Why seek ye the living among the dead?

He is not here, but is risen. —

St. Luke 24: 5, 6

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THE CROSS—SYMBOL OF EASTER

Commissioners Reject Stall Agreement

By Eddie Bradley

After hearing from a Seafood Producers Association lawyer and entering into much discussion with him and members of the audience, the Navigation District commissioners, by a 3-2 vote, decided against the new stall lease agreement.

The occasion was the regular commissioners' meeting on Tuesday, April 1. The agenda called for a final decision on the amended agreement, but as it turned out, there will still be further action on the matter.

Attorney Allen Lee was there to present his objections to the agreement on behalf of the SPA. He went over each clause of the document, listing changes that he would suggest.

When it was all boiled down, the basic objection was to the leasee being held liable for activites of third parties, with whom they have no connection or relationship, who might come onto a pier or do damage to a pier.

Lee said that, in his judgement, the contract as written was totally voidable and that the commissioners were inviting litigation when they didn't have to.

Commission Chairman David Maguglin stated that, "any minor change we can make to avoid litigation would be a good idea."

The commissioners then cast the negative vote.

Commissioner Hillis Dominguez immediately moved that they make corrections in the agreement to eliminate the two problem questions:

If someone with no connection whatsoever with the leasee does damage to the property, or if a similar person or persons is injured on the leased property -- in instances such as these, who would carry the liability burden? The motion carried.

In further action, the commissioners voted to levy a charge of $30 per day to vessels utilizing the city dock at Fulton Harbor. These charges were slated to begin on Friday, April 4.

The commissioners voted to use a dragline to clean out the salt-water pool and to build four cabanas in the area for the summer activity.

Commissioner Bobby Landrum reported that the City of Rockport has acquired a boat and hired a patrolman for the ski basin. It was moved that the district contribute $1,800 toward

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Public Invited To Ceremonies Monday

The United States District Court
Western District of Texas
and
General Services Administration

cordially invite you to attend the

John H. Wood, Jr. Memorial
and
Dedication Ceremony

2:00 p.m.
Monday, the seventh day of April
nineteen hundred and eighty

John H. Wood, Jr. United States Courthouse
655 East Durango Blvd.
San Antonio, Texas

Beach Group Presents Proposals

By Eddie Bradley

At the regular April meeting of the Navigation District commissioners, Anita Dingenary, speaking for the Aransas County Recreational Planning Association Inc., said their group had prepared a general beach-development plan and also that a Parks and Wildlife Department planner had begun work on drawing up usable plans and proposals.

Mrs. Dingenary said that their group had received input from several sources, including telephone surveys and responses from over 150 teenagers at school, and had come up with 13 priorities for the beach area that were being presented for consideration.

The first one that she mentioned was the placing of groins, jetties or piers along the beach to cut down erosion—this had been suggested by the P&WD representative.

Restrooms with showers were the second item listed. They suggested having three within the Rockport Beach area. Two kinds of disposal systems were discussed, as well as the landscaping and spotlighting of the facilities.

As far as having street lights in the area, Mrs. Dingenary said they were investigating the possibility of using wind-generated power for them.

They said they would like to keep the spot now used by Sea Fair open, and perhaps bury the power lines rather than have the existing poles.

Mrs. Dingenary said the P&WD man was really excited about the bandshell site and envisioned that as the focal point of the entire area. They mentioned

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Pilot Has 70-Plus Winners In Contest

Although prizes can only be awarded to six area youngsters, everyone who entered the Rockport Pilot's Easter Coloring Contest was a winner.

The judges had a hard time narrowing the selection down from more than 70 to six -- three first-prize and three second-prize.

Winner of the first prize -- an Easter basket -- among the four and five-year-old entries was Melanie Mills, 4, daughter of Burt and Penny Mills of 1106 North Allen.

Second-prize winner in that division was Anissa Norrell, 5, daughter of Doug and Nancy Norrell of Rockport.

Among the six and seven-year-olds, first prize -- also an Easter basket -- went to Brandi Brundrett, 7, daughter of Marsha and Jerry Brundrett, 1417 West Paisano.

Second prize goes to Kara Low, 6, daughter of Jane Low of 4805 Lavaca, #2.

First prize in the eight to 10-year-old division went to Norm Spears, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Spears III of 1126 Oak Avenue.

Norm's prize was a set of artist color pens.

Winner of second prize was Billy Owens, son of Janice Guy of Rockport.

Easter baskets were donated by First National Bank of Rockport, and the Rockport Pilot donated the coloring pens. Second prize in all divisions was a chocolate Easter Bunny, compliments of The Pilot.

Among those who entered the contest were Lib-

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PRIZE WINNING ENTRANTS

Norm Spears, left, and Brandi Brundrett examine the prizes they won in the Easter Coloring Contest sponsored by the Rockport Pilot and First National Bank. Norm, 9, received a set of artists' pens from the Pilot as first prize in the eight, nine and 10-year-olds division of the contest. Brandi got her Easter basket from First National as prize in the middle division for six and seven-year-olds. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]

Pilot Sightings

JOHNNY HARGROVE coming by the Pilot office to announce the birth of a daughter to his wife **ALICIA** on Wednesday, April 2. The new arrival — as yet unnamed — made her appearance at 9:42 a.m. and weighed in at six pounds, one and one-quarter ounces . . . **CARL HOIT** playing Cookie Monster at the State School Gong Show sponsored by KIKN Radio . . . **ANITA DINGENARY** discussing beach problems . . . **MERRILL LANE** eating health food cookies . . . **KATHERINE McLESTER** feeling under the weather . . . **LAURIE HOBBS** taking a group of kids to the Special Olympics in Kingsville . . .

Notable Notes

Easter Drama

Bobby Jackson, David Tyner, Tammy Stephens, Peter Booth and Lois Mosier will present a Choral Drama entitled "Hooray For God" on Easter morning, 11 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Rockport. The public is invited.

Lions Club Sale

The Lions Club is having its annual Charity Broom and Mop sale on Saturday, April 12. All profits will go to benefit various charities supported by the club. All mops and brooms are made by Caravan Sales for the Blind.

Program For Diabetics

Steve Arnold, PhD, will present a program about behavior modification, as it pertains to diet at the monthly educational meeting of the Coastal Bend Chapter of the American Diabetes Association. His lecture, "Give Me That Piece of Chocolate Pie," will be Thursday, April 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the ADA auditorium, 3455 South Alameda, Corpus Christi. This presentation is free and open to the public.

Blood Pressure Clinic

The A.I.M. Home Health Agency, Inc. will have a blood pressure clinic at the Paws and Taws Building on Fulton Beach Road on Friday, April 11, from 1:30 to 4 p.m. The cost will be $1 per person. The public is invited.

Shampoo Sales Meeting

There will be a meeting of the mothers who were called to help with the Aransas County Little League Association shampoo sale. It will be held on Tuesday, April 8, at 7 p.m. in the VFW Hall.

Comptroller's Representative Due Here

Jon Moore, a representative from the office of State Comptroller Bob Bullock, will be in Aransas County April 10 to assist local taxpayers and answer questions about state taxes, Bullock has announced.

Moore will be at the Aransas County Courthouse, Room 102, in Rockport from 10 a.m. until noon on that date.

"If Aransas County merchants—or anyone else for that matter—have any questions about state taxes or need help in preparing tax forms, Moore will be there to assist them," Bullock said.

"We're trying to cut the red tape in this office and we believe these face-to-face sessions with taxpayers help do just that," Bullock added.

Bullock reminded taxpayers who are unable to meet with his representative on April 10 that they can still get their questions answered quickly by calling his Toll-Free tax information number in Austin. That number is 1-800-252-5555.

AND THE THIRD WINNER . . .

Melanie Mills is shown with her Easter basket from First National after she won first prize in the four and five-year-olds' division of the Easter Coloring Contest. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]

Searchers Still Looking For Wreckage Of Plane

Searchers in Refugio County are still looking in Copano Bay near Bayside for the wreckage of a plane in which three people died last month.

As of Thursday morning, April 3, a spokesman for the Refugio County Sheriff's Office said the wreckage had not been recovered as of that time, but "We're still huntin'."

He said there had not been enough clear water for searchers to spot any possible wreckage from the air.

Pilots, sheriff's deputies and personnel with the Texas Parks & Wildlife and Department of Public Safety in the area were still involved in the search.

The sheriff's department spokesman added that "some people out of Corpus Christi" were scheduled to bring sonar equipment to the Bayside area

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Look For The Bugs

The cards are orange, they're free to all area residents age 18 years or older and you can get them at any of 19 locations.

Prize is $50 a week, and if there are no winners during a week, the money is added to the following week's pot.

Editorials

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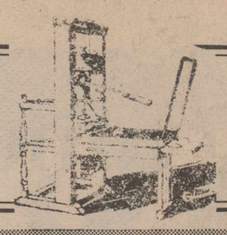
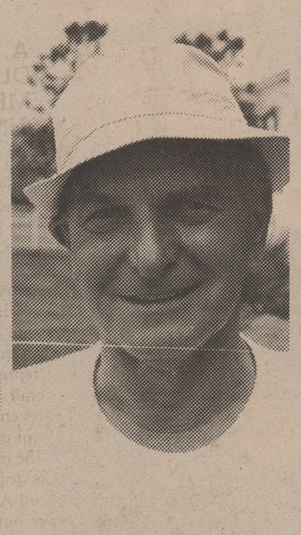


Features

Speaking Out

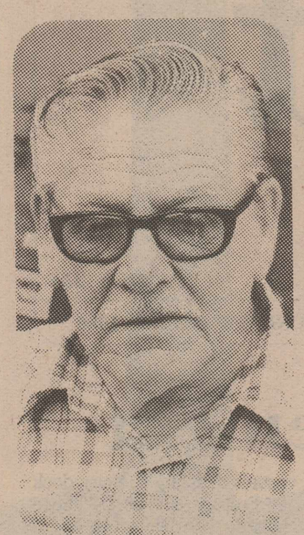
How do you feel about President Carter's decision to add 10 cents a gallon to the cost of gasoline? Do you think this will help stop our dependence on foreign oil?

Larry Baker, Hickory Street
It's a fool thing to do to working people. We have to drive back and forth to work. It's not going to cut down on gasoline use, people have to have their vehicles.



Jim Rice, Grand Rapids, Michigan
It will surely slow down buying gasoline -- that's what he is after. People are so used to driving, it will take a lot more than that to cut down much.

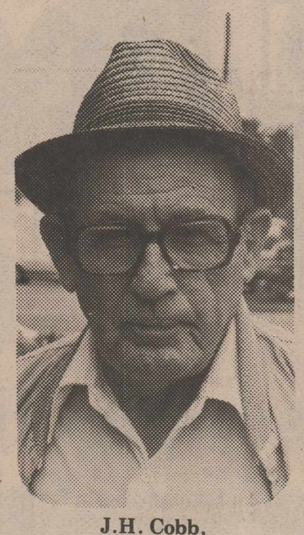
Debbie Dill, Ivy Lane
I don't like them raising the price of gasoline. I think we will probably use the fuel no matter how high it is raised.



Bob Hickin, Ocean Drive
I don't care if he adds 10 cents a gallon, but it isn't going to stop our dependence on foreign oil.

Rev. Wayne Pafk, Myrtle St.
I don't like the decision, but I think it might help.

Mrs. Lola Werhan, Murray Street
I do believe we need to do something. We are all a little self-indulgent and will have to learn to do without some things we are accustomed to.



J.H. Cobb, Copano Cove
It won't help anything except to put another burden on the taxpayers. We are also going to end up paying the windfall-profits tax and anyone who doesn't believe that is very naive.

Clayton Brown, S. Kossuth
No, I don't think it will. I think they should get busy in Washington to develop synthetic fuels and other ways for us to become self-sufficient. Farmers should be encouraged to produce fuel.

Austin At Wharf

EMBARRASED TEXAS REPUBLICANS AND OTHERS partisan to Governor Bill Clements last summer generously elected to regard the governor's initial remarks concerning the Mexican oil spill, Ixtoc I as a booboo.

Unfortunately the governor remained, persisted in being grossly, crassly thick-skinned about the matter. This has, of course, been especially distressing to South Texans. Are they to be blamed if they sometimes ask themselves, "Is he aware of the existence of this part of the state?"

And then, only last week, in his "Governor's Report" on PBS, Clements referred to the spill as a "so-called spill." Come, come Bill! If not an oil spill, what then?

Fault and responsibility aside, when oil is spilled it is spilled, whether from an ocean-going tanker, a truck on the highway, or from a well on land or at sea. Even the pre-pubescent school boy knows that.

Why does Bill Clements persist in being so adamant and stubborn about Ixtoc I? Indeed, why does he make a fool of himself?

THE MOST DISTURBING ASPECT OF IT ALL LIES IN the circumstance of Clements being the first Republican governor of Texas in 100 years. His GOP predecessors were post-Civil War carpetbaggers.

And even though that was long ago, upon Clements fell the burden of showing Texans that Republicans are not necessarily monsters. Instead he has made himself somthing of a monster even amongst many, if not most, members of the Texas party.

One wonders—does Clements think that he is succeeding in accomplishing worthy diplomatic ends by, so to speak, taking sides with Mexico? If so his floundering matches that of President Jimmy Carter. In fact it perfectly parallels.

Does he think, believe that a prosperous, genuinely friendly and understanding relationship is to be established between the United States and Mexico, a rapport paralleling that which exists between this nation and Canada? Forget it. And with that we mean no disrespect to the people of Mexico who flee their native land because of impossible conditions that exist, have always existed and show no signs of improvement.

It is a land of poverty and fear, where revolt is frequent and ever threatening. Especially today, a circumstance that holds virtually in every country in Central and South America as well as the Caribbean.

SO HERE LET'S GIVE CLEMENTS THE BENEFIT OF doubt and assume he is a man of vast foresight. In pursuit of supposing, let us pretend that he is aware of the vast, undeveloped potential natural wealth that has for so long remained mostly undeveloped in the lands of our neighbors to the south.

This man of vision, confident of his own powers of persuasion and diplomatic finesse believes that by cultivating the powers that be in Mexico he will eventually succeed in building a USA-Canada relationship.

True of course, he has never made such grandiose claims, but to give him benefit of doubt, it is incumbent upon us to believe that he does perhaps have such a vision.

Unhappily such a vision is an impossible dream that becomes more impossible with each passing day. There is much more to establishing a harmonious relationship with Mexico than just dealing with that single country.

As with individuals it holds that for so long as one country is envious of another, they cannot become genuine friends. That is a circumstance existing between every country south of the border and the United States.

It is naturally an unpleasant situation, but one that grows by leaps and bounds, fostered in the main by Castro's Cuba which is tutored by Russia. To some readers the last may sound like an alarmist contention. But not so. The evidence, and only the surface evidence, is revealed to us every day. Explore the depths of politics in almost any Latin or Caribbean country and you have cause to react with fear if not horror.

SOMEONE DISAGREEING WITH THESE PARAgraphs might well ask, "Well, what makes you think the United States is so different?" A fair question and not an easy one to answer if one reflects, especially upon the past two decades.

Riots in our cities, at political conventions, in prisons, Communist-inspired anti-war jingos, Watergate, bought politicians, political graft, all things we once viewed with amusement. "Banana Republic stuff," we laughed.

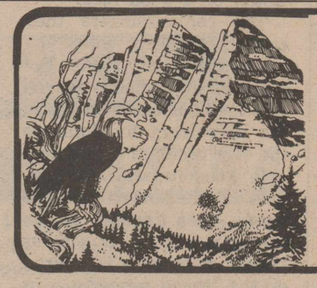
But I do not answer the question. Can I? I should make the attempt today because the answer becomes more difficult with each passing day. In truth rather than offer an answer I find it wiser to express a hope which must be premised on our basic freedoms which we still retain, even though we so often abuse and ignore them, even sometimes offer them upon the sacrificial altar.

It happens when a man says, "I agree with you, but I can't afford to do anything because I'm in business."

It happens when people, the lives or livelihood of others are threatened by boycott, when people distort and steal from context of statements in their efforts to destroy others.

It happens wherever and whenever prejudice exists, be it social, racial, political, religious, whatever.

I might go on, but end all this by contending that this will be the country we think it to be, the nation we want it to be when we no longer read in the news or hear discussions amongst ourselves about such things as how certian block votes will go.--ahab



Nature Trails

By John Smith, Wildlife Biologist

"Did you say bald eagles nesting in Texas? Close to Rockport? You mean the kind of eagle that is on our coins...our national emblem? I sure didn't know that!"

This is the kind of response I get from people almost daily who did not realize that we still have a few bald eagles nesting along our Texas coast.

Of course, the numbers are nothing like the several hundred pair that once nested from Corpus Christi to the Louisiana border, but we are very fortunate to still have a remnant population of the southern bald eagles nesting in the state.

Let me back up and explain the difference in the two sub-species of bald eagles that spend time in Texas.

Approximately 1,000 northern bald eagles come into Texas during the colder months to escape the harsh winters of their homelands in Canada, Alaska and some of the other northern states.

These winter visitors spend only about three months in Texas. They are concentrated in three areas. The largest group frequents the large lakes of East Texas, where they feed on fish and waterfowl.

The second largest group of migrants visits the Panhandle lakes, and the third group goes to the upper coastal prairie west of Houston, where they feed on geese and coots.

Almost all of these visitors have gone back north by now, leaving a much smaller population of true Texas eagles. This southern bald eagle is very rare today and is considered endangered by both the state and federal governments.

The southern bald eagle nests the opposite time of year from its northern cousins. Our birds in Texas begin nesting in November, hatch their young around Christmas and fledge, or begin flying, the youngsters thirteen weeks later, usually during April.

They probably then take the young north for the summer, as they do not stay in the nest area during the hot months.

The breeding pair shows up back at the nest site each October without the young from the preceeding year.

The northern eagles nest at their northern sites during the summer and bring the young to Texas in the winter.

We have seven southern bald eagle nests in Texas. There may be a few more, but this is all that has been found in eight years of searching.

These seven nests, which are eight feet across, and weigh up to a ton, produced seven young eagles this spring. Four nests located between Rockport and Victoria, in the San Antonio/Guadalupe River bottoms, produced three of the eaglets.

The other three Texas nests are in the Brazos Rivedr bottoms south of Houston. One of these nests failed this spring, when a rodeo arena and lake were constructed near the tree. The other two nests each produced young; one of them, three eaglets, and the other, a single new bird.

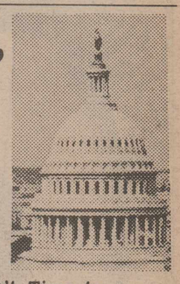
The pair that produced three young also had three last year, which is a record, since bald eagles rarely lay more than two eggs.

Texans should be very proud of our bald eagles; most states have no nesting birds. We are fourth in the number of nesting bald eagles, following Florida (220 nests), South Carolina (16) and Louisiana (13).

Let's just hope that no more nesting sites will be cleared for development. It would be such a great loss to find ourselves no longer having our national emblem -- and truly our Texas eagle -- nesting within the state.

"Low Down" FROM THE Congressional Record

By JOE CRUMP



(A Column for Readers Who Haven't Time to Review the Congressional Record Daily)

SENATOR JIM SASSER (Tenn.) ". . . I should like to report briefly on the progress that sunset legislation is now making in the Senate . . .

"Under the leadership of Senator Muskie (Me), Senator Byrd (W.Va), Senator Bellmon (Okla.), and others too numerous to mention here, we passed the Congressional Budget Act.

"We created a new way of approaching the budget . . . That budget legislation has improved our ability to make intelligent and informed choices about budgetary policy in the Senate.

"Now we have an excellent opportunity to add to that fiscal management tool by enacting sunset legislation.

"In its simplest terms, sunset legislation does to program review what the budget legislation did to our budget process.

First, it sets forth a systematic 10-year cycle during which Federal programs of a similar nature can be reviewed on a systematic basis. It will permit (the) authorizing committee to compare similar Federal programs, determining which is effective, and which is not and seek appropriate modifications for such programs.

"If a program does not receive a "sunset" review, a point of order may lie against the appropriation of new funds for the program.

"There are some who say the sunset cannot work. . .

"To those critics . . . I say that if we can not pass sunset legislation, we are in effect saying that: Congress cannot manage itself and systematically review the many programs it has passed over the years . . ."

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CRUMP'S GRASS ROOTS COMMENT

A review of Government programs, every 10 years, would mean, in most cases, the review would be made by congressmen who were not in congress at the time the program was started. There would be no reason for them to continue a program that would reflect unfavorably on their judgement at the time the program started.

Our Readers Write

Dear Editor:

I am sending you the article, "He is Risen" with the hope that you might publish it in your newspaper during the Easter season. If you do print it, God will bless you!

HE IS RISEN!

And Jesus was betrayed by Judas Iscariot, had a mock trial of sorts, and was crucified on the cross.

Right before He died, Jesus cried out, "It is finished." He had finished the task which He was born unto this earth to do — that of dying for sinners. "And thou shalt call His name JESUS: for He shall save His people from their sins." (St. Matt. 1:21) "I (Jesus) came...to call sinners to repentance." (St. Mark 2:17)

And the Bible says that you and I are sinners: "For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." (Rom. 3:23) "All our righteousness are as filthy rags;..(Isaiah 64:6) "There is none that doeth good, no not one..." (Rom. 3:12) "...there is none righteous, no not one." (Rom. 3:10) We are sinners and cannot help ourselves for we inherited sin from our first parents, Adam and Eve.

Our sins helped to crucify Him. But He laid down His life freely, enduring the suffering and shame because He loved us. God loved us, too—"For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, Jesus Christ who died for us, offering His body as a holy sacrifice in order for us to be forgiven of our sins and thus be acceptable to a most Holy God. We must believe on Jesus who has the power to free us from the wages of sin, which is death, unto eternal life.

Best of all, Jesus conquered death for us, for after He was laid in the tomb of Joseph of Arimathaea, a miraculous thing happened. On the third day He arose! The angel said to Mary Magdalene, Mary, the mother of James, and Salome, who had come to the tomb: "Ye seek Jesus of Nazareth, which was crucified: He is risen; He is not here: behold the place where they laid Him. (St. Luke 16:6)

He is risen! We celebrate this at a special time of the season, known as Easter, when things which have lain dormant throughout the winter have become alive—green grass, blossoming trees such as the Dogwood and Red Bud, the Forsythia shrub, flowers such as Easter lilies, Crocuses, and Tulips and others. Through nature we are aware of the life-giving qualities of a RISEN CHRIST!

He is risen! He promised us in the Holy Bible that we, too, would arise from the grave and then with those who were still alive, would be caught up into the air to meet Him in the clouds and thus to go home with Him to the wonderful Heaven He has prepared for us. (I Thess. 4:16-18)

He is risen! These are three precious words. They mean life eternal to all of us who believe on Jesus as our Saviour. He is our King of Kings and Lord of Lords!

s/Marietta Fuller
1313 Sportsman Drive
Jeffersonville, Ind. 47130

Dear Editor

In your article on page 2, dated April 2, 1980, in column five. Under the heading of, OUR READERS WRITE.

I attack you, Mr. Carter, as the Editor, and you Mr. Walston, as an individual.

You, Mr. Carter, should have had more sense than to print a letter that condemns the majority of the voters. For you to allow a person to call voters sick people, and to allow this person to go on and say that certain persons need a crutch as a weapon. For you to allow a person to say that opinions are worth nothing. To let that person also say that the concerned Citizens are Midnight Marauders, involved in the K.K.K. are completely unfounded.

To you Mr. Editor, I say, I think in the future you should show better judgement in your selection of OUR READERS WRITE.

To you Mr. Walston, I would like to see you at more meetings to get the feelings of the people. Just because a group of people think different than yourself is no reason for you to come forth with your immaturity name calling.

Always s/William Corey

Editor's Note: The Pilot accepts, and prints, letters we receive without regard to the opinion expressed. Our only criteria is that the letters not be in violation of libel laws and that there would be opportunity for the "other side" to rebut any statement presented.

"Our Readers Write" is an open forum and the Pilot does not "select" nor censor except to insure that no laws are broken and all sides have an opportunity to be heard on an issue.

Dear Mr. Carter:

I have recently received your notice that time has arrived for the renewal of my subscription. Normally, I would simply let the subscription expire if I felt the increase in rates too high, etc. However, I want to give you an explanation as to why I am canceling my long-standing and, in the past, enjoyable subscription.

My brother expired the end of February very suddenly and left a shocked and saddened family and a host of business acquaintances and friends throughout the country. The television stations and newspapers in the major cities of Texas carried mention of his death. Marshall Funeral Home handled the services. Not one word was mentioned in "The Pilot." When our family placed a thank you to the emergency unit and others who had assisted and paid your fee for publication, I felt surely someone on your staff would take notice. I understand you can obtain this information from Marshall Funeral Home as you desire. Having been a fourth generation descendant (three of whom were born in Rockport) I feel dismayed by the complete lack of interest shown by your paper. I read weekly of people who have died in Rockport that would not be enjoying the many splendid facilities Rockport offers if it had not been for its early settlers. As the grandmother of Judge John H. Wood wrote in her book "Texas Coastal Bend," my great grandfather "arrived in Rockport in 1868 from Padre Island on a horse, driving an ox team before him."

I am sorry to feel this way as I have enjoyed the paper since I was a child and still maintain my home and pay taxes in Rockport. I could not believe when a competitor to your paper arrived, however, when we carried the same "thank you" to that competitor not only was there not a charge, but they also published an article. They will now have a new subscriber due to the complacency and lack of "caring" of your staff.

Sincerely,
s/Laura Frandolig Burney
3534 Elmridge
Houston, Texas 77025

EDITOR'S NOTE: The death notice Mrs. Burney refers to, of her brother Frank Matthew Frandolig, did in fact appear on Page 7, Section B of the Pilot Weekender for Sunday, March 2.

PEACE PROPOSALS

On May 25, 1953, President Eisenhower stated the principles on which United Nations peace proposals for Korea were based.

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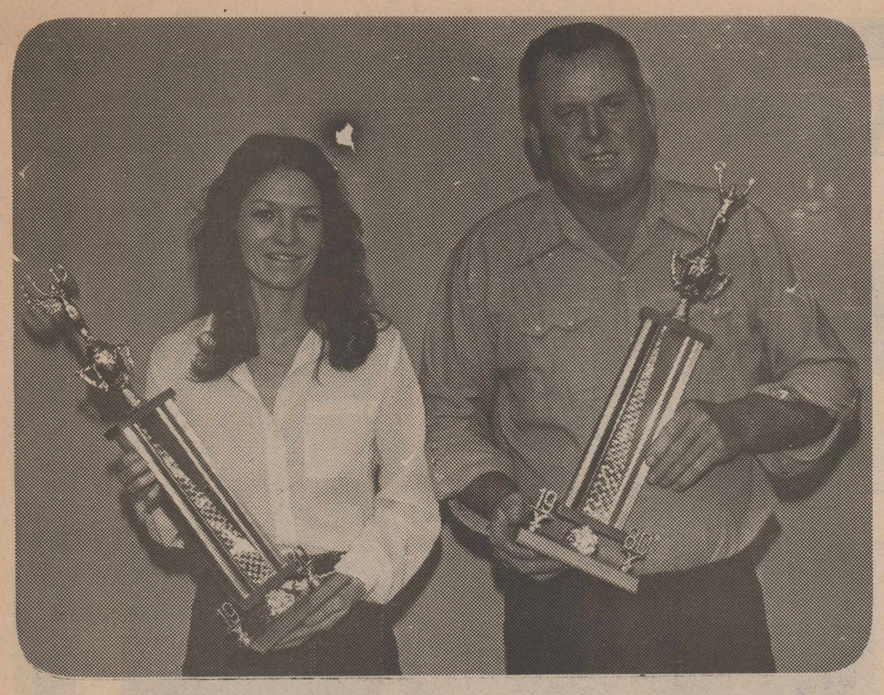

OYSTERFEST QUEEN, KING

Blair's Corner

By Pat Blair

Does anyone remember the "Class Prophet" of the Rockport High School Class of 1908?

Her name was Bailey in those days -- Margaret Bailey. Now she's Mrs. Standish Hall, a resident of Cuernavaca, Morelos, Mexico.

I received a letter from her the other day, prompted by a recent column that mentioned Mac Brown and the 1908 senior production of Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

Mac was the one who played Oberon, the King of the Fairies...whose six feet of height and above-average build made it necessary for him to remove his wings every time he made an entrance or exit from the stage.

In her letter, Mrs. Hall recalled that Mac Brown "was the smartest in the class (of 1908)" and asked, "Whatever happened to him?" So if anyone knows, you're welcome to get in touch with the Pilot.

Concerning the play, Mrs. Hall remembers "We had many laughs about Mac and his wings -- but managed the last night without a snicker."

Mrs. Hall remembers she was Hermia in the play, "and the Duke was a boy I didn't like -- so our teacher had an awful time with me relaxing. Amusing to think of now."

Noting her role as "Class Prophet" at that year's commencement exercises, Mrs. Hall said, "I do not think any of us turned out the way I wrote."

Mrs. Hall's grandfather, Captain Charles F. Bailey, started The Pilot in 1870 -- called "The Transcript" in those days. According to a book published in 1970 by the Aransas County-Rockport Centennial Inc., Bailey and his partner, G.A. Beeman first established a newspaper called the "Vaquero" in St. Mary's back in 1868.

Then they moved the printing plant to Rockport and changed the name. Today's Pilot is a continuation of Captain Bailey's old "Transcript."

Mrs. Hall added, "My great grandmother (mother of my grandmother Terry) used to tell us stories about the Karankawas coming to the ranch near Corpus. -- am writing all about those days for my granchildren. In years to come (if there is still a world left after Russia) they may like to read of the 'old days'."

They may indeed. And if you're reading this, Mrs. Hall -- and I suspect you are -- and you get back to Rockport one of these days, this is your invitation to stop by The Pilot office.

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Oysterfest King And Queen Crowned

The King and Queen of the Fulton Volunteer Fire Department Oysterfest had to do a little more than just walk down a runway and smile at the judges for their crowns...they had to consume raw oysters by the dozens!

Jim Tumlinson Sr., downed 147 of the raw squirmy things to capture the title of Oysterfest King. Jody Fox, who had never eaten a single oyster -- raw or cooked -- in her life, ate 71 to be crowned Oysterfest Queen.

Mr. Tumlinson said he was doing fine until he got to some milky tasting ones. One participant even became ill and had to drop out of the competition. That did not deter Mr. Tumlinson, though. He stayed through the entire ten minute time limit. There were ten men in the oyster eating competition.

Ms. Fox said her strategy was to "chug-a-lug" the oysters straight from the plastic sack they were handed to her in.

"The last one was harder to get down than the first one," she said. "But I could have kept on eating 'em!"

Ms. Fox was crowned Queen over five other contestants.

Neither the King nor Queen had so much as an upset stomach after the ordeal. In fact, they both still like oysters, and would do it all over again.

We find that a little hard to swallow.

Local Banker Attends Management Seminar

Major Donald P. Meek, Customer Relations Officer at Rockport's First National Bank, was among more than 300 bankers from throughout the Texas Crossroads area in Victoria Thursday, March 27, for a working seminar.

Sponsored by the correspondent bank department of Victoria Bank and Trust, the Management Development session was entitled "1980—A year of Major Banking Decisions," highlighting pricing bank services and dealing with N.O.W. (Negotiable Order of Withdrawal) accounts.

Presentations were made by Michael W. Moses, senior vice president, on Legislative/Regulatory update; Mark L. Westerman, assistant vice president, on Pricing Bank Services and N.O.W. Accounts; and James A. Traber, senior vice president, on Marketing N.O.W. Accounts and Marketing Strategies for the 1980's.

All three are with Victoria Bank and Trust.

More than 90 banks participated in the afternoon seminar.

Student News

Nine students from Aransas County were among the 3,497 students of Southwest Texas State University named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall, 1979, semester.

Students were Bonnie D. Baldwin, Elizabeth J. Baldwin, William J. Cobb, Nancy C. Hicks, Valerie K. Ovenden, David M. Washko and Laurie B. Woodman, all of Rockport; and Brett K. Bohn and Emily K. Murph of Fulton.

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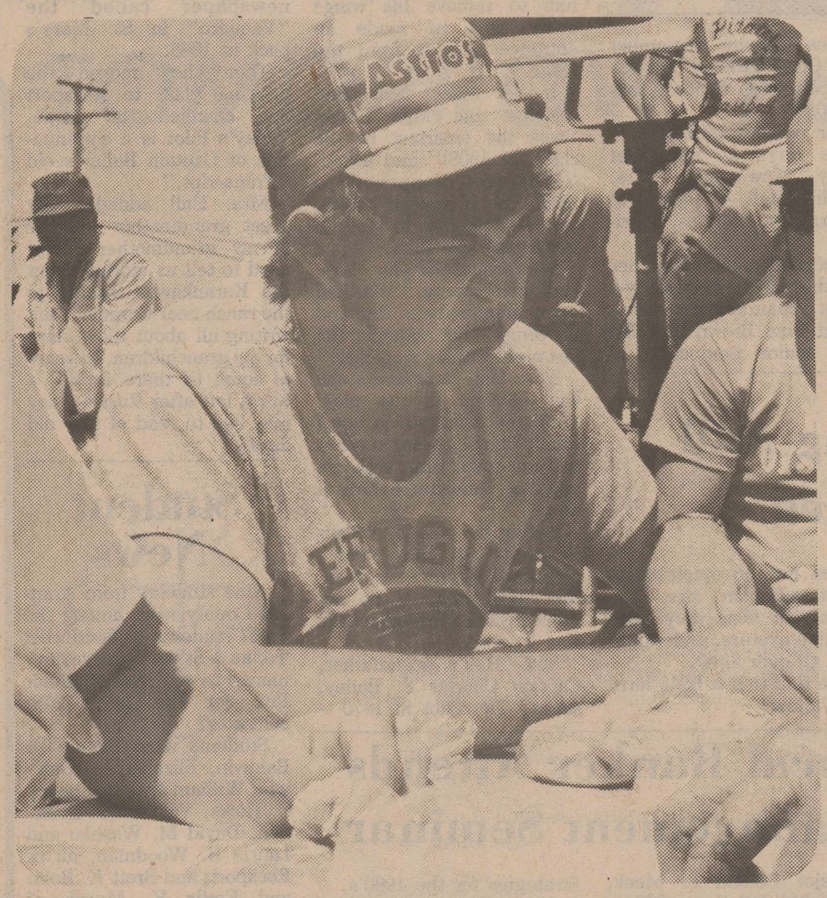

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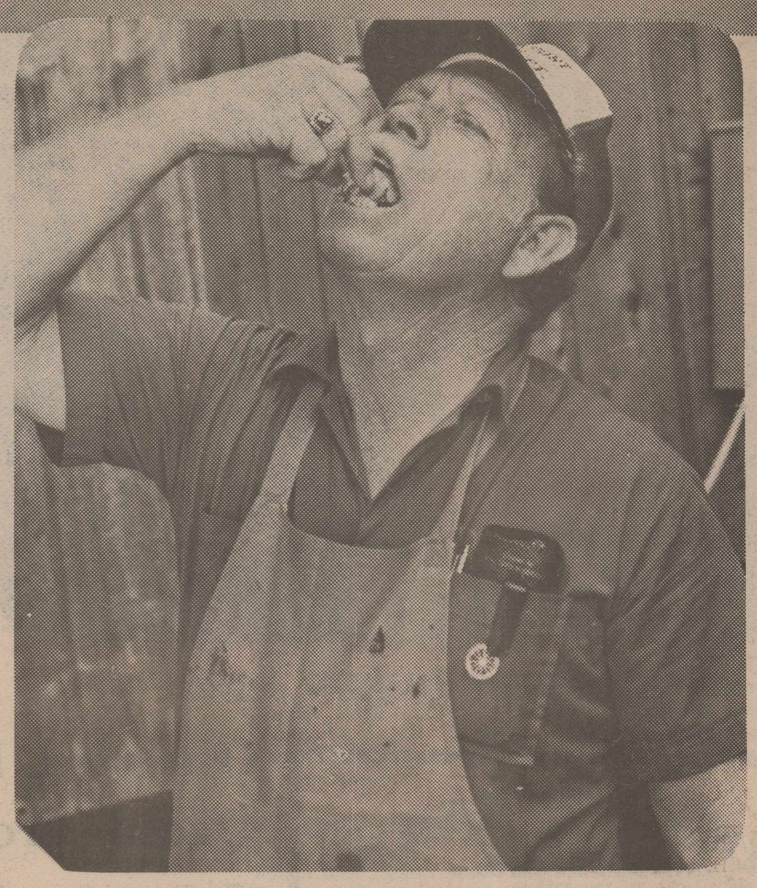

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JAWS OF LIFE DEMONSTRATION

Photos By Pilot Staffer Philip Loghry

LOTS TO SEE AT OYSTERFEST

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Boone Injured In Golf Tourney

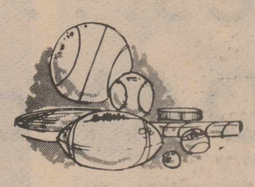
The Pirate golf team took part in a tournament at the Corpus Christi Golf Center on Tuesday, April first, but for Mark Boone, there was little to joke about.

In a rare but tragic accident, he was struck in the mouth by a ball that had been hit off an adjacent tee box. Apparently the ball sliced badly and headed for Boone's fairway. It bounced once before hitting him, but still had enough force behind it to knock out a couple of front teeth.

He underwent dental treatment the same day; Coach Bobby Flanagan has hopes that he will be back on his feet very soon.

Due to this unusual incident, the Pirates did not have a full team score for the competition, but Billy Washko ended up with an 86, the best round for a Pirate golfer this year. Chad Johnson had a 90 and Tyler Brownlee shot an even 100.

SPORTS PILOT



Sports Calendar

Date	Who	Opponent	Where	Time
9-10	District Tennis Tourney		Tuloso-Midway	
11	H.S. Girls' Track—District Meet		Calallen	
11	JV Baseball	Flour Bluff	Here	4:30 p.m.
11	Var. Baseball	Flour Bluff	Here	7:00 p.m.
12	H.S. Boys' Track		Gregory-Portland	
12	J.H. Girls' Track—District Meet		Calallen	
12	J.H. Boys' Track—District Meet		Calallen	

Sinton Runs By Pirates

By Bob Crawford

Rockport Fulton took a 5-4 lead over the Sinton Pirates, but then let the game slip away in the late innings as Sinton pinned an 8-5 loss on the Pirates.

Sinton scored in the second inning to go on top 1-0, and then scored another three runs in the third to take a 4-0 lead.

Rockport took advantage of Sinton's sloppy fielding, a pair of walks, and a bases-clearing double by Chris Butler to knot the score at 4-4 after three frames.

The Pirates picked up the lead run in the fourth when Jim Eaton singled, stole second, stole third, and then came home on a balk by the Sinton pitcher.

Sinton managed to score a pair of runs in each of the last two innings, and go on to win the contest. Chris Butler, in relief of Mark Setterbo, felt the brunt of the Sinton assault in the sixth inning, and took the loss for the Pirates.

The Pirates had only six hits in the game, with Eaton and Eric Commander each collecting two.

The loss drops the Pirates to 2-3 in district play.

The JV let Sinton get away with a 7-3 win, although the Pirates left over ten men on base. The Pirates seemed to get started with two men out, and then could not cash in on the men on base.

Aaron Commander craked a home run for the Pirates, his second in two games.

REFORMS REVOKED

Tzu-hsi, Dowager Empress of China, on Sept. 21, 1898 seized power and revoked reforms.

Hunter Safety Training Effective

AUSTIN—The number of firearms-related hunting accidents per 1,000 hunters has been reduced since the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's Voluntary Hunter Safety Program started in 1972.

Analysis of hunting accident reports from 1967 to 1979 show that numbers of accidents remained fairly constant while the number of hunting license holders increased significantly during that period.

For example, in 1967 there was one accident recorded for approximately each 8,600 hunters. In 1979, the rate was one accident for each 20,700 hunters.

The effectiveness of the hunter safety courses in Texas is reflected by comparing statistics from the five years prior to the start of the courses with the first five years of the program. The average accident rate for 1967 through 1971 was an accident per 10,000 license holders. The average dropped to an accident per 14,000 hunters in the 1972-76 period when the courses were in progress.

Hunter safety reached an all-time high in 1979, with only 50 accidents reported by game wardens across the state. This was the lowest total since 1965.

The statistics are based on numbers of resident hunting and resident combination hunting/fishing licenses sold, according to Hunter Safety Coordinator T.D. Carroll.

NOVELIST BORN

English novelist and historian H.G. Wells was born on Sept. 21, 1866.

Jean Is Girls' Champ

Jean Flanagan became the girls' District Champion of golf on Monday, March 31.

The tourney was held at the Live Oak Country Club and pitted Jean against three girls from Flour Bluff, the only other school to enter.

Her score of 108 was good enough for first place and takes her to the Regional Tournament at the Corpus Christi Golf Center on April 17,18.

Loss of hearing

At least 13 million people in the United States suffer from a loss of hearing.

This number constitutes at least one of every six men, women, and children in our country. — CNS

Fishing Report

[Key Allegro Marina] --The fishing has picked up some in Mesquite Bay, but not much activity otherwise. Some trout have been caught.

[Copano Causeway] --The fishing has been great! Especially from 10 p.m. until daylight. A lot of large trout and huge drum have been caught! Most drum have weighed between 30 and 50 pounds and are being caught with live crabs and a lot of patience! The trout are being caught mostly on white and yellow speck rigs.

[Kleine's Rattlesnake Point Fishing Camp] --The fishing has been good. Some trout was caught on lures. Don Gains and son from Houston caught a couple of ice chests full of reds and trout using minnows and chubbies. Larry Lamb and Jack Matthews from Rockport caught several nice reds and trout on live bait.

[Palm Harbor Marina] --Great fishing this week! Fran and Gene Smith from Austin caught 27 large trout and two large flounder on live bait. The harbor has plenty of live and frozen bait available.

Recreational vehicle gas consumption

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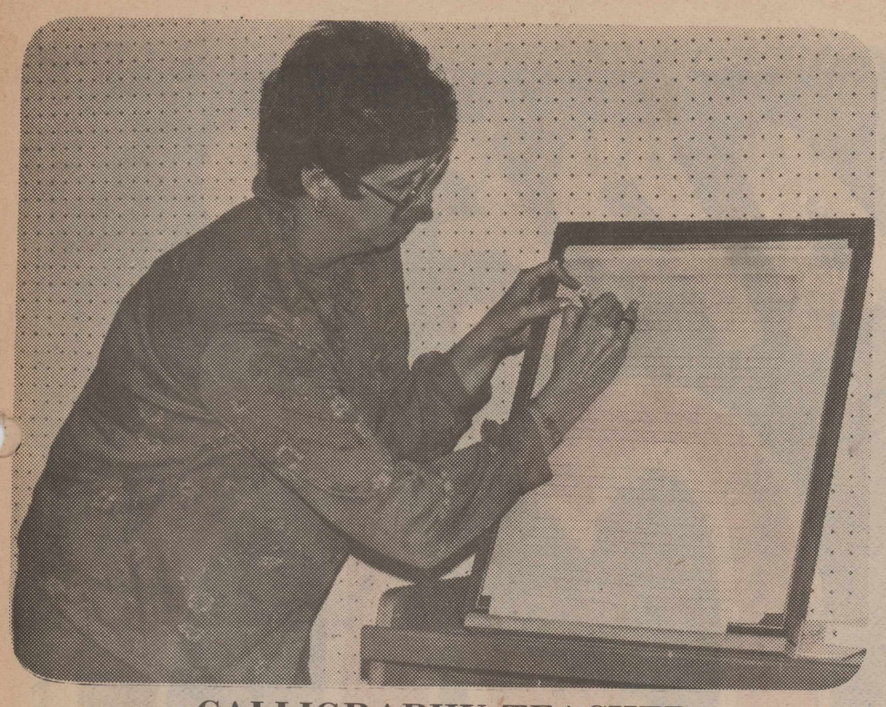

CALLIGRAPHY TEACHER

Gwen Back of Corpus Christi has been conducting Calligraphy Classes at Rockport Art Supply with 13 students attending. Mrs. Back, a professional Calligraphist, gives classes "wherever there is enough interest in learning the art of Calligraphy." For more information, call Rockport Art Supply at 729-9033.

BEACH

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landscaping it, enlarging the slab and including it in a much wider variety of uses than in the past.

Parking and road improvements and the inclusion of a bicycle path/nature trail were next on the list of proposals.

Improvement of the cabanas and relocation of them to be nearer picnic or eating sites was mentioned next. Members of the Moose Lodge then said they would do the labor involved in painting and repairing the cabanas if the district would furnish paint and lumber. The commissioners agreed to that plan.

The installation of several protected playground areas was the next idea suggested. These would have equipment for children to utilize.

The rejuvenation of the salt water pool—cleaning up the area, arraning for parking, etc.—was also listed.

Some kind of concession area, possibly a mobile one, was suggested, but it was stressed that rules governing its operation would have to be very stringent. Also, containers for trash would need to be readily available.

The group suggested the beautification of park areas on the beach proper, including the pool area, within the circle the road takes on the north end and inside the triangle where the Wee Putt used to be.

They also mentioned changes to the Lion's Club park area, possibly giving it a Spanish Plaza look.

The last proposal the group made was to be sure to protect the bird-nesting areas on the beach, perhaps utilizing posts or pilings to keep vehicle traffic away from those sites.

Henry Bent is in the process of drawing up a charter, so that the group can collect tax-deductible donations from private sources.

The P&WD representative hopes to have a master plan for the beach area finished by early May. This plan can then be used in applying for grant monies. The services being rendered by the P&WD are without charge.

STALL

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helping with salary, fuel and upkeep expenses. There was some question of just what the city's plans were and how the Parks and Wildlife Department might be involved, so the measure was voted down.

It was suggested that the city be invited to come to the workshop meeting to explain their current plans for ski-basin safety.

Commissioner Dominguez presented a plan for some harbor and marine-related business construction that had been given to him by an engineer, for consideration by the board. The site of the proposal would be just north of Fulton Harbor and would take in a piece of the bay bottom about 600 feet on each side.

Danny Adams spoke from the audience and said that this was the project of a group of Vietnamese people and that, according to his information, the sale of the Oak Shore Apartments across Fulton Beach Road from the location, hinged on their getting aproval to put in their harbor complex.

Another member of the audience said that, in view of the real financial problems the present fish house operators are having right now, it didn't make much sense to have an additional operation go in.

Commissioner Ken Faulkner moved to table any action on the matter at present and it passed.

In other matters, the commissioners heard from two property owners with whom the district has had easements for dredged material dumpsites. The land had not been utilized as a dumping site for fill and they had wanted this done. The commissioners voted to notify them that their land had not been needed.

They also agreed to have Commissioner Jimmy Anders talk to Juanita Wagley about the fill which was placed on her property. They would like to see about transferring this material to her and getting out of any liability for the area.

Not all of the monthly bills have been received, but those approved included $232.60 for water, $96.60 for telephone, $2,704.66 for two months work by the firm of Lockwood, Andrews and Newman and $4,905 to Vermillion Construction Company.

Total cash on hand as of March 31 included $10,832.51 in the General Account; $13,089.74 in the Revenue Account; $2,747.69 in the Escrow Fund and $24,879.72 in the Maintenance Fund.

Certificates of Deposit totalled $174,213.06.

WRECK

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during this week if. the plane has not been found before then.

The plane disappeared during a flight from Brownsville to Sinton on March 16 with its pilot and two passengers on board. The three were identified as Robert Robinson, 20, of Sinton, the pilot; David A. Parrott Jr., 33, of Austin; and Joyce Chilingham of Brownsville.

The three bodies were recovered Sunday, March 23, and Tuesday, March 25, from Copano Bay near Bayside.

Permit Requests

Application has been filed with the Army Corps of Engineers for the following permits.

Comments must be submitted to the District Engineer, P.O. Box 1229, Galveston, Texas 77553.

Application from Channel Industries Gas Company of Houston for permit to install natural approximately 22,000 feet of natural gas pipelines in the Gulf of Mexico and Aransas Bay approximately six miles southeast of Rockport. Comments must be submitted on or before April 21.

WINNERS

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by Davis, 5, daughter of Oliver Davis of Rockport; Priscilla Lee Rios, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rios, 1011 South Pearl; Robert Solis, 5, son of Maria and Abelardo Solis, 615 North Pearl.

Also entered were Donny Nesloney, 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nesloney of Star Rt. 1; Neil Olsen, 4, son of Arlene Olsen, 1300 North Live Oak, #3; Bobby W. Krogsgaard, 5, son of Jerry Krogsgaard of Rt. 1; Becky Oliveira, 4, daughter of Mrs. C. Oliveira, 815 Warbler; Bill Corbin, 5, son of Ed and Niki Corbin, Star Rt. 1.

Also Monica Rinche, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rinche Sr., 1220 Orleans; Kathy Picarazzi, 4, and Greg Picarazzi, 5, chiledren of Mrs. Mario Picarazzi, 907 West Terrace; Wade Matthys, 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. S.W. Matthys, 805 Pine; Michael K. Bohn Jr., 4, son of Martha Bohn, 1501 Shady Side.

And Heather Pafk, 4½, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Pafk, 202 Myrtle; Chris Hoover, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hoover, 112 Palm Drive; Mark Solis, 5, son of Mike and Emma Solis, 751 Oak Avenue; and Sam Spears, 5, brother of third-division winner Norman Spears.

Other entries in the six and seven-year-old division were Jimmy Anders, 6, son of Jimmy and Shirley Anders of 404 Gagon; Brian Viducic, son of Ivan and Kristy Viducic, 724 Oak Avenue; Nicloa Thomas, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Thomas, 32 Mazatlan; Staci Keller, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Keller, Star Rt. 1.

Also entered were Joann Garcia, 6, daughter of Jose and Rachael Garcia of 728 South Mathis; Belinda Brundrett, 6, daughter of John L. Brundrett Jr., 618 South Live Oak; Karolyn Kent, 7, daughter of Donna Kent, Star Rt. 1; Lawrence Kellar, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kellar; Scott Taylor, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Taylor of Star Rt. 1.

Other entries were Julia Ann Fox, 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Fox; Sean Connolly, son of Lynne A. Connolly of 117 Greenway Lane; Jeremy Mills, 6, brother of prize winner Melanie Mills; Merinda K. White, 6, granddaughter of Jeannie Dobson of Corpus Christi Street; David Nesloney, 6, son of Valerie Nesloney of Fulton; Russell Crawford, 7, son of Bob and Carole Crawford of Rockport.

Also Helene Solis, 7, daughter of Mike and Emma Solis; Brenda Rinche, 6, daughter of Fred Rinche, 816 North Doughty; Shannon Commander, 6, daughter of Judy Commander of 1506 East Paisano; Wayne Wayne Hansen, 7, son of Scott and Diann Hansen, 1409 West Paisano; Michelle Rios, 6, daughter of Amado Rios, 904 Heron Lane, West Terrace.

Also Cindy Zuniga, 7, daughter of Richard Zuniga, 1300 North Live Oak; Rusty Matthys, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. S.W. Matthys; Christiana Miller, 6, daughter of Patricia V. Miller of Rockport; William Adams, 6, son of Dan Adams, Star Rt. 1; Eric Molina, 6, son of Diana and Jose Saneeda, 914 North Pearl; and Jenny Picarazzi, 7, daughter of Mrs. Mario Picarazzi.

Other entries in the competition for eight, nine and 10-year-olds included Naomi Garcia, 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fidel Garcia Sr.; Glenn Hansen, 9, son of Scott and Diann Hansen; Marcia Norrell, 9, daughter of Doug and Nancy Norrell; Stephanya Miller, 9, daughter of Patricia V. Miller; Patricia Paredez, 10, daughter of Dominga Paredez, 702 Orleans Street.

Also Jenifer Day, 9, daughter of Linard Day, 1131 Water; Gene Garcia, 9, son of Connie and Gene Garcia, 1117 South Paisano; Mario Solis, 10, son of Mike and Emma Solis; Diana Parker, 10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zapatos of San Antonio.

Others in the competition were Debbie Herrera, 10, daughter of Mrs. Paula Beasley, 507 West North; Kevin Biggs, 8, son of Roy Biggs, Rockport; Kelly Commander, 9, son of Judy Commander; Charles Baros, 8, and James Baros, 9, sons of Linda Baros, 707 North Austin; Mendi Black, 8, daughter of Elaine and Mike Black, 1105 Allen; Jason Mills, 8, son of Burt and Penny Mills; Chris Connolly, 10, son of Lynne A. Connoly.

Also Rick Rinche, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rinche; Annalies Corbin, 9, daughter of Ed and Niki Corbin; Jeffrey James Fox, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Fox; Jeana Huffman, 9, daughter of Jim and Carol Huffman, 1603 East Maple; Jennifer Janecek, 8, daughter of Jill Janecek, Fulton; Kenny Ratliff, 8, son of Eddie and Kathy Ratliff, 1913 Shores Lane.

Also Clarissa Lara, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.G. Lara, 936 Pine Avenue; Kimberly Kent, 9, daughter of Donna Kent, Star Rt. 1; Jane Bradshaw, 9, daughter of Helen and John Bradshaw, 1901 Shores Lane; Stephanie Anders, 10, daughter of Jimmy and Shirley Anders; and Kathy Ballard, 8, daughter of Roger Ballard, Fulton.

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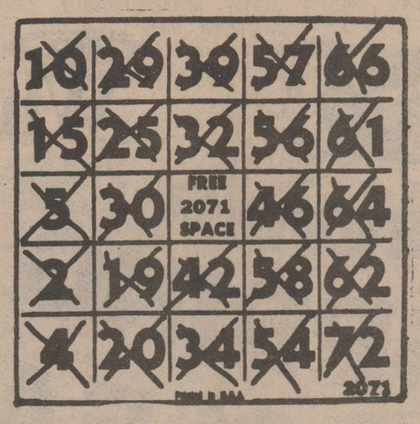

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Economy Hitting Builders And Buyers

By Eddie Bradley

"The building industry is virtually through until things straighten out."

"I foresee a dead summer as to speculative building."

These were some comments we received recently from Ronnie Tynes of PKT Properties Inc. and Raulie Irwin Jr. of Irwin Industries Inc.

The cause for their predictions of a poor immediate future for local builders is the direction the national and local economy has taken, especially over the past year.

"The prime interest rate is devastating," said Tynes. "In less than a year, there has been a 100 percent increase."

He stressed that this meant a giant rise in overhead for everyone, especially builders. Many of these businesses rely on borrowed monies to purchase supplies, materials, equipment and to meet payrolls.

"You can't pass on a 100 percent overhead increase to the buyers within only a 12-month period," Tynes said. "Even though overhead has doubled," he added, "income has not even come close to that."

The result has been that some builders have to stop borrowing and eventually go out of business.

Irwin said that there had been good building activity for a while, "but it was from funds that were obtained before the new year or right after."

He said that builders are having a harder and harder time just getting loans, especially for homes built on speculation.

Irwin said that it was easier to get financing for custom buildings, those for which you already have a buyer, but then there is still the high-interest problem.

If you are looking to buy a house, the situation is not good for you either. "A buyer with good credit," said Tynes, "has to have 50 percent more assets than last year in order to qualify for a loan on the same place.

Irwin stressed that the Rockport area still has quite a bit of custom buiding going on and that a lot of them are owner-financed.

Several individuals are investing in their homes just like they would in something else, and are getting as good a rate of return on their money as is available right now.

Tynes said that individuals will get more creative and active in the loan market -- there will be a lot more owner-financing than there has been in the past.

He also said that "trust and pension fund organizations may get into lending home mortgage money and be assured of a safe, sound investment."

Irwin pointed out that one of the problems banks are having is that the federal government is making them keep more of their deposits in reserve and not use them for loan money, thus cutting down on their activity.

This, coupled with the fact that banks themselves have to pay higher and higher rates on the money they use, thus making some of their customer loans almost unprofitable, puts a real squeeze on monies available to both the home builder and buyer.

"When you crush the building trade," Tynes said, "you are crushing a lot of folks and a big hunk of the economy." The builders might feel the pinch first, but then comes the building suppliers, the craftsmen and other subcontractors, the supply salesmen and on down the line.

Irwin said that during a similar period in the early 1970's, the building industry around here managed to keep pretty busy and rolled on through the crisis, but he doesn't seem optimistic that we won't feel a pinch this time around.

He reports that he doesn't think there will be as many building starts in the near future as we have had and says that some of the skilled craftsmen in the area have already gone to other places seeking work.

Tynes summed up at least part of the problem by saying, "It doesn't matter how good your product is, if no one can get the money to buy it, it can't be sold."

SCENES LIKE THIS BECOMING SCARCE

The Pilot

Second Front

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Hospital Badly Needed To Serve Area Residents

By Pat Blair

"We need this thing over here so desperately," said Ben Pate, administrator of Lyman-Roberts Hospital in Aransas Pass.

He was talking about a proposed new 75-bed hospital to be constructed in Aransas Pass to serve residents of that city, the Rockport-Fulton area and Ingleside.

Officials at Lyman-Roberts and at the smaller Aransas Hospital are planning for such a facility to be located on the site now occupied by Lyman-Roberts.

With 28 double rooms -- a total of 56 beds -- 13 single rooms and a six-bed Intensive Care Unit, the proposed new facility would have 37 more beds than the two hospitals it would replace.

And the extra space is needed, says Pate. Much of the time, Lyman-Roberts and Aransas hospitals are running at 100 percent occupancy -- or more.

Besides the added bed space, the proposed new hospital will incorporate some of the latest ideas and equipment in hospital patient care.

For example, the surgery unit -- composed of two large rooms and a smaller one for minor surgery -- will have an inner, sterile corridor. The entire inner core of the surgery department will be sterile, Pate said, to provide the best possible conditions for the patient.

The Intensive Care Unit (ICU) with its beds to serve six patients at a time will incorporate progressive coronary care with emphasis on teaching the patient how to care for himself.

This, says Barbara Holmes of Rockport, nursing supervisor at the hospital, is to reduce the number of patients who return to the hospital because they don't care for themselves properly after their discharge.

The new hospital will have an area devoted to physical therapy, and the emergency unit will include three treatment rooms and a large trauma room.

These emergency facilities, Pate said, will replace Lyman-Roberts' present 10-by-15 emergency room -- in which some 4200 patients were treated last year.

As a practical matter, the plans for the new hospital -- which will have some 61,200 square feet of floor space -- include sliding shutters on all the windows, for protection during hurricanes.

Total cost of the new hospital is expected to be just over $8 million -- all of which will be funded through hospital revenue funds.

"I have no interest in increasing taxes on anybody in this area," Pate said, "and this will not do it."

To help fund the project, a Coastal Bend Hospital Foundation Inc., a non-profit organization, has been established.

The revenue bonds, which will be sold to the general public, are being handled by the firm of Hereth, Orr and Jones of Atlanta, Georgia, and will be sold "primarily on the East Coast," Pate said.

Last fall, the hospital staff consisted predominately of nurses' aides and "a few licensed people," said Mrs. Holmes. Since then, she has worked to reverse those figures: the hospital now has a staff of 12 full time RN', 15 LVNs and seven nurses' aides. When the new hospital is completed, Pate added, it will need a minimum staff of about 20 RNs, 24 LVNs and 12 aides.

Among the changes already in effect at Lyman-Roberts is a "specialty team" trained in emergency room procedures.

"In the past," said Mrs. Holmes, the emergency room was staffed by "whatever nurses happened to be on duty." But now -- and in the new hospital -- emergency treatment is given by people specially trained in emergency procedures.

The hospital also now boats a specialist in electrocardiogram techniques and is "currently processing our nurses two at a time" through a coronary course being offered at Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi.

The hospital also employs -- and will continue to use -- "unit dose medication" for its patients. This means that every medication is packaged in individual doses and the nurse receives only the dosage prescribed for a particular patient for that day.

This is the safest system of medication for a patient, Pate and Mrs. Holmes said.

Plans are to start construction on the new 75-bed hospital in August -- which will also mark Pate's first anniversary as hospital administrator -- and construction should be completed within 18 to 20 months, he said.

ESTHER AND 75th PLAQUE

Esther McDaniel Has Special 75th

Esther White McDaniel was born in 1905 in Delmar, Alabama. That same year, the Roegelein Meat Company was started in San Antonio.

The significance of these two events was not clear to Mrs. McDaniel until the middle of last February, when she received an invitation from the company in the mail asking her to attend a celebration of her 75th birthday and Roegelein's 75th anniversary.

The gala event was held on Monday, March 17, in the Sheraton Marine Inn Restaurant in Corpus Christi.

Over 100 people were in attendance, Mrs. McDaniel says, adding that, "there must have been 50 people there who were 75 years old."

She was given a plaque bearing her name and the inscription, "Happily Celebrating Our 75th Birthday Together."

Mrs. McDaniel said the luncheon was very nice and included a huge birthday cake which they all enjoyed.

Lon Wilder of KIII-TV in Corpus was the emcee and at one point he read a poem that Mrs. McDaniel had written on the back of her invitation. The event was featured on that station's Morning Magazine program the next day.

Mrs. McDaniel, who has lived in Rockport since 1967, really got a thrill out of the whole affair.

Hearings Scheduled On Fish Management Plan

Public hearings are set this month in three area cities to get comments on proposals to manage and regulate the local reef fish resources.

The hearings are among 11 scheduled in five states along the Gulf of Mexico in which the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council will present its proposed plan and get input from the public.

In this area, the hearings are scheduled for: Tuesday, April 22, in the Port Isabel Community Center; Wednesday, April 23, in the Port Aransas Community Center; and Thursday, April 24, in the Jury Assembly Room, County Courthouse in Galveston. Hearings will begin at 7 p.m.

Purpose of the fishery plan is to manage and regulate the reef fish resources, primarily snapper, grouper and sea bass, from Texas to Florida. Special regulations are proposed for stressed areas in the Gulf of Mexico's Fishery Conservation Zone (FCZ).

The FCZ extends from the outer limits of state waters to a point 200 miles from shore.

The plan as proposed sets a maximum sustainable yeild for reef fish in the Gulf and anticipates an optimum yield of 39.1 million pounds of reef fish.

The plan also projects a domestic annual harvest of 39.1 million pounds of fish to be taken in 1981 and would place a ban on foreign fishing in the area.

Major restrictions proposed under the plan include a ban on the use of poisons and explosives for taking reef fish and the use of fish traps, bang sticks and roller trawls in stressed areas. The proposed plan would also prohibit possession of red snapper less than 12 inches in fork length.

The proposed management plan would require permits for all reef fishing vessels using fish traps and mandatory reporting for all selected reef fishing vessels.

Fish traps used outside the stressed areas would have to be made of degradable or other self-destructing panels that would deteriorate within five to 15 days and would have to be marked with identification numbers and color codes issued through the office of National Marine Fisheries Service.

The plan also proposes to prohibit harvesting of traps before sunrise or after sundown.

Other public hearings on the reef fish proposals are scheduled for April 21 through May 1 in Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana.

The Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council is one of eight regional fishery managements councils established by the Fishery Conservation and Management Act of 1976.

The Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council prepares plans designed to manage the fishery resources in the 200-mile limit in the Gulf.

Fulton Has Jaws Of Life

The Fulton Volunteer Fire Department has purchased a 'Jaws of Life' unit according to Chief Leslie Cole.

The hand-held tool, which runs on hydraulic power, is used primarily in getting persons free who are trapped in their vehicles, such as after an accident.

The unit was demonstrated at the recent Fulton Oysterfest, and it was proceeds from that event which enabled the purchase. Cole says the unit is not completely paid for, but that it will be shortly.

If any organization would like to see the unit demonstrated, they can get in touch with the Fulton Fire Department.

Auto Expenses May Be Claimed

Some of the expenses of using an automobile for business, moving, charity and medical purposes may be claimed as a deduction on your Federal income tax return, according to the Internal Revenue Service.

Operating expenses, depreciation, and insurance may be deducted when a vehicle is used for business.

If the vehicle is used for both personal and business reasons, only those expenses tied to the business use of the vehicle may be claimed. And these must be prorated between business and personal use.

There are two methods of determining operating expenses: actual cost or the standard mileage method.

Taxpayers using the standard mileage rate may deduct 18.5 cents per mile for the first 15,000 miles and 10 cents for each additional mile when business use of the vehicle is involved.

Eight cents per mile is allowed for charitable, medical, or moving use.

Parking, toll fees, and the portion of interest and state and local tax (excluding gasoline tax) attributable to business use also are deductible in addition to mileage.

The IRS points out that only those costs exceeding amounts reimbursed by an employer are deductible, and adequate records are a must for determining actual expenses.

The free Publication 463, "Travel, Entertainment, and Gift Expense," has more information on automobile and other deductible business expenses.

Copies may be ordered from the IRS by using the coupon that comes with the tax package.

VA News

Editor's Note: Following are representative questions answered daily by VA counselors. Full information is available at any VA office.

Q.--My husband received an honorable discharge after several months of service at the end of World War II. He is now disabled by illness unrelated to his service. Is he eligible for a Veterans Administration pension?

A.--If he served at least 90 days between December 7, 1941, and December 31, 1946, is permanently and totally disabled and has income within the limits set by law, he qualifies. Check with VA for full details.

Q.--Can closing costs be included in the amount of money the government guarantees for a GI home loan?

A.--No. All such costs must be paid in cash.

Fund Helps Keep Ambulances

It's a way to honor the memory of a loved one . . . and help serve the living.

It's the Aransas County Medical Services Inc.'s Memorial Fund and in the four years since its inception, it has raised thousands of dollars to help keep the county's emergency ambulance service operating.

The program started back in 1976, when the ambulance program was just getting started and the ACMSI was still known as the Aransas County Hospital Volunteers.

Bertie Cone was chairman back then and the program was initiated under her. In July of that year, the group printed donation cards — and the memorial fund was on its way.

It's hard to pinpoint exactly who the first donor was through the new memorial fund, because in those days, memorial donations apparently weren't listed in a separate fund.

But according to the records, one of the first memorial donors was D.C. Rachel who gave money to the organization in memory of his wife, back in August, 1976.

Also among those early donors were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Clark who made a memorial donation in October of that year.

The first list of contributors to the memorial fund appeared in the Rockport Pilot on Thursday, July 21, 1977.

By the end of 1977, some $4,136.55 was contributed to the fund. In 1978, memorial donations amounted to $5,239.48 for the year, and in 1979, the memorial fund collected $6,687.04.

Anyone who wants to make a memorial doantion to the ambulance service can pick up a donation card and envelope at the Women's Committee workshop in Encina Plaza; the Aransas County Public Library; either of Rockport's two banks; the Marshall Funeral Home; or the Chamber of Commerce office.

Or they can just mail their doantion to the Aransas County Medical Services Inc., Box 821, Rockport, Texas 78382, with a notation that it is for the memorial fund and the name of the person being honored by the memorial.

Contributions to the fund are tax-deductible.

ACTORS DO WELL IN UIL

The Rockport-Fulton Drama Class presented scenes from Shakespeare's "The Twelfth Night" in the U.I.L. Zone One-Act Play Contest held in Sinton on Thursday, March 27. Drama Coach David Rice said the class performed several scenes from the play, for a total of 40 minutes in performing time. Pictured above are actors who were selected for special honors in the Zone contest. Left to right: Scott Cory, All-Star Cast Honorable Mention; Shelly Beattie, All-Star Cast; Linda Rinche, All-Star Cast; and Ronnie Campbell, Best Actor.

[Pilot Photo by Eddie Bradley]

ALL-AROUND FELLOW

Senior Esequiel Hernandez is well-liked by both his fellow students and the faculty at RFHS. He was nominated and elected by the faculty as the Best All-Around Boy in school. His fellow seniors selected him as the Most Handsome Boy, the Most Dependable and also the one with the Best Personality. [Pilot Photo by Eddie Bradley]

Ah, The Joys Of Country Living!

By Eddie Bradley

There has been a bird in our yard for the last few days that has really gotten caught up in the coming of spring.

He hops out on the end of a limb, extends his neck about three inches, and gives out with a giant CHIRP!

I expect any moment to see him fall out of the tree or at least limp off with a hernia. So far, though, he's been able to keep it up, day after day.

We sort of live out in the country. That is, we have houses all around us, but not right next to us; you know what I mean?

Anyhow, we like to think of ourselves as being in the country. Since moving there, we have seen deer, coyotes, skunks, 'possums, 'coons, egrets, herons, cut ants, snakes, scorpions and an array of winged wildlife that often sends us scurrying for the "bird book."

The first week we were in the house, some friends from out of town came for a visit. About a half hour after they arrived, Mrs. Houseguest went into the kitchen to borrow our phone.

A couple of heartbeats later, we heard a scream—it seems that there was a big black tarantula on the wall next to the telly! I laughed about the extra guest, but nobody else seemed to see the humor.

On another occasion, our neighbor from down the street, who hadn't lived in this part of the country very long, called to seek help. She said a scorpion had thier dog cornered.

This certainly aroused our interest; by the time we got down there, the lady had taken a hoe and chopped a big, black crayfish into a pile of mush.

Some folks think of the country as being peaceful and quiet. Hah! Trying to take a nap outside with that bird around is like trying to get some sleep during a blackboard-scratching contest.

However, the real noise doesn't start up until after the sun goes down. We have four cats (all worthless), and at least two of them are in a fight with something at any one time during the night.

When they do finally settle down, then the 'coons, 'possums and skunks take turns fighting over the cat food or flipping the food dish around the patio. (This last activity usually happens at around two in the a.m.).

But for sheer, uninterrupted bedlam, you would be hardpressed to find anything to compete with frogs on a rainy night.

Those who know are nodding their heads right now. Those who don't, probably won't believe me when I say that the Concorde jetliner would take a back seat to the decibel level of a pile of happy frogs.

I am told that you can hear individual frogs calling to each other amid the roar, but usually I'm just hoping the bedroom walls will be able to hold up under the vibration.

Yes this country life does have some drawbacks, but I still wouldn't trade it. Speaking of trading, could anybody out there use a real fine guard bird?

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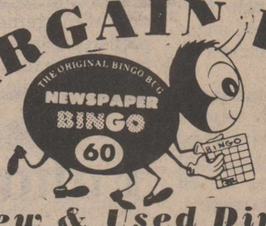

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Mona Smith, Anthony Picarazzi Wed

Miss Mona Gail Smith and Mr. Anthony P. Picarazzi were united in marriage in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church March 1, with Monsignor Harold Palmer officiating at the nuptial mass.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Smith, Rockport; Mrs. Patricia Picarazzi, Rockport, and Mr. Perry Joseph Picarazzi of New York.

The altar was decorated with baskets of white gladiolas and carnations on pillars of greenery accented with white satin bows.

Mrs. Jerry Wendell, organist, provided the traditional wedding music and accompanied Gerry Kleypas, who sang "We've Only Just Begun" and "The Lord's Prayer".

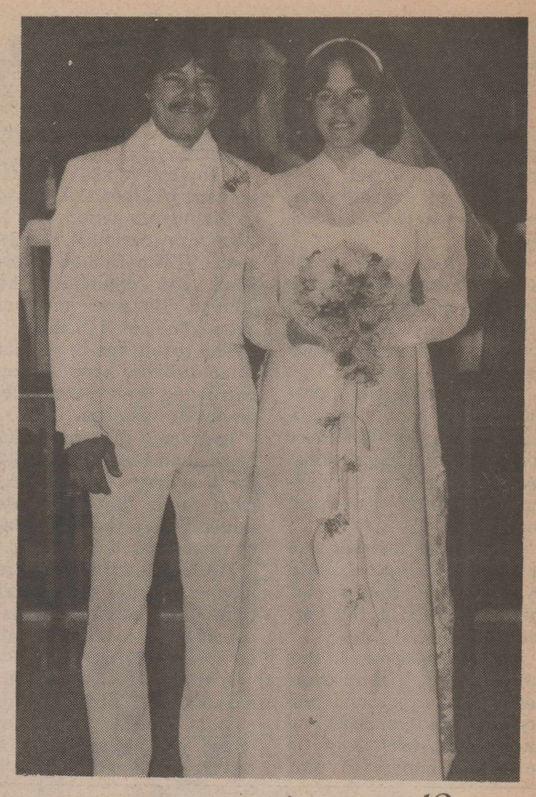
Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of French lace and white satin adorned with seed pearls. Her veil of illusion fell from a bandeau of pearls. She carried a bouquet of white camellias, yellow and white sweetheart roses accented with baby's breath and long white streamers tied in love knots.

Mrs. Danny Cox, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Patricia Gurley and Miss Dora Olenick. The brides's attendants wore floor-length dresses of ice blue and carried nosegays of spring flowers.

Mason Jordan served as best man and Groomsmen were Perry Picarazzi and Douglas Barnette.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held in the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. Members of the wedding party were Mrs. Joe Meyer, Mrs. James Gillis, Mrs. Wesley Morgan, Mrs. Bill Morris, Luana Garcia, Janet Truelove, Kathryn Morgan, Lori Morgan, Angela Picarazzi, Stacey Shipman, Kim Meyer, Kris Ann Gillis, and Allison Meyer.

After a short wedding trip the couple will live in Rockport.



Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Picarazzi

TOPS Meetings Held

The last meeting of March for TOPS was held at Corky's Restaurant.

KOPS of the week was Jewel Moody. Sara Bates was runner-up. TOPS of the week was Emma Hudgens, with Betty Kelly as runner-up.

Queen for the month of March was Mikki Deason, and Diane Matte was runner-up.

The club lost a total of nine and one-quarter pounds for the week, and over twenty pounds for the month.

Nine members were presented with Happy Drops for weight loss during the month. Kay Snapp won the HA-HA Fund.

The April 1 meeting was also held at Corky's.

Twnety members were present, with a net loss of 18 pounds, and only four pounds gained.

KOPS of the week was Jewel Moody and Sara Bates as runner-up. Falba Brown was TOPS of the week, and Debbie Fouts was runner-up. Cindy Lee won the HA-HA Fund.

Joan French is a new member from the night club, and Lynn Hewes has rejoined TOPS.

Don't forget the auction to be held at Corky's on April 15 at 8:30. The public is invited.

ARTHRITIC PEOPLE

Arthritis affects over 31 million people in the United States and total costs for those affected amount to at least $14.5 billion a year. — CNS

Bev's Beat

By Beverly Wilken

No more "Two-minute-Roger"; no more "Roger-Dodger"; no more "Roger-the-square-Staubach"..."no more Super Bowls for the Dallas Cowboys???"

I get angry when I hear that. I get angry for Tom Landry, I get angry for the rest of the team and I especially get angry for Danny White.

Beginning with the very first kick-off of the next football season, Danny White will be expected to throw 27 touchdowns, have 57.9 percent of his passes completed, gain 3,586 yards in passing, and be the Number One Passer in the National Football League -- feats Roger Staubach accomplished in 1979, his tenth year as Cowboy quarterback. His first year with the Cowboys, Mr. Staubach threw only one touchdown, had 48.9 percent of his passes completed and gained a mere 421 yards in passing.

Don't get me wrong, I'm a big Roger Staubach fan. He's a tremendous football player and a great person. He's everything a sports fan could possibly want in a hero.

But I'm also a COWBOY fan. "Too-Tall" Jones, Tony Dorsett, Bob Lilly, Robert Newhouse, Rayfield Wright, Don Meredith, Walt Garrison, Don Perkins, Golden Richards, Bob Hays, Lance Rentzel, Thomas Henderson, Dwayne Thomas, Jethro Pugh, Don Perkins, Chuck Howley, George Andrie. Glenn Carano . . . Danny White.

"If the pressure don't get him, the Redskins will," chuckled one old Dallas fan.

"Good thing we've got the Oilers to pull for. We need at least one winning team in Texas," cackled another.

"Is it true that if Roger Staubach becomes a sports commentator, Tom Landry will send in his lines for him?" I asked sarcastically.

The crowd grew silent. Eyes narrowed and fists clenched at the disrespectful comment about their hero. I let the impact of my statement soak in before breaking the icy silence.

"Look, I'm a Roger Staubach fan too, but give Danny White a break!"

More icy silence.

"Danny White was an All-American at Arizona State. You don't get to be an All-American by being a slouch, you know. Look at how he's hung in there with the Cowboys, no matter what! I'm sure he's learned a lot from Roger. Don't expect him to step right into Staubach's cleats, he's going to need the support of all of us Cowboy fans. And if we're not willing to give him the encouragement he needs and deserves, well then, don't expect him to live up to your impossible expectaitons. And I'm not just saying that because he happens to be the best-looking player in the league, either. I'm predicting Danny White will be just as big an asset to the Cowboys as Roger was, and he'll have the best coach, the best teammates and the best fans in the world behind him, just like Roger did."

"And just what makes you so sure? snickered a voice from the crowd.

"Because I have confidence in Danny White," I answered quietly.

They also serve who punt and wait.

Flower Show Date Set

Rockport Home and Garden Club members are preparing the club's Spring Flower Shop to be held in the Fellowship Hall of the United Methodist Church April 24.

Mrs. W.D. Alley, Flower Show Chairman, has appointed members to serve on the following committees for the show: Schedule, Mrs. W.K. Thomas; Staging, Mrs. E.H. Butler, Mrs. Oscar Alvord, Mrs. J.E. Johnson; Judges, Mrs. M.C. Baird; Judges Coffee, Mrs. Herbert Welsch; Judges Luncheon, Mrs. O.H. Brueggeman; Clerks, Mrs. G.L. Duggan.

For Entrees, Classification and Placement: Artistic Division, Mrs. Charles Kaigler; Horticulture Division, Mrs. R.W. Moore, Mrs. Gerard Ladner, Mrs. F.A. Taylor, Mrs. K.L. Thomas.

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The Shepherd's Staff

By John R. Bradshaw, Pastor
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PROMISE: "The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." (Timothy 1:15)

PROSE: The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ provides a paradox in the coming of Jesus: some find forgiveness, others find doom.

There were those in Jerusalem who on Palm Sunday chanted: Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord."

And before Holy Week was over they were shouting: "He is risen...Hallelujah!"

There were others in Jerusalem who demanded: "Silence!"

And before Holy Week was over they were shouting: "Blasphemer! Crucify Him! Crucify Him!"

PRAYER: Lord, so long ago as others watched you in agony on Black Friday they wept, they sobbed, and that is easy to understand when we see what those people had done to you.

They wept...They were helpless...They could not interfere, so they cried out in pity.

But, Lord, you said: "Weep first for your sins."

It is so much easier to find sufferings in the world, guilt in others: in politics, economics, slums, alcohol, movies, industry. We see it in many people: in laissezfaire Christians, in preachers who don't understand a thing, and in many others, many others. All in all, in just about the whole world except us.

Lord, teach us, teach me, that I am a sinner.

AMEN

Concern Center Makes Easter Baskets

Volunteers with the Aransas County Concern Center may not look like the Easter Bunny -- but that didn't keep them from bringing a little Easter cheer to a bunch of senior citizens.

The volunteers put together a bunch of Easter baskets for older residents of the county and distributed them.

Among those helping with the baskets were Florence Samson, chairman of the volunteers, and Kathryn Winkleman, Mildred Koutnik and Hilda Mauer.

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HOLIDAY BEACH - 2 bdrm, 1 B, nicely furnished & carpeted. Utilities included. $285. pr. mo. 729-0781.

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PET BABY MILK GOATS for sale, already on bottles. Cheap. Bees, Registered Nubian milk goats. Turkeys, Guineas. Bantams. 729-2299 days, 729-0416 late.

30. Articles Wanted

WANTED TO BUY: USED furniture, appliances, tools and sporting goods, etc. Call 729-6702.

31. Articles for Sale

200 LB. MANTITOWOC icemaker for sale or lease. 3 months old. Excellent condition. Central Service Co. 729-7086.

32. Musical Instruments

TWO PIANOS, ONE organ, priced right to sell---- used but in pretty good condition; needs tuning. Bargain Barn, 1701 Church St. 729-6702.

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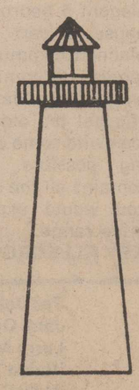

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WATERFRONT LOT IN Rockport area. Send reply to L.B. Redd, 225 Hickory Dr. Huntsville, Texas 77340.

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100 ACRES
HUNTING COUNTRY
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TRY HUNTING
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43. Business Property

EXCELLENT BUSINESS development property - with present income to offset the carry till the property is developed. Owner financing. Security Real Estate 729-2256.

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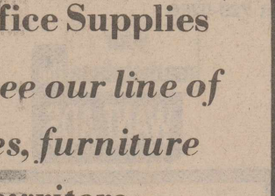

43. Business Property

EXCELLENT INVESTMENT Income Producing, warehouse units. Storage area. Auto repair shop. Room to expand. Excellent location. Security Real Estate, 729-3325 nites 729-7240.

COMBINATION MOBILE home and R.V. park - located under beautiful oak trees on historical site. Owner financing, flexible terms. Security Real Estate 729-3325

44. Waterfront

5 ACRES RIVER FRONT
$1,000 down payment. $167.96 month. In scenic Texas hill country. Above flood line. Crystal clear water and several nice oak trees. Call owner at 1-800-292-7420.

45. Lots for Sale

2 LOTS READY TO BUILD on near the water. Priced to sell quickly. 729-2119.

4 NICE HOME BUILDING lots. Peninsula Oaks, Unit 1. Find at locations on Winding Way at Lazy Lane. Will consider financing down payment of $2,400. Balance at 9 3/4% interest. 1-997-8357.

TWO LOTS IN HOLIDAY Beach ready to build on. Surveyed, filled and culverts. $3,750. Call David Wells after 6 p.m. 729-0781.

TREE SHADED, 50 x 125' lot w/all hook-ups for mobile home. Septic installed, concrete pad. Across street from Fulton Elementary School - 5 blocks from water. $10,500. Morgan Real Estate, 992-7193, nites - Sam Sanders, 729-1215.

3 - 75' LOTS IN PENINSULA Oaks, cleared & leveled. $3,000. ea. 758-2696.

IMPROVED LOT FOR SALE by owner. Fulton on West Myrtle St. Inquire at Safari Camp. Ed Harle.

ARANSAS PASS - ROCKPORT AREA: 2.5 & 5 acre wooded lots. 10% down, 10 yr. financing at 10% interest. 758-2758.

47. Houses for Sale

PENINSULA PARK
Walking distance to school. Three bedroom, two bath, brick home with fireplace. Added features are fenced yard, sprinkling system in a quiet neighborhood. $56,000. WISHERT REALTORS, 729-2124.

SEE THIS 3 YEAR OLD RED brick, 3 bdrm., 2 B, dbl. garage, fireplace w/gas starter, central vacuum system, miracle water softener, electric garage door opener, insulated windows. Well insulated home - low fuel cost. Underground sprinkling system. $76,000. Owner will finance up to $50,000 at 10%. 729-5717.

LOVELY, LARGE, BRICK 3 bdrm., 2 b., LR, dining, den, playroom, plus separate workshop. Very good value at $69,500. By appt. 729-5497.

47. Houses for Sale

KEY ALLEGRO AT 21 Sandpiper. Open Sunday from 2:00 to 5:00. 729-1472.

NEARLY COMPLETED 3 bdrm, 2 bath brick w/fireplace on Winding Way in Peninsula Oaks. Veterans financing available. Normandee Const. 758-2696 after 5:00.

PENINSUAL OAKS:
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Waterview $95,000
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TO BE MOVED -- 2 BEDhouse. 729-6310.

HOME COPANO HEIGHTS 3 bdrm., 2 bath, extra large master bdrm. Central a/h. Hurricane fenced. 729-6046.

$5,000 ASSUMES LARGE 3 bdrm. 2 B, C-a/h, cedar siding, 10 percent interest will not roll, balance $29,950. 130 Estes [between Palm Harbor and City by the Sea]. Estelle Kincaid, 1-992-6162 or Century 21 Myers, 1-854-4621.

SMALL 2 BR, 1 BA., fenced corner lot. Owner will consider all reasonable offers. Possibly negotiate terms. Call Morgan Real Estate, 992-7193 or nites, Sam R. Sanders, 729-1215.

FOR SALE BY OWNER. 3 bdrm, 1½ B at 101 Lazy Lane in Peninsula Oaks. FHA approved. $37,000. 729-6050.

LAMAR:
Square lot with a little over half an acre. Large oak trees, carpet grass, water well and paved road. Ideal location for a home. $14,500. WISHERT REALTORS, 729-2124.

47. Houses for Sale

BY OWNER/AGENT. MY 3 bdrm, 1½ bath home at —823 N. Austin. $25,000 down & balance owner financed. 3 huge oak trees.

48. Mobile Homes

8 x 32 2 BEDROOM MOBILE home. 729-1500.

BEAUTIFUL RETIREMENT home - 14 x 75 mobile home. 3 BR, 2 B, C a/h, 10 x 40. Porch, utility room. Like new on 2 lots covered w/large oak trees. Close to Post Office and bay. 729-1610.

MUST SEE TO APPRECIate!!! 14 X 72, 2 BR, 2B, large living room, kitchen & dining area, large walk-in closets, plenth of storage, CA/H. Under $14,000. 729-0113.

8x22 - 2 BEDROOM MObile home. Very nice. $3,250. 729-1500.

MOBILE HOME 14 x 80. 3 bdrm, 2 bath. Will finance to responsible party w/property to secure loan. 729-5533.

49. Travel Trailers

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51. Power Boats

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18' FIBERGLASS BOAT with [2] 40hp Johnson's & trailer. Convertible top. Real Clean. $1,295. 729-1500 or see at THE BARGAIN BARN, 1701 Church.

52. Trucks

FOR SALE OR TRADE
1964 Chevy 2½ ton moving van. $2,000. cash or trade for P.U. of same value. See at 1609 Jenkins, Rockport.

54. Automobiles

'74 PONTIAC LEMANS. Power steering, power brakes, A/C, & AM/FM cassette. 729-2022 & ask for Lloyd.

1974 PINTO STATION wagon. Cash only. See at 823 N. Austin.

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NOTICE
This will serve as an application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Mixed Beverage Permit to be known as Fulton Beach Restaurant and to be located on the West side of Fulton Beach Road, Fulton Township, Aransas County, Texas. Owner is H. Max Olsen. Mailing address, P.O. Box 62, Fulton, Texas 78358.

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ENJOY WATERFRONT LIVING—This fine home offers an excellent view of Aransas Bay from both the spacious deck and living room. Extra large kitchen, three bedrooms, two and a half baths, covered entry. Beautiful yard and covered patio area. One of the few with gas air conditioning. Furnished. $89,000

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HIDE-AWAY-IN-THE-TREES—"Forest" of palm trees shelter the house consisting of 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large family room, den and kitchen. Guest apartments downstairs includes living area, kitchen, bedroom and bath. Air conditioned shop, storage area. Patio covered with Astroturf. $131,500

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LOVELY VIEW OF THE BAY—Three bedrooms, two baths, 80% financing. $85,000
DECORATOR FINISHES—Ground floor, two bedroom, two bath. 80% financing. $74,000

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HOLIDAY BEACH $38,500

EXECUTIVE NEIGHBORHOOD
Where you live determines how you live. Year-round enjoyment is yours in this elegant 5 bedroom 3½ bath house, a part of the well-planned community offering tennis, swimming, boating and fishing. Play now before you get too old. Assumable loan with some owner financing possible. This home contains all the conveniences you would expect in this price range.
KEY ALLEGRO $210,000

OPPORTUNITY IS KNOCKING
Commercial potential - 168' of highway 881 between proposed Rockport by-pass and Rockport. Over 3 acres - Take your time, but hurry, the price is right, too. $23,000

FULTON GEM
Built under watchful eye of owner - This home has value with comfort - about 3 years old - high efficiency air conditioning - 2 bedrooms, 2 baths - brick. Sorry no VA or FHA. Don't miss a good bet.
FULTON $53,500

STRETCH THE DOLLAR
Alternate to higher priced condominiums - located on high bluff with view of bay - swimming pool - fishing pier - each unit has range, refrigerator, color TV - small maintenance fee pays for water, refuse collection, security, general maintenance of grounds - owner financing with 20% down. Units start at $15,800

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KEY ALLEGRO $235,000

COMFORT FOR SALE
Lovely 2 story with 2 bedrooms & bath down, master bedroom and bath up. Master bedroom opens onto porch which overlooks canal - 60 feet of waterfront - fireplace, central gas heat - ready to move in.
PALM HARBOR $79,900

OWNER SAID GET ME AN OFFER
Priced right - This is ripe for a transaction. This 3 bedroom-2 bath is almost new - A choice house in a choice location - All this and fireplace, too.
OAK TERRACE $58,300

LOTS OF LAND
3.48 acres on paved road - water & electricity available - excellent opportunity to escape from the postage stamp lot. Owner financing.
PENINSULA OAKS $12,000

SEE FOR YOURSELF
First offering - Peaceable - refreshing and appealing - 2 bedroom, 2 bath elevated home - Inside stairway - bulkhead - 100' fishing pier - small loan can be assumed.
COPANO RIDGE $57,500

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FRESHMAN FAVORITES

Alma Dickerson and Dominic Dominguez were recently elected the class favorites for the Freshmen Class. The runners-up were Charlotte Kinsel, Richard Nava, Vanessa Tristan, Chuck Ayers, Tina Chavez, Aaron Commander, Gina Guillette and Orlando Pena.

[Pilot Photo by Eddie Bradley]

High School Reports

SOPHOMORES
By Holly Garrison

The Sophomore class nominated class favorites March 14. The results were: For the boys the favorite was Adam Harden. Runners-ups were Phillip Viccinelli, Ernest Gonzales, Roger Dominguez, and Alan Barnard.

The girls favorite was Denise Johnson. The runner-ups were Theresa Roberts, Terrie Estes, Miki Andrews, and Kathy Smith.

The past two weeks, sophomore English classes have been studying Crime Prevention. There was special emphasis put on protecting the individual from ripoffs, con men, burglary and many other important things young adults should be aware of.

All Sophomores who have been taking Health this semester have been studying CPR. Students who passed both parts of a skills-qualifying test are to be certified at the end of the study.

The test was broken down into written performances, and then into the physical performance on the mannequin.

Iris Jenkins was the instructor of the two week course in conjuction with the Health teachers.

JUNIORS
By Lisa Guillett

Prom season is just around the corner, and the Junior class of 1980 is really working on it. The decorating committee has decided on a theme for this year's prom, and the decision was unanimous among the students to have "The Future" as their theme.

Many well-planned ideas have come about through this decision and I believe that it won't cost a great deal, and will stay within the junior class budget. The idea is to make it look as though you are being led into a rocket ship on an incredible journey beyond the stars.

There will be speical lighting effects and silvery, shiny props set up to give the scenery the "far out" look. "The Future" was chosen by the majority because Rockport is located on the sandy shores (the theme) so as a change of pace we came up with this idea.

I agree, we need something different so the students will have something to look forward to and have people really enjoy themselves.

The junior class, along with many of the sophomores, are training for their CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation) and Basic Life Support methods. This enables the students to be aware of the facts that save people's lives. After the student passes a test on the mechanics of CPR and how well they are able to perform it without any flaws, they go on to the second part of the test, which is written.

These tests are conducted among the students in the Health classes so they can be certified in CPR. I believe we are privileged to have this information and course available to us, because you never know, you may really need to save someone's life one day.

Recently, a poll was taken as to who would be the favorites as far as the junior class was concerned, and they are as follows: for the boys, the number one choice is Kyle Dietze followed by Don Frels, Clyde Forshee, David Williams, and Jim Eaton as runners-up.

The girls favorites were Renee Wagoner as most liked, with Dee Aine Rossman, Darlene Dilworth, Alvina Sanchez, and Kristi Lenison as the runners-up.

This is a yearly event that takes place, and I think that the junior class did a real fine job of choosing their favorite classmates.

SENIORS
By Julie Adams

The Senior Hall of Fame!!! Each year when the class elects favorites and all the other things that they are supposed to, the seniors go a little farther with the Hall of Fame. This hall includes Most Beautiful, Most Handsome, Most Dependable, Most Likely to Succeed, and Best Personality. A boy and girl are each picked for the various categories. The seniors nominate and vote for these boys and girls.

Then there are the Best All Around and Who's Who which are voted on by the faculty. The Who's Who category has no definite winner, but the five boys and girls who are picked all have their names printed in the book titled Who's Who in American High Schools.

Under each category, there is a winner with four runners-up. All of their pictures will be presented in the annual.

The winners are: Most Beautiful, Flicia Forshee; runners-up are Lisa Smith, Laura Hutt, Renee Fair, and Rita Martinez.

Most Handsome, Esequiel Hernandez; runners-up are Hector Saucedo, Mark Setterbo, Ty Riley and Larry Sammons.

Most Dependable Girl is Flicia Forshee; runners up are Linda Jackson, Renee Fair, Sandy Collins, and Loretta Vega.

Most Dependable Boy is Esequiel Hernandez; runners-up are Gary Ondrej, Donald Allen, Edward Lane, and Frank Betancourt.

Most Likely to Succeed Girl is Janet Truelove; runners-up are Renee Fair, Linda Jackson, Melissa Pruitt, and Susan Weaver.

Most Likely to Succeed Boy is Joe Barlass; runners up are Joe Black, Edward Lane, Terry Gasteaur, and Gary Cruz.

Best Personality Girl is Rita Martinez; runners-up are Katy Goodrich, Julie Adams, Melissa Pruitt, and Renee Fair.

Best Personality Boy is Esequiel Hernandez; runners-up are Hector Saucedo, Edward Lane, Ronald Allen and Ty Riley.

The other two categories are picked by the faculty. They are Best All Around Girl-winner is Jean Flanagan; runners-up are Renee Fair, Sandy Collins, Julie Adams, and Rita Martinez. Best All Around Boy is Esequiel Hernandez; runners-up are Donald Allen, Jeb Beall, James Merrett and Mark Setterbo.

The Who's Who in our High School are as follows: Donald Allen, Ronald Allen, Joe Barlass, Esequiel Hernandez, James Merrett, Sandy Collins, Renee Fair, Jean Flanagan, Henrietta Harris and Janet Truelove.

Sheriff's Report

Charles E. Vermillion of Fulton reported theft of some $80 worth of wood from Vermillion Construction Company Wednesday, March 2.

Sheriff's deputies arrested two suspects in the case after they were reportedly seen driving away from the property in a pickup truck.

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Tony Pokorny of 820 South Kossuth reported an incidence of criminal mischief on his property between Tuesday, March 25, and Wednesday, March 26.

Pokorny reported someone blew up the mailbox in front of his and O.R. Huffman's residence, 814 South Kossuth, three times during that time period.

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Susan Michelle Schroeder of Bayside reported theft of a radio, valued at $84, from the front seat of her car on March 17 while she was at the Tiki Kai in Fulton.

The theft was reported Wednesday afternoon, March 26.

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Leroy Sprague of 810 South Doughty reported the mailbox in front of his house was blown up sometime between 7 p.m. and 11 p.m. Tuesday, March 25.

Party Line

By Betty Paul

Mike Southall from Burleson has been visiting Jeffrey Lynn.

Neal Stair is home from the hospital after having eye surgery. Hershall Stair from Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Boudin from Rockdale were visiting the Stairs for a week helping out and caring.

Nola and Lew Counterman entertained their friends at Taylor Oak Trailer Park with movies they took on a recent trip to Mexico and the Yucatan.

Mr. and Mrs. M.J. Oliver, Shirley and Danny Oliver, and Bill Oliver just returned from a trip to Grand Prairie, Texas. The occasion for the trip was to help Robbie Jo Oliver celebrate her ninth birthday and have a family reunion. Debbie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Oliver.

Wes Muecke is again in Spohn Hospital, Room 1090, for another pacemaker transplant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Callahan of Holiday Beach have visiting them Mrs. Frances Ayman from Los Angeles, California.

Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Mills from Houston have been in Rockport to help take care of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Calhoun who have both been ill.

Mrs. R.A. Nelson from Wichita, Kansas, and her daughter, Laura, who currently lives in Cincinnati, Ohio, are visiting Pat Barnett. They are enjoying our weather.

Anabel and Carl Hoit have been spending quite a bit of time finishing their new home in Peninsula Oaks.

Betty and Jowell Hearne had a coffee in their home for the Marriage Encounter Group. Cake and coffee were served to the approximately 10 guests that were there to sign up for the first time and make reservations at the Hilton in Corpus.

Dan T. Oliver has been "shedding" a few tears over the oral surgery he has just had done in Corpus.

The Rollin Hills have visitors this week. Mrs. H. L. Boone from Laurel, Mississippi (Mrs. Hill's sister she hasn't seen since 1978 and Mrs. James Moore from Enterprise, Mrs. Hill's cousin.

Arnold McGraw is at home now after being in Spohn Hospital.

Neil Gage underwent surgery recently and is in Lyman-Roberts Hospital.

Melanie Stephens just returned from a trip to Portland, Oregon, where she visited relatives and went on a skiing jaunt.

The Conwell Smiths' home was just photographed by "Texas Home Magazine" and will be featured in an upcoming issue.

Iris Finley was surprised with a birthday dinner March 26 in the home of her daughter, Veronica Cahehl. Nine guests showed up for the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parr celebrated their 33rd wedding anniversary March. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krueger just returned from a three-week vacation to Hawaii. They also spent several days in San Francisco on this trip. Mrs. Carl Krueger Sr. came from Houston to be with the family for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dennard became the proud parents of Casey Lynn March 21 in Spohn Hospital. Casey Lynn weighed 8 lbs., 5 oz. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Samford of Carthage and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Dennard Sr. of Tatum.

Jesse Ramirez from California has been visiting the Bill Holden family on his way to Kansas.

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS!

Loneta Overton, March 27; Jackie Fuller, March 30; Mark Stalker and Jim Langdon, March 31.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARIES

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parr's 33rd, March 27; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Holiday Beach, 53rd, March 31.

HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES

Melba Forney, Ray Olbrich, Admarell Morris, Inez Percival, Bernice Ivy, Spohn Hospital; Mrs. Vollie Williams, Mary Wilkensen, DeTar Hospital in Victoria; Kenneth Woodyard, Neil Gage, Lyman-Roberts; Arnold McCraw, Doctors Hospital.

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

"He who does most, lives most. He who lives most, gives most."—Quote from Eddie Rickenbacker's book.

Years Ago

35 Years Ago---1945

RM 1-C Don McBride, Jr. was home from duty in Los Angeles, California for a five day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McBride.

Sgt. H.D. Robbins, 28, has been awarded the Purple Heart medal for wounds received in France. Sgt. Robbins was employed by Heldenfels Brothers before entering the service. His wife Charlene, and two year old son, Alfred, reside in Rockport.

Leon Barber celebrated his ninth birthday with a party given in his honor by his mother, Mrs. Jim Barber.

30 Years Ago---1950

Glenda McShan won first place in the U.I.L. district contest for the ready-writing division. Tommy Cron placed second in the senior boys declaration division. Mrs. Seth Steele, English Instructor at Rockport High School accompanied the contestants to the Taft Tournament.

Charles Garret was installed as V.F.W. Commander and Mrs. Ruth McShan was elected president of the auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Picton are the proud parents of a daughter, Kathryn Denise, weighing six pounds, nine ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Johnson are the proud parents of a baby boy, Mark King Johnson. Mark weighed six pounds, and 12 ounces.

25 Years Ago---1955

Roy Rogero and Col. James W. Porter were named to the Rockport City Council. Mr. Rogero for Precinct 2, and Col. Porter for Precinct 1.

Sugar was selling for 47 cents a pound, a five pound sack of flour sold for 41 cents, celery for 12 cents a stalk, and eggs for 45 cents a dozen at Piggly Wiggly.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Everitt have a new son, Joseph Ray, born March 25, 1955. Joseph is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everitt of Joe's Bait Stand.

Cpl. John S. Cron, son of Mrs. Charles Cron of Rockport, was recently stationed in Puerto Rico with the 65th Infantry Regiment.

20 Years Ago---1960

Herman Johnson was elected Mayor of Rockport in his first appearance on the local political scene. He will replace Mayor Hollis Collum who did not seek re-election.

The Rockport Pilot celebrated its 91st year in publication.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee Brundrett Jr. are the proud parents of a new son born April 2, 1960. Their new addition weighed four pounds and eleven ounces.

15 Years Ago--1965

Phil Howard of Rockport-Fulton High School placed first in boys' extemporaneous speaking, and Pat Falk was first in the girls' extemporaneous speaking, in a U.I.L. Speech Tournament held in Bishop. Other winners were: Raulie Irwin, second in boys' prose reading; Darrel Lichte, second in poetry interpretation; Lola Lewis, second in ready-writing, and Darlene Rouquette was first in typewriting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitley announced the engagement of their daughter, Judy Lynn, to Richard Glenn Blackwell of Rockport.

10 Years Ago--1970

Aransas County Judge John Wendell and Nueces County Judge R. Briscoe King agreed on the location for survey posts which will mark a new coastal boundary line between the two counties.

TOPS officers for 1970 were elected: Reba Vick was elected Leader; Julie Mercer, Co-Leader; Gwyne Howland, Treasurer; and Alice Wright, Secretary.

Mark Johnson, Betty Ann McDavid, David Roaten, and Jody Rouquette returned to the University of Texas after spending a week with their parents here in Rockport.

5 Years Ago--1975

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin L. Haigood announce the engagement of their daughter, Deborah Susan, to Joel Robert Martin of Coleman.

Charles Fake of Rockport was listed as being on the Dean's List of Distinguished Students at Baylor University.

Alice Carter of Rockport-Fulton High School was chosen to represent her school in Kingsville in the District OEA meet. She will compete in Typing and Related I.

Fulton Thankful For Support

The Town of Fulton would like to express their gratitude to the many Rockport and Fulton residents and winter visitors who made their First Fulton Volunteer Fire Department Oysterfest such a huge success.

All sales and contributions went towards the street signs, fire location and emergency medical aid.

The total receipts on sales of the Shrimp Tacos, a booth sponsored by the Town Council of Fulton, was $1,019.59.

Cynthia Tilden, Fulton City Council Secretary, said the town would like to once again thank H.E.B. food store for contributing the lettuce and tortillas, Jimmy Woods Produce for the onions, and Casterline Fish Company for the shrimp.

Mayor L.E. Casterline of Casterline Fish Company, did more than his share to insure the success of the first Oysterfest, said Mrs. Tilden.

Special thanks to Chris Allen, Don Stone, Mary McKnight, Eileen Jeffers, Bill and Marian Mercer and Margaret Holt, who also did more than their share.

Anyone who missed the march 28-30 Oysterfest, but would like to contribute to the Fulton street sign fund, may do so by mailing their contribution to The Town of Fulton, P.O. Box 1130, Fulton, Texas 78358.

The signs are in, and will be put up as soon as the pipes to put them on are delivered.

What'sCookin'

BREAKFAST

Tuesday, April 8
Apple juice, sausage links, cinnamon toast, milk.

Wednesday, April 9
Grape juice, assorted cereals, milk.

Thursday, April 10
Orange half, waffles, syrup, broiled bacon, milk.

Friday, April 11
Orange juice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

LUNCH

Chicken - fried steaks, gravy, mashed potatoes, carrot salad, bread, gingerbread with orange glaze, milk.

Wednesday, April 9
Sausage Pizza, ranch-style beans, tossed green salad, bread, fruit bars, milk.

Thursday, April 10
Baked turkey, gravy, cornbread dressing, seasoned green beans, hot rolls, butter, fruit, milk.

Friday, April 11
Tuna salad, French-fried potatoes, buttered mixed vegetables, bread, apple crisp, milk.

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

Nan Jackson Chosen Outstanding Teacher

Miss Nan Jackson, daughter of Mrs. James B. Jackson and the late Jim Jackson, was recently chosen as the recipient of the Outstanding High School Biology Teacher Award in Texas for 1979-80. She is a teacher at Stroman High School in Victoria.

Dr. Millicent Goldschmidt, Director of the State Committee, informed Miss Jackson of her award. The award will be presented at the State Science Teachers Convention in El Paso in November.

Miss Jackson is a graduate of Rockport-Fulton High School, and received her B.S. degree from Texas Tech and her M.S. from the University of Houston.

Miss Jackson's name will be forwarded to the National Association of Biology Teachers for competition with other teachers across the United States.

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SUNDAY FUN PAGE

ALEX IN WONDERLAND

by Bob Cordray

"Sam stopped looking at television ages ago, but he still loves to turn off the commercials."

Only one oyster egg in four million will reach maturity.

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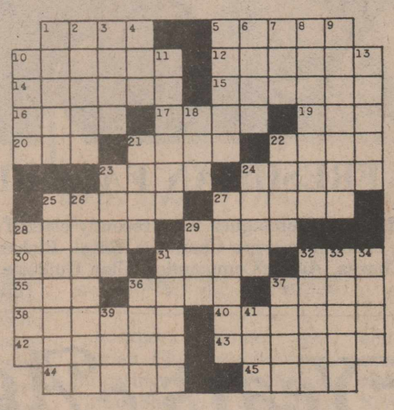

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12. Wood sorrel
14. Come out of the shell
15. Tropical fruit
16. — off, repel
17. Caprice
19. Converged
20. Child
21. Son of Adam
22. Piece of furniture
23. Bundle binder
24. Got nutrition from: 2 wds.
25. Poltergeist
27. Act like a poltroon
28. Dismantle
29. Tribe
30. Man's name
31. Speak bitterly (against)
32. Apex
35. Pithy remark
36. Chess piece
37. Demented: slang
38. Shirt fastener
40. Contribute (money): 2 wds.
42. Sick
43. Plain-looking
44. Shabby
45. On one's guard

DOWN

1. Jewel-box item
2. Proxy
3. Noble's title
4. Visibility reducer
5. Bird
6. Student's woe
7. Preserve
8. Topped with ice cream: 3 wds.
9. Yearn to have: 2 wds.
10. "Ditched"
11. New Jersey city
13. Fallen angel
18. Secreted
21. Place of confinement
22. Stitched
23. Invent, as a phrase
24. Filly
25. Missouri city: 2 wds.
26. Chatter
27. Embrace: slang
28. Latin dance
29. Crow's cry
31. Tall and thin
32. Drunkard
33. Frigidly
34. Small horse
36. No place for a "big fish"
37. Peru's capital
39. Knot securely
41. In what manner?

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Geriatrix by Paul Norris & Lyle Swigart

Nearly a quarter of all restaurant orders are for hamburgers.

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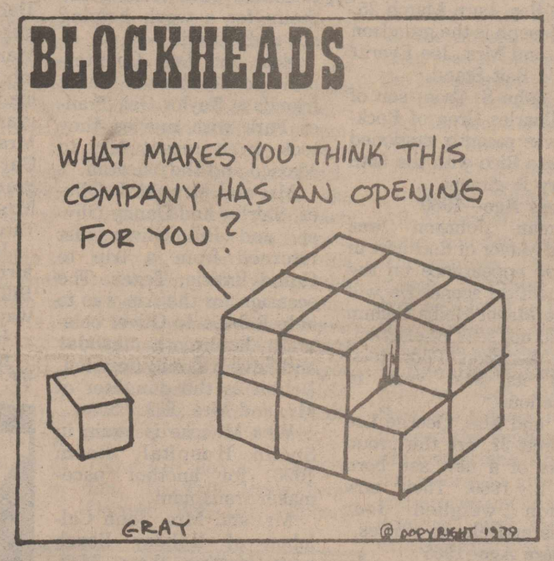
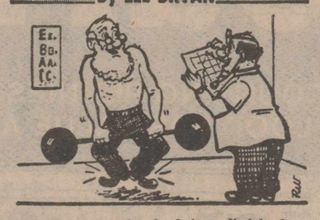




The doctor, who had just finished an elderly man's annual check-up, said with a laugh, "Well, old timer, I can't seem to find a thing wrong with you, but I recommend that you give up half your love life."

After a long pause, during which the patient appeared to be in very deep thought, he replied, "Doctor, which half do you recommend I give up, thinking about it—or talking about it?"

A proud parent called up the newspaper and reported the birth of twins. The girl at the desk didn't quite catch the message over the phone.

"Will you repeat that?" she asked.

"Not if I can help it," was the reply.

"Which way to the post office, boy?"

"I don't know."

"You don't know much, do you?"

"No, but I ain't lost."

The salesman was stranded at a desolate farmhouse during a bad storm. He asked the farmer if he could put him up for the night. The farmer scratched his head.

"The only way would be for you to sleep with the red-headed school teacher."

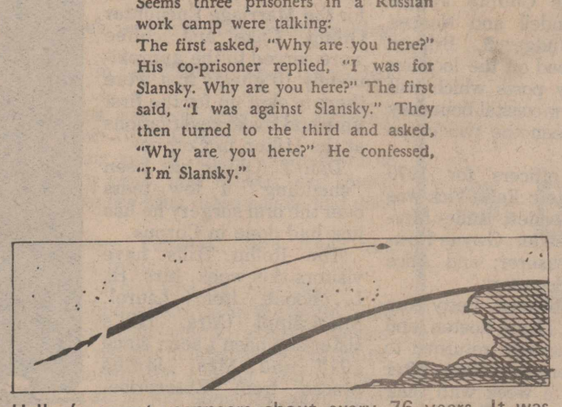
The salesman was indignant and replied. "I'll have you understand, I'm a gentleman." The farmer smiled, "So is the school teacher."

THE GOOD OLE' U.S.A.

While commenting on the international political mud-slinging these past months, a friend of ours back from occupation duty in Germany thought this story would give us pause to be a bit happier we're in the States despite the victor.

Seems three prisoners in a Russian work camp were talking:

The first asked, "Why are you here?" His co-prisoner replied, "I was for Slansky. Why are you here?" The first said, "I was against Slansky." They then turned to the third and asked, "Why are you here?" He confessed, "I'm Slansky."



Halley's comet reappears about every 76 years. It was last seen in 1910.

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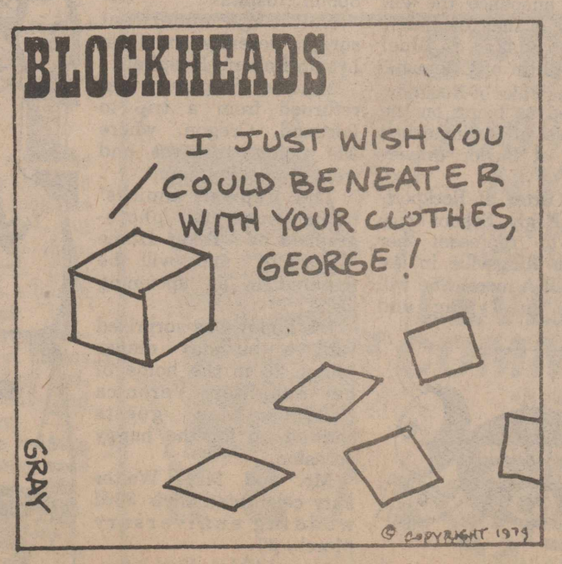

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Here's some history you can really chew on.

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