

Along The Waterfront



Frazier Cantrell reports Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mosher and two children of Austin caught two gafftops and 178 trout; the same party got 161 trout the following day. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Foster of Austin caught nine kings.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mosher and their children fished again and caught 98 trout, one jack and one gafftop. Mr. and Mrs. Spire, Austin, caught 53 trout. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mosher and children, fishing for the fourth time, caught 205 trout, making a total of 644 fish on the four trips.

Buck Armintrout reported Babs Dellona and sons, Bill and Jerry, of Austin as catching 167 trout.

Good Luck Pier catches have been unusually good. H. E. Wrieder and son of Pasadena had a red and seven trout—largest two and one-half pounds. T. J. Reynolds, R. Boubel and H. Dreiss of San Antonio took home a 10-pound drum, 135 trout and several rat reds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Newberry of Dallas strung up 20 trout. The Bill O'Brien party of Waco had 28 fine trout.

Failed to get name of the couple with three large gafftop and 10 smaller ones, but the largest weighed three and one-half pounds.

Out at Port Bay the Turners say:

S. Ellison and Gladney Hening, fishing again last Wednesday evening, caught nine nice trout and three drum.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Taylor and Bob Kilpatrick of Ingleside, 15 trout.

Holden Knight of Kenedy and Bob Thruston from Sinton, three big reds.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Colgrove with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Caraway, all from Decatur, Texas, didn't do so good, only got a few little ones.

Cecil Shipp of Rockport and Dub Bowman from Corpus Christi came in Friday and said they did not have any luck but V. C. Hodges of Sinton came in half an hour later with a big string of trout.

Ross G. Geruggs from Corpus Christi and Roy Lee Whitney got 15 nice trout, weighing two and two and one-half pounds each.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie McBryde and their daughter, Heormine, got 16 trout, all nice size, with one three and one-half pound one in the bunch.

Ernest Wolfshobl of Sinton and Reuben Borth from Somerset brought in only five trout, but they weighed about two pounds each.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Pieper of Yorktown, fishing Sunday night and Monday morning, 1 trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Joyner from Aransas Pass, three trout, one and one-half pounds each.

M. T. Rogers and party of San Antonio, camping and fishing two days, got around 50 pounds of trout and reds.

Guy Tanksley brought Mr. and Mrs. Sanford, their daughter, Susie, and her friend, Judy Frandob, all of San Antonio, only got a few little trout, while E. D. Nix of Ingleside, fishing at the same time, came in at the same time, brought in 11 big trout one and one-half pounds to three and one-half pounds. He broke his rod and had to come in.

Bob Davis of Cuero, 19 trout.

R. J. Taylor and Sue and Bobby Taylor along with Blacky Pryor of Rockport, five trout.

Joe Kovacs and Stanley Waits, fishing three evenings for sheephead and drum, brought in 30 pounds one time, 15 pounds the next and 20 pounds the last.

Hu Johnson on the Mary Lou reports:

Mr. Monroe Nunn and party, (Continued on page 8)

WEATHER

	Bar.	rain	wind	temp.
Aug. 1	30.04	0	4	90
Aug. 2	30.02	t	1	92
Aug. 3	29.95	0	10	90
Aug. 4	29.92	0	10	89
Aug. 5	29.88	0	1	90
Aug. 6	29.89	.19	1	76

C of C Hears Talks On Zoning, Postal Survey and Police

T. E. Griffith, Civil Engineer of Aransas Pass, and a member of that city's zoning board, spoke to the directors of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night on some of the advantages of zoning.

He described the methods whereby a home rule city can obtain a zoning board and a board of adjustment, and told of some of the difficulties that Aransas Pass had encountered in setting up their present zoning ordinance.

However, he said, the ordinance and its enforcement had pleased the majority of people in Aransas Pass and they were living with it.

The planning and zoning board is appointed by the city council, Griffith said, and the term is for three years. The board of adjustment serves for two years he said.

He pointed out that one of the chief uses of a proper zoning ordinance is to control land use within a city or municipality, and by setting standards to insure that real estate values are sustained. Proper zoning, he said, could also make it easier to obtain real estate loans.

He said that the zoning ordinance had also proved its worth in controlling house trailers in residential areas, and in preventing construction of business or industrial projects within residential districts, with a consequent drop in values.

When Aransas Pass went into the matter of zoning, Griffith told the directors, the city hired Bill Anderson of Corpus Christi, an expert in such matter, who had aided in setting up zoning in cities like Beeville and others in the Coastal Bend. He strongly recommended that if zoning is ever undertaken here that Rockport do likewise, getting an outside expert, rather than trying to set up zones locally.

In other business directors discussed the possibility of police protection in the city.

It was brought out that only through city policemen and a corporation court could we hope to gain any relief from petty pilfering and small burglaries, as well as traffic violations that have become so big a nuisance.

Directors deplored the fact that the city council had not dealt with this problem before now and said that this was a matter of prime importance to the community. One pointed out that unless the city did something about the lack of law protection within the city limits, it would be practically impossible to control petty law breaking and that it will hurt the economic development of this area.

Pilferage in the yacht basin, speeding, vandalism, and similar nuisances are all on the upswing, directors were told.

Directors concerned with the mail survey also reported, and it was decided to extend this further, in order to gain as true a picture as possible. However, Mrs. Mary Juergens said, by far the greater part of those contacted on the survey were in favor of home mail delivery.

Asked to do something about stray dogs, the Chamber directors pointed out that this is city business to enforce the ordinance already on the books.

Steputes Fined In County Court

Paul E. Steputes was arraigned before Aransas County Judge John D. Wendell Monday, charged with driving while intoxicated and driving on the left side of the highway. The DWI charge was dismissed and Steputes was fined \$50 and costs on a plea of guilty to the other charge.

In the case of E. C. McDaniel, charged with negligently driving and operating a motor vehicle, trial was set for Aug. 18, at 9:30 a. m., and a jury called to hear the case.

CURB AND GUTTER AVAILABLE ON SIDE STREETS

Curbs and gutters are available on side streets leading off Austin, if people whose property fronts on this street are willing to pay the running price of \$1.75, State Resident Engineer M. G. Yoes of Corpus Christi said Monday.

Those people wishing these improvements should contact the contractor, Eidenfels Brothers, now working on Loop 70, and make their own arrangements, Yoes said.

County Hires Expert Witness For Boundary Suit

Aransas County Commissioners, in preparation for the legal battle anticipated in September, when this county's suit against Nueces comes to trial, voted at their regular meeting to employ J. Stuart Broyles, Houston, as an expert engineering witness, to aid County Surveyor James A. Jarboe and the county's lawyers in presentation of evidence which they hope will prove that a substantial portion of Mustang and Harbor belong to Aransas County.

The claim rests on what Aransas County claims is a misinterpretation of wording in the statutes setting up the dividing line between the two counties.

In other business to come before the Court, commissioners were informed by a letter from Director Joe Nelson, of the State Board of County and District Road Indebtedness, that the county's share of surplus funds would amount to \$6534.45 on August 31. The commissioners, after considerable discussion, directed Judge John D. Wendell to ask for the return of these funds to the county, where they will be used for construction of lateral roads.

The commissioners also instructed County Auditor Millikin to draw a warrant for \$10,031.13, interest included, to the First National Bank, this money to be used for retirement of the 1946 issue of road bonds.

From the road bond interest and sinking fund, the airport fund purchased \$16,309.38 in U. S. Treasury bonds, and \$3170.83 in Stephen County bonds, making a total of \$19,480.21. Millikin was directed to make the necessary exchange of funds to complete the transaction.

Commissioner Sparks then moved that the balance of the road bond interest and sinking fund be transferred to the road and bridge fund, to be used for purchase of necessary right-of-way for widening Highway 35 between Copano Causeway and the Refugio County line. This motion was carried unanimously.

Band Practice Scheduled By Director Randow

Joe Randow, director of the Aransas County High School Pirate band, has set up a stiff schedule of practice starting August 18, in order to be ready for the start of school and the football season.

The band will be drilled on the music and marching formations to be used during the coming football season, Randow said, and rehearsals will be divided between marching and playing.

All rehearsals will start at 7 a. m. and last for three hours on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 18-20, and on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of the following week, August 24-27.

The band is scheduled to take part in the Aransas Pass Shrimp-O-Ree for the first time, and will march in that parade on Sept. 5. Uniforms were issued to seniors, juniors, sophomores and freshmen at the high school on Wednesday, while seventh and eighth grade uniforms are being issued today.

VFW Auxiliary Essay Contest Begins Aug. 1

The opening of its 25th annual National High School Essay Contest has been announced by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The topic will be "Civil Defense—An American Tradition."

Students in all public, private and parochial high schools are eligible to enter the contest. National prizes are: First, \$1,000 cash; second, \$500; third, \$250; and fourth, \$100; plus 20 cash honorable mention awards. In addition, the federal Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization will award a \$100 U. S. Savings Bond to the first-place winner in each state. State and local contest winners also receive additional Auxiliary awards which vary with the community.

The essay contest was started by the V.F.W. Auxiliary in 1935 to encourage young people to think and write on patriotic subjects. During the last school year more than 35,000 students from all 50 states and the District of Columbia entered the national contest. Dr. Shane MacCarthy, director of the President's Council on Youth Fitness, was chairman of the national judges.

Boat Taxation Schedule Now In Effect

Members of the Aransas County Independent School Board have recently received a schedule of the manner in which boats in the district will be assessed. The schedule was prepared by Thomas Y. Pickett and Son, who prepared like schedules for other districts, the most recent being at Port Isabel.

The problem of boat taxation has long been a bone of contention in coastal areas of the state, as many boat owners have paid few or no taxes of any sort—except for the exceedingly nominal license fee demanded from shrimpers, which might be likened to an occupation tax—and have contributed practically nothing to city, county, school and navigation district taxes, through levies on their vessels.

Not only property owners taxed on homes and businesses, but oil companies and industries have objected vigorously against increased taxation unless all potential sources were equally taxed.

These protests, according to school board members, cost the School District over \$1.2 million (Continued on page 8)

Highway 35 To Be Widened Engineer Says

According to M. G. Yoes, resident engineer of the State Highway Department in Corpus Christi, bids will be let in Austin on Aug. 18 and 19 for widening of Highway 35 from the intersection of Liberty Street and Loop 70 south to Aransas Pass.

The work will include construction of shoulders eight feet wide on each side and topping with a two and a half inch layer of asphalt, to give a total highway width of 42 feet, similar to that between Rockport and Copano Causeway.

Mr. Yoes says that the work should start about September 15, and that it will probably be completed before the first of the year, barring bad weather.

On Loop 70, the Highway 35 business route through Rockport, Yoes said that the contractors, Heidenfels Brothers, had started pouring curbs and gutters in the south end of town and were pouring at the rate of about 1000 feet a day. He estimated that about another 45 days would be required to complete this part of the work.

Following the curbs and gutters, the road base must still be prepared and topped, but he estimated that the entire project would be completed before Thanksgiving, if no bad luck occurs to hold up the work.

North of Copano Causeway, he said, Aransas and Refugio Counties are acquiring rights-of-way for widening of Highway 35 to tie into work done in Calhoun County, and reaching south almost to the Seadrift-Victoria junction. Bids on this will be taken some time in 1960, he said.

Marine Laboratory Releases Redheaded Shrimp in Copano Bay

Several thousand red-stained shrimp are being released in Copano Bay by the Marine Laboratory in a study to learn more about the growth and movement of local white shrimp populations. The shrimp have been injected with a red stain which collects and remains in the gills, thus making a large red area in both sides of the lower rear part of the head.

The releases of these shrimp will be completed prior to the opening of the bay shrimping season on Aug. 15. Anyone finding red-stained shrimp in his catch is asked to report each find to the Marine Laboratory. The information desired by the biologists is when and where the shrimp was caught. Containers of preservative will be furnished bay shrimpers in the area.

The shrimp are graded for size before they are stained, and those released are of a uniform size. These marked shrimp will serve as indicators by which the biologists hope to follow the movements of the school.

The stained shrimp should not be confused with some white shrimp which have natural flecks of red in their heads. Posters with color drawings of the marked shrimp will be displayed locally.

First Game Here With Palacios Sharks

The opening game played by the Aransas County Hi School Pirates is scheduled for September 4, and will be here with the Palacios Sharks.

On Sept. 11, the Pirates will play the Aransas Pass Panthers there; Sept. 18 there is a game with Bloomington in their stadium.

The next two are home games, with Flour Bluff on Sept. 25, and with Calallen on Oct. 2. The game with Bishop, on Oct. 9, will be played at Bishop.

First 31A game of the year will be played in Pirate Stadium on Oct. 16, when Gregory-Portland Wildcats will be the opposing team. The following week, Oct. 30, the Pirates will tangle with Woodsboro Eagles in their own nest.

Nov. 6 is an open date for the Pirates, and they play their fourth conference game on Nov. 13, when they tangle with the Mathis Pirates in the final game of the season.

The Junior Varsity schedule is Aransas Pass here, Sept. 10; Sept. 17, open; Aransas Pass there, Sept. 24; Taft here, Oct. 1; Bishop there Oct. 8; Flour Bluff here, Oct. 15; Mathis there, Oct. 22; Gregory-Portland there Oct. 29; Woodsboro, Nov. 5, here; and Taft there Nov. 12.

Junior high games are: Aransas Pass here Sept. 17; Flour Bluff there, Sept. 24; Calallen, Oct. 1, there; Bishop here, Oct. 8; Gregory-Portland there, Oct. 15; Ingleside here, Oct. 22; Woodsboro here, Oct. 29; Nov. 5, open; Mathis there, Nov. 12.

Near Drowning Averted Monday

Walter Buzzini III, of 114 Gatewood, San Antonio, and his crew of three aboard his boat El Pescador, saved four other San Antonio people from almost certain death Monday as a sudden squall capsize their small outboard so quickly that they were thrown into Aransas Bay without warning.

Lee Stivers, 59, and his 21-year-old son, Bruce, of 7204 Seidel; Douglas Fleming, 46, and 16-year-old daughter, Kathy, of 902 Sutton Drive, were headed for shore after a morning's fishing when a sudden wind and rough water flipped their boat, and only the fact that they were able to hang on to the craft for the next hour, until Buzzini rescued them, averted a tragedy.

"The life preservers floated away, and anyhow it all happened so quickly that there wasn't any chance to grab one," said Fleming, an account executive with WOAI, San Antonio.

"My daughter, Kathy, said, 'Daddy, we're going down,' and none of us thought we'd make it. Only the mercy of God flipped that boat so that it floated instead of sinking and saved us. We floated from about 11:45 a. m. until about 1 p. m. We were so low in the water that no one saw us and of course no one heard us either."

"Then we saw this boat and we shouted and waved and one of the ladies saw us. Buzzini said that he thought we were a crew of men working on some submerged object, and that it wasn't until he got his binoculars on us that he saw Kathy waving her big hat, and realized that we were in trouble. The party had almost decided to quit fishing and go in, then changed their minds and headed for a spot they had been fishing earlier. If it hadn't been for that, they wouldn't have seen us either."

Stivers, who is with the San Antonio insurance firm of Catto and Catto, suffered the most from strain and exposure, but none of the group had to be hospitalized, or suffered more than passing effects. The fact that the water was warm helped all of them.

The two families had left San Antonio last Friday to spend some time at the bay. Fleming and his family returned to San Antonio Monday evening; the Stivers will be here until August 16. The Buzzinis have a summer home here and keep their boat, El Pescador, in one of the Aransas County Navigation District's basins.

BUDDY BOY SAVED BY FIRE DEPARTMENT

The boat Buddy Boy, on the ways at Rockport Yacht and Supply, caught fire Tuesday, presumably from welding sparks, and only prompt action by the Rockport Fire Department saved the vessel.

United Fund Drive Starts Saturday

Business and Professional Solicitation

To Start Saturday, August 8, With

Individual Solicitation on August 15

The Aransas County United Fund will get underway Saturday, Aug. 8, and solicitors began calling upon business houses and professional establishments. House to house solicitation will commence the following Saturday, Aug. 15, according to Campaign Chairman George Dickey.

The drive will run for two full weeks this year, instead of a single day as in the past, in order that volunteers may have time to contact everyone in the territory assigned to them.

Goal for this year is approximately \$11,000, divided among sixteen agencies, most of which expend a large part of the funds they receive in this area.

The success of the drive will depend largely on the work of the volunteer solicitors, Dickey says, and he is making a strong appeal to all civic and church organizations, as well as to those agencies which obtain funds from the drive to cooperate in furnishing the large number of these that will be needed.

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A luncheon, contributed by Mrs. Charles Roe, Sr., will be given the second week of the drive, on Aug. 15, at the Woman's Club, for the solicitors who will contact individuals and families not reached by the business and professional solicitations. At that time, the campaign manager said, volunteers will be thoroughly briefed and will receive cards showing who they shall call upon, and their solicitors' kits.

A departure from other years is that merchants and others who have contributed will be given cards or decals for their windows showing that they have participated.

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Outstanding Program Scheduled for Next Woman's Club Meeting

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The Board of Directors will meet at 2:30 p. m.

The program chairman, Mrs. Ted Giese, will introduce the guest speaker of the month, Miss Margaret Cash.

Miss Cash, who has spent the past two years teaching in England and Italy, and also speak on other countries she visited while in Europe.

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NAVIGATION BOARD PETITIONED BY LOCAL RESIDENTS

At the regular meeting of the Aransas County Navigation District Wednesday night, A. L. Reed proposed an electric fountain for the turn-around on the new beach, the cost to be raised by popular subscription. The board took the matter under advisement.

The following petition, signed by some 430 names, was presented by V. A. Dullye, J. D. Griggs, G. D. Johnson, James Kautz, James Hunt and C. H. Waggoner:

"We, the undersigned resident, taxpaying citizens of Aransas County Navigation District No. 1 hereby protest the proposed leasing by the Navigation District to private individuals of any portion of the newly made land in connection with Phase 1 of the Little Bay project on the grounds that the improvements were supposed to have been for 100% public use, and that by leasing any portion thereof to private individuals who are given exclusive use of the leased premises, diminishes the public use that much; exceptions to be made for recreational and/or amusement purposes where the same are not competitive with businesses on privately owned property."

"Such use as is proposed according to the Rockport Pilot will be competitive with the owners of businesses on privately owned land who voted the bond issue."

Harbormaster Jordan Weber was instructed to extend the fence on the waterfront, dividing the children's beach from the rest, to the edge of the bay, to prevent cars from endangering the youngsters on that beach.



Sing a song of Savings!

ROE'S

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY, AUG. 7 and 8



First Choice
Detergent 59c

Northern
NAPKINS box 10c

Kraft's
Velveeta lb. box 49c

First Choice
Pork & Beans 3 For 25c



PET EVAPORATED MILK
2 tall 25c

Fresh Lean and Meaty — Just Right for Bar-B-Q

Pork Ribs . . . lb. 35c

Finest Quality
MEATS

CHUCK ROAST lb. 49c

Fresh Ground All Meat

HAMBURGER

2 Lbs. 89c



Fresh Pork Liver . . lb. 19c

Light Crust
FLOUR
5 lb. box 39c

46 oz.
HI-C ORANGE . 29c
Libby's Tomato
JUICE . . 3 for 35c
Comstock
PIE APPLES . . 23c
Libby's
Fruit Cocktail . 25c

Good Veal
Crown Roast, lb. 55c
Longhorn
CHEESE . . lb. 49c
Rath's Blackhawk
BACON . . lb. 55c
Good Veal
Brisket Stew, lb. 35c
Rath's Blackhawk
FRANKS . . lb. 49c
Cedar Farm, Thick
BACON . 2 lbs. 85c

Scot
TISSUE . 2 for 25c
Northern
Jumbo Towels . 29c

Sunshine Orbit
COOKIES . pkg. 33c
Renown Whole
GREEN BEANS . 19c
Del Monte
PEAS 17c
First Choice
TOMATOES, 2 for 25c

Maxwell
House
Coffee
lb. can 65c

First Choice
OLEO
lb. 15c
MARYLAND
CLUB . lb. 69c
ADMIRATION, lb. 65c
SUGAR . 5 lbs. 51c
McCormick
Black Pepper . 27c

Garden Fresh
Vegetables

Thompson White
SEEDLESS GRAPES . . lb. 16c
Bartlett
TOMATOES 2 lbs. 25c
No. 1 Long White
PEARS 2 lbs. 29c
POTATOES . . . 10 lb. bag 55c

Sing a song of Savings
First Choice
Shortening 3 lb. can 69c
Winslow All Green
Asparagus No. 1 can 19c
Kraft's
Apple Jelly 10 oz. 15c

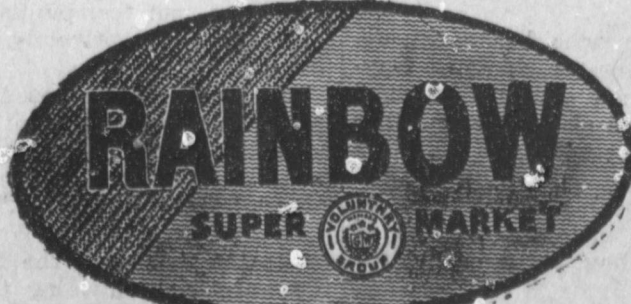
First Choice with Snaps
Blackeyes . 2 for 25c
Hormel Vienna
SAUSAGE, 2 for 43c
Sea Glory, Grated
TUNA 19c
Jif
Peanut Butter . 55c

Giant Box
TIDE
69c

Bar-T-Ranch Elberta
PEACHES
No. 2 1/2 can 25c
STA-FLO, 1/2 gal. 47c
MR. CLEAN . . 65c
COMET . 2 for 31c
Six Months
WAX . . . qt. 99c

Quick, Convenient
Frozen Foods

Libby's Whole
BABY OKRA 10 oz. 23c
Libby's
STRAWBERRIES . . . box 25c
Booth's
BREADED SHRIMP . . box 59c
Harris, All Flavors
ICE CREAM 3 qts. 1.00
Valley Gold
MELLORINE . . . 1/2 gal. 49c



CRISCO 3 lbs. 83c

DOG FOOD

Scottie
5c

We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantity

WEST'S

Week-End Specials

We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantity

COCA COLA
6 for 25c

plus deposit

29c size
FRITOS 25c

Hunt's
Tomato Juice . 46 oz. can 29c

Hunt's
Fruit Cocktail . 300 can 23c

Winslow, 300 can
ASPARAGUS, Cut 26c

Jiffy White
Cake Mix 10c

Fresh Killed

FRYERS Lb. **29^c**

Samuel's Loose
FRANKS lb. 39c

Longhorn
CHEESE 49c

Salt
JOWLS lb. 19c

Fresh Ground
HAMBURGER . . . lb. 49c

Armour's Star Heavy Beef
CHUCK ROAST . . .lb. 53c

Northern Fed
Pork First Cut 49c
Chops Center Cut 69c

Samuel's Mohawk
BACON, 2 lb. thick slice 89c

Big Tex
BACON, 1 lb. pack . . . 45c

Samuel's Mohawk
Sugar Cured Whole or Shank Half lb. 45^c
HAMS Center Slices lb. 89^c

Armour's Star Yearling pound
LAMB SHOULDER . . . 39c
LEG OF LAMB 59c
LAMB CHOPS 69c
LAMB RIBS 29c

Fresh Vegetables

California Long White
POTATOES . . . 10 lbs. 49c

California Bartlett
PEARS lb. 15c

Sunkist
LEMONS 6 for 15c
AVOCADOS each 10c

Frozen Food

Tree Sweet
LEMONADE 10c

Tree Sweet, 6 oz.
ORANGE JUICE . 2 for 45c

Spare Time Pot Pies
Chicken or Turkey . . . 19c

Glacier Club

Ice Cream

3 qts. For **\$1.00**

Starlite 3 lb. can
SHORTENING 65c

Roegelien's
PURE LARD, 3 lb. ctn. 45c

SUGAR

5 Pound Bag

Limit 1 with \$5.00 Order
Otherwise — 49c

39^c

Van Camp — No. 2 can
PORK & BEANS . 2 for 37c

CRISCO . . . 3 lb. can 85c

Philadelphia
Cream Cheese, 3 oz. pack 10c

Heinz, Sweet
PICKLES 25 oz. 36c

Grade A Medium, Caged
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Fr. G. J. O'Doherty, Pastor
Masses: Monday, Tuesday, 7 a.m.; Wednesday, 5 p.m.; Thursday, 11:30 a.m.; Friday and Saturday, 7 a.m. Friday night Novena devotions at 7 p.m. Confessions, Saturdays from 4:30 to 6 and 7 to 8 p.m. Vigil before Holy Days and Thursdays before First Fridays, 4:30 to 6 p.m. Sunday Masses, 7 and 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C. Wilson Brumley, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Training Union, 6:30 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.; Sunday School workers meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Women meet every Monday.
Monday: 4 p.m., YWA 7:30 p.m. BWC, Tuesday, 9:30 a.m.; S.B. and WMS, 8:15 p.m.; SB and WMS, 4:30 p.m.; Int. GA, Wednesday, 4 p.m.; Jr. GA.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

FULTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Eulon Mills
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service, 11 a.m.; Training Union, 7 p.m.; evening service, 8 p.m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

M. R. Crawford, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45; Preaching service, 11 o'clock; Evening Evangelistic service, 7:30; Week night service Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Senior Young People and Pioneer Young People, 6:00 p.m.; Deacon's meeting, third Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Men of the Church, first Thursday of each month, 6:30 p.m.; All Circles meet second Thursday morning at 9:30 a.m., afternoon at 3:00 p.m. Evening at 7:30 p.m.; Session meeting second Thursday at 7:30 p.m.; Women of the Church, fourth Thursday at 8:00 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. A. H. Bankert, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:30; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; Methodist Men, 2nd Thursday, 7:30; WSCS, general meeting, 1st Thursday, 8 p.m. The Wesleyan Service Guild First Methodist will meet regularly each second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. MYF, Sunday, at 6:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHAPEL

Mission of First Baptist Church
Rev. Buford Harris, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45; preaching service, 10:15 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Sunday prayer service, 6:30 to 7:00 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

Aransas Pass
Sunday services, 11 a.m. Wednesday evening service, 8:00. All are welcome.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Aransas Pass
Rev. George A. Civey, Pastor
Bible school, 9:45; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

OF GOD
Rev. L. C. Barnett, Pastor
1 block north of Joe's Trailer Park
Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Night Service, 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Young People's Service, Saturday, 7:30 p.m.

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HISTORY

of
Rockport, Fulton,
St. Mary's, Lamar
and El Copano

By
Mrs. Will W. Wood

At daylight on August 12, Austin and his companions were advised that the Mexican war for independence had been formally and successfully ended. At that hour the party was in camp within a few hours ride of the ancient capital of Bexar. At noon of the same day they entered that dreamy old town. After several days sojourn in San Antonio, Dr. Hewetson left the Austin party and went on to Mexico. There he established himself in the mining, manufacturing and mercantile businesses at Saltillo and Monclova and soon became a naturalized citizen. His success was rapid. He shortly married a wealthy Mexican widow, and became an influential figure in Coahuiltecan governmental circles. Thus the foundation of the Refugio Colony was in the making.

Under the terms of his concession, Austin had the privilege of selecting the site for his colony in any part of Texas he might desire. Not only was he given this privilege, but he was accorded every aid and assistance which was within the power of the provincial officials to bestow.

Accordingly, Austin, in company with friends, and piloted by guides supplied by the officials, left Bexar on August 21 to explore the coastal section for the purpose of selecting the site for his colony. Present day Refugio County narrowly missed becoming part of the first American Colony, and parts of the original Refugio County were actually explored and trod by the Father of Texas.

The empresario contracts of Coahuila and Texas with James Power and Dr. James Hewetson of June 11, 1828, and March, 1829, are directly involved in our history, and the resultant Irish Colony of Refugio forms an important and glamorous part of our basic history. The others which have historical connection with the area are of: Stephen F. Austin, Martin de Leon, of 1823, 1825 and 1828; Drs. James Grant and John Charles Beales, 1832; and Dr. John Cameron (Cameron and Power), 1827 and 1828.

Some of Austin's colonists came into Texas through Copano Ports, as did many of DeWitt's colonists in 1828 and 1829. Virtually all of the McMullen and McGloin Irish Colonists landed at Port El Copano in 1828, 1829 and 1830 before taking up their San Patricio-Nueces empresa. The Beale and Grant colony in 1833 is important to the area, since the landing was made by El Copano and the first sounding chart was made of Copano Bay by Captain Munroe, who brought the colony in the

Schooner Amos Wright. Also among the colonists were Francis Welder and his sons, John and Thomas, who in 1836 returned to this area, and founded the great cattle ranches of the Welder family.

Martin de Leon's colony adjoined the Power and Hewetson colony on the east, the DeWitt colony on the south, and Austin's first colony on the west. Don Martin, as the records prove, was a disagreeable neighbor to all of his adjoining empresarios and their colonists. De Leon, from all accounts, was a cultured, aristocratic old grandee, who had many fine points of character. However, his detestation of Americans, which he made no effort to conceal, and his opposition to nordic colonies in which he was outspoken led him to do many deeds which were petty and spiteful, and sometimes violent.

De Leon's enjoyed the distinction of having been the only colony composed of Mexicans to have been established after Texas had been opened to general colonization.

In order to strengthen the position of the Powers and Hewetson application, James Powers became a naturalized Mexican citizen on February 6, 1829. The application was beset with opposition from other colonists, as well as De Leon, which resulted in countless delays which left the contemplated colonization plan in constant doubt. While marking time until the status of the contract was determined, the empresarios, on December 24, 1829, purchased direct from the State government twenty-two leagues of land, to be located within the limits of their concession. Up to this time, James Power

remained a bachelor. He now contemplated matrimony, and with this in view, selected as the location of one of these leagues Live Oak Point, on Live Oak peninsula, one of the most beautiful spots in Texas. On this spot, which was known as Rincon de Cera, he proposed building a home for himself and his bride-to-be. In July 1831, he married Dolores Portilla, daughter of Captain Felipe Roque de la Portilla, in San Patricio. The date of the completion of the house on Live Oak Point, the principal home of the Power family, is obscure; however, James Power, Jr., was born there on April 14, 1833.

The colony was not all Irish, and certainly not made up of persons all immigrating directly from Ireland. The colony was made up of many Mexican settlers and certain Nordics, some of whom had come to Texas to join the colony or some other colony, and were waiting until the empresarios got their difficulties adjusted.

(Continued next week)

SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE TO VISIT ROCKPORT

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be at the Courthouse in Rockport on Thursday, Aug. 13, 1959, at 9 a.m. You may obtain information about your rights and duties under the Social Security Act. Eligible persons can secure assistance in applying for old-age, survivors, or disability insurance payments from the representative at that time.

The milk production of a cow is reduced more rapidly by too little water than by anything else.

Mrs. Tom Miller, who has been here at her summer home on Live Oak Point, was called back to Austin on Wednesday to be with her mother, Mrs. Wallace Miller, who had broken her hip in a fall.

J. D. Gray, school superintendent, was in Oklahoma last week, to drive his family back to Rockport after their vacation.

Mrs. James C. Herring has returned from an extended visit with her son David Herring and family in Caracas, Venezuela.

BAYVIEW HOSPITAL NEWS

Jerry Lassiter, accident, admitted July 30.
Pauline Chupe, medical, admitted Aug. 3.
Glenn Mundine, surgery, admitted Aug. 5.
Mrs. Louise Relay, surgery, admitted Aug. 5.
Elena Garcia, medical, admitted Aug. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson were in San Antonio last week where Mr. Johnson attended the fall gift and holiday show of the San Antonio Drug Co.

Mrs. Bob Morrison and sons, Rusty and Ricky, Marilyn and Barbara Morrison are visiting Mrs. Morrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hanes in Wink, Texas, this week.

Mrs. Roy Hinton, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Herring and two daughters of Corpus Christi, spent last week at the O. J. Hinton summer home on Lake Travis, near Austin.

Troy D. Ray and wife of Woodsboro; Mrs. Nick Rexroad and son of Denver, Colo., were weekend guests in the John Ray home.

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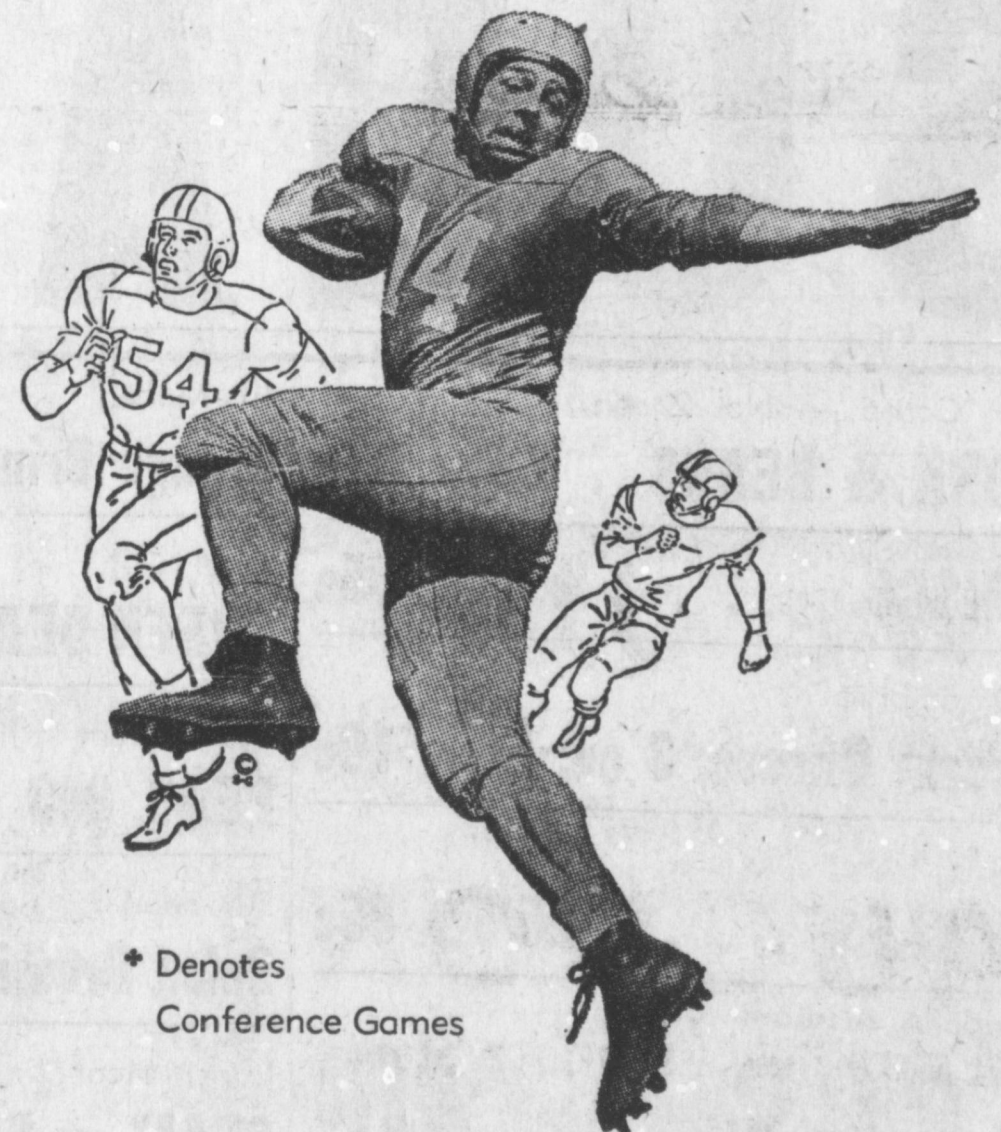
ARANSAS COUNTY PIRATES

Football Schedule--1959

Varsity

Sept. 4---Palacios	Here
Sept. 11---Aransas Pass . . .	There
Sept. 18---Bloomington . . .	There
Sept. 25---Flour Bluff . . .	Here
Oct. 2---Calallen	Here
Oct. 9---Bishop	There
Oct. 16---Gregory-Portland* .	Here
Oct. 23---Ingleside*	There
Oct. 30---Woodsboro* . . .	There
Nov. 6---Open	
Nov. 13---Mathis*	Here

Playing Time--8:00 p. m.



* Denotes
Conference Games

Junior Varsity

Sept. 10---Aransas Pass . . .	Here
Sept. 17---Open	
Sept. 24---Aransas Pass . . .	There
Oct. 1---Taft	Here
Oct. 8---Bishop	There
Oct. 15---Flour Bluff	Here
Oct. 22---Mathis	There
Oct. 29---Gregory-Portland . .	There
Nov. 5---Woodsboro	Here
Nov. 12---Taft	There

Junior High

Sept. 10---Open	
Sept. 17---Aransas Pass . . .	Here
Sept. 24---Flour Bluff	There
Oct. 1---Calallen	There
Oct. 8---Bishop	Here
Oct. 15---Gregory-Portland . .	There
Oct. 22---Ingleside	Here
Oct. 29---Woodsboro	Here
Nov. 5---Open	
Nov. 12---Mathis	There

Playing Time--7:30 p. m.

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MRS. BRUHL HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. A. L. Bruhl was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club this week at the Silver Derrick, with four tables of players. A dessert course was served.

High score was won by Mrs. Fred B. Hunt; Mrs. J. H. Mills, Sr., was second; and Mrs. Fred Christilles was third.

Members and guests attending were Mrs. Arthur Bracht, Mrs. Fred A. Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Miss Mabel Bracht, Mrs. Charles Cleveland, Mrs. Arthur R. Curry, Mrs. Fred Christilles, Mrs. J. V. Ferguson, Mrs. Fred B. Hunt, Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mrs. C. F. Rozzell, Mrs. J. H. Mills, Sr., Mrs. Charles T. Picton, Mrs. Joe H. Slocum, Mrs. E. W. Means, and Mrs. A. B. Vogt of Boerne.

Mrs. S. F. Jackson and Mrs. Jack Hagar were dessert guests.

MRS. BACHMAN HAS DOUBLE-FOUR CLUB

The Double-four Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. A. L. Bachman on Wednesday afternoon. The hostess won high score; Mrs. C. H. Whiteley was second.

Members and guests present were Miss Winona McFall, Mrs. Frank O. Lenoir, Mrs. C. O. Lutz, Mrs. William Natt Sanders, Mrs. H. J. Templeton, Mrs. C. H. Whiteley and Mrs. H. Paul Stewart.

MRS. ROY HINTON HONORS MRS. W. B. BARNHILL

Mrs. Roy Hinton was hostess for a barbecue party Wednesday noon, in the backyard of her home, given in honor of Mrs. W. B. Barnhill.

The table was laid with a multi-colored cloth of checked gingham. The centerpiece was an antique Mexican bread tray filled with magnolia leaves and fruit. Barbecued chicken, with all the trimmings, was served.

Guests attending, besides the honoree, were Mrs. A. C. Glass, Mrs. William Natt Sanders, Mrs. John A. Cox, Mrs. E. T. White, Mrs. N. E. Boughton, and Mrs. Rae Glass Smith.

It was announced last night that about 30 local delegates will attend a regional convention of Jehovah's Witnesses in Corpus Christi, Texas, Aug. 20 to 23. The convention is sponsored by the Watchtower Society, legal corporation for Jehovah's Witnesses. It is primarily for delegates from Texas and southern Louisiana, but will attract Jehovah's Witnesses from 15 states and four foreign countries.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Roatan attended the 13th annual fall gift and holiday show of the San Antonio Drug Co. held last week in San Antonio.

TROOP 49 HOLDS COURT OF HONOR

Two boys received their Star Scout Badges; three received their First Class Scout; two achieved the rank of Second Class Scouts; and eight Tenderfoot badges were awarded at the Court of Honor held by Troop 49 Monday in the First Presbyterian Church.

And 11 members of the troop were awarded no less than 29 merit badges and eight service pins at the same court, over which Scoutmaster Louis Tuer presided.

The boys and their awards were as follows:

Steve Russell, star scout, and merit badges in swimming, canoeing, citizenship in the home, scholarship and a one-year service pin.

N. F. Jackson, star scout, and merit badges in canoeing, scholarship, life saving, firemanship, and a two-year service pin.

Billy Wilson, first class scout, swimming, and a one-year service pin.

Hugh Morrison, first class scout, swimming, canoeing, scholarship and a one-year service pin.

Tim McGlamery, first class scout, a canoeing merit badge, and a one-year service pin.

Roy Allen Rogers, second class scout.

Butch Begnaud, second class scout.

Jimmy Seawright, Jack Hargrove, Jack Gwynn, Billy Joe Truelove, Richard Rinche, Jerry Lynn Hill, Jerry Krosgaard and Larry E. Nelson, Jr., all received their tenderfoot badges.

Gary Tuer received merit badges for swimming, canoeing, basketball, citizenship in the home, farm records and bookkeeping, and a two-year service pin.

Andy Everett was awarded merit badges in nature, canoeing, athletics, lifesaving, and a one-year service pin.

Billy Ormand, badges in swimming, canoeing, athletics, and a one-year service pin.

Tommy Barkley, swimming and rowing; Danny Kresta and Ronny Valdez, badges in rowing.

The court opened with the presentation of the colors, and the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

The Reverend A. H. Bankert, pastor of the First Methodist Church, offered the invocation.

Awards were presented by Scoutmaster Louis Tuer, Committee Chairman Dr. H. F. Elliot, Explorer Leader Cecil Gray, and merit badge counselors Pat Greene, Terry Leary, and Ellie L. Clark.

After the presentation of awards, Scoutmaster Tuer showed a moving picture of some of the troop's activities.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Tuer and Mrs. Eugene Everett.

Mrs. Arlo H. Hansen Entertains at Bridge

Mrs. Arlo H. Hansen was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club this week at her home in Palm Village.

Mrs. J. D. Griggs won high honors and the grand slam prize; Mrs. M. H. Borchert, Mrs. George E. Dickey, Mrs. Homer V. Faber, Mrs. J. D. Griggs, Mrs. Earle Thomas, Mrs. Seth H. Steele, and Mrs. Harry L. Mills.

MRS. MARY MYRTLE BRUNDRETT DIED JULY 30

Mrs. Mary Myrtle Brundrett, 78, died at 12:05 p. m. Thursday, July 30, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lura Kenerly, Rockport.

Brundrett had been ill a long time. A resident of Ingleside since 1947, she moved there from San Benito. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Ingleside.

Surviving are one son, Carl C. Brundrett of Ingleside; two sisters, Mrs. Kenerly and Mrs. Tom Tippins of Voice, Okla.; one brother, Dr. Edgar Sparks of San Antonio, five grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were at 3 p. m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church, Ingleside, with the Rev. Duward Hazzard, pastor of Central Baptist Church, Ingleside, officiating. Burial was in Rockport Cemetery.

Cage-Marshall Funeral Home of Aransas Pass was in charge of arrangements.

MR. BEETLEY COMES UP WITH ROUGH OKRA

Mr. Willy Beetley, after reading a story last week in the Pilot about Perry Zapantis' garden, stopped this reporter and asked him if he'd ever seen any vine okra. This okra, he said, wasn't slick when cooked.

Having had considerable experience with the common or garden variety of this vegetable, which ordinarily is slicker than a banana peel and axle grease combined, we told him we'd like to take a gander at the sort he was talking about.

He turned up with a pod about seven or eight inches long, ribbed, without the rough feel that ordinary okra has, and said it was guaranteed not to turn slimy while cooking. However, our zeal for research on the slickness of okra was not so great that we cooked it. We're going to have to take Uncle Willie's word for it.

LOUIS KUTSCHKE ON LOOKOUT FOR FLOATS FOR SHRIMP-O-REE

Louis Kutschke of Aransas Butane Gas Company is on the lookout for Rockport people or firms who want to enter floats or bathing beauties in the Annual Aransas Pass Shrimp-O-Ree, which will be held September 4-6 this year.

Anyone having a float, old automobile, bathing beauty, or other parade decoration, should get in touch with him at once.

MR. AND MRS. HILYARD PURCHASE HOME IN LITTLE BAY SHORES

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hilyard, formerly of Decatur, Ill., have purchased a home in Little Bay Shores from Mr. and Mrs. James L. Smith. The sale was handled by Mrs. R. B. Sipe.

Mr. Hilyard has been with the Illinois Power Co. for over 40 years and resigned his position of assistant vice president in order to move to Texas. He was then named manager, atomic research and in this capacity will continue to follow up on the atomic research work he had been doing. He will do some traveling from Illinois Central after moving to Rockport.

Rebekah Doings

On Thursday, July 23, Mrs. J. W. Scott, vice-grand, presided at the meeting.

The committee of the month gave a game party after the regular business was transacted. Fritos, potato chips, Coke and coffee were served.

Mrs. John Rorke, a former member of this lodge, from Spring, Texas, was a guest.

Mrs. Nora Casey, noble grand, was in the chair at the regular meeting July 30.

Preceding the meeting, at 7 p. m., the lodge members, their families and friends, enjoyed an old fashioned ice cream supper.

The five lodges of District 56 will have a joint meeting at the I. O. O. F. hall in Rockport tonight.

DRUM MAJOR, TWIRLERS, TO HUNTSVILLE

Four girls from Rockport, drum major and twirlers of the Aransas County High School Pirate band, will leave Rockport Sunday for Sam Houston State Teachers' College Twirling School, which runs from August 10-14. They are Robby Bocquet, drum major, and twirlers Carla Eller, Pat Webb and DeRema LeFevre. Band director Joe Randow will accompany them Sunday and return for them at the end of the week.

PEDRO G. LOPEZ DIED WEDNESDAY, JULY 5

Funeral services for Pedro G. Lopez, 59, were at 4:30 p. m. Friday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with burial in Rockport Cemetery.

Lopez died Wednesday, July 5, at his home. He had been a resident here ten years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Guadalupe Lopez; four sons, Jose Lopez of Kenosha, Wis., Gilbert Flores of Eagle Pass; Manuel Flores and Valentine Flores, both of Rockport; three daughters, Mrs. George Nava, Jr., Mrs. Pete Ramirez and Mrs. Ramon I. Dominguez, all of Rockport; three sisters, and 26 grandchildren.

Cage-Marshall Funeral Home of Rockport was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Mary Juergens will leave Wednesday morning for Dallas, and will be back in her office at the Chamber of Commerce on the following Monday. During Mrs. Juergens' absence, Mrs. J. W. Ingersoll will be in the office.

WHARF PERMIT SOUGHT AT BAYSIDE

Jack Robbins of 132 East View, San Antonio, has asked the U. S. Engineers for permission to build a wharf offshore from his Copano Bay property, about 2 1/2 miles northeast of Bayside.

The 4x1000 foot wharf is to have a 12x20 foot T-head, with an elevation of four feet above mean low tide.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Huffman of Farmington, N. M., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Doris Jean, to Don R. Prior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Prior of Durango. Miss Huffman graduated from Durango High School in 1957 and attended college for two years at Texas Woman's University at Denton, Texas. She is also a member of the Order of Rainbow for girls.

Don Prior graduated from Durango High School in 1957 also, and attended Fort Lewis Junior College in Durango, Colorado. Both plan to attend college in the fall. Wedding plans are indefinite.

HOWARD LEE SPEAKER AT ROTARY LUNCHEON

Pat Greene presented Howard Lee as guest speaker at the Rotary luncheon Wednesday. Visiting Rotarians were W. H. Daly, Palestine; Dr. J. W. Crutcher, Mineral Wells, who had as his guest H. E. Menger, San Antonio; Judge John Miller, Sinton; A. C. Vandervoort, Fort Worth; Tom W. Bradfield, Austin; Pat Mehaffey, Fort Worth; Carey Pitts, aKty; and W. B. Rumpf, Ingleside.

John Lee and Albert Bissett, grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett, from Bay City, returned home after spending a two-weeks' vacation with their grandparents in Rockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dick Picton and family have returned from Hendersonville, North Carolina, where they have been vacationing with members of Mrs. Picton's family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Despain were guests in the John Ray home a few days last week.

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In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., beginning on Thursday, the 6th day of August, 1959, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Aransas County Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined, for taxable purposes, for the year 1959, and any and all persons interested or having business with said board are hereby notified to be present.

DONE BY THE ORDER OF
THE BOARD OF EQUALIZA-
TION of Aransas County Independent School District, Aransas County, Texas, at Rockport, Texas, this 21st day of July, A. D., 1959,
SHELLEY P. ROATEN,
Secretary

Aransas County Independent
School District. c18

PIER AND BASIN PERMIT SOUGHT

E. N. Adams of St. Charles Bay Cottages has asked for an engineering permit to construct a bulkhead and a wharf, dredge an area and maintain an existing bulkhead at the above location. The 4 by 370-foot wharf would extend from the northerly corner of an existing bulkhead and would have a top elevation of five feet at mean low tide. The bulkhead would extend northerly from the wharf for a distance of 185 feet, approximately parallel to and a maximum of 85 feet bayward from the shore line. A 140 by 370-foot basin would be dredged to a depth of five feet at mean low tide, parallel to and extending 140 feet southerly from the proposed wharf. The dredged material would be placed shoreward from the bulkhead.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Trustees of Aransas County Independent School District will hold a public hearing to consider the proposed budget for the school year 1959-1960 at 7:30 p. m., August 11th, 1959, at the Administration Building, Rockport, Texas.

Shelley P. Roaten, Secretary
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Houstonian Visits Rockport In Model Sidewheel Steamer

After a two-day voyage from Seabrook, one of the strangest craft to make this port in many a year tied up here recently—a 40-foot model of a side-wheel steamer, complete with stacks, bell and whistle and designed and built by C. H. Coffield, of Houston.

The Texas Queen, flaunting the Stars and Stripes from her stern, made a brave show as Captain Ronald C. Inman brought her into the dock where she lay until the owner and guests from Houston boarded her for the voyage to Port Aransas where they spent the Fourth of July holidays.

Forty feet long and with eighteen and a half feet of beam, the Queen presented a lot of problems in her building and navigation, according to Inman, who helped with her construction, which took three years. He has been in command ever since.

The vessel is Coffield's dream and is patterned after the old river steamer Laura to a certain extent. However Inman said, because internal combustion engines were used instead of the old time steam engines, some extremely complex mechanics had to be worked out before the Texas Queen was launched.

"Mr. Coffield knew what he wanted," the captain said, "and he spent a lot of time planning the boat and designing the motive power. One of the biggest headaches was the fact that with the old steam engines, steam was elastic, and acted as a buffer against the shock of the paddle wheels hitting the water. When we first tried with the twin Grays that we have as motive power, we had lots of trouble because the shafts would crystallize and break."

"Mr. Coffield finally came up with the arrangement that we have now. We take off from the two engines with a couple of fork-lift rear ends, translate this power to a sprocket with a slip clutch and from the sprocket a chain drive leads to the shafts of the paddles on a 48-to-1 reduction."

Translated into miles an hour, Inman said, this power drives the Queen at about 10 miles an hour, and it took him two days to make the run from Lakewood Yacht Club

to Rockport, including the night he tide up at Freeport.

The Texas Queen is designed for comfort. Forward there is the master cabin, which will sleep four, although seldom called upon to do so. The after cabin and lounge is fitted with a divan, tables and chairs, designed from old pictures of river steamer furniture, and made from mahogany and a fiber glass nymph, made by a sculptor in Monterrey, decorates the forward bulkhead of this compartment.

The pilot house is all mahogany and glass, with an excellent view all around and with a ship-to-shore, five-band, short wave radio for easy communication. There is also a fathometer, although Inman said the vessel can run in 30 inches of water without discomfort.

A destroyer's bull horn and an old whistle from a river steamer are air-operated, as is the brass bell from an old time locomotive, and it takes an 18-cubic-foot air compressor to handle all three of them. There is a six-ton air conditioning unit and a 5000 watt Onan generator, which furnishes the needed electric power. Water and air are carried in the two high red stacks with crenellated tops.

The crowning touch is the pair of American eagles on the housings over the paddle wheels. Each of these weighs a hundred and fifty pounds, because they are of solid bronze. They are the work of the same sculptor who originated the nymph, and in their claws are a pair of ladies that weigh 60 pounds apiece, being, like the eagles, of bronze.

No fishing is allowed from the Texas Queen, which can handle 20 guests at a time, and she always flies the Confederate flag, the Stars and Bars from her stern, a mark by which she can be easily spotted.

TEXAS REHABILITATION CENTER HOLDS REUNION

GONZALES—Former patients of the Texas Rehabilitation Center of Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation who reside in the Aransas County area are invited to attend the third annual reunion of former patients Sunday, Aug. 23, at the Center.

As far as officials of the Foundation know, this is the only hospital in the United States which holds reunions for its former patients.

New Books in County Library

Adult Fiction:
Robert Penn Warren—At Heaven's Gate
Elliot West—Man Running
Adult Non-Fiction:
John W. Honea—Night Fishing in Texas
Ananias Twist—Snide Light on Texas History
Evreett Lloyd—Law West of the Pecos
Walter F. McCaleb—Mier Expedition
Ambrose Bierce—Devil's Dictionary
Stephenson and Young—Discovering Mexican Cooking
Kenneth Chasey—Camping Digest
Lane and Montgomery—Navigation the Easy Way
Carl D. Lane—How to Sail
Raymond L. Ditmars—Field Book of North American Snakes

Teens:

Book of Missiles
Marooned on Mars—science fiction
Friday the Arapaho Indian
Dan Morgan, Rifleman
Boys' Book of Magnetism
Juvenile:
Captain Kangaroo and His Animal Friends
What Horse Is It?
What Wildflower Is It?
Eskimo Store
Brave Little Indian
Elihu the Musical Gnu
Funny Squirrel

Bridal Shower Honors Betty Mae Armstrong

Miss Mary Martha Shivers and Miss Mary Lucille Jackson were co-hostesses Monday afternoon, at the home of the latter's grandmother, Mrs. S. F. Jackson, for a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Betty Mae Armstrong, bride-elect of Daniel Ray Adams.

Miss Jerry Armstrong, sister of the honoree, registered the guests.

The table was laid in white satin damask, and featured, as its centerpiece, a pink umbrella festooned with pink satin ribbons holding tiny nosegays of pink flowers. Two glittering pink bells hung from the umbrella, and piled beneath it were miniature gaily decorated packages symbolic of the bridal shower. A flanking arrangement of whipped pink tapers in crystal holders completed the decorations.

The hostesses served pink petit fours, decorated with white sugar roses, from crystal trays at one end of the table, and green sherbet punch, from a crystal bowl, at the other.

Thirty-five guests attended.

Allen Finnell New Salvation Army Man Here

Refugio, San Patricio, Aransas and Nueces counties are among the 16 of which Allen Finnell, new Salvation Army service unit field officer, will be supervisor. Finnell opened district offices in McAllen Aug. 3.

The new Salvation Army official has for 16 years been a leader in Boy Scout and Salvation Army work, while manager of the Edna and Pharr chambers of commerce and assistant at McAllen. He speaks fluent Spanish, having served as director of a Tampico, Mexico, school for four years. Finnell is a former Rotary president at Edna and served as a director and house journal editor for Texas Chamber of Commerce managers.

SCIENTISTS VISIT MRS. JACK HAGAR

Dr. Daniel R. Pfoutz, head of the Technology Department of Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh Pa. and Dr. Samuel S. McConaghey, head of the Technical Libraries of Toledo, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hagar last weekend. They were accompanied by Mrs. Pfoutz and Don M. Triplehorn of Toledo.

While in Rockport, they accompanied Mrs. Hagar, nationally known authority in ornithology, on an expedition to study the bird and plant life of the area.

CHURCH OF CHRIST HAS MANY VISITORS

According to Pastor N. E. Hicks, the local Church of Christ has had many visitors recently. They included Mrs. Estelle McGrew, Yoakum; Mrs. Annie Wulff, Sinton; K. W. Abraham, Point Comfort; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Reeder, Robstown; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fine and Gayle, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Frazier and family, Belton; Miss Charlotte Richmond, Corpus Christi; Don Bryan, Corpus Christi.

COACHES AT FORT WORTH

Rockport coaches are at Fort Worth this week to attend the annual Texas High School Coaches' Association School. They are Melvin Borchert, Dave Segler, Pat Smith and Weldon Hicks.

Last event of the coaching school calendar is the annual North-South All-Star football game Friday at 8 p. m. The North-South basketball game is scheduled Thursday at 8 p. m.

The South team will be coached by Darrell Tully of Spring Branch. Ellwood Turner of Sweetwater is the North team coach.

Among the outstanding lecturers scheduled to speak are Abe Martin, TCU football coach, and Paul Ditzel, LSU coach.

175 Attend Benefit Brunch

One hundred and seventy-five people attended the annual Benefit Brunch given by the Grounds Committee of St. Peter's Episcopal Church Sunday morning on the lawn at Windyside, home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cochran, on Live Oak Point.

The committee, composed of Mrs. Cochran, Mrs. W. C. Stevenson and James H. Sorenson, Jr., was assisted by Mrs. Willie N. Meigs, Mrs. John Sutherland, and Mrs. W. M. Blevins. The Misses Sandra Spencer, June Knippa and Pamela Stivers aided in serving. The guest register included visitors from Rockport, Fulton, Aransas Pass, Corpus Christi, Mathis, Sinton, San Antonio, Austin, Houston, and Boston, Massachusetts.

Mrs. Jack Horton, president of the local Wesleyan Service Guild, will represent the First Methodist Church organization at the Wesleyan Service Guild Weekend, to be held at Mount Wesley, near Kerrville, on August 8-9.

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Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by law are available at the office of M. G. Yoes, Resident Engineer, Corpus Christi, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. c19

Library Circulation High During July

According to County Librarian Mrs. C. C. Atchley, 1199 books were circulated during July, 133 of them being borrowed in one three and one-half hour period.

New books purchased during the past week include "The Stars, a New Way to See Them," by H. A. Key and "Holy Barbarians," by Lawrence Lipton, for adults.

Teen books are "Jennifer," by Zoa Sherburne, and two books by Rosamund Du Jardin, "Practically Seventeen" and "Man for Marcy." Juvenile additions are "Real Book About Real Crafts" and "All About Volcanoes and Earthquakes."

Mrs. Verle Harris Writes Letter to Friends in Area

Mrs. Verle Harris, wife of the recently transferred AC&W Commander Major Verle Harris, took time while en route to their new assignment to write friends here, through the medium of the Pilot. Her letter follows:

Monday, July 27

To all our friends in Rockport and Fulton, Major Harris and myself regret we were unable to personally say goodbye to you all. We tried but just didn't have the time. Every one of you made our stay in Rockport a pleasure and a time in our lives that we won't ever forget. May we all see each other again some day.

Our trip to North Dakota by way of Ogden, Utah, has been a lovely, cool and safe one so far. In Ogden we enjoyed the rodeo, square dancing in the street and the parade which was all part of Utah's annual celebration for Pioneer Days.

The celebration is in commemoration of the Mormons' trek across the plains and their arrival in Salt Lake valley with Brigham Young. As we all belong to the Church of the Latter Day Saints, more familiarly known as Mormons we enjoyed being in Utah at this particular time.

We are just leaving beautiful Yellowstone Park today after several days of sight-seeing and fishing. It was the highlights of our trip on the way to our new home. Goodbye to you all,

Sincerely,

Major and Mrs. Verle Harris
Pamela Rae and
Alfred Verle

Mr. and Mrs. Willie N. Meigs will leave this weekend for Cuernavaca and other points in the interior of Mexico, where they will spend an extended vacation.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Junior League

July 28—Braves 26, Cardinals 5; winning pitcher, I. Hernandez; home run, Andy Everett, Braves. Cubs 10, Giants 7; winning pitcher, Davis; home run, J. Anders, Cubs. July 31—Cubs 11, Indians 10; winning pitcher, Boone. Braves 9, Dodgers 3; winning pitcher, A. Everett.

The Braves and the Cubs are tied for first place with the Dodgers close behind for third place.

Top Ten Batting Averages (10 games or more)

J. Anders	571
B. Arispe	529
A. Everett	529
M. Webb	473
D. Webb	466
L. Nelson	450
G. Lopez	437
C. Flores	434
J. Parker	433
B. Davis	413

Big League

July 30—Bombers 13, Red Sox 4; winning pitcher, Lugo. Orioles 11, Dodgers 8; winning pitcher, Iles.

The Orioles are ahead with seven games won with the Bombers running second with 5½ games won.

Top Ten Batting Averages (8 or more games)

M. Galindo	545
C. Atchley	500
O. Gibson	400
M. Lugo	400
L. White	391
L. Iles	391
J. Jackson	363
B. Hare	333
G. Garcia	333
D. McCabe	315

August 1: In the first game the All-Stars tied the Manager 6 to 6. The Managers beat the All-Stars in the second game 6 to 5. Commandments for Little League Parents

1. I shall not criticize the umpire unless ready to assume his duties.
2. I shall set an example of sportsmanship for my son to follow.
3. I shall remember that only nine boys can play at one time.
4. I shall remember all managers, officers, ladies are volunteers.
5. I shall not complain about anyone unless I have labored more hours on the Little League program than they have!

Anybody Know Anything About This Girl Friend?

Mrs. Mary Juergens, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, gets all sorts of requests from all sorts of people, and recently she received one from a man in Austin, William Cx Hancock, whose address is P.O. Box 220, and who really spells his middle name this way. Cx says:

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing in assembling factual material concerning the life and career of the fabulous Ranger Captain John R. Hughes.

Possibly you are acquainted with the fact that the only important woman in his life was a Rockport girl who died before the betrothed could be married, and was buried in the Rockport cemetery.

Descendants of the Hughes clan inform me that the girl's Christian name was Anne but no one seems to remember her cognomen.

It will be much appreciated if you will supply me with the girl's full name. In case you lack this information perhaps the editor of your local newspaper can supply same.

I am enclosing a self-addressed envelope for your convenience in replying.

Very truly yours,

Wm. Cx Hancock

Now, Mary wants to know, does anyone know anything about Captain Hughes girl friend? If they do, she says, and will tell her about it, she will see that Cx gets the news. Or they can write him themselves.

Mrs. DeWilton Jeffries and children, Kerry, John Michael, Jennifer and Janette returned to their home in Houston after spending the weekend with Mrs. Jeffries' mother, Mrs. Charles T. Picton.

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Rockport School Of Fine Arts Gets Letters from Students

Simon G. Michael, director of the Rockport School of Fine Arts, received letters this past week from students who attended earlier classes in this summer's session.

One of them was from Mrs. Verle Harris, who, with Major Verle Harris and their family, recently left here for assignment on a SAGE project in North Dakota. On their way to their new home, the Harrises visited relatives and friends in Utah, and their daughter, Pamela, entered some of the paintings that she had done here in the 14th Annual Open Air Exhibit of the Palette Club of Ogden. Her mother's letter follows:

Hi, there, you all: I'm so thrilled and happy over this news that I don't know where to begin. One day at the beginning of the week I was reading the paper and it said that anyone in Weber County could enter their art work for the open air art show. Well, as this is Verle's legal address here in Ogden, we decided to enter Pamela's two small shrimp boat pictures you framed for us. And then she won third prize on the one called Lorraine C.!

Out of only six amateur prizes given, she won one! I never dreamed that she'd do anything like this, but did think they would at least be different than all the rest, and sure enough, not one other boat picture was shown.

We are sure happy that Pamela got to study under Mr. Michael, even for only such a short time. Pamela painted a small oil of her dead grandparents' home and all the aunts and uncles want it very much.

Mrs. Harris' letter goes on to say that they were leaving the next morning for Yellowstone Park, but as there is another letter in this same issue of the Pilot that tells about that part of the trip, we'll go on to the next epistle, this one from Albert Collier, well-known here, who painted with Michael this summer.

Albert says:

Dear Mike: First, must express my gratitude for the experience of working under your tutelage for even so brief a period as two weeks. From you I not only received inspiration but also a grasp of painting technicalities which I have been trying hard to learn for years. Greatest of all, my strong suspicion that in the arts lies the true meaning of man's part in creation found some solid ground.

Ever since my return to Galveston I have been working on backgrounds and otherwise finishing what was started at Rockport. Last night I tried a portrait of a friend who was good material and a co-operative model. The whole thing was finished in four hours, including clothing and background. . . . I am trying to produce at least one new picture a week, when working at the easel I have a feeling that at last I am in my proper element, if only I can continue to subject myself to your discipline.

Mrs. William C. Greene of Corpus Christi, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett, of Rockport.

Presbyterian News

Rockport parents are urged to register their four and one-half and five-year-old children for the 1959-60 term of the Presbyterian Kindergarten. Enrollment is limited, and those who register early stand the best chance of being included in the quota. Mrs. Charles Roe, Jr., will head this school for her second consecutive year.

There will be three summer camps held during the month of August. They are as follows:

8th grade camp, Camp Huaco, New Braunfels, Aug. 25-31, Richmond McKinney, Director.

9th grade camp, Camp Huaco, New Braunfels, Aug. 18-24, W. L. Ayers, Director.

10th grade camp, Camp Huaco, New Braunfels, Aug. 11-17, Bill Arnold, director.

Jimmy Jackson, Charles Atchley and Sue Eller are all registered to attend the tenth grade camp. If there are any others who would like to attend one of these camps, call the Presbyterian church office.

FIRST CHRISTIAN OF INGLESIDE HOLDS CHURCH DAY PICNIC HERE

The First Christian Church of Ingleside held its Annual Church Day outing at Rockport Beach last Sunday afternoon.

Approximately 100 people attended. Swimming was enjoyed during the afternoon, followed by a picnic supper on the beach. Afterwards church services were conducted by the Reverend C. D. McDowell of Corpus Christi.

SURPRISE PARTY GIVEN MR. AND MRS. GEORGE ROBBINS

Mr. and Mrs. George Robbins and daughter, Cynthia, were entertained at a surprise party Sunday night by members of the congregation of the Church of Christ. After worship, everyone met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clinton, where they were served cookies and punch.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbins were presented with an electric frying pan as a going away gift from the congregation as they are moving to Corpus Christi soon.

There were about 60 in attendance.

DR. AND MRS. L. G. WOOD HAVE GUESTS FROM DALLAS

Visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. G. Wood this week are Mrs. Wood's sister, Miss Louise Bane, and her brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Bane and daughter, Marilyn, all from Dallas.

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FOR SALE: 1/4 interest in Aeronca Champ airplane. Excellent shape. Phone SO 4-6121. ctf

FOR SALE: 17-ft. Cadillac hull, plastic canopy, tailored cockpit cover, all controls and accessories, 50 h.p. Johnson electric with brass wheel, two 12 gallon tanks, Mastercraft tipper trailer. Complete rig less than 4 months old. Reasonable. See at Fulton Lumber Co., inc. SO 4-6462. 43ctf

NOW AVAILABLE for this area: 2-bedroom homes, \$5,700; 3-bedroom homes, \$6,350. Built on your clear lot or suitable acreage. Small down payment. Our model home is open for your inspection. Located on Highway 35, near Crums Court in Port Lavaca. Boaz Building Co., Box 312, Phone Jackson 4-4978, Port Lavaca. c20

FOR SALE: Four lots and house. Second house north of Joe's Trailer Park on left. 15ctf

FOR SALE: Small grill, downtown Rockport. Doing excellent business. Miller Realty Co., phone SO 4-4673. 14ctf

FOR SALE: 1947 two-door Chevy sedan, rough motor, five good tires, battery, starter, generator, heater, etc., for \$60.00 Call or see F. C. Armintrout, phone SO 4-6245. c18

FOR SALE: 3-room furnished house. Small down payment, balance like rent, will finance. One block west of Billups Station. 19ctf

FOR SALE: Frederick floating air deep freeze, 6 ft. store box. \$700 box for \$275. Bell's Ice House, Goose Island Park, Road 13. p18

FOR SALE: 3-bedroom house, 3 months old, small equity. \$54.13 monthly payments. Tule Lake subdivision. Owner being transferred. Call SO 4-6370. p18

FOR SALE

Three-bedroom home, 2 baths, 3 lots, 2-car garage, close to schools. Terms—See to appreciate.

Three-bedroom homes, FHA commitments ready to build, Little Bay Shores No. 1. Buy now and select your colors.

Three-bedroom home—nice neighborhood, \$11,000.00, close to schools, terms.

Three-bedroom home, assume GI loan 4 1/2% interest, monthly payments, \$67.33.

Two-bedroom home, close to town, owner must sacrifice, \$5500.

Two-bedroom home, lots of trees, Tule Subdivision.

Two-bedroom home, lot 50x300, trees, garage. \$8000.00. This is an excellent buy.

Small home, furnished, two blocks from downtown Rockport. Owner leaving town.

FULTON

Two-bedroom home, large oak trees, lot 100'x125', desirable neighborhood.

Fulton beach, two-bedroom lodge, two baths, completely furnished, large trees, waterfront rights.

Tri-plex, owner will sacrifice, excellent neighborhood, good income property.

LOTS

Two lots, \$1400, will trade for car.

Waterfront lots with riparian rights, city water.

Shadyside Subdivision, close to schools.

Little Bay Shore subdivision. Tule subdivision, ideal for vacation cottage.

Sylvan Heights Addition, Fulton, restricted.

Five good business lots, Hi-way 35, Fulton.

Four good business lots, main street, Fulton.

For rent—Two-bedroom, completely furnished, washer and dryer, duplex apartment, private pier, beach, Fulton.

Listings appreciated

MILLER REALTY

Phone SO4-6473

Office Downtown

Rockport

FOR LEASE: New, modern, duplex, one bedroom unfurnished and two-bedroom unfurnished apartments, air conditioned and central heating. Surplus closet and storage, carport, nice neighborhood. Miller Realty Company, P. O. Box 696, Phone SO 4-6473. 32ctf

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 27-foot twin engine Chris Craft. SO 4-2402. c19

FOR SALE: 16-foot camping trailer, electric brakes and 7x8' lean-to. ABC Trailer Park. c18

Third Art School Session Starts

The third and last session of the summer school at the Rockport School of Fine Arts got under way with 11 students this week and a number of others slated to arrive next Monday.

From Berclair is Miss Vonelle Markussen; Miss Nancy Everett is from Beeville. Mrs. Kit Dinger is here from Los Altos, California; Mrs. Audrey Linebaugh and Miss Jeanne Davenport from Victoria; while Miss Linda Bayer is from Bloomington.

There are two from Bay City, Mrs. Ella Mielsch and Mrs. Ada Hurst; from Abilene are Mrs. Lola Brown and Mrs. Mary Louise Brown. The only Rockport student this session is Mrs. James A. Jarboe.

This session is devoted to landscape and marine painting, Director Simon G. Michael said.

FOR SALE

ROCKPORT
Bayfront house, three bedrooms, two baths, riparian rights, pier.

Two-bedroom house, only \$500 down.

New three-bedroom house. Easy terms.

New two-bedroom house, nice trees.

Two bedroom house, \$4,500. Terms.

Two-bedroom home on nice wooded corner lot 150x175 ft.

Camp house, \$2,000. Easy terms.

New two-bedroom house on 75x200 lot, good location. \$7,500, terms.

Nice house on two wooded lots.

Three-bedroom home, nice tract of land, Highway 35, suitable for any business. Terms.

Business building, downtown. Terms.

Business building with living quarters. Good location.

Two waterfront lots, riparian rights.

Lots of lots - \$300 each - Easy terms.

Tracts of land - acreage.

FULTON

Six lots near Fulton yacht basin. Ideal motel site.

Two-bedroom house, nice corner. View of bay.

Three-bedroom, two bath, double garage, nice corner.

Lots near school, \$750.

Business lots on Highway 35.

Large waterfront lots at Lamar, with riparian rights, nice trees.

COPANO

Waterfront lots with riparian rights, in new Copano Ridge Subdivision, \$1,500 each, terms.

Two-bedroom house, view of bay.

List your property with

MRS. R. B. SIPE

Phone SO 4-2603 Rockport

1/2 block north of Market Street on Highway 35

Rockport: 5-unit Court with

kitchenettes, lovely furniture, residence, close in, near water, good income, priced to sell.

Home, nicely furnished, 100' highway, with good income. Will accept lot in trade.

Ingleside: San Patricio Finest HOME, one acre, priced five thousand and under appraisal for quick sale.

Country home, 4 acres wooded, 230' frontage—can be developed. Only ten thousand dollars.

Etzel Hoffman

Ingleside, Texas.

Phone 91 P. O. Box 4

MISSIE MABEL AND GENEVIEVE BRACHT ENTERTAIN WITH COFFEE

The Misses Mabel and Genevieve Bracht entertained a few friends with a coffee at their home last Thursday morning.

The guests included Mrs. Roy Hinton, Mrs. A. C. Glass, Mrs. Rae Glass Smith, Mrs. Rob Sorenson, Mrs. N. E. Boughton, and the Misses Velma and Vivian Picton.

FOUR ROCKPORT STUDENTS ARE CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES AT A&I COLLEGE

KINGSVILLE—Four students from Aransas County are among candidates for degrees to be awarded at Texas A&I College's summer commencement exercise.

Those seeking master's degrees from Rockport are: Daphna Calvert Mitchell, Hazel S. Prophet, and Maria Vidaurri. Billy Charles White, from Aransas Pass, is a candidate for a Bachelor of Science degree in General Engineering.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Furnished house. Also unfurnished house. Furnished apartment, bills paid. Mrs. R. B. Sipe, phone SO 4-2603. ctf

FOR RENT: Adding machines, typewriters, cash registers by week or month. Thompson's, Hi-way 36 By-pass at Lamont St. Phone PL 8-3773, Aransas Pass. ctf

FOR RENT: Four five-room apartments, recently redecorated, all utilities paid. Rates reasonable. Clean, comfortable and cool. See J. C. Thompson at Thompson's Spa or phone SO 4-8550. 28ctf

FOR RENT OR LEASE: Air-conditioned, modern offices, next door to post office. Contact Leonard LeBlanc. SO 4-2463. ctf

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom house, unfurnished, in Fulton, \$50.00 month. SO 4-6369. ctf

SLEEPING ROOMS, private bath, air conditioned. Monthly or weekly rates. Phone SO 4-8536. 12ctf

ONE, TWO, THREE-ROOM apartments. Reasonable monthly rates or by week. Close in. Air conditioned. Completely furnished. Phone SO 4-8536. 19ctf

FOR RENT: Furnished cottage. Three rooms and bath. Downtown. \$60.00 per month, bills paid. SO4-2475. ctf

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, downtown. Bills paid, SO 4-2394. ctf

FOR RENT: Fulton, furnished duplex, living room, bedroom, kitchen, bath, carport, near water, bills paid. SO 4-2939. 17ctf

FOR RENT: Unfurnished two-bedroom house, Fulton. Mesquite and Sixth Street. p19

FOR RENT: Unfurnished five-room house; furnished two-bedroom house. SO 4-2143. p18

Rockport Survey Goes to Rockport, Missouri, for Story

A copy of Rockport's industrial survey went off this week to The Atchinson County Mail, of Rock Port, Missouri, from Mayor Hollis Collum who received the following communication:

Dear Sir:

I am writing a feature story for the above newspaper on all towns in the United States bearing the name Rockport.

Please send me data on size, main industry, agricultural methods, recreational facilities, educational facilities, any particular nationality in your town, number of businesses, landmarks, tourist attractions, how the town's name originated, who founded it, when, other historical data and any other information pertinent to the subject. Perhaps you may have a picture that would be of interest to our readers.

We will be happy to mail you an issue of our paper carrying the story on your city.

Expecting to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

R. Nicholas Peck

In case you wonder where Rock Port, Missouri, is, we don't know either.

ROES HAVE HOUSE GUESTS THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie DeForest of Houston are spending a week here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr.

Also house guests of the Roes this week are their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Brawley of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Band Director Gives Line-Up

Joe Randow, Director of the Pirate Band, after meeting with students Tuesday, gives the following line-up:

Flutes—June Knippa, DeRema LeFever, Carla Eller, Jeanie Diederich.

Clarinet—Pat Webb, Robbie Bocquet, Sandra Gardner, Mary K. Hattenbach, Mary K. Gray, Pat Weber, Ann Cassel, Patricia Townsend, Karen Goodsel, Jean Miller, Becky Rouquette, Sherry Brundrett.

Alto Clarinet—Suzanna Keith. Bass Clarinet—Annett Gardner. Alto Sax—Bonnie Johnson, Sue Johnson, Florence Casterline, William C. Thompson.

Tenor Sax—Margaret Pena. Cornet—Charles Crosby, Barney Reed, Linda Johnson, Gerald Van Etten, Mickey Gray, Diana Waggoner.

French Horn—Jack Ballou, Nan Jackson.

Sousaphone—George Corbett. Trombone—John Ballou, Robert Reed.

Drums—Dellon Beasley. Prospects are good, Randow says, but he still needs players in several categories.

WATERFRONT—

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New Braunfels, 116 trout.

Clifford Donahue and party, Tulsa, Okla., 82 trout.

Dain Higdon and Sherry Hill Baptist Church School Class of San Antonio, 132 trout.

Mr. Irwin Scott and party, San Antonio, 201 trout.

Mr. C. A. Brown and party, Oklahoma City, 71 trout.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Brigam and party, Richardson, Texas, 81 trout.

Mr. Ed. V. Lysay and party, Poth, Texas, 201 trout.

Mr. Edwin Mills and party, Gonzales, Texas, 173 trout.

Out at Rattlesnake Point Mrs. Faucett says, Duan Jackson and partner, Corpus Christi, caught 45 trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Cramer, Kenedy, 57 large trout; I. L. Sapp and E. E. Cook, San Antonio, six reds and 10 trout.

Fishing several days, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Britt, San Antonio, 214 trout; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Procknow, Rockport, 25 trout; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Byce, Luling, 60 trout.

Earl Burke, Curtis Lindeman, Max Quattlebaum, and Kenny and Ricky Roth, San Antonio, 84 trout.

W. W. King, A. S. Keith, and Frank Ross, San Antonio, 60 trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ploch, Pasadena, 15 trout, one weighing 6 1/2 pounds and one 5 pound red.

Richard Chestnut and D. H. Hayden