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or Certified Check issued by a Bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of J. D. Wendell, County Judge in an amount not less than five (5%) percent of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without required check or Proposal Bond will not

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Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all lo-

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Instructions to bidders, proposal forms, specifications, and plans are on file at the office of J. D. Wendell, County Judge, Rockport, Texas.

Copies may be secured from J. D. Wendell, County Judge upon deposit of \$5.00 which deposit will be returned to the CONTRACTOR on submission of a bona fide bid on the work, with such Plans and Specifications; or upon returning the Plans and Specifications immediately after examination of same, and advising the ENGINEER that bid will not be submitted; otherwise, the deposit shall be forfeited.

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### INCONSIDERATE THIEF

Elkhart, Ind.—Deciding to mow his lawn, Richard Johnson went out to get his new \$25 rubber-tired lawnmower. It was gone. He had no excuse for not mowing the lawn, however, because whoever took Johnson's mower had left an old rusty one in its place.

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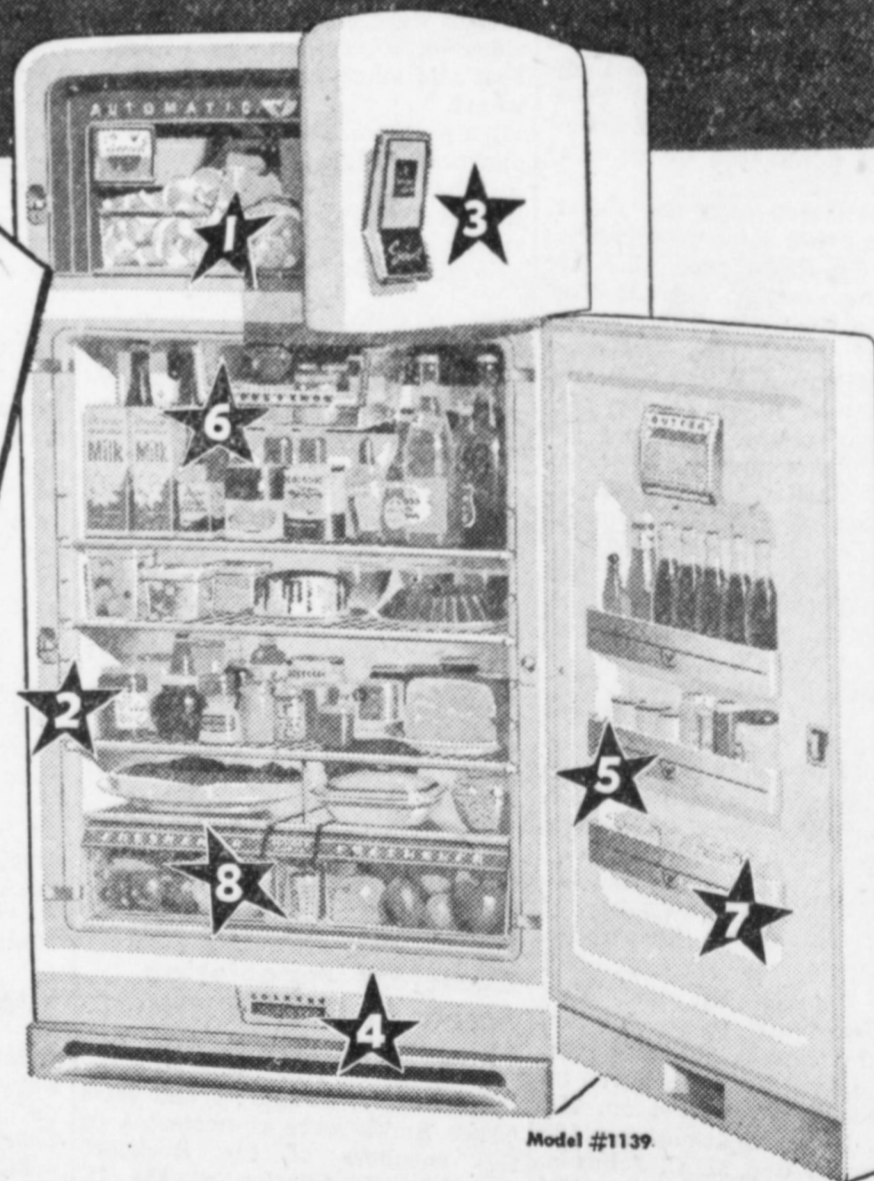
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Aransas Pass, Texas

Norvell Jackson went to Mo Ranch Monday morning to take three members of the Pioneer group of the Presbyterian Church, Clydene Armstrong, Joyce Ann Griggs and Eddie Morrison to the Pioneer Camp, to be held there this week.

The T. C. Kelly family, the Albert Kelly family, the Cleveland Kelly family and the Bill Willis family had a reunion at Padre Island Sunday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Gilliland and Gus Kelly while on the Island.

**Marine Biologist Suggests Fishermen Catch Drum**

The Chief Marine Biologist of the Game and Fish Commission suggests that Gulf coast fishermen are passing up a good proposition in not catching drum fish.

He quoted Marine Biologist Ernest Simmons as reporting that an overpopulation of drum, particularly in the Laguna Madre, is menacing the existence of more popular species such as trout and redfish.

The Chief Marine Biologist said drum, especially those under ten pounds, have a high table value. He added that the smaller drum are just as good fighters as trout. Reid suggested guides, boat owners and tourist court operators could cooperate to discourage discrimination against drum.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kelly made a business trip to San Antonio the first of last week. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hennessey in San Antonio and Rev. and Mrs. Leo Hudgens and family at Luling.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McLester and Linda, of Bay City, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Prophet and Mr. and Mrs. L. V. McLester last weekend.

**Admiral Wright To Be Speaker at Episcopal Meeting in Aransas Pass**

Rear Admiral W. L. (Bull) Wright, retired submarine officer and prominent Aransas Pass resident, will lecture June 25 at Lone Star Park Building, it was announced last week. The lecture, given under the auspices of the Church of Our Savior, Episcopal, will start at 8 p.m.

Admiral Wright, who saw extensive service as skipper of the U. S. Submarine Sturgeon during World War II, has titled his talk, "Salt Water and Communism."

The thrilling story of his activities during the late war are well told in Carl Carmer's book, "The Jessie James of the Java Sea."

Wright sank the first airplane carrier of the war, plus seven other ships. For these accomplishments and for evacuating wounded from Java, and taking personnel off Corregidor after the Philippines had fallen to the Japs, he was awarded two Navy Crosses,

a Bronze star, Legion of Merit and Army Unit Citation.

One of his pet hates of the radio announcer who blabbered night after night over short wave from San Francisco that U. S. ships had the Jap fleet bottled up in Macassar Straits. Actually at the time, the Sturgeon was the only U. S. ship in the area.

For his success, Admiral Wright gives a liberal amount of credit to luck, a hardworking torpedo officer, C. W. Nemitz, Jr., and a good crew.

Following the lecture, refreshments will be served by members of the Women's Auxiliary of the church, it was announced.

Tickets may be obtained from any member of the church or at the door. Proceeds will go to the church pew fund, Rev. Harry Carter, pastor, stated.

Misses Dora Belle McLester, Shirley Faye Harrell, Clydene Sparks, RoJean Mikel and Jo Ann McCabe enrolled at Durham's Business College in Corpus Christi, Monday, June 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Townsend, of New Orleans, La., visited his mother, Mrs. Fanny Townsend and other relatives over the week end.

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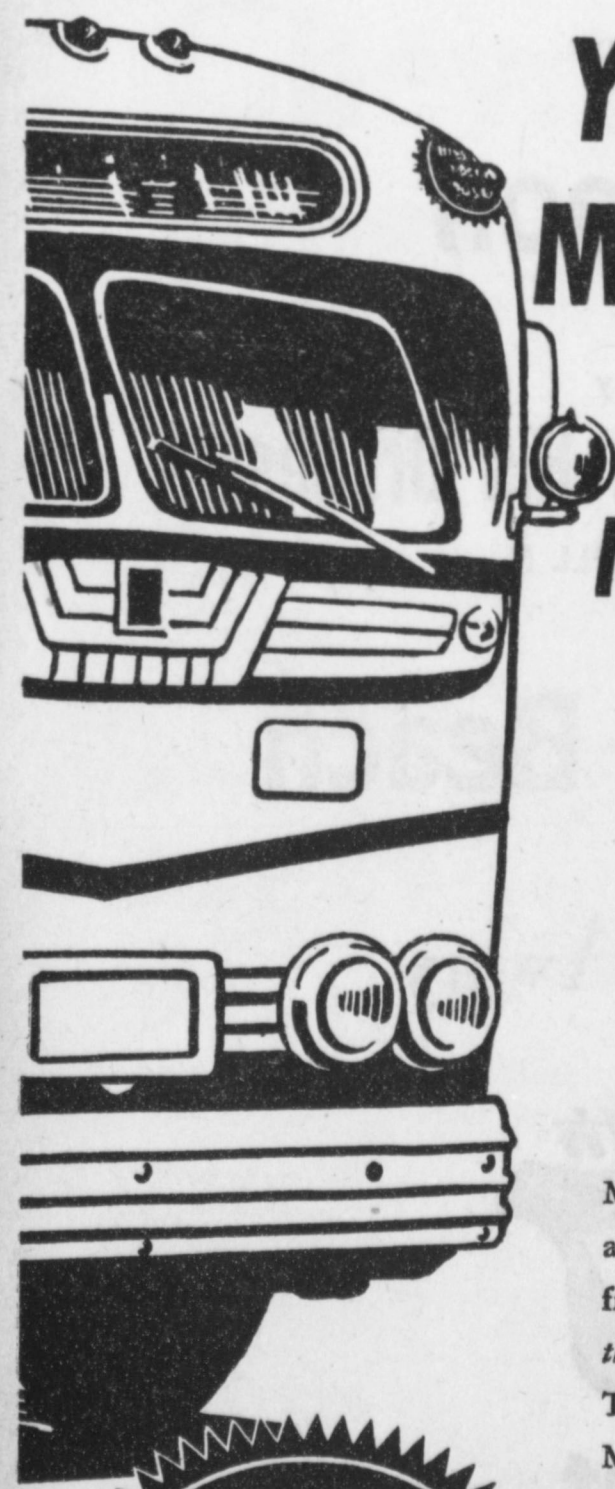
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Rockport, Texas



Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mullinax and family from Portales, N. M., came Friday to spend the summer in Rockport.

Mrs. R. O. Wren went into Ghormley Hospital in Corpus Christi Tuesday morning for treatment and observation.

Miss Minnie Oertling and Mrs. Bertha Harper went to Bay City Tuesday to attend the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Stella Oertling, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Oertling passed away Monday night. Mrs. Oertling was the former Miss Stella Hawes, of this city.

**Evans-Seaton Families Hold Reunion at Lake Mathis, June 20-21**

Members of the Evans and Seaton families held their annual reunion at Mathis Lake, Saturday and Sunday, June 20 and 21. There were thirty-five who enjoyed a shrimp boil Saturday evening and twenty-seven members of the family spent the night at the park and barbecued a beef for the noon meal Sunday.

Twenty-four of them attended the Church of Christ in Mathis Sunday morning. There were 102 present for the Sunday noon meal. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mullinax and children, Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Allen and children, George West; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Linney and children, Refugio; Mr. and Mrs. Silas Evans, Mathis; Mr. and Mrs. Noble Evans and children, Aransas Pass; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Evans and children, Robstown; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coon and children, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Perry McClennen and baby, Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Evans and children, Riviera Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Evans and children, Riviera Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mundine and children, Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Walston and baby, Corpus Christi;

**Miss Easter To Wed Sgt. Edward Wood**

Mrs. Eunice Easter announces the engagement of her daughter, Sarah Virginia to S/Sgt. Edward W. Wood, who is stationed at Randolph Field, San Antonio.

The wedding will be solemnized at the Trinity Assembly of God Church in San Antonio, Friday, July 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wiggins and children, Robstown; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Seaton and children, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Elton Hubbel, Aransas Pass; Mr. and Mrs. Aubra Stevens, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pace, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones, Corpus Christi;

Mrs. Annie Mae Evans and children, Rockport; Mrs. Corinne Stewart and children, Rockport; Mrs. Ora May, Rockport; Johnnie Baught and Walter Gray, Rockport; Mrs. Harold Bradley and children, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Lela Wiggins, Houston; Mrs. Vena Pace and Johnny, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Seaton and family, Mathis and George Pierce, Rockport.

Miss Kathleen Ann Raymond is attending the Presbyterian Pioneer Camp at Mo-Ranch this week. She went to Woodsboro Sunday and went to the camp with friends from there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Harrist received word from their son, Baxter Harrist, Tuesday, that the axle on his tractor broke while he was plowing and the wheel fell on his leg breaking it just above the ankle.

Peggy Ann and Linda Beth Lassiter are making an extended visit in Ft. Worth with their brother, Roy Lee and his family.

Mrs. Eunice Hill and son Westley, of Sulphur Springs, visited her sister, Mrs. Ira McShan, and husband a few days the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spencer and baby of Brownsville were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lassiter and family last week.

Mrs. Bill Wills and daughter, Carole, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kelly and Carl.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Webb and family from Bay Town visited relatives at Rockport and Ingleside the past week.

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Thursday, June 25

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**Desperadoes of the West**  
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2 Color Cartoons

Friday & Saturday, June 26-27

DOUBLE FEATURE  
**Salome, Where She Danced**  
(In Technicolor)

Starring  
Yvonne DeCarlo - Rod Cameron  
AND

Leo Gorcey and the Bowery Boys in

**Blues Busters**  
2 Color Cartoons

Sunday & Monday, June 28-29

**The Lawless Breed**

(In Technicolor)  
Starring  
Rock Hudson - Julia Adams  
2 Color Cartoons and News

Tues. & Wed., June 30-July 1

DOUBLE FEATURE  
**Bullfighter and the Lady**

Starring  
Robert Stack - Joy Page and Gilbert Roland  
AND

**Roughshod**  
Starring Robert Sterling  
2 Color Cartoons

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SATURDAY, JUNE 27  
DOUBLE FEATURE

**Cattle Queen**  
First Run

- and -

**Blondie**

SUNDAY and MONDAY  
June 28-29

**Niagara**  
With  
MARILYN MONROE

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY,  
June 30 - July 1  
DOUBLE FEATURE

**Bachelor's Mother**  
- and -

**Desert Pursuit**

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Girls Softball Game

AT 5:30 P.M.

SKATING RINK

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Concessions of All Kinds

**Barbecue Dinner at Noon**

**DANCE**

Music By  
**PERRY HORINE and His Orchestra**

9:00 P. M. TILL ?

**Fireworks Display on the Beach**

AT 8:30 P.M.

\$25.00 Savings Bond Given Away



Stamp collecting was the hobby of the late Franklin D. Roosevelt.

### Young Matrons Bridge Club Entertained By Mrs. Chas. Ankele

Mrs. Chas Ankele entertained the Young Matrons Bridge Club, Wednesday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. P. Hanway. Summer flowers decorated the cool living room.

Mrs. Chester Johnson was high and Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc won second. Low went to Mrs. J. B. Jackson and Mrs. Delo Casparly won bingo.

The ladies playing were: Mrs. Delo Casparly, Mrs. James B. Jackson, Mrs. Norvell Jackson, Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, Mrs. Herbert Mills, Mrs. Steirly Rozzell, Mrs. Arley Shivers, Mrs. Roy Rogero, Mrs. Roy Woods, Mrs. DeWilton Jeffries, Mrs. Jack McDavid, Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss, Mrs. Harold Picton and Mrs. Clark Wren.

Miss Iris Sorenson was a dinner guest in the W. G. Harrist home, Monday.

## COVE DRIVE-IN THEATRE

**ROCKPORT**

**THURSDAY & FRIDAY**  
June 25-26  
Abbott and Costello  
**Lost In Alaska**

**SATURDAY**  
June 27  
John Wayne  
Henry Fonda  
**Fort Apache**

**SUNDAY & MONDAY**  
June 28-29  
Audie Murphy  
Joan Evans  
**Column South**

**TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY**  
June 30 - July 1  
Johnny Sheffield  
**Safari Drums**

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**Barbecue Sandwiches**  
On Your Way to the Drive-In Theatre  
**Get A Sack Full**  
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### Harrists Entertain Father's Day

Guests in the W. G. Harrist home for dinner Father's Day were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harrist and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Harrist and Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Eller and Duane, Mrs. Nannie Dean, Miss Mary A. Dean and Mrs. Jim Wright joined the family group for supper Sunday night.

Mrs. Floy Rooke has as her house guest this week, her brother, Clarence Reynolds of Kansas City Mo.

Mrs. Joe Smith returned from Woodsboro Tuesday, where she had been nursing a patient for her daughter, Mrs. Gillespie, while she was on a vacation.

Mrs. W. J. Moss spent the week end in Devine and Poteet, attending the homecoming at the First Baptist Church in Devine. She spent a few hours with her daughter, Mrs. John Hearn and family, and her son, Joe Howard and family at Poteet.

### Circle One Will Meet Thursday, July 2

Circle No. One of the Women of the Presbyterian Church, will meet next Thursday, July 2, at 3:30 p.m. with Miss Lillian Fahr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Ammons and son Mitchel, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith went to Mo Ranch at Hunt, Texas Monday for a two-weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Silberisen returned Saturday from a weeks vacation trip through New Mexico and Colorado.

Sgt. Bob Morrison, of Ft Sam Houston, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelly and two children from Midland, Texas are spending a two-weeks vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kelly and other relatives at Rockport.

At Iron Mountain, Missouri is located the largest known mass of pure iron in the world.

James C. Herring, Joe Herring and Mrs. Albert Collier attended the funeral of Mrs. John R. Beasley in Beeville, Monday afternoon.

House guests in the Bob Ayers' home recently were Mr. Ayers' sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Davis and daughters, Mary and Sue, of LaMarque, Texas; Mrs. Ayers' aunt, Miss Ruby Gaines of San Antonio and her brothers, T. B. Shumaker and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Shumaker, of Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Young, of Valesco, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Duck and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers and family this week.

Miss Judy Mullinax spent two weeks with Rev. and Mrs. Walter Crabb and family of San Diego, Texas, and she is now visiting Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hester and family at Orange Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lee Sorenson went to Shiner, Texas, Thursday, Mrs. Sorenson underwent major surgery there Friday morning.

Miss Wanda Kell and Roger Bond, of Corpus Christi, visited Miss Kell's grandmother, Mrs. Manch Brundrett, last Friday evening.

Mrs. Fred Mires, of Taft, spent the day Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Manch Brundrett and other relatives.

sons, Floyd and Ricky Green, of New Orleans, La., were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Luke, Sr., last week. Mrs. Stewart is Mrs. Luke's sister.

Mrs. B. B. Bettell is still in Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi and her conditions remains unchanged.

### CONGRATULATIONS

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Pruitt at the Rockport Hospital Thursday morning, June 25.

Sherman Steede is taking medical treatment at the Mo-Pacific Hospital at Palestine.

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**Program**

**THURSDAY & FRIDAY**  
June 25 - 26  
Joseph Cotten and Teresa Wright  
**Steel Trap**

**SATURDAY**  
June 27  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
**Ghost of Crossbone Canyon**  
- and -  
**El Tigre Enmascarado**

**SUNDAY & MONDAY**  
June 28-29  
**Take Me to Town**  
Free List Suspended

**TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY**  
June 30 - July 1  
**Bela Lugosi Meets a Brooklyn Gorilla**

## RIALTO THEATRE

**Aransas Pass**

**THURSDAY & FRIDAY**  
June 25-26  
Stewart Granger and Jean Simmons In  
**Young Bess**

**SATURDAY ONLY**  
June 27  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
William Tracy and Joe Sawyer In  
**Mr. Walkie Talkie**  
- also -  
Robert Clarke and Catherine McLeod In  
**Sword of Venus**

**SUNDAY & MONDAY**  
June 28-29  
Gregory Peck and Ava Gardner In  
**The Snows of Kilimanjaro**

**TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY**  
June 30 - July 1  
Joyce Halden and Glenda Farrell In  
**Girls in the Night**

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- PINK BEAUTY **SALMON** can 49c
- DEL MONTE No. 303 Can **FRUIT COCKTAIL** 23c
- ROTEL No. 300 Can **SAUERKRAUT** 2 for 19c
- DEL MONTE **PEAS** 303 can 21c
- RAMA PEACH OR PINEAPPLE 12-Oz. Jar **PRESERVES** 2 for 43c
- STOKELY GOLDEN CREAM **CORN** 303 can 17c

- VEAL **Liver** lb. **59c**
- DECKER'S KORN KIST **Weiners** lb. **33c**
- VEAL **Crown Roast** lb. **49c**
- WISCONSIN LONG HORN **Cheese** lb. **55c**

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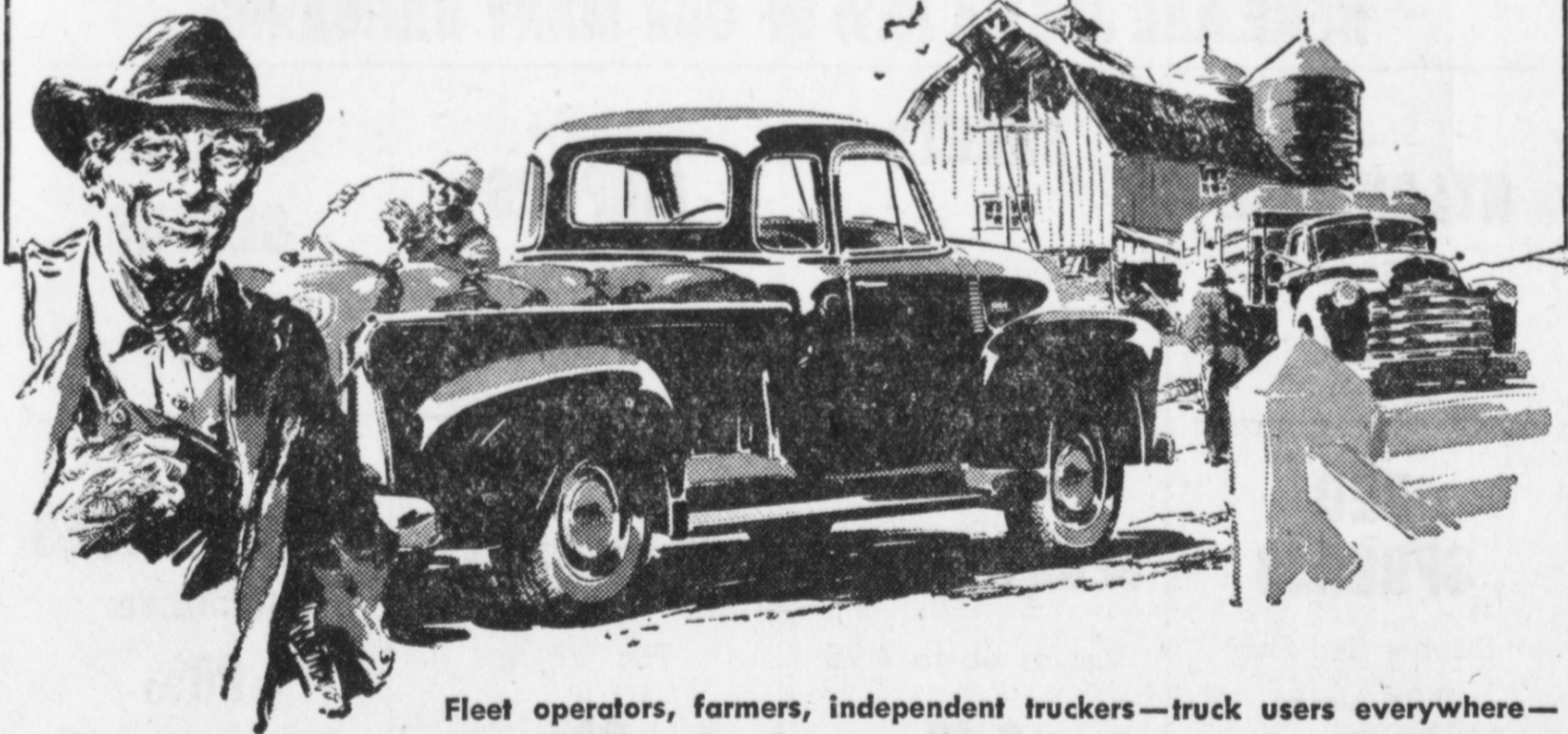
- TEXAS **CORN** 3 ears **13c**
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### Mrs. Reese Learns Of Death of Mr. Weeks

Mrs. Paul Reese was notified Thursday of the death of her brother-in-law, George Weeks, who passed away at his home in New York, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. McLester and Dora Belle had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McLester and daughter, of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Truitt, of Aransas Pass, Miss Loretta Townsend, of La Marque, Miss Nancy Hagerman, of Kingsville and John Barber.

Miss Loretta Townsend of La Marque, Texas, visited relatives and friends at Rockport a few days last week.

Mrs. E. Eaton and son, Gene, of Aransas Pass, visited Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira McShan.

Mrs. Mae Gilson and son, Stanley, spent Monday with Mrs. Gilson's mother, Mrs. Wm. Frandolig, and friends. Stanley has just finished his basic training in the army, at Ft. Bliss, and is visiting his mother at Ingleside before entering Radar School in Maryland.



### IT'S THE LAW in Texas

#### ESTATE PLANNING IS TASK FOR EXPERTS

A lawyer can be of considerable assistance in advising a client how to bequeath his estate so as to take care of his loved ones and at the same time to effect maximum savings in estate taxes.

To illustrate, suppose John Doe and his wife have amassed community property worth \$200,000. John wants his wife to be well taken care of during her lifetime. To save an attorney's fee he writes his own will leaving everything to his wife. He dies soon thereafter and his wife dies six years later. The federal estate taxes on his one-half of the \$200,000 estate amount to \$4,800.

When the wife dies her estate is worth her original one-half of \$200,000 (\$100,000) plus the estate she inherited from her husband, \$95,200. The federal estate tax on her estate, enhanced by what her husband had left her, is \$31,200. If instead of leaving the property to his wife he had left her the income from it for life (the remainder to go to their children upon her death), her taxable estate would have been only \$100,000. The federal estate tax there-

would have been \$4,800.

There would have been a tax saving of \$26,000 (\$31,200 less \$4,800, the tax on her \$100,000 estate). Yet the wife, during her lifetime, would have been well provided for. She would have had \$100,000 (her half of the community estate) plus the income from her husband's half of the community (\$100,000 less estate tax thereon of \$4,800).

Many a man has worked hard and lived frugally all his life in an attempt to provide for his loved ones long corridors of security stretching far into the future but has cheated them of the full benefits of his efforts by failing to plan properly. Perhaps he has failed to make a will. Maybe he has undertaken to write his own will with the result that it fails to take into account contingencies that did not occur to him, or he has prepared a will that is so artlessly drawn that those he loved most become involved in bitter lawsuits. Such legal controversies over estates are wasteful and often leave scars that rankle for years.

The drafting of a will involves the making of decisions requiring special judgment which can be obtained only by years of training and study. Only the practicing lawyer can avoid the enumerable pitfalls and advise the course best suited for each individual.

A free pamphlet containing useful information on wills and related matters may be obtained by sending your name and address on a postcard to State Bar of Texas, Austin 15, Texas.

(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).

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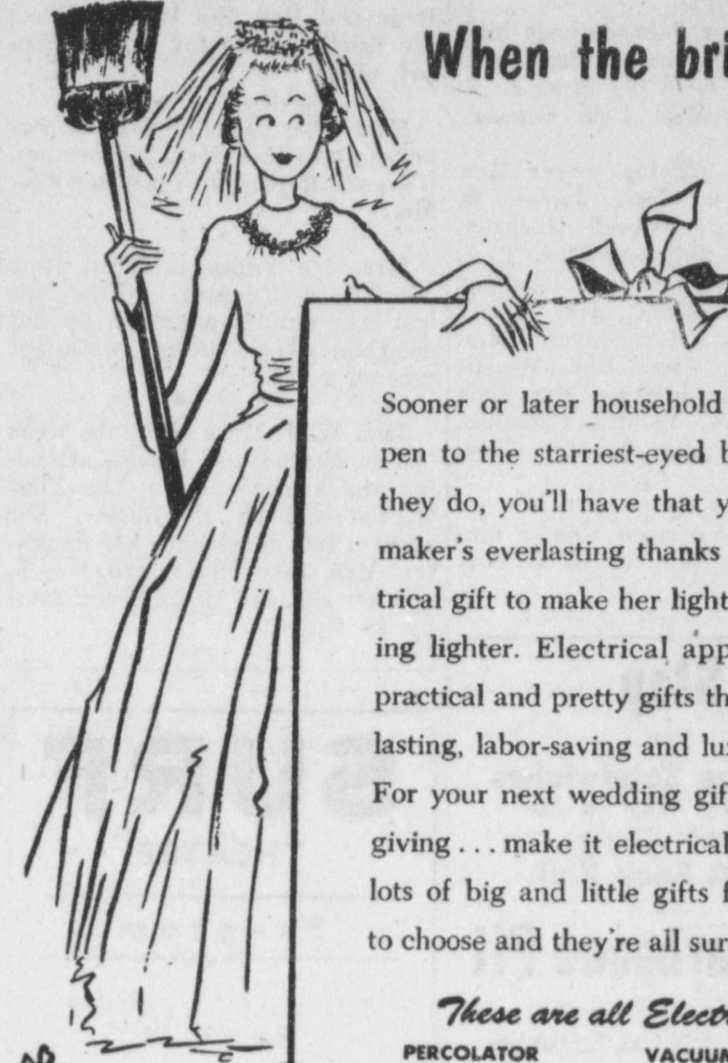
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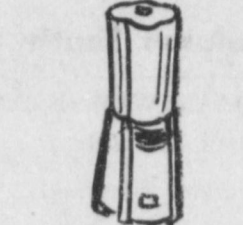
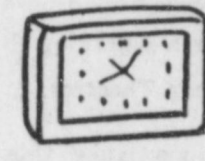


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