

Brennan: ACTA is 'on the right track' in ACND investigation

"We're on the right track to clear this cancerous thing out of the community," said Ed Brennan. The Aransas County Taxpayer Association officer was speaking of ACTA's continued legal efforts against the Aransas County Navigation District No. 1. Following last month's Grand Jury no-bill of the Navigation District, the Association gave

the go-ahead to proceed with both a request for a mal/non feaseance investigation of the district as well as hiring a private attorney to handle ACTA's charges against the district. At this Tuesday's ACTA meeting, Brennan, the officer in charge of the Navigation District investigation for ACTA, told the group of members present that he was to meet with a

Corpus Christi marine attorney the next day to review the ACTA charges. Brennan told the group that any legal investigation would prove costly and a fund drive was a necessity. He stressed that any funds donated for such purpose would, if no investigation ensued, be returned. The anonymity of donors would be preserved if requested.

At the meeting Brennan estimated, from calls he had already received, some \$3,000 already available if needed. "I've talked to a lot of people willing to donate to this," he said. In an interview after his visit with the attorney, Brennan explained that ACTA's case had been handed over to a prosecuting

attorney. The original lawyer, C.M. Henkel III, of Corpus Christi, told Brennan "that he felt not qualified enough to do us a justifiable job." The prosecuting attorney now reviewing ACTA's case is Jerry Miller, also of Corpus Christi.

According to Brennan, the next step taken by ACTA will be the preparation of a request for the county commissioners to begin non-and-or-mal-feaseance charges against the Navigation District. The preparations for a private legal case will be going parallel with this, rather than beginning after the commissioners determine whether or not to take on the process.

"We're going right ahead with the other, there's been enough delay," said Brennan.

Brennan acknowledged that the chances that the commissioners would initiate proceedings against the Navigation District were slim. "After the Grand Jury, how can a person feel? I don't see why the Commissioners Court would do more than the Grand Jury, but we're going to try."

The attorney hired would be instrumental in both facets of ACTA's two-fisted approach, preparing their request for mal non-feaseance as well as readying their court case.

Brennan said that he had no idea when the attorney would be finished reviewing ACTA's charges. He also had no estimate of the legal costs ACTA will be taking on.

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PHI fuel rate raised

By BECKY WERHAN
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A county airport lease clause raising the fuel flow rate for Petroleum Helicopters, Inc. from five cents per gallon to eight was the subject of a protracted discussion during Wednesday's commissioners' court session. PHI manager Neill Osborne appeared before the commissioners and County Judge John Wendell to negotiate for a lower charge. A compromise of six and a half cents was the final outcome of the discussion.

PHI is the first of the county airport's helicopter tenants to have a lease come due for renewal. As pointed out by the judge, the terms of the lease specified the fuel rate raise from five cents to eight. An increase in the square footage rate was also specified in the lease, but was recently adjusted by the commissioners.

Speaking to the court on Wednesday, Osborne stated that he appreciated the reduction in square footage rate and hoped for similar action regarding the fuel flow.

Osborne had on hand figures from all of PHI's Gulf Coast bases, showing that the rate charged for fuel flow by Aransas County was higher than other lessors, including Galveston.

Citing PHI's good tenant record and "community involvement," Osborne added that, even without an increase, the company's lease should result in some \$25,000 in fuel flow revenue to the county in the coming year. The specified increase would raise that to \$40,000, which Osborne termed "one heck of an increase."

"We want to stay at the airport and in the community," he said. "You all are hitting us pretty hard. I worry that you don't want us here."

The manager stressed that at this time

more than ever, the oil support services had to stay competitive in their prices. The proposed rate increase would make this difficult for PHI, if remaining at the Aransas County Airport, said Osborne.

Supporting PHI's stance was Don Leach of ERA Helicopters, another county tenant. Said Leach, "At no place anywhere, and that includes Alaska and all of the Gulf Coast, is the rate more than five cents. This type of increase is incredible."

Sheriff Bob Hewes spoke in support of PHI's community involvement, citing instances where helicopters had been provided for search and rescue operations. "They're always ready to go and they've never charged the county," said Hewes.

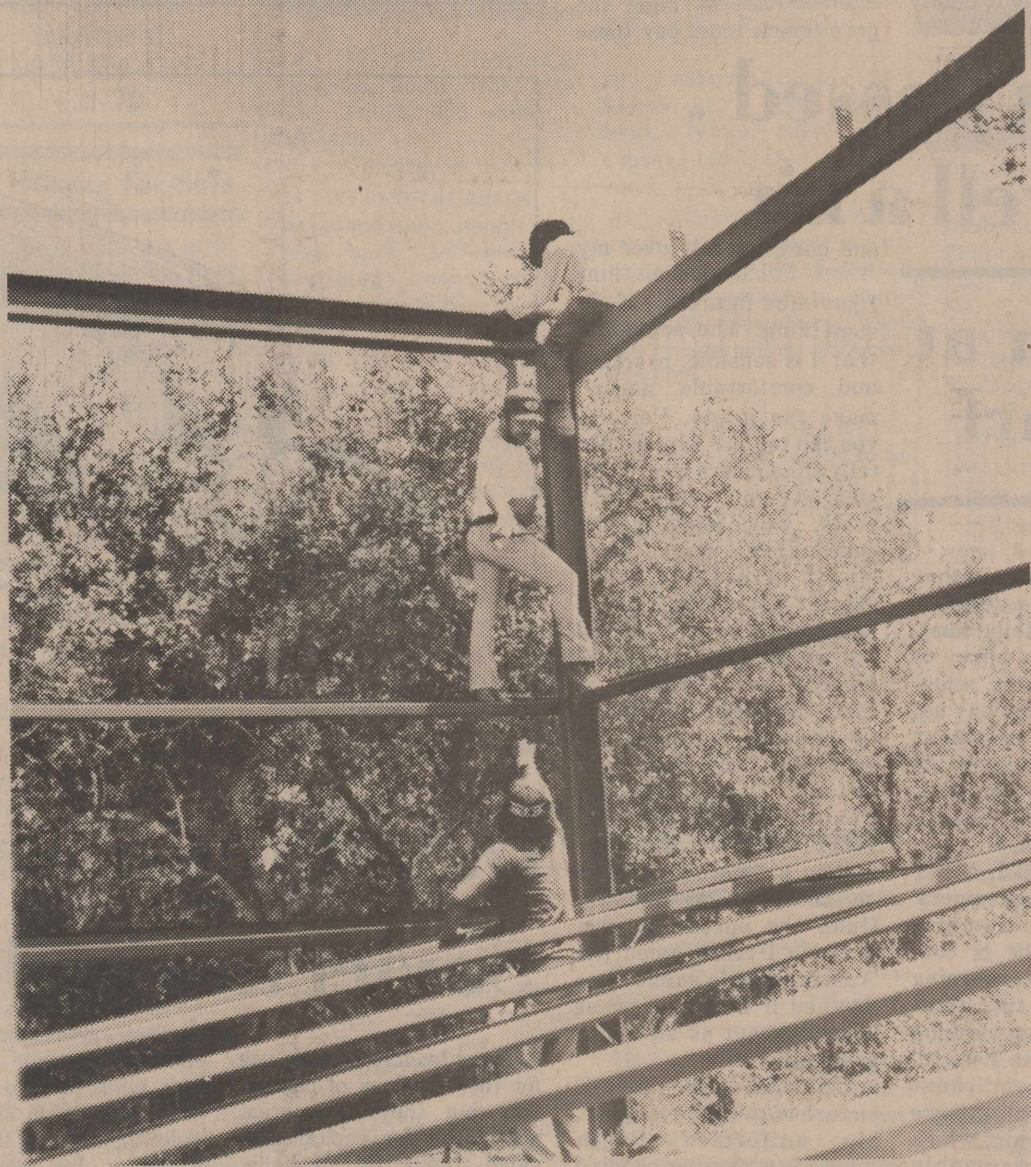
County Commissioner W.B. "Pete" Sanders pointed out that the fuel flow charge was only a small part of the PHI budget and that the increase was not severe. He noted that the Corpus Christi airport was charging eight and a half cents.

Aslo disagreeing with Osborne was Judge Wendell who commented, "There's not another airport you can operate off of that's as nice as Aransas County." Wendell said that airport rates would have to be raised or county residents would have to start paying taxes to keep the airport open. "And I don't think anybody's going to want to do that," stated the judge.

In the final vote, Commissioner Ray Longino made the motion "to split the difference" and charge PHI six and a half cents. Commissioner J.M. Spriegel seconded, with Commissioner John Lee voting for. Sanders voted against and the judge asked to be put on record as being opposed to the reduction of the new rate.

In other action, Wendell announced that the preliminary projected tax rate for the

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WORKMEN GET THE FRAME in place for the Aransas County Emergency Medical Clinic. Being set up by Triad Steel Structures, the new metal prefabricated

building will house office and classroom space for paramedics and volunteers as well as bays for the EMS modulates.

[Photo by Pat Blair]

Rockport to get 'new' lift station

By PAT BLAIR
Staffwriter

"These pumps are going almost continually — they don't shut off as much as they used to," observed Rockport Water Superintendent Rex Littleton speaking of the two pumps in the city's Little Bay Shores lift station.

Built in the late 1950s, the lift station is scheduled for a complete overhaul as soon as bids can be awarded to a contractor for the job.

"We're getting a practically new lift station," says City Administrator Herman Johnson of the project which will be paid for primarily through a \$100,000 revenue bond issue but will require some additional funding from the city.

Purpose of the work is two-fold: first, the old station will be rebuilt because, during the past 25 or 26 years of service it has "completely deteriorated", Johnson said. Second, the station's capacity will be enlarged to handle the increased load that has been added to it over the years.

"The new pumps will be quite a bit bigger than the old ones," Littleton said during an interview Wednesday at City Hall then at the lift station itself. "They've been increased one-half or better in size."

When the plant was first built, Littleton said, it served only Little Bay Shores. Then in the early 1960s, Key Allegro was

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Carelessness can mar pleasure of summer outing

Certain things just seem to go together: summer ... beaches ... swimming ... boating...

Accidents...

Unfortunately, Aransas County's beaches and waterways are no safer than those in other places. Jellyfish and stingrays pose a threat to swimmers and waders, shells along the shoreline can cut bare feet — and boating and waterskiing cause numbers of accidents every year.

"I'm very surprised we haven't had a boating accident (in the Ski Basin) this year," Chief Paramedic Bill Aston commented during an interview this past week. As for waterskiing, "we've had a relatively good year — we've only had one skiing accident, where the gentleman ran into a pier."

What Aransas County's paramedics have been mainly called to treat this year have been marine accidents involving jellyfish and stingrays and "people cutting their feet on various things, shell, pieces of glass..."

Mostly what people cut their feet on are shells, Aston said. "When people go to beaches where there are lots of shells," he advises, "wear tennis shoes."

Aston also cautioned swimmers to watch out for jellyfish and advises waders, "When you're in the water, shuffle your feet. The stingrays will move out of your way."

Lack of knowledge results in many accidents — like those that occur when a person dives into shallow water. "There have probably been five diving injuries this

summer," Aston said, "one very severe, the rest moderate."

He qualified the severe one, saying, "I don't know if the guy was actually diving or what. But he wound up going off a bulkhead headfirst in Key Allegro."

Aston added only one of this year's diving accidents occurred in the Saltwater Swimming Pool on Rockport Beach.

"Most people who dive are not from here and are not familiar with the water," Aston said, cautioning, "always go in feet first until you know the depth of the water."

Carelessness was the cause of an accident reported recently to the Pilot by a Rockport woman. She said she and friends went to Rockport Beach this past weekend for a picnic under one of the cabanas.

Another family had been barbecuing at the cabana and when they left, they dumped the hot charcoal next to the table and covered it with sand. The woman telling the story said one of the children in her party, a five-year-old boy, stepped onto the sand and sunk through it onto the still-hot coals below.

"Those people didn't leave the coals there deliberately (to hurt someone)," the woman said. "It was just carelessness."

Harbormaster Bernie DeForest said another picnicker on the beach not too long ago started a fire when he poured the hot charcoal into a 55-gallon can.

But asked how people could dispose — safely — of the still-hot charcoal, DeForest mused, "That's a good question. The only

thing I could say," he added, "is douse water on them."

DeForest pointed out the potential for accidents on the beach includes the proximity of the unfenced beach area to the roadway. "You see kids running out onto the road chasing beach balls," he said.

He urged drivers to watch for youngsters who might dart out in front of traffic — and said, "Parents shouldn't leave small children untended, not even near the life-guard station."

DeForest pointed up the need for people to simply be careful. "You can sit for two hours and keep thinking of possible hazards," he said. "Even floats — a 17- or 18-year-old boy drowned here one time because the seam of his float broke and he

was in water over his head and couldn't swim."

Observes Bill Aston, "You have to think about these things."

Some thought about what could happen might keep it from happening.

Brush fire warning given

"Please don't burn anything at all until we get some rain."

That's the request of Fire Marshall Elva Mullinax in the wake of a long dry spell that still holds Aransas County in its grip.

"Everything's dry right now," Mullinax said. "If we had a brush fire, the whole (Live Oak) Peninsula could go up."

Adding to the problem, Mullinax said, is the threat of a water shortage in the area. Although Rockport City Administrator Herman Johnson said this past week that the water supply is "okay now", he also added, "That could change at any time."

Said Mullinax, referring to the needs of the area volunteer fire departments, "We are running short on water supplies."

He emphasized that anyone who has to burn anything should contact him or Assistant Fire Marshall Leslie Cole and added he and Cole will both be cracking down on enforcement of the arson laws.

He also asked parents to keep a watch on their children, noting that a small fire in Copano Cove — that was stopped before it could develop into a major blaze — was traced to three youngsters playing with matches.

"And recently," Mullinax continued, "I had a report from a woman about three kids playing with matches south of town."

He said there have not been any "real bad" brush fires in the area since the rash of fires around the July 4 weekend.

Weekend weather

Forecasters hold out the possibility of thundershowers over the area Saturday through Monday. Highs will continue to be in the mid 90s to near 100 with lows mostly in the 70s.



THERE MUST BE SOME TRUTH to that old saying about the "early bird" because this heron and his buddies were the only

thing stirring early one morning last week at the south end of the Copano Causeway.

[Photo by Becky Werhan]

Notable notes

Budget workshop

Rockport's city council will hold its second workshop on the proposed 1982-83 city budget at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 3, at City Hall.

Love Boat Hawaii

The Aransas County Medical Services Inc. Women's Committee is sponsoring a fundraising moonlight cruise from 7-10 p.m. Friday, Aug. 6, aboard the Whooping Crane excursion boat. Proceeds will benefit the ambulance fund. The theme of the evening will be "Love Boat Hawaii" and appropriate costumes are encouraged. Prizes will be awarded. The \$12.50 ticket price includes boat ride, box supper and entertainment. For tickets, phone Ann Guynes at 729-5185 or Jimmy Barkley at 729-7630.

Adoption search

Triangle Search, a self-help search and support group for anyone touched by adoption or searching for someone separated by adoption, will meet from 7-9 p.m., August 2 at 1201 Morgan in Corpus Christi. The group meets the first Monday of each month. For more information, call 851-0245.

Athletic physicals

Athletic physicals for all high school and junior high boys and girls planning to participate in athletic events during the 1982-83 school year will be at 6 p.m. Aug. 3 in the Rockport-Fulton High School gymnasium.

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High interest rates are draining the businessman and the farmer

By Congressman Bill Patman

Incredibly high interest rates are draining small businesses and farmers and putting them out of business in record numbers. These high rates have not been created by natural forces in the market.

With the supply of money artificially held low, competition for loans intensifies and drives up interest rates.

The members of the Federal Reserve Board know this. They argue, however, that it must be done to fight inflation. I disagree. I believe inflation is fueled by high interest rates.

The keys to fighting inflation are increased productivity, better design, greater efficiency, improved man-

agement...lower interest rates.

High interest rates destroy productivity. They make it too expensive for companies to invest and expand. It's difficult for a businessman to borrow money to expand when he figures how much he will have to mark up his goods and services just to pay the interest. By the same token, he is reluctant to invest his own funds in expansion when he figures how much the money will make for him if he lends it out rather than take the risky course of expanding his business.

Foreign investors like America's high interest rates, of course. They cause the dollar to rise temporarily on the world markets and,

while farmers don't get the benefit, the cost of American farm products abroad rises in terms of foreign currencies. Everyone wins except the worker and the producer — and of course, the consumer.

One reason farm prices in the United States have fallen is because of high interest rates. Many of our good customers abroad are unable to finance purchases of American agricultural products. This has taken away our foreign markets for many products — and adds to our surpluses at home.

The Administration's astounding deficits affect interest rates, too. They make the government a competitor for loanable funds. With interest rates so high, the government must pay these

rates for the money it borrows. As a result, the national debt grows because the government has had to borrow more money to pay the interest on the money it has already borrowed. It becomes a vicious and escalating cycle.

But the deficits are not alone to blame. Artificial and strangling control of the money supply by members of the Federal Reserve Board justly deserves much of the blame. These artificial controls undermine free enterprise. They add greatly to

our problems.

The President and the Congress must stand up to that bloated bureaucracy called the Federal Reserve Board and insist on changes in its policies.

The Federal Reserve Board has the power to lower

interest rates. It must do this before our entire country faces financial disaster.

The Federal Reserve Board must loosen its grip on the nation's money supply. It should allow interest rates to fall from artificial highs.

Economist Milton Friedman says the Great Depression of the 1930s was extended because of the Federal Reserve Board's contraction of the currency. We can see that this same contraction is extending the recession of 1981.

High interest rates are discouraging economic recovery and have created the highest unemployment the

nation has experienced since the Great Depression.

Several measures are now before the Congress to limit the Federal Reserve's power. One would require annual audits of the Federal Reserve. Another would transfer money control from the Federal Reserve to the Department of the Treasury. Others are more extreme, asking for the repeal of the Federal Reserve Act itself and the termination of the Board.

I still hope that the members of the Federal Reserve Board will hear what Congress is saying and loosen its throttling control.

An era has passed, let me dwell a bit

AN ERA HAS PASSED.

A streamer headline across the top of my morning newspaper announced that one of our larger grocery stores "will quit handling trading stamps." How well do I remember the beginning. A quarter of a century ago trading stamps became a brand new American big business enterprise. I recall frowning, protesting, trying to tell my readers that there is nothing that is for free. The while drummers marched across the land proclaiming the evangelical word, to the mom and pop grocery, the butcher, the baker, the candlestick maker — to stay in business, to compete in the market place, you need stamps, green, gold, purple and black. The businessman had to chose the "best" color.

I recall a survey of housewives I made at the time. Summarized, they in essence agreed that stamps meant higher costs for items purchased, but they "liked the feeling of thinking they were getting something for 'nothing'." And they argued that with stamps they were able to get things they would not otherwise be able to buy. Sometimes, "things my husband wouldn't let me buy." Even now I suspect there are those who already hear the word of the "passing" with sadness, not just nostalgia.

GIMMICKS ARE AS much a part of our American free enterprise system as a new life saving device, a car that makes better mileage. Witness the ongoing mania for t-shirts, available at the haberdashers and even the grocery store for a few slices of the long green. But emblazon on that shirt a beer brand name, a resort decal, et cetera and forget et cetera and the happy buyer cheerfully forks over seven or eight bucks.

Austin at Wharf

Wonder of wonders is that those of us in the newspaper, radio and telly business can sell a line of advertising. Shucks, when an advertiser has to pay us, the while the consumer must pay him to cover his hairy chest, or for that matter a comely bosom, with his message!

LET ME DWELL A BIT longer in the consumers' world. Each summer season the public is constantly advised concerning ways to beat the heat. Wear loose fitting clothing rates high on the list. Instead we wear those t-shirts, or a mite more formally a knit shirt which presents a presumably neater appearance, so at least the ladies inform me. Funny what a bit of open collar accomplishes when it comes to acceptability. If we are invited in the evening to a cocktail party or buffet milady dons a long skirt, something called a caftan or flossy sort of pajama suit which she certainly would not wear to the grocery. I get by with slacks and a knit sport shirt. Well, I don't complain about the hot shirt and collar because it is no less comfortable than a t-shirt. On the other hand I do complain because since the knit shirts have become popular manufacturers have mostly discontinued even a single pocket, the while vastly increasing the price. My favorite shirt has a foreign name which I can never remember. It is worn outside the trousers and has four wonderful pockets

and hangs loosely over my frame. Milady doesn't think I have the figure for it, or something. The argument that it is sensible, practical and comfortable doesn't make the grade. Perhaps you can tell me why coiffed telly announcers wear summer weight suits with vests, why some of my comrades wear knee length stockings with shorts? Know what? Long, long ago in my days aboard the old ten knot freighters officers wore sarongs in their late night watches in the tropics. A wonderful, wonderful, cool and comfortable garb. Often I wonder if in my declining years if I might not make a million promoting sarongs or kilts for my fellows. Quiet the uproar fellows. Well do I recall when the American male animal was damned if he'd ever wear shorts except as an under garment.

CALL IT THE CUTIST picture of the year — great big uniformed Begin guerillas with rifles chasing Palestinian women and children who were gathered to demonstrate for the release of their husbands and fathers. It has all happened before. Remember Hitler's Huns in the 1930's?

THE REAL FALL guys in the strife between northern and southern Ireland are the British. Perhaps I haven't said that right. It implies that the IRA and Republic of Ireland are the same. Not so. In any event, without the British presence a wholesale blood bath might prevail on the Emerald Isle. I often wonder if the island might not be better off if the British were to move in full force and do a thorough job of wiping out the IRA. Otherwise the whole bit must rank as the most silly aryan show of the century.

--ahah

U.S. should warn allies on Soviet ties with capitalist

Soviet leaders have no use for the doctrines of capitalism, but they have great admiration for capital provided them by capitalist countries.

The Soviets must be amused by the ease with which they get money from capitalists, even though debts of the Soviet Union and its satellites to Western nations and banks have increased enormously in recent years.

Within the past few days a group of West German banks signed papers in Leningrad agreeing to lend the Soviet government \$1.6 billion to help the Russians finance pipeline construction.

Try as it might, the U.S. has been unsuccessful in efforts to keep hard currency out of the Soviets' hands. The 1982 economic summit meeting in Versailles, France, agreed on a vaguely worded statement to curb subsidized credit to the Soviet Bloc. But the declaration quickly became a dead issue.

The U.S. strongly supported the subsidized credit resolution, but a secret French agreement with the Soviet Union doomed a U.S. effort to form a solid front of European allies to limit credit to the Soviets.

American authorities were "stunned," as one official put it, when the French told them about the agreement described as a "secret protocol to a French-Soviet accord."

U.S. officials at the summit meeting, including President Reagan, apparently realized their work toward limiting Soviet credit from the West was unavailing after they learned of France's unwillingness to cooperate.

As one U.S. official explained it, hard currency spent subsidizing credit to the Soviet bloc would reduce the amount available to build up the Soviet Union's military-industrial base. He denied this amounted to economic warfare.

The French pulled the rug out from under the U.S.

effort to persuade its European allies to curb credit to the Soviet Union and, thus, make them spend their hard currency for necessities bought from the West.

Soon after the Versailles summit, French President Francois Mitterand said the credit communique adopted at the meeting had no practical effect. Shortly thereafter, West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt was quoted as saying the

communique was agreed to

only to placate President Reagan.

Sometimes it appears France and other U.S. allies go out of their way to please the Soviet Union in contravention of U.S. efforts to help contain the Soviet military threat.

The Rockport Pilot hopes President Reagan will dispense with niceties of diplomatic language in emphasizing to our European allies the hazards of unilateral agreements with the Soviets.

Reagan veto record laudable

President Reagan has won an important congressional battle and lost another in a continuing struggle to keep his program intact.

In a victory for the president, the House upheld his second veto of an emergency spending bill, leaving thousands of federal workers threatened by unpaid furloughs.

The 242-169 vote in favor of overriding the veto was 32 short of the two-thirds margin needed. The action meant that Congress must continue trying to come up with an emergency spending bill acceptable to the President, who rejected the two-stop gap measures sent to him so far as too costly.

The president's aides hailed the veto as an indication congressmen want to hold down spending. Officials have said if a bill is not passed and signed by the president soon, an estimated 9,000 to 13,000 federal workers would have to be furloughed for lack of funds to pay them.

In the other vote, Congress overrode a presidential veto for the first time, extending for four years a section of copyright law supporters contended could save many jobs.

President Reagan vetoed the bill on grounds it was

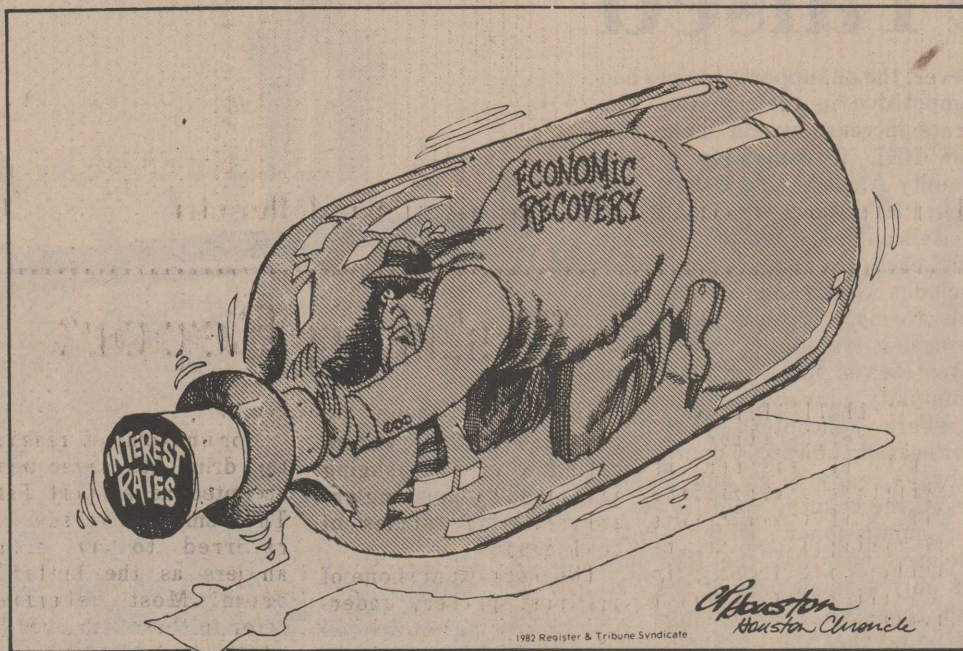
angering U.S. trading partners and could increase international trade tensions.

The margin of defeat for Reagan was provided by members of his own party. Fear of additional unemployment overcame charges by the president and some of GOP backers the bill was "protectionist" and uneeded.

Acting first, the House voted 324-86 to override the president's veto, 50 more than the two-thirds required. The Senate then put extension of the copyright law into effect by rejecting the veto 84-9, 22 more votes than needed.

The legislation keeps in effect four more years the "manufacturing clause" of the copyright law, which requires that non-dramatic literary material, printed in English by American authors, be printed in either the U.S. or Canada if the author is to receive full copyright protection.

The president is understandably proud most of his proposals have met with congressional favor. If he had to lose a veto, he probably would have picked the one on the copyright law instead of the spending bill, which provides the bedrock of his economic program.



It's the parents' fault

Editor's note: The Live Oak Peninsula Philosopher on his grassburr farm tackles the problem of young pages in Washington this week.

Dear editor:

You can't believe everything you hear from Washington — if you did you'd lose your mind — so I don't know what to make over the trouble with Congressional pages, the youngsters who run errands for Congressmen and Senators and make \$8,000 a year for the part-time work.

Some say the fault lies in the fact the pages don't have a government-financed dormitory, where they can be better supervised. But I say the blame

goes further back than that.

It starts in the home. Any parents who'd turn a 14-year-old child loose in the midst of Congressional politicians is just not thinking straight. Don't they know that a kid's environment, his associates, in his formative years has a lot to do with the development of his moral character?

Why, there are grown men who can't maintain much character in Congress. How do you expect a kid to do it?

I have never understood the need for pages in Congress. I understand they run errands for members, like bringing them newspapers or going

after an absent-minded member's bifocals or a glass

of water or carrying messages like where the poker game is tonight, etc.

I have seen Congressmen on television and a lot of them look like they ought to be running their own errands just to get the

exercise. When you can buy meals at half-price in the Congressional restaurant the temptation to over-eat is hard to resist, although members have established a safety valve. They can go to a government-financed hospital at greatly reduced prices. Congress has whipped the high cost of food and medical care. For Congressmen.

I have a notion that Congress will attack the pages' moral problems by voting to house them in a multi-million-dollar dormitory, with strict supervision. If it works, you reckon a supervised dormitory for Congressmen would be worth a try?

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

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Ouch

Dear Editor:
On Saturday, July 24, 1982, I took my five year old son to the Rockport beach for a pleasure filled day. Shortly after arriving he walked over to a cabana to eat his lunch. Instead of eating, he fell to the ground in pain. Someone had dumped hot coals on the beach and failed to put them out. He spent the rest of the day in an emergency clinic getting his foot taken care of and hurting a lot.

Shannon will now spend the rest of the summer not being able to swim, walk or run. The normal things five year olds enjoy doing on their summer vacation. So far our weekend vacation to Rockport has cost my son a lot of agony and a few hundred dollars of doctor bills.

Please, the next time you are through with your picnic, do not forget to cover your coals you dump from your pit and pour water over them to make sure they are completely out. YOU could save someone else a lot of pain.

Cheryl Casterline

Plea bargain would have jailed Hinckley

U.S. Attorney General William French Smith wish he had been less adamant in insisting on a trial instead of allowing a plea bargain to charges that would have sent John W. Hinckley Jr. to prison for shooting President Reagan and three other men.

The Justice Department

has revealed Smith twice rejected offers by Hinckley's lawyers for him to plead guilty by reason of insanity and sent to a hospital for psychiatric evaluation.

The jury's verdict enraged the nation and prompted calls for revamping criminal laws to do away with insanity as a defense in such cases.

There are people who believe the statutes under which Hinckley was found innocent were too complicated for the jury to understand what its alternatives were.

Public indignation was understandable. Hinckley almost succeeded in murdering the president and left Reagan's press secretary a

virtual invalid for life. Two other persons were less seriously injured.

If a person cannot be convicted and imprisoned for a crime of this magnitude, the public reasoned, something is wrong with the criminal justice system.

The Rockport Pilot for the most part opposes plea

bargaining, but the attorney general may have been too inflexible in discussing such an arrangement with Hinckley's attorneys. If anyone should have recognized the possibility Hinckley might be found innocent because he was insane at the time he committed the crime, it was William French Smith.

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Sports

Rockport Soccer
Club suffers loss

The Rockport Men's Soccer Club experienced its first loss of the summer season last Sunday in Corpus Christi. The Kingsville Soccer Club proved too strong and defeated Rockport by the score of 6 to 3.

Rockport scored early in the first half of play on a goal by Eric Moede after receiving a well placed pass from Saul Fuentes. The score remained 1-0 in favor of Rockport for most of the first half until Kingsville tied the game just before half-time.

In the second half, Kingsville stepped up its offensive attack. Aided by the wind, Kingsville made numerous attacks on Rockport's goal

and eventually wore down the Rockport defense.

Second half goals for Rockport were scored by Rutillo Fuentes and Eric Moede. Ricky Garcia, the Rockport goalie, played an outstanding game stopping numerous shots on goal in both the first and second halves.

Rockport's next game will be at 5:30 p.m. this Sunday, August 1, at Memorial Park against Lowenbrau of Corpus Christi. This match-up should produce a close game with victory going to the team with superior physical conditioning. Both teams' season records stand at 1-1-0.



Acey Cavazos of Jourdanton enjoys a day of fishing on Sandollar pier

[Photo by Ted Norman]

Tourist Assn.
slates tourney

The Rockport-Fulton Tourist Association will hold its annual fishing contest September 11 thru October 31 this year.

Three categories of fish with three prizes in each category will be involved in the contest.

First prize in each division will be \$100, second place in each division will be \$50 and third place will be \$25.

There will be six weigh-in stations including Sea Gun Marina across Copano Causeway in Lamar, Pouzee's Pier on copano Cove, Larry's Tackle Town in Rockport, Key Allegro Marina in Rockport, Beach Road Bait House in Fulton and Max's Tackle Shop in Rockport.

The contest is being sponsored by the Rockport-Fulton Tourist Association and tickets must be secured from members of the association to enter. All members will be displaying the blue and white sign. All fishermen and fisherladies must register and secure entry tickets prior to weighing in fish.

All fish must be caught on a rod and reel. In case of a tie in fish weight, the longest fish will be the winner. Fish must be caught in Copano Bay, St. Charles Bay, Aransas Bay, Mesquite Bay or San Antonio Bay.

Fish must be weighed fresh and the contest is open to amateur fishermen only.

Fishing Report

By TED NORMAN
Managing editor

A lot of fishermen are trying their luck around the area and a few good reports are coming in of some nice catches but fishing in general is not as good as it should be this time of year in the Rockport-Fulton area.

Speckled trout are a little hard to find in the area this time of year. The redfish are in greater abundance than expected and some nice reds have been landed in the past week.

Floundering is still good both on a hook and with a gig. Lots of fishermen can be seen on the area beaches at night trying their luck at flounder fishing and the seasonal low tides are making floundering excellent.

Black drum should be gone from the local waters but a few are still hanging around and some anglers are reporting catches of black drum.

The black drum is one of the most ignored, under-utilized and misunderstood food fish on the Texas coast.

For unexplained reasons the drum has never been accepted as a sport fish. The smaller version is referred to by many anglers as the butterfly drum. Most fishermen refer to those fish over 30 pounds as bull drum.

The drum is usually found in very shallow water, usually so shallow that their backs are exposed. And they like warm water.

The drum spawn in February and March and again in June and July. They reach a length of six inches the first year and continue to grow about six inches a year for the first three years of their lives then grow about two inches a year after that.

The Texas record for drum is 78 pounds with the largest black drum on record weighing 146 pounds.

Cut bait, peeled shrimp and spoon are the best bait to try to land a black drum.

Plenty of live and dead bait are available at the local bait stands for the weekend.

From the
press box

Jimmy Connors, the Wimbledon men's singles champion, has urged a ban on the electronic "magic eye" used during the tournament for making close line calls. "It doesn't work too well, and they should give it up," Connors said. "It makes too many obvious mistakes." Connors said that the All England Club should "rely on the line judges. I don't know how many points it (the electronic line-caller) cost me, but it's bad for the game. We don't use the machine in the United States, and I hope that it won't be here for Wimbledon next year."

For Cowboys coach Tom Landry, who has known mostly success in his 22 years in Dallas, last year's defeat in the NFC title game by the San Francisco 49ers ranks with his most disappointing moments.

"I think it's right up there," Landry said. "It

probably didn't rate as much as that ice game in Green Bay — another time that I thought we could win the NFL championship and we got beat in the last seconds on a quarterback sneak by Bart Starr back there in '67. That would rank as the biggest disappointment."

This one (the loss to San Francisco), came fairly close, because I thought we had the best team we've had since '78, when we won it (the Super Bowl) against Denver, and I thought we had the best chance again. And when you are ahead and you have only 4 1/2 minutes to go and you lose, then that becomes one of the biggest disappointments."

Real happiness is more of a habit than a goal, more of an attitude than an attainment.

Roundup scheduled

WICHITA FALLS — Advance tickets are on sale now for the 1982 Texas Ranch Roundup, the friendly competition among 13 of Texas' biggest ranches to answer the question of which is The Best — at least for a year.

Rodeo tickets are \$5 reserved seats and \$3 general admission for each rodeo performance; \$5 per person for each evening's

dance; and \$1 general admission for the afternoon contests. Tickets are on sale at Wichita Western World, The Cow Lot, Holts Sporting Goods, Cruse Western Wear and Cutty's, all in Wichita Falls; Hughes Western Wear in Vernon, and Frontier Western Wear in Bowie. Tickets can also be obtained by Writing Falls Distributing Co., Inc., 3811 Tarry,

Wichita Falls, Texas 76308. They will also be available at the gate.

The 1982 Texas Ranch Roundup is co-sponsored by Budweiser and the North Texas Rehabilitation Center. Proceeds from the roundup will benefit the North Texas Rehabilitation Center, Wichita Falls; the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, Abilene; and the West Texas Boys Ranch, San Angelo.



THIS DETERMINED FISHERWOMAN had taken off her shoes, gotten comfortable and was ready for the big catch. She and some companions were out early Wednesday morning, fishing in Leggett Light channel at the north end of Rockport Beach.

[Photo by Becky Werhan]

Barlass
headed to
national

The Rockport-Fulton summer track team took part in the Regional AAU Track Meet held at MacAllan Memorial Stadium and came home with a second and four third place wins.

Jeff Groseclose took third in the shot put, midget division.

Tim Arthur placed third in pole vault, junior division and Amy Barlass came in third in the 1500 meter walk race.

Tammy Barlass took second in the 1500 walk race and will qualify for the national meet in Memphis, Tenn. to be held August 5-8.

Tammy Barlass graduated in June from Rockport-Fulton High School and was coached by James Moltz.

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Hermann Sons growing

SAN ANTONIO — A "Campaign to Make Hermann Sons Lodges Grow" will be conducted from Aug. 1 to Nov. 10 in all 160 lodges of the 79,000-member Order of the Sons of Hermann in Texas, Louis B. Engelke of San Antonio, grand president, has announced.

Hermann Son Lodges are located in 140 cities and towns across the state, including one in Rockport.

On July 11 more than 800 lodge leaders from around Texas met in San Antonio, home office site of the fraternal society, in a rally for the campaign. This rally followed a seminar attended by some 150 local lodge membership representatives.

Hermann Sons in Texas dates back to 1860 when Harmonica Lodge No. 1 was being organized in San Antonio. The lodge was officially chartered July 6, 1861.

Originally part of a national society founded in New York in 1840, Hermann Sons in Texas

became autonomous in 1921. Headquarters are located in San Antonio where the Grand Lodge was established in 1890.

The order in Texas operates a youth summer camp and a retirement home for older members near Comfort and sponsors 22 dancing schools for junior members. Local

Registration slated

New students or students who did not complete the 1981-1982 school year in Aransas County Schools and who plan to attend the sixth, seventh or eighth grades at Rockport-Fulton Junior High should register at the principal's office for the 1982-1983 school year. Students can begin registering on Aug. 3. The office will be open from 8 a.m. - noon and from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. New students should bring report cards, immunization records and any other pertinent data from their previous school.

Students who completed the 1981-1982 school year in Aransas County Schools are pre-registered and will need to obtain a copy of their schedule at the principal's office. Schedules can be obtained beginning Aug. 16 from 8 a.m. - noon and 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Students who have unpaid fines or fees should pay these obligations before picking up the schedules.

For additional information, call 729-6562 or 729-6569.



KATHRYN WINKELMAN, President of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary, holds a special certificate won by the group recently. The certificate awarded by the

state VFW cites the public relations and publicity efforts of the Ladies Auxiliary during the past year. (Photo by Becky Werhan)

Elders help "naturally"

COLLEGE STATION — Is it possible to develop the ability to be a "natural helper?"

Some people are easier to turn to than others for

advice and understanding when the going gets tough, according to Mrs. Judith L. Warren, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M university system.

These "natural helpers" are easier to confide in because they have a genuine concern and an innate understanding for other people, Warren said.

Natural helpers are not paid workers or recognized volunteers, but the support and advice they offer can be worth a great deal to someone with a problem.

"Older people in a community assume this role frequently," Warren said. "They have firm convictions and ten to view things in an historical and general context. In addition, they are more relaxed in their approach to a given situation."

Older natural helpers are good listeners and sounding boards. They may help by performing household chores or providing transportation. They are also likely to offer information about the situation or

problem based on past experience.

Everyone may not be able to become a "natural helper," but if you are genuinely concerned for others, you may be able to develop that concern into a new role for yourself, Warren said.

Recognize your helpful characteristics and develop them by becoming conscious of other people's needs. Learn to adapt your "helping style" to the situation. Listen when someone needs to talk. Give advice when someone needs direction.

Remain flexible and relaxed and remember that every situation is unique. What might have worked for one person is not necessarily the answer for another, Warren said. Be willing to take action when the situation calls for action, and perhaps being a "natural helper" will become a rewarding new role for you!

Unhappiness is not knowing what we want and killing ourselves to get it.

George Cone named to Allied board

George S. Cone, Jr., Chairman of the Board and President of Allied Live Oak Bank, announced July 29 the election of Tim Gilles as a member of the Board of Directors.

Tim joined Allied Live Oak Bank in February of this year bringing with him more than 14 years of prior bank management experience.

Tim and his wife Jackie have already taken an active role as part of the

Rockport-Fulton Community. Tim is a member of Rockport Rotary Club and is serving as Parade Marshal for the 1982 Seafair.

Allied Live Oak Bank opened in July of 1974 with opening day deposits of just over \$240,000. On June 30th, 1982 total deposits were \$34,046,815.82 and total assets were \$37,708,752.81. Allied Live Oak Bank is a member of Allied Bancshares.

Fitness training workshop set

Importance of exercise scaled to the fitness of older men and women will be recognized in a Leadership Training Workshop in Physical Activity for Senior Adults. The workshop will be held Friday, Aug. 13, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Pavilion of Corpus Christi State School.

Instruction will be provided by representatives of the Governor's Commission on Physical Fitness. The workshop is sponsored by the Coastal Bend Council of Governments Area Agency on Aging, Texas Department of Aging, and Texas Nursing Home Association.

There will be no registration fee. A kit of registration materials will be available without charge to those registering in advance with

the Council of Governments at P.O. Box 9909, Corpus Christi, Texas 78408. Cassette tapes will be available without charge to those registering in advance with the Council of Governments at P.O. Box 9909, Corpus Christi, Texas 78408. Cassette tapes will be available to those desiring them at \$2 each.

The program is designed to train leaders in senior centers, nutrition centers, and staff and volunteers in nursing homes, and is open to any individual wanting to learn a basic low level or moderate exercise program that would be healthful for older people, whether in wheel chairs or have unlimited mobility. Dress to allow participation in physical activities is suggested for anyone attending.

Stereo set stolen

A stereo system valued at \$1,500 was taken earlier this week when a guest house belonging to Wade Wendell in Harbor Oaks was burglarized.

The burglary occurred between 7 p.m. last Sunday, July 25, and Monday morning, July 26.

An eight-track tape player and two speakers were taken

from a vehicle belonging to Elizabeth Sanchez early Tuesday, July 27. Police said that burglary occurred about 2:11 a.m.

And a Rockport motel owner reported another incident of theft of service. This one was reported Monday afternoon after one of the guests of the motel allegedly left after four days owing a bill for \$99.80.

The Rockport Partyline

Rev. and Mrs. George Montgomery have returned from a two-week trip to Lewisburg, Tenn. They went because of the death of a very close friend and from there they went to Virginia to visit their son Donald and relatives.

Clyde Edwards is at home now after a lengthy stay in Memorial Hospital and he can have visitors.

Young Hal Ellis is visiting relatives in Houston.

Vacation Bible School starts at the Calvary Baptist Church Monday August 1 and ends Friday August 6. It will be held from 8:30 until 11 a.m. for children ages three to 12 years old.

At the Gospel Light-house, a lot of excitement and happy faces were seen as 10 boys and girls who returned from a week's stay at the church's Bible School held at Lost Pines Camp near La Grange. Six senior boys and girls had been there the week before.

Plans are being formed at the Greater First Baptist Church for an appreciating service and dinner in honor of Rev. L.V. Terrell. It will be held August 8 and the public will be invited.

Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Hackett from Overton and their daughter Sue and her family spent several delightful days in Rockport seeing friends and renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Hackett is retired now after working many years for Hunt Oil Company.

Penny Benjamin enjoyed having Sue and Bob Benjamin and their two children from Damascus, MD. for a week. They all enjoyed our Rockport sandy beaches.

Martha and Dick Ballow have returned from a 12-day trip to the Pacific Northwest and southwest Canada. One of the sights that most impressed them was the flowers in the Buechart Gardens.

Claire and Doug Ankerman and their two children from Houston are spending this week vacationing in Rockport at Bayhouse condos, looking forward to fishing, swimming and

participating in the many water sports.

Spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hagesfeld is their daughter Linda from Cleveland, Ohio.

One of the highlights of the weekend trip to Houston for Jan Stryker and her daughters Joanne and Sandi was a trip to Astroworld.

Glenda Blankinship and her son Mark made a trip to the valley to be with Glenda's grandmother, Bertha Adams, who is seriously ill.

Iran Garnes with her three week old baby is back in Rockport after being in North Carolina.

In Peninsula Oaks, two new couples have moved into their new homes after both living in Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. Bright and Coach and Mrs. Bill Daws.

Nancy White returned from a week's trip to Chicago where she attended a Grapho Analysis Seminar dealing with legal and court testimony.

Elder Thomas Mathews from Corpus Christi will be the guest speaker at the 11 a.m. service this Sunday at the Reorganized Church

of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Helen and James Reed are the proud owners of a home in West Terrace.

Has anyone asked Burt Mills (our esteemed Mayor) how he likes whip cream? It seems that there were some unusual happenings at his birthday party last Sunday and it was all of his friends who were behind it and they too celebrated it in a most unusual style.

At the Aransas County Medical Services Inc., the Women's Division are already beginning to get organized for their bazaar, to be held at the Paws and Taws Saturday, Nov. 20 and Sunday, Nov. 21.

The Center of Positive Thought will conduct services in their larger quarters in the same building (formerly the Council On Aging) at Magnolia and Cornwall streets. Their first service in this new location will be this Sunday at 11 a.m. and Rev. Ron Ballenger, from Unity By the Sea in Corpus will conduct their blessing service. Following this the congregation will have a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. W.C. Calhoun spent last weekend in Hempstead visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Shenk spent the weekend in Houston and one of their sidetrips was to a tropical nursery to purchase orchids.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McClain will be entertaining his sister-in-law Wanda Gillen who is the Dean of Mavarr College.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Anderson returned from a trip to California. While there they took their grandchildren to Disneyland and surrounding areas.

Newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. John Ledbetter from Houston visited with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jerre Ledbetter.

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS! Ingrid Little, Eittoil Eller, Bob Tiller, Jan Mahan, Al Hamby, Dean Kemp, Grace Moore — August 1; Pattie McMillan, Julie Hiller, Gladys Poole, James Ringham — August 3; Kathyeen Bachman — August 5; Bill Mercer — August 6; Murphy Elsey, Jimmy Sessac, Skip Dinkler, Ira Fredricks — August 7.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY! Mary and Jowell Hearn Jr. — August 6.

HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES Mae Goodwin — Doctor's Hospital, Corpus Christi; Mr. John Warden, Eugene Horton — Spohn Hospital, Corpus Christi; C.G. Washington — Coastal Bend Hospital, Aransas Pass; Lucille Moore — Scott and White, Temple; John Talbot — DeTar Hospital, Victoria.

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In days gone by

20 Years Ago — 1962

A small satellite named "Telstar" began sending signals to earth in tests that would pioneer the way for a worldwide satellite communications network.

Mrs. A.L. Bachman, Chairman of the 1962 Cancer Crusade for Aransas County received commendations from the state chairman, Dr. G.V. Brindley Sr. for the outstanding success of the local educational and fund-raising campaign.

Ada B. Mueller enlisted in the U.S. Army for a period of three years. She was sent to

Fort McClellan, Ala., for nine weeks of basic training. Her chosen field was Medical Care and Treatment.

Idylwild Motel was in the process of being changed into an apartment building, with new rooms and other features being added.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cuff were the proud parents of a baby girl weighing six pounds, nine ounces and named Carrie Sue.

15 Years Ago — 1967 Gabe C. French was named General Manager of the Sea Gun Sports Inn by inn-Spann Inc.

Sheriff Joe Earl Hunt was selected to appear in the 1967 edition of "Outstanding Personalities of the South."

Tom Phillips was advanced from assistant cashier to assistant vice president of First National Bank of Rockport.

Richard Anderson of Troop 49, Rockport Boy Scouts, left for the 12th World Boy Scout Jamboree in Farragut, Idaho.

Mrs. Val Jean Eaton returned to work as deputy county and district clerk in the office of County-District Clerk W.E. Beasley.

10 Years Ago — 1972 The safety observation tower on Rockport Beach became a reality.

A new 20" high rise bike sold for \$34.88 at H.E.B.

The 1970 census showed the average family income for the previous year in Aransas County was \$6,661. John E. Bayreux was honored with a birthday party given by his parents. Patrick Gruber of Fulton was awarded his first track letter at Evangel College, Springfield, Mo.

From the candidate

To the voter

AUSTIN — Governor Bill Clements, who will head the Southern Governors Association in the coming year, released his proposal for a national energy plan at a meeting of the governors in South Carolina this week.

Governor Clements said it is vital for the United States to embark immediately on an energy plan that would make the country independent in the market place.

Speaking to the Southern Governors Association — composed of 17 governors — Clements advo-

cated hiring the best experts in the energy business to cope with future needs. He said time is an important factor.

Governor Clements said, "The nation needs a sustained and stable energy policy and a strong central agency to implement it. Unfortunately and incredibly, we still do not have such a policy. It is vital for the United States to adopt one without further delay."

He continued, "We must examine regularly energy market action influencing future energy supplies and demands. Government ac-

tion must be provided where the market cannot achieve national objectives. The goal should be a secure future for America, capable of supporting our growth, prosperity and national security over the long term."

Citing the lack of any definitive energy plan during the administration of six presidents over the past 20 years, Governor Clements said there are too many agencies involved in energy management at the national level.

Under the proposed plan, experts would analyze future needs with long range plans to be laid out in achieving

specified goals.

The plan lists four objectives: provide sufficient energy while protecting the environment; assure economic and social development for the future; minimize exposure to disruption by oil shortages; and make the transition to a new energy base with as little disruption as possible.

Noting that upheaval in the Mideast continues to threaten oil supplies, Governor Clements says there are a number of oil and gas reserves yet to be used in this country and there is a need to continue to find other ways of conserving existing supplies.

Aquatic display adds charm

relatively easily and inexpensively by doing the excavating himself and using one of several methods to line or seal the hole.

Lining: Instead of concrete, fiberglass or metal, which are good pool lining materials but which unfortunately share the disadvantage of being difficult for the amateur, consider one of the following easier methods:

(1) Sink, or partially sink, a child's plastic wading pool or a galvanized watering trough (available at farm supply stores) which has been painted both sides with an epoxy paint. Blue paint gives the illusion of deeper water; black paint reflects the sky and clouds on bright days but tends to look gloomy on dreary days.

(2) Use a flexible plastic pool liner designed especially for this purpose. Available in a number of shapes, sizes and depths, these start at about \$10 for a 2x3 foot size.

(3) Use one of the sheets of heavy plastic made especially for lining pools.

These last a long time and conform to any shape.

(4) Apply several inches

of smooth clay worked to mud-pie consistency to sides and bottom of hole. This makes a natural pool.

(5) Pour a special sealing material (for use with clay-type soils only) into the water of the newly dug and filled pool. When using this be sure to follow the instructions concerning any waiting period from date of application to time of planting and introduction of fish.

Edging: For aesthetic reasons, concealing the edge is often desirable with concrete, fiberglass, plastic or metal-lined pools. Rocks, stones, bricks and/or plants make attractive edges. The natural or clay-lined pool usually needs no concealing edge for appearance's sake. However, with any type of pool it's advisable to erect about a 12x15-inch barrier of some kind, such as concrete, brick or wire to prevent a boom in the toad or frog population. Toads and frogs seek out water in which to lay their eggs. These are stringy and messy looking and later hatch into tadpoles. Also, frogs have a habit of croaking all night long.

Planting: A number of

our local wild water plants adapt well to culture in the home garden pool. Such species as water hyacinth, American lotus, the native Nymphaea water lilies, arrowhead, pickerel weed and swamp iris are beautiful, of easy culture and grow naturally in our area. In addition to these, numerous cultivated species are commercially available for use in almost any size pool.

Some water plants are floaters, requiring no soil in which to grow, such as the beautiful water hyacinth and floating heart.

Usually, water lilies require at least 18 inches of water depth (24 is even better), full sun and still or only slightly moving fresh water. Most gardeners prefer to plant their lilies in plastic or wooden containers of rich soil rather than directly in the mud of the bottom of the pool. Since container size, planting method and depth requirements vary with different species, follow the supplier's planting instructions. Generally, however water lilies like a rich soil and fertilizer every year.

Good gardening until next week from The Garden Editor, Ted Brice.



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Patricia Baker weds Patrick McLead



Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McLead

Patricia Ann Baker and Patrick Omer McLead were united in marriage at two o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, June 26 in Houston. The Rev. Hugh Craig performed the double ring ceremony in the courtyard at Las Alamedas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gerald Baker of Houston and the late Sally Katherine Mercer Baker. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Earnest Baker of Lakeland, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Huey Mercer of Gonzales and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee Walker of Corpus Christi. She is a 1977 graduate of Conroe High School and attended North Harris County College and is currently employed as a sales representative for a Houston-based office equipment company.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLead of Rockport. He is the grandson of Wretha B. Johnson and the late E.J. Johnson and also the late Mr. and Mrs. Omer E. McLead, all of Rockport. He is a 1972 graduate of Rockport-Fulton High School and was associated with Clark & Company here until his recent move to Houston. He is presently employed as a sales representative for an international oil and real estate investment firm in Houston.

The courtyard was deco-

rated with many tropical plants and pots of ivy, and flower-laden candelabrum flanked a floral arrangement of pink gladiolas, white mums, baby's breath and greenery, creating a background for the ceremony on the stone steps. Gardenias floated in the stone fountain and love birds in cages sang a special accompaniment to the music for the wedding ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a designer gown fashioned in ivory silk organza, accented with Chantilly lace, seed pearls and iridescents. Lace outlined the keyhole neckline and sheer cameo yoke of the fitted lace bodice, and lace appliques trimmed the bishop sleeves with fitted lace cuffs fastened with bridal buttons and French loops. The silk organza skirt was slipper length in front, sweeping in back to a chapel train. It featured a tablier, an apron effect in the front of crystal lace pleating enhanced with Chantilly lace medallions. To complete her Victorian ensemble, the bride wore a lace picture hat accented with pearls and a cluster of silk blossoms. The brim, rolled on one side, was fastened with an antique gold hatpin, borrowed from the collection of her grandmother Walker. Silk elbow length silk illusion fell from a puff bow at the back of the hat. She carried a nosegay

of bridal blush roses, white carnations, stephanotis, baby's breath and greenery.

Mrs. Paul Richard Emmons of Katy, sister of the bride, served as her matron of honor. She wore a formal designer gown of ivory silk chiffon over taffeta with a deep V-neckline in front and back and a sild over-bodice, styled with full sleeves, cuffed in ivory lace. Bridal buttons and French loops closed the bodice from neck to waist and a pink satin ribbon accented the waist of the gathered skirt. She wore an Adolfo Original hat of ivory straw, adorned with silk illusion streamers held by a gold hat pin, and carried a nosegay of pink bridal roses and baby's breath with greenery.

Michael McLead of Farmington, N.M., brother of the groom, served as his best man. Master E.J. Nathaniel Irwin, nephew of the groom, served as candlelighter and ushers were Blake Edward Baker of San Antonio, the bride's brother, and Paul Richard Emmons of Katy, brother-in-law of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a buffet reception was held in the dining rooms of Las Alamedas, overlooking Hunter's Creek, during which the wedding guests were serenaded by the Trio San Miguel guitarists. Members of the house party included Marian Bloom, Jude O'Donnell,

Mrs. Mike Sandera, Judy Plummer, Mary McInnis, Jim Bloom, Chris Beadle, and Don McAninch, all of Houston.

The reception tables were laid in white, with lace overskirts and arrangements of pink and white carnations, baby's breath and greenery were used on all the serving tables. The four-tiered wedding cake was decorated with pink roses and cupids. The groom's cake, made by Loyce Ogle, a family friend, was a double chocolate ring, centered with a pink crystal statue of a water maiden surrounded by sprigs of baby's breath, pink carnations and English Ivy.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee Walker, Barbara Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kinsey, all of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Bill B. McLead of Allen, Mrs. Sam Powers, Jr. of Baytown, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kinsey and Gina Hagen of Farmington, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Gary Vaughn and sons, E.J. and Zachary Lee Irwin, Joy Kathleen McLead, Nancy Nesloney, Mr. and Mrs. Del P. McLain, Mr. and Mrs. M.D. McNorton, Mrs. Jerri Ledbetter, Julianne Scheumack, Parkie Ledbetter Hill and children Dustie and Cody Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Goodin, all of Rockport.

Following their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs.

McLead will reside in Houston.

On Friday, June 25, the groom's parents were hosts at the rehearsal dinner at the Town and Country Sheraton in Houston. White cloths covered the

tables with pink napkins, fan-folded and placed in antique pink crystal goblets. Miniature brides and grooms, hand painted and dressed by the groom's mother, his aunt, Mrs. J.D. Kinsey, and friend, Mrs.

Howard Kinsey, were used as place card holders and arrangements of pink and white silk flowers and greenery in crystal holders, centered with pink candles decorated the side tables. An arrangement of pink carnations, baby's breath and greenery in a crystal basket, flanked by pink candles in crystal holders, decorated the head table.

Attending the dinner were the bride and groom, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Edward Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richard Emmons of Katy, Blake Edwards of San Antonio, Michael McLead, Gina Hagen and Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kinsey, all of Farmington, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Gary Vaughn and sons, E.J. and Zachary Irwin, Joy Kathleen McLead, Nancy Nesloney, and Mr. and Mrs. McLead, all of Rockport.

Dimension

Vitamin A will help out hair

BY JEAN GLOWKA

Q. Is there a vitamin for hair? My hair is getting so thin, surely there must be a vitamin for help!

A. Because hair is composed primarily of protein, a deficiency of protein in the diet can result in a temporary change in hair color and texture, resulting in thin, dull, dry hair. If adequate protein is obtained and the deficiency is corrected, the hair will return to its normal condition.

A deficiency of vitamin A can cause hair to become dull, dry and lifeless and eventually to fall out. However, an excess of vitamin A can cause similar problems, so amounts greater than 50,000 units daily should not be taken over a long period of time.

Deficiencies of many of the

B-complex vitamins and vitamin C have also been associated with poor appearance of hair.

A diet abundant in such things as brewer's yeast, wheat germ and liver, because of the high quality protein and the B vitamins occurring in these foods, is very important in maintaining healthy, beautiful hair. One should also include one or two tablespoons of cold processed vegetable oil in their diet daily.

Q. Is there a vitamin for circulation? I do look for and enjoy your column.

A. Thank you. Since cholesterol deposits are often the cause of poor circulation, one concerned with circulation problems should obtain one to four tablespoons of granular lecithin daily.

Until next week, folks, stay happy and healthy! It's a

beautiful world!

Please send questions to: Rt. 1, Box 437, Rockport, TX 78382.

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MR. AND MRS. L.B. JOHNSON of El Dorado and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Seglar of Rockport have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, Debbie and Rusty. The future bride graduated from Texas Tech University and teaches Home Economics for the Round Rock Independent School District. The groom-elect graduated from United High School and Laredo Junior College in Laredo and from Southwestern University in Georgetown. He is also with the Round Rock School System where he coaches and teaches math. The couple will be married in Rockport, Sept. 4.

Community

Calendar

Council on Aging and Concern Center, 912 S. Church St., 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 729-5352.

Castaways, 201 S. Austin, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday-Thursday, Friday and Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Aransas County Women's Medical Services Workshop, Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at First

National Bank Town Hall. Rockport-Fulton Tourist Association, 10-11:30 a.m. and 1-5 p.m., Paws and Taws Building.

Rockport Area Chamber of Commerce, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday, Saturday 9-1 p.m.

SATURDAY, JULY 31 Alcoholics Anonymous Fellowship Group, 8 p.m. First Presbyterian Church.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1 Church of your choice. G.I. Forum Games Afternoon, 2 p.m. Forum Building.

MONDAY, AUGUST 2 TOPS Club #493, 6:30 p.m., I.O.O.F. Hall. Eastern Star, 8 p.m., Masonic Lodge Hall, Hwy. 35.

Aransas County Recreational Association, 7 p.m., Woman's Club Building.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3 TOPS Club #849, 7:30 a.m., Corky's Restaurant. Rockport Chamber of Commerce, noon, Sandollar

Restaurant.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., Bishop Elliott Conference Center.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Bishop Elliott Conference Center. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4 Rotary Club, noon, Sandollar Restaurant.

G.I. Forum Games Night, 7 p.m., Forum Building. THURSDAY, AUGUST 5 Lions' Club, noon, Seafare Restaurant.

A.A.R.P. #1536 Card Party, 1 p.m., First National Bank Town Hall.

Rebekah Lodge, 7:30 p.m., I.O.O.F. Hall.

VFW Game Night, 7:30 p.m., VFW Hall.

A.A. Big Book Study Club, 8 p.m., First National Bank Town Hall.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6 Woman's Club Card Party, 1 p.m., Woman's Club Building. Visitors welcome. Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., VFW Hall.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., VFW Hall.

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	[A] TBS Morning News	9:30 2 Special Report
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	[O] MOVIE: 'The Hideaways'	5 Actualidad Semanal
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	11 (1) Superman	6 Championship Wrestling
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Luck still holds out for Vietnam veteran

Often it seems there's a hidden purpose to luck. In Vietnam, Bob Rummel was with the 101st Airborne Division. A member of a machine gun crew, he and his fellow gunner, for no particular reason, decided to change positions. No sooner had they done so than a misfired U.S. artillery round hit and instantly killed Rummel's buddy. Dazed, knowing he was wounded, Rummel began looking for a medical station. His hand felt for the wound in his throat, and it was then he realized his jugular vein had been severed. He attempted to cut off the bleeding with his fingers. Again luck placed an aid station directly in his path. The medics did the rest. Had the station not been where it was, Rummel would not have survived.

After Bob returned home and attended the Georgetown School of International Relations, it appeared a political career was in the offing. However, after his wife, Marion, had their first child, Erin, they began to think in terms of the kind of future they wanted. The result was a look-see visit to Vermont in 1974. What they saw they liked, and a year later they took the plunge. Since boyhood, Rummel had been in and out of construction business; so, in the town of Rochester, Vermont, the Robert E. Rummel Construction Company was founded. In the beginning there was little more than the name.

Anyone who has given up city life knows there are large and difficult adjustments to make. Not the least of which is earning a living in a rural community. Today the Rummel Construction Company employs five neighbors during the hard winter months and 17 to 15 in the summer. In the past three years, Bob has tripled the company's size and earning power.

A member of the volunteer fire department, a citizen whose company performs volunteer services for the town, Bob Rummel is a volunteer in another capacity that ties in directly to that day in Vietnam 13 years ago. He is the Chairman of the Vermont Vietnam Veterans Leadership Program. As such, with the aid of Project Director Bill Fagginger-Auer, seven VVLP directors and nine ACTION volunteers, he is building a structure based on mutual aid, making Vietnam vets a identifiable group with grass roots support. If a Vietnam vet has a business, he takes a chance on a vet who has had a tough time. If a vet doesn't know the

ropes or he's hanging on them, the VVLP is there to counsel and to offer the kind of understanding

that's meaningful. As Bob says, "I waited a long while for a program like this to come along. Now we're

helping lost veterans to finally find themselves."

It's not unlike a wounded G.I. stumbling through

the jungle, bleeding to death, looking for help. Only today the medic in the aid station is Bob Rummel.



MIKE RIAS CUT THE OFFICIAL RED RIBBON for Taylor Rental last Friday. Rias is manager of the new store that has just about everything for rent. Helping Mike with the

Heart diseases subject of Driscoll conference

CORPUS CHRISTI — Intensive care for children with heart diseases and defects will be the subject of a two-day conference Friday and Saturday, July 30-31, sponsored by the Children's Heart Institute of South Texas, the Driscoll Foundation Children's Hospital, and the Corpus Christi Area Division of the American Heart Association.

The conference at Holiday Inn on North Padre Island, Corpus Christi, will bring to the area leading researchers, pediatric cardiologists, cardiac surgeons, nurses and other health professionals involved in the care of pediatric cardiac patients.

Dr. James Simpson, Medical Director of the Children's Heart Institute, said the seminar will be a first for the South Texas area and is planned to provide improved care for South Texas children by sharing of the latest research findings and new techniques being developed.

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Those on the planning faculty are Patrick G. Brosnan, M.D., Director of Medical Education, Driscoll Foundation Children's Hospital; Billy Rios, M.D., Fellow, Pediatric Cardiology, Lillie Frank Abercrombie Section of Cardiology, Texas Children's Hospital, Houston; Roberto Villarreal, M.D., South Texas Pediatric Cardiology Associates, Corpus Christi, and Dr. Simpson.

The Friday program will include "Monitoring Standards in the ICU" with Charles L'Hommedieu as

speaker, and "Acute Management of Dysrhythmias — Surgical and Medical" with Arthur Garson, M.D., as speaker. Dr. L'Hommedieu is assistant professor of anesthesiology and pediatrics, University of Texas Health Science Center, Houston. Dr. Garson is Associate in Pediatric Cardiology, the Lillie Frank Abercrombie Section of Cardiology, Department of Pediatrics, Texas Children's Hospital, Houston.

Friday afternoon's program will be on "Management of the Neonate with Cyanotic Heart Disease", with Lt. Col. James H. Rogers, M.D., speaker. Dr. Rogers is with Wilford Hall, U.S. Air Force Medical Center, Department of Pediatric Cardiology, San Antonio.

Pet talks

By Dr. Hap Lutz

Dr. Lutz is a former instructor of diseases of dogs and cats in the College of Veterinary Medicine, Texas A&M University.

Dear Dr. Lutz,

I have a tiny house dog and I am having a problem with fleas. I have heard there is something the dog can take internally that eliminates them. I hate to do anything not in my dog's best interest, such as giving her the flea "poison". At present we bathe her weekly and spray the rug, etc., about every one to two months. Please give me some professional advice.

Signed,
A.G.

Dear A.G.,

There is a veterinary tablet given orally to dogs for the elimination of fleas. The drug I refer to is named Proban. A salesman from a drug company detailed me on it, resulting in my ordering a rather large supply. I was going to try them on my own dog before I recommended them to my clients. Before the tablets arrived, I read an article in one of the monthly veterinary journals, and their research showed it caused hepatitis damage in a

certain percentage of dogs. After reading this article, I phoned the drug company and had them cancel the order.

On my own dog and cat, I use one of two products. One is a powder which I apply all over the body. Then I rub it in well. The product's name is "Ritter's Flea & Tick powder". I have been using this product for over 15 years without any toxic effect.

The other product I use is a mist. The name is "Adam's Flea-Off-Mist". It kills fleas, lice and ticks. It can be used on dogs, puppies, cats and kittens. If you use this product, start at the head and mist back to the tail. When misting around the head, cover the pet's eyes with your hand. If the mist gets in the eyes, it can cause an irritation. This product can be applied daily, and it is effective. You will control the fleas with this procedure.

It is likely you also have fleas in your house if your pet comes in. It is just as important to have a program to control the infestation in your home. In the med-week edition of the Rockport Pilot, I will discuss an updated procedure for the elimination of fleas on the inside of your home.

Signed,
Dr. H.H. Lutz

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Aransas County review board calls a recess

Following its first four days of hearings, Aransas County's appraisal review board has called a recess but will reconvene Wednesday, Aug. 4, for two days of hearings on boat appraisals.

The ARB met Thursday and Friday, July 22-23, and again this past Monday, July 26, "mostly on real estate hearings," according to Jack Groseclose, chief appraiser for the Aransas County Appraisal District.

On Tuesday, July 27, the review board convened for the first of three days of scheduled hearings on boat appraisals in the county but recessed Tuesday and cancelled the Wednesday and Thursday meetings until Wednesday and Thursday of this coming week.

Cam Leonard, chairman of the ARB, said review board members called the recess in part to give them a chance to meet with the marine surveyor company that appraised boats in Aransas County. This meeting, scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 3, will give

ARB members an opportunity to get more information on the criteria for the boat appraisals.

The recess also gives the district's appraisers an opportunity to "catch up," Leonard added, explaining the appraisers will take another look at property where the valuation was questioned during the first three days of hearings.

"It will also give them time to catch up on some office work," Leonard added.

Leonard said the board had planned to meet for hearings through the end of this week then call the recess next week but changed so they would have the chance to get more information on the boat appraisals.

Following meetings with boat owners Thursday, the review board will recess until Monday, Aug. 9, when it will resume hearings on real property. Those hearings are scheduled to continue through Aug. 20, Leonard said, then the board will recess

again for the week beginning Aug. 23 to give the appraisers another week of "catch-up time."

Following that recess, the board will reconvene on Aug. 31 and continue hearings — with time out for the Labor Day holiday — "until we complete our work," Leonard said.

Leonard emphasized the appraisal review board "is not a taxing unit. Its purpose is to hear protests and make things equitable."

He said most of the property owners who have appeared so far before the board "have done so in good faith. It's going very, very smoothly."

Groseclose emphasized neither the appraisal district nor the review board have any control over tax rates in the county. State law requires that the appraisal district, when it sent property valuation notices to property owners, include an estimated effective tax rate but Groseclose said this is an estimated figure only "and I wish we didn't even have to do it."

The estimated tax rate is what it says — a close estimate of what the effective tax rate will be for each taxing entity, Groseclose said. But it is not the actual effective tax rate and is not binding on the individual taxing entities.

V.A. warns of scam

The Veterans Administration is warning residents to beware of persons making telephone calls to solicit contributions to support VA activities.

The VA has reports of solicitors elsewhere allegedly stating the contributions are needed because of federal budget cutbacks. They further state that a representative will stop by the home to pick up the contribution, said Ted W. Myatt, Director, Houston VA Regional Office.

The VA isn't involved in any such solicitation activity, he stressed.

VA regulations state: "Officials and employees of the VA will not solicit contributions from the public nor will they authorize the use of their names, the name of the administrator, or the name of the VA

by any individual or organization in any campaign or drive for money or articles for the purpose of making a donation to the VA."

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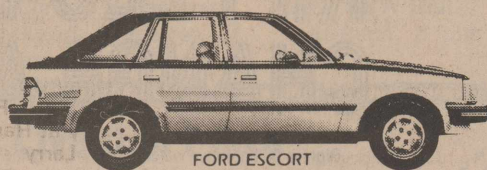
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Mix drink tax remitted to cities

AUSTIN — State comptroller Bob Bullock said collection of the state's 10 percent mixed drink tax during the second quarter of 1982 was up 18 percent over the same period last year.

Bullock said the state received \$35.9 million in taxes on the sale of mixed drinks during the second three months of this year.

He said his office is sending checks totalling \$10.4 million to 215 counties and 407 cities as their share of the gross receipts tax on mixed drinks for the second quarter.

In Aransas County, Rockport received a \$1,-

425.20 remittance on a collection of \$9,501.30.

Fulton collected \$19,318.02 and received a remittance of \$2,897.70.

The portion of Aransas Pass that is in Aransas County collected \$7,992.76 and received a remittance of \$1,198.91. The area of Aransas Pass in San Patricio County collected tax revenues of \$14,265.64 and was remitted \$2,139.85.

Texas cities and counties each receive a 15 percent rebate of the tax collected on mixed drinks sold within their boundaries under the law that legalized the sale of mixed drinks in the state.

The van will repeat the same trips to Corpus Christi on Tuesday also.

On Wednesdays the van will be scheduled for grocery shopping only.

Thursday is scheduled for trips to local district office calls, errands, prescriptions, post office, utility payments and banks.

On Friday the van will run to Corpus Christi again for afternoon appointments between noon and 2 p.m.

New schedule set by Council on Aging

The Aransas County Council on Aging at 912 S. Church Street has released its new van schedule effective immediately.

On Mondays the van will make trips to Corpus Christi for visits to doctors, dentists and eye doctors as well as Doctor's Hospital appointments. Anyone wishing to make these trips must make an appointment between 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Mondays.



The Shepherd's Staff

By Rev. Barrett Renfro
First United Methodist

The Word in the events of our life engulfs us like rain. It is an endless downpour. The rain seems to come harder and harder. We cannot get away from it. And yet most of us simply put on raincoats to protect ourselves.

I once saw a Peanuts cartoon in which Lucy was standing in a light rain. She was saying, "Rain, rain, go away." In the second box it was raining harder and she was saying somewhat louder, "Rain, rain, go away." In the third box the rain increased to a down-pour. Lucy was screaming loudly, "RAIN, RAIN, GO AWAY."

In the final box, the rain

Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water, that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.

--Psalms 1:1-3

still coming, she said as she walked away, "Oh, Good Grief."

Can you point to God in this cartoon? That experience is surely true to life. If the Bible is about life we ought to be able to point to God in the events of life. Where is God in the cartoon?

Most people say God is not in the cartoon, but outside the boxes able to control the rain. Let me suggest that God is indeed in the cartoon and in the events of life.

The Word of God and God Himself is the rain in the cartoon. Flooding us with joy and sadness. Can you point to God in the events of your life?

1st Baptist plans move

After more than 20 years at its present site on Main Street, Rockport's First Baptist Church is planning a move to a new location with more room for expansion.

A 13.7-acre tract of land is being purchased at the intersection of Enterprise and Live Oak streets and the church architecture department of the Southern Baptist Convention is in the process of drawing up a master plan for a new church building, according to the Rev. Charles Fake, pastor of First Baptist.

"Crucial to the whole thing," Rev. Fake added, "is selling the current property." So far, "no buyers are in sight" for the land and buildings at 902 Main St.

"We have to have the money in sight before we proceed," Rev. Fake continued, adding that the land costs approximately \$165,000 and, although he has no way of knowing at this time how much a new church building will cost, "I can't see it being less than \$2 million."

Need for a new building was confirmed by a community survey that projected the growth of the area and of First Baptist.

But Rev. Fake can see the need every Sunday during the morning worship services.

"We have done just about every innovative thing we can with the present space," he said, including two worship services during the winter months when combined Sunday attendance averages 780 people.

"Even in summer we are now at capacity," he said. This past Sunday, 400 people attended the

morning worship services.

"Our auditorium seats 400 people exactly," he said, "counting choir seats and everything. When you have even 350 people in a 400-seat auditorium, for all practical purposes, you're full."

The church can't expand in its present location, he continued, because it would have to extend into the area presently used for parking -- and there isn't enough parking now. "That won't solve any problems," he said.

First Baptist Church was established in Rockport in

1873. That first building and the church records were destroyed in the 1919 hurricane but lumber was salvaged from the wreckage to construct the second building in 1920.

The church moved to its present sanctuary in 1959 and the 1920 structure was moved to the Bethel Mission site, according to an article about the church in the Rockport Pilot's 1969 Centennial Edition. In 1968, a cottage adjoining the church was purchased, along with a church bus.

Rev. Fake has been pastor of the church since 1964.

Bradshaw Family honored

The Rev. John Bradshaw and his family will be honored with a coffee Sunday, Aug. 1, at First Presbyterian Church following 10 a.m. worship services.

The coffee is sponsored

by the First Presbyterian Church congregation and is in honor of Rev. Bradshaw's 10th year as pastor of the Rockport church. He came to the church on Aug. 1, 1972.

Friends of the communi-

ty are invited to the coffee. Rev. Bradshaw's wife, Helen, and their daughters Mary Scott and Jane have also been active members of the community. The family came to Rockport from Homer, La.

A man has made at least a start on discovering the meaning of human life when he plants shade trees under which he knows full well he will never sit.

---'Ginger Snaps: Fun Thoughts On Life'

LEAVES FRAME the cross that tops Rockport's First United Methodist Church. (Photo by Pat Blair)

Church Directory

GOSPEL LIGHTHOUSE

Located at 1002 S. Bronte on Hwy. 35 South. Church office 729-5887. Rev. John Norvell, Pastor. Everyone welcome to attend: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday Worship Services, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Praise Service 7:30 p.m.

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

1501 W. Market. Rev. Wayne Paff, Pastor. 729-7264. Sunday School and Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service 8:30 a.m. [January through March]; Regular Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Holy Communion, 1st and 3rd Sunday.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Main at Live Oak Sts. Rev. Barrett Renfro, Pastor, 729-1659. Church School, 9:30 a.m. Worship Services, 8:30 a.m. [January-March] and 10:50 a.m. United Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m., Sunday, United Methodist Women, 9:30 a.m. on fourth Tuesday each month.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

902 Main Street, Rockport. Telephone 729-6382. Charles Fake, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Church Training, 6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father Rory Deane, Pastor. Masses: Saturday 6:00 p.m.; Sunday 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. and 12:00 noon. Holy Day Eve 6:00 p.m.; Holy Day 8:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Confessions: Saturday 5:00 to 5:50 p.m. and before all Masses. Weekday Masses Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 8:00 a.m. and Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF HOLIDAY BEACH

Telephone 729-7362, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m. "The Bible as it is, for men as they are." Pastor Geo. Montgomery.

FULTON COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Richard Giller, Pastor. Susan Robertson, Sunday School Director. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:30 p.m.; Nursery Provided.

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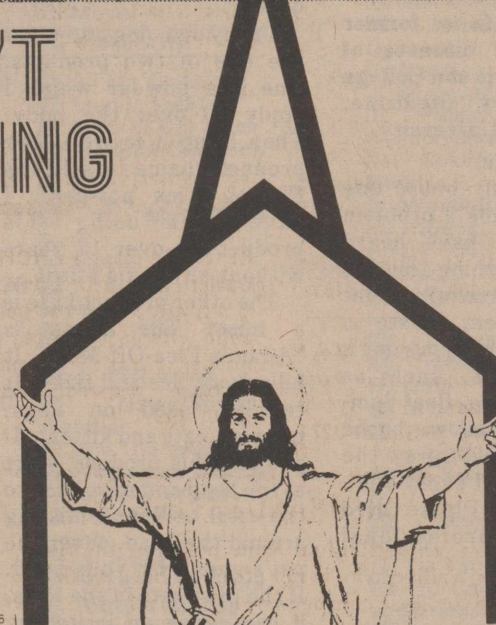
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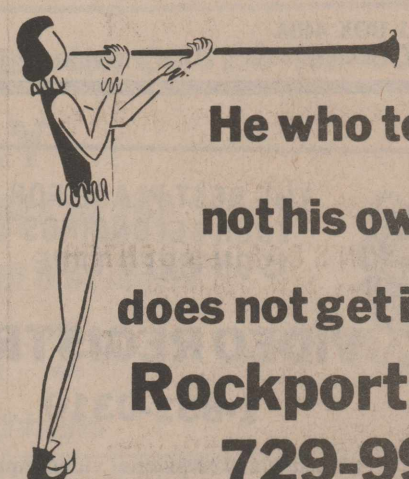
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Redesign, as necessary, and reconstruction, as necessary, of existing, partially-completed 125,000 gallons per day reverse osmosis water treatment plant, under substantially the same terms and conditions as provided in the original construction agreement, so as to permit production of 125,000 gallons per day of treated water using available sources of raw feed water; with treated water to contain less than 200 parts per million total dissolved solids; with contractor to complete the work within 120 days of award of contract, and contractor to provide written six (6) months unconditional money-back performance guarantee on entire plant, plus a written twelve (12) month guarantee on all plant components other than membrane elements which must carry a three (3) year warranty.

Bidders will be responsible to fully inform themselves of the nature and condition of the partially-completed plant and to perform such on-site investigations of the plant and review of the original contract specifications and related documents in the District Office and in the office of Clement O. Williams, Jr., P.E., 905 Dallas Street, Portland, Texas 78374, to permit accomplishment of the work. NO ADDITIONAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO BIDDERS.

Cashier's Check, Certified Check or Bid Bond in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid must accompany each proposal. The District reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid deemed advantageous to it and waive informalities in bidding. The contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder who in the owner's opinion, is qualified to perform the work as described above. All bids received after the closing time designated above will be returned unopened.

The successful bidder must furnish a performance and payment bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price. Wilton M. Bluhm, President, Board of Directors, Aransas County Municipal Utility District No. 1, Star Route 1, Box 194, Rockport, Texas 78382

The County of Aransas reserves the right to reject all bids and waive formalities.

s/ John D. Wendell,
County Judge

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
A hearing on the proposed use of Revenue Sharing for Entitlement Period 14 starting on October 1, 1982 through September 30, 1983 will be held in the Commissioner's Courtroom of the Aransas County Courthouse on August 9, 1982, at 9:00 A.M.

The use and availability of Entitlement Period 14 Revenue Sharing Funds is now on file at the County Judge's office in the Aransas County Courthouse, Rockport, Texas, and this subject will be discussed in detail on August 9, 1982.

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3 civil suits are on court docket

Three civil suits filed against local businesses are on the docket when the 156th district court of Judge Rachel Littlejohn convenes Monday morning, Aug. 2.

Also on the docket are nine criminal cases.

Included in the civil suits are the lawsuit filed by AJM Inc. of Aransas pass asking \$160,000 in damages and loss of income as the result of the sinking in September, 1977, of a fishing trawler built by RYSCO for the company.

The case was brought before Judge Littlejohn for jury trial on June 1 but was rescheduled for next Monday. In the meantime, RYSCO filed a counterclaim against AJM on July 26 contending that the suit is in violation of the company's contract with AJM and that one of the points on which the suit apparently hinges, a defective propeller rope guard, was the responsibility of AJM.

RYSCO's counterclaim alleges the propeller rope guards were designed by AJM and installed at the instructions of AJM over the objection of RYSCO and that the design of the guards "if defective was made defective by the Plaintiff (AJM)."

Also on Monday's docket is a suit filed by Eastern Leasing Corporation against Charles H. Mills, Jr. individually and Duck Inn Inc. for debt and damages.

Eastern Leasing maintains in its suit that Mills and Duck Inn Inc. leased a two-station soda system on March 11, 1979, and subsequently, on Jan. 30, 1981, defaulted on the lease payments. The suit asks for \$5,990.50 owed in monthly lease installments and for reasonable attorney's fees, "not less than \$2,000."

Mills has filed for cross-action against a third party not named in the original suit, Midwest Liquor Control Co. of Des Moines, Iowa.

Mills maintains he cannot be sued individually in the matter since he was acting as

a corporate officer of Duck Inn Inc. and alleges in his cross-action suit, that the equipment was defective.

Mills alleges Duck Inn Inc. entered the contract with Midwest Liquor Control Co. and Eastern Leasing and contends that Midwest Liquor is liable to Duck Inn Inc. "for breach of express and implied warranties and for violation of the Texas Deceptive Trade Act as shortly after the equipment was installed, certain items became inoperable and Midwest Liquor and Eastern Leasing Corp. have refused to either service the equipment or replace it."

A third civil suit on Monday's docket involves suit and cross-claim between two Aransas County realty companies over use of the name "Palm Harbor."

The original suit was brought by Raulie L. and Nan K. Irwin against H.A. McLean, d/b/a/ Palm Harbor Real Estate and Grace Stanick.

That suit maintains that in 1961 "and to the present time," the Irwins had adopted the trade name "Palm Harbor" and began using it on signs, cards and letterheads. The Irwins maintain they are entitled to exclusive use of that service mark.

The suit alleges the defendants have been using the service mark "Palm Harbor Real Estate" since around June 21, 1978, and the continued use of that service mark has damaged the Irwin's real estate business. They are asking for a temporary restraining order and, following final trial, an injunction permanently enjoining the defendants from using the name "Palm Harbor Real Estate."

The defendants have denied the allegations and maintain that use of the name "Palm Harbor does not in and of itself grant the Plaintiffs (the Irwins) any exclusive, property or personal right to the use of said name."

In a cross-claim against the Irwins, the defendants maintain Palm Harbor Real Estate has been entitled by the state to use its name since June 21, 1978, and further, because Palm Harbor has been a recorded

geographical subdivision in Aransas County since July 26, 1961, it is excluded as a registrable mark under the Texas Business and Commerce Code.

The defendants are also counterclaiming they have

been damaged by the Irwins' "illegal use of the service mark."

The Aug. 2 docket call is for pretrial and motions for judgement. A jury trial has been set for 10 a.m. on Sept. 20.

Blair's corner

Fulton Cemetery stirs questions, mysteries

By PAT BLAIR

Staff writer

A time-worn inscription on the tombstone reads,

"Louis Greenough, born 1868, died 1869." Says Nathan Sprinkle, "I don't know who it is, but every year, someone comes and puts flowers on the grave."

Mysteries. Questions. There are a lot of those in the old Fulton Cemetery.

Why is Henry Smith Fulton the only member of his family buried in Fulton Cemetery?

Sprinkle doesn't know — but it's a fact. The other members of Col George W. Fulton's family, including the Colonel himself, are buried in Rockport Cemetery.

Only Henry's grave, surrounded by a rusting iron fence, is in Fulton. He died young; 1844 to 1870, the inscription reads...

It was after Henry's death that Col. Fulton left the land to "the city of Fulton," says Sprinkle who's been taking care of the cemetery, or seeing that it's taken care of, for several years now.

The land was plotted in 1888 by Fulton "and according to courthouse records," says Sprinkle, "it belongs to (the city of) Fulton."

For many years, until a Fulton Cemetery Association was formed in 1967, the Fulton Cemetery had fallen into disuse. It was still in use though, when Sprinkle was a boy — he remembers back in the '30s helping his father build two caskets...

In the fall of 1947, a fire razed the cemetery. There were a lot of cypress tombstones marking graves — the fire destroyed "a lot of 'em," Sprinkle says. He points to a charred cypress

stub rising a few inches from the ground.

"She's said to be one of the Casterlines, but I don't know which one," he says.

"There aren't any documents," he adds. "The information I know is

mostly what was passed down from the old-timers."

Much of the cemetery was "just brush" when the Cemetery Association was formed to preserve and care for the land in 1967. "A lot of the graves are un-

known, we don't know where they're all at," Sprinkle added.

He does know there are some graves outside the cemetery, along the right-of-way of the street that passes by the cemetery and

carries traffic from Highway 35 to Fulton Beach Road.

"Years ago," Sprinkle said, "there was just a sand road and an old gate on the east side of the cemetery — the east gate, they called it." When the paved road was surveyed, somehow or other, part of the right-of-way took in cemetery grounds.

Sprinkle pointed to a tree standing outside the fence that now surrounds the cemetery, observing, "I know there's got to be three or four or five buried out there, but there's nothing we can do about it now."

The hurricane fence across the front of the property, he said earlier, was provided through a \$500 donation from Fultonite Dan Shelton in 1974.

Another former Fultonite, John Harvey — "he's 80 now and lives in Aransas Pass" — at one time took it upon himself to locate some of the graves, Sprinkle said.

Copano Shriners

The Copano Shrine Club will not meet during July, August or September. Anyone wanting information is asked to call Murile Snyder at 729-0300 or Frank Samson at 729-1187.



(Photo by Pat Blair)

THE ONLY FULTON buried in Fulton Cemetery is Henry Smith Fulton who

died in 1870. Col. Fulton dedicated the cemetery "to the city of Fulton" in 1888.

Oil, gas production reported down

AUSTIN — Railroad Commission Chairman Jim Nugent announced Texas oil and gas wells produced 514,491,982 Mcf of gas in April, 1982, down 6.99 percent from field runs a year earlier.

Marketed gas production totaled 432,068,820 Mcf and reflected a 6.8 percent decrease from the April, 1981, volume. Marketed production is the total gas to transmission lines, carbon black and plant fuel and lease use.

Gas exported from Texas in April totaled 289,001,490

Mcf. Natural Gas Pipeling Co. of America was the month's largest exporter, moving 74,811,666 Mcf of gas of which 30,283,875 Mcf was Texas-produced gas.

Exports of Texas-produced gas in April totaled 209,219,248 Mcf and reflected a 4.43 percent increase from the year-earlier month.

Texas gas production in April came from 225,715 oil and gas wells.

In March, 1982, Texas wells produced 528,665,528 Mcf of gas.

State of the region

Water plans start early

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Completing Choke Canyon Dam is estimated to provide the Coastal Bend with an adequate water supply for 25 years. It is a paradox, but in saying that you imply the need for planning to begin immediately for the next project in keeping up with what is expected to be a growth area.

Homar Dean Jr., an Alice attorney and civic leader, has been in the forefront of region-wide planning to make sure this semi-arid country has a supply for water which augments rainfall. He reminds us that Choke Canyon was more than 20 years in the planning, planning which started when Wesley Seale Dam was built.

Dean recalls the names of some of the leaders from across the region with whom he has worked over the years in water supply planning, Harry Schulz of Three Rivers, George Morrill of Beeville, Ben Glusing of Kingsville, and Harvey Weil, Judge Noah Kennedy and Don Cox of Corpus Christi. Now, Dean feels it is necessary for young men and women who are just beginning to assume community responsibility to take on the difficult but productive task of assuring a water supply.

Theoretically, it is possible to build another dam to catch the waters of the Nueces and Atascosa River, but Dean does not think it will be possible from a practical standpoint, with environmental concerns. What then is our next step? He says inter-basin water transfer. This means importing water from water surplus areas in the eastern part of the state.

Dean says it is hard to persuade an area that it has a water surplus. Local people feel that if the water is left there, they will grow to need it. It will become economically feasible. Dean explains that it is like oil. What is not

economically feasible when the price is low becomes so when the price gets high enough, which it will as the supply shrinks. Dean says however high you think your water bill is now, enjoy it, because it will be drastically higher in 10 years.

Controversy is inevitable on any proposal to channel water from one basin to another. Dean remembers the proposed constitutional amendment to pay for transporting of water across Texas from the Mississippi. That was voted down. Dean says we may live to regret that vote.

After inter-basin transfer, desalinization may be the next step. We have the technology. Bechtel Corp. has built a large facility in Saudi Arabia. Dean says the cost will be even greater than that of inter-basin transfer.

He also sees in our future, a return to certain use of ground water, even though it is no longer of as high quality as is desirable.

Water rights are another aspect of the water supply problem. Dean says the Texas Water Rights Commission is engaged in a basin by basin clarification of who has water rights. He calls the determination of rights a "slow and tortuous proceedings," with claims based on prior usage. A case is now in litigation in 214th District Court which will be important in determining priorities.

Dean says that in the Nueces River Basin enough people claim rights to over-use the flow in an average year by about two times. One of the points of dispute is whether water rights were withheld on land that was a Spanish land grant or awarded with Texas state patents.

Off and on for 40 years, Dean has dealt with the City of Corpus Christi in obtaining water. He says that in spite of administration changes, Corpus Christi has always adopted an area viewpoint on water. In con-

tracting with other cities, they have provided water on a basis of no profit and no subsidy, and he finds this commendable.

Because water is synonymous with survival, it is an emotional issue. Dean recalls that one of the urgent reasons for organizing the Council of Governments was to provide necessary coordination in planning to assure a water supply. People instinctively realize that water is an area problem. The vote taken in June, 1972, by representatives of city and council governments who sit as the COG favored Choke Canyon over the R&M site. Dean said that vote "probably broke the dam that let water flow on down to Choke Canyon." He added that a principal role of the COG is to provide a forum on which everyone can be represented on a fair basis to decide issues. Where a deadlock otherwise might block progress, COG provides the needed forum.

Barklice won't hurt your trees

CORPUS CHRISTI — Silken webs wrapped around trunks and limbs of trees across the Coastal Bend have some homeowners mystified.

The webs are not spider spun but are produced by a tiny (1/20th-inch-long) and dark colored insect called "barklice," according to Dr. Roy D. Parker. The name is misleading because the little creatures are not lice at all and their web and feeding habits are absolutely harmless to their host trees, the Texas Agricultural Extension entomologist enlightened.

Investigation

Brennan stressed that donations to the ACTA legal fund would be tax deductible. On Thursday afternoon, he said that he had received many phone calls concerning the fund drive already. He indicated that he felt quite confident in the group's ability to raise

the necessary monies.

"There are plenty of people who want to do something about it," said Brennan. "This is affecting our whole community. Good Lord, people are beginning to call this another Duval County."

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county was 32 cents, as compared to last year's 59 cents. "We're just projecting this. We have no idea about the appraisal office," stressed Wendell. A rate hearing should be held in August.

It was the general consensus that with such a rate, no 40 percent homestead exemption could be given by the county, but no vote was taken on the matter.

The breakdown of the rate is as follows 20.5, general fund; 1.5, bond on the bypass; 1.0, mosquito control fund and 7.0, road and bridge. The Navigation District accounts for two of the 32 cents.

In other action, the commissioners voted to approve plans for a shooting range. The shooting range, to be located on county property near Bayside, was proposed by the local Pistol Club and presented to the court by Commissioner Longino.

Also using the range would be local law authorities, who need a place to practice shooting since new regulations specify that

lawmen qualify annually as Sheriff Hewes told the court during the discussion.

Under the new arrangement, the Pistol Club would pay the county for a \$100 a year lease. A fee would be charged to all users except law authorities. Three weeks prior to hunting seasons, rifle owners would be able to use the range at no charge. A \$300,000 liability policy has been taken over by the Pistol Club.

County resident Owen Booher, of Pct. 1, came before the court to complain about the state of Armstrong road, where he lives.

Booher told commissioners that county trucks too heavy for the road had damaged it in many spots, that uncovered pipelines were laid parallel to it and that it was a hazard to drive on. "It's been a pain in the neck for eight years," Booher said.

County Commissioner for Pct. 1 John Lee assured Booher, "We'll check on it at the first opportunity."

Lift

developed and some sewer lines laid for that and again, the sewage was directed to the Little Bay Shores station.

"These (Little Bay Shores and Key Allegro) were the only two things on the lift station for quite a spell," Littleton said. "Then Harbor Oaks was added."

In 1973 or '74, Littleton continued, the lift station "was updated to what it is now", but during the 1970s and on through this year, more lines were laid from later developments to the Little Bay Shores station.

Today, sewage from approximately 1,285 connections is pumped into the one wet well at the Little Bay Shores station which pumps the raw sewage on to the city's sanitary wastewater treatment plant.

In addition to 190 connections in Little Bay Shores, 166 in Harbor Oaks and 460 in Key Allegro, the station takes in sewage from 92 connections in Allegro North Condominiums, 120 at Bay House Condos, 150 from four motels in the area, 82 from the Raquet Club, 15 from Candlestick Park Subdivision and 10 from Live Oak Plaza.

Plans call for the existing wet well to be replaced by two wet wells, Littleton said. The building will be extended by about 10

feet and two new motors will be installed to run the two new pumps.

"It'll be a whole new complete station," Littleton said. "We'll keep the old station going until the new one is completed, then we'll discontinue the old one."

City Officials opened bids for the construction work at this past Monday's council meeting. Three bids were submitted with apparent low bidder being Hallmark Construction of Corpus Christi with a base bid of \$135,480.

However, Rockport Mayor Burt Mills commented that all three bids were "a little higher than we expected". The bids were turned over to Urban Engineers, the city engineers, for study to determine if the bids meet city specifications.

Awarding of the bids is pending a report from Urban. Also bidding on the project were Goldston Corporation of Corpus Christi with a bid of \$145,630 and Isles Construction of Corpus Christi, bidding \$159,980.

Purchase of the \$100,000 water and sewer junior lien revenue bonds that will pay for most of the construction cost was awarded to First National Bank which bid effective interest of 9.5 percent with bonds maturing during a period from 1983-87 at \$20,000 each year.



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