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\$10 Million In Grants To Strengthen Industry

Approximately \$10 million is available for grants and cooperative agreements to help develop and strengthen the U.S. fishing industry

reports Richard A. Frank, Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA). "This is the first step in

carrying out the fisheries development plan announced by the Administration in May," said Frank. "We are emphasizing regionally ori-

ented projects that will remove economic and technological impediments restricting the use of nontraditional species of fish and aid

in the development and strengthening of the U.S. fishing industry."

The program will be administered by NOAA's National Marine Fisheries Service. Applications for funds may be made by any person or group, including industry,

universities, research groups, and state and local governments as well as the Department of Commerce Regional Development Commissions.

Minority individuals and groups are encouraged to submit proposals.

The funds are available through the Saltonstall-Kennedy Act of 1954 which permits a certain part of the duties collected on imports of fish and fish products to be used to improve the U.S. commercial fishing industry. NOAA has established

fisheries development policy goals to:

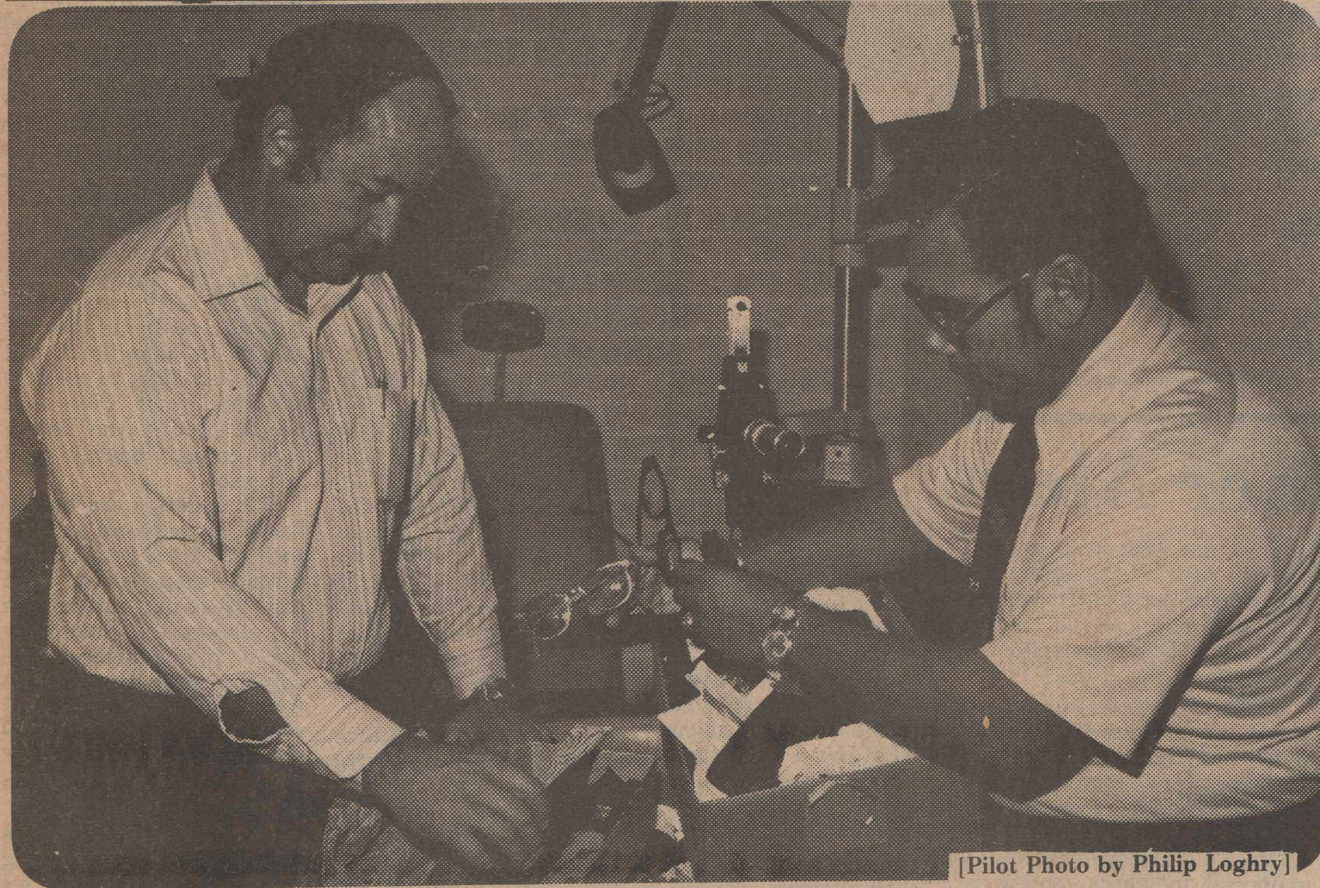
- encourage the development and growth of the domestic fishing industry;
- lower the foreign trade deficit in fishery products through increased exports of U.S. fish and fish products;
- provide consumers with the variety of wholesome and nutritious fish they want;
- promote a coordinated development effort between the fishing industry and Federal, State, and local governments;
- encourage the development of fish resources which will support growth in the industry and strengthen the long-term viability of the industry; and
- improve domestic and foreign markets for fish and fish products.

Proposals aimed at reaching these goals must be received by January 15, 1980, to be eligible for funding in April. Proposals will then be accepted by April 1 for funds to be dispersed in July.

A letter of intent should be submitted by January 15 for those submitting proposals to be considered in April.

Applicants may obtain additional information by contacting the Director, Office of Utilization and Development, National Marine Fisheries Service, Washington, D.C. 20235 (202/634-7261) or the NMFS Regional Office in St. Petersburg, Florida. (Source: Fishery Market News Report 12/17/79)

Representatives from Texas A & M University will be available in the Marine Agent's office in Rockport, January 4-5, 1980, to meet with interested individuals and advise them on how to file a grant application. For additional information call 729-1211. (See GRANTS, page 6)



DR. SHAW, ROCHA CHECK DONATED GLASSES

Lions Seek Eyeglasses For Center In Kenya

Rockport's Lions Club is seeking used eyeglasses.

The glasses are to go to Dr. Bill Christ who operates the Lighthouse for Christ Eye Center in Monbasa, Kenya, Africa.

Manuel Rocha, president of the Lions Club, asks anyone who has a pair of old

eyeglasses they no longer use to donate them to the Center.

Glasses may be left at any of the following area businesses: Roaten's Drug Store, Central Power & Light, Dr. Jerry Shaw's office, Jack's Exxon Station or the Rockport Pilot.

Rocha said the staff at the Center prepares the eyeglasses for "recycling" to Center patients.

Richard Foyle of Texas Star Shipping in Corpus Christi has arranged for his company to ship the boxes of glasses to Kenya after they have been collected.

Judge To Hear Proposal On County Facilities Use

County Judge John Wendell will meet with representatives of an organization at 2 p.m. Thursday, December 27, to discuss a proposed use of county facilities as a trades center

for "troubled youth."

The Judge announced the upcoming meeting during a session of the Aransas County Commissioners Court at 9 a.m. Wednesday, December 19, in the Court-

house.

The proposal is to lease facilities at the airport to set up a Gulf Coast Trades Center for about 25 disadvantaged, troubled youths, to involve them in community projects.

In other action Wednesday, members of the commission voted not to participate in a widening project for Corpus Christi Street due to the expense.

An application by Lauren E. Gordon, to put a water line down along Lazy Lane was approved.

Commissioners also voted to release lots 29 through 33 in Unit 3, Peninsula Oaks to the Peninsula Development Company, in exchange for roads built in Unit 5. The roadwork was completed last (See COUNTY, page 6)

Wyatt Announces Candidacy For Second Term

ARANSAS PASS--Pledging a partnership to "bring decision-making back from Washington to the states, and counties, and cities, and families where it belongs," U.S. Congressman

Joe Wyatt today announced that he is a candidate for re-election from the 14th District of Texas.

"A Congressman is truly a servant of the people," said Wyatt. "He must

come back to you every two years and say, 'Here is my record. If you believe in it, let's help it continue.'"

Wyatt supported his record as one which he believes the people of the

14th District agree with.

He pointed to his co-sponsorship of three resolutions to force the federal government to balance the budget, numerous bills to "lessen government interference" in people's private lives and business pursuits, and many measures which would lessen the amount of government spending.

"I would have to guess that in this year I have been contacted by 10,000 people from the district whether by mail, in person or by phone," said Wyatt. "They have stressed two things. First, they want to be a part of what goes on in Washington. Second, they want to tell Washington what to

do, not the other way around."

Wyatt pointed out that two of the first bills he co-sponsored after becoming a Member of Congress in January were to include federal regulations in our system of checks and balances, and to help small businesses out from under the burden of expensive regulations.

He also said he is trying to keep in touch with the district as much as possible, and has made trips home during his first term in order to talk to people and ask their views on issues.

Specifically for the 14th District, Wyatt mentioned his continuing support for the Corpus Christi Naval (See WYATT, page 6)

23rd Toast Of The Coast Tourney This Weekend

By Bob Crawford

This Friday and Saturday, December 28 and 29, the Rockport-Fulton Pirates will be the host team in the annual basketball classic in Rockport, the 23rd Toast of the Coast Tournament.

Year in and year out, the tournament has featured some of South Texas' finest teams, and this year the cast is no different. Taft and Refugio come into the play with extremely outstanding teams, and Sinton has a fine winning record as well. The Pirates, though 4-7 for

the year so far, are the defending tournament champions and have high hopes of doing well.

The opening session begins on Friday at 2 p.m. with Gregory-Portland against Ingleside. Later, at

3:30 p.m., Taft meets Woodsboro. In the evening session, Refugio plays Sinton at 6:30 p.m. and Rockport-Fulton takes on Aransas Pass in the 8 p.m. game.

Play will resume on Saturday. See TOURNEY, page 6

Archer To Coordinate Texas 'Write Ayatollah Committee'

Congressman Bill Archer today urged all Texans to join

in the nationwide "Write the Ayatollah Committee" effort designed to deluge the Iranian Embassy in Washington with letters from the American people protesting the hostage situation in Tehran.

Named Tuesday by the national committee to serve as coordinator for Texas, Archer explained that one Congressman from each state is being asked to serve as a collection point for the letters, which will be hand delivered to the Iranian Embassy by a delegation of Congressmen next week.

The effort, which has rapidly gained momentum throughout the country, was started by the Kiwanis Club of Ada, Oklahoma last week.

"We are urging all Americans to show our country's unity in this critical situation by writing their own letters to the Ayatollah Khomeini and sending them to their state coordinators for delivery to the Iranian embassy in Washington," Archer noted. "Obviously there are other efforts of this type going on in individual communities, but we are hopeful that this nationwide campaign will bring more communities into the overall effort."

Archer said his Houston office (7501 Federal building, 515 Rusk, Houston, Texas 77002) will serve as the collection point for the effort

See ARCHER, page 6



JOE WYATT



Pilot Sightings

RUBY HART giving Christmas (Hershey) kisses to JUDGE JOHN WENDELL and members of the County Commissioners Court... JACK and JUNE CARTER, PETE OWENS, "BUCKY" WALTERS and MR. and MRS. BOB CANTRELL, GENE and REGGIE MURRAY, CALVIN SCHOLZ, BILL GRIFFITH and BILL PRUITT joining the Rockport Chamber of Commerce...

PAT SMITH receiving a skiing monkey for Christmas... MERRILL LANE being late for supper because of van problems... PAULINE DECHARD from Nacogdoches visiting with LOUISE WILKEN for the holidays...



Notable Notes

Fulton Council Meeting

The Fulton City Council will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, January 8, at 7 p.m.

Navigation District

The next meeting of the Aransas County Navigation District commissioners is set for Tuesday, January 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the Navigation District building.

School Trustees Meeting

The next scheduled meeting of the Aransas County Independent School District Board of Trustees is Monday, January 14, at 7 p.m. in the superintendent's office.

Rockport City Council

The next Rockport City Council meeting will be held in City Hall on Monday, January 14 at 7:30 p.m.

Commissioners Court

The Aransas County Commissioners Court will have its regular meeting in the courthouse on Wednesday, December 26, at 9 a.m.

Dial-A-Ride

Persons who need a ride to Sunday morning worship services at Rockport's First Presbyterian Church can get it by calling 729-6251 on Sunday mornings between 10:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

1979 In Review

These Are Some Of The News Events The Pilot Covered During The Past 12 Months

JANUARY

Wynne Armstrong was honored as the valedictorian for the class of 1978 in an awards ceremony at the Rockport-Fulton High School.

The Pirate football team had a good season, ending with a 4-6 record.

The 22nd annual Toast of the Coast basketball tournament was won by the Rockport-Fulton Pirate team. Jim Cruiser, Joe Brooks and Mark Setterbo earned places on the all-tourney team.

A survey made by The Pilot on Tuesday, January 2, compared gasoline prices

with other South Texas cities and found no immediate shortage of gasoline.

Self-service outlets showed an average of 57.99 cents per gallon for regular, 63.23 for premium and 61.08 for no-lead gasoline. Full-service outlets averaged 65.45 cents for regular, 70.73 cents for premium and 68.375 for no-lead gasoline.

Jim Pridgen was named as the Criminal Investigator for the County Attorney's office as of January 1, 1979.

The Presbyterian Church has begun two services and The First Baptist Church, three services to accommodate increased attendance

because of the winter visitors.

Police Chief James Craig-mile announced the use of new radar equipment, the K-55 moving radar set, by the patrol officers.

Absentee voting on the January 20 home rule election can be done through January 16, according to Herman Johnson, city secretary.

The Aransas County Independent School District approved a \$290,190 bid for the new classroom addition.

The City Council of Rockport delayed accepting bids on a new fire truck/pumper. An amendment of the exam-

ination requirements in the city electrical codes was approved.

August and Florence Strelau were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Diane Eckert and Joyce Hill were promoted by The First National Bank.

Caroline and Bob Bernardy announced the opening of their businesses, Caroline's Bookkeeping Service and Ful-Roc Electric, Inc.

Emil Rassman was accorded signal recognition in the field of education, as an outstanding attorney and as a leader in civic activities by

the city of San Angelo.

A Veterans' benefit article which appeared in a recent issue of The Pilot has been labeled incorrect.

Three band members win a place in the Regional Band. They are Beth Randow, Mary Ballou and Belinda Cross.

Greta Adams placed third in the speech tournament in Tuloso-Midway.

Walt Foster won a cup as the outstanding sailor in the Rockport Sailing Club.

The engagement of Joy Bright and Albert McKinnis was announced.

The wedding picture of Anna Marie Solis and Larry Anthony Flores, married on

January 6, 1979, appeared in the January 17 issue of The Pilot.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dill have a new son, Adam Michael, born January 8, 1979.

Home Rule is to be decided at next Saturday's election.

Mike Montague was named to the All-State Choir.

The Copano Cove Property owners will discuss fire plugs and sewers at their upcoming meeting on January 18.

The Rockport Sailing Club has made application to the Army Corps of Engineers to construct a marina in Little Bay and Key Allegro en-

trance channel.

S.L. Pickett, a teacher at Rockport-Fulton High School, retires as an economics teacher.

Carole Meche and other residents on Avenue A and Jacoby Lane complained to county commissioners about the poor drainage in that area.

Janet Schnepf has won second prize, a \$75 scholarship, in the Voice of Democracy Contest, sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Rockport voters approved the framing of a new Home

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State Of The Region

By Juliet K. Wenger
Coastal Bend Council
of Governments

What programs Red Cross can make available in each community depends on the interest expressed and the participation that is forthcoming.

A number of new and updated Red Cross programs are now available wherever someone is willing to be trained as an instructor, a facility is available, and a sufficient number of people want to take the course.

Jam Tait is new executive director of the Coastal Bend Chapter of American Red Cross. He has lined up a schedule of courses for the next six months, so the training is available at this time. Winter is a good time for instruction in the Coastal Bend as this is the season of fewest disasters in this climate.

Since we have escaped major disaster here for an extending number of years, many of the people depend on at one time are no longer available. One thing that can be done now is development of disaster action teams.

These are teams of men to women cross trained to move in rapidly and handle the situation the first 24 hours after a disaster. Prior arrangements are made from them to be away from their jobs at that time.

They are trained in survey, to determine what the damage is and what help is needed; in transportation; feeding; and managing a shelter. Managing a shelter is one of the most demanding jobs for you are dealing with a number of people under the emotional strain of suddenly disrupted lives.

New health courses have been developed in recognition of today's needs. As effort increase to practice preventive medicine and hold down medical costs, new nursing programs are available.

They teach family health, covering ways to avoid illness and accidents. They also teach care of the ill in the home to avoid or shorten hospital stays.

First aid has also been brought up to date. There is a short course, only three hours, in respiratory and circulatory emergencies, called RACE. Multi-media courses with eight hours of basic and eight hours of advanced training have been revised with new procedures for dealing with poisoning and choking.

There is a new concept in first aid to be used when no physician or hospital is available. This is an outdoorsman's course, to help people survive when dealing with an emergency in small boats on the water or camping out in a wilderness.

Water safety training has changed, recognizing that most people swim in pools today. Tait says 85 percent of drownings take place within 15 feet of safety and 50 percent within five feet of safety. Knowing what to do and having the skill to do it can change those tragic facts.

Many more people are canoeing today. Red Cross courses not only make this safer but teach the strokes to take the work out of paddling your own canoe.

Tait said this was first discovered in heavy industry where substantial savings resulted from first aid training to meet requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Act. Now, more businesses are acting upon what has been learned and office workers are taking the training.

Letters From Our Readers

Dear Editor:

I am sending you an article (free monthly) entitled, **THE LORD IS COME!** with the hopes that you will have room to print it in your Christmas issue in your paper. God will bless you if you do! You may change the article.

THE LORD IS COME!

Christmas time is fast approaching when we celebrate the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ. We sing carols, attend religious services, give baskets to the poor, give toys to the needy children, entertain and give gifts to the nursing homes and other institutions, decorate our homes, trim our Christmas trees, send Christmas greetings, sing carols, prepare a big meal, and wrap gifts; but do we realize that the Lord is come and invite Him into our hearts so that we can rededicate our lives to Him?

His coming was foretold all throughout the Old Testament. And Simeon in the Temple eagerly and reverently awaited the coming of Jesus for "...it was revealed to him by the Holy

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The Consumer Alert

By Mark White
Attorney General

The holiday gift-buying season inevitably is followed by the post-holiday gift-returning season. Most consumers expect to be able to return or exchange gifts with little or no trouble beyond, perhaps, the inconvenience. Unfortunately, there frequently is a difference between what needs to be

returned and what can be returned; and, if necessary, adjustments are to be made this difference should be understood before the gifts are purchased.

Sometimes stores will not accept merchandise back for a full cash refund but will issue or allow a credit or exchange for other merchandise. A store may rightfully do this so it is important for shoppers to check on a particular store's policy before buying gifts that may need to be returned or exchanged.

There are certain instances in which a store is legally required to make adjustments. For example, if a store advertised car coats with sheepskin linings but you discover the lining actually is acrylic pile, you have the right to return the coat for an adjustment. Or perhaps you specified a green table lamp, but got a blue floor lamp. The store must correct its error or make some satisfactory adjustment in such cases.

It is important to remember that if a store has advertised goods for a special sale, there may be a "no return" policy on that particular merchandise. Other items, such as pierced earrings, swim suits, undergarments, and other intimate apparel, normally is sold on an "all sales final" basis for the customer's protection. Once again, shoppers should inquire about the store's

policy of returning such merchandise.

If you think you may need to return merchandise after the holidays, remember to do the following:

—Save all tags, price labels and all sales or charge receipts. A store that might otherwise give a full refund may only offer a credit or exchange or refuse any adjustment without proof of purchase.

—When possible, save the original containers in which you received the goods, including all packing materials and papers, such as warranties and instructions.

—Try to insure that the merchandise stays in its original condition and avoid making any changes in the merchandise until you are in a position to know whether it will need to be returned.

—Finally, plan ahead so you will have some free time immediately after the holidays to return any merchandise that may need to go back. If you wait too long after the holidays to return merchandise, the store with whom you dealt may be unwilling or unable to make necessary adjustments.

And remember, if after the holidays, you experience difficulty in getting a store to make a necessary, legitimate adjustment, contact our Consumer Protection and Antitrust Division's office nearest you so we may have the opportunity to help you.

Congressman Wyatt Quotes Jefferson

In announcing his candidacy for United States Congress of the 14th District, Texas, Joe Wyatt, Jr. released the following statement:

"Back around the time of our nation's first turn-of-the-century, Thomas Jefferson spoke to a group of people and said, 'Ours should be a wise and frugal government, which shall restrain men from injuring one another, which shall leave them otherwise free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvement, and shall not take from the mouths of the laborers the bread they have earned.'"

As we near our third turn-of-the-century, I believe that Jefferson's wisdom is just as appropriate today as it was in 1801. With the words of Jefferson planted firmly in my mind and political philosophy, I am here to announce that I would like to help continue toward that ideal for another two years in the United States Congress. I will be a candidate for re-election as United States Congressman from the 14th District of Texas.

A Congressman is truly a servant of the people. He must come back to you every two years and say, "Here is my record. If you believe in it, let's help to continue it."

I believe the philosophy by which I have conducted myself for the last session as your Congressman has been consistent with the philosophy of the people of the 14th District, and I believe they will want to see that standard continue.

During the first session of Congress you have contacted me in person, by phone, by letter and by telegram saying that you want less government interference in your lives, that you don't want the government to take so much of your paycheck, and it would probably take less if it balanced its budget.

I have responded by sponsoring or co-sponsoring legislation which would lessen government interference in your private lives and business pursuits, measures which would prevent the government from taking undue sums of money from wage earners, and resolutions requiring the federal government to balance its budget.

You and I, and all of us, are workers, and I will continue the fight to see that the wages we work for stay, as much as possible, in our pockets. If the federal government ran its financial affairs the way you and I must run ours—balanced—the restraint would result in a little bit more money for us to decide what to do with.

All of us, no matter what our profession, no matter how or where we live, are energy users. You know how important the 14th District is to the nation's energy picture. I will continue to fight for the right of energy producers in this district, and throughout the nation, to provide this country with as much domestically produced energy as possible. I will continue to fight to see that you, and your City, and people around the nation have enough energy at a fair price.

Our nation is the breadbasket of the world and the 14th District is a major part of that breadbasket. You have asked that our farmers be allowed to vigorously pursue their profession the way they know best. I have responded by doing all I can to make sure that all our farmers are able to continue feeding this nation and the world.

We realize that one area where we need a strong national government is for our national defense. You recognize the importance which the 14th District, the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station, and all our citizens who work at these bases play in our overall defense picture. I will continue to stubbornly insist that our nation be second to no one, and that our nation bow to no one on earth.

In short, I believe that this is a good, strong, and wise nation; and I believe that you, and all the people of the 14th District, are the best that this nation has to offer. You certainly do not need Washington looking over your shoulder telling you how to run your lives.

I consider it an honor to represent you in Washington and to help bring decision-making back from Washington to the states and counties and towns and families where it belongs.

That, with your help, will be the theme I carry into our second term of partnership in the United States Congress."

Schwartz Focuses On Congressional Committees

By State Senator
A.R. "Babe" Schwartz

The main focus of my attention in recent weeks has been on Congressional committees dealing with serious problems of the Texas Gulf Coast. Everyone now knows that we face oil spills as a permanent reality as long as we produce oil in the Outer Continental Shelf from drilling platforms off the Texas Coast, and Mexico has the most aggressive exploration for oil in the world in the Bay of Campeche.

In addition to the ever-present threat from drilling accidents, such as Ixtoc I, which placed three million gallons of oil on 140 miles of Texas beaches last summer, we have now witnessed the spectacle of the collision of two foreign-flag vessels five miles offshore of Galveston in clear weather, which was certainly due to the negligence of one or more persons in command of those vessels.

As the result of that inept seamanship and obvious negligence on the Mimosa or the Burmah Agate or both, Texas Gulf Coast waters suffered a new spill of at least 50,000 barrels of oil which was not contained at the site of the collision.

No adequate process for containment or clean-up at sea was used and at least that much oil became a part of the Gulf of Mexico from Nov. 1 to the date of this report. Observations of scientists who have now testified before Congressional committees with me and before the Senate Natural Resources Committee,

as well as the Texas Coastal and Marine Council, both of which I chair, reflect that the United States Coast Guard does not have equipment with the necessary capability of containing or cleaning up an oil spill in open waters of the Gulf of Mexico.

Contrary to previous testimony given before the Senate Natural Resources Committee in 1975, to the effect that superior equipment was then available and would be flown from the east or the west coast or from the central part of the United States to any spill in the Gulf within four hours, and deployed by air, I was advised on Nov. 29 by letter from the 8th District Coast Guard, Office of the Commandant, that such a plan was found to be unworkable and was scrapped several years ago.

The difficulty in that failure and revelation lies with the fact that it was one of the nation's best-kept secrets and we were never notified on the Texas Gulf Coast that such a response was not available to us.

Testimony has now shown that there was no effective pick-up at the site of the oil of the Burmah Agate spill in the first nine to ten days after that collision and a small percentage of the total spill thereafter.

My wire to the United States Congressional delegation on Nov. 9 set forth my complaint that the Texas Coast was about to be inundated by an oil spill and that the Coast Guard, charged with the responsibility for containment of

that spill, had not yet provided adequate containment and clean-up equipment at the vessel in amounts and with the support to which I believed the Gulf Coast was entitled.

The record is clear, although there may be arguments about judgment calls and decisions which had to be made in the emergency—which may go on for a long time in the future, it is admitted that no containment equipment was in the water for at least 57 hours from the time of the collision.

It is also clear from the Coast Guard daily log that equipment at the ship was minimal and even 29 days after the collision, one skimmer arrived at Galveston from Seattle. The record reflects that the total number of skimmers on the scene was never adequate to clean up oil flowing from the ship and that very little oil, indeed, was recovered from the water, but later came onto the beaches from Galveston south to Corpus Christi.

Galveston Mayor Gus Manuel wrote a letter on Nov. 21 in which he stated that the containment at the Burmah Agate was not adequate and urged them to more effectively deal with the threat to Galveston's beaches.

The threat, indeed, is not only to Texas beaches, but to the estuaries of our state. Scientists have all testified that the toxicity of the Ixtoc oil spill as well as the Burmah Agate spill is such that it will destroy any marine reproductive larvae,

and such destruction could seriously damage Texas coastal fisheries for years to come. We have no existing capability and no promise at this time of a scientific damage assessment study by the federal government.

These problems prompted me to testify, first, before the Oversight Committee on Oceanography of the Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee in New Orleans on Nov. 19 about these problems and their relationship to the Federal and State Coastal Management Program, and secondly, I was invited to appear before the U.S. Senate Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, chaired by Senator Howard W. Cannon of Nevada. Senator Ernest Hollings and Senator Lowell Weicker and other coastal U.S. Senators expressed great concern with threats to our environment and our lack of potential for dealing with them.

The day following my testimony before the Senate committee, I testified again before the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee for a compensation bill for the innocent victims of the Ixtoc oil spill.

The bill, introduced by Congressman Joe Wyatt, is a bill suggested by me during my testimony before the committee in Corpus Christi Sept. 8, to be patterned after the Texas City Disaster bill passed by the Congress in 1955, in response to the 1947 Texas City Disaster. In that bill, the United States Congress appropriated funds to compensate victims of that disaster, even though the

United States had been found not to have any liability for the deaths or property loss resulting from the freighter explosions at docks in Texas City.

In my testimony in Washington, I suggested that the Burmah Agate spill victims deserve the same treatment and compensation as other innocent victims who have suffered losses, and pointed out that we must also have the ultimate passage of a Superfund oil spill bill to provide compensation for any losses suffered from oil spills in the coastal waters of the United States.

I've been testifying for such a measure before committees of the Congress since 1975, but the bill has died twice in conference committees of the House and Senate when they failed to agree on differences between their respective versions.

In light of our recent experiences in the coastal waters of our nation, the Congress needs to get its act together and pass the bill immediately.

It is obvious to me that we must learn from the lessons of Ixtoc and the Burmah Agate. The Congress and the state must be certain that we react expeditiously to avoid repeating the mistakes of the past and accepting a less-than-adequate response to those emergencies which confront us in a crisis.

Scientists have testified before my committees and the Congressional Committees that the technology and equipment is available for the containment and the clean-up of oil in coastal waters before it reaches the beaches and estuaries. They

testified that although we have the capability of providing that containment, we do not have the kind of national commitment that is necessary to bring it about. A scientist from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, testifying before the Senate committee in Washington Dec. 6, pointed out that we are only collecting one percent of the oil that we attempt to collect at sea, and a very small percentage in addition to that on the beaches.

It takes no genius to collect oil on the beaches after it has soaked those beaches. A representative of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration described the oil on the beaches of South Texas as being equivalent to a marble layer cake-type consistency since different layers occurred with each tide, separated by sand between the layers of oil. Dr. Pat Parker of the University of Texas Marine Science Institute testified before my committee that after Ixtoc he saw no evidence of adequate containment to prevent a disaster to our estuaries over and under booms for three days after the oil reached the Texas Coast. Wind and current changes saved us from an ecological tragedy in our estuaries in South Texas.

In every instance, my goal has been to protect the coast. I'm not as interested in fixing the blame as I am in guaranteeing adequacy in our future crisis. We have learned much. I was surprised that after my years of hearing testimony by the Coast Guard and by others concerning coastal affairs,

that another of the best-kept secrets in the world is that the Texas Coast lacks fire-fighting response capability for a tanker fire at sea.

In the Burmah Agate collision I learned for the first time that the Coast Guard had no such responsibility or capability and indeed does not have a single fire boat in the Gulf of Mexico. Further, that there is no fire-fighting company available in the United States for an adequate quick response and that the fire boats of the various ports, such as Houston, New Orleans and Corpus Christi were not available to us. The Burmah Agate fire was simply fought with water for several days until a fire boat got here from Puerto Rico and a salvage fire-fighting company was employed and came here from The Netherlands.

Certainly we must demand a fire-fighting capability in the Gulf of Mexico which can respond to a Burmah Agate type situation in time to put out a fire before the tanker burn becomes so serious that the decision has to be made, as in the case of the Burmah Agate, to let it burn itself out because the equipment available is unable to put the fire out.

Preventive measures must also be taken. Since our actions on the Ixtoc well and the Congressional hearing in Corpus Christi, which was held at my request, four members of the Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee have joined together and asked the President to form a commission to join with Mexico in working out agreements and ways in which future tragedies can

be dealt with more quickly and more adequately for the protection of our Gulf of Mexico.

I have testified and have asked the Congress to also investigate the possibility of extending our jurisdiction for placing our own ocean or harbor pilots aboard vessels entering and leaving Texas coastal waters. Certainly in the 10-mile range of our state waters we have that right, but in my opinion our protection demands that American pilots board the vessels 15 or 20 miles out. In The Netherlands, pilots are placed aboard supertankers 40 miles out, by helicopter, to avoid the kind of disasters that we have suffered from the Burmah Agate.

I have pointed out that it requires a confirmed idiot to command a vessel at sea and run into stationary objects, and yet we have the history of the Globtik Sun hitting a platform in 1975, the Mimosa and Burmah Agate collision of 1979 and two other foreign-flag idiot seamanship examples striking oil drilling platforms in November.

Changes can and must come about as a result of our tragedies, but they will have to come about on the demand of citizens on the Gulf Coast for better response with greater capability. Demanding also that prevention where possible is more desirable than clean-up after the crisis should be our primary goal.

You can help by writing to Senator John Tower, Senator Lloyd Bentsen and our coastal Congressmen, Jack Brooks, Ron Paul and Joe Wyatt, of your support.

1979 In Review

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Rule Charter this past Saturday, January 20.

The Federal Insurance Administrator, Department of Housing and Urban Development, has announced new flood elevations for Rockport.

Julie Miller, Aransas County 4-H queen, competed in the San Patricio and Aransas Counties' Agricultural and Homemaking Show.

The marriage of Cynthia Kovar and Charles (Chip) Lewis on December 23 was announced.

Mary Ann Gould was named "Young Careerist" by the Rockport chapter of the Business and Professional Women.

Winning trophies in the Goliad Speech Tournament, January 19, were Mike Montague, Billy McBroom and Lory Broadhurst.

Mushroom expert Jason Dean tells of his interest in this edible fungus.

The annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale is scheduled to begin.

Mrs. Murray McMillan honored Mrs. Patrick Barnett, nee Virginia Gerding, at a miscellaneous shower January 20.

The Rockport Cemetery Association elected Mr. Nyrt Russell president.

FEBRUARY

Dorothea Montgomery, representing the Castaways, presented a check for \$500 to the local United Fund chairman John Mitchell. Another check for \$500 was presented to Aransas County Medical Services, Inc., president, Mrs. William Russell.

Funeral services for Rev. Josef A. Barton, who died January 29, 1979, were held January 31.

Carol Kim Cooke's engagement to Bryan Ray Tucker was announced.

Jane Wagner's dollhouse was featured in the Pilot.

The Pirates basketball team won over Gregory-Portland, 60-59, January 30.

District Judge Rachel Littlejohn planned a conference with attorneys on the question of Fulton incorporation.

Nancy Jo Goodin became engaged to Michael Leslie Cooper.

Sherry Longino was commissioned to be a summer missionary in the Minnesota-Wisconsin area.

Lenora Irwin and

Stephen Kurtz were married January 20.

Clayton M. Rollins was recognized for his work as scenic artist for the Harbor Playhouse.

The Pirate basketball team bombed Flour Bluff, 75-57. The win gave them a lead in the second half race, with 4-0, and a 23-win season so far.

The Tiki-Kai, a Polynesian lounge, opened February 5 with Ruthie Kincannon as manager and Al Rogers, entertainer.

United Savings of Texas promoted Richard McMakin to Vice-President.

Larry Martin was the January top seller for the January Edge, Co., Realtors.

Rockport's charter commission started their deliberations February 6.

Heavy rains the week of February 4-11 brought more drainage complaints to the Aransas County commissioners.

Cam Leonard is on the Dean's List at Baylor University.

Members of the Rockport-Fulton Junior High band who participated in the San Patricio All-County Band were Andy Gehring, Yvonne Betancourt, Daniell Adams, Rhea Morales, Kristi Cosby, James Murphy, Kevin Langley, Jeffrey Miller, Carson Larimore, Richard Miller, Mark Luigi, Eddie Bechtol, Robert Carbajal, Charlie Ochoa and Joe Martinez.

A combination open house and membership drive was planned by the Rockport Art Association with their goal the building of a museum and an art school.

Four Cub Scout winners in the Pinewood Derby were Aaron Reed, Randy Blankinship, Mark Blankinship and Mike Wolf.

Pirates basketball team takes the 15-AAA District Crown with a win-loss record of 26-4. Coach Bobby Flanagan was called "the best there is!"

The Aransas County Independent School District trustee election was set for April 7.

Four candidates who filed for Rockport's city council are Dale Rolland, Peter Lazidis, Charlie Garrett and Norwell Jackson.

Robin Adams marries Brian Lee February 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Overturf celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary March 11.

Dee Ann Martin became engaged to Gary Glen Thompson.

Dustin Lee Prophet was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Prophet February 5.

Pirate Freshmen roundballers won district with an overall mark of 13-5, with 7-1 in district play, said Coach Jim Hatfield.

The Castaways presented checks of \$500 each to the Concern Center and the Council on Aging.

Helen Gibson joins Grace Stanick with Palm Harbor Real Estate.

Jerry Balderee was awarded the trophy of outstanding Female Rider by the Southwest Trail Riders.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Withersall celebrated 50 years of marriage February 23.

Joy Bright and Albert McKinnis were wed January 27.

A dinner honored Mrs. Roy G. McClellan on her 80th birthday.

Julie Miller was named Valentine Queen with a court of beauties: Deanna Garcia, Meredith Montague and Rita Martinez.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Parr celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary.

Ana Wishert was designated a certified residential specialist by the Realtors National Marketing Institute.

Palm Harbor Real Estate introduces Helen Gibson as their new associate.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Smallwood were parents of a son, Steven Anthony, born February 8.

A solar eclipse occurred in February and had everyone trying to decide on the right way to view it.

A hearing was conducted on the marina which the Rockport Sailing Club proposed to construct.

County commissioners worked to improve roads and drainage.

George H. Blood passed away February 18.

Janet Lynn Wilson and Frederick Close, Jr., were married February 10.

Sarah Curry, 88, a life-long Rockport resident, died February 18.

Gerry Kleypas was named assistant marketing director by the First National Bank, taking over the duties of David Crooks, who retired from the staff.

Construction has started on a new classroom wing on the Rockport-Fulton High School grounds.

Raulie Irwin was elected as Chamber of Commerce president.

MARCH

Bridge construction caused the closing of FM 881 between FM 136 and FM 1069 March 3 through August 31.

On March 2, Texas Exes Day, Aransas County President Richard Beck asked all UT exes to wear orange.

The Rockport Firemen's Auxiliary was one of the sponsors of the United Cerebral Palsy Telethon March 4.

Chairman of the Planning and Zoning Commission Delmar Hiller called a special meeting to consider a new city zoning ordinance and a map.

Mid-term graduates were Anita Rose Amason, Peggy Jeannelen Fleming, Jerald Patrick Forrest, Hallie Sean Gorham, Harvey Wallace Harris, Bonnie Lue Helms, Elton Bert Hudson, Jr., Valeria Kay James, Jeri Jean Lassiter, Sheila Arleen Linney, Mark Todd McGlathery, Susan Elaine Mosier.

Also Karen Gail Olenick, Charlotte Ann Peters, Randy Lee Reinginger, Rebecca Diane Shedd and Charles Teddy Sprague.

Reba Hester objects to a junk-filled lot.

Oreen Armstrong Poplin, 84, died in the Jonestown mass suicide and was buried in Rockport Cemetery March 5.



WINTER FISHING

Fishermen were out in force last week fishing the channels across from Key Allegro. The cooler weather forced the fish to move into the deeper channels and holes in the bay, and this concentration of fish usually makes the catching just that much better.

[Pilot Photo by Philip Loghry]

Mollie Davis Is November Student Of The Month

Miss Mollie Ann Davis, 17, has been named the Rockport-Fulton High School Student of the Month for November. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ward of Rockport.

Miss Davis, a senior, won the \$2000 Zack Bobo scholarship to Baylor University, an annual scholarship fund provided by Dr. Zack Bobo of City by the Sea. Earlier in the month, Mollie won \$225 for second place in the "Voice of Democracy" essay contest which is held yearly by the Veterans of Foreign Wars (V.F.W.).

Candidates for the Bobo scholarship are picked each year from the top fourth of the senior class. Dr. Bobo makes the final choice.

As the recipient of the scholarship, Mollie will have to make satisfactory grades until the school year's end. She will be officially awarded the scholarship in May at the Senior Awards Day program.

Mollie, who plans to become a teacher of deaf children, will be eligible for an additional year's scholarship as long as she attends Baylor and keeps her grades up.

Mollie's essay in the "Voice of Democracy" contest was titled, "My Role in America's Future." She and

other contestants prepared their essays and read them onto a tape, which high school principal Chester Barre turned over to the V.F.W.'s judging committee for their selection.

Mollie is also a musician, a saxophonist in the high school band and a member of the newly-formed orchestra at the First Baptist Church of Rockport.

She plays an active role in her church, teaching Sunday

School each week to pre-schoolers. She is a member of the Masons of the Eastern Star's Christian organization for young women, called the Rainbow for Girls, and is past "Most Worthy Adviser," the equivalent of president.

Mollie also belongs to the Theatians, the school's drama club, and was in the recent performance of "The Skin of Our Teeth," directed by drama coach David Rice.

She is a member of the National Honor Society, a group of students whose conduct is good and grades are kept high; co-editor of The Annual, the school's yearbook, a member of Future Teachers and Future Homemakers of America.

To be chosen Student of the Month, a student is nominated by his or her classmates and the winner picked by a panel, consisting of counselor Grover Watkins, two student council members and two faculty members.

For her outstanding achievements, First National Bank has awarded Mollie a \$25 U.S. Savings Bond. First National Bank sponsors the Student of the Month program as added incentive for high school students to do well and is open to students in grades 9-12.



Mrs. Mavis Ponton appeared before the Aransas County Commissioners to press for more traffic patrols, especially since the death of Johnny Sanchez pointed up

the need more vividly. Drama students from RFHS were winners in the 15-AAA north Zone Competition. The 15-member cast performed "Oedipus The

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Salves and nose drops that contain camphor are dangerous if swallowed. Keep them away from the children.

Researchers at Ohio State University report that tender, loving care given to laboratory rabbits seemed to reduce the risk of heart disease, even when the animals were fed high-cholesterol diets. There's a lesson there.

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April 1-7, 1979 was proclaimed to be "The Week Of The Young Child" in Rockport. The proclamation, was signed by Mayor Falk and urged all concerned citizens to focus attention on the needs of young children in this area.

Two dozen candidates were on the ballots in three elections being held in Aransas County. Voters could choose members to be school trustees and officers in city governments in Rockport and Fulton.

The RFHS band won a plaque for getting a first division in the UIL Concert and Sight Reading Contest.

Responding to an investigation into the alleged misuse of credit cards by the Sheriff's Department, Sheriff Robert Hewes told the County Commissioners that none of them had requested any explanations of tickets during the past year and had voted to pay them all. He said he thought the investigation was vindictive or political in nature.

The junior high choir competed in the UIL Concert

and Sight Reading Contest at Corpus Christi State University. They received a Superior rating in the concert division, the first ever for RFJH, and the only one awarded at the competition. They also got an Excellent rating in the sight reading division.

Construction of the new cable television tower was well along in April.

Carl Russ, owner of the Suntan Motel, and two members of his family were killed in a plane crash shortly after they had taken off from Aransas County Airport.

1979 In Review

L.E. Casterne was elected as Fulton's first-ever mayor. He received 129 votes to 111 for Dan Shelton. Prentice L. Elder was elected Fulton marshal. Fulton Council members elected were Felipe Salazar Sr., Katherine M. McLester, Ray H. Patterson, James F. Metzger, and Lucia "Pat" Loflin.

Rockport Councilman Charlie Garrett was reelected to that position, but Norvell Jackson, who had served for more than two decades, was defeated for a council seat by C.H. "Burt" Mills.

Leslie E. Cole ran unopposed and was re-elected to the ACISD Board of Trustees. J.W. Harden won

the Place 3 position, replacing James Hunt, who did not run.

The Rockport city council approved a traffic survey of Rockport by the Texas Office of Traffic Safety. When completed the survey should reveal traffic volume, circulation and travel frequencies, inventory of signs and markings, and accident analysis, school safety, traffic code, and other information.

Printing history of Aransas County was one of the projects adopted for the coming fiscal year by the Rockport Chamber of Commerce. They will seek underwriters for the publishing costs.

The Aransas County Little League Association officially began their season on Saturday, April 21.

The RFHS boys' track team finished in second place at the Wildcat Relays in Gregory-Portland. The two-mile relay team of Ben Barlass, Esiquel Hernandez, Ruben Garcia and Mike Contreras finished first in their event.

Metal shop class members who participated in the Vocational Industrial Clubs of America state meet in Houston won first place ribbons Jay Carroll, Gary Ondrej and Ronald Allen were among the entrants. Sheriff Robert Hewes re-

quested two more deputies and a 10 percent pay increase for present deputies. Aransas County Commissioners decided to delay action on the request until they get a complete budget report.

School District superintendent, E.J. Randow, reported that the Board of Trustees had adopted a program which involved employing the firm of Pritchard and Abbott to assist the tax office with a reevaluation program of all property and changing the rate of assessment from 55 to 100 percent.

Algie Simmons and Ruben Garcia qualified for the Regional Track Meet, and James Simmons qualified as an alternate.

Alvina Sanchez was chosen as first runner-up among the beauties at the Lions Club Convention in Brownsville.

Darlene Dilworth, in the high jump, and Julie Miller, in the 880-yard run, broke school records at the district track meet and qualified for the regional meet.

MAY

Winds gusting to over 60 miles an hour were recorded in the Rockport-Fulton area. Bill Blake recorded one peak gust of 61 miles an hour in the Harbor Oaks area.

The RFHS band was preparing to participate in a parade in San Antonio, when a lone gunman opened fire from a motor home parked next to the parade route. The Pirate band was about four blocks from the sniper-attack scene. Two women were killed in the gunfire and 55 others were injured.

Ruben Garcia took first place in the mile run during the regional meet in Corpus Christi. His winning time was 4:24.1 minutes. Ruben's next competition will be in the state meet in Austin's Memorial Stadium.

Laura Boone became the first female golfer from RFHS to qualify for the Region 4-AAA Girls Golf Tournament.

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ing to active duty as county judge after lengthy absences due to hip surgery and complications, stepped into the fray over pay raises for Sheriff's department deputies, stating that, "You can't hold good people if you don't pay them." He did point out that, because of budget problems, the raises might have to wait until January.

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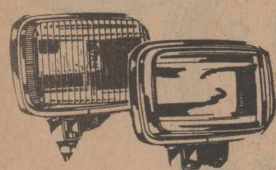
Linda Krueger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krueger, participated in the Corpus Christi Buccaneer Days Celebration as one of the members of the Royal Household. Miss Krueger's escort was Wade Wendell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wendell, also, of Rockport.

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Wendel Hale of Natural Choice Health Foods waits on customer, Mrs. Gardner Serrill, as store prepares for grand opening celebration. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]

SERVICE -- NATURALLY

Natural Choice Health Opens On Austin Street

The name tells it all — Natural Choice Health Foods is a natural foods specialist, says Wendel Hale who describes himself as the "silent partner" in the relatively new Rockport enterprise.

Hale's wife, Darlene, is the "primary proprietor," he said.

Natural Choice, located in the old Prescription Center

building at 115 North Austin, held its grand opening Friday and Saturday, December 21-22.

To mark the event, the store offered refreshments, samples of the natural foods it offers and special prices on merchandise.

The aim, says Hale, is to offer a "full line of natural foods. We're just getting started; we plan to have a lot more when we get going."

And Natural Choice offers more than just food and food supplements. The store also sells cosmetic aids, shampoos made with natural ingredients such as herbs and aloe vera, exotic soaps. There are even magazines — "Let's Live," "Prevention," "Mother Earth News" — and Environmental Records.

The store offers herb teas and, for those who want to make their own natural foods, appliances such as the Yogotherm for making yogurt.

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For those with a sweet tooth, there's Maple Grove candies, confections made of pure maple syrup.

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Charles Fake Re-elected To Board

DALLAS—Charles Fake, pastor, First Baptist Church, Rockport, was re-elected to the board of trustees of Valley Baptist Academy in Harlingen at the December 4 meeting of the 192-member Executive Board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas (BGCT).

The executive Board, composed of laymen and ordained church leaders, conducts the business of the 2-million-member BGCT between annual sessions.

The BGCT owns and operates eight colleges and universities, an academy, eight hospitals and four children's homes.

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Besides the institutions, the Convention helps support the work of more than 5,000 missionaries in the United States and 94 foreign countries.

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1979 In Review

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In addition, some 100 individuals have written letters, mostly in opposition to the plan.

A collision between a school bus and a garbage truck injured 20 youngsters and a passenger on the truck.

The long-sought dream of a medical center for Aransas County is about to become a reality. The new medical building is scheduled to open by June 1 and will be operating at a 25 percent capacity.

Aransas County Sheriff's deputies received \$100 per month pay raise for the rest of the year. Receiving the increase were one chief deputy, one criminal investigator and four regular deputies.

Mary Diane Ballou and Erin Laine Falk were the RFHS Valedictorian and Salutatorian for 1979. Mary had a four-year average grade of 95.42; Erin's was 94.38.

Fulton's city council took action on ordinances granting franchises to utilities, which will provide some early funds for operation of the city. Both CP&L and Aransas Natural Gas will provide two percent of all gross receipts from within the city.

At the RFHS All-Sports Banquet, Jimmy Garrison was named the outstanding football player; Ronnie Lamb and Jimmy Cruser were the outstanding boys basketball players. Alma Garcia was the outstanding girls basketball player. Tammy Bush and Mona Smith took the volleyball honors. Tony Aleman was the outstanding boys tennis player and Meredith Montague and Terri Price were the outstanding girls. Best golfers were Mark Boone and Laura Boone. In girls track, the honors were shared by Darlene Dilworth and Julie Miller, who also took honors for cross country.

The city of Fulton requested help for road repairs from the Aransas County commissioners. The commissioners decided to appoint County Attorney Jim Anderson to submit a brief to the Attorney General of Texas, requesting an opinion on a county helping a city.

"Enterprise Medical Center" is the name recently selected for the new medical facility in Aransas County. Peggy Bloch came up with the prize-winning name. More than 100 entries were viewed by the ACMSI board in their deliberations for a name for the medical facility.

The School District Board of Trustees approved a resolution honoring Ruben Garcia for his track achievements and Michael

Montague for music, as well as Ronald Allen, Jay Carroll and Gary Ondrej for shop metal work.

The Rockport city council approved new gas rates requested by Aransas Natural Gas Company. The increase is for five cents per thousand cubic feet. The raise amounts to an eight-cent-per-month increase in the minimum service.

George S. Cone, Jr., president of the Live Oak State Bank, was appointed by Governor Bill Clements to serve for a six-year term as a member of the Finance Commission of Texas. This group serves as an advisory board to the State Banking Commissioner.

A major problem concerning the Highway 35 bypass was presented to the Aransas County Conservation and Reclamation District. Apparently, a water transmission line, which is 18 inches in diameter, is too close to the ground surface and too close to the proposed right-of-way. The main problem area is a four-mile stretch along Avenue A, where the two projects are parallel. The line is supposed to be buried to three feet, but some of the line is no more than six inches below the surface.

A successful bidder was accepted for the project of dredging the Rockport and Fulton Harbors at the Navigation Board meeting.

The ACISD board of trustees took action to dissolve their partnership with the Central Appraising tax office. All school tax work will now be done directly out of the school tax office.

A fish kill involving over 1,300 fish occurred in the Rockport basin. About 900 of these were "trash fish." Dr. Fred Warren of Athens, Georgia was the first practicing doctor at the Enterprise Medical Center. He received his doctorate from the University of Tennessee.

A capsized boat and a broken boat resulted in two separate drowning incidents in Aransas Bay. Henry English drowned when the shrimp boat he was on capsized. Ed Allen, Jr., apparently drowned off Rockport Beach when the raft he was on broke up, leaving him in deep water.

JUNE

Judge John H. Wood, Jr. died shortly after being shot as he left his San Antonio apartment. Judge Wood was a Rockport native.

Sevil L. Pickett retired at the end of the 1978-79 after 46 years of teaching and coaching. The last 13 years of his teaching career have been spent at Rockport-Fulton.

Graduating seniors were honored with presentations of awards by Principal Chester Barre. Mary Diane Ballou was 1979 Valedictorian, and Erin Laine Falk was Salutatorian.

The City Council and the Planning and Zoning Commission denied The Rockport Sailing Club's request for a Special Use Permit or rezoning of the saltwater swimming pool and adjacent land. They wanted to dredge the water and construct necessary buildings, boat dockage, and other facilities to make a sailing boat harbor.

Navigation District Commissioner Richard James Fox died on June 3. Mr. Fox moved to Rockport when he was 14 years old.

The Rockport Tourist Association reports that gasoline was getting harder to find, but that it was still available.

Rockport-Fulton High School band students journeyed to Austin on June 4, to participate in the UIL Solo and Ensemble State Contest, bringing back several good

ratings. Ricky McLester was hired as an assistant criminal investigator. He was a former sheriff's deputy.

The city of Rockport applied for a \$42,000 grant from the Federal Government to improve the waste treatment plant.

The First National Bank celebrated its 50th Anniversary of their newest, most modern banking facility.

Dr. Gregory O. Gomez became the new pastor of Bethel Baptist Mission.

The Lamar Volunteer Fire Department received a new fire truck, courtesy of the Texas Forest Service.

Rockport celebrated the opening of Olympic Savings at their new location on Broadway.

David Belser is the 1979 golf champion at Live Oak County Club, defeating Marc Johnson in a 36-hole final match in the championship flight.

Rockport youngsters brought home many firsts at summer track meet held at Tuloso-Midway.

Rockport's City Council call for a joint special meeting for the Council and other state, federal and local districts and organizations to "do something" about the hazardous conditions of the Rockport Ski Basin.

Walter and Frances Kling celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception given by their children in Rockport.

106 Artist participated in the 10th Annual Rockport Art Festival in 1979. Fourteen of these are Rockport artists and craftsmen.

JULY

Aransas County Commissioners approved a 7 percent pay increase for county employees, while elected officials continue to receive their present pay.

The "Indians" sponsored by the First National Bank of Rockport, took the first place championship in area Little League Competition. The "Cubs", sponsored by the Rockport Lion's Club took second place.

The 1979 Rockport Art Festival was a success. Although the crowd was smaller, the artists and craftsmen were very pleased with their sales.

Southwestern Bell increased rates for local one-party lines to \$6.55, one-party business rates increased to \$4.65.

Rockport-Fulton area youngsters won many first and second place ribbons at the track meet they attended in Gregory-Portland.

The first new lodge in the Order of the Sons of Hermann in Texas formed since 1975, the Rockport Hermann Sons Lodge No. 79 received its official charter.

Captain Kenneth Leith, of Rockport, received the Superior Cadet Decoration Award (MT-2) during Governor's Day festivities at St. John's Military Academy.

Jan Parker won the Ladies Day at Live Oak Country Club for her golf skills in the Nassau tournament with a

net score of 68 for the 18 holes.

The Lipton Ice Tea National tennis week tournament was held at the Rockport Racquet Club. Several area players placed high in the competition.

Commissioners of the Aransas County Navigation District terminated the lease between the district and the Rockport Sailing Club. It was also decided, there would be no leases involving property along the mile-long beach while any of the present commissioners were on the Navigation District Board.

Four members of the Rockport-Fulton High School Choir participated in the University of Texas Longhorn Music Camp Concert. They were: Sandra Land, Christine Canterbury, Lisa Shirley, and Tammy Wendland.

Rockport-Fulton Drama Instructor David Rice adapted and directed the play "Cat's Cradle" which was presented at Corpus Christi State University Studio Theater. Six Rockport residents were cast in the play.

The Aransas County School Board Trustees surveyed the new classroom addition to the Rockport-Fulton High School. The new building has a total of ten classrooms, two of which are for typing classes, and another two for homemaking classes. The halls have lockers on both sides, and there are girls and boys restrooms.

New officers for the Rockport Masonic Lodge No. 323 were elected. They are: Amil Johnston, David Gruber, Grover Traylor, Sr., Jack Borden, Thomas White, Otto Bruggeman, Leon Weich, Walter Thorman, Douglas

Siems, James Hutchinson, and Grover Traylor, Jr.

At least 11 Rockport area youngsters qualified for the State track meets in Lubbock and Houston.

Dale Owens was named Fire Marshall for the city of Fulton.

Rockport City Council members approved a \$100 a month across-the-board pay raise for city policemen.

Public Hearing was set for August 13 on Step 1, Federal Waste Treatment Grant.

Aransas County Paramedics reportedly answered 508 calls in the first six

months of 1979.

Live Oak State Bank celebrated its fifth anniversary with a three day celebration, displaying works of art by local artists and having free refreshments.

Some birds

more feathered

According to the National Geographic Society, certain birds are more finely feathered than other birds.

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COUNTY

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year but the release was never signed.

The number of reserve deputies was increased from five to 10.

The commissioners rejected, pending further study, a bid from Commercial Motors for sale of two patrol cars to the county for the sheriff's department.

The cash bid, less trade-in on two present cars, was \$11,495.

Judge Wendell read a letter from the State Highway Department noting the end of the two-year maintenance period program on road striping in the county, and the Tri-County Ambulance report.

Bills were read and approved for payment including one for \$2,801.85 for White's Auto Service. Other bills included \$589 from Glass, Sorenson & McDavid for airport insurance; \$120 for foster care for one child; and bills for \$121.67 from Gulf Oil and \$62.80 from Texaco for the sheriff's department.

WYATT

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Air Station, and sponsorship of the bill to compensate victims of the oil well blowout in the Bay of Campeche, Mexico.

"I will continue to work as hard as I can on the Itoc situation," said Wyatt. "I will keep up my efforts to pass compensation legislation or some other means of ensuring our people don't have to bear the brunt of that blowout."

Wyatt also said his support of parity prices for farmers, deregulation of crude oil prices, increased military strength and effectiveness, and opposition to a "Windfall profits tax" on domestic oil, increased hospital regulations, and increased foreign aid were examples of national issues on which he and the people of the 14th District agree.

TOURNEY

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day at 9 a.m., as the participants for Consolation, Third Place, and the top two spots begin settling things as to who will play for the trophies that night.

The final session will start at 5 p.m. on Saturday evening.

ARCHER

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in Texas. Those wanting to participate in the program should address their mail to: Write the Ayatollah Committee, c/o Congressman Bill Archer, at that address.

Varsity Girls

Lose Narrowly

To Ingleside

After four rousing quarters of action-packed round-ball and two periods of overtime, the Rockport-Fulton Varsity girls lost gallantly to Ingleside Friday night in the Pirate gym.

Rockport-Fulton took an early lead which lasted the entire first period. However, in the second quarter, Ingleside rallied and managed to tie the score up. At the half, the score was 12-12.

The third and fourth periods went much the same, with the lead changing hands many times during the course of the game. When the clock ran out at the close of the fourth, a score of 26-26 threw the game into overtime.

After two fast-paced periods of overtime, Ingleside managed to defeat the Lady Pirates with the final score being 35-31.

High scorer for the R-F Ladies was Jenny Mundine with 10 points. Belinda Cross followed with 8, and Darlene Dilworth with 6. Jean Flanagan added 3 points, and Alma Mendiola and Connie Rivera each had 2 points.

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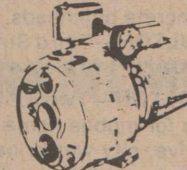
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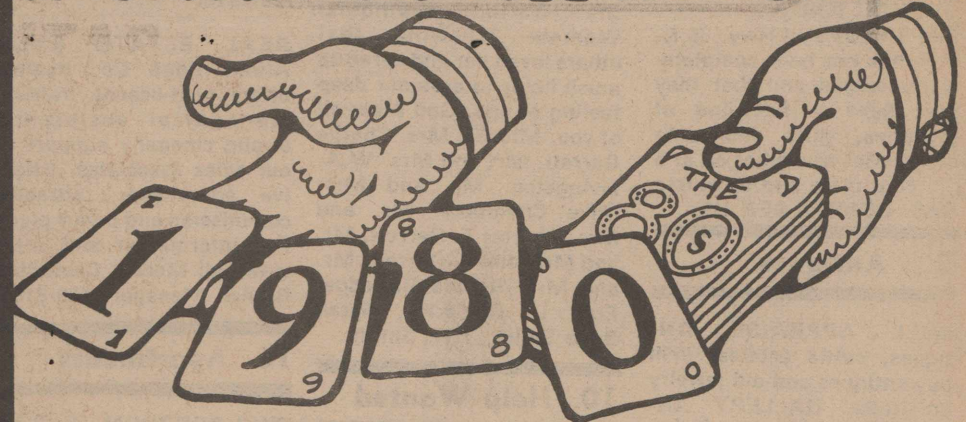
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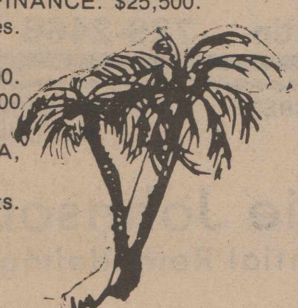
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ARIES: (March 21 to April 19) — Also Aries Ascendant) — You can bring current projects to conclusion and meet deadlines easily. Concentrate on personal affairs and keep your own confidences. Seek to become aware of others' motives. Your mind is quick and sharp.

TAURUS: (April 20 to May 20) — Also Taurus Ascendant) — With high energy you can complete projects that have been hanging

fire. Act on your enthusiasms and get involved with others. Don't just view the action from the sidelines. Seek professional advice about an environmental change.

GEMINI: (May 21 to June 20) — Also Gemini Ascendant) — Your mind is sharp and something that has been confusing could suddenly become very clear to you. Do your share in all partnership arrangements and success

is assured. Utilize your original ideas and talents.

CANCER: (June 21 to July 22) — Also Cancer Ascendant) — Deal with facts, not fantasy, and you can succeed. Guard against self-delusion and move with caution regarding money matters. A short trip — a change of pace is favored to help you get a new outlook on life.

LEO: (July 23 to Aug. 22) — Also Leo Ascendant) —

Concentrate on the matters at hand and avoid scattering your energies. Financial matters require patience and attention to detail. Be fair in handling domestic issues that involve children. Zero in on distant matters and come up with a solution.

VIRGO: (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) — Also Virgo Ascendant) — An unusual assignment may be offered to you. Accept it only if it won't prove a hardship or strain. Organize your work efforts and operate according to a plan.

Concentrate on matters you've been postponing.

LIBRA: (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) — Also Libra Ascendant) — Lots of activity and a fast pace may require that you step up your own rhythm to keep up. Avoid spreading yourself too thin, however, and concentrate on one thing at a time. Attend to priority matters and set hobbies aside for now.

SCORPIO: (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) — Also Scorpio Ascendant) — Routine matters could take a back seat as new people and ideas require your attention. Romance is possible and expanded social life can bring you pleasure. Some may take a trip or be on vacation — all of you should relax and enjoy.

SAGITTARIUS: (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) — Also Sagittarius Ascendant) — You should

feel happy about your accomplishments now. Turn your attention to the home environment and enhance the domestic scene by remodeling or redecorating. Not the time to loan money or be extravagant.

CAPRICORN: (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) — Also Capricorn Ascendant) — If considering a move, lay your plans carefully and guard against over-optimism by being prepared for possible delays.

AQUARIUS: (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) — Also Aquarius Ascendant) — You can bring harmony to an area of your life that has been uncertain by taking a detached and objective view of the matter.

PISCES: (Feb. 19 to March 20) — Also Pisces Ascendant) — Old routines may seem dull or boring and you are ready for exciting new changes.

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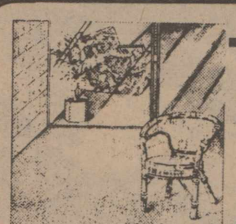


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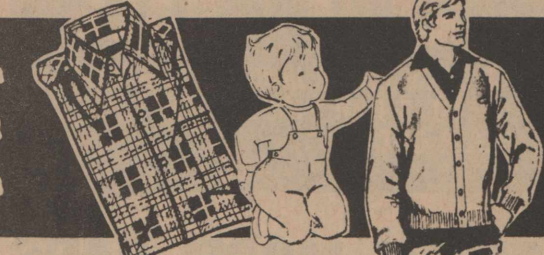
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Cooking Corner

By MARJORIE RICE
Copley News Service

Successful entertaining is largely a matter of good organization.

And if you can make a list, then stick to getting the tasks done, you're well on

the way to happy hosting. "Once you have decided on a menu, go over each recipe and write down the steps of preparation and when each step should be done," writes Marlene Sorosky, who runs a cooking center in Tarzana, Calif.,

and who wrote "Cookery for Entertaining" (H.P. Books, Tucson, \$4.95).

"At least two days before making a recipe, assemble the ingredients. This includes chopping and slicing ingredients that require it and refrigerating them in airtight containers."

Clear, colorful pictures (a trademark of the H.P. Books cookbook series) show you how to make chocolate-coated leaves, also a

lovely garnish for dessert such as pudding and cakes.

Sorosky arranges the recipes in menus. For a luncheon, she suggests the Salmon Mousse.

With the mousse, serve this cold Cucumber Sauce, which may be made a day or two ahead, or the Dill Sauce that follows. It may be refrigerated up to a week.

The mousse may be refrigerated up to 2 days, or

frozen up to 2 weeks, making it a natural for the busy host.

SALMON MOUSSE

1/2 cup cold water
2 envelopes unflavored gelatin
1 cup boiling water
1 cup mayonnaise
2 tbsps. lemon juice
3 tbsps. finely chopped onion
1 tsp. Tabasco sauce
1/2 tsp. paprika
1 tsp. salt (see note)

2 tbsps. capers, rinsed and chopped
2 cans (15.5 ozs. each) salmon, drained, or 1 1/2 lbs. poached fresh salmon
1 cup heavy cream
Garnishes such as cucumber slices, pimiento, celery slices, ripe olives and lemon wedges

Lightly oil a 6-cup mold and set it aside. Place the

cold water in a large bowl. Sprinkle the gelatin over the water and let it stand 5 minutes to soften.

Pour the boiling water over the softened gelatin and stir until the gelatin is dissolved. Stir in the mayonnaise, lemon juice, onion, Tabasco sauce, paprika, salt and capers.

Remove the skin and bones from the salmon and discard them. Place the salmon meat in a small

bowl. Flake it well or chop it fine. Stir the salmon into the gelatin mixture.

Whip the cream until soft peaks form. Fold it into the salmon mixture and pour the mixture into the prepared mold. Cover the mold with plastic wrap and refrigerate until the mold is firm. At this point the mousse also may be frozen, in the mold, by wrapping it with plastic wrap and heavy foil. Serves eight to 10.



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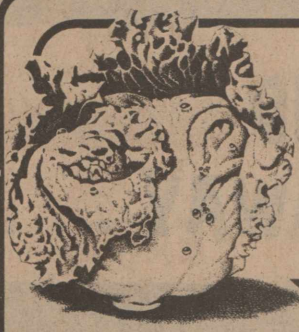
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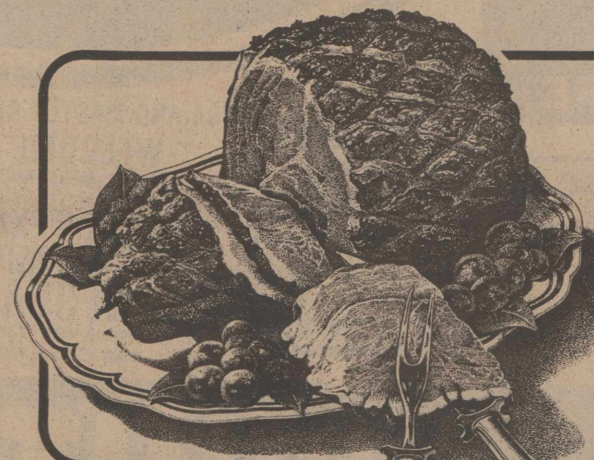
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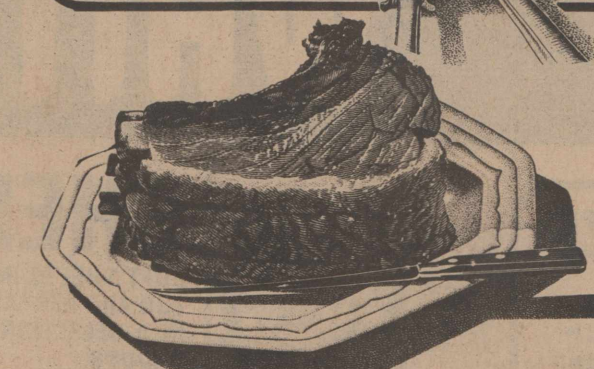
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Eat Yourself Slim Hyperlipoproteinemia

By SHIRLEY
BRIGHT BOODY
Registered Dietitian
Copley News Service

If your doctor has checked you over with a recent physical examination, you may have been told that you have — (this is a real tongue-

twister) — hyperlipoproteinemia. It means that the fats in your blood are too high.

As we continue our love affair with the high-fat, high-sugar, fast-food diet, so typical of the American way of life, more and more people will be getting this diag-

nosis from their doctors. It is determined by your blood test, that the dietary fat particles are elevated. It is not a reason for undue alarm, because it is treatable.

Your physician will doubtless prescribe a new diet for you that is low in fat. There are five different types of hyperlipoproteinemia, each calling for specific therapeutic diets, that will help each individual problem. Some people have high cho-

lesterol and triglyceride levels, and some do not. Even children can be victims of these disorders, and should be checked for suspicious signs by medical examination and blood tests.

The treatment of hyperlipoproteinemia is the subject of continuing investigation. The diet therapies currently used may be changed as more knowledge of this growing problem advances. If your doctor has simply

told you to lower the fat in your diet it will mean that you should limit lean meats, fish and fowl to about five ounces a day, three eggs per week, omit all fats and oils, butter, fatty dairy products, gravies, creamed foods, bacon, sausage and all fats used in cooking or baked goods. It really isn't all that bad, because you can enjoy fruits, vegetables, skim milk, skim milk cheese, cereals and fat-free breads,

jams, jellies, pickles, spices and herbs.

Later, as your blood fats return closer to normal levels, your doctor may suggest a more liberal diet for you. It is well worth the effort on your part, to help yourself with your diet. You may be able to prevent future heart and circulatory problems, so don't disregard good advice.

If a high-cholesterol problem coexists with other fats

in the blood, the diet to treat it will be a little different from a simple low-fat regime. The dietary prescription this time will ask for three specifics:

1. Restriction of cholesterol as supplied by egg yolks, organ meats, animal and dairy fats.

2. Restriction of hard (saturated) fats, usually of animal origin whose consumption raises the blood cholesterol.

3. Increased intake of polyunsaturated vegetable fats and oils, which are thought to help lower cholesterol levels. They vary in degree of polyunsaturation, and the best ones to use are safflower or corn oil. They are, for example, more unsaturated and therefore better for you than olive oil. Please notice that we are talking about the chemistry involved, and not about the calories.

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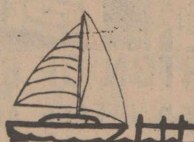
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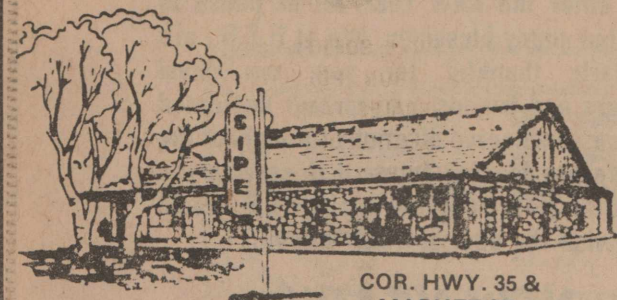
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Sheriff's Report

A purse belonging to Martha Singletery of 1116 Red Bird Lane was stolen from her vehicle between 6:30-7:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 16.

Officer Ruvalcaba reports that the vehicle was parked in the driveway of the residence. The purse contained a check book, saving passbook, ring, and some insurance and credit cards.

A tape deck, speakers and battery were stolen from an auto belonging to Roger Franklin of 602 Capano Cove Road sometime between Friday, December 14 and 10 p.m. on Saturday, December 15.

Officer Sullivan reports that the victim's auto had broken down at FM 1069 and Highway 35. The wrecker owner who went to pick up the car said that he observed a vent window broken when he arrived on the scene.

Some firearms belonging to E.B. Hailey of Fishermans Road were stolen from his residence between 12 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 11.

Officer Madrigal's report states that a sliding door leading into the bedroom had been broken off. The closet was opened and the firearms and some cash were missing. No other rooms were disturbed.

At antique gun, belonging to Lola Hebison of 421 N. Doughty, was taken from the residence between 1-5 p.m. on Monday, December 17.

Officer Ruvalcaba reports that intruders gained

entrance through a rear window. The house had been ransacked; Christmas presents were torn open, but the only item missing was the antique gun.

The trailer house of Patsy Ann Hutton of Murphy Road was vandalized between 9 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. on Monday, December 17.

FNB ARTIST OF MONTH

Ships Of John C McCready

John C. McCready, Fulton, has been selected as the First National Bank Artist of the Month. His wooden model ships will be displayed in the bank lobby through December.

John, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCready of Fulton, is a life-long resident of that community, except for a year and a half when he worked on an ocean-going tugboat out of New Orleans. It was on the tug, on the North Sea, that his interest was aroused in building model ships.

The two models on display, a schooner and a Spanish galleon, are both from Danish kits. With the exception of the sails and rigging, they're made entirely of Danish majogany.

The tools for the job were simple enough—"an exacto knife, a beat-up pair of pliers and a lot of tiny nails"—but the task was harder than it sounds.

"I cut the keel, fashioned some ribs around it, then

Officer Sullivan reports that Hutton reported that she had gone shopping and returned to find garbage dumped in the kitchen, lamps overturned and liquid soap dumped throughout. She had left the house unlocked. A watch may be missing.

A rifle was stolen from

E.E. Glenn of 119 West Giles in Aransas Pass between 7 a.m. on Friday, December 14 and 6 p.m. on Monday, December 17.

Officer Madrigal's report states that Glenn said that someone got into his pickup that was parked in the yard and took the rifle, which was in the pickup. Apparently, the pickup had not been locked.

nailed each plank, as I cut it, onto the framework," he said. "Together with the rigging, each kit was made up of hundreds of small parts. It took a lot of patience."

The Spanish galleon, the first model he built, took longer than his others. "The schooner was my fourth model. The second, I gave to a German seaman; the third, I sold to a Norwegian boat captain. I gave the fifth one to a Scottish mate who worked on the tug with me," said McCready.

John met many Europeans during his time around the North Sea, living for a short time in Norwich, in North England. "One of my best friends lived in Malta. We took a car and saw a lot of Europe. Europeans are a bit different from our people in the states, but I got along with everybody really well... It was quite an

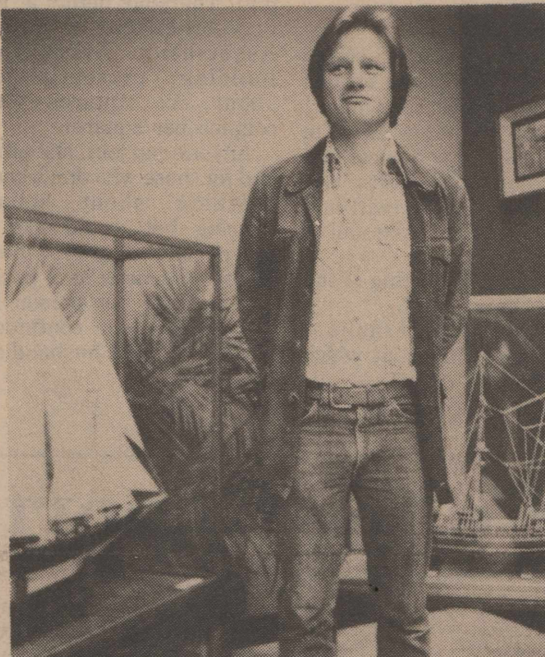
experience," he said.

Upon returning to the states, John went to work with his father, Jack, at the Auto Safety Center in Rockport. About a year back, though, John became interested in applying his talent with wood into a business of his own, that of building gazebos and outdoor furniture from cedar.

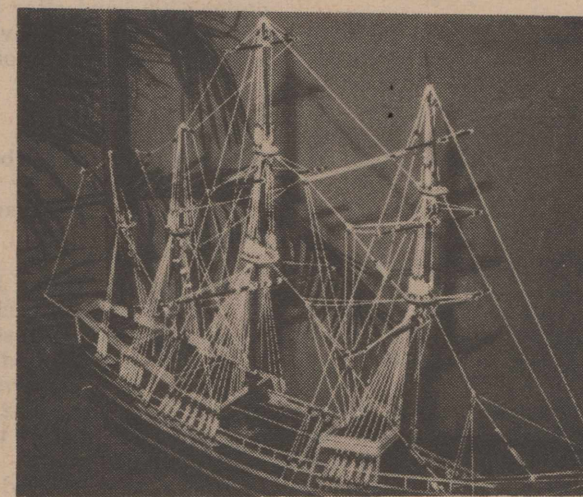
Together with his wife, Kris, he builds gazebos and furniture at his residence on Chapparral Street in Fulton.

Kris is an artist, studying under Rockport painter Simon Michael, and helps to design some of the custom-made gazebos that John produces from his combination garage-workshop. "She's also a great book-keeper," John added.

John was selected as Artist of the Month by Mrs. Gladys Gibson, chairman of the bank's art committee.



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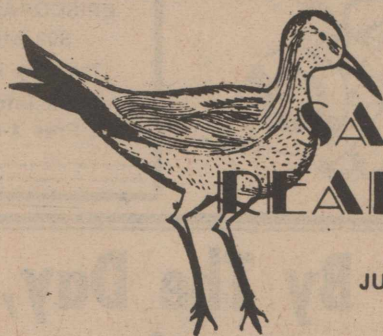
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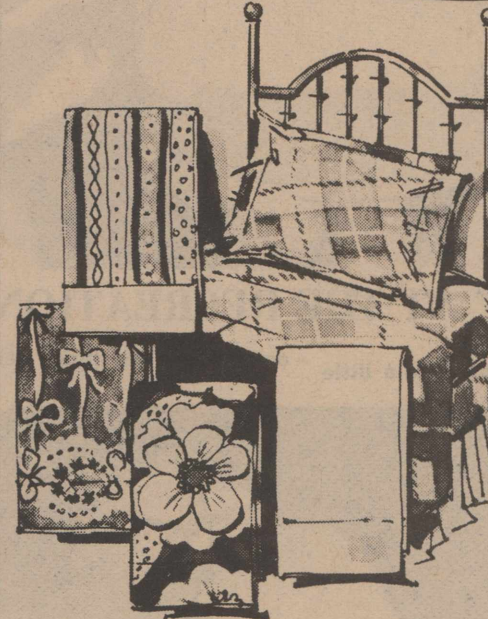
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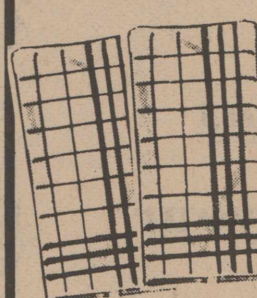


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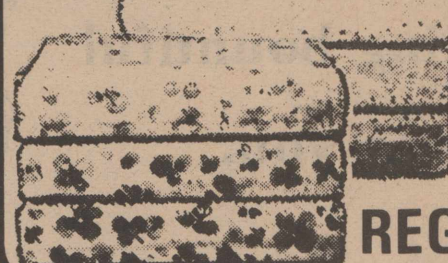
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PROMENADE

Nancy Baker and Wayne Stephenson step to the music. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]



HAVING A GREAT TIME

Dee Stone, right, looks like she's enjoying herself as she and husband, Joe, move with that country beat. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]



PLENTY OF ACTION

Thelma and Cecil Blakley reach to join hands as caller Hardy [not shown] gives instructions. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]

Anyone's Welcome At Square Dance Get-Togethers

By Pat Blair
"Swing your partner... now promenade..." Richard "Blackie" Hardy times his calls to the beat of that good old country music, while on the floor men in checked shirts and boots and ladies in ruffy skirts and yards of petticoats twirl and bow according to the call.

It's another meeting of the Square Dance Club. Mrs. Hardy-Athalia—says the organization, which

meets from 8 p.m. until 10 p.m. Thursday nights at the Rockport-Fulton Tourist Association Recreation Building, presently has about six squares (two couples per square). Anyone can join, she adds, and for those who don't know anything about square dancing but would like to learn—the Hardys have lessons Sundays at 2 p.m. Cost is \$1 per person for the lessons, she continued, and she and her husband are

thinking of starting another beginners' class. The lessons are also at the RFTA Recreation Building, located on Airport Road. Members of the group are mostly Winter Texans, Athalia said, "but there are some local dancers." Anyone who wants more information about the Club—and how they can join—can call Athalia at 729-2828. They're guaranteed to meet a bunch of swingers...



SWING YOUR PARTNER

Mary and Lorin Doolin demonstrate how it's done. [Pilot Photo by Pat Blair]

Police Report

A unit in Bayhouse Condominiums on Fulton Beach Road was burglarized last week, and a television set and two shotguns taken.

Pete Ehrlich reported the burglary to McMahan Security Wednesday morning, December 19, after he discovered someone had forced open the sliding glass door in the rear of the unit and entered.

Police, called to investigate about 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, said a 21-inch Sony color TV, two shotguns, a half case of shotgun ammunition and a .38 Colt Cobra revolver were reported missing.

Police also found an open jewelry box with jewelry "in disarray" but it was not known if any items had been taken.

The burglar(s) apparently left through the front door and they may have been using a small flashlight that police found in the hall near the closet from which the shotguns were

taken. The unit is owned by Ken McCann of Houston. Police said it was unoccupied at the time of the burglary. Officer James Jacoby and Detective Jim Hill are investigating.

Ray Hunshor of North Dakota called police to the Anchor Motel, where he is staying, to report theft of a six-horsepower Johnson outboard motor from his boat while it was in the motel parking lot.

Police said the theft occurred sometime between 8 p.m. Monday, December 17, and 9 a.m. Tuesday, December 18. The motor was valued at \$650.

Michael John Plante (Hale) 23, of Aransas Pass was placed under \$75 bond following his arrest for public intoxication about 1:57 a.m. Friday, December 21.

Police Officer Joaquin Martinez made the arrest at the intersection of FM 881

and Highway 35 South. Martinez said he observed Plante crossing the center line of the roadway on South Liberty Street.

*** Samuel Clay Jr., 35, of Corpus Christi was placed under \$500 bond after being arrested for driving while intoxicated and on a warrant, according to police.

Clay was arrested on Highway 35 North about 2:40 a.m. Friday, by officers Martinez and Martin DeLeon.

*** John Dorsey Odums Jr., 34, of 405 East Concho, Rockport, was arrested about 10:35 p.m. Thursday, December 20, on a warrant for failure to pay a \$52.50 fine assessed earlier this month.

Odums was arrested in the U-Tote-M parking lot on a charge that he had not paid a fine assessed on December 4.

*** Jose Ricardo Garcia, 20,

of 728 South Mathis, Rockport, was arrested about 2:08 a.m. Thursday on North Broadway on a charge of public intoxication.

Garcia pleaded guilty and was fined \$103.50 according to the report filed by arresting officer Martinez.

Rockport Man Killed In Turkey

A Rockport man was among the four Americans killed in Turkey on December 14 as they departed a bus from the Cakmakli NATO munitions base.

Elmer Cooper, a resident of Copano Cove, was to return home shortly from the base, which is a North Atlantic Treaty Organization munitions depot run jointly by U.S. and Turkish military authorities, located several miles from Istanbul.

Unidentified terrorists fired on the bus carrying the Americans home from the base.

U.S. officials in Washington said the car had been following the bus, and the terrorists shot the Americans as they tried to run from the scene on foot. The terrorists

were described as three men and one woman and driving a Turkish-made sedan.

Turkey's deputy prime minister and acting foreign minister, Ekrem Ceyhan says that "he personally, and the Turkish government, were deeply grieved, that they regretted this terrorist action had taken place, and that the government had given urgent instructions to all Turkish security organizations to search out and find

the terrorists who acted against the four American citizens."

This makes seven Americans slain due to political violence this year in Turkey.

Mr. Cooper was a former resident of Bayside.

EARTH SHAKING FACTS by Jim Cox

- At the present time two families move into Florida for every one family that moves out.
- Those Hollywood stunt girls, who undertake daring feats in films, earn around \$675.00 per week on the average.
- Statistics show that a man is more likely to commit suicide than a woman after a marriage break-up.
- The brain of a dolphin is bigger than a man's.
- A psychiatrist reports that the most common word spoken by neurotic patients is the word "I."
- The average housewife runs as much risk of accident as a baseball umpire.
- Baby giraffes are sometimes more than six feet tall at birth.

This Week's Chuckle

An Indian petitioned a judge of an Arizona court to give him a shorter name. "What is your name now?" asked the judge. "Chief Screeching Train Whistle," said the Indian. "And to what do you wish to shorten it?" asked the judge. The Indian folded his arms majestically and grunted, "Toots."

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Most Often-Asked Questions On Nutrition

Q. A friend told me that any time I buy brewer's or torula yeast I should make sure it has had extra calcium and magnesium added to it, or that I should add it myself. Why? And how much?

A. Nutritional yeast supplies excessive amounts of phosphorus with almost no calcium or magnesium. Our bodies require calcium, magnesium and phosphorus in a certain balance. It seems that too much of one or two of these nutrients would create a deficiency in the other ones and vice versa.

Many companies now add extra calcium and magnesium to their yeasts (check your labels). If a nutritional yeast has not had them added, then it is recommended that you mix or sift 1/4 cup of powdered calcium and one tablespoon of powdered magnesium into each pound of yeasts.

Q. What particular vitamins or minerals should a child with allergy problems have?

A. Nutritional studies have shown that children with allergy problems improved rapidly when given a diet free of refined foods (with all



their harmful chemical additives) and high in good quality protein. They were also given supplements of generous amounts of vitamins A, C, E, pantothenic acid and the minerals calcium and magnesium. Until next week, folks, stay happy and healthy! It's a beautiful world!

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