

WEATHER

	Bar.	rain	wind	temp.
Apr. 22	29.94	0	8	77
Apr. 23	29.95	0	15	78
Apr. 24	29.99	0	12	78
Apr. 25	29.73	0	15	72
Apr. 26	29.80	32	3	80
Apr. 27	29.84	0	14	83
Apr. 28	29.86	0	14	83

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Along The Waterfront



Good Luck Pier in Fulton reports the fine catches of gafftop and trout, continue. Being able to go off and on the pier, many return for the night fishing and have had splendid results.

F. H. Brooks, W. M. Mayhew, and George Hightower of Dallas, reported 35 trout up to 2½ pounds, a flounder, 4 pounds, and another 4½ pounds.

Willie Polk and wife of Gregory, 20 gafftops, 2 to 4½ pounds and a trout of goodly size. H. G. Boyle of Sudan had such a fine catch of gafftop, he had to drag them off the pier, too heavy to carry.

The Bill DuPre's continue stringing up fine trout during the evening hours. G. C. Scott of San Antonio, also, with ten good ones.

Night of Music To Be Presented

The Music Department of Aransas County Public Schools will present a "Night of Music" on Thursday, May 5th, at 8 p.m. in the High School Auditorium.

A selected choir from each of the elementary schools will perform. Each choir will have approximately fifty members and will be under the direction of Miss Jean Venable, Public School music instructor.

The forty-seven piece B-Band and forty-eight piece A-Band will also perform and both organizations are under the direction of Joe Randow, band director.

In observance of National Music Week, the program will consist of music written by American composers.

The concert will be free to the public.

Junior Fire Marshals To Receive Recognition

Junior Fire Marshals in Rockport and throughout the country will receive national recognition in the forthcoming issue of "Look" Magazine.

A two-page picture story on the public service JFM campaign will be featured in the May 10 issue, available here on April 26, according to Jack McDavid, of Glass, Sorenson & McDavid, Insurance, sponsors of the JFM program.

Entitled "Fun Spells Fire Prevention," the magazine article explains how elementary school children qualify as Junior Fire Marshals by inspecting their homes for fire hazards and completing a home inspection report with the help of their parents.

FLAGS TO FLY ON 12 HOLIDAYS

The Stars and Stripes will line the streets of Rockport on 12 U.S. Holidays this year, according to the VFW.

Bill Gray, reporting for H. C. Mullinax at the Tuesday night meeting of the organization said that 35 businessmen have signed up with the VFW to display the flags.

He also reported that Mullinax is in Memorial Hospital in Corpus Christi, recovering from a major operation and able to receive visitors.

Other veterans in the hospital this week are C. F. Reynolds, at the Naval Air Station in Corpus Christi, and Charles Thompson, in the Veteran's Hospital at Houston.

DISTRICT COURT

Robert L. Dennis vs. Lola Mae Dennis, divorce granted.

Karl Ronald Kutzer vs. Charla Kutzer, divorce granted.

ROTARY

Travis Bailey presented Bill Robbins of Southwestern Bell Telephone, Wednesday at Rotary, and Robbins showed a film, "In a Manner of Speaking."

Rockport-Fulton Area Is Ready for Summer Season

With commencement for Texas schools around the corner and offices everywhere posting their vacation schedules, Rockport is bustling with activity, preparing for the annual influx of summer visitors.

Out-of-State winter guests have returned to their homes, and motels, cafes and beaches are being readied for the summer season.

At Rockport, a mile and a half long crescent beach, one of the

Navigation District Extending Beach At Fulton With Sand

In preparation for the summer season, and to rebuild the beach at Fulton, the Aransas County Navigation District has authorized Loyd Richardson Construction Company of Aransas Pass to pump 12,000 to 15,000 cubic yards of sand from the bottom of Fulton harbor.

The sand obtained in this sweeping operation, aimed at maintaining the navigation depth, will be deposited outside the sea wall to extend the beach.

The dredge Archie moved in Tuesday morning and was pumping by the late afternoon. Navigation district spokesmen said that the operation will be completed some time next week, if all goes well.

Mrs. Frye's Pupils To Present Program Sunday, May 1

Mrs. J. Allen Frye will present a recital by her music students on Sunday, May 1, at 4 p.m., in the Woman's Club building.

Patricia Clark will give two numbers on the piano, "The Streamliner" and the "Pirate Song." Mark Lang will present "On Parade" and "Marching Along."

The theme from Liebestraum will be given by Caroline Clark; Patricia Clark will present two more numbers, "Evening Bells" and "To a Skyscraper"; as will Mark Lang "De Campdown Races" and "The Harp."

"Graduation Ball" will be given by Caroline Clark; "Fur Elise" and "Rustic Dance" Susie LeBlanc.

Debra Rogero will perform on the organ, presenting "Cradle Song," "Largo," "Polka," and "Allegheny Moon."

C of C Committees Hold Meetings

The Merchant's and Legislative Committees of the Chamber of Commerce met this week.

Vernon Kleypas was elected chairman of the Merchant's group, which discussed a number of projects. Among these were a "Trade At Home" program and a "Hospitality Clinic."

At the meeting of the legislative group, Miss Lola Bonner reported on the South Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting and the reception of the Chamber's resolution addressed to various congressmen and senators on the various shrimp bills now in congress.

A discussion was held on cities and counties participating in an advertising campaign for their area and Miss Bonner was asked to report on laws governing such a program at the next meeting.

The Community Affairs Committee of the Chamber will meet Thursday afternoon.

TWO CAR WRECKS OVER WEEK-END

On Sunday evening, cars driven by Wade Earl Smith of Tahoka, Texas, and Edward James Lee of the 813th AC & W Squadron, were in collision at the corner of Loop 70 and Laurel Street.

Smith's car, a 1960 Ford, received about \$150 damage, that of Lee, a 1957 Oldsmobile, was damaged to the amount of about \$500.

Another wreck occurred Saturday, when a tire on a 1949 Pontiac driven by Roger A. Dupree blew out and his car overturned near Beach and Laurel Streets in Fulton.

No one was seriously injured in either accident.

finest in Texas, fronts on Aransas Bay, and it will soon be joined by another at Fulton. Even now, dredges are working, deepening the harbor there, and throwing the sand outside the seawall to enlarge bathing facilities there.

With its new tractor-maintainer Aransas County Navigation District is smoothing the sand for the thousands of bare feet that will tread it during the summer. And, to make it safe for the youngsters, almost half a mile of Rockport beach is fenced off from all traffic, providing a perfect playground for small children, where the water is shallow and life guards are on duty.

A scenic drive parallels the rest of the beach, lighted at night, and here cars may reach the water's edge for family picnics and swimming.

New, this year, also, are mobile beach concessions that will purvey hot dogs, cold drinks, beach floats and sun umbrellas to those who want them, as well as the older one near the Navigation office, where there are all these creature comforts, plus showers and rest rooms.

While no overnight camping is allowed on the beach, Navigation District spokesmen said, sheltered picnic tables are available along the waterfront at both Rockport and Fulton. Near the beach there is a miniature golf course, and new this year are a "Go-Cart" race track and an outdoor roller skating rink which will be opened in time for the summer rush of visitors.

Boat stalls are plentiful in Rockport's Yacht Basin with its handy launching ramp; party boats are ready for fishing trips, and bait stands are conveniently located at the docks.

Also new, and due for its first full summer of use, is the ski basin in Little Bay, with its four handy boat launching ramps, and its long, sheltered channel for skiing.

For places of interest to see and other things to enjoy, Mrs. Mary Juergens, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, is ready at all times with suggestions, and this year for the first time, the Chamber of Commerce has prepared a number of leaflets for visitors, giving some of the background of the area and its attractions.

And, at the southeast corner of the Yacht Basin in Rockport stands the Marine Laboratory and Aquarium of the Texas Game and Fish Commission.

Three miles up the beach from Rockport is Fulton's harbor and beach. Again there are ample boat stalls and excellent bathing facilities, operated like the Rockport harbor, by the Aransas County Navigation District.

And, like Rockport, Fulton has its close-by fishing spots, party boats, and numerous motels and cafes, all busily getting ready for the summer season.

A new feature this summer at Fulton will be the tall mast erected by the U.S. Weather Bureau, on which weather flags will be flown, high above the sea, as at Rockport, for the guidance of fishermen and boating enthusiasts.

And to cap it all, Rockport has another surprise this year for vacationers.

Frondolig Island is being made accessible to picnickers and campers, free of charge.

Aransas County Navigation District, owner of the 265-acre island, is having a bridge built to it from the mainland, and is repairing the access road, so that people may drive out to the island and camp or picnic as they choose.

ABSENTEE DEADLINE IS MAY THIRD

Only six voting days remain for absentee voting in the May 7 elections, according to County Clerk Ed Beasley. Deadline for absentee votes is May 3.

Persons who expect to be out of the city on election day are urged to visit the clerk's office, sign an affidavit that they will be absent from the county and cast their votes.

Beasley said that he had received forty applications for absentee balloting through Wednesday noon.

Parallel Parking Ordinance Tabled By City Council

Sure that the vexatious question of parallel parking on Austin Street would stir a storm of protest, the City Council, at its regular meeting, tabled the request from Highway Department Engineer Tom Foster of Corpus Christi that an ordinance be passed requiring it.

Foster, in a letter to the Council, said:

"On February 23, 1960, State Highway 35 Business Route through Rockport was completed. In the construction agreement, the City agreed to pass an ordinance establishing parallel parking on this highway."

"Recently the City Attorney was given a sample ordinance with the suggested wording needed to establish parallel parking. We would like to have a copy of this ordinance as soon as possible, in order to stripe this highway."

Councilmen first talked of a survey of downtown merchants to learn sentiments on the matter, then decided, from comments already made by business men and others that such ordinance would be unfavorably received by most of the citizens of Rockport.

Local Men In Delegation To Governor Daniel

A number of local men were in the delegation that talked to Governor Price Daniel Tuesday on the shrimp situation.

Daniel criticized excessive foreign imports of oil and shrimp, and said he favored limiting the amounts of these products which could be brought into this country.

While signing a proclamation here urging congress to pass Bill 8769, which would provide quotas for shrimp imports, Daniel said a lack of such curbs is seriously affecting the shrimp industries. He added that similar situation exists in the oil industry.

"Shrimping is one of the Texas coasts' biggest industries," the governor said. "It is being damaged by excessive foreign imports and the situation could get worse unless these quotas are put on."

The quotas are fair to Mexico and other countries, Daniel continued.

"If something isn't done, this industry could be hit as hard as the oil business."

Junior Class To Present Play

The Junior Class will present their class play, "The Egg and I," a comedy in two acts, Friday afternoon and evening. The afternoon performance will be at 1:30 p.m. and the evening, at 8:00 p.m.

"The Egg and I" is based upon Betty MacDonald's novel by the same name. The play is about the MacDonald family, Betty, Don, Anne, and Joan, and their unbelievable experiences on their chicken farm in the Olympics in Washington state.

The cast includes Margaret St. John, Betty MacDonald; Joe May, Don; Barbara Wright, Anne; Pat Webb, Joan; Linda Clark, "Delicate" Daisy; Billy Johnson, Mr. Manic-Depressive; Frances LeBlanc, Corrine Turner; Harry Wilson, Fishface; Joel Meador, Hippy; and Richard Hapner, JJ.

Nina Fields will portray the "Lingery" Lady; Kathy McClellan, Millicent Ames; Pam Stivers, Bubble Betsy; Betty Johnson, Miss Linden, and Charles Satsky, Grady.

Sandra Gardner, Paula; Joyce Lewis, Toni; June Knippa, Lolly; and Verna Ann Haseman, Mitzie.

The matinee performance will be for the students of junior and senior high, and the night performance will be open to the public. The price will be 25c for the matinee, and 50c for the evening performance.

GULF BREEZE PATIO TO OPEN

The Gulf Breeze Patio on the Rockport waterfront will open this weekend, managed by Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ellis. It will be open Friday evenings, Saturdays and Sundays until school is out, and then will be open every day.

Betty Johnson Will Represent Rockport As Pirate Queen

Corpus Christi.—Fair winds will fill the sails of a ship with the fairest of cargoes. A score of trim young Texas lovelies will sail into the Corpus Christi Yacht Basin at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, April 30. Among the captivating maids will be Miss



Betty Johnson of Rockport, sponsored by the Rockport Chamber of Commerce.

The landing of the Texas Pirate Queens Saturday will be one of the most treasured moments of Buccaneer Days, opening Thursday in Corpus Christi. The Queens will be driven through Corpus Christi in a convertible parade after the landing.

Final judging in the Pirate Queen contest will be held during the Stadium Show at Buccaneer Stadium Saturday night. The queen who captures the judges' approval will win a number of prizes including a trip to Mexico City. She will be flown by Mexicana Airlines to be a guest of the Del Prado Hotel. The judging will be held before the Illuminated Parade moves through the stadium and on through Corpus Christi to the applause of a quarter of a million people before it reaches the Shoreline carnival and headquarters of Buccaneer Days in Memorial Coliseum.

Texas Pirate Queens will share the Buccaneer Days fun with Dwayne Hickman and Bob Denver, Teenage CBS stars of "The Many Loves of Dobie Gillis." Dobie and his Beatnik friend will appear at the Buccaneer Pageant Friday night and at the stadium show with the queens. Buccaneer Days festivities will last ten days with fireworks, balls, water front events, sports and music events.

FULTON LIONS NEED HANDICAPPED CHILDREN TO SEND TO SUMMER CAMP

Applications for a summer full of fun for handicapped children in the Rockport-Fulton area are now being accepted by members of the Fulton Lions Club.

The unique Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville will open its first two-weeks session Sunday, June 5. Five such sessions will be held this summer for youngsters between 7 and 16.

The camp is free to any eligible blind, deaf, mute or crippled child. Transportation to and from the camp is supplied by the local Lions.

For more detailed information about the camp, you are urged to contact J. D. Gray of the Fulton Lions Club.

Fight Cancer With a Check-up and a Check

City Will Clamp Down on Garbage

Garbage Cans, Trash Disposal, and Dog Ordinance All Discussed at Monday Night Meeting, and City Secretary Instructed to Order Dog Tags

At the regular meeting of the City Council, it was decided to have McLendon and Associates of Corpus Christi draw plans and specifications for two city sewage projects estimated at approximately \$25,000, to clamp down on offenders against the garbage ordinance, and to require all dogs in town to be licensed prior to June 1, after they will be subject to impoundment.

The two sewer projects, one in the north end of town and the other in the south, will furnish sewer service to a large number of users now utilizing septic tanks, and one — that one in the north — must be put down prior to

paving Linden Street, in order to save the city some \$4,000.

C. H. Waggoner appeared before the Council, pointing out that many people had open garbage cans, or were even putting out garbage in cardboard boxes, thus encouraging the hordes of skunks, stray dogs and possums which have become such a nuisance.

In view of the fact that skunks in a neighboring county had been found rabid, he said, this could easily lead to a rabies epidemic. The council were in hearty agreement with Waggoner, and instructed City Secretary Mrs. Jeanne Tuer to order the necessary tags.

After June 1, every dog must be tagged, and tags may be purchased at the City Hall as soon as they are available for \$1.50 each. No tag may be bought, however, unless the person buying it can show a certificate indicating that his dog has received anti-rabies shots.

Waggoner also asked that the school zone sign near the corner of Highway 35 and Pearl Street be replaced, and Mayor Herman Johnson promised that this would be done.

In other business the Council listened to a request for a sewer in the north end of town, presented by Jerry Wendell and Harold Picton, and heard Chester Johnson's request for a street to be opened west of Block 410, between Rockport and the Cove Harbor. They promised Johnson that they would do what they could to have this accomplished. If it was not possible, they said, the city would

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Womanless Wedding Cast Completed, To Be Held Saturday

The cast for the Womanless Wedding to be held at 8:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium Saturday, has been completed. It is as follows:

Bride, Dave Segler; Groom, Frank Hunt; Maid of Honor, Chester Johnson; Matron of Honor, J. D. Gray;

Bridesmaids, T. J. Johnson, Ellis Clark, Dick Picton, Harold Beasley, Jim Cruser, Bobby Morrison, Jack McDavid, Harold Dick, Martin Haskett, Leslie Cole;

Brides' mother, Seth Steele Brides' father, Floyd Rouquette; Grooms' mother, Shelley Roaten; Brides' grandmother, Frank Kresta; Brides' aunts, Ed Beasley and Dudley Bracht; Grooms' aunts, Bill Jones; Brides' sister, Bopey Cole; Brides' sister's baby, Jimmy Lieuhardt;

Usherettes, Walter Lassiter, John Anderson, Gilbert Hill, J. C. Gurley;

Soloist, Sgt. Bob Gullik; Flower girls, Milton Court, Jr., Tommie Picton, Hays Warden, Billy Johnson; Ring bearer, Bill Johnson; Preacher, Matt Scott;

TV Stars: Matt Dillon, Arley Shivers; Chester, Gary Smith; Miss Kitty, Jack McCready; Dina Shore, Charles Schindler; Loretta Young, Wayne Shults; Donna Reed, Tommy Schmitt; Kate Smith, Dewey Iles; Ann Sothern, Sgt. Lucky; Dale Evans, Airman Dave Little; Betty Hutton, Dick Peyer.

Mrs. Jerry Wendell will be the pianist and Vernon Kleypas will act as Master of Ceremonies.

REVEREND CREASY TO PREACH AT ST. PETER'S CHURCH

The Rev. Robert E. Creasy, Assistant Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Corpus Christi, will celebrate Holy Communion and preach the sermon at St. Peter's Episcopal Church on Sunday, May 1.

He will be substituting for the Rev. Brendon Griswold, Priest in Charge of St. Peter's, who is holding a special meeting that evening at the Church of the Incarnation, Corpus Christi, in connection with the Episcopal Advance Fund.

Democratic Primary, Saturday, May 7

ABSENTEE VOTING APRIL 18 THROUGH MAY 3

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Caters to the "Carriage Trade"

Rath's Blackhawk

BACON . . . Lb. **55¢**

Cedar-Farm Thick

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Rath's Blackhawk

FRANKS . . . Lb. **49¢**

Good Veal

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Finest Quality
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PICNIC HAMS Lb. **25¢**

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HAMBURGER 2 Lb. pkg. **89¢**

Hont's **TOMATO JUICE** . . . 300 can 2 for **21¢**
 Del Monte Cut **GREEN BEANS** . . . 303 can **23¢**
 Minute Sliced **POTATOES** . . . 8 oz. box **29¢**
 Skinner's **RAISIN BRAN** . . . 10 oz. **25¢**
 Reynold's **FOIL** . . . reg. roll **29¢**
 Northern **TISSUE** . . . 3 rolls **25¢**
 Northern **NAPKINS** . . . 2 ctns. **25¢**
 Bleach **FLEECY WHITE** . . . 1/2 gal. **35¢**
 Giant **CHEER** . . . 69¢
 Regular **F A B** . . . 29¢

5 Lbs. **SUGAR** **49¢**
 3 Lbs. **CRISCO** **75¢**
 First Choice **OLEO** **15¢**

SALAD DRESSING Qt. **35¢**

First Choice **BISCUITS** 3 For **25¢**

Van Camp **PORK & BEANS** 300 can 2 For **25¢**

NBC **RITZ** lb. box **33¢**
 NBC **FIG NEWTONS** . . . lb. pkg. **35¢**
 Rath's **LUNCHEON MEAT** . . 12 oz. **49¢**

KRAFT OIL Qt. **43¢**

Light Crust **Flour** 5 Lbs. **39¢**

COCA COLA Please Limit One 6-pak with \$5.00 Order **19¢**

National Baby Week . . . April 30th—May 7th

Gerber's Strained Fruits and Vegetables

BABY FOOD 3 For **25¢**

PET MILK 2 For **29¢**

ROE'S Country Style Smoked **SAUSAGE** lb. **59¢**

Master Chef **COFFEE** lb. **65¢**

Maryland Club **COFFEE** lb. **69¢**

Coffee **FOLGER'S** 2 lb. can **1.29**

Bar-T-Ranch **PEACHES** No. 2 1/2 can **27¢**

Bar-T-Ranch **PEARS** No. 2 1/2 can **27¢**

Kobey Shoestring **POTATOES** 2 for **21¢**

Delight **DOG FOOD** 3 for **25¢**

First Choice **TOMATOES** 2 for **29¢**

Frozen Foods

Libby's **Lemonade** 3 For **39¢**

Golden Brown Breaded **SHRIMP** 10 oz. **49¢**

Libby's Chopped **SPINACH** 10 oz. **17¢**

Harris **Ice Cream** 3 Qts. **1.00**

Vegetables

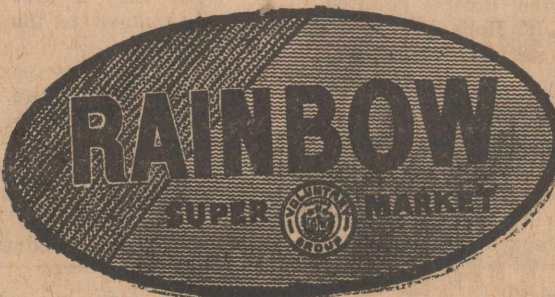
Texas Red **STRAWBERRIES** box **29¢**

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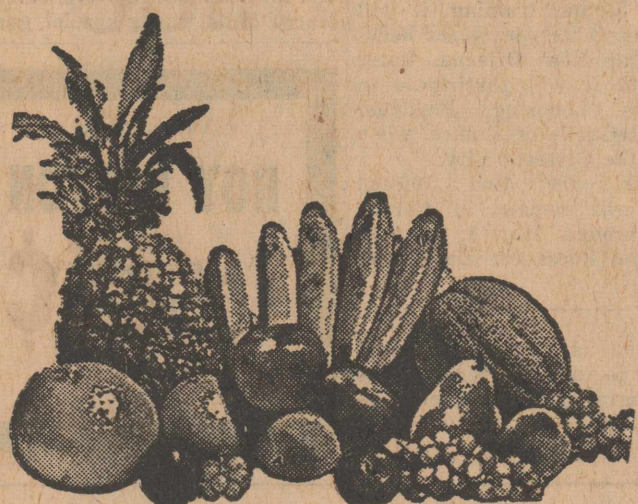
Biscuits 10^c

Hunt's
TOMATO SAUCE
3 for 25c
JELLO
3 for 25c
Quart
WESSON OIL
49c

Bama—20 oz.
RED PLUM JAM
31c
Miracle Aid or
KOOLAID
6 for 25c
Starlite
SHORTENING
3 Lb. can
59c

Carton of 6

COKEs 19^c
Limit 1 with
2.50 order
Plus Deposit



Fresh Produce

California Sun Kist—Cello Bag Pack

LEMONS doz. 29c

Florida Pascal Stalk
CELERY 12c

New Crop White or Yellow
ONIONS lb. 5c

Home Grown Yellow
SQUASH 2 lbs. 29c

BANANAS 2 lbs. 25c

PINTOS

1 Lb.
bag **10^c**

Limit: 4 pkgs. with order

Lucky Leaf

Apple Pie Filling

25¢

Northern cello wrap

Napkins 2-25c

Northern

Towels 2-35c

Grade A, large all white

EGGS doz. 44c

Admiration

COFFEE lb. 65c

5 Lbs.

SUGAR 53c

Northern

TOILET TISSUE 3 for 25c

Giant

TIDE 69c

Borden's or Valley Gold

MELLORINE 1/2 gal. 49c

Red & White

MILK 14c

Delight

DOG FOOD 3-25c

Qt. Sun Spun

SALAD DRESSING 35¢

5 Lb. Box

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Lb. 55c

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CHEESE . . . lb. 53c

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TURKEYS

Lb. **39¢**

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Each 3 Lb. can . . . 2.09

Fresh Killed

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3 1/2 to 4 1/2 lb.
average

. . . Lb. **29^c**

Blue Seal

OLEO

COFFEE

FOLGERS

Limit: 3 with \$2.50 order

2 lb. can

10^c

\$1.29

5 Lbs. Golden Harvest

FLOUR 35^c

Frozen Foods

Treesweet, 6 oz., 2 For
Orange Juice 35c

Patio Enchilada
Dinners . . . 49c

Patio Mexican
Dinners . . . 59c

Simple Simon
Apple, Cherry or Peach

PIES
39c

Home Center

Brought Back by Popular
Demand

Lacquered Wicker reg. 1.29

Waste Baskets . . 79c

Giant Colorful

Beach Towels . . 1.97

Ladies'

Play Shorts . . . 77c

Ladies' Cloth, red or black

Casual Shoes . . 1.27

Drug Dept.

Family Size Save 36c

Colgate Tooth Paste . 83c

400 Size—white or colored

Kleenex box 27c

Van Camp	2 For	1/2 gal jug Jus-Made
Pork & Beans	39c	Orange or Grape
Winslow Cut	No. 1 can	DRINK 35c
ASPARAGUS	21c	Campfire
3 Lb. can		VIENNAS 3/29c
SPRY	69c	1 Lb. box Nabisco,
Reg. Box		Supreme or Sunshine
CHEER	29c	CRACKERS 27c
		1/2 gal.
		CLOROX 35c

West's

Super Market

SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hicks are proud parents of a daughter, Kimberley Kay, born in Bayview Hospital April 22, weighing 7 pounds, 2 ounces.

Oscar L. Smith is in Spohn Hospital where he will have surgery tomorrow (Friday). His grandson, Mitchell Ammons is here from San Marcos to be with him.

WILBURN'S SHOE REPAIR

540 Austin St.
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ROCKPORT P-TA HOLDS MEETING

The Rockport P-TA had its regular meeting on Wednesday, April 20, with Mrs. C. E. Nickerson, president, presiding. Mrs. Bob Ayers gave a report on the 21st District Conference that was held in Refugio and stated that Mr. Griffith, principal of Rockport Elementary School, was presented a Texas Life Membership at the evening banquet.

The speakers for the afternoon was Mrs. Jack Hagar, well-known authority on bird study. Mrs. Hagar was also presented a Texas Life Membership in recognition of her work in the P-TA and with the children of our school. Mrs. S. F. Jackson made the award to Mrs. Hagar.

Mrs. Maynard Abrahams of Taft was a special visitor for this presentation.

Room count was won by Mrs. Golda James' 2nd grade and Mrs. Deane Settles' 5th grade.

SENATOR BILL FLY VISITS ROCKPORT

State Senator William S. (Bill) Fly charged Tuesday in Rockport that his opponent has been unfair to the voters of the 18th Senatorial District. Senator Fly stated: "I have invited my opponent to meet me on the speaker's stand in almost every town in this district. Mr. Patman has refused to appear. I think it is plain to the voters of this district that my opponent has no interest in them. He must feel that he is too good to appear in public. It is one thing to smear a man in the newspapers, but it takes nerve to face the people face to face, in front of his opponent, and openly discuss the real issues in the race."

"It is easy for a candidate to say one thing to one group privately and then turn around and say the opposite thing in private to another group," Fly continued. "I have in this campaign, as I have in the Legislature, always stood on my own two feet and presented my views on matters. The voters of this district are entitled to honest, above board discussion of the issues. I will continue to 'stump' the district and discuss and answer questions of the voters. My opponent prefers to hide behind his high priced, ghost written, mud slinging newspaper ads. I do not believe that the voters of this district want to rely upon a man who is afraid to stand up and face the public."

Senator Fly and a large group of his supporters visited Rockport in a whirlwind automobile campaign caravan, during which Senator Fly spoke. The caravan of Fly supporters was greeted by a large delegation of local supporters, who passed out literature and shook hands.

Gene Smith, of Dallas, spent last weekend in Rockport, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Smith.

Army Transport Landing Grim Sight

It was a grim sight to see the waves of landing craft scatter through the surf and dump guns and material on the sands of Mustang Island Friday. It could have been an enemy invading America.

But the clear-eyed, bronzed boys under Colonel James W. Gunn were Americans—1400 of them—belonging to the 394th Transportation Battalion, unloading the ship "Short Splice," anchored three miles offshore.

Approximately 500 VIP's from all over Texas, along with another 500 people from Port Aransas and the surrounding towns watched the operation—the first time that a ship loaded with actual cargo has been discharged by troops of the Transportation Corps in the continental United States.

Offshore, as the landing commenced, the water was crowded with more than fifty craft of all types from DUKW's to BARC's and the Short Splice itself, loaded with Armed Forces Equipment from South America, being returned to this country for repair or rebuilding.

Overhead light army reconnaissance planes buzzed noisily along the beach and helicopters droned back and forth.

Then, on signal, the loaded craft started for shore, long lines of ominous-looking craft, dipping and rolling in the swell. DUKW's waded through the breakers, then snorted up the beach to where cranes and highlifts relieved them of their cargo.

Following them with a roar,

the giant BARC's, amphibious barges capable of handling hundreds of tons of cargo, waddled out of the water, their giant, ten-foot wheels—individually powered and steered—churning through the surf and sand.

The machines, were impressive; the men were more so. As an example of LOTS (logistical-over-the-shore) movement of material to back up fighting men, you gained the idea that officers and men knew what they were doing and doing it well.

The amphibious exercise reached its peak Friday and was concluded Saturday, after which the battalion broke camp, spending the night at Foster AFB in Victoria, and passed through Houston some time Sunday on its way to Fort Polk, La.

Brigadier General Morton E. Town expressed himself as most pleased with the entire operation. "In any future conflict," he said, "our large ports may be destroyed by bombs or rendered useless by underwater demolition."

Townes, commanding general of the Gulf Terminal Command, which reaches from Florida to the southern tip of Texas, said that exercises like this are conducted to keep the battalion combat-ready to face any such emergency.

"It will then become the responsibility of the Army to set up and operate small independent ports along the vast shorelines of the U.S. By so doing, we can keep the supply line of men and equipment for war, as well as raw materials for industry, flowing freely."

Since the transportation Terminal battalion is highly mobile, the general said, it may also be

MRS. EARLE THOMAS HAS TUESDAY CLUB

Mrs. Earle Thomas was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club this week at her home.

High score winner was Mrs. George E. Dickey; Mrs. L. G. Wood was second, and the hostess was low. Mrs. Randall Stivers, Jr., won the slam prize and Mrs. J. D. Griggs the bingo prize.

Members present were Mrs. M. H. Borchert, Mrs. George E. Dickey, Mrs. J. D. Griggs, Mrs. Arlo H. Hansen, Mrs. L. G. Wood and Mrs. Randall Stivers, Jr., Mrs. Harry Mills was a special guest.

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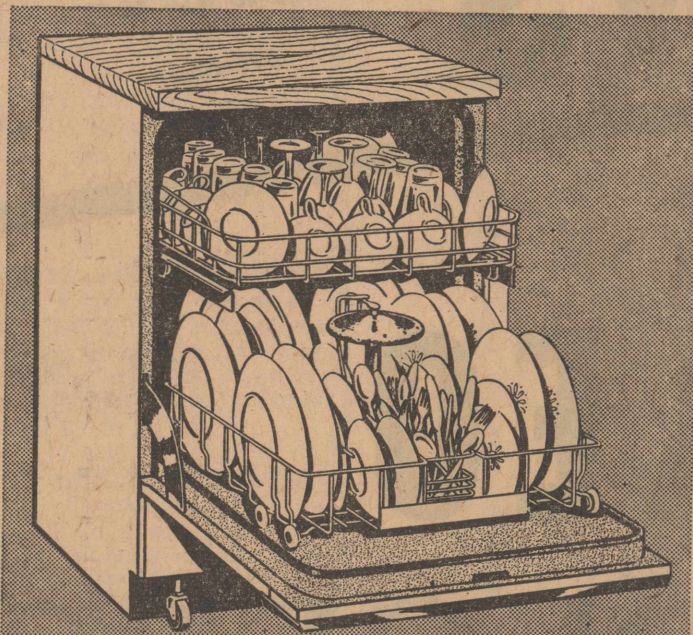
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C. Rivers. SO 4-2015 or SO 4-2973. ctf WELL CASING: 4-inch, \$1.00 and \$1.15 per foot. New 4-inch casing, \$1.60 and \$1.95. 2-inch, 50c and 75c foot. SO 4-6458. A. L. Ballou, 613 Austin St. ctf FOR SALE: Drive-in grocery and gas station. Will pay out in 2 years. Bill's Ice House, Goose Island Park Road No. 13, SO 4-2005. p3ctf MICHAEL CASTERLINE TO MARCH IN PARADE ON BUCCANEER DAYS Michael Casterline is a member of the ROTC Drill Team representing Texas Technological College of Lubbock in the drill team exhibition and will march in the Buccaneer Days Parade on Saturday, April 30. He is married to the former Meccal Rivers, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Casterline of Fulton. MRS JAMES SORENSON HOSTS BRIDGE CLUB Mrs. James Sorenson was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club this week at her son's cottage, "The Skipper," on Port Bay. Arrangements of roses and other spring flowers in variegated shades were used as decoration through the rooms, and a dessert course was served to three tables of players. High score winner was Mrs. Fred Christilles, Mrs. Fred B. Hunt was second, and Mrs. C. F. Rozzell third. Mrs. J. P. Hanway won the bingo prize. Members attending were: Mrs. Arthur Bracht, Mrs. Fred A. Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Miss Mabel Bracht, Mrs. Fred Christilles, Mrs. J. V. Ferguson, Mrs. J. P. Hanway, Mrs. Fred B. Hunt, Mrs. C. F. Rozzell, and Mrs. Joe H. Slocum. Mrs. Milton Harrell was a special guest.	15 Unit Motel, 200 feet on Fulton Boat Basin. 8 unit Motel on Rockport Boat Basin. Excellent locations, reasonable terms. A REAL BUY, three bedroom, two bath, air conditioned residence on Aransas Bay. Pier and riparian rights. LOTS on Lamar Peninsula at \$375.00 cash. LOTS IN THE WOODS, Old Tasselfoot Village. Swim pool for lot owners, water system, PROTECTED by restrictions. Acres tracts, Fulton and Lamar. 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Rules were discussed and decided upon, and a new time schedule was made. The group discussed the possibility of going to Spohn Hospital with Father O'Doherty to see how other Candy Strippers do. Those present were Caroline Clark, Janet Grant, Ann Cassel, Barbara Holley, Betty Armstrong, Phyllis Meador, Sherrilyn Garrett, and Patty Townsend.	FOR RENT: Furnished house. Also unfurnished house. Furnished apartment, bills paid. Mrs. R. B. Sipe, phone SO 4-2603. ctf ONE, TWO, THREE-ROOM apartments. Reasonable monthly rates or by week. Close in. Air conditioned. Completely furnished. Phone SO 4-8536. 12ctf FOR RENT: Furnished cottage. Three rooms and bath. Downtown. \$60 per month, bills paid. SO 4-2475. ctf FOR RENT: Nicely furnished apartment, bills paid. C. A. Duck at Duck Inn. ctf FOR RENT: Two 5-room apartments, clean, comfortable, utilities paid. Rates reasonable. Phone SO 4-8550, or see J. C. Thompson at Thompson's Spa. ctf FOR RENT: Apartment, redecorated and carpeted. 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The following officers were installed by Ruth McShan, installing officer, and Cleo Townsend, installing conductress:

President: Rosalee Mullinax; Senior vice president, Nino Garrett; Junior vice president, Cleo Smith; Treasurer, Wanda Sparks; Secretary, Ettoil Eller;

Chaplain, George Haynes; Patriotic instructor, Ruth McShan; Conductress, Cleo Townsend; Guard, Hazel Happer; Historian, Ingrid Hansen; Trustee 3 year, Violet Brundrett;

Musician, Lois Gilson; Color bearer No. 1, Lucetria Diederich; Color bearer No. 2, Thelma Ratisseau; Color bearer No. 3, Doris McElveen; Color bearer No. 4, Alice Burton.

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Mrs. J. B. Jackson won the "Gay Nineties" bathing review, in which other contestants were Mrs. Randall Stivers, Mrs. Roy Lee Hart, Mrs. Eugene Everett, Mrs. Seth Steele and Mrs. Ellis

Clark.

Music was furnished by the "Gay Nineties" Quartette, composed of Mrs. Mabel Paul, Mrs. Mrs. Kyle Vick, Mrs. L. E. Nelson and Mrs. R. H. Schulz.

The Miniature Lady was Cecilia Hope Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cole.

Judging the "Crazy Hat" contest were Rev. A. L. Bankert, Jack Horton, Don Banning and School Superintendent J. D. Gray. Seth Steele, president of the Chamber of Commerce, was master of ceremonies.

First prize went to Mrs. I. E. Alleman; second was Mrs. A. B.

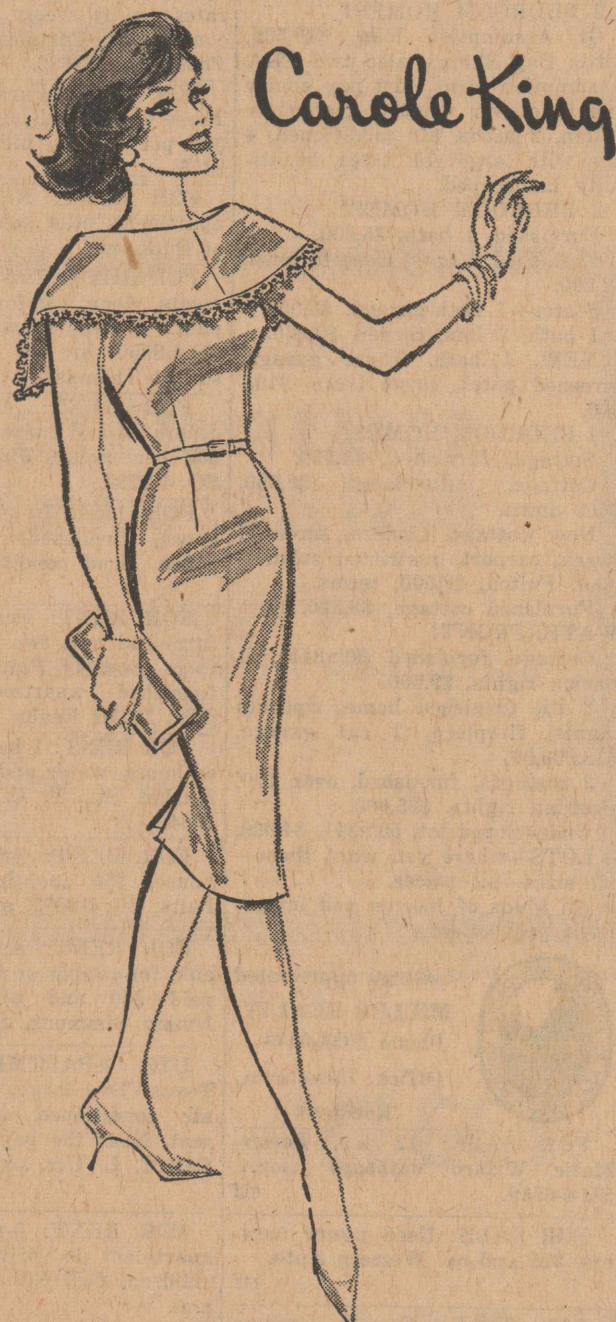
Chernosky; third, Mrs. Bert Donnell; fourth, Mrs. Ed Beasley.

The prize for the youngest mother's went to Mrs. Jimmy Reid Simmons; that for the senior citizen attending the breakfast, an orchid, went to Mrs. S. F. Jackson. Mrs. Charles T. Picton was the grandmother with the most grandchildren; youngest grandmother was Mrs. E. E. Anderson. Mrs. John Cornforth of Taylor, Texas, received the prize for the longest distance traveled to attend the breakfast; Newest bride present was Mrs. Cecil Cole.

Junior hostesses attending were Misses Mary Katherine Gray, Betty Stryker, Dorothy Rowe and Betty Ann Barber.

Special thanks from the committee went to Emory Spencer, Miss Lorna Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stivers, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fowler, Bert Donnell, Mrs. W. B. Allen, Don Banning, Miss Elsie Hawes, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. White, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Scott, Mrs. A. L. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bracht, Mrs. Jack McDavid, Dudley Bracht, the City Beauty Salon, and members of the working committees.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C. Wilson Brumley, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Training Union, 6:30 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.; Sunday School workers meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Women meet every Monday.
Monday: 4 p.m., YWA 7:30 p.m. BWC, Tuesday, 9:30 a.m.; S.B. and WMS, 3:15 p.m.; SB and WMS, 4:30 p.m.; Int. GA, Wednesday, 4 p.m.; Jr. GA.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

N. E. Hicks
Bible class, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 10:50 a.m.; Sunday evening class, 6:30; Sunday evening worship, 7:30; Wednesday night service, 7:30; ladies Bible class, Thursday, 9:30 a.m., and men's Bible class at 7:30 p.m.

FULTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Merriman
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service, 11 a.m.; Training Union, 6:30 p.m.; evening service, p.m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

M. R. Crawford, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45; Preaching service, 11 o'clock; Evening Evangelistic service, 7:30; Week night service Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Cecil H. Lang, Jr., Minister
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Senior Young People and Pioneer Young People, 6 p.m.; Deacon's meeting, first Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; choir rehearsal Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Session meeting, first Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Women of the Church Visitation, first Thursday; Women of the Church Circles, second Thursday; Men of the Church Suppers, third Thursday, 6:30 p.m.; Women of the Church Board and General Meeting, fourth Thursday, 2:30 and 3 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. A. H. Bankert, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:30; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:00; Methodist Men, 3rd Thursday, 7:30; WSCS, general meeting, 1st Thursday, 3 p.m. The Wesleyan Service Guild First Methodist will meet regularly each second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. MYF, Sunday, at 6:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, Boyce L. Laqua
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching, 10:45 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Prayer meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday.

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Juan V. De Cruz, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; morning service, 11:00 a.m.; training union, 7:00 p.m.; evening service, 8:00 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Aransas Pass
Rev. H. D. Crone, Pastor
Bible school, 9:45; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. L. C. Barnett, Pastor
1 block north of Joe's Trailer Park Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Night Service, 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Young People's Service, Saturday, 7:30 p.m.

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Sixty-Five Attend Simmons Housewarming

Sixty-five guests attended the housewarming held for Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Simmons in their new home Friday evening. High points of interest were the inter-com system inside and outside the house; the lovely crystal chandelier in the dining area; and the mural of Andrew Jackson's home and grounds which graces one end of the living room.

Coffee, punch and cakes were served the guests by the following hostesses:

Mrs. Shelley Roaten, Mrs. Grady West, Mrs. Howard Lee, Mrs. Gladys Mullan, Mrs. Cleo Smith, Mrs. Willis H. Hogue, Mrs. J. V. Ferguson, Mrs. M. D. McNorton, Mrs. Bill Clark, Mrs. Buddy McElveen, and Mrs. Robert Little. Mrs. Little also presided at the guest book.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR JAMES REID HASH SR.

James Reid Hash Sr., 57, died at 1:25 p.m. Monday in a Corpus Christi hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was a resident of Rockport the past 10 years and had lived previously in Dallas. He owned and operated Lynn Courts here.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Anna Lynn Hash; a daughter, Mrs. W. W. McCreary of Arlington; two sons, James Reid Hash Jr. of Dallas and Samuel V. Hash of Houston; two brothers, Charlie and Howard Hash, both of Dallas, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were here at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Cage-Marsshall Funeral Chapel with Harry Carter, Episcopal lay minister, officiating.

Burial was in Rockport Cemetery.

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Seniors Entertained With Pirate Picnic

Thirty-nine members of the graduating class of Aransas County High School enjoyed a Pirate Picnic this week through the courtesy of Norvell F. Jackson who skippered his NEVA J. for the boat trip to Port Aransas. Floyd Smith acted as deckhand, and C. F. Gilpin, senior class sponsor, transported the group to the boat dock here, in the school bus, then met them at the Matthews Dock in Port Aransas for the trip to the beach on Mustang Island.

Chairman of the event was Mrs. Harry L. Mills, with a food and arrangements committee consisting of Mrs. H. H. Dick, Mrs. N. F. Jackson, and Mrs. Herbert Mills. The group embarked after school Monday, all in pirate costumes, and upon arrival in Port Aransas a contest was held for the most appropriate costumes. Miss Joy Hamblin was judged winner for the girls, William Kelly for the boys, and Mrs. H. H. Dick for the adults.

At the beach, a treasure hunt was held, with Miss Merrily Johnson the winner in finding the buried treasure.

Swimming and games were enjoyed, after which a shipwreck dinner, featuring mulligan stew, was served around the campfire. The return trip to Rockport was made to the accompaniment of group singing and guitar playing.

Guests attending this event, in addition to the seniors, boatmen, and committeemen, were Mrs. Glen DeForest, senior sponsor; Supt. J. D. Gray, Principal A. B.

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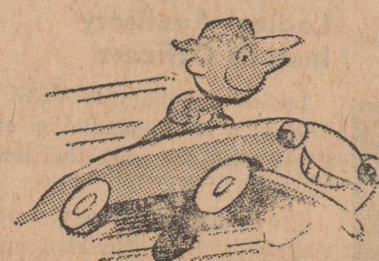
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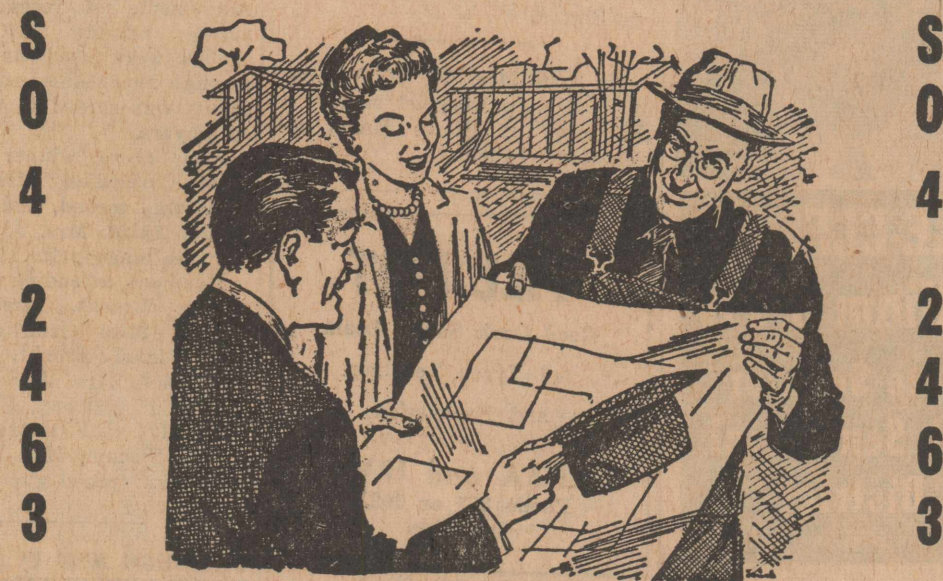
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QUARTERLY MEETING OF CEMETERY ASS'N HELD AT ALLEN HOME

The quarterly meeting of the Rockport Cemetery Association was held Monday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. W. B. Allen.

It was reported that dues had been received from 80 local members since the January meeting and from 45 out-of-town members. Members who have not paid for 1960, are reminded to pay as the obligation becomes due during the year. A donation of \$35 was announced.

The organization voted to pipe water to the Sharon Spencer Memorial Addition.

Reports were made by the chairmen of all standing committees.

Cario is the largest city in Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Rouquette returned this week, after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Littleton and family in Houston and Mr. and Mrs. George Bohn and family in New Orleans.

Miss Jody Taylor of Bertram, Texas, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harrell and daughters.

CHURCH WOMEN PLAN FELLOWSHIP DAY

United Church Women are planning May Fellowship Day, May 6 at 3:30 at the Episcopal Church. Mr. Sam French a prominent Corpus Christi layman will speak on "Christianity and Citizenship." Refreshments followed the program. Mrs. P. C. Sorenson is in charge of the program.

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I respectfully decline to follow your instructions regarding my campaign in the 18th Senatorial District. My itinerary is already planned, and it is neither my desire nor my duty to change it now to suit your convenience.

I agree with you that the people are entitled to hear our respective views on issues confronting the voters. Personally, I fully intend to get mine before them and have accepted most constructive opportunities to do so in the past and have planned many more constructive opportunities to do so in the future.

I do NOT agree with you that mud-slinging contests are a constructive way to get views before voters. On every occasion to date, when you have had an opportunity to "present your views", you have spent all your time lambasting me and bragging on yourself. So far, I have not heard you bring up a single real issue.

Therefore, I believe each of us had better run his own campaign in the way he thinks best.

Sincerely,

Bill Patman
William N. Patman

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Fulton Baptist Church Hosts Senior Class

Fulton Baptist Church was host to the 42 members of the graduating class of Aransas County High School on Tuesday evening for a wiener roast held at the concession hall of Goose Island State Park in Lamar. Wieners were barbecued and served with all the trimmings, and the evening was spent singing and playing games.

Church sponsors for the affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Owens, Mr. and Mrs. George Hattenback, and Mr. and Mrs. Monte Rouquette.

Guests attending besides the seniors were:

Mrs. Glenn W. DeForest, Mr. E. G. Brooks, and Mr. C. F. Gilpin, senior class sponsors; also Mrs. C. F. Gilpin, and Supt. and Mrs. J. D. Gray.

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During the past few months I have tried to see all of you in behalf of my candidacy for sheriff, and, if I have failed to see any one of you, it was completely unintentional and deeply regrettable.

If you honor me with this office, I pledge you an honest and sincere effort to fulfill the duties of sheriff and to work in cooperation with all law enforcement agencies. I will conduct myself in such a manner as to justify your faith and confidence in me.

Your vote is hereby solicited and your support of my candidacy will be appreciated.

ELVA MULLINAX

Candidate for the office of

SHERIFF

Aransas County, Texas

Democratic Primary, May 7

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Corpus Christi Group Approves Water Plain

The Industrial Committee of the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce has recommended that the Chamber support the Alice, Texas, plan for conserving surface water supplies in this region to the fullest degree possible. This is one of the plans in which Aransas County is also interested.

This includes the Coastal Plain both north and south of the Nueces River, and the Committee urged in its report that immediate efforts should be undertaken to collect the needed quality and quantity data. It also urged that support be given, at the proper time, to engineering studies to determine size and location of reservoirs and other facilities.

Costs of facilities serving only a portion of the region in question should be borne entirely by the portion receiving the benefit, the Committee said, but facilities jointly beneficial should be prorated in accordance with the respective benefits.

The so-called "Alice Plan" was prepared by the engineering firm of Lockwood and Newman (sic) for the City of Alice, and envisions utilization of run-off from Chilitipin Creek, San Fernando Creek, Santa Gertrudis Creek, Oso Creek, and their tributaries, to be supplemented by water from the Nueces River as needed.

Later, it was expanded to include consideration of the Aransas and Mission rivers.

The plan proposes the ultimate construction of a major reservoir near Bluntzer; off-streams; terminal reservoirs near Alice and Kingsville; and reservoirs on Cayo de Hinozo and Cayo de Oso.

These reservoirs would be connected with a network of pipelines and canals, with pumping facilities to deliver water from areas of surplus to areas of need.

The establishment of proper control authority should receive careful and early consideration, the Committee said. This may need to be allocated to various geographical sections the basis of their contributions to the investment required, rather than by the present political subdivisions.

The report said that a similar plan may be advantageously coordinated with the Alice study and applied to Chilitipin Creek, the Aransas River and Mission River for the benefit of industries and communities in San Patricio, Aransas and Refugio counties, thus embracing—with Nueces, Kleberg and Jim Wells—a six county region.

The yield of this latter system would be in the neighborhood of 40,000,000 gallons a day, and it may be possible, the Committee said, to bring water from the Nueces River into this system by a relatively cheap and simple system of canals, using a low head pumping plant.

"All of the cities and counties mentioned as possible ultimate participants in the ... plan will have to secure surface water ... from some source. Of great importance, too, is the need to weld the cities of the region ... north of the Nueces River into the scheme ..."

"It is predicted that in the future this region will have to look to the major rivers to the eastward for supplemental water supplies. Before these rights to water can be obtained from another

Texas Ninth In Nation

Texas ranks ninth in the nation in high school graduates who continued their formal education to receive doctorate degrees in science during 1958, a recently completed study of the National Academy of Science shows. The results of this study were reported to the State Department of Education by the Academy's National Research Council.

Doctorate degrees in science were awarded to 241 graduates of 145 public and 8 private Texas high schools, the survey reveals. The number of doctorates in science received by students from all the states in the nation was 7,158.

Four Texas cities were among the leading six in the South, and among the leading 34 for the nation, in the number of high schools that ultimately produced the 1958 science doctorates. Five San Antonio high schools produced fourteen doctorates; five Ft. Worth schools produced nine doctorates; six Houston schools produced nineteen doctorates; and eight Dallas high schools produced twenty-six doctorates. All sections of the state were represented in this study of high school students.

PRECINCT CONVENTIONS

Aransas County Democratic precinct conventions will be held at 7:30 p.m., May 7, in each voting precinct to elect delegates to the county convention, Aransas County Democratic Executive Committee chairman E. T. White said today.

The county convention will be held at the courthouse at 7:30 May 14.

White said that each voter will be requested to have a poll tax receipt or exemption certificate in order to gain admittance to the conventions. Exemption certificates for over-age voters may be obtained while voting in the May 7 primary, he said, and must be stamped "Democrat" and "Voted."

MRS. FRANK O. LENOIR HAS DOUBLE-FOUR CLUB

Mrs. Frank O. Lenoir was hostess to the Double-Four Bridge Club on Wednesday afternoon at her home. Spring flowers were used as decorations; sandwiches, cake, Coke and coffee were served.

High score winner was Mrs. C. H. Whiteley; Mrs. C. O. Lutz was second.

Members attending were Mrs. A. L. Bachman, Mrs. A. G. Collin, Mrs. C. O. Lutz, Mrs. W. N. Sanders, Mrs. H. J. Templeton and Mrs. C. H. Whiteley. Mrs. C. L. Utz was a special guest.

watershed, the Board of Water Engineers insists that cities wishing to do this will develop all of the supplies in their own area. The scheme of the City of Alice is considered to be the suggestion of a plan for maximum development of these water resources in the region."

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Mustang Leaders To Be Busy

Adult leaders in the Mustang Boy Scout District will have a busy May and June, according to Ross Norman, District chairman of the Mustang district. On May 6, Friday, Wednesday, May 11, and Friday, May 11, a basic training for all Cub Scout and Boy Scout leaders will be offered. The first session will be held at the R. E. A. Building in Sinton, while the other two sessions will be held at the Sinton High School. All sessions begin at 7:30 p.m. The courses will be led by Ken Edwards and Joe Pension, both of Sinton. Explorer leaders will participate in a two session training course at one session to be Friday, May 6 at the REA building in Sinton and the last sessions at the Sinton High School on Wednesday, May 11. Both sessions to start at 7:30 p.m.

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 13-14 and 15, Explorers of the District will gather with other Explorers of the South Texas area at the Lackland Air Force Base for the annual Explorer-Olympics. The program for the three day event will feature contests of skills and ability.

Some of the events will be archery, tennis, swimming, photography, driver rodeo, obstacle course race, marksmanship, and car trouble shooting. Special features on the program include a talent show produced by the base Special Services and demonstrations of small arms firing, sentry dog training and judo. All of the Post in the Mustang District have made reservations to attend.

Thursday, May 21, 7:30 p.m. the regular monthly roundtables for Cub Scouts and Boy Scout leaders will be held at the Sinton High School.

Saturday, May 21, all scout troops of the Mustang District will participate in a work day at Camp Karankawa. The purpose of the project to ready Camp Karankawa for the coming camping season which starts Sunday, May 29. The majority of the scout troops in the Mustang District will be either camping the week of May 29, or the week of June 5th.

The Abacus, one of the earliest forms of calculating machines, is still widely used in India, China and Japan.

CITY WILL CLAMP—

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be glad to furnish grades if he wanted to do it himself, and alternative that he had suggested.

Councilmen also authorized City Attorney Richard Hatch to draw plans and specifications for terminating the Fire Station, preparatory to asking for bids, and then heard a report from water superintendent Tom Shults.

Shults told them that necessary repairs had been made to City Well No. 2, at a cost of approximately \$2,000, and that it was now back on stream. Also, he said, the necessary work had been done on well No. 3 at a cost of about \$8,000.

An unexpected dividend of this work, which consisted of deepening the well from about 75 feet to a sand at the 232-foot level was the fact that the well, which had never been pumped more than 38 gallons a minute was now producing 200 gallons a minute, and had been pumped for several hours at 300 gallons per minute with no diminution of flow.

It has become by far the best well ever drilled in the city, Shults said, and was delivering about three or four times the amount of most of the others. Machinery and equipment were on location at well No. 12, drilled in 1954, he said, and the work there should be completed soon.

A request from Leon Carleton for permission to build a skating rink adjacent to Highway 35 at the spot where he now operates a "Go-Cart" concession, was granted, provided that he complied with city ordinances on noise and nuisances.

Requests for street lights at Wood and Orleans and at Wood and Laurel Street corners were approved.

There are more than 10,000 known species of beetles in the United States.

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GILBERT

HILL

For

Constable

Precinct No. 2

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WAGGONER TRANSFERRED TO CALIFORNIA

Charles L. Waggoner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Waggoner of Rockport, has been transferred from Fort Rucker, Ala., to Edwards Air Force Base, Calif., for duty with the Army Liaison Office. Waggoner will be crew chief in charge of maintaining a number of Army helicopters also transferred for use in training Air Force Test Pilots on this type of equipment.

BOBBY REED ENDS TRAINING

Bobby S. Reed, of Rockport, graduated from recruit training April 8, at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

The graduation exercises, marking the end of nine weeks of "boot camp," included a full dress parade and review before military officials and civilian dignitaries.

In nine weeks of instruction, the "raw recruit" is developed into a Navy Bluejacket, ready for duty with the fleet.

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Roy Hinton

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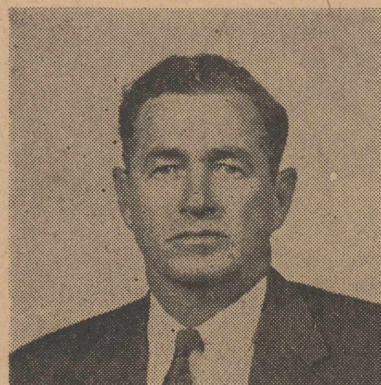
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My experience in public accounting and bookkeeping for the past 25 years, and my knowledge of all properties in this county, should qualify me to hold this very important office.

I am married, have three children, own my home in Rockport, and have lived in Aransas County for the past 15 years.

It was my intention to see each of you personally and discuss with you, my qualifications, but due to my temporary employment of six days a week on a construction project, it will be almost impossible to see everyone, however, if I do not see you between now and May 7th, I ask that you consider my qualifications and my pledge to you; if elected to the office of Tax Assessor-Collector of Aransas County.

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tion of our state government, and he will continue to be during the years ahead as your State Senator. The soundness of his position and the mature judgment it reflects are in sharp contrast to his opponent's cry for more and more spending without any adequate explanation of where the money will come from to pay the bill.

With the Democratic primary election just two weeks away, the radicals and free-spenders are pouring their propaganda into this district from every direction to help BILL FLY's free-spending opponent. These are the people who say we should have a state income tax. You can tell them to get out and stay out of South Texas and you can show your appreciation for BILL FLY's splendid service in your behalf by voting May 7 to keep BILL FLY on the job in Austin as our State Senator.

SOME OF BILL FLY'S ACCOMPLISHMENTS AS YOUR SENATOR

During his first full Senate term, BILL FLY was chosen to serve in the vital role of chairman of the powerful Senate Finance Committee. He also is a member of ten other committees, including Banking, Game and Fish, Oil and Gas, Insurance, Water and Conservation, and Constitutional Amendments.

BILL FLY sponsored the legislation creating a 15-member Texas Educational Standards Commission to make a basic study of the effectiveness of the program of education in our public schools.

BILL FLY headed the Texas State Tax Study Commission which conducted an 18-month review of the state's tax structure.

BILL FLY served—and still serves—as a member of the Legislative Budget Board and the Legislative Audit Committee.

BILL FLY served as chairman of the General Investigating Committee during the U. S. Trust and Guaranty investigation and sponsored legislation that led to reorganization of the State Insurance Department.

BILL FLY served on the first Texas Water Code Committee as a member of the Texas House. In 1957—as a Senator—he broke a major deadlock over water legislation by writing a composite substitute measure which became law.

BILL FLY was the only member of the Texas Senate selected to go to Illinois and Michigan as a member of the Texas Legislative Budget Board to make an intensive, on-the-spot study of the most advanced treatment of patients in mental hospitals. The result was an enlightened new program that cut the drastic increase in mental patients in Texas hospitals and offered new hope and a useful life to hundreds of men, women, and children.

This is solid accomplishment for the people. It is the kind of service you can continue to expect in Austin as the result of BILL FLY's experience and seniority. This is the kind of conscientious, intelligent leadership that will get the job done in the Texas Senate for the 18th District and for the good of the entire state. BILL FLY's opponent is so completely unfamiliar with our state government that he did not even know the length of the term of the office he seeks. Vote May 7 for responsibility and experience. Vote for BILL FLY for State Senator.

FOR RESPONSIBLE STATE GOVERNMENT
RE-ELECT
BILL FLY STATE SENATOR
18TH DISTRICT

(Paid Political Ad.)

Congressman John Young Candidate For Re-Election

Congressman John Young of the 19-County 14th Congressional District is a candidate for re-election in the May 7th Democratic Primary. This is a race which should bring into sharp focus the outstanding service which Young has rendered to the entire area he serves.

Congressman John Young is completing his second term (4th year) in the United States Congress, and has established an

outstanding record of achievement for the entire area which he serves. In his first year in Congress he was able to secure appointment to the important Public Works Committee of the House of Representatives, and is the first Congressman of the 14th District of Texas ever to serve on this Committee. As a Member of the Public Works Committee he is in a particularly advantageous position to secure for his District many essential Public Works Projects which otherwise would be constructed elsewhere with 14th District money.

In recognition and appreciation of the fine work that Young has done for his entire Congressional District a group of more than 2,000 of the leading citizens from all areas of the District met at Sinton in November to honor the affable, able Representative in one of the largest testimonials of its kind ever witnessed in South Texas.

John Young is a member of a substantial, respected pioneer family which settled in San Patricio County before Texas was a Republic, but there is no question that he has himself earned the high esteem of all who know him in personal, professional and public life.

Young is an honor graduate of St. Edward's University, Austin, and is an attorney, having received his legal training at the University of Texas.

Congressman Young volunteered in the United States Navy before the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor and served until after Japan surrendered. He served all over the world in every theatre of the war, including 18 months on a destroyer in the North Atlantic, for which he received the Presidential Citation.

Young is married to the former Jane Gallier of Houston. The Youngs have four children: Gaffney 8, Nancy 5, John, Jr. 3, and Robert 1.

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. J. D. Hesseltine and Mrs. John B. Goff was given at the home of Mrs. Johnnie Wright Friday afternoon.

MRS. DELL McLAIN HAS THURSDAY CLUB

Mrs. Dell P. McLain was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club at her home.

Mrs. James C. Bracht was high score winner; Mrs. E. E. Anderson was second.

Members present were Mrs. Caspar J. Kutach, Mrs. James C. Bracht, Mrs. H. D. Smith, and Mrs. Martin Bradley. Special guests were Mrs. E. E. Anderson, Mrs. Lynn Wendell, and Mrs. M. L. Shipman.

MRS. R. C. NAPER HOSTS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. R. C. Naper was hostess to her bridge club on Thursday afternoon at her home.

High score winner was Mrs. Russell Eldridge; Mrs. L. G. Wood was second, and the hostess was low.

Members present were Mrs. James W. Hunt, Mrs. Russell Eldridge, Mrs. Frank O. Lenoir, Mrs. Frank H. Prescott and Mrs. L. G. Wood. Guests were Mrs. M. D. Oliver and Mrs. W. N. Sanders.

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ORDER AND NOTICE OF
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TO ALL PROPERTY OWNERS, TAXPAYERS, CITIZENS AND OTHERS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE OR INTEREST IN ANY PROPERTY OR FUNDS TO BE AFFECTED BY THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED OR AFFECTED IN ANY WAY THEREBY, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS, AND THE CITY OF ARANSAS PASS, TEXAS:

The City of Aransas Pass, Texas, Petitioner, has filed in this court and presented to me a petition alleging, among other things, that by ordinance passed on March 22, 1960, Petitioner authorized the issuance of bonds described as follows:

The bonds are called "City of Aransas Pass Harbor Revenue Bonds, Series 1960," are authorized in the amount of \$500,000.00, dated April 1, 1960. They are of the denomination of \$1,000.00 each, numbered from One (1) to Five Hundred (500), both inclusive, and bear interest at a rate or rates not exceeding six (6%) per cent per annum, payable October 1, 1960, and semi-annually thereafter on April 1st and October 1st of each year. Said bonds are due serially on April 1st of each of the years 1965 to 1985, both inclusive, and on April 1, 1990, and bonds numbered six (6) to five hundred (500), both inclusive, are optional for redemption prior to maturity on April 1, 1965, or on any interest payment date thereafter at prices and on conditions more fully set out in the bond ordinance. Reference is made to Exhibit A for a complete and detailed description of said bonds.

Said petition further alleges that the above described bonds are being issued for the purpose of securing funds with which to build, acquire, purchase, construct, enlarge, extend, repair and improve harbors, ports, or navigational facilities in connection therewith or any aids thereto.

The petition further alleges that said bonds are not payable from taxes but are payable from and secured by a first lien on and pledge of the net revenues of the Harbor Utility, consisting of all of the existing harbor facilities of said City of Aransas Pass, and all of the installations, improvements, projects and properties which are being built, purchased, constructed, enlarged, extended, repaired, improved, replaced, developed, and financed by the proceeds of said bonds, and all additions thereto, as fully set forth in said Exhibit A.

The prayer of said petition is as follows:

"WHEREFORE, the Petitioner prays for a judgment declaring that the Petitioner has the authority to issue said bonds and that all proceedings and actions heretofore taken with reference to the issuance of said bonds and those hereafter to be taken as above alleged, are valid, binding, and legal and that said bonds when so delivered will be valid, binding and legal, and Chapter 80, Acts of the 43rd Legislature at its Fourth Called Session, 1934, as amended by Chapter 80, Acts of the 56th Legislature, at its Reg-

ular Session, 1959, (Article 1187e, V.T.C.S.), under which these bonds are issued is a general law of special application, is constitutional, and does not violate any provisions of the Constitution of the State of Texas, and especially does not violate Article III, Section 56, of the Constitution of Texas, and that this decree shall be forever binding and conclusive against the Petitioner and all other parties to this Cause, whether mentioned in and served with said notice of the proceedings, or included in the description 'all property owners, taxpayers, citizens and others having or claiming any rights, title or interest in any properties or funds to be affected by the issuance of the securities or affected in any way thereby', and that such judgment shall constitute a permanent injunction against the institution by any person of any action or proceedings contesting the validity of the bonds above described, or the validity of provisions made for the payment of the same or the interest thereon, or the validity or constitutionality of Chapter 80, Acts of the 43rd Legislature, Fourth Called Session, 1934, as amended by Chapter 80, Acts of the 56th Legislature, Regular Session, 1959, (Article 1187e, V.T.C.S.), or the applicability of said Acts to the issuance of the bonds, any or all of said bonds above described, or to the City of Aransas Pass, Texas, or its governing body.

"The Petitioner prays for such further and general relief to which it may be entitled and for the issuance of notice as required by law.

"Petitioner further prays for the issuance, publication and service of notice of this suit as is required by law."

Reference is made to said petition and the exhibit attached thereto for a complete statement

of the nature and purpose of said suit.

Said petition was filed on April 13, 1960, and is numbered 10750 on the docket of this court.

Therefore, you are required to appear at or before 10:00 o'clock, A.M., on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issue of this order, and show cause why the prayers of said petition should not be granted and the proceedings and the bonds validated and confirmed as therein prayed.

ISSUED THIS 14 day of April, 1960.

JOHN H. MILLER
Judge, 36th Judicial District
San Patricio County, Texas
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF SAN PATRICIO

I, Lloyd W. Hamilton, Clerk of the District Court in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the order and notice of validation suit signed by Judge John H. Miller, judge of the 36th Judicial District of San Patricio County, Texas, in cause No. 10750 styled THE CITY OF ARANSAS PASS VS. THE TAXPAYERS, PROPERTY OWNERS AND CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF ARANSAS PASS, INCLUDING NON-RESIDENTS OWNING PROPERTY OR SUBJECT TO TAXATION THEREIN, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS INTERESTED IN OR AFFECTED BY THE ISSUANCE OF THE SECURITIES DESCRIBED IN

PLAINTIFF'S PETITION AS A CLASS ACTION and as the same appears on file and of record in this office.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Sinton, Texas, this 14th day of April, 1960, A.D.

LLOYD W. HAMILTON
Clerk District Court
San Patricio County, Texas
(SEAL)

ROCKPORT NEXT WEEK

Friday, April 29: Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Taylor have an anniversary, and Mrs. J. W. Townsend and Sofia Torres have birthdays.

Saturday, April 30: The Aransas County Commissioners Court meets and Mr. and Mrs. Rob Johnson have an anniversary.

Sunday, May 1: Church; Galon Mills has a birthday.

Monday, May 2: Fulton Lions; Eastern Star; and Russel Swann has a birthday.

Tuesday, May 3: Rockport IO-OF; Chamber of Commerce directors; and Terrie Thomas and Ina Madden have birthdays.

Wednesday, May 4: Rotary Club; Aransas County Junior Chamber of Commerce directors; Navigation Board meets.

Thursday, May 5: Rockport Lions; Rebekah Lodge 88; William Cutcher and Tommy Ben Thompson have birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis spent the weekend in the Valley, visiting friends and relatives at Harlingen.

Bi-County Political
Rally Slated In
Aransas Pass April 30

A bi-county political rally featuring candidates from San Patricio and Aransas counties will be held in Aransas Pass, Saturday, April 30.

Headlining the outdoor rally and fish-fry will be Congressman John Young and his opponent, wealthy rancher Dudley Dougherty. State senator William S. (Bill) Fly and his spunky opponent, Bill Patman, will also appear.

Waggoner Carr, who is trying to unseat state attorney general Will Wilson is slated to speak as are candidates for county attorney in Aransas County, sheriff in both counties and Tom Andrews and Columbus Reeves, candidates for state representative.

Sponsored by the Aransas Pass Junior Chamber of Commerce, the rally-fish fry is expected to attract more than 1,500 persons from the two counties.

"April 30 is the last Saturday before the May 7 primary," Aransas Pass Jaycee president Ed Poling says. "We are fortunate to have so many outstanding candidates appear at this crucial time in the campaign."

The fish fry will begin at 5:30 p.m. at the Aransas Pass football stadium and speakers will begin their addresses at 6 p.m.

PVT. CHARLES GARRETT
COMPLETES SIX WEEKS
SPECIAL TRAINING

Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.— Army Pvt. Charles F. Garrett, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett, Rockport, Texas, completed the six-week disbursing specialist course April 15 at The Finance School, Fort Benjamin Harrison,

Ind. Garrett received training in the methods and procedures used in accounting for receipts and payments by Army finance disbursing officers.

He entered the Army last October and completed basic training at Fort Riley, Kans. Garrett is a 1953 graduate of Rockport High School.

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Victoria, Texas, Friday, April 15, 1960

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EDITORIALS

'Clearing' Doesn't Right Wrong

Americans are now asked to believe the preposterous theory that officials of federal agencies can properly accept favors from firms under their regulation if everything is approved in advance by lawmakers investigating just such irregularities.

This is the proposition propounded in last seriousness by Rep. Oren Harris (D-Ark.), chairman of the House Committee on Legislative Oversight.

Harris says he gave advance approval in March when three members of the Federal Power Commission were flown to Shreveport in a plane owned by United Gas Pipeline Co. He notes that the trip was made for the funeral of a power commissioner. This is apparently regarded as justifying the equivalent of payola.

"I think it was a perfectly proper thing to do, and anyone who makes anything out of this is pretty small," Harris said this week when contacted by the Associated Press. "I would do the same thing myself under similar circumstances."

Harris is thus convicted out of his own mouth as an accessory before

the fact in just such an impropriety as he is supposed to be investigating for Congress.

The three power commissioners certainly had every right to attend the funeral of their colleague. They had no right whatever to make the trip at the expense of a firm whose application for a rate hike is pending before the FPC.

They plead that time was too short to go by commercial airliner. They ought to have chartered a plane in that case. They could have avoided criticism by making the trip at their private expense. Even charging the government might have been done with some show of propriety by classing the funeral as official business.

What they chose to do is inexcusable. They accepted the hospitality of a firm having much to gain from their agency. They thereby forfeited the appearance of impartiality even if they managed to avoid feeling beholden for the free ride. And impartiality must be maintained in appearance as well as in fact if the public is to have confidence in regulatory tribunals.

On May 18, 1959, when the State Senate was beginning the first of three special sessions to solve State money needs, Mr. Fly was absent—excused by the Senate "on account of important business."

The "important business" was a junket to a birthday party in Memphis, Tenn., aboard a luxury private plane provided by Texas Eastern Gas Transmission Co., a long-line gas distributor selling Texas gas in the East.

Host of Mr. Fly was Ed Clark, attorney and lobbyist for Texas Eastern, considered by many Austin's No. 1 lobbyist. His job in 1959 was to keep the Senate from passing a severance beneficiary tax on Texas Eastern gas reserves.

What Mr. Fly missed was Governor Daniel's message to the Legislature recommending this tax on Texas Eastern and other long lines. Governor Daniel said Texas Eastern made a net profit of \$24,918,376 in 1958, but paid little more than 1% of it in franchise taxes. He said all 12 of these long lines made \$185,082,472 net profit in 1958, but all together paid only \$450,252 (one-fourth of one per cent) in franchise taxes.

We don't know what Mr. Clark, the lobbyist, said to Mr. Fly, the trusted representative of the people, or how much Mr. Fly enjoyed the party.

We do know Mr. Fly fought the tax on Texas Eastern and other long gas lines. He advocated instead a general sales tax, a tax on poverty.

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LODGES PLAN TREE PLANTING CEREMONY

The members of the IOOF Lodge will have a tree planting ceremony at their hall at 6 p.m. Thursday April 28. All members of the Odd Fellow and Rebekah Lodges and their families are urged to attend. Following the ceremony, the Rebekah Lodge will entertain the group with a covered dish dinner and program of interest will follow the dinner and all guests will be welcome.

The dinner and program will be in honor of the Odd Fellows. At the regular meeting of the

Rebekah Lodge last Thursday, April 21, plans for Odd Fellow night were completed.

Mrs. Scott's thought for the week was: "In this world, it is not what we take up, but what we give up that makes us rich."

Members of the IOOF and Rebekah lodges attended the Blue Bonnet Ass'n in Corpus Christi, Saturday, April 23. Mrs. Neva Sorenson was elected vice president of the Association and installed at this meeting.

Miss Georgia Kresta, a senior at ACHS this year, rendered accoridian and vocal solos at the association evening program,

which were much enjoyed by all. Members of the Rockport lodges were proud of their representatives.

The committee on the rummage sale held Friday and Saturday, Mrs. Zoe Heath and Mrs. Ora May want to thank all who helped make the sale very successful.

JUNIOR PROM TO BE MAY 14

The Aransas County Junior-Senior Prom will be held at Fulton Elementary School on Saturday, May 14, at seven o'clock in the evening.

Guild, Women's Society Hold Joint Meeting

The Wesleyan Service Guild held a regular meeting Tuesday night with members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service as special guests. A book review and discussion of one of the study books for the year was led by Mrs. Albert Bankert. The title of the studies was "People, Land and Churches." Mrs. Donaldson led the devotional.

There was some discussion of the Pledge Service, scheduled for May 10. Mrs. Jack Horton will be leader. Major parts will be done by Mrs. James Adams and Mrs. Edna Snyder, but every member will participate in the program.

A very pleasant social hour followed the program with the ladies from the WSCS acting as hostesses.

GREENBACKERS' CLUB HAS HAYRIDE PARTY

The Greenbackers' Club, consisting of members of the pep squad of Aransas County High School, enjoyed their annual outing last Friday night of the club and their guests journeyed to the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barber where a wiener roast was held.

Sponsors of this affair were Mr. and Mrs. James Crusier and Miss Elbie Fariss.

Recent visitors at the local Church of Christ included: Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones, Petersburg, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDonald, Lubbock, Texas; Bobby Reed, U.S. Navy.

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Just as we have always needed the fearless courage and integrity of our lawmen, so do we need industry and commerce. When an industry provides a whole community with payrolls and revenue, relaxation and the pleasures of moderation . . . it "belongs". In Texas, "Beer Belongs". The United States Brewers Foundation constantly works with brewers, wholesalers, retailers and local authorities to assure the sale of beer and ale under pleasant, orderly and law-abiding conditions.

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FULTON MANSION HAS NEW OWNER

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Boldin, of Lubbock, Texas, have purchased the Fulton Mansion property from Mr. and Mrs. J. C. May.

Mr. Boldin is owner of the Lubbock Wood Works, which does general millwork and specializes in interior finishing. Mr. and Mrs. Boldin will continue to make Lubbock their home, commuting to Rockport will be no great problem to them since Mr. Boldin pilots his own plane.

Mrs. R. B. Sipe handled this sale.

WESLEYAN GUILD OFFICERS ATTEND TRAINING SCHOOL

Six officers of the local Wesleyan Service Guild journeyed to the First Methodist Church in Victoria Sunday afternoon to attend an officers training school. Those making the trip were: Mrs. Jack Horton, president; Mrs. James Adams, vice president; Mrs. Minta Lancaster, secretary; Mrs. E. T. Eller, promotion secretary; Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, chairman of Spiritual Life; Mrs. Edna Snyder, chairman of Missionary education. Local officers recently elected will assume their duties in June.

OFFICER'S WIVES HOLD MEETING

The "Rockport Officers Wives Club" held their April meeting in the home of Mrs. Charles Davis. The coffee table was beautifully decorated with an Easter theme.

Final plans were made for the Easter egg hunt for all the base children. Preparations were made for a "Western Party," and buffet supper for all officers and their wives.

Wives of the officers on active duty or retired, living in this area, may receive information about membership in the club by calling the president, Mrs. Charles Davis at SO 4-6337.

Library To Receive Books

Aransas County Library will receive an eight-volume set comprising the official publication of the 1960 White House Conference on Children and Youth. In all 8,000 books are being given to Texas libraries by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meadows of Dallas through a Meadows Foundation grant of \$12,000.

The gift was arranged by Fred M. Lange, executive vice president of the Dallas Community Chest Trust Fund and volunteer consultant to the national finance committee of the White House Conference. Mr. Lange said four volumes have been completed by the Columbia University Press. Four others including a digest of Texas research are to be printed between now and July.

A special committee of Governor Price Daniel's White House Conference Committee has designated the libraries as follows: 272 public libraries; 115 college and university libraries; 34 philanthropic or hospital libraries; 300 social agencies, probation departments and child care institutions; and 197 public and parochial high schools. Remaining sets will be distributed as new libraries are founded in coming years.

The books, representing the combined findings and thinking of the nation's outstanding leaders in the field of child care, will be a source of authoritative information on the nation's children for years to come. An estimated half million citizens interested in the welfare of children have joined in the gathering of information which will be condensed and incorporated in the books.

The White House Conference, just completed in Washington, D. C., was attended by 7,000 delegates from every state in the union. The conference is called every ten years by the President

of the United States to consider issues concerning children and youth.

Governor Price Daniel acknowledged Mr. and Mrs. Meadows' gift to Texas libraries. He said, "In a democracy such as our the people must have sufficient facts upon which to base wise decisions concerning the future of our children and youth. By contributing this vital set of books to a thousand libraries in our state Mr. and Mrs. Meadows, through the Meadows Foundation, are rendering a great public service in this regard."

Dr. Guy Newman, president of Howard Payne College and chairman of the Texas White House Conference Committee, also expressed appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Meadows for their interest in the future of the children of Texas.

"Making these books available to teachers, juvenile authorities, other child welfare leaders and the public at large will be invaluable in planning future state programs involving children and youth," Dr. Newman said.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR JOHN F. BULLARD

Funeral services for John F. Bullard, 74, were held at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Cagle-Marshall Funeral Home in Rockport.

Bullard, a retired farmer, died at 2:10 p.m. Friday in a Corpus Christi hospital, following a long illness.

Rockport Masonic Lodge 323, of which Bullard was a member for 31 years, conducted graveside services in Rockport Cemetery.

Berlin is the largest city on the European Continent.

Writers Gather At Beachcombers

At a "Big Tree Evening," Ashby Minor James entertained friends from Rockport, Houston, Corpus Christi, and Austin in the Beachcomber's Club on Lamar on Saturday afternoon and evening.

"Cactus" Pryor, of KBCT TV, Austin, John Henry Falk—who for twelve years was one of New City's favorite disc jockeys, Joe Small, editor of True West Magazine; and Ken Lively of Texas Parade, were among the prominent Texas writers and editors who contributed to a most enjoyable evening.

Catering was by Magee's.

WAFFLE BREAKFAST FOR SENIOR ENGLISH CLASS

Mr. Guy Phillips entertained his Senior English class with a waffle breakfast last Monday morning at his home.

Assisting with this affair, besides Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shivers, Mr. and Mrs. Monte Rouquette, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. LeFevre.

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The story of Mrs. Hagar and her ruff, a little brown bird thousands of miles from home, went out Wednesday over the wires of the Associated Press, to newspapers, radios, and TV stations, bringing more fame to Rockport its birds and Mrs. Hagar.

When contacted, the nationally-known bird woman said, queried about what she would discover next:

"How about a scarlet ibis?"

And that would be something, sure enough.

Scarlet ibises are wading birds about two feet high with brilliant plumage that would put a cardinal or a roseate spoonbill to shame, and they live in South America.

Some have been reported from Texas, blown here by the great hurricane of 1919, but no one ever

got close enough to one to be sure the identification was correct.

They knew that the birds they saw were not flamingoes, one of which was seen here many years ago by Mrs. Hagar, but they couldn't be sure that they were ibises.

And to ornithologists of the caliber of Mrs. Hagar, near enough isn't good enough. The bird must be seen so well that there is not the shadow of a doubt as to the species and sub-species.

This care, exercised over a period of years, has given the little lady of the birds a reputation for accuracy so great that one top ornithologist once said:

"If Connie Hagar reported that she had seen a great auk (species of bird that has been extinct for over a hundred years) I wouldn't question her, I'd just catch the next plane for Rockport, for I want to see one, too."

So if Mrs. Hagar says she has

seen a scarlet ibis along this coast, you can bet your bottom dollar that another new bird will have been added to the Texas ornithological list.

Mrs. George Dickey has been visiting her mother in New Braunfels.

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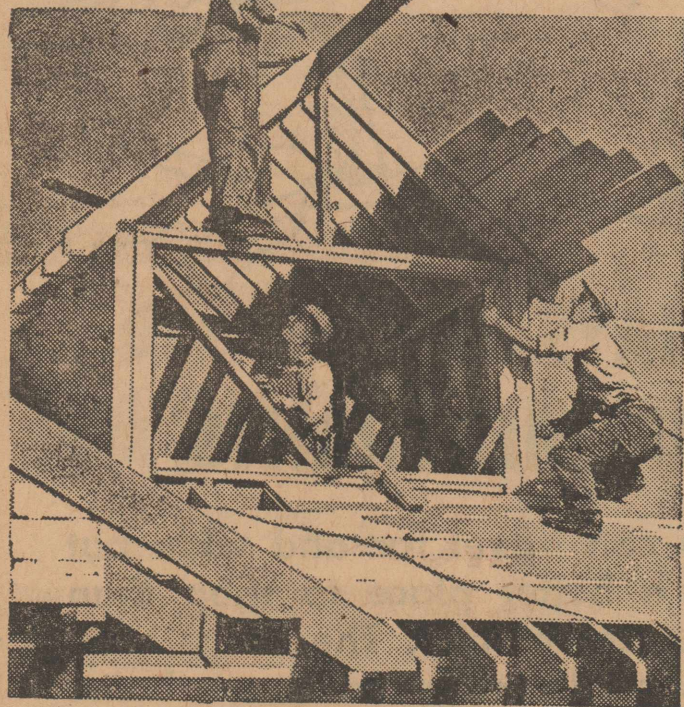
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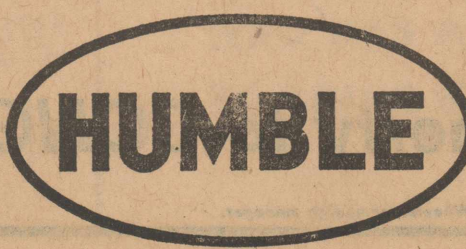
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