


Along The Waterfront



Over at Mills' Wharf the fishing was good, though not as hot as it was last week, according to Mrs. Lawler's report.

Last Thursday, Marvin Tyler and party of Eagle Lake, fished with Harry and strung 90 trout.

Saturday, J. J. Brown and party, Houston, fished with Harry and brought in 99 fish; Jack Watts and party, Corpus Christi, out with Jimmy, caught 42 specks. Dr. Benman and party of Gonzales, fishing with Eddie Edmonson, strung 61 trout; W. A. Harding and party, of Dallas, fished with Ray Washington and caught 41 specks. George S. Newmark, of Houston, out with Herb, hooked 66 trout.

Lee Goblart and party of Houston, fished for three days. Out with Harry Sunday, they brought in 61 fish; Monday, with Herb, they caught 99; and Tuesday, this (Continued on page 8)

Reid Defends Fish Passes Along Texas Coast

Roy Swann, outdoor editor of the Corpus Christi Caller, in his column "The Sportsman," had the following to say about opening fish passes along the Texas coast:

There is little chance that the opening of any fish passes along the Texas coast will damage fishing in the bays by allowing predators to enter, Cecil Reid, director of Coastal Fisheries for the State Game and Fish Commission said yesterday.

The department has figures to prove they are useful, he added, and he cited Cedar Bayou near Rockport and Rollover Pass near Galveston as the best examples.

"I want to go on record," Reid told The Sportsman, "as saying that passes are necessary and vital to good fishing in the bays of the State of Texas."

Further, that as far as predators are concerned it doesn't matter whether you have one pass into a bay or five. Predators move in and out of the bays just as other migratory fishes do and the ratio between game fishes and predators will be the same, regardless.

"We have the facts in black and white," he continued, "to prove that opening passes improves game fishing, the quality of fish and fishing in general."

"Cedar Bayou was reopened around 1939 and remained open for 10 years. Fishing was better all along. When it closed up again fishing started falling off."

"At Rollover Pass we surveyed before and after it was opened. We set up stations and took samples of fish, fish foods, water temperature and everything before it was opened. We did the same after it was open and the whole picture had changed. There were a lot more fish, there was more bait and there was a larger variety of fish. The pass was closed again because of erosion and further checks showed the bay reversed to where it was before the pass was opened."

Reid will find little argument from fishermen up and down the state. They've been yelling loud and long for such channels through the islands.

The Game Commission has attempted to open and maintain several passes, the most recent Rollover Pass.

Rollover did everything anglers expected it to do—and then some. Folks in the Houston-Galveston-Port Arthur area still are bragging about the improvement East Bay has seen. And even with the pass closed except for a trickle, fishing has been mighty good, they say. Fish enter the clogged pass in attempts to move in and out of the bay.

The Commission has okayed plans for a survey of the upper Laguna Madre and is looking with optimism towards reopening Cedar Bayou when money becomes available.

Here's hoping finances don't stall these efforts too much longer.

Mrs. Dick Hooper Found Dead Suicide Ruled

Mrs. Lucille Hooper, 61-year-old wife of Oilman W. N. Hooper, hanged herself early Sunday in the garage of her home at 2990 Lazy Lane in River Oaks.

Willie D. Smith, a chauffeur for the Hoopers, found her hanging by a rope from the track of a sliding garage door about 7:15 a.m. Sunday.

Homicide Detectives Lloyd Barrett and J. R. McCafferty said Mrs. Hooper apparently stood inside a car door, tied the rope around her neck and stepped down. They estimated she had been dead for two or three hours.

Mr. Hooper, 64, said his wife had been despondent over her health, the death of a brother three weeks ago and the health of another brother, seriously ill in the M. D. Anderson Hospital.

Justice of the Peace W. C. Ragan held an inquest and returned a verdict of suicide. The body was taken to Geo. H. Lewis & Sons.

Mrs. Hooper was well-known to many people in Rockport, as she owned a home here, and spent most of her summers there for many years, beginning her visits as a girl before her marriage.

Originally she came from Waco, and was the daughter of Mr. John D. Mayfield, a prominent banker there, and his wife, and the granddaughter of still another banker, Mr. Mayfield's father.

Mrs. Hooper was Houston resident for twenty years. She was a member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, the Pan American Round Table, Daughters of the American Revolution, and the Federated Women's Clubs.

Survivors are her husband, W. N. (Dick) Hooper; a son, Kyle Vick, both of Houston; a sister, Mrs. Andries Sigtenhorst; three brothers, W. D., John D., and Dan E. Mayfield, all of Waco.

Services were held Monday at 3:00 p.m., in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Waco, under the direction of the Rev. Thomas W. Summers, and burial was in Oakwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were: Lester Goodson, Tom Ellsberry, W. J. Kiette, P. R. Rutherford, Scott Hill, Ed Humphries, John Phillips, and Walter V. Fort.

Faculty Numbers Same as Last Year Greene Says

The faculty of the schools in the Aransas County Independent School District numbers the same as it did last year, according to Superintendent Pat H. Greene, although there have been some replacements.

Among the new teachers are Miss Joan Robinson, girls' physical education teacher and coach, who replaces Mrs. Hope L. Cole, now teaching fourth grade at Rockport; Mrs. Marion Ruth Lane, teacher of high school English, who comes from Tivoli; Miss Rose Mary Walthall, teacher of social studies at the junior high, who comes from Granbury; and Mrs. Faye Hartman, Rockport sixth grade teacher, formerly of Sinton.

Other replacements that have taught in the Rockport schools before, and who live here, are Mrs. Deane Steele, who will be one of the fifth grade teachers at Rockport; Mrs. Penny Baldwin, who will teach the first grade at Fulton.

The entire faculty of the various schools is as follows:

Superintendent: Pat H. Greene.

High School: Principal, Jack Horton; Miss Martha Hlavinka, English and Spanish; Mrs. Marion Ruth Lane, English; Fred Blundell, mathematics, and coach of the B football team; E. G. Brooks, science; Mrs. Florence Horton, social studies and speech; Jerry Hoffman, director of the band; Dave Segler, teacher of physical education and assistant coach; Melvin Borchert, football coach and teacher of driver education; Phillip D. Baldwin, shop; Chester Bagre, commercial; Mrs. Edith Crusier, home making; Mrs. Irma Lee DeForest, librarian; Miss Joan Robinson, girls' physical education and coach;

Junior High School: James B. Calhoun, principal; Mrs. Ruth N. Hayden, mathematics; Mrs. Charlyne Hunt, music and art; Bailey J. Nations, language arts; Jack Matthews, science; Miss Rose Mary Walthall, social studies. Calhoun is also coach of the junior high team.

Rockport Elementary School: Albert R. Griffith, Jr., principal; Miss Marie Vidaurri, Mrs. Jane Eller, Mrs. Hazel Prophet, and Mrs. Diana C. Schuster, teachers of the first grades; Mrs. Golda James, Mrs. Agnes R. Currie, and Miss Clara Sue Hoover, teachers of the second grades; Mrs. Lillian Sorenson, Mrs. Anna Louise Pritchett, and Mrs. Frances Nations, teachers of the third grades; Mrs. Hope L. Cole, Mrs. Daphna Mitchell, Mrs. Edna M. Snyder, all teaching fourth grade; Mrs. Mary Steele, and Miss Katie Lee Clarke, fifth grade; Mrs. Penny Baldwin and Mrs. Faye Hartman, sixth grade.

At Fulton Elementary, Millard Owens is principal, Mrs. Mathews teaches the first grade; Mrs. Bertha Gilley is second grade teacher; Mrs. Lula Clymore has charge of the third grade; Miss Ruth Lipscomb is teacher of the fourth grade; Mrs. Vivian Calhoun is fifth grade teacher; and Miss Margaret Cash is in charge of the sixth grade.



MEET MISS UNIVERSE—Carol Morris, 20, daughter of an Ottumwa, Iowa, minister, is this year's Miss Universe. Chosen in competition with beauties from all over the world, Carol now bears three titles. The Duke University swimming champ is also "Miss Iowa" and "Miss U.S.A."

Teachers' Reception Scheduled by P-TA

There will be a reception for the teachers of the Aransas County Independent School District, held on August 31, at 8:00 p.m., in the Woman's Club, to welcome all the faculty members to Rockport and Fulton for the coming school year.

As an added attraction, there will be a drawing for eight door prizes donated by the following firms:

The Beachcomber Beauty Shop; Leona's Beauty Shop; Bill's Sinclair Station; Rouquette's Humble Station; Roaten's Drug Store; Johnson's Drug Store; and Mike's Texaco Service Station.

Telephone Expansion Planned for Rockport

A telephone improvement program for Rockport is getting under way, it was announced today by Stan Bell, district manager for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Bell said that the contract has been awarded for an addition to the Rockport telephone building and also for the construction of a small building at Aransas Pass to house long distance amplifying equipment. Sam Pieper, contractor of Beeville, was successful bidder for the telephone jobs.

It is expected work will start on the Rockport building about September 1 and will be completed in the late fall, the district manager said. The added building space at Rockport will house additional long distance equipment to provide more circuits to Corpus Christi.

Two Wrecks and Three Tickets Mark Traffic Enforcement This Week

Two wrecks and three traffic tickets marked traffic enforcement this week, according to Deputy Sheriff Sherman Mundine.

Last Thursday Miss Veronica Klaeser was driving east on Linden in a 1950 Plymouth, and had almost cleared the intersection on Omohundro Street, when Guadalupe R. Coronado, of 2831 Ranger Courts, Corpus Christi, collided with her. Coronado was traveling north on Omohundro at the time. Mundine, who investigated, said that there was about \$200 damage to each car. Coronado was given a ticket for failure to yield right of way to the car already in the intersection.

On Friday, Neil Freeman Jordan, driving a 1949 Chevrolet, was driving west on Highway 35, when Mrs. May Jameson Townsend, in a 1951 Buick collided with him. Mrs. Townsend was driving north on Woods Street, and failed to yield the right of way, for which she was given a ticket by Officer Mundine.

In addition, Mundine issued the following traffic summons during the week: Larry Smith, no operator's license; Louis Stone, unnecessary noise with a motor vehicle; and Roy Smith, no operator's license.

In addition to these, Mundine said, he arrested Ralph McGee for disturbing the peace, and a woman for being drunk in a public place.

Rockport VFW Plans To Send Scout To Jamboree at Valley Forge

The local VFW Post is making plans to send a Rockport scout to the Jamboree at Valley Forge, according to Scoutmaster Bill Gray, and are planning a barbecue as the opening of their campaign.

The Veterans will stage this at Rockport Yacht Basin on next Saturday, August 25, from 11:30 a.m. until they run out of barbecue, and the proceeds will go into the kitty to pay some lucky scouts expenses.

The scout will be chosen on his record for eighteen months, and on the advancement he makes during that time in all the things that go to make up scouting.

Reuel G. King Charged With Assault and Battery

Reuel G. King, proprietor of Skeet's Place, on Highway 35, has been charged with assault and battery, as the result of an altercation that took place about 8:30 p.m. Saturday. King is alleged to have knocked both his wife and daughter down with his car, as they stood beside it with the door open, causing both of them to suffer bruises and abrasions.

Sheriff A. C. Shivers, who investigated the occurrence, swore out a warrant against King, who is as yet at liberty.

Mrs. J. W. Porter On Brunch Committee

Mrs. James W. Porter has been appointed by the Bishop's Committee of St. Peter's Episcopal Church to serve on the Grounds Committee. Mrs. Porter fills the vacancy created by the resignation of Mrs. David Coleman.

On Sunday Mrs. Porter will join the other members of the Grounds Committee of St. Peter's in welcoming members and friends of the church to a "Benefit Brunch." This affair will be held between the hours of 11:00 and 1:00 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice W. Cochran. No tickets for this outdoor luncheon are being sold, but a free will offering will be taken.

Car Catches Fire In Front of Fire Station

The fire department answered an alarm Wednesday afternoon to extinguish a car that caught on fire just in front of the fire station. If it had to burn, we can't think of any better place for it to do it. Things like that save time for the department, cut down wear and tear on equipment, and cut out traffic jams.

Meals in School Lunch Rooms Are Cheap

Meals in the Aransas County School Lunchrooms will cost pupils in grades 1-6 only 25c instead of 35c as in the past. Junior and Senior high school students and adults will still pay 35c. The reduction to the smaller children is because they eat less and it is only fair that they should pay less.

In order to secure assistance in the school lunch program from the Federal Government the school has agreed to furnish free meals in cases where there is need.

Application for free lunches must be made to the principal of the school the child attends or to the superintendent's office. Forms can be had from the principal of any school or the superintendent. The child who receives free lunches will not know it unless the parent informs him.

County and City Offices to Be Closed Saturday

All county and city offices will be closed on Saturday, August 25, the date of the second primary.

Campaigns Pushed As Run Off Nears

Only One Race Holds Local Interest, That Between Harold Parish, Present Incumbent from District, And Roy Hinton, Rockport, for State Representative

As the second primary nears next Saturday, only one race holds local interest in this area, that between Roy Hinton, Rockport seafood dealer, and Harold Parish, present incumbent from this district in the State House of Representatives.

Both candidates have completely abandoned the rally approach to politics, and are out hand shaking throughout the area, taking this means of getting their policies and promises before the people.

Schools Make Changes During Summer Months

The biggest news of the week for a lot of Aransas County citizens (although not the most welcome) is that school is starting on September 4. This year, according to Superintendent Pat Greene, it promises to be a bigger and better production than ever, although none of the new school buildings will be ready, or, for that matter, even started.

Nevertheless, Greene says, a world of improvements have been carried out through the summer, among which may be numbered repainting and repairing the inside of the present junior high school, installment of Venetian blinds in the four front rooms at Rockport Elementary, and reconditioning of the present gymnasium to make it weather tight.

The football field has been plowed, filled, fertilized, and a traveling sprinkling system installed; new tops have been ordered for some 70 junior high desks; and all first and second grade desks, cafeteria tables and chairs, and the wood part of the auditorium chairs at Rockport have been refinished.

In addition, Greene pointed out, all buildings have had a general cleaning and their paint has been retouched wherever necessary; new rubberized baseboards have been installed throughout the corridors in the high school; and new sanitary facilities have been installed at Rockport Elementary.

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Miller Sells Interest In Cochran Realty Co.

W. L. Miller has sold his interest in the Cochran Realty Co. of Fulton, and has resigned his position as treasurer in that concern. M. W. Cochran, president of the company, bought Mr. Miller's stock in the corporation.

TEACHER WORKSHOP TO BE AUG. 30-31

The planning workshop of the teachers of Aransas County Schools will begin at 8:30 a.m. Thursday, August 30 at the high school building. All teachers will be together that one day and in their respective buildings Friday.

SPECIAL SAVINGS!



PIGGLY WIGGLY * PIGGLY WIGGLY * PIGGLY WIGGLY * PIGGLY WIGGLY

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

HOT DOGS

SERVED WITH GEBHARDT'S HOT DOG SAUCE

5c Franks lb. 39c

Pork Ribs lb. 35c

Rex Polish **Sausage lb. 35c**

Good Veal **Chuck Roast lb. 35c**

Good Veal **Brisket Stew lb. 23c**

Good **Veal Chops lb. 49c**

Good Veal **Crown Roast lb. 39c**

Puritan Thick **SLICED BACON 2 lbs. 89c**

Texas Brand **SLICED BACON . . lb. 39c**

FRUITS and VEGETABLES



Thompson Seedless **GRAPES lb. 13c**

Louisiana **YAMS lb. 10c**

Barlett Large Size **PEARS 2 lbs. 27c**

Idaho Russett No. 1 **POTATOES lb. 6c**

Puritan Cello Package **Franks lb. 39c**

FRYERS

Reneau No. 1 **35c**

PER LB.

LIGHT CRUST FLOUR 5 lbs. 47c

NBC **RITZ CRACKERS lb. box 35c**

Comstock **PIE APPLES No. 2 can 24c**

SAVINGS!

PLUS

Quality at Piggly Wiggly

LIPTON TEA BAGS 16's 21c

Del Monte **CHUNK TUNA flat can 25c**

Delight **DOG FOOD tall 3 for 25c**

Carnation Milk tall can 3 for 39c **Cane Sugar Imperial 5 lbs. 47c**

Large **VEL . . . 28c**

Bar-T-Ranch Elberta **Peaches 2 1/2 can 29c**

Harris **Ice Cream 3 for \$1**

Gebhardt's HOT DOG SAUCE, 10 oz. can 2 for 29c

April Shower PEAS, 303 can 17c

Del Monte Whole Kernel **GOLDEN CORN 12 oz. can 16c**

Campfire Cut **GREEN BEANS 303 can 14c**

White or Colored **NORTHERN TOWELS 2 rolls 35c**

NORTHERN NAPKINS 2 cartons 27c

HILEX FLEECY WHITE 1/2 gal. 29c

FROZEN FOODS

Libby's Pink **LEMONADE 6 oz. 2 for 29c**

Libby's **MIXED VEGETABLES 10 oz. 19c**

Frosty Acres **ORANGE JUICE 12 oz. 35c**

COFFEE

MAXWELL HOUSE lb. 99c
YARBOROUGHS lb. 97c
ADMIRATION lb. 97c
H & H lb. 89c

Sun Valley **OLEO lb. 20c**
TANG 12 oz. 29c

School **LUNCH KITS**
with Thermos **1.98**



SNOWDRIFT 3 lbs. 79c

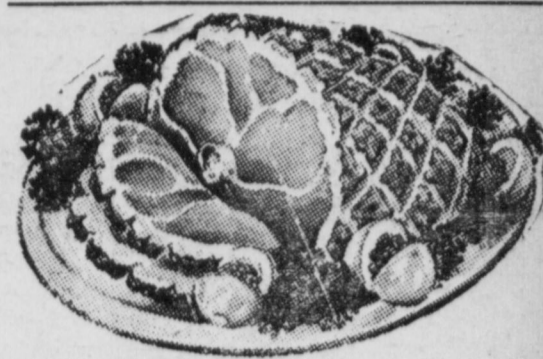


HAMS

RATH'S BLACK HAWK
SHANK PORTION

lb. 49¢

WHOLE LB. 52c



West's Red & White Food Store -- Specials for Fri. & Sat.

BARKLEY NO. 1

FRYERS lb. 35¢

Maryland Club
COFFEE 99c

Red & White
SHORTENING 3 Lbs. 83c

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 5 Lbs. 47c

Golden Fluff
SHORTENING 3 Lbs. 85c

Red & White
MILK 2 for 25c

KLEENEX 400 Size 25c

Red & White
PRUNES Lb. 37c

Little Crow
PEAS 2 for 25c

Royal Hawaiian
CHUNK TUNA 27c

LUNCHEON MEAT K.P. 29c

Del Monte 303
CREAM STYLE CORN 16c

Sun Spun 20 Oz.
STRAWBERRY PRESERVES 43c

Diamond D
TOILET TISSUE 4 for 29c

KRAFT OIL Qt. 65c

Del Monte 303
CUT GREEN BEANS 19c

Our Value
CUT GREEN BEANS 2 for 25c

Red & White
SHOE STRING POTATOES 10c

PINTO'S 1 Lb. 10c

Texas Cut 303
BEETS 2 for 25c

Our Value
TOMATOES 2 for 25c

Del Monte
LIMAS 29c

Admiration or Yarborough
COFFEE 97c

Delight
DOG FOOD 3 for 25c

Bright & Early
COFFEE 79c

TIDE or CHEER 30c

Red & White 46 Oz.
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 27c

Red & White 303
FRUIT COCKTAIL 21c

SUGAR 5 Lbs. 47c

Qt. Sun Spun
SALAD DRESSING 39c

Bama 20 Oz.
RED PLUM JAM 31c

BANNER OLEO 19c

Del Monte 15 Oz.
RAISINS 19c

Red & White, All Green
Whole ASPARAGUS 35c

SUN SPUN BREAD 21c

OK Sour 303 Size
PICKLES 25c

Northern
TOILET TISSUE 3 for 25c

COUNTRY EGGS Doz. 49c

Hunts 2 1/2 Size
Sliced PEACHES 29c

Libbys
POTTED MEAT 3 for 25c

LUX BATH SOAP 2 for 25c

Sun Spun
BLACK EYE PEAS 10c

Libbys
Vienna Sausage 2 for 35c

Our Value 303
Cream Style Corn 2 for 27c

Swift's Premium
Heavy Beef

Chuck Roast
lb. 39¢

Decker's Tall Corn
THICK

Slice Bacon
2 Lb. Pkg. 89¢

Longhorn

CHEESE . . . lb. 49¢

Armour's Star

Lamb Shoulder lb. 49¢

Brisket lb. 25¢

All Meat
Bologna lb. 39¢

Swift's Premium
Franks lb. 39¢

Sun Spun
Bacon lb. 42¢

FROZEN FOODS

Treesweet 6 Oz.
ORANGE JUICE 16c

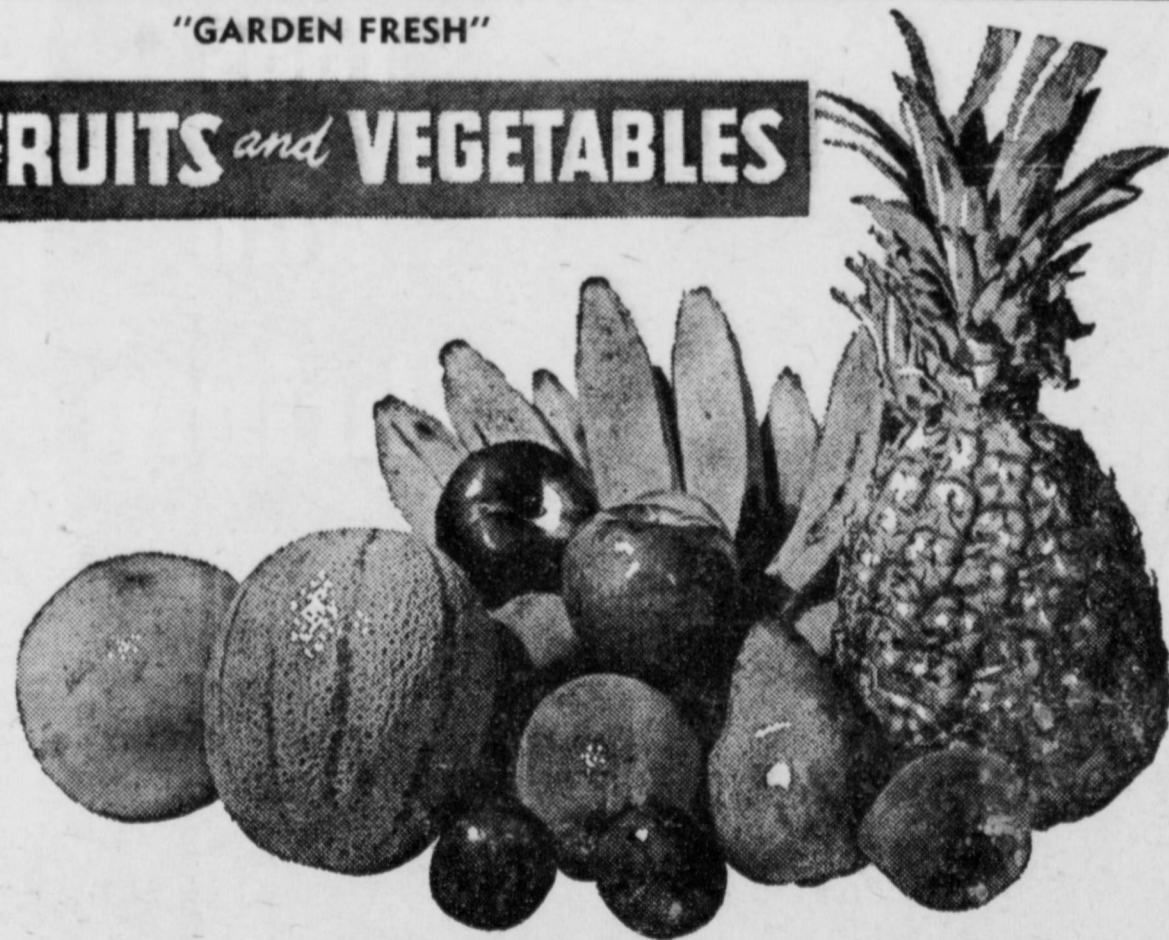
Morton's Turkey, Beef or Chicken
POT PIES 25c

Treesweet Pink or Reg.
LEMONADE 15c

Essex
STRAWBERRIES 22c

"GARDEN FRESH"

FRUITS and VEGETABLES



Golden Yellow
BANANAS 2 lbs. 25c

No. 1 Idaho Russet
POTATOES 5 lbs. 35c

California Pascal
CELERY 12c

No. 1 Thompson Seedless White
GRAPES 2 lbs. 29c

FOREMOST

Mellorine 1/2 gal. 39c

Carton of Six

Coca Cola 20¢

Plus Deposit

Fulton Lions Say Thank You

The Fulton Lions Club wishes to say a warm thank you to the following people for the donation of time, equipment, skill, and supplies that made the Fulton Fish Fry on August 11 a success:

Mrs. Charles Roe, Sr. furnished over a hundred pounds of fish; Kaffie Lumber Company furnished the use of lumber; W. B. Allen, Eddie Simons, Johnny Schleider, and Mr. C. Owens served as cooks; Cage - Marshall furnished tents and other equipment; J. W. Wilkinson, S. L. Sorenson, and Holsum bread furnished trucks for advertisement and hauling; Lionesses M. Cochran, J. Evans, J. May, C. Owens, and D. Oliver saw that everything went right on the serving lines; and to many other people that furnished their time and including those people that came out and helped by eating with us.

—Fulton Lions

Hunting, Fishing Licenses Are Set to Go

AUSTIN—The new hunting and fishing licenses for the state's fiscal year beginning September 1 will be mailed from Austin, August 21, according to the Chief License Clerk for the Game and Fish Commission.

Approximately 350,000 fishing and 350,000 hunting licenses in all will be shipped to the state's 2500 licensed agents in 254 counties.

Old licenses will be void after midnight August 31.

Resident hunting licenses cost \$2.15 and include two tags for deer hunting. Resident fishing licenses cost \$1.65.

The consignments will include the special non-resident license for migratory bird hunting, such as ducks, geese and doves. These cost \$5. A special five day non-resident fishing license costs \$1.65.

Mrs. Glenn Mundine and son and Mrs. Annie Evans and Darlene spent the weekend in Garner State Park.

Others Besides Ball Players Due Thanks For Season Success

Many other people besides the ball players contributed to the success of the Little Church League this year.

Over at the First Baptist Church Ed Beasley managed the teams, with Del McClain giving him an able assist. Lloyd Branch and O. A. Carroll were managers of the concessions, and Reggie Gilbert and Jim Oid were the umpires.

The commissioners, Rev. A. Arnot Ward, Rev. W. D. Broadway, Rev. Dana Green, Rev. George Merriman, and Father G. J. O'Doherty performed outstanding services.

At the Presbyterian Church Charles H. Smith, Travis Smith, and Pat Smith were managers for the junior team; James Hayden and C. L. (Chink) Taylor were managers for the seniors. Umpires were J. B. Jackson, Clyde Hayden, Bill Edwards, and Rob Johnson; and concession managers were N. F. Jackson, Ellis Clark, James Little, E. C. Ricks and Somer Smith.

League officials, drawn from all the churches, were as follows: Charles A. Roe Jr., treasurer; Louis Tuer, concession manager; Bopie Cole, manager of equipment; official score keeper and publicity man, Port Baughman; announcer, A. L. Holland; and chief umpires Millard Owens and E. G. Brooks.

The Sacred Heart teams were managed by Urban Chupe, Pete Ramirez Jr., and Gilbert Falcon. Umpires were John Chupe Jr. and Lauriano Falcon. Concession managers were Roy Rogero, Dick Picton and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shivers.

From the First Baptist Church at Fulton, Bopie Cole and Monte Rouquette were managers; Cole and Bunkie Wendell were umpires; and the concession manager was Big Bill Johnson.

Over at the Methodist Church managers of the senior team were Robert Kemp and Marvin Townsend; Melvin Borchert and Louis Tuer managed the juniors. Umpires were Millard Owens, Woody Hunt, and E. U. Adams, while the people in charge of the concessions were Louis Tuer, Curtis Harrist, John Haynes, Ross Demory, Walter Straker, A. A. Blissett, and Loreta Wilson.

To all of these people, as well as to others too numerous to mention, credit should go for helping make the season so successful.



PROUD DAY—Three Pontiac Motor Division officials were on hand to check the six millionth new Pontiac produced since the first one in 1925. Inspecting the 1956 Star Chief Catalina coupe are left to right, Frank V. Bridge, general sales manager, S. E. Knudsen, general manager and B. E. Starr, general manufacturing manager. The car came off the assembly line in Pontiac, Michigan August 17.

Women of Church Hold August Meeting

The Women of the First Presbyterian Church held their August meeting, Thursday evening, Aug. 16, in the assembly room of the church. Mrs. Fred Clobardants was program leader, which was in the form of a panel discussion on "The Family's Use of Leisure Time."

During the business session, it was voted to observe the Week of Prayer and Self-denial for Church Extension, by a Family Night Supper and School including a film, at the church, on Wednesday, Oct. 17. Mrs. S. F. Jackson, chairman of Church Extension, is in charge of this program. President Osborn announced the appointment of the following nominating committee: Mrs. Hugh Morrison, chairman; Mrs. Mary Juergens, Mrs. J. H. Schleider, and Mrs. N. F. Jackson, which will report at the October general meeting. Announcement was made that Presbyterial will be held in Del Rio, Oct. 30-31. Members were reminded that heavy clothing is now being collected, for overseas relief shipment.

The next meeting will be held Sept. 27, 3 p.m. at the church.

Rockport Publisher Of 40 Years Ago Revisits City

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Thompson, of Honey Grove, were visiting in Rockport this week, where, almost half a century ago, Mrs. Thompson (then Miss Lucille Sparkman) and her sister were owners of the Rockport Tribune.

Those were the days when Rockport had two papers, the Tribune and the Pilot, and it was at a press party in San Antonio that the Thompsons met. Mr. Thompson, editor of the Honey Grove Signal for 59 years, when he retired two years ago, had gone up to the Alamo City, representing his paper, and Miss Sparkman was there, representing the Tribune.

They were married 42 years ago, the Thompsons said, and after that Mr. Thompson was the only newspaperman in the family. They have been in town since Monday. Mrs. Thompson said they had been looking up old friends and acquaintances but, she added, the town has changed so much that almost the only house that she could recognize was the one occupied by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruhl, which is, of course, one of the oldest in the area.

Paul Revere House is the oldest in Boston, built about 1660.

P-TA Council Meets at Idylwilde

The Aransas County Council of Parent Teacher Associations met for the quarterly session of the organization, Monday morning at Idylwilde Motel, with Mrs. Floyd Smith, president, presiding. Mrs. S. F. Jackson led the Parent Teacher Association prayer. Pat H. Green, superintendent of schools and former president of the group, outlined the aims and policies of the organization and made a plea for a larger attendance at the meetings. He pointed out that, while there are three voting delegates from each of the three organizations in the county, all members are urged to attend.

James C. Calhoun, principal of junior high school, was named mental health chairman. The membership chairman of the three groups were named as the publicity committee for the council. Announcement was made that the annual reception honoring the faculty, would be held at 8 p.m. Friday, August 31 at the Woman's Club building with the Aransas County High School, Rockport and Fulton Parent Teacher Associations, hosts for the occasion.

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DIAMOND BACK—Diamonds are a girl's best friend—even behind her back—according to one designer's creations for the fall. Done in black peau d'ange, the cocktail dress, above, has a full skirt with unpressed pleats, tiny cap sleeves, and little bows set atop the diamond cutouts.

PRESBYTERIAN PLAYERS ASKED TO TURN IN UNIFORMS AT SEASON'S END

Presbyterian players in the Church League that have not already done so are asked to turn in their uniforms as the season has ended. The church wishes to have them cleaned and to store them so that they will be available again next year.

Mrs. Bill Keller of Tivoli spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schleider.

CONGRATULATIONS:

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Herron are proud parents of a daughter born Monday August 20 at the Rockport Hospital Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Boggs attended a family reunion in Victoria this past Sunday, at the home of Mrs. Boggs' father, H. F. Wedemeier and her brother Tom. The party honored Mr. and Mrs. Steve Boggs, of Sanford, Fla., and their son, Lt. J. D. Boggs, of the Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi.

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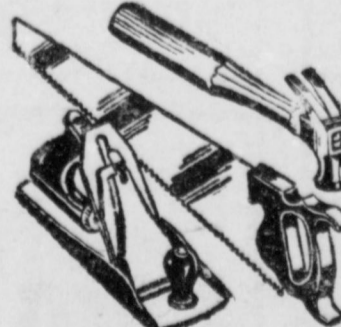
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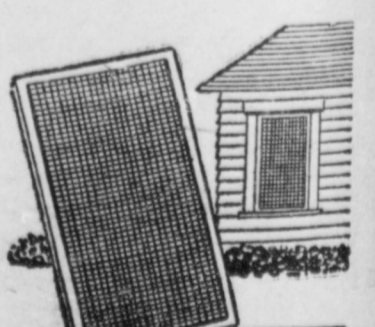
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When Wesley F. Kubichek of the U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service is counting whooping cranes at the Aransas Game Refuge his address is Box 68, Austwell, Tex. But when two of his wife's letters were returned marked "not at this address," Mrs. Kubichek in desperation wrote her husband, "Care of Whooping Crane, Tex." The letter was promptly delivered.—Lorraine Basford, Palacios (Tex.) Beacon.

Weekend visitors in the N. F. Jackson home were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Porter and daughter of Austin. Little Bobby and Johnny returned home with them.



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Lamar Landmark Gets National Recognition

Mills Wharf, an old Lamar landmark painted by Gotthold Lentz of Sinton, joins the list of famous taverns in the September issue of the Ford Times. All of which comes as no surprise to the many Texans who could've told you that Mills Wharf shrimp salad and broiled flounder were something that ought to have received national recognition a long time ago!

The Wharf, which stands as one end of the long causeway separating Copano and Aransas Bays, is a monument to the energy of Howard (Cap) Mills, a Kelly Field World War I soldier, and to his two sons, Herbert and Harry, who are carrying on the family tradition.

"I opened the Wharf as a fishing and hunting business back in 1932," Cap said, "and our biggest business was in 1934 and 1935. We had hunting guides and 106 hunters that winter. At one time we had the largest goose hunting set-up in the United States, and killed more geese than in any other place. We had 400 decoys, and people came from all over the country to hunt with us."

As the years went by, the fame of the Wharf grew, and the buildings crept out over Aransas Bay, increasing in picturesqueness and building up a reputation for good food as well as fine hunting and fishing.

Lentz, who has captured the charm of the still-legged structure along the bay's edge, is another Texan who has made good.

He originally came to Sinton from Fredericksburg, where he first started painting scenery and stage props for the numerous historic and religious celebrations held in that city.

He started painting seriously in 1950, and took formal training at the San Antonio Art Institute. Finishing there, he moved to Sinton in 1954, and has had his studio there ever since.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sparks and Kay spent the weekend in Houston visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Littleton and family.

Schedule of Events For Aransas Pass Shrimporee

Aransas Pass — A tentative schedule of events for the annual Shrimporee at Aransas Pass, to be held September 1-3 inclusive, has been announced by Barney Sanders, general chairman of the sponsoring organization, the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Preceding the three-day celebration on Friday, August 31, festivities will start with a fishing tournament that runs from 8 o'clock that morning until noon Monday, and Friday night there will be a street dance promoted by the 20-30 Club.

Saturday morning is when the fun really begins, however. First the kids have their day, lining up with gaily decorated trikes and bikes for their parade, which is followed in short order by the Shrimporee Parade itself. Included in this part of the fiesta are floats, bands, bathing beauties, decorated cars, and a navy drill team, to name only a few of the attractions.

There's a fish fry at noon, and then at 2 p.m., come the beauty contests—all three of them—for tiny tots, juniors, and seniors, escorted by the Jaycee-Ettes dressed in the kind of bathing suit ladies wore when grandma was young.

F. F. Hightower, state Jaycee president, has been asked to attend from San Angelo and to act as one of the judges.

Saturday evening, at 7:00, the whole pageant moves to Roosevelt Stadium, where trophies are presented to bathing beauties and winning floats, and, to cap the climax, King Shrimporee is crowned, before the Shrimporee ball, which starts early and stays late.

Sunday's highlight comes with the colorful shrimp boat parade in Conn Brown Harbor, and the blessing of the fleet to keep it safe from harm the coming year.

The fishing contest ends at noon Monday, and merchandise prizes will be awarded the winners in the various divisions.

Week end guests in the Carl Hardin home at Fulton were: Mrs. John Lawhon, Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Crook and daughter of Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Mercer and daughter of San Antonio, Texas.

TEXAS IN REVIEW

Football, quarter horses and range improvement will be highlighted next week on The Humble Company's TV program, Texas in Review.

The Southwest Conference Football Officials' Association met recently in Houston to discuss rules changes for the rapidly approaching season. And on the same day Southwest Conference football announcers attended a unique school taught by the Rice Institute coaching staff. Purpose of the school was to instruct the announcers how to accurately identify and describe various plays and formations that may be used in Conference play this year. What went on at these meetings will be featured.

From Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene will come a report on the annual meeting of the Southwest Athletic Trainers' Association. Illustrated will be ways trainers care for athletes and help prevent injuries.

Films of the Four-State Quarter Horse show at Texarkana will show some of the finest quarter horses in the world. Included will be pictures showing quarter horses being used on ranches.

How the range improvement program of the Hill Country Association of Soil Conservation Districts pays off for ranchers will be shown on the same program. Viewers will see excellent pictures of the before and after effects of range improvement practices.

Tuesday, August 28, Texas in Review can be seen over KRIS-TV, Corpus Christi, 8:30 p.m.

Travis Smith and Sammy Hash visited with Zade Jones in Victoria over the week end.

I Am The American Soldier

For the American people, my family, my fellows, my sons to come—I carry on. Born of explorers, colonists, hunters in deer skins; schooled in the wilderness; fighting for our continent—I carried on for the rights of man. Wherever I was needed, whenever I was called, I stood and delivered. I came through. I was America on the march. And now today here I come again, marching again at the same old job—same old—brand new job—marching again with all free men. I am the ring of steel around Democracy; the ramparts that you sing about; I am the Citizen-Soldier; the Nation in Arms. I am the eyes of the cannon, the marching refrain, the brains of the tank, the nerves of the plane, the heart of the shell. I am the Liberty Bell; the salt of our youth. I am the fighting man of every outpost from Alaska to Hawaii to Korea and beyond; from Panama to Puerto Rico to Iceland and beyond. Whatever the need—for the spirit of Liberty, for the future we're making—I, The American Soldier, am the Shield.—The Army Reservists.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sander and children, Ronnie Jean Lassiter and Betty Jane Davis spent the day at Mathis Lake, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Campbell and daughter Connie Sue of Houston spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kinsel. Connie Sue stayed on for a week's visit with Carol Kinsel.

Mustang District Scoutmasters Begin Planning Session Sept. 8

Boy Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters of the Mustang District will begin their fall activities with a planning session and barbecue at the Corpus Christi Lake cabin of Louis Kruger on Saturday, September 8th, it was announced today by E. Charles Lewis, District Commissioner. This session was originally set for late August but was changed because of major conflict in dates.

The planning session will get underway at 3:30 p.m. and continue until time for the barbecue. All Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters are urged to attend this vital meeting, added Lewis. Cub Leaders and Explorer Leaders will inaugurate their fall activities at the regular monthly meeting of the adult leaders of Scouting at the Sinton High School on Thursday, August 30th with the meeting starting at 7:30 p.m.

N. F. Jackson is flying to New Orleans, La. Thursday on Shrimp Association of the Americas business. He will be accompanied by Mr. Sidney Herndon of Corpus Christi who is president of the Texas Association.

Mrs. W. F. Hawes and grandson Mickey Collins of Austin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Stokes in Falfurrias last week.

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

As provided in Article 689 (A) 11 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, will conduct a public hearing in their regular meeting place in the County Courthouse in the City of Rockport on the proposed budget for said County for the calendar year 1957.

Said hearing will commence at 2 p.m. on the 30th day of August, 1956. Any taxpayer of Aransas county has the right to attend and participate in said hearing.

By order of the Commissioners' Court.

John D. Wendell County Judge, Aransas County, Texas. c20

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

In compliance with Article 2368A, sealed bids addressed to County Judge, Aransas County, Rockport, Texas, will be received at office of County Judge until 10:00 o'clock a.m., August 31, 1956, for:

- 1. Furnishing and installing One Hundred Two (102) Court room chairs in Aransas County Courthouse in Rockport, Texas.
II. Two (2) Counters with shelving, according to specifications as prepared by Lynn A. Evans, Architect and A. Roy Abbot, Designer.
III. Certain furniture, equipment and/or fixtures for the new Aransas County Courthouse, Rockport, Texas.

Instructions to bidders, specifications and plans are on file at the Office of the County Judge, Rockport, Texas.

Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.

ARANSAS COUNTY By John D. Wendell, County Judge c20

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Congressman, 14th District: JOHN A. YOUNG

For State Representative, 35th District: HAROLD B. PARISH, re-election ROY HINTON of Rockport

For County Attorney: WELDON CABANISS, re-election

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: A. C. SHIVERS

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1: W. B. ALLEN, re-election For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: A. L. DAVIS, re-election For Constable, Precinct No. 1: E. A. BROWN, re-election

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Texas Port Tonnage Up Over 155% In Past 15 Years

The six top ports of Texas, according to a report just released by the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, are Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Corpus Christi, Texas City and Port Aransas. Between them, during 1955, they handled 128,845,251 tons of ocean-going and Intracoastal Waterway traffic.

Houston accounted for a little over a third of this total; Port Arthur and Beaumont combined handled only six million tons less, while Corpus Christi, Texas City, and Port Aransas processed another 40 million tons of freight.

All other ports combined (and there are 22 more listed) handled only an additional 17.8 million to bring the over-all total to 147.7 million short tons. However, this contrasts with 98.5 million in 1940, an increase of approximately 155% during the 15-year period.

During the same time, traffic on the Intracoastal Waterway

has increased tremendously.

In 1940 a total of 7,287,296 tons moved along the canal to ports between Sabine, Texas, and Corpus Christi. This continued to climb until, in 1947, freight tonnage had more than doubled, reaching a total of 16,966,719 tons in this, the last year before the canal was opened through the Laguna Madre, to Brownsville.

This opened several new ports, Port Mansfield, Rio Harlingen-Harlingen, Port Isabel and Brownsville to barge traffic.

The first year (1948) only 25,842 tons of freight moved down the canal below Corpus Christi. The second saw an increase of 1200% in traffic over that part of the waterway and, with few exceptions, each year since has shown considerable growth.

Today, the Corps of Engineers says, over a million tons a year move between Corpus Christi and Brownsville.

The heaviest movement over the entire canal, from Sabine to Brownsville, occurred in 1952, when 30,398,111 tons were reported.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 13, 1956

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 39 proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, to be known as Section 51-b, giving the Legislature power to provide, under such limitations and restrictions as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient, for assistance to needy individuals who are citizens of the United States, who are more than eighteen (18) years of age and less than sixty-five (65) years of age, who are permanently and totally disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap and not feasible for vocational rehabilitation, who are residents of the State of Texas, except that the individuals who are receiving aid for the permanently and totally disabled may not be citizens of the State of Texas, except that the amount paid to that individual from Federal funds may not exceed One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) per year.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 51-b which shall read as follows:

Section 51-b. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by general laws, under such limitations and restrictions as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient, for assistance to needy individuals, who are citizens of the United States, who have passed their eighteenth (18th) birthday but have not passed their sixtieth (60th) birthday, who are totally and permanently disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap and not feasible for vocational rehabilitation, and who are residents of the State of Texas, who have resided in this State for at least one (1) year continuously immediately preceding the application and who have resided in the State for at least an additional five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application...

Section 2. The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Government of the United States such financial aid for individuals who are permanently and totally disabled as that Government may offer not inconsistent with the restrictions herein provided in a court of record or otherwise.

Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the election of the State of Texas on the second Tuesday in November, 1956, at which election there shall be printed on the ballot the following and clearly legible words:

"FOR the Amendment giving the Legislature the power to provide for assistance to needy individuals (20) a month out of State funds for each needy individual, eighteen (18) years of age or older, who is a resident of the State of Texas and who is permanently and totally disabled by reason of his mental or physical handicap."

"AGAINST the Amendment giving the Legislature the power to provide for assistance to needy individuals (20) a month out of State funds for each needy individual, eighteen (18) years of age or older, who is a resident of the State of Texas and who is permanently and totally disabled by reason of his mental or physical handicap."

Section 4. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of the State.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1956

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending Section 43a, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize needed changes in and revision of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas; providing that this section shall not amend, alter, or repeal Section 63 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas as adopted November, 1954, or any enabling legislation passed pursuant thereto; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 43a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 43a. In addition to the powers given the Legislature under Section 48, Article III, it shall have the right to levy a tax to establish a fund to provide retirement, disability and death benefits for persons employed in the public schools, colleges and universities supported wholly or partly by the State; provided that the amount contributed by the State to such fund shall be equal to the aggregate amount required by law to be paid into the fund by such employees, and shall not exceed at any time six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid each such person by the State and/or school district, and shall in no case (1) year exceed the sum of Five Hundred Four Dollars (\$504.00) for any such person; and provided that no person shall be eligible for retirement who has not rendered ten years of creditable service in such employment, and in no case shall any person retire before either attaining the age fifty-five (55) or completing thirty (30) years of creditable service; and that no person shall be entitled to refund of money paid into the fund.

"The Legislature may authorize all moneys coming into such fund to be invested in bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of the United States, or of this State, or any county, city, school district or other municipal corporation or district of this State; or in such other securities as are now or hereafter may be permitted by law as investments for the Permanent University Fund of this State; provided a sufficient sum shall be kept on hand to meet payments as they become due each year under such retirement plan, as may be provided by law; and provided that the recipients of such retirement fund shall not be eligible for any other State pension or retirement fund or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless such other State pension or retirement fund, contributed by the State, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension; and provided, however, that this section shall not amend, alter, or repeal Section 43 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas as adopted November, 1954, or any enabling legislation passed pursuant thereto."

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1956, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the constitutional amendment empowering the Legislature to revise the existing Teacher Retirement System and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the State, authorizing that the State's contributions for such purposes shall equal contributions by such employees and providing that they do not exceed six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid each such employee by the State or school district or the sum of Five Hundred Four Dollars (\$504.00) for each year for any such employee, regulating the eligibility of such employees for retirement benefits and prescribing the manner of investing money accruing to the retirement fund."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment empowering the Legislature to revise the existing Teacher Retirement System and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the State, authorizing that the State's contributions for such purposes shall equal contributions by such employees and providing that they do not exceed six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid each such employee by the State or school district or the sum of Five Hundred Four Dollars (\$504.00) for each year for any such employee, regulating the eligibility of such employees for retirement benefits and prescribing the manner of investing money accruing to the retirement fund."

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

However, traffic fluctuates, and in 1955 it amounted to only 26,196,359 short tons. Even so, this was more than 300% greater than fifteen years earlier, at which time the report starts.

However, Rockport's part of all this is somewhat smaller. In 1952, for instance, the first year of record, 24,152 tons of traffic were recorded, consisting largely of fish shrimp and fish, with an assist from the oil industry. The following year, only 3,170 tons were recorded. This jumped back to 9,219 tons in 1954, and to 17,275 in 1955, most of which was oil and shrimp.

Watch Out For Food Poisoning During Hot Weather

AUSTIN—Hot weather means increased possibility of food poisoning if foods aren't handled carefully, according to Dr. Henry A. Holle, Commissioner of Health. Bacteria grow more readily when the weather is warm and this presents the danger of food poisoning. Modern refrigeration and sanitary handling can eliminate part of the danger, but food poisoning still occurs, largely because of carelessness.

Sickness from food poisoning usually strikes quickly and violently. Those who do not eat the infected food escape. Usually in one to four hours after eating contaminated food, victims feel ill. If it is a mild case of poisoning, recovery usually begins in eight to 12 hours, but victims may feel the ill effects for several days.

Usual symptoms of food poisoning are diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, abdominal cramps and weakness. The effects of food poisoning may be mild, causing only slight weakness and discomfort, or they may be severe enough to result in death. Unfortunately, you can't always tell if food is safe by its appearance, smell or taste. A physician should be called when any of the symptoms of food poisoning are felt.

The staphylococcus organism grows best in foods which are quite fatty, such as ham, pork, salads, or sandwiches with rich dressings, cream pies, cream puffs or any food with custard fillings. When you prepare a picnic lunch, or a lunch to take to work, it is best not to include these foods in it unless they can be kept chilled until eaten.

Possibly the worst feature of staphylococcus infection is the ease and speed with which it is transmitted to large numbers of persons. It can easily start from a small cut or sore on the hands or body of a careless food-handler.

Botulism, which is about the most dangerous kind of food poisoning, may be found in home

canned vegetables that have not been preserved properly. Home canned string beans seem to be one of the chief foods carrying this poison. Commercially canned food is safe.

Canned food of any kind that appears foamy and smells bad should be thrown away. Never taste food which is suspected of being spoiled. A very small amount of botulism poison may be fatal. Home canned food that is spoiled should be kept away from small children and buried, where animals cannot find it.

Julia Fox is visiting a few days in Corpus with Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Close.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Brunnett, Jr. of Corpus visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mills Sunday.

Verna Ann Haseman and Jeanie Gibson of Corpus are visiting with Linda Mills this week.

Miss Cissy Rowe and Dorothy are visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowe and son in Sabinal, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bissett of Beeville, Texas visited with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett this week.

John Lee Bissett of Bay City, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett is visiting in Rockport this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Close and sons of Corpus visited with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Close and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hart Sunday.

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FOR the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed Fifteen Cents (15c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This Section shall not be construed as a limitation of power delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other Section or Sections of this Constitution."

Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1956, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Commissioners Court in each county to levy whatever sums may be necessary for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund purposes so long as the total of these funds does not exceed a maximum tax rate of Eighty Cents (80c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year and so long as the Court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations."

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Section 2. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 3. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed Thirty-five Cents (35c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation, and no county, city or town shall levy a tax rate in excess of Eighty Cents (80c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund purposes; provided further that at the time the Commissioners Court meets to levy the annual tax rate for each county it shall levy whatever tax rate may be needed for the four (4) constitutional purposes; namely, general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund; so long as the Court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations; and so long as the total of the foregoing tax levies does not exceed Eighty Cents (80c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year; and so long as the Court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations."

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Section 5. Any person accused of a felony less than capital in this State, who has been heretofore twice convicted of a felony, shall be deemed to be a person who has been heretofore twice convicted of a felony; providing for the submission of the proposed Amendment to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1956, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that a court, judge or magistrate may deny bail to a person who has been convicted of two (2) previous felonies."

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Harry Carter Minister in Charge Holy Communion and Sermon, first Sunday each month, at 7:30 p.m., other Sundays, Morning Prayer and Sermon at 9:00 a.m. Church School each Sunday at 10:15 a.m. Choir rehearsal is each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. The Woman's Auxiliary meets the first Thursday at 3:30 p.m., and the Bishop's Committee on the second Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fr. G. J. O'Doherty, Pastor 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.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. D. Broadway, Pastor Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; preaching service 10:45 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.; Training Union, 7:00 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.; Sunday School workers meeting, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Women meet every Monday.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

B. R. Thompson Bible class, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 10:50 a.m.; Sunday evening class, 6:30; Sunday evening worship, 7:30; Wednesday night service, 7:30; ladies Bible class, Thursday, 10:00 a.m. and men's Bible class at 7:30 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

Rev. Floyd Wren, pastor Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; church 10:45 a.m.; BTU Sunday, 7 p.m.; preaching, 7:45; prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Thursday 3 p.m., Women's Missionary Unit.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Wm. H. Law, Pastor Sunday school, 9:45; Preaching service, 11 o'clock; Evening Evangelistic service, 7:45; Week night service Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. Arnott Ward, Minister Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship service, 11:00 a.m.; evening service, 7:30 p.m.; Men of the Church, first Thursday of each month, 6:30 p.m.; Pioneer Young People, each Tuesday evening, 7:00 p.m.; Senior Young People, each Wednesday evening, 7:00 p.m.; Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Women of the Church, fourth Thursdays, 3:00 p.m.; Circle 1, Second Thursday, 9:30 a.m.; Circle 2, Second Thursday, 3:00 p.m.; Circle 3 (Evening Circle), Second Monday, 7:30 p.m.; Circle 4, Third Thursday, 3:00 p.m.; Circle 5, Second Thursday, 9:30 a.m.; Session meeting, Second Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Deacon's meeting, Third Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dana Green, Pastor Sunday school, 9:30; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; Methodist Men, 2nd Thursday, 7:30; WSCS, general meeting, 4th Thursday, 3 p.m.; fellowship dinner, 3rd Sunday at noon; Intermediate MYF, Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

NORTHSHIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Dick McClure, Pastor Sunday school, 9:45; preaching service, 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; prayer service, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

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

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Aransas Pass Otto F. Marshall, Pastor Bible school 9:45; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lone Star Park Bldg. ARANSAS PASS Sunday school and Bible class, 10:00 a.m.; Worship service, 11:00 a.m.

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Mr. Bernard Fox of McAllen, Texas visited with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fox and family last week.

Mrs. Joe Marshall and daughter have gone to Dallas to visit with her parents.

N. F. Jackson is now home from the hospital and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Canavero and grandchildren of Galveston are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hosford.

Mrs. Somer Smith and son Charles and Layton Lott visited in Galveston Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ricks and Vicki visited in Corpus Christi Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Parr and son of Delmita, Texas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ricks over the weekend.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 31 proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto another Section, to be designated as Section 61-c, which shall read as follows: 'Section 61-c. The Legislature may grant aid and compensation to persons who have been fined or imprisoned under the laws of this State for offenses of which they are not guilty.'

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 46 proposing an amendment to Article XVII, Section 1, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, changing the form of the Oath of Office to include appointive officers of the State.

NOTICE TO TOURIST COURT OWNERS AND BUSINESS MEN:

Keep in mind that recently, when the quest of money for passes came up, Harold Parish, your present representative, was so utterly ignorant of the source of such funds that, instead of going to the Texas Game & Fish Commission, which can allocate them, he, to make the front pages and to show off before people who knew less than he did about it, wired John Bell in Congress.

Such a wire, based on lack of knowledge and sent to a man who had no control over such funds, was a publicity gesture and had no more effect on the situation than did any other big wind blowing. In fact, not as much, for a hurricane will sometimes open passes.

Roy Hinton if elected Representative, will work toward the rehabilitation of our bays and establishing of passes to bring about better fishing and encourage our tourists to return to the Rockport area again.

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Roy Hinton



For State Representative

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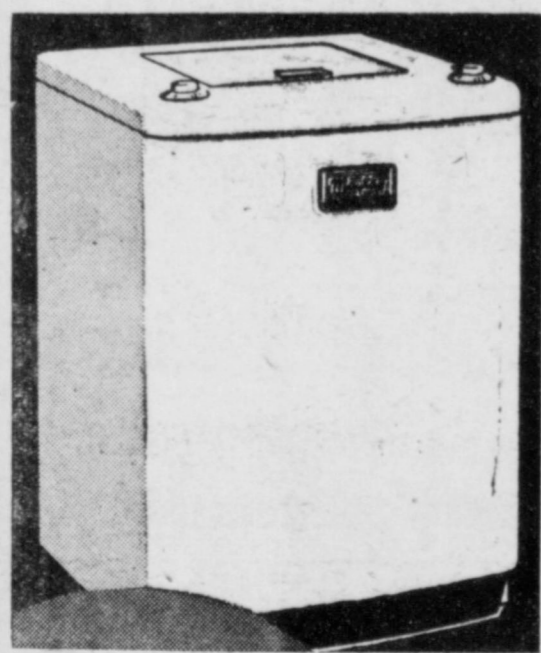
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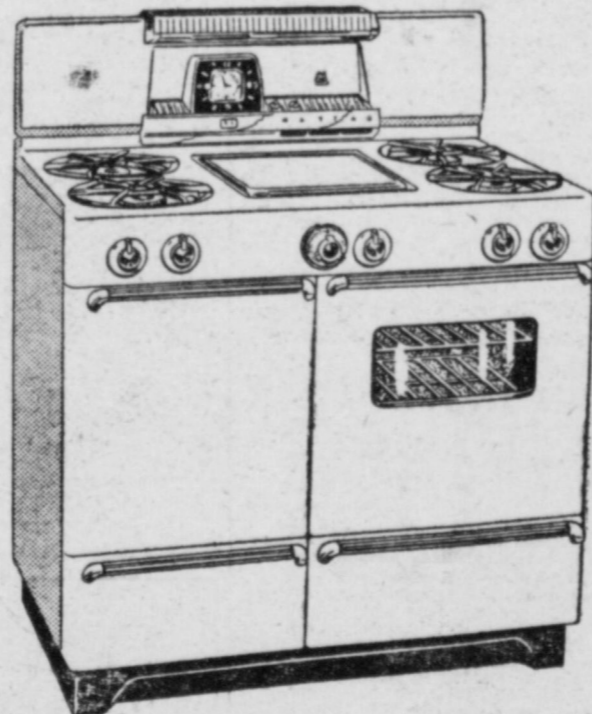
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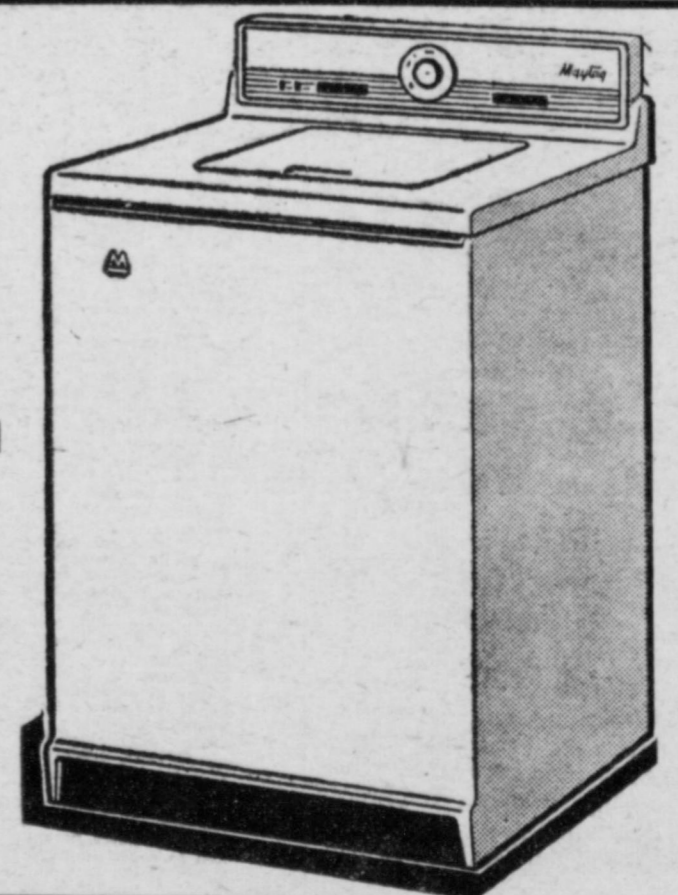
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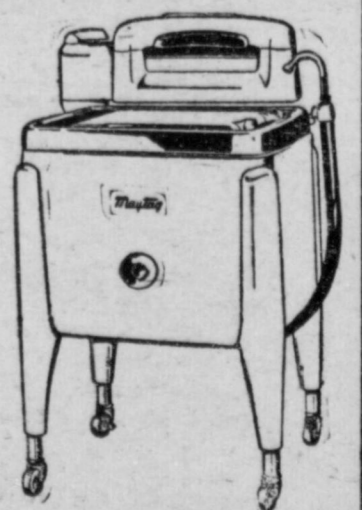
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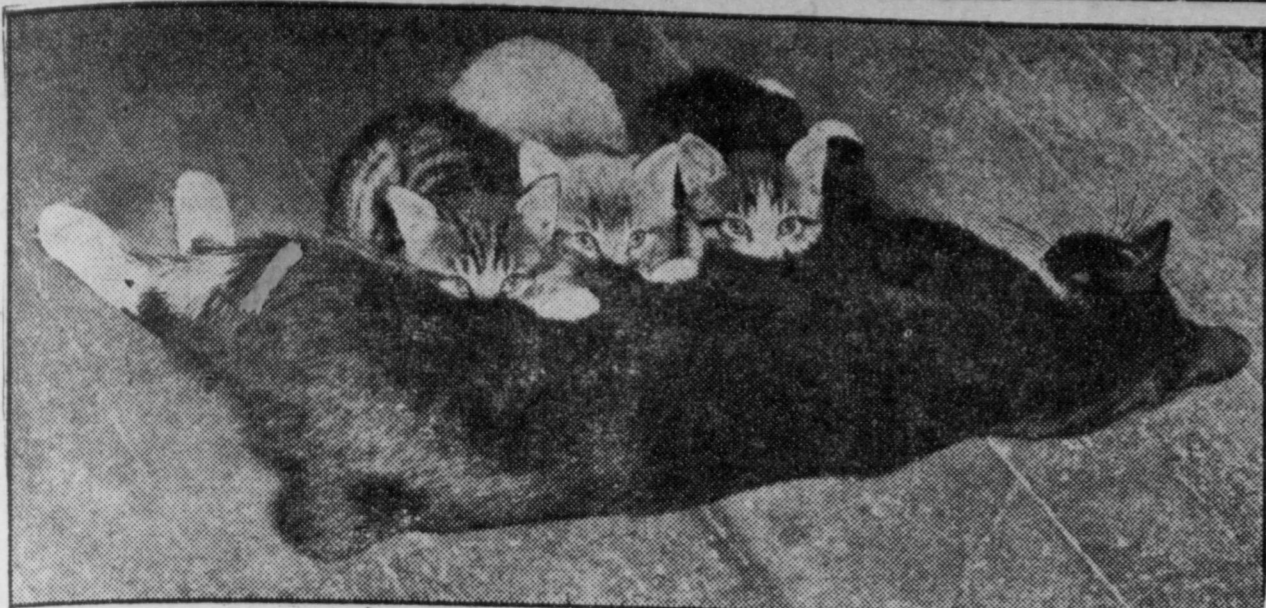
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"WATCH OUT FOR THE BOSS"—Three "secretaries" hustle through a mid-morning "coffee break" from the feline catering service before hurrying back to business—mischief-making—in Utica, N.Y. Curiosity may not always kill the cat, but it makes kittens prime subjects for an alert photographer.

Baby Whale Shark Specimen to Remain In Rockport

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The unborn whale shark looked remarkably like its parent and was just 14 1/2 inches long from nose to the tip of its tail.

This solved a 125-year-old mystery, the largest fish in existence today is an egg layer. Texas is now it

Mrs. Arthur Bracht Entertains at Bridge

Mrs. Arthur Bracht of Fulton entertained with 3 tables of bridge at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Those playing were: Mesdames J. V. Ferguson, Chas. Cleveland, A. L. Bracht, Travis Johnson, Leonard LeBlanc, Chas. Picton, Fred Bracht, E. T. White, Joe H. Slocum, J. Burney Wilson of Houston, Misses Mable and Genevieve Bracht.

Mrs. Joe Slocum won high score. Mrs. Cras. Cleveland, second high and Mrs. Travis Johnson won the bingo prize.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boone are proud parents of a boy born August 16th at the Aransas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mundine and son of Combes and Mrs. Elbert Haynes were weekend visitors in Fulton and Rockport. Mrs. Haynes is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Weber.

Victor Clark, brother of Mr. Carolyn C. Hooper and Mr. Travis Bailey, is in Memorial Hospital in Corpus Christi, where he underwent emergency surgery. According to Mrs. Hooper, he is progressing nicely.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ARANSAS COUNTY:

Roy Hinton has worked hard to make a good candidate and to be worthy of the fine support received in the last primary.

He has not been able to see all the people in Aransas County, because, realizing the odds against him in the larger counties, it became necessary to spend most of his time in the smaller counties, so as to insure the people of these counties.

It is important for the people to realize that Aransas County will vote as to whether Roy Hinton will be the officer elected from your county.

Keep in mind that I am working toward the rehabilitation and development of passes which will be of benefit to the tourist industry of this county.

His opponent, Mr. ... the use of the coastal money from mud she ... federal government, ... was there to be spent ... will not be caught ... important!

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Home modernization will enjoy a healthy increase in the Coastal Bend as a result of more liberal terms on loans insured under FHA's Title I program, according to Tom W. Lankford, president of Coastal Bend Retail Lumber Dealers Association.

"Recent changes in the national housing law permit home owners to borrow more for repair and modernization work, and monthly payments on larger jobs are lower than ever before because owners can take longer to repay a loan if the amount exceeds \$600," Lankford said.

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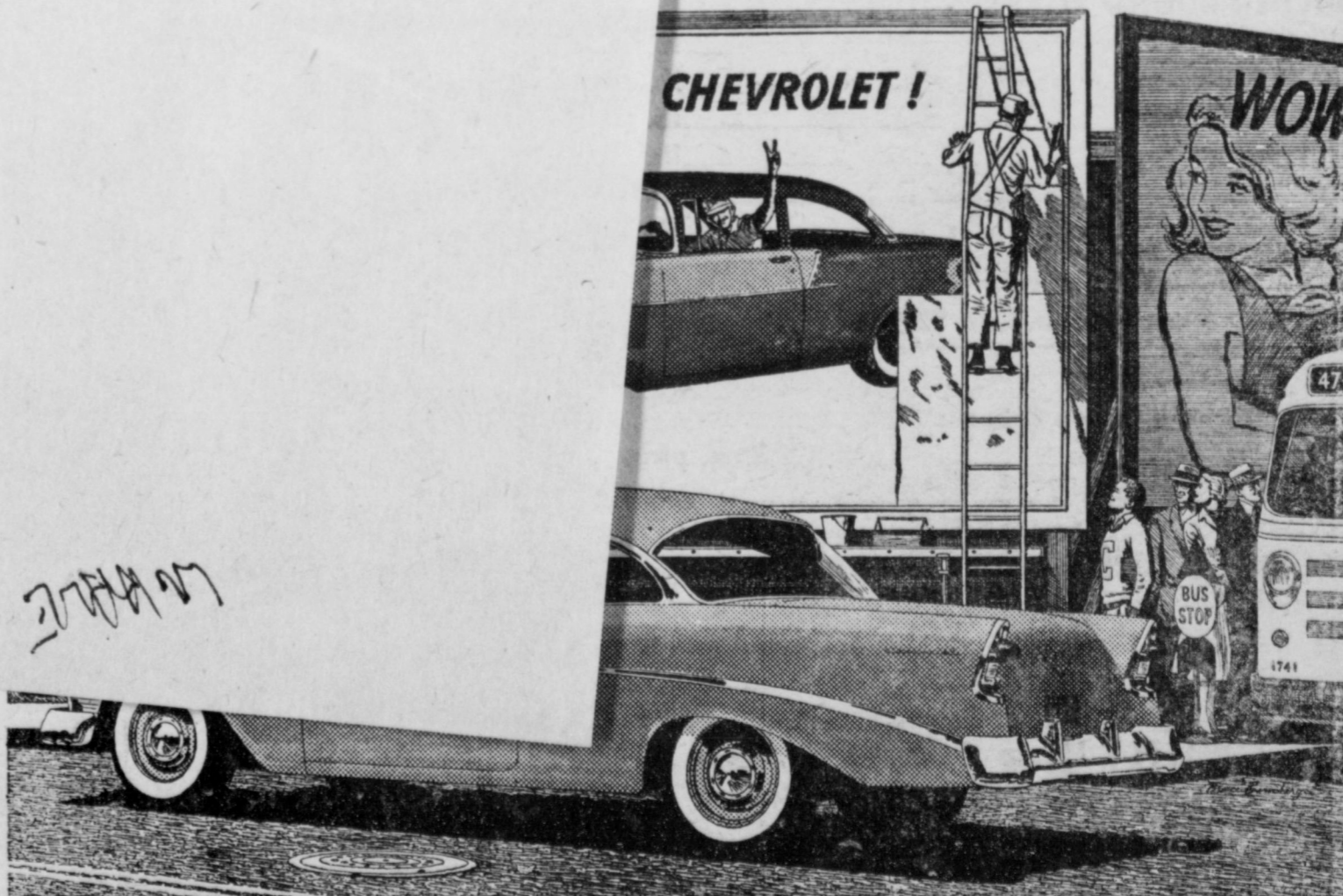
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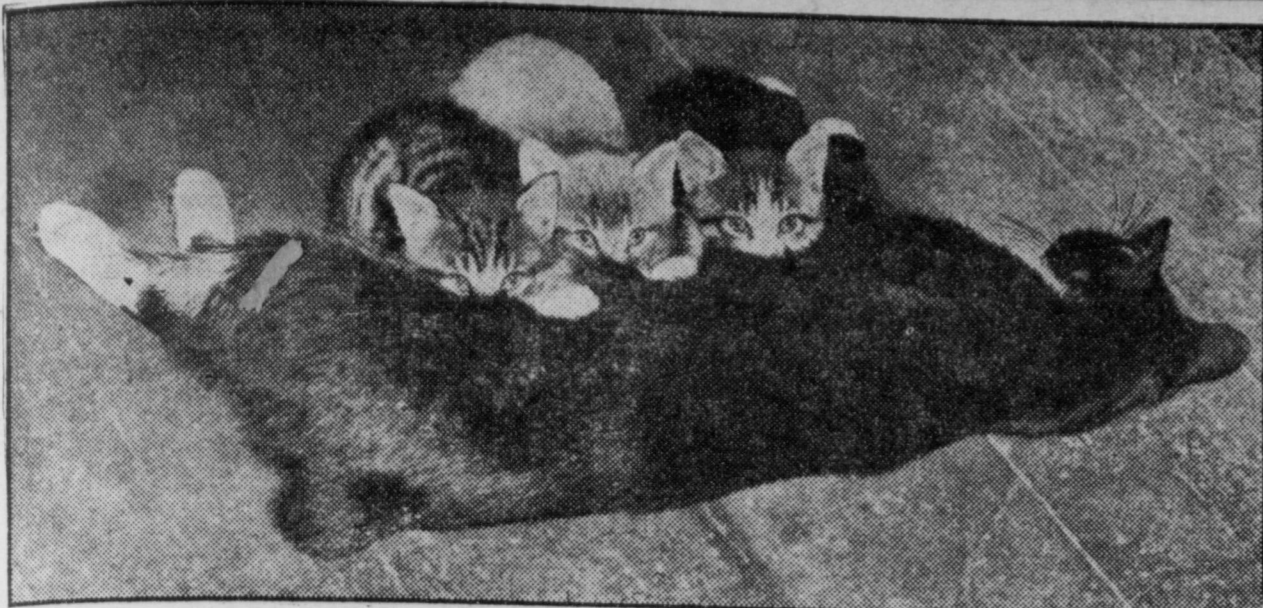


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Baby Whale Shark Specimen to Remain In Rockport

Leonard P. Schultz of the Smithsonian Institution, United States National Museum, Washington, D. C. has asked the Marine Laboratory of Rockport for the specimen of the egg case and the baby whale shark that is on display here.

The whale shark is the world's largest known fish. The largest one on record is 45 feet long. One 38 foot specimen was calculated to weigh 26,594 pounds.

The shark has no means of offense or defense except its size. Many things are not known about the whale shark but the most baffling of these was the method by which the young are born.

On June 29, 1953, the shrimp boat "Doris" of Aransas Pass was dragging for shrimp in 31 fathoms of water off the coast of Mexico, 130 miles south of Port Isabel, when the trawl picked up a dark amber translucent egg case containing an unborn whale shark. Mr. Douglas Freeze, a member of the crew saved the egg case, keeping it on ice for four days. Upon returning to Port Isabel he notified the Marine Laboratory here. J. P. Breuer, marine biologist, brought it here for identification and to be preserved.

The unborn whale shark looked remarkably like its parent and was just 14 1/2 inches long from nose to the tip of its tail.

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Texas is now in possession of the world's smallest whale shark. Even though the National Museum would like to have this specimen it will remain on display in the museum of the Marine Laboratory here in Rockport, according to Cecil Reid, director.

The specimen is displayed along with the story of the whale shark.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ingersoll and daughter and Myra left Thursday for Atlanta, Ga. and returned home Tuesday morning. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Melton.

Johnnie Reese, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Reese received treatment at the Elliot-Hughes Clinic Sunday morning for a severe cut on the left eye which required 5 stitches.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Happner and "Chuke" visited in Comfort, Texas over the weekend. Shirley who has been visiting with her grandmother Mrs. Nell Webb came back with them and stopped off at San Marcos where she attends school.

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"Monthly payments on major improvements can be as much as 35 per cent lower than under the old law. For example, a loan of \$1000 can be repaid over a five year period at the rate of \$20.97 per month, whereas a monthly payment of \$34.94 was required when the maximum amortization period was three years.

"FHA now will insure property improvement loans as large as \$3500, as compared with the previous limit of \$2500, and the rate of interest is lower on amounts over \$2500.

"In addition, buyers of newly-built homes now can take advantage of FHA loan insurance earlier than before. The waiting or occupancy period on loans to owners of new homes now does not apply on work costing \$600 or less, and has been reduced to 90 days on larger loans.

"The home owner has the choice of repaying FHA-insured loans in a shorter period than five years if desired, and amounts as small as \$200 can be borrowed under the plan.

"The increase in the maximum amount that can be insured will be of special interest to owners wishing to undertake extensive improvements on older homes or wanting to add extra rooms to newer dwellings."

Janis and Caroline Clark returned this week from visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Rossie Clark, at Monahans, where they spent their vacation.

Mr. W. N. Greene, Los Angeles attorney, and his family are visiting at the Ellis Clark home this week. Mr. Greene is Mrs. Clark's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Baldwin and daughter have been visiting in Huntsville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baldwin, from there they went to Galena Park and visited with Mrs. Baldwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Happner and "Chuke" and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mullinax have been vacationing in Garner State Park.

Mrs. DeWilton B. Jeffries and children of Houston have returned to their home after spending the summer with Mrs. Chas. T. Picton.

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Future Homemakers Schedule Picnic

The Future Homemakers of America are giving a picnic and swimming party for all new girls entering the homemaking department at Aransas County High School this year.

The event is scheduled for Monday evening, at 4:30 on Rockport Beach.

Ann Stephens and Joyce Ann Barber were on the arrangements committee, with Mrs. Jim Cruser, teacher of the department.

Texas Dem Leaders Face Hard Selling Job

Chicago — Two tough political jobs face the new Texas Democratic leaders when they return home from the national convention: Selling their presidential ticket and maintaining unity.

Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson and Speaker Sam Rayburn at last have gotten the Texas party back in physical harmony with the national party organization, if not in total agreement on political philosophy.

Texas now has two full-time loyalist members of the national committee that went to work Saturday on its primary objective: Electing Adlai Stevenson and Estes Kefauver. They are Byron Skelton of Temple and Mrs. Frankie Randolph of Houston.

Ike Still Strong Many members of the Texas delegation believe it is going to be a hard selling job in Texas, where President Eisenhower still is a powerful threat.

It is going to take some neat political footwork and furious talking by many of the Texas delegates to persuade other Texans to vote for the Stevenson-Kefauver combination. Most of the Texas delegates didn't ever want Kefauver, and that included the top leaders. They probably are going to have to do some reconciling with him, also.

On the state level, liberal-loyalists on the Texas delegation won from Johnson a pledge that he would not permit the conservatives to steal the Sept. 11 state convention.

Little Hope Many of the liberals said off the record that they held little hope that Ralph Yarborough would be able to win over Sen. Price Daniel in the governor's race.

They were afraid that they would be left out in the cold on the new state executive committee if Daniel wins the race. What they hope for now, if Daniel wins, is at least a minority voice on the important central committee which has been dominated for seven years by Gov. Allan Shivers and his conservatives.

Johnson promised that the presidential electors named in May would be loyal to the national party and cast Texas' votes for the Democratic nominee if the



'TWIXT SEASONS — The change from summer to fall will be graced with this transition ensemble, above. Topping off the season-bridger is a red plaid, sleeveless bell-hop jacket. It buttons in brass over a gray cotton dress with scooped neckline and skirt of unpressed pleats.

Democratic ticket carries the state.

Carol Kinsel and Charles Atchley Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Atchley and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kinsel entertained Charles Atchley and Carol Kinsel with a "Farmer and Farmerette" party on the patio of the Kinsel home Monday night. Jackie Deason won the prize for the girls costume. Gary Thomas won the boys prize. Mrs. Roy Lee Hart and Mrs. Stanley Bissett assisted with the games.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cold drinks and cake were served to the following guests: Mary Ann Barber, Susie Eller, Frances LeBlanc, Sue Armstrong, Terry Ankele, Betty Stryker, Jackie Deason, Dorothy Rowe and Connie Sue Campbell of Houston, Jimmie Jackson, Gary Thomas, Mike Smith, Johnnie Keith, Buddy Carroll, John Lee Bissett of Bay City and the honorees, Charles and Carol.

Mrs. W. E. Martin, mother of Mrs. Ellis Clark, from Hugo, Okla., is visiting at the Clark home this week.

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Mrs. Wilson was presented with the guest prize, Mrs. Dick Denny won the prize for high score, Mrs. Travis Johnson low and Miss McFall the Bingo prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McLester and family of Iran, Texas visited with the Prophets and McLesters over the weekend.

Houston Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bracht Make Big Catches

Mrs. Hazel Bryson Oliver, of Oliver's Armature Works, Houston, and her party, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bracht, came in Wednesday morning with a huge catch of kingfish, caught from Willie Close's boat, the Missie III. The fish were biting so rapidly, Willie said, that at one time, the fishermen had four kings on at one time, and they wound up with 21.

With Mrs. Oliver were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Robinson, and her brother, J. V. Bryan.

Mr. Bryan is a bailiff in the court of Judge A. C. Winborn, in Houston, and Mr. Robinson is electrical foreman for the Cameron Iron Works.

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| 29c FRITOS | | 23c |
| SUGAR | 5 lbs. | 47c |
| PURPLE PLUMS, Hunt's, 2 1/2 can | | 21c |
| PICKLES, Del Dixie, Dill or Sour | quart | 25c |
| SLICED PINEAPPLE, House of George, No. 2 can | | 23c |
| COOKIES, Mama's, 5 doz, assorted flavors | | 21c |
| POST TOASTIES, 8 oz. boxes | 2 for | 25c |
| TOMATO SOUP, Campbell's | 2 for | 21c |
| PORK AND BEANS, Marshall, No. 300 can | 2 for | 19c |
| SWEET POTATOES, Evangeline, No. 2 1/2 can | | 21c |
| CORN, Whole Kernel, Kounty Kist, 12 oz. can, 2 for | | 31c |

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| PRESERVES, Bama Peach, 12 oz. | 19c |
| TIDE, large | 29c |
| LONE STAR BEER, Carton 6 one way bottles | 89c |
| STARCH, Sta-Flo Liquid | Quart 23c; 1/2 gal. 43c |
| PURE LARD, Roegelein | 3 lbs. 49c |
| BLACK PEPPER, McCormick | 4 oz. 29c |
| TISSUE, Northern Colored | 3 for 25c |
| NAPKINS, Northern Colored | 2 for 25c |
| KOTEX, 12's | 29c |
| TOMATO SAUCE, Texas Magic | 2 for 13c |
| NEW POTATOES, Del Monte, No. 303 can | 2 for 25c |
| PEAS, Garden, Kounty Kist, No. 303 can | 2 for 29c |
| SARDINES, American | 3 for 25c |
| RAISIN BRAN, Skinners | 2 for 35c |
| MACARONI & SPAGHTTI, 7 oz. pkg. | 2 for 23c |
| CRACKERS, Nabisco Honey Graham | lb. pkg. 31c |
| WAFFLE SYRUP, Staley Red Label | quart 49c |
| COFFEE, H & H | lb. pkg. 84c |
| COFFEE, H & H Master Chef | lb. can 87c |
| CELERY | 9c |
| PEARS, Bartlett | lb. 15c |
| AVOCADOS, Cuban | each 9c |
| ONIONS, Yellow | lb. 9c |
| LEMONS | 2 lbs. 29c |
| FLOUR, Pillsbury's Best | 5 lbs. 49c; 25 lbs. 1.89 |
| CAKE MIXES, Pillsbury, chocolate fudge, yellow white, spice or orange | 5 for 99c |
| FROSTING MIXES, Pillsbury, Creamy Fudge | 33c |
| Fluffy White | 29c |

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City and County Officials Receive Fire Warning From State Commissioner

City and county officials in the area have been the recipients of the following letter concerning grass fires, which is self-explanatory and should be read by everyone.

In Rockport we have had 9 grass fires since the first of August, none of them doing any great amount of damage. However, all of us can remember the one that threatened Fulton about ten years ago, and that actually burned up nine or ten houses, as well as doing a great deal of other damage.

The letter, from the Fire Insurance Division, Board of Insurance Commissioners, at Austin, says:

With the approach of the fall season fires having their origin

from dry grass, rubbish and brush will show a decided increase. This particular type of fire creates a problem in every community and in our rural areas.

We are quite confident that you will agree that grass, rubbish and brush are a definite fire hazard. Cleanliness and good housekeeping are as essential out-of-doors as they are within homes and plant properties. Rubbish and waste, for example, should not be allowed to accumulate out-of-doors where they can serve to aid in the spread of fire.

Dry weeds, grass and brush, particularly around buildings and along highways and railroad properties, present a definite fire hazard, and it is the responsibility of city officials and the owners of these properties to destroy such vegetation as a fire prevention measure. Removal of dry

grass and weeds by burning is a frequent cause of ignition of buildings where grass fires spread beyond control. Controlled burning under direct fire department supervision largely avoids this hazard. One of the most desirable methods is to cut grass and remove it or burn it in piles, with adequate fire extinguishing equipment available.

We suggest that the city officials of all Texas cities and towns immediately upon receipt of this communication contact the local fire marshal, fire chief and firemen, and all interested groups and organizations, for the purpose of a full discussion of the proper procedure to be employed in preventing fires having their origin from grass, rubbish and brush. We should like to direct your attention to the fact that "People and Not Things Cause Fires." It is, therefore, necessary to impress upon each individual that he is responsible and it is a community obligation for him to cooperate with you in preventing fires.

We suggest that you use your local newspaper, radio and T.V. stations as a means of communication in order that you might reach the people of your community and the people of your rural area.

Forest fires usually have their origin from a match, cigarette, or other smoking material, or unguarded camp fires. The fact that forest fires take an enormous toll in human lives and property damage, as well as creating an economic burden often creates an imperative public necessity that forest fires be controlled.

All Texas communities have the common problem of grass fires and particularly on vacant lots. Dry grass and weeds not only constitute a fire hazard but they constitute a health hazard. Any vacant lot, or other premises infested with dry grass and dead weeds, constitutes a serious fire hazard and such a condition is a violation of the local Fire Marshal Ordinance. We recommend to all city officials that this Ordinance be affectively enforced when the matter exists as a fire prevention measure.

In conclusion we suggest that you remind your citizens that it is unlawful for any person to negligently set on fire, or cause to be set on fire any woods, forest, cut over, brush, range or grassland belonging to himself and allowing such fire to spread to



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Bathing Beauty Contest At Aransas Shrimporee Sponsored by Jaycee-Ettes

Aransas Pass — A three-way beauty contest—tiny tots, juniors, and seniors—will be a part of the annual Aransas Pass Shrimporee, September 1-3, according to Mrs. Donald Belken, president of the Jaycee-Ettes, woman's auxiliary of the sponsoring organization, the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

"The contests," she said, "are open to girls from the surrounding towns, as well as from Aransas Pass, and if you don't have a sponsor, maybe we can help you find one. Just write the Junior Chamber of Commerce, Aransas Pass, and we'll mail you an entry blank."

Trophies will be given to first prize winners in the various classes, Mrs. Belken said, while winners of second and third places will be awarded gifts.

"We originally had another class set up," she said, "for Mrs. Shrimporee, and one of the qualifications was that the entrant must be married and have at least one child. However, unless we have a good deal more interest displayed in this than has been shown so far, we have decided to omit this class this year, and only to have the other three."

The beauty contests will be held on Saturday, September 1, at 2:00 p.m., and the awards will be made that night at 7:00, as a preliminary to the ceremony in which King Shrimporee is chosen.

The deadline for registering in the beauty contests is August 27, which is less than two weeks off, Mrs. Belken said, so she urges everyone interested in becoming a contestant to write or call for an entry blank, and to do this as quickly as possible.

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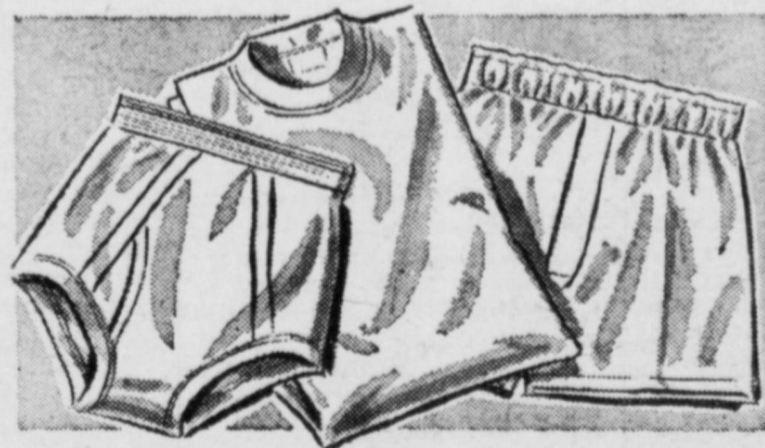
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WATERFRONT—

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time with Jimmy, they hooked 99. J. C. Lyons and party of San Antonio, fished Sunday with Eddie Edmonson, and snagged 40.

Brooke Wetzel, Dallas, did all right by himself and his party in three days of lively angling. On Monday, with Harry, the party caught an even hundred specks and a four-pound pompano. Tuesday Mrs. Lawler said, they brought in 50 trout and three nice reds, and on Wednesday, still fishing with Harry, they caught 241 trout and a three-pound pompano.

F. B. Whitley of Houston, out with Eddie Edmonson on Wednesday, came in with 85 trout.

Frazier Cantrel, on last Wednesday, fished Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hucker and Don Little, and they came in with 36 trout and larger whiting. On Thursday, Frazier said, he went after his new boat, a twenty-seven foot Chris Craft, and Saturday he tried it out. D. E. Williams, Rockdale, B. W. Shubal, Bryan, and Roy Hendle of Midland. The gang came in with 66 specks and a pompano. His Sunday party was Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Silverman and son, Rusty of Houston who came in with 45 trout and a gafftop. Tuesday he had Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Braswell and sons Larry and Jerry, of Houston, who came in with 72 trout.

Buck Armintrout says that on Thursday he had Maco C. Stewart and two sons of Corsicana, who caught 14 trout. On Friday he fished Mr. and Mrs. James Childress and their children, Carmen and Bob, of Ozona. They went to the Gulf and came in with three mackerel. On Saturday he had A. F. Gieger, of Waco, and Sam Wise, San Antonio, who caught 52 specks, Sunday he had Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Holt of Nashville, Arkansas, who caught 45 trout.

Hu Johnson fished Mrs. Adale Click and party of San Antonio, last Thursday, and tallied with 97 trout; Friday and Saturday he had Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Roller and party, of Houston. The first day they came in with 67 fish, and the second strung 203. On Sunday he had Bruce A. Tankel and party of Irving, and they caught 21. Monday Irvin Jolly and party, of Breckenridge caught 111 specks; Tuesday he fished Arnold Rudolph and party, of Yoakum, catching 63. On Wednesday, he had R. D. Jennings and party of Dallas, who caught 334 trout.

Curly Floyd says that H. A. Thompson and F. Pelt, of San Antonio, who fished out of his place Monday and caught 30 keepers, while Fred Schmidt and party, also of the Alamo City, had good luck. On Monday the gang caught 50 trout; on Tuesday they came in with 54 more; and on Wednesday they caught 77.

Willie Close had a good week. Thursday he had Mayor Kerr, of

Kemah, out and caught a 10½-pound red and ten big trout, wade fishing. On Friday he had Mrs. and Mrs. Durnell, who caught 53 specks; Saturday he fished Capt. Frank Filtch, of San Antonio, and they caught 21 kings down by the oil rig. Willie said that some of these would go over four feet. Sunday he had Messrs. Warren and Lorange, of Yoakum, bay fishing, and they came in with 70 specks. His Monday party caught 50 trout. Tuesday he fished Gene Pheffer and party of San Antonio, but they came in with only a few fish, as they caught in water too rough to fish in during the season's first norther, which also brought some rain. On Wednesday he brought in 21 king fish for a total of better than two hundred pounds, and that party is reported elsewhere in this issue of the Pilot.

Fred Christiles fished George C. Ebersberger of Boerne, last Thursday, and they brought in 5 bonita, 19 kings, and 4 snapper. On Friday he had John Morgan O'Brien, J. R. Thompson, and John Barber, of Refugio, who strung 14 kings and three snapper, and the same party came back on Wednesday and caught 8 kings. Saturday Edgar, Bubba and William Sheldon, fished with Fred, and brought in one king, one snapper and one mackerel. The following day, he had Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams, M. B. Williams, and Dunn Haby, of Uvalde, who also went to the Gulf and came in with four snapper. On Tuesday he fished Jimmie, Leonard, and Norbert Syech, and Willean Becken, all of Weimar, and made a nice catch of 101 trout, 2 gafftops and 1 pompano.

Bill Crist fished Dr. and Mrs. Henry Cornick, Ann and Jane, of Austin, on Saturday, and they caught 18 trout. His Wednesday party, Mr. and Mrs. Moore of San Antonio, strung 38 specks.

Mrs. Faucett, at Rattlesnake Point, says that Gus and Fred Strauss and Fred Strauss, Jr., all of Hallettsville, caught 35 specks last Friday. A. E. Tucker and Mr. Burleson, of Corpus Christi, checked in with 6 specks. N. Bowen and Gene White, Rockport, strung 19 trout. George Eckert, Monroe Housler, both of San Antonio, and Dr. Travis Housler, of El Paso, strung 150 trout.

Robert Helmon, J. W. Gollier, and L. B. Cleghorn of Ingleside, checked in with 18; Frank Zettis and son Rodney, of Temple, brought in 48 specks; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bice, Luling, strung 47, one of which weighed 5 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Andrews, and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Synasuk, San Antonio, brought in 75 trout and drum. Don Guion, Corpus Christi, with Leroy Cooper, of Festus, Mo., caught 40 pounds of trout and reds; Bill Standinger and Carl Phillips, Corpus Christi, tallied with 15. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grassmuck, San Antonio, caught 35; Dr. and Mrs. Nelson Greeman, San Antonio, strung 11; and Doyle Wear, Carl Basso, Oscar Garrett, and Johnnie Hein, San Antonio, caught 42.

Rev. Floyd Wren, Pastor of the First Baptist Church in Fulton has returned from a short vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Jackson are going to San Antonio for the weekend where they will attend the Silver Wedding Anniversary Celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Braden.

Ted Little is now at home from a Corpus Christi hospital and is recuperating nicely from a recent operation.



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PRICE DANIEL, YARBOROUGH LIST EXPENSES

Austin—Price Daniel reported that he had spent \$219,529.98 so far in his campaign to become Texas governor while Ralph Yarbrough said he had spent \$118,453 trying for the same job. Daniel's report, filed with the secretary of state, showed contributions totaling \$205,305.56, total loans of \$15,638.28 and debts of \$6063.45.

Daniel said he had spent \$32,407.51 since the first primary and had received \$20,866 in contributions. He listed a \$5000 loan from Ellen Daniel of Liberty. Yarbrough's expense account showed a total of \$115,202 in contributions and debts of \$15,005.

Will Wilson of Dallas, candidate for the Democratic nomination for attorney general, has spent \$74,921 in his race, the secretary of state's records showed Monday.

His opponent in the Aug. 25 runoff primary, Tom Moore of Waco listed a total of \$12,227 in expenses and \$12,713 in gifts. Moore also listed a debt of \$2475 plus the loan of a car and airplane. Wilson's contributions total \$56,897.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Riley and Johnnie of Kingsville, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Atwood over the weekend.

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Problems related to finding, catching, and processing Gulf of Mexico fish and shellfish will be tackled at the new U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service fishery laboratory to be built in 1956 at Pascagoula, Mississippi, Secretary of the Interior Fred A. Seaton announced July 18.

Contract for the construction of the new laboratory and auxiliary buildings has been awarded to the Oden Construction Company of Hattiesburg, Miss., for \$165,000. Engineers of the Service's Regional Office in Atlanta, Ga., will exercise general supervision of construction.

Research on methods and techniques for providing the highest quality pack of shrimp, oysters, tuna and other south Atlantic and Gulf seafoods will be one of the main tasks of the new laboratory. Heretofore technological work for the Gulf and south Atlantic was handled through the Service's laboratory at College Park, Md.

The new installation will provide facilities for the exploratory fishing and gear development program now being conducted in the Gulf area. The Service's exploratory fishing vessel OREGON, which operates in the Gulf of Mexico, is based at Pascagoula in connection with this program. Office space also will be furnished in the new laboratory for local personnel engaged in statistical work and the educational and market development programs.

Mrs. J. J. Fletcher, of Dallas, returned home Saturday after two weeks caring for her sister Mrs. Tom Rooke, during her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Herrera and family of Alice, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Nava for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ingersoll and Raymond of this city and Mrs. Marie Ingersoll of San Antonio visited their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Melton in Atlanta, Ga. last week.

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Traveling this year in Texas should be more enjoyable because of some 55,000 miles of highways that are kept in excellent condition at all times.

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