

Along The Waterfront



The fishing news is getting better all the time in every way—more fish caught and bigger ones, too.

Last Friday and Saturday, Dr. J. M. Lyle and Bob McCressless of Fort Worth, brought a large party to Rockport to fish on Henry Ballou's boat. Their total catch for the two days was 354 fish. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Donnelly of North Little Rock, Ark., fished with Ballou Sunday, catching 116 trout. M. Bernhard and party fished with Ballou Monday, but they did not do so well because of the strong northeast wind and muddy water, however, they brought in 14 trout. Shorty Townsend took Johnny Schids, E. C. Ricks and Mr. Payne fishing Tuesday, landing 50 nice fish. Mr. and Mrs. Townsend went fishing Wednesday, landing 65 trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Williams from Houston, caught 44 large trout while fishing with Fred Christilles Thursday. On Saturday, Bill Knowles of San Antonio, fished with Bill Crist on Christilles' boat, bringing in 55 trout. On Sunday, Wesley Nelius and brother of Houston, fished with Christilles—the catch was 50 trout, and on Wednesday afternoon Henry Cohn and son Mac, of San Antonio, caught 68 trout while out with Christilles.

Bill Crist had Colonel Ladensohn and wife of San Antonio fishing Tuesday. They got 63 fish, and on Wednesday, Jimmy De Merrit and party of Houston, celebrated DeMerrit's birthday by going fishing with Crist—result 38 trout.

Harry Mills of Mills' Wharf had H. M. Cohn, Max Miller and Sid Suhler out fishing and the party hooked 105 nice trout, some of them weighing 3½ pounds or better. W. L. Dennis fished with Harry Mills Sunday, bringing in 40 trout. Max Miller fished with Herb Mills Sunday, landing 35 fish. There are three parties out from the Wharf today. Mrs. Lawler of Mills Wharf, said their should have good catches as the fish are more plentiful and are getting larger.

Perry Jones' Wharf reports a good weekend and says most all the fishermen are getting good catches out there.

Horace Towns and party from Houston, who are guests at Walton Courts, caught 75 trout over the weekend. They were large ones, some of them tipping the scales at 2½, 3 and 4 pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Vanham of Moulton, Texas, caught 35 trout Friday in Copano Bay, and Mr. Culp and party from Austin, caught 80 trout in Aransas Bay.

H. C. Floyd of Floyd's Boat and Sales Co. says all the boats he has rented this week have brought in some fish. They are larger and he said fishing will continue to improve.

Saturday, Mr. Whitfill and Mr. McKnight went out from Johnson's Bait Stand and got 40 large trout before noon. McKnight caught two trout on one cast.

Mr. Boyd and party, of San Antonio, landed 73 trout, ranging in size from ¾ to 2½ pounds.

Mr. Whitfill's two sons of Lubbock, went out Monday and caught 18 trout. Mr. Dasher of Illinois, caught one mackerel 23 inches long and 16 trout.

Mr. Johnson says that quite a few reds are being caught and also some pompano. Almost everyone going out has been bringing back fish.

Ernest Tackette caught two trout Wednesday, one weighing 7½ pounds. He also got one redfish. Saturday Tackette brought in about 30 pounds of fish.

Fulton P-TA Meeting Date Is Changed

The Fulton P-TA has announced a change in meeting date from April 1 to Tuesday, April 7. This meeting will be a Fathers' Night, with Mrs. Jack Hagar as the speaker.

The program will be sponsored by the 5th and 6th grades.

Yacht Basin Will Be Scene of Easter Sunrise Service

A Sunrise Easter Service, sponsored by the Council of Church Women, will be held at the yacht basin at 6 o'clock, April 5. In the event of bad weather, the service will be held at the Woman's Club building.

"The Cross of Light" will mark the location, beginning Wednesday night of Holy Week.

The pastors and choir members of the Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal and Baptist Churches will participate in the program and the young people of these churches will distribute programs.

The public is invited to attend this service.

Red Cross Gives ODM First Large GG Supply In Battle Against Polio

Sheriff A. C. Shivers, fund drive chairman for Aransas County for the Red Cross Chapter says the American Red Cross on Feb. 25 turned over to the Office of Defense Mobilization 1,714,996 cc of gamma globulin which will provide 245,000 average polio shots for national distribution by the ODM this coming summer to be used in the prevention of paralysis from poliomyelitis. This was the first consignment of the blood fraction which the Red Cross will provide the ODM under an agreement of last December when the program was inaugurated in the national interest. The Red Cross is collecting the blood for production into gamma globulin and is paying for the fractionation processing and packaging.

The Red Cross said it will continue to turn over to the Office of Defense Mobilization all supplies of gamma globulin as they come from the laboratories. All allocations of gamma globulin will be made solely by ODM and all final distribution of the product will be the responsibility of the state health officers, the Red Cross emphasized.

Gamma globulin will be available to families in every part of the United States this summer through state health departments under a plan proposed by a special committee of the National Research Council.

Just how the individual states will allocate and distribute the globulin to their communities will be determined by the individual state health officer. Criteria to assist them in developing the best plan for the most effective use of this valuable material will be provided by the National Research Council Advisory Committee on Allocation which is assisting the Office of Defense Mobilization with this project.

Distribution of the precious fluid which has been of proven value in measles and infectious hepatitis and has now proved effective in preventing the paralysis caused by poliomyelitis is to begin almost immediately by ODM to all state public health officers. The Red Cross now is processing and packaging an additional 2,000,000 cc of gamma globulin which was received in bulk form last week through the Department of Defense from the Navy. When packaged, these supplies will be turned over to the ODM.

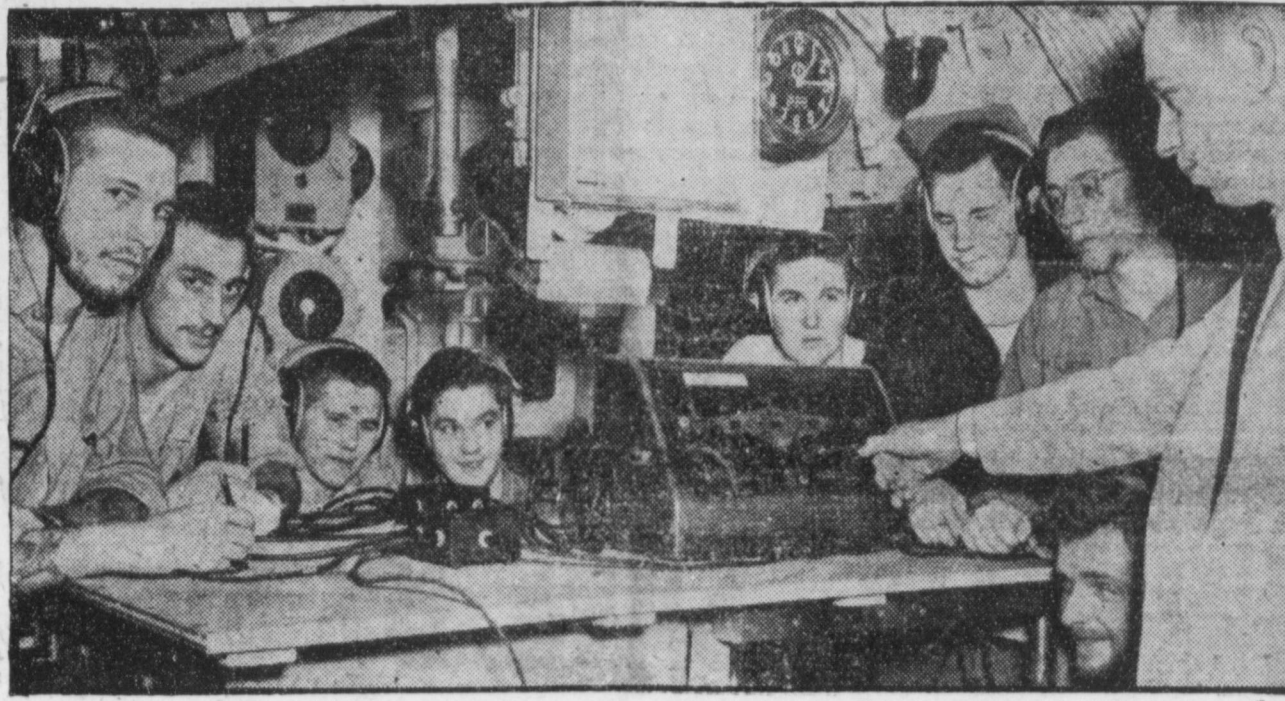
Pointing out that although the allocation and distribution plan being projected will assure a supply of gamma globulin to communities where it is needed in every state, the Red Cross emphasized that only through wide citizen participation can the program be successful.

The organization urged that only through greater year-round contributions of blood and larger contributions of funds during the March Red Cross Fund Campaign for the processing, packaging, and handling of gamma globulin can the nation as a whole benefit from this program.

Sheriff Shivers commented that the fund drive here is slowly coming in, and urged the citizens of this area to donate freely to this worthy cause.

Property Owners Urged To Sign Renditions

Property owners of Aransas County are asked to call at the courthouse and render their property for next year. All property which is not rendered by April 30, is not subject to homestead tax exemption, according to the tax assessors office.



LOCKED IN THE CRADLE OF THE DEEP—Sealed inside a docked submarine at New London, Conn., these seven Navy volunteers submit to hearing tests conducted by Lt. (J.G.) V. F. Borum, at right, of the U. S. Navy Medical Corps. The men are human guinea pigs used to study effects of long submersion on human beings. Simulating conditions which might exist in an atom-powered sub which would remain many months at sea, the experiment has produced much helpful information already classified as "secret." The men seen above are not identified by Naval authorities.

Charles Marshall Buys Interest In Cage Funeral Homes

Charles W. Marshall, who has been manager of the Cage Funeral Homes for the past several years, has purchased an interest in the business and the firm's name will be changed to Cage-Marshall Funeral Homes.

Mr. Marshall is married and has two sons and a daughter. He is the immediate past president of the Aransas Pass Chamber of Commerce, past president of the Aransas Pass 20-30 Club, and a steward in the Methodist Church.

Mr. Marshall, in making this announcement, stated that Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paugh will continue to be the local representatives of the firm. The funeral home will continue to operate in the same kindly and efficient manner as it has in the past.

Cub Scouts will Attend Taft Cub Day, Mar. 28

The Cub Scouts of Pack 29 held their monthly meeting Tuesday night at the Scout Hut. Plans were completed for Cub Day which will be held in Taft this coming Saturday, March 28.

The boys will meet at the Scout Hut Saturday morning at 7 o'clock. As many parents as possible are urged to come and furnish transportation. Each boy will bring his own lunch and cold drinks will be sold for 5 cents.

The following boys received awards: Harry D. Wilson Jr., Wolf Badge; Richard Happner Jr., a Gold and Silver Arrow; Roger Beasley, a Silver Arrow, and Raymond Ingersoll, a Den Chief Card.

Rockport Girls Win In Volley Ball Games

The girls A and B volleyball teams played the Aransas Pass teams in that city Monday afternoon.

The score in the first B game was 10 to 15 in favor of Rockport; the next game was 15 to 8 in favor of Aransas Pass, and Rockport won the third game, 13 to 15.

Rockport won the first A game by a score of 3 to 16; the second game was 15 to 9 favoring Aransas Pass, and the last game was 5 to 15, Rockport on the tall end of the score.

PLANT EXCHANGE AT C. OF C. BUILDING SATURDAY MORNING

The plant exchange sponsored by the Beautification Committee of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Saturday, March 28 at 9 a. m. at the chamber building.

Everyone desiring to exchange plants is urged to be present early so that the plants brought for exchange may be put on display. Mrs. Roy Hinton, chairman of this committee, has said that if the plants are wrapped in wet paper the night before, it will greatly simplify matters.

Don't forget that the bedding plants from the nurseries in Corpus Christi, will be on hand Saturday.

There will be no charge for the plant exchange, but there are a few Ash trees left from the tree sale which will be sold for 10 cents each.

TWO CAR WRECKS REPORTED LAST WEEK

Deputy Sheriff Sherman Mundine has reported two car wrecks in Rockport during the past week.

On Friday, March 20, Edward Frederick Godde, driving south on Austin Street, collided with F. C. Stout, who was backing out from Johnson's Drug Store.

There was not much damage done in this accident. Stout was given a ticket for failing to yield right of way to oncoming traffic.

On the same day, W. O. Wiggington, driving a 1949 Hudson west on Wharf Street, collided with the rear end of the city truck driven by Gabriel Benevidez. Benevidez was traveling north on Magnolia St.

Damage to Wiggington's car was estimated to be about \$250, while the truck suffered one bent dual wheel.

Wiggington was given a ticket for negligent driving and not having a drivers license. Benevidez was given a ticket for driving without a license.

Three Attend Scout Dist. Committee confab

Bob Ayers, Mrs. Richard Happner and Mrs. Paul C. Sorenson, attended the district committee meeting of the planning committee of the Boy Scouts in Gregory, Thursday night.

This was a general planning meeting for both the Boy Scouts and the Cub Scouts.

Mr. Ayers is on the district planning committee and chairman of the local Cub committee. Mrs. Happner and Mrs. Sorenson are both Cub Scout Den Mothers.

Plans were laid for a district camporee for the Scouts to be held at Goose Island on April 11 and 12. Another camporee will be held at Sandia in May.

The big camporee for the Karankawa District will be held at Camp Karankawa later in the summer.

Evangelistic Meeting at Presbyterian Church

The Rev. Calvin P. Owen, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at La Grange, is holding evangelistic meetings at the local Presbyterian Church this week.

Those who have attended these meetings have been greatly rewarded and others are urged to attend.

The meetings will continue through Saturday night and both services Sunday.

758 Car Licenses, 188 Truck Licenses Sold

The tax collectors office of Aransas County has reported that up until 10 a. m. Tuesday there had been only 758 car licenses and 188 truck licenses for 1953 sold, and the deadline for driving your car without a license plate is March 31.

The department urges that you do not forget to bring your title and the receipt for your last license plate when you apply for 1953 plates.

City Council Met Tuesday Night

The City Council held their regular meeting Tuesday night and transacted routine business.

Mrs. Eubank, city clerk, says that the city will appreciate it if property owners will call at the city clerk's office and render their property for taxation. This can easily be done when the water bills are paid.

Music Practice for Eastern Sunrise Service Set for Thurs. and Sun.

Those taking part in the musical program for the Easter sunrise service, which will be held at the yacht basin Easter Sunday morning will practice at the Presbyterian Church Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock and Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, it has been announced.

All singers who will help with the music are asked to be present for these practice sessions.

Rev. C. P. Owen Speaks To Rotarians

There were two visitors, Merrett Huelett of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., and Gus Nelson of Shawnee, Okla., present at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Rotary Club Tuesday.

President Travis Bailey presided at the meeting and Rev. T. H. Pollard was program chairman. Rev. Pollard presented Rev. Calvin P. Owen of La Grange, as the speaker.

Mr. Owen, a former Rotarian, said he believed that the service clubs have been a great help to the men of this nation. He spoke on "Time," (that narrow span between birth and death). During that span, he said, there is a time for work and a time for worship; a time for business and a time for the home; a time for prayer and a time for play, and in a successful life the time is divided correctly among these six.

Beverly Agler Improving Nicely

Beverly Agler, who was admitted to the Memorial Hospital in Corpus Christi with a form of meningitis last Friday, is improving satisfactorily. She was taken off the critical list Tuesday morning.

Beverly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denver Agler, and has been ill for more than a week.



MOSCOW SKYSCRAPER—Seen above is the pride of the Russian capital, a towering skyscraper overlooking Smolevsky Square. The building is short by American standards, being only a few floors over 25 stories.

Sun Company Test Drills at 9,812 Feet

Sun Oil Co. No. A-1 Copano Bay State Tract 98, wildcat approximately seven miles west of Rockport, was drilling at 9,812 feet on a 10,000-foot project.

Union Producing Co. No. 9 Taton, scheduled 11,000-foot wildcat nine miles southeast of Lamar in H. Knightton Survey, A-89, was drilling below 10,065 feet. No shows have been reported.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 55 Copano Bay State Tract 37, in the Lamar Field, has been completed for 106 barrels of 40.9 gravity oil daily through a 3-16-inch coke from perforations at 7,128-32 feet. Tubing pressure was 400 pounds. Gas-oil ratio was 1,231-1.

The Atlantic Refining Co. No. 10 V. G. Gwynn, in the Salt Lake Field, will be 2,015 feet from the north and 1,281 from the east lines of a 1,078-acre lease in Joseph Hollis Survey, A-76. Permit depth is 7,000 feet.

In the Salt Lake Field, Sun's No. 3 Copano Bay State Tract 104, was preparing to test perforations at 8,344-53 and 7,823-29 feet.

Materials were being moved in for Selby-Walker Corp. and P. G. Lake, Inc. No. 1 A. G. Collin, slated 8,000-foot test in the East Fulton Beach Field five miles northwest of Rockport in Lot 13 of Fulton Townsite. Selby Walker has the contract.

TWO FILE FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Not a great deal of interest has been shown so far in the election of two trustees for the Aransas County Independent School District or the county school trustee election. Only one person has filed for each vacancy.

Robert Johnson filed for reelection from Lamar and Elva Mullinax for the trustee from Rockport, to fill the vacancy created by the expiration of the term of Ted Atwood.

On the county board, Dick Fox, from precinct 2; Arthur Bracht, from precinct 3; and J. F. Cloberdants, trustee at large, have all filed for re-election.

The polling places will be the Fulton Elementary School building, the Rockport Elementary School building and the Concession Hall at Lamar.

Band Students Receive Fine Rating

Members of the Aransas County School Band attended the Inter-School Band solo contest held at Kingsville last Friday, March 20.

Under the direction of Jerry Hoffman, band instructor, the students have made excellent progress and placed three soloists in the first division; seven soloists in the second division, five in the third division and one in the fourth.

The following are the soloists who won first, second or third ratings:

Rating	Class
Dawn Olson	3 2
Nancy McNorton	3 3
Juanita Everett	2 2
Richard Horne	2 3
H. B. Ramsey	2 3
Abner West	2 2
Anna Smyth	2 3
Carla Eller	3 3
Shirley Cole	3 3
Merilly Johnson	4 3
Freddie Lingner	2 1
Ann Williams	1 2
Ann Blevins	1 3
Roy DeForest	3 3
Freddie Lingner, Jo Helen May, Mary E. Mundine, clarinet trio	1 1
Ann Williams, Ann Blevins, Nancy McNorton, clarinet trio	2 3

Mr. Hoffman will take the band to Van Fleck next Saturday to attend a band clinic at that place.

Collegians to Study Marine Life Here

The importance of Texas' Gulf Coast resources will be studied by several college students during Easter week, according to C. W. Reid, chief marine biologist, of the Game and Fish Commission.

The students, from Texas Christian University at Fort Worth, and Texas A&M College at College Station, will make several field trips from the Commission's marine laboratory at Rockport. They will study marine organisms and water and soil samples.

Saltwater Fish Unlimited of Texas Is Organized

Saltwater Fish Unlimited of Texas, an organization of commercial and sports fishermen, open to any one interested in the conservation of the state's saltwater fish, was formed in Port Lavaca March 15, when representatives of fishing interests all along the coast met in that city.

The purpose of this organization is to unite the interest of the sports fishermen and the commercial fishermen and support an educational program through the study of marine life along the coast, the cause of the decline in productivity, and the proper practice for its conservation.

A committee was named to meet in Palacios March 29 to nominate permanent officers and to complete details of the organization.

Included as committeemen were Paul Bradley, Sabine-Neches Sportsman's Club of Port Arthur; Herbert Cole, Beaumont Rod and Gun Club; Fred Christilles, party boat operator from Rockport; Henry Ruland, a member of COT-FAG of Houston; Ted Nelson, net maker from Port Isabel; Jim Nelson, sporting goods store owner and outdoor editor for the Baytown Sun; Emmett Weinberg, wholesale fish dealer of Houston; Roy Hayes, tourist camp operator of Rockport; R. E. Keys, president of the Bay Fisherman's Association, and Judge Hartzog.

Representatives attending from this area were Roy Hinton, Arthur Davis, Zeph Rouquet, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bachman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hayes, H. H. Dick, Fred Christilles, and Mr. and Mrs. Clark C. Wren.

The organization has been invited to hold their next regular meeting at Rockport.

SCHOOL CENSUS NEARS COMPLETION

Miss Katie Lee Clarke, who is in charge of taking the school census in the Aransas County Independent School District this year, said Tuesday that the school census was over 90 per cent completed.

There are now over 800 children of school age registered in the district, with several more to be contacted. Miss Clarke estimated there will be well over 850 on the school census roll.

Any person in the district who has a child or knows of one living in the district who is of school age (6 through 17) is asked to contact Miss Clarke or Superintendent Harbin. Also, children who will be six years old by Sept. 1, are urged to register. Listing of pre-school age youngsters helps school officials forecast future needs.

Girl Scouts to Have Bake Sale, Friday

The Girl Scout Troop No. 1 will sponsor a bake sale Friday afternoon near the postoffice at 4:30 p. m. Pies and cakes will be offered for sale by the Scouts.

High School Students Given Registration Blanks

This afternoon (Thursday) the students of the Aransas County High School were given registration blanks to fill out for the next school term.

This will give the student ample time to consult with their parents and teachers in regards to the best courses for them to take next year.

Girls Softball Tourney In Rockport, July 24, 25

The Girls Softball Southeast Texas Zephyr Tournament will be held at Rockport on July 24 and 25, this year.

Judge Winkle, who is with the San Antonio Express, sponsors these tournaments each year for the girls softball teams.

The local girls team has not been organized as yet as they have no sponsor, but they hope to start playing soon.

Altar Society to Have Bake Sale

The Sacred Heart Altar Society will offer pies and cakes for sale Saturday morning at West's Model Grocery.

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DO YOU WANT ROADS?

This week in Austin a dozen different groups appeared before the State Highway Commission and asked for road building projects in their communities that would cost millions.

About all the department could do was to lend a sympathetic ear.

It's an old story. There just isn't enough money to get the job done. The problem is simple. Too many automobiles are wearing out the highways before new and adequate ones can be built.

The solution is simple, too. Just provide more funds. But that isn't as easy as it sounds. In this day when the present tax structure has reached an all time high there is a justified call for reduction. The legislature, in studying its appropriations for the next biennium, has wisely said it will follow the desires of the people and not raise taxes.

Gov. Allan Shivers also has spoken out against any new taxes, except the proposed one cent motor fuel tax for highway work. He feels, as we do, that this is a self effacing amount. In other words we are now paying for good roads in another way; the wear and tear on automobiles, time loss and even life and property loss with inadequate highways.

This has been the position of the Texas Good Roads Association in calling attention of highway needs to the people of Texas.

What then should the legislature do? There is but one thing it can do. If our people are sincere in their road needs; if they have carefully studied these needs and have them to the minimum, then we should tell our members of the legislature how we feel about it. There should be no pressure, just plain horse sense in the support of a program that will provide the funds necessary to give us the roads we have to have.

CONTROLS FOR IKE

Senator Homer E. Capehart, chairman of the Banking and Currency Committee of the Senate, recently said that President Dwight Eisenhower supported his bill which would grant the Chief Executive authority to freeze wages, prices and rents for ninety days in case of an emergency. Under the terms of Capehart's bill, the President would be given standby authority to impose such controls in case of an emergency and during the 90-day period, Congress would be expected to consider new controls legislation.

The bill also sets up a national advisory board, and the President would be required to get the advice of this board before declaring an emergency and imposing controls, with the exception that if war occurred, he could impose controls immediately. Though some segments of the business world oppose the bill, we are inclined to think it is a wise precaution in this stage of world tension and international dangers.

Should an emergency arise while Congress was not in session, and war break out on short notice, prices could rise steeply before Congress could agree on a new controls bill. In the interval, the American consumer would see a skyrocketing of prices in all fields and the cost to the country in defense would amount to billions of dollars.

If the Capehart bill is adopted and made law, the President would have the authority to impose controls immediately if prices began to get out of control in such an emergency. We believe that two world wars have demonstrated the necessity of controls under such conditions, although they are naturally disliked by all Americans. Therefore we can see no validity to the argument against standby authority for a Republican President, who is responsible for the recent abolition of controls, and which would be used only in a national emergency.

That fellow who predicted the end of the world this year hasn't been heard from lately.

Most people, when confronted with their favorite meal, make a spectacle of themselves.

Your children will tell you what's wrong with you, without the necessity of questioning.

What has happened to the plan for an international language? If adopted we would have new sources for loans.

Health is the most unappreciated blessing in the world — by those who have it.

Human beings are different and no rule can be applied to them en masse.

SO GOES THE MIND

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The Importance of Psychological Training During Early Childhood

It is possible that an effective program for training little children could improve our American way of life? Unquestionably, yes.

Until recent years parents were concerned with meeting only the physical, intellectual and, upon occasion, the spiritual needs of their little ones. When the child was ill, a doctor was summoned; when he attained his sixth or seventh year, he was sent to school. Dressed in his "Sunday best," the child was generally sent also to Sunday School on the Sabbath day so that his religious experiences might be increased. Today, however, psychology and psychiatry teach that psychological needs also must

be adequately met, else the little one is likely to develop quirks of personality which might in time prove both handicapping and unwholesome.

In order that wholesome patterns of emotional stability might be developed, it is necessary to lay foundations for such during the early days of infancy. Therefore control of the emotions in the life of the growing child is left principally in the hands of its parents, its teachers or others to whose care the plastic individual is entrusted. Through vigilance, patience, intelligence and conscientious effort such molders of the young child's early development during this formative period must strive to create an emotional climate free from situations which might injure the child or move it to chronic fear or anger.

The very process of growing creates many needs, including not only food, warmth, sleep and op-

portunities for play but also psychological needs for love, security, belongingness, happiness and friendship. In fact, the emotions most commonly encountered in psychiatric practice are lack of love or of security, rejection, inferiority feelings, guilt and the type of ambition attended by envy and unwholesome competition.

When an infant comes into the world, life for him becomes a struggle. Situations cannot be avoided but must be faced. The babe is moved to act according to his instinctual drives, and thus he seeks an increase of pleasure and a reduction of the painful, disagreeable stimuli. But according to our cultural pattern some of the infant's primitive instincts are bound to come into conflict with environmental demands, as a result of which his personality begins to develop.

If a child is supplied with a solid, intelligent foundation of liv-

ing, in which his environment, his parental training, and his background steer him toward unselfish goals, he is likely to become an emotionally stable individual. If, on the other hand, his parents are overstrict or too severe; or if they unwisely handle his childhood problems and fail to recognize individual differences, they them-

selves can predispose the little one to emotional disturbances later on in life.

Mr. and Mrs. Fancher Archer of Austin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wheeler during the latter part of Mr. Wheeler's illness and at the time of his death. The returned to Austin today.



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<p>Another Group LADIES' Dress Shoes They are quality shoes and smart styles SALE PRICE 3.50</p>	<p>BIG SPECIAL! Newport Colored BED SHEETS Size 81 x 108 Regular 3.98 Value SALE PRICE 2.77</p>	<p>EXTRA SPECIAL! For Friday 9 a. m. We will sell 100 pairs of Ladies' First Quality 51 - 15 NYLON HOSE Values to 1.65 For Only 75c pair Limit One Pair BE HERE EARLY!</p>	<p>Hundreds of Pairs LADIES' DRESS SHOES ALL STYLES All Kinds ALL PRICES Out They Go ONLY 1.00 pair</p>	<p>Extra Special! And What a Value! Men's Dress SHOES Sizes 6 to 12 Values to \$13.95 SALE PRICE 5.95</p>	<p>MEN'S LEATHER PALM Work Gloves Regular 1.19 Value SALE PRICE 65c pr.</p>	<p>Men's Otis ATHLETIC Under Shirts FIRST QUALITY Regular 75c Value SALE PRICE 59c</p>		
<p>MONMOUTH Bed Sheets Size 81x99 OUT THEY GO 1.50 Limit 2 to a Person</p>	<p>COLORED PILLOW CASES TO MATCH Regular 89c Values SALE PRICE 59c each</p>	<p>Come, Get 'Em MEN'S DRESS PANTS Values to 9.85 SALE PRICE 3.50 pr.</p>	<p>MEN'S SHORT SLEEVE Sport Shirts All Sizes A Good 2.29 Value SALE PRICE 1.35</p>	<p>Put 'Em Away Until Next Winter ONE LOT OF MEN'S QUILTED LINE COATS Values to 14.50 SALE PRICE 5.95</p>	<p>Remnants HUNDREDS OF YARDS AT Give-away Prices BE HERE EARLY</p>	<p>Men's 2-Pocket BLUE WORK SHIRTS Sizes 14½ to 17 A Real 1.79 Value Don't Miss This Buy! Only 99c Limit 2 to a Person</p>		
<p>Put 'Em Away Until Next Winter Boys' Coats With FUR COLLARS Values to 10.50 SALE PRICE 3.50</p>	<p>LADIES' PRINT DRESSES Values to 3.45 SALE PRICE 1.95</p>	<p>MEN'S ZELAN JACKETS Value to 8.95 SALE PRICE 3.50</p>	<p>WHAT A BUY Men's White On White Dress Shirts 3.95 Values SALE PRICE 1.99</p>	<p>MEN'S Work Shoes Sewed & Tacked Soles Regular 4.85 Values SALE PRICE 2.95</p>	<p>MEN'S ARMY TWILL PANTS You Have Never Seen Such a Value SALE PRICE 2.75 pr.</p>	<p>Boys' Dress GABARDINE SHIRTS 3.98 Value SALE PRICE 2.00</p>	<p>Boys' High Top Work Shoes Sizes 2½ to 6 Values to 4.85 SALE PRICE 2.00 pr.</p>	<p>MEN'S House Shoes You Never Saw Such A Bargain ONLY 1.50 pr.</p>

Kaufman's Department Store

ROCKPORT, TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Mullan Attend Grand Lodge

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mullan represented the I.O.O.F. and Rebekah lodges of Rockport at the Rebekah Assembly and Grand Lodge of Texas, at Fort Worth last week.

The party visited the I.O.O.F. Old Folks Home at Ennis and the Orphans Home at Corsicana on their way home.

The next Grand Lodge meeting will be held in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. White, from Auga Dulce have moved to Rockport.

Mr. and Mrs. White have five children, three of whom attend school at Rockport.

Audrey Jean is a freshman in high school, Oscar is in the seventh grade, and Sam is in the fifth grade.

Mr. White is a machinist for the Reynolds Company.

Campus GAD-ABOUTS

- by - June Grenawalt

First Volley Ball Game Successful

The Rockport girls volleyball team went to Aransas Pass Monday after school.

The A and B teams played three games each. Rockport won two out of each three.

Those on the A team are Ida Bell Batson, Gena Demory, Barbara Adams, Mary Wright, Shirley Faye Harrell, Carole Currie, Carole Meyers, Margie Bateman, and Jo Ann McCabe.

The B team lineup is Judy Meyers, Mildred Davis, Dawn Alsen, Mary Ann Rodriguez, Glenda Brouard, Virginia Evans, Juanita Everett, Nancy Hayden, and Ruby Turner.

They will play Taft Thursday afternoon, here.

The sophomore class has a new girl in it—Virginia McKean, from Corpus Christi Ray High School.

Her father is employed by the highway department.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. H. S. Wood returned home Friday from the hospital. She is very weak but gaining a little every day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood wish to thank all the young men of Rockport and Corpus Christi who so willingly donated their blood when needed so badly.

Also the ladies of the Church of Christ for their lovely flowers and cards which helped so much to cheer the hours of suffering while in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wood. Fred Ernest was called to St. Louis Sunday by the serious illness of his mother.

Delicious

Pit Barbecue Sandwiches, Chili Pit Baked Beans Potato Salad SERVED HERE OR TO GO 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The Barbecue Pit J. T. SLOCUM, Owner CLOSED ON TUESDAYS

ELECTION NOTICE

March 7, 1953

THE STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF ROCKPORT

I, Thomas D. Picton, in my capacity as Mayor Pro-tem of the City of Rockport, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held in said City on the 7th of April, 1953, for the purpose of electing the following officials for said City:

Alderman, Ward No. 1, Alderman, Ward No. 2, and City Secretary.

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Council of said City, said election shall be held at the City Hall in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election:

Mrs. A. L. Brundrett as Judge, and Mrs. Fred Diederich, Miss Violet Percival, and Miss Floy Kennedy as Clerks.

That said election shall be held in accordance with the Election Code of this state and only resident qualified voters of said city shall be eligible to vote at said election.

That the City Secretary shall give notice of said election by posting a copy of this order in the election precinct of said City, which posting shall be done not less than 30 days prior to date fixed for said election.

That immediately after said election is held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the results thereof to the City Council of this City as required by the Election Code of this state.

A copy of this order shall also serve as a writ of election which shall be delivered to the above appointed Judge for said election. Done this 2nd day of March, 1953. (SEAL)

Thomas D. Picton, Mayor Pro-tem

STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF ROCKPORT I, Marylou Eubank, Secretary of the City of Rockport, County of Aransas Pass, State of Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order adopted by the City Council on March 7, 1953, to-wit: Mayor Pro-tem Order for City Officer's Election, to be held April 7, 1953.

WITNESS my hand and seal of office this 7th day of March, 1953. Marylou Eubank, City Secretary, City of Rockport, Texas c51

Daniel Milburn Parker Dies at Home In Fulton

Daniel Milburn Parker, 82, a retired night watchman, died Friday night at the family residence at Fulton. He had been a Fulton resident for the past six months.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Clinton Metzlar; a son, Artis Parker, all of Fulton. The body was sent by Cage Funeral Home to Picayune, Migs., for the funeral services.

Gene Smith visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Smith and family the past weekend. He is a junior at A&M College and this was his first visit home since January.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Weber and sons, Douglas and Winston, went to Austin last Saturday, returning Sunday. Mrs. Annie Weber, who has been in Austin since the first of the year, returned home with them.

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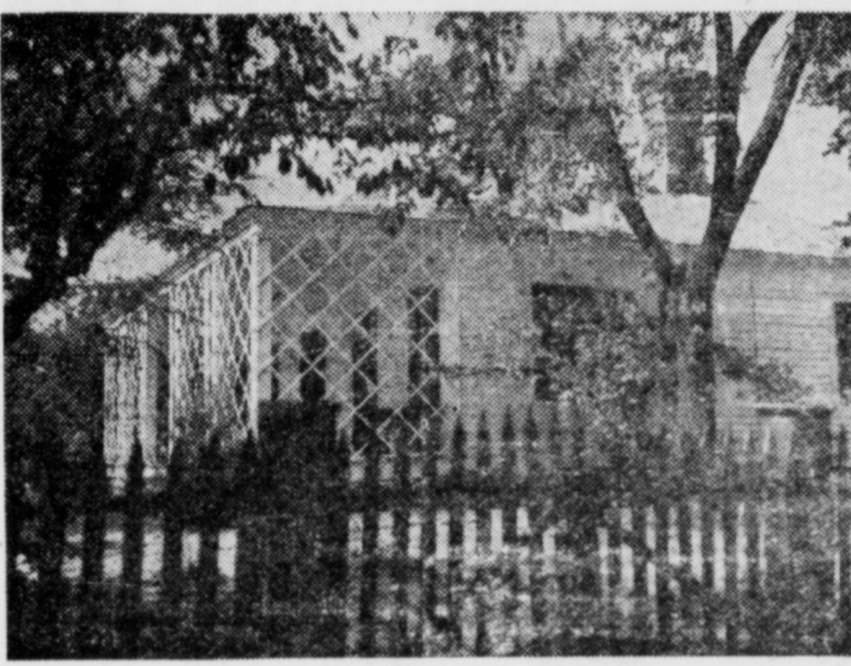
Birmingham, Ala. — For several years, agents of the Alcohol Tax Unit had been trying to find liquor at the home of William E. Lynch with no success. Recently, however, they went to work on a push-button wall panel. Some buttons turned lights on and off and, finally, one opened a wall panel and behind it they found 325 gallons of illegal and nontax paid whiskey.

NEVER TOO OLD

Gallipolis, O. — Curtis Benson, 93, recently procured a license to wed Mrs. Lucinda St. Clair, who is 77.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Light have recently moved to Rockport. Their three children are in the Rockport school—Harold is in high school, Jannie is in the sixth grade, and Sharon is in the fourth. Mr. Light is a welder.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ROCKPORT PRESENTS INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT TEXAS



FRENCH EMBASSY

From 1836 to 1845 Texas was a Republic and death with foreign nations just as any sovereign nation does today. It was recognized by foreign nations, but France was the only country to send a minister to Texas. The house which was occupied by A. de Saligny, the Minister, is still standing in Austin. It is the only building ever erected on American soil by a foreign government, and was built in 1841 from hand sawn lumber.

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Advertisement for Rockport Lumber Co. featuring a house illustration and text: 'MAKE AN OLD HOME... NEW', 'ABC Payments arranged to suit your income', 'NO DOWN PAYMENT REQUIRED', 'Rockport Lumber Co. Telephone 463'.

Advertisement for Pearle Optical featuring a woman's portrait and text: 'You can't buy better eye care anywhere!!!', '... you LOOK better when you SEE better...', 'Aransas Pass Office', 'CORPUS CHRISTI OFFICE', 'pearle Optical', '... pay \$1 down \$1 weekly'.

Advertisement for Ring & Valve 6 Job Motaloy Does It. Text: 'RING & VALVE 6 JOB MOTALOY DOES IT', 'While-U-Drive', 'DROPS 4 MOTALOY TABS IN FUEL TANK', 'SEE WHAT MOTALOY CORRECTS', 'WASTED GAS, LOST POWER AND COMPRESSION', 'OIL LEAKING, FAST RINGS', 'SCORED CYLINDER WALLS', 'PISTON SLAP', 'J. R. BELEW SALES CO. Devine Texas', 'Mail Orders Send \$6 H.O. We Pay Postage'.

Advertisement for Chas. T. Picton Lumber Company. Text: 'A HOUSE LOOKS GLUM AND SAD AND CRABBY, WHEN ITS EXTERIOR IS SHABBY', 'BILL DING', 'DRESS-UP YOUR HOME WITH', 'Hexagonal Asphalt Roofing, choice of colors. Just a small monthly payment for the average-size roof.', 'ASBESTOS CEMENT SIDING', 'Quickly applied, long-wearing Asbestos Siding for the average 5-room house costs just a few dollars a month.', 'Time-tested exterior paints to save surfaces from weather wear.', 'Chas. T. Picton Lumber Company', 'LUMBER and BUILDING SUPPLIES', 'OIL FIELD MUOS & TIMBERS', 'PAINTS', 'ROCKPORT, TEXAS', 'Phone 254'.

Advertisement for Continental Trailways. Text: 'MAKING PLANS FOR YOUR VACATION?', 'THIS SUMMER spend half as much for travel, yet have twice the fun. Call your Continental Trailways agent now. Ask for FREE vacation tips, folders and tour plans.', 'MOUNTAIN RESORTS: Colorado Parks, Great Smokies, Grand Tetons, Glacier Park, Yellowstone', 'SUNNY SEASHORES: California, Gulf Coast, Atlantic City, Miami Beach, Virginia Beach', 'HISTORIC CITIES: New Orleans, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Williamsburg, Boston', 'METROPOLITAN CENTERS: St. Louis, Chicago, New York, Los Angeles, Washington', '"See America at Scenary Level"', 'Continental Trailways', 'Bower & Eubank, Magnolia Station, Phone 202', 'Continental Trailways Vacation Service, Houston, Texas', 'I am interested in a Trip Expense-Paid Tour (check one)', 'From: _____ To: _____ Leaving Date: _____ Name: _____ Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____'.

Advertisement for 1953 Chevrolet Advance-Design Trucks. Text: '4 powerful reasons why you get more of what you want...', '1953 Chevrolet Advance-Design Trucks do more work for less money!', 'more engine power! Advanced Loadmaster engine—standard equipment on 5000 and 6000 Series heavy-duty and forward-control models, optional on 4000 Series heavy-duty trucks.', 'more braking power! In 1953, all Chevrolet trucks up to 4000 Series heavy-duty models have "Torque-Action" brakes. Series 4000 and above use extra-large "Torque-Action" brakes in front. "Twin-Action" type in rear.', 'more staying power! Now, heavier, stronger, more durable frames increase rigidity, add to ruggedness and give more stamina than ever to all 1953 Chevrolet trucks.', 'more economy! The new stamina of Chevrolet trucks, plus extra gasoline economy in heavy-duty models with improved Loadmaster engine, reduces hauling costs per ton-mile.', 'CHEVROLET', 'MORE CHEVROLET TRUCKS IN USE THAN ANY OTHER MAKE!', 'first in demand in sales', 'GEO. CLARK CHEVROLET COMPANY', 'Aransas Pass, Texas', '(Continuation of standard equipment and trim illustrated is dependent on availability of material.)'.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
TO: James A. Ryan or J. A. Ryan, H. J. Ryan or Alice J. Ryan, E. E. Clark, C. W. Booth, Harnor Brown Bell, Trustee, Alexander Brown and Sons, The Maryland Trust Company, Ben J. Bristow, J. A. Zimmerman, A. S. Herman, Annie W. Head, Charles Swain, Charlie Swain, G. Henry Aronsfeld, Executor of the Estate of Sam Fridner, Rose Fridner Aronsfeld, if living, or their unknown heirs and legal representatives if any or all of such persons be dead, Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court, 36th Judicial District of Aransas County at the Court House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, 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 13th day of April A. D. 1953, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1953, in this cause, numbered 2971 on the docket of said court and styled Chester Johnson Plaintiff, vs. James A. Ryan, et al, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit in Trespass to Try Title to Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in Block 23, of the Smith and Wood Division, City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Rockport, Texas this 26th day of February, A. D. 1953.

Attest:
JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk
District Court, Aransas County, Texas.

(Seal) e50



Brooklyn High School students study ins and outs of safe driving in behind-the-wheel classes. Using Aetna Drive-trainers, the students "drive" over highways shown on a movie screen. Their reactions are shown in detail on the instructor's panel at left.

Dance Given for Richard Horn

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gray honored their son, Richard Horn, on his 15th birthday, Saturday, March 21, with a dance at the Scout Hut at 7:30 p.m.

Guests for the affair were Tiny Smith, Margie Edler, Joyce Ann Griggs, Myra Ingersoll, Sara Hare, Roy DeForest, Allen Thomas, Jimmy Garrett, Jimmy Mills, Wayne Shults, Gary Horn and the honoree, Richard Horn, and Mrs. Lucille Sholar.

Birthday cake and Coke were served to the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hayden and family went to San Antonio Saturday to meet their new granddaughter, Karen Lynne, daughter of Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmy Hayden.

Mrs. J. C. McCabe of San Antonio spent the weekend at Rockport, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Shuman and family and other relatives.

Sgt. Cyrus Davis arrived in Rockport from Korea Tuesday morning, to spend a thirty day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Davis. Sgt. Davis expects to be stationed in the States for the next several months.

William H. Wheeler Buried Tuesday

Funeral services for William H. Wheeler, who passed away at the family ranch home at 3 p.m. Sunday, were held at the Cage Funeral Chapel in Rockport at 2 p.m. Tuesday, with the Rev. Bradford Ramsey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Mr. Wheeler, 84 years old, was a cattleman and had lived in the Rockport community for 47 years. He had always led an active life until his health failed a few months ago.

He is survived by his wife; one brother, Ben Wheeler of Wadsworth, Texas, and one sister, Mrs. Mary Bell of Palacios, Texas.

Mr. Wheeler's nephews were the active pallbearers and were Dick Wheeler, Nevel Wheeler, Tom Wheeler, Jack Wheeler, Roy Bell, and R. O. Cooper. Honorary pallbearers were A. C. Glass, Fred Brundrett, Charles Roe Sr., Travis Bailey, Fred Bracht, Rudolph Kubena and Bob Young.

Burial was in Rockport Cemetery under the direction of Cage Funeral Home.

BUILDING PERMITS

The building permits issued at the Rockport City Hall recently are:

J. B. Hash, a frame house 24x38 feet, on lot 3, block 17, Dougherty & Mathis Division. Approximate cost, \$1,200.

Chas. T. Picton Lumber Co., cattle pens at Heldenfels Ship Yard. Cost \$1,500.

Frank J. Kresta, double garage, lot 9, block 1, Stewart Division of Doughty & Mathis.

B. D. Shiller, Tom O'Conner, addition to frame residence, 300 square feet of bedroom space and bath. Lots 1, 2 and 3, block 201, Smith and Wood Division. Cost, \$3,000.

Some Self Employed Now Eligible to Receive Security Insurance

Most of the independent businessmen in this area have now acquired old-age and survivors insurance protection through social security, according to H. M. Cleveland, manager of the Corpus Christi office of the Social Security Administration.

The self employed, whose earnings began counting toward social security Jan. 1, 1951, are now "fully insured," he explained.

"By 'fully insured,' we mean that a person has earned a measure of financial protection for himself and his family against the loss of earned income at his retirement in older years or when he dies. In most cases, the insurance payments are substantial, and when one becomes eligible for the benefits, they are paid without regard to other assets or income," Cleveland added.

"For beneficiaries who have already qualified for this insurance, the average retirement payment to a man without dependents is about \$65 a month. The monthly average for an aged couple is about \$103, and a widow with two children gets in the neighborhood of \$130 a month."

Cleveland pointed out that all security payments are based on reports of earnings; so, it is to each person's interest to be certain that his earnings are reported accurately.

Eligible persons who are over age 65, and either permanently or temporarily retired or whose earnings are not more than \$75 a month, may apply for their social security insurance at this time.

Applications should be filed with the Social Security Administration, 424 Taylor Street, Corpus Christi, Texas.



MODEL MEETS MODEL—A not-so-plain model makes the acquaintance of a model plane at the National Hobby Industry show in Chicago, Ill. Dorothy Johnson, model, learns about the miniature planes from Lew Mahler of Compton, Cal. He has 14 international model-plane records to his credit, hopes to recapture with the above plane, honors lost to Russian model-makers. It's easy to see Miss Johnson is impressed by the plane.



Vaughn Monroe is set to start another picture at Republic in April entitled, "The Professor and the Coed." His "The Toughest Man in Tombstone" was one of the studio's big money-makers.

"High Noon" has been selected as the best motion picture of 1952 by movie critics in the thirtieth annual poll conducted by the Film Daily, a trade publication. The publication's "ten best pictures" listed, in order: "High Noon," "The Quiet Man," "The Greatest Show on Earth," "The African Queen," "Ivanhoe," "Come Back, Little Sheba," "The Lavender Hill Mob," "Singing in the Rain," "With a Song in My Heart," and "Five Fingers."

Just a reminder: Among the actresses who have won Oscars in the past are: Mary Pickford, Loretta Young, Janet Gaynor, Ginger Rogers, Joan Crawford, Anne Baxter, Jane Wyman, Claire Trevor, Vivien Leigh, Olivia De Havilland and Joan Fontaine.

When John Payne finishes "Crosstown," he plans to take six-months leave during which he will develop a screen story from the book, "A Time to Kill."

As competition to "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" Alex Korda has Mary Loos and Dick Sale working on "Gentlemen Marry Brunettes," for which he would like to have Dennis Day and Jeanne Crain. It's to be made in England.

Jean Parker returns to the screen after four years' absence, to play an Alaskan saloon keeper in "Those Sisters From Seattle."

As soon as Frank Sinatra finishes "From Here to Eternity," he will leave for a personal appearance tour of ten European countries. If Ava Gardner is not busy, she'll go along, as she's already in Europe.

Among the old films to be re-issued are: Judy Garland's "Meet Me in St. Louis," Joan Crawford's "A Woman's Face," Spencer Tracy's "They Gave Him a Gun," and the Bergman-Tracy-Turner "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde."

Screen rights to Paul Wellman's new novel, "Comancheros," have been bought by George Stevens, the director-producer, who will make the film version independently. The story concerns the activi-

ties of unscrupulous white men who organized the Comanche Indians into raiding parties to loot pioneer settlers in southwest Texas and then made off with the loot.

Jose Ferrer, who produced, directed and starred in the Broadway play, "The Shrike," will produce the movie version independently and will be its star and director as well.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: W. W. Crowley, George Hotlikik, W. H. Baldwin, H. B. Baldwin, The Texas Land and Title Company, W. W. Evans, Belle Evans, L. O. Hill, Clara Smith, Patrick P. Walsh, Robert D. Walsh, Thomas J. Walsh, Catherine Forrestal Walsh, Robert Walsh, Jr., The Firm of McFarland, Elgin and McFarland, C. H. Moore, John E. Elgin, James B. Gilver, Olive Livingston, Annie W. Holden, William Quayle, Samuel Jeanes, J. M. Martin, and the Martin-Ryan Company defendants, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 36th Judicial District Court of Aransas County at the Court House thereof, in Rockport, Texas, 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 20th day of April, A. D. 1953, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 6th day of March, A.D. 1953, in this cause, numbered 2965 on the docket of said court and styled Vernor C. Day, et ux, plaintiff, vs. W. W. Crowley, et al, defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit in Trespass to Try Title to the following described property, to wit:

The East One-third (E-1/3rd) of Block Sixty-eight (68), Township of Fulton, Aransas County, Texas, and

Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block Fifty-seven (57), Township of Fulton, Aransas County, Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Rockport, Texas this 6th day of March, A. D. 1953.

Attest:
JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk
District Court, Aransas County, Texas. (Seal)
By WRETHA B. JOHNSON, Deputy. e51

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MEAL MAKER PEAS	can	10c

NEW FLORIDA WHITE POTATOES, 5 lbs.	39c
KENTUCKY WONDER GREEN BEANS, pound	19c
ORANGES, 5 lb. bag	29c
LETTUCE, 2 heads	15c
BANANAS, 2 pounds	25c
BALLARD BISCUITS, 2 cans	19c
WIS. STATE CHEESE, lb.	49c
VELVEETA CHEESE, 2 lbs.	89c

DEL DIXI WHITE HOMINY, 3 cans	25c
VAL TEX TOMATO SAUCE, 8 oz. can	5c
COLOROX, quart	17c
CASHMERE BOUQUET SOAP, regular bar	8c
CASHMERE BOUQUET SOAP, bath size, 2 bars	23c
FAB, large box	27c
PALMOLIVE SOAP, regular bar	8c
PARKAY OLEO, pound	27c
PALMOLIVE SOAP, bath size, 2 for	23c
BREEZE SOAP POWDER, large size	28c
RINSO, large size	25c
SILVER DUST, large size	26c
SURF, large size	27c
SWAN SOAP, regular bar	8c
SWAN SOAP, large bar, 2 for	27c
1-CENT SALE OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 3 cans	27c

CHUCK ROAST

HORMEL DAISY, TRAY PACK BACON	lb.	39c
TRAY PACK BACON	lb.	59c
TRAY PACK BACON	lb.	49c
SHORT RIBS	lb.	29c
HORMEL'S PURE PORK ROLL SAUSAGE	lb.	39c
BOSTON BUTT PORK ROAST	lb.	49c
FANCY VEAL ROUND STEAK	lb.	69c
FANCY VEAL LOIN STEAK	lb.	59c
PLANTER'S SALTED PEANUTS, package		33c
WESSON OIL, pint		33c
TRU VU PINTO BEANS, 2 lb. pkg.		35c
SUN MAID SEEDLESS RAISINS, package		19c
SKINNER'S RAISIN BRAN, 10 oz. pkg., 2 for		35c
LIPTON'S TEA, package		29c

LIPTON'S TEA BAGS, box of 16	21c
MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING, pint	33c
BAMA APPLE BUTTER, jar	23c
STARKIST GRATED OR CHUNK TUNA, can	33c
BLACKHAWK LUNCH MEAT, can	39c
HI C ORANGEADE, 46 oz. cans, 2 for	49c
TEXSUN GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 2 for	27c
SOUTH BEAUTY PEAR HALVES, can	29c

ROYAL INSTANT PUDDING CHOCOLATE, 2 pkgs.	15c
ROYAL INSTANT PUDDING VANILLA, 2 pkgs.	15c
NORTHERN TISSUE, 4 rolls	35c
SCOTT'S ALCOHOL, 16 oz. bottle	13c
GILLETTE BLUE BLADES, pkg.	37c
SUNSHINE SERV-PAK KRISPY CRACKERS, large box	25c
NABISCO CHOCOLATE GRAHAMS, 6 oz. cello	27c

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Misses Picton and Smith Hostess to Cemetery Association Meeting

Misses Vivien and Velma Picton and Miss Grace Smith were hostesses for the regular monthly meeting of the Rockport Cemetery Association, Monday afternoon.

Following the disposal of routine business, the organization voted to extend the water lines to the Mary Lamberth addition to the cemetery as soon as the work could be done. The organization also voted to put a part of the Memorial Fund into the fence fund. Citizens are urged to respond to this plea for assistance in purchasing this permanent fence as the old fence on the south and west sides is beyond repair. The Latin-American and the colored people are asked to assist in this project also. Some contributions have already been made but it will be necessary to secure more funds to complete the amount needed.

A social hour followed the business meeting.



BALL STEALER — Leaping high over the restraining arm of Maryland's Ralph Greco, Al De Porter of Wake Forest, steals the basketball in the Southern Conference Tournament game at Raleigh, N. C. Wake Forest won, 61-59.

NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF ROCKPORT.

I, T. D. Picton, in my capacity of Mayor Pro-tem of the City of Rockport, Texas, do hereby order that a special election be held in said city on the 7th day of April, 1953, for the purpose of electing the following official for said city: Mayor.

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Council of said city, said election shall be held at the City Hall in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election: Mrs. A. L. Brundrett as Judge, and Mrs. Fred Diederich, Miss Violet Percival, and Miss Floy Kennedy as Clerks.

That said election shall be held in accordance with the Election Code of this State and only resident qualified voters of said city shall be eligible to vote at said election.

That the City Secretary shall give notice of said election by posting a copy of this order in the election precinct of said City, which posting shall be done not less than ten days prior to date fixed for said election.

That immediately after said election is held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the results thereof to the City Council of this city as required by the Election Code of this State.

A copy of this order shall also serve as a writ of election which shall be delivered to the above appointed judge for said election. Done this 23rd day of March, 1953.

THOMAS D. PICTON, (seal) Mayor Pro-tem

THE STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF ROCKPORT.

I, Marylou Eubank, Secretary of the City of Rockport, County of Aransas, State of Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order adopted by the City Council on February 24, 1953, to-wit: Mayor pro-tem's Order for City Officers' Election, to be held April 7, 1953.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 23rd day of March, 1953. Marylou Eubank, (seal) City Secretary c51 City of Rockport, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cloyd of Hereford, Texas, are spending a couple of months in Rockport, fishing and visiting Mrs. Cloyd's sister, Mrs. W. C. Stevenson and family, other relatives and friends.



KING CHEESE—Male cheesecake was crowned this year when Pat Moore reigned as "King" of New Jersey's Palisade's Amusement Park. He was awarded an electric merry-go-round "Oscar." In other years queens were selected but park authorities decided to give the girls a thrill this year and have a king instead. Obviously impressed subjects: Robin Stewart, at left, and Pamela Reid, feel his muscles. Seated are: Ruda Michelle, at left, and Sindy Moore.

Women of the Church Met Thursday Afternoon

The Women of the Presbyterian Church had their annual meeting at the manse Thursday at 2 p. m. with the president, Mrs. Earle Thomas, presiding.

The meeting was opened with a song and Mrs. T. H. Pollard led the prayer. Mrs. James B. Jackson read the poem "Has Anyone Seen Christ in You Today?"

The annual reports of the officers were read and placed on file.

The district conference in Kingsville, Friday, March 27, was announced. Several members from Rockport plan to attend this meeting.

The following new officers for next year were installed by Rev. T. H. Pollard: Mrs. Herbert Mills, president; Mrs. J. B. Jackson, chairman of world missions; Mrs. Ted Atwood, chairman of church extension; Mrs. John Cox, chairman Christian education; Mrs. Bob Ayers, chairman assemblies causes; Mrs. Rufus Casterline, orphans helper; Mrs. Hugh Morrison, social activities.

Officers held over from last years are: Mrs. N. F. Jackson, vice-president; Mrs. W. T. Suttles, secretary; Mrs. Fred Brundrett, treasurer; Mrs. Geo. Lee Brundrett, historian; Mrs. T. H. Pollard, chairman spiritual life; Mrs. Ceylon Ammons, chairman of annuities and relief; Mrs. Floy Smith, stewardship chairman.

Mrs. Herbert Mills, the new president, gave a preview of the work for the new year.

The women voted to have Circle 1 and Circle 2 meet on the first Thursday of each month and the Women of the Church will meet on the third Thursday. Circle 3 will meet on the second Monday.

The finance committee for 1953 is Mrs. Floy Smith, Mrs. Hugh

Morrison, and Mrs. Fred Brundrett. Delegates to Presbyterial at Mo-Ranch, April 9 and 10, are Mrs. Floy Smith and Mrs. Harry Mills.

An officers training class will be held at the church Tuesday, March 31, beginning with the luncheon.

A church supper was planned for Wednesday night, March 25, with all members and friends of the church invited.

The new circle chairmen for this year are: Circle 1, Mrs. Ford Jackson; Circle 2, Mrs. Harry Mills; Circle 3: Mrs. Mary Juergens.

Mrs. J. B. Jackson and Mrs. Harry Mills are on the flower committee for April and Mrs. Ted Little and Mrs. Clyde Hayden are on the Men of the Church committee.

Circle 1 will meet with Mrs. Floy Smith, and Circle 2 will meet with Mrs. Harry Mills on April 2. Circle 3 will meet with Mrs. Ralph Matern on April 13.

Mrs. Fred Brundrett, Mrs. Geo. Lee Brundrett and Mrs. T. H. Ratliff were hostesses for the occasion and there were 26 members present.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Keys have moved from Lamar to Rockport and they are living at Mrs. Will Rooke's home.

Hospitals Have Made Great Improvement

Hospitals have come a long way. In medieval times, and well into the eighteenth century, they were little more than workhouses or almshouses for the poverty stricken or dying. Today nearly everyone can share their benefits, and it has been estimated that at least one member of the average American family of five will spend four days in a hospital during the course of a year.

At first glance hospital costs may seem high. New drugs and more skilled medical and nursing care mean that patients pay more per hospital day than they did, say 65 years ago. However, they save in the long run by having to spend less time in the hospital and by losing less time from work. For instance, in 1888 the average of patient days spent in the hospital was 52 days; today it is less than 8 days.

The dollar the patient pays the hospital has to go a long way. From 58 to 75 per cent of it may go into salaries of hospital personnel. The rest has to stretch to cover other operating expenses such as food, public utilities, and laundry.

With the higher cost per day of hospital care and shorter hospitalizations during which it may be paid, more and more people are finding it hard to pay their bills in a lump sum. A great many of them find it to their advantage to budget for hospital care in some way—through insurance premiums or arrangements with the hospital for installment payments, either before or after they leave the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Day and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clayburg of Cufa, Ill., visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Burton here Tuesday. This was the first time in 35 years that they had seen each other.

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HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS

From Your State Capitol

By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex. — Let's talk about money — about spending a hundred and sixty odd million dollars of your money.

That's what the Legislature is doing. But even considering the size of that amount, the economy forces seem to be in control.

The proposed spending budget for the next two years is within tax revenue that the state can expect to receive. That means, if appropriations bills as they now stand are finally passed, no new taxes will be needed.

More liberal-minded legislators have advocated a number of new expenditures. In the House last week, for example, representatives said "no" to a proposal that would have given \$2,600,000 more to the University of Texas at Austin.

Lawmakers eyed keenly a reduction in the oil production allowable, ruled by the Railroad Commission.

Comptroller R. S. Calvert had expected the cut and figured it into his estimate of state income for the next two years. But if there should be further drops in

oil production, state tax revenue would fall below present anticipations.

The biggest part of the state's revenue is from a tax of about 11 cents per barrel on oil.

Calvert has been told by experts, however, that the demand for Texas oil may increase next summer. Allowables are fixed on the basis of demand and other factors.

Right now, imports of foreign oil are cutting into the demand for Texas crude.

With the conservatives scoring victories in both House and Senate, the future looked doubtful for increasing pay of teachers and state employees and for improving the state's highways.

Representative Charles Murphy of Houston advocates a constitutional amendment that would devote all future increases in the gasoline tax to roads.

That would help the road situation, if a gasoline tax increase were passed; but it would not give any more money to schools.

Governor Allan Shivers voiced his disapproval of any new state taxes except a 1 cent increase in the gasoline tax, to pay for more roads. The governor also said he hoped for court approval of the present natural gas tax which would bring in forty to forty-five million dollars. He added that if the gas tax is found constitutional he may call a special session to appropriate the money for state improvements and services.

One proposed solution to the highway problem is to authorize construction of toll roads. But there is difference of opinion in both House and Senate as to how the toll road authority should be set up.

The first bill to be introduced was one that would permit the installation of a Dallas-Fort Worth toll road. Later there were other bills in both House and Senate, these making the toll road authority statewide.

The House bill, for example, provides that the three highway com-

missioners would head the state toll road agency.

Sponsors of this bill say it would make possible the construction of needed roads immediately; that the roads would be built by private industry; and that they would save tax money.

Supporters of this measure also argue that a central state agency would be preferable to a number of local, un-coordinated toll road authorities.

The highway department, meanwhile, was about a million dollars better off than it expected to be.

The department let contracts for improvements on 446 miles of state roads. The total bids amounted to about nine and a half million dollars.

The department had figured that the cost would be more like ten and a half million.

Senators gave their support to Pioneer Airlines in that carrier's controversy with the Civil Aeronautics Board.

The board had denied Pioneer larger mail subsidies, claimed to be necessary after putting larger aircraft into operation at the board's suggestion.

By a resolution passed unanimously, the Senate called the CAB's action ilconsidered, capricious, and arbitrary.

By all tests so far, the Legislature has approved giving the right of jury service to women.

A resolution calling for the necessary constitutional amendment passed the House of Representatives by a vote of 124 to 16. A Senate committee also put its ok on women jury service.

If the resolution is finally passed, the voters will have their chance to approve or disapprove the proposition at the general election in November next year.

Forty-two states now permit women to serve on juries.

The Senate passed, 26 to 2, and sent to the House a bill providing that persons convicted of drunken driving would automatically go to jail for three days and pay a \$50 fine.

Senator Carlos Ashley, author of the bill, said it would aid law enforcement and traffic safety if people who drive while drunk know they will have to spend some time in jail.

The bill would not change the maximum penalties of two years in jail and \$500 fine.

Radio and television stations do not want to be sued for any libelous statements made by persons who buy time on the stations.

In the House is a bill by Representative J. R. Paxton of Elk-



HIGH PITCHED PINCH—The long arm of the law has a super-voice in West Berlin. Seen above, a policeman is shouting to a traffic violator with the aid of his portable loudspeaker.

hart that would give the desired protection, requested by the Texas Association of Broadcasters.

Witnesses told the judiciary committee, which voted the bill out, that stations actually have no control over what a political candidate says in a broadcast or telecast, though he may be asked for an advance script.

Senate committee approval was given to a bill by Senator Searcy Bracewell of Houston that would provide a special deer hunting season for those who employ the bow and arrow.

The season would be set by the State Game and Fish Commission ten days before the regular deer season.

Hunters who use the bow and arrow are true sportsmen, says Howard Dodgen, commission secretary. Howard Basch, president of the Texas Bow Hunters Association, told the committee: "We prefer to do it the hard way."

The Supreme Court will hear arguments next month on the validity of the drivers responsibility law. The San Antonio Court of Civil Appeals had ruled in favor of the Texas Department of Public Safety in upholding the act. . . . A Senate Committee voted to prohibit further expansion of Texas junior colleges, but Senator Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo gave notice that he would bring the proposition out on a minority report. . . . The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports that Texas now produces more gas, consumes more within its own borders, exports more to other states, and has more underground than any other state.

DOUBLE-DUTY NOTICE
Bowmanville, Ont. — The following notice was inserted in this town's weekly newspaper recently: "Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vantone are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Debora Charlene, born Jan. 28 in Memorial Hospital, Bowmanville, also their grandson, Elroy John, born Feb. 3, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. John Trimble.

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Murphrey-Crawford Wedding solemnized

Miss Charmaine Crawford became the bride of James "Buddy" Murphrey at a beautiful ceremony at the home of the bride's parents in Corpus Christi, at 5:30 p. m. Thursday, March 19.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon E. Crawford of Corpus Christi, and will be a spring high school graduate. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Murphrey of Rockport, are the parents of the groom. He will graduate at C.C.U. in the early summer.

Rev. L. L. Roloff officiated at the ceremony before an arch of spring flowers over a bowl of sweet peas resting on the mantle. Baskets of spring flowers were placed at each side of the arch. Miss Elizabeth Ann Roloff played the wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a navy blue suit with a white hat and white accessories. Miss Kathryn Richards was the bridesmaid. She also wore a navy suit with white accessories.

Jerry Smith acted as best man. A reception followed the ceremony. The lace covered brides table held a basket of pink and white gladioli. The white wedding cake was formed as an open Bible with "Buddy and Charmaine" on the front page and a verse of Scripture on the other leaf. The bride's grandmother served the orange sherbet punch and Miss Dorothy Cavitt the cake. The guest register was in charge of Miss Elizabeth Ann Roloff.

After a wedding trip to Freeport, Mr. and Mrs. Murphrey will be at home in Corpus Christi.

Only immediate members of the participating families and a few close friends attended the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Murphrey and daughters, Mrs. Bob Smith, Misses Connie and Carolyn Murphrey, and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reid of Rockport were present.

John A. Ballou Is Taking Part In Navy Exercises

Participating in one of the largest Navy and Marine exercises, aboard the fleet minesweeper USS Triumph, is John A. Ballou, engineer third class, USN, of Rockport.

The Triumph sailed from Charleston, S. C., to be part of the operation which extends from the Caribbean area to the shores of North Carolina. More than 25,000 Navy personnel and about 17,000 Marines, including naval and marine aviation units are involved in the exercises.

The operation, known as "Lant Phibex II," is under the over-all command of Vice Admiral F. G. Fabrian, USN, Commander Amphibious Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

The ship is a unit of Mine Squadron 8, commanded by Navy Capt. J. I. Manning. She is expected to return to Charleston early in April.

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Reports Given at Rebekah Lodge

At the regular weekly meeting of the Rebekah Lodge Tuesday night, Mrs. Gladys Mullan gave an interesting report of the meeting of the Rebekah Assembly which she attended at Fort Worth last week.

A called business meeting for the Blue Bonnet Association was held at Corpus Christi last Saturday which Miss Katie Lee Clarke, Mrs. Ora May, Mrs. Corinne Stewart, Mrs. Annie Mae Evans, Mrs. Bessie Dykes and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mullan attended.

Miss Clarke gave a report on this meeting and outlined the program for the regular Blue Bonnet meeting which will be held in Rockport on Saturday, April 28, at the Woman's Club building.

Rockport Rhymsters Will Meet Friday Night

The Rockport Rhymsters will meet with Mrs. Paul Reese at her home, Friday, March 27 at 7:30 p. m. Visitors interested in verse are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Herring had as weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newsum and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Herring and daughter from Corpus Christi. Mr. and Mrs. Herring and daughters also visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hinton and family.

Mrs. Harry Woods returned home Friday from Spohn Hospital, where she had been confined for several weeks. She underwent major surgery while there.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh
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Every night Mrs. Morgan complained about how hard it was to get Rusty to go to sleep. Finally Biff decided to handle the situation. "Anyone can get a kid to sleep — takes a little patience! Here, hand me her storybook."
He grabs the book and goes into Rusty's room. About an hour later Rusty comes padding out in pajamas and hands her mother the book. "Read it quietly," she whispers, "so we don't wake Daddy."
From where I sit, Biff won't be so quick to be a "child-care specialist" the next time. If we could just resist being such "know it alls," our neighbors would be better off. Take those who would deny me a glass of beer with my supper — well, I might not care for the buttermilk they like. We all ought to realize that we all have different abilities and different preferences, too.
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James F. Close Receives Ensign Commission

James F. Close, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Close of Rockport, recently was commissioned an ensign and designated a naval aviator, at a ceremony at the Naval Air Station in Corpus Christi.

Ensign Close has completed advance training in multi-engine aircraft at the Naval Air Station. He received his wings from Rear Admiral A. K. Moorehouse, Chief of Naval Air Advance Training Commission.

Close was graduated from the Rockport High School in 1949 and attended St. Mary's University in San Antonio. He entered the Navy in 1951.

Ensign Close is flying to San Diego, Calif., Saturday, to report for duty in the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilhelm and children had as their guests the first of the week, Mrs. Wilhelm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McDonald and Mrs. Burl Cloyd from Borger, Texas.

PLENTY OF NAMES

Bainbridge, Md. — A family Bible with five empty lines was responsible for one of the biggest headaches ever faced by personnel at the Receiving Unit of the U. S. Training Center here. It seems that Recruit Stallard has 30 given names — Alexander Morris Gene Saul Ralph Giles Gilbert Moler Marquis Miles Marion Mayo John Charles James Gordon Bennett Adams Christopher Columbus Elijah Green Eversole Bradley Kincaide Robert Jefferson Breckenridge Stallard. He is known simply as Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Giles of Corpus Christi, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Giles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gray and family.

Mrs. Laura Lego of Minnesota, entertained her son, Gale, with a picnic on the beach here one day this week. Mrs. Lego is spending the winter in McAllen.

Mr. and Mrs. August Neiman and son Harry of Sinton, visited Mr. Neiman's sister, Mrs. Fred Ernest, Sunday afternoon.



DOUBLE TAKE—Ten-year-old twins, Bill Cornellison, at left, and Don, at right, show off their twin helpers at the Missouri College of Agriculture in Columbia, Mo. The calves, named Alpha and Beta, have prize-winning parents. The boys are the sons of Paul Cornellison of the College Dairy Dept.

State Draft Quota For Month of May Set at 2,823 Men

Austin, Tex. — The state draft quota for May calls for induction of 2,823 men, Brig. Gen. Paul L. Wakefield, state Selective Service director, announced Tuesday.

General Wakefield said that quotas to local draft boards for the May call would be mailed April 7. The May call is 53 less than the April call of 2,876 men.

State Selective Service headquarters was scheduled today to mail to local boards calls for May pre-induction physical examination involving 4,858 men.

Local boards will be authorized to examine men down to the age of 19 on the May pre-induction examination call and induct men down to the age of 19 years and 4 months on the May induction call.

"We have been instructed to fill the May call as far as possible with men 20 years old or older," General Wakefield said, "but, for both April and May, the manpower situation being what it is, the majority of those inducted without a doubt will be under 20."

To show how the number of 19-year-olds going into the Army is increasing, General Wakefield pointed to the percentage of youths under 20 in the examined and acceptable draft group in Texas—usually kept at a level of 10,000 men.

On December 1, 1952, the percentage of this group of men who were under 20 was one-half of 1 per cent. By the first of the year, men under 20 had grown to 5 per cent of the total. On February 1, youths under 20 amounted to 20 per cent of the total, and on March 1, the 19-year-old group was 49 per cent of the total.

It is from the examined and acceptable group that men are drafted into service.

Lon C. Hill Re-elected President of CP&L

Lon C. Hill was re-elected president of Central Power and Light Company at the annual stockholders' meeting in Corpus Christi March 24. Other officers re-elected were J. L. Bates, vice president and general manager; Dwight Carlsen, vice president and advertising manager; G. W. Gilliam, vice president; N. A. Easter, vice president and rate engineer; W. D. Boone, secretary-treasurer; Tom D. Pierce, assistant secretary; Alice Huebner, assistant secretary; James A. Manley, assistant treasurer; and Garnet Menger, auditor. Bates, Boone, Carlsen, Easter, Gilliam and Hill are also directors of the company.

A newly-elected vice president and director is E. S. Joslin, Corpus Christi district manager. As an officer of the company, he succeeds J. T. Persons, who has retired from active service.

PLANT SPRAY KILLS CHILD

Redwood City, Calif. — Little Bobby Lommer, 4, his clothing drenched with a poisonous plant spray, staggered into his home at Menlo Park and gasped, "The other kids threw it at me." His mother, Mrs. Guy Lommer, rushed him to a hospital but Bobby was dead on arrival. Officers later found a broken bottle of plant spray in the backyard of a nearby vacant house. Its label stated it was poison and warned that illness or death could result from either inhaling the fumes or spilling the spray on uncovered skin.

NAMES THE SAME

Liberty, Mo. — William Jewell recently won an election at William Jewell College — defeating a William Jewell to do it. The new president of William Jewell chapter of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity is William Jewell, 19, of Rose, N. Y. His rival was William Jewell Wilson, of St. Joseph, Mo.

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COLUMBIA PICTURES presents **SANTA FE**
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MOBILE INSTRUCTIONAL AND DEMONSTRATION TEAM WILL VISIT CORPUS CHRISTI

The armored vest now used in combat in Korea which deflects approximately 65 per cent of all types of missiles will be among the many interesting items of equipment to be shown when a mobile instructional and demonstration team for the Organized Reserve Corps from the Quartermaster Section Headquarters 4th Army, visits in Corpus Christi on March 31.

Equipment to be shown to reservists by the team consisting of two officers and two enlisted men will be transported in a six-ton army van, according to Major Edward Bray, ORC Unit Instructor, who today announced the team's ensuing visit.

He said that the showing of new developments in the quartermaster supplies, equipment and aerial resupply will be among the most interesting exhibits brought here.

"As much as the Quartermaster Corps would like to show members of the Organized Reserve Corps the new armored shorts now

being tested in Korea, it has decided not to do so in view of the fact that each diaper supplement to the armored vest is much needed on the front lines," said Major Bray.

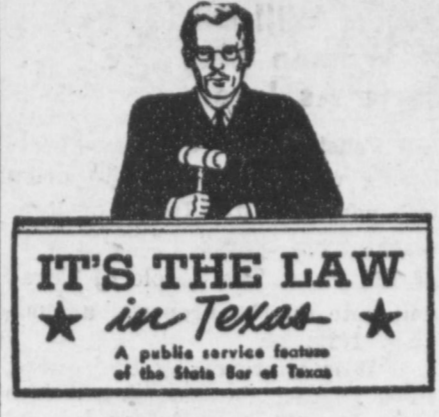
The vest together with the new armored shorts gives protective coverage to the entire torso. Used alone, the vest has reduced torso wounds by 60 or 70 per cent.

Other items of equipment which will be shown and demonstrated will be the Army's Yukon stove, new tropical boots with nylon uppers, nylon climbing rope, snow-white parkas, muk-luks and lightweight tropical field uniforms.

Instruction will be presented by Captains William H. Webb and Joseph H. Hilpert of the Fourth Army Quartermaster section, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, at 8 p.m. at Building No. 2, Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi.

All reservists in this area are invited to attend.

Jimmy Jack Batson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Wren, underwent major surgery at the Aransas Pass Hospital last Saturday. He was able to come home Wednesday.



Lawyers' Code Protects Interest of Public

Few people know that lawyers have a code of ethics more strict than the law itself. It is called the Canons of Professional Ethics and has been in effect in the United States since 1908.

"In America, where the stability of the courts, and all departments of government, rests upon the approval of the people, it is peculiarly essential that the system for establishing and dispensing justice be developed to a high point of efficiency and so maintained that the public shall have absolute confidence in the integrity and impartiality of its administration," reads the preamble of the Canons. Then follows a set of written rules for the conduct of lawyers which establish a high standard for their dealings with the people, the courts and with one another.

All members of the State Bar of Texas are required by Rules voluntarily adopted by them and ordered into effect by the State Supreme Court to observe 43 separate and distinct canons of professional ethics. In addition, there are Canons of Judicial Ethics governing the conduct of all our district and appellate judges.

It is rare that one finds a lawyer who, willingly and knowingly departs from the ideals of the code. It is more strict than the law itself, and many acts which are lawful are frowned upon by the code as improper conduct for attorneys. A lawyer may find himself criticized severely by his fellow lawyers and the courts, or even called upon before one of the Texas bar's 21 grievance committees, because he had done something which, though lawful, is contrary to the Canons.

Here are a few of the principles which lawyers have pledged themselves to follow: A lawyer may not represent clients with conflicting interests except with the client's consent after they have full knowledge of the situation. He is bound to give a frank opinion on the merits and likely results of a lawsuit, and should advise his clients to make a fair settlement if he can avoid or end a lawsuit.

He should not overvalue or undervalue his services. Ability to pay is no justification for an excessive lawyer's fee, although lack of finances on the part of the client may require a reduced fee or none at all. And he must never regard his profession as a money-getting trade but always remember that it is a branch of the administration of justice.

The same code requires that he be fair to other lawyers and that he be frank, cooperative and respectful to the courts. He is responsible for decisions regarding the best procedure to follow in a trial. He must do his best to prevent his client from acting improperly toward the court or jury, or in his duties as a citizen. These and many other restrictions are voluntarily accepted by the lawyer because the acts forbidden are felt to be unworthy of the high standards of the profession.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Lee Billings Honored On Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Billings honored their son Lee, Tuesday night, the occasion being his 19th birthday, with an ice cream supper and the traditional birthday cake and punch.

There were only a few close friends invited, and they spent the evening playing games and watching television.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all my friends for their kindness and assistance during the illness and at the death of my beloved husband.

I am especially grateful for the many cards and expressions of sympathy and for the beautiful floral offering.

Mrs. W. H. Wheeler

Mr. and Mrs. Clessen Wells and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Saulsbery and baby, Terry Sue, are visiting Mrs. Wells' mother, Mrs. Fred Weber, Elwood Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Casterline and family.

Leon Barber, who has been in the Aransas Pass Hospital with typhoid fever, was able to come home Monday and is free of fever. He expects to be out again next Monday.

M. E. Harper received his discharge from the Army last week and returned to Rockport on March 18 to join his wife, who has been staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Demory.



MIG MAULERS—Four United States Air Force F-86 Sabrejets roar into the sky over Washington, D. C. Sabrejets can outfly Russian-made MIG's and 150 of them are now assigned to Air Defense posts in Europe.

MOTHER OF NINE, 32

Miami, Fla. — Although Mrs. Calvin Lee Peters is only 32, she is the mother of nine children, four of whom came in sets of twins only ten months apart. Twins run in her family and she is a twin herself.

FORTUNE FOR CHILDREN

St. Louis, Mo. — Louis Honig, a childless widower, who died in February, left more than \$300,000 to charities for children. Honig, forced by family circumstances to become a breadwinner at the age of 8, often said, "I don't want children to have it as hard as I did when I was young."



TOM - ABOUT - TOWN — Suave and cosmopolitan, this sophisticated cat puffs contentedly on his cigaret and regards the world through mouse-colored glasses. His name is Tom and he gets a daily cigaret.

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Kaiser-Frazer Motors Announces Purchase of Willys-Overland Motors

Chester Johnson Motors was informed Wednesday morning by telegram that Kaiser-Frazer Corp. has agreed to purchase and Willys Overland has agreed to sell to Kaiser-Frazer the assets of Willys-Overland Motors, Inc.

This is a milestone in the history of Kaiser-Frazer's growth, and Kaiser-Frazer thus becomes the 4th largest automotive manufacturer. This is the largest transaction of its kind since Chrysler purchased Dodge Motors.

In commenting on the transaction Edgar F. Kaiser said that "it substantially strengthens Kaiser-Frazer and Willys and we can look forward to a much better working capital and asset position as well as resultant savings, such as joint purchasing and reduced overhead."

Kaiser-Frazer and Willys distributors and dealers will continue under their same franchises with their respective products.

Mr. Johnson said that he would be advised by C. W. Grinstead, Kaiser-Frazer regional manager, of a meeting within the next few days at which time more detailed information of this announcement would be given.

MATCH-PLAYING BURNS BARN

Frederick, Md. — A four-year-old youngster, not identified, playing with matches was blamed for a \$15,000 fire that destroyed a large barn on the farm of Eugene Doody, Jr., near Lewiston. The child admitted he had been playing with matches in the barn.

Sixty pupils and room mothers and teachers from the 6th grade of Furman School of Corpus Christi, visited the marine lab here on Thursday, March 19.

John R. Barber came in from A&I College at Kingsville Saturday afternoon, visiting in the L. V. McLeester home and the Jim Barber home.

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<p>SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH</p> <p>Sunday Masses, 7:00 and 9:00. Holy Days same as Sundays. Week-day Mass at 6:30 and 8:00 o'clock. Friday night Novena devotions at 7:30. 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. Wednesday evening service at 8. All are welcome.</p>	<p>METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Calvin Peterson Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School Services at 9:45 a.m. Morning Church Service at 11:00 o'clock. Evening Worship at 7:30 o'clock. Mid-week service Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Choir practice, Wednesday night. W.S.C.S. meets 1st and 4th Thursday at 3:00 o'clock. Fellowship dinner, first Sunday at noon. 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. Preaching Service, 10:45 a.m. Training Union, 7:00 p.m. Preaching Service, 8:00 p.m. 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. Preaching Service at 10:45 a.m. Saturday evening service, 7:00. Sunday evening service at 7:00. 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. Regular service at 11 a.m. ACA service at 6:30 p.m. Evening service at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday night service 7:30 p.m. Thurs. night service 7:30 p.m.</p>	

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FOR SALE: 7½ h.p. Wizard outboard motor \$50.00; 3 3/10 Evinrude outboard motor, '49 model, \$45.00; 6 ft. Westinghouse electric refrigerator, \$100.00; Detroit Jewel gas range, \$35.00. John A. Cox. Phone 823. ctf

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FREE ESTIMATES on building your new home or addition. Chas. F. Wright, contractor, phone 3935, Fulton. ctf

FOR SALE: House trailer, M-System, 16', ideal for single person, vacations or guest house, new rubber. \$450. cash. Klausen, Taylor Oak Trailer Park. p50

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FOR RENT: Unfurnished house, \$65.00 a month, all bills paid. Call 294. ctf

FOR RENT: Furnished and unfurnished houses in Rockport; two furnished houses in Fulton; furnished house in Copano Village. Mrs. R. B. Sipe, Phone 803. ctf

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Lots 19 and 20 of Block 68, Harris Tract. Ray C. Martin, Sidney, W. Va. p52

NOTICE TO BIDDERS: 1937 Chevrolet long wheelbase truck with new tires and good 1947 motor. May be inspected at Chester Johnson Motors. Mail bids to Chas. Ankele, fire chief. Bids to be opened at fire meeting, Thursday, April 2 at 8 p.m. Right reserved to reject any and all bids. c51

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom apartment, kitchen furnished, or 6-room home, completely furnished or unfurnished. Ernest Tackette, Fulton. c51

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY
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HARBOR PATIO on Beach. Hamburgers, hot dogs, and snow cones. p51

HANDY MAN or couple to work building new trailer park. E. Herbst, Route 1, Rockport. p51

LOST: Waders and raincoat. Reward. Mrs. Hill, c/o Mrs. R. B. Sipe, Phone 803. c51

FOR SALE: 1941 4-door sedan. Anders Garage, phone 6133. c50

FOR SALE: Practically new National cash register, registers 1c to \$99.99. Apply Kaufman's Dept. Store. c50

FOR SALE: Trailer house, 25-foot Roycraft, 1947 model. Call 873, Shady Grove Trailer Park. p50

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FOR SALE OR TRADE for pickup truck, 1950 Pontiac 8 sedan. No. 1 shape. See C. J. Mace, Snug Harbor, Copano Village. p50

WANTED—Tourist courts to manage. Experienced, references. Box 486, phone 3746. p50

TURKEYS FOR SALE: Phone 3491 after 6 p.m. p50

POWER LAWN MOWER for sale. See Oscar Smith. p50

FOR SALE: 1939 Buick Roadmaster sedan, \$150.00; late Easy Spindrier washer, \$60.00; new Home sewing machine, \$25.00. All in good condition. Phone 535 or 469. p50

PAINT, outside SNOW WHITE. Guaranteed not to turn yellow, rub, wash, or peel off. \$4.95 value. Special introductory offer \$3.95 per gallon prepaid. In 5 gallon cans only. Sample can 50c postpaid. Nueces Sales Company, 1905 Leopard, Corpus Christi, Texas. c50

WANT YOUR LAWN mowed? Call or see W. A. (Bill) Swann, Phone 883, Rockport. c50

FOR SALE: 1 h.p. Wizard mower, new guarantee, \$55.00. Western Auto Associate Store, Rockport. c50

FOR SALE: Thor washing machine. Telephone 409. Mrs. Ted Little. c50

Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmy Hayden and daughter, Karen Lynne, left today to return to Randolph Field after spending a 10-day leave in Rockport visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Burton.

Voters Will Decide If Women May Serve As Jurors

A constitutional amendment allowing women to serve on juries was passed by the House of Representatives March 16 by a vote of 124 to 16. The people of Texas will vote on the proposed amendment Nov. 11.

If it is approved by the voters, rules putting the amendment into action would then be set up by the Legislature, said Rep. Horace Houston, Dallas. Mothers with children under 16 years old and women who are nurses would be exempt from jury service by another bill being held for House approval pending the passage of the amendment by voters. Under present law, only women, convicts, and insane persons are not allowed to serve on juries.

Another House Joint Resolution was approved by the House. This bill, which would give soldiers the right to vote, was passed March 10.

Rep. Harold B. Parish, 35th District, was a supporter of both amendments. "I believe," he said, "that enactment of these bills would broaden democratic rights and equality in Texas, and allow the people of Texas to vote on these amendments."

Rep. Parish is continuing his efforts to prevent Rep. William Gray from cutting off the Nueces valley water supply. Rep. Gray has several bills before the House for this purpose. One of them has been put off to a later hearing.

Sherman, Titus, Sam, and Rodney Mundine were called to Austin Tuesday by the illness of their sister, Mrs. A. W. Fisher, who underwent surgery at the Brackenridge Hospital in Austin. Mrs. Fisher is better and they returned home Wednesday night.

R. D. Torres Jr., of the United States Navy, and Mrs. Torres, surprised their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Torres and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Mundine, when they drove in from San Diego, Calif., March 17. They will leave tomorrow to visit in Oklahoma and at Plainview, Texas, before returning to San Diego. Mrs. R. D. Torres and Judy will accompany them to Oklahoma.

COLOR TV SETS NOT DUE FOR TWO OR MORE YEARS

Washington, D. C. — The last remaining restrictions on production of color television sets would be removed under a decision reported to have been made today.

But it's still likely to be two years or more before your living room set shows rainbow hues. That was the gist of testimony which Dr. Frank Stanton, president of Columbia Broadcasting System, gave today before the House Commerce Committee.

CBS is the developer of the only system of color TV approved by the Federal Communications Commission.

But shortly after that approval was given the National Production Authority issued its 1951 ban on building of color sets, to conserve materials and technical manpower for defense work.

Informed persons said today that NPA's Order Clearance Committee has approved final cancellation of that ban, and it may be signed within 48 hours by H. B. McCoy, acting NPA chief.

But, in line with Stanton's testimony, government and industry officials expected little immediate political effect.

Stanton told the committee his firm has no plans, under present circumstances, to go ahead with color broadcasts or the production of color sets.

He pointed out there are 23 million TV sets now in operation but they couldn't receive color broadcasts under the CBS method.

And since the NPA order against color equipment, he said, the situation has been "becalmed." He emphasized that the CBS system is not "dead."

Now Radio Corporation of America has indicated it will be ready by July or August to demonstrate to the FCC a new system for color transmission. The RCA method would permit present sets to receive in black-and-white the same programs that would be broadcast in color.

Under the circumstances, Stanton testified, it would be "wholly unrealistic" for CBS to expect either manufacturers or buyers to become interested in a method which might be displaced within a short time.

He said he doesn't know what stand CBS will take on the RCA proposal because he doesn't know enough about it.

Then he added: "But this much we do know with complete certainty. We are for any color system which works well, which is practical, and the cost of which is reasonable."

A CLEAN STORY

Paris, Texas. — The burglar who entered a Paris cleaning shop recently took a pair of pants — belonging to Policeman Glenn Parks. So when Paris police searched the home of a burglary suspect, Patrolman Parks went along. First thing he spotted was his missing pants.

H. C. Floyd Jr., who is stationed at San Diego, Calif., in the Navy, came home on leave Saturday night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Floyd, and his brother, Bobby Floyd, who is home on leave from Ft. Sill, Okla.

Drivers Tests to Be Given Friday Morning

A. R. Simmons of the Texas Department of Public Safety, will be at the Aransas County courthouse on Friday morning, March 27 to give examinations for drivers licenses.

CONGRATULATIONS

Beverly Elaine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Touchstone of Sinton. She was born in Memorial Hospital in Corpus Christi. Mrs. Touchstone is the former Miss Margaret Schuster of Rockport.

Mr. and Mrs. "Woody" Hunt are the parents of a daughter, Diana Faye, born at Biloxi, Miss., on Saturday, March 21. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Malchar of Rockport.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Harper at the Aransas Pass Hospital Tuesday, March 24. His name is Martin Earl.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Young are the parents of a son, born at the Aransas Pass Hospital Wednesday, March 25.

Cynthia Lou is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gurley, who was born at the Aransas Pass Hospital Tuesday evening, March 24. She weighs 8 pounds and 4 ounces.

An 8 pound, 8 ounce boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lassiter March 26 at the Aransas Pass Hospital.



CUT GLASS

Remember when cut glass was in fashion? Every home had a dazzling display which practically took over the entire sideboard. Some pieces even managed to creep into the parlor. Today cut glass is very interesting from the antique angle. When visitors call, there is always much oh-ing and ah-ing over Grandmother's cut glass dishes and vases. Remember?

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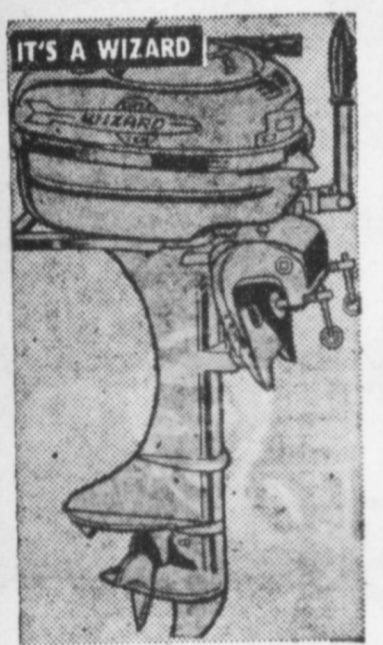
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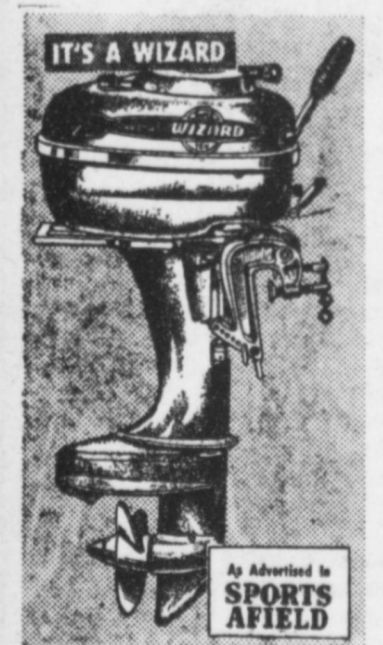
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TEXSUN 46 oz. can **GRAPEFRUIT JUICE** 27c
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