

Along The Waterfront



This area has had showers, rains and drizzles for the past week and there has been very few fish caught, although some private parties have been bringing in some fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Craig of Glenwood, Iowa, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lee, waded out on the Fulton beach last week and caught some nice fish. In their string they had a 6 pound trout, two 5 pound redfish and one 12 pound red.

Despite the cold and the rain Tuesday morning, Ernest Tackett went out to his favorite fishing spot Tuesday morning. He was well paid for his effort, however, as he landed a 7-pound and a 4-pound trout.

Mr. Floyd of Floyd's Boat and Sales Co., went out this morning. He says the water is too cold in the shallows and the fish have gone to the deep holes.

This is the first sunny day since last week and the fishing should be good this afternoon and tomorrow.

Mills Wharf reports very few fish caught at their pier and some fishermen went out from Johnson's Bait Stand this morning, but have not come in yet with their catches.

This Week Sees End Of Local Fishing Contest

This is the last week of the fishing tournament for winter guests in this area, which is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Winners in this week's contest and those winning trophies for the year will be announced in next week's issue of The Pilot.

O. V. Wheeler of Minnesota, won in the trout division last week, with a 4 1/2 pound trout.

A 11 1/4 pound red was caught by A. R. Craig of Iowa, which was the winner in the redfish division last week.

Wreck Monday Damages Buick

Sheriff A. C. Shivers reports a wreck Monday evening, Feb. 23 about 5:30 p. m. at the corner of Wharf and Austin Streets.

According to Shivers, Kenneth Nelson was driving north on Austin St. in a Buick sedan when he was hit by Ed Barnard, who was driving east in a GMC pickup.

No one was injured in the accident, but the Buick driven by Nelson, was quite badly damaged.

Garcia Trial Transferred To Refugio County

District court convened at the Aransas County courthouse Thursday morning of last week to continue the cases for the spring term.

The case of Ernest Garcia, charged with murdering Ysidro Martinez, has been transferred to Refugio County.

W. F. Ellison, who was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary in criminal court was taken to Huntsville Tuesday morning.

Robertson Retires From Real Estate Business

Marcus Robertson, local real estate man, announced today that he is retiring from the real estate business, upon the advice of his physician.

Mr. Robertson wishes to express appreciation to all his friends and clients for the business relationship they have enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson will continue to reside in Rockport.

W. W. Club Sponsoring Game Party Saturday

There will be a game party at the I.O.O.F. hall Saturday night, Feb. 28, sponsored by the Willing Workers Club.

The public is welcome and the guests may play the game they prefer. Refreshments will be served and there will be no charge but there will be a bowl for contributions to the building fund from those desiring to contribute.

1952 Sees Fewer Traffic Deaths In County

Sheriff A. C. Shivers received a communication from Sgt. Paul Oder of the Texas Highway Department, containing statistics of the highway accidents in this district in 1951 and 1952.

Sergeant Oder commended Aransas County on being one of the few counties in the state with fewer traffic deaths in 1952 than in 1951. The district is made up of sixteen counties and Goliad and Refugio counties are the only other counties in the district with fewer deaths in 1952.

Sergeant Oder said he thought a great deal of credit was due the sheriff's department and the courts of Aransas County.

The following is the record of accidents in Aransas County in 1951 and 1952:

Fatal accidents in 1951-5, in 1952-3.

Wrecks damaging property in 1951-20, 1952-37.

Total accidents in 1951-34, 1952-45.

Total deaths from accidents in 1951-7, 1952-3.

Persons injured in 1951-17, 1952-10.

Amount of property damage in 1951-\$17,050.00, 1952-\$29,150.00.

Taft Nudges Pirates In Season's Finale

Taft's Greyhounds, District 30-A champs, barely won over the second place Pirates in Taft last Friday, 49 to 47.

It was the season finale for the Pirates who finished amazingly strong, winning 8 of the last 11 games, and not beat out of the district until the last week of play.

The tall, fast team of Taft, pre-season favorites to cop the title, found themselves behind 13-3 at the end of the first period. They came back strong in the second quarter but still trailed at the half time 22 to 19.

During the third quarter the game got away from the officials and was a rough house affair with the smaller Pirates falling to a 3rd quarter deficit of 41 to 37.

In the last quarter the Pirates closed the gap and tied the game twice and then lost the services of Bateman via fouls. Taft fouled out five boys and finished the last three minutes of the game with only four players. The Pirates were four points behind at this time, and were able to score only 2 points, as McDonald, Taft's ace dribbler, managed to stall the ball. Hayden was high point player for the night with 14 points; Ingersoll followed with 13.

School Faculty Wins Cage Game

The game between the school faculty and the boys basketball team Monday night was won by the faculty 57-55.

The game proved to be close all the way. Leading in scores for the faculty were Dave Siegler with 27 points, and Millard Owens, 12 points. Lee Ingersoll led the Pirates with 18 points and Leon Bateman scored 16.

The Lettermen Association wish to thank those who came to the game, and the men who took up the collection among the crowd in order to help the Lettermen Association.

Fulton Red & White Robbed Sunday Night

The Red and White grocery store in Fulton was robbed last Sunday night. The thieves broke the glass in the back door to gain entrance.

They took \$100 worth of cigarettes, two dozen pair of khaki pants, two dozen khaki shirts, one box of red baseball caps, two boxes of cigars, one box of candy and \$85 in cash.

Eddie's Drive-in in Aransas Pass was robbed last Friday night. John Thomas Casey was apprehended and placed in the Sinton jail Saturday morning. He gave his address as San Antonio.

Fulton P-TA Executive Board Met Wednesday

The executive board of the Fulton P-TA met Wednesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Matt Scott, to discuss business affairs. They voted to have the P-TA meeting next week on Tuesday night instead of Wednesday afternoon.



"IS THAT THE WAY IT LOOKS ON MONEY, MOM?"—Treasurer of the United States, Mrs. Ivy Baker Priest, shows her children how her name will appear on the nation's currency. Looking on with proud approval, from left, are: Pat, 16; Nancy, 11; and Roy, 10. Recently moved to Washington, the children are thrilled at the thought of seeing their mother's signature on paper money.

Spriegel Appliance Co. In Aransas Pass Has Formal Opening

The Spriegel Appliance Co. of Aransas Pass is announcing their formal opening on Friday and Saturday of this week.

The appliance company, now under the management of T. A. Davis, are handling Servel refrigerators and Chambers ranges in addition to radios, washing machines, paints, wall paper, floor coverings, and many other appliances necessary to furnish your home in an up-to-date manner.

Mr. Davis cordially invites all to attend this opening and register for the valuable prizes that will be awarded. There is nothing to buy and you need not be present to obtain these prizes.

Saturday Sing-Song Proves Entertaining

The sing-song sponsored by the Womans Club Saturday night, Feb. 21, at the club building, was voted a huge success by those that attended. Mrs. E. W. Means was general chairman for the occasion and Mrs. Norvell Jackson, chairman of the program planning committee, was master of ceremonies.

The first selection was "America the Beautiful," honoring the memory of George Washington, and other selections included patriotic numbers, folk songs, and well-loved ballads of today and yesterday, with Mrs. Sam James, accompanist.

Mrs. G. G. Gilson played a group of classical and popular numbers which were much enjoyed. For the latter half of the program, Perry Horine of Corpus Christi, led the group singing and sang several solos, including his favorite Irish ditties. Mrs. Grady West and Mrs. Norvell Jackson also favored the group with vocal solos.

Following the entertainment, coffee, cookies, individual cakes, nuts and sandwiches were served by Mrs. Charles Cleveland, Mrs. A. R. Curry and Mrs. J. W. Higgins. The tea table was in patriotic theme, with knots of red, white and blue and clusters of small American flags. The centerpiece was a picture of George Washington.

Manning Jewelry Sold to O. V. Dye

O. V. Dye has purchased the Manning Jewelry Store in Rockport and is now managing it. Bill Manning, who was managing the store, is working with his father in the Manning Jewelry Store in Aransas Pass.

Mr. Dye has been employed by Mr. Manning for the past six months. He was raised in Rockport but has worked for a number of years for different jewelry companies. He was employed by Bell and at Hertzberg's in San Antonio, and worked at watch repairing at Lester's and was employed at Taylor Brothers in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Dye have purchased the Oscar Dye home in Rockport and their three children have moved here from Aransas Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Seefield of Dallas, were weekend guests in the J. L. Baughman home.

PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK IN TEXAS, MARCH 1-7

Texas public schools are administered according to the idea that the best results can be obtained through strong interest and participation in school affairs on the part of local citizens, and close cooperation between citizens and their public school officials.

The privilege of local control of the public schools imposes upon citizenship of each community the responsibility of being constantly aware of the procedures, curricula and personnel of the schools in their community.

That the citizens of Aransas County may become better acquainted with their schools, Public School Week will be observed here, the schools holding open house March 1 through March 7. Visit the schools, meet the teachers. The students are trained so that guests in the room will not take their minds from their work.

There will be some one to conduct you through the plant and hot coffee will be served at all times during the week at the cafeteria.

There will be some one at the new high school building to show visitors through this new school plant which will be completed in the very near future.

Slow Sale On License Plates

The tax collector's department at the Aransas County courthouse reports a very slow sale on auto license plates. Up until Tuesday morning, Feb. 24 there were only 147 passenger car plates sold and 25 for trucks. Seven license plates for house trailers had been purchased.

There are still over 1,000 cars in the county which are not licensed for 1953. New plates must be on all vehicles by the end of March.

Chamber of Commerce NEWS NOTES

We would like at this time to take our hats off to the membership committee. They are really doing a jam up job, having brought in 23 new members within 10 days. We list these new members here and in behalf of the entire membership welcome them to the organization:

Star Package Store
Theo's Grill
Fred's Drive-in
Blue Bonnet Cafe
Bob Crossman Welding Service
Tom Cat's Liquor Store
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Anders Garage
C. D. Prophet Furniture
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John C. Sorenson & Son Grocery
Magnolia Service Station
Jo-Ann Courts
Thompson's Spa
H. R. Williams, Welding.
Mrs. Mary Juergens,
Secy-Mgr.

Poetry Forum Planned In Corpus Christi

There will be a Poetry Forum held in Corpus Christi at the Robert Driscoll Hotel on Feb. 27, March 6 and March 12.

All poets of South Texas and their friends are invited to attend the forum series free of charge.

A delegation from the Rockport Rhymsters will attend and the Rhymsters are asked to take part in the meetings.

Poems entered in the forum contest should be mailed before March 3. One to three unpublished poems may be entered by one person, not to total more than sixty lines. They may be poems, verse, jingles and songs. The registration fee is \$2. The poem should be mailed to Mrs. A. Airheart, Chairman Poem Competition, 406 S. Carancahua, Corpus Christi.

Cub Scouts Honored By Rotary Club

The Rotary Club entertained Cub Scouts, their den mothers, and the cubmaster, Bill Johnson, at their weekly luncheon in the Methodist annex Wednesday noon.

Others guests present were Dr. W. R. Bacon, Ft. Smith, Ark.; Custic Utz, Tribune, Kan.; Merrit Huellett, Saratoga Springs, N. Y.; Rev. Calvin Peterson, Rockport, and O. L. McElroy, Emeneice, Ky.

President Travis Bailey presided and introduced the cubmaster, Bill Johnson, and the den mothers, Mrs. Bob Ayers, Mrs. Richard Happner, Mrs. Paul C. Sorenson, and Mrs. Bill Johnson. The den mothers then each presented the Cub Scouts of her den which were present. They were: Campbell Wren, Robert Hester, Richard Happner Jr., Billy Johnson, Robert Ayers, James Maxwell, Peter Sorenson, Jimmy Jackson, Steiry Rozzell, and Tommy Lee Mikeal.

This luncheon was a reward to the Cubs for their work in scouting and the achievements accomplished.

Mrs. Sorenson told the Rotary members about the Cubbing program and Cubmaster Johnson told how the financial part of the Cub Pack was managed.

Bob Hamblin had charge of the program and he showed a Christopher picture, filmed by movie stars, "You Can Change the World." The picture dealt with the Declaration of Independence, and what it stands for. The picture showed the big things little people can do.

The meeting closed with the "Cub Promise."

Bateman Named All-District Ingersoll Mentioned

Leon Bateman, high scoring Pirate forward, was a unanimous choice for the district 30-A all-district team. Other members of the team were Buddy Watts, Taft; Kenneth Bull, Bishop; Felipe Ybaney, George West, and Gary Gurewitz, Three Rivers.

Bateman scored 326 points in 23 ball games for an average of 14.2 points per game. Lee Ingersoll, rebounding center, was mentioned for honors but failed to make the team due to the policy followed in selecting the team. One player was selected from each school. Ingersoll controlled rebounds from both boards in practically every ball game while racking up 301 points in 25 games for a 12 point per game average.

Charles H. Smith made 182 points in 25 games for 7.3 points per game average. Cloyce Hayden made 154 points in 25 games for an average per game of 6.2 points. Donnie Fields, a freshman, made 90 points in 24 games for an average of 3.7 points per game.

Fulton School Will Welcome Visitors

The Fulton School faculty will welcome all visitors to the school, especially those visiting during Texas Public School Week, March 1-7.

For Cancer information write your postmaster.

City Election Set for April 7

A city election for the purpose of electing two aldermen and a city secretary has been set for Tuesday, April 7.

Elections for two aldermen are held each year, with the elections for mayor and city secretary held on alternate years.

James P. Hanway, alderman from Ward 1, and John H. Ray, alderman from Ward 2, are the present aldermen whose offices are up for election this year.

The city secretary's office which was held by Mrs. Theo Johnson, was vacated by her resignation last year, at which time Mrs. Marylou Eubank was appointed to fill out the unexpired term.

Persons desiring to seek the above offices must file their application to have their names placed on the ballot with the mayor by Saturday, March 7.

Pirates Set New Scoring Mark

The Rockport Pirates finished the season in fine fashion, winning 8 of their last 11 games and gained second place in the district standing. And to add to their fine finish they set a new season scoring mark as well as a new high score for a single game, for a local five. The single game high came against conference foe Three Rivers, whom the Pirates defeated 74-53. The season mark was a total of 1,145 points in 25 games for an average per game of 45.8 points. The opposition was limited to 1,123 points for an average 44.9 points per game. The previous high was 39 points per game established by last year's district winners.

The 1948-49 team averaged 29 points per game. The 1949-50 team, winning the district title, averaged 32 points per game. The 1950-51 Pirates averaged 35 points per game. The 1951-52 team hit 39 points per game while winning the district crown. The team each succeeding year had an increase of about 3 points per game prior to this year's five which increased almost six points per game. One reason for this sharp increase is the new foul shot rule which was in effect this year. Another factor is that these boys have had use of a gym for a longer number of years and the junior high basket ball program, contributed some. Aside from the new rule, however, probably the major factor was that this team drove hard each ball game in an effort to pile up a high score. Because of the lack of height and no exceptional speed the Pirates were unable to rely on defensive or even stalling tactics. Their only play was to attempt to outscore the opponents. They used a sagging defense to keep the opponents from driving in for easy lay up shots and force them to shoot long shots and gamble against a good percentage and rebounds. The Pirate offense then was a combination of fast breaking plays and play patterns designed for drive-in or close in shots.

N. B. Hancock Dies Of Heart Attack

F. Iansen, justice of the peace at Fulton, has informed The Pilot of the death of Nathaniel B. Hancock of Estes Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Hancock was driving down the beach south of Palm Village, Wednesday afternoon when he suffered a heart attack and died in his car.

Mr. Iansen was called and reported Mr. Hancock died from a heart attack. Dr. H. F. Elliot and Sheriff A. C. Shivers were also present.

The body was taken to Cagle Funeral Home in Aransas Pass.

FULTON P-TA TO MEET TUESDAY AT 7:30

The Fulton Parent-Teacher Association will have their monthly meeting Tuesday, March 3, at 7:30 p. m. instead of on Wednesday afternoon as stated in the "year book."

The 3rd and 4th grades will present the play, "The Wedding of the Flowers," under the direction of Mrs. J. H. Coward.

Rev. Bradford Ramsey will be the guest speaker. His subject will be "The Good World."

Two Rockport Girls On District Cage Team

The girls basket ball team played in the tournament at Three Rivers last Saturday.

Two of the girls, Gena Demory and Janet Washington, made the all-district team.

Rockport last to Three Rivers, but won their game with Bishop. Three Rivers and George West tied and will play one more game to decide the winner.

Mrs. J. H. May and Mrs. Buddy McLester accompanied the girls and Miss Warnken on the trip.

The girls will play the ladies of the school faculty at the gym next Monday night.

Sam Warren has sold his cottages on Highway 35, north, and he and Mrs. Warren plan an extended vacation in the middle west. Mr. Warren is looking forward to a lot of fishing in Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Thomas attended the Fred Waring show in San Antonio last weekend. Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. H. G. Crews of Tivoli, stayed with Garry and Terry Thomas while their parents were away.

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Good Shepherd Class Had Social Meeting

The Good Shepherd Sunday school Class of the Methodist church had their monthly business meeting and social at the church next Monday night, Feb. 23, with 4 present.

The meeting opened with a devotional led by Mrs. Erie Eller, followed by a short business session.

The class entertained Mrs. C. O. Lowery's Sunday School Class as guests.

Hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. Ben Thompson, Miss Mary A. Deane and Miss Elsie Lawes. The George Washington birthday theme was carried out in the decorations. Cherry pie and coffee were served.

Sunday guests in the D. R. Immons home were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bucy of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Simmons of Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Reid Simmons of Kingsville, Mrs. Viola Ferguson and Mrs. Helen Green of Rockport.

W.M.S. Met at Church Thursday Morning

The W.M.S. of the First Baptist Church met at 9:30 this morning at the church for a business meeting. The meeting included all the W.M.U. Circles except the Business Womens Circle.

The ladies will have a week of prayer, beginning Monday, March 2, and continuing through Friday. They will meet in the homes of the members each day and the prayer meetings are in preparation for the Annie Armstrong offering for home missions. The topic for the meetings is 'America the Beautiful.'

The meetings will be under the direction of Mrs. Mary Wright, program chairman.

The meeting on Monday, March 2, will be at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. Mary Wright; Tuesday the meeting will be with Mrs. Jean Faye McLeod at 2 p.m.; Wednesday the ladies will meet with Mrs. Mullinax at 9:30 a.m.; Thursday they will meet with the Business Womens Circle at 7:30 p.m.; and Friday they will meet with Mrs. Ernest Bain at 3 p.m.

Caroline Cassel Has Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cassel honored their daughter, Caroline Ann, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 21, with a party, the occasion being her 8th birthday.

There were nine guests present, including Roger Thomas of Tampa, Fla. The children played bingo. Mrs. Clarence Landgraf assisted Mrs. Cassel in serving cake, ice cream and candy to the children.

Katherine Cassel Has Valentine Party

Miss Katherine Cassel entertained with a Valentine party at her home, Feb. 14.

Mrs. O. A. Carroll assisted Mrs. Cassel in serving the refreshments of cakes, Coke, candy and popcorn. The young people played games and then attended the picture show.

Jim Ben Cloberdants drove to Jewett Thursday night with Bonner Smith. Jim came back to the Fat Stock Show in San Antonio Friday, returning home Saturday night.

Mrs. C. L. Thomas, who underwent surgery last week at Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi, returned home Monday and is feeling fine.

Rhymsters Met Friday Night

The Rockport Rhymsters met at the home of Mrs. Paul Reese last Friday night with a good representation of members.

This meeting was called for a week earlier so as not to interfere with the poetry forum in Corpus Christi.

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Mrs. Mabel Thompson, Mrs. Nora Casey and Mrs. Reid Simmons were in Corpus Christi, Thursday.

Mrs. Houston Ratliff, Mrs. J. V. Ferguson and Mrs. Reid Simmons were business visitors in Refugio Monday.

Mrs. Hunt R. Banning, who is in Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi, is improving and hopes to be able to come home soon.

Mrs. Harry Wood was taken to Spohn Hospital last Friday. She is some better but will be in the hospital a few days.



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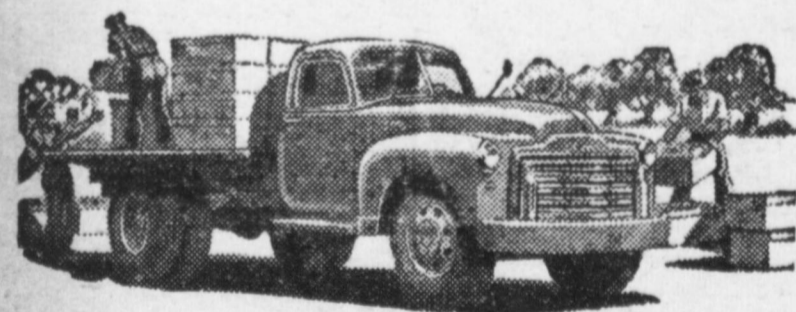
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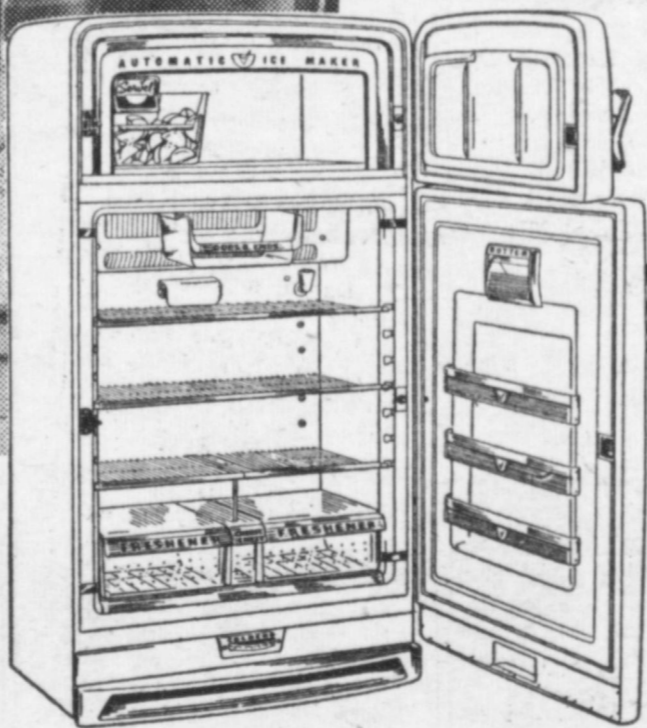
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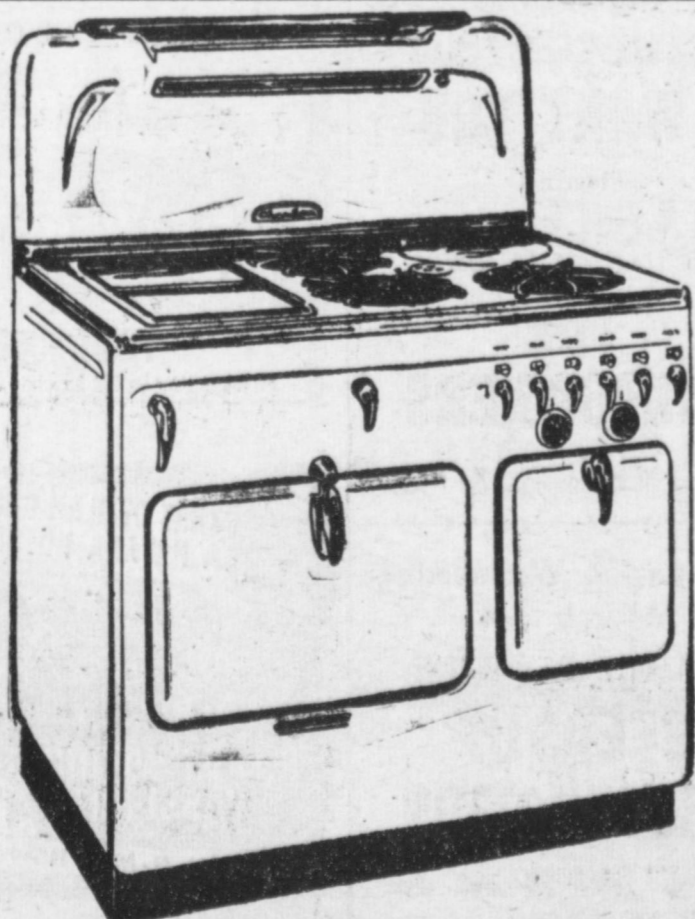
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There were a number of deeds recorded at the Aransas County courthouse during the past two weeks. The sheriff's deeds recorded were: Samuel H. Whissel, et al by sheriff to William Huggins, lots 1 and 3, block 280, Aransas Pass. W. L. Warren et al by sheriff to William Huggins, lot 2, block 280; lot 5, block 280, Aransas Pass. W. J. Cummings et al by sheriff to Mrs. R. E. Hawes, lot 12, block 78, Manning addition. W. J. Cummings et al by sheriff to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodyear, lots 1 and 2, block 214; lot 9, block 228; lots 10 and 11, block 248; lot 9, block 258; and lots 1, 2 and 3, block 372, Manning. C. W. Morris et al by sheriff to W. H. Goodyear, lot 23, block 325, Aransas Pass. W. L. Warren et al by sheriff to W. H. Goodyear, lot 22, block 325, Aransas Pass. Le Roy Kettering et al by sheriff to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodyear, lot 2, block 228; lot 15, block 228; lot 14, block 248; lot 10, block 258, Manning. C. W. Morris et al by sheriff to Isreal Goltzman et al, lots 10 and 13, block 203; lots 14 and 16, block 279; lot 6, block 327; lots 8 and 9, block 327; lot 2, block 345; and lot 13, block 345, Aransas Pass. Samuel H. Whissel et al by sheriff to Isreal Goltzman et al, lot 15, block 203; lot 2, block 327; lot 7, block 327; lots 4, 5 and 9, block 345; lot 12, block 345; lot 22, block 345, Aransas Pass. W. L. Warren et al by sheriff to Isreal Goltzman et al, lots 2 and 3, block 203; lots 1 and 13, block 242; lots 13 and 14, block 278; lots 4 and 5, block 327; lot 1, block 345; and lot 10, block 345. Samuel H. Whissel et al by sheriff to L. A. Spaulding et ux, lot 20, block 657; lots 4 and 6,

23 and 24, block 617; lots 17 and 32, block 618; lots 26 and 28, block 619; lot 10, block 658, Aransas Pass. Samuel H. Whissel et al by sheriff to R. L. Spencer, lot 32, block 594; lot 31, block 595; lot 3, block 596; lots 23, 24 and 25, block 597; lot 7, block 598; lots 5 through 12, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 31, and 32, block 616; lots 4, 5, and 9, block 617; lots 6 and 20, block 618; lots 1, 4, 5 and 32, block 619, and lot 12, block 658, Aransas Pass. Samuel H. Whissel et al by sheriff to G. W. Black, lot 18, block 345; lots 10, 11, and 12, block 410, Aransas Pass. W. L. Warren et al by sheriff to G. W. Black, lot 14, block 345, Aransas Pass. Samuel H. Whissel et al by sheriff to G. W. Black, lot 6, block 619; one-half lot 7, block 619; lot 13, block 617, Aransas Pass. W. L. Morris et al by sheriff to G. W. Black, lots 11 and 12, block 617; lot 14, block 618; lots 1, 2, and 3, block 768, Aransas Pass. C. W. Morris et al by sheriff to G. W. Black, lot 7, block 768, Aransas Pass. W. J. Cummings et al by sheriff to Margaret E. Hight, fractional lot 3, block 136, Manning Addition. Warrant Deeds Harley N. Widner et ux to Jesse L. Wilson et ux, lots 2 and 3, Couano Village Addition, adjoining Copano Village and air port. Charles Silberger et al to Sadie Silberger Smith, lots 9 and 10, block 44; lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 52, Smith and Wood. James H. Sorenson Jr. to Chester Johnson et ux, undivided one-half interest in and to lots 1, 2, 13, 14, 15, and 16, block 23, Smith and Wood. O. L. Stinson et ux to Clyde T. McLain et ux, 7 acres more or less of G. A. Barber Ranch of Isiah Gilliland Survey, Aransas County. W. B. Ray to Aransas County Independent School District, block 20, comprised of 16 lots and lot 16, block 22, Denver Heights. O. B. Thompson et ux to trustees of Aransas County Independent School District, lots 7 and 8, block 18; and lots 19 and 20, block 21, Denver Heights. Ruel Thompson Jr. to Camile Delgado, lot 5, block 477, Aransas Pass. General Warranty Deeds A. M. Key to Mrs. E. R. Glasscock, lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 25, 29, 30, 31, and 32, block 15, of W. J. Joyce Subdivision of Aransas County. Margaret E. Hight et vir to Marguerite Chester, all title and interest in S. 20 feet of fraction lot 3, block 136, Manning. Quit Claim Deeds Nannie Nickell to Melvin Paul McDaniel et ux, lot 11, block 325, Burton & Danforth Subdivision, Aransas Pass. Kemp Tully to Chester Johnson, lots 1, 9, and 10, block 165, town-site of Lamar. R. Y. Ayers Jr. to A. J. Hice, lot 5, block 101, Smith & Wood. Commissioners Deeds Aransas County to L. M. Holbrook, lots 16 to 19, inclusive, block 325; lots 9 through 16, inclusive, block 356, Manning. Aransas County to P. A. Vogler Sr. et al, lots 16 and 17, block 22; lots 4 and 5, block 27; lots 2 and 3, block 29, North Rockport Addition. Aransas County to P. A. Vogler, lot 12, block 258; lot 11, block 290; lots 1, 8, 9, and 10, block 326; lot 14, block 418, Manning. Aransas County to Mrs. Jimmie Hardeman, lot 14, block 239, in Manning Addition. Aransas County to G. J. Epps et ux, lots 1, 3, 4, 6 and 10, block 293, Manning.

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Miss Hise Honored On Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Moore of this city, honored their daughter, Miss Sharon Hise, with a birthday party Sunday, Feb. 15, at their residence. Mrs. E. A. Calloway of Rockport and Mrs. Henneke of Cuero, served the refreshments, which included ice cream and cake. Out-of-town visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ivey and son Randy, and Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Ivey of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Ivey of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Henneke and A. J. Ivey of Cuero.

Mrs. Ward, A. V. Rambo Exchange Vows

Mrs. Gladys Ward of Dayton, Texas, and A. V. Rambo of Rockport, were married Thursday, Feb. 12 at the Methodist parsonage in Rockport. Rev. Calvin Peterson, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Rambo will make their home in Rockport.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon E. Crawford of 2101 Seventh St., Corpus Christi, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Evangeline Charmaine, to James Edward Murphrey. The wedding will take place March 19, at the home of the bride's parents. The groom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Murphrey of Rockport. He is a candidate for graduation from the University of Corpus Christi in June. The bride-elect is a senior at W. B. Ray High School, Corpus Christi.

Now Barbara's An Expert At Hitting Bull-Eye!

Shades of Annie Oakley! Barbara Ruick, M-G-M's new star "find," is totin' a six-shooter. For her new role as a daughter of the Wild West in M-G-M's "Apache War Smoke," the young actress learned to become a dead shot with a shootin' iron. Along with Gilbert Roland, Glenda Farrell and Robert Horton, she helps repel a vicious attack by Apache Indians who raid a desert station. Not content with half-way measures, Barbara practiced her shooting until she could hit the bulls-eye! This picture is the first of a double feature bill at the Tarpon Drive-in Theatre Saturday, Feb. 28. The other picture is "Renegade Girl."

Thursday & Friday Feb. 26-27

Advertisement for Tarpon Drive-In Theatre. Features "Blazing Adventure!" and "Caribbean" with Technicolor. Also mentions "Apache War Smoke" and "Renegade Girl".

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Friday & Saturday Feb. 27-28

DOUBLE FEATURE HIS KIND OF WOMAN starring ROBERT MITCHUM and JANE RUSSELL BOWERY AT MIDNIGHT starring BELA LUGOSI and JOHN ARCHER 2 Color Cartoons

Sunday & Monday March 1-2

DOUBLE FEATURE I WANT YOU starring DOROTHY McGUIRE and DANA ANDREWS THE SUNDOWNERS 2 Color Cartoons & News

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Saturday, Feb. 28 DOUBLE FEATURE

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Sunday & Monday March 1-2

Advertisement for Loretta Young in PAUL. Miners 49ers Casper Comes To Clown

Tuesday & Wednesday March 3-4

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RIALTO THEATRE

Aransas Pass THURSDAY & FRIDAY Feb. 26-27 Gilbert Roland and Angela Clark in The Miracle of Our Lady Fatima SATURDAY ONLY Feb. 28 DOUBLE FEATURE Allan Rocky Lane and Eddy Waller in Marshal Of Cedar Rock Donald O'Connor and Peggy Ryan in When Johnny Comes Marching Home SUNDAY & MONDAY March 1-2 Stewart Granger and Deborah Kerr in The Prisoner of Zenda TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY March 3-4 Joseph Cotten and Teresa Wright in The Steel Trap

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Rockport Electric Personnel Attended Maytag School
The owners and employees of the Rockport Electric Company attended the Maytag school conducted in Corpus Christi last week.
Mrs. B. W. Hamblin and Carl Osborn attended the products school on Monday and Tuesday and B. W. Hamblin and C. H. Caywood attended the service school on Wednesday and Thursday.
Mrs. B. W. Hamblin and daughter Joy, spent Wednesday in Corpus Christi with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kinsey and son Alan.
Mrs. Ed Beasley and two sons are in Center Ridge, Ark., visiting Mrs. Beasley's sister. They plan to stay until school closes.

Campus GAD-ABOUTS
- by -
June Grenawalt
The freshman class has a new student—Virginia Meyer of Austin.
The Pirates won over the faculty in the basket ball game Monday night. Miss Betty Jones, Miss Irmalee Jones, Miss Nell Adams and Miss Martha Hlavinka were the cheer leaders.
The junior class will sponsor a "Sox Hop" March 6, in the study hall. The admission will be 50c, "stag or drag," with the girls dragging the boys.
The junior class called off the play they had ordered and have decided on another play, "Was it Murder?"

Scouts Win Trip To Goliad Missions
The Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts of Rockport have each had a contest in Scouting, the winners in the contest to visit the missions at Goliad as a reward.
The Scouts who won in the contest were: Clydene Armstrong, Myra Ingersoll, Marilyn Morrison, Darlene Hayes, Joyce Ann Griggs, Heather Wren, Mary Martha Shivers, Mary Lucille Jackson, Mitchel Ammons, Tommy Bradshaw, H. J. Keller, Port Baughman, Bobby Close, and Culey Roberts. This group spent Saturday in Goliad, going through the missions, the museum and to the battlegrounds. Some of the Scouts went through the library in Goliad during the afternoon.
Accompanying them on the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Ammons, Mrs. N. F. Jackson, N. F. Jackson Jr., Mrs. J. W. Ingersoll and Raymond Ingersoll. The group reported a wonderful day.



LADIES SHALL RIDE—It's a long walk back home for Lady Julia so she gets a lift from her mother, the Duchess of Northumberland. While attending the Duke of Buccleuch's hunt at Eldon Hall near Melrose, Scotland, her Ladyship's short legs tired quickly so Mama swung her up piggyback.

Mrs. C. C. Craig of Elgin suffered a severe heart attack last Thursday. Her family was called and two of her brothers, Sam and Milton Mundine, left for Elgin Thursday. Mrs. Sam Mundine and Titus Mundine went up Saturday. Mrs. Craig is still critically ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Bonner Smith of Jewett are spending some time at a cottage in Fulton.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Seaton and daughter from Aransas Pass, spent Monday with his sister, Mrs. Annie Mae Evans and family.
Mrs. Hannah Stone, who was confined to the Rockport Hospital for ten days with a broken shoulder, was able to be taken home last Thursday.
Mrs. Joe Everitt left for Los Alamos, N. M., this morning to visit her son and his family.

Three New Students Enter Rockport Schools
Miss Virginia Meyer enrolled in the freshman class in high school this week. Virginia comes from the Allen Jr. High School in Austin. She and her parents have moved here from Austin and are living at Wells Court. Mr. Meyer has bought a shrimp boat here.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Thomas and their three sons, Donald Bruce, Mikeal, and Rodney have moved to Rockport from Franklin, La. Donald Bruce entered the second grade at Rockport Tuesday morning. Mr. Thomas works for the Prince Oil Co. and they live in Shorty Townsend's house.
Loretta Millsap enrolled in the fourth grade at Rockport elementary school last week. Mr. and Mrs. Millsap and Loretta are from Beaumont. Mr. Millsap is employed by an oil company.

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J. M. Dykes visited his son, Charles Dykes and family a few days last week.
Dr. L. G. Wood left for Galveston Monday morning to take post graduate courses. Mrs. Wood joined him Tuesday. They plan to be home Saturday.
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Lt. Harris Pollard arrived from Korea Wednesday to visit his parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Pollard. He has been in California for several weeks, guest of his brother, Shelby Pollard and wife. Lieutenant Pollard will be stationed at San Antonio.
Capt. and Mrs. J. T. Hord, who have been living in Rockport for several months have gone to Key West, Florida.

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Wrong "Train" of Thought
Most of us knew the streamliner stopped about four miles from town last Thursday — but we didn't know why ...
Seems the train was hurrying along, then came the screeching of brakes — some fellow had pulled the Emergency Stop cord.
When the conductor asked him why he did it, he said, "The train was just going too fast—I wanted to get you to slow down."
From where I sit, that streamliner has been going at that speed for the past seven years with a perfect safety record and the passengers have always been pleased. Now—along comes a fellow who wants the train to go at his speed. Some people are like that. Some still would begrudge another person's right to a temperate glass of beer even though that person wouldn't dream of flashing a "Stop" sign on their preference for, say, milk, coffee or tea. Respecting the rights of others is the only way we can keep "on the right track."
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WESSON OIL, pint 34c
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STAR BEEF STEW, 16 oz. can 37c
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ARMOUR'S TREET LUNCH MEAT, 12 oz. can 39c
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Mrs. Smith Hostess For Circle Group

Mrs. Lloyd Smith was hostess for Circle No. 2 of the Women of the Presbyterian Church which met in the assembly room Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Pollard opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Carl Osborn, circle chairman, presided at the meeting and gave the Bible lesson. Mrs. Hugh Morrison gave the emphasis on "Stewardship." Mrs. Smith served a delicious refreshment plate during the social hour. The next meeting will be on March 12, with Mrs. Somer Smith as hostess.

World Day of Prayer At St. Peters Church

The World Day of Prayer, sponsored by the Council of Church Women, was held at St. Peter's Episcopal Church Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Paul C. Sorenson led the responsive services, "Walk as Children of Light," featuring Africa.

Mrs. T. H. Pollard presided at the register. The guests were welcomed by Mrs. R. R. Rice, Mrs. J. R. DeForest and Mrs. Frank Castlerline.

Jimmy Ankele and John Cabaniss received the offering.

CORRECTION

The Pilot on Feb. 12 stated in the card of thanks of Ed Ballou that Roy Ivey was one of the blood donors. This should have been Roy Ives, Mr. Ballou's nephew from Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christilles left Tuesday morning to tour the state of Florida for about three weeks. They plan to go up each coast and travel through the center of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Calloway and children, Guen and Allen and Mrs. Jim Wilson, all of Rockport, spent a few days visiting Mrs. Calloway's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Coward on the McFadden Ranch near Victoria. Mr. Calloway enjoyed a hunting trip while on his visit.

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	General Fund Accounts	Street Maintenance Fund	Street New Project R & B	Schoolhouse Refunding Bond Fund	Sewer System Improvement Bond Fund	Total General Fund Bank A/C	Water System	Sewer System
REVENUE								
Balance 7-1-1951	\$ 15,602.60	\$ 903.81	\$ 2,310.85	\$ 554.83	\$ 19.22	\$ 19,391.31	\$ 2,877.14	(\$ 302.18)
Collections and Taxes	16,995.57	7,327.29	289.71	175.63	609.93	25,398.13	22,201.23	7,883.23
Meter and Service Deposits							936.00	520.42
Garbage Collections							1,368.75	
Withholding Tax Deposits	271.54					271.54	485.00	
Transfer — General Fund								1,351.50
Transfer — General Fund			4,500.00			4,500.00		1,365.50
Transfer — Sewer System Improvement Fund								540.00
Transfer — Street Maintenance Fund			3,300.00			3,300.00		
Total Revenue	\$ 32,869.71	\$ 8,231.10	\$ 10,400.56	\$ 730.46	\$ 629.15	\$ 52,860.98	\$ 27,868.12	\$ 11,358.62
DISBURSEMENTS								
Miscellaneous Accounts	9,147.95	4,883.53	10,380.75			24,412.23	11,985.87	3,237.23
Bonds Retired — Revenue Refunding								1,000.00
Bond Interest Paid				318.76	40.00	358.76		752.55
Permanent Improvements							6,825.84	4,593.72
Frost National Bank — San Antonio							6,000.00	
Withholding Tax	144.22					144.22	513.30	
Loan — Sewer System — Pump	1,351.50					1,351.50		
Loan - Sewer System — Bond and Interest	1,365.65					1,365.65		
Transfer — New Street Project	4,500.00	3,300.00				7,800.00		
Transfer — Sewer System					540.00	540.00		
Bonds Retired — Sewer Extension								500.00
Total Disbursements	16,509.32	8,183.53	10,380.75	318.76	580.00	35,972.36	25,325.01	10,083.50
Balance June 30, 1952 on Deposit								
First National Bank, Rockport, Tex.	16,360.39	47.57	19.81	411.70	49.15	16,888.62	2,543.11	1,275.12
	\$ 32,869.71	\$ 8,231.10	\$ 10,400.56	\$ 730.46	\$ 629.15	\$ 52,860.98	\$ 27,868.12	\$ 11,358.62
Current Year Tax Rate	.95	.50		.01	.04	1.50		
Taxes Delinquent 6-30-1952						15,082.84		
Service Accounts Collectible							2,428.64	562.45
Garbage Collections Due							170.00	
Outstanding Bonds 6-30-1952				\$ 7,500.00	\$ 3,500.00		25,000.00	\$ 18,500.00
Sinking Fund Balances 6-30-1952				49.15	411.70		2,160.00A	
Bond Interest Paid to				1-1-1952	4-1-1952		5-15-1952	5-1-1952

(A) Sinking Fund on Deposit with Frost National Bank, San Antonio, Texas.

The Seawall & Breakwater Refunding Bonds, although issued by and on obligation of the City of Rockport, were assumed by the Aransas County Navigation District. All bonds and interest payments were taken from tax remission, sinking funds in custody of County Treasurer. As of June 30th, 1952 the bonds outstanding amounted to: 1947 Series A \$6,000.00, 1947 Series B \$77,000.00, 1947 Series C \$7,000.00. Assessed valuation for 1952: \$1,665,024.00.

The above statement reflects the activities and balances, in the various funds and bond accounts for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1952. All revenues and expenditures were verified with depositories and found to be current. In our opinion, the books and records of the City of Rockport, Texas, are correct and all funds and bond accounts are in balance.

C. H. GRETT, Public Accountant

Read, passed, approved and ordered published at the regular adjourned meeting of the City Council this 24th day of February, 1953.

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Cemetery Association Met Monday Afternoon

The Rockport Cemetery Association met in regular session, Monday afternoon with Mrs. Mabel Bryant hostess, and Miss Vivien Picton presiding. Mrs. G. M. Hooper, grounds chairman, reported that the Latin-American section of the grounds was in good condition, due to a recent cleanup.

Mrs. J. W. Brundrett stressed payment of dues and reported reminder cards being sent to all local members, as did Miss Grace Smith, for out-of-town members. With the construction of the tool house nearing completion, the organization voted to take up as the next project, the purchase of additional cyclone fencing. The plan is to complete the fence on the south side of the grounds and around the west side. Funds are in order for this project, in fact, several donations have already been received. Additional contributions will be greatly appreciated so that work can begin as soon as possible on this much needed improvement.

The organization went on record as endorsing "the moment of silent prayer for peace" at the sound of the fire siren each morning as inaugurated by the City Council and the secretary was instructed to write Mayor J. W. Higgins to that effect.

In closing the meeting, Mrs. James G. Hooper read the prayer offered by President Eisenhower on the occasion of his inauguration.

A social hour followed the business session.

Birthday Party for Mrs. Lars Torvested

Friends of Mrs. Lars Torvested of Piermont, S. D., honored her with a party on her birthday, Sunday afternoon.

Her friends brought their refreshments with them—they served salads, sandwiches, home-made cookies, Swedish Sprits, two birthday cakes and ice cream.

The following friends of Mrs. Torvested attended: Mr. and Mrs. Leris Hanson, Chris Hanson, Alea Sannes, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Ulrickson, Mrs. Block and Mrs. Marlyn Osness, Mr. and Mrs. Vigo Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holmgren, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eastburg, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McKean, Emil Ostland, Miss Hulda Ostland, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ogren, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reinke, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Torvestes, Mrs. Olga Johnson and Mrs. E. G. Cooke.

Many of these friends have been living at the Fulton Family Cottages this winter and have had a wonderful time together. They will return to their home this spring with many pleasant memories.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bain attended a Rotary meeting in Kennedy, honoring charter members and their wives on the thirtieth anniversary of the club. There was originally twenty charter members of which only five are now living. The club now has a roster of 65 members.

F.H.A. GIRLS TO ATTEND AREA MEETING

Mrs. Edith Cruser and a group of her F.H.A. students will attend an area meeting at Robstown Saturday, Feb. 28.

Thirty-two men have served as President of the United States.

President Thomas Jefferson compiled a Bible for his own use.

Drivers Examinations To Be Given Friday

There will be an examiner from the Highway Department to give examinations for drivers licenses at the courthouse next Friday from 9 until 5 o'clock.

Louis Peden of Galveston is the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nichols. Mr. Peden is a former resident of Rockport, and this is his first visit to his old home town in 40 years.

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S. S. Class Has "Come As You Are" Meeting

The Home Makers Class of the First Baptist Sunday School had a "Come As You Are" party Wednesday at 9 a.m. at the home of Mrs. H. B. Ramsey.

A devotional was given by the pastor, Rev. Bradford Ramsey on the topic, "Come As You Are." After the prayer a short business meeting was held, with Mrs. G. L. Smith, vice-president of the class, presiding.

The ladies drew names for "love sisters."

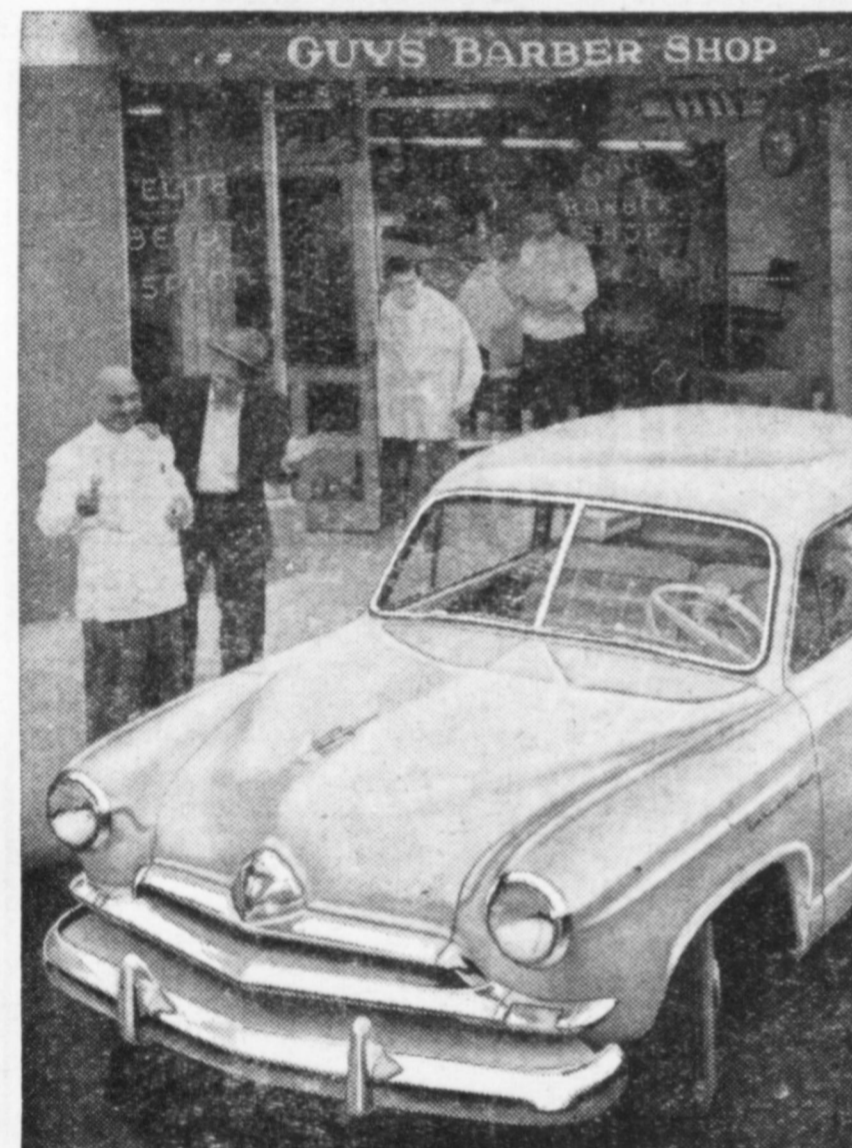
Those present were: Mrs. Kathryn Townsend, Mrs. Rose Nell Sumner, Mrs. Betty Landgraf and Steve, Mrs. John Roaten, Norma and Jim, Mrs. James Frandolig, Mrs. Walter Cassel and Ann, Mrs. G. L. Smyth, Mrs. Worley Dietrich, Mrs. Tom Murphrey, Mrs. Mary Wright and Dora Lynn, Mrs. Annie Butler, Mrs. Georgia Davenport, Kitty and Denny, Mrs. Betty Carroll and Buddy, Mrs. Christine Hackett, Mrs. Valerne Keener, Mrs. Lora Dell Washington, Mrs. Nell Rose Clark, Patricia and Regie, Mrs. Jean Wratishaw and Joe Wayne, Mrs. Ruby Thomas and Larry Wayne, and the hostess, Mrs. Ramsey.

Coffee and doughnuts were served during the social hour.

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Go to Church Sunday

<p>ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Preacher, Harry Carter Minister in charge</p> <p>Holy Communion and sermon first Sunday each month at 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Morning prayer and sermon each Sunday thereafter at 9:00 o'clock a.m.</p> <p>Sunday School at 10:15 a.m.</p> <p>Ladies Guild meets first Tuesday each month.</p>	<p>CHURCH OF CHRIST L. C. Owen, Minister</p> <p>Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>Morning worship, 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>Sunday evening class, 7:00.</p> <p>Sunday evening worship, 7:30.</p> <p>Wednesday night service, 7:30.</p> <p>Ladies Bible Class, Tuesday Evening, .3 to 4 p.m.</p>	<p>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. T. H. Pollard Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School at 10:00.</p> <p>Worship Service at 11:00.</p> <p>Evening Service at 7:30.</p> <p>Men's Meeting 1st Monday of month, 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Pioneer Young People meet Tuesday 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Senior Young People's Meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Women of the Church, 4th Thursday, 3:00.</p> <p>Evening Circle, 2nd Monday at 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Circle 1 meets 2nd Thursday at 3:00.</p> <p>Circle 2 meet 3rd Thursday at 3:00.</p>
<p>SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH</p> <p>Sunday Masses, 7:00 and 9:00.</p> <p>Holy Days same as Sundays.</p> <p>Week-day Mass at 7:00 and 8:00 o'clock.</p> <p>Saturdays at 7 o'clock.</p> <p>Friday night Novena devotions at 7:30.</p> <p>Confessions: Saturdays, Vigils before Holy Days and Thursdays before First Fridays, 4:30 to 6:00 and 7:30 to 8:30.</p>	<p>CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES Wilson and McCampbell Sts. Aransas Pass, Texas</p> <p>Sunday services 11 a.m.</p> <p>Wednesday evening service at 8.</p> <p>All are welcome.</p>	<p>METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Calvin Peterson Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School Services at 9:45 a.m.</p> <p>Morning Church Service at 11:00 o'clock.</p> <p>Evening Worship at 7:30 o'clock.</p> <p>Mid-week service Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Choir practice, Wednesday night.</p> <p>W.S.C.S. meets 1st and 4th Thursday at 3:00 o'clock.</p> <p>Fellowship dinner, first Sunday at noon.</p> <p>Young People's meetings before and after Sunday night service.</p>
<p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Brad Ramsey Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.</p> <p>Preaching Service, 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>Training Union, 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>Preaching Service, 8:00 p.m.</p> <p>Prayer Service, Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>FULTON COMMUNITY CHURCH Rev. L. G. Rogers, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.</p> <p>Preaching Service at 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>Saturday evening service, 7:00.</p> <p>Sunday evening service at 7:00.</p> <p>Prayer Meetings Wednesday evening at 7:00.</p>	
	<p>ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Rev. Lee Bateman Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 a.m.</p> <p>Regular service at 11 a.m.</p> <p>ACA service at 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>Evening service at 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Tuesday night service 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Thurs. night service 7:30 p.m.</p>	

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Bill Dean Goforth, A/1c, Mrs. Goforth and baby are home on 30 day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Goforth of Refugio, and his grandmother, Mrs. Somerville Ballou and other relatives in Rockport. Mr. and Mrs. Goforth have been in Fairbanks, Alaska, but they will now be stationed at Laredo.

Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Ruble Honor Y. A. Class

Mrs. Floyd Smith and Mrs. Bob Ruble entertained the Young Adult Sunday School class of the Presbyterian Church with a game party at the manse Tuesday night. There were 23 guests present.

There were two tables of bridge and two tables of forty-two playing and the others played canasta. The home was decorated with spring flowers and a spring theme was carried out in the salad refreshment plate.

Mrs. T. H. Pollard assisted the hostesses.

CONGRATULATIONS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee Ballou, a daughter, at the Aransas Pass Hospital, Sunday, Feb. 22. The young lady weighed 8 pounds 8 1/2 ounces at birth and she has been named Linda Jane.

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JUSTICE C. O. BAILEY PERFORMS 3 MARRIAGES

C. O. Bailey, justice of the peace, performed the following marriage ceremonies during February:
Edward Skains and Martha Pennington, from Aransas Pass, were married Feb. 5.
Eugene C. Hayes and Frances Holloway of Corpus Christi, were married on Feb. 23.

Alfred W. Ritter and Elsie Geraldine Jones of Corpus Christi, were married Feb. 25.

Cub Scouts Have First Blue & Gold Banquet

The Cub Scouts of Pack 49 held their first Blue and Gold Banquet Monday night at the Womans Club building with approximately 85 present.

Honor guests for the occasion were Judge Wm. Nicholas of Sinton, Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Ammons and the members of the Club Pack executive committee. Parents and friends of the Cubs were also present.

Judge Nicholas, Scout district commander, gave an interesting talk and presented the Pack's new charter to Travis Bailey, president of the Rotary Club, sponsors of Club Scout Pack 49. Mr. Bailey in turn presented the charter to the cubmaster, Bill Johnson. Inspiring talks were given by Judge Nicholas, Travis Bailey and Ceylon Ammons.

The following boys received awards: Gayle Williams, Bear badge; Richard Happner Jr., Britton Dick and Buddy Ayers, Lion badge; Campbell Wren, Bear badge; Buddy Carroll and Gary Bruce Thomas, Gold and Silver arrows; Tommy Lee Mikeal, Silver arrow; Peter Sorenson, Silver arrow and Service star; Steirly Rozzell and Gene Baugh, Service stars.
A delicious banquet, consisting of fried chicken, hot rolls, string beans, potato salad, coffee, milk and cake was served.

The speakers table was at the front of the hall with the Clubs seated at four tables in the center of the room and the parents' tables at the sides.

This banquet was pronounced one of the best by all the Clubs and others present.

The cubmaster, Bill Johnson, and all the Cubs of Pack 49 expressed their thanks to everyone who helped to make their banquet a success, and to the following for their donations: Fulton Red & White Grocery, Fulton Lumber Co., Fulton Boat Yard, Malchar's Cafe, Sorensons Grocery, Borden Co., Mrs. J. W. Ingersoll, The Womans Club, and the Rotary Club.

C. of C. Card Party Well Attended

Fifteen states and Canada were represented by the 78 ladies attending the card party sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce at the Womans Club building Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. James Osnes of South Dakota, won high score in canasta, and Mrs. J. A. Bean of Tyler, won low. High in bridge went to Mrs. Fred Bracht of Rockport, and Mrs. R. L. Price of Tyler, won low.

The door prize, donated by Mrs. A. B. Leeper of Lima, Ill., went to Mrs. Pat Heinbuch of Lubbock. There will be one more of these card parties for the area guests at the Womans Club building next Tuesday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our appreciation for the kindness, and for the cards and flowers sent to Mrs. Thomas during her recent illness and confinement in Spohn Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas. p46

Guests in the T. C. Kelly home last Sunday were Mrs. M. F. Hennessey, daughter Teresa, and son Pat, from San Antonio, M. F. Hennessey Jr., wife and son Pat, of Victoria, and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kelly, son Jerry and grandson Larry, from Aransas Pass.

Mrs. W. M. Fisher of Elgin and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mygonue and son Dale Allen of Austin, spent the weekend in Rockport, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Mundine and other relatives.

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