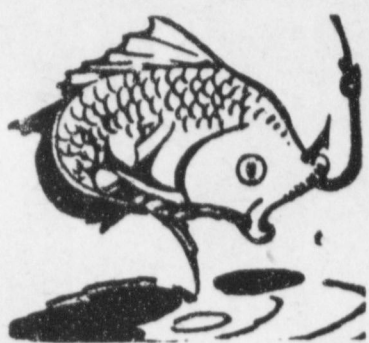


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There were three guests present: Fred Brundrett, R. H. Lind, Iowa City, Iowa and V. H. Center, Benton, Ill.

Old Fashioned Carnival And Bazaar To Be Held

On St. Patrick's Day, Saturday, March 17, there will be an old fashioned bazaar at the VFW hall, sponsored by the Sacred Heart Parent-Teachers Society, from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m.

There will be a parade at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, led by the Rockport High School band.

At the carnival there will be bingo, country store, cake walk, horseback riding and many other attractions for young and old. Everyone is asked to come with the entire family and spend the evening.

Fellow, she married you for life . . . and she expects you to show some.

C. of C. Holds Monthly Meeting

The Rockport Chamber of Commerce held their monthly dinner meeting at the Methodist Annex, Tuesday, March 6 at 7:30 p.m.

Weldon Cabaniss, retiring president, called the meeting to order. Rev. H. H. Bockholt gave the invocation.

Cabaniss introduced and turned the meeting over to Alex Scott, the new president.

Scott thanked Cabaniss on behalf of the entire Chamber of Commerce for the grand job he had done as president in 1950, and gratefully acknowledged the vote of confidence in electing him as president.

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New Cars Registered At Court House

The following citizens of Aransas County registered new cars at the county court house last week:

F. M. Daugherty, Jr. 1951 Studebaker.
Travis Johnson, 1951 Willys Station Wagon.
Nealy Parr, 1951 Henry J.

Roger Bracht Called Back To Service

Roger Bracht, from Houston, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bracht of Fulton last Saturday and was called back home Sunday because of sickness in his family.

Roger, a First Lieutenant, has to leave on the 14th of March for Camp LeJeune, North Carolina to re-enter the armed forces.

Building Permits

There were two building permits issued at the City Hall last week. Robert Key got a permit to build a frame garage, 14 by 26 feet on lots 2 and 3, in block I. Approximate cost, \$500.00.

B. T. Duncan received a permit for James Ferguson to move a frame building, 22 by 24 feet from outside to lot 7, block 13, D. and M. Division.

Civil Defense Meeting Held At Court House

Capt. C. C. Hager, Assistant Director of Civil Defense of Corpus Christi, Capt. Weeks, District Coordinator and Chief W. M. Kenney, U. S. Navy, met with citizens of Rockport and Aransas County in the court house Monday to outline the part Rockport and Aransas County will take if a bomb is dropped in any city or town nearby.

Capt. Hager described the organization of Civil Defense. Washington, D. C. is the head of the organization, and in turn the Governor of each state. Governor Shivers has designated the Executive Secretary, Department of Safety, Public Welfare and such other groups as are already organized to take charge of this work in Texas.

These groups have passed the work to the County Judges of each county and the mayors of each city for the final reports.

In Aransas County, Judge John Wendell and his committee are to report to Austin, how many fire trucks, firemen, ambulances, trucks, pick-ups, tractors, bulldozers, draglines, hospitals, nurses, doctors, dentists, druggists and etc. are available in Aransas County. Also how much space can be secured in public buildings, halls, schools, churches, club buildings and even homes to care for injured and refugees.

Mayor Travis Bailey and Fire Chief Charles Ankele are assisting Judge Wendell in this work. There were two pictures shown at the meeting, "The Atom Strikes", and "Operations Cross Roads". Both were very instructive.

Revival Meeting At Fulton Church

There will be a revival meeting at the Fulton Community Church beginning March 11 and continuing through March 18. There will be services each Sunday morning at 11 a.m. and every night at 7:30.

Robert Thrift, pastor of the Central Baptist Church in Ingleside will be the speaker and Franklin Atkinson from U. C. C. will lead the singing.

FHA Girls To Attend District Meet

The FHA girls are planning a trip to Beeville next Saturday to attend the District meet. The meeting is scheduled from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The Rockport chapter is in charge of the skit to be presented on the program.

DWI Driver Fined

Deputy Sheriff Sherman Munday and Highway Patrolman Brock arrested Brizzy Walter Taylor on Highway 35, north of Rockport, February 2, and filed charges of DWI. Taylor pleaded guilty in county court Monday and was fined \$50.00 and costs, a total of \$71.00.

J. T. Slocum Buys Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Slocum, the new owners of The Barbuee Pit have purchased the Guy Russell home in the Hunter Subdivision.

Gray Bill Passes House, Fight In Senate Planned

City Election To Be Held April 3

There will be a city election held in the City Hall Tuesday, April 3, 1951, to elect two Councilmen and a City Secretary for the City of Rockport.

J. P. Hanway, present councilman in Ward 1, is a candidate for re-election and he has no opposition.

J. H. Ray, incumbent in Ward 2, is opposed by Roy V. Rogero. Mrs. Bonnie Townsend, present City Secretary, is the only candidate for that office in the forthcoming election.

Mayor Travis Bailey and Councilmen Arley Shivers and Dick Picton were re-elected last year and will carry over until the 1952 election.

Mrs. Alvin Brundrett will be the presiding judge and Mrs. Fred Diederich will be the judge with Miss Floy Kennedy and Miss Violet Percival serving as clerks.

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The P.T.A. voted to allot \$60 to the school for new books. Miss McLennon's first and second grades won the attendance prize.

Rockport Ladies Attend Luncheon in Corpus

Mrs. James G. Hooper, Mrs. Mabel Bryant and Miss Ruth Lipscomb were luncheon guests in the Morocco Room in Corpus Christi Tuesday as guests of Mrs. Walter Millington of Presidio. Mrs. Millington formerly lived in Rockport and is in Corpus Christi attending the D.A.R. Convention. She is State Regent of the all time chapter of D.A.R.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PORT ARANSAS-CORPUS CHRISTI WATERWAY REGARDING A BRANCH SHIP CHANNEL TO LA QUINTA, TEXAS.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Committee on Public Works of the House of Representatives, United States, adopted Feb. 20, 1951, the district engineer has been directed to make a review of reports on the Port Aransas-Corpus Christi waterway to determine the feasibility of providing a branch ship channel to La Quinta, Texas, along the north shore of Corpus Christi Bay.

In order that the required report may fully cover the matter, a public hearing will be held in the Council Chamber Room, City Hall, Corpus Christi, Texas, at 10 a.m., March 15, 1951.

All interested parties are invited to be present or represented at the public hearing.

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Jack "Buck" Davis Jr. is home on leave from the U. S. Navy, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Sr. and family.

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The bill was passed by the House, 66 to 48, yesterday. Wesley E. Seale, member of the water district's board of directors, then declared that efforts will be increased to kill the measure in the Senate.

Leading citizens of nine counties have banded together in the Coastal Bend Water Conservation Council to fight for the construction of Oakville Dam, that would be outlawed if the Gray Bill passed.

Fred Pool, secretary of the Alice Chamber of Commerce and one of the conservation council leaders, says the true story of Oakville Dam must be spread rapidly enough to reach all citizens of the Coastal Bend so that the Gray Bill can be killed in the Senate.

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He explained that the new Three Rivers would be built on a high site over the dam, out of the frequently flooded valley. All utilities, public buildings, schools, churches, streets, and landscaping would be paid for by the government, making Three Rivers a model of beauty as only a planned town can be.

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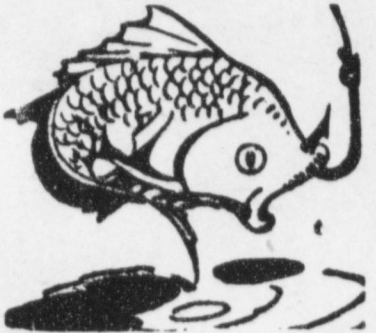
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J. F. Harbin invited the Rotarians to visit the school this week, (this is the week set aside by Governor Allan Shivers as Public School Week) and to date only two men have visited the school.

The club erected a new board of directors: T. C. Kelly, Travis Bailey, Fred Bracht, Weldon Cabanis, R. R. Rice and Jack Horton. There were three guests present: Fred Brundrett, R. H. Lind, Iowa City, Iowa and V. H. Center, Benton, Ill.

Old Fashioned Carnival And Bazaar To Be Held

On St. Patrick's Day, Saturday, March 17, there will be an old fashioned bazaar at the VFW hall, sponsored by the Sacred Heart Parent-Teachers Society, from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m.

There will be a parade at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, led by the Rockport High School band.

At the carnival there will be bingo, country store, cake walk, horseback riding and many other attractions for young and old. Everyone is asked to come with the entire family and spend the evening.

Fellow, she married you for life . . . and she expects you to show some.

C. of C. Holds Monthly Meeting

The Rockport Chamber of Commerce held their monthly dinner meeting at the Methodist Annex, Tuesday, March 6 at 7:30 p.m.

Weldon Cabanis, retiring president, called the meeting to order. Rev. H. H. Bockholt gave the invocation.

Cabanis introduced and turned the meeting over to Alex Scott, the new president. Scott thanked Cabanis on behalf of the entire Chamber of Commerce for the grand job he had done as president in 1950, and gratefully acknowledged the vote of confidence in electing him as president.

Scott introduced C. C. Fowler, first vice president, B. B. Bettell, second vice president and A. C. Glass, treasurer, and suggested each member present any ideas or suggestions they may have now or later to Mrs. Clark Wren, secretary, or any of the officers or directors. His belief is that a co-operative effort by all would result in tremendous benefit to the community.

Clark Wren spoke briefly on what had been done so far to interest those in authority to consider this area as a desirable location for the proposed Veterans Hospital.

Officers' Trip To Austin Successful

Judge John Wendell reports that the trip which he, Mayor Travis Bailey and Commissioners J. H. Mills and W. B. Allen made to Austin was very successful as they were able to have a special bill re-written that Aransas County will retain the ad valorem tax for the retirement of the sea wall bonds.

New Cars Registered At Court House

The following citizens of Aransas County registered new cars at the county court house last week:

F. M. Daugherty, Jr. 1951 Studebaker.
Travis Johnson, 1951 Willys Station Wagon.
Nealy Parr, 1951 Henry J.

Roger Bracht Called Back To Service

Roger Bracht, from Houston, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bracht of Fulton last Saturday and was called back home Sunday because of sickness in his family.

Roger, a First Lieutenant, has to leave on the 14th of March for Camp LeJeune, North Carolina to re-enter the armed forces.

Building Permits

There were two building permits issued at the City Hall last week. Robert Key got a permit to build a frame garage, 14 by 26 feet on lots 2 and 3, in block I. Approximate cost, \$500.00.

B. T. Duncan received a permit for James Ferguson to move a frame building, 22 by 24 feet from outside to lot 7, block 13, D. and M. Division.

Civil Defense Meeting Held At Court House

Capt. C. C. Hager, Assistant Director of Civil Defense of Corpus Christi, Capt. Weeks, District Coordinator and Chief W. M. Kenney, U. S. Navy, met with citizens of Rockport and Aransas County in the court house Monday to outline the part Rockport and Aransas County will take if a bomb is dropped in any city or town nearby.

Capt. Hager described the organization of Civil Defense. Washington, D. C. is the head of the organization, and in turn the Governor of each state. Governor Shivers has designated the Executive Secretary, Department of Safety, Public Welfare and such other groups as are already organized to take charge of this work in Texas.

These groups have passed the work to the County Judges of each county and the mayors of each city for the final reports.

In Aransas County, Judge John Wendell and his committee are to report to Austin, how many fire trucks, firemen, ambulances, trucks, pick-ups, tractors, bulldozers, draglines, hospitals, nurses, doctors, dentists, druggists and etc. are available in Aransas County. Also how much space can be secured in public buildings, halls, schools, churches, club buildings and even homes to care for injured and refugees.

Mayor Travis Bailey and Fire Chief Charles Ankele are assisting Judge Wendell in this work. There were two pictures shown at the meeting, "The Atom Strikes" and "Operations Cross Roads". Both were very instructive.

Revival Meeting At Fulton Church

There will be a revival meeting at the Fulton Community Church beginning March 11 and continuing through March 18. There will be services each Sunday morning at 11 a.m. and every night at 7:30.

Robert Thrift, pastor of the Central Baptist Church in Ingleside will be the speaker and Franklin Atkinson from U. C. C. will lead the singing.

FHA Girls To Attend District Meet

The FHA girls are planning a trip to Beeville next Saturday to attend the District meet. The meeting is scheduled from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The Rockport chapter is in charge of the skit to be presented on the program.

DWI Driver Fined

Deputy Sheriff Sherman Munday and Highway Patrolman Brock arrested Brizzzy Walter Taylor on Highway 35, north of Rockport, February 2, and filed charges of DWI. Taylor pleaded guilty in county court Monday and was fined \$50.00 and costs, a total of \$71.00.

J. T. Slocum Buys Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Slocum, the new owners of The Barbecue Pit have purchased the Guy Russell home in the Hunter Subdivision.

Gray Bill Passes House, Fight In Senate Planned

City Election To Be Held April 3

There will be a city election held in the City Hall Tuesday, April 3, 1951, to elect two Councilmen and a City Secretary for the City of Rockport.

J. P. Hanway, present councilman in Ward 1, is a candidate for re-election and he has no opposition.

J. H. Ray, incumbent in Ward 2, is opposed by Roy V. Rogero.

Mrs. Bonnie Townsend, present City Secretary, is the only candidate for that office in the forthcoming election.

Mayor Travis Bailey and Councilmen Arley Shivers and Dick Picton were re-elected last year and will carry over until the 1952 election.

Mrs. Alvin Brundrett will be the presiding judge and Mrs. Fred Diederich will be the judge with Miss Floy Kennedy and Miss Violet Percival serving as clerks.

Fulton P.T.A. Met Wednesday

The Fulton P.T.A. held their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the school house with the president, Mrs. R. A. Johnson presiding.

The nominating committee gave their report and the officers were elected for next year.

Grady Kincannon, band leader, had the program and presented a number of the pupils in musical selections.

The P.T.A. voted to allot \$60 to the school for new books.

Miss McLennon's first and second grades won the attendance prize.

Rockport Ladies Attend Luncheon in Corpus

Mrs. James G. Hooper, Mrs. Mabel Bryant and Miss Ruth Lipscomb were luncheon guests in the Morocco Room in Corpus Christi Tuesday as guests of Mrs. Walter Millington of Presidio. Mrs. Millington formerly lived in Rockport and is in Corpus Christi attending the D.A.R. Convention. She is State Regent of the all time chapter of D.A.R.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PORT ARANSAS-CORPUS CHRISTI WATERWAY REGARDING A BRANCH SHIP CHANNEL TO LA QUINTA, TEXAS.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Committee on Public Works of the House of Representatives, United States, adopted Feb. 20, 1951, the district engineer has been directed to make a review of reports on the Port Aransas-Corpus Christi waterway to determine the feasibility of providing a branch ship channel to La Quinta, Texas, along the north shore of Corpus Christi Bay.

In order that the required report may fully cover the matter, a public hearing will be held in the Council Chamber Room, City Hall, Corpus Christi, Texas, at 10 a.m., March 15, 1951.

All interested parties are invited to be present or represented at the public hearing.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Murphrey of George West visited with friends in Rockport last Sunday.

Jack "Buck" Davis Jr. is home on leave from the U. S. Navy, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Sr. and family.

Buck is stationed on the U. S. submarine Diodon which has just returned from Japan and the Korean waters and is home for twenty days. He will leave Friday for San Francisco to board the Diodon again.

Mrs. J. T. Hord who has been in the Naval Hospital in Corpus Christi for several weeks is at home and improving very nicely.

The boys from Aransas County who went to Sinton for their physical examination for the army were Clement Helsdesd, Riven Gusmon, Calton Salch, Chas. W. Padier, Frank Garza, Glafiro Solis and J. C. Gurley. Gurley was sent back after being examined to be called later.

Mrs. Robert Cole visited friends in Port Isabel this week.

The Lower Nueces River Water Supply District will fight in the Texas Senate to kill Rep. J. F. Gray's bill that would prevent construction of the Oakville Dam.

The bill was passed by the House, 66 to 48, yesterday. Wesley E. Seale, member of the water district's board of directors, then declared that efforts will be increased to kill the measure in the Senate.

Leading citizens of nine counties have banded together in the Coastal Bend Water Conservation Council to fight for the construction of Oakville Dam, that would be outlawed if the Gray Bill passed.

Fred Pool, secretary of the Alice Chamber of Commerce and one of the conservation council leaders, says the true story of Oakville Dam must be spread rapidly enough to reach all citizens of the Coastal Bend so that the Gray Bill can be killed in the Senate.

Pool said that water in the mains of South Texas is as important as blood in the veins of all whose livelihoods depend upon progress for the Coastal Bend. And the important truth, Pool says, is that Three Rivers will be the town to profit most by Oakville Dam.

He explained that the new Three Rivers would be built on a high site over the dam, out of the frequently flooded valley. All utilities, public buildings, schools, churches, streets, and landscaping would be paid for by the government, making Three Rivers a model of beauty as only a planned town can be.

Pool added that huge construction payrolls would come into Three Rivers while the dam was being built. The new lakeside site would draw tourists and industry. "We don't believe," Pool said, "that the Gray bill can become law. Anyone knowing the facts must realize that it would be a criminal act to deprive the whole of South Texas of sufficient water for continued growth. To legislate against such a large area for the selfish interests of a few men who can profit by stalling the dam construction, is an undemocratic act that must not be allowed to go on the records."

Rockport Y.P.A. to Entertain C. C. District

The Rockport Y.P.A. plan to be host to the Y.P.A. of the Corpus Christi district of this Presbytery at the Presbyterian Church for their Spring Rally, March 11.

The program follows: Registration 2:30 p.m.; Sing Song, Rockport 3:00 p.m.; Business, Stanley Cobbs, chairman; Announcements and Introductions; "Christ in Every Day Life"; Devotional, Aransas Pass.

Panel: Christ is the center of our religious life; Can we make Him the center of our business and school life? Presentation of this problem by a panel of selected Christians representing different professions and occupations.

Presentation of the Oscar, Recreation, Rockport, 5:00 p.m.; Supper 5:45 p.m. The night service is open to the public and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance. Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m. Prelude, selected. Welcome and announcements, Rev. T. H. Pollard. Devotional, C. C. First Church. Offering. Special Music, C. C. First Church. Address, Speaker to be selected later. Hymn, selected. Benediction, Rev. T. H. Pollard.

P.T.A. To Meet Wednesday, March 21

The Rockport P.T.A. will hold their regular third Wednesday meeting on March 21 in the school auditorium. This is an important meeting as the officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

The program will be presented by the 6th grades, sponsored by Mrs. Charlene Hunt and Mr. Hastings.

Dr. N. E. Graham will be the speaker of the day.

Zade Jones of the U. S. Marines is in Rockport from Memphis, Tenn. for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Epps.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Corbin and four children of Ingleside were visitors in the S. F. Jackson home Sunday.

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City To Refund Street Bonds, Saving \$11,095

The City Commission Tuesday night signed a contract with Central Investment Co. and Rauscher, Pierce and Co. of San Antonio for the refunding of \$48,000 worth of 11-year-old street improvement bonds at an average net interest rate of 1.742 per cent.

City officials said the municipality will save \$1,095 by refunding the bonds rather than continuing the old financing arrangement.—The Sinton Enterprise.

Food Will Be Rushed Here, Agency Told

Price Cross, of Dallas, representative of the food distribution branch of the Production Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, has assured the San Patricio County Emergency Relief Agency that shipment of its surplus commodities will be expedited on an emergency basis.

J. H. Curlee, of Sinton, administrator for the agency said that orders have been placed for apples, potatoes, spray-dried eggs and non-fat dried milk.—The Sinton Enterprise.

Brothers Meet—Almost—On Sea In Korean Waters

Two veteran sailor sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Linton of Palacios got close enough to wave at each other recently as their ships refueled from the same tanker in Korean waters.—Palacios Beacon.

Odem Supt. Listed In 'Who's Who' For Educators

H. W. Herndon, superintendent of the Odem schools, was recently notified that he is to be listed in the 1951-52 edition of "Who's Who in American Education." This is a publication which contains biographies of the outstanding educational leaders in America.—The Taft Tribune.

Dedication Of Kieberger School To Highlight Public School Week

The high school band will open the ceremony with the playing of "Star Spangled Banner", and "Host of Freedom", followed by the raising of the American flag and the pledge of allegiance by Boy Scout Troop 25. The Rev. Gordon Birdwell, pastor of the First Methodist Church will give the invocation.

William E. Nicholas, San Patricio County judge and superintendent of county schools will deliver the dedicatory address from the front steps of the new building.—

The Aransas Pass P. T. A. Ass'n will be host to the crowd.—The Aransas Pass Progress.

Spirited City Race In Prospect As Four New Candidates File

With the filing deadline of March 3 near at hand four new candidates vaulted in the city political picture this week.

D. C. Heath, United Carbon Company employee, announced his candidacy for mayor, opposing City Commissioner E. F. Falgout and J. E. Huff who earlier had filed for office.

There are five candidates for commissioners and only two to be elected.—The Aransas Pass Progress.

Ericson Elected Director General Dist. 33-A T.I.L.

A. A. Ericson, Aransas Pass High School principal, has been named a director of District 33-A Texas Interscholastic League meet it was revealed here this week.—The Aransas Pass Progress.

Thief Breaks Lock On Henhouse Door, Takes 46 Chickens

A prowler recently broke the lock on Mrs. Gerdes' chicken house

Rockport Lions Club Holds Regular Meeting

The Rockport Lions Club held their regular biweekly meeting and luncheon at the V.F.W. Hall Tuesday at noon. Twenty members were present.

The Club discussed holding a bingo game in the near future and President Arley Shivers appointed the following committee to arrange for the date and place to hold the games: Leonard LeBlanc, Seth Steele, Henry Camehl and Carl Osborn.

door, loaded 46 chicken into a trailer owned by her son, Donald Sharp, and fled.

A short distance away the trailer was found—abandoned, but the chickens are still missing.—The Sinton Enterprise.

Civil Air Patrol Squadron To Be Formed At Airport Sun.

All pilots and aviation enthusiasts in the Palacios area are urged to be at the Municipal Airport Sunday afternoon, March 4, at 1 o'clock when the city's first Air Patrol squadron is to be formed, according to Stephen A. Hopkins, instructor at the field.

Knowledge of aviation is not necessary for membership. Any one of good moral standing is eligible to join. Many non-pilot members will be needed for look-outs, navigators and etc.—Palacios Beacon.

Forced Labor Charge Nets Fine For Medicine Man

Four persons benefited and suffered in an investigation of the tent show held here last week, according to Deputy Sheriff E. T. Miller.

Two boys, one 15 and the other "of age" were found to be working under the threat of "exposure to the law", Deputy Miller declared. They were working without pay, and were to sleep on the ground under the stage on ragged quilts. The manager of the show was fined \$120.00.

An AWOL soldier discovered traveling with the show was found guilty of theft and transporting firearms over state lines.—Palacios Beacon.

Blocks In Taft To Be Numbered

The Taft Chamber of Commerce under supervision of Vice President Claude Haisley, is currently conducting a survey that will result in the proper block and house number being issued in Taft.

In connection with this project the city has tentatively agreed to have block number plaques put under street sign designations in order that motorists can identify the block number easily.—The Taft Tribune.

Scouts From Six towns Take Part In Cub Day Here March 17

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I wish to express sincere thanks to the Rockport and Fulton Fire Departments for their fine work in fighting the grass and brush fire in West Rockport last Thursday. It if had not been for the diligent efforts of the firemen many houses, including my home, might have been destroyed.

Mrs. O. A. Green
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Tuesday to complete plans for the annual Cub Day to be held in Taft on March 17. There will be a parade through downtown Taft at 9 a.m. with dens from Rockport, Aransas Pass, Sinton, Odem and Taft taking part. The parade will lead to the football field where the adventure trail will be the first event of the day.—The Taft Tribune.

Roping Club Makes Plans

Local rodeo enthusiasts and members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars have met and organized a local Refugio County Roping Club. The purpose of this organization is to assist in the promoting of interests in roping, arranging for first class rodeo performances and to remove the present rodeo pens from the baseball diamond to permanent quarters on the ground of the Veterans Memorial Park.—Refugio Timely Remarks.

U. S. Engineer Recommends Refugio Seek Water From Nueces River Dam

Henry P. Burleigh of the Bureau of Reclamation in a letter to Carter Snooks, publisher, has stated that in his opinion the town of Refugio would do well to consider seeking water for domestic use from the proposed Oakville Dam.

Conferences with County Judge T. G. Jeter, Mayor L. R. Jeter and City Secretary J. C. Heard have emphasized the fact that the underground source of water in this county is dropping and there is a possibility of exhausting the supply of water.—Refugio Timely Remarks.

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SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Fr. H. H. Bockholt, Pastor Sunday Masses at 7:00 and 9:00. Holy Days same as Sundays. Week-day Masses at 8 o'clock. Saturdays at 7 o'clock. Friday night Novena devotions at 7:00. Confessions: Saturdays, Vigils before Holy Days and Thursdays before First Fridays, 4:30 to 6:00 and 7:30 to 8:30.	ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Holy Communion and sermon first Sunday each month at 7:30 p.m. Morning prayer and sermon each Sunday thereafter at 11 o'clock a.m. Ladies Guild meets first Tuesday each month.	ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Rev. Lee Bateman Pastor Sunday School at 10:00. Regular Sunday Services at 11:00 a.m. Evening Services at 8:00. Wednesday night services, 8:00. Saturday night services, 8:00.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Walter Crabb Pastor Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Preaching Service, 10:45 a.m. Training Union, 7:00 p.m. Preaching Service, 8:00 p.m. Prayer Service, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.	STELLA MARIS CATHOLIC CHURCH — Lamar Rev. Fr. August L. Otto, Pastor Sunday Mass at 6:00 Week Day Mass at 7:00	FULTON COMMUNITY CHURCH Rev. L. G. Rogers, Pastor Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Preaching Service at 10:45 a.m. Saturday evening service, 7:00. Sunday evening service at 7:00. Prayer Meetings Wednesday evening at 7:00.
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES Services are held in the Christian Science Church in Aransas Pass on Sundays at 11 a.m. Sunday School is held at the Woman's Club building at 11 a.m.		

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After the hunt the young peo-

ple went to the Austin Smith home and were served cold drinks, sandwiches, fritos and potato chips. There were fifteen in the party.

Mrs. Clyde Townsend went to Corpus Christi Monday afternoon to take the examination to renew her license as a demonstrator of cosmetics. Mrs. Nell Toops accompanied her.

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Fulton Lions Club Observes Ladies Night

Monday night was Ladies Night at the Fulton Lions Club and a capacity attendance was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baughman and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts were guests of the club.

Baughman showed two pictures, one of the white-tailed deer of Texas and one on undersea life in the Gulf of Mexico. Both of these pictures were in color.

He also showed the football pictures of the Tennessee-Texas game.

Lion H. L. Teegerstrom delivered the welcome address to the ladies and Mrs. Harry Traylor gave the response.

Cpl. Donald E. Weber arrived home from Lackland Air Force Base Saturday and visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Weber at Fulton over the weekend. He attended church in Rockport Sunday morning at the Methodist Church.

Free Clinic For The Hard Of Hearing

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New Text Books Adopted By State

The Texas Educational Agency has adopted for use in the state in the 1951 and 1952 terms some new textbooks; 5 series of arithmetics, for use in grades 3-8, 5 series of spellers for grades 2-8, 5 series of basal readers for primary through 3rd grade, several series of supplementary readers to be used in grades 1-3.

This represents a change of policy on the part of the Texas Educational Agency, under the old State Department of Education only one text book, or text book series was adopted for each basal subject.

Committees of teachers are in the process of selecting the text books they prefer to adopt for the local school. They will choose one series of spellers in grades 2-8, one series of arithmetics in grades 3-8, and one series of basal readers from the pre-primary through the 3rd grade and as many of the supplementary readers as they consider valuable.

This represents more work for the teachers but they are more than glad to do it because it gives them their first chance to have an active part in choosing their text material.

This form of selection will probably be repeated for other subjects and grade levels in the next few years.

Mrs. James Weichard, who has been quite ill for some time is able to be around again.

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TUESDAY NIGHT TOURIST PARTY WELL ATTENDED

At the regular Tuesday night party for the out-of-town guests at the Woman's Civic Building there were fifty-five out-of-state guests, eleven states were represented with Iowa having the largest number present.

Mrs. E. E. Stouffer, Sioux City, Iowa won the ladies first prize and Mrs. Fred Christilles of Rockport won the second.

The first prize for men went to Frank Oler, Richmond, Ind. and the second prize was won by Jim Philpott, Miami, Texas.

The ladies prizes were donated by Mrs. Dick and the Rockport Refrigeration Company, and Auto Service Company. Duck Inn gave the men's prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harshbarger drove over from Port Aransas Sunday to visit their cousins, the Floyd Smith family.

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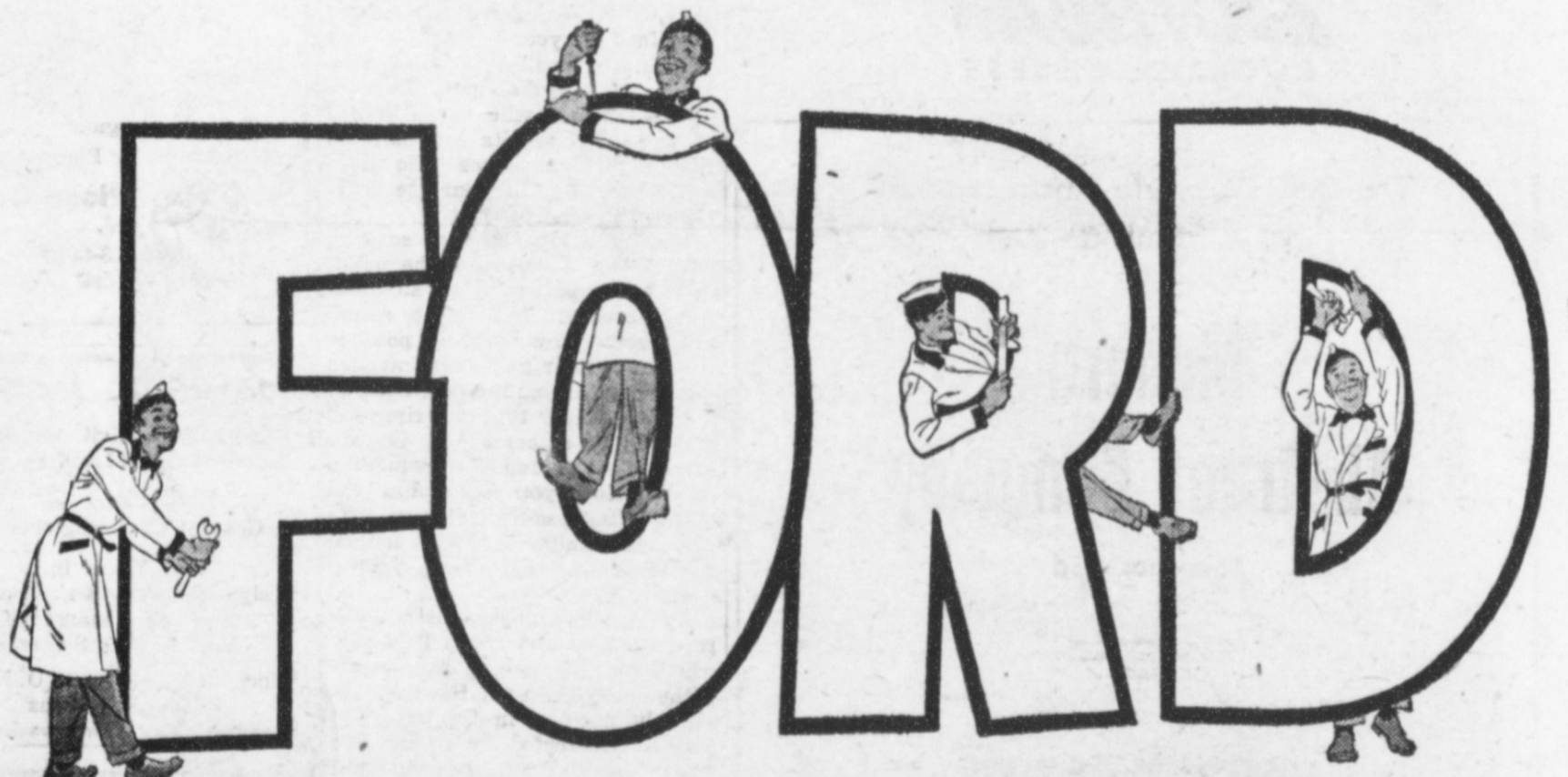
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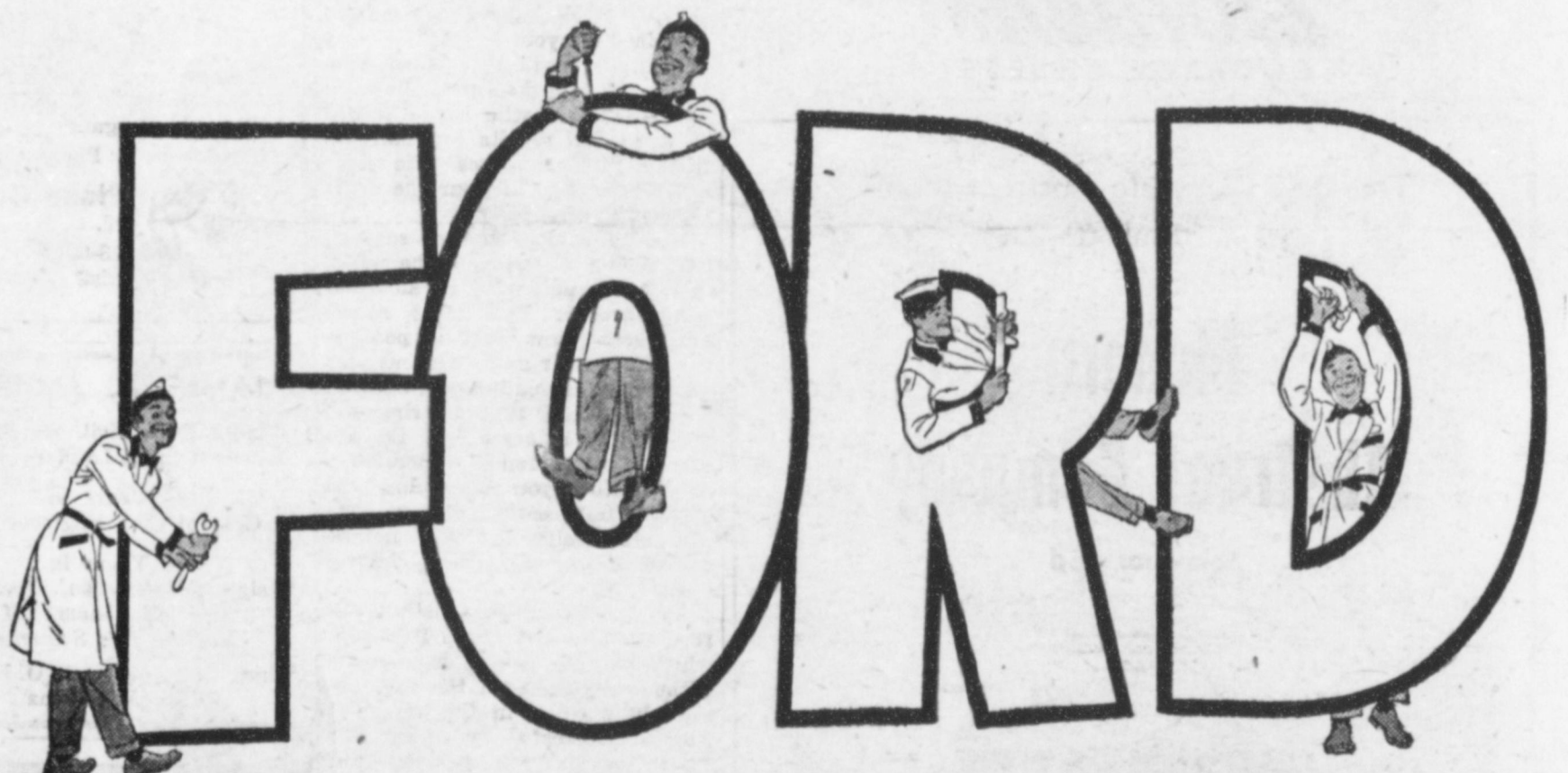
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The president, Mrs. B. W. Hamblin presided at the business session, with the reports of committees.

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After the regular meeting the program committee, Mrs. Mamie Hooper and Mrs. Mabel Bryant presented the following numbers: an address by the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Blanche Kuhns, followed by a light of Friendship drill in which each officer lit a friend's candle from the one she carried. Mrs. Mary Juergens sang, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Ellen Crossman; poems on Friendship were given by Mrs. Mabel Bryant, Jones B. Flag and E. D. Levine.

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Charles Crook is still the guest of his grandparents.

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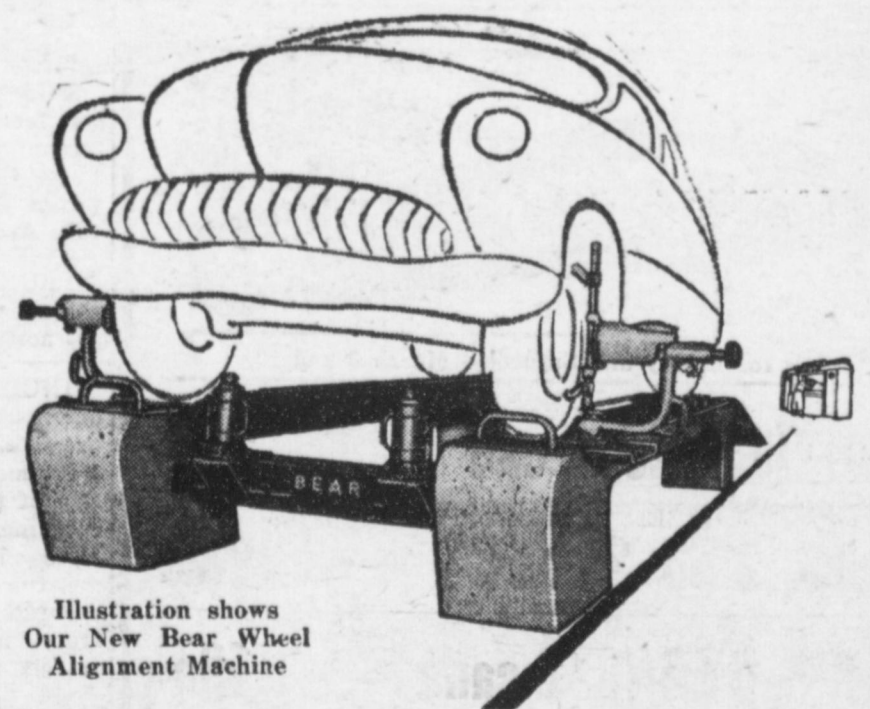


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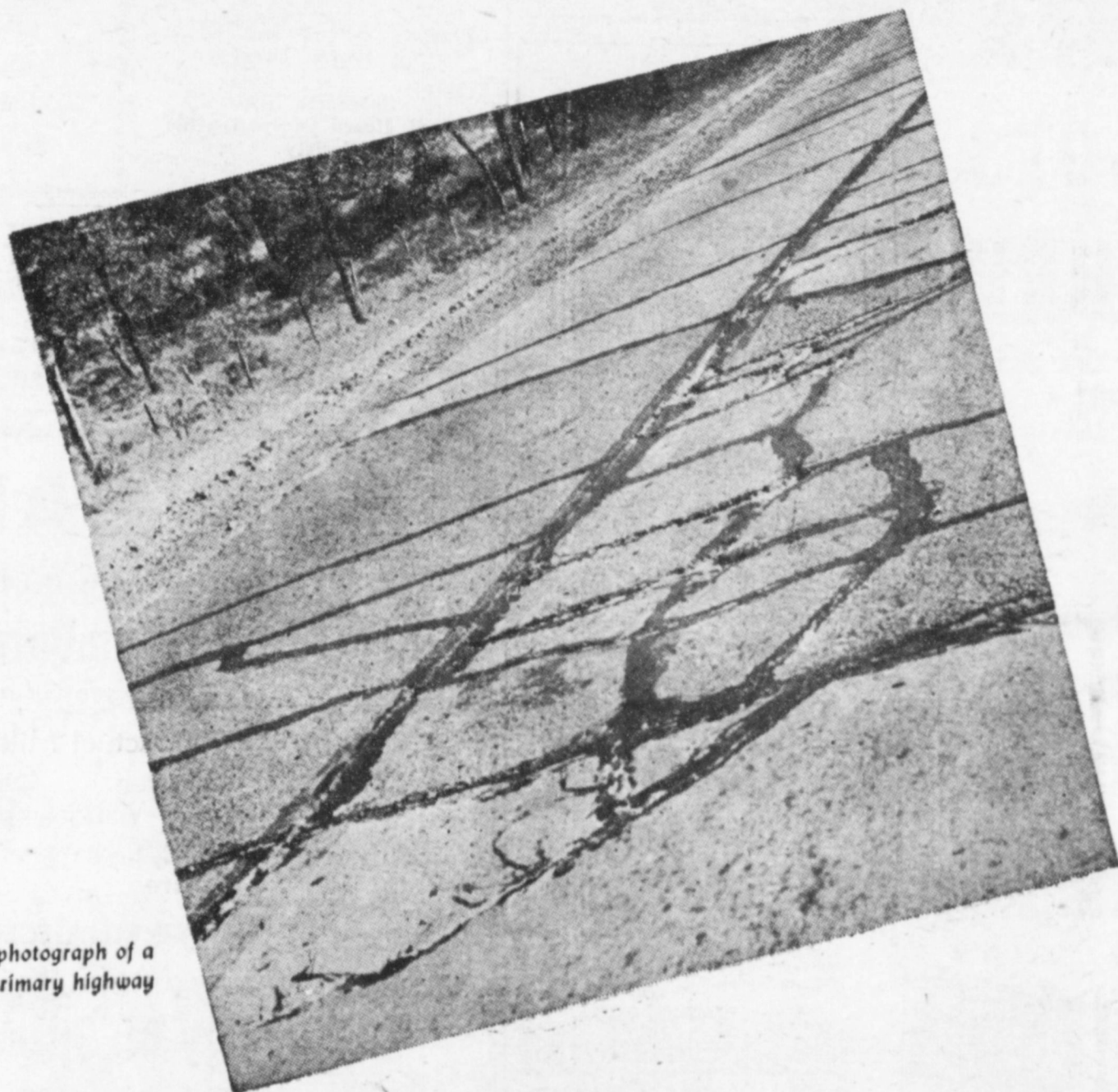
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Recent photograph of a Texas primary highway

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Damaged highways, such as the Texas highway shown in this picture, are a hazard to the safe operation of automobiles, farm trucks and other motor vehicles.

It costs three times as much to build roads that will withstand the loads of big trucks now being operated over them than it does for the smaller trucks and automobiles.

Latest records show **\$115,282,344** was spent on Texas highways for the year ending August 31, 1950.

A bill sponsored by the big truck operators is before the Texas Legislature. This bill proposes . . .

- (1) to increase the load limit from the present 48,000 pounds to 72,000 pounds, and
- (2) to increase the maximum truck length from 45 feet to 50 feet.

Recent official highway tests at La Plata, Md., sponsored by the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, the highway departments of eleven states and the District of Columbia, effectively demonstrated that as trucks increased in size and loads, roads cracked up and "died" more quickly.

We need to safeguard our highways for Civilian and Military use. "Increased heavy loading might seriously disrupt the effectiveness of essential routes in the event of an all-out war," according to T. J. Kauer, director of the Ohio Highway Department and Chairman of the La Plata road test committee.

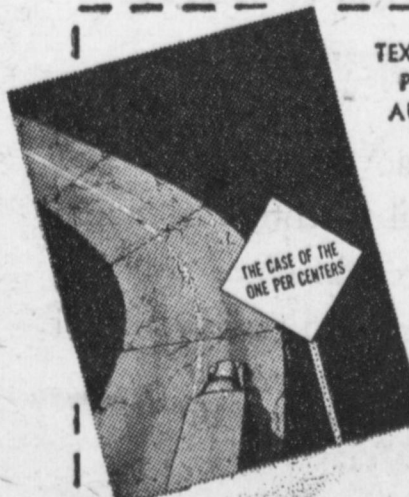
The big truckers want the taxpayers to continue providing expensive highways for them to use as "rights-of-way" for their own, selfish, personal gain.

THIS IS A TUG-OF-WAR BETWEEN THE BIG TRUCKERS AND THE TAXPAYERS OF TEXAS!

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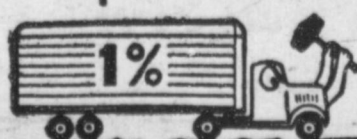
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Mrs. Abrams and son, Stephen, of Taft, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Jackson. * * *

Mrs. R. Hunt Banning is in the hospital in Corpus Christi recuperating from an extended illness. * * *

Mrs. Wm. A. Jones, Bill and Alton and their aunt, Mrs. Vera J. Treadway of Copper's Cove, Texas, spent Sunday in Port Isabel and Brownsville with Capt. Jones. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hines of Houston are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dudley. * * *

James C. Herring went to Marlin the first of the week on business. He visited his daughter Mrs. W. L. Patrick and family in La Grange while he was away. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Floyd of Hereford, Texas came in Thursday for their yearly fishing trip. They expect to be in Rockport about two months. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Marx of Houston were in Rockport over the weekend, the guests of Mr. Marx's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christilles. * * *

Mrs. Annie Mae Evans, Darlene and Mike went with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hubbel of Aransas Pass to Bayside Sunday for a visit with relatives and friends. * * *

The filing requirement is part of a supplemental OPS price regulation which became effective March 2. The San Antonio District OPS address is: 128-132 South Flores Street. * * *

John Albert Ratliff was in from Lackland Air Force Base again Saturday and visited friends and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ratliff until Sunday afternoon. * * *

Bob Morrison came home Wednesday from Baylor University and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison and family until Monday. * * *

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Mr. and Mrs. William H. Smith from Port Aransas are the parents of a daughter born in the Rockport Hospital on March 5th. The baby's name is Nancy Sue.

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