

| Weather Report |     |     |       |       |
|----------------|-----|-----|-------|-------|
| Date           | Hi. | Lo. | Prec. | Bar.  |
| Feb. 14        | 69  | 44  | .00   | 30.12 |
| Feb. 15        | 61  | 37  | .00   | 30.34 |
| Feb. 16        | 58  | 44  | .00   | 30.42 |
| Feb. 17        | 51  | 41  | .15   | 30.26 |
| Feb. 18        | 48  | 36  | .21   | 30.20 |
| Feb. 19        | 57  | 44  | .03   | 30.22 |
| Feb. 20        | 63  | 51  | .00   | 30.40 |

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## Council of Governments Reports On Projects for Local Area

The Coastal Bend Council of Governments will pursue two matters of special concern to Aransas County and Rockport in 1973. Bob Weaver, executive director of the CBCOG, and John Slmer, assistant executive director, met with Aransas County Commissioners and Rockport City Councilmen last week seeking direction in programs for the coming year.

## Big Brush Fire Is Extinguished

All volunteer firemen in the Rockport area worked feverishly for several hours the afternoon of Feb. 14 to put out a brush fire that reportedly started in the city dump, west of the city off FM 881, and spread eastward.

Firemen from the Rockport, Fulton, Lamar and Holiday Beach Volunteer Fire Departments rushed to the scene and were joined in their fire fighting efforts by members of the Aransas County Emergency Corps, the City Police Department, Sheriff's Department and State Department of Public Safety.

With all available fire trucks in use, the firemen waged a successful battle to finally extinguish all traces of the brush fire that several times threatened to engulf a number of homes and at one point was heading close to the area of Oak Terrace.

It was another fine example of the co-operative efforts of scores of local volunteer firemen and law enforcement officers pitching in and getting the job done.

## Insurance Co. Has New Office Building

A new office building for Glass, Sorenson and McDavid, local insurance agency, is nearing completion at Laurel and Austin Streets, across Laurel Street from the site on which the new First National Bank will be built.

Actually, the building is not really new, but it has been so completely renovated and remodeled that the only visible remnants of the original building are the windows and window frames. Every other inch of the original building, inside and outside, has been covered with new materials, according to Jack McDavid, partner of the firm.

The age of the original structure is indicated by the fact that during its remodeling it was discovered that square-cut nails were used in the original construction. It is known that the site once was owned by John H. Wood, Rockport pioneer and developer, McDavid said.

Outside of the building has been covered with white brick except the gables on which redwood has been used. The original wood shingle roof has been covered with gray composition shingles, and a colonial type front porch has been added.

The building is 35 by 28 feet and contains 1,038 square feet of floor space. Interior walls are finished in either walnut or pecky cypress paneling. Ceilings, which have been lowered two feet below the original ceilings, are of white acoustical tile. All floors will be covered with gold color carpeting. Windows are equipped with inside folding wood shutters, and early American hardware is used throughout.

The office reception room and work area is 19 by 26 feet, including an offset. McDavid's office is 13 by 14 feet and at the front of the building. Back of it is a combined bookkeeping and mail room. A paved parking area will surround the building.

Until the bank's new building is completed, the insurance agency will use its new building as an auxiliary office and will continue to operate in its present headquarters in the First National Bank building, McDavid said.

of solid waste in a manner that will meet federal and state requirements. A special problem exists, as soil does not permit use of a landfill. Environmental Engineer John Buckner on the COG staff was designated to work with officials to find a solution, possibly incineration, operated individually or as a joint city-county project.

Another concern expressed by officials is that the state plan does not show any proposed hospital beds in Aransas County in the future, designating hospitals in Aransas Pass and Refugio as providing for the Rockport area. The COG staff will endeavor to change this concept, seeking a revision of the state plan to provide hospital beds in Aransas County or some other means for facilities to be made available.

The activities of the COG

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## School Trustee Election April 7

The Board of Trustees of the Aransas County Independent School District has ordered that the annual trustee election be held on April 7 as prescribed by law, with two trustees to be elected.

The election will be held in the Junior High School Cafeteria between the hours of 8 a.m. and 7 p.m.

There is one trustee to be elected from the Rockport area, J. W. Hunt is the incumbent from that area and he has filed for re-election.

There is one trustee to be elected from the Fulton area, Francis M. Rouquette is the incumbent from that area and he, too, has filed for re-election.

J. H. Harrison has been appointed election judge. Mrs. Neva Jackson, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. Tony Dominguez and Mrs. Lois Mosler have been appointed election clerks. Mrs. Vernelle Porter has been appointed absentee voting clerk.

## Sandblasting Firm Adopts New Name

John Beasley announced this week that he and George Miller, formerly of San Antonio, have become associated in the business of corrosion control protection (sandblasting and coating), and the John Beasley Company will now be known as the George Miller Company. The company office is located at 1402 Young Street.

Beasley has been in the corrosion control business for 12 years and Miller has had 17 years of experience in the specialized type of work.

Miller formerly was with the Bexar Metropolitan Water District at San Antonio as supervisor of tank coatings. He is a member of the American Waterworks Association.



Attending the Civil Defense Directors' Seminar at Austin Feb. 6-8 were: Front row, (left to right) Charles W. Ehrhardt, Guadalupe County; Edward Hill, Austin-Travis County; Jack Forga, Monahans; Chief C. O. Layne, State Coordinator, Division of Defense and Disaster Relief, Austin; Herman C. Johnson, Rockport; George Filley, Victoria City-County; Jim Hodges, Refugio County.

Second row, (left to right) Kenneth D. Lawhon, Runnels County; Robert E. Mehaffey, Breckenridge; Christian Kagawa, Webster; Al Stewart, Paris; Parks Bowden, Deputy Coordinator, Division of Defense and Disaster Relief, Austin; Mattie Treadwell, DCPA Regional Field Officer, Denton; Gaines West, DCPA Regional Director of Field Operations, Denton.

Third row, (left to right) S. B. Hunt, Pecos-Reeves County; Johnny Morren, Eastland; E. F. Chappell, Refugio; Marvin D. Free, Waco-McLennan County.

## County Commissioners Vote To Keep Same Tax Rate As Last Year

At their Feb. 16 meeting, Aransas County Commissioners voted to set the tax rate at the same figure as last year.

The county tax rate is \$1.10 per \$100 valuation plus 10 cents per \$100 for Aransas County Navigation District.

The \$1.10 is arrived at on the following basis: \$0.02 for jury; \$0.30 for road and bridge; \$0.02 for road and bridge special (equipment fund); \$0.71 for general fund; and \$0.05 for mosquito control.

Attending the Commissioners Court meeting were County Judge John D. Wendell, County Commissioners Erle Eller, Wanda Sparks, Raymond Owens and Charlie Hale, and County Clerk Ruby Hart.

Other actions taken at the meeting included: A letter was read from Pete Martinez, Fire Chief of Aransas Pass, informing the court that cost of each fire outside the City of Aransas Pass would be increased from \$50 to \$75 per call. After due consideration the court unanimously agreed that this service be discontinued, and that the County Judge write a letter to the Aransas Pass Fire Department so informing them and thanking them for their past courtesies extended to the people of Aransas County.

The following monthly reports of fees collected were read and approved: Lawrence Miller, Justice of Peace Precinct No. 1; Roy Hinton, Justice of Peace Precinct No. 2; J. Paul Rogers, Justice of Peace Precinct No. 3; Dowell King, Constable Precinct No. 1; Ruby Hart, County Clerk; Agnes Harden, District Clerk; Robert Hewes, Sheriff; Margaret

Weber, Tax Assessor-Collector and Etoll Eller, County Treasurer.

The court unanimously approved the contract with Felton Carpenter Construction Company, low bidder, for revision of Sheriff Office, in the amount of \$14,995.

Came on for discussion the matter of charging a fee to dump trash in the County Dump Ground. After due consideration the matter was left pending until next court meeting.

## Picton Lumber Co. Sells to Bracht Lumber Company

The Charles T. Picton Lumber Company has announced that they have sold their entire inventory to the Bracht Lumber Company of this city.

Picton Lumber Company, one of the oldest firms in the area, states that they will maintain an office force at their offices for an indefinite period of time to service accounts now being handled by them.

## F.H.A. Girls Try For Area Choir

Nine F. H. A. members tried out for the Area 10 F. H. A. choir. The girls received a letter from Area Ten 4th vice president, saying their scores were good and showed that they had definite singing abilities.

The quota for the choir was met and it meant turning away girls whose scores were not as high as others. The girls trying out were Sue Reid, Beverly Kelly, Linda Kelly, Pat Stevens, Tammy Boddie, Carey Dietrich, Sherry Stephens, Donna Bardwell and Rose Heasley.

## Completes Civil Defense Course

Herman Johnson of Rockport who is Civil Defense Director has just completed a special Civil Defense Directors Seminar at the Department of Public Safety Training Academy, Austin, Texas. The Seminar was held February 6-8 with Civil Defense Directors from 25 locations in the state attending.

The primary purpose of the seminar was to provide information and guidance to local Civil Defense Directors and Coordinators so that local governments may achieve readiness capability to cope with any disaster or hazard. Instruction was provided in the organization of Federal and State governments in meeting disaster so as to inform local directors of assistance available and channels of communication to obtain the assistance.

Staff members from the Division of Defense and Disaster Relief and the Defense Civil Preparedness Agency, Region Five, Denton presented the course of instruction.

## Two Injured In Auto Accident

Two persons were injured, one seriously, in a collision of two cars at Corpus Christi Street and Highway 35 South on Feb. 14.

Those injured were Mrs. Joanna Naro, who suffered a broken pelvis and fractured leg and was taken to Memorial Medical Center in Corpus Christi, and Mrs. Emil Green, who sustained a fractured rib and bruises to her head and was taken to Lyman-Roberts Hospital in Aransas Pass.

Sgt. Joe Hinojosa of the City Police Department said Mrs. Naro was proceeding east on Corpus Christi Street and Emil Green was traveling south on Highway 35 when the collision occurred.

Hinojosa said Mrs. Naro failed to yield the right of way to Green and proceeded onto Highway 35. Green's car crashed into the Naro auto and the impact was so great that Green's car careened across the highway and smashed into an unoccupied mobile home on display at Rockport Trailer and Manufacturing Company.

Both cars were extensively damaged, as was the mobile home.

## Little League

The Aransas County Baseball Association announces its first Little League meeting. The meeting will be held in the Navigation District office Thursday evening, Feb. 22, at 7:30 p.m. All persons that are interested in baseball for the youth of Aransas County are urged to attend.

## School Board Adopts Strong Policy Regarding Drug Use

Recognizing the seriousness of the use of dangerous drugs by young people, the School Board of Aransas County Independent School District has adopted a new and stronger policy regarding this problem.

Following is a complete copy of a resolution adopted by the School Board:

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on the 12th day of February, 1973, the Board of Trustees of the Aransas County Independent School District met in regular session with the following members present: Thos. M. Rogers, Otis Mundine, Jan Wendell, Gary Smith, F. M. Rouquette and J. W. Hunt, at which time the following resolution was presented:

WHEREAS, it appears that there is an increasing use of narcotics, marijuana and dan-

gerous drugs among young people in the United States, including those in public schools as well as in other educational institutions; and

WHEREAS, it is generally considered among well informed individuals that the use of such marijuana, narcotics and dangerous drugs is dangerous and damaging to the health and morals of the youth, including those who are in our public schools; and

WHEREAS, the possession, sale and use of such marijuana, narcotics and dangerous drugs by those in attendance upon the public schools is in violation of the criminal laws of the State of Texas and of the United States; and

WHEREAS, it is the duty of this Board of Trustees to prescribe necessary rules and re-

gulations governing the conduct of the schools of this School District including rules and regulations for the protection of the health and morals of those who are in attendance upon the schools of this School District; and

WHEREAS, this Board of Trustees has previously established policies with respect to discipline of students who use, sell or offer for sale marijuana, narcotics and dangerous drugs, but it is considered that those policies are now inadequate and it is desirable and necessary to clarify the policies of this Board of Trustees with respect to the sale or use of such marijuana, narcotics and dangerous drugs by students enrolled in the schools of this School District;

## RESOLUTION

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following be and is hereby adopted as the policy of the Board of Trustees governing the discipline of students enrolled in the schools of this School District who may possess, sell, attempt to sell or use any

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## First Oil Well Is Dry Hole

The first oil well ever drilled within the city limits of Rockport turned out to be a dry hole.

Local residents had been watching with interest as the drilling proceeded on a well for Perry R. Bass at Gagon and North Streets, just west of Picton Lumber Company.

A jackknife derrick, 120 feet high, was erected by Flournoy Drilling Company of Alice and the drilling reached the permitted depth of 9,500 feet.

## Firms Sponsor Radio Coverage of Pirate Game

Rockport - Fulton High School's tournament basketball game with Mercedes High School Tuesday night was broadcast by Radio Station KOUK (103.3) from Texas A&I gymnasium under sponsorship of First National Bank of Rockport, Glass, Sorenson & McDavid Insurance, and Harper Real Estate.

First National also has agreed to continue sponsoring broadcasts of Pirate tournament games as long as the local team continues to win. This could be as many as three additional games through the state finals in Austin.

## School Board Holds Meeting

At its last meeting the School Board of Aransas County Independent School District took the following actions:

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved. Regular monthly bills were approved.

Discussed a request from Thomas Y. Pickett and Company, Inc., which company prepares by data process the school tax rolls, for an additional fee of 20¢ per item on transfers of property with each ownership change. The Board did not approve the additional 20¢ charge but did agree to a 10¢ charge for each property transfer.

Stevens R. Wynn was elected as a teacher in the High School to fill a vacancy.

Two-year contracts beginning September 1, 1973, were approved for Assistant Superintendent E. J. Randow, High School Principal C. R. Barre, Junior High School Principal Pat E. Smith, Elementary Principals, W. C. Underwood, William J. Ratliff and James F. Gillis, High School Counselor Joel M. Mixon and Cafeteria Director Willie E. Cruser. Also the contract of Bobby G. Flanagan, Head Coach and Athletic Director was renewed for a period of two years beginning September 1, 1973.

A new drug policy was adopted and may be found in this issue of the Pilot.

## Pirates Keep Going

KINGSVILLE -- Rockport's "Here-We-Go" Pirates jumped to an early lead and never trailed as they thrashed the Mercedes Tigers in a Class 3A bi-district game 68-49, here Tuesday night.

The Pirates, now 23-2 for the season, will meet San Antonio Clemens in the regional round later this week at a site and on a date to be determined. Clemens trounced Columbus, 61-47, in Victoria Tuesday in bi-district. Clemens' record is now 29-3.

Rockport depended on its height advantage to dominate the 16-3A champions. The Pirates had all but one starter over six feet, while Mercedes' biggest man was 6-1.

Rockport's post man, 6-7 Steve Mayes, dominated from the start as the Pirates went to him in the early stages and built a 17-8 first quarter lead. Mayes finished the night with 18 points, 14 rebounds and six blocked shots.

Meanwhile, teammate John Vick ignited rallies with his strong outside shooting. Vick hit eight baskets, all from the 15 to 20 feet, to finish the night with 16 points.

Rockport jumped to an 8-0

## Cancer Crusade Captains Named

Mrs. Elizabeth Whitney, Crusade Residential Chairman, announced that she had secured most of the Area Captains for the coming fund-raising Cancer Crusade.

The Captains and their areas are as follows: Mrs. W. E. Schoke and Mrs. Harold R. Wright, Co-Captains for Palm Harbor; Mrs. Barry W. Maley, Lazy Acres; Mrs. John R. Clarke, West Terrace; Mrs. Howard M. Gilliam, Oak Terrace; and Mrs. John Kinsey of Peninsula Oaks.

Also Mr. Blas Ramirez of Rockport; Mrs. Bland Davis, Copano area; Mrs. A. H. Nugent, Key Allegro; Mrs. Ted Atwood, Smith and Wood Addition; Mrs. Harry L. Mills, Little Bay Shores; Mrs. Frank H. Smith and Mrs. Sidney Doyle Deason, Co-Captains, Holiday Beach; Mrs. Floyd Rouquette, South Fulton; Mrs. T. M. McArdle, Peninsula Park; and Mrs. Lee Roy Young, Highway 881 South.

Mrs. Whitney stated that Captains were still needed in Lamar, North Fulton, City By The Sea, Harbor Oaks, Estes Community, Club Oaks, and Shell Beach-Water Street area. Anyone wishing to volunteer to co-ordinate these areas may contact Mrs. Whitney, 729-5217.

There will be a kick-off meeting of all the area Captains March 16, at ten a.m., at the Chamber of Commerce. Area Captains will be recruiting house to house workers for the residential fund raising campaign. If you wish to volunteer, contact the Captain of your area.

lead before Mercedes was able to score with four minutes left in the first quarter. The Tigers tried to counter with a fast break offense and a pressing defense, but couldn't turn the trick.

However, Mercedes provided the standout of the game in 5-9 Gil Bocanegra, who penetrated the Pirates' defenses as well as anyone has this year and finished with 21 points. Bocanegra had 13 of the Tigers' 17 points in the first half.

The Pirates' biggest advantage of the first half came with five minutes left when Mayes hit two free shots for a 27-10 lead. They held the advantage until half time when they led, 34-17.

Mercedes made a slight comeback in the final period once the Pirates' starters had left the game. But it was too late. Even Rockport's reserves made a good showing.

Mercedes finished the year with an 18-14 record.

| MERCEDES (49) |    | FG   | FT | PF | TP |
|---------------|----|------|----|----|----|
| Bocanegra     | 1  | 3-3  | 2  | 21 |    |
| Zavarino      | 1  | 1-4  | 3  | 3  |    |
| Garza         | 1  | 0-0  | 3  | 2  |    |
| Irbv          | 2  | 0-1  | 5  | 7  |    |
| Loose         | 2  | 3-4  | 3  | 7  |    |
| Yanez         | 2  | 0-0  | 2  | 4  |    |
| Wade          | 2  | 2-2  | 0  | 6  |    |
| Totals        | 10 | 9-14 | 20 | 49 |    |

Score by Quarters

|          | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  |
|----------|----|----|----|----|
| Mercedes | 17 | 29 | 49 |    |
| Rockport | 8  | 34 | 53 | 68 |

## Grand Jury Returns Fourteen Indictments

The grand jury in 36th district court here last week returned 14 indictments, reduced two cases and assigned them to county court, and voted 11 no bills.

The indictments named the following persons on the charges listed:

Virginio Gomez, charged with armed robbery.

Alexandro Herrera, possession of marijuana.

Darla Dennis, possession of marijuana.

William and Betty Mce, kidnapping.

Kenneth Ethridge, burglary.

Robert M. Arnett, theft over \$50.00.

Leland Clark, theft over \$50.

Frank Pambrun, felony theft over \$50.00.

Calvin Barnhill, theft over \$50.00.

Sonny Lanning, swindle with worthless check.

Jim Estep, swindle with worthless check.

Joe Molina, driving while intoxicated (felony).

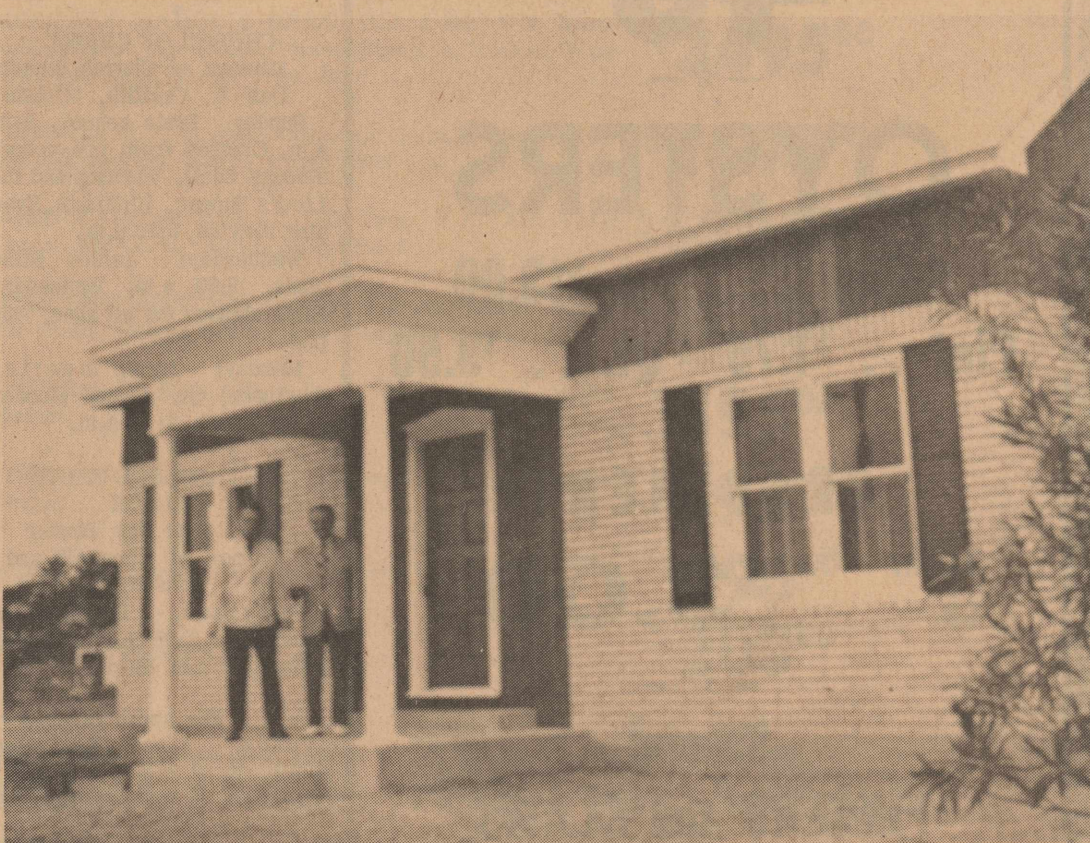
Oscar Rodriguez, driving while intoxicated (felony).

Norberto Ybarra, driving while intoxicated (felony).

The two cases reduced to county court were:

Gasper Garcia, aggravated assault.

Robert Radke, carrying a pistol.



Shown above in front of their new office building are Jack McDavid and James H. Sorenson, Jr., owners of Glass, Sorenson and McDavid, local insurance firm.



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## School Board Adopts - (Continued from Page One)

such marijuana, narcotics or dangerous drugs:  
POLICY OF ARANSAS COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT CONCERNING MARIJUANA, NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

(1) No student enrolled in any school of the Aransas County Independent School District shall possess, sell, offer for sale or use any marijuana or any type of narcotics either (a) in any school of the Aransas County Independent School District, or (b) on any premises owned or controlled by the Aransas County Independent School District, or (c) while attending or participating in any school-sponsored function whether on or off premises owned or controlled by the Aransas County Independent School District, or (d) elsewhere, at any time.

(2) No student enrolled in any school of the Aransas County Independent School District shall possess, sell, offer for sale, or use any dangerous drugs, including but not limited to D'Lysergic Diethylamide (LSD), the possession, sale or use of which is prohibited by any law of the State of Texas, either (a) in any school of the Aransas County Independent School District, or (b)

on any premises owned or controlled by the Aransas County Independent School District, or (c) while attending or participating in any school-sponsored function whether on or off premises owned or controlled by the Aransas County Independent School District, or (d) elsewhere, at any time.

(3) Any student enrolled in any school of the Aransas County Independent School District who may be observed, found or known to have any of the above-mentioned marijuana, narcotics or dangerous drugs in his or her possession, or to have attempted to make a sale thereof, or to have been under the influence of such marijuana, narcotics or dangerous drugs, including but not limited to D'Lysergic Diethylamide (LSD), either (a) in any school of the Aransas County Independent School District, or (b) on any premises owned or controlled by the Aransas County Independent School District, or (c) while attending or participating in any school-sponsored function whether on or off premises owned or controlled by the Aransas County Independent School District, or (d) elsewhere, at any time, shall be suspended immediately from

school and shall not thereafter be permitted to attend the schools of the Aransas County Independent School District for the remainder of the school term, unless such suspension be set aside or shortened as hereinafter provided. Such student shall at the time of such suspension be furnished with a statement advising such student that he or she is entitled to a prompt hearing before the Board of Trustees of Aransas County Independent School District to determine whether such suspension shall continue until the end of the school term, if request be made in writing by such student, or by his or her parent or guardian, to the Superintendent of Schools, and shall also be furnished with a list of the names of the witnesses who will testify as to the facts on which such suspension is based in the event such hearing is requested. Any student who is suspended from the schools of the District under the provisions of this paragraph shall not receive credit for any work done during the semester in which suspension occurs, unless such suspension be set aside or shortened as hereinafter provided.

(4) Any student who may be convicted of a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude or of a misdemeanor or felony for the possession of, use of, sale of, or attempt to sell any marijuana, narcotics or dangerous drugs in any court of this State or of the United States shall be suspended immediately from school and shall not thereafter be permitted to attend the schools of the Aransas County Independent School District for the remainder of the school term and shall not receive credit for any work done during the semester in which such suspension occurs, unless such suspension be set aside or shortened as hereinafter provided. Such student shall at the time of such suspension be furnished with a statement in writing of the reasons for such suspension, together with a statement advising such student that he or she is entitled to a prompt hearing before the Board of Trustees of Aransas County Independent School District to determine whether such suspension shall continue until the end of the school term, if request be made in writing by such student or his or her parent or guardian, to the Superintendent of Schools, and shall also be furnished with a list of the names of the witnesses who will testify as to the facts on which such suspension is based in the event such hearing is requested.

(5) After hearing, for good cause shown, the Board of Trustees may set aside or shorten such suspension, and may permit the student to return to

classes on such terms as may be prescribed by the Board of Trustees, provided, that the Board of Trustees shall find that it is to the best interest of the student and the schools of the Aransas County Independent School District that such student be permitted to return to school.

This policy amends and replaces any policies heretofore enacted by this Board of Trustees or any previous Board of Trustees at any time with respect to the subject matter of this resolution, and shall be effective from and after the date of its passage.

On motion made by Jan Wendell, seconded by Gary Smith, the above resolution was adopted.

s/ Thos. M. Rogers, President, Board of Trustees Aransas County Independent School District  
ATTEST:  
s/ Otis Mundine Secretary, Board of Trustees Aransas County Independent School District.

## Juniors Called For Dist. Court

Judge John H. Miller, judge of the 36th Judicial Court of Aransas County, has summoned 100 prospective jurors to report at Aransas County Courthouse on Thursday, Feb. 22 for consideration for jury duty.

Those who have been summoned include:

Lols S. Rozzell, Mrs. Roscoe Johnson, William W. Shirley, Mrs. Manuel Betancourt, Mrs. John H. Lester, Mrs. H. D. Price, Mary S. Elroy, John R. Kinsey, J. H. Emerson, James W. Trimyer, Mrs. I. E. Altemang, Mrs. Richard Simpson, Jr., Shelly Roaten, Janie Ramirez, Mrs. George R. West, Pete Ramirez, Sr., Mrs. Solla Cantu, Mrs. Merritt Hulet, George S. Keyes, Mrs. Catalina H. Torres, Josephine L. Swann, Frank H. Smith, Valdemar Torres, Antonio Gutierrez, James Richard Fox, Lillian F. Koch, Mrs. Frank H. Smith, W. R. Walters, Sr., Mrs. A. L. Wagoner, Mrs. Charline Robbins, Z. T. Washburn, K. G. Houck, Mrs. Roberta B. Drennon, A. G. Gardner, Martha P. Coats, Milton E. Nollan, E. Gonzales, Carl V. Shaver, Mrs. E. W. Brant, Mrs. Jose B. Martinez, Jr., Jesse Dickerson, Mrs. Josef Herschikowitz, Mrs. H. E. Wilson, Joyce Isgrig, Glenn S. Lauer, A. L. Bachman, Mrs. N. O. Stair, Mrs. Morris Stewart, Willie Dean Hill, Mrs. Harold S. Christensen,

Mrs. Charles Roe, Sr., Antonio M. Rodriguez, Mrs. Lyle Tanner, Lillian Parr, Willie C. Simmons, Earnest Jennings, Jose B. Martinez, Jr., Kathryn V. Barre, Mrs. Lucile Finley, Mrs. G. H. Eller, Barbara Holley, Ben Howard, Rocky C. Sanders, Mrs. Nello R. Taffin, Lt. Col. W. S. Falk, Jr., Mrs. W. D. Heldenfels, Joe Gonzales, Eriquetta V. Salazar, Marvin Wix, Gilbert Hill, Sr., Carl G. Anderson, Mrs. Jack Frost Sanders, Ray R. Longino, Charles H. Mills, Jr., Josephine T. Barber,

Mrs. J. D. Gray, Hugh L. Brieden, Oscar V. Coopender, Mrs. H. C. Mullinax, D. E. Wilkins, Jr., Barbara L. Compton, Mrs. Floyd L. Brown, Melvin H. Rush, Walter Dickey, C. W. Pearson, Edward M. Armstrong, Mrs. E. E. Glenn, Mrs. James N. Hayden, H. A. Willetts, Mrs. James L. War-rach, Sr., Edna Jackson, Paul Maurer, Mrs. James H. von Plen, Mrs. R. L. Eckman, Murray C. McMillan, Mrs. William W. Janacek, Apollinar Alvarado, Mrs. S. L. Canterbury, III, Mrs. C. W. Bristin and Alice Ethel Overton.

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## Police Report For January

Chief of Police James A. Craigmille submitted the following police report for January to the City Council:

Disobeyed traffic signal, 2; exceeding safe speed, 2; failure to yield right-of-way, causing accidents, 2; improper start from parked position, 3; improper start from parked position, 3; improper backing, causing accidents, 4;

Improper right turn, 1; illegal parking, 6; no driver's license, 1; passing on wrong side of road, 1; parking within 15 feet of a fire plug, 2; speeding, 6; defective headlights, 1;

Accidents, 13; ambulance calls, 10; assisting county, 4; burglary, 3; dog problems, 1; family disturbances, 2; fires, 7; escorting funerals, 1; prowler calls, 2; runaways, 1; thefts, 3; warrants served, 2.

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In the past year were reviewed at the meeting, as they relate to Aransas County and Rockport. Certification was maintained for all member counties to qualify for federal and state grants, and planning proceeded to improve conditions in such areas as drainage, environmental controls, housing, parks and recreation, public protection and health.

The COG reviewed and commented favorably on an application which is pending for \$149,830 for improvements to Aransas County Airport. An increase in federal participation was received on wastewater facilities for the City of Rockport, funded in 1971, totalling \$206,900.

During 1972, under a Law Enforcement Communications grant to the Council of Governments, Aransas County and the City of Rockport were able to purchase for \$6,282.90 law enforcement communications equipment which had a total volume bid price of \$25,131, bringing about a savings of \$18,848.

Rockport police officers received training and certification in COG sponsored schools to meet state requirements, at no cost to the city other than release time and travel expense. Trained were Robert E. Arangua, Dan T. Oliver, and Jose M. Hinojosa. Certified in the Aransas County sheriff's force were James Russell and Donald R. Beard.

Emory M. Spencer served on the executive board of the COG during the year and as chairman of an ad hoc open beach laws committee.

Delmar Hiller, former Rockport mayor, served on the Resource Conservation and Open Space Development Committee. Projects included in a plan drafted during the year to make them eligible for federal assistance are further development of Memorial Park, planting of Rockport right-of-ways and shorelines, bulkheading of Milelong Beach, and additions to Goose Island State Park. Through the Emergency Employment Act administered by the Council of Governments, the City of Rockport was reimbursed \$6,312 for the wages of a municipal inspector, a program to continue to 1973.

Statistical reports produced by the COG provided information for local officials to use as a base of their planning.

including a population report which showed Aransas and Kleberg County to be the two fastest growing counties in the region.

Just released was a Health Profile. Information on Aransas County was provided at this meeting. It showed the median age in the county has increased from 27.3 to 34.1; that 138 persons in the county are receiving old age assistance, 38 permanent disability, 37 aid to dependent children, 14 aid to the blind, and 18 other assistance. Five physicians provide .564 physicians per 1,000 population. One registered nurse and nine licensed vocational nurses are listed, six pharmacists, and one certified lab technician.

Serving on the COG Health Planning Council were James H. Sorenson, Jr. and Everett Taylor, former Rockport police chief.

## Corpus Christi Collectors Show

The second annual Corpus Christi Collectors' Show will be held March 17-18 at Exposition Hall in Corpus Christi sponsored by the Corpus Christi Coin Club.

The show will feature hobby items of coins, stamps, guns, painting, artifacts, rocks and minerals, jewelry, antiques, bottles -- truly a collector's paradise. No matter what your hobby may be -- you will find it at the show for buying, selling, trading or just looking.

Main attractions will be displays of coins and medals by The Franklin Mint of New York, the world's largest private mint, along with a film showing entitled "Of Art and Minting." Visitors will be able to register for 24 gold coins to be given away free during the three-day show and one does not have to be present to win.

For those desiring dealer space or further show information, contact Joe B. Davis, 638 DeForrest, Corpus Christi, 855-1706 or Harvey A. Bruns, P. O. Drawer 908, Mission, 585-2247.

## BLIND SORTS SILVER

Chicago -- Barry Brooks was a promising young football player in 1959 when he received an injury that led to blindness. Today Brooks sorts silverware in a 706-room motor hotel where he has been employed since 1967. He hopes to return to his law studies.

## Corpus Christi Port Is Speech Topic

The importance of the Port of Corpus Christi to the coastal area and all of Texas was discussed and illustrated with color motion pictures by Byrd Harris, consultant to the port's Board of Navigation Commissioners, at a luncheon meeting of Rotary Club at Corky's Restaurant February 7.

Describing the growth of the port, Harris said the original depth of the port and the nine and a half mile channel from the Gulf of Mexico was 25 feet. It now has a depth of 40 feet and is being deepened to 45 feet. Harris added that it has been proposed that the channel be deepened to 75 feet from the gulf to Harbor Island to accommodate giant super tankers.

Harris said development and operation of the port has been compatible with recreational and tourist attraction. Presence of the port has attracted many industries and manufacturing

plants which require convenient water transportation. Included are operations involving manufacture or processing of petroleum products, aluminum, lead, iron ore chemicals, cement, steel and sugar, according to Harris.

Storage and shipping of grain leads all other products in volume handled by the port. More than a million bushels of grain a day can be handled, he said. Cotton also is another important product handled through the port.

The port itself is 1,000 feet wide and has six turning basins. It is served by a railroad and modern loading equipment together with extensive warehouse buildings. The port has its own fire fighting equipment.

Harris asserted that effective and continuing efforts are made to protect the port's reputation as one of the cleanest anywhere. Oil sweeping equipment is maintained to clean up any accidental oil spills, Harris said.

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Rev. John Robert Bradshaw  
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Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Coffee Fellowship, 12 noon; Women of the Church Board and general meeting, 2:30 and 3 p.m. first Thursday; Women of the Church Circles, second Thursday.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Charles Fake, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Training Union, 6 p.m. Worship services, 10:50 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday prayer service, 7:30 p.m.

### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C.J. Molmen, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; morning worship, 10:45 a.m.; training union, 5:00 p.m.; evening worship, 6:00 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

### FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Rev. M. R. Crawford, Pastor  
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Sunday School, 9:45; morning worship, 11:00; Sunday evening service, 7:30; Wednesday night prayer service, 7:30 p.m.

### ROCKPORT CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. George Hawkins, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45; Morning worship 11:00; Youth Fellowship, 6:00; Night service, 7:15; Wednesday night, Prayer meeting and Women's Missionary Society, 7:30; Friday, Bible class, 7:45 p.m.

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Wednesday: Ladies Bible class, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday Bible classes for all ages, 7:30 p.m.  
Monday: Men's meeting (business) the second Monday of the month, 7:30 p.m.

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Wednesday: 7:30 p.m., Communion.

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Tom McClung  
Pastor  
Morning Worship 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning worship hour 10:50 a.m., Methodist Men's breakfast, first Monday, 7 a.m.; WSCS general meeting, 1st Tuesday, 9:30 a.m. The Wesleyan Service Guild First Methodist will meet regularly each second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

### MISSION BAUTISTA BETHEL

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

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Pastor  
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Weekday masses: 5:30 p.m. except Saturday. Saturdays: 8:15 a.m.  
Confession: Saturdays, 5:00 to 5:45 p.m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FULTON

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Kathryn McFadin to Harold McFadin, Deed/Trust.

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**TOURISTS OF WEEK** — Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nygren, Marinette, Wis., recently were selected as Tourists of the Week by the Chamber of Commerce in its hospitality program for winter visitors.

Staying at TravTrail-R-Inn, the Nygrens received as prizes gift certificates from Marineland, Pearson's Garden Center, Wagley Lumber Co. and a year's subscription to the Rockport Pilot.

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State of Texas vs. Rachal Irene Newago dba Golden Lounge et al, Notice of State Tax Lien.

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J. E. Powell, Trustee to First State Bank, Aransas Pass, Trustee's Deed.

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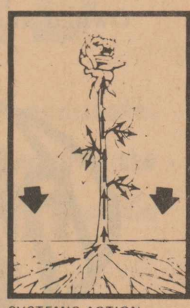
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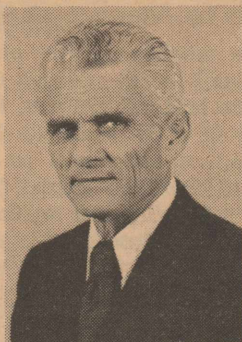
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## OUTDOORS

### 'n things

by  
L. D. NUCKLES



Editor's Note: The Pilot is proud to offer a new column titled "Outdoors 'n Things," written by L. D. Nuckles, Information Officer for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department in South Texas.

A great many people wonder why, along the entire coast, we have a 14-inch minimum size limit on redfish and there is no size limit on trout. Why, they ask, don't we protect the trout too since there are a lot more small trout caught than redfish.

There are several good reasons for this—several reasons why redfish benefit from a size limit, yet trout will not. Basically, it is the difference in the life history of the two fish.

Redfish spawn in the Gulf. At one time we thought they congregated right outside the passes for this important chore, but now we know that they utilize the entire coastal surf area to spawn—not in the surf itself, but just outside the surf. This spawning takes place in the fall and early winter months and shortly thereafter the young reds make their way into the bays. Here they will live and grow in the shallow, fertile waters of the grassy flats we call the "nursery grounds". They grow very rapidly and at the end of a year they are 13 or 14 inches long.

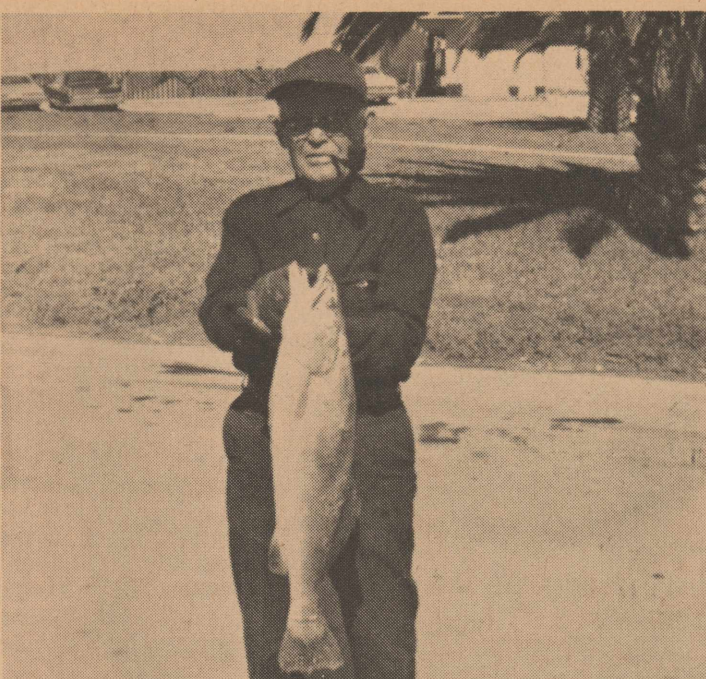
During this time, especially when they are around 8 inches long, they will bite just about anything and they are very easy for the fisherman to catch. Even though they are quite

young, they are tough little fellows and can be caught and released many times and still survive. Our research has shown that the natural mortality, other than to the fisherman, is quite low and that they have a good chance to reach the 14-inch size limit set by the Legislature if they are not caught and kept by fishermen. Even though redfish grow rapidly, they do not reach maturity until they are 3 or 4 years old. This means that our replacement of redfish is rather slow.

After they reach about 14 inches in length the young redfish tend to scatter out more and they're a little harder for the fishermen to catch. This means that, once they reach this size, they have a better chance to reach the adult spawning age.

The life cycle of the trout is almost exactly opposite that of the redfish. Trout spawn in the protected waters of the bay but, in spite of not having the dangerous migration from the Gulf to the nursery grounds to make, the natural mortality of young trout from natural causes is very high. Just about everything feeds on young trout, especially large trout. School trout, those up to about 14 inches long, feed primarily on shrimp but the big old "sow" trout relies mainly on fish for food. Of course, they eat a lot of mullet, pinfish, and piggy perch, but they eat a lot of young trout too. Incidentally, the term "sow" trout, when applied to the old, large fish, is quite accurate. We have no record of a male trout over 24 inches in length and very few over 15 or 16 inches long.

Trout grow very slowly and at the end of their first year they will only be about 7 inches long. Let's sum this up now and see if we can make sense out of the 14-inch size limit on



**FISH TOURNEY WINNER — Charles Ross of Lindsay, Okla., recently won a weekly prize in the Chamber of Commerce fishing tournament for winter visitors. He caught an eight-pound trout at Palm Harbor, weighed it in at Wilson & Son, and received as his prize a gift certificate from Harbor Lodge Bait Stand. Ross is staying at Sun-Tan Motel.**

long. In spite of their slow growth, the trout will spawn at the end of their second year when the female is about 11 inches long and the male slightly smaller. They are very prolific spawners and millions of young trout are produced.

These young trout are quite delicate and very few of those hooked and released ever survive. They are not wasted, of course. Crabs and other scavengers quickly dispose of the bodies but the fisherman certainly derive no benefit from them.

Let's sum this up now and see if we can make sense out of the 14-inch size limit on

redfish with no minimum size limit on trout.

The redfish grows very rapidly but does not reach spawning age for 3 or 4 years and some years we have a definite shortage of young reds. He has a low natural mortality rate and, if not caught and kept by the fishermen before he is a year old, has a good chance to live to spawning age. He is tough and can survive being hooked and released.

The trout spawns very prolifically and by the time he is large enough to be caught very readily by the fishermen, about 11 inches long, he is already old enough to spawn. Natural mortality on the millions of young trout is very high so if they are not caught and utilized by the fishermen many of them, as far as man is concerned, are wasted. They are delicate and it is doubtful that they will survive being caught and released. The fisherman might as well keep the small trout he catches—they are going to die anyway.

Knowing these few facts of life about the trout and redfish makes it easy to see why a size limit on redfish can be helpful while the same size limit on trout would be just wasteful and not feasible at all, doesn't it?

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### Coming Events

Feb. 23: Birthdays: Margie Bush, Charles Smith, Jr., Jo Stautzenberger.

Feb. 24: This will be a good day to go fishing or play golf, we hope.

Feb. 25: Birthdays: Alan Barre, Bob Price.

Feb. 26: Meetings: B&PW, City Council, Masonic Lodge No. 323. Birthdays: Ethel Holey, Louise Smith.

Feb. 27: Birthday: Ricky Weekley.

Feb. 28: Meetings: Rotary Club, Commissioners Court. Birthdays: Don Gonzales, Miguel Hernandez, Sr., Mrs. Gene Howland, Wedding anniversaries: Mr. and Mrs. John Lester, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Moore.

Mar. 1: Meetings: Rebekah Lodge No. 88, Rockport Lions Club. Birthday: Connie Perez.

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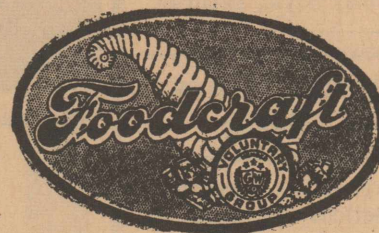
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## Future Homemakers Hold Meeting

The Future Homemakers of Rockport-Fulton High School held their regular monthly meeting Monday evening in the homemaker building. The meeting was called to order by the president, Debbie Brown.

The meeting was called to elect new officers to replace those who graduated. The following were elected: Lee Nuckles, secretary; Dee Hawkins, parliamentarian; and Pat Stevens, fifth vice-president.

The group discussed the annual Area FHA Meeting, which is to be held on Saturday, March 10, at Memorial Coliseum, in Corpus Christi. FHA members from surrounding towns in the area will attend.

After the meeting refreshments were served. They were furnished by Lee Nuckles and Debbie Miley. Debbie Miley, Mary Jones, Beverly Kelly, and Lynn Moody served as hostesses.

Members attending the meeting were: Debbie Brown, Mary Jones, Linda Kelly, Jean Hefel, Linda Rush, Lynn Moody, Lee Nuckles, Sherry Stevens, Dee Hawkins, Donna Bardwell, Patsy Pena, Atona Bateman, and Carol Walters.

## Letter to the Editor

Dear Sir:

Recently, my companion was run over by an automobile. Would you be so kind as to print the following, so that whoever ran over my dog—may see this, and know how deeply they have hurt someone:

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He was only a small brown and white Fox Terrier who was my constant companion and friend for 9 years.

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His name was Teddy—or Jackson's dog—and he will always remain in my memory.  
--H. B. Jackson

## P.E.O. News

Chapter EO, PEO, will meet at the home of Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss at 1 o'clock on February 27. Mrs. C. D. Staves will give the program on "Need for Books." All unaffiliates are welcome. If you plan to attend please call 729-6182.

## B. A. ATWOOD DIES

PORTLAND -- Burton Aaron Atwood, 54, of Portland, died Feb. 17 in a Corpus Christi hospital after a long illness. A lifelong resident of this area, he had resided in Portland for 15 years.

Funeral services were held Monday in the First Assembly of God Church in Portland. Burial was in Patricia Memorial Gardens under the direction of the Kenne & Carter Funeral Home in Corpus Christi.

Surviving are his wife, Ethel; two sons, Westley and Todd Atwood, both of Portland; two daughters, Mrs. Jack Gwynn of Aransas Pass and Miss Mary Lee Atwood of Portland; a brother, Hays Atwood; two sisters, Mrs. Tom Schultz and Mrs. R.H. Madden, all of Rockport; and three grandchildren.

## Library News

As a result of a recent telephone campaign many overdue books have been returned to the library. It is hoped that people will continue to return these overdue books to the library.

The library gratefully acknowledges book donations by the following people: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gunderson, Mrs. Pamela Lister, Mrs. Leigh Murray (National Geographic), Mrs. Alice Moore and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McBride.

Mrs. McBride has also donated a large number of back issues of McCall's Needlecraft magazines.

The library subscribes to a large number of periodicals of interest, including Southwest Art Gallery, Organic Gardening, Intellectual Digest and Prevention, a magazine for better health.

## League of Women Voters to Meet

The Rockport Unit of the League of Women Voters will meet Feb. 27 in the office of the First Methodist Church. Meeting time will be 7:30 p.m.

This meeting will be a "Calendar Making Meeting", with members discussing subjects of major interest to the League for future programs.

Any woman of voting age may attend the meeting.

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Mrs. Irene Speights of Mexia announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Janice Darlene, to Edward G. Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Lee of Mexia.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Mexia High School and is employed by the State Department of Public Welfare in Mexia. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Mexia High School and attended Navarro Junior College, Corsicana and is employed at Dick Scott Ford in Mexia.

## T.E.L. Class Meets

The T.E.L. Sunday School Class met Feb. 13 in the Educational Building of First Baptist Church for a covered dish dinner, business session and entertainment. The Valentine motif was used in decorating the room.

Mrs. Roy Kuykendall was in charge of business. The group discussed visiting ex-members in nursing homes. Mrs. Maribel McKinley gave the devotional. Mrs. Walter Scales was in charge of entertainment.

Mrs. Ann Hooper read an article from a 1907 Arizona newspaper titled "Diets Which Reform Erring Husbands."

At the conclusion of the meeting the class sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." The class welcomes new members.  
---Tiney Gayle, Reporter

## Lunchroom Menus For Schools

The following lunchroom menu selections will be offered in the schools next week:

Monday, Feb. 26: Barbecued beef on buns, buttered whole kernel corn, head lettuce salad, buns, iced cake squares and milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 27: Swiss steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, relish cole slaw, bread, butter, chewy peanut butter strips and milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 28: Turkey Tetrazzini, seasoned green beans, congealed salad, hot rolls, butter, ice cream and milk.

Thursday, March 1: Mock chicken legs, dressing, seasoned mixed greens, peach half salad, bread, butter, gingerbread and milk.

Friday, March 2: Tamales, ranch style beans, tossed green salad, cornbread, butter, apple crisp and milk.

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

## Hunsingers Take Caribbean Cruise

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunsinger returned Feb. 10 from a Shrine-tennial Caribbean Cruise.

They left on the French Line Mermoz Ship from Port Everglades, Florida, January 27, visited St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, Martinique, Fort De France, Grenada Spice Island, St. Georges, La Guaira, Venezuela, went into Caracas, visited Gruba, Netherlands Antilles, Cristobal, Canal Zone with a sightseeing special program to Panama Canal locks and Panama City where they attended a Shrine Banquet at the officers club, San Blas Islands where the Cuna Indians live and make the famous Mola squares, Port Au Prince, Haiti, returning to the Port Everglades, February 10.

## Woman's Club Tourist Party

Hostesses for the tourist party sponsored by the Aransas County Woman's Club were Mrs. Fred Cabbage, Mrs. J. S. Tennent, Mrs. George Rhodes and Mrs. Joe Slocum. Mrs. C. G. Melton and Mrs. R. F. Shield presided at the coffee service.

There were 13 tables of bridge and 10 tables of canasta. High in bridge was Mrs. Mary Harle and second high was Mrs. A. B. Clark of Perry, Okla. High in canasta was Mrs. J. Suttus, Atlanta, Mich., and second high was Mrs. Lois McElwain, Beloit, Kansas. Final prize was won by Mrs. G. D. Wertz, East St. Louis, Ill.

## Peninsula Garden Club to Meet

The monthly meeting of the Peninsula Oaks Garden Club will be held at 7:30 p.m. February 22 at the Peninsula Oaks Office. Speaker will be Roy Cox of Pearson's Garden Center. Visitors are welcome. Come and get your garden questions answered.

Mrs. Clyde Townsend and Mrs. Joyce Ratliff attended the College of Make-up Artistry Feb. 12-16 at the Master Host Inn, Corpus Christi.

## Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Garrett were in Waco early this week to attend funeral services for their brother-in-law, James Martin Hicks, 78. He died after a long illness, suffering a stroke a week ago.

He was employed at the Veterans Administration Hospital before his retirement. He is survived by his wife, Lucille; one son, Bobby Gene Hicks of Midland; two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Springfield of Waco and Mrs. Doug Wirtz of Oklahoma City; also nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

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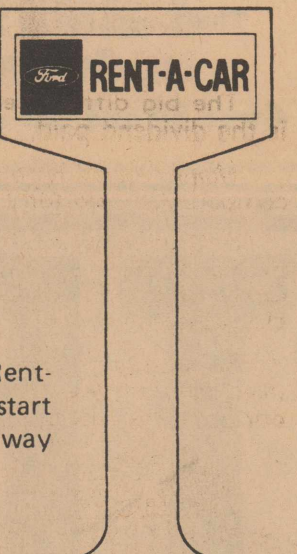
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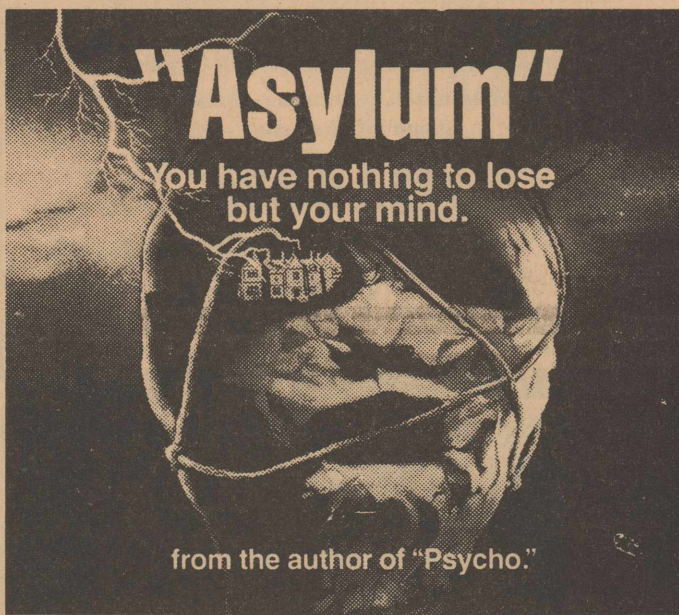
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## Do You Remember?

From The Pilot Files — 10 Years Ago

### WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

World Day of Prayer, sponsored by the United Church Women, will be observed March 1 at First Methodist Church. Mrs. E.T. White, chairman of Christian World Missions, will present the program, assisted by Mrs. Weldon Cabanis and Mrs. A.L. Bachman. The theme will be "More than Conquerors," written by Christian women of Korea.

Mrs. J.D. Gray and Mrs. A.C. Glass will greet guests and Mrs. S.F. Jackson will be at the register.

### PERSONALS:

Mr. and Mrs. Leyton Brundrett and children of Portland spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Brundrett, in Lamar.

Mrs. Bill Wendell, Mrs. Jerry Wendell and Mrs. Van Brown went to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Boone of Brownsville spent the weekend here visiting their parents.

### AUTHOR ADDRESSES SEVENTH GRADE

Miss Carol Hoff, former student at Rockport High School, spoke to the seventh grade in Junior High while on a visit here and told the students about some of the books she has written. One book she discussed was "Johnny Texas," for which she was awarded a \$3,000 prize shortly after it was written. This is a story of a boy in early Texas who took part in the Runaway Scrape just before the battle of San Jacinto.

Miss Hoff has written a number of other books including "Johnny Texas on the San Antonio Road," "Heads to the West," "The Four Friends," "Chris," and "Wilderness Pioneer."

Miss Hoff lives in Yorktown where she is still writing stories about Texas.

### SCOUTS HOLD COURT OF HONOR

A combined court of honor was held by representatives of Scout troops 49 and 280 and Explorer Post 49.

Troop committeeman J.B. Jackson, master of ceremonies, introduced other members of the committee including Chester Johnson, N.F. Jackson, Jack McDavid, John Anderson, Tom Jessee, Lou Tuer, and the Rev. Cecil H. Lang, Jr.

Also introduced were Scoutmaster Ron Schultz and Assistant Scoutmaster Dr. H. F. Elliot.

Aransas County Neighborhood Chairman Don Banning, acting for the Gulf Coast Council, then presented 1963 membership cards to district committee vice chairman Tom Jessee and committeemen Chester Johnson and Phillip Baldwin.

### From The Pilot Files — 20 Years Ago

#### PERSONALS:

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walling of Runge spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Smith. Sunday dinner guests also included Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith and Lynda Jane of Aransas Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cavitt of Sinton and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mixon of Runge.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mills of Ingle, Kan., are vacationing here. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cloberdants Wednesday night.

Bobby G. Phagan, F.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Phagan of Corpus Christi, writes that he arrived in Japan aboard the USS Manatee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lamm and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dubray of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Tex Scherrer.

J. A. Matcek of San Antonio returned home after spending several weeks with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Scherrer.

Ramon D. Torres, sonarman third class, USN, is scheduled to return to San Diego, Calif., after seven months in the Far East.

#### PETIT JURORS SUMMONED

The following petit jurors were summoned for the February term of District Court:

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J. J. Kring, C.W. Washington, John W. Anderson, James Cruser, W.T. Suttle, Bruce Mays, Alfred A. Scherrer, Carol Moore, James Hash,

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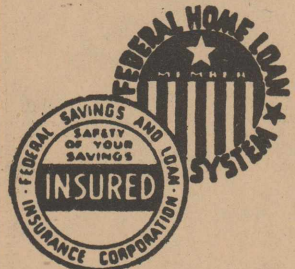
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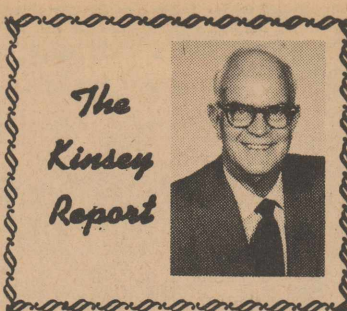
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Cars that stand out in my mind include the Packard, Locomobile, Dusenbergs and Wills-St. Clair, to mention a few of the greats of the past.

During my life I have been able to acquire a few interesting cars myself. The first was an old Model T Ford which I bought in 1932 while attending college and which I kept shined up like a million bucks.

The next interesting car I purchased--after owning many run-of-the-mill Detroit products--was a 1952 MG-TD. This low slung roadster was a lot of fun to drive and was O. K. for short trips. Once, my wife and I made the mistake of driving it all the way from Chicago to Florida and back. At the end of the round-trip we thought we'd have back trouble the rest of our lives but we recovered.

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### Rebekah News

Rockport Rebekah Lodge met Thursday, February 15, in regular session, with Noble Grand, Dean Mackey, presiding. It was most heart warming to see so many members present, also the visitors.

Business was carried out with much being accomplished. Mr. McMahan read an essay entitled "I Don't".

The social hour was nicely complimented by a lovely Valentine theme.

The next meeting will be February 22nd. All members are urged to attend, and if you are a visitor in Rockport, your attendance will be welcomed.

on it and still had the original V-12 engine, which was a lemon and burned oil like a diesel. I had a Mercury engine installed, and kept this handsome classic for several years.

Later I acquired a second-hand Jaguar 2.4 sport saloon. Supposedly this car had been owned by a doctor who "took excellent care of it." The doctor must have been A. J. Foyt's father because I discovered this auto had really been gunned over the road and probably the odometer had been rolled back about 50,000 miles. It kept me broke just to keep this car running, but when she was purring along in good shape the Jag definitely was the best road car I ever owned.

In recent years I have been fairly conservative in my purchases but I still get a big kick out of admiring and--when possible--driving interesting automobiles.

### Rockport Firemen's Auxiliary Meets

The ladies Auxiliary of the Rockport Fire Department met February 13, with 17 members present. The president, Ivala Hinze, called the meeting to order.

After routine business, there were committee reports. The program committee chairman, Kathy Ratliff, announced that the next meeting on February 27 will be the tenth anniversary party.

The president presented Peggy Hunt with a past president pin for the year of 1972, and thanked her for a job well done. Five and ten-year pins will be ordered for all who qualify.

The president, acting as a delegate to the district convention in Falfurrias, gave her report. The next convention will

be held in Alice in April. Kathy Ratliff and Mary Lee Frizzell are to furnish cakes for the firemen for their March business meeting.

The treasure chest for the next meeting will be furnished by Mary Lee Frizzell. Gwynne Howland was elected captain of the racing team and Kathy Ratliff as co-captain. Mona McNutt reported that she had taken the winning posters to the Region Insurance Office in Corpus Christi. New name patches will be ordered for all members who need them.

Members present were Cleo Truelove, Gwynne Howland, Frances Redden, Julia Gray, Mona McNutt, Sarah Belle Smith, Joan Truelove, Ivala Hinze, Evalon Redden, Mary Lee Frizzell, Lois Gurley, Kathy Ratliff, Cynthia Chlodo, Sadie Smith, Peggy Hunt, Judy Johnson and Teet Mullinax.

--Teet Mullinax-Reporter

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## Doings at the Dunes

By VIOLA REYNOLDS

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Martz broke camp last Tuesday and joined friends in this area for a trek to the Valley for a short stay.

Lois and Larry O'Dell hitched up their camper trailer last Tuesday morning and pulled out for a few days of real gypsy life on Mustang Island. They returned to their pad at the Dunes Friday morning.

Roscoe and Norma Hornsby

spent from last Thursday until Sunday in San Antonio to be with their daughter, Mrs. Marvin Bowman, who underwent surgery, and for Roscoe to undergo tests and a checkup.

Bob and Viola Reynolds and their house guests, Betty and Shorty Meek, enjoyed a red-carpet guided tour aboard one of the Russian frigates waiting to be loaded at the port of Corpus Christi last Saturday.

Paul and Lorine Stone joined the group at the Sea Gun Sunday making the boat trip to see the whooping cranes at their

winter feeding grounds.

Who went to see Holiday on Ice? -- Scotts, Rasmussens, Yandells, Opal Iseminger, and Roberta Hensley.

Golf is proving more popular among our Dunes residents as the nice warm spring days sprinkle the winter calendar.

Many sidewalk superintendents assisted the professional movers who came Friday forenoon to move Ed Gerchak's mobile home from a pad at the Dunes to a lot he has purchased in south Rockport. Everything moved like clockwork, and they soon had the "home" on its way.

The Friday evening get together took on a very festive air when it was discovered many Dune residents and some friends were celebrating their birthdays this month. A cake with candles and the singing of the happy birthday song honored Opal Iseminger, Stan and Peggy Morton, Maurice Anderson, Roberta Hensley and Paul Stone.

A new resident at the Dunes is Elizabeth Miller from Michigan who has rented the Ernest Way mobile home.

C. L. and Phyllis Peck came from Fort Worth Friday afternoon to spend the weekend in their home at the Dunes.

Mrs. Ruby Alter was a guest at a birthday party at the Palo Alto court last Friday.

## Episcopal Women

Mrs. John Rayburn will be hostess to women of St. Peter's Episcopal Church at her home at 7:30 p.m. on February 27. Games of bridge and canasta will be enjoyed. All Episcopal women of the community are invited including visitors. Please call 729-6822 the day before if you plan to attend.

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## Drawing For Wool Cape Set

A drawing will be held by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Fulton Fire Department for a Guatemala wool cape, donated by Mrs. C.F. Roegels, at their game night at the Paws and Taws building on Fulton Beach Road, March 5.

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By  
SHELLEY ROATEN

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New evidence supports the conclusion that cigarette smokers who give up the habit reduce the risk of lung cancer.

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The tea began with each girl making a Valentine collage from magazines and newspapers of what they thought influenced their uniqueness. Valentine cake and punch was served to 14 members.

The Encounter Program consists of levels of achievement in F. H. A. The program helps the members find out where they are going and what really counts in their lives. They work on goals set by themselves.

The emphasis is on their accomplishment rather than on the average person. Their plans include involvement and support of family members, friends, teachers, advisers, other adults, FHA'ers and others.

The members attending were Lee Nuckles, Nancy Goodin, Carol Walters, Sylvia Cuellar, Mary Jones, Tammy Boddie, Beverly Kelly, Myrtle Emerson, Sue Reid, Linda Kelly, Kerry Mosler, Deborah Miley, Rose Heasley and Joy Crawford.

## MRS. OWENS 85

Mrs. Mattie Owens will celebrate her 85th birthday Thursday, February 22 with an open house from 2 until 9 p.m. She resides with her daughter, Mrs. Rosle Faulkenberry, at 703 N. Terry Street.

## Shower Honors Miss Sue Driver

Miss Sue Anne Driver, bride-elect of Kevin Rouquette, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower February 13 at the home of Mrs. Earl Arthur with Mrs. Walter Lassiter and Mrs. Buddy Mullinax as co-hostesses.

The table held a Hallmark bride doll and the cake was decorated with a bride and groom. Punch, cake and coffee were served by the hostesses to approximately 75 guests.

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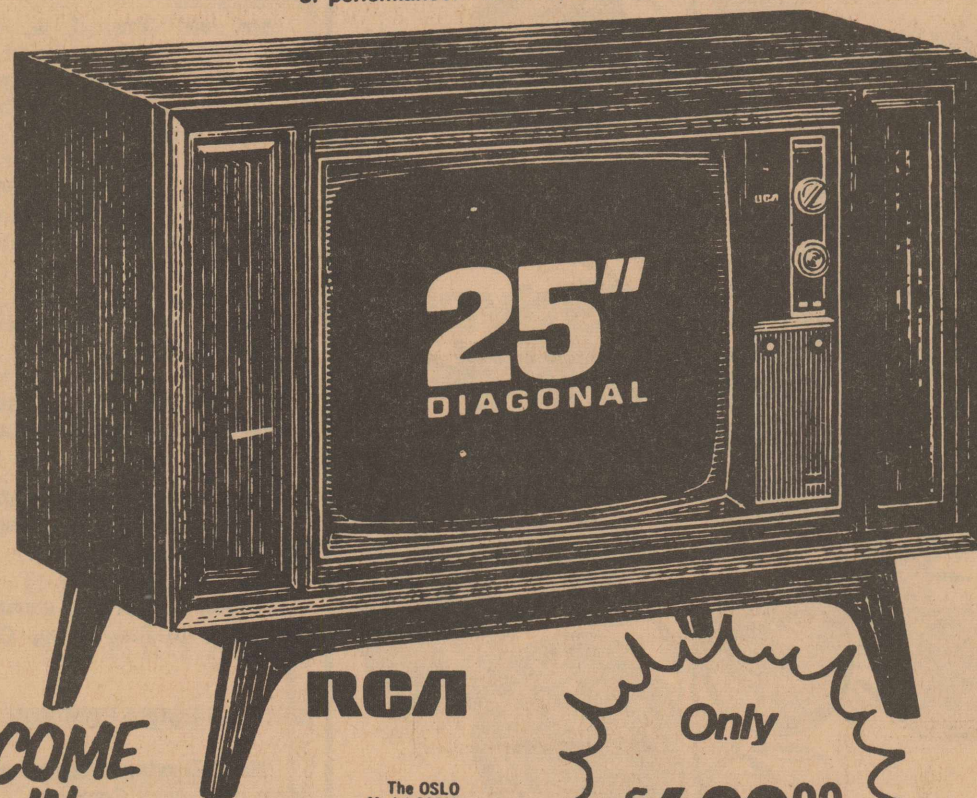


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The suspense was broken by a well organized and determined descent of the Federals on the coast of Texas, with the objective of cutting the supply line between Mexico and the Confederacy, as well as clamping a tighter blockade on the coast. It was afterward proved that the plan was not to be confined ultimately to the objectives named, but, if successful, was to have been a part of a pincer movement to take Texas out of the war. On Octo-

ber 26, 1863, Gen. Nathaniel P. Banks, (a citizen of Massachusetts), with an army of 7,500 men on thirteen transports and three gunboats, sailed from New Orleans.

General Banks' expeditionary force arrived off Brazos Santiago on November 1. The next day it captured Brazos Island. On the sixth, it started for Brownsville, which it entered on the seventh.

General Bee, realizing that it was useless to remain at Brownsville, devoted his time to saving for the Confederacy as much of the stores as possible. Before he evacuated the place, he got in transit, and eventually saved military stores and equipment valued at more than a million dollars. He left Brownsville on the fourth and withdrew to the "King Ranch," notifying General Magruder, on the fifth, of his movements. He thoughtfully sent his quartermaster, Col. Charles A. Russell, to Matamoros, to remain there for the time being to report on federal activities.

General Banks, having

secured a foothold in the Rio Grande Valley, lost no time in beginning the reduction of Confederate-held ports in Western Texas. On November 13, he detached a force of 1500 men, one battery of light artillery, and with his gunboats and two river steamers stolen from Messrs. Richard King and Milfin Kennedy, commenced a systematic operation against the Confederate bases. He reached Corpus Christi Pass on November 16 and tried to enter it, but his ship's draught was too heavy. He, therefore, detailed 500 men, under Brig. Gen. T. C. G. Ransom, to land on the lower end of Mustang Island, with the object of taking the Confederate fortifications at the upper end from the rear. Banks also landed more troops farther up the island.

Leaving Ransom to deal with the Confederate forces on Mustang Island, Banks, with his fleet and remainder of his contingent, entered Aransas Pass and headed for Corpus Christi. Colonel Hobby had received word of Banks' movements and, realizing that the garrison on Mustang was insufficient to withstand attack, sent some boats to take off the garrison and bring it back to Corpus Christi. This movement came too late. The boats were unable to get to the island in time.

General Banks demanded the surrender of Corpus Christi, which was refused by Colonel Hobby. The second battle for Corpus Christi commenced November 16, 1862.

The end of the day found the Federals in possession of the town on the beach portion, and Hobby's men in possession of the bluff portion. Fearing that a continuation of the battle would result in heavy casualties among the civilian population, Colonel Hobby abandoned the town on the seventeenth, and Corpus Christi was occupied by the Federals for the next two months.

In the meantime, the minute-men companies, at St. Mary's, who had gotten first news of the landing, were mustered under Capt. John Low, and crossed to the peninsula. The Federal Cavalry, finding so settlements on the point, were re-embarking when the Refugees discovered them. The minute-men took position in the woods and fired several volleys into the Federals, who had several wounded before they got back on their boat.

On December 23, a brigade of federal troops left Salina and occupied Indianola, after some street fighting. Port

Lavaca was occupied December 26.

In their sustained movement up the coast, the Federals captured numerous local vessels and their crews. Among these was the boat of Joseph Lemore, of St. Mary's. Lemore was taken to Brazos Santiago and was held a prisoner until he died.

St. Mary's was directly in the path of a federal gunboat fleet. As the Federals advanced down the coast, attacking neighboring Matagorda and St. Joseph's Islands and looting Lamar, defenseless St. Mary's awaited her turn. Only women, children, old men and wounded Confederates on furlough were there. Two warships sailed into port and captured the town without firing a shot. They searched every house, but did not molest the inhabitants. The wounded Confederate soldiers had already taken to the densest thicket. Two large warehouses and a wharf were demolished.

One blue-clad detachment advanced toward the Maj. John H. Wood mansion, two miles to the south. The structure was surrounded by palisades and a large herd of cattle milled about the enclosure. From a distance, the raiding party mistook the cattle for a large Confederate force. Hurrying back to St. Mary's, they spread the alarm. Shortly thereafter, the Federals left.

The idea of relinquishing Brownsville and the lower Rio Grande to the Yankees did not set well with the old Texans. When Magruder ordered its evacuation, the Texans considered it a point of state honor to expel the invaders and reopen the source of supply for the Confederacy. The idea, which proved successful, was crystallized by one man--Col. John Salmon Ford (Old Rip), the old ranger captain and border fighter, who at the commencement of the war had succeeded in ridding that part of Texas of United States troops.

Ford was commissioned a brigadier general by the state of Texas, and began recruiting in many South Texas counties. By January 6, 1864, Ford had gathered some 2000 men, including the 4th Arizona Company, and had the promise of four companies of the Frontier Regiment.

Ford's expeditionary force left San Antonio for the Rio Grande on or about February 22, 1864. About the first part of July, 1865, Ford was at last able to begin a general movement against Brownsville. There was a brisk skirmish at Las Rucias, after which Ford established his headquarters at "Caricitos Ranch," (where the first wife of Col. James Power had died in 1836). Thus, the federal forces were restricted to Brownsville. On July 25, he moved directly against the town, and on the thirtieth the

Federals evacuated the place without a fight, and the expeditionary force took possession.

Mexican Gen. Juan N. Corina, the "Red Robber of the Rio Grande," agreed upon an unsuccessful plan whereby they would jointly recapture Brownsville from the Confederates; however, after Brownsville was retaken, it was held by the Confederates until the end of the war.

The last meeting of the war court was held April 3, 1865, at which time the accounts of John Dorsey and John H. Wood for 61 and 110 bushels of corn, respectively, which was distributed among soldiers' families, were approved. Major Wood also presented his account for beefs furnished the families. The court requested that the detail of George Burndrett, "pvt., Capt. R. E. Jones Co., 8th Tex. Inf." be extended, so that he might continue to haul corn by boat. The sheriff was ordered to receive the Spy Company's wagon and sell it to the highest bidder.

One of the last such receipts to be issued in Refugio County was issued on May 12, 1865, by J. P. Montgomery, captain and purchasing agent--transportation, CSPA, to Maj. John H. Wood "for nine (9) mules at (\$610) Six Hundred & Ten Dollars per head, \$5490.00; for Eight Horses at (\$700) seven Hundred Dollars per head, \$5600.00; total \$11,090.00." This was after Lee's surrender, but was one day before the last battle of the Civil War.

CHAPTER XIV  
ST. MARY'S: ZENITH  
AND FALL

The Post-Bellum history of the town of St. Mary's falls into four periods: (1) readjustment immediately following the war; (2) the "Golden Age," from 1867 to 1875; (3) the decline, from 1875 to 1886; (4) the dissolution, between 1886 and 1906. From her founding in 1857 until 1886, St. Mary's was the metropolis of Refugio County (with exception of the brief period between 1869 and 1872, when Rockport held that position).

Before the war, the Copano Bay city was the hotbed of secessionism in Refugio County. During the war, she was the center of military activity. Her port was open to blockade runners; in fact, she was the home of numerous owners of vessels which braved the federal blockading squadrons; and, because of her activities, had brought on herself the Unionist raid, which resulted in her wharves and warehouses being demolished.

The result of the Civil War, as is too well known, destroyed the social and economic structures of the Old South, and hundreds of fine families had to uproot themselves and begin life anew in distant parts. Many of these splendid families came

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to Refugio County and settled in and around St. Mary's.

While many new people were coming to St. Mary's and other parts of the county to make their homes, there were at least three prominent citizens who felt that they could no longer live in a land ruled by the dam-Yankees. These unreconstructed and unreconstructable rebels were Joseph F. Smith, founder of St. Mary's and Rockport with Colonel Wood, Youngs Coleman, father of Thomas M. Coleman, founder of Coleman - Fulton Pasture Company, and the old Texan veteran, Capt. Alfred Sturgis Thurmond. All three had put in their besticks for the Confederacy and expatriated themselves after its fall. Smith bought a plantation near Tuxpan, Mexico, on which he died. Coleman acquired an island banana plantation (Isla de los Protereros), off the east coast of Mexico, on which he died. Captain Thurmond was drowned when the ship, which he was on, bound for Mexico, was wrecked off the Texas coast.

The people of St. Mary's, like those of the rest of the South, with American fortitude began rehabilitating their lives and fortunes. The wharves and warehouses were rebuilt, and the seagoing schooners soon began revisiting the port. A few years later, a connection with the Morgan Steamship Line was obtained. St. Mary's immediately resumed her old importance as the great port of West Texas, and the lumber mart of the Southwest. The Cottingham lumberyard was one of the largest in Texas.

The first newspaper known to have been published in Refugio County was established by Capt. Charles F. Bailey and

Geraldo Alonzo Beeman at St. Mary's about October, 1868. It was appropriately named The Vaquero. Captain Bailey was an early settler of St. Mary's. His mother, who was a sister to Mrs. Ballou of Lamar, upon being widowed, came with her three sons to the coast. C.F. Bailey was one of the organizers of the St. Mary's Wharf & Warehouse Company, and had been wharf agent prior to the war, and came out as captain of one of the companies, Captain Bailey married a niece of Maj. Lieuen M. Rogers, thereby connecting himself with the old families of the county.

The Vaquero appears to have been published for about one and one-half years, commencing about October, 1868, and ending sometime in 1870. Its plant at St. Mary's was in the upstairs of a two-story wooden building owned by Maj. John H. Wood, and where he operated a large general mercantile business.

In 1869, Bailey and Beeman

moved to the new town of Rockport and founded The Transcript. They bought a new outfit, including a "real George Washington handpress" for the Rockport paper. The Vaquero appears to have been continued, probably being printed at Rockport, as after the dissolution, Beeman published The Vaquero alone at St. Mary's.

The election of 1866 was the last in which the white citizens of Texas would vote for several years, as the military replaced the civil government.

The year 1869 was an eventful one for St. Mary's. On January 18, the constitutional convention by simple ordinance moved the county seat from Refugio to St. Mary's. The office holders at Refugio ignored the ordinance as being "unconstitutional," and St. Mary's never became a county seat in actuality.

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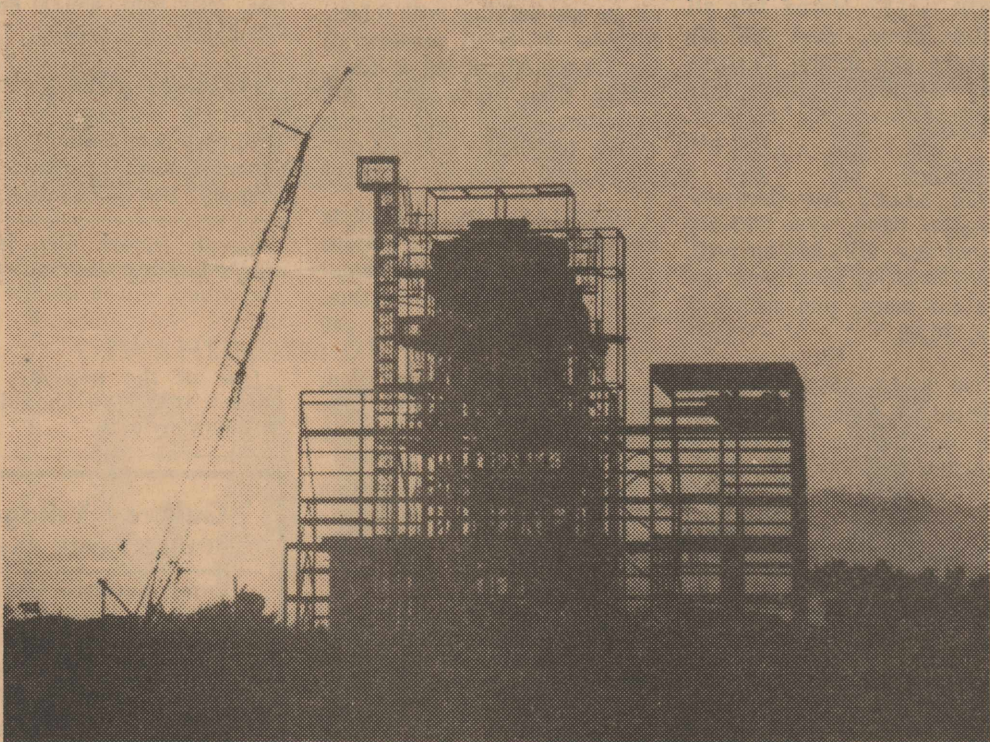
**Hanging Baskets**

NEW STORE HOURS: 8:00 A.M.-6 P.M. MONDAY THRU SATURDAY

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CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

During 1973 CPL will spend \$89 million on power stations and other facilities to make sure South Texas' power supply stays ahead of demand.



Planning ahead  
to keep the power coming.

Looking a long, long way down the road is part of our job at CPL. To make sure that you have plenty of electric power for all your future needs, we must plan at least 10 years in advance so we can build the generating plants to keep the power coming. This planning is something you can take for granted. But there is no way to ignore some new clouds out there on the horizon. There is an energy crisis in this country. And recently it has started to reach down into Texas. That's why we have equipped our power plants to operate on fuel oil as well as natural gas.

It's why we recently signed a major new contract to insure both gas and oil supplies. And that's why we are seriously considering building nuclear power plants in the future. It's why we are supporting research designed to come up with even more efficient nuclear generating systems in the future. In 1973, we'll invest more than \$89,000,000 in new power plants, lines and other equipment -- an all-time record. And because we are planning and building now, you can be sure you will have all the power you'll need in 1973 and all the years beyond.

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Our generation is for you.

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# CLASSIFIED ADS

## FIND IT QUICK

### MISCELLANEOUS

RELAX and keep your cool at Corky's Restaurant, downtown Rockport. Noon day lunches, char-broiled steak, seafood, our specialty. Open 6 a.m. to 9 p.m., 10 p.m. Fri. and Sat. Closed on Tuesday. ctf

APPLICATIONS: Now being taken for full time adult help, experience preferred, must be neat and possess the ability to get along with people and be able to work any hours between 9 a.m. and midnight. Inquire at Dairy Queen, Highway 35 North. ctf

WILL APPRAISE antiques, settle estates, will buy antiques and old jewelry or trade. Gallery Antiques, 1141 Ruby, 729-2185. ctf

DO YOU have a drinking problem? Write Alcoholics Anonymous, Box 326, or call 729-6822, 729-2712, 729-7132 or 729-6488. ctf

DENTIST NEEDED: Rockport area, suite available, McLester Bldg. 729-2630 after 6:00 p.m. ctf

HOBBY SHOP NEEDED: Rockport area, suite available, McLester Bldg. 729-2630 after 6:00 p.m. ctf

APPLICATIONS BEING TAKEN for cook, p.m. shift, Apply Corky's Restaurant. ctf

HELP WANTED: Mechanical experience preferred. Bill's Exxon Station. ctf

APPLICATIONS being taken for cook's helper-dishwasher. Apply at Corky's Restaurant. ctf

WANTED: Lady for part or full time work. Good typist essential. Good hours, chance for advancement, etc. Person desiring permanent position only. Send resume to: Classified Ad Manager, P. O. Box 608, Rockport, Texas 78382. ctf

APPLICATIONS being taken for cook. Apply Corky's Restaurant downtown Rockport. ctf

WANTED: Beauty operator. Good guarantee - 5 days a week. 729-6811, Beacon Beauty Shop. ctf

HELP WANTED, FEMALE: Two positions open, receptionist and bookkeeper. Must be accurate typist at speed of approximately 60 WPM. Progressive area company. Please send resume including salary requirements to attn: Controller, P. O. Box 662, Rockport, Texas 78382. ctf

WANTED: Dependable person to care for wheel chair patient. Call 729-5675. p49

WILL BUY: Mobile home on private lot, home, duplex or acreage, or buy equity; Rockport area, under \$12,000.00; 618 So. Pearl St., Rockport. p49

The Good Neighbors Club will meet at the I.O.O.F. Hall Wednesday, February 28, at 11:30 a.m.

No, Pamela, Plymouth-Rock is not a new form of music.



Free advice is the worst thing you can take for a cold.

## WANTED

Justwriter operator. Must be accurate. Part or full time employment. Please state experience and salary expected in resume to:

**CLASSIFIED MANAGER**  
P. O. Box 608  
Rockport, Texas 78382

### SERVICES

PIERSON Construction: Concrete, seawalls and bulkheads. Bill Pierson, 729-6105. ctf

M & M ELECTRIC Service and Air Conditioning. Contracting and service work. Call 729-6453 for service day or night. Melvin Moore. ctf

MILLS REFRIGERATION: Air Conditioning and heating. Specializing in all makes of central air conditioners, also electrical repairs and contracting. 729-6579. ctf

PHOTOGRAPHY: Portraits, weddings, commercial. Phone 729-6542. Mitchell's Jewelry. ctf

FOR FREE ESTIMATE on spraying of all types of pest control. Call Hull Pest Control. 729-2370. ctf

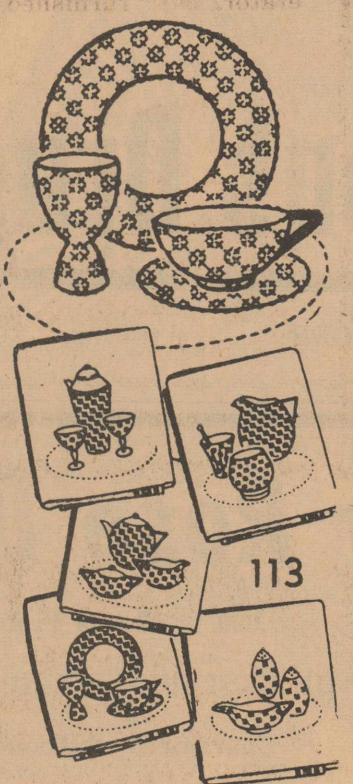
TYPEWRITER - ADDING MACHINES. Sales, Service, rentals, free estimates, guaranteed satisfaction, ribbons for all makes installed. Call 729-5115. Precision Machines Co., W. T. Moss, Owner. ctf

WHEN YOU NEED A Drag Line, call W. F. "Dub" Bartlett. Owner operated. Phone 758-2825. P. O. Box 37, Aransas Pass 78336. ctf

CARPET CLEANING OUR SPECIALTY, reasonable prices; free estimates. Aladdin Carpet Co., 514 Liberty, 729-0243, Rockport. ctf

PEIRCE DRYWALL: Complete sheetrock service, tape, float, acoustic and texture. Rockport, 729-6037. p2

**Needle Arts**  
By NANCY SEWELL



### Decorative Cross-Stitch

The pretty pattern in these attractive china designs is worked in easy-to-do gingham cross-stitch. Pattern No. 113 has hot-iron transfer for six designs.

TO ORDER, send 60 cents for each pattern with name, address with Zip code, pattern number and size to NEEDLE ARTS, P.O. Box 5251, Chicago, Ill. 60680.

The largest sculpture art forgery ever detected was an eight-foot-tall reproduction of a five-inch Greek bronze statuette of a warrior, which was in the New York Metropolitan Museum of Art for 40 years before being proved false in 1961.

### SERVICES

G & G PAINTER: Resident and mobile home painting. Inside and outside, small repair. wall covering. 729-7030. ctf

DITCHING: DOZER, backhoe and maintainer service, contract or hourly rates. Carroll Construction Co. 729-6636. ctf

SLOCUM ELECTRIC SERVICE: Water pumps sold and serviced. Contracting and service work. Call 729-6525 for service. ctf

CALL US for prompt T V repairs. We service nearly all makes of Color and Black and White TVs. Port Ayers TV, 802 Market St. 729-7551. ctf

TENDER LOVING CARE for your horse \$50.00 per month. Lakewood Stables. For information call Carl Krueger at 729-0141. ctf

UPHOLSTERY: Furniture, boat tops, cushions. Car seat, headliners. Custom Interiors, 508 S. Austin. Call Gene Everett for free estimate. 729-2324 day or nights. ctf

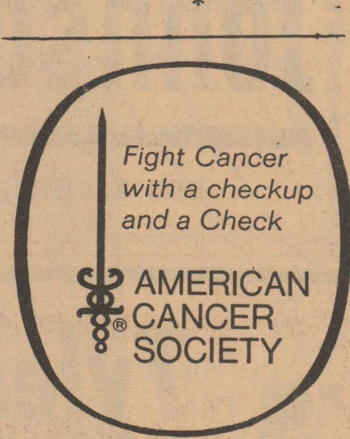
BLACK DIRT, Sandy loam, fill sand and shell. H. A. Brundrett, 729-2720. ctf

ASPHALT FREE ESTIMATE. Driveways, parking areas, also shell, fill dirt, black dirt. Phone 729-8559 or 729-5629, J. Frank Kresta. ctf

INCOME TAX RETURNS individual and small business. Will pick up information and deliver return at no extra charge. Reasonable fees—Minimum \$5.00, W.E. Haynes, 729-2800. c4

BABYSITTING in my home. Experienced, reasonable rates, 8 to 5, Monday - Friday. Call 729-7222. p49

SEMI-RETIRED ENGINEER would like to manage, operate and maintain cabin-type motel on water front in Rockport area; Reply, Box 1223, Rockport. p49



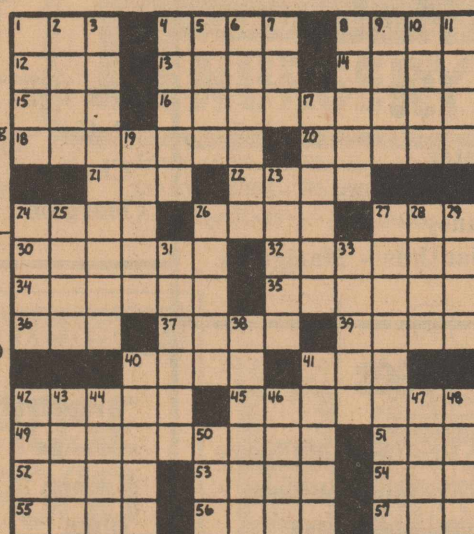
## Crossword Puzzle

Here's the Answer

### Partners

**HORIZONTAL**  
1 — or lose  
4 This and  
8 Japanese  
rice drink  
12 Poem  
13 Sheep  
14 One who  
chills  
15 Legal matters  
16 Looter  
18 Spruce  
20 Baking  
chambers  
21 Varnish  
ingredient  
22 Domestic slave  
24 Good and  
26 Europe and  
3 Young birds  
4 Subject  
5 Pit  
6 Cobalt blues  
7 Number  
8 Strainer  
9 Measure of  
land  
10 Sharp  
11 Makes  
mistakes  
12 Give  
19 Claw of bird  
or beast  
23 Effeminate  
boy  
24 Gaelic  
25 Blood vessel  
26 Capricious

**VERTICAL**  
27 Stitch  
30 Fame  
32 Blow  
34 Small seal  
35 Seal hunter  
36 Abstract being  
37 Well  
ventilated  
38 Naked  
40 One time  
41 Give and  
42 Clan chief  
45 Sea nymphs  
48 Dwelling  
49 Mineral rock  
52 Oil  
(comb. form)  
53 Simple  
54 And not  
55 Scheme  
56 Daze  
57 Health resort  
1 Weary and  
2 Notion



### MOBILE HOME INSURANCE

COMPLETE COVERAGE, ANCHORED NOT REQUIRED  
Pay out in 6 Monthly Payments  
CALL KEN SMALLWOOD  
210 W. Market Rockport Phone 729-5184 ctf

### FOR SALE

GARAGE SALE: FM 1069 South of Aransas Pass across from Millsville. Color TV \$50.00, sewing machine \$10.00, some furniture, Avon bottles, antique dishes, books, clothes, dishes and miscellaneous items. Wednesday afternoon through Sunday. p49

See or Call  
SIPE REAL ESTATE, INC.  
729-2603

SIPE REAL ESTATE, INC.  
Juanita Wagley  
Sales  
Anita Griggs  
Sales  
Louis Ragot  
Sales  
Catherine Bibb  
Sales  
Ph. 729-2603  
Hwy. 35 at  
Market St. Rockport

2 - bedroom masonry still house, big screened porch, beautiful view of bay, 60 x 200 ft. lot with access from two streets, only \$12,900.  
Nice 50 x 140 ft. lot for mobile home. Reduced to \$1,500.

Going tavern business, newly remodeled, on 100 x 150 ft. corner, excellent traffic, reduced to \$18,900 including all equipment and stock.

Weekend cottage, beautiful lot with large oak trees, \$6,000.

On concrete bulkheaded channel 60 ft. lot, boat dock, pier, 3-bedroom, central air, fireplace. Bargain at \$21,500.

Ideal retirement home with that little garden spot. 2-bedroom, 2-bath, living room, separate dining room, kitchen, dinette, and den, separate double garage. Comfortable and homey, only \$15,900.

8 x 45 Trailer with room added, on 4 wooded lots, in city, \$7,500.

Furnished, 2 - bedroom, on corner lot two blocks from bay and downtown Fulton. Only \$10,500. Would sell unfurnished.

Block of 16 lots, fenced, trees, 3-bedroom, 12x60 mobile home. Bargain at \$13,500.

Large 3-bedroom home on corner near Rockport Elementary School. Only \$9,500.

12x60 Hicks mobile home with storage room and screened porch added, on 2 fenced lots in Lazy Acres, \$9,500.

Corner lot in Little Bay Shores, many oak trees, beautiful building site for only \$3,500.

Many other properties available, for sale or for lease, residential and commercial. Call us for all your needs.

### FOR SALE

SADDLES, riding accessories and leather goods. Rockport Auto Supply. Phone 729-2505. Rockport. ctf

FOR SALE: 1973 Evinrude Motors now in stock. Best prices in South Texas. Marine-land Highway 35 N. 729-2319. ctf

CARPET REMNANTS: All kinds and sizes. Aladdin Carpet Co., 514 Liberty, 729-0243, Rockport. ctf

FOR SALE: Rain Gear, hip boots, stocking foot waders, chest waders (Boot Foot), used shirts and pants, 100% cotton shirts for welders, Nylon chest waders, insulated coveralls, Wall's Jump Suits, short, medium and long. Army Store, 438 South Commercial, Aransas Pass, Texas. ctf

FOR SALE: Air mattresses, safety hats, hipbucker jeans, safety toe boots, work jackets, sleeping bags, camp coffee pots, tarpaulins, sweat shirts, insulated and thermal underwear, new fatigue shirts and pants, blue denim shirts, Army Store, 438 South Commercial, Aransas Pass, Texas. ctf

STEREOS--Clearance Sale: console models, Port Ayers TV, 802 Market, 729-7551. ctf

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Two bedroom home, 2 lots, two bath, living and dining area carpeted, utility room, storage, carport, partially furnished. VA or FHA loans available. Call 729-5912. ctf

FOR SALE: New homes, all brick and brick trimmed. Priced from \$14,450.00 to \$23,000.00. As low as 3% down. Grant Stowell Realtor. 729-5963. ctf

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom house, central air and heat, close to high school, \$21,800.00; Wishert Realtors, 729-2124. ctf

FOR SALE: Oak Terrace home, 2 bedroom, central air and heat, oversized rooms, furnished, \$32,000.00. Wishert Realtors, 729-2124. ctf

FOR SALE: 3 used portable aluminum buildings, beamed ceilings wired and insulated. Ideal for week end cabins, etc. Large selection of new buildings. Terms. A-O-K Portable Buildings, 4903 Leopard St., Corpus Christi, Texas 78408, or call C.W. Mount 729-0352, Fulton. c50

FOR SALE: 68 x 14 mobile home with 10 x 40 patio cover and double carport. Can be moved. Phone 729-7278. p49

FOR SALE: Shrimp boat, 42' steel hull, 671 G.M. power, well equipped. Ready to go. Call Palacios, 512-972-2410. p49

FOR SALE: Moving. Furniture for sale. All in excellent condition. 729-5209. p49

FOR SALE: Ford 8N Tractor Box blade, plow, disc. \$600. Phone 729-0464. p49

FOR SALE: Sears 9 inch TV. UHF/VHF, \$55.00; Kodak 8MM Movie camera, tel. lens, \$45.00; Kodak projector, \$49; Kodak screen \$10.00; Kodak film splicer, \$4.50; Polaroid portrait camera (new), \$10.00; Tape recorder, \$14.50; 2 Bicycles (new), \$32.50 each; Electric lawn mower, \$25.00; Electric Edger, \$15.00; Phone- 729-0104. p49

## FINAL WEEK-END GIGANTIC GARAGE SALE

(on the Porch)  
Saturday and Sunday Only

Ceramic greenware and china blanks, beads, crafts and supplies, craft books, hobby supplies, glassware, old bottles and jars, jewelry, household goods, antiques, picture frames, odds and ends, tools, and many other items.

Books, hard and paper back.

JOE EARL HUNT  
505 S. Church St.

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### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Vacant lots on City water, or we will improve ready for your mobile home location. Call Kay at Billie's Realty. 729-2310. ctf

DISCOUNT: Interior latex paint \$2.95 gal. Texas Floor Co. 729-0437. ctf

YARNS, YARNS, YARNS !! Come in and see our new fall selections in crewel, needle point and knitting. Knit Boutique, 802 Market, 729-7551. ctf

FOR SALE: Drive in Grocery on Highway 35. Good location - good business. Priced right. Call 729-8579. ctf

FOR SALE: Shady Oaks Subdivision, 1 year old, two story home, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, large corner lot. Assumption \$32,000. Wishert Realtors, 729-2124. ctf

FOR SALE: One year old Copano waterfront - almost an acre of land - 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 3 car garage, horse stable. \$28,500. Wishert Realtors, 729-2124. ctf

FOR SALE: Apartment stoves \$49.50 up (discount on 2 or more), Frost free refrigerator, \$95.00, rebuilt mattress springs, \$25.00, new 30" cotton mattress, \$14.95, twin maple beds, \$15.00, wicker rocking chairs, \$12.95, baby beds, \$25.00 up, bedroom suites, \$55.00 up, 5 ladder back chairs, \$75.00, office desks, \$45.00 up, and 10,000 other items. The Trading Post, Hwy. 35, West, Aransas Pass, 758-2201. ctf

FOR SALE: Beautiful 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, brick home in West Terrace. Large living and dining area with fireplace. Paneled den, central heat and air, carpeted, double garage. 2 large storage buildings. Fenced back yard, two wells on three large lots. Shown by appointment only. 729-6516. ctf

FOR SALE: 1969 Mercury Marquis, low mileage, good condition, \$1695.00. Call 729-2466. ctf

FOR SALE: Olds Cornet, \$75.00. 729-2063. c49

FOR SALE: Lightplant, Small compact set, 110V AC 300 watt. Ideal for campers/sportsmen. Like new. Cost \$256.00 sell \$150.00. 729-6765. c49

FOR SALE: House on Church St. Terms or cash. 729-6011. p49

FOR SALE: Moved into all electric home. Must sell my Kenmore gas dryer. Copper-tone, excellent condition, less than three years old. 729-0270. p49

FOR SALE: Two Goodyear Polyglass tires, wide G70-14s. Almost new. Only \$40 for both. Call 729-2671; Also front and back car mats, gold and black only, \$5.00. p49

FOR SALE: 1961 Fleetwood Cadillac, all push-button workable condition-as is, \$995.00 cash. Box 667, Fulton, Tex. p49

FOR SALE AT HOLIDAY BEACH: Fully equipped 10 x 55 mobile home. Set up on lot with utility building. 729-6885. p49

GARAGE SALE: Dishes, clothes, wigs, lamps, Black and white TV, record players, desk, couch, bedspread and odds and ends. Friday and Saturday, 948 Oak Ave. Oak Terrace, 729-7290. p49

### FOR SALE

ROOM SIZE REMNANTS, 100% Nylon; from \$3.95 per square yard; Texas Floor Co. 729-0437. ctf

COASTAL HOME BUILDERS: (Compare at \$20,000) NEW--3 bedroom, bath and 1/2, over 1000 sq. ft. living area, central air, enclosed garage, ALL BRICK, FHA BUILDING STANDARDS. \$15,850.00, Sylvan Heights, Fulton.

FHA-VA-Conventional Financing. Equal housing opportunity. PAUL C. JOHNSON, Broker, 21 Whooping Crane Lane, Rockport, Texas, 512-729-7061. ctf

SEWING MACHINES: Come in and see our selection. Port Ayers TV, 802 Market, 729-7551. ctf

YEAR END CLEARANCE of color TV's Port Ayers TV, 802 Market- 729-7551. ctf

FOR SALE: Used electric wheel chair, \$175.00. 729-5636. ctf

FOR SALE: Oak Terrace, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, central heat and air. Spacious rooms, formal garden, \$35,000.00. Wishert Realtors, 729-2124. ctf

FOR SALE: Used Kenmore Sewing Machine. Does all fancy stitches, like new. \$100.00. 729-7551. Port Ayers T. V., 802 Market St. ctf

FOR SALE: Used straight stitch sewing machine in cabinet. \$29.95. Port Ayers T. V., 802 Market, 729-7551. ctf

FOR SALE: 1/2 ton Ford pickup, \$195.00; meter loop and 12 ft. pole, \$45.00. 210 W. Market St., 729-5184. ctf

WATERFRONT HOME--Sale or rent; A-Frame, three stories, circular stairway, small concrete pool, boat ramp, garage, playroom. \$200.00 month. Copano Ridge. 729-2458. p52

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Fulton, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central air and heating. Unique built in features, spacious living-dining area. 729-6660. p51

FOR SALE: New double bed with two mattresses \$110.00, store price \$147.00; also new TV set \$140.00. See at 616 S. Pearl, Rockport. Moving North must sell this week. p50

FOR SALE: Lyro's Drive - Inn Bar-N-Cafe and 3 bedrooms all in one building with 6 lots, Highway 35 N. 2 corners all for \$28,000.00; \$8,000.00 down. Owner carry note at 6 per cent interest - easy terms. Phone 729-5527. p50

FOR SALE: Like new electric fireplace with heater. Antique dining table. Four piece sectional couch, with coffee table. 729-7045. p49

GARAGE SALE: 5 families, 1040 N. Live Oak, Thursday and Friday. p49

GARAGE SALE: 905 N. Allen, Sat. 10-5. Miscellaneous household articles. p49

PORCH SALE: Farm to Market 1781, first green house off Market, everything marked down, clothing, toys, heaters, jewelry, baby items, miscellaneous. p49

FOR SALE: AKC Registered Doberman Pinscher puppies, 729-8639 or 729-8630. p49

FOR SALE: 1966 Buick LeSabre, good shape \$800.00 taking price. Call 729-2258 or 729-6327. p49

GARAGE SALE: Women's clothes, air conditioner \$10.00. 1121 West Terrace. p49

FOR SALE: Table saw \$50.00, air conditioner \$65.00, sofa \$20.00, coffee table and end tables \$25.00, twin bed with mattress and box springs \$35.00. All in good condition. Farm Road 1781, 729-2859. p49

FOR SALE: Motor home, 26 ft. self contained, sleeps seven. Trade Winds Shell Shop, 114 N. Austin Street. p49

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 400 sq. ft. office space in McLester building. 729-2630. ctf

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, 1 bath unfurnished houses \$125.00 month. Call Walt Addis, Security Real Estate, 729-2256. ctf

FOR LEASE: Space in attractive, air conditioned business building, excellent traffic, ample parking. Small office up to 2,500 sq. ft. of space available. Will convert any portion to fill your needs. Juanita Wagley, Sipe Real Estate, 729-2603. ctf

FOR RENT: Gulfbreeze homes, near Cove Drive-in, 2 and 3 bedroom, all electric, central heat and air, completely paneled, \$100 to \$175 per month. Phone C. M. Burke, 991-6223 or 853-2513, Corpus. ctf

FOR RENT: Rockport Apts. Rockport's newest, most reasonable and most desirable. Let us show you one and two bedroom furnished and unfurnished. Individually controlled-air conditioning, heat and water. No lease. All bills paid. Heated pool, coin washateria. 729-0302, 1200 N. Magnolia St. ctf

FOR RENT: Casa Anna Marr Apartments, 2 bedrooms, all electric kitchen, \$155.00, water furnished, 729-6738. ctf

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom house and garage. Carpet, recently re-modeled. Fulton area. 729-2630 after 5 p.m. ctf

FOR RENT: Three bedroom, two bath home, located in nice subdivision. Heat and air, unfurnished. Contact Harper Real Estate Company. 729-5461. c49

FOR RENT: Furnished house - 4 rooms, 2 baths, adults only - no pets - Jack Horton, 1325 S. Church St. 729-2261. c49

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom trailer, central heat and air. 729-7073. p49

FOR RENT: Mobile home lot 33x125 ft. in Fulton. Concrete patio and slab with tie-downs. City water and storage shed furnished. Adults only. 729-7548. p49

FOR RENT: Two bedroom, unfurnished house. Ideal for couple or couple with one child. Water furnished. \$70.00 per month. Call 729-2239. p49

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment on water front for one or two, bills paid. \$75.00 month. 729-5517. p49

FOR RENT: Little Bay Shores Nice 2 bedroom, 2 baths, \$275.00 a month. No bills paid. Security deposit. Adults, references. Box 667, Fulton



## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals, addressed to the City of Rockport, Rockport, Texas, for:

**SANITARY SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT AND LIFT STATION, CITY OF ROCKPORT, ROCKPORT, TEXAS**

In accordance with the plans, specifications and contract documents will be received at the offices of the City Secretary until 7:30 p.m. on March

14, 1973, and then publicly opened and read. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

A cashier's check or acceptable Bidder's Bond, payable without recourse to the City of Rockport, Rockport, Texas, in an amount of not less than five per cent (5%) of the total amount must accompany each bid.

Plans, proposal forms, specifications and contract documents may be procured from the Director of Public

Works upon a deposit of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as a guarantee of their safe return in good condition.

**NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT**

Contracts for work under this proposal will obligate the contractor and subcontractors to comply with executive order No. 11246 and 11375 or any preceding similar executive orders (No. 10925 and No. 11114).

Bidders must submit with their initial bid a signed statement as to whether they have previously performed work subject to the President's Executive Order No. 11246 and 11375 or any preceding similar Executive Orders (No. 10925 and No. 11114).

The bidder is hereby notified that the Owner has ascertained the Wage Rates which prevail in the locality in which this work is to be done and that such Wage Scale is set out in the Contract Documents obtainable at the offices of the Director of Public Works, and the Contractor shall pay not less than the Wage Rates so shown for each craft or type of "laborer", "workman", or "mechanic" employed on this project.

If at the time this contract

is to be awarded, the lowest acceptable base bid submitted by a responsible bidder does not exceed the amount of funds then estimated by the Owner as available to finance the contract, the contract will be awarded on the base bid only. If such bid exceeds such amount, the Owner may reject all bids or may award the contract on the base bid combined with such deductible alternates applied in numerical order in which they are listed in the Form of Bid, as produces a net amount which is within the available funds.

s/ Walter S. Falk, Jr., Mayor  
ATTEST:  
Herman C. Johnson,  
City Secretary c50

ers and gifts during Miss Winona McFall's illness and her recent death.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bachman c49

## CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my appreciation and thanks for all the cards, visits, flowers, telephone calls, gifts and other kindness shown me while in the hospital and at home.

Mrs. Wanda Sparks p49

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

WHEREAS: It has pleased Almighty God in His Divine Providence to call to his eternal home, KATIE LEE CLARKE, and

WHEREAS: By the loss of our friend and member of this organization, our hearts are greatly saddened, and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That we extend our sincere sympathy to the family of our esteemed member in their hour, of great sorrow.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, a copy furnished the Rockport Pilot for publication and another entered upon the minutes of Rockport-Fulton High School Alumni Association.

s/ Virginia Adolphus Shivers (1928), Mary Augusta Deane (1937), Ettol Harrist Eller (1936). p49

## CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings, and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.

The family of  
Raymond W. Berens p49

## CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone for their prayers, cards, flow-

## Restoration of G.I. Loan Eligibility

Veterans who have used their G. I. loan can have their eligibility restored and get another VA-guaranteed loan under some circumstances, A. A. Hunter, Veterans Administration Regional Office Director, reminded veterans today.

The basic qualification is that the first home was sold for compelling reasons, and in addition, VA must have been released from liability on the original loan. This usually happens when a home is sold with new financing, Hunter explained.

Some of the reasons for which property may be disposed of and entitlement restored by VA are:

Transfer of employment from one locality to another by an employer.

Destruction of home by fire or natural hazard.

Voluntary change of employment to another locality offering more income and opportunity for advancement—provided satisfactory evidence is furnished VA.

Retirement of a veteran, or transfer of a serviceman by his military department while he is on active duty.

Limited space in a veteran or serviceman's home, if a doctor certifies that space is a health question. An increase in size of his family, however, is not in itself sufficient grounds for restoration of entitlement.

Loss of employment through a reduction-in-force, or curtailment of activities in occupation where he is employed—if suitable employment is obtained in another locality.

VA guaranteed home loans are available to eligible veterans and servicemen with at least 90 days of active duty during World War II and the Korean Conflict, or at least 181 days in the Vietnam Era. Loan benefits also are available to eligible widows, and wives of servicemen missing in action or prisoners of war for more than 90 days.

control in all those small businesses where more than 50 percent of the employees are affected by a master employment contract or jointly negotiated contract covering more than 60 workers.

Q: What fiscal years may a firm use in calculating its base period profit margin?

A: Effective January 11, 1973, a firm may use any two of the following fiscal years in calculating its base period profit margins: the three fiscal years ending before August 15, 1971, plus any fiscal year completed on or after August 15, 1971.

## E. C. LAECHELIN DIES

Edwin C. Laechelin, 71, of Fulton, died at 6:30 a.m. Tuesday in a Taft rest home.

He was born in Seguin and had lived in Fulton six years. He was a retired bookkeeper and a member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held Wednesday in the Marshall Funeral Chapel in Rockport. Burial was held Thursday in the Dilley City Cemetery.

Survivors include one son, Edwin C. Laechelin, Jr.; two daughters, Mrs. Betty Lineberry and Mrs. Mary Ann

Freeborn, all of Fulton; one brother, Herbert O. Laechelin of Alamo; four sisters, Mrs. Pauline Marion, Mrs. Hilda Krueger and Mrs. Mamie Crawford, all of New Braunfels, and Mrs. Sally Foerster of McQueeney; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

## Library Story Hour

Aransas County Public Library will have the story hour Thursday, March 1 from 10:30 a.m. until 11 a.m. Mrs. Roger Bennett will be the story teller.

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Family Package RIB STEAK ..... Lb. 99¢  
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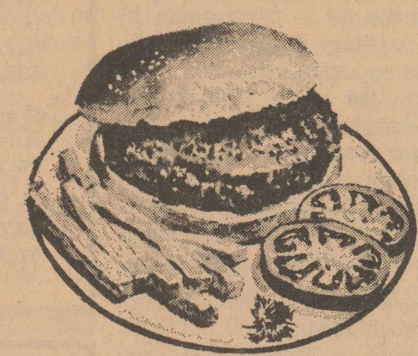
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FULL CUT POUND

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**BLUEBONNET MARGARINE**

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48 OZ. BOTTLE

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