

Along The Waterfront



Fishing picked up with a bang this week, and practically everyone that put a hook in the water caught some fish, and some folks caught a lot. Of course, there is an old saying that 5% of the people catch 95% of the fish, and that the other 95% catch the rest, but there were enough trout and reds around that even the 95% of people had good catches.

Mills Wharf had a big week, with lots of fish. Thursday Mr. Wood, Houston, fished with Harry and caught 38 trout; Al Smith and party of Houston fished with Herb and caught 105; Webb Cooley, Dallas, fished with Red Bell, and got 66; and Max Parks, Houston, fished with Harry Lee, and tallied 67. Friday Webb Cooley fished again, and chartered three boats for the nine people in his party. They fished with Herb, Harry Lee, and Red Bell, and brought in 372 trout. Marvin Tyler, Eagle Lake, fished with Harry, caught 178; Mr. Holms, fishing with Jimmy Mills, brought in 64; and Max Parks fished again, this time with Morris Gregory, catching 39. Saturday Chester Grub and party of Houston fished with Jimmy Mills and tallied 56; Al Mortensen and party of Houston caught 28 fishing with Harry; Webb Cooley took three boats again, with Herb, Harry Lee, and Red Bell, but didn't do as well as they had the previous day. Nevertheless, they caught 164 fish. E. W. Holt and party, Houston, fished with Eddie Edmonson, and brought in 48 specks.

Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson party of Houston went out with Harry and caught 33; W. A. Freer of Houston fished with Harry Lee and strung 123; Dr. Reed, Austin, fished with Morris Gregory, and landed 35; and Mr. Allen, Corpus Christi, fished with Herb, stringing 57 trout. There were no boats out Monday, but Tuesday Red Lewis, of Houston, fishing with Harry, brought in 96; H. Albeck, Houston, with Red Bell, strung 47; Joe Burgower, Houston, with Harry Lee, tallied 96; Mr. Frank Leth and party, San Antonio, with Herb, caught 191 trout; Roy Huber, Dallas, with Morris Gregory, caught 53.

Wednesday, Stell Bonner, Dallas, fishing with Harry, caught 58; Red Lewis, Houston, with Harry Lee, tallied 53; and G. E. Thomas, Eagle Lake, fishing with Red Bell, caught 30.

Mrs. Peggy Griffin and niece, Beverly, and Bob Lee went fishing with Frazier Cantrell on the Balboa recently. They fished at the Dagers off Mud Island, and caught 60 trout.

Bill Glasgow and party, of Tyler, fished with Henry Ballou Monday and they really mopped up. They caught 154 trout, which filled a barrel.

Sandra Court guests T. Van and Don Stiggall, Oldsmobile dealers of Wharton, and Johnnie Smith, of Houston, fishing from their own (Continued on page 8)

Fire Marshal Warns Against Explosion Danger

Fire Marshal Carl Osborne says that a dangerous health and fire hazard has recently been brought to the attention of the Fire Department. He asks all householders to check their gas range and water heaters for the following:

1. Check wall and stove connection and shut off valves for gas leaks by brushing on thick soapsuds. (Never use matches, as a pocket of gas may explode and cause serious burns or a costly fire.)
2. Check size of the copper tubing supplying the range. This should be at least 1/2 inch in diameter to give the best cooking results, and should have a brass shut off valve designed especially for this size tubing. Small tubing and gas shut off valves such as are used for flexible connections on small room heaters should never be used, as vibration may cause serious leaks and insufficient gas pressure for the regulation of your burners.
3. Check all connections on gas hotwater heaters with soap suds. 3/8" tubing may be used on single burner hot water heaters up to 30 gallon capacity, but 1/2" tubing gives a more even flow of gas to the automatic control.

Osborne says that if you are in doubt as to the safety of your gas equipment, and wish the Fire Department to check it for you, please notify either Fire Chief Dick Fox or Fire Marshal Osborne. This service is free, and it may save your home or the lives of your family.

C. of C. Tourist Promotion Committee Meets Tuesday Night

The Chamber of Commerce Tourist Promotion Committee met Tuesday night to discuss final details of the First Annual Rockport Sports Festival, with M. H. Borchert, Dutch Melton, Mrs. Charles Roe, Sr., Alec Scott, Mrs. Mary Juergens, and Tom Roper present. Mrs. Roper reported that the Fair-Maid Bread Company had promised the use of their sound truck for the day.

Borchert reported a suggestion made to the effect that a large, permanent barbecue pit be built on Chamber of Commerce grounds. The committee agreed that the idea was a good one, if financing could be obtained outside the chamber.

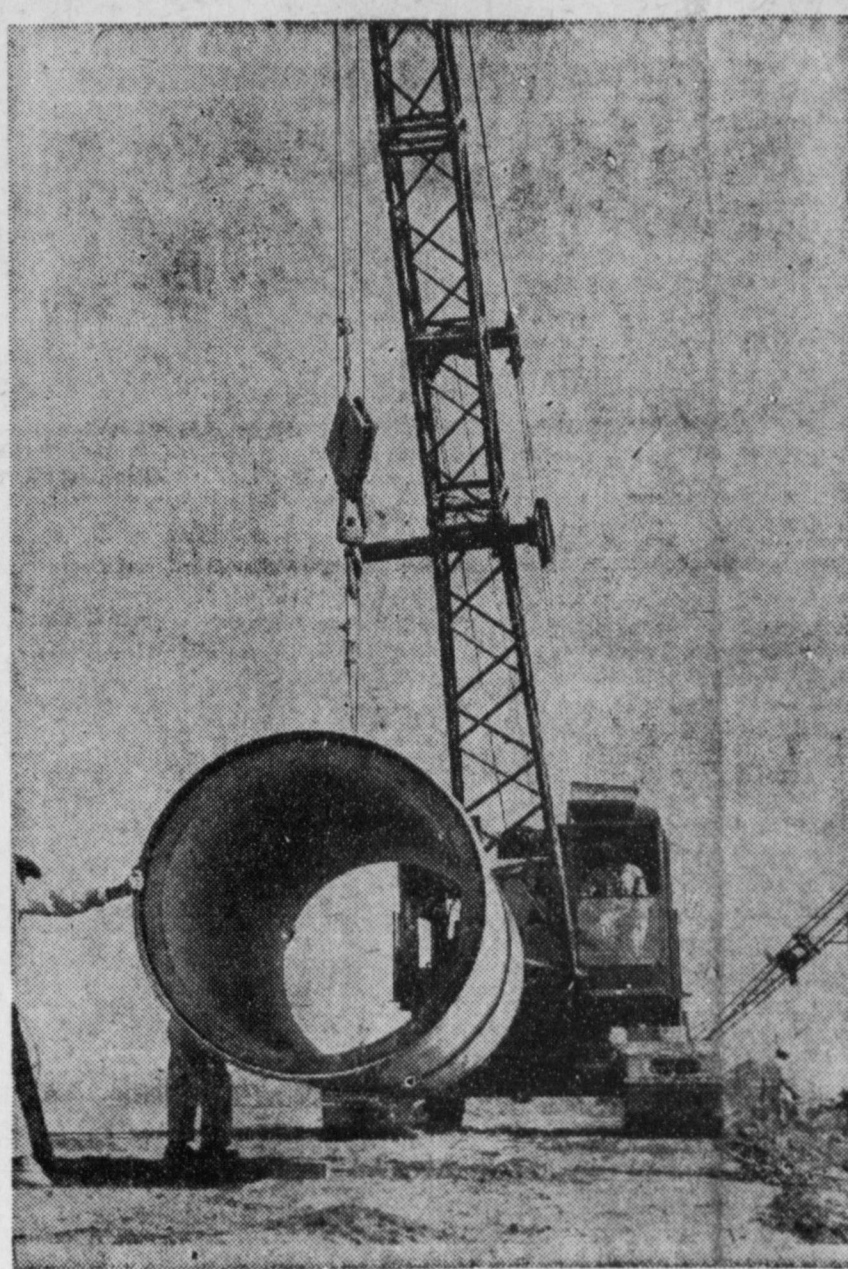
Borchert then went on to say that the best place for the races to be held would be on the sand beach of Little Bay, just north of the Chamber of Commerce building, and that arrangements had been made to have this leveled. He said that the school would loan its portable bleachers for the occasion, and that this would take care of some of the expected crowd. It was pointed out that awards must be made by merchandise certificate, to prevent high school athletes who might take part being classed as professionals. However, these certificates can be cashed at any business place in town, according to the committee.

Awards will be made after all the races are over. In the evening, at eight o'clock, there will be a street dance to which everyone is invited in the street in front of the Chamber of Commerce building.

Entry blanks for the festival may be obtained at any filling station or at the C. of C. building, by those wishing them.

Band Director Hoffman Gives Summer Schedule

Band Director Jerry Hoffman, after a meeting held last Monday night, has worked out a schedule for summer practice, so that everyone will have a chance to keep up their music, and be in good shape for the starting of school. The brass section, cornets, trombones, French horns, and baritones will rehearse at the band hall Monday, June 27 at 7:00 p. m. Tuesday, June 28, at 7:00 p. m., is the time set for the saxophones, flutes, oboes, and bassoon. All clarinets will rehearse Thursday, July 1 at 7:30 p. m. Hoffman asks that students bring all Easy Steps and Intermediate books.



KING-SIZED WATER LINE—Water entering the Corpus Christi municipal distribution system from the Nueces River will travel through this giant pipe—one of the biggest of its kind in the Southwest—when the O. N. Stevens Water Purification Plant near Calallen goes into operation. The line, constructed by Held-enfels Brothers, was built with 54-inch pipe and is almost a mile long.

Merchantes Team Being Organized, Players Wanted

The Merchantes softball team is being reorganized, according to Mrs. Hayes Atwood, who says that more players are needed. She asks anyone interested in playing to get in touch with her at 416, or to call Jimmie Hayden.

Friday nights at Dickson Memorial Field will be allotted to the team, Mrs. Atwood said, and as soon as sufficient players are obtained, games will be scheduled.

Fulton Team Plays Flour Bluff Sunday

The Fulton baseball team will play the Flour Bluff Aces, Sunday at 3 p. m., here, at Dickson Memorial Field.

A good crowd is expected as this promises to be a good game.

METHODIST YOUNG PEOPLE IN CHARGE SUNDAY NIGHT

The Young People will have charge of services at the Methodist Church Sunday night. Everyone is invited. There will be a fellowship hour in Fellowship Hall following the service.

Sales of Series E and H Savings Bonds In Aransas Well Ahead of Quota

Sales of Series E and H government savings bonds in Aransas County are well ahead of the quota set for the district, according to Fred Bracht, local chairman.

During May they amounted to \$1,851, making a cumulative total for the year of \$47,871, which amounts to 59.8 per cent of the total set for the county for the entire year.

This keeps up the fine record set during 1954, when sales far exceeded those expected, and were among the highest per capita in the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliveros Attend Houston Regatta

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oliveros of Rockport Yacht and Supply Co., attended the Houston Yacht Club Regatta, near LaPorte, over the weekend, where Oliveros sailed in some of the races.

They were guests of the Yacht Club Saturday evening at a fish fry and evening of dancing.

Bell Nominates Rob Roy Rice To Rivers Advisory Comm.

John Bell nominated Rob Roy Rice, of Rockport, to the influential Advisory Committee of the National Rivers and Harbor Congress this week, according to advice received Monday from Washington. Bell's letter of nomination read as follows:

Honorable Overton Brooks, President, National Rivers and Harbors Congress, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

Dear Colleague:

Knowing of his great interest in Conservation and Development of the Water and Land Resources of the United States for Flood Control, Navigation, Irrigation, Soil Conservation and other beneficial purposes, I do hereby nominate as a member of the Advisory Committee of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, Mr. Rob Roy Rice, Rockport, Aransas County, Texas.

Sincerely yours,
John J. Bell.

United Fund Directors Meet

The new board of directors of the United Fund of Aransas County met Wednesday night at the Chamber of Commerce, to elect officers. The directors are: Tom Roper, B. B. Bettell, Ernest Jones, Mrs. Seth H. Steele, Mrs. Roy Lee Hart, Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mrs. Joe Slocum, Thomas D. Picton, James H. Sorenson, Jr., and Emory M. Spencer.

Officers elected were: Thomas D. Picton, president; Emory M. Spencer, vice president; James H. Sorenson, Jr., treasurer, and Mrs. Mary Juergens, secretary. Mrs. Roy Lee Hart and Mrs. Seth H. Steele were appointed as a committee of two to contact United Fund organizations in nearby towns, and to report to the board on their operations.

It was pointed out that while the United Fund would cover the most of the organized charities that usually solicit funds here, the National Polio Foundation could not participate, under the terms of its charter, and that the March of Dimes would be held as usual.

Ellis L. Clark was appointed to draw up a charter and by-laws, with the help of the committee.

Mrs. Slocum and Mrs. Juergens were appointed to assemble statistics on previous drives in the city, to furnish a working base for estimating the needs of the fund.

An executive board meeting is called for next week, the day to be announced later.

Tonettes of Rockport To Play Kingsville Waves Here On June 28

The Tonettes of Rockport will play the Kingsville Waves here at Dickson Memorial Field at 8 p. m., Tuesday, June 28. Tonight the Rockport team begins the season's series with the Waves at Kingsville. This is the same Wave team that won the first place trophy in last year's Rockport Women's Invitational Tournament, going on to the state tournament.

Wednesday night, June 29, the Tonettes will travel to Seadrift with a home game in Rockport scheduled for next Thursday, June 30, with Port O'Connor.

The Tony's Drive-In team defeated Lindale Baptist of Corpus Christi in five innings by a score of 18 to 4. Scorers for Rockport were: Four runs, Lynn Hampton, 3 runs, Irene Swann and Shorty Price; 2 runs, Van Crawford and Pat Wright; 1 run, Tony Hardin, Louise Wright, Betty Neville and Becky.

Winning pitcher was Louise Wright of Rockport; losing pitcher was Mary Speed of Corpus. Both pitchers were on the mound all five innings.

Thursday, June 16, the Tonettes were shaded by a last inning score of 11-10 by the Blue Gardenias, second place winner in the last annual Rockport tournament. This game, played in Corpus, was a tight game all the way through, with the score see-sawing each way.

Next home game: Tonettes vs. Kingsville NAAS, 8 p. m., Tuesday, June 28, Dickson Memorial Field.

Frاندolig Island Considered For \$5 Million Development

The lease of Frاندolig Island to a Texas syndicate for development as a \$5 million recreation center for this area is now under consideration by commissioners of the Aransas County Navigation District.

Two Texas syndicates have contacted the district with propositions to lease the island recently acquired by the district. One syndicate, headed by a Dallas investor, proposed to develop the

island into a "family type" resort at a cost of approximately \$5 million, said Norvell Jackson, chairman of the board.

"We expect to get the purchase price of the island plus a substantial profit in any lease we make and use this revenue for developing an industrial harbor at the Cove," T. D. Picton, secretary of the board, said.

"If one of the lease propositions goes through, it will give us the revenue to complete all four phases of our long range development program with the one bond issue we voted last year," Picton said. "As originally planned, the bond issue would only finance completion of the harbor at Fulton, dredge out the Rockport Yacht Basin and begin work at the Cove."

Directors of the district said they have not abandoned their original plans for the Cove development. They believe the acquisition and leasing of the island may make it possible to complete the harbor earlier than expected and without voting additional bonds.

Frاندolig Island contains 226.65 acres and lies offshore in Aransas Bay, separated from the mainland by Little Bay. The triangular island is approximately one and one-half miles long, extending from Rockport north toward Fulton. The only natural sandy beach in this area is along the south shore of the island.

Directors of the district have outlined a policy under which they will lease the island for recreational development to serve the tourist trade and the people of this area. The policy includes free public access to and use of the beaches along the island, the district to retain a portion of the island fronting along Little Bay, work to begin within one year and completed within three years with a minimum expenditure of \$3 million to develop a high type of recreation resort that will appeal to all groups.

One syndicate seeking a long-term lease on the island has outlined development plans to the directors that include hotel accommodations for 500 parties, a nine hole golf course, a teenage yacht club with a basin for 50 sail boats, dredging out Little Bay as an area for regattas, and improvement of the swimming and boating facilities.

Purchase of Frاندolig Island for development as a recreation center has long been included in the plans of the district and of the chamber of commerce here. It is considered the best natural spot for this type of development on this section of the Texas coast.

The first phase of the district's long range development program for this area is now approximately half completed. This includes completing the harbor at Fulton, paying the area around the Rockport Yacht Basin and dredging out the basin to its original depth and beginning work on the Cove harbor.

A bathing beach has been constructed north of the Fulton Harbor as a by-product of its development, using the spoils from the dredging to build a "fill beach." Dredging from the Rockport Basin will also be used to construct a beach north of the basin.

(The above article, by Travis Moorman, appeared in the Tuesday Corpus Christi Caller-Times.

Rockport Lions Prepare for Big Barbecue

The Rockport Lions Club this week was busily perfecting organizational details, looking forward to serving at least 625 barbecue dinners on the weekends of July 2 and 9. They will furnish meals at the first Annual Rockport Sports Festival on the first date, and for 250 school superintendents who will be here for their annual fishing trip and rodeo.

U. S. ENGINEERS ISSUE WARNING TO BOATMEN

Navigation interests are warned that firing practice will be conducted on the gunnery ranges of the U. S. Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas, every Saturday from 7:00 a. m. through 1:00 p. m. from June 25 through Sept. 25, 1955.

Mariners are cautioned to avoid the following described area in Laguna Madre in which projectiles may fall:

The area has as its northerly and southerly limits, respectively, lines drawn at 90° from the centerline of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway at latitude 27° 31' 12" north, longitude 97° 18' 00" west (Mile 570.1), and at latitude 27° 27' 09" north, longitude 97° 20' 07" west (mile 575.2), and extending in a westerly direction to the westerly shore of Laguna Madre. The easterly and westerly limits, respectively, are the westerly edge of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway and the westerly shore of Laguna Madre.

A large red flag will be displayed from an elevated position in the immediate vicinity of the firing point from which firing is being conducted.

The channel proper of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway is out of range of the firing and navigation therein will not be affected by the firing practice.

The above operations are in addition to those announced for the period May 15 to July 15, 1955 in Notice No. 55-29.

U. S. Fishing and Wildlife Service To Open New Office In Aransas Pass

A statistical office for the collection of fishery data will shortly be opened at Aransas Pass by the Branch of Commercial Fisheries, United States Fish and Wildlife Service. Activities of the Aransas Pass office will include the collection of detailed data on employment in the fisheries, number of craft and quantity of gear operated, the catch of fishery products, and related activities in the vicinity of Aransas Pass. Detailed statistics on the shrimp fishery will be obtained for that area in connection with the Service's expanded program for the collection of shrimp statistics.

Gordon R. Luce, Jr., who has been engaged in the collection and tabulation of Florida fishery statistics by the University of Miami, will be in charge of the office. This project is being financed by funds provided by the Saltwater-Kennedy Act (68th Stat. 76).

Aransas County Wildcat Plugged

Sam E. Wilson, Jr., No. 3 Ocker Brothers, Aransas County wildcat 9 1/4 miles southwest of Austwell in the Sam Wilson Field area, has been plugged and abandoned after logging no shows to 8,020 feet. The duster is in Lot 20, Block 3, C. B. Lucas Subdivision.

Rockport Squadron CAP Plans for Funds To Complete Plane

At a meeting of the Rockport Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol Monday night, plans were discussed to finance needed repairs on the aircraft given to the squadron by the Air Force. This plane must be refabricated and flying before the probationary period of six months has expired, members of the patrol, which number eighteen, pointed out.

Among other methods discussed for the raising of the necessary \$200 was the taxing of each member \$10.

The squadron recently participated in the search for three fishermen, two men and a boy, lost in Copano Bay. They were assisted by several other squadrons, which used the Rockport field as a base of operations during the search. The Rockport squadron had no CAP owned planes available for use at that time but members who owned private aircraft volunteered.

Barbecue by the Rockport Lions Club. Music by the Fair Maid Bakery truck. Big Street Dance at 8:00 p. m. for everybody.

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Calendar of Coming Events

Fulton Baptists Plan Study Course Day

Fulton Baptists are planning a Study Course Day on What Baptists Believe for next Sunday, June 26, beginning at 9:45 a. m. Lunch will be served on the grounds. The afternoon services will run from 2:00 to 6:00 p. m., and there will be evening services beginning at 7:45 p. m. Everyone is invited.

Speakers for the day will include Rev. W. B. Broadway, First Baptist Church, Rockport; Rev. Buddy Welch, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Aransas Pass; Rev. Howard Thrift, pastor of the Greenwood Baptist Church, Aransas Pass; Rev. Charles Taylor, U.C.C.; Rev. Thomas A. Clawson, U.C.C.; Rev. C. L. Stanley, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Fulton.

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION WILL MEET MONDAY

The Rockport Cemetery Association will meet next Monday afternoon at the home of Misses Mabel and Genevieve Bracht. All members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome.

Scouts Return From Camp Karankawa After Week's Camping Trip

The following Scouts of Troop 49 returned this week from Camp Karankawa, where many of them turned in fine records and passed the tests for merit badges: Buddy Ayres, Dale Barnard, Roger Beasley, James Dittfurth, Richard Happner, Jr., Britton Dick, Thomas McCabe, Campbell Wren, Mike Johnson, Hank Schleider, Robert Shivers and William Johnson.

Hank Schleider passed his Life Saving, Wildlife Management, Canoeing and Rowing tests. Roger Beasley, Campbell Wren and James Dittfurth passed the tests for Second Class Scout. Richard Happner, Jr., and Mike Johnson passed their First Class tests, and Mike also obtained a merit badge for canoeing. Robert Shivers passed the tests for merit badges in canoeing and swimming.

The previous week, while the Explorers were at camp, Clyde Townsend passed his life saving tests. Isadore Drab has completed his work for the Tenderfoot rating, and Jerry Spivey is a candidate for Tenderfoot.

There will be a Court of Honor on Monday night, June 27. All parents are cordially invited. Scout committee men are urged to be there.

Mrs. James Canevaro of Fulton was admitted to the Aransas Hospital Saturday for major surgery.

Sacred Heart Church To Hold Summer Festival

The Sacred Heart Church will hold its summer festival on July 17, for the benefit of the building fund of the church. There will be a barbecue and various booths featuring amusements of all sorts, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

V.F.W. Auxiliary Holds Regular Meeting Tuesday

The V.F.W. Auxiliary held its regular meeting at the V.F.W. hall Tuesday, and made plans for members to attend the Department Encampment, which will be held in Corpus Christi from June 23 until Monday, June 27.

Reservations have been made at the White Plaza by the Auxiliary for a place in which to rest and hold group meetings.

Registration starts Thursday in the White Plaza, and a general assembly will be held Friday at the Exposition Hall, Shoreline Drive, between 9:00 and 11:00 p. m. There will be a V.F.W. business meeting between 11:00 a. m. and 2:00 p. m., and the Auxiliary will hold its business meeting on the White Plaza Deck from 1:00 to 3:00 p. m.

A number of events are planned for the encampment, including visits to the King Ranch and Naval Air Station, a luncheon and style show, and a beach party on Padre Island. There will also be a parade at 2:00 p. m. Friday. The local auxiliary also made plans to entertain its own members with a supper social, to be held in Rockport following the July 4 holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clinton, Bill Etheridge, Mrs. Ora May, Mrs. Tom Wright and Mrs. L. V. McLeaster all visited Mrs. Anna Bell, who is in the Spohn Hospital. Mrs. Bell underwent major surgery Friday. It is reported Mrs. Bell is doing nicely. Alice and Myrtle Lee Bell of Austin, were with their mother at the time of the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Geiseke and sons Tommy and Donald of Springfield, Minn., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kinsel and family. Also coming for the weekend were Mrs. Bill Willis and daughters, Mrs. H. G. Hunt and Mrs. Jules Hunt of Taft and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Andrews of Port Lavaca came for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dioniso Benevidez announce the birth of a son, June 21 at the Aransas Hospital.

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		Heinz CATSUP 2 FOR	49c	Snow Crop Frozen CORN 10 oz.	19c

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Luncheon Miss Fields

Louise Fields, bride-elect of Darrell Spencer, was the style show luncheon at the Morocco Room of the Robert Driscoll Hotel in Corpus Christi, Saturday.

Honoring Miss Fields was Mrs. Weldon Cabaniss, hostess. Additional guests included the honoree's mother, Mrs. R. B. Hamilton; her aunt, Mrs. O. F. Forester of Corpus Christi; Mrs. Emory Spencer, Miss Sandra Spencer, Miss Joy Roe, Miss Gloria Dye, Miss Dawn Olsen, Miss Diane Brown, Miss Billie Mitchell, Miss Tanya McElwee, Miss Betty Edmondson, Miss Sue Blevins and Miss Ann Blevins, all of Rockport.

Country Club News



Mrs. W. J. Mott was elected president of the Woman's Golf Association of the Live Oak Country Club at a luncheon Thursday, June 16.

Others elected were Mrs. Warren Howery, first vice president; Mrs. J. T. Stellman, second vice president; Mrs. H. N. Banknight, third vice president; Mrs. Alex Scott, secretary; and Mrs. E. D. Richmond, treasurer.

Rouquette Family Holds Reunion

The Rouquette family held a reunion on Sunday, June 19, with barbecue, potato salad, beans, rolls, cold drinks and cake for everybody.

Present at the gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Rouquette, Mr. and Mrs. Monte Rouquette and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rouquette and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Rouquette and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sparks and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Picton and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Bohn, Jr., and family, of New Orleans, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Littleton, of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. John Weber and Hettie, Mrs. Ray Wendell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wendell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Schleider and Johnny and Jerry Wendell and Sally Lyons, of Corpus Christi.

Texas In Review

Sailing is a favorite summer sport for Texans. And all over the state Texans enjoy participating in regattas.

Next week the Humble Company's TV program, Texas in Review, will feature highlights of a typical regatta held by the Houston Yacht Club.

Among other Texas events on the same program will be films of a truck "Rodeo," and a visit to the Girl Scout Camp near Medina.

Sunday, June 26, Texas in Review can be seen on KPRC-TV, Houston, 10:00 p. m.

Monday, June 27, the program appears on WOAI-TV, San Antonio, 6:30 p. m.; and KVDO-TV, Corpus Christi, 9:30 p. m.

On Tuesday, June 28, Texas in Review can be seen on KTBC-TV, Austin, at 7:30 p. m.

Pastor In Kerrville

The Rev. Dana S. Green, pastor of the Methodist Church, is attending the Senior Youth Assembly of the church at Mt. Wesley, in Kerrville, this week. He is an instructor at the assembly. Next week, he and his family will vacation in Marble Falls and several other points in the state.

The pulpit will be filled during his absence by the Rev. Charles P. B. Mann, of Oklahoma City, for morning services. There will be no night services.

Misses Margie and Christine Lassiter were among the Rockport friends who attended the funeral services for Mrs. Tom O'Connor, Jr., in Victoria last week.

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Green Limas 29c

Sun Spun
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Swift's Select Veal Pound
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Swift's Select Pound
VEAL BRISKET 29c

Rath's Pound
Franks 39c

Rath's Pound
BOLOGNA 29c



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POTATOES 6c

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Winesap
APPLES 2 lbs. 39c

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Meeker-Shipman Marriage Announced

Miss Barbara Jean Shipman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Shipman, and James Lee Meeker, of Port Sulphur, La., were united in marriage by the Rev. George Merriman at Fulton Baptist Church on Tuesday, June 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Meeker left the following Thursday for Louisiana, where he is employed by the Loyd W. Richardson Company.

Mrs. Jas. L. Greene and two sons visited a week with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Rodenberry of Columbus, Texas. Mrs. Greene's father, who is employed in Louisiana, also joined his family for Father's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bartlett and two sons, Ronnie and Lew and Earl Bartlett of San Antonio visited relatives in Rockport Sunday.



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T. A. Ballou's Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ballou entertained relatives in their home Sunday. The occasions besides Father's Day were the 28th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ballou, the 2nd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ballou, and the 74th birthday of Mr. T. A. Ballou.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur Ballou and two sons of Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. J. C. Thompson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ballou and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ballou, Miss Veronica Klaeser, all of Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ives and grandson of Aransas Pass, Mrs. Earl Ives and children of Aransas Pass.

Mr. and Bill Randall and children of San Antonio, Mrs. N. B. Stevens of Conroe, Mrs. D. Z. Iler and children of Mount Belleview, Texas, Mrs. Martha Salter of Mount Belleview, Mrs. Bob Salter and children of Silvee, Texas, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ballou and family.

A sumptuous dinner was served to 42 persons.

Miss Ruth Hill and Mrs. Agnes Bowley of San Antonio, Mrs. Ingle Turner and daughters, Glenda Pat and Mrs. Marcy Hoffman and son of Woodboro and Mrs. Fred Mires of Taft visited Sunday with Mrs. Manch Brundrett. Miss Hill and Mrs. Bowley are Mrs. Brundrett's nieces.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett and daughter, Janice, left Thursday to visit their new granddaughter, Miss Cheryl Ann Livingston. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Livingston of San Diego, Calif.

Swimming Party Given for Scouts

The Mother's Club of Troop 46, Girl Scouts, had a swimming party and picnic for the girls last week at Oleander Pool. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. G. P. Wetzel, Mrs. Ed Barnard, Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, Mrs. C. C. Rivers and Mrs. Otto Knippa.

Hunts Leave For New Station

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Hunt and daughters, Diane and Rosa Lynn, left last Thursday for Omaha, Neb., where "Woody" will be stationed with the Air Force. En route, they will visit "Woody's" brother, Billy and family in Paris, Texas, and friends in Des Moines, Iowa.

Guests at a dinner in their honor at the Hamblin home Wednesday night included: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sartor, Jonah, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kinsey and Alan, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Malchar and Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Horton, Miss Joy Hamblin, the honorees and hosts.

Recent visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Horton and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sartor of Jonah, Texas, brother of Mrs. Horton and Mrs. Hamblin; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson of San Antonio, the Sartor's daughter and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coulter of Baytown and Mrs. Josephine Barber of Goliah, visited Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnson and family.

Mundines Have Family Reunion

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mundine Sunday. Those enjoying the event were Mr. and Mrs. Clark Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jr. and children of Elgin, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Delap and daughter of Charleston, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ayers of LaPorte, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Mundine and daughters, Sissy and Nell, Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Craig of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Craig of Camp Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Rooney Mundine and son of Port Lavaca, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mundine and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mundine, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Downs and children, Mr. Glenn Mundine and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Mundine.

Visitors at the Christilles home over Father's Day were Mrs. Christilles' daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hoard Schott, of Bandera, with their family.

Mrs. R. H. McHugh reported recovering from major surgery she underwent in Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi last Wednesday.

Mr. Richard Carter was admitted to the Aransas Hospital Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Knight and two daughters of Oklahoma City, spent 10 days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Knight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. McKnight.

Judy Fernandez of Texasity, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Veon Kleypas and Mr. Kleypas. Judy plans to spend the summer in Rockport.

Latest Cruise of Oregon Produces More Tuna, Marlin

The U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Exploratory Vessel Oregon completed Cruise No. 31 in North Central Gulf of Mexico on June 14.

During the first half of the cruise, trawling in very deep water in the northwest Gulf was greatly reduced by heavy seas. However, a 40 ft. trawl was successfully dragged down to depths of 1150 to 1200 fathoms. A single 40 basket set of long line gear was made 60 miles southeast of the Mississippi Delta and caught 3 large yellowfin tuna.

On the second half of the cruise (June 4-14) long line explorations were carried out in the north central Gulf. In general, poor fishing was encountered. Ten long line sets (averaging 300 hooks each) resulted in a total catch of 9 large yellowfin tuna with an average weight of 149 pounds each. Examination revealed that these fish were in spawning condition. 4 of these sets were made beyond the 1000 fathom curve and caught yellowfin at the rate of 8 tuna per 100 hooks with no shark mutilation. The remaining six stations were made on the slope over depths of 550 to 1000 fathoms and caught yellowfin at a rate of slightly over 1 per 100 hooks. One-third of the catch was badly mutilated by sharks. Of interest was the capture of 3 large yellowfin on a night set off the Mississippi Delta.

In addition to the yellowfin catch, 48 sharks, 55 dolphins, 4 white and one blue marlin, one sailfish, two blackfin tuna and one little tuna were caught on the long lines. Three marlin were tagged and released in cooperation with the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution. Juvenile tuna were collected at night-light dip-net stations during the June leg of the trip. Trolling nets were run during daylight hours while the vessel was under way. However, only a single little tuna was captured.

Lieutenant Gene Smith of San Antonio will leave Friday for Camp Rucker, Ala., where he will be stationed for the next 13 weeks. He will complete his flight training at Camp Rucker.

Kinsel has just returned from delivering his new boat to Arthur. Mr. Kinsel is employed with an oil company there.

Eufemia Falcon, Roger Garza Wed

Miss Eufemia Falcon and Robert Garza pledged wedding vows in a double ring ceremony Sunday morning at 8:30 at the Sacred Heart Church.

White gladioli and plumose fern decorated the altar, and white bows marked the family pews. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Elvira Falcon, and the late Lauriano Falcon, Sr.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Irene Garza of Corpus Christi.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, wore a white ballerina length dress, and carried a bouquet of white gardenias.

Miss Gloria Munoz, of Alice, was maid of honor. She wore a ballerina dress of yellow organdy, and carried a nosegay of white carnations. Matron of honor was Mrs. Agapito Espitia, of Corpus Christi. Estevan Benavidez, Corpus Christi, served as best man, Ushers

were Pete Ramirez, and Urban Chupe.

A reception was held at the Catholic Hall following the ceremony. The table was laid with a floor-length cloth of white with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums in the center.

Serving at the bride's table were Mrs. Tony Rinche, Rebecca Lopez, Mrs. Tom Judd, Mrs. D. S. Chupe, and Mrs. C. A. Garcia.

Serving the hot cocoa were Pat Perez and Rachel Florez.

Lydia Mendoza was in charge of the guest book.

For traveling, the bride wore a pink linen dress, pink hat, and navy blue accessories.

The young couple are making a short honeymoon trip to Brownsville, after which they will make their home at 3030 Horne Street, Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Fred Christilles had as a recent visitor, her granddaughter, Susan Marx, from Houston.

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"This Island Earth"
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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY June 28-29
In Cinemascope
"Jupiter's Darling"
Esther Williams Howard Keel

Rockport Lions Install Officers

The Rockport Lions Club installed officers for the 1955-56 year starting July 1 at the regular meeting Tuesday at the Woman's Club. Installing officers were Deputy Dist. Gov. Buster C. Shely of Corpus Christi and Rockport, and Zone Chairman T. A. Polling of Aransas Pass. Speaker was Rep. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi.

Officers are Clark C. Wren, president; Charles A. Roe, Jr., first vice president; Melvin Borchert, second vice president; Norvell F. Jackson, third vice president; Carl M. Osborn, secretary-treasurer; Ran Wilde, Lion tamer; David Segler, tail twister; Ellis L. Clark, David Coleman and Clyde Townsend, directors.

The following is a tentative lineup of committee memberships for the coming year:

Membership: Tom Roper, O. A. Carroll, Marcus Robertson. Program: Seth Steele, Dave Segler, Ran Wilde.

Finance: Leonard LeBlanc, Dick Pictou, James Sorenson.

Convention: Ellis Clark, Jerry Hoffman, Carl Osborn.

Civic Improvement: Arlie Shivers, Norvell Jackson, Eugene Everett.

Education: Clyde Townsend, Lynwood Eller, H. E. White.

Health and Welfare: Dr. Elliot, Jack Hagar, Melvin Borchert.

Publicity: Harry Wood, Dave Coleman, Carl Osborn.

Food: Roy Rogero, Leonard LeBlanc, S. Silverman, Grady Harrell.

Attendance: Vernon Kleypas, Jack McDavid, N. A. Vandagriff.

Harry Carter Tells More About Trip to England In Letter

Harry Carter has sent us his third "Record for the Roys," and in it he tells of his trip to the English county of Kent, and then of his crossing to Ostend in Belgium. He says:

"This is Kent, the garden country of a garden country. We are upstairs on a double decker bus on the way from the ancient city of Canterbury to Dover.

"I attended services at the Cathedral last Sunday. Seated in the public's section of the beautifully carved choir stalls one could look up into the interior of the lofty tower at the numerous graceful arches, or at the high stained glass windows of the clerestory. Over 800 figures, depicting countless scenes and stories, are featured in the windows of this national shrine, the oldest parts of which date back to the eleventh century.

"The choristers sang with the modulation and precision that results from well trained voices and much practice.

"The much publicized Red Dean is in charge here, but was not present that afternoon. In a holiday camp some time ago he said he believed in holidays of six or seven weeks' duration. Then he remarked, 'I spend my summers going about the world getting into enough hot water to last me all the winter.' The Dean is a qualified civil engineer. Probably the Archbishop of Canterbury would

be happier if the Dean had stayed with his original profession.

"Let's take a look at the passing scenery; it has such a variety of features: rolling, green hills, valleys where small villages, each looking so individual, are tucked away; neat, small fields of grazing sheep or cattle; of red and white clover, red poppies in the grass, ferns in steeply inclined woods, cherry orchards. Here is a thatched cottage, there a windmill, a skylark surprised by the traffic takes off into the blue, mounting swiftly. We should love to stay and hear his cheerful song.

"The narrow, meandering highway now descends between the hills to Dover Town. Charles Dickens, master of descriptive English, knew this country well. He loved to write of wayside inns with pictorial, swinging signs, latticed windows, snug parlors, rosy cheeked hosts. On this brief ride we have noted the Plough and Harrow, Bale of Hay, Hand and Sceptre, Star and Crown.

"The white cliffs of Dover are fading in the distance. Dover Castle on the summit is now barely visible. This ancient fortress, with its frowning Norman keep, still incorporates some Roman brickwork.

"The sunshine is pale; in fact, anemic, by no means strong enough to mitigate the chill of the Channel breeze. But passengers on the crowded decks are in holiday mood. The black, yellow and red flag of Belgium flies gaily at the stern and, so far, no white caps are to be seen on the water.

"The Prince Albert has a fine war record. She served in the Mediterranean, the bleak Lofoten Islands and many other ports. During the Normandy landing she made eight voyages with United States troops on board. Attacked by seven E boats, she had a narrow escape from a torpedo, but was never hit, thus earning her nickname, 'Lucky Albert.'

"American dollars and British sterling must now be put away and introduction made to a thing, an addition 79 petitions, concuring 1574 signatures, were sent to the Federal Communications Commission in Washington Tuesday, with copies to Senators Danahy and Johnson, Congressman Bell, and Congressman at Large Dies, and Governor Shivers.

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"The Prince Albert is gently eased to her moorings. This is Belgium. 'See you later, Roy.' Harry Carter."

Petitions Go to FCC Asking VHF-TV In Corpus Christi

The Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce mailed petitions Monday bearing 3,117 names of local and area people to the Federal Communications Commission urging prompt action in permitting Very High Frequency television channels to start operations there.

The names were signed on 266 petitions received by the chamber last Friday and Saturday. Manager Dan Chamberlin said about 3,734 petitions are still out and will be forwarded to the FCC in Washington, D. C., as they are received at the chamber office.

A number of these are being circulated in Rockport. They read as follows:

"We, the undersigned, who live in Corpus Christi and the Coastal Bend of Texas would like to make known our concern over the lack of any very high frequency (VHF) television station or stations operating in our area.

"We feel that the people of this area should have the privilege of service from VHF television stations, since there is adequate space available with the present allocation of these stations. Therefore we are very much against selecting VHF television channels 6 and 10 assigned to Corpus Christi, Texas, and substituting UHF television channels in the place because we believe that do so at this time would not be in the public interest, convenience, nor necessity to the citizens of this area for the following reasons:

"There is no necessary increased cost on home TV equipment in order to receive VHF television stations.

"There is a need for a large of TV coverage, which would be available immediately with a VHF television station.

"There is no need to discard thousands of VHF antenna installations and install new UHF antennas.

"As a follow-up to the first mailing, an addition 79 petitions, concuring 1574 signatures, were sent to the Federal Communications Commission in Washington Tuesday, with copies to Senators Danahy and Johnson, Congressman Bell, and Congressman at Large Dies, and Governor Shivers.

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Waterfowl Data Eyed

The first step toward setting regulations for the 1955 duck and goose season as affects this area will be taken next Tuesday, at a meeting of the Central Flyway Council at Moran, Wyo., according to the executive secretary of the Game and Fish Commission.

Observations and recommendations of the four flyway groups will be passed along to the National Flyway Council, consulting agency for the United States Fish and Wildlife Service which sets seasonal regulations.

The executive secretary said reports on nesting conditions all along the flyway will be discussed at the Moran meeting. He said: "It is a little too early as yet to accurately foresee the ultimate outcome." However, he envisioned "a pretty liberal season on the basis of available reports, particularly from Canada that the nesting routine is off to a good start under favorable conditions."

area require prompt action by your commission on the issuance of a construction permit on Corpus Christi's Channel 6 VHF and a prompt settlement of Corpus Christi's Channel 10 VHF.

"The petitions enclosed represent our receipts of Monday, June 20, and together with those we sent you yesterday, covering Friday and Saturday, June 17 and 18, total 345 petitions and 4691 signatures. You will note that in some instances the petitions overflow to the reverse side.

"We will send you more tomorrow, but in the meantime, may we urge prompt action.

Cordially yours, I. D. Chamberlin (Signed Dan Chamberlin) Manager."

Visiting with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Edmison Sunday was Mrs. Jim Ballard Jr. and two daughters of Beeville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brassell and two sons of Nixon and Mrs. Arthur Edmison and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Haynes and daughter all went on a picnic Sunday.

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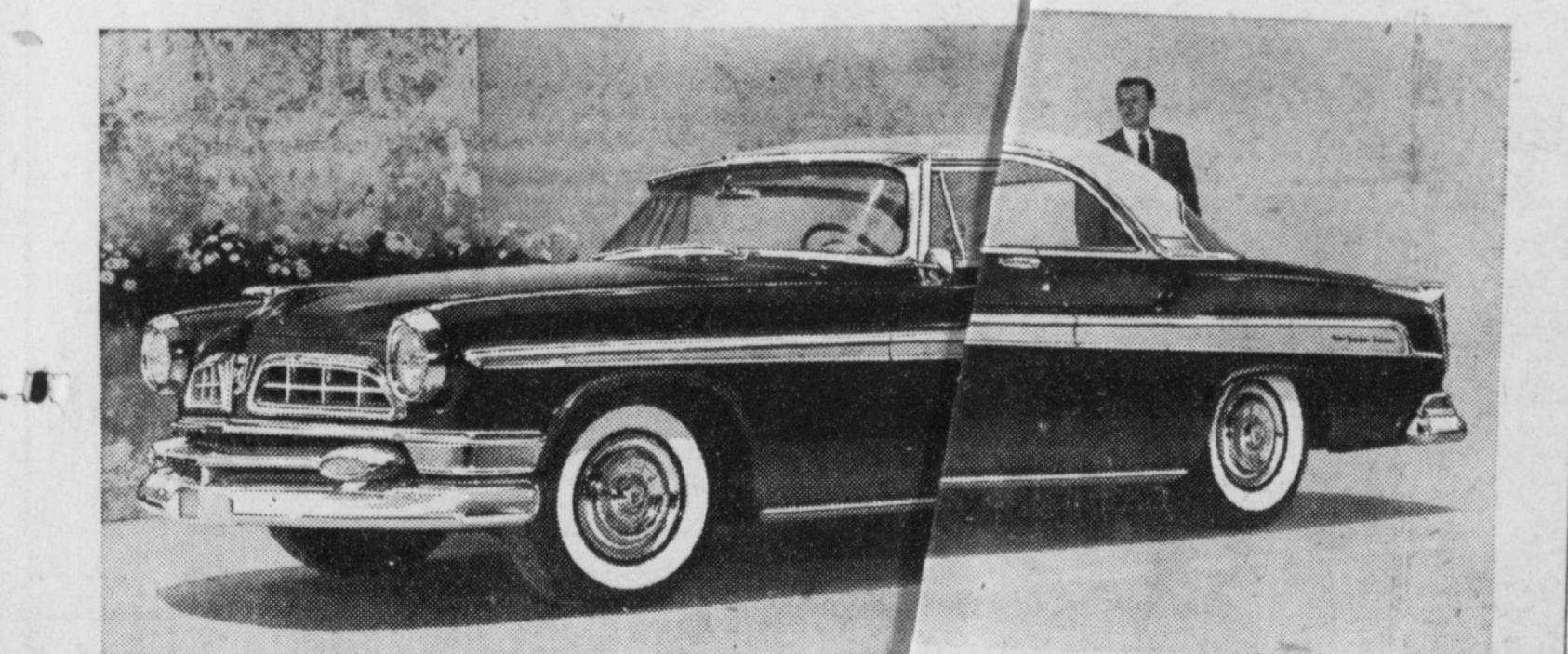


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Houstonians Plan Club in Old Aransas Light - - -

A Houston engineering firm, Farnsworth and Chambers, has scheduled the old Port Aransas light as the latest hunting and fishing club in that area, having bought the 25-acre property to take care of its office and administrative personnel.

The 100-year-old light became a victim of progress in 1953, when it was placed on a steady basis,

its functions being transferred to the Coast Guard station at Port Aransas.

Other lighthouses have been abandoned, but this is probably one of the few that ever had the channel get up and run away from it.

When the first tower was built in 1855, it was directly before a pass between Mustang and St. Joseph Islands. At the time the light was closed, the pass had moved almost a mile and a half to the southward, progressing at a rate of over 200 feet a year until it was jettied about 1910.

The original lens was ground by Henry LaPute, and imported from France, serving during the entire life of the light, first to spread the beam from a kerosene lantern, and later that from a 500-watt electric light.

However, it did not come through this long period unscathed. The multi-prismed job, still spick and span after a hundred years, almost became a casualty of the Civil War. One story goes that Confederate soldiers removed the lens and buried it in the marshy land surrounding the tower, to prevent Yankee blockaders from benefiting by it; another is that the lens was interred to save it from bombardment. Whichever is correct, at the end of its service there were a few prisms missing, and nicks in the edges of some others that were attributed to this adventure.

The Southern soldiers not only removed the lens; they dynamited the building, damaging it so badly it had to be rebuilt in 1867. This resulted in the 70-foot tower standing today. Its brick walls are four feet thick at the base, and are still in perfect condition, while the interior, where wedge-shaped steps circle upwards, has been equally well preserved by annual paintings.

The surrounding houses are constructed on stilts, standing high above the ground, to protect them from waves that may lash across

the island during storms.

The tower and buildings were designed to weather 200-mile-an-hour winds, and, so far, have successfully withstood all assaults of the weather against them.

Land and buildings, located about a mile and a half from Port Aransas, and separated from Harbor Island by a channel, were finally sold this past week, after the government decided it had no more use for the property.

Farnsworth and Chambers bid \$27,330, and became owners of the lighthouse, three dwellings, a wharf, cistern, assorted outbuildings, electric power and telephone lines, and mineral rights to the 25-acre tract, which, in view of oil activity in the region, is no bad bet, even if they lose.

Moreover, the new owners, along with their 103 administrative and office personnel, can always go hunting right outside their front door, for the site is in the middle of one of the top areas for this in Texas.

Hayden-Besheares Vows Announced

Miss Carol Besheares, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Sievers Besheares of Henderson and Cloyce Hayden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde C. Hayden of Rockport, were married Saturday, June 11 in Reynosa, Mexico. They left Rockport Thursday for Houma, La., where Mr. Hayden is employed.

Miss Cole Is Engaged

Mrs. Birdie Lee Cole of Fulton announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Fayenell, to Royce Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Jackson of Dallas. The event will take place July 14 at the Fulton Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. McKnight traveled to San Antonio to be with their son, James, when he received his commission in the Air Corps.

Hurricane Season Started June 16

June 16 marked the beginning of the hurricane season, and, should you chance to glance up and see the mast at the weather station carrying two square red flags, with black, square centers, one above the other, it's time to batten down the hatches and dig out the storm shutters, for the Big Wind is on the way!

It started far out in the doldrums of the Atlantic or Caribbean, where for days a torrid sun scorched a placid ocean. Heat waves danced across the oily water and huge masses of warm air rose slowly over it, laden with oceanic moisture.

As this air drifted gently upwards, cooler air moved in from the sides to replace it. These currents, influenced by the rotation of the earth, took on a spin, and spiraled easily aloft in an ever-expanding, funnel-shaped column, big and uppermost, still the saturated air at the top struck the cold breezes of the troposphere, dropping their moisture in torrential rains, and increasing the spin of the mass.

Light airs flowing along the surface of the sea became breezes; breezes became winds; winds became gales, and a hurricane was born!

Texans are entirely familiar with the end product of the cosmic weather factory.

A great storm wiped out Matagorda in 1847. Clarksville, the mouth of the Rio Grande, demolished twenty years later as was Bagdad, a Mexican resort across the river from Indianola, was wrecked by a low in 1875 and, though an attempt was made to rebuild it, finally destroyed by a storm which hit inland at Palacios in 1888.

A blow hit Galveston in 1900, and there have been others since, but it was the hurricane of 1900 that annihilated Galveston with a loss of 6,000 lives, causing one of the great disasters of history.

Since then others have ruthlessly struck the Texas coast, destroying some lives, and property to the tune of millions of dollars. All of them follow the same general pattern - vast cosmopolitan records, hundreds of miles across and thousands of feet thick, in the Northern Hemisphere, they whirl in a counter-clockwise direction.

The great winds which form the disc spin around the eye or center of the storm at velocities of 75 to 120 miles an hour, increasing their speed as they near the center until occasionally, during gusts, they may reach 150, although in the eye itself, light breezes of only ten or twenty miles an hour. The storm moves steadily forward, slowly at first, then faster, traveling on well defined tracks which vary with the month in which the storm occurs. During August, September and October most of them start west across the Atlantic, swinging north and then northeast.

The great Galveston storm began near the Cape Verde Islands, passed south of Santo Domingo, crossed the western tip of Cuba, and might have gone north along the Atlantic coast had it not bumped into a wall of barometric pressure before reaching Florida.

This headed it west, and, picking up power and speed on the way, it swung inland at Galveston, wrecking the town, and causing over 6,000 deaths. From there it roared across Texas, swung northeast, picked up new life over Lake Michigan, and, crossing the valley of the St. Lawrence, moved out over the North Atlantic.

In the old days, such storms struck without warning. Today it is different. From June 16, to November 1, the Weather Bureau will be on a special teletype network, stretching from Brownsville, Texas, to Charleston, S. C., to exchange information on all types of storm activity. This makes hurricanes easier to pin point and speeds warnings to the public.

Should one approach, warning will be given far in advance, but here are some precautions that should be observed:

1. Keep your radio tuned to local stations for the very latest Weather Bureau advisories.
2. Pay close attention to these and ignore rumors.
3. Avoid, or get away from low-lying beaches, islands, and similar areas.
4. Stay indoors.
5. Protect vulnerable parts of your house, such as windows.
6. Don't leave loose objects that can blow lying around outside.
7. Stock up with food and water.
8. Have a reliable flashlight handy.
9. Be calm.

Miss Ann Knox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Knox, is spending two weeks in Olton, Texas, with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Knox. She will spend two weeks in Houston before returning to Rockport.

ORDER FOR COMMISSIONERS' ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF ARANSAS)

On this 6th day of June, 1955, the Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners, Aransas County Navigation District No. One convened in special session with the following members present, to-wit: N. F. Jackson, Chairman; Raymond Owens, Vice-Chairman; Thomas D. Picton, Secretary and the following absent: None, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners was the following:

Whereas on the next ensuing first Saturday in July, being the 2nd day of July, 1955, there will be elected three Commissioners for this district;

Whereas this Board by order dated the 12th day of May, 1955, established the procedure for candidates who desire to file for said election;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF NAVIGATION AND CANAL COMMISSIONERS OF ARANSAS COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT NO. ONE:

That an election be held in said district on the first Saturday in July, 1955, the same being the 2nd day of July, 1955, for the purpose of electing three Commissioners to the Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners of said District;

That said election shall be held at the following places (5) in said District, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election:

1. For Election Precinct No. 1-A, at Harbor Village Tourist Court Building, in Aransas Pass, Texas, within said District with Glenn Ellis as Presiding Judge, Mrs. Joe Kring, as Assistant Judge and Mrs. Helen Oualine and Mrs. Glenn Ellis, Clerks.
2. For Election Precinct No. 1, at Fire Station Building, in Rockport, Texas, within said District with Mrs. Faye Brundrett as Presiding Judge, Mrs. Fred Diederich as Assistant Judge and Mary Alice Gray and Mrs. Floy Kennedy, Clerks.
3. For Election Precinct No. 2, Courthouse Building in Rockport, Texas, within said District, with Mrs. Alma Ratliff as Presiding Judge, Mrs. Harry Mills as Assistant Judge and Mrs. Elbertine, Mrs. Georgie Lee Brunthick, and Mrs. Violet Percival, Clerks.
4. For Election Precinct No. 3, School Building in Fulton, Texas, within said District, with Mrs. Cooke as Presiding Judge, Hettie Weber as Assistant Judge and Mrs. Lottie Madden, Clerk.

For Election Precinct No. 4, at Concession Hall Building in Lamar, Texas, within said District, with Mrs. Alma Johnson as Presiding Judge, Mrs. Elmo Brundrett as Assistant Judge and Mrs. R. S. Johnson, Clerk.

The following named persons have duly filed as candidates for said election in accordance with the above mentioned order for election procedure in Commissioners' election passed by this board, and their names shall be placed on the ballot for said election in alphabetical order as follows:

C. O. BAILEY
N. F. JACKSON
ELVA MULLINAX
RAYMOND OWENS
THOMAS DICK PICTON

Notice of said election shall be given by posting or by publication of a copy of this order once a week for three consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county in which this district is located, the first publication shall be at least 20 days prior to the date of election. Immediately after said election has been held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof in triplicate, one being retained by the Presiding Judge, one delivered to the Chairman of this Board, and one delivered to the Secretary. The ballot box and other election records and supplies shall be delivered to the Secretary at the office of the District and be preserved as provided by law in said office except that the Stub box shall be returned to the District Clerk for this County.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Board voted AYE: N. F. Jackson, Thomas D. Picton, Raymond Owens, and the following voted NO: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 6th day of June, 1955.

N. F. JACKSON,
Chairman, Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners, Aransas County Navigation District No. One.
Attest:
(Seal)

THOMAS D. PICTON
Secretary, Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners, Aransas County Navigation District No. One.

Tommy Preckwinkle Makes Tour of Island



A Rockport boy, Tommy Preckwinkle, stationed with the Army in Germany, recently decided to see Holland while on leave. He took off on his BSA motor, and during ten days managed to visit most of the interesting points in the little republic.

Tommy is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haynes, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wright.

Pete Haynes and Bissett Youngsters In Alice Rodeo

Pete Haynes, of Rockport, and the grandson and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett competed in the Alice Rodeo last Thursday night.

Pete, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Slim Haynes, entered in the bareback bronc riding. Little Norma Lynn Bissett rode in the cloverleaf barrel race; her brother, John Lee, was entered in the sportsmanship event, where he won fifth place, and in the roping. The Bissett children are from Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett, Mr. and Mrs. Slim Haynes and Margaret Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sparks and Kay, of Rockport, all attended the rodeo.

For Commissioners' election, duly entered by the Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners of said above mentioned district on the 6th day of June, 1955. Said attached Order for Commissioners' Election is made a part of this notice for all intents and purposes.

N. F. JACKSON,
Chairman, Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners.
THOMAS D. PICTON,
Secretary, Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners.

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Little Bay Shores Development Rapid

Since Little Bay Shores was placed on the market, development of the tract has been rapid. 36 out of 120 lots have been sold, and a number of people from Rockport and elsewhere are building or intend to build. Milton Jackson, Sinton, has bought two lots; D. T. Calloway of Tivoli purchased three. One of the Dysart Pest Control people, Mr. Laughlin, of Corpus Christi, has purchased another. W. S. Sanders, of Houston, bought one, and William J. Powell, who used to be a Naval inspector at the boatyard here, during the war, has bought two bay front lots. The Charles T. Picton Lumber Company bought six for future development on FHA and VA type loans. J. W. Wilkinson has bought two.

At the present time there are eight houses built or building. M. W. Cochran has one under construction for Mr. Seipel, of San Antonio. Seth Steele has built one of his own, and this is completed except for decorating the interior, which will be done to suit the taste of the buyer. He also has others under construction for Philip Baldwin and E. G. Brooks, at the Aransas County High School, and for Mr. and Mrs. Waggoner, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Roberts.

Picton Lumber Company has the contracts for the Bill Clarke home, which will be the first to be occupied, and for that of Vernon Kleypas. Another has been built for the account of the Charles T. Picton Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Johnson were in Groesbeck last weekend to attend the funeral of Mrs. Johnson's aunt, Mrs. Beaven, at that place.

A-1C Frank Durwood Hunt, his wife and children left Saturday for their new station at the Air Force Base in Omaha, Neb., after spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Malchar, and his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hamblin. He recently returned after 18 months at Sculthorpe Air Base, England.

Master Kenny Matthias arrived in Corpus Christi by Braniff Airways Saturday afternoon where he was met by his grandparents, Judge and Mrs. C. O. Bailey of Rockport, and with whom he will spend the summer. Kenny's mother is the noted still life artist and dancer, Betty Matthias, and his father is Alfred L. Matthias, owner and general manager of the Macco Instrument Co., of Houston.

Mrs. W. A. Kell and daughter, Freddie and Mrs. Roger Beal and son W. A. Kell, Jr., all of Hebbronville, Texas, visited a week with Mrs. Kell's mother, Mrs. Manch Brundrett.

Mary Martha Shivers and Heather Wren have returned from Houston where they visited Mrs. Clark Wren, Sr., Heather's grandmother.

Lee Ingersoll was admitted to the Aransas Hospital Wednesday but has returned home.

Azalea Shivers is visiting in Woodville, Texas. She is a guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shivers. She was accompanied by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Trull of Corpus Christi.

Lucy Mae McIntire Sweptson of Big Lake, Texas, spent two weeks in Rockport visiting her brother, Drew McIntire and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Goforth of Refugio and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Goforth and daughters, Barbara and Elizabeth Ann of Longview, Texas, spent Sunday with Mrs. Somerville Ballou.

Mrs. James Adams and son, Mickie, of Houma, La., are spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes. Mr. Adams will join his family about July 1.

Mrs. Lonnie Wright and daughter Barbara, and Mrs. Marvin Crawford and Nina Ann Fields left Monday to attend the Alto Frio Baptist Encampment. They will return home Friday.

S. C. W. Armstrong and child left Wednesday to visit relatives in Houston for a week.

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Sunday Masses, 7 and 9; Holy Days same as Sundays; week-day Mass at 8; Friday night Novena devotions at 7:30; Confessions: Saturdays, Vigil before Holy Days and Thursdays before First Fridays, 4:30 to 6:00 and 7:30 to 8:30.

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Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service, 10:45 a.m.; Training Union, 7 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday at 8 p.m.; women meet every Thursday.

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Bible class, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 10:50 a.m.; Sunday evening class, 7:00; Sunday evening worship, 8:00; Wednesday night service, 8:00; ladies Bible class, Thursday, 9:00 a.m. and men's Bible class at 8:00 p.m.

FULTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. George Merriman
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service, 11 a.m.; Training Union, 7 p.m.; evening service, 8 p.m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FULTON
Rev. C. L. Stanley, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; preaching service, 10:45 a.m.; Wednesday and Saturday night service at 7:30; BTU Sunday 6:30 p.m.; preaching service, 7:30 p.m.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY
Rev. Lee Bateman, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; regular service, 11 a.m.; evening service at 7:30; Tuesday night service at 7:30; C. A. service, Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
A. Arnott Ward, Minister
Sunday School, 9:30; worship service, 11 a.m.; evening service, 7:30; men's meeting 1st Monday, 7:00; Pioneer Young People meet Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. Senior Young People meet Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.; Women of the Church, third Thursday, 3 p.m.; Evening Circle, 2nd Monday at 7:30; Circle 1, 1st Thursday at 3; Circle 2, 1st Thursday at 3.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Dana Green, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:30; morning worship, 11; evening worship, 7:30; Methodist Men, 2nd Thursday at 7:30; choir practice, Friday, 7:30; WSCS, 1st and 4th Thursday, 3:00; fellowship dinner, 3rd Sunday at noon; young people's meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. C. Pearce, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45; preaching service, 10:45; Training Union, 6:30 p.m.; preaching service, 7:30 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday services, 11 a.m.; Wednesday evening service, 8:00. All are welcome.

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Otto F. Marshall, Pastor
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Marine News



Rockport shrimpers, while fourth among the towns of the Texas coast in production last week, brought in only 27,700 barrels out of a total of 330,300. Aransas Pass was first with 112,900 barrels; then came Brownsville with 77,700, Port Isabel with 77,000, and Rockport with amount indicated above.

Of the shrimp landed at Rockport, 6 per cent were whites. Most of these were 16-20 count, and the rest were 26-30. 98 per cent of the catch was brown shrimp. By far the greatest part of these were 15-20's, 1 per cent were 21-25, and 13 per cent were 51-65 count.

As of Monday there was a moderate to liberal supply of fresh, heads-off shrimp on the market.

Mrs. Mixon Honors Sally Fields With Shower

Continuing the round of social courtesies honoring Miss Sarah Louise Fields, bride-elect, Mrs. Ed Pat Mixon of Beville was hostess Monday night for a kitchen gadget shower at the home of her mother, Mrs. Charles F. Cron. Hurricane lamps lighted the living room, dining room and the entrance hall, and a color scheme of yellow and white prevailed in the floral arrangements. Bowls of Majestic daisies were in the living room. Shasta daisies in the dining room were complimented by an arrangement of field daisies in a pineapple on the buffet.

The gifts were presented to the honoree in a very novel manner as each guest entered with her gift in the form of a headdress. In the games that provided the evening's entertainment, prizes were won by Miss Sue Blevins and the honoree.

The tea table had for a centerpiece a bride made of dish cloths and holding a mop. Mrs. Emory Spencer poured punch and Mrs. R. B. Hamilton, mother of the honoree, assisted Mrs. Cron in serving cakes and finger sandwiches. The guest list included thirty of Miss Field's friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Witherspoon and sons of San Antonio are visiting this week in Rockport with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDavid.

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Rockport Baptists Attend Young People's Encampment at Leakey

A group of 12 persons left from the First Baptist Church of Rockport Monday morning at 5:00 o'clock, enroute to the annual Young People's camp at Alto Frio Baptist Encampment Grounds near Leakey, Texas. They will be gone five days, returning Friday evening.

While there they will attend mission study classes on the Home and Foreign fields for each age group boys and girls nine through sixteen.

There will be recreation periods and swimming in the Frio River. The camp director for this year is Rev. D. E. Simpson of Odem. The camp pastor, Rev. Dan Anderson of Mathis, and the missionary is Rev. C. W. Singer of Latvia.

Those attending from here were Pamela Landgriff, Mary Helen Freeman, Alton Jones, Kathy McClellan, Linda Clark, Brenda Mundine, Judy Mullinax, Carolyn Washington, Jelene Clark, Mary Gale Adams and Nell Mundine. They were sponsored by Mrs. A. O. Freeman.

Mrs. A. C. McDavid of San Antonio spent the weekend with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDavid.

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WATERFRONT—

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boat, tallied one of the largest catches of the week Tuesday. They brought in 312 trout from their day's fishing. * * *

J. D. Griggs fished Ray Wilson and party, of San Antonio, last Thursday, and they brought in 50 trout. * * *

Willie Close had a good week. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, he had Earl Barr and Jack Shaw of Ballinger. Thursday they strung 78 trout, Friday they caught 212, and Saturday they went to the Gulf and came in with five big kings. Sunday, Willie and Bobbie took a sailor's (or fisherman's holiday) and went after reds, bringing in ten of the bronze battlers. Monday, Willie fished J. M. Hutchins and party of Houston, and they caught 76 trout. Tuesday, with J. M. Hackney, of Runge, he went to the Gulf again, and the party caught ten kingfish. One of these weighed 25 pounds, and was caught on trout tackle. * * *

Earle Thomas fished John White and party of Fort Worth last Saturday, and the gang brought in 42 trout. * * *

Walton Court guests, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Van Ham, of Moulton, fishing from their own boat Wednesday brought in a nice catch of trout. Mrs. Smith caught a 4-pounder. * * *

Wednesday C. L. Thomas had H. M. Willett and R. C. Womack of Waco, and they caught 90 trout, which pleased them so much that they are fishing again today. * * *

Frazier Cantrell, on the Balboa, fished Mr. and Mrs. Holder and Mr. and Mrs. Yeager of Dallas Monday. They caught 76 trout and seven gafftops; Tuesday they went again and took Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bomberger with them. Despite the little squall, they came in with six gafftops, 33 trout, and seven pompano. * * *

Fred Christilles fished Dr. John Coates and son, San Antonio, last Friday, and the party caught 55 trout; Saturday he had William Strauss, Jr., and Freddie Strauss, Houston; they caught 114 trout. His Monday party was Phyllis and Bobby Thomas, Carlton and Walter Church, and William Church, Jr., all of San Antonio, and they strung 70 fish. * * *

Bill Crist, early this week, had D. D. Samples, Carl Smiley, and H. L. Sample of Smiley, Bob Sample of Cuero, and D. Lard of Westfall. They party caught 69 trout. Friday he fished Bill Oliphant, Bobbie Cullen, J. D. Pickle, and H. L. Ham, all of Austin, and they strung 80 big trout. Saturday his party consisted of J. N. Mabry and Gene Starks, San Antonio. They brought in 69 specks. His Sunday party was John McDade, of the San Antonio Fishing Tackle Company, who caught 82 trout. Monday he had Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson and Dr. and Mrs.

O. A. Keith, all of San Antonio, who tallied 70 specks.

Hu Johnson, on the Mary Lou, took Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hewitt and party, of San Antonio, fishing last Thursday, and the party caught 35 fish.

Sunday he fished W. J. Weller and Hicks Kerbow of Ponca City, Okla., and they caught 57 specks. Monday, George Anderson and wife, of San Antonio, fished with him, and they caught 43 fish. * * *

Curly Floyd reported that Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Farmer, of San Antonio, turned up with 14 trout Friday. Yesterday (Wednesday) he said, J. O. Smith of Little Rock, Ark., and Jack Holt, Stillwell, Okla., checked in with 35; N. A. Segall, Houston, caught 45; H. A. Thompson, San Antonio, caught 22; and Fred Heyser and Bob Young, of Cisco, came in with 45 gafftops and 15 trout. Curly said he had seven boats out this morning. * * *

Floyd Smith, on the Virginia D, fished Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Palmer, San Antonio, last Friday, and they caught 56 trout; Saturday he had Miss Dorothy Peacock, of Peacock Military Institute, San Antonio, and they went to the Gulf for kings. Floyd said they hooked 13 and landed six. Monday he took Miss Peacock bay fishing, and they came in with 208 trout. Tuesday he had Don McKinley and party, of Pearsall, who tallied 82 fish; Wednesday, he fished Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Steiteler and party of San Antonio, and they brought in 58. * * *

Oak Shore guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smith, of Little Rock, Ark., fishing from their own boat, caught 35 trout Wednesday, fishing off the Ranch House, near St. Joseph Island. The trout were nice ones, all of them running between 1 1/2 and 3 pounds. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Somer Smith received word from their son, Travis, who is stationed at Des Moines, that he has received his corporal stripes the first of June. * * *

Mr. Craig Gilmore and daughter, Patty and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Koster of Midlothian, Ill., are visiting in the home of John Gilmore and family. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Adkins of Aransas Pass announce the birth of a daughter, June 19 at the Aransas Hospital. * * *

Sonny and Norma Lynn Bissett of Bay City spent Sunday visit- ing their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett. Also visiting the Bissetts was Miss Libby Ghynn of Bay City.

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LOST: Beagle hound bearing name "R. R. Arnold, Star Route 1, Beeville, Texas." Finder please contact Leslie Crawford, phone 3941. p11

WANTED: Skin diver to retrieve anchor in seven feet of water. Klausen, Taylor Oak Trailer Park. p11

FOR RENT

COTTAGE FOR RENT: Bay Haven Lodges. Phone 3163. ctf

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FOR RENT: Fulton, furnished apartment, \$40; furnished house, \$50. Phone 803, Mrs. R. B. Sipe. ctf

FOR RENT: 3 room furnished cottage. See Joe, Market St. Trailer Park. p11

FOR RENT: Unfurnished house, 3 rooms and bath. Phone 6213. p11

FOR RENT: Small furnished one bedroom house, \$40 per month. Call 892 after 4 p.m. c11

Aransas Pass Okays Piers For Fishing

The Aransas Pass City Council Tuesday night approved plans for two fishing piers to be constructed on the east side of Conn Brown Harbor and to ask bids for their construction.

Mayor Pat Kindle said the piers will be T-head piers, 60 feet long and may be used for fishing or diving. Kindle said two boat ramps are nearing completion, one at Conn Brown Harbor and the other at the South Channel off the Ransom Island road. The ramps will allow boat owners to dock and launch their boats. Fresh water will be provided at each side for washing the boats after use in the bay.

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FOR SALE: 26-foot Chris-Craft cruiser, 14 h.p. outboard motor, 14-foot boat with trailer. Priced to sell. Phone 482. ctf

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FOR SALE: One-bedroom house on two lots, priced to sell. Phone 482. ctf

FOR SALE: To Latin American with a good job, a nice home. Small down payment. See Mrs. Nichols, Highway 35, North. ctf

FOR SALE: Fat hens, 30 cents pound, live weight. T. C. Kelly, Phone 3548. ctf

EGGS: Fresh cage eggs. T. C. Kelly on West Market St. Phone 3548. ctf

FOR POTS, PLANTS or Shrubbery see J. E. Tedford Nursery, 3 1/2 miles northwest of Rockport on Highway 1781. Prices are reasonable. p14

FOR SALE: 10 lots in Denver Heights, suitable for tourists courts. Mrs. C. V. Smith, Box 541, Spur, Texas. p12

FOR SALE: 22-ft. trailer house. E. W. Means, Fulton Beach. M. L. Pittman. p12

FOR SALE: 1941 Chevrolet, good condition, \$195.00. Phone 442. p11

FOR SALE: Bench saw and motor. Anders Garage. c11

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FOR SALE: Rugged built 12 ft. skiff, \$15. Hohner button accordion like new, \$25, cost \$59.50. Klausen, Taylor Oak Trailer Park. p11

FOR SALE: 14-ft. trailer house. See Mitchell at Joe's Trailer Camp, Market St. Price \$300. p11

PARAKEETS FOR SALE. \$1.00. Cages \$2.00. Yellow head parrot. J. M. Cowan, West Market St. p11

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