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Nov. 25	47	42	.00 30.14
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Nov. 29	72	54	.00 29.90
Nov. 30	70	67	.10 30.10
Dec. 1	61	39	.00 30.43

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State Grant of \$13,450 for Assistant County Attorney

Austin-Governor Dolph Briscoe announced his approval recently of six grants, totaling \$261,644 for improvements in law enforcement and criminal justice in the area served by

the Coastal Bend Council of Governments.

The money comes from the Criminal Justice Division of the Governor's Office. CJD administers the state's block grant from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration under the Crime Control Act of 1973.

A grant of \$13,450 to Aransas County is for employment of an assistant county attorney who will assist the Aransas County Attorney in case screening, preparation and prosecution.

The largest grant of \$104,867 goes to the Coastal Bend Council of Governments for improvements in the regional law enforcement communications system. Installation of the new radio equipment in the Corpus Christi Police Department is expected to decrease police response time and increase clearance and conviction rates.

A second grant of \$41,788 to the Coastal Bend Council of Governments is for purchase of technical and investigative equipment which will be used by law enforcement agencies serving the cities of Kingsville, Beeville and Ingleside, as well as Live Oak and Kleberg counties. Included in the purchase will be field identification kits, photo and investigative equipment, binoculars, recorders, silent alarms, metal detectors, files and two closed-circuit television systems.

A grant of \$38,724 to Nueces County will provide a microfilm record system for the district clerk's office. The system is expected to reduce storage space by approximately 90 percent and provide more efficient access to files.

A grant of \$32,207 to the City of Corpus Christi will continue a planning and research unit in the police department. During first funding year, the unit developed a capital improvements program for the department, revised the rules manual and assisted in budget preparation and crime analysis.

Another grant of \$30,628 to the Coastal Bend Council of Governments is for continuation of the regional law enforcement training academy. CBOG will contract with Del Mar College for the major portion of the training. Coastal Bend Association for Mental Health will provide supplementary mental health training.

The grants were among 52, totaling approximately \$3.5 million, which Governor Briscoe approved after having received recommendations from the Criminal Justice Division Advisory Board November 14.

Falk Named to Planning Group

Mayor Walter S. Falk, Jr., has been appointed a member of the Corpus Christi Area-wide Planning Advisory Committee by James N. Rose, director of Division of Planning Coordination Office of the Governor.

This committee was set up by Governor Briscoe in his executive order number 18 as a requirement under Section 208 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 (P.L. 92-500). Corpus Christi area was established as having the need for an area-wide waste treatment management plan.

The committee will act in meeting the long-range waste treatment needs of Texas and in particular this area.

Such planning is of major concern to Aransas County and to the City of Rockport. Although at present, the City has adequate facilities for waste water treatment, as the City expands it will become increasingly involved with not only the City's requirements for waste water treatment but also the future protection of the water in the bays which are of prime interest to commercial fishermen and recreational interests.

STATE BLUEFISH RECORD SET

Austin -- Equipped with a formidable set of teeth, bluefish are known along the Gulf and Atlantic coasts for their feeding rampages and hard fighting when hooked.

Adolph Shulz of Houston landed what turned out to be a Texas State Record bluefish on May 18 while fishing off the Buccaneer oil rig out of Galveston.

Shulz's record bluefish weighed eight pounds three ounces and was 28 1/2 inches long, bettering the old record set in 1974 of seven pounds six ounces and 28 inches in length.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, one of the basic aims of the Veterans of Foreign Wars as set forth in its Congressional Charter is "to foster true patriotism," and

WHEREAS, the Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States and its Ladies Auxiliary, has proved to be an effective instrument for putting these words into action, and

WHEREAS, the Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program, in this its 29th year, provides an opportunity for high school students to think, write and speak up for freedom and democracy, and

WHEREAS, this year's theme, "What Our Bicentennial Heritage Means to Me" focuses the attention of youth on the ideals on which our nation was founded—ideals that have endured for 200 years—and calls for a personal evaluation of their meaning today in maintaining democracy as a way of life in our Republic, and

WHEREAS, an active, dedicated and resourceful citizenry is vital to the preservation of Freedom on the eye of our Nation's 200th Birthday.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Walter S. Falk, Jr., Mayor of Rockport, do hereby proclaim December 1-5, 1975, as Voice of Democracy Week in Aransas County, and

IN OBSERVANCE THEREOF, I do hereby commend the Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary for their sponsorship of the 29th annual Voice of Democracy and I call upon 10th, 11th and 12th grade students in our schools to express their ideas about their responsibilities in preserving the significance of our Bicentennial Heritage for succeeding generations.

WALTER S. FALK, JR.
Mayor, City of Rockport, Texas



SCENIC BEAUTY AT TURNING BASIN — Among the numerous attractions which bring thousands of visitors to the Rockport area is the always fascinating sight of shrimp boats that can be seen at the Turning Basin and which are the subjects of countless photos that winter tourists send home to their relatives and friends.

Beware of Burglars

Santa may come down the chimney -- but burglars come in through unlocked doors and windows. So when leaving home to visit or to shop -- lock up -- and lock out -- burglars.

And when you do your Christmas shopping -- lock your presents in the trunk of your car. Don't display them in the back seat of your car where thieves can make merry at your expense.

For a free home or business security survey, call your local Crime Prevention Unit - 729-2222.

Add these to your list of New Year's Resolutions:
--I will get a free home security survey from the local Crime Prevention Unit.

--I will engrave valuables with my Texas Driver's License number;

--I will join a "Neighborhood Alert" committee to help keep undesirables off our block. . .

And if you keep these three New Year's Resolutions, it will surely help you and your family ensure a happy and prosperous New Year. . .

For additional information, call your local Crime Prevention Unit.

FARMER-RANCHER WORKSHOPS SET

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is cooperating with the Internal Revenue Service in offering 18 Tax Practitioner Workshops across the state, reports D.P. Pawlik, County Extension Agent.

The nearest workshop to our area will be held in Corpus Christi on the 10 and 11 of December. These two-day workshops are specifically designed for tax practitioners who work extensively with farmers and ranchers.

Topics to be covered include What's New for '75, Residential Credit, Partnership Returns, Net Operating Loss Carryback, Investment Credit, Soil and Water Conservation, Land Clearing, Depletion on Timber (East Texas).

For additional information, please contact the County Extension office, courthouse, Sinton, telephone no. 364-2334 for a brochure explaining more about the program.

OFFICIAL A.A.R.P. DANCE

On Friday night, December 19, at 7:30 p.m. American Association of Retired Persons will hold its official dance honoring all of the retiring officers of 1975 and the incoming officers of 1976 and their guests. This is not open to general public.

Irene Hopper, recreation director, has arranged for Vernon Kleypas & his musicians to furnish live music for this occasion. Refreshments will be served. All A.A.R.P. members are urged to attend this occasion.

Presbyterian Church Plans 'Dealing with Death' Study

"Dealing with Death" will be the study for adults of all ages at the First Presbyterian Church, Live Oak at Laurel Streets, beginning Sunday, December 7 at 9:45 a.m.

This thirteen week study, designed as a service to equip people to help one another in crises, will be led by attorneys, a judge, medical doctors, clergy, psychologists, funeral directors and bankers.

The scheduled outline for the study will be:
December 7 - Panel to give overview of the entire course and to receive requests for additional issues to be considered.

December 14 - Wills, Estates, Executors led by attorneys.

December 21 - Securities, Annuities, Trusts led by banker Charles LaBounty.

December 28 - Special Organizations Services led by Mary Lueders.

January 4 - Medical definition of death and the question of euthanasia led by a medical doctor.

January 11 - Legal definition of death and question of euthanasia led by a judge.

January 18 - Extensive illnesses led by psychologist James Doty.

January 25 - Local Funeral Practices led by funeral director J.T. Marshall.

February 1 - Presbyterian Funeral Practices and Views of burial, cremation, willing bodies, and organs for research-transplants led by Rev. John R. Bradshaw.

February 8 - Death Denying Society led by Don Cureton.

February 22 - Helping Children Understand Death led by Don Cureton.

February 29 - Theology and Death led by Don Cureton.

By removing many of the unknowns, planners for this course are trying to help those who attend cope with the crisis of death without fear. The public is cordially invited to attend at the First Presbyterian Church, Sundays at 9:45 a.m.

Pearl Harbor

Thirty-four years ago this December 7th—a Sunday—the radio broke the news that the United States naval base (Pearl Harbor) and air fields in the vicinity had been suddenly bombed by Japanese aircraft.

Though President Roosevelt knew such an attack was possible, though military commanders there had been warned, though an enlisted man on radar watch picked up the incoming raid, and though an intelligence colonel in Washington had concluded the attack was imminent and was struggling with superiors to warn Pearl, the attack was highly successful.

The battleship fleet was wrecked. Thousands were killed. Many aircraft were destroyed. But, by good luck, the few U.S. aircraft carriers in the Pacific were not in the harbor that morning. As it turned out, the carriers were the most vital ships in the resulting war, and they turned the tide in June of 1942, at Midway, six months later.

In this 1941-45 war, the U.S. was attacked; either the nation fought or surrendered. (Hitler declared war on America four days after the Jap attack.) Few Americans proposed surrender, thus the nation was united. In that sense alone, it was a good time to be an American—if one survived the war.

The nation was behind its fighting men, the overwhelming majority of citizens sought to do their part. And unity achieved miracles. In three and a half years the effort of unified Americans produced the world's mightiest military force. The lesson is obvious—united, the nation can overcome practically any obstacle or problem. We can remember this profitably today—thirty-four years after Pearl Harbor.

County Seeks Aid to Prevent Damage to Juvenile Shelter

On November 26 there was a special meeting of the Commissioners Court with the following members present: John D. Wendell, County Judge; Erie Eller, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; Ray Longino, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; Raymond Owens, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; C.L. Hale, Commissioner

Precinct No. 4; and Ruby Hart, County Clerk.

Commissioner Longino gave the Court a report on the John D. Wendell Juvenile Shelter with regard to extensive damages. Commissioner Owens made the motion that the Court request John D. Wendell, County Judge, to write letters

to the District judges informing them of the excessive damages to the shelter and stating that the county does not intend to maintain the shelter any longer unless measures are taken to restore discipline and order. Motion carried unanimously.

Came on for consideration an application by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for an easement to replace defective aerial cable with buried cable. Motion was made by Commissioner Hale to grant easement to Southwestern Bell Telephone to bury cable in Fulton as shown on application dated Nov. 20 and approved Nov. 26. Motion carried unanimously.

Lola L. Bonner appeared before the Court on behalf of the Aransas County Bar Association and gave a summary to the Court of the importance of the Law Library to the County and of the need for the Law Library to be maintained and kept up to date. Miss Bonner requested, on behalf of the Aransas County Bar Association and the District Judges that the County reinstate such maintenance. Motion was made by Commissioner Owens that the \$5.00 assessment fee charged to each probate and civil case filed in the County and District Courts as set out in Article 1702-I V.A.C.S. be reinstated. Motion carried unanimously.

Linwood Blain, Airport operator, requested the Court to purchase supplemental aviation weather station equipment. Motion was made by Commissioner Hale that the County purchase supplemental aviation weather station equipment as required by F.F.A. Motion carried unanimously.

Herman Johnson presented replat of Block 1, Key Allegro, Unit II by Mr. Brown, which had not been approved by Court. Mr. Johnson was instructed by the Court to return plat to Mr. Brown.

Letter from the Texas Justice of the Peace Training Center was read to the Court stating that Judges Roy Hinton and Lawrence Miller had successfully completed a twenty hour course in the responsibilities of the office of Justice of the Peace in accordance with Article 5972 of the Texas Revised Civil Statutes.

The Court agreed that the Garbage Compactor Station would be closed Christmas Day and the following Sunday, December 28.

Letter from Management Services Associates, Inc. was read to the Court pertaining to property-tax information and evaluation. After due discussion, the matter was left pending until the County Judge can contact Frank Hastings.

John Flinn, District Attorney, appeared before the Court in regard to the renewal of the Criminal Justice Grant for an Assistant District Attorney. Motion was made by Commissioner Longino that the Commissioners Court enter a resolution approving the application of the District Attorney of the 36th Judicial District of Texas for a Criminal Justice Counsel grant for an Assistant District Attorney and Secretary for a one year period beginning March 1, 1976. Motion was carried unanimously.

A.A.R.P. PUBLIC DANCE
American Association of Retired Persons will hold its monthly dance on December 11, Thursday, at 7 p.m. at the Airport for senior citizens in the area and its members. Many senior citizens from surrounding towns come and are welcome to this dance. Admission is 50 cents per person. Refreshments will be served. St. Irene Hopper, general chairman. Winter visitors in Rockport are welcome to attend this affair.

McDavid Named to Area-wide Planning Advisory Committee

John M. McDavid, president of Aransas County Conservation and Reclamation District and local insurance executive, has been appointed a member of the Corpus Christi Area-wide Planning Advisory Committee in keeping with provisions of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.

The appointment was made

at the direction of Gov. Dolph Briscoe by James M. Rose who is director of Texas Division of Planning Coordination.

The Corpus Christi area committee is charged with helping to meet long-range waste treatment needs of Texas with emphasis on problems in this area. In this connection the governor has designated the Coastal Bend Council of Government as the planning agency to develop an area-wide waste treatment management plan.

The committee of which McDavid is a member is charged with providing a forum for expressions of public and private interest groups that would be affected by waste treatment programs, and to provide overall advice on such programs.

The committee also is responsible for identifying major problem areas as they relate to waste treatment management, recommend information programs on the subject and assist in establishing waste treatment management planning, among other responsibilities.

McDavid's letter of appointment summarizes as follows: "This committee is established as the primary Area-wide Planning Advisory Committee pursuant to Environmental Protection Agency regulations and the governor's Executive Order Number 18 and is regarded as the only authorized committee to provide review and advisory actions to the Governor, the Texas Water Quality Board and the designated planning agency."

Record Tiger Shark Taken

Austin -- Sharkfishing gained in popularity during the summer across the United States and Texas fishermen were no exception.

Officials at the Parks and Wildlife Department, keepers of the Texas State Fish Records, have certified a state record tiger shark landed on August 30.

The 12-foot, 815-pound shark was taken by rod and reel off the Galveston jetties by Steve J. Thomas of Texas City. The shark had a girth of 74 inches.

Texas' previous record for a tiger shark was taken in 1974, weighed 785 pounds and was 11 feet 10 inches long. The world's record for the species is 18 feet; according to literature, tiger sharks are believed to reach up to 30 feet in length.

Library News

Statistics for the month of November include 1,377 visitors, 18 registered tourists and a total of 1,872 books, periodicals and films circulated.

"Thomas Jefferson," by Fawn M. Brodie has been added to the library collection. This new biography illuminates the relationship between Jefferson's inner life and his public life. The author, Fawn M. Brodie, is professor of history at the Univ. of California.

Mrs. F.N. Smith will be in charge of Story Hour Thurs., Dec. 4, 10:30-11. All pre-school children are invited to attend this event.

The library gratefully acknowledges donations and memorials from the following: Oliver Yerkle, Lloyd Hover, Mrs. Jim Yerkes, Tessye Maurer, Mr. and Mrs. H.T. Bailey, Jr. and Bracht Lumber Co., Inc.

BEAUTY ENTRY SPONSORS NAMED

Sponsors of Miss Velma Jean Pina's entry in the Bicentennial Miss Gulf Coast Pageant in Beeville, Dec. 5 and 6, are Jackson Sea Food Co., Casterline Fish Co., Trawler James Thomas, Trawler Mr. Kirton and Mrs. W.S. Bain.

Registered Texas Boats Nearing Half Million

Austin -- The number of boats registered in Texas is rapidly approaching the half-million mark.

Boat registrations at the Parks and Wildlife Department as of Oct. 31 totaled 486,154.

According to P&WD official John Ebell, most of those registered are less than 16 feet in length -- 324,461. In the 16- to

26-foot classification, Ebell's records show 156,427 boats registered. There are 5,557 boats from 26 to 40 feet long and only 689 from 40 to 66 feet in length.

The Texas Water Safety Act requires that each boat powered by an engine be registered with the Parks and Wildlife Department.



Church Directory

- CHURCH OF CHRIST**
Mimosa at Church Street
Dan Proffitt, Minister
Sunday: Bible School, 9:30 a.m. Classes from pre-school through adult. Worship and the Lord's Supper, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Bible Classes for all ages, 7:30 p.m. Thursday: Ladies Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.
Men's meeting (business) the second Sunday of the month, 7:30 p.m.
- 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.
- MISSION BAPTISTA 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.
- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
Rev. Tom McClung, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 10:50 a.m.; Methodist Men's Breakfast, first Monday, 7 a.m.; Corky's; Youth Group, Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; United Methodist Women - call church office for information, 729-6303.
- FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**
Rev. M.R. Crawford, Pastor
Corner of Laurel and Live Oak Sts., phone 729-6437. Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening Service, 7:30; Wednesday Night Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.
- SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH**
Msgr. Harold F. Palmer, Pastor
Lord's Day Masses (and Holy days that are holidays): Saturday, 6:00 p.m.; Sunday, 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. Holy days that are not holidays, 8:30 a.m., 6:00 and 7:00 p.m. Weekday masses: 5:30 p.m. Confession: Saturdays, 5:00 to 5:45 p.m.
- FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
Rev. John Robert Bradshaw
Live Oak at Laurel
Sunday: 9:45 a.m., Discovery Learning; 11 a.m., Morning Worship.
Second Monday: 7:30 p.m., Women's Circle.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m., Choir Practice.
Second Thursday: 9:30 a.m., Women's Circle; 3:30 p.m., Women's Circle.
- ROCKPORT CHURCH OF GOD**
Rev. Elsie Mae Huff
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.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FULTON**
Boyce Laqua, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Training Union, 6 p.m.; Evening Service, 7 p.m.; Mid-week Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7 p.m.
- UNION PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**
1 Block East of Security Real Estate
A.C. Vega, Pastor
Thursday, Saturday and Sunday, 8 p.m.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF HOLIDAY BEACH**
J. Harold Lindenmayer, Pastor
Worship Service 11:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Temporary meeting place, the old Water Office Bldg. on St. Charles Loop.
- ST. PETERS EPISCOPAL CHURCH**
Rev. Walter D. Clark, Jr., Rector
Sunday: 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 9 a.m., Family Church School; 10:30 a.m., Family Worship. Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Evening Prayer.
- CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**
Rev. C.J. Molmen, Pastor
S. Doughty off Market
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.
- GOSPEL LIGHTHOUSE**
Highway 35 South
Rev. L.D. Crawford, Pastor
Bible School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Prayer and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
- BAYVIEW CHURCH OF CHRIST**
932 S. Church Street
Sunday morning services at 10:30 a.m. and Sunday evening services at 6:00 p.m.
- PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**
1501 W. Market
Paul Bohot, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 8:45 a.m.; Communion 1st and 3rd Sunday of month.

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CONSUMER FOOD NEWS

College Station -- With demand for beef on the "light" side during the holidays, prices on beef in Texas grocery stores will be reasonable this week, Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt predicts.

She is a consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Best values will be on chuck cuts, corned beef, ground beef, standing rib roast and liver."

At pork counters, consumers can find best values on loin roasts and liver, she added.

"Fryer chickens remain a good buy, price-wise, and quality is excellent. However, egg prices are up, especially on large sizes. With the exception of markets that are featuring large-size eggs, the medium size may be a better value," Mrs. Clyatt said.

Dairy specials include cream cheese, sour cream, whipping cream and margarine.

At vegetable counters, the economy buys center on potatoes—both white and sweet, along with several cabbage-type items, such as broccoli, Brussels sprouts and cabbage itself.

Other most economical vegetable choices are carrots, mustard, collard and turnip greens—along with turnip tops, rutabagas, hard-shell squash and dry yellow onions.

Fresh fruit at budget prices includes oranges, grapefruit, tangerines, apples, Emperor grapes and bananas.

Other scattered store features likely will be sugar, canned cranberry sauce, pumpkin, corn and peaches.

Consumer Watchwords: Frozen-food choices, now more plentiful, also may have special prices—particularly on strawberries, peas, corn, squash and pumpkin pie.

On Sharks

The success of a film about a man-eating shark has inspired film producers to turn out others and millions are now constantly aware of the danger of sharks at bathing beaches.

The truth is, however, that sharks constitute a relatively remote danger at most beaches (though not all). Lifeguards, in Florida regularly ask bathers to come out of the surf when sharks are reported in the vicinity.

While the shark danger shouldn't be minimized, many people attacked in the ocean think they were the target of a shark when the real culprit was a barracuda or another fish. Shark attacks are relatively rare—certainly in states a few hundred miles north of Florida and southern California.

They are worth a precautionary thought and there are dangerous shark waters bathers should avoid, but they are few and far between on most American beaches and in many coastal states there have been less than half a dozen shark attacks in decades on all beaches.

On Work

While work can be bothersome and a great nuisance at times, it would be a mistake to consider it an evil custom of mankind. In fact, the opportunity of an individual to work for his own advancement is one of the prized liberties of modern civilization. The satisfaction that comes from work well performed is likewise one of the basic motivations and pleasures of human conduct.

While it may be advisable for men and women, as they get up in years, to slow the hectic pace of modern business, it is often a mistake for workers to "retire" in the blissful expectation of a joyful existence until death.

In many cases the grim reaper arrives much earlier than anticipated and there is evidence to support the belief that the early visitation is, in part, induced by a radical change in the person's mode of life.

Pregnancy Tests

Despite overwhelming evidence that simple pregnancy tests are harmless and that the average individual has no difficulty in performing them, in most states women can't buy kits in drug stores.

The reason is that the Federal Drug Administration still bars the sale of these kits—because of objections that some women might misinterpret the result. While this is a cause for concern, and care, it's not sufficient reason to ban sale of the kits, which are available in other countries.

Dr. David Acker of the Vanderbilt University Medical School says such kits should be available to all women, that if teenagers could test themselves without embarrassment, early care or early termination of the pregnancy would be possible.

Whatever the course to be followed by the pregnant woman, early detection is helpful and sometimes vital. The obsolete FDA ban will surely be removed at some time in the future; the sooner the decision is made the better—for American females.

RIDING ASS'N NEWS

Aransas County Riding Association met Dec. 1. It was decided to have a benefit Christmas dance Saturday, Dec. 20, at Lillian's Danceland featuring Marsha Karr and the Nashville Persuasions. Donation will be from 9 p.m. until 1:30 a.m. Door prizes will be given. Advance tickets may be purchased at Matlock Const. Co. or Cecil's Feed & Seed.

STEEL EARNINGS UP

PITTSBURGH, PA. -- U.S. Steel Corp., the nation's largest steel producer, reported record first-half-year earnings of \$311.2 million.

COFFEE FUTURE

NEW YORK -- General Foods has boosted its wholesale coffee prices by 20 cents a pound for ground coffee and 3 cents an ounce for instant and freeze-dried brands.



Family Physician

BY DR. JAMES G. PRICE

Q. I saw a TV show the other night in which goose eggs were implanted or imprinted with the voice of a human being which in this case was a college girl. After hatching, the baby geese recognized this voice and followed the girl around like it would have its own mother. Is there anything like this in humans?

A. Yes, but at this time we know less about the "imprinting" of a human baby than we do about the same thing in baby geese. Current studies are underway which seem to demonstrate that the first few hours of life are a very important time in which a mother-baby relationship is established which may carry on for years. There are even studies which indicate that the way a new mother acts when she first sees her baby — and especially the way in which she holds her head — may be a tipoff to how well the child may grow, even whether it is likely to end up as a battered child! Recognition of the importance of these early relationships has helped to foster the ideas of rooming in, fathers in the delivery room, etc.

Q. Can babies hear before birth?

A. This is pretty hard to prove definitely, but there is very strong evidence that if they can't hear, they can at least "feel" in the general sense. A Japanese physician recorded the sounds inside a pregnant woman — her heartbeat, placental sounds, and ordinary digestive sounds. A tape of this recording played to a nursery of crying newborns quickly settled almost all of them into a peaceful sleep. This likely indicates that babies hear to some degree before birth.

Q. Is it true that the sex of an unborn baby can be told by how the mother is carrying the baby?

A. Despite many old wives' tales to the contrary, this isn't true, not can the sex be predicted by swinging a coin over the abdomen. Examination of cells from the amniotic fluid do provide a highly accurate means of predicting sex, and a recent report indicated that this same thing may be possible by the examination of cells from the mother's cervix. Knowing ahead of time is particularly important in those instances where children of one sex can be expected to develop a fatal inherited disease while children of the other sex will escape it.

Intermarriage

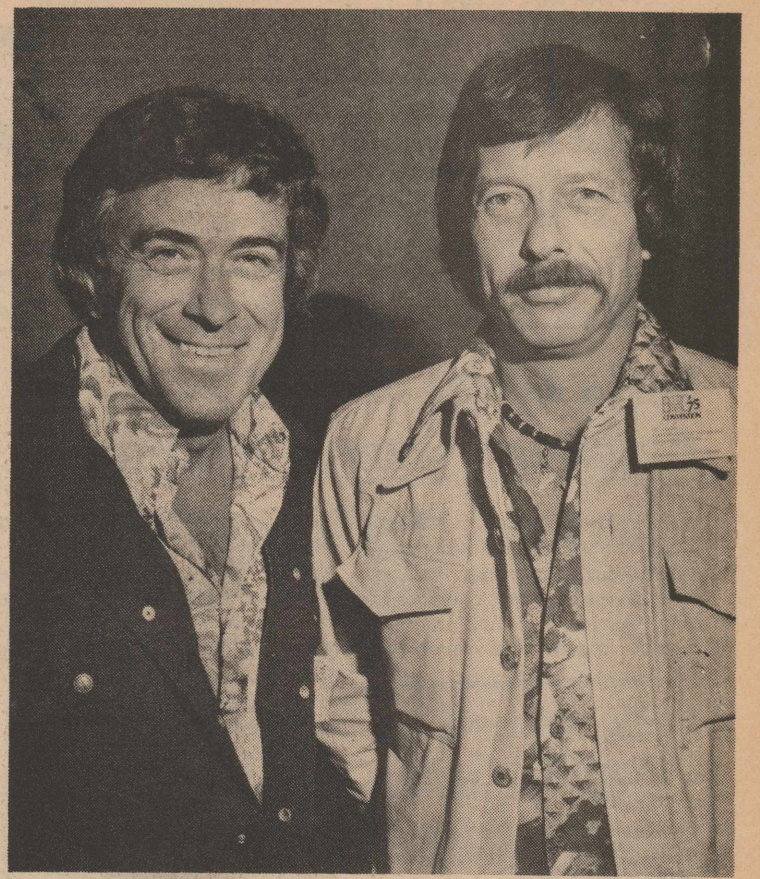
For years most states made it illegal for those of different races to marry. That, of course, was unconstitutional, and no longer are mixed marriages barred. Today every citizen is free to make his or her own choice.

Appreciating this individual freedom, most Americans still marry within their own race—by preference. And most sociologists think this choice the safest one.

In recent months, in this connection, crusaders have sold the television industry the theme it's television's duty to sell mixed marriages to Americans. And so, in television programming that reaches into almost every home in America, to young and old alike, on every network, the mixed marriage theme is now being exploited or "sold" to the public.

Much grief could result. Commercial television, already a major cause of crime, is not the vehicle to sell manners, customs and mores to the American people. It is, as its name implies, commercially motivated.

Whereas Americans today enjoy a free choice, as they should, there are still more disadvantages and pitfalls in mixed marriages than in marriages within one's own race. Freedom to pursue whatever course one wishes is the American way and desirable. But pink-cloud hokum which hides realistic problems and dangers should not be peddled as enlightenment.



BTAT ELECTS NEW DIRECTORS — New district directors of the Boating Trades Association of Texas elected at the organization's 19th annual convention in Houston are (left to right) Hubert Spradling of Sprad's Boat Town, Orange and Bo Clark of Marineland, Inc., Rockport.

U.S. & Education

The Department of Labor recently began hearings to determine how it would force colleges and universities to hire teachers in proportions government officials think desirable. That proportion would relate to the percentage of minorities, women, etc., in the total population.

Newsmen were told by Labor Department spokesmen the department in the future would demand more in the way of faculty adjusting.

Federal action to force equal opportunity in education is opposed by few Americans, though in some lower-level cases, it has produced chaos and dissipated faculties, plus lowering student achievement averages. Whether the federal government should make financial educational aid a tool of leverage to require colleges and universities to establishing faculty quotas, however, is a controversial question. If the goal in education is to have the best teachers for students, regardless of what that requires, such federal coercion can hinder the educational process.

In addition, it's unrealistic idealism for bureaucrats to assume discrimination in hiring on the basis of population figures, especially in that most women, for example, still prefer a life in the home. The federal bureaucracy has no business discouraging this choice by rules relating to financial aid, in an effort to politic or get in line with demands of organized pressure groups, which some times do not represent a collective view of the population segment supposedly being spoken for.



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SPOTTING THE CHILD WITH LEARNING PROBLEMS

With another school year under way, many families may be faced with the problem of a child who has difficulty in learning.

Several million American school children have learning problems. Three-fourths of them are boys, and the problem frequently runs in families.

The Texas Medical Association lists some signs that can help alert parents as to whether their child has a learning problem -- inappropriate behavior for age, distractibility, apparent laziness, withdrawal, short attention span, unwillingness to cooperate, poor memory, poor coordination, inability to sit still, trouble remembering what he sees or hears, tendency to work from right to left, general confusion about direction, writes letters upside down or backwards, and walks, runs, hops, skips or jumps more awkwardly than his playmates. If the child has trouble bringing his hands together to catch a ball, he may have trouble writing on the blackboard. If the parent feels there is reason for concern over the child's development, he is urged to talk with the family physician, and with officials at the school.

Whether there is a learning problem or not, the child often can benefit from parental help in learning. Here are some suggestions:

*Provide a regular environment with orderly habits of sleeping, eating, schoolwork, and play that the child can count on.

*Minimize distractions and choices. Give him his own room and arrange it simply. If an object is forbidden, remove it rather than lecture him on not playing with it.

*Assign simple tasks, with simple directions, one step at a time. Show him what to do rather than rely on language. Better yet, do it with him.

*Reinforce his schoolwork in informal ways. Read to him to expand his vocabulary and grasp of concepts. Use maps, clocks and calendars to help him understand time, space and direction.

*Help him to develop his coordination with eye-hand games like pickup sticks and jacks; install a basketball hoop and a horizontal bar in the backyard.

*Most important, show him he is loved, even if he is different.

DES MOINES, IOWA -- It was a surprised burglar who broke into Donald Bales' home. Zahi, a 14-month-old lioness, sprang at the burglar as he came crashing through the door and held him down while Bales got a gun and called police.

Pharmacy Topics



By RICHARD BECK

Residents of the Seattle area have a better chance to survive a heart attack, now that some 100,000 persons have received emergency-care training. Hundreds of lives have been saved by the emergency treatment.

In England, one doctor reports that young children will grow new finger-tips to replace those damaged in accidents.

Midwife trainee in England is named Barbara Stork. Mothers-to-be are amused to hear that the Stork has arrived. And some children KNOW that the Stork brought them.

Physiologist in California says you can get into good shape by exercising as little as 30 minutes a week. Don't know if it works, but we like his attitude.

Bleeding of any nature which doesn't stop after simple bandaging treatment may require a doctor's care. Call your physician to be sure.

How's the bandage situation at your house? Stock up on first-aid at

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FIVE GENERATIONS were represented at the Fricks family reunion Thanksgiving Day at Bayside. Shown (left to right) are baby Krystal Gail Turner, mother Mrs. Dale Turner, grandmother Mrs. Frank Reynolds, great-grandfather Eaton Fricks and great-great-grandmother Mrs. Pauline Fricks who is in her 90's. Approximately 20 persons attended.

Consistent Pattern Seen In Drowning Statistics

Austin -- Water safety statistics on drownings consistently turn up the same facts -- most drowning victims are Anglo males, 31 years of age and older who were involved in a swimming-oriented fatality.

And a Texas Parks and Wildlife Department study shows that a great majority of drownings occur within 25 miles of home.

Of the 588 people who lost their lives in Texas waters in the first three quarters of 1975, the percentage of male to female drownings was almost

six to one, with a total of 502 males losing their lives as compared to 86 females. (A total of 574 people died during the same period last year.)

The rate of Anglo drownings as compared to the second largest group, Latin Americans, is three to one, with 353 such victims being Anglos and 117 Latin Americans.

Where age is considered, the percentage difference is not as great. Statistics show that 161 victims aged 31 years or older lost their lives in this manner in 1975, with 126 aged 21 through

30 and 106 aged 16 through 20. Of the 588 drownings reported so far this year, P&WD figures indicate that 400 happened within 25 miles of home.

While swimming mishaps claim the largest loss of life, the next highest fatal category consistently is accidents in which the victims fall into water, totalling 101 through September 1975. These figures are followed by 65 fishing accidents 47 boating accidents and 38 wading accidents.

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Woody Acres Trailer Park

The cool crisp air was reminiscent of that earlier time and place as approximately 200 guests assembled to celebrate Thanksgiving at the club house at Woody Acres Trailer Park at Fulton. The club house was overflowing as scores of winter visitors and their guests filed into the spacious club room to celebrate the holiday in the spirit of togetherness.

Visitors from 30 different states and as far north as Canada along with the permanent residents of the park mingled as one. Each brought his own special covered dish to compliment eight golden brown turkeys provided for the occasion by Jack Chance of Ponca City, Okla. in honor of his father, Lester Chance, deceased, also of Ponca City, who spent many happy seasons in this South Texas city.

In a letter to Ed Woody, park owner, Chance stated, "My family and I have joined my father to enjoy the traditional Woody Acres Park Thanksgiving dinner on several occasions. These turkeys are a dedication to him. I am sure he would have liked it that way."

In the true spirit of Thanksgiving, the 200 paid honor to a departed friend of many past seasons and paused in their lives to give thanks for their bountiful lives, much in the same manner as our forefathers, when they joined their neighbors and enjoyed the original feast of Thanksgiving.

Nursing Home Nov. 24-30

The Aransas Pass Nursing and Convalescent Center had a great Thanksgiving week of activities. Arthur, our volunteer barber from the City Barber Shop of Ingleside came over Monday morning to cut our men's hair. We do appreciate you, Arthur!

Monday afternoon our piano player, Birdena Bell, was here for our "Sing Along." Monday evening the Future Homemakers of America of Rockport-Fulton High School came over and presented a Bicentennial skit and then served refreshments and favors to each resident. Then they sang songs and visited with all of our people.

Tuesday morning the First Assembly of God ladies of Aransas Pass were out for their birthday program. They presented gifts to all the honorees for November.

Tuesday afternoon the W.M.U. ladies of the First Baptist Church came out and had their big birthday and game day party by serving refreshments to all and then presenting each one having a birthday in November with a gift.

Tuesday evening was movie night with Susan McVey from the San Patricio County Library showing our movies.

Wednesday morning Jean Windham was out to instruct our paint class while Bonnie had Thanksgiving with her

children. We are so very proud to have Jean as a volunteer at our Center. Wednesday evening was LULAC's #630 time to come out for their monthly game night.

Thursday of course was "turkey day" and we really had a most wonderful dinner for our residents. They had turkey and dressing with all the trimmings and even pumpkin pie. All of our residents thanked our kitchen supervisor for such a wonderful dinner.

Friday afternoon Thanksgiving Mass was said by Father James Hamilton.

Friday evening the "Bible on Film" was shown by Wayne Jones of the Aransas Pass Church of Christ. Saturday was a day of leisure for our residents. Sunday morning church services were led by Rev. Al Bankert, Rev. Al also comes at least once a week and visits all of us at the Center.

Sunday afternoon was quite a pleasurable one for all of our residents and friends. The LULAC chapter #630 of Aransas Pass brought Miss Chris Davila of Corpus Christi with the "Ballet Hispano Fantasia" dancers over to perform for us and then served a hot dog supper to all of the residents and staff.

Everyone really enjoyed the entertainment and food as well. A great big thanks to Mrs. Hope Rangel and all of the LULAC ladies and men for doing such a nice thing for our residents. They will remember this great occasion for a long time.

Also, thanks to the Future

Homemakers that were here Monday evening for the beautiful mums and gladiola arrangement that they brought our residents.

Again, may I say thanks to all of you in the area for doing what you do voluntarily for us. We love all of you.

Last, but far from least, a big thanks to the members of Delta Sigma Phi for making the very unique and colorful turkey favors for our residents.

THANKSGIVING STORIES BY LIVE OAK STUDENTS

"The Featherless Turkey" By Vicky James

One day there was a turkey with fine feathers on his little tail. He was so proud of his feathers. It was almost Thanksgiving and the turkey with fine feathers was making fun of the other turkeys because they didn't have feathers. Then one day it became dark and it began to rain. You could see lightning and you could hear thunder. The turkey with fine feathers' house fell down because it was made of grass and paper. Well, the turkey with fine feathers became the turkey with no feathers. The other turkeys' feathers grew on their little tails and they were beautiful. On Thanksgiving Day all of the turkeys had fine feathers on their little tails except one. It was the one that had the fine feathers first, and who was making fun of the other turkeys that had no feathers at first.

"The First Thanksgiving" By Hope Browning

Here we are in the Netherlands because of religious freedom. Our children are forgetting their English ways. We are going to seek the new land. The Mayflower set sail and there is a lot of hardship as we looked for the new world, but we, the Pilgrims, are hardy. Finally we arrive at Plymouth Rock. It is very hard and just a few survive. Squanto shows us how to plant corn and hunt deer, turkey and catch fish. Then we have enough food for the winter and we are going to have a feast called Thanksgiving.

"NuNu and His First Thanksgiving" By Raul Lopez

One day the Pilgrims hit shore. They rode on a ship called the "Mayflower." It was a big one. But NuNu was a little Indian boy. His father was a good carver. He could carve a little boat or an animal. His mother was a good cook. The next morning NuNu went hunting with his father. They got nuts, berries and grapes. NuNu, with his bow and arrow, shot a wild turkey. His father was proud of him, so they went home. One day the pilgrim men went hunting. Then they saw the Indians' camp. NuNu's father came out of the brush. They told each other their names, and they became friends.



B&PW CHRISTMAS PARTY — Business and Professional Women's Club president Flo Griffith holds a Christmas card holder, one of the many items to be offered in their annual Christmas Bazaar, Saturday, December 6 at the V.F.W. Hall. The Bazaar will also feature plants and baked goods. The club is selling tickets at 50c each with a chance to win a \$100 bill. Proceeds from the Bazaar go to the \$500 scholarship awarded to a graduating senior girl, which the Club offers each year.

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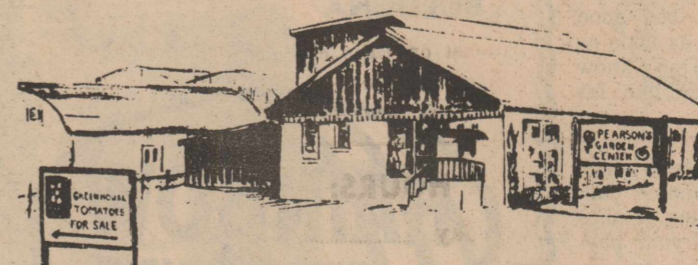
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Gary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Howard of Arvada, Colorado.

Miss DeCamp is a graduate of Lakewood High School.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Rockport-Fulton High School and is presently a senior at Metropolitan State College, Denver, Colorado.

The couple is planning a June wedding.

PALM HARBOR NEWS

The entrance to Palm Harbor, residential waterfront development on State Highway 35 south of Rockport, has been landscaped by volunteer workers during the past month.

After the area on both sides of the street was cleared of vegetation, the ground was poisoned and covered with plastic. Finally, crushed white limestone was spread.

Latest addition to publications in the Rockport area is the Palm Harbor Palm Leaves, a mimeographed news sheet with news stories of interest to residents as well as personal items.

The name of the publication was selected in a contest among residents. Marian Tuttle is the editor.

Bowling News

Bowler of the week ending November 30 was Ed Setterbo with games of 204-154-202-560 series. Lady bowler was Lee Gonzales with games of 196-142-125-463 series.

Gilbert Hitzfield of the Clubhouse 55 was the winner of a seafood dinner at Little Bob's as he was bowler of month for November in his league. Keep up the great bowling.

Johnnie Potter of the Clubhouse 55 rolled a 190 game, 526 series. Bill Petrofsky 212-546, Gilbert Hitzfield 205-523, John Blair 181-512. Splits were converted by Cecil Day 3-10, Richard Rilling 5-10, John Blair 6-7-10, Margaret Vogler 5-7, Josephine Sheppard 2-4-5, Marge Dillworth 6-10, also 7-8, Chris Chrisman 5-7, Vennett Stone 144 game 23 pins over average, Vivian York 165 game 52 pins over average, Vera Douglas 157 game 48 pins over average, Marge Dillworth 166 game 37 pins over average.

Dixie Turner picked up the 5-7-9 split, V. Emory 2-7, Vivian York 3-10.

On the Wednesday morning Coffeetime league splits were picked up by Elsie Marshall 3-10, Birt Menville 5-10 and

5-8-10, Gladys Winkle 5-9-10, Judy Kelly 2-7, Betty Quinn 2-7, Lucy Dube 5-10, Liz Williams 3-10, Donna Lightsey 5-10, Nancy Cady 3-10. Knippa's Texaco still holds high team game and high team series. Billie Driver rolled a nice 209.

The Ful-Rock league were really rolling again this week. George Pierce rolled a nice 202, 212, 542 series. Splits were picked up by Bea Shelton 5-7, Bill Walston 5-10, Jim Little 5-7, Glenda Knostman 3-10, Bill Dick 5-7, Eunice Hamon 3-10, Ken Thomas 5-8-10 and 5-7-9, Kay Thomas 2-7, George Peirce 5-7, Marvin Treptow 2-5-10, Karen Hugenberg 3-10.

The Ful-Rock league welcomed Connie and George Peirce as new members, replacing Beth and Ron Levy.

The Hams are still in first. Lee Gonzalez had a hot night and bowled a 196 to take over women's high scratch game as well as high handicap game as it came to 241. Jim Little moved into second high handicapped game with a 254 (225 scratch).

P.E.O. NEWS

Chapter EO, P.E.O., will meet Tuesday, December 9, at the home of Mrs. Jack Heffel, 229 Port Royal, City by the Sea, at 1 p.m. The program will be "Christmas Memories" given by Mrs. D.T. Adams.

All unaffiliates in the area are invited to attend. For transportation, please call 729-5982.

OUTDOORS

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by

L. D. NUCKLES



Inland fishery biologists of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department are making some giant strides in their attempts to produce better fishing in the fresh water lakes of South Texas.

Falcon Lake, that sleeping giant that lies between Texas and Mexico, has never reached its potential as a really great fishing lake, biologists believe. Although at one time largemouth bass fishing was classed as great, the record bass that everyone expected just haven't been produced. In an attempt to produce fish that would grow faster and larger the P&WD has stocked Florida largemouth bass in the lake. The "nursery cove" method was used. Other governmental bodies such as the County Commissioners, private individuals and large corporations have contributed labor and equipment to block off a cove of the lake so that no fish could enter or leave. Into this cove 50 to 60 pairs of Florida brood bass were placed.

just settle to the bottom and spoil. Since the flow of the Rio Grande can be controlled by releasing water from Amistad Lake, the proper flow could be maintained during the spawning run.

Other South Texas lakes are receiving intensive study. The different problems that confront the biologist on each lake require different management techniques. We'll try to get around to some of the other lakes in future columns.

Harbor Light Cottages News

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dodd and son, Richard, of Harbor Light Cottages, Fulton, entertained their guests to a delicious Thanksgiving dinner. Among those attending were Mrs. Ellen Davison, Hepworth, Ontario, Canada; Mr. and Mrs. Gail Crowley, Clarksville, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Fuller, Beloit, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Ebbie Jennison, Baudette, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Franke, Brandon, Manitoba, Canada; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barham, Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Beedy, Fulton.

Caller (moralizing)--You know we take nothing with us into the next world.

Mrs. Rounds--Thank heaven for that. It will be an novelty to go somewhere without having to pack.

Woman's Club Tourist Party

On December 1 the Woman's Club of Aransas County held its weekly tourist card party.

Hostesses were Mrs. Ray Axton, Mrs. Joe Slocum and Mrs. Mark Stalker. At the coffee service was Mrs. Frank Harrington of DeWitt, Iowa. At tea service was Mrs. H.E. Hubbard of Rockport.

On the registration table was a bowl full of lavender chrysanthemums. On the serving table was a lovely floral arrangement in a gold bowl. Delicious cookies were served.

There were ten tables of bridge. Mrs. Earl Schuur of Palm Harbor won first prize. Mrs. Julia Gifford of Enid, Okla. won second prize.

There were four tables of canasta. First prize was won by Mrs. Dan Ward of Rockport. Second prize was won by Mrs. Robert Reynolds of Louisburg, Kansas.

Finale prize was won by Mrs. John Eecher of Fonda, Iowa.

The next card party will be held on Monday, December 8. Games will commence at 1:45 p.m.

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Weekend cottage in Fulton, \$8,000.

Weekend cottage, beautiful oak trees, \$10,000.

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It pays to buy clothes which are made of good materials and well tailored, if one has the required money. Such clothes last longer and stay in style with fewer changes than cheaper garments do.

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GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, December 5 and 6, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. ABC Trailer Park, Fulton, next to Post Office. Gift items, clothing, furniture, miscellaneous. Get Christmas here. c38

GARAGE SALE: 313 N. Doughty, ends Monday. p38

FOR SALE: 21-foot Lone Star, 90 H.P. Evinrude, power tilt, battery, 18-gal. tank, tandem tilt trailer, good tires. \$1795. 602 First St., Rockport. p38

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FOR SALE: Westinghouse refrigerator-freezer. 11 cu. ft. \$125.00; 13 ft. individual shrimp trawl, boards & ropes new \$75. 729-0843. p38

Fashion

Most all patterns for knitted and crocheted articles and accessories are being shown in magazines. For the woman who has to budget, these things will be appreciated as Christmas gifts.

Some of the holiday dresses have bare shoulders and skirts which swing out from short bodices.

It pays to buy clothes which are made of good materials and well tailored, if one has the required money. Such clothes last longer and stay in style with fewer changes than cheaper garments do.

Warm nightwear is becoming increasingly popular this winter due to two things. The first one is the energy crisis, with

FOR SALE: 1969 Ford Ranchero, radio & air. Runs but needs work. 729-0273. c38

GARAGE SALE: Sat. 8 a.m., 1313 Dana Dr., 729-0189. c38

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GARAGE SALE: Friday, 9-5, Saturday 9-12, Fulton, 103 2nd St. between Broadway and Palmetto. p38

PORCH SALE: Tappan electric range 4 yrs. old, good condition, call - discuss price; women's knit & cotton dresses 8-12; men's jackets; children's shoes; misc. 729-240

College Station -- Diphtheria isn't dead yet--outbreaks do occur in all age groups, and national statistics show many cases are severe with five to ten per cent fatal, Carla Shearer, a health education specialist says.

She's with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Immunization is the only effective protection against diphtheria. Babies can be immunized at about two months of age, but aren't fully protected until they have all three doses of the series.

"Diphtheria vaccine is almost always combined with pertussis (whooping cough) and tetanus vaccines. After the basic series, regular booster doses of diphtheria vaccine are necessary to stay immunized.

"Although often thought of as a childhood disease, diphtheria also strikes adults. The Texas Department of Health Resources suggests that adults receive diphtheria booster shots, usually combined with tetanus vaccine, every 10 years," the specialist said.

Of symptoms, Miss Shearer said diphtheria starts like a cold with the usual sore throat and fever. But these symptoms rapidly get worse, and the patient will have difficulty swallowing. Heart damage, serious disability or even death may result, the specialist noted.

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Young Newsmakers

By KATHERINE RANDALL

Parents of all teenagers worry about their children's futures. But those who are parents of educable mentally retarded youngsters have extra cause for concern: "What can my child do after high school?" "Will he or she have the opportunity to make friends with 'normal' peers?"

The New Jersey State Department of Education has responded to both these questions by integrating retarded students into the public high schools and providing occupational training. But — at Northern Highlands Regional High School in Allendale — it is the "regular" students themselves who make the integration work.

The "regular" students, 12 of them, volunteered to be tutors and companions to 33 educable mentally retarded, perceptually impaired and emotionally disturbed students. They sought the help of a young special education teacher in the high school who volunteered to teach a course to help them better understand the handicapped students in their school.

Twice a week and during free periods, the young people tutor retarded peers. They may go to shop classes where retarded students are learning skills which will enable them to work at jobs such as photographic assistant or nurse's aide after graduation, but most of their work is giving additional help in reading and math.

Sometimes a young person's praise carries more weight than that of an adult. One tutor describes an experiment she tried: "I told the boys that everything they did was good. Believe it or not the change was terrific. It was a very rowdy group and at the end they all worked together."

In the evenings, tutors and tutees can socialize comfortably in the Grotto, a recreation center which the tutors set up for handicapped teenagers of the district. Here the young people can listen to records or play ping pong one night a week.

"It is hard," says the advisor for "Nature and Needs," "to say who — tutee or tutor — benefits most from this program. The tutors are supposed to be mature models for the other kids. But parents tell me that for their 'normal' children, who seemed a little immature or withdrawn themselves, tutoring has been therapeutic, too."

Parents or teachers who wish to know more about "Nature and Needs" might get in touch with the National Commission on Resources for Youth, Dept. C, 36 West 44th Street, New York, New York 10036.

VA DEPENDENTS EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE

More than 8,000 Texas widows, wives of totally and permanently disabled veterans, and their children are enrolled in college studies and other training annually with Veterans Administration financial help, A.A. Hunter, VA Regional Director, said recently.

Their checks from VA generally are \$270 per month for full-time training. Included are wives of prisoners of war and the missing in action, some of them attending college in Europe, the Middle East, and other foreign areas.

Overseas attendance at institutions of higher learning is permitted by VA under its dependents educational assistance, although the schools must be approved by the VA Central Office in Washington, D.C.

Although most of the eligible dependents are in college, some are receiving special restorative training for physical or mental handicaps. This involves speech and voice correction, lipreading, and braille reading and writing. Special vocational training also is provided.

VA checks average \$260 per month for full-time restorative training. In some cases, handicapped children may begin a special vocational or restorative course with VA assistance as early as age 14.

To attend school or take job training with VA financial help, a son or daughter generally must be between 18 and 26 years of age, although in some instances it is possible to begin earlier and continue later. Marriage of the young man or woman is not a bar to this VA benefit.

Eligible dependents may receive up to 36 months of education or training with VA help, but their program must be pointed toward a definite educational or vocational goal, A.A. Hunter noted.

Family & Church

A group of criminal justice experts meeting in Washington recently agreed, generally, that crime in the United States will not significantly decline until families and churches do a better job of teaching young Americans to obey the law, and until society is willing to give up some individual rights in exchange for a safer nation.

The courts are now so overly concerned with the rights of criminals, in a well-meaning crusade against injustice for the lawbreaker, the rights of victims are often overlooked in the process, it was noted.

And the demeaning of normal home life, wifehood and motherhood, and the declining influence of the churches, mean less moral indoctrination and teaching for more and more youngsters—who instead get their ideas and morals increasingly from commercial television, which, of course, teaches crime in color for hours every day of the year.

The experts feel the rate of crime might not be reduced significantly until social trends of the day are reversed, family life again glorified and cherished and the moral teachings of churches more widely disseminated among the young.

Do You Remember?

From The Pilot Files — 10 Years Ago

GRANT OF \$45,822 TO SCHOOLS

Supt. of Schools J.D. Gray announced that the Texas Education Agency had approved an allotment of \$45,822 for the Aransas County Independent School District under Title I of the elementary and secondary education act of 1965.

This act provides financial assistance to local educational agencies to expand and improve school programs for educationally deprived children.

RIDING ASSOCIATION SAYS THANKS

The Aransas County Riding Association expressed appreciation to the following for donations:

Aransas County Navigation District for use of post hole digging equipment; Rockport Auto Supply for a cash contribution and the use of their winch truck; Wagley Lumber and Sipe Realty for the use of dirt moving equipment; Rouquette and Wendell for their donation of lumber and materials; Mundine's Water Well Service for drilling the water well; and Corky's Restaurant for a cash contribution.

All this assistance was in connection with the Riding Association's new arena.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES

A union Thanksgiving service will be held at First Methodist Church under sponsorship of Aransas County Ministers Association.

Ministers participating in the service will be the Rev. Charles F. Fake, call to worship; the Rev. Ben H. Bohmfalk, welcome and congregational reading; the Rev. C.J. Mayfield, prayer for Thanksgiving; the Rev. U.S. Lucky, prayer of dedication; the Rev. J. William Hengel, message of God; and the Rev. Marvin Crawford, benediction.

JOHN LEWIS BUYS 788 ACRES

John A. Lewis purchased 788 acres of land commonly known as the Club Lake property, west of Rockport. Plans are being made to create a real estate development.

The property was sold by A.C. Glass and the Bullard Estate. The transaction was handled by Port Little, local real estate man.

STAUTZENBERGER TO JOIN SHERIFF'S DEPT.

Sheriff Joe Earl Hunt announced that E.A. Stautzenberger, assistant chief of police, will become a member of the Sheriff's Department on Dec. 1.

Hunt also announced that T.A. Kilgore, chief deputy sheriff the past two years, was resigning as of Dec. 1. Hunt also said that Joe de la Garza had returned to duty as a member of the Sheriff's Department.

From The Pilot Files — 20 Years Ago

PTA NEWS

The Rockport Parent-Teacher Association heard Matt Scott discuss plans for new schools in the area.

Following his talk, a reading was given by Caroline Jan Clark and then Mrs. Julius Malchar reported on the Halloween Carnival.

Prizes were given to the following at the carnival:

- Best dressed boy, Roger Beasley.
- Best dressed girl, Sandra Spencer.
- Spookiest boy, Steirly Rozzell.
- Spookiest girl, Susan Armintrout.
- Tiniest spook, Barbara Lynn Herring.
- Most comical costume, Lydia Smith.

PERSONALS:

Mrs. Frank Frandolig, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sanford and Mrs. Vernon Cochran of San Antonio were in Rockport for the funeral of George Morrell.

John E. Harrison of Tucson was a guest in the A.L. Bruhl home. He is Mrs. Bruhl's brother.

Miss Gloria Munoz and Miss Amalia Solis visited in Alice. While there Miss Munoz was a bridesmaid at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Ovidia Martinez.

Mrs. Mabel Thompson went to San Antonio to be with her sister, Mrs. Cochran, who was seriously ill.

Mrs. Roy Lee Hart and Mrs. James C. Herring attended the wedding of Miss Linda Harris in Refugio.

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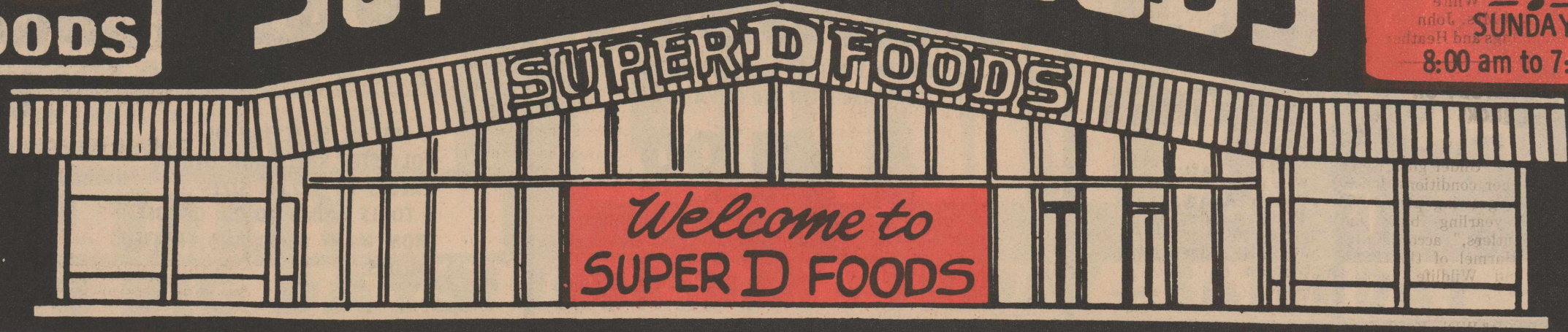
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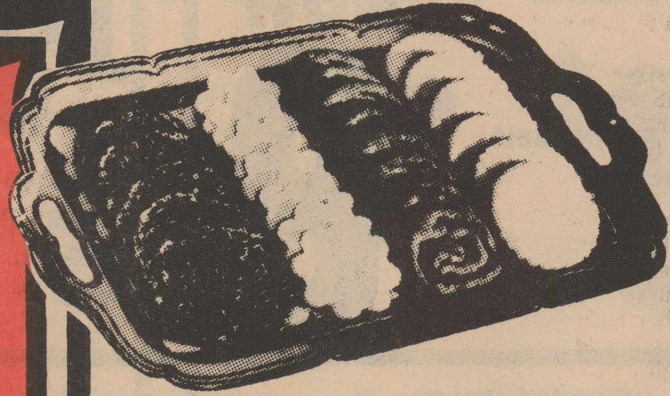
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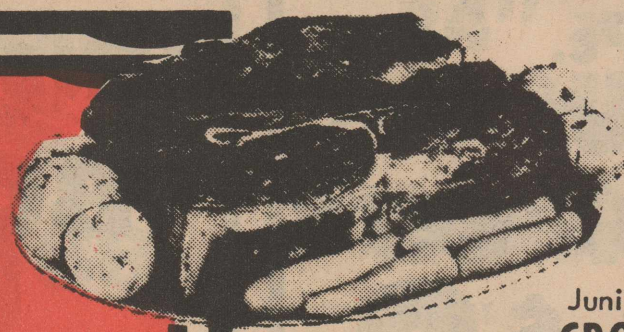
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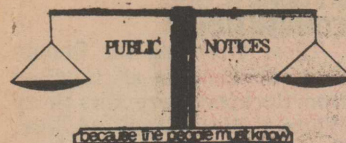


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The family of H.E. "Bill" White wishes to thank all their friends, neighbors, co-workers and Presbyterian Circle members for all of their many kindnesses and prayers during his illness and the time of his death. May God bless each and every one of you.
Mrs. H.E. White
Mr. and Mrs. John Cummings and Heather c38

GENETIC STUDY ON SPIKED BUCKS

Austin -- Under good range and weather conditions during the antler-growing period the average yearling buck has forked antlers," according to Donnie Harmel of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

On the P&WD's Kerr Wildlife Management in the Hill Country there is a two-year-old buck with 11-point antlers which is part of a project to investigate the role of genetics in deer antler development.

The portion of the area where the project is being conducted is not open to public hunting this fall.

At the Kerr Area six bucks that were spiked at 18 months were placed in separate one-third-acre pens with five does with each spike buck.

Another group of bucks that had forked antlers at 18 months was placed together in a larger pen for comparison purposes.

Both groups are being fed and raised under the same circumstances with high-protein food.

The does produced fawns in spring 1975. When the fawns reach the appropriate age the bucks will be separated, given high-protein food and antler development will be evaluated; the does will be bred to their fathers, the original spike bucks, to concentrate the spike gene.

"It will be at least four years before any definite conclusions can be reached," says Harmel. "But in the meantime, there is a very noticeable difference in the deer which were spike-buck yearlings and forked-buck yearlings."

Obituaries

H.E. WHITE DIES

Henry E. "Bill" White, 63, died Nov. 26 in a Corpus Christi hospital after a four-month illness.

He had resided in Rockport since 1953. Prior to that he was senior assistant manager of the Driscoll Hotel in Corpus Christi. He operated Bill's Sporting Goods for 14 years before he became associated with H.E.B. Family Center. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Force during World War II, two years of which were spent overseas.

He is survived by his wife, Louise, Rockport; one daughter, Mrs. Vicki Cummings, Edmond, Oklahoma; one granddaughter, Heather.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Bryan E. Brown of Marshall, Texas, and Ervin R. Butler of Houston, nephew and brother-in-law of Mrs. White, November 29 in Marshall Funeral Chapel in Rockport. Burial was in Rockport Cemetery.

A.W. VORDENBAUM DIES

August W. Vordenbaum, 87, of Fulton, died Nov. 21 in an Aransas Pass nursing home after a short illness.

Born in San Antonio, he had lived in Fulton for the past six years. He was an Army veteran of WWI and a member of American Legion Post 431 of San Antonio.

Among survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Samuel R. Swift of Corpus Christi; a sister, Mrs. Lillian Schertz of Schertz, Texas, and two grandchildren.

Pennington Funeral Home of San Marcos was in charge of funeral arrangements.

E.M. SCOTT DIES

Edward M. Scott of Rockport died Monday in Houston at the age of 83 years.

A native of the Apple Grove Community of Cullman, Alabama, he had lived in Rockport for 16 years.

He was a retired department manager for Hunt Grocery at Dallas, was a member of First United Church of Rockport and was a veteran of World War I. Survivors include a sister, Juanita Jackson of Anson, Tx.; one uncle, Walter Clements, Sisco, Tx.; several nieces and nephews and several great nieces and great nephews.

Funeral services will be held Dec. 4 at Forest Park Lawndale Funeral chapel in Houston with Rev. Tom O. McClung officiating. Interment in Forest Park, Lawndale Cemetery, Houston.

TOPS #849 NEWS

The queen of the week for November 20 was Violet Craig-mile with a 4 1/4 lb. loss; runner-up was Cathy Gaskin with a 4 1/2 lb. loss.

Teen queen of the week was Beverly Kelley with a 3/4 lb. loss. There were 17 members present.

The club welcomed back after an absence of several months members Polly Driver and Kelley Hutson.

Be sure and come by the TOPS bazaar and white elephant sale to be held Saturday, December 13, at the Methodist Youth Building from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

This will be a good place to do some of your last minute Christmas shopping. These ladies have come up with some very pretty and unusual handmade gifts.

There will be dolls, stuffed animals, pillows, kitchen gadgets, artex pictures, crocheted items, decorations, pot plants and many more lovely items.

There will also be many good and useful things from the white elephant sale.

Don't forget, December 13 at the Methodist Youth Building!

LULAC Youth Queen Contest

The local LULAC Youth Council is now receiving applications of girls from the age of 13 to 21 wishing to run for LULAC Youth queen.

Girls are urged to run and start early because the judging will be by the penny-a-vote method where each penny the girl collects will be counted as a vote.

The winning girl will be crowned in the beginning of February at a coronation dance.

If a girl wishes to run, contact any LULAC Youth member or call 729-6603, 729-6160 or 729-5270.

Holiday Stain Removal Hints

College Station -- After holiday dinners, the tablecloth may seem "doomed"--but if stains are treated while still fresh, generally they can be removed, Mrs. Janice Carberry, a family resource management specialist, says.

"Methods for treating common holiday-type stains depend on what the stain is," she said.

Mrs. Carberry is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

A few general hints are:

--Test any stain remover on a corner of fabric first.

--Do not add chlorine bleach to an enzyme pre-soak product.

--When blotting stains, blot from the outside toward the center of the stain to prevent it from spreading further.

--Treat stains from the back of the fabric. Place spot downward on some paper towels so that the stain will come off the fabric instead of going through it.

Turning to specific stains, the specialist said for fruit, where boiling water can be used, pour it through the cloth. If stains remain, sponge with lemon juice solution or hydrogen peroxide.

"If boiling water cannot be used, sponge well in cool water. Work glycerine into stain. Let stand several hours, then add a few drops of white vinegar and rinse thoroughly. Launder."

For gravy or milk, use an enzyme pre-soak with cool water or make a paste of detergent and water and work that into the stain. Then launder. If

the stain remains, use a dry cleaning solvent.

"Sponge wine or soft drink stains immediately with cool water, then glycerine and water. Rinse with vinegar water followed by a clear rinse. Launder."

"Some drink stains are invisible after they dry but turn yellow with aging or heating. And this yellow stain is impossible to remove," the specialist said.

For coffee or tea stains, if safe for fabric, stretch cloth and pour boiling water through. Launder, using bleach or an enzyme pre-soak.

When candle wax has dripped on the tablecloth, scrape off as much as possible, then place the stain between

paper towels and press with a cleaning solvent. Let dry, then warm iron. Next, place fabric stain side down on paper towels and sponge the back with a dry bleach.

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Wednesday, Dec. 10
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Thursday, Dec. 11
Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Glazed Carrots, Bread, Fruit Cup, Milk.

Friday, Dec. 12
Surfburgers, Au Gratin Potatoes, Lettuce-Pickles, Buns, Butterscotch Squares, Milk.

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

C of C Ladies Bazaar Success

Approximately \$2,800 was raised at the two-day Christmas bazaar sponsored by the Women's Committee of the Chamber of Commerce - Hospital Foundation.

Called the Bayside Emporium, the sale featured hand-crafted items, baked goods and white elephant articles. A hand-hooked rug was won by Mrs. Babs Muecke.

Work will begin in the near future on planning a sale for 1976. Times and dates will be announced for weekly workshops.

Other fund-raising activities include a dinner theatre, valentine ball, tennis tournament, suppers of various foods; more to be announced later.

Proceeds from these functions will be used toward obtaining an emergency medical facility for the Aransas County area.

KEEP HOLIDAY MEALS SAFE TO EAT

College Station -- Holiday foods can carry food poisoning bacteria—but simple precautions can prevent food poisoning and ruined holidays, Frances Reasonover, a foods and nutrition specialist, says.

"Bacteria need the right combination of time, temperature and moisture to grow. When foods remain between 40 and 120 degrees F. for three or four hours, bacteria grow and make the food unsafe to eat.

"And the only way to kill the bacteria is to heat food to 170 degrees F. Freezing doesn't kill bacteria, it simply slows growth," the specialist said.

She's with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Turning to specific food safety guidelines, she said to thaw the holiday turkey in the refrigerator. Fresh or freshly-thawed turkey should be refrigerated and used within 24 hours.

"When preparing the turkey, cook it until done throughout—with an internal temperature of 180 degrees F. And if it is to be stuffed, wait until just before

placing the bird in the oven to stuff the cavity.

"Good sanitation during food preparation is important to prevent contamination. Make sure hands, utensils and cutting boards are clean when handling turkey and other holiday foods. Also, keep hands away from mouth, nose, hair or skin infections such as boils, open cuts and sores while working

with food," Miss Reasonover reminded.

After the meal is over, don't leave the turkey at room temperature long. Staph germs multiply rapidly between 45 and 115 degrees F.

"If turkey is part of the holiday buffet, use several serving trays instead of only one to keep the meat from remaining at room temperature too long. "Bring out a fresh tray frequently to replace that partly used. The turkey stays at the right temperature—and bacteria don't have a chance to grow."

Food-borne illness can cause diarrhea, vomiting, stomach cramps and other unpleasant symptoms which can last for several hours or days. Young children and elderly people are most susceptible, the specialist said.

ATTEND G.O.P. CONVENTION

Those attending the Republican Convention at El Paso from Rockport were Miss Betty Whitney, Mrs. Dan Ward, Mrs. Tessye Mauer, daughter Rose and Mrs. Margarete Glascock. Bryan Fullerton presided as master of ceremonies. After the banquet a welcome greeting was given by U.S. Senator John Tower.

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Mildred Schulte, Mrs. Nell East, Mrs. Helen Scott, Mrs. Mary Rose; from Iowa, Mrs. Alta Prescott, Mrs. Irma Wasson, Mrs. Edith Smith; from California, Mrs. Dorothy Prescott; from Oklahoma, Mrs. Faye Johnson; from Illinois, Mrs. Bertha Franks; from Texas, Mrs. Ethel Schiffman, Mrs. Margaret Holt, Mrs. Bess Jones and Mrs. George Shirey. The second event was a Thanksgiving dinner on Thursday, November 27, which from all accounts was an unsurpassed collection of culinary delights. It is also reported that

very few leftovers remained after the dinner. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Bramlett Johnston, Manitou, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rose, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rose, Jr. from Topeka, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Smith, Nashua, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Schiffman, Pampa, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wasson, Clarinda, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Shaner, Great Bend, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Burtn Prescott, Clear Lake, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Prescott, Corona, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scott, Russell, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Franks, Freeport, Ill.; Mrs. Elsie Zimmerman, Mr. A.J. Rattikin and Mr. Louis Tintorri of Fulton.

December, 1975

Hail To December! say they all. It gave to the earth our Christ, the Lord! -J.K. Hoyt.

The last month of the year, the end of 1975, is at hand as the years pass faster and faster. On the 22nd, at 6:46 in the morning, winter arrives and Christmas falls on a Thursday the 25th. December has many memorable dates, too many to cover in just one editorial.

On the 2nd, in 1823, President James Monroe promulgated the Monroe Doctrine (now largely abandoned); on the 4th in 1783, days after British troops had evacuated New York City, General Washington made his farewell address to his officers.

On the 5th, in 1782, the eighth President of the United States, Martin Van Buren, was born at Kinderhook, N.Y., descended from Dutch immigrants. The 6th is the feast of St. Nicholas—in Greek and Latin churches, Little is known about him but the Germans identified him as Santa Claus and this has made the name well known in all countries.

On the morning of the 7th, in 1941, Japan sneaked Pearl Harbor and brought the United States into World War II. The 7th is also Delaware Day and on the 10th, in 1817, Mississippi was admitted to the Union. The 10th is Wyoming Day and the 11th Indiana Day.

On the 12th, in 1799, George Washington died at Mount Vernon and on the 15th, 1791, the first ten amendments were ratified to become a part of the Constitution.

7th Grade Basketball

The 7th Grade basketball team played their first game of the season and defeated Flour Bluff 30-29. Defensively the Bucs were paced by Tony Aleman with 16 points, Kyle Dietz with 10 points, and Johnny Little and George Solis contributing 2 points each. Other offensive stand-outs who did an excellent job of ball handling were David Williams, Pee Wee Solis, Jeff Jordan, Fred Mullins, Clyde Forshee and Coy Boone.

Rebounding was paced by Kyle Dietz with 12 and Alvin Miller and Johnny Little with 7 each. Other members of the team

who played a good game were Mark Goodin, Rueben Molina, David Kubiak and Oscar Ramirez.

The 7th Grade are coached by Coach Toliver. The next game will be December 4 in Rockport against Calallen at 5:30 p.m. The Bucs will be in the Calallen tournament Dec. 5 and 6. The first game will be played Dec. 5 at 11:45 a.m. Come and support the Bucs.

Jose Lopez Is Honored

Jose L. Lopez, son of Mrs. Ezequiel Lopez of Rockport and a 1966 graduate of Rockport-Fulton High School, was recently appointed director of Bilingual-Bicultural Educational

Studies at Western Illinois University in Macomb, Illinois.

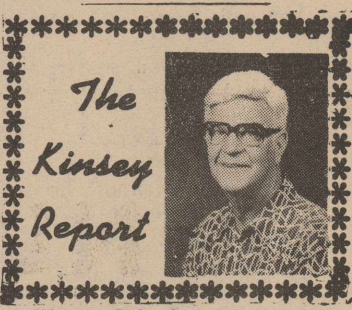
In addition to teaching several educational psychology and bilingual education courses, Lopez holds membership in several university committees and has been appointed as institutional representative on bilingual education to the Board of Governors of Colleges and Universities for the state of Illinois.

Upon completion of his doctorate in educational administration, Lopez plans to return to Texas and seek permanent employment.

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Things I don't miss from the years we lived up North prior to 1963: -Having the stored snow tires put on our cars and making sure the chains were in good shape in case we got stuck in the snow. -Putting up the storm windows back in the days before combination storm windows and screen were available. -Shoveling snow from the driveway so I could back out to go to work. -Reading golf magazines but knowing it would be many months before we could play golf. -Battling heavy traffic to drive 30 miles from our suburban home to Chicago to report for work. If you took the electric train, you often had to stand out in the cold (maybe below zero) at the downtown station because the warm waiting room was so far from the place to board that you might miss your train. Twenty years of this and it was like being a pioneer in a wagon train to get to work. I'm glad we live in the Rockport area now and I really believe that living in the Chicago area caused Mrs. K and me to appreciate the advantages of living down here more than people who have lived here all their lives.

Firemen's Aux. Social Held

The Rockport Firemen's Auxiliary held its social Nov. 25. The meeting was called to order by Pres. Evalon Redden with ten members present.

The Christmas party will be next Tuesday night, Dec. 9. Members will meet at the fire station at 7 p.m., go out to eat at 7:30, then come back to the station to exchange gifts and to enjoy holiday refreshments. After all of the necessary

business was discussed the Nov. 25 meeting was turned over to the program chairman, Gwyne Howland.

Everyone was divided into two teams for charades. Later hot chocolate and goodies were served. Treasure chest was won by Joan Truelove.

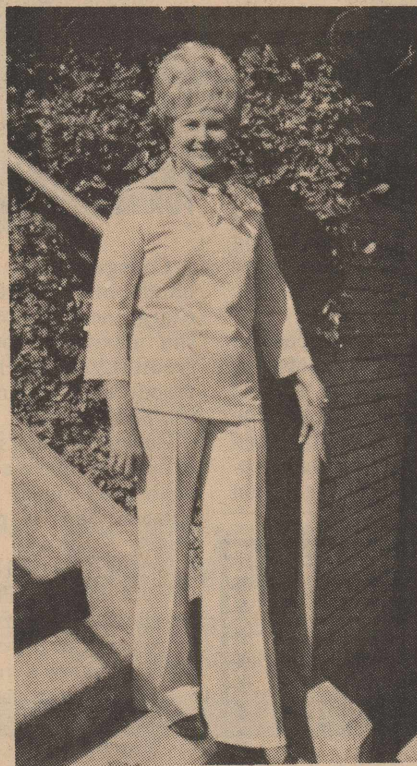
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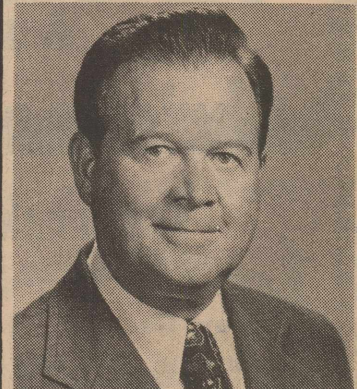


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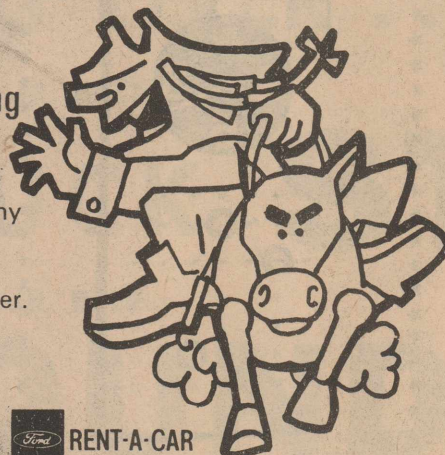
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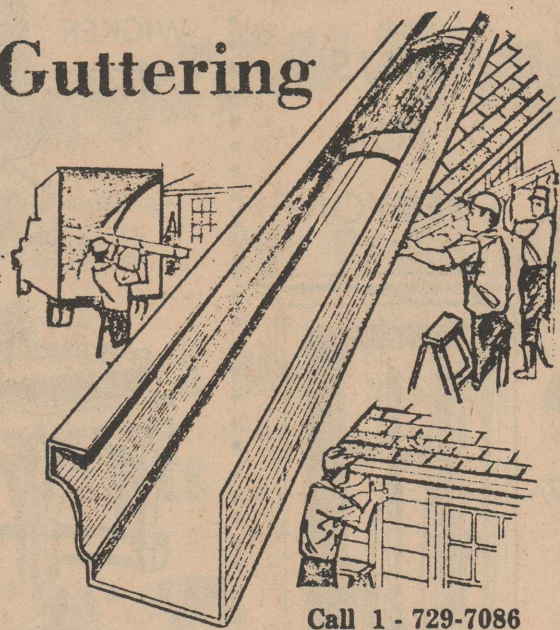
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INSULATION CUTS HEATING COSTS

College Station -- Don't let the high cost of heating a home put you out in the cold this winter. Those high heating bills can be cut way down with a little insulation in the right places, says Dr. Bill Stewart, an agricultural engineer for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"A home that is completely insulated can cost 20 to 50 per cent less to heat than an uninsulated one," Stewart points out. "And with a little time, work and initiative, you can do the insulating yourself."

Insulating all ceilings, walls and floors in the home provides the best, most complete protection from cold, says the agricultural engineer with the Texas A&M University System. However, if funds are limited or temperatures don't get extremely cold, the most important thing to insulate is the attic floor of your home.

"This is because warm air rises and the greatest heat loss usually occurs through the ceiling."

If you plan to do the insulating yourself, Stewart recommends using batt type insulation for ease of installation. Loose fill insulation such as mineral wool is difficult to apply uniformly by hand; it should be blown in by machine.

Ceilings of homes in Texas should receive at least six inches of insulation or the equivalent to an "R" value of 22. Walls should be insulated to an "R" value of 13. Additional insulation above these amounts will not be justified unless the

home is tightly weather-stripped and storm windows are installed.

"Insulating an existing home should start with the attic," points out the engineer. "Purchase batt type insulation of the proper width. Most ceiling joists are spaced 16 inches apart so you will need 15-inch wide batts. Check your attic first because some homes are built with a 24-inch ceiling joist spacing, in which case the batts need to be 23 inches wide."

Use several 1-inch by 12-inch boards to work on to help prevent putting your foot through a gypsum board ceiling. Place the batts all the way to the outside wall line. However, if there are ventilation openings under the overhang, be sure to leave space for air to move into the attic at the wall line.

In an existing home, there is no need to buy insulation with a vapor barrier on one side, since it will be impossible to install it properly to achieve a good vapor seal. This is only possible in new construction or through major renovation, contends Stewart.

"Insulating walls in a home is difficult and will require considerable time and skill. The most economical method is to have insulation poured or blown into the stud spaces by a skilled insulator. An insulating panel may also be applied over the wall surface," notes the engineer.

Homes with crawl spaces can benefit from insulation between the floor joists. Use a batt type insulation which can be stapled to the floor joists. Then use wire mesh or similar support to prevent the insulation

from falling in the event the staples come loose or the covering gives way. Because of mild Texas winters, only four inches of insulation can be justified for beam and pier floors.

In a home with well insulated ceilings and walls, the major source of heat loss will be due to cold air infiltration through cracks. Therefore, Stewart recommends applying weather-stripping around all windows and doors. Also, keep the fireplace damper closed tightly when not in use. For centrally heated homes, try to provide combustion air for the fireplace through a window as near the fireplace as possible to keep heated room air from escaping through the fireplace.

"Covering screens with plastic can provide a temporary means of reducing heat loss through windows. When constructing a new home, consider using insulating or double glazed windows," advises the engineer.

"Remember, things you do to save on heating this winter will also aid in reducing summer cooling costs and will make home more comfortable," says Stewart.

PAY 'TOTAL BALANCE DUE' FOR MOST ECONOMY

College Station -- Paying the minimum payment on revolving charge accounts means paying the maximum cost for using credit, Lynn Bourland, a family resource management specialist, pointed out.

Consumers can keep the cost of using credit to a minimum by paying as much of the total balance due as possible, she said.

"Paying only the minimum amount each month keeps the credit user out of trouble, but increases the purchase cost 18 per cent more a year."

"Also, credit users may end up paying 200 per cent or more in interest cost if new purchases are added and the total balance due increases or remains at the maximum amount the creditor will allow."

Miss Bourland is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A & M University System.

She explained that the minimum payment is the amount you must pay to avoid repossession of merchandise bought, immediate payment of the total due and sometimes legal costs for settlement of credit claims.

"Credit is a valuable consumer tool and creditors who allow consumers to use a line of credit continuously must charge these interest rates to stay in business."

"But it's up to the consumer to recognize ways to cut the cost of living on credit."

"Of course it's necessary to pay at least the minimum payment-but it's smarter to pay as much as possible on the 'total balance due'," she said.

Tidiness Pays
Don't smoke in bed. The ashes falling on the floor may be your own.

-Tribune, Chicago.

Certificates Required on Boats, Motors Jan. 1

Austin-Jan. 1, 1976, is the effective date of an amendment to the Texas Water Safety Act passed by the recent Texas Legislature which requires that any new or unregistered motorboat in excess of 14 feet have a certificate of title from the Parks and Wildlife Department.

Also on that date any new outboard engine of 12 or more horsepower must be titled separately by the P&WD.

The boat and motor titling promises to give Texas boaters added protection in recovering stolen property and may serve as collateral for financing and insurance purposes.

License officials at the P&WD say they have worked out the details of such certificates and are ready to put the legislation into effect on the first of the year.

Each certificate of title, whether for motorboats in excess of 14 feet or outboard engines of 12 or more horsepower, will cost \$2. On Sept. 1, 1977, the fees will drop to \$1.50.

"Let's take the hypothetical situation," said P&WD official John Ebell, "of a Texan who after Jan. 1, 1976, purchases a new 16-foot boat with a 75-horsepower outboard engine."

"At the time of purchase he will simultaneously have to complete three pieces of paperwork: (1) register the boat for 'TX' numbers, in the case of a 16-footer the fee is \$9; (2) apply for a certificate of title on the boat, which has a \$2 fee; and, (3) apply for a certificate of title to the engine, also for \$2."

Outboard engines less than 12 horsepower and boats 14 feet or less in length require no titling whatsoever; however, any motorboat or motor may be titled if the owner wishes to obtain a certificate of title.

Ebell said the Parks and Wildlife Department has furnished samples of Texas boat manufacturers of the prescribed "Manufacturer's Statement of Origin for a Motorboat and/or Outboard Motor" which is to be completed by the marine dealer and furnished to the purchaser at the time of purchase.

"This Manufacturer's Statement of Origin is a very important document," said Ebell. "It must accompany an applica-

tion for certificate and is proof to the department that a legal transaction took place.

"Without the Manufacturer's Statement of Origin, the purchaser must furnish the P&WD with a notarized affidavit of ownership. We anticipate the use of such affidavits in the case of homemade boats, boats and motors previously registered in other states, the resale of boats purchased before Jan. 1, 1976, and in cases of current owners who are unable to locate the boat's previous owner."

After the first of the year, the P&WD cannot accept an application for the transfer of ownership of a motorboat in excess of 14 feet unless the boat is currently registered with the department. Those boats transferred after Jan. 1 which are currently registered but untitled must be titled upon transfer.

Ebell said that in most cases the titling procedure for lively boats or boats for hire is much

the same as with private craft. An exception is that only a title application for the boat is required since most lively boats are rented or leased without an outboard engine.

The new certificates of title should aid state enforcement agencies in tracing stolen private and commercial vessels.

The P&WD's two communications centers at Austin and Pasadena are in constant teletype contact with the Texas Crime Information Center at Department of Public Safety headquarters in Austin and the National Crime Information Center in Washington, D.C.

Both centers are open 24 hours and may be reached at (512) 475-6142 in Austin and (713) 941-8926 in Pasadena. Neither call, however, is toll-free.

Reports of stolen boats and motors can be made to either of the two centers.

Irish Wit

For every woman who makes a fool out of a man there are a hundred who make a man out of a fool.

-Irish Digest.

Columbus

It was in the first week of August, 1492, that Columbus sailed from Palos, Spain, in search of a route across the Atlantic to China and the Far East. With three ships he sailed westward for more than nine weeks before land was joyously sighted.

Columbus was looking for islands west of the Sargasso Sea. When a look-out sighted Watling Island, on the morning of October 12th, Columbus thought he had reached India, named the natives Indians and called the island San Salvador.

Careful research has established that Columbus was not the first to discover America. A Viking, Leif Ericsson, had arrived almost five hundred years earlier.

Best Sellers At Library

Best sellers available at the Aransas County Public Library:

FICTION

CURTAIN, Agatha Christie.
RAGTIME, E.L. Doctorow.
THE GREEK TREASURE, Irving Stone.

HUMBOLDT'S GIFT, Saul Bellow.

SHOGUN, James Clavell.

THE EAGLE HAS LANDED, Jack Higgins.

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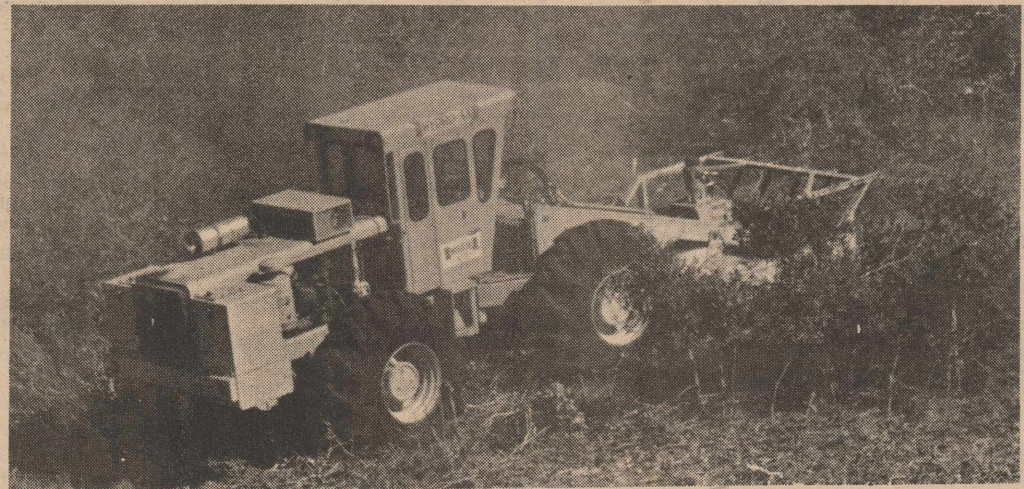
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Oysters are one of the finest delicacies to come from the seas, and if they're from approved Gulf waters and certified packing houses they bear a certification number issued by the Texas Department of Health Resources.

Texas has some 1.2 million acres of approved estuarine waters which are approved for oyster harvesting. Maps of these areas are now available from the Department of Health Resources.

The Texas oyster season opened November 1, and fresh oysters are showing up on more and more Texas dinner tables. There are those who think that no stuffed turkey is complete without oyster dressing.

Even before the season started, inspectors for the Department of Health Resources' Division of Shellfish Sanitation Control were at

work preparing for the buildup in activity.

They are charged with seeing that oyster processing plants, in order to be certified, meet sanitation standards for handling, shucking, packing and storage of raw oysters. And, throughout the year other specialists have been taking periodic water samples in oyster growing areas along the Texas Gulf Coast. Water must meet certain criteria to be approved for shellfish harvesting. These water samples are tested in Department of Health Resources laboratories. In addition, meat samples are taken of shrimp, oysters, crabs and fish for laboratory determination of heavy metals (such as mercury) and pesticide residues.

The reason for concern by the state health agency is that shellfish (oysters, clams and mussels) if contaminated, can present a high potential health hazard to the consumer. Shell-

fish have the ability to filter and concentrate pathogenic microorganisms and toxic substances present in the environment. Also, they are packed whole and alive and often are consumed raw or only partially cooked. Harmful substances could be introduced into the shucked meats if this operation isn't carried out in controlled, sanitary surroundings.

All water-borne diseases can be transmitted by contaminated oysters. But the risk can be virtually eliminated if consumers refuse to buy uncertified products.

To be certified, the oysters first must have come from approved waters. Maps of certified coastal areas may be obtained by individuals and commercial oysterers at Parks and Wildlife Department offices along the coast, at TDHR's Austin office of the Division of Shellfish Sanitation Control, 400 E. Anderson Lane (Millican Building), at its LaMarque office at 1209 Linton and in some local Health Departments in coastal areas.

Legitimately canned or packaged oysters can be quickly identified by a certification number issued by the Health Resources Department. On gal-

lon cans, the number is embossed in the metal on the sides of the cans. On smaller containers, such as jars, the certification number is printed on the lids.

Processors and consumers are reminded that the Texas Shellfish Sanitation Law of 1965 makes it unlawful for any person to take, sell, offer, or hold for sale, any shellfish from an area declared by the Director of Health Resources to be polluted. The law also specifies that it is unlawful to sell, offer, or hold for sale any shellstock or shucked shellfish which have been handled and packaged in accordance with specifications fixed by the Director.

Of Texas's more than a million and a half acres of

estuarine waters, almost 80 percent is open for oyster harvesting. These oyster waters, covering 3,359 tidal shoreline miles, extend from Port Isabel near the southern tip, to Sabine Lake adjacent to Port Arthur. In a normal year, about 80 percent of oyster production comes from Galveston Bay, which contains approximately 341,000 acres of oyster waters. And, the heaviest concentrations of oyster plants are found in the Galveston Bay area.

In good oyster years, as many as 100 oyster processing plants may be in operation. In early November this year, 42 oyster plants had been certified and 10 crab plants were in operation. Each of these plants undergo a thorough inspection at least monthly during the season, which runs through April 30, 1976.

In Texas last year, oyster production was down to some 1.2 million pounds, about half of the 1973-74 production and far below the 1971 production of 4.7 million pounds. A better harvest is predicted this fall. The Department of Health Resources hopes that all residents enjoy this product from the sea as it is working constantly to ensure the wholesomeness of this product.

RECIPE

By Sarah Anne Sheridan

Casseroles are the answer for the busy entertainer who wants to be free to enjoy the guests while the food stays hot and appetizing. A casserole can be prepared before your guests arrive.

OYSTERS CLAREMONT

- 1 c butter
- 1 t English mustard
- 1/4 c stock or bouillon
- 1/4 t salt
- 1/4 t celery salt
- 1 1/2 c diced celery
- 3 c heavy cream
- 2 dozen fresh oysters, drained
- 2 T sherry or Madeira
- Parsley
- 6 slices buttered toast

Melt butter in two-quart, flame-proof casserole; stir in mustard; add stock or bouillon, seasonings and celery. Cover and cook on top of range, or in moderate oven (325 degrees F.) until celery is tender, about 25 minutes. Add cream, stirring slowly. Bring to boiling point, but do not boil. Add oysters, let cook for 3 to 5 minutes. Add wine, and stir. Remove casserole and keep warm until ready to serve. Toast bread and garnish with parsley. Serves six.

Under Control

Excited Customer to Druggist—Look here! You gave me morphine instead of quinine this morning.
Druggist—Is that so? Then you owe me another half dollar.

The Bare Facts

A young woman took a job as a governess, then suddenly left it.
Asked why she resigned, she said: "Had to. Backward child, forward father."

VA DENTAL BENEFITS

The end of the Vietnam era did not end the one-year eligibility for Veterans Administration dental care to which personnel leaving the armed forces are entitled, A.A. Hunter, VA Regional Director, said recently.

Wartime service has not been a condition of eligibility for VA dental care since passage of the Veterans Health Care Expansion Act in 1973, he advised, although discharge or retirement under conditions other than dishonorable is still necessary.

The last day of the Vietnam era was May 7, 1975. Veterans are still eligible for one-time complete treatment for dental conditions which developed during military service but were not corrected then, provided application is made to VA within one year after date of separation from active military service.

This care is provided by law at no expense to the veteran. Full information on VA dental benefits can be obtained at any VA office or VA hospital or from local veterans service organizations, Hunter said. Application for treatment can be made at any VA office or VA hospital.

Although authorization must first be secured from VA, most veterans receiving dental care at the agency's expense are patients of private dentists in or near the individual's home town, rather than at a dental clinic of a VA hospital, A.A. Hunter said.

The general one-year eligibility for VA dental treatment does not extend to care for dental conditions that obviously existed before the veteran entered military service, it was pointed out.

Some veterans, however, have special eligibility for continuing VA treatment beyond the one-year limitation. These include:

- ...those receiving VA compensation for dental conditions.
- ...those whose dental conditions resulted from combat wounds or service injuries.
- ...those who were prisoners of war.
- ...those who have a dental condition which is determined by VA to be aggravating a service connected medical disability.

WASHINGTON — People died of cancer at a higher rate in the first seven months of 1975 than at any time since the government began gathering such statistics 42 years ago, according to monthly data gathered by the National Center for Health Service.

GROWTH VARIES FROM CHILD TO CHILD

College Station — "Monday's child is fair of face... Tuesday's child is full of grace..."

Most people know that the day a person is born has nothing to do with what kind of person he is or will become, or skills he will exhibit, Dorothy Taylor, a family life education specialist, says.

"But this familiar nursery rhyme does remind parents that every child is different—in appearance, temperament, abilities and aptitudes."

Miss Taylor is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"All a child's inherited characteristics, plus all his experiences, combine to produce an individual different from every other individual who ever lived or ever will live."
"Children sometimes seem to grow by taking two steps forward and one step backward. A child who enters kindergarten or a day care center matures socially. But at the same time, he may seem to move backwards a step by reverting to wetting his pants or sucking his thumb while he adjusts to being away from his mother more," the specialist said.

Ability grows with each new experience mastered. The first skills a young child learns form a foundation for learning new skills. With some children, repeated practice is needed before they have a base for moving forward. And other children need only to do something once to be able to repeat the action without error.

Miss Taylor asks parents to remember that each person is unique—he started out that way.

Fix-It Tip

Painting, never an easy chore, can be made easier by taking time for a few simple preliminary steps before rolling up your sleeves and manning the brushes.

Examine the walls for cracks. Use spackling compound to fill hairline cracks. Plaster patch should be used for bigger cracks. Open the crack, clean out the loose material and make the opening wider at the bottom than at the surface.

Moisten and apply the patching compound. Sand the area smooth when it has dried. Prime these spots with a thin coat of paint or shellac.

Take down drapery, curtains, window shades, curtain rods. Remove switch plates and outlet covers. Don't try to paint around them.

Apply masking tape to protect woodwork, doors and window frames, adjoining surfaces of other colors.

Millions of husbands try to remake their wives and none succeed.

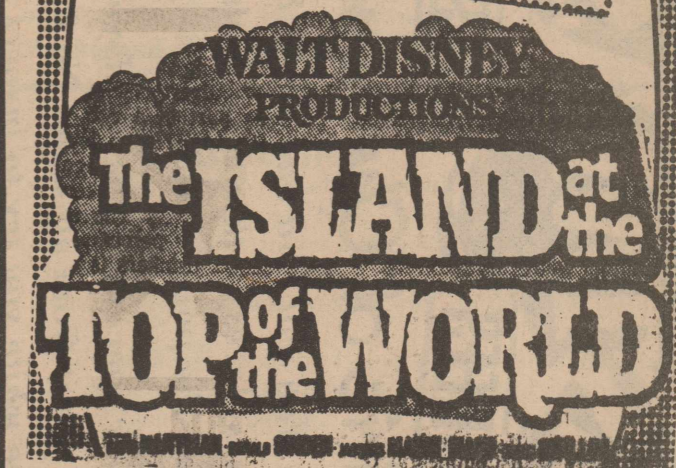
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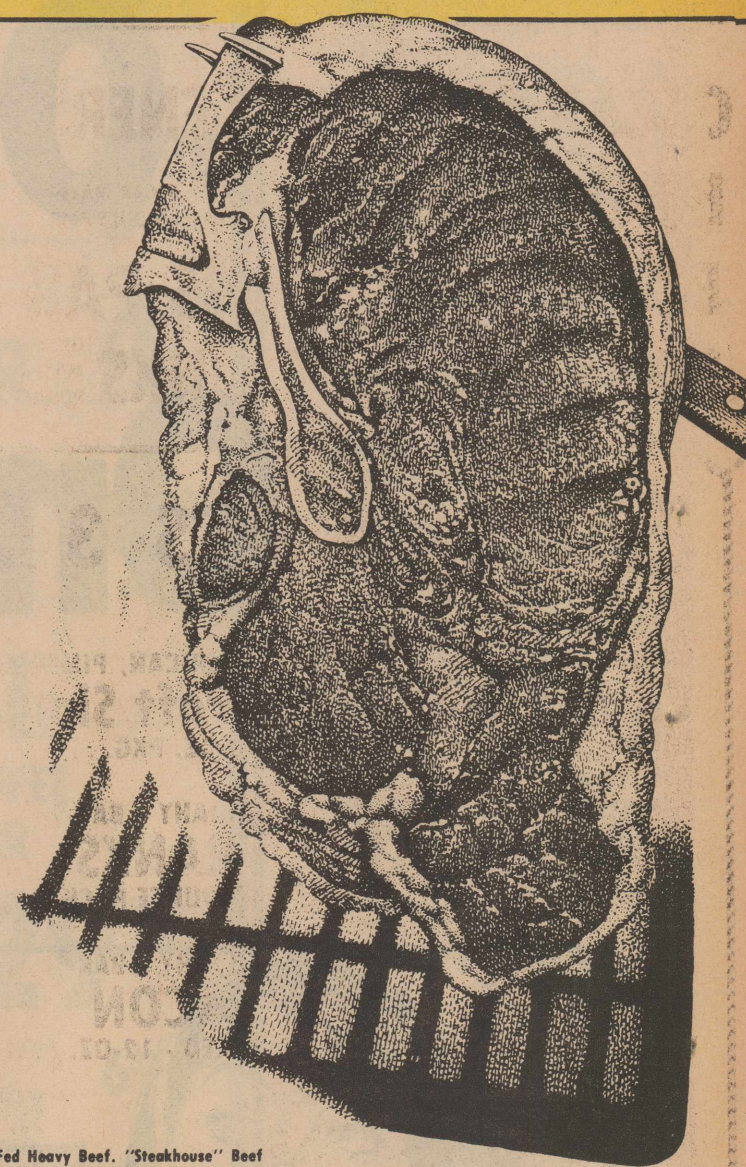
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- BRAUNSCHWEIGER OSCAR MAYER 8-OUNCE PKG. 69^c
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- PORK SAUSAGE LINKS OSCAR MAYER POUND \$1⁶⁹

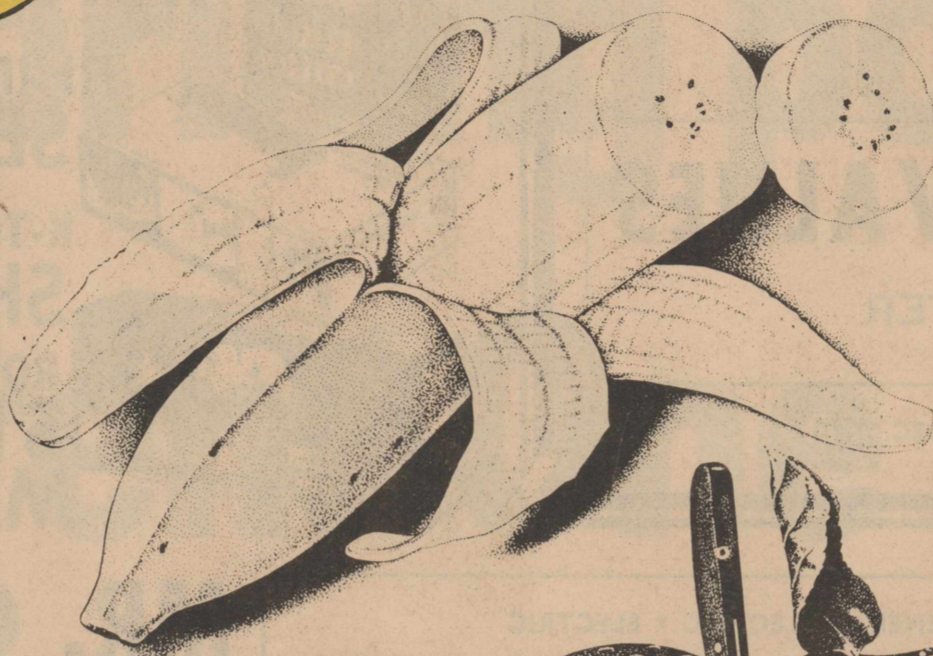
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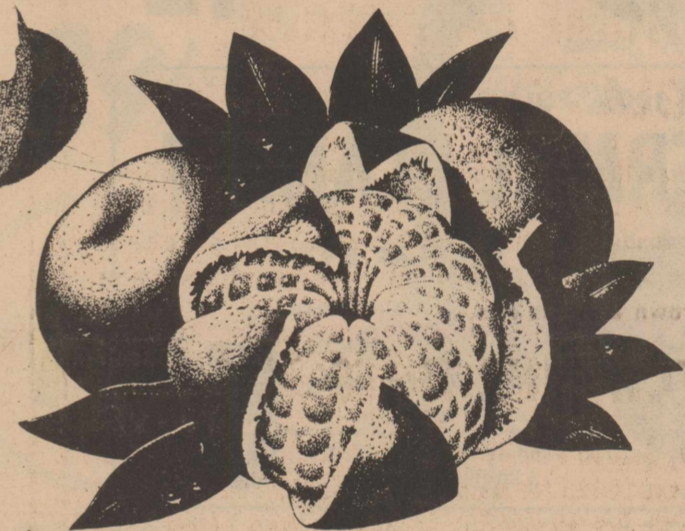
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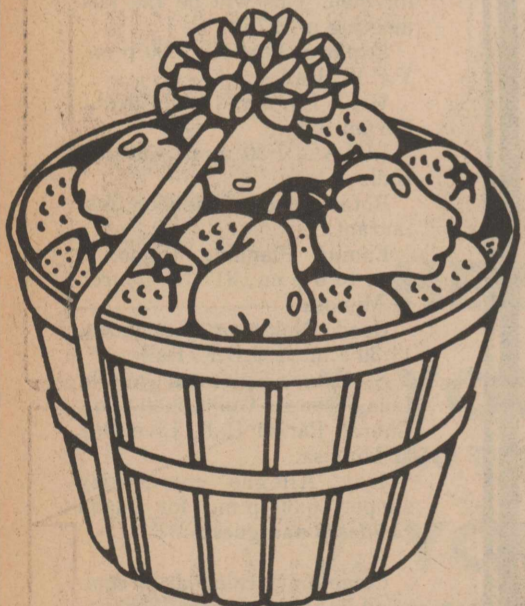
APPLES
3 LB. BAG 69^c

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- TEXAS FRESH GREEN BOSTON LETTUCE EACH 29^c
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- TEXAS RUBY RED, TREE RIPE Grapefruit 5 LB. BAG 69^c
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Daily:
Mon. through Fri., 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Community Concern Center, 729-7722, 206 N. Magnolia.
Jobs Placements, Council on Aging, 729-5252, 206 N. Magnolia.
Castaways, 1001 Concho, 9 to 11 a.m., Monday through Saturday.

Thursday, December 4
TOPS, 7:30 p.m., Methodist Youth Center.
Rebekah Lodge, 8 p.m., I.O.O.F. Hall.
V.F.W. Game night, 7:30 p.m., V.F.W. Hall.
AARP sponsors bridge & canasta party, 1 p.m., R-F Tourist Ass'n Bldg., airport. Donation 75 cents per person, refreshments & prizes.

Friday, Dec. 5
Story Time, Rockport Library, 10:30 to 11 a.m.

Sunday, Dec. 7
Church of your choice.

Monday, Dec. 8
Weight Watchers, 7:00 p.m., Catholic Hall.
Women's Tourist Bridge & Canasta, 1:15 p.m., Woman's Club Bldg.
Ind. School District Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m., School Administration Bldg.
City Council, 8 p.m., City Hall.
Masonic Lodge 323, 7:30 p.m., Hwy. 35 N.
Aransas County Council on Aging, 10 a.m., Memorial Room, First Presbyterian Church.

Tuesday, Dec. 9
Club 55 Bowling, Aransas Pass Bowling Lanes.
I.O.O.F. Lodge 342, 8 p.m., I.O.O.F. Bldg.
Alcoholics Anonymous, Bishop Elliott Conference Center, 8 p.m.
Duplicate Bridge Club, 1 p.m., Key Allegro Community Center. Call 729-5371 if you would like to play.
Evening TOPS, 6:30 p.m., Sipe Bldg., Hwy. 35 at Market. Call 729-7298 for information.
Fulton Firemen's and Ladies' Auxiliary Game Nite, 6 p.m., Paws & Taws Bldg., Fulton Beach Road.
Chamber of Commerce Meeting.
Navigation District Board, 7:30 p.m., Nav. Bldg.
South Texas Mounted Squares, Rattlesnake Point, 8 p.m.
Young Homemakers, 7:30 p.m., High School Homemaking Dept.
V.F.W. Auxiliary, 7:30 p.m., V.F.W. Hall.

Wednesday, Dec. 10
AARP Meeting, 9:30 a.m. New officers will be installed before 3rd annual Christmas Party. Please bring gift to cost no more than \$2.00. Women to bring gift for women and men for men. This will be the last meeting in 1975.
Explorer Post 49, 7:30 p.m., V.F.W. Hall.
G.I. Forum, 7:30 p.m., Forum Bldg.
LULAC, 7:30 p.m., Catholic Hall.
Rotary, noon, Sandollar Restaurant.
Family Planning Clinic, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., 317 N. Church at Mimosas.
Good Neighbor Luncheon, 11:30 a.m., I.O.O.F. Hall.
St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Lola Sorenson Guild, 9:30 a.m., Church Parish Hall, Live Oak at Mimosas.
Key Allegro community supper, 6:30 p.m., for Island residents and guests.

Community calendar is compiled by the American Association of Retired Persons, sponsors of Community Concern Center. Call 729-7722 or 729-5642 to list coming events or change in scheduling.

CONGRATULATIONS
Mr. and Mrs. James Miller are the parents of a baby daughter, Sunshine, born Nov. 27. Mrs. Ruby Link is great-grandmother.

COPANOAKERS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

The Copanoakers Ladies' Club of Holiday Beach will hold their annual Christmas bazaar Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 5, 6, and 7, starting at 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturday, and from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday. The bazaar will be in the Lee Miller Recreational Hall on Holiday Beach.

The affair will feature hand-crafts of all kinds made by the members, a white elephant sale, a garden room with plants, and cookies, cakes and pies to be eaten on the premises or taken home. A handprinted Bicentennial table cover will be raffled off at 5 p.m. on Dec. 7.

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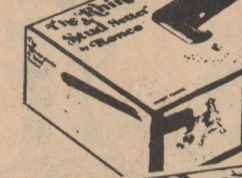
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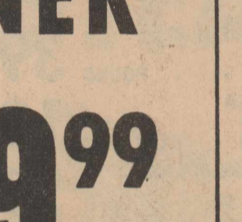
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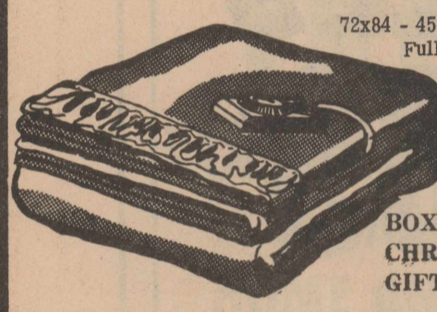


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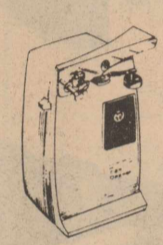


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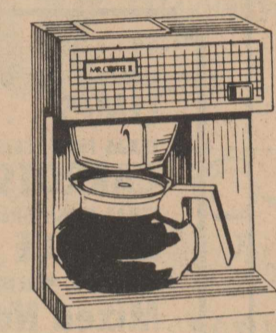


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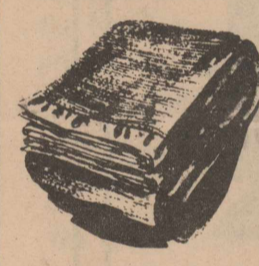


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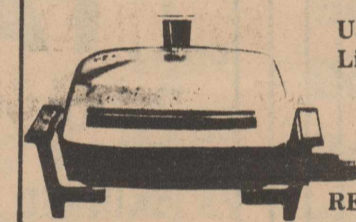
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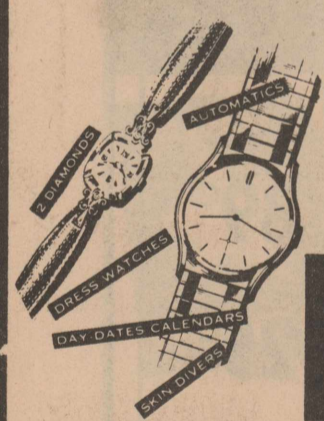


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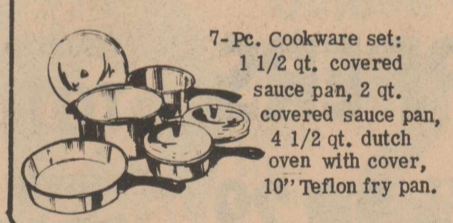


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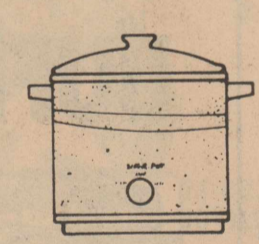
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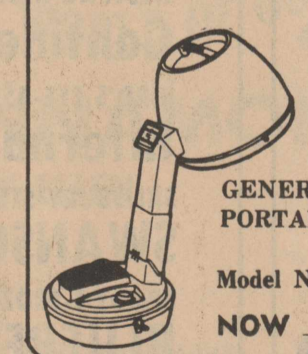
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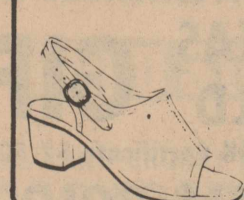
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**Tues. Evening
TOPS News**

Rockport TOPS No. 493 met November 25 at the Sipe Office Building with weigh-in from 6-6:40 and a business program and discussions from 7-8:00 p.m.

Awards were presented to those who lost weight during the month of November including Faye Cowdrey, Nina Cowdrey, Beulah Dedmon, Myrtle McLester, Margaret Floyd, Cleo Townsend and Molly Davis. The queen of the month was Beulah Dedmon with Margaret Floyd as runner-up.

KOPS in good standing are Bernita Kinsey, Thelma Sours, Faye Cowdrey and Nina Cowdrey. Thelma and Nina are "two-year" KOPS and Bernita a "one year" KOPS.

The three new members joining TOPS #493 during November were Martha Johnson, Betty Edgar and Molly Ann Davis.

The "Put and Take" contest that ran during the summer and fall came to a conclusion with Falba Brown the winner. This was a fun contest as well as being a help to dieters. Falba's secret to dieting is half portions but a good healthy nutritional menu.

The Tuesday evening TOPS welcomes visitors so drop in for a cup of coffee and become acquainted with the program and members. It is not only helpful and healthful but it is fun!

A.C. RAIDERS NEWS

The ladies' basketball team, A.C. Raiders, had their usual fine turnout for practice Nov. 26.

Their coach, Charlie Parish, will pick his team this Wednesday night and new uniforms will be issued.

The Raiders will face their first competition Monday, Dec. 8, at 8 p.m. in Corpus Christi at the Hamlin Junior High gym. They play the Roadrunners of Corpus Christi.

The sponsors for the team are: Charlie and Rita Parish, First National Bank of Rockport, Bob McBee of Corpus Christi and Bill and Bette Cutcher.

**A.A.R.P.
Thanksgiving**

Approximately 160 members and guests attended the annual Thanksgiving dinner of the American Association of Retired Persons, Chapter 1536, November 26 at the Recreation Building at the Airport.

The Association furnished the turkeys and each person attending brought a covered dish. Ten plates were delivered by Neva Sorenson to those on the Dial-A-Care Program who are shut-ins.

Everyone present acknowledged that Gladis Thomson, chairman of this dinner, had done a remarkable job in putting it together and serving same. She was assisted by Pat Works, Evelyn Townsend, Ann Ploetz and Mae Briggs.

Many others did chores such as keeping the coffee pots filled, cleaning up and leaving the room in good order for the Tourist Association's Wednesday night supper.

**WINS A AND I
ERARD SCHOLARSHIP**

Kingsville -- Kayellyn Lauer Presley of Rockport has won the E.B. Erard Scholarship in journalism at Texas A&I University in Kingsville.

Dr. Hari N. Dam, journalism chairman, announced Mrs. Presley's selection by a committee of journalism faculty and Dean R.R. Hinojosa-Smith of the College of Arts and Sciences.

The scholarship--for \$120, renewable for the spring semester--is financed by employees of the Kingsville Publishing Co. and other friends of Ed Erard, late editor of the Kingsville-Bishop Record-News.

Eligible for the award are junior and senior journalism majors who have demonstrated proficiency in journalism and who have a grade average of B or better in at least three hours of journalism.

Mrs. Presley, a senior with a 4.0 (A) average in journalism and a 3.3 average in all her course work, is currently editor of the South Texan, student weekly. Last year she served as a newspaper staff member and was employed by the A&I News Service. She was secretary of the Media Society.

At Rockport-Fulton she finished first in regional and second in district in the University Interscholastic League ready writing contest, won the English Award and worked on the high school yearbook. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lauer of Bishop.

**WATER VEGETABLES
TO PREVENT
FROST DAMAGE**

College Station -- The first frost of the fall season need not spell doom for your garden vegetables. A vegetable specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service suggests using water to protect cold-susceptible plants from freezing temperatures. "When water freezes it give

off heat," says Sam Cotner. "In fact, when a pound of water loses a degree of temperature, it gives off more heat than any other substance. This heat can warm the air around plants and protect them from freezing."

The most effective way to protect plants is with a sprinkler, contends the Texas A&M University System specialist. Apply water continually during the time freezing temperatures

exist. This may mean sprinkling the garden all night. "If a frost is expected, sprinkling in the early morning will probably be sufficient," notes Cotner.

Another method of protecting plants from freezing temperatures is furrow watering. However, this method is not as effective as sprinkling.

Cotner warns against washing plants off with warm water after a frost occurs. "Plant tissues can be badly

damaged when they are forced to thaw in such a short time. It's better to let them thaw out gradually."

So don't let the first frost or freeze put an end to your supply of nutritious, home-grown vegetables this fall. If light freezing conditions are expected, crank up the water sprinkler, advises the specialist.

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**A.A.R.P.
CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Plans are complete for the last and only meeting A.A.R.P. in December which is scheduled to be held December 10 at 9:30 a.m. at the Airport. This meeting will be the one

at which the 1976 officers will be installed. John L. Leslie, incoming president, will announce the names of those who will serve on the various committees with him.

This will be a gala occasion and will be the annual Christmas party at which time gifts

will be exchanged. Men should bring a present for a man and ladies for a lady, not to cost over two dollars. It is possible that Santa Claus may visit.

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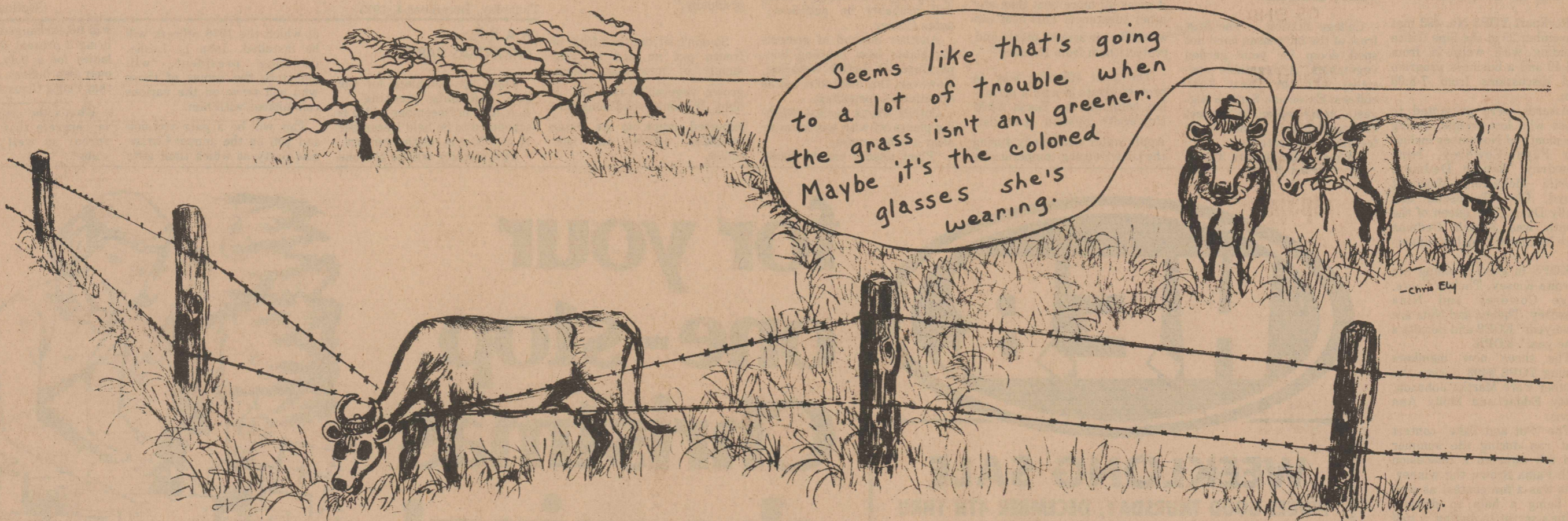
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