

WEATHER

	Bar.	rain	wind	temp.
April 28	30.08	0	8	79 73
April 29	30.10	0	12	75 72
April 30	29.94	.24	20	85 71
May 1	29.85	0	6	80 73
May 2	29.92	0	4	82 73
May 3	29.92	0	8	80 73
May 4	29.90	0	15	

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Along The Waterfront



Copano Cove Fishing Pier is now lighted, according to G. B. Halstead, who operates the bait stand and pier. He says that there are quite a few fish being caught under the lights and that afternoon fishermen are enthusiastic about it.

Taylor Oak reports: Loren Ball, Watonga, Okla., 15 nice trout.

Loren Ball and Charles Signs, 34 nice trout.

Mrs. Jim Stansell, 15 nice trout. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vickery, Arkansas City, Kans., April 27, 30 nice trout, up to 3 1/2 pounds; April 28, 35 nice trout.

Jerry Hodges, Eastland, fishing in the Gulf, brought in 5 Mackerel, and one 6 lb. flounder.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ott, Medicine Lodge, Kans., 3 mackerel, also trout and gafftop.

Wilbur Randle, one 4 1/4 pound flounder.

At Good Luck Pier in Fulton, Wednesday, the big trout were hitting, several 3, 4, and 5 pound ones have been brought in and several are on display in the glass walled tank.

The past week has been good for the gafftop fishermen, also. Joe Hoehne of Runge, reported seven, the largest 5 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weatherly of San Antonio, also Delbert Clements and wife strung up 10 big gafftop, averaging 4 pounds.

T. J. West of Campbellton and Eugene Scales of Poteet, spent a short time here Sunday and took home ten fine trout for their dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hairston and Mr. Allen and wife, of Snyder, left for home this morning with 74 good trout and gafftop.

A group of adults and children spent Sunday with us and took home trout and gafftop, but were most pleased with the 24 pound drum, caught by one of the men with light tackle.

Jake Pierce, Roy Thompson and Bill Bardwell, also Walter Connell and wife of Dallas, have fished out of here by boat a couple of days and brought in over 200 fish, trout, gafftop and reds, with several of the trout weighing 4 and 5 pounds.

Mobile Inn Trailer Park reports: Mrs. Harry Cheney, Rockport, one 8-pound trout and one 3-pound trout. Several smaller ones.

Mrs. J. W. Cassidy, Oklahoma City, 1 nice flounder, and several trout.

Mrs. F. W. Giles, still champion with 11 trout, one of these weighed 8 pounds and one 5 pounds.

Buck Armintrout reports: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Deitker and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Faulkner, all of Amarillo, caught 144 trout.

Mr. L. D. Kerr of San Antonio, and Mr. and P. S. Maravalle of St. Louis, Mo., caught 92 trout.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY

The Woman's Club of Aransas County will hold its next regular meeting on Tuesday, May 9, at 3:30 p.m. in the Woman's Club building.

Newly elected officers will be installed, with Mrs. Jack Hagar as installing officer. All members are urged to attend.

PTA EXECUTIVE BOARD TO MEET

There will be an executive Board meeting of the Rockport Parent-Teacher Association on Wednesday, May 10, at 3:45 p.m. in the office of the principal. All board members are urged to attend this final meeting for the year.

FIFTY-NINE CHILDREN REGISTER FOR SCHOOL

Tuesday, May 2, 1961, fifty-nine children registered for next year's first grade. This is about one-half of the first graders expected in the Rockport School next year. Children may still be registered in the Rockport Elementary principal's office any day until the end of school.

Food Service Organization Formed Here

At a meeting here Tuesday afternoon, the Gulf Coast Unit of the Texas School Food Association was organized and officers elected.

Mrs. Kitty McLaughlin, TEA Supervisor of Area IV, School Lunch Programs, presided.

Mrs. James Crusier of Rockport is the first president of the new organization; Mrs. Roberts Tiner, Ingleside, president-elect for next year.

Mrs. Maye Newberry of Aransas Pass, is treasurer; Mrs. Erlene Crain, Clarkwood, secretary; Mrs. H. H. Isaacks, Gregory-Portland, special projects chairman; Mrs. Lorene Peoples, Gregory-Portland, membership.

Also, Mrs. Ann Clements, Taft, PTA representative; Mrs. Agnes Friske, Sinton, Civil Defense chairman; Mrs. Georgia Duckworth, Gregory-Portland, budget chairman; and Mrs. Ozell Sweeney, Sinton, reporter.

The first meeting of the unit for the next school year will be held September 19, in the cafeteria at Rockport Elementary School at 3 p.m.

The following school districts were represented: Ingleside, Sinton, Aransas Pass, Gregory-Portland, Clarkwood and Aransas County.

Jury Called For 156th Court

The jury list for the spring term of the 156th district court, opening Wednesday, was as follows:

Denver Agler, H. D. Wilson, Ross Demory, R. C. Hapner, Clarence M. Sparks, R. L. Fleming, Mrs. Lois S. Rozzell, J. C. Gurley, Lauriano H. Falcon, Homer V. Faber, Mrs. Jerry Wendell, Randal G. Stivers, Jr., George Dickey;

D. A. Bracht, Lonnie W. Ruston, James C. Crusier, Ernest Russell, Box 475, R. W. Landrum, Grady Stryker, B. T. Hardman, Grady West, Lloyd Lassiter, Mrs. Amy Simmons, James T. Little, Mrs. Minta Lancaster;

A. L. Holland, Mrs. Jack Davis, W. C. Sivells, Clyde Hayden, John H. Warden, Lee Roy Young, B. W. Hamblin, Noah Taylor, C. E. Ankele, Harold McFadden, Robert G. Little;

Terrance R. Leary, M. A. Rowan, Joe Earl Hunt, Mrs. Orville Haynes, C. E. Dietrich, L. E. Casterline, Hubert Johnson, Ralph Matern, Cecilio R. Nava, Robert L. Morrison, Ben Earp.

State Biologists' Annual Meeting to Be Rockport

The regular spring staff meeting of the wildlife biologists of the Game and Fish Commission will be held this year at Rockport, Texas, May 9 through 11.

The biologists will be domiciled at the Hunt Court, but the meeting will be held in the Paul Ward Realty Company building. Announcement of plans for the meeting was made by E. A. Walker, director of the wildlife division, who has made specific assignments for panel discussions on wildlife work.

All personnel will wear summer uniforms to the business sessions. Panel chairmen for the meetings will be A. J. Springs, P. B. Uzzell, and J. R. Singleton. The biologists will discuss Federal Aid program, and their work with game wardens, and make reports on various activities.

GOVERNOR CITES COUNTY FOR SAFETY RECORD

Aransas County has been cited by Governor Price Daniel of Texas for its very fine contributions to the cause of the highway during 1960.

In a letter to Judge John D. Wendell, Governor Daniel expressed his personal appreciation and gratitude for the judge's continuing interest in traffic safety, and complimented Wendell and the county for their good work.

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Airport In Good Shape Report Shows

The Aransas County Airport is in the fortunate position of having enough money to do many of the things that most county airports wish they could do if they had funds, with the result that the Federal Aviation Agency has "consistently found this airport to be one of the best maintained and physically pleasing airports we have had the pleasure of visiting."

The report of the Agency on the airport, a copy of which has been furnished to Judge John D. Wendell, shows that Aransas County Airport completely fulfills FAA requirements.

Facilities and services include three 150-foot x 4500-foot landing runways, with 50-foot connecting asphalt taxiway, a 36" C&G beacon, lighted wind cones and segmented circle. Fuel of two types is available; there is plenty of storage space; mechanical services are available during the time the airport operator is on duty.

The inspecting officer, Jack H. Burke, airport engineer with the FAA, says that runways, taxiways and turfed areas at the airport are in good condition, although the contact lighting system is inoperative.

The control tower is in fair shape, although not used; the ready room and garage are in good shape, medium intensity runway marker lights on the NW/SW runway are in use.

The airport is well-maintained, the engineer said; a new entrance road has been completed and the old one closed, as requested some time ago. In addition, the majority of aircraft based here have been moved to the T-hangers, permitting greater transient storage capacity in the large hangar.

Commissioners Court Transacts Routine Business

The Commissioners Court, at the regular end-of-month meeting, transacted routine business.

The plat of Unit 4, Bois D'Arc subdivision was approved; a request by the city to borrow a two-way radio was denied.

Commissioners decided not to sell rock aggregate to contractors or individuals, except in case of absolute necessity or emergency; a request by the County Tax-Assessor Collector for expenses to attend a meeting in Houston was denied.

Bids on insecticides were opened, and a contract awarded to Barada and Page of Corpus Christi, low bidder on the items desired.

Bids for the purchase of the 1958 Ford Fairlane now owned by the county were deemed insufficient and were refused. A minimum price of \$600 has been placed on the car. A request to lease the car, made by Constable Dowell King, of Precinct One, was refused.

Band Concert Scheduled

The bands of the Aransas County schools will present a night of music Friday, May 5, in the High School auditorium, starting at 8 p.m., according to Director Joe Randow.

The band students from the elementary schools and the "B" band from the Junior High School will be combined and will open the concert. These students have had seven combined rehearsals.

Following the Junior Band, the Senior Band will present a varied program of music by American composers. Numbers to be performed will include: "The Stars and Stripes Forever," "High Lights from South Pacific," "Phantom Regiment," "Dry Bones," "Night Beat," and others.

An admission of fifty cents for adults and twenty five cents for children will be charged.

ROGER BEASLEY OUTSTANDING SCIENCE STUDENT

Roger Beasley has been selected as the outstanding science student at Aransas County High School, and the Chemical Council of Texas will present him with a slide rule in acknowledgement of this feat, it was learned this morning.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Beasley of Rockport, is now eligible to take part in the council's 1961 essay contest, using the theme "The Best Features of My High School Program."

HONOR GRADUATES



MISS MARGARET ST. JOHN Salutatorian



MISS BARBARA BARNARD Valedictorian

Arrests Solve Aransas Pass Harbor Theft

With the arrest of three men Wednesday, law officers in Aransas Pass and Rockport are alleged to have solved the theft of money and clothing from a man sleeping in his car back of the Beach Grill on Conn Brown Harbor last week.

Investigating officers were Assistant Police Chief Virgil Patterson, of Aransas Pass, and Deputy Sheriffs Sherman Mundine and Slim Haynes, of the Aransas County Sheriff's department.

Lodged in jail Wednesday night were Charles R. Haase, 50, of New Orleans; Walter Dodgen, 38, believed to be from Florida; and James Walk, 35, of Corpus Christi. All were charged with theft from a person.

Mundine said the three men had discovered a man by the name of Lee asleep in his car, and had taken his money and clothing as he slept. Approximately \$85 in cash was involved, besides the clothes.

The three are being held for action by the Aransas County Grand Jury.

Curtain Club Program May 12

On Friday, May 12, at 8 p.m., the speech department and the Curtain Club of ACHS will present the final dramatic program of the year in the high school auditorium.

The first play, "Echo," is a short drama concerning a family who discovers the reason for their son's suicide exactly one year after his death. Set in the living room of the Ross home, the play has the following cast: Mary Ross, the mother, Margaret St. John; her husband, Henry, Buddy Carroll; their daughter, Lillian, Carol Kinsey; and the son, David, Harry Wilson.

The second short play "The Running Tide," takes place in a light-house on a stormy night. The cast includes: Monica Parks played by Nina Ann Fields; her sister, Rachel, by Sharon Jenkins; Amos, her assistant, by Harry Barkley; and John Agate, a government inspector, by Jimmy Lukehart.

"Henrietta the Eighth," is a lively three-act comedy about the younger generation. Written by Kurtz Gordon, this play has the following cast: Wilma Sutton, Mary Scott; Maggie the cook, Janice Torres; Carol Sutton, Cynthia Stanisk; Adele Sutton, Sue Johnson; Clare Sutton, Linda Clark; Dizzy Lucas, Leslie Parker; Baggy Pants Baldwin, Ronnie Newby Ding, Milton Court; Dong, Ray Ormand; Annabelle Mason, Glenda Turner; Jimmy Howard, N. F. Jackson; Henrietta Corver, Mary Ann Hammac; Ray Taylor, Ronnie Simpson; Lizzie, Mary Walls; Martha, Tamara Camehl; The Coke Set, Beverly Simpson, Jimmy Jackson, Azalea Shivers, Bill Parker, Suzanne Keith, Jimmy Lukehart, Sue Eller, Judy Deason.

The public is urged to attend these performances. Admission is fifty cents a person.

FULTON LIONS ELECT OFFICERS

Newly elected officers of the Fulton Lions include Raymond Owens, president; Prentice Elder, first vice-president; Zeph Rouquette, second vice-president; Matt Scott, treasurer; lion tamer Simon Lee Sorenson; and tail twister J. D. Gray.

New directors are Harold Oakman and R. R. Fielder.

Installation will be held in June.

BAND BOOSTERS TO HAVE MEETING

The Band Boosters' Club will meet next Monday night in the band hall at 7:30, and new officers will be installed.

District Judge Rules For Aransas Survey

The county can legally hire consultants to set property valuations, Judge Joe Wade ruled in a 156th District Court civil suit here Wednesday.

His decision was against the plaintiffs, E. T. White and 132 other taxpayers, who sought to void contract made by Aransas County with Thomas Y. Pickett Co., Inc. of Dallas, evaluating engineers.

The contract called for a complete revaluation of property within the county for assessment purposes. It was made by the commissioners court July 13, 1959.

Also sought was an injunction prohibiting the commissioners court from paying Pickett \$5,387.50, one-half of the fee under the contract. A hearing on the application for injunction was scheduled last December and postponed on assurance the balance due would not be paid pending trial of the lawsuit.

The taxpayers asked that the contract be declared void and the county enjoined from using any of Pickett's valuations for taxing purposes on grounds it sought to by-pass and usurp the duties of the duly elected tax assessor-collector who is charged by law and the constitution to perform all duties with respect to assessing property for taxation.

A somewhat similar suit was tried in 10th District Court at Galveston last year where a contract between the Galveston County commissioners court and a firm of evaluation engineers was ruled void on grounds similar to the case here.

The 1st Court of Civil Appeals in Galveston upheld the district court in a ruling handed down in January. In the decision, the appeals court said the commissioners court does not have the power to usurp the authority, function and duties which are by law imposed on the office of tax assessor-collector. The Supreme Court of Texas has been petitioned to grant a writ of error on the appeal court ruling.

Other similar suits pending in Aransas County are J. Meredith Tatton and wife against Aransas County and the Aransas County Independent School District, set for trial before a jury next Monday; Sien-Bibson Ranch Enterprises against Aransas County, and the Aransas Pass Independent School District and Letitia L. McCampbell and others against the Aransas Pass school district.

MR. HARRY CARTER TO SPEAK TO UNITED CHURCH WOMEN

"The Bounds of Freedom" is the theme to be presented in an address by Mr. Harry Carter, Lay Minister of St. Peter's Church, at the annual May Fellowship Day meeting of the United Church Women of Rockport, at the First Methodist Church on Friday, May 5, at 4 p.m.

Mrs. Elmo F. Brundrett will preside.

A social hour will follow the meeting.

JAYCEE-ETTES ELECT OFFICERS

The Rockport Jaycee-ettes elected a state director and various local chairmen at their regular meeting.

Marsha Carter is the newly-elected state director; Shirley Clark, ways and means chairman; Claudia Bateman, project chairman; and Clydene Brooks, publicity chairman.

They also laid final plans for the dinner and installation of officers to be held jointly with the Aransas County Jaycees on Saturday night.

Mrs. Curtis McNab and children and Mrs. Willie Close have just returned from Dallas where they were guests in the Frederick Close home.

Barbara Barnard Wins European Trip

Miss Margaret St. John Chosen Salutatorian of 1961 Graduating Class With Slightly Lower Average

Miss Barbara Barnard has been chosen valedictorian of the 1961 graduating class at Aransas County High School, thereby winning a VIP trip to Europe, and Miss Margaret St. John is salutatorian.

Miss Barnard, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barnard, had a four year average of 92.47 in her studies; Miss St. John, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. St. John, had compiled a four year average of 91.77.

Miss Barnard has been a member of the Greenbackers for 4 years, of the National Honor So-

ciety for three years, of the FHA for 4 years, and vice president of the latter organization for one term.

She was also a member of the girls' volleyball team for a year, was one of the cast of the senior play; was voted most beautiful girl in school twice; was president in her freshman year of that class's student council; and at the recent regional Interscholastic Meet in Victoria took third in shorthand, after having placed second in the District meet here.

She was also 1961 homecoming duchess.

Service Awards Made At TSTA Dinner Tuesday

At the annual end-of-school dinner of the local chapter of the Texas State Teachers' Association, two teachers received ten year pins, two others were awarded five year pins, four awards for long service were made to non-professional personnel, and new officers were installed.

President of the local chapter, Guy V. Phillips, presided over the banquet, which was held at Big Tree Lodge.

A novel musical program was presented during the evening by Mrs. Bertha I. Gilley, Mrs. John Haynes, Mrs. Anna L. Pritchett, Mrs. Stanley Shults, Mrs. Edna M. Snyder, Mrs. Louise F. Snyder, Mrs. Simon Lee Sorenson, Mrs. Seth H. Steele and Miss Marie Venable.

The sang "Jamaica," "Tequila" and "Far Away Places," each furnishing her own accompaniment with a cleverly-designed musical instrument.

A highlight of the evening was a reading of the poem "Two Temples," by Mr. Phillips, presented as a standing tribute to Mrs. Lula M. Clymore, Mrs. Fay E. Hartman, and Miss Ruth Lipscomb, all of whom are retiring this year.

Professional personnel receiving ten-year service pins were Albert R. Griffith, Jr., principal of Rockport Elementary and Russell D. Segler, director of the athletic department. Five year service pins went to Fay E. Hartman and Mrs. Seth H. Steele.

Non-professional personnel receiving awards were Mrs. Katherine McLester, ten years, Mrs. Rob Johnson, five years, both for service in the school tax office, and Pete Ramirez, Jr., and Simon Perez, of the maintenance crew.

New officers installed by Mrs. J. D. Gray included Albert R. Griffith, Jr., president; Mrs. Martha P. Coats, first vice president; Mrs. A. B. LeFevre, second vice president; Mrs. Charlyne Hunt, secretary; and Mrs. Bertha I. Gilley, treasurer.

New Director Appointed To C. of C. Board

Directors of the Rockport Chamber of Commerce appointed Robert L. Fleming of Lamar a director to succeed the late James A. Jarboe, and listened to routine reports at their meeting Tuesday night.

Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr., reported that the wrestling matches sponsored by the tourist promotion committee of the Chamber of Commerce had cleared \$59 despite bad weather and competition from other events in the area.

Vernon-Kleypas outlined plans for welcoming the new families that have been coming to Rockport at the rate of 150 per year.

It was also decided to cooperate with the Junior Chamber of Commerce, who had asked to be responsible for the Christmas lights, and to turn over the supplies owned by the Chamber to the junior organization.

SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE TO VISIT ROCKPORT

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be at the courthouse in Rockport on Thursday, May 11, at 9 a.m.

You may obtain information about your rights and duties under the Social Security Act. Eligible persons can secure assistance in applying for old-age, survivors, or disability insurance payments from the representatives at that time.

Miss St. John has been editor of the high school year book, president of the local chapter of the Future Teachers of America, a member of the National Honor Society, a member of the local chapter of the National Thespian Society and of the Future Homemakers of America.

She was voted the girl most likely to succeed; has participated in junior, senior and Thespian Club plays and variety show, placed first in ready writing in the district Interscholastic meet, and third in extemporaneous speaking.

Miss Barnard, by being first has won a trip to Europe this summer, under the sponsorship of a number of local business men and the Valedictorian International Program, a Kingsville foundation founded earlier this year to encourage scholarship among students in the high schools of the state, through awards of all-expenses-paid trips to foreign lands.

Complete cost of such a trip would normally be in the neighborhood of \$1300. However, VIP, Inc., is footing a little more than half, while local businessmen and others have made up the difference.

The award carries with it 40 days of adventure, education, and entertainment and sightseeing in England, Holland, German, Switzerland, Italy and France.

The students will use chartered airplanes and each group will be the management of a qualified tour operator.

Expert couriers will handle the mechanics of the tour, relieving the tourists of baggage handling, room assignments and similar worries.

Each group will be under the leadership of a married couple selected from among teachers or officials of high schools by the VIP Committee.

The valedictorian named by the high school must use his travel award tour. In the event the Valedictorian finds it impossible to make the trip, it shall be offered to the Salutatorian of the same graduating class.

Special arrangements are being planned to give the awardees a broad scope of educational activities. The Tour Operator will arrange meetings abroad with Ministry of Education officials; special visits and classes in foreign schools; receptions and social affairs with young people; domiciling homes and cities and towns and farms; and special cooperation through planning with U. S. State Department officials abroad.

Within 30 days after returning from the tour, the Valedictorian must submit a written thesis to a Board of Judges established by the VIP committee. The thesis may be on the entire tour on any aspect of it the Valedictorian chooses to write about, and it may be used for publication in the Valedictorian's high school annual.

The Valedictorian will also be required to address the student body of his high school on the subject of the trip abroad.

This fine plan to award scholars-

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VETERINARIAN TO BE AT FULTON FIRE STATION SAT.

Dr. T. S. Skinner, Aransas Pass veterinarian, will be at the Fulton Fire Station Saturday, May 6, between the hours of 1 and 3 p.m. to vaccinate dogs against rabies.



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Skinner's	7 Oz.
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Campfire	
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Pkg. of 12	
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Giant	50 Bayer
IPANA	ASPIRIN
49c	35c
Reg. 59c	Pint
Johnson's	
Baby Powder	Mineral Oil
49c	29c
Sun Spun Crushed	No. 303
PINEAPPLE	23c
Starlite Sliced	No. 2 Can
PINEAPPLE	29c
Bama Red Plum	2 Lb. Jar
JAM	39c
Jus-Made Orange, Grape or	1/2 Gal. Jug
FRUIT PUNCH	3-99c
Your Choice	
BISCUITS	2-19c
Starlite	
MILK	2-29c
Blue Plate—with free brush	Qt.
BAR-B-Q SAUCE	75c
Delight	
DOG FOOD	3-25c
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SUGAR	51c	
LUNCHEON MEAT		
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SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

JEANETTE MORRISON'S FATHER PASSES AWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morrison left Sunday morning to drive to Wink, where Mrs. Morrison's father, L. C. Hanes had passed away. The funeral was held Tuesday from the First Methodist Church in Wink, and burial was in the Wink Cemetery.

RIALTO THEATRE

Aransas Pass

Thursday, May 4
Bob Hope and
Lucille Ball In

The Facts of Life

Friday and Saturday
May 5-6
Frank Lovejoy and
Abby Darlton In

Cole Younger, Gunfighter

-also-

Werner Klemperer and
Ruth Lee In

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May 7-8-9
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Students Learn Gettysburg Address

As the culmination of several weeks study of the Civil War, the students of the eighth grade wrote from memory the 250-word Gettysburg address.

Those who successfully completed this assignment are as follows:

Sherry Brundrett, Florence Casterline, Joe Cavitt, Jean Diederich, Michael Gray, Lola Lewis, Jose Martinez, Hugh Morrison, Carolyn Pena, Terrie Thomas, Tommy Thompson, Adolfo Torres, Patricia Weber, Diane Williams, Carol Yates.

Salida Cobb, Ruby Lown, Herby Mills, Alifonsa Pulido, Sylvia Sanchez, Gloria Schoonover, Ronnie Valdez, Vickie Vermillion.

Jimmy Anders, Carolyn Armintrout, Janis Clark, Diane Davis, Lupe Hulet, Mary Lou Johnson, Michael Lane, Sallie McCord, Sammy Nava, Roy Rogero, James Stewart, John Weaver.

Betty Sue Barber, Laura Crabb, Susie LeBlanc, Consuela Rinche, Shelley Roaten, Carolyn Taylor.

CALVARY BAPTIST WMU MEETS

The WMU of Calvary Baptist Church met Tuesday night at 7:30 May 2, for their executive meeting.

Mrs. Anna Parr brought an interesting program on "Christ for West Africa." Mrs. Minnie Collum read the prayer list and Mrs. Opal Green opened with prayer. The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Minnie Collum.

Those present at the meeting were: Mrs. E. B. Crawford, Mrs. Minnie Collum, Mrs. W. S. Sanders, Mrs. Dorothy Wagster, Mrs. Anna Parr, Mrs. Opal Green, and Mrs. Helen Clark.

Ted Atwood is able to be around a little.

Dramatic Students To Entertain Junior High

On Wednesday, May 10, at 1:30 p.m., members of the first year dramatics class will entertain the Junior High student body with two one-act plays.

"Sunday Costs Five Pesos" has, as its setting, a village in Northern Mexico. The characters are as follows:

Fidel, in love with Berta, Abraham Sanchez; Berta, Mary Ann Garza; Salome, a friend of Berta, Mary Alice Trevino; Tonia, friend of Berta, Orlia Sanchez; and Celestina, Lydia Benevides.

"Whodunit" is a comedy take-off on the old-time melodrama. The cast includes: Announcer, Andy Everett. The detectives in the play are as follows: Pete Thursday, John Cooke, Jr.; Mr. South, N. E. Jackson; Mrs. South, Phyllis Cox; and Miss Fancy Blue, Sue Johnson.

The rest of the cast includes: Junior, a young G-man, Joe Hugenberg; Alice, Judy Deason; Grandma, a gentle old lady, Sharon Blunt; Malcolm, handsome young man, Prentice Owens; Harriet, a gloomy housekeeper, Kay Mack; Featherstone, a proper butler, Booker T. Mack; Jake, a sinister character, Gary Tuer; Uncle Eben, a bad-tempered old man, Eugene Johnson; a nurse, Glenda Pat Turner; a young girl, Terri Ankele; two stretcher bearers, Jimmy Nichols, Serapio Garza.

A hearty welcome is extended to all parents and friends who care to attend.

LOCAL VFW ATTENDS ODEM MEET MONDAY

18 members of Stewart-Wendell VFW Post 3904, Rockport, attended a district meeting of the San Antonio County Council of VFW, held in Odem Monday night, May 1.

The following officers were elected for a 1-year term.

County council commander, Royce Reed, Odem; senior vice-commander, H. C. Mullinax, Rockport; junior vice-commander, Howard Featherling, Sinton; quartermaster, Albert Luckenbach, Odem; judge-advocate, Caster Yountz, Sinton; chaplain, Rev. Juan Canales, Odem; trustees, Vernon Kleypas, Rockport, Bill Schmidt, Mathis, Paul Hill, Sinton.

Frank Buck, 6th district commander, was the installing officer. Sinton post won the cross of Malta attendance award with 22 members present with Rockport a close second with 18 members present.

Next county council meeting to be held in Rockport on June 5.

A representation of county, district, state and national officers are expected to attend.

AREA GROUP VISITS HOUSE

Rep. Tom Andrews of Aransas Pass was host for more than a dozen constituents at the House Appropriations Committee hearing on the teacher pay raise bill Monday night in Austin.

His guests on the House floor included: Mrs. Catherine Rowland, president of Lamar P-TA, Sinton; Mrs. Wanda Eakin, district president of P-TA, Sinton; Mrs. Janelle Bryant, reporter, Sinton Enterprise;

Royce Fromme, Sinton; J. E. Dickerson, principal of Lamar School, Sinton; W. C. Andrews, superintendent of Gregory-Portland schools; J. D. Gray, superintendent of Aransas County Schools, Rockport; J. D. Carlisle, superintendent, Sinton public schools; E. L. Willman, superintendent, Refugio public schools.

There will be a meeting of the Presbyterian Session this Thursday evening, at 7:30 p.m.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

1. Sealed bids, in duplicate, addressed to the Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners, Aransas County Navigation District No. 1, will be received at P. O. Box 426, Rockport, Texas, until 11 A. M. May 26, 1961, and then publicly opened and read, for furnishing all labor, material and equipment and performing all work required for the construction of a water line at The Cove for Aransas County Navigation District No. 1, hereinafter termed OWNER.

2. The labor and materials, shall include approximately 5000 feet of 4" transit pipe, together with the necessary fittings, five 4" valves, four 4" bends, three 4" caps, three 4" tees, and the necessary labor and equipment to bury the line with 30" cover.

3. Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes upon the blank Form of Proposal furnished. Sealed envelopes shall be marked in the upper left hand corner as follows:

Do not open in Mail Room."

Bid for Water Line at The Cove

To be opened 11 A. M., Friday, May 26, 1961.

4. All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check upon a national or state bank in the amount of 5% of the total base bid amount, payable to Aransas County Navigation District No. 1, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance bond within fifteen (15) days after notice of award. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered.

5. All bid securities will be returned to the respective bidders within ten (10) days after the bids are opened, except those which the OWNER elects to hold until the successful bidder has executed the contract and furnished performance bond. Thereafter all remaining securities, including security of the successful bidder, will be returned within ten (10) days.

6. The successful bidder must furnish performance bond upon an approved standard form in the amount of 100% of the contract price for an approved surety company licensed by the Texas Board of Insurance Commissioners, or acceptable according to the latest list of companies holding certificates of authority from the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner.

7. The right is reserved, as the interest of the OWNER may require, to reject any and all bids, and to waive any informality in bids received.

8. Plans and specifications may be secured on and after May 10, 1961, from the office of Aransas County Navigation District No. 1, Rockport, Texas.

9. Bidders should carefully examine the plans and specifications, visit the site of the work, and fully inform themselves as to all conditions and matters which can in any way affect the work or the cost thereof. Should a bidder find discrepancies in, or omission from the plans and specifications, or should he be in doubt as to their meaning, he should at once notify the District and obtain clarification prior to submitting any bid.

ARANSAS COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT NO. 1

By Ted R. Little, Chairman

May 3, 1961

MISS STIVERS HONORED WITH BIG TREE LUNCH

Mrs. Randall Stivers Sr., Mrs. O. C. Fowler and Mrs. Gene Everett were hostesses for a luncheon honoring Pam Stivers, 1961 Aransas County High School graduate, at the Big Tree.

Luncheon was served from a table decorated in green and white, the school colors, and with miniature graduates in cape and gowns.

Guests for the occasion were Mrs. Randall Stivers, Jr., Miss Elsie Bob Fariss, class sponsor and Misses Barbara Barnard, Linda Clark, Nina Ann Fields, Sandra Gardner, Martha Ann Tanna, Mary Ann Hammac, Barbara Holley, June Knippa, Frances LeBlanc, Joyce Lewis, Katherine McClellan, and Mary Scott.

The hostesses presented Miss Stivers with a wishing well charm for her charm bracelet.

Mrs. Henry Bailey is still quite ill.

Country Club Celebration Set For Weekend

The annual anniversary celebration of Live Oak Country Club is scheduled this weekend.

Festivities will open with a dance Saturday night from 9 till 1. Music will be by the Dave Rourke Trio.

Finals in all flights of the men's championship golf tournament will be played Sunday and trophies will be awarded winners at 5 p.m.

The club swimming pool will be open at 2 p.m. Sunday.

A barbecue supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

The events are open only to club members and out-of-town guests. Members will be admitted free, but a charge will be made for guests, officials stated.

Standings Thursday morning were as follows:

Championship: Bill Dube vs. Mullett Gregory.

Championship consolation: John Stellman vs. Bill Clark.

First flight: Ernie Falgout and Homer Warren; First Flight consolation: Chic Robert and Kokie Couch.

Second flight: Warren Howery and Fred Chastain; Second flight consolation: Mark Tiner and Dick Reynolds.

Third flight: Millard Darce and J. Meredith Sterns; Third flight consolation: Joe Wischer, Ed Richards and Red Garrett.

Fourth flight: Justin Snyder and Dale Hagy; Fourth flight consolation: J. M. Attaway, Ray Westmorland and Wilson Wehring.

Fifth flight: Paul Ward and Elton Mayer; Fifth flight consolation: Lou Tuer and Dub Bruton.

Rockport Students Correspond With Sioux Indians

The fourth grade children of Mrs. Paul Sorenson's room 11 at Rockport Elementary School have made a shell collection to send to the fourth grade children at He Dog School, Rosebud Indian Reservation, Parmalee, South Dakota.

As a project in language class David Hotz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hotz, chose the Rosebud Indian Reservation as the address for his friendly letter.

Letters in response have come from children whose family names are strange: High Pipe, Medicine, Yellow Hawk, Big Crow, and Neck. Their fourth grade teacher, Miss McKenzie, has encouraged them to write as a part of their language classwork.

The response of the Indian children, their unusual names, and their friendly curiosity about Rockport made room 11 decide to send picture post cards, a book about shells, and their shell collection to the He Dog School.

Room 11 hopes to head more about these children and their way of living.

PRESBYTERIAN CIRCLES MEET

The various Presbyterian Circles One met at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Ted Atwood; while Circle Four and Circle Five met at the same time, one in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Smith, where Mrs. Manch Brundrett was co-hostess; the other met with Mrs. Billie McCord in her home. Circle Two met at 3 p.m. in the church with Mrs. Hazel Happner as hostess, and Circle Three will meet in the church at 7:30 p.m., with Mrs. James Cruser as hostess.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Casterline Fish Company, the boat captains and crews, the personnel of the marine laboratory, Stewart-Wendell Post No. 3904 VFW, the Coast Guard at Port Aransas, the Corpus Christi Naval Base and W. B. Allen, all of whom were so kind to us during our recent bereavement.

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Rockport Next Week

Friday, May 5: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Shaver have an anniversary; Jimmy Lishley, David Lashley, Pamela Willis and Tommy Ben Thompson all have birthdays.

Saturday, May 6: Senior dance at the youth building; Michael Lee Meeker, Orville Carroll and Tommy McCabe have birthdays.

Sunday, May 7: Church; Frank Casterline has a birthday.

Monday, May 8: Classes at the Rockport School of Fine Arts; City Council meets; Commissioners Court meets; Masonic Lodge meets; Sue Stockton and Nancy Clark have birthdays.

Tuesday, May 9: Rockport IOOF; VFW; Woman's Club of Aransas County; Aransas County School Board; Mrs. B. W. Hamblin and Otto Gunthor have birthdays.

Wednesday, May 10: Fulton PTA meets; Rotary.

Thursday, May 11: Rebekah; Rockport and Fulton Fire Departments; W. A. Ormand has a birthday.

BIG RATTLER KILLED HERE

Tinker Thompson and Otis Rouquette like to live dangerously. They ganged a four-foot, nine-inch rattler as thick as your arm when they saw the snake crawling across the road, and while one diverted its attention, the other clobbered it with a two-by-four. The snake had nine rattles when they killed it, but evidently had a better set some time in the past. The button and some others were missing.

L. W. Hight has had to return to the Naval Hospital.

Women of The Presbyterian Church Celebrate

The thirty-ninth birthday of the Women of the Presbyterian Church was observed by a party in the home of Mrs. S. F. Jackson which approximately forty attended.

The substantial donations made at the party will go to worthy causes in Taiwan and the Congo, following a custom which allocates these offerings to some chosen work in the church.

A very interesting and informative program, depicting the training of witnesses and the sending of the Gospel to these countries was presented in the form of a TV panel and a simulated remote control broadcast.

Mrs. James Cruser, Mrs. James Jackson, Mrs. Leonard Bateman, Mrs. F. D. Wick, and Mrs. George T. Miller "reported" from Taiwan; Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. Boyd Faucett, Mrs. Fred Brundrett, Mrs. A. B. Chernosky, and Mrs. Earle Thomas "reported" from the Congo.

Mrs. Norvell Jackson assisted the panelists and Mrs. A. L. Bachman acted as "network" announcer.

The Jackson home was beautifully decorated with bougainvillea, chrysanthemums, and orchids.

Individual birthday cakes, coffee and punch were served, Mrs. Ray Holley served the cake; Mrs. O. W. Brymer presided at the punch service; Mrs. Bachman poured the coffee.

Mrs. Cecil Lang was in charge of a brief devotional, and the Rev. Cecil Lang dismissed the group with prayer.

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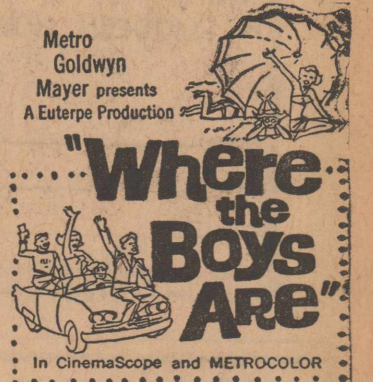
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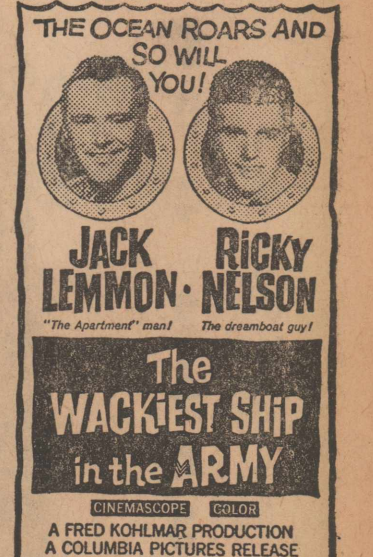
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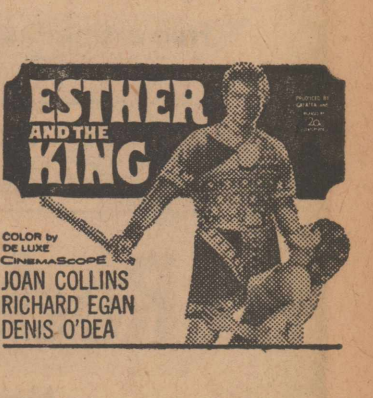
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EARLY MIRRORS WERE POOLS

Eve's mirror was a pool of still water in which she saw her face and started to primp.

Since then, mirrors have become an integral part of everyday life, and the directory of Texas manufacturers lists nearly two hundred firms that use mirrors in their products. In addition, there are 25 companies that depend upon mirrors for a large proportion of their business.

Six of these, including a manufacturer of scientific instruments,

headquarter in Houston, the largest group in any Texas city. There are four in Dallas, a couple in El Paso, four in San Antonio, and the rest are scattered throughout the cities of the state.

But there have been a lot of mirrors made since some prehistoric man presented his helpmate with a smoothly polished chunk of volcanic glass in which she could see her face darkly. One like this set in a handle of massy gold was found in an ancient grave in Panama; Egyptian mirrors of metal more than four thousand years old have been unearthed in

tombs in the Nile Valley.

The Venetian Mirror Makers Guild, making looking glasses with deadly mercury, early attained a monopoly of these aids to beauty which they controlled for 150 years, bringing wealth to their city, for mirrors they sold were fabulously expensive.

But it was not until nearly 400 years ago that men realized looking glasses could be put to other uses than a lady's vanity.

Sir Isaac Newton invented the first reflecting telescope using a small metal mirror or speculum. This was a fore-runner to the 82-inch mirror used in McDonald Observatory near Fort Davis to observe the stars. Only three others in the world are larger, one of them at Mt. Palomar, California, having a 200-inch mirror.

Early mirrors were all hand made, but in recent years they have been manufactured on giant machines that almost literally turn them out by the mile.

They are used in the periscopes of submarines, in lighthouses, alongside airport runways and in sextants utilized by navigators of ships and airplanes.

And John Nolan of Houston, a glass salesman whose hobby is glass, has an ancient heliograph of the kind used by our Indian fighting army in the old days of Texas, to signal across the desert miles, from hilltop to hilltop.

There are one-way mirrors that serve as peepholes for people behind them, and there are those ludicrous mirrors used in fun houses that make you look short and round, or tall and thin by distortions in their surface.

No woman's handbag or vanity case is complete without one by which she can see to make repairs to her face, and in the old days, this same vanity was catered to when Louis XIV built the famous Hall of Mirrors in the Versailles Palace, later transcended by a far more magnificent one erected by Ludwig, the mad Bavarian king.

No one has ever proved, however, that shattering a mirror brings seven years' bad luck, nor can anyone tell what started the legend which says no bride must look in a mirror between the time she is fully dressed for her wedding and the completion of the marriage ceremony.

In Japan, mirrors are enshrined in Shinto temples; in English literature Tennyson's Lady of Shalott spent her life watching the world in a mirror, dying when she turned to look at Sir Lancelot.

And there is Alice, the immortal, who spent a lovely afternoon visiting "Through the Looking Glass." Nor can anyone forget the wicked queen of Crimm's fairy story, depicted in modern times by Walt Disney in "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."

She opened the wonderful talking looking glass that always assured her she was the most beautiful until that unfortunate day when she asked, once too often: "Mirror, mirror on the wall, Who is fairest of them all?"

And the mirror answered truthfully: "Thou wert the fairest, lady Queen; But Snow-White is fairest now, I ween."

Subsequent happenings were rough on Snow White, but virtue eventually triumphed, she married

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Harry Carter, Minister in Charge
Holy Communion and Sermon, first Sunday each month, at 7:30 p.m.; other Sundays, Morning Prayer and Sermon at 9:00 a.m. Church School each Sunday at 10:15 a.m. Choir rehearsal is each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. The Episcopal Church Women meet the first Thursday at 4:00 p.m., and the Bishop's Committee on the second Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

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Very Rev. G. J. O'Doherty, Pastor
Masses: Sunday, 7 a.m., 9 a.m., 6 p.m.; Holy Days, 8 a.m., 7 p.m. weekdays. Monday, Tuesday, Friday, 8 a.m. (7 a.m. June, July, Aug.) Wednesday 5 p.m. Thursday, 11:30 a.m. Saturday, 7 a.m. Friday night Novena devotions at 7 p.m. Confessions, Saturdays from 4:30 to 6 and 7 to 8 p.m. Vigil before Holy Days and Thursdays before First Fridays, 4:30 to 6 p.m.

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, 6:15 p.m.; evening service, 7:15 p.m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:15 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, 9:30 a.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 Laqua
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching, 10:45 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Wednesday. Brotherhood, first Thursday, 7:00 p.m.; WMU, first Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.

ROCKPORT BAPTIST MISSION

Pastor, Abraham Aldape
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.

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Rev. H. F. Smith, Pastor
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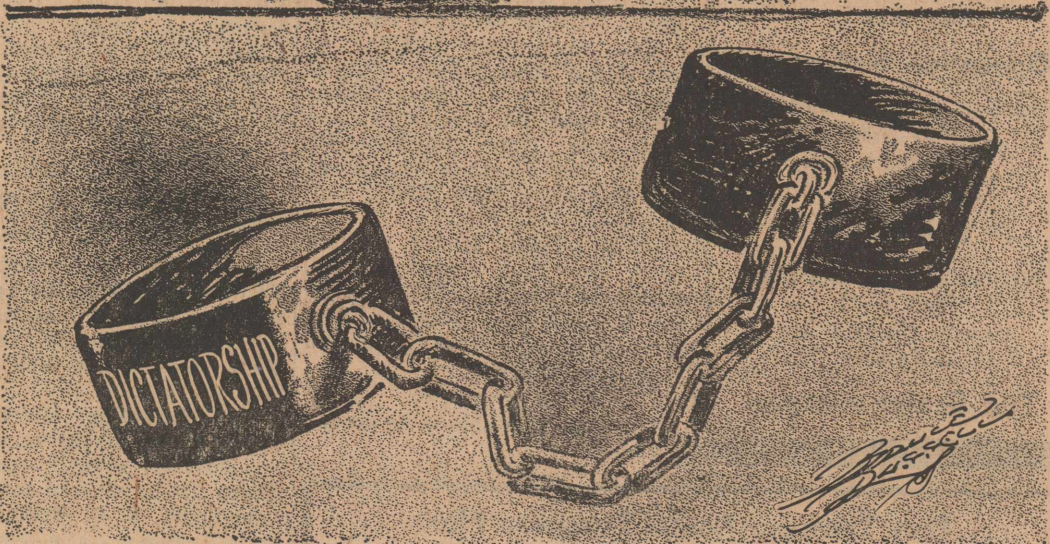
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Third Grade Children Present Light Opera

Gilbert and Sullivan's light opera "HMS" Pinafore" will be presented by the third grade class of Rockport Elementary School Monday night, May 8, at 7:30 p.m., in the Rockport Elementary Auditorium. Admission will be 15 cents for students and 25 cents for adults.

The cast was as follows:
Captain, Reggie Clark; Sir Joseph Porter, Bobby Jackson; Buttercup, Veronica La Borde; Josephine, Connie Boggus; Ralph, Alonzo Solis; Dick Deadeye, David Thibedeaux; Hebe, Debra Cruser.
Sailors: Polo Morales, Lanny Landrum, Harold Lawrence, Mario Flores, Mitchell Gillilan, Jovier Pena, James Court, Al Johnson, Don Wright, Joe Morales, Robert Chandler, Marvin Cobb Flip Carroway, Richard Anderson, Jimmy Arthur, Raymond Torres, Bill Kelsey, Fred Samora, Philip Carleton.

Sisters, cousins, and aunts: Adelina Benevides, Delia Val Valdez, Diane Solis, Jaine Davila, Ermalinda Martinez, Angela McCann, Pauline Perez, Josephine Flores, Brownie West, Patricia Skoruppa, Ada Jean Demory, Sherry Ratliff, Katherine Miller, Denise Washburn, Josephine Alonzo, Mary Benevides, Diane Cole, Patricia Chupe, Susan Menke, Rose Marie Miller, Rosa Morales, Norma Nava, Diane Pina, Julia Solis, Viola Torres, Mary Lou Valliegrue.

Stage crew: James Dye, Roy Eaton, John Chupe.

Reading choir: Ralph, Mark Jeffers; Dick Deadeye, Daniel Leonard; Josephine, Wanda Minyard; Sir Joseph, Bobby Harist; Buttercup, Renee Tuer, Deborah Waist; Mate, Roger Satward, John Martinez.

Choir members: Elida Benevides, Shirley Clark, Lola Clayton, Eddie Cole, Cindy Crawford, Donna Edge, Sylvia Garcia, Brenda

Hawes, Jerrol Hawes, Patricia Henderson, Gloria Herrera, Mary Hinton, Jackie Johnson, Kathy Perez, Jimmy Pina, Roy Lee Pina, Roberta Ramirez, Esmeralda Rodriguez, Patsy Shafer, Bonetta Simmons, Josephine Torres, Pauline Valdez, Randy Loper.

Choir leader: Sandra Watkins.
Stage set design: Mr. Dannelly. Stage set construction: Mr. Dannelly, Mr. Griffith, Mrs. Kautz. Costumes, monitor: Mrs. Sorenson.

Prompter: Mrs. Pritchett. Director: Miss Venable.

The cast and directors wish to extend their appreciation to Miss Katie Lee Clarke and her room for making the hats, to Mrs. Hooker and her room for making collars, to Mrs. Leonard for making the ship wheel, to Mrs. Pritchett for bringing the bell and telescope, to all the third grade teachers for their work in presenting this play, and to the many mothers who made costumes.

MORNING PRAYER

The members of the Rockport Church of God are having prayer each morning at 7 a.m. Asking every one to pray for us, and come pray with us.

—Rev. V. V. Liser, Pastor

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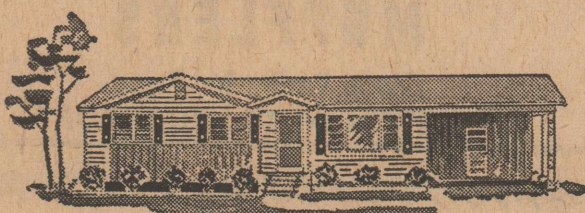
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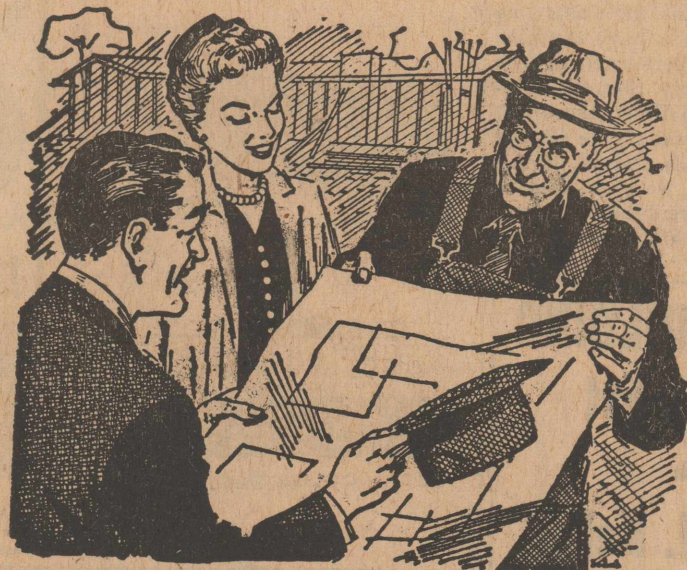
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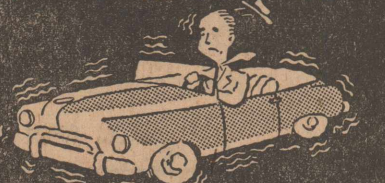
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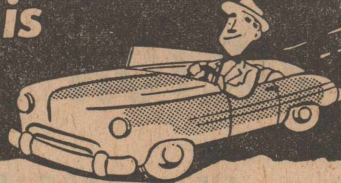
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ROCKPORT JUNIOR SCIENCE CLUB PRESENTS PROGRAM

The Junior Science Club of Rockport Elementary School presented a program at its regular meeting Friday, April 28. President Terry Wishert introduced the narrator, Ruth Shaver, who took her audience back into history to see how man has discovered electricity and has made it work for him. The early Greek and Italian experimenters were played by David Bird, Robert Iles, Mario Rodriguez, Joe Flores, and Larry Leonard. Craig Taylor and Junior Flores showed Benjamin Franklin working with some of his experiments.

James Russell, Ruben Ramirez, and Benny Arispe played Faraday, Alexander Graham Bell, and Thomas A. Edison, respectively.

Assisting with various experiments and explanations of diagrams were Patricia Clark, Kay Sparks, Linda Brisbin, Stanley Shelby, and Kay Shafer.

The club members were especially pleased to have as special guests, Mrs. Tommy Griffith and her sixth grade class from Aransas Pass. After the program, cold drinks were served and everyone had a very good time.

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Miss Ankerman is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Natt Sanders of Rockport, and stayed with them, while the other three were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mills while here.

During their stay, they held a luau on Rockport beach, and had as their guests for the roast pig the following: Guy Clark, Carl Snyder, Dale Barnard, Mike Johnson, Curtis Johnson, Hayes Ward, Charles LeBlanc, James Richard Fox, Robert Shivers and Roy DeForest.

MRS. THOMAS GRIFFITH ENTERTAINED THURSDAY

Mrs. Roy Lee Hart and Mrs. Ellis L. Clark entertained with a coffee Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hart. Honoree was Thomas E. Griffith who has recently moved to Rockport from Aransas Pass together with Mr. Griffith and their daughter Gayle.

The refreshment table was laid with a white cut-work cloth and centered with pink carnations flanked by pink tapers and centered with pink carnations flanked by pink tapers in silver holders. Appointments were in silver and crystal. Mrs. James C. Cruser poured.

Guests were Mrs. J. D. Griggs, Mrs. A. C. Shivers, Mrs. Seth H. Steele, Miss Lorna Hamilton, Miss Ellen Ann Gilley, Miss Mattie Beth Gilley, Mrs. Richard Fox, Mrs. F. C. Williams, Mrs. Gene Eaton, Mrs. Guy Barber, Mrs. Dudley Bracht and Mrs. Lynwood Eller.

MISS ROCKPORT EXPRESSES THANKS

A very wonderful time was spent by Georgia Kresta during Buccaneer Days.

She spent the past weekend attending dinners, lunches, rehearsals, TV appearances, parades, the beauty contest, and the boat show and races.

Georgia wishes to thank each and every person who made this affair a wonderful one for her. She would also like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Gene Holland for taking her to Corpus for her TV appearance, Jerry Bowling for styling her hair, the ladies at Townsend's for helping with her clothes and cosmetics, Charles Speer for helping her make arrangements for the entire affair, and especially the Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes for making this occasion possible and for the Jaycee sponsorship.

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Wednesday, May 10: Hamburgers, mayonnaise, mustard, shoe-string potatoes, buttered English peas, lettuce, pickles, tomatoes, buns, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, May 11: Beef stew with vegetables, Spanish rice, head lettuce salad, bread, butter, jelly roll, milk.

Friday, May 12: Tuna, noodle casserole, buttered carrots, relish cole slaw, French bread, butter, prune cake, milk.

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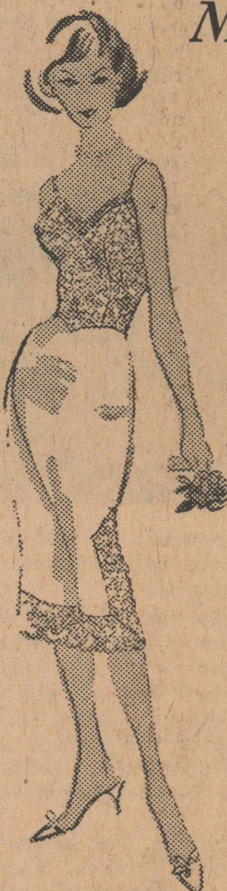
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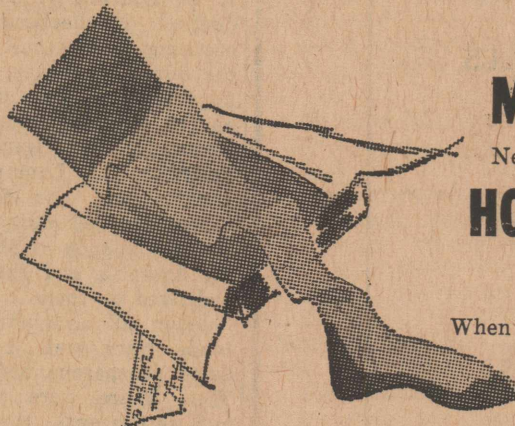


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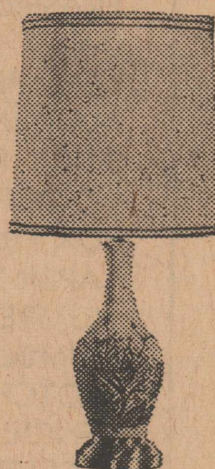


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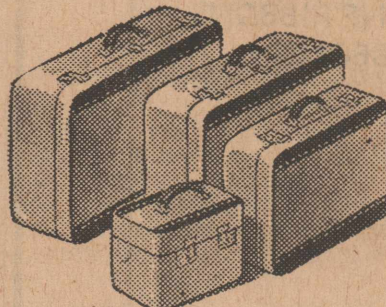
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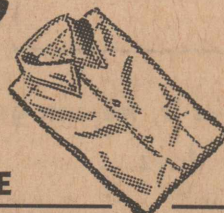


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TWO SEA CAPTAINS JOHNSON AND SOME OF THEIR FRIENDS

By Hobart Huson

(continued from last week)

About the year 1850 Captain Peter moved his headquarters further west, to old "Powderhorn," or Indianola, on Lavaca bay. In 1851 he obtained the contract with the United States government to carry the mails by water from Indianola to Corpus Christi, and intermediate ports. This contract he retained until after the Civil War began. That unhappy conflict, of course, terminated the Federal mail service in Texas for four years. Following the Mexican War the hinterland of West Texas began to be settled, and settlers, with their effects, came from all parts of the world to make homes in that section. For obvious reasons transportation by water was preferable, and Captain Peter had his share of this profitable business.

To facilitate the conduct of his business, Captain Peter established a new base at the west end of St. Joseph's Island, then a part of Refugio county. In 1851 he erected a large two-story building on the bay side of the island at a point about opposite the present town of Rockport. This point became thereafter known as St. Joseph's. The ground floor of the building was used for a commissary. The upstairs was used for lodgings for passengers and transients, and shortly for living quarters for Johnson and his family. The building was the western terminus of

the stage line hereinafter mentioned.

The transportation business involved by Captain Johnson was carried on by both land and water. Passengers, mail and express were carried by boat from Indianola to Saluria, then a thriving custom-house town at the north end of Matagorda Island, at the entrance of Paso Cavallo. From Saluria they were carried overland by stage, along the route which followed by bayside beach along Matagorda Island to Cedar Bayou, where a crossing was made by ferry-boat, the route continuing along the beach of St. Joseph's Island to St. Joseph's. From that point the carriage was by boat to Lamar, Copano, St. Mary's, Aransas City and Corpus Christi. There were three stage stations on the islands, one at Saluria, another at Vinson's Slough, at Cedar Bayou, and the third at St. Joseph's. While awaiting stage or boat to continue their journeys, passengers were housed at one or the other of these stations.

The equipment of Johnson's transportation lines consisted of the three stage stations mentioned, the ferry-boat across Cedar Bayou, two stage coaches with sufficient relays of mule teams, and two seagoing vessels, the "Belleport," a sloop, and the "Fairy," a schooner. The "Belleport," was originally a schooner, but had been converted

SPENCER TO SELL PONIES

Emory M. Spencer, whose herd of Shetland ponies has been growing and growing, has decided to sell some of them. "Many people have asked me about them," he said, "but I've never sold one before. However, they will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis, at the pasture on Highway 35, in the south end of town."

Spencer said the ponies in the herd were among the gentlest he has ever seen.

into a sloop, with an 80-foot beam. Later a third mast was restored to this ship. The "Fairy" was a three-masted schooner. All of this equipment was owned by Captain Peter Johnson, who operated one of the boats. Captain Charles Johnson, who operated the other. John Smith and Frank Peterson were two of the stage drivers. The mails were carried two or three times each way every week.

Business being prosperous, Captain Peter Johnson took unto himself a wife, between 1951 and 1853. She was born Wilhelmina Rabel. At the time of her marriage to Captain Johnson she was the widow Harris, by whom she had one child, a daughter, Bertha Harris. Wilhelmina was a native of Alsace, then a province of France. She and Captain Peter were married in a civil ceremony at Indianola. Later there was a religious service by a priest at Lamar. The couple after their marriage made their home in the big station building at St. Joseph's. Here their three oldest children were born.

The children of Captain and Wilhelmina Johnson were:

1. Louisa Johnson, born on St. Joseph's Island. She married John Pons.
2. William Johnson, born on St. Joseph's Island. He married Alice Rook.
3. Peter A. Johnson (myself), born on St. Joseph's Island, July 23, 1858.
4. Catherine (Kate) Johnson, born at Lamar. She married John Hope.
5. Charles Johnson, born at Lamar. He married "Taddie" Paul, daughter of Captain Philip Paul, formerly of St. Joseph's Island, then of Lamar.
6. Albert Johnson, born at Lamar. He married Gertrude Lake.
7. Sarah Johnson, born at Lamar. She died at the age of 8 years.
8. Louis H. Johnson, born at Lamar, March 29, 1868. He married Helen Augusta Winsor, daughter of Richard S. Winsor.

Having been a small child when the family left St. Joseph's Island, I, of course, do not have any distinct recollections of events occurring during our residence on the island. However, many of the families who were our neighbors on the island followed us to the mainland, and were again our neighbors at Lamar. From my parents and our friends I, of course, learned many things about the two islands of Matagorda and St. Joseph's and the people who had lived on them.

From all accounts the two islands were well populated and quite prosperous before the Civil War. There were several towns and settlements, the principal of these being Saluria, which I have been told was a fine town. The population was connected either with the sea or the cattle industry.

Among those living on St. Joseph's Island were, Captain Frederick Augustine, D. Ballou, Seth T. (Jim) Ballou, A. Benson, Captain L. Bludworth, George, John M. J. W. and Thomas Brundrett, H. L. Clark, William F. Clark, Captain Collins, Alex Dorsey, Jack Harding, Parry Humphreys, Jr., Captain Peter Johnson, Captain Theodore Johnson, George Little, John Little, William Little, Captain James Mainlan, Robert A. Mercer, Jack Paletta, James Paul, Captain Philip Paul, Frank Peterson, Joseph E. Plummer, Jacob Roberts, Captain William R. Roberts, Captain George Roberts, George Rogers, Henry Seward, Marion Seward, John Smith, Robert Smith, Captain William Smith, James Sullivan, C. Thompson, F. Thompson, Captain James B. Wells, H. N. Williamson, and J. Woods.

Some of the families living on Matagorda Island were, Captain John Baker, Captain Cook, Captain James Cummings, Ducas Dubois, Thomas M. Duke, Judge Hugh W. Hawes, Captain William Nichols, and Captain Tarlton Tucker. Most of these Matagorda Island families moved to the Hynes Bay country during the Civil War.

The business of Captain Peter Johnson was prosperous when the Civil War began. It continued to

Bishop Garriga To Be Honored On Golden Jubilee

All of South Texas has been invited to a reception honoring the Most Reverend M.S. Garriga, D.D., LL.D., bishop of the Corpus Christi Diocese of the Catholic Church on his Golden Jubilee.



The reception will be held in the Driscoll Hotel ballroom, from 7-9 p.m., on May 10.

Bishop Garriga's Jubilee, which actually begins May 8, marks his fiftieth year as a priest and his 25th year as a bishop. Dignitaries in the Catholic Church in the United States and foreign countries have accepted invitations to participate in the church observance.

Cardinals who will attend the jubilee include Francis, Cardinal Spellman of New York; James Francis, Cardinal McIntyre, of Los Angeles; Albert, Cardinal Meyer, of Chicago; Aloisius, Cardinal Muench, Roman Curia of the Vatican City; and Jose, Cardinal Garibi-Rivera, of Gaudalajara, Mexico.

In addition, there will be some 22 bishops attending.

The Most Reverend Egidio Vagnozzi of Washington, D.C., Apostolic Delegate to the United States, will dedicate the new sanctuary at Corpus Christi Minor Cemetery during the celebration.

be prosperous until the blockade became effective. The Civil War ruined Captain Johnson and most of the islanders. The islands got a set-back from which they never recovered. During the first year of the war the inhabitants were not molested by the Federals, but the next year the Union fleets became quite active in Texas waters, and the islanders began to feel the effects of the war. Then landing parties were sent to the islands from the passing Federal fleets. These parties would steal and commit all manner of depredations. Finally the passing warships began to bombard the houses and settlements, which they could and did do from a distance of three miles. Life on the islands became unbearable, and extremely dangerous. It was then, following a particularly fierce bombardment, the population decided to abandon their pleasant homes and their little properties and go to the mainland for safety.

Many of the men were in the Confederate naval or military services. Those who remained, assisted fatherless families in getting to places of safety. Some of the men who were not in the army or navy went with their own families to the mainland. Others took their families over and came back to look after their properties.

(continued next week)

Next to the diamond, the sapphire is the hardest stone. The following year, 1 B.C. was

Comic strips are believed to be read by well over half the nation's adults.

Thespians to Initiate New Members May 9

National Thespian Troupe 2084 will hold its annual initiation program Tuesday, May 9, at 8 p.m., in the high school auditorium.

Officers for this year who will initiate the new members are Frances LeBlanc, president; Tommy McCabe, vice-president; Joyce Lewis, secretary; Billy Johnson, treasurer; and Linda Clark, records clerk. Other members include Cynthia Highfill, Virginia Holland, Barbara Holley and Carol Kinsel.

Those being initiated are as follows: Milton Court, Niki Dick, Nina Fields, Annette Gardner, Jimmy Jackson, N. F. Jackson, Sharon Jenkins, Sue Johnson, Jimmy Lukehart, Jr., Katherine McClellan, Mary Scott, Azalea Shivers, Margaret St. John, Pam Stivers, Jeane Torres, Carolyn Washington, and Pat Webb.

Seven phases of the theatre will be presented. Suzanne Keith will present a dance; Annette Gardner and DeRema LeFevre will present a musical selection; Martha Hanna will read a selection from literature; and Virginia Holland, Barbara Holley, Joyce Lewis, Cynthia Highfill, Julia Nava, and Pam Stivers will present the short play, "When Shakespeare's Ladies Meet."

Several non-Thespians will help in the initiation. Students taking parts are Sue Armstrong, Pat Elder, Sue Eller, Darlyne Fincher, Sue Hackett, Clifton McElwee, and Karen Willson.

The program is free and the public is cordially invited to attend.

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A story with pictures, dealt with Rockport's School of Fine Arts, directed by Simon G. Michael.

Another story and picture told of the Mother House of the Schoenstatt Sisters of Mary and their work.

A third picture story contained photographs of the Old Mathis House, now owned by C. C. Fowler.

A fourth picture story included a picture of John Nolan, whose anchor monument at his summer home here is well-known to most people of the area. The story showed John with a heliograph, with which, it said, his wife calls him to dinner from his favorite fishing reef in Copano Bay.

And even the town's police force, or police-force-to-be, came in for its share of publicity, when two metropolitan dailies carried the story.

At least 1,250,000 people saw these stories, Baughman said, and, in addition, a number of trade magazines with large circulations either have, or will, carry articles on the newest addition to the Caspary and Wendell fleet, the Pecten.

So, he believes, a conservative estimate of the number of people who have seen Rockport reported in a favorable light during the last month is some 2,000,000 people, not counting those that read the Caller-Times, which, as always, has carried considerable Rockport news.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all of our friends who were so kind with their gifts of food and flowers, the many services they performed, and their wishes of sympathy during our bereavement.

The family of Carmel Flores

BARBARA BARNARD—

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tic achievement also offers an additional incentive bonus. College scholarships can also be won by a Valedictorian winning this trip abroad.

The written thesis submitted within 30 days following the tour will be presented to a Board of Judges. This board will review all thesis and select one in each county which, in its opinion it holds to be the best thesis in its particular field.

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Plan to attend Vacation Bible School May 29, through June 2, at the Methodist Church. Join with us on a trip "Around the World with Christ."

Plans have also been made for "Youth Activities Week" on this same date, only meeting for night sessions.

Mrs. Curtis McNabb and children, Alan and Deborah, of Corpus Christi, and Mrs. W. F. Close spent the weekend in Dallas as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Close and family.



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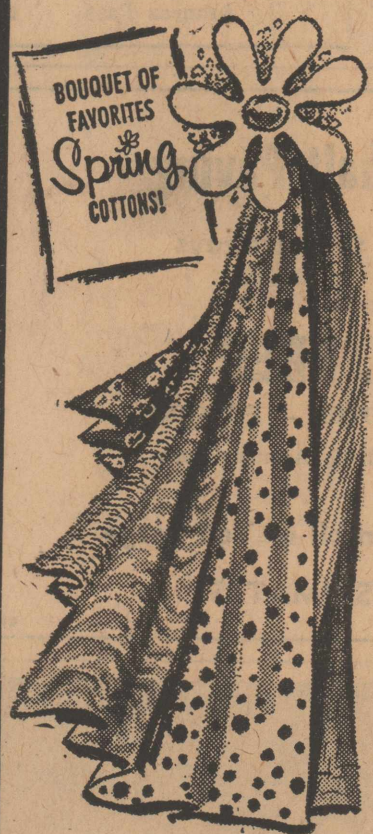
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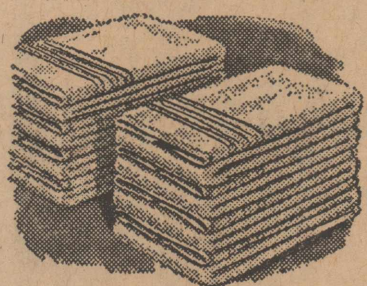
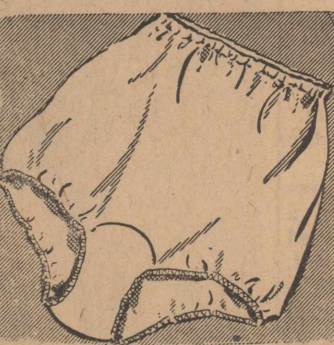
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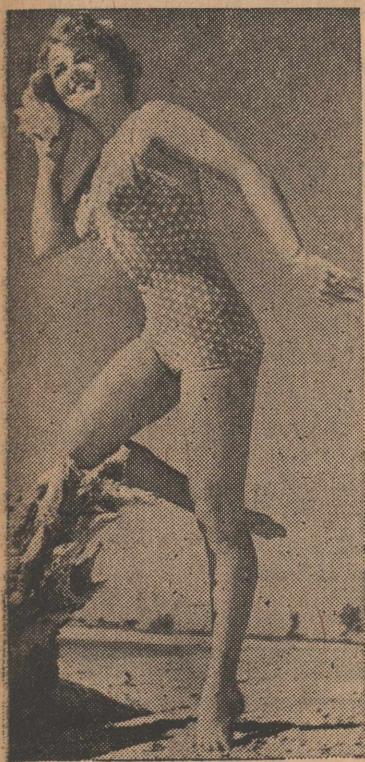
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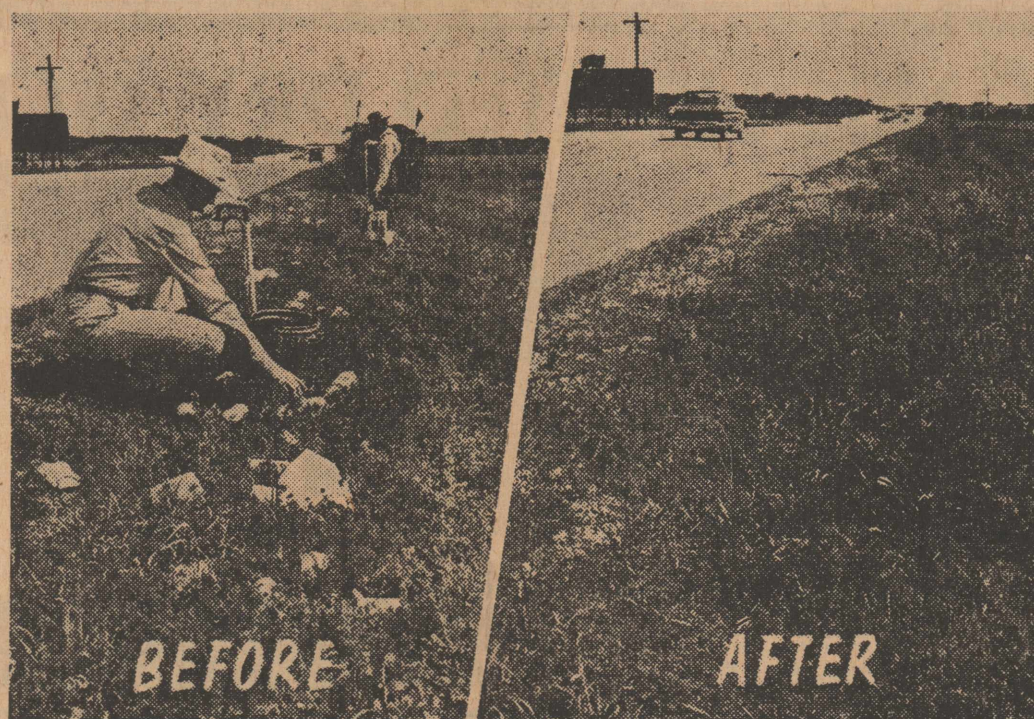
BAPTIST WMS HEARS MRS. MACKAY

The Executive Board of the First Baptist WMS met at the church at 8:30 Tuesday. The regular Royal Service and business meet, met at 9:30.

Mrs. Brumley, program chairman, presented Mrs. Dean Mackay. Mrs. Mackay spent six months as a resident of Ben Ghazi, Liberia, on the continent of Africa, and gave a very interesting talk about the customs of the people.

Coney Island was one of the first landing places of the Dutch, but for over 200 years was considered worthless wasteland.

Hoover Dam, 726 feet, is the highest in the world.



Litter tossed on Texas highways and roadsides has to be hand-picked. No machine can do this chore. Last year the clean-up and mowing bill for 57,500 maintained miles of Texas highways totaled more than \$7,000,000.

Texas Uranium At Falls City

Falls City has two distinctions: You can still buy a five-cent cup of coffee in its restaurants, and it is the headquarters for the only two producing uranium mines in Texas.

Five years ago, following the discovery that the atom bomb could be produced from the tough, silvery metal, leases around Falls City were selling for \$1,000 or more an acre, and 250,000 arthritics, lured by the magic name, journeyed to Texas, pitifully seeking relief at a cost of \$2 to \$10 daily for exposure to the ore.

Today the claims of the quacks are disproven; the uranium mines are closed; and Falls City is looking forward to completion next April of the nation's 26th uranium processing mill on which survey and erection crews are already working. The cost will be \$2,000,000.

It is being built by Susquehanna-Western of Denver, which holds a five year contract with the Atomic Energy Commission for transformation of South Texas carnitite—the ore from which uranium is refined—into yellow cake, a concentrate from which the government smelters eventually produce the metal.

There is an estimated 1,700,000-ton ore reserve in Duval and Karnes counties. Just how much of this will be mined by the time Susquehanna's contract runs out in 1966 is anybody's guess, including the geologists.

The reserves, proved before the AEC curb of November 1, 1958, are largely in Duval County, around the Palanga Dome, where engineers estimate there are a million tons.

But the mines and the mill are in Karnes County, near Tordilla Hill, site of the first uranium discovery in Texas, where there is another 700,000 tons of ore.

Susquehanna officials say that although the facility is planned to handle ore from both counties, most of it will probably come from the Falls City area, where the mill is located between the company's

mine, just started, and the older one belonging to the San Antonio Mining Company, a subsidiary of American Metals Climax, Inc.

Duval uranium is deep underground and expensive to mine, with water and gas problems. All uranium ore is radioactive and to some extent dangerous to mine, especially below ground where presence of radioactive radon gas can be hazardous after long exposure.

Fortunately for Texas miners, the Tordilla Hill deposits are close enough to the surface to be worked by conventional earth-moving machinery, which strips off the fertile over burden, exposing the yellowish ore, which looks like caliche.

Growing dirt movers scrape up 30 tons of ore at a pass, shoved along by caterpillar tractors that butt up against them savagely. Then they come barreling up the long ramps and roar across to the dump areas, swinging around and hurrying back for new loads.

As a ton of ore only produces about five pounds of metal, and as the price of uranium is fixed by the AEC at \$8 a pound, extreme care must be used in mining, lest costs of handling thousands of tons of non-productive earth eat up profits.

A man with a Geiger counter probes the earth and indicates where each bite shall be taken.

"We rough grade the ore as we mine it," said C. D. Foley, superintendent for C. Ryan and Son, contractors on the San Antonio Mining Company project.

"Then we sample and grade it carefully as the ore trucks leave the mine. Here, I'll show you," and he turned on a switch in the assay laboratory.

Dials began to glow on a box-like apparatus about the size of a trunk. After he shoved a prepared sample of uranium into a slot, lights flickered, mechanisms ticked, and bells rang, for all the world like a pin-ball machine, until at last, subtracting one row of indicator figures from another, he announced that the uranium content was nearly 10%.

However, this was exceptionally highgrade, as the average is about

2/10 of one percent. Pay is found from the surface down to about thirty-five feet, with the deepest end of the San Antonio mine reaching about 40 feet.

This mine has most of the 100,000 tons for which it has a contract stockpiled, waiting for the mill to open; Susquehanna just started mining operations in August, but already there is a pit that would hold a couple of city blocks and their buildings. Officials on the job say that they expect to move around 6,000 tons of ore a day from underneath the overburden.

The mill will have a capacity of 2,000 tons daily, and will operate on a 24-hour basis when completed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who showed their kindness and concern for us, during the hospitalization of Ted Atwood in Houston and since our return here. The flowers, cards, messages, calls, visits, food, and many other acts of thoughtfulness were all deeply appreciated. The Ted Atwood family c5

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CUB SCOUTS HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC DESPITE WEATHER

Pack 49 held its annual picnic in the big room of the concession stand at Goose Island Park, Saturday, April 29, because of the bad weather. Fried chicken, cabbage slaw, potato salad, cookies, and punch were on the menu.

Grace was said by Cub Master Chester Johnson and Assistant Cub Master gave out the awards. A good time was had by all, with all the den's participating except den 4.

Cub Scouts will go to Taft for Annual Filed Day, May 13.

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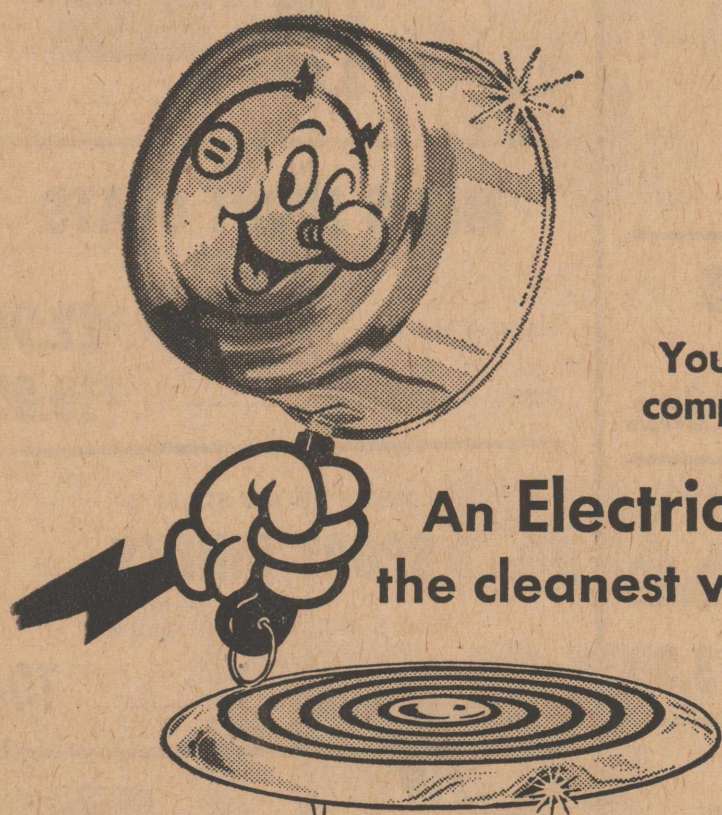
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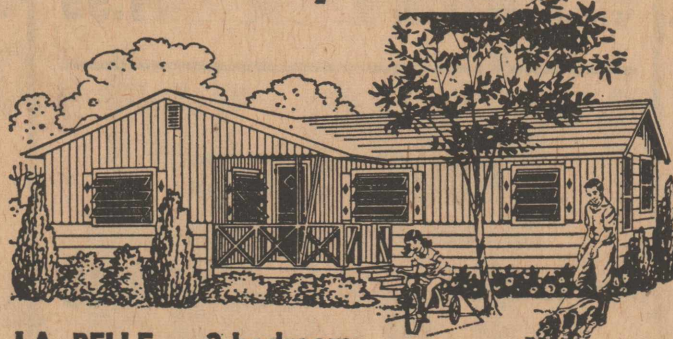
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Boat Building Big Business In Texas

Boat building in Texas, a scrawny infant before World War II, has grown into an industrial giant, capable of producing anything from an outboard to a Texas tower or an ocean liner.

But the most startling segment of the industry's growth deals not with production of tugboats and shrimp trawlers for the workaday world, but rather with the tremendous upsurge in recreational boating, mainly centered about outboards.

It is almost impossible to tell how many boat builders there are

within the state, concerned with this type of production. The number of these plants changes each week as one small shop goes out of business and another starts. However, the tally was 79 at the beginning of 1961, with a hard core of big companies turning out thousands of boats, mostly constructed of glass.

This upswing in boat manufacture has resulted from a terrific increase in family type recreational boating, and is paralleled by sales of outboard motors, trailers, accessories, hardware, water sports equipment, and other tributary industries.

In 1960, almost 2,000,000 Texans, largely from densely populated

urban areas, found themselves skimming over lakes, harbors, rivers, and the Gulf of Mexico in almost 500,000 boats of various sizes, shapes, colors and horsepower, for boating offers the whole family a comparatively inexpensive recreation.

Boat owners can fish, explore, water ski, skin dive, or cruise over the weekends and, if they don't like the adjacent waters, think nothing of a 300 to 400 mile jaunt to try out a new lake or discover a new fishing hole.

And technological improvements in boats and motors, making them simple and inexpensive to operate, have so appealed to Texans that there were 145,935 boats registered

with the Texas Department of Public Safety in August of 1960. Most of these were under sixteen feet in length.

Estimates of the actual number in use, made by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, place the total at 419,200, or about 5.4% of the national figure. This is an increase, the Bureau says, of 133,000 since 1956, when Texas had only 4.3% of the nation's small craft.

Figures compiled by the Outboard Boating Club of America show 27,300 outboard motors sold in this state in 1955, for 5.3% of the U. S. total; in 1956 sales climbed to 34,300, and in 1957, 1958 and 1959 respectively, they

accounted for 27,800 units, 26,000, and 29,100.

Four Texas cities — Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio—rank 15th, 20th and 28th nationally in their respective purchase of outboard motors.

The Texas climate is especially suited to the year 'round outdoor sports, and development of many artificial lakes with the past two or three decades has increased boating opportunities greatly.

Heavily populated complexes like those around Beaumont, Houston, Corpus Christi and the Rio Grande Valley, are all close to the Gulf of Mexico with its 624 miles of coast line within the state and its 4,000 miles of inland water-

ways. Many of the boats in Texas are found in these areas.

Inland, Fort Worth and Dallas use nearby lakes like Texoma, where 1200 miles of shoreline, dotted with bays and inlets, invite exploration. San Antonio and Austin use the Hill Country lakes, as do people from practically everywhere else in the state, and even far west Texas has joined the boom.

A surprising number of Trans-Pecos boats appear at Falcon and Devil's lakes on the Rio Grande and Devil's River, and along the coast, and even Amarillo has joined the throng of boaters.

The 2500 boat owners in that Panhandle city, ninth largest in

Texas, use the seventeen lakes within a radius of 300 miles, or go to the coast or the valley. Eleven of the seventeen are within 165 miles, and, if they don't like these, Amarillans think nothing of hooking up the old trailer and taking off for blue water almost anywhere with a three-state radius.

FANNIN IS TEXAN SHRINE

Texas' "Littlest Alamo" stands at Fannin, a mile north of U. S. Highway 59, where traffic roars past between Victoria and Goliad. It is the place where two dreams were shattered.

One of them, that of Colonel James V. Fannin, Jr., who hoped for fair treatment at the hands of the Mexican Army after surrendering, was drowned in a pool of blood as he and 342 of his men were slaughtered by Santa Anna's orders.

The second dream—that of Oscar Branch Colquitt, Governor of Texas from 1911 to 1915—for the creation of a Fannin Memorial patterned after the Alamo has been forgotten. The rampart envisioned by Colquitt never was completed, although he had hoped to surround the tract where Fannin and his men surrendered.

But there are other attractions for the sightseer, including a granite shaft jutting high into the air, bearing on its base this inscription:

"In memory of James W. Fannin, Jr., and the fellow patriots whose surrender here on honorable terms on March 20, 1836, involved the sacrifice of their lives at La Bahia. Victims of treachery's brutal stroke. They died to break the tyrant's yoke. On Fame's eternal camping ground. Their silent tents are spread. And glory guards with hallowed round the bivouac of these dead."

The site of the battle was long unmarked, but finally, over half a century later, Sol Parks, up-ended a gin screw that still stands, close to the entrance of the 12-acre plot which contains the monument, the Fannin Pavilion and little museum.

The pavilion was erected through the joint efforts of the U. S. Government and the State of Texas in 1936, to commemorate 100 years of Texas independence.

The museum is an octagonal building, topped by a bandstand, and housing cannonballs, sabres, spurs and other mementoes of the battle which have been dug up from time to time around the area.

Edward Nathaniel Strong, caretaker for the past 34 years, said that when road graders were working in front of the park a year or so ago, they uncovered scores of old lead bullets, one of which he shows, for it was cut half in two by the grader blade.

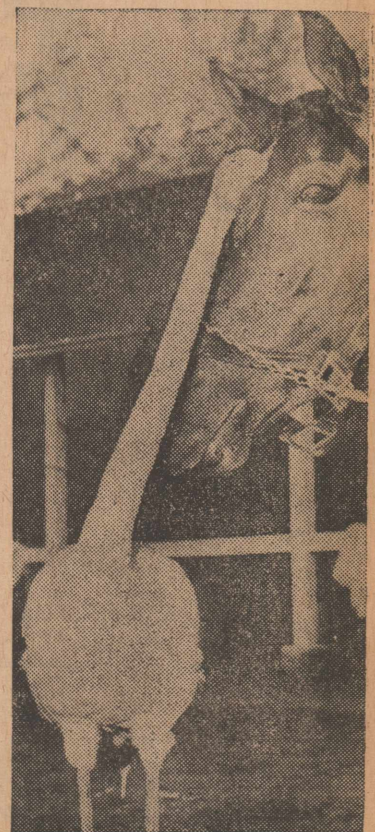
Family picnickers use the pavilion and barbecue pits behind it. Boy and Girl Scout troops and 4-H Clubs come there on outings and spend much time in the tiny museum.

Strong said that in May last year, 935 school children signed the register, and that one year recently, 9,000 visitors came from all over the world to see the battleground. Among them were people from Germany, Italy, Belgium and England.

CHURCH OF CHRIST HAS MANY VISITORS

The local Church of Christ has had many visitors this past week, including:

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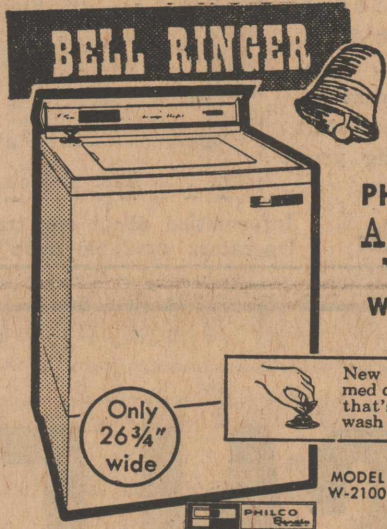
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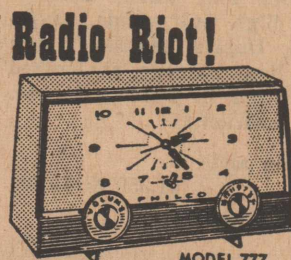


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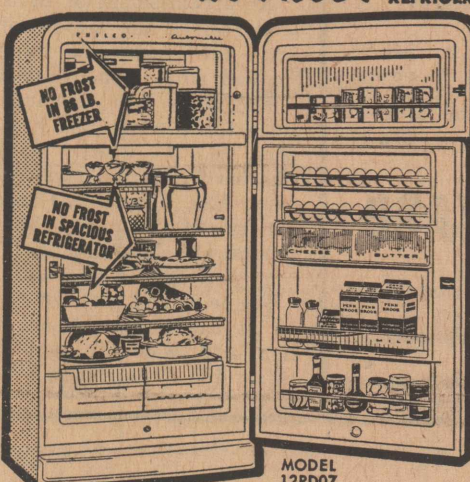
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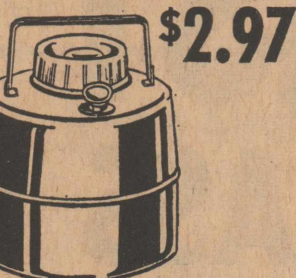
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Adult non-fiction: Arnold Gesell, First Five Years of Life; Cleveland Amory, Vanity Fair; Milton Millman, Pardon My Sneezes; Howard S. Irwin, Roadside Flowers of Texas.

The compass plant of the Mississippi Valley has leaves which point almost exactly north and south.

MRS. H. D. SMITH HOSTS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. H. D. Smith was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club at her home. Roses were used in decoration and a dessert course was served.

High score winner was Mrs. T. J. Johnson; Mrs. Dave Segler was second, and Mrs. Dell P. McLain low.

Members present were Mrs. James C. Bracht, Mrs. Dell P. McLain, Mrs. Jerry Wendell, Mrs. Martin Bradley, and Mrs. Lynn Wendell. Mrs. T. J. Johnson and Mrs. Dave Segler were special guests.

Utah leads other states in the production of gold.

CARMEL FLORES DROWNS IN LYDIA ANN CHANNEL

A Rockport fisherman, Carmel Flores, 53, drowned Sunday when he fell from a fishing boat anchored in Lydia Ann Channel, near Port Aransas.

He had lived in Rockport 35 years.

Justice of the Peace Oscar Gillespie ruled Flores' death due to accidental drowning.

He said Flores was aboard the Miss Karen which anchored in the channel about 1 a.m. Sunday. Another boat, Miss Eileen tied on to the Karen's stern.

Flores and another crewmember went aboard the Eileen and talked to its crewmen. About 3:40 a.m., they started back to the Karen and Flores slipped and fell into the water.

Crewmembers threw a line to him but Flores was unable to hold it. Spotlights were used in trying to find him.

Flores' body was found about 1 p.m. Sunday north of the accident scene, Gillespie said.

Flores is survived by his wife, Hortensia; three sons, Carmel Jr., Amelio, and George, all of Rockport; five daughters, JoAnne, Elliot, Ruby, Lucy, and Patsy, all of Rockport; five brothers of Laredo, Gerald and Heleno, both of Gregory and Leandro of Phoenix, Ariz., and a sister, Mrs. Lucy Rodriguez of Tucson, Ariz.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Sacred Catholic Church with the Very Reverend Msgr. G. J. O'Doherty officiating. Burial was in Rockport Cemetery.

MESDAMES HAROLD AND DICK PICTON ENTERTAIN WITH BRIDAL LUNCHEON

Mrs. Thomas D. Picton and Mrs. Harold Picton were co-hostess for a luncheon, given at Duck-Inn, honoring Miss Mary Elsie Rowe, bride-elect of Martin E. Stipe.

An arrangement of Bells of Ireland formed the table centerpiece, and the honoree's place was marked with a special gift.

Enjoying this hospitality, besides the honoree and her mother, Mrs. G. R. Rowe, were: Mrs. Charles T. Picton, Mrs. Delo Caspary, Mrs. James C. Cruser, Mrs. Emory M. Spencer, Miss Elsie Farris, and Miss Sandra Pounds.

Rhode Island was not represented at the Constitutional Convention and was the last state to ratify the Constitution.



BOOSTING TRAVEL IN TEXAS—Governor Price Daniel accepts the first of a series of highway safety films from Ray H. Horton (left), vice president of Humble Oil & Refining Company. Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr. (right), appears briefly in each of the thirteen films, which were filmed on location throughout Texas. Called "Here's Texas!" the series deals with the pleasures of auto travel in the state and includes pointers on safe driving techniques. "Here's Texas!" will be circulated to television stations by officers of Colonel Garrison's department.

COUNTY AND CITY EMPLOYEES UNDER SOCIAL SECURITY

Fifty-two local governmental organizations in the eleven counties served by Corpus Christi Social Security office have covered their employees under Social Security, according to H. M. Cleveland, district manager.

"Employees of local governments can be covered only by voluntary action initiated by the respective governing bodies," Cleveland explained.

Ten of the eleven county governments in the district have taken action to cover their employees. These are Aransas, Bee, Brooks, Jim Wells, Kenedy, Kleberg, Live Oak, McMullen, Nueces, and San Patricio. Statewide, employees of 252 of the Texas 254 counties are covered.

Eighteen cities and towns in the area have social security coverage for their employees. They are Corpus Christi, Alice, Aransas Pass, Beeville, Bishop, Falfurrias, George West, Ingleside, Kingsville, Mathis, Port Aransas, Portland, Premont, Robstown, Rockport, Sinton, Taft, and Three Rivers. Employees of 562 municipal governments in Texas are covered under social security.

Among schools, Texas A & I College, Del Mar College, Premont

and Odem have covered teachers as well as non-professional employees. Some school districts have covered non-professional employees only.

Other covered governmental units include Memorial Hospital, Brooks County Hospital, Corpus Christi Housing Authority, San Patricio Housing Authority, Kingsville City Housing Authority, and a number of drainage, navigation, and water control districts.

Employees who were not previously covered because they are under another retirement system may now also be under social security, Cleveland stated. This requires the execution of a new agreement by the governing body, and coverage is limited to those employees who desire it.

JOHN GOFF ABOARD USS LEARY

John A. Goff, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Goff of Rockport, is serving aboard the radar packet ship USS Leary, operating out of Norfolk, Va.

The Leary is equipped to operate in anti-air and anti-submarine warfare.

Maine is bordered by only one other state.

Miss Sandra Pounds Gives Bridal Shower For Miss Mary Elsie Rowe

Miss Sandra Pounds was hostess for a bridal shower on Saturday afternoon between the hours of 4 and 6, at her home honoring Miss Mary Elsie Rowe, bride-elect of Martin E. Stipe.

A red and white theme was used in decorations. The table was laid with a white lace cloth over red; a large arrangement of red and white carnations, interspersed with fern, formed its centerpiece. Miss Carol Currie served the white cake, decorated with red roses, and Miss Dorothy Rowe presided at the punch bowl.

The guest list included the honoree and her mother, Mrs. G. R. Rowe, Mrs. Harold Picton, Mrs. Thomas Dick Picton, Mrs. James C. Cruser, Mrs. Delo Caspary, Mrs. Dudley Prophet, Mrs. Fred Ashley, Mrs. Bobbie Landrum, Mrs. H. J. Gurley, Mrs. John C. Rowe, Mrs. Frankie Rowe, Mrs. John A. Ratliff;

Mrs. James T. Little, Mrs. Charles Maslonka, Mrs. Wesley Morgan, Mrs. Curtis McNabb, Mrs. James S. Apostolina, Mrs. Richard Ballou, Mrs. Gary Smith, Mrs. Lynn Wendell, Miss Carol

FISHING REPORTED VERY SUCCESSFUL ALL ALONG COAST

Despite high winds harassing fishermen on the Gulf coast, some excellent catches of trout, redfish and sheepshead are being made, according to reports from the Game and Fish Commission marine laboratory at Rockport.

The largest population of small trout, 12 to 16 inches long, since 1951, has been reported in lower Laguna Madre. Fishermen in West Bay, around Galveston, have reported tremendous catches during the past week. The same is true up and down the coastline, where fishermen have been able to take good strings of trout.

Pier and jetty fishermen have been the most successful, because they can fish at night with less wind.

Right now, shrimp for bait along the coast are reported as plentiful. However, lure fishermen are having very good luck.

Currie, Miss Linda Ferlito, Miss Elsie Farris, Miss Dorothy Rowe, Miss Jean Venable, Miss Lorna Hamilton.

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