

Notable Notes

SS Representative

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be at the Courthouse in Rockport on Tuesday, April 19, at 9 a.m. The representative will answer questions and also will help claimants file applications for the regular Social Security benefit payments as well as for Supplemental Security Income benefits.

Lay Renewal

A Lay Renewal will be held at the Fulton Baptist Church, Third and Chaparral in Fulton. The services will begin at 6:30 p.m. each of three nights, April 22, 23 and 24. Coordinator of the Lay Renewal is Tubby Mulder of Sherman, Texas, along with local coordinator Jeff Messinger. Some 30 team members from all parts of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas are planning to be in Fulton for this occasion. They are expected to stay in the home of pastor David Billeiter and in the homes of various members of the congregations. The public is invited. For more information, contact 729-2180.

Presbyterian Kindergarten

Registrations are now being taken for the fall term of the Presbyterian Kindergarten. The Kindergarten is for children aged four and one-half through five. Call Mrs. Somer Smith at 729-6025 for more information.

Food Arama

The San Patricio-Aransas County Family Living Subcommittee is presenting a Food Arama April 21. Demonstrations will be held beginning at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., and the festival will also include exhibits, recipes, door prizes and posters. The Food Arama will be held in the Homemaking Building on the County Fairgrounds in Sinton. The program is co-sponsored by the County Family Living Subcommittee Program Building Committee and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and is free and open to the public.

Demo Women

The Aransas County Democratic Women will meet Thursday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the District Courtroom of the Aransas County Courthouse. The guest speaker for the evening in the continuing series on "Education and Information" will be Joe Randow, Superintendent of Schools. Superintendent Randow will be speaking on several topics and will answer questions anyone may have. Plans will also be finalized for "Aransas County Day" in Austin on April 21. All members are urged to attend.

Open House

The Port Aransas Marine Laboratory, University of Texas Marine Science Institute, University of Texas at Austin, will hold its first open house April 23 from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. The day's activities will include continuous slide show presentations alternating with showings of the movie "Graveyard of the Gulf," tours of the research laboratories, research displays and demonstrations and dockside tours of the research vessel Longhorn. Food and refreshments will be available. Everyone is invited to attend.

Meeting-Luncheon

The North American Benefit Association, Review No. 9, of Corpus Christi and Rockport, with visitors and members from San Antonio, will hold a luncheon beginning at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, April 14 at Duck Inn Restaurant. A meeting for visitors and members will follow at 1 p.m. at the Statesman's Club in the United Savings Building in downtown Rockport.

Pilot Sightings



MR. BILLY AGEE says he's sorry the flags did not fly at the Ski Basin last week. He was sick and no one else was around to take the rope in hand... JANET SCHNEPP, LOU DICK, JANE BRADSHAW, BART DeFOREST, MAURINE UNDERWOOD, CARL RAY DeFOREST, VIRGINIA VON PEIN, AL CHERNOSKY, KENNETH THOMAS, MRS. VERNER SHURMAN, JR., MRS. R.L. McNALLY, BILL KESTER, MRS. ERNEST CAMEHL, W.C. UNDERWOOD, DR. MICHAEL J. SHELLENBERGAR and KATHY SMITH all celebrating birthdays from APRIL 9 through APRIL 21... BILL and MARION MERCER and HENRY and JULIE KELLER celebrating anniversaries during the same time period... COMMANDER GEORGE WILLIAMS and ADJ. TREASURER AGNES WILLIAMS attended the Regional 5 District Convention at Corpus Christi Holiday Inn Emerald Cove, April 1 and 2...

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Volunteer Pat Farley to Roatan's Drug, where heart patient Elmo Price had suffered a possible heart seizure. Aston and Farley set up an IV and stabilized Mr. Price at the scene, then transported him to a Corpus Christi Hospital for further treatment.

Corps Sets Timetable For Dredging Local Harbors

Aransas County Navigation District Board Chairman David Maguglin announced Tuesday night, April 5, that the Army Corps of Engineers has set September and October as the proposed starting dates for maintenance dredging of Fulton Harbor and the approach to Rockport Harbor.

The announcement came at the Board's regular monthly meeting, and marked the end of the first phase of a project which has been almost two years in the making. "We've really done something with

this," said Commissioner Hal McKnight. "I don't know if everyone can appreciate this, but we've worked hard and I think we have a right to be proud."

Board members Dick Fox, James Anders and Bobby Landrum were just as elated, and Maguglin added that the go-ahead capped the most productive period ever for the Board. "We've done more in the last 12 months," he said, "than got done the last 10 years. We were that much behind just getting what was ours."

The dredging will include the entire Fulton turning basin, 200 feet wide by 1,400 feet long with an eight-foot depth, and an approach channel 100 feet long and eight feet deep. Also included is a 1,000 foot protective dike on the north side of the basin, which connects the north end of the existing breakwater with the shore of Aransas Bay. A total of 50,000 cubic yards of dredge material will be removed.

In Rockport the project will cover an approach channel 200

New Councilmen Take Oath; Agenda Varied

Two newly elected councilmen, one a returning incumbent and the other a former councilman, were sworn in Monday night in a regular session, and they got right down to work in a long and varied agenda.

Ward 1 Councilman Joe "Pepe" Zambrano and Ward 2 Councilman Norvell Jackson, Sr. were elected April 2, and both took the oath of office from Mayor Walter Falk, Jr. in a short swearing-in ceremony that preceded the business portion of the meeting.

The item which drew the most discussion from the crowd of approximately 40 was the Aransas County Little League

Association's request for exclusive use of the city's Pony League diamond.

Councilmen, after hearing almost an hour's discussion, agreed to ask City Attorney David Connery to draft an agreement modeled after the one currently covering the Association's use of the Little League park.

Under the present agree-

ment, the Association pays all utilities and has exclusive rights to the Little League field. Councilmen, led by Norvell Jackson, were concerned that exclusive use of both fields by the Association would preclude access by other citizens to the public fields. City Secretary Herman Johnson questioned the city's authority and reason-

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County Sweating Jail Standards

County Commissioners gave some begrudging consideration to jail standards which could mean a major reshuffling of county offices, and the possible construction of an additional county building.

Jail standards advertised in August, 1976 and currently being considered by the legislature would mean construction costing up to \$150,000 in the present jail plant. And County Judge John Wendell said Wednesday that if a live-in

jailer and 24-hour watches were required, it would mean that the County Sheriff's department would have to vacate its four cramped rooms in the current jail building and move into the present County Library, which is itself overcrowded.

"It's growing pains," Wendell commented. "And it would be all because of jail standards." The standards are not yet completed in any sense, how-

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Mosquito Control Crew Is Ready

Aransas County's Mosquito Control supervisor, Raphael Chapa, says mosquito control spraying on Aransas County will begin this week, weather permitting. Last week's rains prevented an earlier start.

Chapa says the new chemical Malathion will cut spraying time substantially for the four-jep county crew. He said as few as two county-wide appli-

cations of the new product may be sufficient to clear all but the most troublesome areas of the county.

Spraying will be done on Fridays and Saturdays by members chosen from the County Road and Bridge crew. Most spraying lasts only two days according to Chapa, unless breakdowns or unusual densities [Continued on Page 12]

Chamber Approves \$16,161 Budget

The Chamber of Commerce approved a budget of \$16,161 at the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors.

The total budget figure as presented by Treasurer Curtis Goodman was up just \$57 from 1976-77.

Salaries remain the largest budget item, with advertising and utilities far behind.

At the meeting, new Cham-

ber President Joe Randow appointed members to head the Chamber's various standing committees. Bill Wilson and Jim Steelhammer will serve on the Community Planning Committee. Sylvia Berry and Charles LaBounty are heading the Membership Committee. The Red Carpet Committee will be led by Bill Janacek and [Continued on Page 12]



BINGO WINNERS. This week four readers share in the \$50 weekly prize in the Pilot's "Newspaper Bingo" contest. First, from L to R, is Gloria Chavez of Route 1, Box 438 Rockport, who played five cards and went through the Pilot twice to complete her



winning card. She is pictured with Mr. Dennis Eagan of Den's Fried Chicken, Highway 35 North. Second is Daisy Netherland, pictured with Tackle Town's Don Gammon. Ms. Netherland played 10 cards and says she went through the Pilot 30 times to



post a winner. Determination pays her \$12.50 in Bingo Bucks this week. Pattie Garcia is third in line, and pictured with Charles Roe of Roe's Food Store. Pattie played six cards and checked the paper twice. Last is Mrs. Edward Martinez of POB 19 in Rockport. Mrs.



Martinez also went through the paper twice with six cards to post her winner. Mrs. Martinez is pictured with Walter Luce of the Radio Shack outlet in Rockport Plaza. All of the winners were first timers this week, which proves that anyone can do it.

The Rockport Pilot Editorial

Crippled County

House Bill No. 179 allows the voters of each county to grant to the commissioners court either general or limited ordinance-making authority.

The act also, however, denies the validity of ordinances which would regulate public utilities; Oil and Gas Production, Refinement and Transportation; The Manufacture of Steel; The Use, Possession and Maintenance of Firearms; and The Hunting, Catching or Taking of Game Fish.

The act also invalidates ordinances which would provide for county zoning powers, regulation of agricultural land use and regulation of lumber and related industries.

In short, the bill in its present form is a contradiction—giving ordinance powers to the people but limiting their application. Where state regulation already exists there is certainly cause for preventing an overlap in regulatory authority. But to deny the commissioners' court the authority to suspend utility rate hikes in rural areas while the Public Utilities Commission at a decision on rate of return and the manner in which the return shall come is regrettable.

Public utilities and steel companies are also responsible for waste disposal which is unpalatable to the residents of county, and the law in its present form is far to vague on the potential authority of voters to empower the commissioners' court to pass ordinances preventing the abuse of local lands, waterways and ecological systems.

The power to zone county land for specific uses is also desirable for many counties, with the authority again arising from majority consent and petition. Aransas County especially could benefit from this power.

As Senator A.R. Schwartz told the Pilot Thursday, April 7, House Bill No. 179 currently "has every lobbying trick in the book" in it. We hope that the final version of the bill will have stronger provisions, giving the people of a county the right to determine the authority of their elected representatives where fair and effective state or federal authority for the public good does not supersede.

Corrections

Alicia Weekley, recently named to the President's Honor Roll at Rice University, was incorrectly listed last week as the daughter of Mr. R.M. Weekley of Rockport. She is instead the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Spencer of Rockport, and the daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. R.N. Weekley.

Kerry Lynn Mosier, who recently became the bride of Mr. Ralph H. Pyle, Jr. was incorrectly listed in the Pilot two weeks ago as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Mosier, Jr. She is the daughter of Lois A. Mosier and R. D. Mosier, Jr. In addition, the wedding ceremony took place in the home of the bride's mother, not the First United Methodist Church.

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Insurance Corner

By JOE HUGENBERG
Joe Hugenberg Insurance

HOW MUCH FOR THE HOMEOWNER?

It is said that insurance is paying dimes for dollars. But a legitimate question for the owner of a home-owners policy is, "How many dollars will I receive for a casualty loss?"

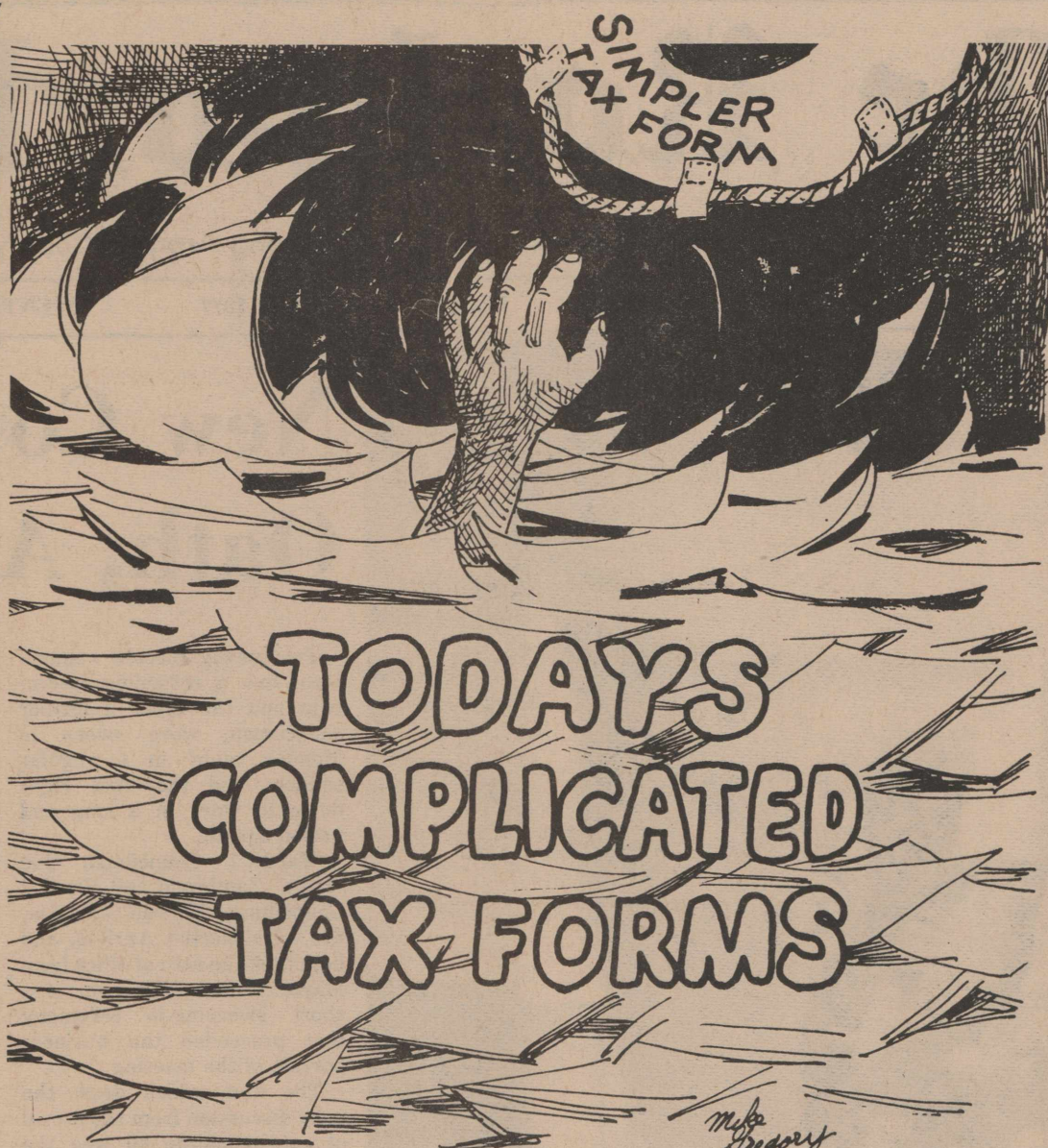
Coverage provided in nearly all home-owners policies carries a deductible provision. This means that the person holding the policy pays the first \$50 or \$100 or more in damage or losses, and the insurance company pays the remainder.

Is it important to know that in order to be assured

of full payment for any partial damage to your home, you must have it insured for at least 80 percent of its full replacement value. For example, if your \$30,000 home is insured for \$24,000 or more, and a fire does \$2,000 damage to your kitchen, you will receive the entire \$2,000 minus the deductible. If on the other hand, your home is insured for less than \$24,000, you will receive only a percentage of the \$2,000, depending on how much the kitchen had depreciated in value prior to the fire.

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Help!

Spice Island Hero

Commentary by Mark Simmons
Carter's voting proposals themselves may require some revision, but the idea of more participation is sound.

The current reawakening will have many side effects: greater understanding, communication, harmony, etc. And politics will benefit, especially in the egotistical "foremost democracy of the free world".

One of the bottom lines of greater voter participation will be increased voting. And you can't expect the only candidate to run in All the primaries to be behind. No publicity is bad publicity. So you can't really blame Carter for going Hollywood. The current White House PR wave is a move to create the spaces the increasing voter registration and participation will fill. A slick move.

One could see it coming from the campaign. Keeping his nose to the emotional winds, he could smell religion a mile away.

The thing about his win which was most amusing, however, was that it was so blatant: "Hello, I'm Jimmy Carter and I'm going to be your

next President." It amounted to anarchy. Dreams come true. It was responsible for more than a few vicarious thrills in the television dullest United States.

But does he really have God on his hip (as well as at his side), or is he another manic depressive trying to lead by example, and with style? And with only murder in reserve.

I would suspect the latter from the way the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks have been handled. He sprinkled a little righteousness on them, and then threatened to arm to the smiling teeth when they did not respond. The indication being we would gladly "nuke 'em back to the stone ages". We were the first, after all, and it didn't bother us enough to stop then. In fact, Harry Truman made a comeback during the first part of the campaign.

Since we are going for religion, that leaves us with the California enigma. Not Reagan, who talks about it sometimes, but Brown, who tries to live it.

It would be a better choice. Brown is the one the myths demand. Brown is the splendid

animal of God. He speaks for the eternal vigilance of the soul. He has known things beyond ambition and commitment.

He can, given cooperation, pierce the armor of the dream, break the circle of the game, etc. He could do so by becoming intellectually transparent (shutting off his internal dialogue, experiencing consciousness without an object, etc.) in the position of leadership.

If he accomplished that task (others have come close, King, Kennedy, Gandhi) the veil of history would be drawn back on the romance of image, the strings of control, more, all ways, always more. A man who stopped his internal dialogue, etc, could do this because the only manifest destiny of a people is spiritual, and government should do only what it does well.

New symbolism, new plots, trust won't be required. We seek freedom of the mind (total consciousness) through excellence. He would amount to government by presence. And then dawns would come in difference.



Watch Rockport Grow

By "Uncle John" Leslie

Greetings and Salutations! What else could I say after our beautiful Easter week. We should all be happy that we have had such wonderful weather to celebrate Easter. I hope all of you had an Easter bonnet, some Easter eggs and that you went to church and said a prayer for those less fortunate than you and to give thanks for your blessings.

WILD HOGS

Now I am going to change the subject and talk about wild hogs. Isn't that quite a change of pace? Did you know at the Wildlife Preserve at Austwell there are any number of wild hogs, some weighing up to 300 pounds, roaming through the thousands of acres of the preserve. These wild hogs are the descendants of domestic hogs that have escaped.

The wild hog population of the Preserve has grown to the point where it has to be thinned out each year to make room for next year's offspring. So each year employees of the Preserve harvest the oversupply and donate those they have killed to local organizations who use the oversupply. These hogs are hunted at night and after they are killed and cleaned, they need to be placed in cold storage as soon as possible. Jim Cruser of the Rockport Boy Scouts has already gone to the Preserve to pick up several for this year's annual barbecue. They are stored in Norvell Jackson's cold storage vault awaiting the annual Boy Scout

Barbecue which is to be held Saturday, May 28. They are real good eating, so note the date!

MY POP

These are very sweet words to me. They are what my daughter-in-law, Gail Leslie, calls me and introduces me to others as we meet new friends. They are meaningful words to me. It makes me feel real good when I hear her say "My Pop."

This coming summer, six years ago, I lost my wife, while living in Houston, of cancer. I came to Rockport to visit Mr. and Mrs. John L. Knoche, who had been my neighbors in Houston for many years. It was the first time I knew that Rockport existed. I came back later in the summer with my son and family and spent two weeks here. At the close of this two weeks' vacation, I purchased a little house on Key Allegro and on October 11 and my old Siamese cat moved in. The good Lord must have directed my path to Rockport, and to my meeting Dorothy Morrison—my present wife. After moving here, I became involved in the Boy Scout program, AARP, my church, and the Council on Aging. I am happy to say that I am real happy to call Rockport my home.

Then this was all increased when about a year ago my only son, John D., moved to Rockport, and my brother Frank and his wife Helen purchased a house in Fulton. Now this whole generation of Leslies are here. It is a great and happy feeling at my age to be surrounded by my family.

LITTLE LEAGUE

Now is the time of the year when the Little League is

pluming its feathers, putting together its teams, and practicing for the opening of the Little League season which is not too far away. The City of Rockport is doing everything it can to help this program by improving Memorial Park, adding diamonds, lights, etc. Fine—it is a good program—but it has its pitfalls. I do not know how many of you read Mr. Louis Anderson's comments on this in the Caller, under the heading of "A WARNING."

"Young baseball players, especially pitchers, may be risking permanent injury, especially if they play too hard, The Texas Medical Association says.

An immature boy or girl who pitches too frequently runs the risk of doing lasting damage to the shoulder and elbow. The elbow joint is particularly vulnerable between the ages of nine and 16 since the growing epds of the long bones which meet at the elbow are still not completely fused to the bone shafts and cannot withstand the strenuous muscle pull involved in pitching.

If youngsters were left to themselves, they probably would regulate their play activity in a self-protective way. Ironically, it is parents' and coaches' activity in children's baseball that has increased the risk to young players."

DEFINITION OF A BOY

"A Boy is a bank where you may deposit your most precious treasures—the hard-won wisdom, the dreams for a better world. A Boy can guard and protect these, and perhaps invest them wisely and win a profit—a profit larger than you ever dreamed.

Letters To The Editor

Dear Sir:

On Saturday, April 2, I suffered a painful heart attack.

I called a friend who was also a patient of Dr. Frances Jansa's and asked her to send the doctor to my home. Dr. Jansa called immediately and sent the Emergency Modulance manned by Bill Aston and crew. The back-up ambulance also arrived along with such interested people as Margie Raines, R.N., Jake Stockbridge, constable, and concerned relatives and neighbors. The Emergency crew was prompt, efficient and courteous.

Frequently, in my longtime nursing career I have said there is no such thing as a "bad patient." Today, I retract that! I was a "bad" uncooperative patient and my only excuse (if I need one) was the horrible pain and overwhelming sense of frustration I experienced. I thank Mr. Aston and his crew for their patience which is not often found in youth. And of course, Dr. Jansa.

As a retired registered nurse of 46 years and with 38 years of uninterrupted nursing as a nursing service director and an

organizer (and instructor) of vocational nursing schools in Texas, along with associations with such able medical men as the past president of the American Medical Association, the past president of the Southern Medical Association, editor of the Southern Journal of Medicine, ten years as girl Friday with Tulane's most outstanding emeritus Dr. James Monroe Mason, and lastly, with my father, Dr. M.L. Stephaus, a dedicated marvelous physician of the "Osler" period of medicine, I feel amply qualified to assess the fine emergency care rendered by Dr. Jansa, Bill Aston and his crew.

Aransas County residents, and of course, the writer, are greatly indebted to the King Foundation, the Aransas County Hospital Volunteers, Inc., along with others, for their untiring and diligent efforts in bringing to the community the facilities and personnel necessary for this splendid service.

Lastly, my sincere thanks to everyone who assisted me in my time of need.

With best wishes for your continued success in your EMC.

I am sincerely yours,

Olivia Hayes-Gerchak, R.N.

Dear Sir:

I have been sick at heart ever since the ugly and gigantic oil drilling rig went up in Aransas Bay within walking and swimming distance off Rockport's only small and inadequate beach.

We thought this was disgraceful but we saw it at its worst last Sunday morning when we attended the Easter Sunday sunrise services on the Navigation District parking lot on the edge of Aransas Bay.

The service was lovely and inspiring, marred only when those attending were asked to look to the East at the beautiful sunrise coming up in all its glory. As we turned, the large, oil rig blocked what would otherwise have been a perfect and most gorgeous scene created by God alone.

Personally, we don't believe there will ever be enough oil or money from that horrible structure placed there by man and his greed to compensate.

Sincerely,
Sue Stinson
Fulton, Texas

State Of The Region

By Juliet K. Wenger
Coastal Bend Council of Govts.

Some old-fashioned attributes and practices have come full circle to be the latest thing in the programs of county extension agents for home economics. Canning and preserving are being rediscovered. Frugality, in which people once took great pride, is the mode again with the recycling of clothes, innovative ways of making do with what is on the premises, and finding ways to stretch the food dollar as you shop.

Through A&M University, the United States Department of Agriculture and our Commissioners' Courts, each county has the services of an agent. Anyone wanting information or to participate in classes or workshops can call or walk in with no ado. You can become more knowledgeable in construction or interior decorating, family resource management, health care, hair dos and cosmetics, and choosing fabrics or sewing them together. That just for starts.

The agents work with organizations or individuals. Some of the activities they may have going on are training aides for Community Action, providing social activities for senior citizens, conducting seminars on low cholesterol foods, conducting home gardening clinics, landscape workshops, or fixit festivals. They work with the young and with the older in clubs, neighborhoods and homes.

With one exception, all the programs are open to every

one. The exception is the Expanded Nutrition Program, which is designed to help lower income people improve the family's nutritional standards. One of the program's top priorities is establishing good eating habits for the young, to enhance both their physical and mental development.

Those working in the program consider it successful and of value. The procedure is to give three weeks intensive training to paraprofessionals who live in the neighborhoods where they will work. They contact the individual homemakers in their own homes, and if they want to learn, work with them there. The paraprofessionals receive continued training each week. Results are evaluated by comparing the content of meals served in the home over a period of time.

Subject-matter covered includes buying food, planning and preparing meals, and storing and preserving food.

One emphasis is on making use of both personal and community resources. The women are taught what is available in the community, and how they can accomplish what they want to do with what they already possess. Both cooking utensils and storage containers can be fashioned from what is available. Many of the women become most innovative. There is no feeling that they are limited in what they can prepare because they don't have expensive utensils.

Buying food wisely is a good lesson today for anyone, how to get the most nutrition for the

dollar in meat and other foods. Some of the families involved are on food stamps, so they are learning thrifty use of food-stamps as well as cash. Mothers find out how much they can save, for instance, making baby food with nothing more sophisticated than a spoon and a strainer.

Meal planning takes into consideration cultural background and does not attempt to replace familiar foods. Tortillas provide as good nutrition as bread so there is no reason to switch from one to the other. But other foods that the family may not be accustomed to are introduced into the diet if they are needed for nutritional balance. Agents feel it is an accomplishment when someone tastes a new food for the first time. That has to be the starting point.

The homemakers' problems, whatever they are, are taken into consideration. If she has trouble reading recipes, this does not mean she cannot try new foods. Illustrated recipes are available, which, if they call for a cup of sugar, show a picture of a cup and of sugar.

One segment of the population is benefiting from the Expanded Nutrition Program itself. But anyone, with any income level, can learn from the county agent any element of that program, whether it be ways to improve family nutrition where gourmet meals are served or make the best food buys where the basic food budget has been stretched out of shape by inflation.

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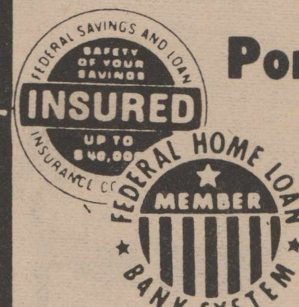
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Crisis Center

The Aransas County Hospital Volunteers, Incorporated's Emergency Ambulance Service reports the following calls for the week of April 4 through April 10.

--A 5:50 a.m. heart attack call April 4 sent the Modulance and crew to the Key Allegro Motel where Alan Sharaway, a winter visitor from Rolett, Texas, was stabilized and transported to Lyman-Roberts Hospital in Aransas Pass. Response time was four minutes.

--April 7 at 7:42 a.m. an accidental injury at a Holiday

Beach residence brought the Modulance within nine minutes. One patient was treated at the scene and transported to Physicians and Surgeons Hospital in Corpus Christi.

--The response time was one minute on a 10:50 a.m. emergency call April 7 from a residence on Water Street. The crew treated Lillian Sorenson at the scene and transported her to Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi.

--April 8, one patient was advised to see a family physician after injuring himself slightly in a fall at the Sandollar Motel.

--April 9, the longest 24 hours in the emergency service's history began at 1:46 a.m. with an emergency call from Midway Trailer Park in Rockport. The modulance arrived within one minute and transported Mrs. Helen Peterson of Cedar Rapids, Michigan to Lyman-Roberts.

--A 6:43 a.m. call sent the Modulance to Burton Road for a possible heart attack. The response time was seven minutes, and the crew set up an IV on the scene and transported R.H. Madden to Lyman-Roberts. Mr. Madden later died at the hospital.

--The crew answered a 4:24 p.m. call from Roatan Drug where Elmo Price, a congestive heart failure patient of a local physician, had experienced severe chest and throat pains. The crew responded in three minutes, set up an IV at the scene, and transported Price to Spohn Hospital.

--E.H. Hardy of San Antonio was treated at the scene of an auto accident at the intersection of Highway 35 and Fm. Rd. 881 April 9 after an 8:34 p.m. emergency call. Hardy was transported to Lyman-Roberts after stabilization. Response time was one minute.

--The Modulance and crew responded to a call from a residence near Rattlesnake Point at 10:56 p.m., arriving at 11:12 p.m. to treat one patient.

The patient was not injured seriously and was advised to see a family physician.

--A possible stroke at a Rockport residence on Liberty Street sent the Modulance and crew to the aid of Slim Hayne at 2:21 a.m. Hayne was treated at the scene and transported to

Lyman-Roberts. Response time was four minutes.

For the week, the average response time was two minutes and 20 seconds in the city, and nine minutes and 20 seconds in the county.

Total mileage for the week was 393.

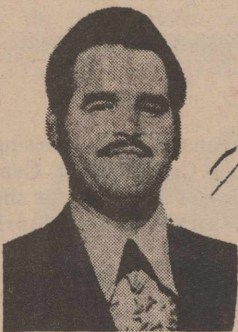


To All The Citizens Of Ward 1:

I WISH TO GIVE MY SINCERE THANKS AND APPRECIATION TO ALL OF YOU IN MY WARD FOR THE MANY WAYS YOU HELPED ME IN MY RACE FOR CITY COUNCILMAN

I WILL GIVE EVERY EFFORT I HAVE TO REPRESENTING ALL THE PEOPLE OF ROCKPORT IN A WAY THAT WILL MERIT THE CONFIDENCE YOU GAVE ME IN LAST SATURDAY'S ELECTION.

ONCE AGAIN THANK YOU ALL AND LORD BLESS ALL OF YOU.



Joe Pepe Zambrano

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Shellenbergar Is NewACHVI Head

Dr. J.M. Shellenbergar was elected president of the board of directors of Aransas County Hospital Volunteers, Inc., at a meeting of directors at First National Bank last Thursday. He succeeds James H. Sorenson Jr., who was named vice chairman of the board.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Betty M. King, chairman of the board; John P. Mitchell, Jr., first vice president; Carl C. Krueger, second vice president; Miss A. Elizabeth Whitney, treasurer, and Mrs. Peggy O. Bloch, secretary.

Prior to election of officers, four new directors were named. They are Dr. Shellenbergar, Miss Whitney, Mrs. Jeanette A. Muecke and Mrs. Bloch. Directors re-elected include Sorenson, L. Casterline, Mrs. George S. Cone, Mrs. King, Krueger, Mrs. Clyda Milks, Dr. G.M. Patillo, Dr. J. Martin Shaw, Conwell Smith, Dr. J.W. Wideman and Mitchell.

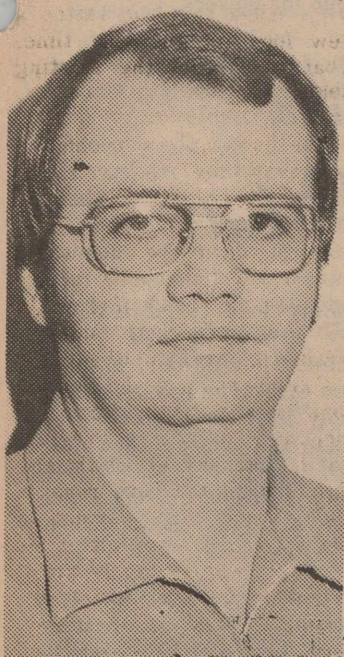
Dr. Shaw and Bill Aston, paramedic in charge of emer-

gency medical service, reported on operations of the modulance and the recently acquired back-up ambulance, including details of expenses and collections for ambulance service. Dr. Shaw said that on the basis of experience so far, a collection rate of 79 percent is anticipated. Aston reported satisfactory progress with the service's training program. It is anticipated that 15 volunteers now taking the Emergency Medical Training basic course will be available, providing ample personnel to staff both ambulances.

A complete physical examination can detect cancer at an early, curable stage. The American Cancer Society urges all adults to have a health checkup annually.



Pharmacy Topics



By RICHARD BECK

Psychiatrist at the University of Pennsylvania has a successful weight-reduction program that uses behavior modification as the key—not only WHAT you eat, but HOW you eat it, and WHERE.

Lengthy study in Denmark, conducted with adoptive and natural children, indicates that schizophrenia is an inherited genetic disorder and NOT just the result of upbringing.

Doctor in St. Paul, MN., has found that SALT is a prime "trigger" for migraine headaches. Problems most often occurred when patient ate salted snack food (pretzels, chips, nuts, etc.) on an empty stomach.

Researchers at the University of Nebraska are developing an anti-pregnancy vaccine. Works on animals so far.



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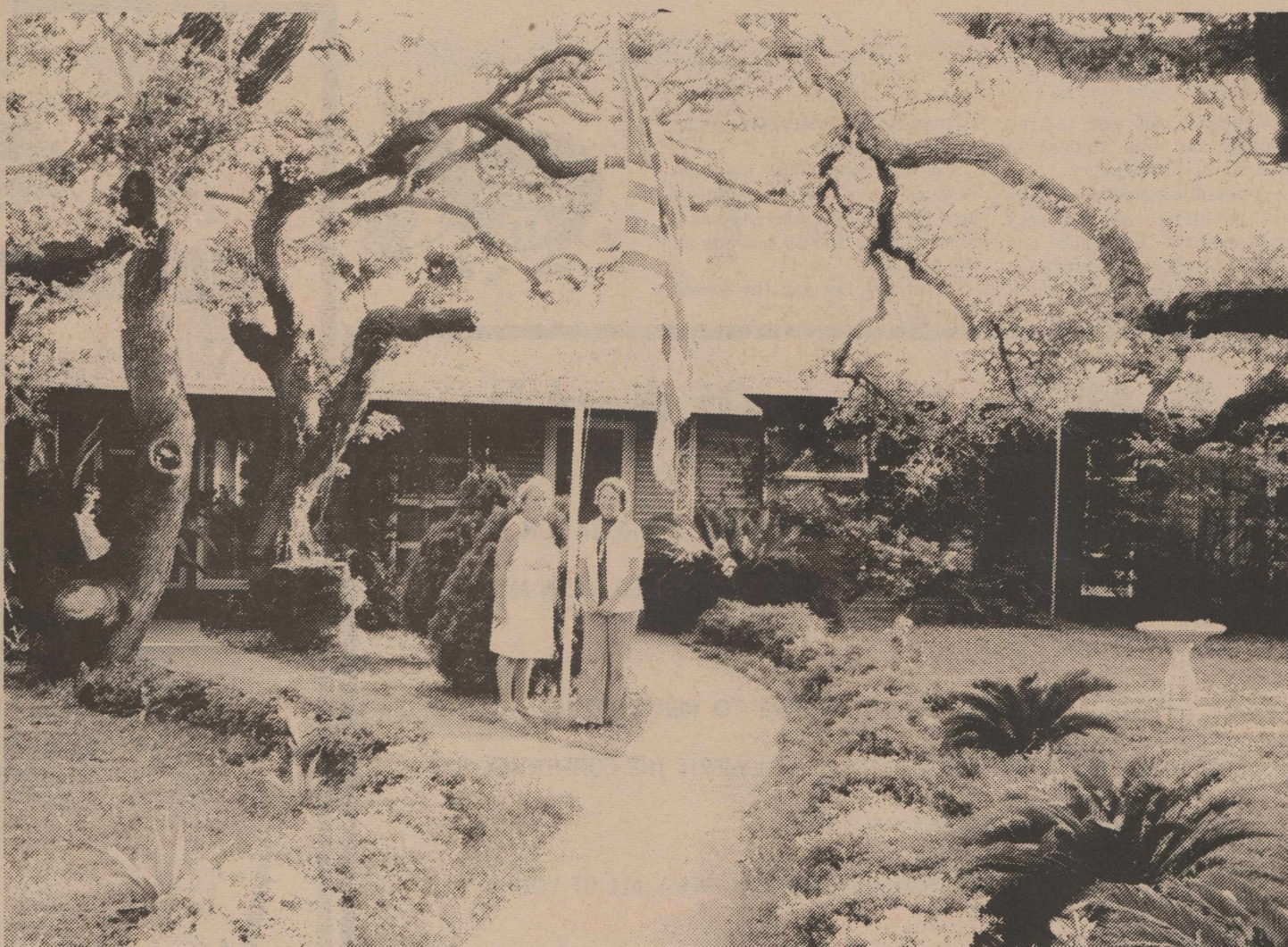
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New officers of TOPS #493 were inducted at an impressive candle lighting ceremony on Monday, April 4, at the I.O.O.F. hall by Betty Jo Camp. As each TOPS member who had been elected to an office came forward her candle was lighted from the flame of the silver candle of continuity.

Accepting the responsibility of leader was Bernita Kinsey, with Betty Jean Ward as co-leader, Christy Ogle secretary, Beulah Dedmon treasurer and Eva Henderson the weight recorder.

The club presented a TOPS charm to Margaret Floyd, the outgoing leader for the past year, and thanked her.

Mrs. Kinsey will continue with the schedule of weigh-in from 6 to 6:40 p.m. followed by a business meeting with programs and discussion concluding at 8 p.m. every Monday evening at the I.O.O.F. hall. Visitors are welcome. For further information please call 729-6616 or 729-7298.



Mrs. Benjamin Browne and Mrs. Edward Armstrong

Edward Armstrongs Win Yard Of Month Award

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Armstrong, 732 S. Pearl, have been given the Yard of the Month Award for April. Mrs. Armstrong gives all the credit for the yard care to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Browne. Not only do they care for their huge yard but also the historical site of General Zachary Taylor that is next to them.

Separating the Armstrong yard from the site is a line of wild bay trees, Turk's cap, century plants and large ligustrums. The entire yard is lined with oleanders and a variety of lilies. In the front yard are two pampas grass plants, arbutus cedars, three Brazil thorn trees, a colema tree, a red camellia bush and several large oak trees. One oak tree is adorned with aspidistra and a volunteer palm around it. Many bushes line the front of the house including ligustrums, sago palms, variegated pittos-

porum, green pittosporum, lantana, natal plum, ginger plant and lilies. A fig vine is quickly covering the left front of the house.

The long front walk is unusual in design, forming a "Y" at the entrance to the house. The walk is lined with sago palms, box holly, alyssum, wandering Jew, with two tall slender cedars at the base. A flag pole decorates the separated walk, two cedars are inside the area, and jasmine is climbing on a trellis at the house entrance.

Ligustrums, fig tree, mother-in-law tongue, poinsettias, gracaena, Indian hawthorne, bougainvillea and pittosporum are along the back of the house with the same fig vine covering the wall. Water hyacinths are growing in an old tub in the center of the yard with small pot plants around them. White

and pink lilies surround the swimming pool. There are large oaks, tallow, orange and pecan trees in the back yard.

Around the parents' house, which is also in the backyard, are iris, Easter lilies, umbrella plant, elephant ears, Mexican fir weed and large green pittosporum. Mrs. Armstrong says nothing is disposed of if it comes up wild, thereby giving the yard a tropical and native appearance. This is a beautiful area with so many evergreen plants and trees and is well cared for by people who enjoy the yard.

This award is given monthly by the Rockport Home & Garden Club and anyone is qualified to win. Please give any suggestions for future awards to Mrs. Donald Meek, 729-6178, or Mrs. Thomas Rogers, 729-6515.

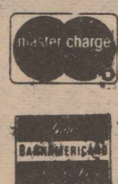
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Nursing Home News

The Aransas Pass Nursing Home and Convalescent Center's roster of activities for the week of March 28 through April 3 included:

--A Monday morning program, "Stations of the Cross" led by Dora Rodriguez and Penny Gonzales for all Catholic residents.

--Daily exercises and reality orientation classes took up Tuesday morning and residents were given free time Tuesday afternoon.

--Wednesday morning, Bonnie and Jean conducted their weekly paint class, and Wednesday afternoon was given over to a "Birthday and Game Day" party sponsored by the WMU Ladies of the First Baptist Church of Aransas Pass. The ladies served refreshments and presented a gift to each resident with an April birthday. Mrs. Anna Farley provided special piano accompaniment, and after the distribution of gifts the women played bingo with residents

with fruit for prizes. Brother Leroy Smith, taking time to visit during the recent revival he led at Calvary Baptist Church, called the numbers for the game.

--Thursday morning, the Pentecostal Church of God provided songs and leading a short meditation.

--Friday afternoon the ladies from the Rockport AARP held a "Sing Along" program.

--Saturday morning, Father James Hamilton gave Holy Communion to Catholic Residents, and the Rainbow Chapter of Aransas Pass, led by Mrs. Roy Tyler, came out with personalized Easter door decorations for each resident.

--Sunday morning church services were held by Reverend Al Bankert and residents were on their own for the remainder of the day.

Thanks went out from staff and residents to Mr. Henry Waldeck for jigsaw puzzles, to Carol Denney for clothing, Wayne Pruitt of C.G. Morrison's for Easter decorations, Shirley Short for quilt scraps, Annie Stacey for visits and gifts and area residents who provide continuing support.

Activities at the Aransas Pass Nursing Home and Convalescent Center for the week of April 4 through April 10 included:

--Monday morning, Mary O'Quinn visited residents. She came back during the week as well. Late Monday morning Dora Rodriguez and Penny Gonzalez held "Stations of

Faith" for Catholic residents. Arthur from City Barber Shop on Ingleside was also out to trim male residents' hair.

--Tuesday exercise classes were held in the morning, and residents were given the day off to do as they wished.

--Wednesday morning, Bonnie and Jean were out to hold paint class, and Wednesday afternoon the Rockport AARP Chapter 1536 brought flowers for residents and staff.

Wednesday night, Gilbert and Belinda Ritz decorated the Center with Easter decor items including lilies.

--Thursday morning, following exercise classes and reality orientation classes, the Ladies of the Pentecostal Church of God of Aransas Pass were out for their weekly program. Lois Kinney was also on hand

Thursday as she was every day during the week to fix women residents' hair for Easter.

--Friday was a free day for residents after exercises.

--Saturday morning, Father James Hamilton was out to give Holy Communion to Catholic residents.

Sunday Easter Services were held by Rev. Al Bankert. Sunday afternoon, a group from the Ingleside Church of Christ came for a group sing-in.

Thanks go out to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boeneke for flowers for the center, to Reba Rast of Rockport and the daughter of resident Ella Rains for the men's socks they donated to the Center, to Audrey Owens for clothes, and to the First Baptist Church of Rockport and the Rockport AARP group for flowers.

Club Histories

Needed By Pilot

The Pilot is preparing a "Progress Edition" for publication sometime this summer. Similar to The Pilot's 1969 Centennial Edition, but broader in scope, the edition will touch on many facets of Rockport's recent growth as a community, and as a resort of increasing recognition nationwide.

To reveal the scope and size of community involvement, we would like to present a short article on each of the many local civic and church organizations.

This information is best prepared by the historian of the club, official or unofficial, and for this reason, we are soliciting short histories of local organizations, their founding, evolution, and a short listing of their services to the community. We would also, in the next few months, like to take a picture of the president only of each local organization which submits the requested historical copy. Appointments for picture (studio pictures are usable, in most cases) taking sessions can be made by calling Mark Simmons, Editor at The Pilot office, 729-2357.

Many local organizations were covered in The Pilot's Centennial Edition, and in those cases, the groups should simply bring the community up to date on their activities since 1969, except in such cases where grievous errors have been made in chronology or attribution.

These organizations are: Rockport Chamber of Commerce, Rockport Fire Department and Auxiliary, Rotary Club, Fulton Fire Department and Auxiliary, Rebekah Lodge, Lamar Women's Club, Lamar Fire Department, Lions Club, Aransas County Riding Association, IOOF, Peace Lutheran Church, Masonic Lodge, Rockport School of Fine Arts, Calvary Baptist Church, Troop 49, First Methodist Church, Fulton Baptist, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, First Baptist Church, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and Lamar All Faiths Church.

Those organizations who submitted no information in 1969 or were not yet formed are of course welcome to begin at the beginning.



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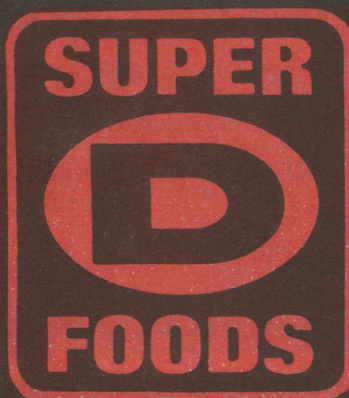
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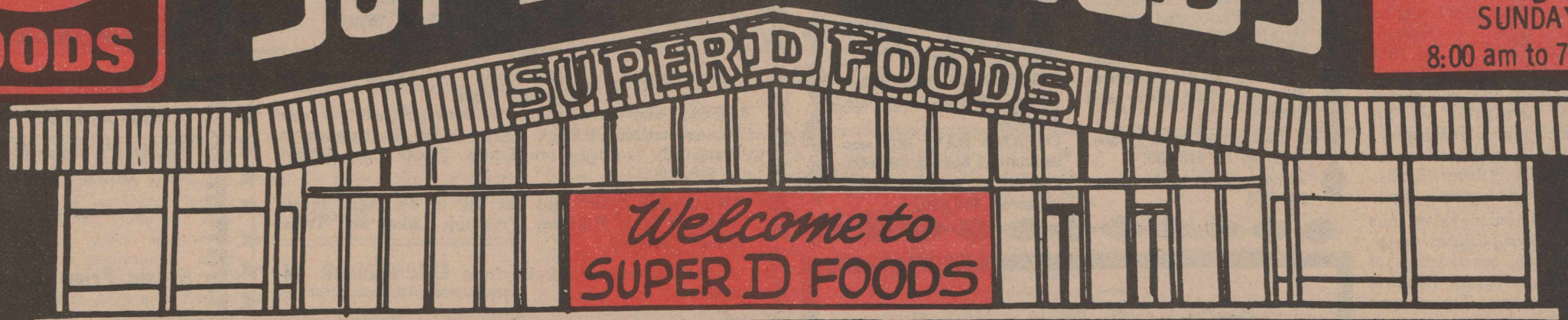
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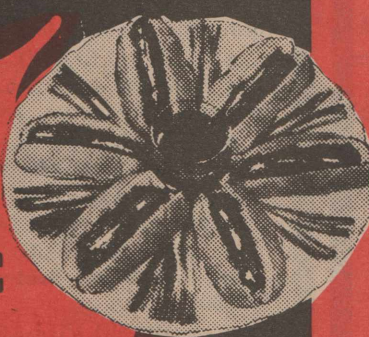
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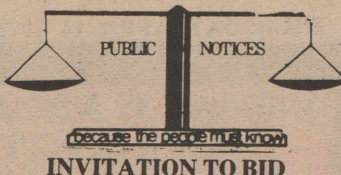
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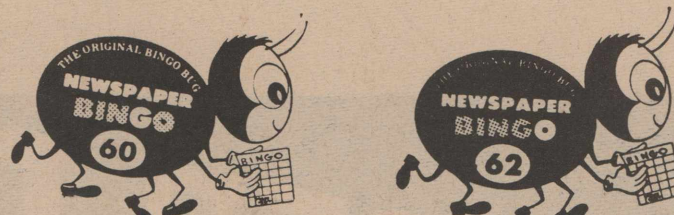
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5. Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for all of the prayers, cards, letters and other manifestations of concern during my recent confinement in the hospital.
— J. D. Gray.

The family of A. L. Stratton would like to offer our deepest appreciation to each of you for the many kind thoughts and deeds given us during the time of our bereavement.

Irene R. Stratton, Margaret Dayley, Jim & Bob Dayley; Sharon Wooten, Marian Mercer; Jack, Mike and Mark Jeffers, Jill Davidson. Thanks to the Rockport Volunteer Fire Department for their assistance Monday, April 4th when my car caught fire. A special thanks to all the people with fire extinguishers who contained the fire until the firemen arrived.
— Hazel Cleveland

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40. Real Estate Wanted

CAN'T SELL IT - WE will buy it. Quick cash for your property, any condition. Grant Stowell Realtor, 729-5968.

42. Acreage Sale

5 ACRE TRACT near city water line and proposed route of Hwy. 35. \$7500 with terms to suit. 729-7804 evenings.

45. Lots For Sale

MOBILE HOME: 14x65, 2 bedroom with 50x150 lot in quiet, attractive neighborhood. This home complete in every way. Fully furnished with washer-dryer, etc. and ready to move into. One of the best buys in Rockport and priced to sell. For further information Phone 729-7276.

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47. House For Sale

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47. House For Sale

CONDOMINIUM overlook bay, Rockport Racquet and Yacht Club. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, unfurnished, \$49,500. By owner. 713-236-3409.

HANDYMAN'S SPECIAL: Large, 3 yr. old home, real nice. Needs some finishing touches. On 2 plus acres of real high ground. Few nice trees. Fulton, bargain, \$23,500. Grant Stowell, Realtor. 729-729-5963.

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THREE BEDROOM, 2 bath, large living area, utility room, fully carpeted. OR will build to suit. Morrison Construction. 729-0780, 729-2294.

48. Mobile Homes

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom mobile home. No pets or children. Call 729-2072.

48. Mobile Homes

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49. Trailers, Travel

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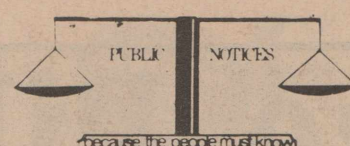
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THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: REBECCA SALDONA
McGraw Defendant,
Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 156th Judicial District Court of Aransas County at the Court House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 30th day of May A.D. 1977, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 7th day of April A.D. 1977, in this cause, numbered 5695 on the docket of said court and styled DANIEL ADAN MCGRAW Plaintiff, vs. REBECCA SALDONA MCGRAW Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

NO. 5695
IN THE MATTER OF THE MARRIAGE OF DANIEL ADAN MCGRAW AND REBECCA SALDONA MCGRAW IN THE 156 JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF ARANSAS COUNTY, TEXAS

ORIGINAL PETITION FOR DIVORCE
TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:
NOW COMES DANIEL ADAN MCGRAW, hereinafter called Petitioner, age 63, who resides in Rockport, Texas, complaining of Rebecca Saldona McGraw, hereinafter called Respondent, and, praying for a divorce, would respectfully show the Court as follows:

I.
That Petitioner has been a domiciliary of the State of Texas for six (6) months immediately preceding the filing of this Petition, and a resident of Aransas County for ninety (90) days immediately preceding the filing of this Petition; that the residence of Respondent is unknown, although diligent efforts have been made by Petitioner for approximately nine years; that he has contacted various members of Respondent's family; that he has been unable to locate the whereabouts of the Respondent; and Citation by Publication should issue as prescribed by Rule 109 of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure.

II.
That Petitioner and Respondent were married on the 9th day of January, 1967, in Nueces County, Texas. That on or about April of 1967, they were separated and ceased to live together as husband and wife.

That the Respondent left Petitioner with the intention of abandonment and has remained away for more than one year.

III.
There are no children now under eighteen (18) years of age born to or adopted by this marriage and none are expected.

IV.
No community property has been accumulated during this marriage other than personal effects, which should be awarded to the person having possession.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Petitioner answer herein, and that, upon a final hearing hereof, Petitioner be granted a divorce from Respondent, dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between Petitioner and Respondent; and for such other and further relief, both special and general, in law or in equity, to which Petitioner may be justly entitled.

Respectfully submitted,
CHASE & HOUSE
424 Wilson Building
Corpus Christi, Texas 78401

By: Carl C. Chase
Attorneys for Petitioner

AFFIDAVIT
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF NUECES

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, state under oath that I am the Petitioner in the foregoing Petition for Divorce and that the facts and allegations stated therein are true and correct.

S/Daniel Adan McGraw
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary Public, on this the 6th day of April, 1977, TO CERTIFY WHICH WIT-

NESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE.
S/Anna I. Thompson
Notary Public
Nueces County, Texas

as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Rockport, Texas this 11th day of April A.D. 1977.

Attest:
S/Agnes A. Harden Clerk,
District Court,
Aransas County, Texas

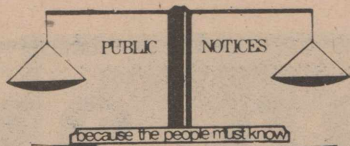
CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 169.867 miles of Seal Coat on various highways in San Patricio, Bee, Nueces, Refugio, Live Oak, Aransas, Karnes and Goliad covered by CSB 74-11-1, CSB 88-1-32, CSB 102-3-47, CSB 155-6-8, CSB 254-1-70, CSB 270-9-15, CSB 371-4-27, CSB 447-1-30, CSB 447-2-21, CSB 507-3-18, CSB 507-4-17, CSB 738-1-29, CSB 738-2-13, CSB 738-3-17, CSB 991-2-6, CSB 1052-1-35, CSB 1052-3-12, CSB 1122-1-16, CSB 1122-2-18, CSB 1231-1-30, CSB 1557-1-13, CSB 1558-3-10, CSB 1739-1-8 and CSB 2342-1-15 will be received by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., April 26, 1977, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wages as provided by Law are available at the office of James T. Chapman, Resident Engineer, Karnes City, Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held by the City Council of the City of Rockport, Texas on April 25, 1977 at 7:30 p.m. at the City Hall. There will be heard at the Public Hearing the Flood Plain Management Ordinance. This ordinance will set forth mobile home tie-down requirements, first floor elevation requirements and other new requirements relating to the flood zone area of the City of Rockport, Texas.

Any interested party attending the Public Hearing shall have the opportunity to be heard.
CITY OF ROCKPORT
Walter S. Falk, Jr., Mayor
ATTEST:
Herman C. Johnson
City Secretary



PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Houston Oil & Minerals Corporation, acting under and pursuant to the terms and provisions of Ordinances regulating the drilling, completion and operation of oil and gas wells within the limits of the City of Rockport, Texas, and providing for the public safety in connection therewith, being Ordinance Nos. 169 and 184, did on the 4th day of April, 1977, file with the City Secretary of the City of Rockport five applications for five permits to drill wells for oil and gas which will be called as follows: (1) W. Nine Mile Point Unit 1, Well No. 1; (2) W. Nine Mile Point Unit 2, Well No. 1; (3) W. Nine Mile Point Unit 3, Well No. 1; (4) W. Nine Mile Point Unit 4, Well No. 1; and (5) State Tract 148 No. 1. A hearing upon such applications will be held in the Chamber of the City Council at the City Hall of the City of Rockport, Texas, on the 25th day of April, 1977 at 7:00 p.m.

The City of Rockport
Herman C. Johnson
City Secretary

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF MARTHA MARGARET

All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law. Address such claims to L.J. NAPER, c/o ELLIS L. CLARK, Attorney at Law, 717 North Austin Street, Rockport, Texas 78382.

S/Ellis L. Clark
Attorney for the Estate of Martha Margaret Naper, Deceased

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, COURTHOUSE, ROCKPORT, TEXAS 78382, FOR ONE (1) 1977, FOUR-DOOR SEDAN PATROL CAR UNTIL APRIL 27, 1977. SPECIFICATIONS MAY BE SEEN AT THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY JUDGE.

THE COUNTY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS AND TO WAIVE FORMALITIES.

S/John D. Wendell
County Judge

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Community Calendar

Monday Through Friday

Community Concern center, 206 N. Magnolia, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. 729-7722.

Council on Aging, 206 N. Magnolia, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. 729-5352.

Castaways, 1011 Concho, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Wed., Fri. and Sat., 9 to 11 a.m.

Friday, April 15

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m. V.F.W. Hall.

Alanon, 8 p.m. V.F.W. Hall

Sunday, April 17

Church of your choice. AARP sponsors Historical Tour of Goliad State Park. Meet 9 a.m. Paws & Taws Bldg. Sack lunch.

Monday, April 18
Boy Scout #49, 7 p.m. First Presbyterian Church.

Brownies #461, 3:45 p.m. Girl Scout Hut.

Evening TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) weigh-in 6 to 6:40 p.m. Meeting

Boy Scout #281, 7:30 p.m.

Boy Scout Hut.

Order of Eastern Star, 8 p.m. Masonic Temple.

Fulton Lions Club, 7:30 p.m. Club House.

Tuesday, April 19
TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) 7:30 to 8:20 a.m. St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

Weight Watchers, 6:45 p.m. Catholic Hall, Pearl St.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m. Bishop Elliott Conference Center.

Alanon, 8 p.m., Bishop El-

liott Conference Center.

I.O.O.F. Lodge #342, 8 p.m. I.O.O.F. Hall.

Duplicate Bridge Club, 1 p.m. Key Allegro Community Center. Call 729-5371 if you would like to play.

Game Night, sponsored by Ladies Auxiliary of Fulton Fire Dept. 7:30 p.m. Paws & Taws Bldg. Fulton Beach Road. Public invited.

Troop #469, 3:45 p.m. Girl Scout Hut.

Cadettes, 7:30 p.m. Girl

Scout Hut.

Club House 55, 1:30 p.m. Aransas Pass Bowling Lanes.

Hospital Foundation Volunteer work shop, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Encina Plaza.

Copanoakers, 2 p.m. Lee Miller Community Center, Holiday Beach.

Golden Age Club, 6:30 p.m. Methodist Fellowship Hall, Senior Citizens invited to covered dish & games.

Helping Hands, 9:30 a.m. Methodist Fellowship Hall.

Aransas County CB Radio Ass'n, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 20

Hospital Foundation Volunteer Work shop, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Encina Plaza.

Girl Scout Troop #448, 3:45 p.m. Girl Scout Hut.

Rotary, 12 noon, Sandollar.

G.I. Forum, 7:30 p.m. Forum

Bldg.

LULAC, 7:30 p.m., Catholic Hall.

Explorers Post #49, 7:30 p.m. V.F.W. Hall.

Commissioners Court 9 a.m. Court House.

Family Planning Clinic, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. 317 Church, across from Library, Call 729-7512.

Lamar Women's Club, 1 p.m. Sea Gun.

Thursday, April 21

Rebekah Lodge, 8 p.m. I.O.O.F. Hall.

AARP sponsors Bridge & Canasta party, 1:15 p.m. Paws & Taws Bldg. Fulton Beach Road. Donation 75 cents per person. Refreshments & Prizes.

V.F.W. Game Night, 7:30 p.m. V.F.W. Hall.

Brownies #431, 3:45 p.m. Girl Scout Hut.

Royal Order of Moose Lodge

#2083, 7:30 p.m. Call 729-1429

for place. Rockport Lions Club, 12 noon, Sandollar.

The Community Calendar is compiled by the American Association of Retired Persons, sponsors of the Community Concern Center. Call 729-7722 or Mrs. Geo. Parker 729-2007 to list coming events or changes in schedule.

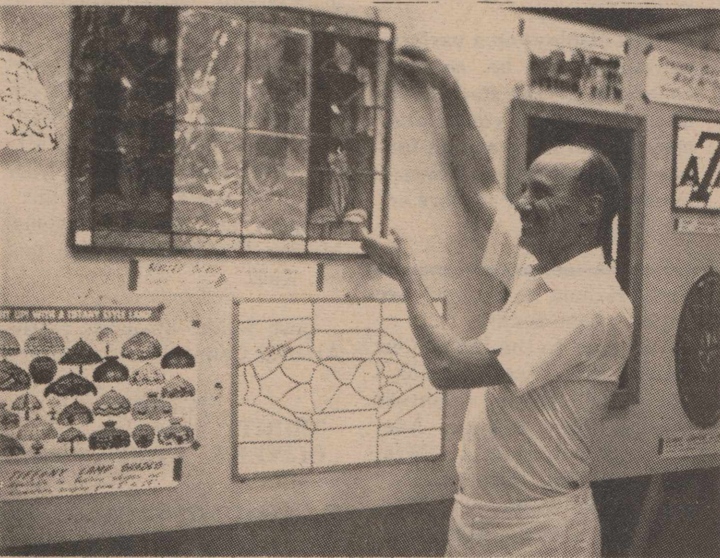
Olbrich Display At First National

An exhibit of stained glass art objects fashioned by Roy W. Olbrich, Rockport artist, is being shown this month in the lobby of First National Bank. Included are windows, a Tiffany lamp shade in turn-of-the-century style and reproductions of antique stained glass objects.

The exhibit, which will be in the bank lobby throughout April, is the latest of a continuing series of art exhibits sponsored by a standing committee on art of which Gladys Gibson is chairman. This is the first time Olbrich has shown his stained glass creations.

Olbrich, who has been a Rockport resident for about a year, is a native of Burlington, Texas, and a mechanical engineering graduate of Texas A&M University. He retired recently from Texaco after 30 years of service. At that time

he was vice president and general manager of construction and maintenance for the company's pipeline operations, both domestic and foreign.



Roy Olbrich

Olbrich became interested in stained glass work three years ago and took lessons at the Village Hobby Mart and the David Bolton Studio in Houston. He buys glass in sheets of various colors and cuts them to shape. Prefabricated lead channels to hold the glass are available for some of the work but much of it must be hand-soldered, Olbrich explained.

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Rotary Hears Refuge Head

Between four and five million dollars a year are added to the economy of Texas by visitors who come here to see the whooping cranes and other attractions at Aransas National Wildlife Refuge, according to Frank Johnson, manager of the refuge. Johnson spoke at the luncheon meeting of Rotary Club March 30 at Sandollar Restaurant.

He added that last year more than 150,000 visitors from every state and from 21 foreign countries visited the nearby 54,000-acre refuge. This year 69 cranes, 12 more than the year before, wintered at the refuge.

Following preliminary remarks, Johnson presented slide films picturing many of the birds and other animals at the refuge, including alligators, wild hogs, deer and jave-

lina. Also waterfowl, turkeys, prairie chickens, as well as a variety of song birds. Johnson said the best way to see the whooping cranes was aboard sightseeing boats. The "Whooping Crane" from Sea Gun Resort carried a total of about 14,000 passengers last year. A new refuge observation tower from which the birds usually can be seen was completed last year, he added.

Matagorda's Fate Still Undetermined

The fate of 19,000 acres of Matagorda Island which formerly belonged to the federal government remains undetermined.

The U.S. General Administration told Texas Governor Dolph Briscoe in mid-February it was "tentatively proposing" to give two-thirds of the acreage to the state and one-third to the Fish and Wildlife Service, a division of the U.S. De-

partment of the Interior, and an agency which currently operates the vast Aransas Wildlife Department.

Last summer 40 students ranging in age from 15 to 18 worked at the refuge on erosion control and shelter building projects. Johnson said they were paid \$69 a week and it is planned to repeat the project

Briscoe remains firmly set against any division of the property, all of which he says should be turned over to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Briscoe's stand is somewhat supported by a 1976 GSA ruling which said the Department of Interior has failed to document its claim to the entire island, even though the land has been a winter home for some of the growing flock of endangered whooping cranes.

The GSA ruling did not deny the site was a nesting ground for the whoopers, but maintained that the Department's claim to the land as a migratory stop for several other species was unsubstantiated, and that the land was not vital to the species as a migratory stopping place.

Any division of the land is contingent upon the completion of an environmental impact statement. The study is proceeding at this time, with no date yet set for completion.

The Fish and Wildlife Division would like to turn the land into another refuge. Division would like to turn the land into another refuge area, with possible limited public hunting, such as that allowed with bow and arrow at the Aransas refuge.

TP&W officials have said the Department has shed away even from speculation about the use of the land pending a final outcome, but said it was suitable for use a limited recreation area, with primitive sites for camping, and limited hunting game surveys shows substantial need.



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A Library Week Look At Aransas County Library

In a proclamation declaring the week of April 17 through 23 to be Library Week in Texas, Governor Dolph Briscoe has called upon Texans to visit the public, school and academic libraries that serve them. "The increasing complexity of the world in which we live makes adequate information vital for all Texans," he says in the proclamation. "Libraries can provide this information."

As the first half of a two-part

series on local libraries the Pilot this week presents a look at the Aransas County Public Library.

According to current Librarian Eunice Hamon, who has been with the system for six years, the Aransas County Library began in Arthur Bracht's empty store. Local women formed an organization and gathered the first 2,000 to 3,000 books, and supported the library in its formative years with donations and volunteer time.

The current library is housed in the County Courthouse plant, built in 1952. The current stock is 21,439, perhaps 10 times the original number.

But the number of volumes, in this day of computerization and instant communication, is

not nearly as important as it once was in measuring the potential for service or the stature of a library.

The Aransas County Library, although it has slightly more than 21,000 volumes, can draw on the resources of thousands of libraries across the state which contain millions of volumes, periodicals, rare historical documents, presidential papers and government papers as well as audio and visual records.

It does this through the Texas State Library Communications Network, commonly referred to as the Inter Library Loan Program (ILLP).

The ILLP works very simply for the customer. If he or she wants a particular book, for example, a request is made, and if the local library doesn't have it on its shelves, it calls in to one of 10 major resource centers in the ILLP network. Aransas County Library places its calls to Corpus Christi, which is in contact with thousands of libraries state wide.

The volume is run down and sent to the requesting library, which pass it along to the customer. If the major resource center has the volume on its shelves, then the waiting period for the customer can be as short as the time it takes for the volume to arrive by mail. If several libraries must be searched, then it can take weeks. Patrons are asked to give dates after which they won't need the material so fruitless searches are not needlessly prolonged.

If a patron needs information from a particular book and can pinpoint the location of the information, photocopies can be made of the applicable pages or sections and the information forwarded by mail. This is sometimes the way to get information in rare periodicals or volumes.

Information from almanacs, government records, stock exchange records, etc., can also be obtained from the ILLP if the patron knows within reason what he is looking for.

The ILLP will give your request RUSH status if required, and go out of its way, and into the resources of academic libraries if your request is for business, professional, journalistic or other research purposes. Requests of general interest or curiosity receive lower priority, although all requests are filled as promptly

as possible.

So the Aransas County Library is not simply limited to what is on its shelves or in its modest microfilm library of periodicals (Newsweek, Scientific American, Audubon, Writer's Digest, National Parks and Conservation and The Artist).

And, in addition to the information available through the ILLP, the local library provides additional visual and aural source materials. The local library has a 16 mm. projector

These hours are kept on a yearly budget of \$12,696. \$9,000 of it from the County on a yearly basis. Donations account for approximately one-third of the total received.

The staff includes Librarian Eunice Hamon; one part-time assistant, Mavis Lloyd; student Emma Ortiz of the Coastal Bend Youth Service Program, who works 10 hours a week; and Arthur Roloff, a local retiree hired by the Coastal Bend Work Experience to work 20 hours per week.

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The operation of the library is overseen by a Library Board whose members are appointed by the County Commissioners' Court. The Board Chairman is L.D. Nuckles. Members include Robert Jackson, Mrs. Gary Smith, Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss,

Mrs. Wm. Blanton, Mrs. Deane Steele, Mr. Robert Eschberger, Mrs. Ruth Davis and Mrs. Bette Cutcher.

The board meets the third Monday of each month from 5-6 p.m. in the library. The meetings are open to the public.

Library News

Library Week Events

Special activities are planned in celebration of Library Week at the Aransas County Public Library.

Book displays on a variety of topics will be set up especially for the state-wide observance, and coffee and cookies will be available for patrons who want to browse or chat with other visitors or the library staff.

Only Hamon and Lloyd are paid from local funds.

In addition to the list of four regulars, the library also has a crew of 20 steady volunteer workers: Mrs. Eugene Axe, Mrs. J.F. Benjamin, Mrs. Frank Bertero, Mrs. Donald Davis, Mrs. James T. Eller, Mrs. C.R. Gibson, Mrs. G.L. Godwin, Mrs. Charles Kaigler, Mrs. Frank Kirk, Mrs. John Leslie, Mrs. Raleigh W. Moore, Mrs. Thomas L. Morgan, Mrs. Rollin L. Murray, Mrs. Mark Stalker, Mrs. Kenneth Thomas, Mrs. Charles Thornton, Mrs. Charles Vermillion, Mrs. Elizabeth Whitney, Mrs. Providence Winkler, Miss Paula Rogers and Mrs. Olin

Rockport Elementary classes of Mrs. Mike Riley and Mr. Robert Jackson used the facilities of the library March 30 to research materials for assigned themes. Mrs. A.C. Hamon, librarian, instructed students in the use of the catalog. The library welcomes class visitations, short notice is needed.

The library gratefully acknowledges donations from the following: Fred W. Klausen, Mrs. Herbert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sorenson, Mr. Oliver Stuttle and Ed Gould. Thomas D. Brown, National Marine Fisheries Service and Flo Kirk.

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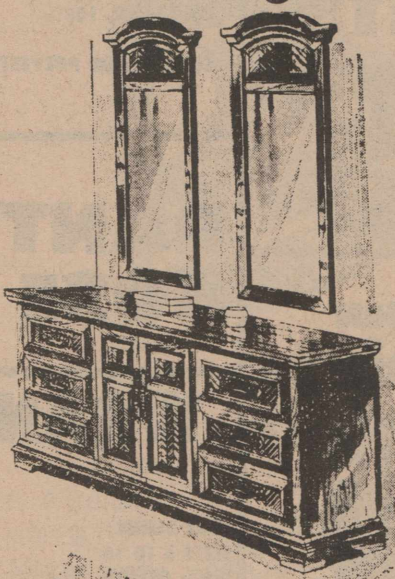
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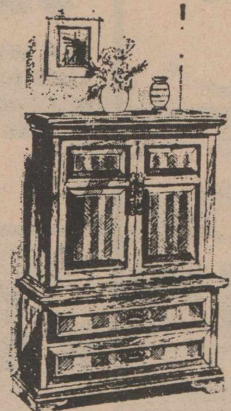
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Record albums are also available at the local library as well as a player and headphones.

In addition to its information services, the library provides community services, including the Friday morning "Show-time" for pre-schoolers.

The library hours are 12-6 weekdays



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Lady Pirates Hosts

Rockport-Fulton's Senior and Junior High School girls' track teams will host the 15-3A district meet Friday, April 15 in Pirate Stadium.

Field Events will begin at 2 p.m., finals at 7 p.m.

Coach Karen Richter expects Gregory-Portland to dominate the team point standings, and Tuloso-Midway and Flour Bluff to fight it out for second place. She says her Pirates will be strongest in the 440 yard dash, where Jena Miller or Betty Baldwin could win tickets to the Region meet, and in the Mile Relay, where Nancy Hicks, Jena Miller, Julie Miller and Betty Baldwin will be hard to beat.

Julie Adams, who has come on fast in the last half of the team's meet schedule, will also be a threat in the high jump after setting a new meet record of 5' at the Mustang Relays for girls in Ingleside last weekend.

At Ingleside, Rockport was second overall, its highest finish of the season.

Joining Adams in the winner's circle were Kathy Heffernan, 880 yard run; Betty Baldwin, 440 yard dash; 880 yard runners, Alma Rivera, Mattie Dilworth, Velina Dominguez and Cassietta Spears; and the mile relay team listed above.

In addition, Rockport's Jena Miller took second in both the 440 yard dash and the 220 yard dash. Jerry Smith was second

in the 80 yard intermediate hurdles, Melissa Pruitt sixth in the shot put, Oralia Tamez third in the discus, Barbara Baldwin third in the long jump, Bonnie Bateman fourth in the

high jump, Cassietta Spears third in the 100 yard dash, Mattie Dilworth fourth in the 100 yard dash, Velina Dominguez fifth in the 100 yard dash, Nancy Hicks third in the 220 yard dash, Hicks third in the 440 yard dash, Rita Martinez sixth in the 880 yard dash and Julie Miller sixth in the 80 yard intermediate hurdles.

Outdoors 'n Things

By L.D. Nuckles

There is one item of boat safety "equipment" that is all too often neglected, just because it is so much easier to "do it tomorrow." Grease, in one form or another, is about the best friend a boater can have, especially to the saltwater sportsman.

Navigation lights are a case in point. As long as they work we tend to ignore them. Let a bulb burn out, however -- and they do burn out -- and we may find out that we can't remove the bulb except with pliers, shattering glass and, perhaps, cut fingers. In fact, they may be in such bad shape that the whole light must be replaced.

These lights should be taken apart once in a while, cleaned up thoroughly and everything, inside and out, coated with petroleum jelly. Smear it on freely, then wipe it off with your fingers. A light coat will protect from corrosion and the electrical circuit will not be broken. Then when a bulb burns out it is an easy matter to change it.

Of course, you should carry spare bulbs for all navigation lights -- and be sure they are

the bulbs specified by the manufacturer. Using the wrong bulb can change the characteristics of the light -- its range of visibility may be altered and even the arc that it shines may be changed.

Incidentally, it doesn't hurt to smear a little grease on the spare bulbs before you tuck them away aboard the boat. They'll corrode too.

Sometimes you'll find places that are difficult to reach with your hands. This is where an aerosol can will be helpful. There is a demisterizer grease called LPS-3 that does a splendid job. It is a thicker grease than an ultra-light oil and it sticks tightly, doesn't wear off easily.

This grease can be sprayed on just about anything, whether it moves or not, and the lights on your trailer are a good place to start. They'll stand up much better to the weather if sprayed periodically with LPS-3. Don't overlook the bolts that fasten the license plate to the trailer, either. They can be a real pain if allowed to become badly rusted.

Another good candidate for an occasional cleaning and greasing is the propeller shaft of your outboard. Every once in a while remove the propeller and clean the shaft, if necessary with fine sandpaper.

You can never go wrong with a light coat of grease on fire extinguishers, hinges, exposed brightwork, flashlight contact points, tools, radio antenna or gaff hooks -- anything metal.

Just don't put on so much grease that it'll be messy and your equipment will be ready to go when you are. What may be even more important, it'll be ready to come back home when you decide that you are.

The Rockport Pilot Sports

Rockport Sailing Club Sets Sunfish Races

All sailors--young, older and "old salts"--interested in sunfish races (all boardboats included) are invited by the Rockport Sailing Club to take part in the first of weekly races scheduled to start Wednesday, April 20. The race will start immediately following the skippers' meeting at 5 p.m. at the dock behind the Meredith Long Art Gallery on Little Bay.

The club plans to set up a racing program for both juniors and seniors (including old salts), beginners and experienced. The preliminary plans will be outlined at the next Rockport Sailing Club meeting to be held Thursday, April 14, 7:30 p.m., at the Little Bay Club. Anyone interested in the program is welcomed. A junior membership will be available for young sailors whose families are not regular members.

If needed, there will be a short session on basic racing rules at the close of the meeting and at the skippers' meeting. Although this is not essentially a teaching program, instruction will be readily available for beginners. The club hopes to make this a fun and exciting

program for all sailors in the area.

For further information call Gail Leslie, 729-0482, or Evelyn Gerding, 729-0272.

Sailing Club Races Set April 16-17

The racing-cruising season is underway at the Rockport Sailing Club.

The first races of the year will be held Saturday and Sunday of this, April 16 and 17, according to Gary Startzell, race committee chairman. A skippers' meeting will be held at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Key Allegro Marina.

All races are conducted under a club modified version of the Portsmouth Rule. Non-club members interested in racing or cruising are invited to attend the Saturday skippers' meeting or contact the club commodore, C.M. Henkel, Jr., telephone 729-1636.

Cruises are held on the first weekend of each month and races on the second weekend.

Five boats with approximately 20 members sailed in the first cruise of the season, April 2 and 3. A number of boats scheduled for the cruise withdrew because of uncertain weather. The cruise flotilla anchored for the night off St. Joseph Island, south of marker 85. Crew members spent Sunday morning beachcombing on the gulf side of the island and found shelling good. Plans for the May cruise are incomplete, but Dr. Park Gerding, cruise chairman, said a three-day cruise to Matagorda Island is scheduled for the Memorial Day weekend.

The regular RSC monthly meeting will be held tonight, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. at the Little Bay Club. Ohioans Lloyd and Ruth Umfleet, who live aboard their 32-foot ketch Freedom IV at the Key Allegro Marina, will present the program.

Pirates Bomb Hornets

Two homeruns, three double plays and a new-found team spirit helped Rockport-Fulton roll over Flour Bluff 12-2 April 5.

The win was the first after three losses for the Pirates in district play, and it pushed Rockport's season record near the .500 mark at 6-7.

The Pirates, up-and-down all year according to Coach Jim Rainey, were sky high against the Hornets, handing them their second district defeat in four starts, and punishing All-District candidate Bobby Scott, a premier moundsman who has beaten everyone except the Pirates this season.

Charles McLead took his third win and evened his record for the year. Infielders Reggie Morgan, Scott Casterline, John Pina, and Albert Mendiola combined for three double plays to wipe out all Hornets comeback attempts.

And at the plate, Mark McCabe and Paul Harris were in fine form, belting homers which put Scott in a tailspin.

McCabe's fifth homer was a solo blast in the first inning. Harris hit a three run shot in the fourth, his second of the season.

Mendiola was also hot at the plate, knocking in two runs with a clutch hit in the sixth, and Casterline walked a season club high four times, stole two bases and scored twice.

Jeff Dietze, Donald Nava,

Polly Flores and Morgan all stood out defensively during the game.

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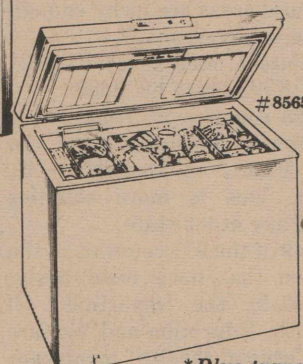
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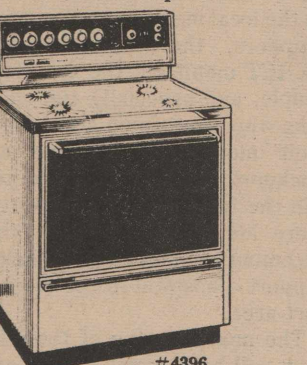
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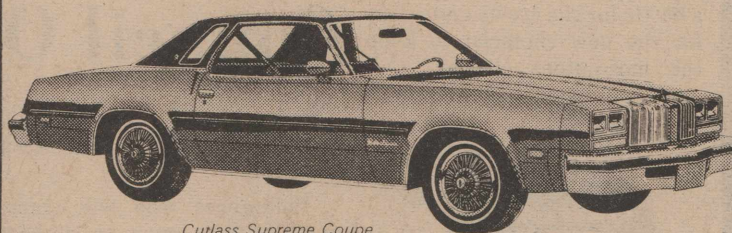
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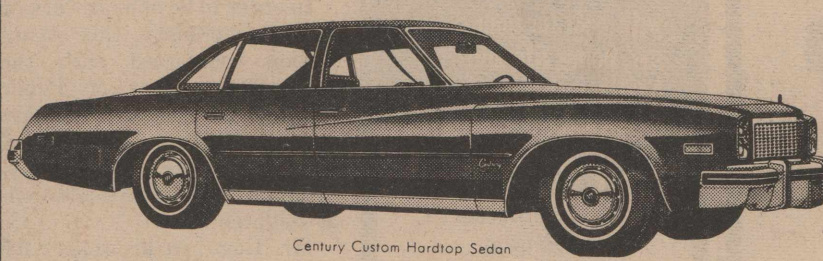
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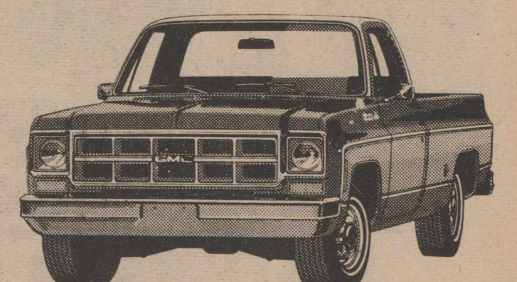
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Approximately 30,000 cubic yards of dredge material will be removed in this project. All of the dredge material from both projects will be placed in bay spoil areas east of the channels in bay water deeper than nine feet (eight feet for Fulton). The inner limit of the areas would be a minimum of 1,000 feet from the centerline of the channels.

Approval of the bay disposal sites must first come from the Environmental Protection Agency, which is awaiting completion of a full Environmental Impact Statement on the project.

Officials at the Corps office in Galveston are not positive of the EPA's approval, but feel confident enough to set final approval and contract advertisement schedules for September and October, with work to begin after the acceptance of a bid on the projects.

Both projects will be free of cost to the local Navigation District.

Although they were elated, Commissioners were also looking to the future, and okayed the preparation of permit requests to have the Fulton, Rockport and Cove Harbors dredged to the depth of the Intracoastal Canal. The IC is currently 12 feet deep, with 14 feet proposed as part of a

widening of the existing channel proposed in legislation currently before the House.

In addition, Commissioners made preliminary plans to challenge an objection by the U.S. Bureau of Fisheries and Wildlife to the use of land at Cove Harbor. The objection was that portions of land north of the present Harbor facility are wetlands, although they are dry a majority of the time.

The Board had earlier resigned itself to creating compensation wetlands to make up for the 3-4 acres the federal official had vetoed despite an existing contract for a total of six acres between the District and Houston Oil and Minerals Corporation.

But M.W. Cochran, speaking as a licensed engineer, brought the Board around by arguing that the federal objection was unsubstantiated, that it arose out of new jurisdictional powers granted the department in an Interior Department reorganization, and had never been tested in court. He said the Corps of Engineers used a mean tide level of 1.72 feet in determining wetlands for permit purposes, and said that an object raised during a day when bay tides ran three feet or more was invalid. He stated that objections based on vegetation or potential were unsubstantiated as well, and that the only avenue open to the Board to reclaim its right authority is adjudication.

Cochran left the meeting after volunteering to be a witness in the Board's behalf, and the Board voted to write letters to the Army Corps of Engineers and HO&M announcing that work on the full six acres agreed to in the original tract could and would begin.

Board Attorney David Connery was instructed to begin research to defend the board

through the courts, beginning with a possible request for a restraining order or injunction by the Bureau.

County Surveyor Tommy Griffith will also be asked to begin a study of the land's elevation to determine which portions fall above the Corps' 1.72 mean tide height restriction.

The original Board plan to create compensation wetlands immediately on the Cove site used by HO&M will continue, meeting the grounds of the original objection while the parallel action questions it.

On the south side of the Cove, the Board has been looking at a potential purchase of 70 acres to expand should the objections to work on the north side be sustained. The company contacted about the sale expressed interest, but Commissioners tabled consideration of the purchase until the results of the adjudication are known.

Also considered by the Board was an increase in the District maintenance tax, currently 10 cents per 100 valuation. The San Patricio Board, with a greater bonded indebtedness, is taxing at a 30 cent rate. The board came to the conclusion that local action was impossible, and that an act of the legislature, probably in the next session, would be required. A special act of the legislature previously made Aransas County's the only five member board, and a similar special act may be necessary.

A maintenance tax would be used to finance such projects as the dredging of the Rockport inner harbor and Cove Harbor.

Chamber

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Perry Carter, and the Civic Welfare Committee by Dennis Jenkins and Charlene Miller. Jack Guillet and Raulie Irwin, Jr. head the Advertising Committee.

The Chapter also gave the nod to Schlitz Beer as the supplier for its concession at the annual Fourth of July Art Festival sponsored by the Rockport Art Association.

A resolution expressing the Chamber's interest in new medical personnel for the Rockport area and its support of efforts to attract such personnel was composed and approved after a suggestion by Director Mike Shellenberger, new President of the Aransas County Hospital Volunteers, Incorporated. Shellenberger, said physicians soon to retire from the U.S. Air Force were planning trips to Rockport, and that at least one was planning a home in the area. He encouraged the Chamber to meet with the men when they came to town, and to urge them to consider Rockport as a potential base.

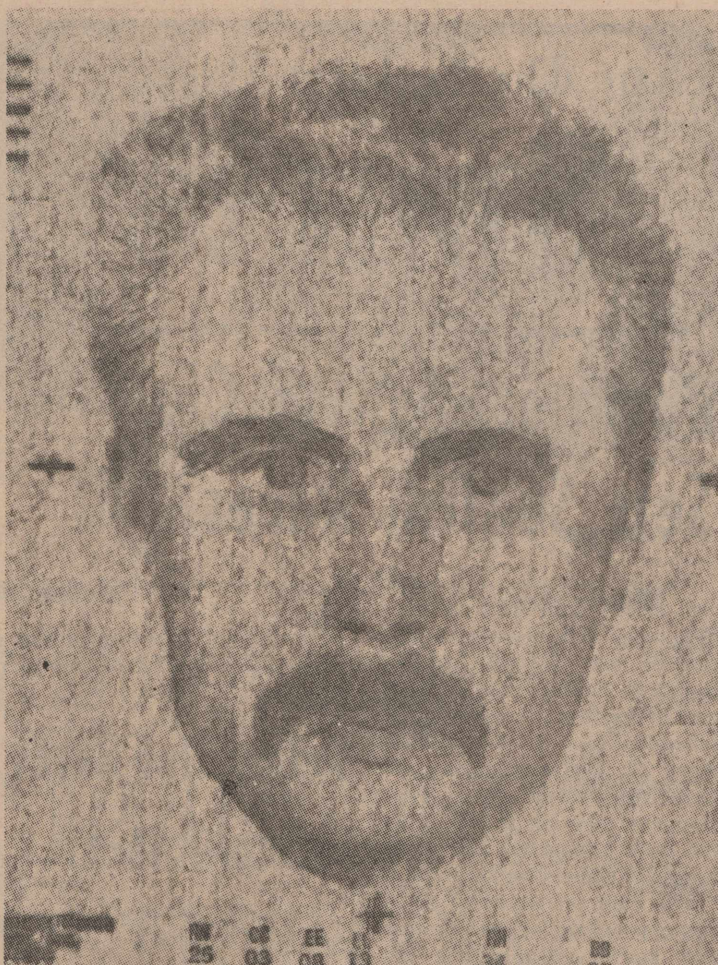
Mosquitoes

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ties create problems or new demands.

Chapa says Copano Ridge and Copano Cove are trouble spots for the County crews because of their proximity to the water and the lack of extensive commercial development.

Overall, Chapa says it will be a battle for the crews and a test for the new chemical to keep the mosquitoes at bay.



COMPOSITE DRAWING. Two thieves took \$230 in cash from the Nu-Way Drive Inn between Rockport and Aransas Pass Sunday evening. Police have a composite drawing of one of the two suspects, a white male of estimated age 25, standing approximately 5'9" and weighing 150 pounds. The suspect's alleged partner, a Latin-American, had the same build according to the Inn teller. The suspects entered the store and split up, one approaching the counter with a purchase, then drawing a gun and asking the clerk to lie face down on the floor while he took the cash from the register. The investigation is being handled by deputies Joe Soliz and Bob McCormick and Sheriff Bob Hewes. The three local officers are being assisted by Texas Ranger Bobby Poynter.



Kathy Huffmeyer and Ruth Cline

Art For Cancer Drive Begun

In raising funds to fight cancer, the Aransas County unit of the American Cancer Society makes use of two of Rockport's most valuable natural resources: The beautiful scenery and the artists who come here to interpret that beauty.

One such artist is Mrs. Cline, of San Antonio. She began visiting Rockport several years ago to paint local scenes. The visits got longer and more frequent until, today, she spends almost half her time

here. Her most recent project is a seascape that will be given away by the Cancer Society on July 4 at the Lions Club barbecue.

The large watercolor was accepted by Kathy Huffmeyer, chairman of the Art for Cancer fund-raising drive. "Art for Cancer is a favorite project of the local Cancer Society unit," she said, "because it not only raises money, but also dramatizes Rockport's growing importance as an art center."

Call Kathy Huffmeyer at 729-7469 for ticket information.

Council On Aging Needs Volunteers

Volunteers who will transport welfare cases to doctors out of town is a dire need of the Aransas County Council on Aging, according to Mr. Neal Gage, Director. Gage spoke at the monthly meeting of the Council on Aging on Monday, April 11.

At the time the Council on Aging was organized, sufficient volunteers to transport the elderly were found, and the system currently operates with their help.

In order to be of more service to the community, this organization contracted with the State Department of Public Welfare to transport welfare cases to doctors. This part of the program has grown rapidly, therefore the need for additional volunteers.

Mr. Gage, in his report for the month of March, showed 272 transportations arranged

for, some in town and some out, and that the office had handled 504 telephone calls on the telephone reassurance program, as well as answering 36 calls for information, making 11 home visits, helping two apply for food stamps, helping three with Medicare forms and securing clothing for two.

Fish for 25 households was accepted from the Wildlife Department and distributed. Plans for finding a building, or building one, to house a downtown Senior Citizen activity program were discussed.

John L. Leslie, chairman, presided.

Present were Don Stone, Mrs. Felix Tijerina, Wm. McNickle, Jim Bibbs, Neva Sorenson, Evelyn Townsend, Myrtle DeForest and "Dutch" Brueggeman.

Commissioners' Court

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ever, and Sheriff Bob Hewes and Wendell, along with hundreds of other county judges and sheriff's department heads, have gone on record as proposing revisions in the proposals which would pro-rate standards according to jail population, making the requirements less stringent for jails the size of Aransas'.

As proposed, the standards are identical for all jails, and require 30 percent of inmate capacity be single cells (Aransas has one and would need 11 more to comply), day rooms and recreation and dining area, none of which the county currently provides.

The Court also gave preliminary consideration of redistricting county precincts. The first step was left to the city of Rockport. City Secretary Herman Johnson and Mayor Walter Falk, Jr., were on hand Wednesday, and agreed the city would decide by the Monday, April 11, council meeting which street would be the dividing line between Wards 1 and 2. Preliminary speculation covered such streets as Fuqua and Laurel, but no commitment was made. Precincts 1, 2 and 3 are currently within 300 voters of each other, with 4 having less than one-half the total of the largest, 1. The situation is in violation of recent "one man, one vote" court decisions, and would leave the county open to suits in district court if it continued.

In other business, the Court: -Approved a preliminary plat for the subdividing of land in Copano Bay area. The lots will be from one acre to one and one-quarter acres in size, and no streets or sewer service not already available will be necessary.

-Approved advertisement for a new Sheriff's Department car to replace the one totally destroyed in the recent auto accident which seriously injured Chief Deputy E.A. Stautzenberger. The county carries liability but no collision insurance on its vehicles, a practice which John Wendell said "saves money every day but this one."

-Delayed action on a bid for a sprinkler system to water the county courthouse lawn area until work currently planned on

the courthouse building is complete. The bid for the entire lawn area was \$2726, with an additional expense of \$300-\$400 for a well to power the system.

In a special Monday meeting, County Commissioners approved \$150 per month expense money for County Attorney James Anderson, Jr., and Assistant County Attorney Reese Rozzell.

The money will be used as needed for car expenses. Anderson said he and his assistant had encountered considerable expense in investigations and late runs to the Sheriff's Department to approve midnight search warrants and the like.

The amount is the same currently available to County Commissioners for car allowance.

In other business Monday, Commissioners asked Judge John Wendell to request an estimate on the price of installing a 10,000 gallon diesel stor-

age tank for use by the Road and Bridge crew.

The tank was priced at \$4,350, which would be recovered in nine loads with a bulk price differential of five cents per gallon. Action on the purchase was delayed until the installation price is established.

In a final item, the Aransas County Emergency Corps, which receives \$13,000 from the County to finance its own operations and to distribute to the four County fire departments, was asked to search its budget for money to purchase hose for the Fulton Fire Department.

County Judge Wendell noted the fire departments and the emergency corps were likely to cost the County up to \$25,000 this year, most of it unbudgeted. More than \$20,000 has already been spent on the yearly appropriation and \$6300 spent recently for a pumper truck for the Rockport Fire Department.

City Council

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ing in turning the use of a public facility over to a private organization.

Association President James Jennings said the Association would again pay all utilities in return for an exclusive agreement, and would allow others to use the field whenever the association did not have games scheduled. Scheduling currently calls for games four nights a week, with possible extra nights required later in the year if make-up games are needed. He said the Association would not have considered the request if it had not put some \$7000 and countless man hours in to the fields, and been diligent in policing the grounds before and after the games, something he and other spokesmen said other groups were not doing.

Connery's agreement will come up for council review and possible action at the April 25 meeting.

In other business, Council: Approved Laurel as the street which will be recommended to County Commissioners as the line of demarcation in determining the redistricting of county precincts. Laurel runs through the city and would allow for 624 homes (and estimated 1248 voters) in Ward 1 and 633 homes (an estimated 1266 voters) in Ward 2.

The County would use the

line in drawing up its precincts to avoid having precincts in two wards, a situation which currently exists in violation of state law.

The vote for the use of Laurel Street was three for, with new Councilman Zambrano abstaining since he had not had time to fully review the proposal.

-Jack Guillet, a local building contractor, was named by the Council to serve on the Planning and Zoning Commission in the place of Alvino Valenzuela, who recently resigned.

-Dan Ward, Councilman in Ward 1, was elected Mayor Pro-Tem by a unanimous vote.

-An April 25 date (7:30 p.m.) was set for a public hearing on the city's proposed flood insurance ordinance. The ordinance will bring the city into line with new state requirements for building elevation and construction.

-Approved two streets lights for the proposed Unit 6 of Harbor Oaks subdivision.

-Approved the request of the Navy Relief Fund for ticket sales in the city limits for a June 11 and 12 festival to benefit veterans in financial straits.

-Approved a loan of \$9,450 from the City General Fund to the Memorial Park Project Fund until an approved grant in that amount is received from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Health Care Help Asked For Counties

Senator Lloyd Bentsen Tuesday called on a congressional committee for action to improve the medical care available to elderly and disabled residents of 23 Texas counties that have no medical doctors.

Bentsen, who is cosponsoring legislation to alleviate the situation, testified Tuesday morning before the Senate Agriculture Committee on behalf of that measure. The bill is also being considered by the Senate Finance Subcommittee on Health, of which Bentsen is a member.

"This bill promises a great improvement in the availability of health services to those living in rural areas by allowing Medicare to reimburse health clinics in rural areas for services provided by both physician assistants and nurse practitioners," the Senator said in his testimony.

"For too long, federal health insurance programs have refused to recognize the harsh realities that face health care delivery in the rural areas of this country. The current programs limit their payments to physicians only. However, not all rural areas are lucky enough to have physicians."

Bentsen cited several statistics to illustrate his point. -23 counties in Texas were without a physician as of the last count, on December 31, 1973. This is more counties than any other state.

-49 of the 971 counties in the nation that have been designated by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare as "critical health manpower shortage areas" are in Texas. Only Kentucky has more counties so designated.

-And, 200 of some 2300 "medically underserved" areas in the U.S. are in Texas.

"Obviously, one solution to the kind of situation that exists

in Texas and many other states in this country is to train enough physicians to provide several for every county. We would all like to be able to offer the best quality medical care available to all our citizens. That desire was the basis of the current Medicare reimbursement policy which limits payments it will make only to physicians or to clinics in which a physician is on duty at all times," Bentsen said.

"However, this reimbursement policy eliminates rural areas of Texas and therefore, many of the old and disabled

What's Cooking

Monday, April 18
Spaghetti With Meat Sauce, Whole Kernel Corn, Tossed Green Salad, Bread, Cake Squares and Milk.

Tuesday, April 19
Hamburgers, French Fried Potatoes, Lettuce, Pickles, Onions, Buns, Fruit Bars and Milk.

Wednesday, April 20
Cheese Enchiladas, Pinto Beans, Seasoned Mixed Greens, Cornbread, Butter, Fruit and Milk.

Thursday, April 21
Fried Chicken, Gravy, Steamed Rice, green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Bread, Ice Cream and Milk.

Friday, April 22
Beef Pot Pie, Blackeyed Peas, Congeeled Fruit Salad, Bread, Cookies and Milk.

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Longino

Funeral services were held Tuesday, April 5 for A.C. Longino, 72, of Corpus Christi, who died Sunday, April 3 after a long illness.

He was the uncle of Aransas County Commissioner Ray Longino, a Rockport resident. The services were conducted by Dr. Gene Combs of the

Second Baptist Church in the Cage-Mills Downtown Chapel in Corpus Christi. Interment followed at Prairie View Cemetery in Aransas Pass.

Longino was a retired rancher and deacon in the Second Baptist Church and a graduate of Texas A&M University.

Survivors include his wife, Bethel; three daughters, Mrs. R.G. Hubbert, Mrs. E.E. Hedgepeth, Jr., both of Corpus

Christi, Mrs. H.L. Stanley, Jr., Fort Worth; two brothers, Ray Longino, Rockport, Noble Longino, Ingleside; one sister, Mrs. A.J. Clayton, Baytown; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Hawkins

Funeral services were held Thursday, March 24 for Elmer

Harold Hawkins, 81, of 1014 Cornwall, Rockport.

The services were conducted at the Winbiger Family Mortuary and interment followed at Fairhaven Cemetery, both in Santa Ana, California.

Hawkins, a retired salesman for Standard Oil Company, has lived in Rockport since August, 1976. He died in Lyman-Roberts Hospital, Aransas Pass, after a short illness.

Hawkins was a Columbus, Kansas native who served in World War I in the U.S. Army. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the American Legion.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Queen, Rockport and Mrs. Betty Hean Hager, Edmonds, Washington; also one sister, Mrs. Myrtle Alvarado, Orange, California; and three grandchildren.

Stratton

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 9 at the Marshall Funeral Home in Rockport for Alfred L. Stratton. Interment followed in Rockport Cemetery.

Stratton, 78, died Thursday, April 7 in a Corpus Christi hospital.

He was born in Toluca, Illinois, and had lived in Rockport for the last 20 years. He was a member of the Christian Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Irene Stratton, Fulton; two daughters, Margaret Dagley, Corpus Christi, Marian Mercer, Fulton; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren.

The family asked that in Lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Aransas County Hospital Emergency Fund or a favorite charity.

Clampit

Funeral services were held Friday, April 8 at Marshall Funeral Home Chapel in Rockport for James Howe Clampit, 67. The service was performed by Reverend John Bradshaw. Interment followed in Hasley Cemetery in West Monroe, Louisiana.

Clampit died Wednesday, April 6 in a Corpus Christi hospital. He had lived in Rockport for the past five years.

Clampit was born in Enos, Louisiana, and was a retired senior Rightaway Representative for the United Gas Pipeline Company. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and of the American Rightaway Association.

Survivors include his wife, Veatrice Clampit of Rockport; his mother, Mrs. W.H. Clampit of West Monroe, Louisiana; two nieces, Miss Martha Clampit of West Monroe, Louisiana; Mrs. Mary Clampit Jones of Austin, Texas; two nephews, Jack W. Clampit, Jr., Bill Clampit, both of West Monroe, Louisiana.

Madden

Funeral services were held Monday for Robert Henry Madden who died Saturday, April 9 in an Aransas Pass Hospital.

Services were conducted in Marshall Funeral Home Chapel in Rockport, and interment followed in Rockport Cemetery.

Madden was born in Fulton and had lived all his life in Aransas County. He was a member of the Baptist Church and a veteran of World War II, U.S. Navy.

Survivors include his wife, Louise Madden, Rockport; one step-daughter, Mrs. Larry Farley, Port Aransas; one step-son, Johnny Wright, Rockport; one brother, Travis Madden, Port Lavaca; two sisters, Loreen McElwee, Rockport and Elaine Green, Alta Loma, Texas.

Boone

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Marshall Funeral Home in Rockport for Ray Hugh Boone, who died Sunday, April 10 in a Corpus Christi hospital.

Services were conducted by Rev. Marvin Crawford. Interment followed in Rockport Cemetery.

Boone, 64, had been a resident of Rockport for the past 30 years. He was a retired superintendent for the Aransas County Road and Bridge crew, and a member of the Assembly of God Church, as well as the Stewart-Wendell V.F.W. Post No. 3904 in Rockport.

Survivors include his wife, Lottie Jay Boone; one son, Charles Boone, both of Rockport; his parents, Jack and Mollie Boone; one brother, Elmond Boone all of Cuero; three sisters, Louis May and Ellie Taylor both of Cuero, Mattie Benningfield, Rockport; two grandchildren, Brent and Monica Boone, both of Rockport.

Pallbearers were Jackie May, Leo Rabroker, Jr., James Benningfield, Vaughn Manness, Raymond Owens and Rafael Chapa.

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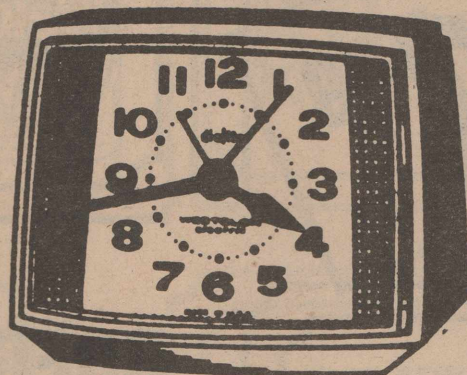
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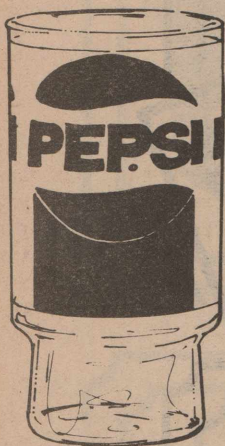
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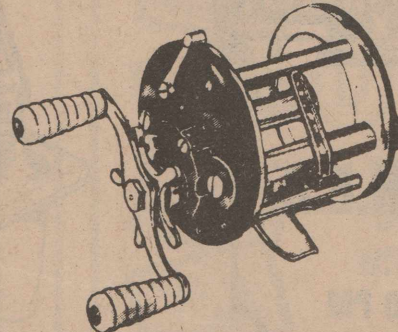


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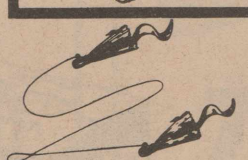


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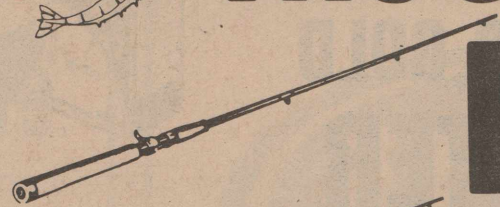
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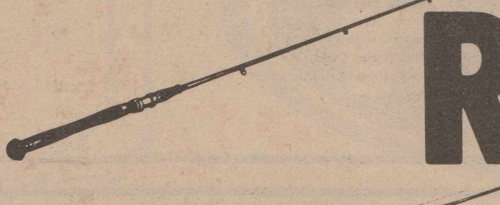
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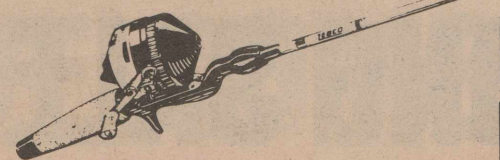
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Troop 280 Holds Court Of Awards

Boy Scout Troop 280 held a Court of Awards March 30 at the Boy Scout Hut. Awards were given to the following: Clyde Barre, Life advancement, Home Repairs merit badge, Assistant Patrol Leader patch, and 3 year service pin; Jeb Beall, Scout sign, tenderfoot advancement, Quartermaster patch, Mammals merit badge, and Hiking, First Aid, Conservation, Camping and Citizenship skill awards; Doug Bruning, Junior Assistant Scoutmaster patch and five year service pin; Hunter Cross, Scout sign, neckerchief, and Camping skill award; Jimmy Crusier, Junior Assistant scoutmaster patch, Instructor patch and five year service pin.

Also Michael Hanzelka, Assistant Patrol Leader patch, one year service pin and cooking skill award; Adam Harden, Tenderfoot advancement, Patrol Leader patch and one year service pin; Robert Jack, Tenderfoot advancement, Assistant Patrol Leader patch, Camping, Cooking, Family Living, First Aid, Hiking skill awards, Den Chief patch, and Den Chief cord; Ed Lane, Second Class advancement, Librarian patch, Hiking skill award, Den Chief tab with one year service pin and a two year service pin; Jay Merrett, Patrol Leader patch, neckerchief and two year service pin.

Also Keith Morrison Scout Sign, neckerchief, Hiking and Camping skill awards and Chaplain's Aide patch; Sam Porterfield, Scout Sign, neckerchief, and Cooking skill award; Ronnie Roe, Life advancement, Patrol Leader patch, Citizenship in Nation, Home Repairs, Pets, Woodworking merit badge, Den Chief tab with three year service pin and a three year service pin; Jon Shaw, Senior Patrol Leader patch, Family Living skill award and two year service pin; Kevin Shuff, Scout Sign, neckerchief, and Hiking and Camping skill awards; and Michael Von Heuval, Patrol Leader patch and one year service pin.

File Now For Tax Deadline Extension

Taxpayers can receive an automatic two-month extension of their tax return filing deadline by filing a Form 4868, the Internal Revenue Service said.

Form 4868, "Application for Automatic Extension of Time to File U.S. Individual Income Tax Return," is available at local IRS offices or can be obtained by filling out the handy order blank for free forms and publications found in the tax package.

For requesting the extension, a taxpayer must make two copies of Form 4868, filing the original with the IRS on or before the due date of the tax return. On this original, the taxpayer must estimate his or her tax bill for the year and enclose full payment for the tax liability.

When the taxpayer later files the actual tax return, the duplicate of form 4868 must be attached and the amount of tax previously paid entered on the appropriate line of Form 1040. Taxpayers receiving an extension cannot use the short Form 1040A or have the IRS compute their tax bill.

If a taxpayer underestimated the tax bill on the Form 4868, he or she must pay interest on the unpaid amount. In addition, if the unpaid amount is over 10 percent of the total tax bill, the IRS will levy additional penalties on the taxpayer.

U.S. citizens outside the U.S. or Puerto Rico on the date of their tax deadlines can receive an automatic two-month extension of the filing deadline without filing Form 4868, the IRS said. This provision applies to both taxpayers whose deadline is April 15 and taxpayers who file returns on a fiscal year basis. Taxpayers who qualify for this extension must attach a statement to their tax return when they file, stating that they were outside the U.S. or Puerto Rico on the date of their filing deadline.

Deadline extensions past the two-month extension date are granted only under unusual circumstances, according to the IRS. Taxpayers can apply for a further extension by letter by filling out Form 2688.



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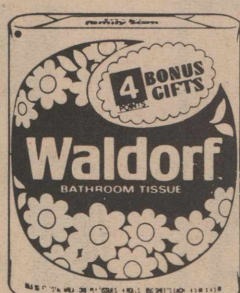
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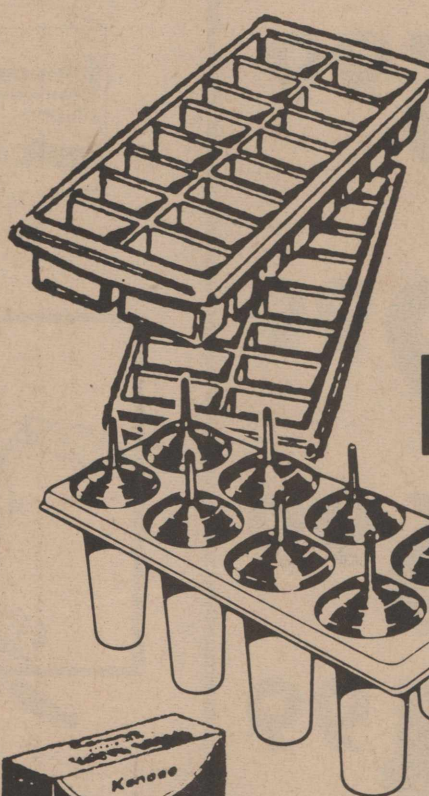
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Insurance Board Sets New Rates

Fire and other property insurance coverage for farm and ranch buildings will generally decrease in cost beginning this summer, State Board of Insurance Chairman Joe Christie announced.

The Board's new property insurance rates, which will take effect July 1, will cut rates paid by farmers and ranchers for fire insurance by 17.5 percent and rates for extended coverage insurance by amounts ranging from 8.4 percent to 12.3 percent.

Farm and Ranch Owners insurance, which provides a package of coverage including fire, extended coverage, personal liability, medical payments and theft, will cost 1 percent more in some areas of the state and will be reduced up to 3.5 percent in other areas.

The only area rates available at press time are those for homes in Corpus Christi. Local agents will receive rate tables June 1. Under those available new rates, Fire and Extended coverage for one year on a \$25,000 home which has brick veneer and is occupied by the owner is \$150 per year, a decrease of 11.2 percent.

A Homewoners "B" policy, for one year on a \$25,000 brick veneer residence, will rise 1.3 percent to \$270.

"This is the first overall decrease in property insurance rates in more than six years," Christie said.

"It has taken us that long to shake off the disastrous effects of Hurricane Celia in 1970. Now that those losses have been absorbed, it is time to give the insurance-buying public in Texas the benefits of the insurance companies' recovery," Christie said.

Driving Course Offered

Drivers with valid licenses can receive a 10 percent discount off their insurance for the next three years by completing the Defensive Driving Course. Coordinated by the Texas Safety Association and sponsored by the Texas Safety Conference, the courses are offered in this area only in Corpus Christi.

The City of Corpus Christi safety division is offering three full course schedules in April:

The third course, also an all-day affair, will be held at the First Christian Church, 3401 Santa Fe, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 30.

To register for any of the three courses, call Mrs. Stewart at 1-852-5027. The charge for the course is \$10, which includes all class materials. The potential savings for driver range \$50 to as much as \$300.

The classes are taught by City of Corpus Christi Safety Director Ronald S. Jones, recently named one of the outstanding Safety Directors in the State by the Texas Safety Association. In 1976, Jones trained a total of 1,615 students, including many from the Rockport area.

Bentsen Seeks

To Simplify

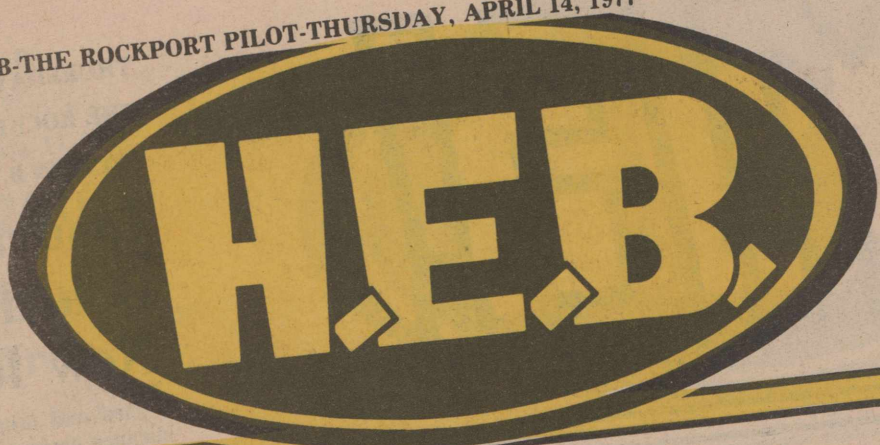
Tax Forms

Senator Lloyd Bentsen Monday said complex Federal tax forms will cause millions of Americans to make errors when they file their income tax returns this year.

Bentsen, a member of the Senate Finance Committee, said he will urge the committee to adopt simplified tax forms as to adopt simplified tax forms as the part of the tax cut bill. The committee begins writing its version of the tax cut legislation tomorrow. The House of Representatives has already approved such a measure.

"It is getting to the point that it takes a certified public accountant to fill out even the short version of the federal income tax return," the Senator said.

"Back in 1954 all you had to be able to do was add and fill in about 30 blanks if you used the short form. But today, according to the General Accounting Office, you have to add, subtract, calculate percentages, multiply and fill in 50 blanks."



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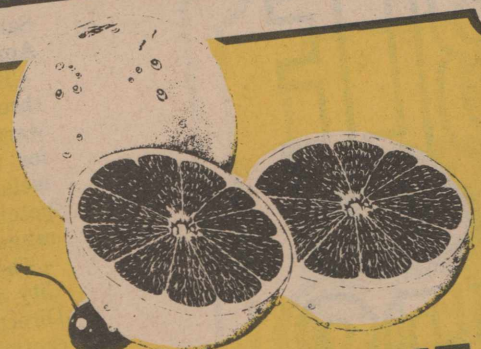
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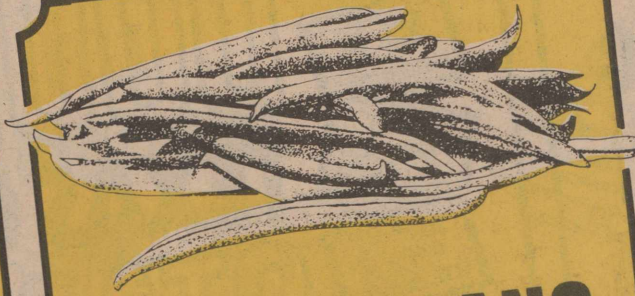
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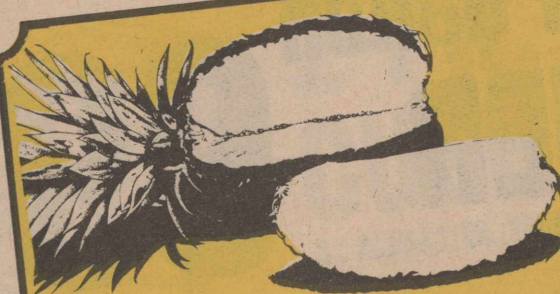
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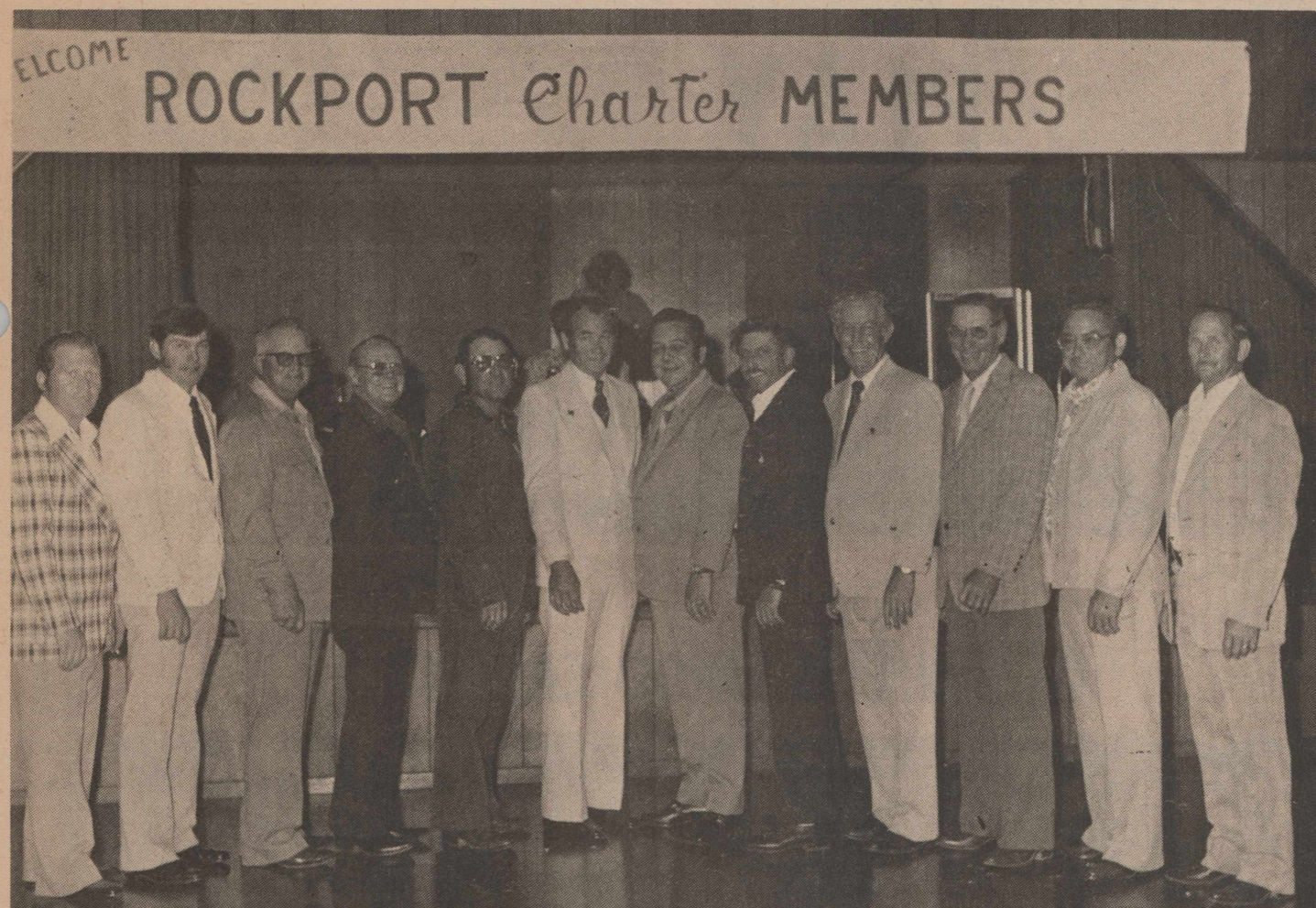
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INSTALLATION. The Loyal Order of Moose, Rockport Lodge 2083, was instituted March 26 in Corpus Christi. Officers for the local lodge chosen by the membership are, L to R, George Miller, Jon Shaper, Murle Snyder, Melvin Mills, Ivan Olenik, Daniel Murrow, Ken Shellaby, Tom Aikens, W.B. Sanders, L.E. Grimm, Gordon Kring and Harold Stapper.

Moose Lodge 2083 Instituted

The institution of the Rockport Moose Lodge 2083 was formally chartered last March 26, 1977.

The enrollment ceremony was held at Corpus Christi Lodge 734, which had extended held and support through the organizational phase of the new Rockport Chapter.

The ritual ceremony at the institution was conducted by

San Antonio Lodge 744 members, and the installation of officers proceeded smoothly.

After the Supreme Lodge business was conducted by representatives from Mooseheart, Illinois, the evening evolved into a festive celebration of the new lodge's entry into the international fraternity.

As installed March 26, the officers for the new Rockport

chapter include: George Miller, junior past governor; Daniel Murrow, governor; Tom Aikens, junior governor; Harold Stapper, prelate; W.B. Sanders, treasurer; L.E. Grimm, one year trustee; Gordon Knight, two year trustee; Melvin Mills, three year trustee; Ken Shellaby, secretary; Ivan Olenok, sergeant at arms; Jon Shaper, inner guard; and

Murle Snyder, outer guard. The newly formed lodge extends thanks to members of the community who aided in its organization, and invites all qualified persons wishing in-

formation on acceptance into the fraternity to contact one of the present members, or call 729-1429 and ask for Ken Shellaby.

RRC Approves HO&M Facility

The Railroad Commission today authorized Houston Oil & Minerals Corp. to erect two oil storage tanks on a 2.6-acre tract in the Cove Harbor section of the Aransas County Navigation District at Rockport. Each tank will have a capacity of 10,000 barrels.

The approval required the Commission to grant an exception to its statewide rule 21 which specifies the distance that must be left between two flammable or combustible liquid storage tanks.

Houston Oil & Minerals advised the Commission that the tanks will be 20 feet apart. Rules of the National Fire Protection Association and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration permit erection of such tanks where they are 18 feet 3 inches apart.

Oil and Gas Division Examiner George F. Singletary recommended approval of Houston Oil & Minerals' application. Singletary told

Chairman Mack Wallace and Commissioner Jim C. Longdon that the storage tanks are necessary for the development of offshore oil production in Aransas Bay.

At a hearing held by Singletary on March 7, Houston Oil & Minerals testified the company had leased six acres from the Aransas County Navigation District as the site of processing and separation facilities for offshore oil and gas production.

After the tract was acquired, the hearing record reflects, space for the facilities was constricted by the environmental restrictions of the Army Corps of Engineers and the Interior Department.

To protect wetlands used as breeding ground for small sea animals, Houston Oil & Minerals was required to eliminate more than half of its original tract in locating the onshore facilities.

Cassel Sisters Take Twirling Titles April 2

Loretta and Lee Anna Cassel attended the Pre-Regional Twirling Festival in Corpus Christi April 2 and came back with a variety of performance trophies.

Loretta won first place in intermediate solo competition, second place in advanced royal court, third place in advanced USTA strut, fourth place in advanced solo and fifth in military, all on the eight years and under age group.

Lee Anna won second place in intermediate USTA strut, two fifth place medals in advanced USTA strut and advanced royal court, and sixth place in intermediate solo, all in the 11-12 age group.

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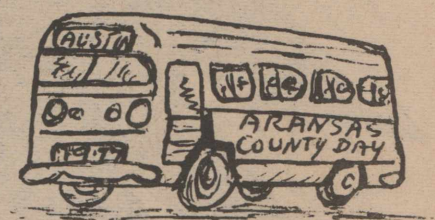
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Shrimp Landings Down In February

Shrimp landings amounted to 820 thousand pounds valued at \$3.1 million. This was less than one-half the pounds and value of 1976 February landings. The following table represents landings of headless shrimp for specified areas and periods.

Area	February 1977	Jan.-Feb. 1977	Jan.-Feb. 1976
Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
Port Arthur - Sabine	17,800	48,500	303,800
Galveston Bay Ports	38,300	80,900	401,000
Freeport	52,700	140,300	433,500
Matagorda, San Antonio and Lavaca Bay Ports	34,800	56,200	160,000
Aransas Pass - Fulton Area	161,500	380,800	806,000
Port Mansfield	700	1,600	67,500
Brownsville - Port Isabel	514,100	687,500	1,295,000
Total	819,900	1,395,800	3,466,800

Trawlers made short broken trips along the entire coast during February. Weather conditions were rough the entire month and water temperatures at sustained record lows. Long range vessels worked rough seas for 80-175 pounds per night in waters beyond twenty fathoms off Texas and Louisiana. Trawlers working Mexican waters under the permit system made only fair catches from the International Border to off Tampico.

Oyster fishermen harvested 487 thousand pounds of shucked meats in February. This was practically unchanged from the February 1976 harvest. Fishermen received \$17-\$19.50 per barrel for shell oysters. Public oyster reefs were worked very hard throughout the fall and spring season.

Blue crab landings of 350 thousand pounds were far below the 544 thousand pounds landed in February 1976. Cold weather and heavy fishing pressure for several consecutive months accounted for most of the decline.

Five new large vessels entered the Texas shrimp fishery in February. None were lost at sea.

Fuel supplies were adequate and on an increase. Fishermen paid 35-42 cents per gallon for diesel fuel.

Child Screening April 18 In Fulton

The Early Childhood Program for students with special learning needs, which is part of the Aransas County I.S.D., will be screening at Fulton Elementary School on Monday, April 18.

Listed below are questions to ask yourself if you are interested in having your child considered for acceptance in a program for 3, 4, or 5 year old

children needing special attention. If you answer yes to one or more of the following questions your child may benefit from this program. Please call Fulton Elementary School, 729-5669 or 729-6100 and set up an appointment on the date given above.

Do You Have a 3, 4, or 5 Year Old Who:

1. Has been diagnosed by a doctor as deaf, blind, mentally retarded, physically handicapped, emotionally disturbed or learning disabled?
2. Does not talk very much or points and makes noises to get what he/she wants?
3. Has a speech problem? Can you and others understand him/her when he/she talks?
4. Has trouble learning songs, nursery rhymes, prayers, or what you ask him to do?

Cannot see well? Does he/she hold books extremely close or sits close to set when watching television?

Seems to have a hearing loss? Can child hear when you talk to him/her?

7. Seems to be clumsy with his/her hands or tends to fall or stumble a great deal.

Form 64 (State) (9-76)

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at the close of business on March 31, 19 77 State Bank No. 2190 Federal Reserve District No. 1149

BALANCE SHEET				ASSETS		Sch.	Item	Col.			Mil.	Thou.	
1.	Cash and due from banks			C	7						1 015		1
2.	U.S. Treasury securities			B	1		E				2 156		2
3.	Obbligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations			B	2		E				450		3
4.	Obbligations of States and political subdivisions			B	3		E				205		4
5.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures			B	4		E				5		5
6.	Corporate stock										NONE		6
7.	Trading account securities										875		7
8.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell			D	4					4 777			8
9.	a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)			A	10					8			9
	b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses										4 769		b
	c. Loans, Net										NONE		c
10.	Direct lease financing										300		10
11.	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises										NONE		11
12.	Real estate owned other than bank premises										NONE		12
13.	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies										NONE		13
14.	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding										247		14
15.	Other assets			G	7						10 016		15
16.	TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)												16
				LIABILITIES		Sch.	Item	Col.			Mil.	Thou.	
17.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations			F	1f		A				3 169		17
18.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations			F	1f		B+C				4 492		18
19.	Deposits of United States Government			F	2		A+B+C				40		19
20.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions			F	3		A+B+C				827		20
21.	Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions			F	4		A+B+C				NONE		21
22.	Deposits of commercial banks			F	5+6		A+B+C				10		22
23.	Certified and officers' checks			F	7		A				121		23
24.	TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)										5 659		24
	a. Total demand deposits			F	8		A				3 617		a
	b. Total time and savings deposits			F	8		B+C				5 442		b
25.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase			E	4						NONE		25
26.	Other liabilities for borrowed money										NONE		26
27.	Mortgage indebtedness										NONE		27
28.	Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding										NONE		28
29.	Other liabilities			H	9						32		29
30.	TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)										8 691		30
31.	Subordinated notes and debentures										NONE		31
				EQUITY CAPITAL		Sch.	Item	Col.			Mil.	Thou.	
32.	Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding										NONE		32
	b. No. shares authorized										400		33
33.	Common stock a. No. shares authorized										400		34
	b. No. shares outstanding										525		35
34.	Surplus										NONE		36
35.	Undivided profits										NONE		37
36.	Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves										1 325		38
37.	TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)										10 016		
38.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)												

MEMORANDA

1. Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:

a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above) 884

b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above) 973

c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above) 4 751

d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below) 1 340

e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above) 8 812

f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above) NONE

g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above) NONE

2. Standby letters of credit outstanding NONE

3. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more: 910

a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more 430

b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more

Larry C. Boone, Vice President

I, Larry C. Boone, of the above-named bank do solemnly {SWEAR} {AFFIRM} that this report of condition (Name and title of officer authorized to sign report) including the information on the reverse side hereof is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct-Attest: Larry C. Boone (Signature of officer authorized to sign report)

H. F. Jackson
Carl C. Krueger, Jr.
Sam E. Wilson Directors.

State of Texas County of Aransas

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of April, 19 77.

and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

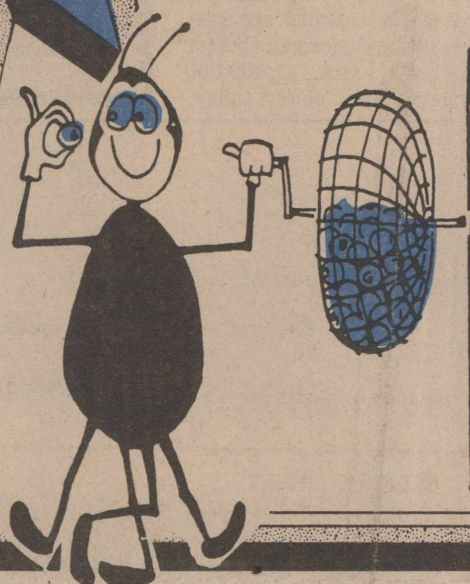
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RULES OF THE GAME

NO OBLIGATION OR PURCHASE NECESSARY:

There is no obligation or purchase necessary. A copy of the paper is available for playing the game at the office of this newspaper - also at the public library - also a Bingo card and/or a copy of The Rockport Pilot for that day containing the Bingo numbers may be obtained by mailing your request to this newspaper (please print your name and address clearly). You may play as many cards as you wish - they are free. Get additional cards - one at a time - each day of the week - from the merchants listed below (adults only).

DIFFERENT COLORED CARDS EACH WEEK:

The color of the cards changes each week. To be a winner, you must play Bingo cards of the correct color for that week. Mutilated or altered cards will not be honored. ALL 24 NUMBERS ON A CARD MUST BE MATCHED TO WIN.

CHANCE DETERMINES NUMBERS:

Bingo numbers for each week's game are drawn strictly at random at the office of this newspaper. Some duplication of Bingo numbers may appear in the merchants' ads - or elsewhere in the paper. This duplication does not affect the game or the total numbers drawn. All numbers for each week's game will appear someplace in the sponsoring merchants' ads - and possibly elsewhere in the paper. Employees of this newspaper and members of their families are not eligible to win any of the prizes. Newspaper Bingo is a program copyrighted and registered by Marketing-Research Associates, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

NOTE

Only one Bingo card and one newspaper will be sent per request and a self-addressed, stamped envelope must accompany each request.

PICK UP FREE BINGO CARDS

Each week (adults only, please) pick up your FREE Bingo cards from any of the sponsoring merchants listed below. Rules of the game allow the merchants to give you only one card on each store visit. However, you may make as many visits as you wish each day of the week. THE MORE CARDS YOU PLAY - THE BETTER ARE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING.

CHECK EACH ISSUE OF THE PAPER:

Each game is complete in each week's issue of The Rockport Pilot. A new set of Bingo numbers will be published each week in the sponsoring merchants' ads - and possibly elsewhere in the paper. A new color of Bingo cards for each week's game will be available at the sponsoring merchants' stores. To be eligible to win, you must play Bingo cards of the correct color for that week's game. The color of the cards for each week's game will be announced on this page.

HOW TO PLAY:

Check the ads in each week's issue of The Rockport Pilot. The ads of the merchants listed below will contain one or more "Newspaper Bingo" numbers in the "Bingo Bug" symbol (shown above). Occasionally numbers, in the "Bingo Bug" symbol, may be found elsewhere in the newspaper. Be sure to check the Classified Ad section for additional numbers. IF YOU CAN MATCH (JUST CIRCLE OR "X" THE MATCHING NUMBERS) ALL 24 NUMBERS ON ANY ONE OF YOUR BINGO CARDS WITH THE NUMBERS PUBLISHED IN THE WEEKLY ISSUE OF THE PILOT - YOU HAVE A "BINGO"! - AND YOU ARE A WINNER!!!

AT LEAST \$50.00 WEEKLY!!

Winners will share a weekly prize of \$50.00 (in "Bingo Bucks" - they spend the same as cash with any of the sponsoring merchants listed below). If there is only one winner, he wins all of the \$50.00. If there is more than one winner, all winners will share the \$50.00 in equal amounts. If there are no winners any week, the \$50.00 weekly prize will be added to the following week's prize fund.

IF YOU ARE A WINNER:

If you have a winning Bingo card, ON WHICH ALL 24 NUMBERS HAVE BEEN MATCHED WITH THE NUMBERS APPEARING EACH WEEK IN THE PILOT, print your name, address, phone number, and the name of the store where you got your winning card, and mail to this paper at P.O. Box 608, Rockport, Texas 78382 (the envelope containing your winning card must be received by Monday at 5 p.m. of the following week) - or bring your winning card to the office of this newspaper at 1002 Wharf Street by Monday, 5 p.m. of the following week.

PICK UP YOUR FREE BINGO CARD AT THESE PARTICIPATING MERCHANTS

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HWY. 35 N.

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HWY. 35 N.

CAPTAIN PEANUT'S
FULTON TEX.

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JOHNSON'S DRUG STORE
501 S. AUSTIN

MONROE'S SURPLUS AND FLOOR CO.
501 E. LIBERTY S. CHURCH ST.

ROE'S FOOD STORE
1016 ST. MARY

TRUE-VALUE HARDWARE
1207 W. MARKET

LOS AMIGOS RESTAURANT
HWY. 35 N.

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