Carpenter, Region III, Texas Highway Patrol, Corpus Christi.

Six persons were injured and the total property damage was estimated at \$4,175. There were no deaths.

Sen. Patman and Rep. Wieting Pushing Bill In Legislature; Piers are 6,000 and 2,500 Foot Sections of Old Causeway

Two of the longest fishing piers in the world (located in the Rockport area) will receive \$20,000 in improvements if Senate Bill No. 597, by Senator Bill Patman of Ganado passes the Legislature this month.

The bill was passed in the Senate by Senator Patman during the Tuesday morning session. It now goes to the House for consideration, where it will be handled by Representative Leroy J. Wieting of Portland.

High School Exams Announced

The Aransas County High second semester examination schedule will be as follows:

Friday, May 26: 10:15-12:15—third period classes; 1:30-3:30—fourth period classes.

Monday, May 29: 8:15-10:15—second period classes; 1:30-3:30—fifth period classes.

Tuesday, May 30: 8:15-10:15—first period classes; 12:30-2:30—sixth period classes.

The regular first and second period class will meet Friday morning. No activity periods.

The second semester exam grade will count one-fourth of the semester grade. Example:
4th six weeks 84
5th six weeks 80
6th six weeks 90
Exam grade 70
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Semester grade 81

Two Automobile Accidents Here

Two auto accidents occurred in this area over the weekend, according to reports from State Highway Patrolman.

On Sunday morning, pickup trucks driven by Aubrey Cox of Corpus Christi and a local resident were involved in an accident at Highway 35 North and Prairie Drive in Fulton. Damage was minor. A State Highway Patrolman said he gave the local man a ticket for failing to turn left safely.

In the other crash on Saturday afternoon, a car driven by Jean Schexnider of Rockport struck the rear of an auto driven by Mrs. Mabel Chappel, Aransas Pass, on Highway 35 near the Union Carbon plant. A State Highway Patrolman gave Schexnider a ticket for failure to control speed to avoid an accident.

Commercial Fishermen To Receive \$2,850,643

The U.S. Department of the Interior announced today that commercial fishermen in the State of Texas have received approvals for \$2,850,643 to finance commercial fishing vessels.

The Department will insure mortgages on newly constructed vessels up to 75 percent of the total cost. The mortgages have maturities of 15 years and an interest rate of 6 percent.

Commercial fishermen may obtain direct loans from the Department to repair, equip and refinance operations of fishing vessels. These loans are limited to 10 years and the interest rate is 6 percent.

For more information on these programs, write to the Regional Director, Bureau of BCommercial Fisheries, P. O. Box 6245, St. Petersburg Beach, Fla. 33736.

NOTICE

There will be a dance at the Youth Center Friday evening, May 19 from 9:30 until 12:30. Admission will be \$1.00 and age limit 14 and over. Music will be furnished by the Liberty Bells formerly the "Zulus."

To Distribute Survey Cards

Postmaster Maynard Rowan reminds rural patrons of the Rockport Post Office to be on the lookout for June Livestock Survey cards. Next week, mail carriers will leave survey cards in a sample of boxes along their routes.

USDA bases livestock and poultry estimates on replies to this survey. It is important for everyone who gets a card to fill it out and return it to the carrier. This way, USDA gets a representative sample of the area's livestock and poultry holdings.

The carrier assisting with the survey is J. D. Hesseltine, Star Route 1.

Survey cards will be forwarded to Cary D. Palmer, State Agricultural Statistician, in Austin. After adding and analyzing these cards, USDA statisticians are able to estimate the State's milk production, calf and pig crops, lamb and wool crops, and the number of hens and pullets.

Information from this survey will guide livestock and poultry producers in making important business decisions.

Miss Bonner Named 'Hon. Atty. General'

Miss Lola L. Bonner attorney, has been named "Honorary Attorney General" of the State of Texas, and Mrs. R. L. Hart, Mrs. H. F. Elliot and Mrs. R. L. Eckman have received "Certificates of Appreciation" from Sen. William N. (Bill) Patman.

All four ladies served as hostesses at the Patman "Governor for a Day" ceremonies in Austin on March 28.

Other appointments were "Honorary Editor of the Texas Gazette" bestowed on publishers Roy Rogero and Roy Woods of The Pilot. Their wives were named "Honorary Assistant Editors."

NOTICE

Registration for Kindergarten at Sacred Heart School will be held May 26 from 9 a.m. till 12. There will be two classes and the children must be 5 before Sept. 1.



SALVAGING GOODS from her burning home set afire by U.S. troops is a Vietnamese woman. Marines were attacked by snipers the night before.

PRESBYTERIAN CIRCLE
HOLDS MEETING

Circle No. 1 of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. Jones Christian on May 11, with 10 members present.

Mrs. L. V. Clark moderated the lesson concerning how Jesus Dealt with the problem of the rich young ruler who wanted to live right. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

TUMILSON ASSIGNED
TO VIETNAM

Army Private First Class Ray O. Tumilson, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Tumilson, was assigned to the 1st Air Cavalry Division in Vietnam, April 22.

A supply handler in Supply Company of the division's 15th Supply and Service Battalion, Pvt. Tumilson entered on active duty in June 1966 and was last stationed at Ft. Hood, Texas.

Fulton Cemetery
Association Meets

A meeting of the Fulton Cemetery Association was held at Fulton Fire Station Monday.

Through membership fees, annual dues and donations, the association hopes to have sufficient funds to clean and mark all unmarked graves and drill a well.

Charles Marshall of Cagle-Marshall Funeral Home has donated aluminum name plate markers.

Anyone interested in the restoration and upkeep of Fulton Cemetery is urged to contribute. Donations may be mailed to Fulton Cemetery Association, c/o Mrs. Mable Burke, secretary - treasurer, Box 155, Fulton.

Anyone knowing the place where relatives or friends are buried is asked to contact the association or call SO 4-6928 so the graves can be properly marked.

Membership fees are \$3 and annual dues \$5 per year. The next meeting will be May 29 at 7:30 p.m. at Fulton Fire Station.

FOUR REGISTER
WITH DRAFT BOARD

Four local 18-year-old youths registered in April with Draft Board No. 107 at Sinton.

They were Leslie E. Casterline, Jr., of Fulton and Innocencio Cruz, Jr., Dean P. Griffin and Jerry K. Ray of Rockport.

Pres. Johnson is six feet, three inches tall.

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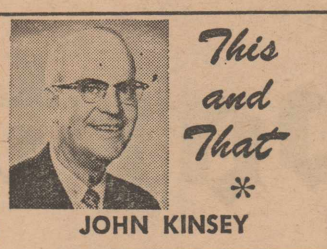
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Every once-in-a-while a local organization plans some big affair a month or so in advance and at the last minute it is discovered that some other group has planned an event for the same day.

Many times it is too late for either organization to postpone its meeting because of reservations, etc. The result is that each affair is poorly attended simply because people can't attend both sessions.

Seeking a solution for this problem, Ed Harper, president of the Chamber of Commerce, has come up with an idea which offers a method of avoiding duplication of meeting dates.

Harper has offered the services of the Chamber of Commerce office to be a clearing house for all major events. All organizations are given the opportunity to call Miss Susan Hulet, secretary of the Chamber (SO 4-6445) to list the date and place of a forthcoming event planned to attract a large segment of the folks in this community.

Susan will maintain a listing of all such events. If a group plans a dinner dance for, say July 17, a call to the Chamber office will quickly reveal whether some other organization has booked some event for that date.

A lot of our friends met my wife's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merve Sours of Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., when they visited us a few weeks ago. Merve and Thelma "fell in love" with Rockport and the friendly people here, and said they hope to retire here within a year or so.

I regret to report that Mrs. Sours had a heart attack May 15 and is now under treatment at Wisconsin Rapids Hospital.

BETHANY CLASS
HOLDS MEETING

The Bethany Class of the First Baptist Church met last Monday night in the home of Mrs. W. L. Thorman. Mrs. Teresa Owens was co-hostess.

The meeting was called to order by Lillian Sorenson, vice-president. Mrs. Mary Wright gave a prayer to begin the meeting. Mrs. Olga McLester presented the devotional.

Business was discussed and reports were given. The meeting was closed with a prayer. The social hour was highlighted by a demonstration of making flowers from feathers and arranging them for various occasions. Mrs. McLester acted as instructor.

The hostesses served cake, punch and coffee. The following members were present.

Mrs. McLester, Mrs. Gladys Cessac, Mrs. Sue Moss, Mrs. Mary Wright, Mrs. Mellene Shults, Mrs. Esther Ballou, Mrs. Lillian Sorenson, Mrs. Pearl Ivey, Mrs. Lahoma Roaten, Mrs. Nadine Goodman, Mrs. Thorman and Mrs. Owens.

Visitors were Mrs. Pearl Bledsoe of Fulton and her mother, Mrs. W. O. Benfield of Houston, and Mrs. J. J. Alexander of Refugio.

U. S. farmers produce about 170 million tons of grain yearly.



NEANDERTHAL woman Hollywood style, is lovely Bernice Swanson, cast as a slave girl in the upcoming movie, "Prehistoric Women."

Rockport Elementary
PTA Convenes

The Rockport Elementary School PTA met for its regular meeting on Tuesday night, May 16, in the auditorium of the school.

The meeting was called to order with the pledge to the flag led by the president, Mrs. Charles Smith. During the business meeting, reports were given by Mrs. G. P. Howland, Mrs. Eugene Domaschk and Mrs. Benny Bloomer.

Mrs. Bloomer, finance chairman, reported that ten wind-maker fans had been ordered and should arrive shortly.

Mrs. Jerry Anderson introduced the program speakers, T. E. Dannelly, J. B. Bloomer and Mrs. Alma Pournier.

Dannelly told the group about the Head Start Program and what it consisted of. He explained that it is an educational program, a health services program, and provides food services.

The school will begin June 7 and run until Aug. 2 from 8 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

Teachers for the school are Mrs. Cepha Jessie, Mrs. Hazel Prophet, Mrs. Bertha Gilley, and Mrs. Dorothy Roe. Albert Griffith is director of the school and anyone seeking information can contact him.

Bloomer spoke on the Summer Recreation Program to start June 12. He explained that the program in designed to create an interest in sports and that many activities are being planned. Helping Bloomer this summer will be Frank Stephenson and Miss Helen Schulz.

Mrs. Pournier spoke on the Summer Reading Clinic. She explained the purpose of the clinic and expects to have about 50 students in the program that begins June 6 and ends July 14. Mrs. Tom Moore will help her with the program.

Pat Smith was given recognition as the principal of the new elementary school, Live Oak Elementary.

The installation service was then conducted with Mrs. Jerry

Harper serving as installing officer. Each officer received a miniature gavel as she was presented.

Installed were Mrs. Jerry Anderson, president; Mrs. Billy Rice, 1st vice president; Mrs. Pete Ramirez, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Gary Smith, 3rd vice president; Mrs. Jerry Harper, recording secretary; Mrs. Elroy Parr, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Bill Kelsay, treasurer.

Mrs. Charles Smith expressed her gratitude to the officers who served with her. In the meeting she failed to mention the names of her secretary, Mrs. G. P. Howland and her treasurer, Mrs. Eugene Domaschk, and asked that this means of thanking them be taken.

Mrs. Jerry Anderson, incoming president, adjourned the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Owens of Raymondville, Mrs. Grace Meider of Robstown, Mr. and Mrs. James Ballard and Susan were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mrs. Mellie Edmison.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 8 p.m. on June 9, 1967 at the County Courthouse at Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for the above-named county.

As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the

setting of seasons, bag limits, and means and methods of taking certain game, fish and fur bearer species in Aransas County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

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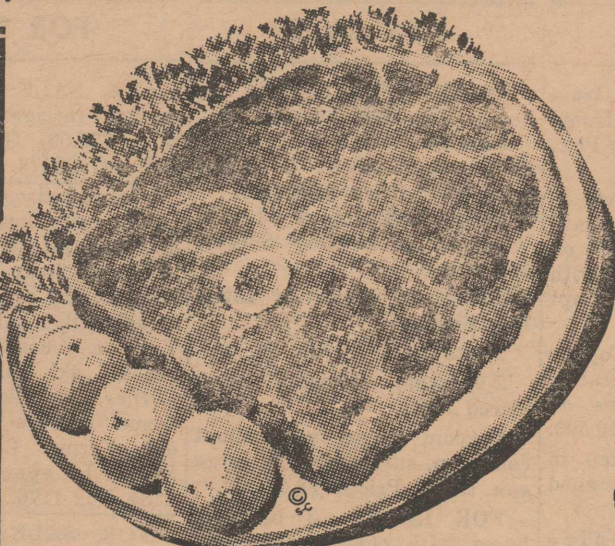
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TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Jimmy Hunt entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Members playing were Mrs. Homer Faber, Mrs. Arlo Hansen, Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. Tom Rogers, Mrs. Roy Woods and three guests, Mrs. Fred B. Hunt, Miss Lillie Fahr and Mrs. William Mills of Fort Worth.

High score was won by Mrs. Arlo Hansen and Mrs. Chester Johnson was second high.

VICKI WHITE WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Miss Vicki White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. "Bill" White, was awarded a scholarship by the Athenian Club on Recognition Days, May 9 at Del Mar College. On Thursday evening she was a guest at a dinner honoring scholarship winners and their donors.

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LOST: One dark brown laminated ski in ski basin Sunday afternoon. \$10.00 reward. Call H. E. Fish, FL 8-2505, Beeville, collect. p8

Lunchroom Menus

The following lunchroom menus will be offered in the public schools next week:

Monday, May 22: Baked macaroni with cheese, broiled bacon, buttered English peas, combination salad, bread, butter, fruit bars, milk.

Tuesday, May 23: Meat loaf, gravy, mashed potatoes, carrot-pineapple salad, bread, butter, apple crisp, milk.

Wednesday, May 24: Steamed frankfurters, baked beans, green salad, bread, butter, lazy daisy cake, milk.

Thursday, May 25: Roast beef, gravy, buttered steamed rice, ambrosia salad, hot rolls, butter, ice cream, milk.

Friday, May 26: Cup of orange juice, chicken salad, seasoned green beans, stuffed celery, bread, butter, iced cake squares, milk.

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

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Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Doshier of Amarillo were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Christian. While here they were honored with several parties.

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Furnished cottage, paneled, built-ins. Like new. Inviting yard with many trees. Only \$5,000.

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Tract of land with paved street two sides, 166x400 ft. Priced to sell \$6,500.

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B. M. ETHERIDGE DIES

Billy Maxwell Etheridge, 42, a former resident of Rockport died at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday in a Alice Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Holmgreen Mortuary with burial in Alice Cemetery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jones

Texas Trails In Financing Public School System

Texas, growing in population and school enrollment at a faster clip than the nation as a whole, trails behind in financial commitment to its crowded public school system.

These are facts set forth in a new publication of Texas State Teachers Association, "Where Texas Ranks: Vital Statistics About Our Standing In Public School Education."

The statistics, gathered from a variety of official sources, show Texas' population has grown by 12.3 per cent since 1960 compared to a national growth rate of 9.1 per cent. This boom in population placed Texas as the 16th fastest growing state in the nation in population and as the 9th most highly urbanized state.

And school enrollment in Texas has grown by 41.8 per cent over the last decade compared to a national enrollment growth of 37.5 per cent. Texas ranks today as the number three state in public school enrollment with more than 2.5 million pupils.

But while the state's population and school enrollment have zoomed upward the amount of money spent per each pupil in the state has failed to keep pace.

Nationally, per pupil expenditures have increased in the last decade by 88 per cent while in Texas the increase has been only 72.7 per cent.

Thirty-six other states have increased their per pupil expenditures at a greater rate than Texas in the last 10 years.

Sunday School Class Meets

The Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church held their class meeting Monday night, May 15 in the home of Mrs. Melvin Mills with Mrs. C. W. Brisbin as co-hostess.

Mrs. M. D. McNorton said the blessing before a salad supper was served. The class song was sung and the class aim and motto were repeated. Mrs. O. T. Walls led in prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Old and new business was discussed. Mrs. Bobby Landrum gave the devotion on "Worrying and Fretting" and read Psalm 37-8.

The meeting closed with a friendship circle and prayer led by Mrs. Norman McLead.

Members attending were Mrs. M. D. McNorton, Mrs. Jack Washburn, Mrs. C. W. Brisbin, Mrs. Steve Clark, Mrs. Gordon Carpenter, Mrs. W. E. Jackson, Mrs. L. T. Walls, Mrs. C. E. McElveen, Mrs. Bobby Landrum, Mrs. Norman McLead, Mrs. J. W. Stevens, Mrs. Gordon Carpenter and Mrs. Melvin Mills.

Humming birds like to visit places where the cardinal flower grows.

A RESOLUTION

Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Trustees of the Aransas County Independent School District, a student in the Aransas County High School, namely, Barbara Jean Davis, has exhibited natural talent, perseverance in the pursuit of learning, and diligence and application of time to the tasks set before her, and has demonstrated this ability by being selected as the State of Texas "Miss Future Teacher of America," and,

Whereas the Board of Trustees is of the opinion that such ability should not go unrecognized by the citizens of the Aransas County Independent School District, and,

Whereas the Board of Trustees wishes to encourage Barbara Jean Davis in the continuance of her education in her chosen field, Therefore, be it

Resolved that the Board of Trustees takes formal notice of the accomplishment of Barbara Jean Davis, and commend her on the excellent work she has done, and wishes her well in all her future undertakings, and be it

Resolved further that this Resolution be made a permanent record of the Aransas County Independent School District, a copy, signed by the President and Secretary of the Board of Trustees, be given Barbara Jean Davis, and a copy published in The Rockport Pilot, a newspaper published in Rockport, Texas.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1967.

H. F. Elliot, President
Board of Trustees of the Aransas County Independent School District

(SEAL)
Attest:
S. P. Roatan, Secretary

Rebekah News

Mrs. Betty Fausey, noble grand, presided at the Rockport Lodge May 11 with 20 members present.

Mrs. Ora May, Miss Augusta Deane, Mrs. Lucille Brown and Mrs. Georgia Haynes, all reported ill.

Mrs. Harriet King, district deputy president, informed the lodge she would make an official visit to the Rockport Lodge soon.

Miss Katie Lee Clarke, Mrs. Gladys Mullan and Mrs. Ora May served a delicious salad course after lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Scott were in Houston over the weekend where they attended the Houston Open Golf Tournament. They were met in Houston by Ernie Brant.

Roy Burke who recently had eye surgery is now at home and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Camehl and Tamara of Corpus Christi spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Camehl.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank all those who were so kind and thoughtful to send flowers, cards, food and to help in any way they could during the illness and death of my husband, Carl Schiller.

p8 Mrs. Carl Schiller

Letters to the Editor

Dear Sir:

You will be befriending a poor fellow Christian if you will publicize:

Lonely widow, age 62, former school teacher, who loves to fish, would like a job as companion to a respectable person living on the coast who likes to travel and to fish.

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We, the Ladies Auxiliary of Dudley Ives VFW Post 6386 of Ingleside would like to take this opportunity to publicly thank Pepe Sombrano, Rockport barber, for his professional grooming and barbering for the senior citizens living at the Bayview Nursing Home which is our project. Also a special thanks to the employees and nurses for their wonderful hospitality and aid in helping us make this possible.

VFW Ladies Auxiliary, Ingleside, Texas.

Many Have Diabetes But Don't Know It

Approximately two out of every 100 Texans have diabetes, and one-half of them do not know it. Based on statistics from the U. S. Department of Commerce, there are 108,200 undetected diabetics in Texas.

Although diabetes is ranked seventh among the ten worst killing diseases, it can be controlled with modern treatment if it is discovered soon enough.

Most likely candidates for diabetes are those with relatives who have diabetes, people who are overweight, and those over 40 years of age, especially women. It can, however, hit anyone at any age. Symptoms in advance cases include excessive thirst, constant hunger, frequent urination, loss of weight, itching, easy tiring, changes in vision and slow healing of cuts and scratches. People can also have diabetes with no symptoms at all.

In an effort to find the undetected diabetic, the Texas Medical Association is urging individuals to ask their doctor about the simple and easy diabetes test if they are among those most likely to have the disease or who notice any of the unusual symptoms of the disease.

Diabetes is a chronic condition which develops when the body cannot make use of certain foods, especially sugars and starches. It cannot be cured but it can be controlled in most patients with a minimum of discomfort. Neglect of the disease can lead to such complications as heart disease, failing eyesight, hardening of the arteries, kidney disorders, gangrene, cerebral hemorrhage and diabetic coma.



BUILDING BOYS, as well as men, Marines at St. Petersburg, Fla., now have a drill program for youngsters, who meet three hours each weekend.

A RESOLUTION

Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Trustees of the Aransas County Independent School District, a student in the Aransas County High School, namely Thomas Allen Lewis has brought honor to the school and community by winning the State Championship in the Shot Put and Discus Throw at the 1967 State Track Meet at Austin, Texas, and,

Whereas the Board of Trustees is of the opinion that such ability should not go unrecognized by the citizens of the Aransas County Independent School District, and,

Whereas the Board of Trustees wishes to encourage Thomas Allen Lewis in the continuance of his education in his chosen field, Therefore, be it

Resolved that the Board of Trustees take formal notice of the accomplishment of Thomas Allen Lewis, and commend him on his excellent work, and wishes him well in all his future undertakings, and be it

Resolved further that this Resolution be made a permanent record of the Aransas County Independent School District, a copy, signed by the President and Secretary of the Board of Trustees, be given Thomas Allen Lewis, and a copy published in The Rockport Pilot, a newspaper published in Rockport, Texas.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1967.

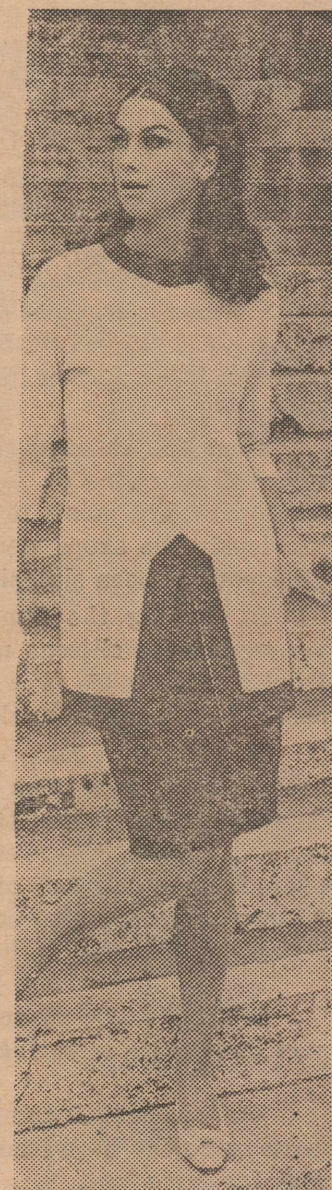
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(SEAL)
Attest:
S. P. Roatan, Secretary

Oil News

Standard Oil Co. of Texas No. 1 State Tract 695-L, Aransas County proposed 8,000-foot Miocene wildcat 20 miles east of Aransas Pass, is 1,320 feet from the north line and 2,600 feet from the west line of the tract.

Mount Elbrus in Russia was formed by two now extinct volcanic cones.



SHARP CONTRASTS dramatize this dress designed by Gino Paoli. The simply tailored tunic artfully picks up bright colors of the Italian knit skirt. It comes in camel-charcoal, bone-olive, and beige-green.

Miss Priscilla Carleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Carleton, was awarded a scholarship by the 21 Student Club of Corpus Christi and was honored as an outstanding student at Del Mar College's 16th annual recognition day on May 9.



BIKE CHAIN, SPOON, and old iron salvaged from a junkyard make up this creation called "Potbellied Defense" by Sergio Lanzavecchia of Italy.

A RESOLUTION

Whereas in the opinion of the Board of Trustees of the Aransas County Independent School District, a student in the Aransas County High School, namely Mark Stiles Lang has exhibited natural talent, perseverance in the pursuit of learning, and diligence and application of time to the tasks set before him, and has demonstrated this ability by winning first place at the Regional Science Fair, and thus becoming a finalist at the Eighteenth International Science Fair held in San Francisco, California, and,

Whereas the Board of Trustees is of the opinion that such ability should not go unrecognized by the citizens of the Aransas County Independent School District, and,

Whereas the Board of Trustees wishes to encourage Mark Stiles Lang in the continuance of his education in his chosen field, Therefore, be it

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Stephen Carleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Carleton, was host for the annual beach party attended by Sigma Chi fraternity of Texas A&I University. Approximately 30 couples attended the beach activities followed by a dinner at their Crescent Beach summer home in Fulton.

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Junior-Senior High PTA Holds Meeting

The Aransas County Junior and High School PTA met Monday night in the high school auditorium.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Philip Baldwin by saying the pledge of allegiance. The invocation was given by Chester Barre, principal of the High School.

Miss Annette Berger presented an excellent musical program with a number of selections from her two choirs.

Minutes of the secretary were read and the treasurer's report and a report on the district certificate were presented honoring E. G. Brooks. Miss Gay Lee Mayfield with a 96 average will receive the scholarship from the PTA.

Mrs. J. W. Aiken of Sinton, publicity chairman of State Congress of PTA, was introduced by Mrs. Baldwin.

Mrs. Aiken installed the following officers for 1967-68:

President, Mrs. Melvin Moore; first vice president, Mrs. Tessie Maurer; second vice president, Mrs. Donald Meek; third vice president, Ben Howard; recording secretary, Miss Annette Berger; corresponding secretary and publicity, Mrs. M. L. Hulett; treasurer, Mrs. Jack Sparks; historian, Mrs. Ed Setterbo.

A social followed with Mrs. Noah Taylor and Mrs. Jack Sparks serving punch, coffee and cookies. The table was laid with an ecru lace cloth and held a beautiful floral maypole furnished by Gayna's Flower Shop.

VFW AUXILIARY HOLDS MEETING

The Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW held their regular meeting Tuesday night with nine members present.

A short business meeting was held and four new members were initiated. New members taking the obligation were Mrs. Hazel Murdock, Mrs. Ed Godde, Mrs. Denver Agler and Mrs. Ruth Peters.

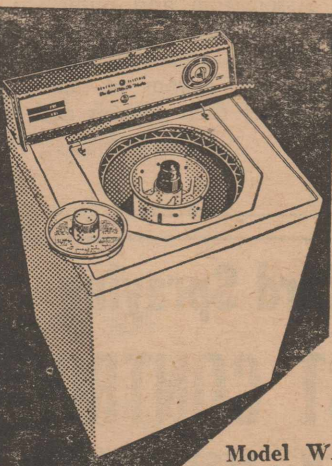
Mrs. Charles Garrett is the poppy chairman for the auxiliary and will be assisted by other members of the auxiliary.

Refreshments of punch and cake were served.

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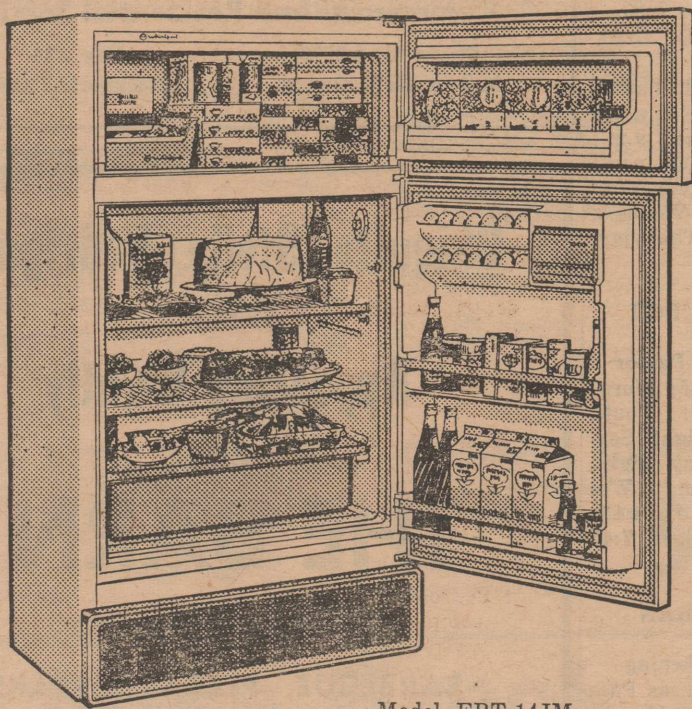


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Do You Remember?

From The Pilot Files — 10 Years Ago

JOE CALDWELL NEW DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Joe Caldwell has been appointed District Attorney of the 36th District Court to replace John Miller who was elevated to the judgeship following the recent death of Judge W. G. Gayle of Beeville.

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COUNCIL CONSIDERS SUBDIVISION PLATS

The City Council considered plats of new subdivisions submitted by County Surveyor James A. Jarboe. Tule subdivision No. 2 in Little Bay Shores was the first approved. Action on the plat of Fulton Mansion subdivision was deferred. Spencer Park addition was approved, as was an extension of Copano Village.

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SENIOR CLASS CONTRIBUTES \$200 TO YOUTH FUND

The senior class of 1956-57 of Aransas County High School has donated \$200 to the Youth Association Building Fund. Local leaders are trying to get a building for youth recreation.

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COMMERCIAL FISHERMEN OBJECTING TO BILL

Local commercial fishermen are objecting to House Bill 928, introduced by Harold Parrish in the present session of the legislature.

According to W. S. Coaker, the commercial fishermen met with Parrish and sports fishing people and agreed to introduction of a bill calling for closure of Mesquite Bay to all fishing and to its establishment as a fish sanctuary where no fishing of any kind would be permitted.

Coaker alleges the present bill rules out commercial fishing while leaving the so-called sanctuary open to fishermen with pole and line, trolling lines, throw lines, trot lines, rods and reels.

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LOCAL WATER STATE APPROVED

Water in Rockport is now state approved, according to a letter Mayor Chester Johnson received from Dr. Henry A. Holle, head of the Texas Department of Health.

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RADAR BUILDING READY SOON

The construction phase of four new Aircraft Control and Warning Stations, which will augment the air defense system, will be completed during May, according to Brigadier General William P. Nichols, commander of the 33rd Air Defense Division.

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NO SOLICITATING OF FUNDS AT POST OFFICE

Postmaster Jimmy Simmons said it has become necessary to explain the rules applying to solicitation of funds in or around the Post Office.

The regulation reads: "Soliciting subscriptions, canvassing for the sale of any article, or making collections is strictly prohibited in buildings operated by the Post Office Department, or on the grounds or sidewalks within the lot lines."

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GOOSE ISLAND SET FOR APPROPRIATION

Goose Island is scheduled for a substantial appropriation in the House-Senate Conference Committee Bill which has reached legislators' desks.

For the first year of the biennium, \$6,600 has been allocated; for the second year, \$8,200 is to be spent. If park personnel salaries come from another appropriation, this amount of money will make possible a number of improvements that have long been badly needed.

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FINSTADS TO REMAIN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Finstad recently sold Jo Ann Courts to Mr. and Mrs. Menno Cornelison of Cordell, Okla. The Finstads expect to continue to make Rockport their home.

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PERSONALS

Little Joe Cavitt is facing eye surgery, and John T. Slocum is scheduled for surgery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Harper and daughter, Lona Jean of Bloomington were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Demory.

From The Pilot Files — 20 Years Ago

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CITY AUTHORIZES NEW WATER WELL

The City Council employed Layne-Texas Drilling Co. of Houston to drill a new water well for the municipal water system.

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MARINE LAB CONSTRUCTION WORK STARTED

Construction work on the \$77,000 Marine laboratory of the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission got under way this week with the sinking of test piling on the breakwater at the lab building site.

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GYM TO BE READY BY FALL

Local youths were assured Wednesday that they will have classrooms in which to study this fall.

They also were assured that they will have a good gymnasium when school opens.

And the city was assured that it will have a community center ready for use by September.

The job of raising \$3,000, the final amount necessary to finance the deal was put squarely up to Rockport as a whole, not to any one organization or group.

The assurances were given by Hugh Morrison, School Board member, who said the board has signed a contract with Dillon and Warnecke of Corpus Christi to dismantle the big

Editorial

IS IT FB OR BB?

The sports fan is in a pickle about this time of year, especially this year. When he flips to the sports pages he's not sure whether he's going to read about a baseball, football, soccer, hockey, basketball or tweddle-dee or tweddle-dum.

It does seem that football is encroaching on baseball. There were even some games in July last year and if anything seems out of place it is a football game in July. In August the pro boys start their exhibition games. Yes, August!

Is it any wonder the sports fan then is in a quandry, especially if he is a fellow who likes all sports, but especially baseball and football. He doesn't know whether to spend his few available bucks for a baseball or football ticket, or to go bowling, or to the race track. He can't go to everything; there's the Internal Revenue to think of.

Therefore, it would seem the logical thing is for each sport to adopt some sort of code of ethics (speaking of baseball and football, naturally) as to when to open and close the season. Baseball might drop the curtain on the season earlier if football would stop playing in July and August. Some say the baseball season is too long, anyway. It does seem that football isn't being exactly fair to baseball by playing dates in July and August. Baseball can't retaliate by booking games in December because of the weather.

Deep down, too, there's a feeling that professional football may be dishing out too heavy a diet for the dear public. There is such a thing as over-producing, whether it be sports or automobiles. Take a look at boxing. Remember when every time the TV was flipped on there was a boxing match? People got fed up. Look at boxing today. Pro football could just follow in the same footsteps unless the game's leaders prevent it.

A definite date for baseball to begin and one for football would be the possible answer.

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GOD IS NOT DEAD IN RUSSIA

Reading between the lines in the news from in the land of the Kremlin. First, was the news just Russia it would appear that religion is far from dead recently of the big sale of a new book based on the Bible. Reports are that the stores selling the book have been swamped with customers. The book isn't exactly a Bible. Rather it's a Russian narrative of the Bible.

Then there's word that the Russians are going to have more time on Sabbaths. Some of the stores in Moscow are going to close on the seventh day. Previously the shops were open seven days a week. Business has been slumping off rapidly on Sundays.

In obeying the Sunday closings, the Russians are saying the citizens need this seventh day away from work because it is a day for family togetherness. They normally work six days a week.

Be that as it may, one also wonders if citizens aren't also inclined to be a bit more religious on Sunday regardless of what the rulers say. If it were not so, why didn't the powers-that-be say to the stores close some other day of the week? And give the workers one of the week-days off from work? No, it would seem the masses want Sunday.

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When a fellow drives the wrong way on a one-way street he's operating on a one-track mind.

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One wonders if a song hit of 25 years ago would have made the hit parade the way orchestras today play the same tune.

Harlingen Air Base gymnasium, move it to Rockport and set it up on the school grounds.

MRS. THOMPSON DIES

Mrs. Myrtle Barker Thompson, who with her husband Ben, operated Thompson's Spa, died of heart trouble at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson operated their restaurant together for 16 years.

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BUILDINGS BEING BARGED HERE

Hall Parks, Humble Oil Co. consignee in this area, had his own housing project under way this week with arrival of three buildings from Matagorda peninsula.

The surplus army structures were brought by water by the Preston Paul Barge and Towing Service and unloaded at the yacht basin. It was reported he plans to set up the structures near Market Street on the outer loop highway to be converted into apartments and tourist cottages.

Three Methodist Circles Assemble

The three circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met together in the home of Mrs. Matt Scott on Tuesday, May 16.

The program was entitled "Dialogue Through Sharing," and included the following Scripture passages: Matthew 5:13-16, Isaiah 6:8; II Corinthians 5:20; and Matthew 25:40.

Those who presented the program were Mrs. Merritt Hulett, Mrs. Leonard Hensley, Mrs. Wilfred McCoy, Mrs. Charles Garrett, and Mrs. Joe Randow. Mrs. E. G. Cooke played the piano for the two hymns which were sung.

Refreshments were enjoyed by approximately 30 members and guests, after which the three circles met individually to sign pledge cards, and to organize for the coming year.

The meeting date for the June general meeting was changed from June 6 to June 13. It was announced that the officers for the coming year would be installed during the morning workshop service on Sunday, May 21.

Mrs. Jack Smith and daughters visited with Mrs. C. B. Smith in Corpus Christi Saturday noon and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. May, in Riviera Beach Saturday night and Sunday.

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Rev. Gregory Gomez, Pastor
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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.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, FULTON

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

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EDITORIAL

Time For Texas To Act!

One of the major issues facing the Texas Legislature today is the question of a teacher pay raise. Regardless of Governor Connally's recent recommendation to the Legislature calling for a one-year appropriation, the fact remains unchanged that Texas will face its most critical teaching shortage next fall.

Texas Classroom Teachers Association, representing 45,000 classroom teachers across the state, has gone on record in support of the proposal by Texas State Teachers Association to raise teachers' salaries an average \$775 a year.

Many Texans agree that teaching salaries in Texas are inadequate, but many do not realize the real urgency of the situation. TCTA contends that action on teaching salaries is imperative this session.

If nothing is done now, not only will Texas' recruitment situation deteriorate, but so will the quality of education offered to Texas youth.

Twelve states have teacher salary bills before them at this time, and seven of these states rank below Texas. If Texas does not advance, how long will it be before these states join the 26 others in outranking Texas teachers' salaries?

Texas has now dropped to 33rd in the nation in the ranking of our average classroom teachers' salaries. The national average is now \$6821; Texas' average is \$6025. How far down the scale will we drop before Texas realizes that professionals must be paid professional salaries?

Consider what other occupations and professions offer as starting salaries to attract educated prospects into their fields.

Engineers	\$7994
Accounting	\$6948
General Business	\$6600
Sales	\$6538

Yet what does teaching in Texas offer? \$4104 on the Minimum Foundation Program. Even the average starting salary for a teacher is only \$4600.

In 1965, 40 per cent of the teacher education graduates in Texas failed to enter the teaching profession. This number continues to grow each year. Texas Education Agency's reports show that in Texas 25 per cent of all elementary teachers currently employed have 39 years or more experience—which means that many of these teachers will retire in the next five years and will need to be replaced. Where will these replacements come from unless Texas alleviates its teaching shortage?

We can well afford to spend more money on education in Texas. In total personal income, Texas ranks seventh in the United States, with \$24,761,000 in 1965. In public school enrollment, Texas ranks third. Yet in per capita state and local expenditures for local schools, we rank 22nd. On the amount of money spent per pupil in average daily attendance, we rank 36th.

How is this affecting teacher salaries? We have already stated that Texas ranks 33rd in the average salary paid to classroom teachers. In addition, only 22.4 per cent of the 116,895 teachers employed as instructional staff in Texas are paid more than \$6500—ranking Texas behind 35 other states.

In ten years (1957-67), Texas increased teacher salaries by 54.8 per cent, but 38 other states increased their salaries by larger percentages.

How is this lack of attention to education paying off?

- In overcrowded classrooms—Texas ranks 31st in the nation in teacher load.

- In illiteracy—In 1960, 4.1 per cent of Texas' population older than 14 was illiterate. Only six other states had worse records.

- In drop-outs—In 1960 Texans over 25 had completed an average of only 10.4 years of school. Non-whites had completed only 8.1 years. Our ranking? 31st.

- In mental incompetence—Texas had 38.6 per cent of its 18-year-olds disqualified for military service for mental reasons between July, 1964 and December, 1965. (Only 9 states had more rejections.) Our ranking? 41st.

Statistics can prove anything, skeptics are fond of saying. But these statistics were not pulled out of thin air by TCTA in a search for substantiating evidence. They were prepared by the National Education Association and published in a national research publication, "Ranking of the States, 1967."

What's more, these statistics prove something specific. They prove that it is long past time for Texans to take a hard, close look at the way they support their schools and the results they are getting.

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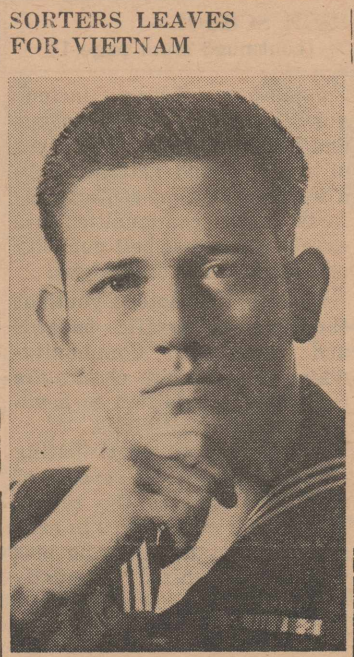
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Sorters Leaves for Vietnam
 AN E/3 James Ray Sorters of the USS Intrepid of Norfolk, Va., left May 11 for six months in Vietnam. Sorters will receive his discharge Thanksgiving Day.

'DISCOTHEQUE' PARTY FOR BART ROZZELL

Bart Rozzell, a member of the 1967 graduating class, was honored with a "discotheque" party Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Picton with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jackson as co-hosts.

Games, dancing and singing was enjoyed on the patio. Mexican food was served to approximately 40 guests.

Annual per capita cost for food in the U. S. last year was \$439.

Coming Events

May 19: Square dance every Friday night at Fulton Beach. Happy birthday to Kathy Hayden.
 May 20: Birthday greetings to Becky Arthur, Mari Lynn Petty and Virginia Smith.
 May 21: Hazel Pierce will celebrate her birthday.
 May 22: Masonic Lodge No. 323 and City Council will meet. Flip Shaver and Brenda Lee Hawes will observe birthdays.
 May 23: VFW will meet. Today is the birthday of Andy Garrett and Susan Griffith.
 May 24: Birthday greetings to Rose Ann Elliott and Doretha Ann Mitchell.
 May 25: Rebekah Lodge No. 88 will meet. Patricia Livingston will celebrate her birthday.

JAMES O'BRIEN DIES

James Patrick O'Brien, born Feb. 12, 1890 in Amboy, Ill., died May 9 at 723 S. Austin Street, Rockport.
 "Paw-Paw" Pat or Uncle Pat, as he became affectionately known by small children and older friends alike, came to Rockport for many winters to get a way from the severe cold of Wisconsin and Minnesota where he lived for many years. He moved to Rockport a little less than a year ago.

He was a free-lance writer in his earlier life and has always been interested in nature which includes the children, birds, animals, flowers and gardening. His thousands of color slides and pictures are proof of this in addition to the fine articles he has written.

In the late fifties, he presented pictures and authentic data to the National Geographic Magazine, and was elected to membership in the National Geographic Society Jan. 1, 1959.

O'Brien was a veteran of World War I, receiving the Accolade of the New Chivalry of Humanity award for serving with honor in the World War and being wounded in action; the Medaille de Saint Mihiel and Medaille De Verdun. He was an amputee. He was a kind man, feeding stray cats, dogs and birds, particularly the hungry seagulls; he was performing his last act of kindness—that of watering the thirsty flowers when coronary occlusion took him away.

TORRES REPORTS FOR DUTY

Airman Third Class Adolfo Torres, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Torres, has arrived for duty at Laughlin AFB, Texas. Airman Torres previously served at Amarillo AFB, Texas. He is a 1965 graduate of Aransas County High School and attended Del Mar College.

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- 1—Rumors of marital troubles swirled recently around pictured British royalty (Earl of Highy) (Lord Snowden).
- 2—United States lowers flag in (France) (Somalia) after being ordered out by that nation's chief of state.
- 3—Moscow officials snub (Richard Nixon) (Llewellyn Thompson) by refusing to grant him an interview.
- 4—Widespread opposition forces President Johnson to postpone efforts to merge two cabinet-level departments, (Interior and Transportation) (Labor and Commerce).
- 5—New constitution drawn up for South Vietnam calls for (two-house) (one-house) assembly.
- 6—Chief prosecution witness in preliminary hearing on presidential assassination plot in New Orleans is pictured (Jim Garrison) (Perry Russo).

Count 10 for each correct choice. A score of 60 is excellent; 50, good; 40, fair; less than 40, poor.

Decoded Intelligram
 1—Lord Snowden, 2—France, 3—Nixon, 4—Labor and Commerce, 5—two-house, 6—Perry Russo.

CONGRATULATIONS
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cosby of Fulton are proud parents of an eight pound girl born Sunday, May 14 in Lyman - Roberts Hospital in Aransas Pass. She has been named Patricia Dawn.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. F. F. Sharon, Conway, Ark. Maternal grandfather is Bart Randolph, Rockport; and paternal grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cosby of Fulton.

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Mrs. Charles LeBlanc was honored with a pink and blue shower Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Forest Jones in Fulton with Mrs. Ed-die Ratliff as co-hostess.

The table was laid with a hand crocheted cloth over blue. The centerpiece was a manzanita branch with the base composed of pink and blue flowers and miniature baby dolls hanging from the branches.

Cake squares and punch were served to 14 guests.

HIGH-LOW BRIDGE CLUB
 Mrs. J. H. Mills entertained the High-Low Bridge Club at her home last Wednesday afternoon with three tables of players.

Members playing were Mrs. Arthur Bracht, Mrs. Charles Cleveland, Mrs. H. H. Dick, Mrs. H. F. Elliot, Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. F. L. McCord, Mrs. Harry McDow, Mrs. Lois Rozzell and three guests Mrs. C. G. Melton, Mrs. C. L. Thomas and Mrs. Pete L. Tedder.

Mrs. H. F. Elliot won high score and Mrs. Mills was low.

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April 5, 1967

Henrietta D. Muska, et al to Luis Chavez, et ux, warranty deed.

B. P. Wagley to A. F. Randall, warranty deed.

B. P. Wagley to Robert E. Adams, et ux, warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to R. L. Marion, et ux, general warranty deed.

D. A. Drake, et al to H. Spreen, deed.

Copano Land Co. to Allie B. Young, general warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to Charles B. Pryor, et ux, general warranty deed.

J. H. Sorenson, Jr. to 1st Victoria National Bank, deed of trust.

J. L. Clardy, Inc. to Public, certificate of corp. resolution.

April 5, 1967

J. L. Clardy, Inc. to G. R. Morgan, et ux, general warranty deed, vendors lien.

G. R. Morgan, et ux to First Savings Ass'n, deed of trust.

John M. Geshardt to Copano

Land Co., general warranty deed.

Chester Johnson to Wayne Helmstetler, et ux, warranty deed.

Wayne Helmstetler, et ux to Chester Johnson, warranty deed.

United Savings Ass'n to J. H. Sorenson, Jr., release.

Bert J. Harry, et ux to Ed Whitfill, et ux, warranty deed, vendors lien.

Ed Whitfill, et ux to First Savings Ass'n deed of trust.

Copano Land Co. to W. T. Krause, general warranty deed.

American Home Realty Co. to John W. Kunert, et ux, warranty deed, vendors lien.

John W. Kunert, et ux to American Home Realty Co., deed of trust.

April 6, 1967

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

Key Allegro Dev. & Sales Co. to Picton Lbr. Co., Inc., warranty deed.

Hinton's (Roy Hinton), assumed name.

Picton Lbr. Co., Inc. to Key

Allegro Dev. & Sales Co., deed of trust.

Key Allegro Dev. & Sales Co. to First Savings Ass'n, subordination.

Picton Lbr. Co., Inc. to First Savings Ass'n, deed of trust.

J. E. Hartle to S. L. Phillips, et ux, warranty deed.

J. C. Penny Co., Inc. to Langston Crider, et ux abstract of judgment.

Copano Land Co. to E. J. Pflaum, et ux, general warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to Sally Ann Evans, general warranty deed.

Est. of Ray Arthur Barfield, deceased, c-c prob. proc.

Est. of M. C. Kramer, deceased, c-c prob. proc.

Edmund J. Kalen, Ind. & Co-ind, Ex. and Mary Mildred Keamer, et al, agreement and conveyance.

Copano Land Co. to William M. Scott, general warranty deed.

Chester Johnson to First National Bank, Rockport, deed of trust.

Jana Sue Denny Warrich, et al to Pearl B. Denney, warranty deed.

Charles Gunn Denny to Public, affidavit.

Pearl B. Denny to Public, affidavit.

April 7, 1967

Texas Eastern Transmission Corp. to Manufacturers Hanover Tr. Co., et al, 16th suppl. inden.

Stanley Prye Sr. to J. Hollis Doughty, deed.

D. L. Kight, et ux to Jesse C. Conner, et ux warranty deed, vendors lien.

State of Texas to Phillips Pet. Co., easement.

Geo. Strickhausen, III to Rental Homes, warranty deed, vendors lien.

Rental Homes, Inc. to Geo. Strickhausen, III, deed of trust.

Geo. Strickhausen, III to C. C. Savings & Loan, assignment.

C. C. Savings and Loan to Geo. Strickhausen, partial release.

K. R. Whitehurst, Tr. to Roy Dugger, warranty deed.

April 10, 1967

Max C. Kluge to Allen M. Parks, Tr., warranty deed.

Aransas County Navigation District No. 1 and Rosemary Walbrecht, lease agreement.

Copano Land Co. to Victor Willis, general warranty deed.

B. P. Wagley to R. E. Locke, warranty deed, vendors lien.

Allen M. Parks to Willard Haynes, release.

Public Motors to Milton Underwood, release.

Juanita Lorene Wagley to W. W. Shirey, warranty deed.

Copano Land Co., et al to Mary Mikoljizyk, general warranty deed.

Jesus Resendez, et ux to Midwest Oil Corp., lease.

Pedro S. Rodriguez, Sr. et

al to Midwest Oil Corp., lease.



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al to Midwest Oil Corp., lease.

R. L. Irwin, et ux to Midwest Oil Corp., lease.

W. A. Edwards, et al to Midwest Oil Corp., lease.

Alice King V. Miers, et al to Midwest Oil Corp., lease.

Polly Brown to Skelly Oil Co., lease.

Copano Land Co. to Vivian Adams, general warranty deed.

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B. P. Wagley to Donald Oliver, warranty deed, vendors lien.

Donald J. Oliver to Refugio Savings, deed of trust.

Copano Land Co. to Clayton Holmes, general warranty deed.

Dr. T. W. Lewis to Naomi Johnson, release vendors lien and deed of trust.

April 11, 1967

Copano Land Co. to Chester Johnson, general warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to Thomas Solomon, general warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to Ray Simpson, general warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to Frances Vanzura, general warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to Anna Finnigan, general warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to Louis Piek, general warranty deed.

Heldenfels Bros. (F. W. Heldenfels, et al) certified copy, assumed name.

Estate: W. G. McCampbell, deceased, certified copy probate.

Copano Land Co. to Lott F. Smith, et ux, general warranty deed.

Fred O. Gray, et ux to J. M. Stewart, et ux, warranty deed.

Estel A. Turner to Coastal Bend Savings & Loan, mat. lien.

Estel A. Turner to Coastal Bend Savings & Loan, deed of trust.

Mercantile National Bank, Tr. to Southern Bankers Inv. Co., partial release.

Allen M. Parks to Allen M. Parks, Inc., general warranty deed.

Southern Bankers Inv. Co. to Allen M. Parks, Inc., gen-

eral warranty deed.

Jack Mehrens to Public, affidavit.

Allen M. Parks, Inc. to Lot-tie M. Cable, general warranty deed.

Allen M. Parks, Inc. to Gar-land King, general warranty deed.

Allen M. Parks, Inc. to Frances Holmes, general warranty deed.

Allen M. Parks, Inc. to Harold W. Martin, general warranty deed.

April 12, 1967

Copano Land Co. to Ben Earp, general warranty deed.

Sidney M. Freeborn to Marshall Freeborn, warranty deed.

Marshall F. Freeborn to Sidney Freeborn, warranty deed.

A. H. Richardson, Jr. to Mrs. Emma Richardson, quit claim deed.

Polly Brown to Midwest Oil Corp., oil, gas lease.

K. R. Whitehurst, Tr. to Allen Parks, Jr., warranty deed.

Allen M. Parks to L. M. Draper, warranty deed, vendor's lien.

Melvin Wood to J. H. May, release.

Sinton Savings Ass'n to Bert J. Harry, release deed of trust.

Copano Land Co. to W. E. Sebring, general warranty deed.

Copano Land Co. to Arthur Haddock, general warranty deed.

J. L. DuRoss, and R. A. Johnson, grazing lease.

Fred L. Sterling to Maud Euton, warranty deed.

Peninsula Dev. Co. to Port Const. Co., warranty deed.

April 13, 1967

Ruby Mae Mixon, et vir to Ed Pat Mixon, et ux, release.

Copano Land Co. to George H. Hoffman, Jr., et ux, general warranty deed.

Chester Johnson to Mabel M. Gray, warranty deed.

Emory M. Spencer, et al to Humble Oil & Refining Co., rental division order.

Helen Nava to Portairs Const. Co., Inc., et al cont. l-m and t-d.

F. G. Gabriel, et ux to Marion W. Young, lease.

Marion W. Young to Earl Rowe, assignment.

J. M. Stewart, et ux to Pete P. Nemece, et ux, warranty deed.

C. P. Bolton to W. L. Bounds, release.

First Savings Ass'n to H. C. Berry, release.

Wallace Maley vs. Marathon Ins. Co., release.

University of Cincinnati to E. G. Woody, quit claim.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackburn of Beeville visited with Mr. and Mrs. James T. Ballard and Susan Saturday afternoon.

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Mrs. Volney Cavitt spent the weekend in McGregor with her mother, Mrs. John Anderson.

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HIGH SCHOOL—
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Commission. They include guidelines for student groups and suggest appropriate types of projects and activities. As a result of student-centered efforts many communities are experiencing seat belt publicity and installation campaigns.

Citizens take note of youth as they survey traffic hazards and congestion. Community-wide vehicle safety checks are conducted in addition to a variety of other activities.

In the spring, participating schools will submit reports of their activities to the review of educator committees in each state. Outstanding programs will be recognized nationally with the awarding of plaques and certificates.

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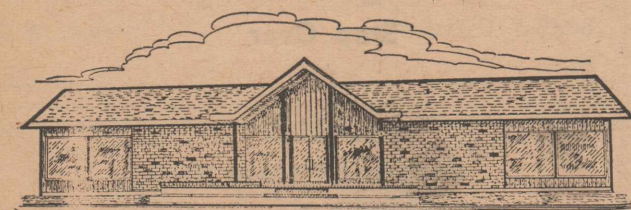
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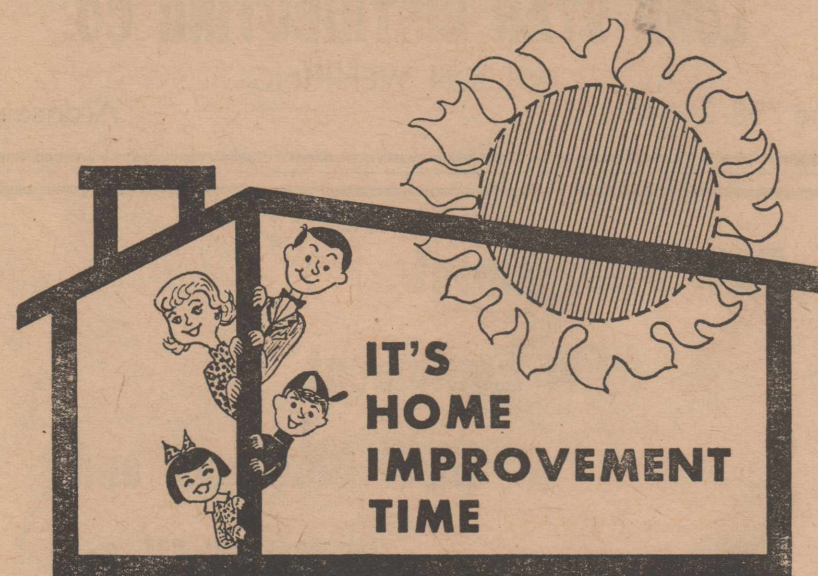
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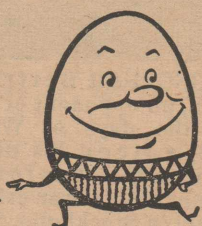


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Milwaukee Writer Praises Rockport

Tom Guyant, outdoor editor of the Milwaukee Journal, recently visited this area and has written a number of articles praising the beauty, fishing and other attractions.

Here is one of his articles: Rockport, Tex.—The gnarled and stooping oaks that live on shore and have been bent by thousands of breezes and an occasional hurricane were not bowing one recent dawn. They seemed to be stretching, pulling out their kinks.

Their eerie branches with

foliage only at the very tops made them look like Chinese mings. There was no wind. The gulf coast bays were mirrors with gentle indentions, like hammered brass in the morning sun. It was the first day in town that the wind had abated.

Ed Harper phoned my motel room from the marina just across the street. It was 7 a.m. and the last of the sun had just pulled itself over the horizon.

"Looks like we can make it today," Harper said. "Meet me in 10 minutes."

That didn't leave time for

breakfast, but when you get a chance to finally go to sea—and the sea doesn't exactly appeal to you in the first place—a man forgets about eating.

Harper had brought his personal boat around for the trip, a speedy inboard cruiser, radio equipped. The skipper was Danny Adams, 26, who grew up in this country and knows the bottom of the bays like a beat patrolman knows the back alleys.

A basket full of live shrimp was hauled to the boat for bait and we darted out of the breakwaters, into the big bay, back into the flats where the big redfish would be, if they would be anywhere at all.

Redfish are really channel bass and the big ones are called bulls. That is why you sometimes hear the call, "Bulls on the beach," and the tackle stores empty. The fish grub the bottom for crabs and shrimp. They may give the impression of being sluggish, but get one on a hook and the line will melt off a reel.

With the throttle wide open we roared to the border of the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge, where the last of the whooping cranes live. The bay was speckled with duck blinds. Some of the country's best duck and goose hunting takes place here each fall and winter. Hunters fly in from all parts of the country and the Canada goose hunting is superb.

"This ain't good redfish water," Adams said, dragging in an oyster on his third cast. "Too muddy. We'll go further back. I got two or three places I want to try."

The first was up against a high shore, hardly the kind of country you would expect here, where grass grew 10 feet above us and then dropped off in a sudden clay cliff. But there weren't any fish in residence. Or they weren't seeing visitors.

The second spot was farther on. We anchored just downwind from some old pilings. Around the poles the water was blue; elsewhere it all light green.

"That blue means shallows," Adams said. "Put a cast right near it but not on it or you'll snag up. There oughta be some redfish around it. Maybe even a trout."

The water was so unbelievable shallow that we anchored simply by tilting the motor downward. But Adams wasn't quite satisfied.

"See that little strip of water between the pilings and that reef?" he asked. "There!" His voice was exuberant at this discovery and we slipped into location, dropped anchor.

My casting rig had one live shrimp and one dead shrimp on it, the same as was used by Adams and Harper. This combination was cast out with a big bobber which was called

a popper float. Adams stood on the bow deck. Harper and I cast from the stern—one veteran right handed brine fisherman, one south pawed invader from the north.

It did not take long before my shrimp summoned a redfish who ate it all and found he was buckled to a line. But greed has conquered better fish, for he was a mere 15 inches, small as bass go. I was told.

"You cost me a buck," Harper said reaching for his wallet and handing a dollar to Adams.

Adams caught another redfish, after faking us away from it with a flurry of casting commands. They were striking the live shrimp, so we switched entirely to the live kind and caught six or seven more before things quited down.

BROWNIE GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Troop 11 is planning a camping trip to Goose Island state park. They will cook outdoors and sleep in tents. Three tents were given by Mr. Bateman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Coole.

Mothers who are going to help out are Mrs. Bateman, Mrs. Kelso, Mrs. Domaschk, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Coole and Mrs. Smith.

Fly ups for Troop 11 are May 22, 7:30 p.m. at the Jr. High School. Both Brownie troops are asked to come in full dress uniform. All parents are asked to come.

May 24 is the last meeting day for Troop 11. They are planning to put on little plays for their mothers. This will be their goodby party. Troop 11 will be Junior Girl Scouts next year. Troop leader Mrs. Coole.

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Court-house in the town of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m., beginning on the 22nd day of May, 1967, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Aransas County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1967, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

W. E. Beasley, County Clerk, Aransas County, Texas.

Aransas County, Rockport, Texas. THIS 8th day of May, 1967.

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Sinton Pro-Am Set for May 27-28

The Sinton Golf Association will host its fifth annual 36-hole pro-am tournament Saturday and Sunday, May 27 and 28 at Sinton Municipal Golf Course.

There will be three places for low team captain, professional and amateur. All money will be used for team prizes. It will be a low ball tournament with strokes for B, C and D players.

Two shot gun starts are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday at 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. Deadline for entries is 6 p.m., Friday, May 26. All golfers are invited to play. Call or write to Stanley Wright, Pro, Sinton.

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EASTERN STAR HOLDS MEETING

Rockport Chapter No. 479, Eastern Star, met for a regular stated meeting on Monday night, May 15. A lovely and impressive memorial program was presented at the close of the meeting in memory of all departed members.

"The Lighted Cross" was presented with Mrs. Terrell Bledsoe and Mrs. O. R. Hill participating. Mrs. Mary Cooke was at the piano. The group sang the "Old Rugged Cross" as a closing number.

SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE TO VISIT ROCKPORT

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be at the grand jury room of the courthouse in Rockport on May 24, at 9 a.m.

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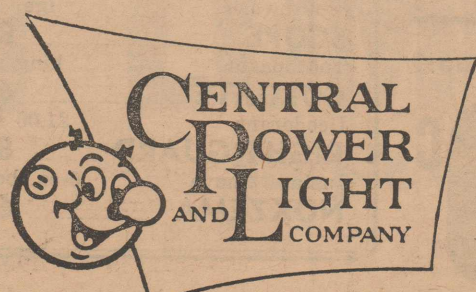
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Invariably when a bunch of deer hunters start talking guns someone will get around to mentioning the Model 99 Savage.

This weapon long has been a favorite deer rifle with Texas hunters. Among the hunting fraternity it has received the highest compliment. It has stood the test of time.

There are some rifles which have become virtually a tradition in Texas hunting. One of these is the Winchester 94 carbine. Another is the 99 Savage. Despite a rush of new calibers and new rifles in recent years, both these weap-

ons continue to be best-sellers among Texas hunters.

This particular model of the Savage was introduced in 1899, hence the Model 99 label. It was chambered for the .303 cartridge. Later it came out chambered for the .250/300. This hot new caliber set the firearms industry buzzing. In that day, a cartridge of this muzzle velocity was almost unbelievable.

But Model 99 enjoyed its greatest popularity while chambered for the .300 Savage.

In recent times, some new cartridges have been added to

the model 99 line, such as the popular .308, but the .300 continues to be far and away the favorite with most deer hunters.

Actually, Model 99 has changed little through the years. Today's version looks remarkably like the original introduced more than 60 years ago. Reason for the status quo, of course, is that there is little room left for improvement. Upon its introduction it was far ahead of its time.

Model 99 always has had the sleek look which appealed to hunters. Its lever and short-throw action were designed for speed, and in deer hunting a weapon must be lightweight and fast-handling to gain much popularity.

In addition, the original Model 99 had many outstanding safety features which have been carried into the modern version. Cartridges cannot be fired in its breech mechanism until it is positively closed and locked; the basic design of the receiver prevents any powder gas from escaping to the rear in case of a defective cartridge case; and indicator on the side of the receiver shows how many cartridges remain in the magazine; and the rotary loading magazine of the 99 prevents any accidental firing of a sharpnosed bullet that might unintentionally come in contact with the primer of a cartridge loaded in ahead of it.

About the only concession to modern times is that the Model 99 has gone lightweight. This modern version is a featherweight model for ease of handling in the deer woods.

There also is a deluxe version with checkered and Monte Carlo high-style stock. But the basic features remain about the same.

Model 99 never has been chambered for popular cartridges like the .270 and .30/06 because the gun's short-throw mechanism won't accept these long cartridges. But the newer short-belt cartridges are just what Savage had in mind when it first brought out the 99. The .243, .308 and .358 all are of this design. And, along with the .300, make up the cartridge choice of the Model 99 line.

This gun took an upsurge in popularity when the telescope sight started becoming popular with deer hunters. Since the 99 throws its spent cartridges out to the side it will readily accept a scope in central over-bore position, reasonably close to the receiver, where the sight naturally belongs.

Even today, the older Model 99 Savage commands one of the highest resale values on the used gun market . . . which further emphasizes its popularity with Texans.

MRS. FRED B. HUNT ENTERTAINS GUEST

Mrs. Fred B. Hunt entertained Mrs. William Mills of Fort Worth with a dessert bridge in her home Saturday May 13.

Gladioli and roses from Mrs. Hunt's yard were artistically arranged throughout the home.

Mrs. Charles Cleveland won high, and Mrs. Fred Bracht second. Mrs. Roy Burke won the bingo.

Others enjoying the afternoon were Mesdames Fred Christilles, R. L. Eckman, Jim Ferguson, Jones Christian, R. L. Gum, James W. Hunt and Misses Genevieve and Mable Bracht and Miss Lillian Fahr.

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

ARANSAS COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas at 9:00 a.m., beginning on Wednesday the 24th day of May, 1967, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Aransas County Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1967, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are hereby notified to be present.

DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF Aransas County Independent School District, Aransas County, Texas, at Rockport, Texas, the 8th day of May, A.D., 1967.

S. P. Roatan, Secretary, Aransas County Independent School District. c9



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PRESBYTERIAN CIRCLE MEETS AT MRS. LENOIR'S

Circle No. II of the Presbyterian Women of the Church met May 11 in the home of Mrs. F. O. Lenoir.

After the hostess served refreshments the chairman, Mrs. Melton, called the meeting to order and opened with the "We Pray Together Prayers." Roll call was answered with Bible verses by ten members.

Cards were signed by all present for each member absent because of illness.

Since the meeting in April, 29 visits have been made and 39 cards sent.

The Circle voted to donate \$10 to the Good Neighborhood Club to assist in purchasing a small organ. The organ is to be used in the Bayview Nursing Home for the present.

Mrs. J. S. Tennant moderated the lesson on "Challenge for Study" and Mrs. Fred Brundrett read the prayer in regard to the "Fellowship of the Least Coin," which was prepared by Miss Enid Liu of Singapore.

Next meeting will be June 8 with Mrs. L. W. Hight as hostess and Mrs. Fred Brundrett as moderator.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS

Visitors at the Sunday service were Mrs. Patsy Ransken, Tripoli, Libya; Mrs. Cora B. Schmidt, Seguin; Clydie Ann Reynolds and Shelia Sanders, Aransas Pass; Mrs. T. R. Meadows, Corpus Christi; Mrs. William E. Gaddy, Fulton;

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dye, Austin; Alice Haney, Rockport, Faye Weaver, San Antonio; Inez Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holiday, Houston; Fayrene Brown, Tivoli, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Williams, Lubbock.

KTR CANASTA CLUB MEETS

Mrs. M. D. Casterline entertained the KTR Canasta Club at her home May 2 with a buffet supper.

Lasagna, green salad, Italian bread, Coke, iced tea, coffee and strawberry party cake were served to the following.

Mrs. Duane Heasley, Mrs. Tom Matthews, Mrs. Gene Sprinkle, Mrs. Melvin Rush, Mrs. Jimmy Jones, Mrs. J. M. Shaw, Mrs. Ben Bloomer, Mrs. Gene Cannon, Mrs. Bob Radke, Mrs. Jim Bauknight and Mrs. C. J. Schindler.

Mrs. Bloomer won high score, Mrs. Jones second high and Mrs. C. J. Schindler low.

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MRS. LITTLE HOSTS CIRCLE MEETING

Circle 4 met May 11 in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Little with nine members present. After a brief social hour Mrs. Harry Mills opened the meeting with prayer. Members answered the roll call with a Bible verse.

The minutes of the April meeting were read. Mrs. Gene Bird gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Grover Traylor gave a report on the W.O.C. birthday party which was held at the church on May 4. Six members attended from Circle

4. Mrs. Traylor will finish out the year as co-chairman of the circle in Mrs. James Maher's place. Mrs. Maher is moving to El Paso.

Mrs. Gene Bird led the group in prayer prior to moderating the lesson. After a discussion period, Mrs. Bushart gave the emphasis.

The June meeting will be at the home of Mrs. A. L. Bachman and Mrs. Jimmy Little will moderate the lesson.

The meeting adjourned by all repeating the Mizpah.

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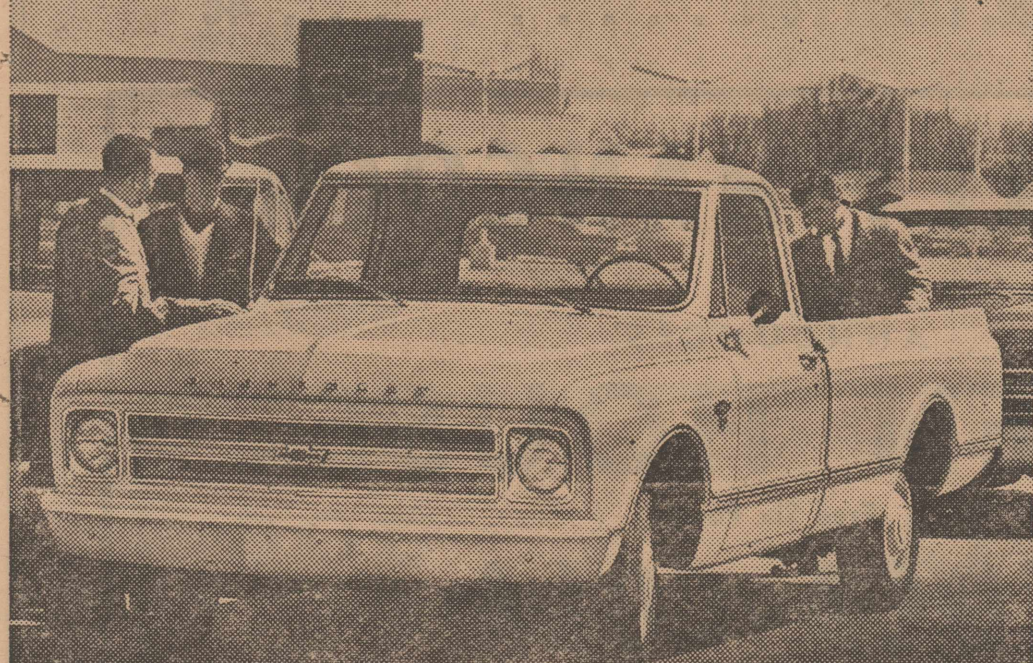
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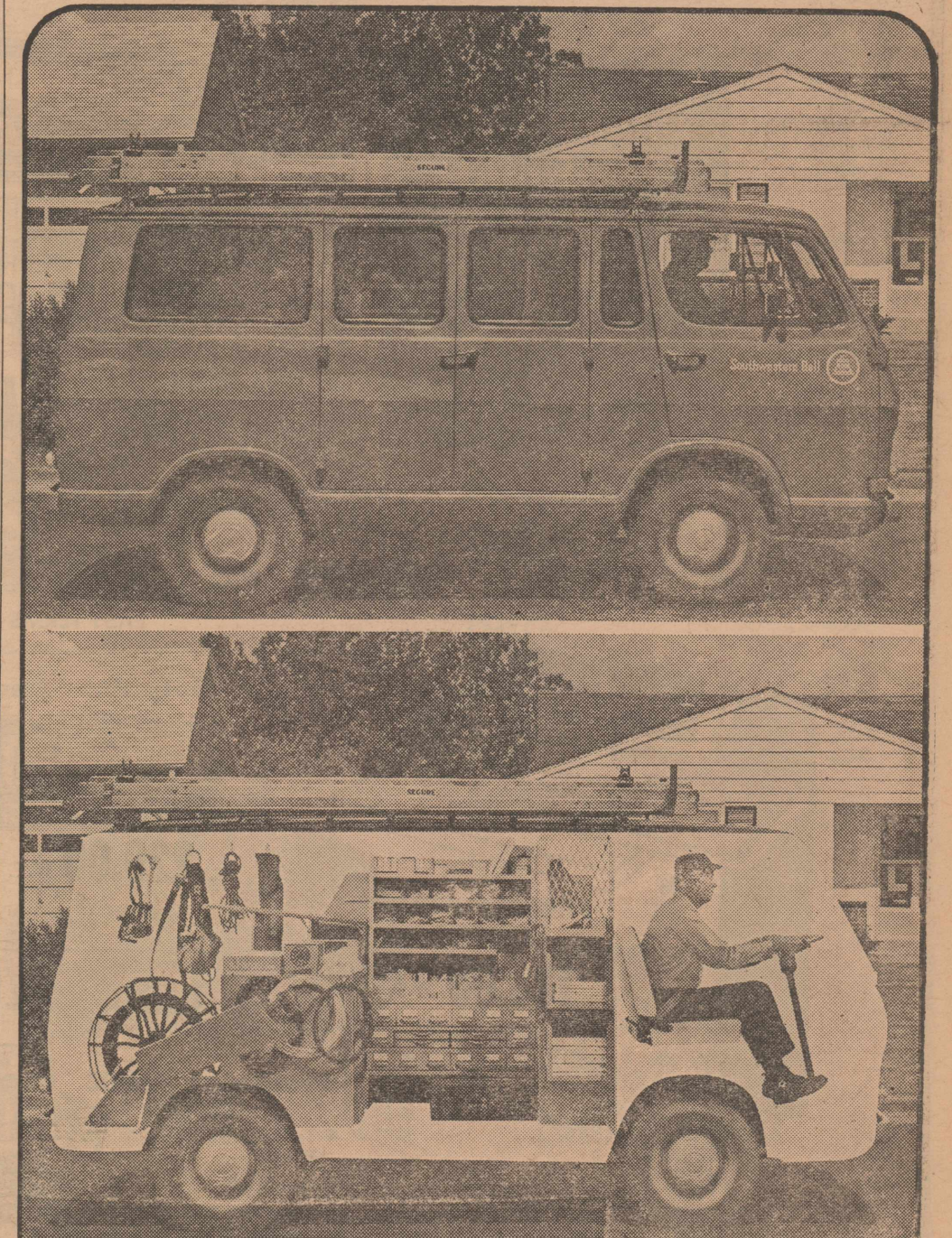
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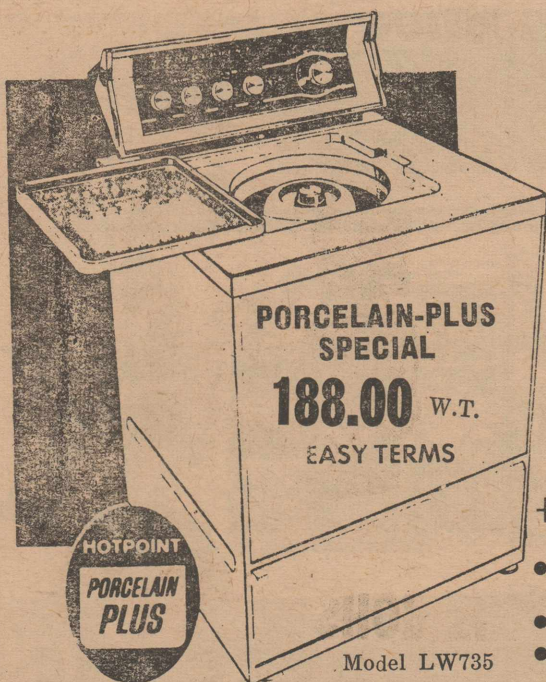
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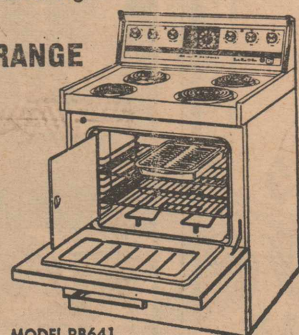
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