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Feb. 28	72	58	.00
Feb. 29	73	63	.00
Mar. 1	72	37	.00
Mar. 2	45	23	.00

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Shrimpers Want Changes

In New Stall Lease Agreements

By Eddie Bradley
J.C. Harlan, president of the Seafood Producers Association, presided over a meeting of about 40 persons at the Navigation Building on Thursday night, February 28.

The meeting was called to unite all their efforts in opposition to the new lease agreement that the Naviga-

tion Board recently adopted. Mr. Harlan said that an attorney had told him that several points in the contract would not pass a test of legality.

"We are going to kill this lease as it is written," Harlan said. "It is illegal. It's not worth the paper it is written on." He told those present not to sign the new

contracts. David Maguglin, Board Chairman for the Navigation District, said that as long as the Board had been notified that the contract was being contested, then they would be able to keep their boats in the stalls as usual, even without signing the new agreements.

Harlan agreed that the

Navigation Board did need contract help in carrying out their responsibilities, "but we don't agree with some of these provisions."

Two clauses that seemed to be particularly troublesome were one that would perhaps reduce a boat owner's rights under mari-

(See CHANGES page 7)

Fulton Harbor Improvements Will 'Give Back More Beach'

By Pat Blair
Hillis Dominguez Friday presented a plan for Fulton Harbor improvements that will "give back more beach than we're taking" and said he will "recommend strongly that we proceed with this plan."

Dominguez, a member of the Aransas County Navigation District, made the statement following a public meeting that began at 1 p.m. Friday, February 29, in the Navigation District office.

The meeting was called after the Navigation Dis-

trict, in an earlier meeting, presented plans for enlargement of Fulton Harbor to create additional boat slips.

Dominguez told those attending Friday's meeting that he had worked on the original plans with Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, a Houston engineering firm.

The original plans were subsequently revised to take in a larger area, Dominguez said, and it was these revised plans that the Navigation District considered at its last meeting.

This revised plan "got a lot of protest," Dominguez said, adding that the Navigation District decided Tuesday, February 26, "to go with the original sketch."

These original plans, Dominguez told those at Friday's meeting, call for enlarging the Harbor to the

north, which will take a sizeable chunk out of Fulton's park, but it will add 100 feet of beach on the northeast and east because the District will fill in this area.

"We are giving back more beach than we are

taking," Dominguez said.

He added that cost of the project will be "approximately \$950,000," and the funding will be through revenue bonds, at no cost to taxpayers.

Among those protesting (See HARBOR page 7)



School isn't a case of "all work and no play", at least not for these youngsters at Rockport Elementary. After two weeks of studying square dancing as part of their physical education class, first through fifth grade students got a chance to put their learning into practice, with a "Square Dance Contest" Friday afternoon, February 29. As Rockport joins the rest of the state in celebrating Public School Week this week, parents are encouraged to visit their children's schools, meet their teachers and find out more about the many ways their children's education and experience are broadened in Aransas County's public school system. Photos of the Square Dance Contest winners are inside today's Pilot.

(Pilot Photo by Pat Blair)

NOT ALL WORK

Emory Maurice Spencer Dies At Home

Emory Maurice Spencer died Saturday, March 1 at his residence in Rockport, at the age of 74.

A resident of Rockport since 1935, he married Mildred Farrow in September of 1943 and was a

member of St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

Born in Redwater, Mr. Spencer played a tremendous role in the development of Aransas County. He is described in numerous newspaper articles as "a successful oil man, art man, land man, and law man."

From 1927 to 1934, Mr. Spencer was in the oil business with Sun Oil Company. He made his headquarters in Dallas, but worked in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Mississippi and Kansas.

He entered his law practice in Rockport in 1936, and from 1939 to 1943, he served as County Attorney, then City Attorney for two years, and then served another three-year term as County Attorney, from 1945 to 1948.

Mr. Spencer served as County Judge from 1948 to 1949.

Mr. Spencer is credited with ridding the area of gambling, and did it by warning; if necessary, he would call in the Texas Rangers to do the job.

Mr. Spencer graduated from the Rice Institute in 1926, and a few years ago when a directory of class members was published with reports on how each member had fared over the last 50 years, one of the shortest reports came from Emory Spencer.

Under "Lines of Endeavor", he wrote, "Law, land and oil."

He was Chairman of Aransas County Democratic Executive Committee from 1955 to 1958, and was a charter member of the Texas Bar Association, a member of Delta Tau Delta,

and past member of the Board of Directors of the Portland State Bank for 20 years.

He had an AV Rating (See SPENCER page 7)

Henry Bent Files For Council

Henry L. Bent, manager of Rockport Realty, has filed for Rockport's city council to represent Ward 2 in the April 5 city elections.

Deadline for filing for city office is 5 p.m. today, March 5, at Rockport's City Hall.

In seeking election as alderman for Ward 2, Bent will oppose incumbent J. Martin Shaw who is seeking re-election.

Also up for election this year is the post of mayor -- where incumbent Walter S. Falk Jr. is running un-

opposed so far -- and the Ward 1 seat held by Dan Ward.

Ward is seeking re-election opposed by Peter Lazidis.

Candidates will meet at City Hall at 10 a.m. Friday, March 7, to draw for the positions in which their names will appear on city ballots.

Bent and his wife, Louise, have lived in Rockport for five years, coming here from Houston after his

retirement from the post of executive assistant to the chief of NASA's computation division in Houston.

Since coming to Rockport, Bent has served as president and member of the board of the Harbor Oaks Home Owners Association, secretary of the Rockport Lions Club and instructor and counselor for the AARP-VITA Income Tax Service.

He is a member of the (See BENT page 7)



Emory M. Spencer

Little League Registration Set

The 1980 Aransas County Little League Association has announced that their final registration for all of the

various programs will be held this Sunday, March 9.

Sign-up will take place from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the

Aransas County Courthouse for boys and girls from Minor League to Big League. Any boy who is eight by August 1

and not 19, or any girl who is nine and not 19 by August 1, is eligible to sign up for the many baseball and softball programs.

A parent or guardian may register their child by showing proof of age and paying a donation reimbursement fee to the Little League: \$20 for one child, \$25 for two and \$30 for three or more.

The ACLLA is still short of adult volunteer help, so if you wish to pitch in and support the youth of Aransas County through Little League, you can attend their weekly meetings. The ACLLA meets at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday night in the county courthouse.



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BINGO AT BARGAIN BARN

Harry Cameron, an employee of the Bargain Barn on Church Street, offers a Newspaper Bingo card. The Bargain Barn is one of 20 local merchants offering Bingo cards to customers who want a crack at winning the prize which is \$100 this week. Cards are free to anyone over age 18 and there is no obligation to buy anything. Numbers appear each week in the Weekender and Midweek Pilot newspapers. This week's color is green.

(Pilot Photo by Eddie Bradley)

Notable Notes

Little League

Little League meetings will be held each Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Aransas County Courthouse. Everyone interested is urged to attend.

World Day of Prayer

A World Day of Prayer will be held on March 7 at Noon at the First Presbyterian Church. Reverend John Bradshaw will be the speaker on "Responsible Freedom."

Bring A Friend

First United Methodist Church Sunday School will celebrate "Bring A Friend Day" Sunday, March 9. All members are asked to attend Sunday School and bring someone with them. The class having the most guests will be recognized at the 10:50 a.m. morning worship service. All acolytes will be recognized and given certificates of appreciation at the March 9 morning services.

Park Board Meets

Rockport's City Park Board will meet at 5 p.m. Wednesday, March 5, to consider requests for locating two soccer fields and jogging trails in Memorial Park. Board Chairman Charles LaBounty invites all interested persons to attend.

Blood Pressure Clinic

The A.I.M. Home Health Agency, Inc. will hold a Blood Pressure Clinic at the Paws & Taws Building on Fulton Beach Road from 1:30 - 4 p.m. on Friday, March 7. The cost will be \$1 per person and the public is invited.

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PERRY CARTER

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Our Readers Write

Dear Sir:
I want to register a complaint to the citizens of Fulton and Aransas County against the Navigation Board

for considering digging up the Fulton Beach Park to make a larger commercial harbor for the Fish and Shrimping Industry.

I attended a meeting of the Navigation Board Friday, February 29, under the impression the problems and alternatives would be discussed. This was a false impression on my part. The meeting was well attended by about 20 or more Shrimpers from the area, a few Fulton motel and trailer park owners, the owners and managers of the larger Fish and Shrimp businesses in Fulton, a banker and several interested owners of private property in Fulton. Mr. Dominguez was in charge of the meeting. We were shown a map of how the Board plans to expand the harbor. When questioned about alternatives to digging up the Park we were told there were NONE and "the Navigation Board was not in the Park business"! In other words -- "This is the way it's going to be."

We were told by various members of the pro-harbor group -- as they called themselves:

1. The Shrimping Industry and the Oil Companies are the "life's blood" of this community. (I don't know why the Oil Companies were suddenly involved. I don't think they are planning to dig a well in the Park.)

2. The Fulton Park is only good for beer drinkers, pot smokers and dope peddlers (not entirely true).

3. The beach is in terrible shape. (Granted -- the beach and recreational facilities have been grossly neglected since before and after the last election.)

An aside remark from one member of the assembly was "I wish they would dig up all the parks"! I don't like playing poker for high stakes with strangers that are dealing the cards from a "fixed" deck. And in a sense, that's exactly what I was doing when I attended that meeting last Friday.

I have some questions for the Citizens of Fulton:

1. Do you want Fulton to become a Commercial Fishing town?

or
2. Do you want Fulton to be a community of homeowners, motel, tourist court, trailer park and vacation home-owners?

3. Don't you think our elected Navigation Board can work out their problem to provide facilities for our local fishermen and boat owners without sacrificing the Park?

God isn't making any more land -- much less parks. (This park was instigated by the Navigation Board in the first place, that's how they got into the "park business".)

Frankly, I liked Fulton better before the park was built. I could swim, fish and crab in my own front yard -- but we have the park, so let's keep it and have it maintained properly.

Sincerely,
s/Anne Warren

Services Held For Former Resident

Funeral services were held for Lester Eugene Sheeks, 73, of San Antonio, formerly of Rockport.

Mr. Sheeks died on February 24 in San Antonio. Services were held by the Kendall Masonic Lodge #897 AF and AM under direction of the Ebensberger Funeral Home of San Antonio.

A native of Fort Smith, Arkansas, he lived in Oklahoma and Kansas before coming to Texas in June, 1931. He lived briefly in Rockport and in 1966 owned the shrimp boat, Southern Star.

He was employed by the Halliburton Company of Duncan, Oklahoma, for 25 years and spent half of that time in Maricao, Venezuela. He retired in 1961 and moved to the Boerne area in 1963.

He also lived in Devine. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Othallee Freeman Sheeks of Boerne and a cousin, Mrs. Jack (Annie Mae Pyle) Mitchell of Naches, Washington. Burial was in the Sisterdale Cemetery.

Police Report

arrest by Rockport police.

Castillo was arrested by Police Officer S.P. Trevino after the officer stopped him originally for a speeding violation.

Trevino said he gave the San Antonio man a "verbal warning" then, after the man had driven away, learned that Castillo was wanted on a warrant from Bexar County.

Trevino made the arrest on Broadway at Annie.

William Homer Bryant, 48, of San Augustine, Texas was placed under \$75 bond on a charge of public intoxication.

Bryant was arrested by Police Officer J.N. Tanner about 7:15 p.m. Sunday, March 2, at the intersection of Liberty and Live Oak.

Jerry James Drinkard, 35, of Rockport was placed under \$1,000 bond on a charge of felony driving while intoxicated and fined \$28.50 after pleading guilty to a charge of driving without a license.

Drinkard was arrested by Police Officer Joaquin Martinez about 12:46 a.m. Saturday, March 1, on the Fulton Beach Road near the Summer Place.

Louis Michael Lavellee of KOA Campgrounds was placed under a \$100 personal recognizance bond on a charge of public intoxication following his arrest Friday afternoon, February 29.

Lavellee was arrested on South Bronte about 1:50 p.m. Friday. Arresting officer was Martinez.

Johnson Services Held

Eugene J. Johnson, age 90, died Thursday, February 28, in Aransas Pass.

Mr. Johnson was born in Leon County and lived in Rockport since 1937. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Wretha Benson Johnson of Rockport; two daughters, Mrs. Norman McLead of Rockport and Mrs. J.D. Kinsey of Farmington, New Mexico; three sisters, Mrs. Kate Bishop of Dallas; Mrs. Lamar Wiggins and Mrs. Mark Mallett, both of Kerrville; seven grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Marshall Funeral Home Chapel on Saturday, March 1, with Reverend Charles Fack officiating. Burial followed in the Rockport Cemetery.

Donations may be made to the South Texas Children's Home in Beeville, or to the Aransas County Emergency Medical Services, Inc.

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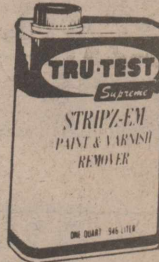
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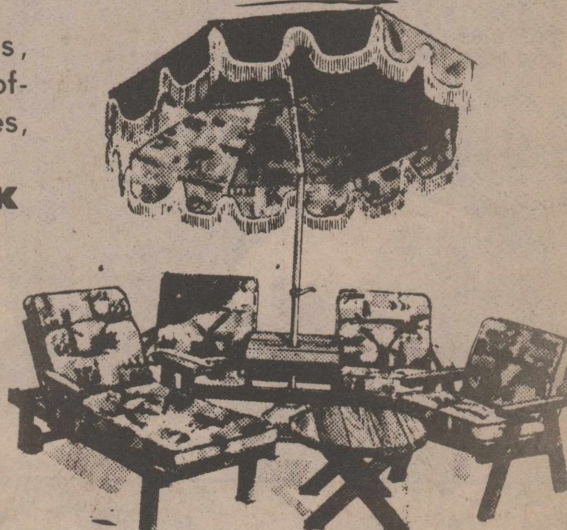
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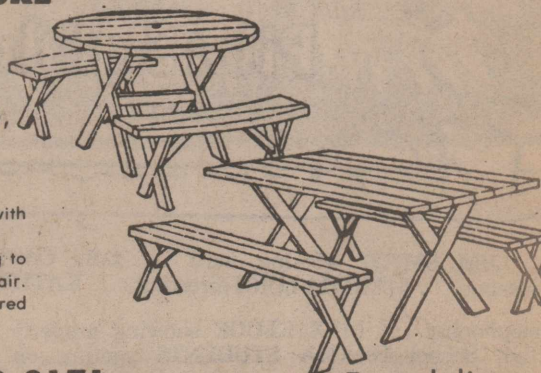
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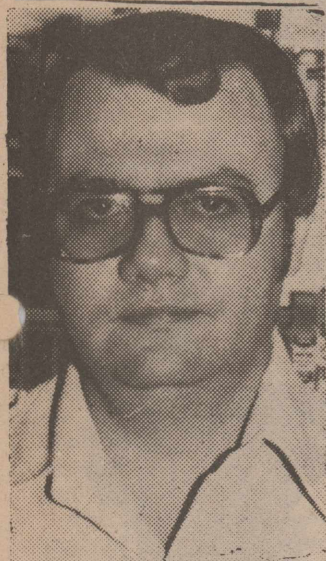
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Pharmacy Topics



Disco dancing calls for the same warm-up stretches as jogging or any other exercise, says a New York orthopedist.

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Radiology update: faster X-ray film and new techniques are making mammography safer than ever.

New subspecialty of pediatrics is adolescent medicine. These doctors are most experienced in handling the physical-and psychological-problems associated with the teen years.

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FIRST GRADE WINNERS

First graders who won their part of the all-day square dance contest at Rockport Elementary last Friday are, front row from left, Jenny Picarazzi, Brandi Brundrett and Joann Garcia; and their partners, from left, Greg Day, Robert Herrera, P.J. Levy and Jonathan Sifuentes. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]



FIFTH GRADE WINNERS

Winners in the fifth grade square dance contest by Rockport Elementary School are, front row from left, Mary Kay Krogsgaard, Sally Sanchez, Pamela Mooney and Martina Torres; and their partners, Robert Zamudio, Eloy Lawrence, Daniel Singleterry and James Gravel. The contest Friday, February 29, climaxed two weeks of square dance lessons in the school's physical education classes. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]

Public School Week Observed March 4-8

The Aransas County School System is observing Public School Week this week, March 4 through 8.

Monday, March 3 was a teachers' workday, with students having a long weekend.

Parents and friends are urged to visit all schools during the daytime, but due to crowded conditions, the cafeteria is unable to accommodate parents for a noon meal.

In the High School, Junior High and Elementary Schools, open houses are being held in addition to the daytime visiting.

On Tuesday, March 4, from 7 to 9 p.m., an open house was held at the Junior High School.

On Thursday, March 7, at 7 p.m., the High School will be holding their open house, with the High School Band performing a rehearsal program, and various school departments displaying projects in the new classroom wing.

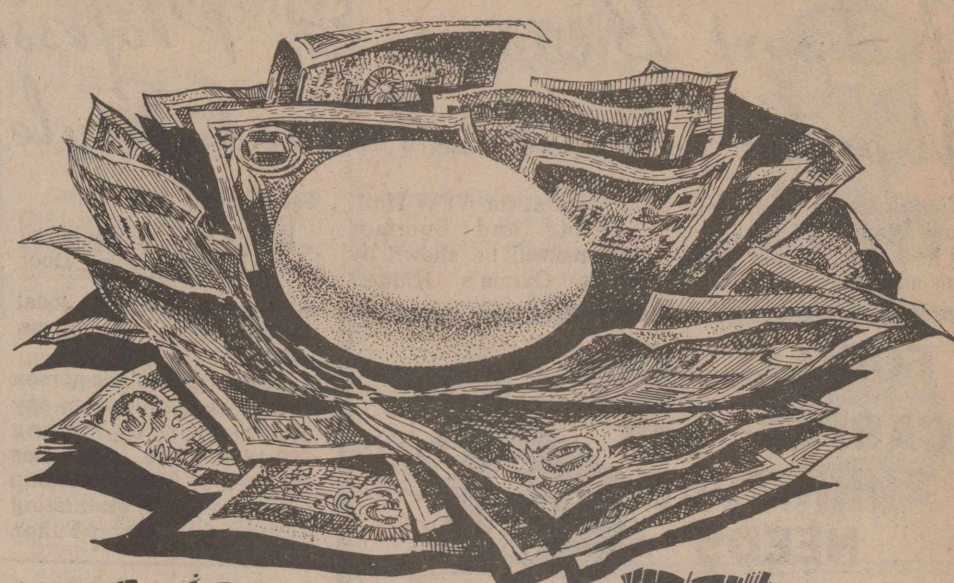
Regular classroom studies will be continued through the week so that parents may see their child in normal class activities.

All parents and friends are urged to visit the classrooms

this week, in honor of Public School Week.

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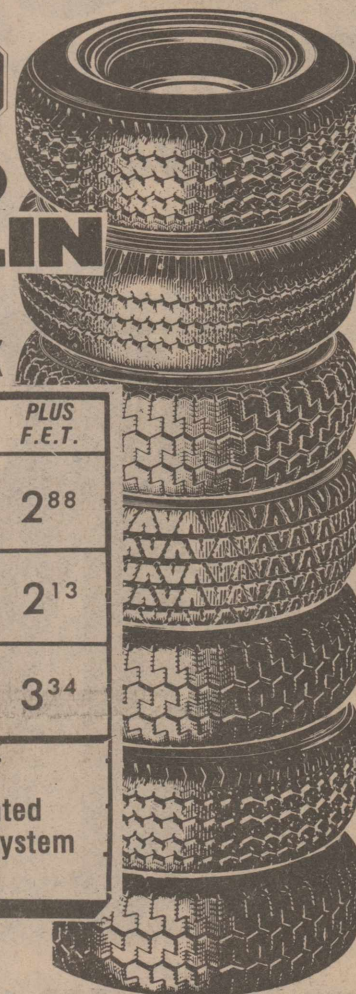
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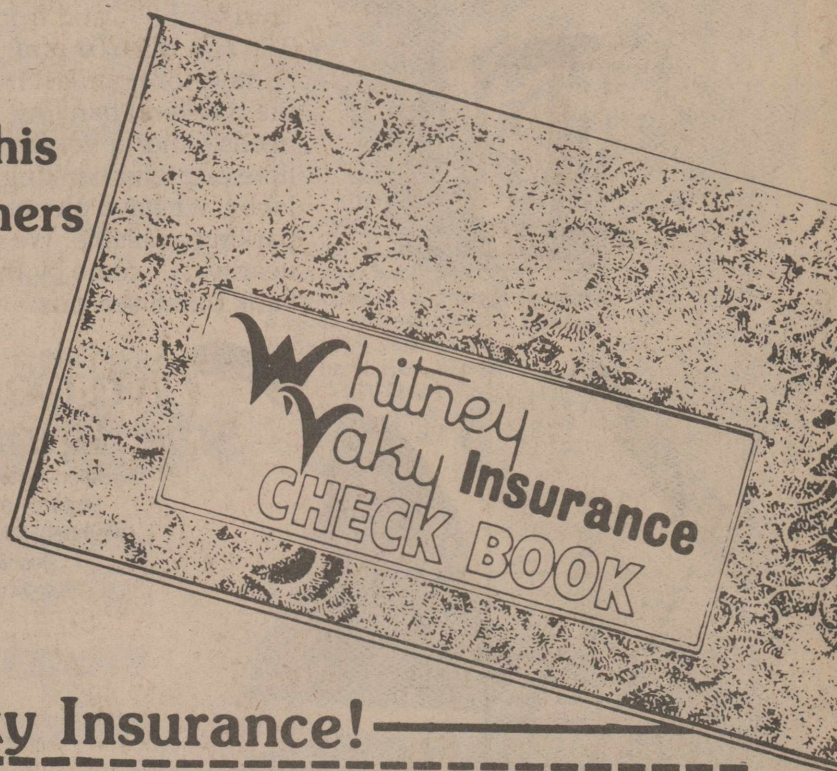
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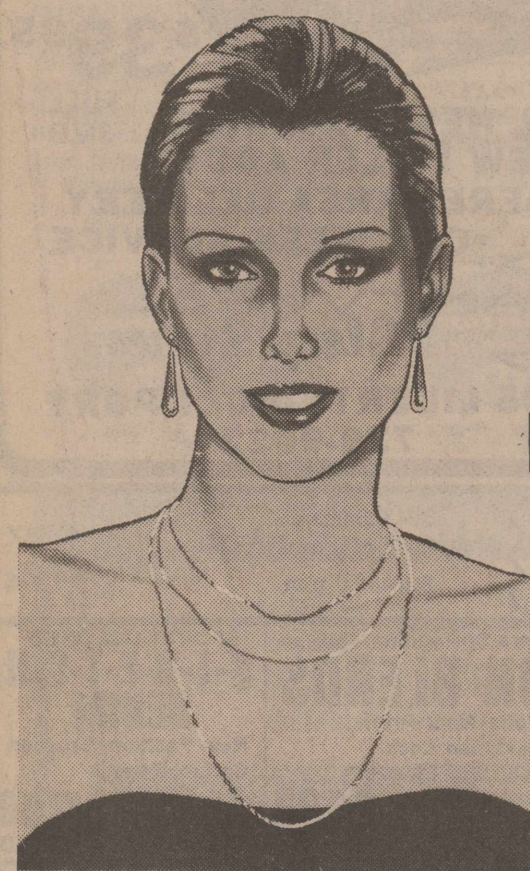
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Mrs. McCague Gives Oriental Luncheon

Mrs. George McCague, a member of AARP Rockport Chapter 1536, chose as her "Talent Dollar Project" to give an Oriental Bridge Luncheon on Friday, February 29, at 12:30 p.m. in her home.

Guests arrived appropriately attired and were seated at four artistically decorated tables set with china, rice paper napkins, chopsticks and favors of tiny Japanese umbrellas.

Chow mein over rice was served and the guests ate the food with chopsticks. Japanese tea was served with dinner.

Dessert was a traditional fortune cookie along with pineapple and cherry pyramids dipped in coconut.

Winners in the bridge game, Mrs. Dan Ward and Mrs. Genevieve Ohrling, received miniature floral pictures made of tiny shells with an authentic tropical butterfly mounted on the flower.

The prize for the lowest score was a New Zealand Tiki and was won by Jeannette Stalker.

Spring Bike-A-Thon Planned

Mr. Rudy Martinez and the CYO have accepted the Chairmanship of the Spring Bike-A-Thon on behalf of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

They will be conducting the Bike-A-Thon to raise funds which will support research and care for Cystic Fibrosis children.

Cystic Fibrosis, the number one genetic killer of children, is inherited by one of every 1,600 babies born in the United States. Approximately one in every 20 American is a symptomless carrier of the recessive CF gene.

At present time there is no cure for Cystic Fibrosis.

The Pilot Society

160 Kansans Attend Get Together

Some 160 Winter Texans from Kansas attended a "brunch" Friday morning, February 29, at the Rockport-Fulton Tourist Association Recreation Building on Airport Road.

Burton Harvey was M.C. for the affair which started off with a rendition of the Kansas state song, "Home on the Range."

The "wheat staters" attending the meeting voted unanimously to have an annual meeting on Kansas Day, January 29, starting in 1981.

Organizing the successful affair were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mossman of Emporia, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Harvey of Salina, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Broton of Chanute, Mr. and Mrs. Les Wake-man of Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bailey of Newton.

The organizers added that the "sunflower folks" of Kansas "have thoroughly enjoyed the warm sunshine and equally warm hospitality" of Rockport and joined in saying "Thank you from all of us."



What A Doll.

Jesse and Margaret Roberts of Lincoln, Nebraska make some really unique dolls. They pour the porcelain in molds themselves, fire the dolls in a kiln, and do all the work on them by hand. Here, Margaret is posing with "Shirley Temple." They were displaying and selling the dolls at the Tourist Association Craft Fair last weekend.

[Pilot Photo by Eddie Bradley]

Presbyterian Women Entertain

Another game party, honoring our Winter Tourists, was held in the Fellowship Hall of the Presbyterian Church on Friday, February 29 from 1 to 4 p.m.

Bridge and canasta were enjoyed by those present. Coffee, punch, iced tea and cookies were on the refreshment table during the afternoon.

In bridge, Neva Jackson took high prize which was a lovely kitchen towel with crocheted top. Second prize was won by Eugenia Bray of Rockport. Gertrude Chambers of Menominee, Michigan took low prize.

In canasta, Dorothy Leslie also won a towel for

high prize, made by the local president, Mrs. Bennie Long.

WEIGHT WATCHERS

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Rockport's Party Line

By Betty Paul

A "typo" cropped up in the last Partyline column -- Mike Rollins, not Mrs. Rollins was the one who just returned from an eight-month stay in the Philippines. His work is now being shown at Sundial.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hunt from Lubbock and the Rev. and Mrs. Preston Bracht from Flour Bluff visited the W.C. Calhouns for a week. Then Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Russell from Brownsville "popped in" for a day.

Joann Piant is the new manager at McMahan Electronic Security, Inc. She replaced Linda Clyde who moved to San Antonio.

Jackie Veatch had a very painful accident in her home, but is doing real well after the fall, all things considered.

Bessie Johnson is the new scheduling chairman for the Episcopal women at the Castaways Thrift Shop. If you women have some extra time and extra items they could use your help.

Julie Hiller, a high school senior has taken on a big job in spite of her youth. She will be one of the fall term kindergarten teachers at the First Presbyterian Church in Rockport.

At the Surf Court Motel Inc. these people are enjoying our warmer weather and good fishing: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Richter and Mrs. and Mrs. Bernie Arenz, all from Winona, Minnesota; Mr. and Mrs. Red Mutchler and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Rippi from Rapid City, South Dakota. The Mutchlers are planning on being here for at least two months.

A new "girl Friday", Nida Schmidt, has joined the Little Bay Real Estate group.

Ted Greenfield of the same Real Estate business hasn't been neglecting his work, but he has been in Corpus planting trees for his customers.

Virginia Chernosky and Johnny Vermillion went to San Antonio on a shopping spree.

Al DaCosta is back to work at Rockport Realty after a stay in the hospital.

Lou Bent is in Dallas visiting her sisters Paulette Brown and Coy Massey.

Tucker Coxwell is back from vacation to the Bahamas and sporting a face of "bristling whiskers."

Mr. F.L. Abt is in Memorial Hospital for tests.

Shirley and Danny Oliver went to Houston to attend the rodeo.

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS!

Joey Daley, Mary Ann Kelly, March 1; Lois Mosier, March 2; Wynell McLain, March 5; Mae Jeter, Jennifer Ruhmann, March 7; Kathy Langham, March 8.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARIES

Mary Lee and Tom Sammons, March 3; Mary and Joe Caldwell, March 6;

Dana and George Taggart, March 7.

HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES

Thelma Casterline, Erma Clobardants, Inez Greene, Mary Foerderer, Clarence and Elizabeth Troy, Katherine Johnson, Paul Morrison, Myrtle Driver, Mrs. Lottie Madden, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. Mary Hess and Mrs. G.H. Eller, Aransas Pass; Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Anderson, Retama Manor, Taft; Rae Glass Smith, Hilltop Manor, Kerrville; H. A. McDonald, Westbury Place, Houston; Carolyn Ada Hooper, Port Lavaca; Mildred and Walter Hatley, Bayou Glen, Houston; Mike Lucas, Memorial; Rick Lewis, Brooks in San Antonio.

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

"Superior people talk about ideas; mediocre people talk about things; small people talk about other people." from Ann Landers column

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AARP News

By Lucille E. Skrobarcek
The AARP-sponsored covered dish luncheon Wednesday, February 27, was attended by 48 members and eight guests, including Mrs. Marion Waite, AARP State Director from New York.

Mrs. Waite has 150 chapters under her jurisdiction. She and her husband, Don Waite, were the guests of Mrs. Pat Works, Assistant State Director of District VII South.

In speaking of Chapter 1536, Mrs. Waite classified us as an outstanding chapter with reference to membership, activities, and accomplishments.

The next business meeting of AARP Rockport Chapter 1536 will be on Wednesday, March 12, at 10 a.m.

Coffee and cookies, furnished by March birthday and anniversary people, will be served at 9:30 a.m.

AARP will sponsor a dance tonight at 7 p.m. Bring a friend and increase our numbers. It is not necessary to be a member of AARP to attend the dances.

Sixty-two persons attended game afternoon Thursday, February 28, playing at nine tables of bridge and four tables of canasta.

Host and hostesses were Frank and Nell Skrobarcek, and Mrs. Mary Lucille Skrobarcek.

Winners in bridge were Mrs. Thelma James and Norm Como. The canasta winners were Mrs. Helen Scharnick and Mrs. Jean Dayton. Mrs. Rosemary Thompson was the finale winner.

The next game afternoon will be 1 p.m. Thursday, March 6.

At the March 12 business meeting, please be prepared to turn in the money from your "Talent Dollar Project" to Mrs. Lucille E. Skrobarcek.

Continue clipping coupons and bring them to the meetings for the Coupon Exchange Sessions.

The workshop on March 31 will be at the Sea Gun Sports Inn beginning at 10 a.m. and ending at 3 p.m. with an hour for lunch.

Mrs. Pat Works, Assistant State Director for District VII South plans to have seven chapters from her district at this workshop including the Rockport Chapter.

She asks that the President and Vice President of each chapter attend along with six members from each chapter who have outstanding leadership qualities and who are willing to serve as leaders if nominated.

Mrs. Works has 22 chapters under her jurisdiction. The remaining chapters not represented at the March 31 workshop will be represented at workshops at a later date and in different localities.

If you need help with your income tax, please contact the qualified counselors at the Aransas County Public Library. These counselors are available from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday until April 15, 1980. This is a free service and William E. Fishwick is at the head of this program.



REV. CLARK PUTS PHOTOS ON DISPLAY

The Reverend Walter D. Clark, Jr., pastor of St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Rockport, sets up an exhibit of his photography in the lobby of First National Bank. Reverend Clark has been interested in photography as an art form for more than 20 years and at one time had his own darkroom, although he presently sends his work to a firm in Corpus Christi to be hand-printed. Reverend Clark and his wife, Sally, have been residents of Rockport for five years and have two sons. Before coming to Rockport, he was associate director at the Church of the Holy Spirit in Houston. Reverend Clark's photographs will be on display at the bank through March and are available for sale, he said.

[Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]

Calligraphy Classes Scheduled

Gwen Back, of Corpus Christi, will be returning to Rockport to teach her second Calligraphy Class.

The classes will be held from 2-4 p.m. at the Rockport Art Supply, 705 Liberty Street, beginning on March 13, and being held on several Thursdays after that date.

For more information, please call the Rockport Supply, at 729-9033.

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Poster Draws Letter From Government

Immediately following the dramatic rescue of six Americans by Canadian Embassy personnel in Iran, fifth and sixth grade Sunday School classes at Rockport's First United Methodist Church made a poster.

Depicting the Canadian and United States flags crossed, with the words "Thank you, Canada" at the top, the poster was signed by class members and sent to Ms. Flora McDonald, Canadian Foreign Minister in Ottawa.

This week, the class was surprised — and delighted, adds their teacher, Mrs. Ted Gorton — by a letter from Ms. McDonald.

Art work on the poster was done by Ricky Adkins and Danny Adams II.

The letter from Ms. McDonald follows:

Thank you for your kind message concerning Canadian assistance to American diplomatic personnel in Tehran. I have brought it to the attention of Canada's Ambassador to Iran, Kenneth Taylor.

We in Ottawa have relied

heavily on Mr. Taylor's invaluable advice. As you know, his work was supported by a group of equally dedicated and courageous people. Their contribution in potentially dangerous circumstances has been consistent with the best traditions of Canada's Foreign Service. I am convinced, however, that no more was done for our American colleagues than they would have done for us had Canadians been in need of help.

In rejoicing at the safe departure from Iran of six Americans, we are, of course, reminded of the circumstances of their fellow countrymen who remain hostage in Tehran. The Canadian Government, as an expression of the views of all Canadians, will continue to do what it can to the end that all Americans in Iran return safely home.

s/Flora MacDonald
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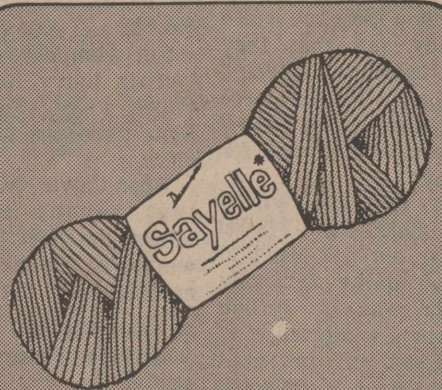
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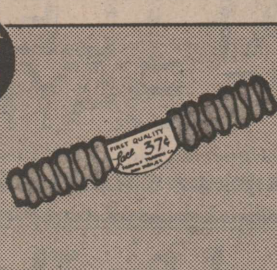
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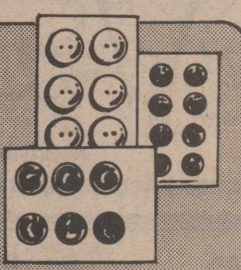
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Pirates Take Second Place In Alice Meet

By Edward Lane
At the Hub City Relays in Alice last Saturday, the Rockport-Fulton Pirates made a very good showing to officially open the track season. Coach Ron Richardson had his boys compete in their sweatsuits to prevent injuries due to the cold weather, but they overcame this handicap to finish second in the meet.

Competing against 4-A and other 3-A varsity teams from 10 area towns, the Pirates ended up with 90 points. Alice, a 4-A school, took first with 135 points and Sinton was third with 63.

Taking first place in the shot put was Bubba Scott with a throw of 51 feet, 10 inches. Kroy DeForest placed third (50 feet) and Jeb Beall claimed fourth (49 feet, two inches).

In the discus throw, Mike Arthur not only took second place, but set a new sophomore class record by throwing 135 feet, nine inches. Bubba Scott took third (134 feet, five inches) and Ronald Allen was sixth (122 feet, nine inches).

Raul Castro took second place in the mile run with a time of 4:56. David Kelly finished second in the 220-yard dash (24.6 seconds). Other second-place finishers included David Corpus in the 880-yard run (2:15), and the mile relay team of Michael Simmons, David Corpus, Esequiel Hernandez and

Clyde Barre (3:51). Hernandez also took fourth place in the 880-yard run with a time of 2:18. Mike Contreras was fourth in the mile run at 5:05. The sprint relay team of George Soliz, Mike Simmons, Zack Green and Ernest Gonzales finished fifth at 48.4.

In the 120-yard high hurdles, David Williams ran an 18.0 seconds, to finish fourth. Tony Paul was sixth in the high jump at five feet, six inches.

Although Bubba Scott was the only first-place finisher, the Pirate varsity used a bunch of other placers to rack up their points.

The Junior Varsity and Freshman teams combined members to make up a Division II team. They competed against class 2-A and 1-A varsity teams as well as junior varsities from larger schools. The Pirates finished sixth out of 10 teams, with 28 points.

David Ramirez won the 880-yard dash (2:20.47).

Peter Booth was third in the mile run (5:08).

Mac Schmidt took third in the discus throw (116 feet, 1 1/2 inches), Lupe Contreras finished second in the 220-yard dash (24.95) and the all-freshman mile relay team of Ernie Lara, Raymundo Castro, David Ramirez and Joe Cantu took sixth place (4:09).

Both Coach Richardson and Bill Daws were well pleased with the showings that the teams made, both from the younger members and from the leadership of their older teammates.

One interesting event that took place in the Varsity Division was the weightman relay, which was run a distance of 440 yards. Four muscular types ran a relay and handed off a discus to each other. Jeb Beall, Bubba Scott, Mike Arthur and Kroy DeForest took second place and were awarded oranges for their prizes.

No points for the meet were given in this event.

Toast Of Coast This Weekend

This Saturday, March 8, nine varsity track teams will come into Rockport for the annual Toast of the Coast Meet.

In addition to the host

Pirates, the Varsity Division will include Austwell-Tivoli, Beeville, Cuero, Flour Bluff, Gregory-Portland, Refugio, Sinton, Tuloso-Midway and West Oso.

The JV Division will include those teams plus Port Lavaca and Bloomington.

Field events will begin at 9 a.m. and track preliminaries start at 10 a.m. The finals will be run at 2 p.m.

Track events will include the 400 meter relay, 800 meter dash, 110 meter high hurdles, 100 meter dash, 400 meter dash, 300 meter intermediate hurdles, 200 meter dash, 1600 meter run and the 1600 meter relay.

Coach Ron Richardson said that Gregory-Portland and Beeville should probably be co-favorites. G-P won the meet last year and Beeville recently came in third in the Border Olympics.

TAX RELIEF

West Germany announced a \$6 billion economic stimulus and tax relief plan on July 28, 1978.

EARTH SHAKING by FACTS Jim Cox



*At least half of the Eskimos in the world have never seen an igloo.

*At age 22 Robert Wardlow was 8 feet, 11.1 inches tall. He was born in Alton, Illinois, On February 22, 1918.

*Las Vegas, Nevada, has more churches per capita than any other city in the world.

*Robert L. Foster, of California, held his breath for 13 minutes, 42-1/2 seconds in a swimming pool.

*In Norway the housewife is guaranteed by law a one-week vacation.

*The elephant, if properly taught, can throw a baseball faster than a baseball pitcher.

*In the next 12 months, the people of the United States, will consume more than 20,000 tons of aspirin.

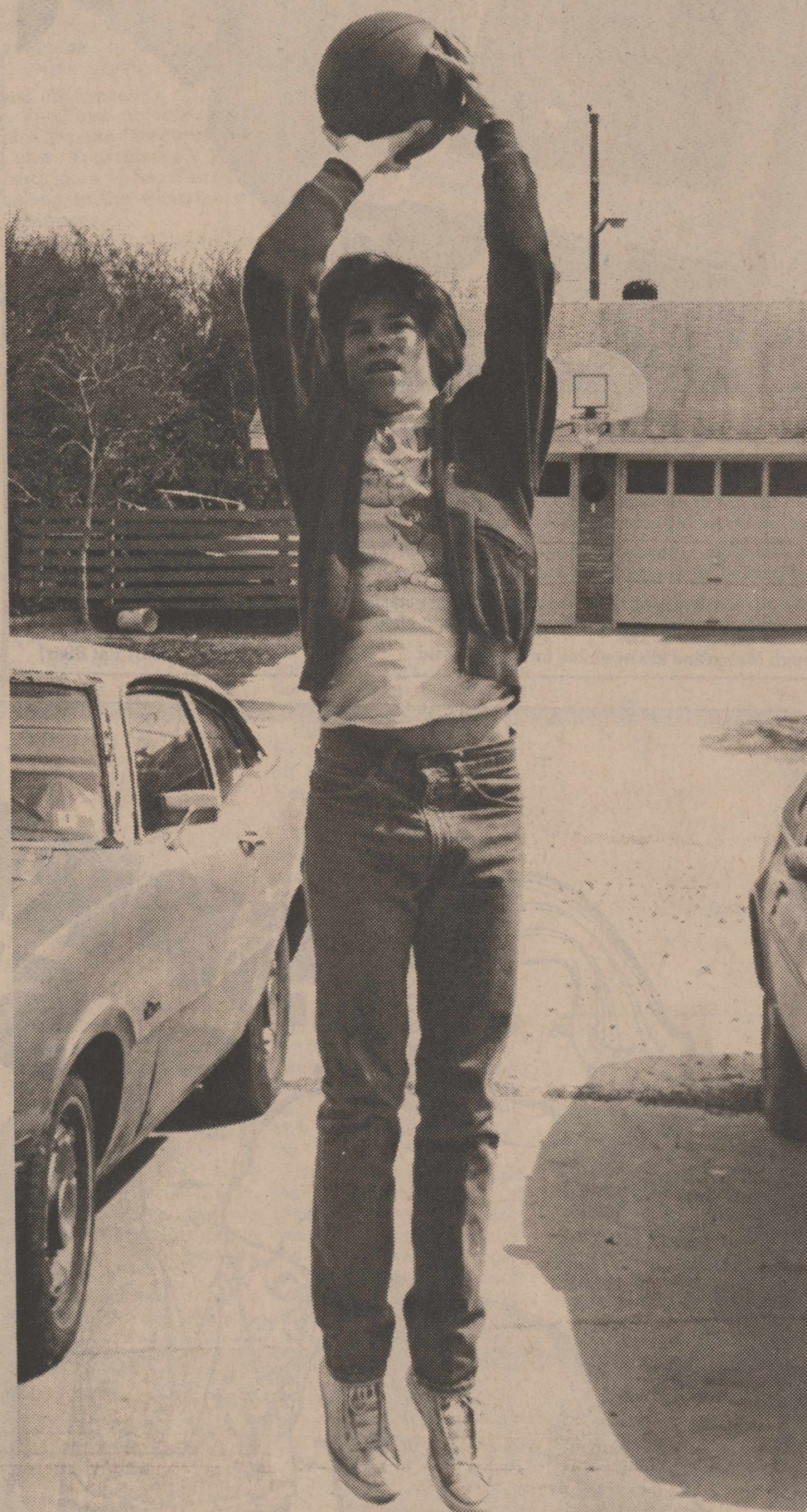
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Sports



ALL-DISTRICT PIRATE

Mark Setterbo was a unanimous choice of the District 15-3A coaches to be on the all-district basketball team. Here he does what he has done so many times, take a practice shot at the goal in his driveway. Mark says he hopes to play junior college ball next year and we think he will certainly represent Rockport-Fulton well wherever he chooses to go.

(Pilot Photo by Eddie Bradley)

Setterbo Choice For All-District

By Bob Crawford

District 15-AAA coaches met recently to nominate and choose their All-District team. Rockport-Fulton's Mark Setterbo, Beeville's Robin Bright, and Flour Bluff's David Clabome were unanimous picks.

Setterbo paced his Rockport teammates in scoring, rebounding, steals and was second in assists. Clabome was a consistent player for the Bluff, and a deadly shooter, although he did not play against Rockport in the second round of district play. Bright was the most dominating figure in the district with his 6'5" frame and his outstanding leaping ability.

Rounding out the top five were Doug Hurst, sophomore sharp-shooter from Gregory-Portland, and Chris Bentley from Tuloso-Midway.

When evaluating his team this season, Coach Bobby Flanagan said of Setterbo, "When Markie was on his game, he could do so many things well with the basketball."

The second unit for All-District included Rockport's Mark McDonald. "Perhaps he is the most improved player over one season, with so little experience, that I have ever coached," commented Flanagan on McDonald's year as a Pirate.

McDonald was second in scoring and rebounding for the Pirates, and only trailed Setterbo by nine points in the district.

McDonald was teamed with three West Oso players, Chester Huff, Jimmy Jones and Pat Roberson, along with Mike Krieg of G-P, Joe Washington of Flour Bluff, and Dana Beasley from Beeville, to round out the Second Team.

Coach Flanagan was a little more than upset when Rockport's Ruben Garcia did not get an Honorable Mention. "I think if teams we played well would think back, Ruben was in some way instrumental in tearing them down. He made so many good passes and individual plays which went unnoticed," said Flanagan.

New Race Added To Goliad Lineup

The La Bahia State Bred Feature has been added to the Stake and Feature schedule at Goliad's La Bahia Downs, to be run during the March 15 through March 30 Spring Race Meet.

The race, at 300 yards, is for any two-year-old who is a Texas Foal and a non-starter as of March 10, 1980.

The race has an estimated purse of \$10,000 for its first running. Nominations will be accepted until March 20 by payment of the regular fees due and a small penalty.

The March Meet will also offer many other rich Stakes and Features.

The Texas Futurity will again be one of Texas' top races of the year. The Futurity, which last year had a gross purse of \$124,000 continues to attract top two-year-olds.

Other popular features are the South Texas Derby and Anticipation Feature. Both the latter are for 3 year olds.

1980 Race Meet officials are: Stewards Les Roper, Brady, Morris Reed, Laredo; and Glenn C. Zieschand, Elgin; Placing Judges, Ben A. Horny, San Antonio; J.D. Von Dohlen, Goliad and Stuart Beebe, Victoria; Photo Finish, Chalmers Nelson, Whitney; and Track Veterinarian, Dr. Robert Lewis, Elgin. Other officials are Starter, Richard Rickman, Brady; Paddock Judge, Andy Horny, Brenham; Clerk of Scales, Tim Horny, San Antonio; Ticket Sales, H.L. Aouelle, Port Lavaca; Concessions, Ben Aouelle, Jr., San Antonio; Racing Secretary, L. H. Von Dohlen, Goliad; Fred Pena, Goliad, Track Superintendent and Dave Jagger, Track Announcer.

The barn area will be open to receive horses March 3. Horsemen may reserve stalls by writing to South Texas Race Association, Drawer S, Goliad, Texas 77963.

Mackerel Public Hearings Set

TAMPA -- Mackerel fishermen will have their chance to comment on fishing regulations proposed for offshore waters from Texas to North Carolina. These regulations are to be explained in a series of evening hearings in coastal communities.

The Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council will be presenting the Fishery Management Plan for Coastal Migratory Pelagic Resources. This group includes mackerels, cobia, dolphin, bluefish and little tunny.

Regulations are proposed only for king mackerel, Spanish mackerel and cobia.

The management area begins at the outer limit of state waters and extends out to 200 miles. Proposed restrictions include:

(1) Limits on the total catch of 28 million pounds for all recreational fishermen, 3.9 million pounds for all commercial hook and line fishermen and 8.1 million pounds for all commercial net fishermen.

(2) Size limits of 12 inches for Spanish mackerel and 33 inches for cobia.

(3) Prohibiting sale of king mackerel less than 25 inches long.

(4) Minimum mesh size of 4 1/4 inches for all gill nets used to catch king mackerel.

Other measures include a study of the possible impacts of the use of purse seines on king and Spanish mackerel; provisions for future bag limits for king and Spanish mackerel, if needed; a size limit for kings if needed; and a measure to separate two conflicting groups of fishermen on the southeast Florida coast. Proposed measures for collecting catch, fishing effort and processing statistics are more stringent than present statistics gathering.

Copies of a summary of the proposed provisions of the plan can be obtained from the Gulf Council, National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and your

marine patrol (conservation) officer or state marine extension agent.

Local hearings scheduled are in Port Isabel Monday, March 10 at the Port Isabel Community Center, Port Aransas Tuesday, March 11 at the Port Aransas Community Center and Houston Wednesday, March 12 at the Shamrock Hilton Hotel.

The public is invited to comment on the proposed plan and regulations on these dates. The Council and NMFS will also accept written comments on the plan.

Public comments will be reviewed by the Council and the plan modified accordingly prior to submission to the Secretary of Commerce for implementation of the regulations.

The public again may comment on the proposed regulations published by the Secretary of Commerce at a later date.

BENCHWARMER SPORTS TRIVA
When did popular pitching ace Louie Tiant win his 200th career victory, against what team?
By Bob Alexander
ANSWER:
On August 16, 1978 for his 200 career victory.
Tiant beat Nolan Ryan and



Refuge Seeks Applications For Youth Program

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has announced applications for the position of Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) Work Coordinator and other positions will be accepted at the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge.

The YCC is a summer program designed to provide boys and girls age 15 through 18, from all social and economic backgrounds, with environmental training and employment in conservation work needed on the refuge.

The camp will enroll 24 boys and girls on a non-residential (commuter) basis.

The recruitment period for these positions opened February 25 and closes March 14.

Positions available include work coordinator and four group leaders.

All applications will be considered without regard to sex, race, creed, color or national origin.

For basic qualifications, training requirements, and job duties, contact Frank Johnson at Aransas National

Wildlife Refuge, P.O. Box 100, Austwell, Texas 77950, or phone (512) 286-3559.

Selection for the Work Coordinator position will be made by April. The applicant selected will be required to complete a one-week YCC orientation workshop at Western Hills Lodge, Oklahoma, April 21-25.

Participants will receive full salary for the training period and will be reimbursed for meal and

lodging expenses. Travel will be paid by the government.

Selections for the Group Leader positions will be made by May 9. No formal pre-camp training is required for these positions.

Interested persons should complete and return an SF-171 Employment Application to the above address. All applications must be in by Friday, March 14.

Fast success for Peete

How often have you heard somebody say that they wished they had started playing golf when they were a child? Usually, it's offered in the form of an excuse for poor play.

Vicki Fergon, who's earned more than \$43,000 this year did not begin to take the game seriously until she was 17. Jerilyn Britz, who also started at 17 and did not turn pro until she was 31, has collected

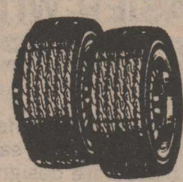
\$55,000.

But compared to PGA tourists Larry Nelson and Calvin Peete, Fergon and Britz were practically toddlers.

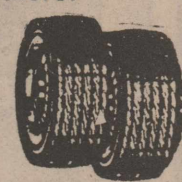
When Calvin, 36, captured the recent Greater Milwaukee Open, the \$36,000 winner's share shot his earnings for the year to

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Deputy Sheriff Gary Howard is shown with a table full of goods that he recovered Friday afternoon, February 29. Three separate burglaries in the Peninsula Oaks subdivision were called in between 12:30-1:30 p.m. on that day, and Deputy Howard was investigating these violations when he became interested in three youths who seemed to be out of place in the area. Howard reports that their stories did not bear up under investigation, so subsequent inquiries revealed some of the stolen goods in the auto trunk. The three youths, one was 18 years old, the other two were 16, then led officers to a spot where they had buried the remainder of the stolen items.

[Pilot Photo by Eddie Bradley]

SPENCER

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with Martindale-Hubbell, a New Jersey firm that publishes a directory in which attorneys from all over the country are rated according to professional ability. AV is considered one of the highest ratings for any attorney.

He was awarded a Charter membership in the Fellows of the Texas Bar Association.

Mr. Spencer was responsible for getting the Sid Richardson Foundation to provide relief funds after Hurricane Celia, and matching funds for one drive to raise money for the emergency center, and was instrumental—through the

Coastal Bend Council of Governments—in getting the Fulton Mansion declared a State Park.

He donated nearly seven acres of land to the Aransas County Hospital Volunteers, Incorporated, to build the Clinic and Doctors' Offices, and was responsible for the establishment of Simon Michael's School and Gallery of Fine

Arts.

He financed the Woman's Club Building in 1947.

Mr. Spencer helped build the Baptist Church in Fulton, and the Methodist and Baptist Churches in Rockport. He was known for his large donations—by cash and land—to the other churches in the area.

Beginning in 1943, he acted as Agent for Aransas County, purchasing the land north of the city for the county airport.

Survivors include his wife, Mildred; and two daughters, Sandra Musser of Clearwater, Florida; and Alicia Weekley of Houston; five grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were at 3 p.m. Monday, March 3, at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, with the Reverend Walter Clark officiating. Burial was in the Rockport Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were James L. Anderson, Jr., Max Kluge, Jr., Chester Johnson, Col. Robert C. Stroot, French Smith, and Cam Leonard.

Honorary pallbearers were Judge Allen Wood, Judge John Miller, Dr. Homer F. Elliot, Dr. Kel-Homer F. Elliot, Dr. Kleberg Eckhardt, Dr. Gordon Gunter, Perry R. Bass, Jeff E. Bell, Jr., William H. Shireman, Jr., Hobart Hudson and Weldon Cabaniss.

Donations may be made to the St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Rockport.

BENT

(Continued from page one) local chapter of AARP, the local, state and national boards of realtors and a member of First Baptist Church.

He is a veteran of World War II and holds the Air Medal with Cluster, Purple Heart and the Silver Star.



Henry Bent

COLONIAL ASSEMBLY
A representative colonial assembly, the first in America, was held at Jamestown, Virginia on July 30, 1619.

HARBOR

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the Navigation District project at Friday's meeting was Dan Shelton of Fulton who told Navigation District members present, "My position, and the position of the people I've talked to, is, we're opposed to giving up any of our park for more boat slips. That's the only park we have."

Shelton also added, "There's not that much demand for boats."

Dominguez repeated that the proposed harbor enlargement -- which would provide dockage for 85 to 90 boats -- would give back more park area, "also a

beach which you don't have now. We have to live together," he added.

J.C. Harlan, president of the Seafood Producers Association, said the Navigation District was "formed for maritime interests, not a park board. The land in question is used as a park because at the time it was not needed for maritime purposes. We need it now."

"I don't think we'll be handicapping Fulton," he continued. "They'll have a nice little park and we'll have docking."

The park also came under criticism from a couple

of people at the meeting who said it was not being used and that it was a scene of fights, pot-smoking and beer drinking.

This prompted Pat Loflin to "come to the park's defense." Mrs. Loflin said she lives across the street from the park "and have for 18 years. I use it and a number of my tourists use it. During the summer, the cabanas are full."

Harold Shirey of Fulton said, "All the criticism of the park is strictly on the failure of the Navigation District" to maintain it.

L.E. Casterline, mayor of Fulton, was present at Friday's meeting and told those attending, "The Fulton City Council endorses the Navigation District proposal. We feel like it would be good for all of us."

In paying for the project through revenue bonds, the cost of the harbor improvements will be borne by

those who rent the boat slips. Dominguez and District board member Bobby Landrum, also at the meeting, said the slip rental fees would have to be refigured.

Those who rent boat slips can probably look forward to an increase in the monthly rental fee if the project wins approval from the Navigation District board.

CHANGES

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time law and another that held the lessee responsible for liabilities rather than the Navigation District.

The conversation strayed to a discussion of Fulton Harbor. Someone wanted to know why good lumber as well as bad was being replaced during pier work there.

Maguflin responded that Commissioner Ken Faulkner and two others had voted to simply tear down the whole pier and replace it.

Some of those present said they didn't like to see the boat slips having to pay for parks. It was mentioned that there are now two petitions circulating the Fulton area, one for enlarging the harbor at the expense of the park area and one against the project.

Permit Request

Application has been made with the Army Corps of Engineers by Fred Meyer of San Antonio for a permit to construct a bulkhead and pier and fill an area behind the bulkhead in Copano Bay. Work is to be done in a connecting channel on Copano Ridge Road approximately five miles northeast of Rockport. Comments must be submitted to the District Engineer, P.O. Box 1229, Galveston, Texas 77553 on or before March 28.

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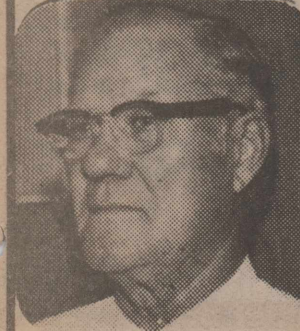
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Notable Notes

Oysterfest Set

The Fulton Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor an Oysterfest March 28, 29 and 30 at the Paws & Taws grounds in Fulton. This is the start of an annual event says fire department members, who add the activities will include pumper races, dances, a raw oyster eating contest and arts and crafts booths in addition to plenty of seafood to eat. Anyone interested in handling an arts and craft booth is asked to call 729-7529.

School Open House

Parents and friends of students at Live Oak Elementary School are invited to visit the school during Public School Week, March 3-7. Parents will have an opportunity to observe the regular classroom schedules during the day and will have the chance to view samples of students' work and materials being used.

Key Allegro Rummage Sale

The Key Allegro Women's Club will hold its annual rummage sale on Friday, March 7, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Saturday, March 8, from 9 a.m. to noon. It will be held at the Community Building at 29 Mazatlan.

P.E.O. To Meet

Chapter EO, P.E.O., will meet Tuesday, March 11, in the home of Mrs. Russell (Dorothy) Eastridge, 125 Port, at 1 p.m. Mrs. L. (Mamie Ruth) Caton will present a program on Education.

Women's Softball

Teams Captains have been appointed for the Women's Softball League being formed in Rockport. Anyone interested in playing softball, please call Kathy Gummer at 729-6019; Rosie Galvan, at 729-0349, Christine Stark, 729-7643; or Charlene Simmons, 729-1749. The league will be getting underway soon, so sign up now—time is running out!

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