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Along The Waterfront



The Mary Lou party boat, Hugh Johnson skipper, reports: Mrs. Alice Garner of Houston, and party, 155 trout. H. V. Soukup of Lorena, Texas, and party, 201 trout. Ed Mayer of San Antonio, and party, 80 trout. M. Koplan of San Antonio, and party, 50 trout. Miss Pat Carr of San Antonio, and party, 152 trout. Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Newport of Bryan, Texas, and party, 174 trout. George Monken of San Antonio, and party, 166 trout. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Milam of San Antonio, and party, 203 trout. George H. Weber of Houston, and party, 103 trout. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rich of Childress and party, 139 trout.

Man Wanted For Local Burglary In Sinton Jail

One of the youths wanted for burglary of the Cove Drive In, Richard C. Welch, 19, of San Antonio, is being held in San Patricio County jail under bond on charges filed by the Aransas Pass Police Department.

According to Police Chief Turnbough, he has been charged with assault with intent to commit robbery in connection with an attack on a service station attendant in Aransas Pass.

Welch was arrested by Brownsville police on the request of Virgil Patterson, assistant chief of police in Aransas Pass. Sheriff's Deputy Joe Bertsch transferred Welch from Brownsville to Aransas Pass.

Patterson said Welch's bond has been set at \$1,250 on the assault to commit robbery charge.

Another bond, for \$1,500, has been set on a burglary charge, also filed here against Welch.

Officers said Welch was picked up as a suspect in connection with an attack on Johnny Boyd at Bud's Service Station No. 9 at 842 W. Wheeler, Aransas Pass.

Early in the morning of Saturday, Aug. 5, Boyd was hit in the back of the head with a bottle by a man who grabbed his keys and fled when a motorist answered Boyd's calls for help.

Police circled the area but were unable to locate the culprit.

Four stitches were required to sew up the wound on Boyd's head. Nothing was stolen from the service station.

Turnbough said Monday that he credits the assistant chief with the arrest of Welch.

"Patterson did a wonderful job. He stayed with this case from start to finish," the chief said. "He used his brain and put in a lot of hard work. I think he did a fine job."

Turnbough said that a polygraph test run by the Corpus Christi sheriff's department led to statements from Welch which implicated him in burglaries of the Flamingo Club and the Cove Drive In Theatre of Rockport on July 15, and a Port O'Connor business on July 14.

Charges were filed against Welch for the Cove burglary this past week, by the Aransas County Sheriff's Department.

Turnbough said that a burglary charge has also been filed against Ray Cox of 159 S. 9th street. He said that Cox is accused of working with Welch in a robbery.

Taylor Oak Trailer Park Sold to Bennetts

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bennett and son John Roy Bennett, formerly of Dalhart, Texas, have purchased Taylor Oak Trailer Park from Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roper, who have operated it for twelve years.

The Bennetts, wheat and stock farmers at Dalhart for many years, have been winter visitors in Rockport for a number of seasons.

They will take over operation to the trailer park on Jan. 1, after which Mr. and Mrs. Roper intend to do some traveling before returning to settle down in Rockport and catch up on their fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sparks have returned after shopping for the latest fall fashions at the Dallas market from August 20 through August 23.

Fulton Fire Department Drive Is Success

The drive by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Fulton Fire Department for funds to equip firemen with slickers, boots, and similar needed clothing has been most successful, according to Mrs. Katherine McLeister, wife of the fire chief.

"Although there are still many out-of-town people to be heard from, we have collected \$707.36 already," Mrs. McLeister said, "and will continue to solicit for another week or so, to give everyone a chance to make a donation."

The division headed by Mrs. R. L. Wofford in Lamar turned in \$115, Mrs. McLeister said, and the balance has come from the Fulton and Copano Village areas.

"We will purchase boots and slickers with this," Mrs. McLeister said, "and the fire department will obtain some badly needed hose, and also hope to put a buzzer on the beach for use in case of emergency."

"This will call the fire department and its pulmotor in a hurry in case of water accidents. Central Power and Light have offered help in this, but we still need more money, and anyone who has been missed in the house to house canvass can give by taking the money to Wilson's Sporting Goods in Fulton, or by mailing it to the Fulton Volunteer Fire Department, Box 503, Fulton."

Mrs. McLeister said that the drive was not closed, and that out-of-town people were being contacted through letters.

Episcopal Barbecue Very Successful

Well over 600 Episcopalians were present at the barbecue at the Rockport Conference Center on Copano Bay last Saturday.

Organized and operated by members of the Episcopal Churchman's Association of the Diocese of West Texas, under the direction of its president, Sam Gottlich, Jr., it was attended by members drawn from some 24 parishes and missions in the diocese, including the Right Rev. R. E. Dicus D.D., Suffragan Bishop, and Mrs. Dicus from GHQ at San Antonio.

St. Peter's Church, Rockport cooperated with the E.C.A. in supplying the following helpers: Ticket takers, Mrs. Cecil Cole and Pam Stivers; marshalling cars, Joe Hugenberg, Chris Sorenson, Sammy Joe Simmons.

Yeoman service was rendered by Major Carl Brunner, Maurice and Paul Cochran and Mrs. Hanes in taking care of the numerous details that go along with the preparation of and functioning of a successful barbecue.

According to Howell Ward, site chairman, the proceeds will materially aid in completing the landscaping of the property.

ROTARY PRESENTS FRED BRACHT WITH PIN

The Rockport Rotary Club, at its regular Wednesday luncheon, presented Fred Bracht, Sr., with a pin commemorating his 20 years of service in Aransas County as chairman of government bond sales of all sorts.

John Sutherland, program chairman, discussed the higher educational facilities in Mexico, where he lived for over 20 years, and also told the club members of opportunities in education available there for students from this country.

The next meeting will be Ladies' Night, with Paul Ward as program, and those desiring to make reservations for the event should contact George Dickey.

Visitors at the luncheon were Alex Johnson and Ed Frazer, of Corpus Christi, and C. Pat McHaffey, Fort Worth.

MARY'S MALT UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. John Young have taken over the management of Mary's Malts. Young is a native of Rockport, and attended Aransas County High School before entering the armed forces.

He spent two years in Germany, where he met his wife, a native of Kassel, Germany, who came to this country two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Young will replace Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kresta and family, who have owned and operated Mary's Malts for the past seven years, and they assure all their patrons that there will be no change in the quality of the hamburgers and malts they will serve.

The Kresta family wish to thank everyone who has patronized them during the past seven years.

Carbon Labor Continues Work Minus Contract

The Aransas Pass United Carbon plant is operating normally this week despite the fact that the company labor contract was terminated Sunday.

The contract, affecting more than 120 members of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union (Local 4-316), was terminated at midnight Sunday.

M. V. Johnson, labor relations spokesman for United Carbon, said in a press release Tuesday that employees have reported to work on normal schedules since the termination of the contract.

R. L. Herndon, a spokesman for the union, said in a similar release, "We are now working without a contract, hoping to settle the issues without a strike."

Johnson, union representative Forest Craig, and federal mediator W. H. Ray met with other officials on Aug. 14 to discuss contract terms.

According to Herndon, the union asked for a 14 cents per hour increase in wages, which, he said would mean a pay roll increase of about \$37,000 annually.

The company proposed an 8 cents per hour increase, with the provision that a customary 30-minute paid lunch period be dropped for approximate 75 daylight workers.

The proposal also included an on-the-job training program for employees and specific concessions on seniority matters.

The second proposal offered by the union, according to a company press release, offered to extend all provisions of the present contract for another year.

By early Wednesday, no agreement had been reached, but Herndon said that another labor-management meeting is expected on Aug. 31.—Aransas Pass Progress.

Goldston New Rehabilitation Official Here

M. H. Goldston has replaced Wallace Norton as head of the Texas program of vocational rehabilitation for disabled persons in Aransas County, and Norton is being transferred to Waco.

This program, while humanitarian in many respects, was originally promoted and has developed as a practical means of aiding disabled persons in affecting the vocational, economic and social adjustments necessary for their establishment in industry as productive workers.

"There are quite a number of people in Aransas County who are physically handicapped in one way or another," Goldston said, "and we've helped them in every way that we have been able to do so. The needs of the severely disabled are varied, occur in such unique combinations, and require appropriate services over such an extended period of time that their rehabilitation requires the mobilization and coordination of the efforts of a number of agencies."

Among the ways in which the agency has been able to help handicapped people, Goldston said, was training for the right job; reduction of disability; medical examination; surgery; hospitalization; prosthetic appliances; physical and other therapy; job placement; tools and licenses; counseling; and help after they got a job, to assure them of success.

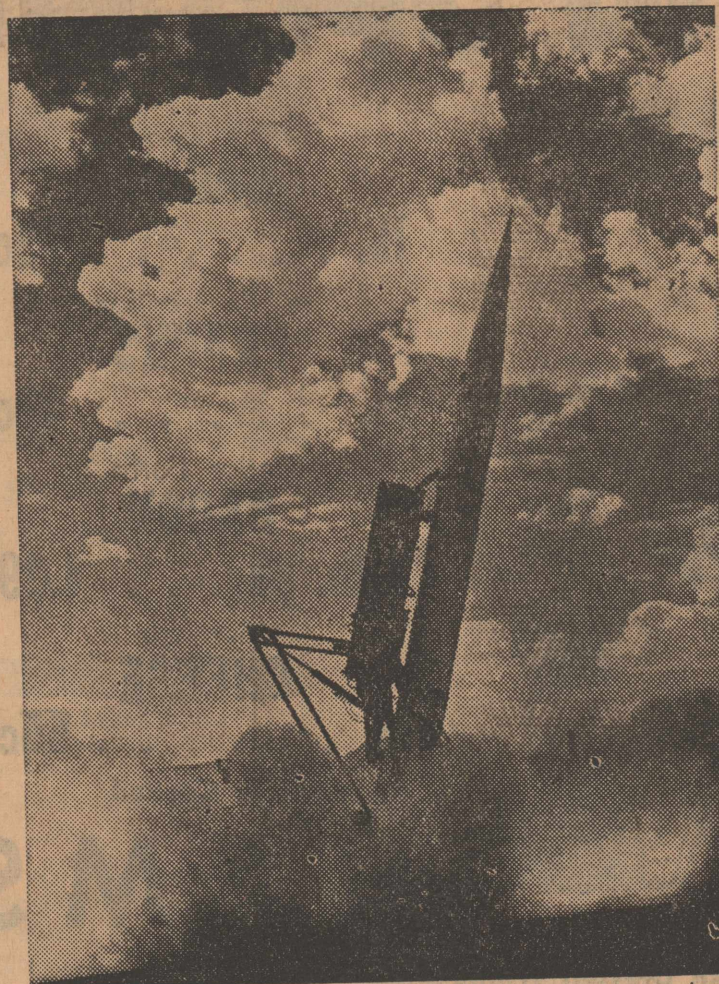
"For instance," he said, "one man might need a lawn mower to put him on his feet as a yardman; another might need a hearing aid; a third might need some sort of equipment by which he could make a living that we could aid him with; a fourth might need surgery; there are all sorts of ways in which folks can be helped to help themselves."

"We've helped send people to college; arranged them to get on the job training; and we'll use any resource we can to help the physically handicapped."

Goldston, who will speak at one of the fall sessions of the Aransas County Woman's Club, works out of the agency's Corpus Christi office of vocational rehabilitation.

CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT PHONE NUMBER CHANGED

Central Power and Light Company has installed a PBX at the local office, and the phone number has been changed to SO4-2372, according to an announcement made today by Byron T. Hardeman, local manager.



THE ARMY'S SERGEANT is fired from its erector-launcher. A solid propellant surface-to-surface guided missile, SERGEANT is capable of delivering a nuclear or conventional warhead against enemy targets. Designed to replace the CORPORAL, it will incorporate improvements in accuracy, mobility and power. The Jet Propulsion Laboratory, California Institute of Technology, designed and developed the SERGEANT for the Army; Sperry Utah Engineering Laboratory is the prime contractor for production.

School Opens August 31

Pre-school workshops in Aransas County Schools will be conducted on Aug. 29-30, and the first day of school is set for Thursday, Aug. 31, according to an announcement made today by Supt. J. D. Gray.

Tuesday morning, Aug. 29, Miss Jean Venable will discuss the teaching of music in the Primary School with teachers of grades one, two and three. That afternoon, Director of Physical Education, Dave Segler will hold a workshop on Physical Education in the Primary school. Both courses will be given in the Rockport Elementary School Cafeteria, and both will be designed as instruction to complete.

Other subjects dealt with are designed for intermediate teachers in grades four, five and six, who will study physical education in the elementary schools in the morning, and integration of music in the instructional program of the elementary schools. Both these sessions will be held in the auditorium at Rockport Elementary, and Segler will teach the morning session, while Miss Venable will meet with the teachers in the afternoon.

Junior and senior high school teachers will meet with A. B. LeFevre, principal of the high school, Chester Barre, principal of the junior high school, and Tom Danely, coordinator of elementary education in the high school library on Tuesday morning.

They will discuss guidance and pupil adjustment in secondary schools.

On Wednesday, Aug. 30, there will be a general faculty meeting in the high school auditorium at 9 a.m.; from 10:45 a.m. until 12 there will be building meetings of the teachers with the various principals, which will be continued after lunch until 3:30 p.m.

NEW KINDERGARTEN TO HOLD CLASSES

A private kindergarten, to be held at the Church of Christ nursery, will begin here on Tuesday, Sept. 5, with Mrs. Nell A. Webb, mother of Mrs. Clyde Townsend, in charge. Mrs. Webb, who taught school for many years in Comfort, Texas, has moved here recently to make her home with her daughter.

The classes will run from 8:30 until 11:30 a.m., and children from 4½ to 6 years old will be accepted, Mrs. Webb says.

In addition to the morning kindergarten, Mrs. Webb says, she will be available to coach students after 3 p.m. each day at her home.

FULTON LIONS FISH FRY IS SUCCESSFUL

The Fulton Lions Fish Fry, held Sunday, was most successful. Members of the club said that they cleared over \$200, which will be used for various charitable projects.

Texas Trades Deer, Turkey With 2 States

Two more states are to be stocked with Texas wildlife.

Nebraska will receive 100 Rio Grande turkeys trapped on the King Ranch, for which Nebraska will pay a trapping cost of approximately \$12 each. At a later date, Texas may receive some other type of wildlife in exchange from Nebraska.

The state of Georgia will receive 100 deer, also taken from the King Ranch. These deer will be paid for at the approximate trapping price of \$35 each. At a later date, Texas expects to receive a supply of Eastern wild turkey in exchange from Georgia.

A number of birds, and transplants of both mammals and fish, have been negotiated within the past year. Texas has received chukars, pheasants, and Eastern wild turkey. The island fisheries division also has received several shipments of stripers from the West Coast, which were planted in several lakes of Texas that have a high salt content.

ROCKPORT BOND SALES EXCELLENT

According to Fred Bracht, local chairman in charge of E and H government bonds, Sales in Aransas County during July amounted to \$16,710, bringing the cumulative total for the county to \$40,304 for the first seven months of this year.

This is 82.2% of the quota set for Aransas County this year.

Bracht pointed out that, percentage wise, this far outstrips the other nine counties in District No. 6, of which Allen Wood, of Corpus Christi is chairman.

Next highest county in the district is Brooks, with 69.2%; followed by Live Oak with 64%; Jim Wells with 58.4%; San Patricio, with 56.2%; Kenedy with 50%; Nueces with 45.6%; Kleberg, with 43.9%; and Bee with 37.7%. McMullen, has bought no bonds.

While percentage wise, Aransas County leads the group, Nueces County far outstrips the rest in the amount purchased, having purchased \$4,200,000 worth of these bonds, or about four times the entire total purchased by all the other counties added together.

ARANSAS GETS DEEP WILDCAT

Coastal States Gas Producing Co. of Corpus Christi has scheduled an 8,000-foot Aransas County wildcat 1½ miles south of Lamar at the No. 1 Aransas Bay State Tract 78.

Proposed location is 1,263 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the west line of a 320-acre lease and State Tract 78 in Aransas Bay.

This project is about ¾ mile south of Goose Island and 1¼ miles north of Long Reef Field. It scales 1,175 feet southeast of Sun No. 1 State Tract 79, oiler bottomed at 10,506 feet, and 3,000 feet west-southwest of Sun No. 1 Tract 77, gasser bottomed at 8,608 feet.

Scouts Return From Canoe Trip Down Guadalupe

Nine scouts of Troop 49 returned Sunday from a four-day canoe trip down the Guadalupe. They were N. F. Jackson, Billy Ormand, Larry Nelson, Steve Russell, Jack Gwynn, Denny Elliot, Monroe Menke, Gary Tuer and Hugh Morrison. They were accompanied by Scoutmaster Ron Schultz.

A journal of the expedition was kept by the scribe, Steve Russell.

On the first day out, according to this journal, Denny Elliot and Monroe Menke swamped their canoe, but nothing was lost except some K rations. The water was fairly swift the first two days, and the river was low. They spent the night at Victoria.

The second day out, the troop paddled until they were below Victoria where they spent the night.

N. F. Jackson's hammock broke down on top of a hill that night while he was in it.

On the third day they located water and came into more wilderness than before. The trees were beautiful and the current wasn't so swift. They saw several people fishing along the way in the swift portions of the stream.

The fourth day on which the log ended, the scouts had a good day of paddling before they reached Highway 35.

"Every day of this trip has been more fun than the last, and we have seen many kinds of birds. One kind was the bald eagle which we saw just before church Sunday."

Steve's journal was a little waterstained. He and Hugh Morrison also swamped their canoe on the first day out.

Twenty Students Make Up Third Summer Art Class

Twenty students made up the third summer class at the Rockport School of Fine Arts, according to Simon G. Michael, director. These came from as far as Magnolia Ark., and Dallas, Texas, Michael said.

Among them were Paul Pell, Miss Mina Wood and Mrs. Pearl Taylor, all of League City; Miss Nancy Wentworth, Austin; Mrs. D. Harold Byrd, Jr., Dallas; Mrs. Fred Mielsch, Bay City; Miss Mary Lott, Navasota; Miss Patti Toevs, Magnolia, Ark.; Miss Jane Simmon, Miss Mary Stockwell, and Mrs. Quillian Garrison, all of Angleton.

Mrs. M. G. Taylor, Mrs. Aldyth Dinger, Tommy Thompson, all of Rockport.

Mrs. Eleanor Jones, Beeville; Mrs. Dorothy Jarboe, Fulton; Mrs. Mary C. Johnson, Mrs. Katherine Burton, and Miss Lynn Whitaker, Port Lavaca; and Mrs. T. K. Dibrrell, San Antonio.

Dinner Honors Game Officials

At a dinner given by the Rockport Sportsmen's Conservation at Duck Inn, Howard Lee, director of the Marine Laboratory of the Game and Fish Commission, Terry Leary, assistant director, and Captain M. B. Mullinax, law enforcement director in this area, were honored for their years of service here, and congratulated on their recent promotions, an outgrowth of the re-organization of the Game and Fish Commission field forces.

Lee and Leary are transferred to Austin; Lee as head of the field forces of the commission; Leary as program director.

Robert G. Mauermann, of San Antonio, formerly head of the Commission's magazine, Texas Game and Fish, replaces Lee, but, as yet, no replacement has been named for Leary.

Mullinax will headquarter in Corpus Christi, as Conservation Chief of the Corpus Christi District of the commission, and will be replaced here by Herbert Ward, whose title will be Conservation Supervisor for Region 5.

Twenty-one members of the club were present at the dinner, in addition to the honorees.

MSGR. HUBERTUS GUEST OF BRACHTS

Msgr. Bruno J. Hubertus, pastor at Seguin, Texas, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bracht Wednesday afternoon. Msgr. Hubertus was chaplain of the Blessed Sacrament Academy at San Antonio when Miss Mary Jo Bracht attended there.

Weekend Busy For Law Enforcement Officers Here

The weekend was a busy one for law enforcement officers in Aransas County, with two wrecks, a stabbing, and a burglary.

Both wrecks occurred Sunday.

Mrs. Delo Caspary, driving a Chrysler Imperial, was headed north of Live Oak Street when a 1961 Chevrolet, driven by a fifteen-year-old youth of Dallas, going the wrong way on Laurel, a one-way street, crashed into her car.

He was driving his father's car, and was charged by Sherman Mundine, investigating officer, with running a stop sign. Arraigned before Justice of the Peace G. D. Johnson, he was fined \$1 and costs.

In the other wreck, also investigated by Mundine, Dale Barnard, driving a 1961 Chevrolet west on Laurel was struck by a 1955 Chevrolet, driven by James Roy Worthington. The accident occurred at the intersection of Laurel and Wood Streets, and Mundine gave Worthington a ticket for backing into an intersection.

Elsewhere on the crime front, thieves broke into the George Francisco residence in the absence of the family and stole most of the furniture from the residence. The sheriff's department and City Police Chief C. A. Stautzenberger are investigating.

The stabbing occurred Friday night.

Mundine was called to Bayview Hospital about 11 p.m. and found Ramiro Munoz in serious condition from two knife wounds. One of them, in the lower abdomen, was not serious, but the other, under his left arm, had penetrated the body cavity and a lung.

Investigation disclosed the fact that Munoz, Claudio Lara, Leonardo Betantourt, and Raul Ramirez had been drinking together at Lara's home when Munoz and Ramirez got into an argument, which Ramirez ended by stabbing Munoz.

Ramirez, carried before Justice of the Peace G. D. Johnson, had his bail set at \$2500 and is now in the county jail, awaiting action by the Grand Jury.

Williams, McCabe Elected Co-Captains

Elected as co-captains of the 1961 Aransas County Pirate football team are Gayle Williams and Dennis McCabe.

Williams is a senior two-year letter man and McCabe a junior 1-year letterman at guard.

After the first week of practice, the Pirates went to George West for a four-way scrimmage with George West, Beeville and Taft. Despite lack of experience and depth, the Pirates looked good in spots, and Coach Segler says that with a little more seasoning, the team may shape up well.

There are 41 boys working for positions on the team, either offensive or defensive, and with only five seniors and seven juniors back from last year, every position is wide open for every one, Segler said.

Saturday, Aug. 26, the Pirates will go to Taft for another four-way scrimmage, starting at 6:30 p.m. The experience is an excellent seasoner, Segler said, for the first game, which will be played with Flour Bluff Hornets here on Friday, Sept. 1.

VFW ELECTS NICK CARTER COMMANDER

At their regular meeting Tuesday night, members of Stewart-Wendell Post 3904, VFW, elected E. H. Carter commander.

Carter is a retired Air Force Master Sergeant whose last tour of duty was in French Morocco.

Cecil Cole, long time employee of the Central Power and Light Company, was elected Junior Vice Commander; Green McGehee, local rancher, was chosen for chaplain.

They were installed by Judge Advocate Chester Johnson.

Willis Dakin missed the \$18.95 attendance prize by not being present.

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday night, Sept. 5.

WE INVITE

We invite Bubba McCabe and guest to see "High Noon" and "Dallas" playing Sunday and Monday at the Cove Drive-In Theatre.

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- Sweet Treat Crushed **PINEAPPLE** 19c
- Bar-T-Ranch **PEACHES** 29c
- Libby's **PEACH or PEAR NECTAR** 3 for 1.00
- Hunt's **TOMATO JUICE** 33c

- First Choice Whole **GREEN BEANS** 19c
- RANCH STYLE BEANS** 20c
- April Shower **PEAS** 19c
- Rotel **GREEN LIMAS** 2 for 25c
- Uncle William White or Yellow **HOMINY** 2 for 15c
- Gold Standard **SALMON** 3 for 1.00
- Grade A Medium **EGGS** doz. 45c
- Skinner's **RAISIN BRAN** 24c
- Sunshine **COOKIES** 2 for 49c
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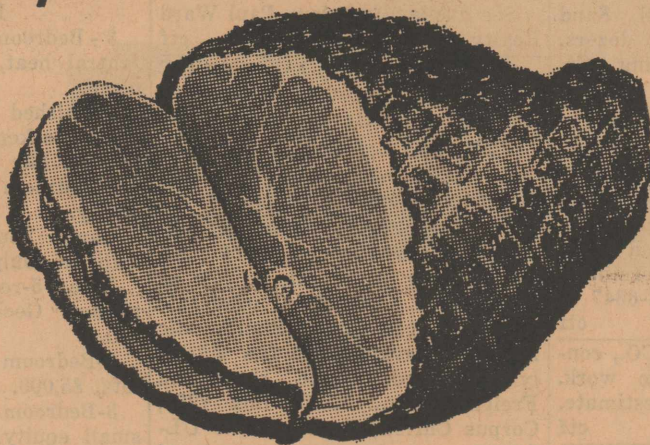
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SALT PORK . . lb. 39c

Rath's Blackhawk
FRANKS lb. 49c

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end cuts lb. 49c

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CHEESE SPREAD 59c

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NBC, Supreme, Sunshine, 1 lb. box
CRACKERS 27c

Borden's or Valley Gold 1/2 gal.
MELLORINE 49c

Jewel 3 lb. can
SHORTENING 69c

Morton's qt.
Salad Dressing 39c

Decker's 2 lbs.
OLEO 29c

Light Crust 5 lb. box
FLOUR 43c

Instant Coffee 6 oz.
FOLGERS 79c

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Georgia Coon Ribbon 2 1/2 lb. can
SYRUP 49c

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LOOSELEAF BINDERS 99c

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Economy Colgate's
Tooth Paste 59c

Reg., Super or Jr.
Kotex 35c

Bottle of 30
Anacin 45c

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**GEORGE DICKEY
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George Dickey has been asked
to act as coordinator for the var-
ious school safety programs,
aimed at making the crossings on
Highway 35 safer for school chil-
dren.

He asks that any organization
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In the meantime he is visiting
nearby towns and taking pictures
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FREE PUPPIES and Kittens.
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**GOOD DOVE SEASON
WILL DEPEND UPON
WEATHER AND WEEDS**

Austin. — With fewer than 10
days until the opening of the
mourning dove season in the North
Zone, Sept. 1, there is still a great
deal of speculation as to how
plentiful this year's crop will be.
According to Howard Dodgen,
executive secretary of the Game
and Fish Commission, some hot,
dry weather is needed to ripen
feed seed, and darken considerably
the green effect of the present
abundance of foliage.

In parts of West Texas where
there hasn't been too much rain,
weed seeds are now ripening, ac-
cording to information received
in Austin. In these cases, the doves
seem to be plentiful at the present
time. However, the abundance of
rain in Central Texas has vegeta-
tion very lush, and weed seeds
are not yet ripening. Since water
holes have been filled completely,
this will tend to scatter late even-
ing dove shooting around the water
holes.

So, according to the executive
secretary, it is anybody's guess
as to how good the dove season
will be. On the other hand, the
quail crop right now looks to be
in top condition. There are still
a few nesting birds, but for the
most part there have been heavy
hatches in practically every part
of the state. As a result, a big
crop of birds is reported in areas
where there were practically no
birds last year.

Under the general laws, the
quail season will open Dec. 1. The
Game Commission will set the
quail season in regulatory counties
at its quarterly meeting early in
October.

**MRS. PRESTON McHUGH
HONORED BY
BIRTHDAY COFFEE**

Mrs. Preston McHugh was hon-
ored with a surprise birthday
coffee on Wednesday, Aug. 23, at
Corky's Restaurant. Present were
Mrs. Wilson Brumley, Mrs. Jack
Washburn, Mrs. Bill Clark, Mrs.
Howard Lee, Mrs. O. A. Carroll
and the honoree.

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ing, etc. Phone SO 4-6400; 613
Austin St., A. L. Ballou, Rockport.
Call Doug Carroll, SO 4-6636. ctf

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Willie Carson. ctf

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pairing. Machine Drilled. Call
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ton. ctf

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salary if you can qualify. Apply
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See display ad below. Paul Ward
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FOR SALE: Brass and iron
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FOR SALE by owner, 2 lots
\$650 each. Business site on Hwy.
35 for lease. SO 4-2675, Mrs. Harry
Dean. ctf

FOR SALE: Two bedroom cot-
tage, over-size lot, trees, close
in, one block off beach road.
North Rockport. Owner. SO-
4-6351. ctf

FOR SALE: Laying shed,
24' x 92'; cages and laying facil-
ities for 588 hens, \$1,000.00. SO-
4-2934. T. C. Kelly. ctf

FOR SALE by owner, nice 2-
bedroom home, 3 years old. Large
fenced yard, 17 trees. Good loca-
tion, nice neighborhood, \$6,800.
See and compare. SO 4-6230. ctf

FOR SALE: Shady side, near
high school, pink brick, 2 bed-
rooms, 2 baths, patio, trees, small
equity, 21 months old. SO 4-6261. ctf

FOR SALE: Have two acreage
tracts north of Rockport and west
of Fulton at \$250.00 per acre with
half the minerals. Cochran Realty
Company, SO 4-6335, Rockport,
Texas. ctf

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 baths
in West Terrace. Priced to sell.
See or call Dewey Edge. SO 4-
6772. c21

FOR SALE: 1955 Chev 1 1/2 ton
trailer puller, \$750. Can be seen at
Ray's Texaco or call SO 4-6639. p21

FOR SALE: Two bedroom
house. Large lot, corner Second
and By-Pass. Nice business loca-
tion, \$5,000. See sign. SO 4-6240.
Box 255. p21

MUST SELL, '51 Caddy con-
vertible. New paint job, complete
engine overhaul. After 5:00 p.m.
week days or weekends. SO 4-6236.
Alice Robbins. p21

FOR SALE

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on Church St., on school bus
route; also three 50 x 100 ft.
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3 Br. air conditioned home
in Little Bay Shores. Owner
will sell \$2200 equity for
\$1200.

3 Br. home, north Rock-
port, remodeled, large oak
trees, \$1000 down, payments
\$75.00 per month.

2 Br. home, restricted sub-
division, can buy for \$550.00
down payment.

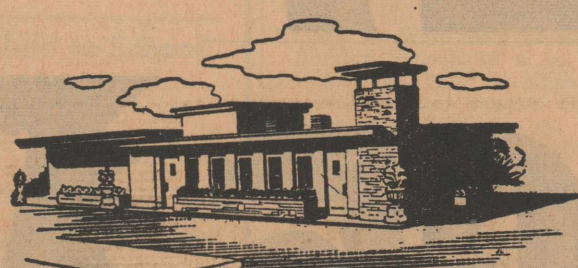
Waterfront home reduced
from \$24,950 to \$19,900.

3 Br. home, excellent neigh-
borhood, assume 4 1/2% GI
loan, low equity, payments
\$78.00 per month including
taxes and ins., owner must
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FOR SALE

ROCKPORT

3 - Bedroom, air conditioned,
central heat, built-in range, fire-
place.

Furnished cottage, view of bay,
ideal weekend place. \$500 down,
balance like rent.

3-Bedroom home, \$9,500, small
equity.

Camp house on nice lot, all
utilities. Only \$2,650.

Nice 5-room home, attached
garage. Good location. Priced to
sell.

2-Bedroom house on two nice
lots, \$5,000.

3-Bedroom house, well located,
small equity.

Almost new 2-bedroom home.
Assume loan, small equity.

10 acres land, also 21 acre tract
land.

2-Bedroom house, good location,
\$250 down payment.

Nice home in beautiful setting
of large oak trees.

Lots in Rockport, all utilities,
\$500 up.

Lots of Lots — \$250 each.

FULTON
Furnished home, well located.
Nice lot with trailer house.

Lots with view of the bay.
Wooded lots, \$1,000.

2 choice lots, with old house.
Ideal homesite, or business loca-
tion. Has good well water.

Small house to be moved, \$775.00
cash.

Choice Business Lots
COPANO
Home on the bay, pier, riparian
rights.

Weekend cottage on bay; has ri-
parian rights. Only \$4,950.

Waterfront lots with riparian
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Lot with view of the bay; only
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Vacation homes; beautiful view;
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FOR SALE: One 15 ft. plywood
skiff. See Lucy Davis at Roatan
Drug. c22

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(special ordered) in time for the
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Goods. c21

**ARANSAS WILDCAT
DRILLS AT 3,249**

Carroll Oil and Robert Mosbacher
No. 1 Mrs. Frances E. Brown,
scheduled 10,000 foot Aransas
County wildcat four miles south-
east of Bayside, was making hole
below 3,249 feet. Location is in
Section 32, Block 5, Sixth Ad-
dition to Taft Farm Lands.

Amerada Petroleum Corp. and
Jake L. Mamon No. 1 State Tract
191, project in Aransas Bay one-
half mile east of Rockport, was
preparing to set 10 1/2 inch surface
casing at 3,105 feet.

Spudded Aug. 18 with a Storm
Drilling Co. rig, the test earlier
set 16-inch conductor pipe at 175
feet. It is permitted to 9,700 feet.

The shot fired by the American
colonists an Concord was the "shot
heard round the world."

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Waterfront lots—undeveloped—
Rockport and Fulton Beach.

3 bedroom home with central
heating. Have FHA commitment.

Nice 2 bedroom home, in Ful-
ton, on 2 lots.

3 bedroom home, \$5,500.00.
Triplex in A-1 condition.

Lots in Rockport with City
water and sewage, \$1,275.00 and
up.

Trade equity in home for large
house trailer.

Three lots facing Highway 35,
inside city limits, \$1,000 each.

3 bedroom, 2 baths, living room,
dining room, electric kitchen, 2-
car garage, and trees.

Lots in Fulton, \$1,300.00.
Small motels for retired or semi-
retired.

2 bedroom home in Little Bay
Shores.

Tassel Foot Village lots \$1,250
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2 Bedroom house, \$500 down.

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ing 75 cards each. Cost \$387.00,
will take \$220.00, or trade for?
Call SO 4-8588, Rockport. ctf

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To: Ernest L. Dorris, Defendant,
Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to
appear before the Honorable Dis-
trict Court of Aransas County at
the Courthouse thereof, in Rock-
port, Texas, by filing a written
answer at or before 10 o'clock
A. M. of the first Monday next
after the expiration of forty-two
days from the date of the issuance
of this citation, same being the
18th day of September, A.D. 1961,
to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said
court, on the 1st day of May A.D.
1961, in this cause, numbered
3585 on the docket of said court
and styled Hester Montee Dorris,
Plaintiff, vs. Ernest L. Dorris,
Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature
of this suit is as follows, to-wit:
A suit for Divorce as is more
fully shown by Plaintiff's Peti-
tion on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served
within ninety days after the date
of its issuance, it shall be re-
turned unserved.

The officer executing this writ
shall promptly serve the same
according to requirements of law,
and the mandates hereof, and make

NIGHT CIRCLE MEETS

WMU Night Circle of the First Baptist Church, met Tuesday, Aug. 22 at 7:30, at the home of Mrs.

Nora Casey.

Mrs. Floy Rooke gave the opening prayer. Short business by Mrs. Casey, turning the meeting over

to Mrs. S. W. Coaker, who brought chapter 2 and 3 of the book Christian Sharing of Possessions. Mrs. Tom Shults gave the closing prayer for the missionaries, and world peace.

Refreshments were served to those present: Mrs. O. B. Gilley, Miss Ruth Lipscomb, Mrs. Floy Rooke, Mrs. R. L. Condeley, Mrs. S. W. Coaker and granddaughter, Jeanette Ann, visiting.

They welcomed Mrs. Sally Townsend back, after a two-months vacation, by singing happy birthday.

"The Jazz Singer" starring Al Jolson, was the first talking picture.

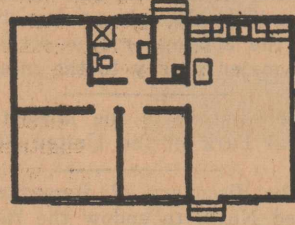
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Mustang District Leaders Pledge More Scouts

Scout leaders of the Mustang District meeting Saturday night at Rob and Bessie Welder Park in Sinton, pledged to recruit 592 new Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers during the fall "round up".

The fall round up will get underway on Sept. 1 and end on Dec. 31.

The committee to recruit the new members came as the highlight of the annual fall barbecue for the leaders of the district. More than 50 of the district's leaders attended the barbecue which was served by Scouters K. T. Edwards, Tony Vanecek, and G. A. Mistrot. Having presentations of the program following the meal were Gulf Coast Council Scout Executive A. C. Williamson, District Chairman Seth Yarbrough of Woodsboro and District training leaders, Joe Benson and Stanly Brinkoter of Sinton.

The pledge to the new members came after the explanation of the round up program. The various towns within the district pledged the following: Refugio 72 boys, Woodsboro 52, Bayside 8, Rockport 44, Aransas Pass 66, Port Aransas 18, Ingleside 34, Portland 48, Taft 76, Odem 34 Mathis 46 and Sinton 94. Suitable awards will be given scout units that make their goal in the recruiting of new members.

ROCKPORT FOLKS ATTEND TIVOLI GATHERING

A barbecue dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Appelt in Tivoli Sunday honoring Mr. Appelt on his 80th birthday.

Guest Appelt, Fred Appelt and family, Hallettsville; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Keller and family, Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sachrion, Magnolia Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Pagal, John Botary, and Lena Botard, Tivoli.

GOOD NEIGHBOR CLUB MEETS AT HOGUE HOME

Mrs. W. H. Hogue entertained the Good Neighbor Club at her home Wednesday afternoon with ten members and one visitor, Mrs. D. P. Sabo, present.

The club worked on Mexican drawn work for their project.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. H. Townsend at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, Aug. 27, and will be a covered dish luncheon.

REBEKAH LODGE HAS MEETING

Mrs. W. L. Mikeal, Noble Grand, presided at the regular business meeting of the Rockport Rebekah Lodge on Thursday, Aug. 17.

Mrs. Della Scott, Lodge Deputy, held a school of instruction.

Mrs. Ella Mae Ebert will have a Tupperware party at 7:30 p.m., Monday, Aug. 28, at the lodge hall for the benefit of the lodge.

The local lodge will entertain other lodges in the district with a game party on Thursday, Aug. 21.

ROCKPORT VACATION

Mrs. Pearl Brenek of Sweet Home and nieces, Barbara Bennett, Jeanette Pearl and Mary Ellen Bennett, have returned home following a vacation at Rockport.

Their Sunday guests at Rockport included Mr. and Mrs. Maxie Bennett, Joyce Mae Bennett, Maxie Edward, Mike and Shirley Bennett and Leo Brier.

INSTRUMENTS FILED AT COURTHOUSE

R. Traylor to J. C. Cooley, warranty deed.

J. C. Cooley to R. K. Ellis, deed of trust.

J. H. Perkins to A. N. Martin, deed of trust.

First Presbyterian to J. H. Sorenson, deed of trust.

D. L. Mahan to E. A. Delgado, warranty deed.

MRS. C. L. UTZ HAS DOUBLE-FOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. C. L. Utz was hostess to the Double-Four Bridge Club on Wednesday afternoon at her home. High score winner was Miss Winona McFall; Mrs. C. O. Lutz was second.

Attending were the following members: Mrs. A. L. Bachman, Miss Winona McFall, Mrs. C. O.

Lutz, Mrs. H. J. Templeton, Mrs. C. H. Whiteley and Mrs. J. V. Ferguson. Mrs. Birch Addington was a special guest.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the members of the Baptist Church for their prayers and help during the illness of our son, Mark. c21 Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bradshaw

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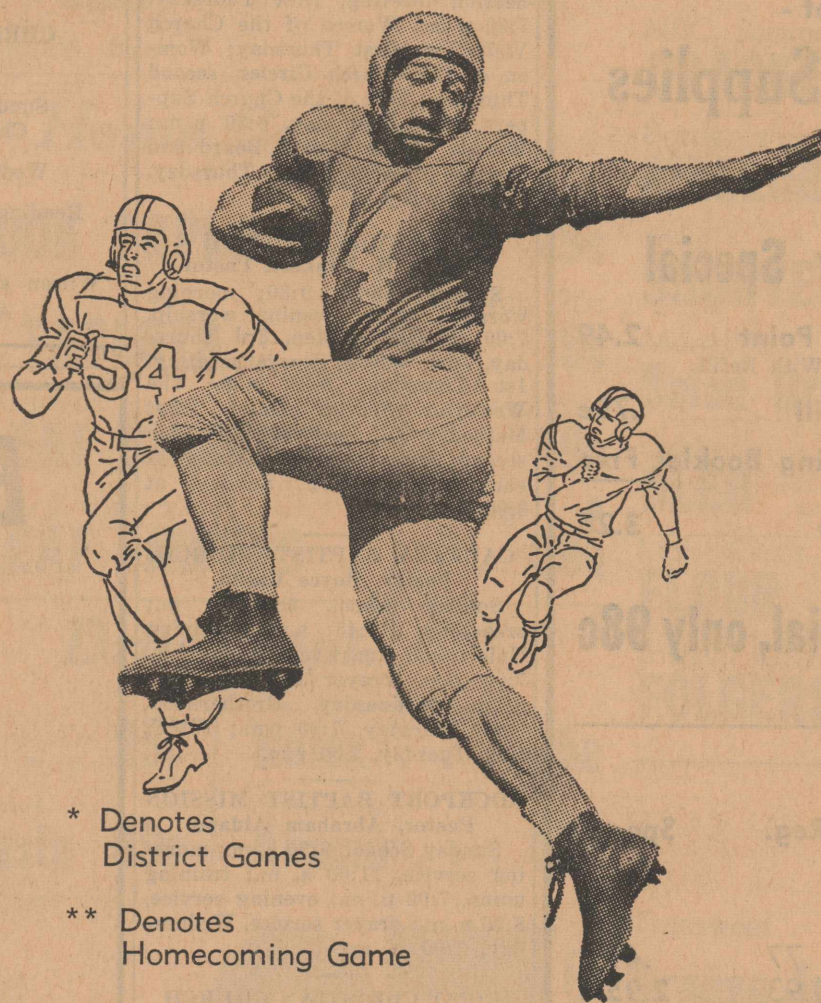
Corner Market and Highway 35

ARANSAS COUNTY FIGHTING PIRATES Football Schedule--1961

Varsity

Sept. 1---	Flour Bluff	Here
Sept. 8---	Agua Dulce	Here
Sept. 15---	Banquete	There
Sept. 22---	Industrial	There
Sept. 29---	*Gregory-Portland	There
Oct. 6---	*Bloomington	There
Oct. 13---	*Calallen	Here
Oct. 20---	**Woodsboro	Here
Oct. 27---	*Mathis	There
Nov. 3---	Open	
Nov. 10---	*Ingleside	Here

Playing Time--8:00 P. M.



* Denotes
District Games

** Denotes
Homecoming Game

Junior Varsity

Sept. 7---	Taft	There
Sept. 14---	Flour Bluff	There
Sept. 21---	Odem	Here
Sept. 28---	Open	
Oct. 5---	Open	
Oct. 12---	Ingleside	There
Oct. 19---	Mathis	There
Oct. 26---	Bloomington	Here
Nov. 2---	Gregory-Portland	Here
Nov. 9---	Ingleside	Here

7:00 P. M.

Playing Time

6:00 P. M.

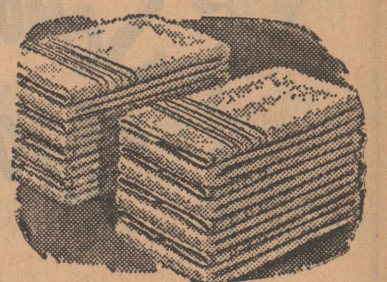
COACHES: DAVE SEGLER, PAT SMITH, SONNY WATKINS, GENE WILKINS

Junior High

Sept. 14---	Aransas Pass	There
Sept. 21---	Open	
Sept. 28---	Gregory	Here
Oct. 5---	Bloomington	Here
Oct. 12---	Calallen	There
Oct. 19---	Woodsboro	There
Oct. 26---	Mathis	Here
Nov. 2---	Open	
Nov. 9---	Ingleside	There



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Monuments Are Sometimes Erected to Pests

Beside the road near Fortuna, Calif., stands a granite boulder, dedicated—of all things—to a beetle. High on the spires of London's Royal exchange and Boston's Faneuil Hall are grasshoppers.

In Temple Square, Salt Lake City, is a gull-crowned shaft; and in the center of Main Street, in Enterprise, Ala., stands a cast iron woman in classical robes, holding a bowl weevil over her head with upthrust hands.

All but one of these are monuments to pests which, by their very

pestiness, helped people. The other commemorates destruction of a plague on insects and the saving of a community.

The one in London honors a grasshopper in an English hayfield. It made its way into an abandoned baby's ear, causing the child to wail so loudly that it was found. Faneuil Hall's grasshopper is in memory of one that set the man who carved it—Deacon Shem Drowne—on the road to fame and fortune.

The gulls commemorated by the Salt Lake monument destroyed a plague of crickets, saving early Mormons from starvation; the one at Fortuna was paid for with hard cash donated by ranchers and

farmers, and is no prank. It was erected in all seriousness to honor a beetle imported from Australia which destroyed a serious and costly weed threat.

The Enterprise monument shows the gratitude of another community to the pest which, when it first appeared in a county that planted nothing but cotton, brought the farmers almost to bankruptcy before they diversified their crops and began to make more money than ever.

On the base of the monument, the inscription says:

"In Profound Appreciation
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By The Citizens of
Enterprise, Coffee County, Ala."

Whitewing Season Not Far Away

The three-day whitewing season in the Valley is not far away, with the season set for Sept. 8 through 10.

Shooting hours for both white-wings and mourning doves on those three days will be from 2 p.m. until sunset, and the doves may be hunted only in certain specified counties along the border. The bag limit is 10, and possession limit 10. When both mourning and whitewings are possessed, not more than 30. Ten can be white-wings.

North zone mourning dove shooting opens Sept. 1 and runs through Oct. 30, with a daily bag limit of 15, and not more than thirty in a hunter's possession at any one time.

The south zone is from Oct. 7 to Dec. 2, both days inclusive.

It is unlawful to shoot white-wings or chachalacas south of U.S. Highway 83, formerly State Highway 4, in the southern tip of Texas, in the Game Sanctuary, and in the Big Bend National Park.

Shotguns must be plugged permanently to three-shell capacity, may not be larger than 10 gauge, and rifles are prohibited.

Shooting hours on mourning doves are from 12 noon until sunset, except in areas having a whitewing season, where the shooting hours will be from 2 p.m. until sunset on Sept. 8-10 (consecutive days) only.

Mrs. Jim Barber, Sgt. Leon Barber of Ft. Hood, Mrs. Jimmy Passmore and son Alan Lee were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cloyd in Hereford, Tex., last week.

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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. C. R. Simpson
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.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. H. F. Smith, Pastor
1 block north of Joe's Trailer Park
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ELDERLY WIDOWS GET RAISE IN SOCIAL SECURITY PAYMENTS

All widows of age 62 or more who are now receiving social security survivors insurance will get an increased amount with their next check. H. M. Cleveland, District Manager of the Social Security Administration in Corpus Christi says that this change in the law affects more than 1,500 persons in this area.

In most cases the increase will be about 10 percent. Aged widows formerly received 75 percent of their deceased husband's primary insurance amount. For August, the payment will be 82½ percent, and the first checks for the higher amount will be received here about Sept. 5. The minimum payment for a widow past 62 is raised from \$33 to \$40 a month.

This is not a general increase in benefits, Cleveland said. For example, young widows who are getting benefits while they are receiving payments for a child do not get the raise.

It is not necessary to ask for the higher amounts. Eligible beneficiaries will receive the increased payments automatically.

SWIMMING, DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS ON WIDE WORLD OF SPORTS, AUG. 26

The world's greatest male swimmers and divers will compete in the 1961 National AAU Men's Swimming and Diving Championships to be presented on "ABC's Wide World of Sports" Saturday, Aug. 26 over KRIS-TV from 5 to 7 p.m. EDT. The program is co-

sponsored by the Humble Co.

Jim McKay will be the commentator for the swimming events at the Los Angeles Swim Stadium and Bill Flemming will describe the diving events from Los Coyotes Country Club, Buena Park, California.

This international meet will see Japan's free style champ Tsuyoshi Yamanka renewing his Olympic Games duels of 1956 and 1960 with Murray Rose of Australia who swims for the Los Angeles Athletic Club. The Indianapolis Athletic Club team will include such defending champions as Alen Somers, 400 meter free style champ; Mike Troy, 200 meter butterfly record holder and Olympic winner; Tom Stock, 100 and 200 meter backstroke champ; Chet Jastremsky, 100 meter breaststroke champ; and Ted Stickle, 200 meter individual medley winner in 1960. The Hoosier team will also send the defending champion relay teams for the 800 meter free style and 400 meter medley to the meet.

Yellowstone is the largest National Park in the United States.

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NOTICE FOR BUDGET HEARING

On motion by Commissioner Sparks, seconded by Commissioner Wofford, it was voted unanimously that a Public Hearing on the 1962 Aransas County Budget be held on August 31, 1961, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. in the County Courthouse in Aransas County, Texas.

JOHN D. WENDELL
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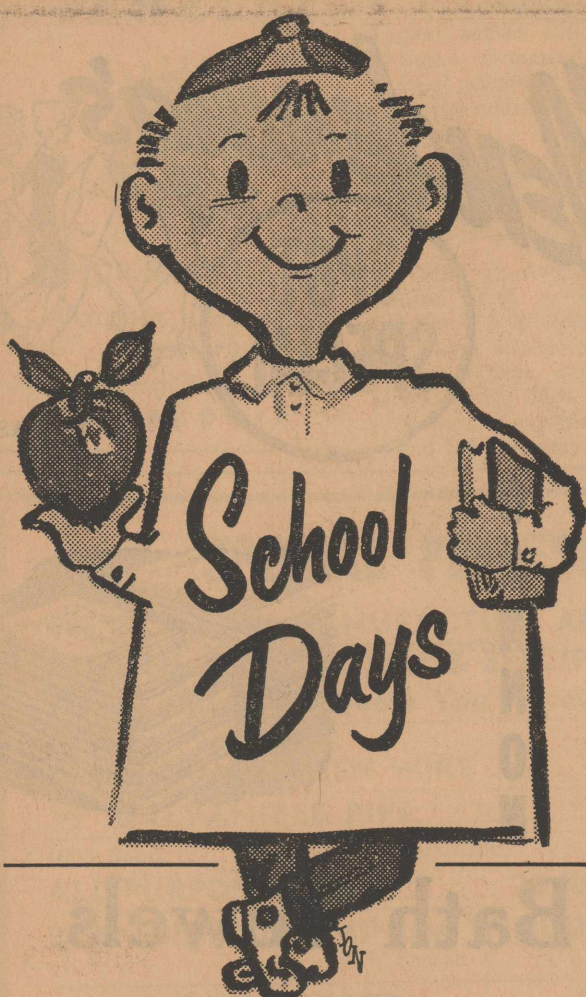
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HAPPENINGS IN ARANSAS COUNTY

15 Years Ago

Fishing continues good with Fred Christilles reporting 123 trout; Shorty Townsend had 30 trout, 70 large redfish, 1 flounder and 1 drum; "Uncle Billy" at Mills' Wharf had 225; Herb Mills reported catches of 140, 63, 28 while Harry Mills had 113, 101, 84 and 142 trout. . . The Rockport All Stars beat Refugio 12 to 11. . . Thomas Houston Foster was hired as the principal of the elementary school. . . The C. of C. is sponsoring a Clean Up Campaign with Urban Hemmi as chairman. . .

The Navigation Commissioners have advertised surplus land for lease, suitable for drive-in cafe, soft drink stand, and sandwich shop. . . Burglars visited the Dick Fox home, while they were at a ball game. Sheriff A. R. Curry is investigating. . . Some of the boys Coach Ramsey was depending on were: Russell Rowe, Joe Johnson, Jr., Denny Smith, Bobby Morrison, Clifton Evans and Jack Davis. . .

The Yacht Basin has been dredged with 15,000 cubic yards of sand deposited on the beach. . . Mary Virginia Jackson honored with miscellaneous shower. . . Freddie Hunt celebrates fourth birthday. . . Miss Faynell Cole has returned from a visit to Houston. . . Mrs. Stanley Bissett, Miss Dorothy Bissett and Mrs. R. L. Hart visited in Matagorda with relatives. . .

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Bauer, of Refugio, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hart. . . Mrs. W. H. Morrison returned from encampment at Kerrville. . . Misses Loretta and Iletta Townsend have returned

DIE-OFF OF SMALL FISH PREDICTED

Hot weather and still water along the coast, particularly in the Galveston area, may bring about a kill of small fish this summer, according to Terrance Leary, assistant director of the marine fisheries division of the Game and Fish Commission, here.

According to Leary, with the hot, still water and calm nights, there is a lack of oxygen, and when a tremendous number of fish compete in small bays there is likely to be a heavy die-off. The problem is a simple one. They do not get enough oxygen from the water.

Mostly the die-off, if it comes, will be of menhaden and other small fish. This loss, however, is heavy because the menhaden has become one of the chief commercial fish along the Texas coast, with 145 million pounds produced last year. There is a menhaden plant at Port Arthur, where these fish are processed to produce oil and other by-products.

Leary says sports fishermen need not become alarmed at the die-off.

The seven seas are the North Atlantic, South Atlantic, North Pacific, South Pacific, Arctic, Antarctic and Indian Oceans.

from a visit to Houston. . . Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison gave a lawn party honoring their sons, Jimmy and Bobby. . .

The Rio Theatre was featuring "Road to Utopia," "Wildfire," "Tarzan and the Leopard Woman," and "Don't Fence Me In." . . Dr. H. A. Thomas has re-opened his dental office in Aransas Pass.

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SNAGGING AND JERKING FISH NOW FORBIDDEN

Austin.—House Simple Resolution No. 69, passed by the First Called Session of the 57th Legislature, calls for arrest and prosecution of anyone caught taking fish by means of snagging or jerking.

Notice of this Resolution has been sent out to all game wardens by Captain E. M. Sprott, director of law enforcement of the Game and Fish Commission.

"It is our duty to carry out the

will of the Legislature, in strictly enforcing the law providing such methods to be illegal," he says.

The taking of fish by snagging has been prevalent in the tail race waters below many of the major impoundments of the state.

Sir Francis Drake was the first Englishman to travel around the world.

Ben Jonson, English poet laureate, is buried in an upright position in Westminster Abbey.

Students Should Not Let Draft Calls Interfere With Plans

Austin.—Students who plan to continue their studies in college or university and those planning to enter freshman year should not let increased draft calls interfere with these educational plans.

That is the advice of Col. Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service director, who heads the 137 Texas draft boards.

"Students will be considered for scholastic deferment and will, in all probability, be given grades," Col. Schwartz said Wednesday.

The State Selective Service director is convinced that draft boards are "conscious of the need for a continuous supply of trained and educated people in the state and nation."

Col. Schwartz said that "knowledge is the basis of strength" in our armed forces, on our farms, and in our laboratories, factories, and professions.

The state Selective Service director pointed out that, under present policy, no one is drafted under age 22. He said he did not expect increased draft calls to alter this policy, at least for the foreseeable future.

"Under this policy alone," he said, "some young men will have a good opportunity to complete work toward some bachelor's-level degrees before being considered for an induction call."

He counseled students to seek deferments from their local boards when these deferments are needed for the students to complete their college or university work.

Texas draft boards currently have more than 8,000 college students deferred on the basis of educational deferments in the state's consolidated military manpower pool.

Some college students also get deferments for their activity as students taking military training. This activity includes ROTC and

other officer-training programs and enlistment in the National Guard and reserve organizations of the armed forces.

Currently there are almost 44,000 draft-registered men classified by the state draft boards as being reservists or students taking military training.

Col. Schwartz urged young men, both in and out of college, to seek

information and understanding from their draft boards.

"After all is said and done," he counseled, "no one is better prepared to advise draft-age men than the draft boards."

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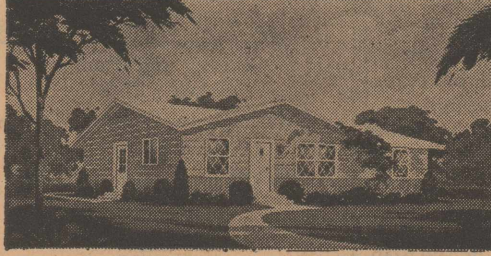
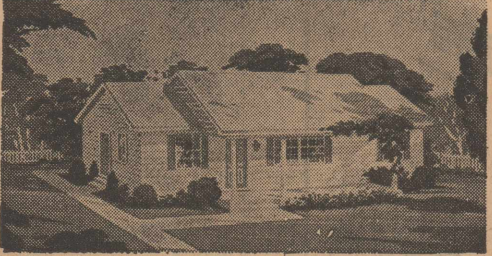
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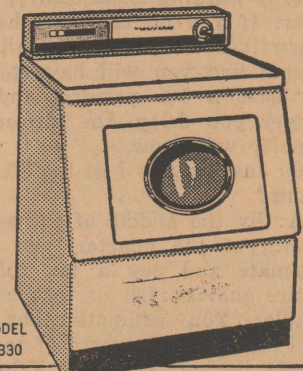
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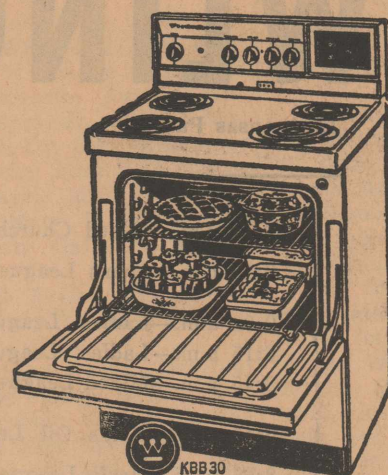
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NEW SALES TAX, QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:

Thomas M. Andrews, the State Representative from this district has sent in the following memorandum which was prepared by the Texas Research League. It answers some of the many questions that will be asked concerning the new sales tax.

General Questions

Q: Why was this new tax money needed?

A: Much of the new tax revenue was required simply because the rate of Texas' population growth, combined with growing urbanization and industrialization, had far exceeded the expansion of the tax base. Until now, Texas has had no broad-based growth tax that would produce increasing revenues to match increasing needs. New and expanded state programs with broad public backing account for most of the other revenue needs. For example:

Program Cost (2 years):
Salary raise for public school teachers, retirement, etc. \$150 million;

Salary raise for college profs, 22 million;

Increased aid to Public Welfare recipients, 17 million;

Expanded Prison System, 10 million;

Expanded Hospitals and Special Schools, 27 million;

Q: Will all the new money come from the Sales Tax?

A: Unofficial estimates place the sales tax revenue at approximately \$319 million for the next two years. Extension of a corporation franchise tax increase will produce about \$20 million, and a tax on dedicated gas reserves is expected to raise more than \$3 million for the biennium. In addition, drivers' licenses will be raised from \$2 for two years to \$3 dollars, producing an extra \$7 million, and a \$2 tax per member for private clubs should bring in about \$4 million in 1961-63.

Q: But most of the money will come from Sales Taxes all paid by individuals?

A: At least 30 per cent of the sales tax will fall on business. Whenever a business firm buys stationary, and adding machines,

a road grader, an electronic computer, or any one of thousands of items of supplies and equipment, the tax will be included in the purchase price. Even if the item in question is bought in another state or a foreign country, a "Use Tax" of two per cent must be paid.

Q: When does the tax go into effect?

A: September 1, 1961.

Q: How will this new sales tax cost me?

A: That will depend on how much you earn, how much you spend of what you earn and how you spend it. You may pay substantially more one year than you do the next because you happen to buy furniture or some other major item of taxable merchandise one year and not the next.

Q: What are the main things on which I will pay the sales tax?

A: Furniture, household and kitchen appliances, most clothing, household supplies, toys, restaurant meals and electric and gas utility service.

Q: What are the main things on which I will not pay the sales tax?

A: Groceries, housing (whether you own or rent), medical and dental expenses, insurance, telephone service, your car and the gasoline you buy to run it.

Q: Why won't the tax apply to a car?

A: Because motor vehicles have been subject to a selective sales tax in Texas since 1941. That tax is now at the rate of 1½% and will not be increased by the new sales tax bill. Because the state already levies taxes on such things as cigarettes, gasoline and beer, they too will be exempt from the new sales tax.

Q: What about a television set which is already subject to a state tax?

A: The new sales tax will apply to television sets, but the old state tax has been replaced. Actually the tax on television sets, radios, and air conditioners is reduced from 3% to 2% by the new tax bill. The tax on cosmetics is reduced from 2.2% to 2%.

Q: How will I pay the tax?

A: When you buy something that is taxable, the retailer will add the tax to the purchase price. He will determine the correct tax

by applying a tax "bracket" stated in the law. For example, purchases under 25¢ will not be taxed. If the price is between 25¢ and 74¢, you will pay a tax of one penny; the tax will be two cents on items costing from 75¢ to \$1.24, and so on. Over the long haul, this bracket system is designed to average out to a 2% tax on what you buy, and it enables the retailer to collect the tax without the nuisance of stamps or tokens.

Q: Can I get credit for this tax when I pay my Federal income tax?

A: Yes, this tax is levied on the consumer. Probably the Internal Revenue Service will shortly issue a special bulletin which will provide an easy way to determine how much of a deduction you may take. IRS has done this for all other sales tax states. Of course, you can always keep your own records and use them instead of the standard IRS deduction.

Q: Did they raise the tax on beer and liquor?

A: No. And the sales tax will not apply to alcoholic beverages. However, if you buy a restaurant meal and a bottle of beer or a glass of wine, you will pay a sales tax on the total charge.

Questions from Retailers

Q: Won't this be difficult for me to collect?

A: Collection of the new tax will impose some additional responsibilities on you and your employees, but similar duties are being handled with no great difficulty by 1,200,000 other retailers in the 35 sales tax states. Most retailers, including grocery stores, are already collecting some state and federal excise taxes and have some experience on which to rely.

Q: How will I collect this tax?

A: By a prescribed bracket system which will tell you how much tax to add to any given sale. Briefly, you will not collect a tax if the sale is less than 25¢; if it is between 25¢ and 74¢, you will collect one penny tax; if it is between 75¢ and \$1.24, you will collect two pennies and so forth.

Q: Will I have to keep track of the pennies I collect?

A: No. You will pay the state a flat 2% of your taxable sales. A test run in one large Texas department store indicated that the bracket would actually produce 2.2%. In other cases it might be slightly less, but the vendor discount system will insure that you do not lose money.

Q: What is the vendor discount system?

A: If you pay the state tax due on your taxable sales within the time it is due that is, before the last day of January, April, July and October—you will be permitted to keep 1% of the tax due to compensate you for your time and trouble and to make sure that the bracket system hasn't cheated you. If you will estimate your tax and pay it early, then the state will permit you to keep 3% of the tax due. A warning is necessary, however: If you do not pay the tax when it is due, you lose all discounts and you will have to pay at least a 5% penalty, and the longer you delay, the higher the penalty will grow.

Q: Just how do I get the 3% discount?

A: By the middle of the second month of the quarter, you must estimate and pay a tax for the entire quarter. Let us take an example: You estimate that you will sell \$100,000 worth of taxable goods during January, February and March. Before February 15 you file an estimated tax return with the Comptroller and send him a check for \$1,940—\$2,000 estimated tax, less 3% discount. Then in April you will file an amended or final return. If it shows that you actually owed the state a tax of \$2,100, you would remit an additional \$99.00—the amount due the state less the normal 1% discount to which you are entitled on taxes remitted at the proper time.

Q: Why was this pre-payment plan put in the law?

A: Because in the first year of the new tax there will be a collection lag. This device, it is estimated, will reduce the amount of collection lag by about \$19 million.

Q: What kind of a form will I file with the State?

A: The Comptroller will devise a form in the very near future. It will probably be as simple enough to fill in an IBM card.

Q: Do I have to get a license from the State?

A: Yes, but there is no charge for this permit. If you now pay the state store tax, you will automatically receive an application for a sales tax permit.

Q: Do I have to buy a special cash register that keeps track of exempt and taxable sales?

A: Not unless you wish to do so. The Comptroller will work out some reasonable and simple methods of enabling you to separate taxable and non-taxable sales. Doubtless he will consult with your trade association as well as with tax administrators in other states in developing these methods.

Q: Suppose I do buy a new cash register, do I pay the tax on it?

A: You do. In this case you are

the consumer and you must pay the tax.

Questions from Other Businessmen

Q: I am a wholesaler. Will I have anything to do under this tax?

A: Yes. In the eyes of the sales tax law you are a retailer. However, most—perhaps all—of your sales will be exempt because you are selling to persons who then resell to the general public. When your customers buy from you, they will sign a resale certificate designed by the Comptroller (it may be something you can just print on your usual invoice so as not to have extra paper handling), and this will be your evidence that no tax is due on the transaction.

Q: I am a manufacturer. How will this tax affect my business?

A: You will not have to pay the tax on your raw materials—that is, on the component parts of what you manufacture. You will have to pay the tax when you buy machinery, supplies, office equipment, etc. If you rent IBM or Remington Rand electronic equipment, you will have to pay the tax on the rental you pay for that equipment.

Q: I am a printer. How will this tax affect my business?

A: You will have to collect it in most cases. If you print some letterheads for a business firm, you will have to collect the tax on the total amount of the sale, assuming you provided the paper. If the customer supplied the paper and you just did the printing, then the tax would be due on the amount you charged for that service. There are some exceptions: If you print paper bags, then that would not be a taxable transaction since wrapping supplies and containers are exempt.

Q: I am a building contractor. How will this tax affect my business?

A: You will be viewed as the consumer of the tangible personal property which goes into your construction. This means that you will pay the tax on the lumber, nails and bricks, as well as on your equipment, tools, etc. Since you cannot collect the tax when you sell the construction (it now being real estate and not subject to tax), you will have to allow for the tax expense when you quote prices. Incidentally, if you have already signed a contract for a construction job to be completed after September 1, you should check with the State Comptroller of Public Accounts to see about a special exemption which will keep you from being charged a tax that you cannot recoup in your price.

OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

By Vern Sanford

Fishermen — not fish — break fishing tackle.

When the truth wins out, you will discover that the "big one" that broke the line wasn't so big after all.

Let me relate the story of an angler who lost a "huge" redfish in the surf near High Island on Bolivar Peninsula. Although this took place several years ago, it will illustrate the point of this column.

I won't embarrass the angler by naming him. But here's the story. He hooked a redfish — and in short order the fish broke the line. The angler boasted that the fish was a real monster because he was using brand new 36-pound test line.

Within an hour after the fellow lost the fish, some beach seiners about a mile down the beach brought in their net. One of the fish trapped was a redfish complete with a hook in its mouth, a long wire leader, and about 10 yards of line.

The angler, who happened upon the scene, identified the terminal tackle as his. The beach seiners, in view of this unusually large catch—that got away—gave him the fish.

Now comes the corker.

That redfish weighed exactly 11 pounds. It was a far cry from the 40 or 50 pound monster implied by the angler.

Sure enough the angler's line was brand new. His rod tip and guides were in good shape. So the line wasn't weakened by fraying.

Truth of the matter is that the fisherman—not the fish—broke that 36-pound test line.

Here's how it happened. When the fish made its run for freedom, the angler feared he might not have enough line on the reel. So he hauled back as hard as he could to check the run. Naturally the strain of the fish pulling in one direction, and the angler jerking in the other, parted the line.

Fish losses like this happen every day. It's the result of excitement and inexperience. Usually the angler could have landed the fish by playing it.

Redfish aren't noted for long runs. Their runs are short, 20 to 30 yards at most, before they change directions. So if the angler, who felt that the line was getting near the end of the pool, would have walked down the beach with the fish—

or even waded out into the water he might have landed it.

Many line breaks occur because the angler fails to periodically check the line for frayed spots.

Let me point out here that line fraying usually occurs in the first few feet of the line. And here's why.

Every time you cast out, tremendous pressure is exerted on the line where it comes in contact with the rod-tip top. Eventually this will fray and weaken the line. Play it safe by cutting off a few feet of line every time you make a trip. Thus you will get rid of that part of the line subjected to heavy pressure and the greatest wear in casting.

You should frequently check the rod-tip top—particularly if you use nylon or monofilament line. These lines are extremely hard in heavy fishing will wear grooves in the tip top.

Agate tip tops will crack and chip, and the sharp edges will cut the line. Replace faulty tip tops immediately.

Rust on the metal tip top will ruin a line. If you can't clean the rust off, replace the tip top.

Line comes in various pound tests. Its strength will remain constant unless the line is abused. This is particularly true with linen lines used in salt water fishing. Linen line stored wet will rot quickly.

It's better to practice good line maintenance than to lose a fish because of line neglect.

Regardless of the strength of the line, you weaken it every time you tie a knot in it. The degree of weakening, however, can be minimized by learning to use the proper knots.

The simple, ordinary square knot will cut line strength about 50 percent. Obviously a line testing out at 36-pounds will break at about 18 pounds at the point of the knot.

Best knot to use is the blood or jam knot. It's tied simply by running one end through the hook eye. Twist this end at least five times (preferably eight or ten times) around the standing end of the line. Then slip the end back through the loop between the hook eye and the first twist. Now run the end back through the big loop just formed and pull the knot tight.

It's easy to tie. It forms a neat knot that will not slip. But more important it decreases line strength at the point of the knot only about 20 percent.

For example, with 36-pound test line, this knot will reduce line strength at the point of the knot by a little more than seven pounds. For the sake of round numbers, let's say eight pounds. The weight needed to break the line would then be 28 pounds—which is a long way from the 18 pounds required to snap the line if a square knot is used.

A rod with the wrong kind of tip action will cause an angler to break lines.

The rod tip is a shock absorber. It takes up the shock transmitted by a fish on a sudden run, or the shock transmitted when the angler hauls back hard to bed the hook in the fish's mouth.

A springy tip allows the strain of the sudden shock to be transmitted to the line gradually.

With a very stiff tip, the strain on the line is quite sudden. Result: Pop goes the line and the fish goes free.

Next time you lose a fish, don't blame it all on the size of the fish. Stop and consider how you played the fish.

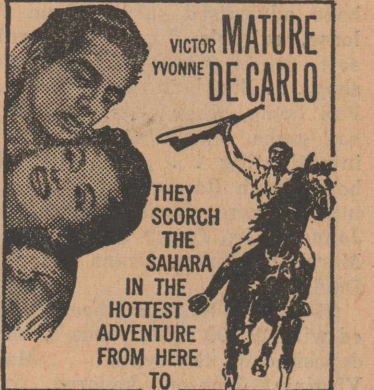
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your tackle is okay and you "played it" right—perhaps you did lose a big one. Maybe even a record breaker!

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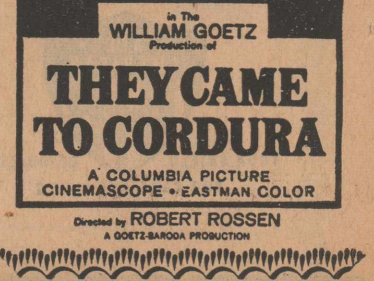
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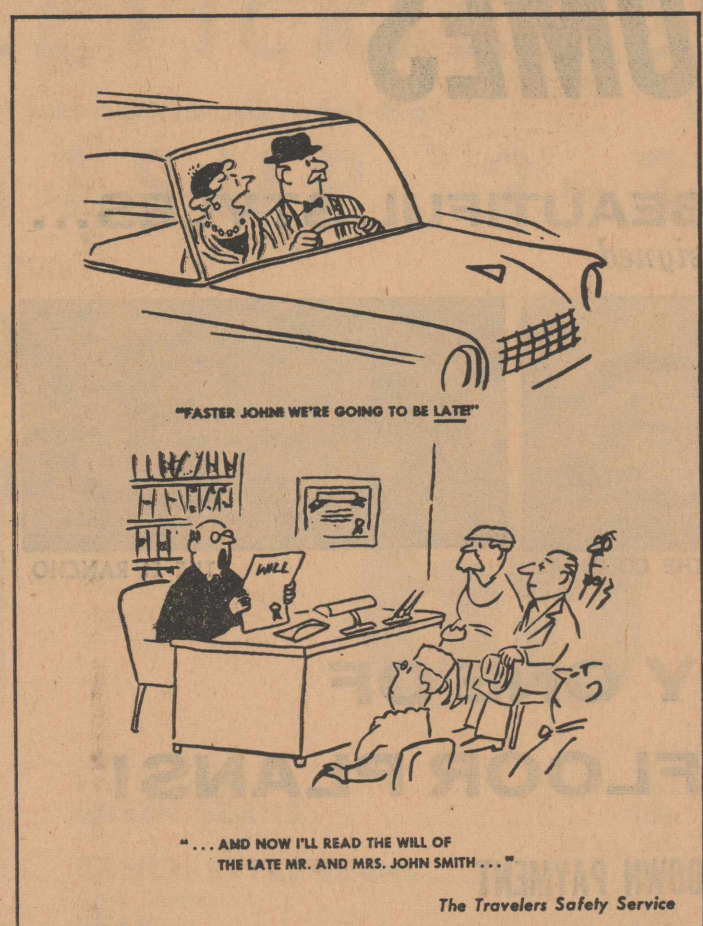
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EDWARD MORRISON TO RECEIVE DEGREE

Edward A. Morrison of Rockport is among 275 candidates for degrees to be awarded during graduation exercises at Southwest Texas State College in San Marcos on Friday, Aug. 25.

Morrison is a candidate for the bachelor of business administration degree. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Morrison of Rockport.

Dr. Irby Carruth, superintendent of schools at Austin, will deliver the commencement address.

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RECENT BRIDE



Mrs. Roger Edwin Ayers was the former Miss Linda Gail Lee of Lake Charles, Louisiana. She was united in marriage with Roger Edwin Ayers, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Ayers, Jr., of Rockport, in a ceremony at the Robin Memorial Church in Beaumont recently. The bride is a graduate of La Grange high school and will attend Lamar State College in Beaumont, for the second year, in the fall. The groom is a graduate of Aransas County high school in Rockport, Texas, and will also attend Lamar State College in Beaumont in the fall.

Spice Shower Honors Miss Mary Lucille Jackson

Miss Mary Lucille Jackson, bride-elect of Wayne Merrill Ahr, was honoree at a spice shower on Tuesday night, Aug. 22, given by Mrs. Tom Schmitt, of Houston, and Miss Azalea Shivers, of Rockport, at the home of their mother, Mrs. A. C. Shivers.

The table was laid with a pale blue linen cloth and centered with an antique crystal epergne holding white flowers. A bride doll stood on the Dutch cabinet nearby.

The hostesses presented a spice rack to the honoree, filled with various spices brought by the guests, who were close relatives and friends of Miss Jackson.

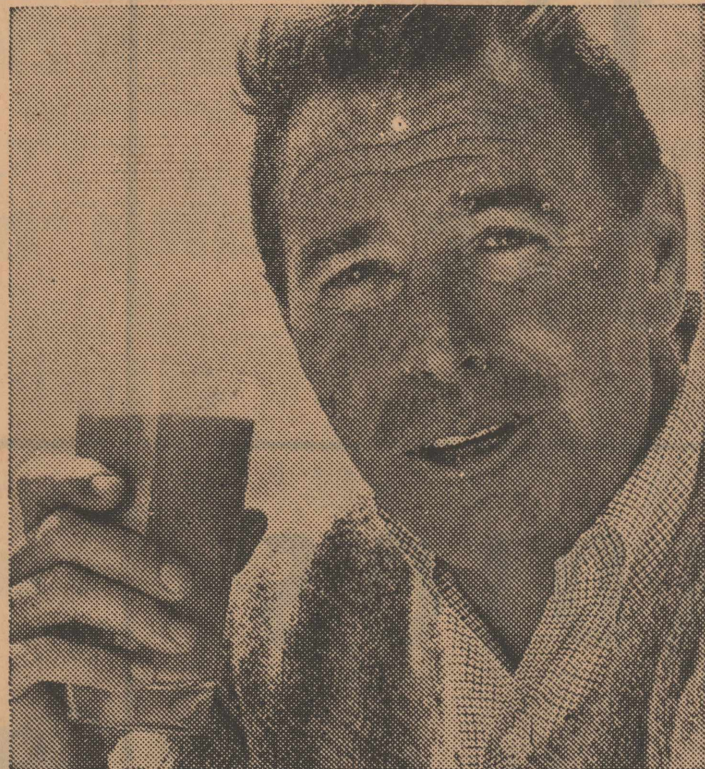
The evening was spent making

rice bags for the wedding.

Guests attending, besides the honoree, included Misses Teresa Johnson, Linda Mills, Frances LeBlanc, Merrily Johnson, Betty Johnson, June Knippa, Mary Scott, Nan Jackson, Barbara Barnard, Joy Hamblin, Karen Casterline, Georgia Kresta, Mrs. S. F. Jackson, Mrs. Norvell F. Jackson, Mrs. Mary Adolphus, Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss, Mrs. M. M. Bergel, Mrs. Joe Phillips, Mrs. Gary Andrew, Mrs. Van Forshee, and Mrs. John D. Porter of Austin.

Mrs. Louis Pfeiffer of Boerne, spent two weeks as guests of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Griggs.

Miss Jimmi Ann Williams and Gayle Williams spent the weekend in Kilgore.



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Old Dolores South Texas Ghost Town

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Suddenly he reached a decision. "Vaminos!" he shouted. "Let's go!" and spurred his mount into the water.

Behind him, urged on by the shrill yells of his vaqueros, a sluggish flood of long-horned cattle poured over the river bank, into the tawny stream.

And when Don Jose's horse buck-jumped ashore through the shallows on the northern side, one of the oldest settlements in Texas was born—the villa of Nuestra Senora de Dolores—at the junction of the arroyo of the same name and the river, in what is now the southwest corner of Zapata County.

Today that sttlement, which predated Laredo by a year or two, is a ghost town hidden in the brush, its streets and plaza deserted, its houses tumbling ruins.

Old Spanish records show that Borrego—a Coahuilan rancher that became one of Escandon's captains—was given 50 sitios de ganado menor for his pastures, and at this spot, with 13 families besides his own, founded his colony, built a church and erected his fortress-like home.

Five years later Don Jose's son-in-law—Juan Antonio Vidaurri—had his own hacienda, the population of Dolores had doubled, and it was an important river crossing. More important from Borrego's standpoint, he had been granted another 50 sitios of land for operating a free ferry.

Seven years after the colony was founded, a government inspector counted 400 horses, 1600 mules, 3000 mares, 3000 cattle and two tame Indians on the haciendas, and he noted that eleven of the family retainers were kept mounted and armed as a protection

against the Lipans and Comanches.

This was in 1757, with worse trouble ahead than Indians for the Mexican War of Independence was soon to break out. Old Don Jose and his patient wife had long been gathered to their forefathers, but the Vidaurris were suspected of being revolutionists and loyalist troops raided the villa several times, scattering deeds and original records and forcing the owner—Jose Nargil de Videaurri—to withdraw to the family holding in Coahuila.

He returned in 1828, and the land was still in the family's possession in 1945, although the Borrego home and church were destroyed in 1850 by the Indians.

The present homes were built some ten years later, when Don Cosme Martinez and his sons and sons-in-law quarried stone from the banks of the arroyo for the walls, loopholed so they could be

used as forts against Indians and border banditti. The roofs were of earth and stones supported by mesquite beams.

At one time there was quite a community at Dolores, for remains of more than forty houses can still be traced among the chaparral. But life there was hard, and a little at a time the population dwindled until at last there was no one left by the paisanos and the packrats.

Some of the houses, re-roofed with corrugated iron or shingles, are occasionally used by braceros during their winter migrations, and probably wetbacks heading for the promised land of America. But most of the time they are deserted, their windows staring like sightless eyes blinded by prickly pear and mesquite.

Mrs. Frank Davis has returned from her vacation.

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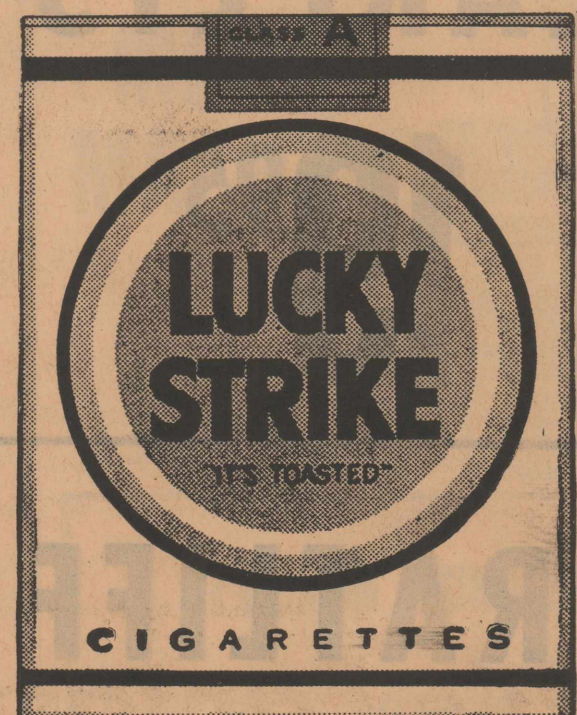
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High score winner was Mrs. Lynn Wendell; Mrs. H. D. Smith was second, and Mrs. Jerry Wendell low.

Members attending were Mrs. James C. Bracht, Mrs. Caspar J. Kutach, Mrs. H. D. Smith, Mrs. Jerry Wendell, Mrs. Lynn Wendell, and Mrs. Harold Picton. Mrs. Roy W. Hunsinger was a special guest.

CHURCH OF CHRIST HAS MANY VISITORS

The local Church of Christ has had many visitors this past week. Among them were:

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Justiss and family, Daingerfield, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Dan McGrew, Mr. and Mrs. George Robbins and Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wilcox and Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Smith, J. F. Boles and son, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stonestreet with their children Linda, Barbara, James, Jr., and Virginia, all from San Antonio.

ABNER WEST TAKING TWO WEEKS TRAINING

Fort Chaffee, Ark. — Grady Abner West of Rockport, Tex., began a two-weeks refresher course Sunday August 13 at Fort Chaffee, Ark.

He is one of 2,000 non-unit reservists being trained by the 95th Division. The 95th is the largest of 13 multi-branch training divisions set up by the Department of the Army in 1959.

In event of emergency, the 95th, dubbed the Victory Division after World War II, would mobilize and train up to 14,000 men at one time in advanced individual training, common specialties and basic combat training. During their two-week tour each summer, the men of the 95th brush up on instruction and training methods by offering a refresher course to non-unit reservists.

The citizen soldiers will break camp and head for home August 27.

General Lee's sword was returned to him by General Grant after Lee's surrender at Appomattox.

PROCLAMATION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF ARANSAS

WHEREAS, a celebration will be held on the 12th day of September, 1961, at Sinton, Texas, honoring John Young, Congressman of the 14th Congressional District of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable John Young has ably represented his district in Congress, being responsive to the needs of the District and attentive to the desires of his constituents; and

WHEREAS, Congressman Young has energetically served his country as an outstanding statesman and leader, reflecting honor on his District and on the State of Texas:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John D. Wendell, County Judge of Aransas County, Texas, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, the 12th day of September, 1961, as JOHN YOUNG DAY in Aransas County, Texas, in honor of Congressman John Young.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness my hand and official seal of office, this 22nd day of August, 1961.

JOHN D. WENDELL,
County Judge, Aransas
County, Texas

(Seal)

CHURCH OF GOD PLANS BUILDING FUND DRIVE

All ships will be sailing into harbor Sunday, Aug. 24 at 4 p.m. Be on hand to welcome each captain and his crew as they steam into Port Rockport Church of God.

Each captain is expected to unload \$50. Leading the fleet will be Pastor V. V. Lister, following close behind will be the captains, Gladys Sims, Rachel Luddington, and Susie Odums.

All ships are super charged and expected to come in full steam. Come and help us give them a hearty salute.—Contributed.

SHARON JOY DAVIDSON HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Miss Sharon Joy Davidson was entertained on Saturday on her 7th birthday with a party at her home. Games were played and prizes won. The guests and honoree had refreshments of cake, ice cream and soda pops.

The guests attending besides the honoree were: Pamela Downs, Lynn Godsbalk, Alice Huff, Rachel Sucedo, Sarah Shults, and Dorothy Wolfram; also Rarlette and Roxey Scholz of Corpus Christi.

ANDREW-BOCQUET WEDDING SATURDAY



Before an altar lighted with white cathedral tapers, at the First Presbyterian Church on Saturday evening, Aug. 19, Miss Robbie Wilhelmina Bocquet became the bride of Gary Lee Andrew. The Rev. A. Arnett Ward, of Corpus Christi, assisted by the Rev. Cecil H. Lang, Jr., of Rockport, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bocquet of Rockport. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Milton L. Andrew of Guilford, Conn.

Twin floor baskets of white gladioli and stock were used as decoration at the altar, flanked by tree candelabra holding lighted tapers. Additional candelabra marked the center aisle.

Mrs. Norvell F. Jackson rendered the traditional wedding music, and J. Allen Frye sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of white Chantilly lace and silk organza over satin, with full skirt swirling into a chapel-length train. The fitted bodice, with bateau neckline, was fashioned of lace, with long sleeves tapering to a point at the wrists.

Her fingertip veil, of French illusion, fell from a crown of seed pearls. Her bouquet was of white rosebuds, centered with a white orchid, and she carried a handkerchief that had belonged to her maternal grandmother.

Maid of honor was Miss Linda Mills. Miss Pat Andrew, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. They wore street-length dresses of pale green organza over green taffeta, with bouffant skirts. The molded bodices were designed with short sleeves and scoop necklines. Their headresses were bandeaux of green taffeta, with half-veils, and they carried nosegays of pink sweetheart roses.

Best man was Dailey Heldenfels, and Robert Andrew, brother of the groom, served as groomsman. Ushers were Bob Johnson and Coy Kirkpatrick.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the assembly hall of the church. The table was laid with a white taffeta flounced skirt trimmed with silver bows interspersed with lilies of the valley. A reflector, ruffled in tulle, held the bride's bouquet as a centerpiece, and was flanked with candles in crystal holders.

The three-tiered wedding cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom, was served by Miss Mary

Scott and Miss Beth Catlett. Miss June Knippa and Miss Mary Lucille Jackson served the punch, and Miss Teresa Johnson presided at the guest registry.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Beaumont where both will attend Lamar State College of Technology.

For her going-away costume, the bride wore a two-piece suit of gold and black pin-checked cotton and silk. Her hat was a bandeau of black silk and she wore blending accessories. Her corsage was a white orchid.

The bride is a graduate of Aransas County High School. The groom was graduated from Guilford High School, Guilford, Conn.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included the following:

From Guilford, Conn.: Mr. and Mrs. Milton L. Andrew, Miss Patricia Andrew, Bob Andrew;

From Glendale, Calif.: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woodside;

From Hawkins, Tex.: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Greeson, Bill and Jim Greeson, Miss Beth Catlett;

From Baytown: Mr. and Mrs. Travis Smith, Terri and Layne Smith;

From Kingsville: Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Williams, Brad and Ken Williams.

From Beeville: Mrs. O. J. Bocquet, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Bocquet, Mrs. Emily Heldenfels, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Heldenfels, Miss Kathleen Heldenfels, Jeff Heldenfels;

From Corpus Christi: Miss Edna Roberts, Mrs. Rae Mercer, Mrs. Tom Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Minor, III;

From Houston: Mrs. Tom Schmitt, Miss Virginia Aycock.

LT. LASSITER COMPLETES TWO WEEKS TRAINING

Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.—Army Reserve 1st Lt. Durwood K. Lassiter, 25, whose wife, Bernadine, lives at Beaumont, Tex., completed two weeks of annual active duty training at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., Aug. 11.

Lieutenant Lassiter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Lassiter, Rockport, is a 1953 graduate of Aransas County Independent High School, Rockport, and a 1958 graduate of Texas College of Arts and Industries, Kingsville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lane and family, of Lafayette, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Natt Sanders. Mr. Lane is Mrs. Sanders.

Rockport Next Week

Friday, Aug. 25: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dietrich have an anniversary; Harold Clayton, Jr., S. F. Jackson, and Dr. H. F. Elliot have birthdays.

Saturday, Aug. 26: Leta Finter, Theodore Tiffin, Jr., Pecola Herron and Mary Lou Johnson have birthdays.

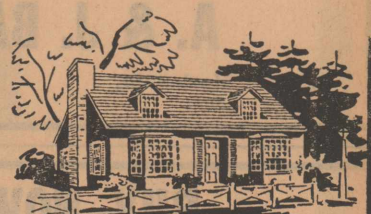
Sunday, Aug. 27: Church; Linda Corpus, Patty Townsend, Sharon Davidson, Gloria Jean McPherson and Julia Fox have birthdays.

Monday, Aug. 28: Masonic Lodge meets; city council meets; Samuel and Joe Davis have an anniversary; Joe Cavitt and Julia Beth Downs have birthdays.

Tuesday, Aug. 29: Rockport IOOF; Chester and Hazel Gray have an anniversary; Mary Wallas, Mrs. Florence Casterline and Sallie McCord have birthdays.

Wednesday, Aug. 30: Rotary meets; Mr. and Mrs. Shaw have an anniversary; Susan P. Smith and Bruce Brown Thompson have birthdays.

Thursday, Aug. 31: Rebekahs; Rockport and Fulton fire departments; Commissioners Court; Mrs. E. V. Wolfram, Sue Kline and Karen Wilson have birthdays.



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MEET IN ROCKPORT

The Churches of God in the Corpus Christi District will meet Sunday, Aug. 27 at the Rockport Church of God, Rev. V. V. Lister, host pastor, for a full day of fellowship and worship.

Among the participants will be Rev. David Jones, Mrs. Precious Calhoun and Rev. J. E. Roberson, president of this district. Rev. Roberson will preach at the 11 a.m. worship. His theme: "The Church Jesus Built."

Recent visitors at Rockport Church of God: Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Lockhart of Refugio; Mr. Mose Thomas of Victoria; Miss Billie Faye Gaines of Glenmora, La.; Evelyn Kay Duke of Austwell; Carolyn Taylor, Joyce M. Thompson, and Lois Galindo, all of Rockport.—Contributed.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD
FOR CHESTER PHELPS

Chester Phelps, 63, died in Odem at noon Monday in his home after a long illness.

Funeral services were at Cagle-Marshall Funeral Chapel in Rockport Tuesday at 2 p.m.

Phelps was the brother of Edgar Phelps of Corpus Christi.

A resident of Odem since 1944, he was a retired electrician. Other survivors are his wife, Edna May, one daughter, Miss Willamina Phelps of College Station; three other brothers, Frank of San Antonio, Carmel of Ingleside and Newt of Orchard; and two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Airhart of Aransas Pass and Mrs. Ethel Beiler of Houston.

The Rev. L. M. Burnett, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Odem, officiated at the services. Burial was in Rockport Cemetery.

MR. AND MRS. MILTON
L. ANDREW HOSTS FOR
REHEARSAL DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Milton L. Andrew, of Guilford, Conn., here to attend the wedding of their son, Gary Lee, to Miss Robbie Bocquet, entertained members of the bridal party with a rehearsal dinner on Friday night, Aug. 18, at Yacht Haven Cafe in Fuiton.

Arrangements of hibiscus, oleander, and other garden flowers were used as decoration on the central table and the surrounding separate tables.

Guests attending, besides the betrothed couple, were Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bocquet, Rev. and Mrs. Cecil H. Lang, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Norvell F. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Frye, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heidenfels, Miss Linda Mills, Dailey Heidenfels, Bob Johnson, Coy Kirkpatrick, all of Rockport; Rev. and Mrs. A. Arnott Ward and Sandy Ward of Corpus Christi; Miss Pat Andrew and Robert Andrew of Guilford, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woodside of Glendale, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barber last week. Mr. Smith was stationed in Japan with the Barber's son, Sgt. Leon Barber.

Mrs. Christine McDonald has returned from her vacation.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE
WINNERS NAMED

Duplicate bridge winners for Thursday, Aug. 17, have been named.

First place went to Mrs. Gene Bird and Mrs. R. W. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dickey were second.

Master point night will be Aug. 31, at 7:30 p.m. at the Women's Club. Everyone interested is welcome and urged to attend.

ALLENS HAVE DAUGHTER
AND FAMILY HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen, proprietors of Del Camino Courts, have had their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warner C. Baxter, Warner, Jr., and Brenda, visiting them for the past two weeks.

While here Brenda was christened by Rev. Brown in the Church of the Good Shepherd at Corpus Christi.

The family also had very good luck fishing, catching some good strings of speckled trout.

They left Tuesday morning to return to Santa Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gray of Memphis, Tenn., Dr. Ruth Bruner, of Natchitoches, and Miss Dula Jamison, of Angleton, have been house guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Glass.

MISS JACKSON-MR. AHR
HONORED WITH SUPPER

Mrs. M. M. Bergel and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shivers were hosts for a buffet supper on Sunday evening, Aug. 20, honoring Miss Mary Lucille Jackson and her fiancée Wayne Merrill Ahr. This event was held at Mrs. Bergel's home on Fulton Beach.

The main table featured a bride doll for its centerpiece; two others were centered with white wedding bells and streamers. Adjoining tables held lalique swans, filled with lilies of the valley in bridal arrangements.

In addition to the honorees, the guest list included the following: Mr. and Mrs. Norvell F. Jackson, N. F. Jackson, Jr., Bobby Jackson, Johnny Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis L. Clark, Guy Clark, Caroline Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss, Mrs. Mary Adolphus, Joe Adolphus, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Moody; Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. Grady West, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kleypas, Miss Lola Bonner, Miss Linda Mills, Miss Frances LeBlanc, Miss Azalea Shivers, Robert Shivers, Jerry Iles, Dale Barnard and Mike Johnson, all of Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Porter of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Evans Corbin of Ingleside; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Schmitt of Houston; Miss Geraldine Picton of Port Arthur; Miss Judy Shivers of Dallas; also Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, Paul Ward of Rockport.

Palms, Texas Ornaments
Are Important

Although used only for ornament in Texas, palms, next to grasses, are the most important plants in the world. They supply food, shelter, clothing, timber, fuel, building material, thatch, fiber, paper, sugar, oil, wine, dyes and many necessities of life in the tropics.

They also furnish the whole world with certain vegetable oils and waxes, including ingredients of cooking fats and floor waxes that most U.S. housewives use daily. Coconut oil ranks first among vegetable oils in international commerce, outstripping oils from cottonseed, peanuts and soybeans.

The edible fruit of the date palm is a staple food in North Africa and found on grocery shelves everywhere in this country. India alone uses almost 800,000,000 pounds of palm sugar annually; and \$30,000,000 worth of betel nuts are chewed yearly in the same country, acting as a mild stimulant and staining the teeth of the users scarlet.

The Texas climate, sub-tropical over the southern part of the southern part of the state, is suitable only for a few dozen of the more than 4,000 known species, because of occasional freezes, but palm fanciers and tourists feel that these add immeasurably to the Texas scene.

Bob Cantwell, of Corpus Christi, now has more than 25 species growing at 4113 Pompano, and plans to bring back another 35 from California this fall. He feels that, unlike Florida and California, Texas has done little to introduce new varieties. Most of those he has are freeze resistant.

Around Houston and San Antonio the most common species are the Washingtonias. One of these—filifera—will stand a great deal of cold weather. Another common palm in that area is the ornamental date—Phoenix canariensis, whose trunk resembles a thick and squat pineapple when young, but may reach heights of 40 to 50 feet under favorable conditions.

Edible date palms, Phoenix dactylifera, grow well in Corpus Christi and around Rockport, as do other members of the Phoenix family, but more arid regions are better suited for their fruiting.

Paradise, sentry, fishtail, butterfly, silver thatch and buccala-

neer palms will all stand a moderate amount of cold weather, as will Texas' only native palm—Sabal texana—which is a true tree and only distantly related to the scrubby palmettoes so frequently seen in Texas river bottoms. These latter rarely attain any size.

Sabal texana is the palm which the explorer Pineda saw growing in great clumps when he sailed up the Rio Grande more than 400 years ago, and after which he named the river Rio de las Palmas. A grove of these may still be found south of Brownsville beneath the levee and the river bank, looking, no doubt, much as they did when Pineda first saw them.

Also classed in this cold-resistant group are queen palms, Mediterranean fan palms, and Phoenix recinta, of which there is a beautiful specimen in Artesian Park at Corpus Christi.

Although more northern nurseries tend to carry only a few species in stock, those in the Rio Grande Valley, where there are many individual palm fanciers, have much larger collections and a far wider variety of species.

Henry Link at Weslaco has rare species like the king, coconut and royal palms growing in a tangled jungle, interspersed with other tropical plants and threaded by walks on which visitors are welcome.

And at Brownsville, Norris Clint Jr., is operating a nursery started by his mother and father who were palm fanciers, and in one thirty-minute walk showed the writer more palms than he had dreamed existing in Texas, many of them so rare that they had only Latin names.

One thing Clint said was surprising, considering the fact that most people, lured on by pictures of North African oases, think of palms as inhabitants of the arid lands of the earth.

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