

Along The Waterfront



Out at Mills Wharf they had some nice catches to report, as well as some duck limits. Fritz Quelm and party, Lavernia, fishing last Saturday, strung 376 speckled trout, which is a lot of fish in anybody's country. Floyd Miller and party, San Antonio, fishing with Gene Gregory, caught 91 on that day, and then went back Sunday and caught 46 more, fishing with Herb. W. A. Freer and party, of Houston, fished Saturday with Herb and caught 246 trout, but on Sunday, when they fished with him again, only brought in 46.

W. L. Dennis, San Antonio, shot ducks Sunday morning until ten o'clock, getting 4 sprigs and a redhead, and two white fronted geese, then went fishing with Harry after 10 a. m. and caught 19 speckled trout. Elmer Gustafson and his party, Goliad, fishing with Gene Gregory on Sunday, caught 66 trout and a flounder. The following day, out with Herb Mills, they came in with 46 trout.

On Monday, Marvin Tyler, Eagle Lake, with Harry, got two duck limits early, and then went out and caught 122 specks. H. A. Hicks and party, Corpus Christi, with Herb, strung 140 trout; Joe Schoendarm and party, San Antonio, fishing with Eddie Edmonson, snagged 192 trout and a pompano; Pat Jones and party, Childress, caught 135 fish, including trout, drum, sheephead, and some nice reds.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Cole, out with Harry, caught 78 fish. In the duck department, besides those already mentioned, Otto Bruner, San Antonio, on Friday, killed three sprigs. Two youngsters, Walter Stelgas and Wayne Bowman, also of the Alamo city, shot 11 ducks in two days. Goose hunting is fair, Mrs. Lawler says, and duck hunting is good.

Out at Rattlesnake Point, Mrs. Faucett said, anglers caught 1373 trout over the last weekend, a lot of them going to anglers in San Antonio and its vicinity.

Saturday, J. R. Jackson and his son Jim, Rockport, caught five trout and five reds that averaged 12 pounds each.

WRECK NEAR PALM VILLAGE

Pat Neff Jones, 58, of Childress, Texas, driving a '56 Cadillac sedan, was headed south on the drive back of Palm Village, when John Hamilton King, 56, of Aransas Pass, driving a '50 Dodge pickup belonging to Heldenfels Brothers, sideswiped the Cadillac with his bumper, doing about \$300 damage. King's truck was undamaged.

Deputy Slim Haynes, who investigated the accident, gave Jones a summons for failure to yield right-of-way.

DOG POPULATION BEING CONTROLLED

According to a report made by John Baugh, in charge of the city pound, the dog population is being controlled, and since the rabies epidemic was declared, his department has destroyed 94 stray dogs, has four now being held, and has had eight redeemed. Fifteen cats have been destroyed.

ST. PETER'S SALE TO FEATURE GOOD WINTER CLOTHING

The rummage sale to be held at St. Peter's Parish Hall next Saturday will feature good winter clothing. Almost every garment will be cleaned and mended if necessary, and ready to wear. The sale will take place between 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m., on Saturday, Nov. 17.

ROCKPORT PTA SLATES MEETING

The next meeting of the Rockport PTA is scheduled for November 21, at 3:30 p. m., in the Rockport Elementary School Auditorium.

Rev. W. D. Broadway will be the principal speaker, and a program of musical numbers will be given by Junior High School Students.

Two Aransas Oilers Flow 252 Barrels

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 2 State Tract 10, Aransas County North Fulton Beach Field test 12.3 miles northwest of Rockport in Copano Bay, has been reworked and completed dually for 181,37 barrels of pipeline oil.

It flowed 111.4 barrels of 46.3 gravity oil from 40-shot perforations at 6,756-68 feet in a new sand. Tubing pressure on 8-64-inch choke was 875 pounds and gas-oil ratio was 1,730-1.

A flow of 69.95 barrels of 44.8 gravity oil was yielded through 8-64-inch choke from 40-shot perforations in 7-inch casing on bottom at 7,010 feet. Casing pressure was 1,250 pounds and gas-oil ratio was 5,943-1.

A northwest extension of the East Aransas Pass Field in Aransas County was completed dually, also. The M. T. Halbouty 1 Hepworth Unit produced gas and condensate from perforations at 7,282-02 feet in the Frio B-2 sand, making 1.6 million feet of gas and an ungauged amount of condensate through a 12/64-inch choke with 2,300 pounds tubing pressure. The oil sand was found in the Frio D-1 sand. From perforations at 7,612 and 7,622 feet, 38-gravity oil flowed at the rate of 129 barrels per day through a 10/64-inch choke.

The Hepworth well is four miles south of Rockport. Halbouty has 1,100 acres under lease.

Six-Lane Highway Project Backed By C of C To Be Thoroughly Surveyed

The State Highway Commission has ordered its engineers to make an intensive study, within 30 days, of the projected six-lane Federal highway from Orange to Brownsville.

This is the route in which the Rockport Chamber of Commerce has recently interested itself, sending delegates to various expressway conferences and to an Austin hearing before the Commission.

The study was announced by D. C. Greer, state highway engineer, in a letter to the Expressway Association's headquarters in Corpus Christi. On its results, said Greer, the Highway Commission will base its decision on what it calls "a meritorious project."

A request for action on the route was presented October 25, when 247 delegates from the coastal area between Houston and Brownsville met with the Commission in Austin. Rockport, which hopes to be included in the route, was represented there by members of the Aransas County Commissioners' Court and the Rockport Chamber of Commerce.

When the request was presented to the Committee, E. H. Thornton, Jr., chairman, told the group that the road was vital, but "there are not sufficient funds for such a project." Additional funds could come, he said, from either state or Federal legislation.

T. O. Foster, district highway engineer at Corpus Christi, said that Greer's request for further study probably would be channeled to the design department, and that his district and others would "probably be asked to submit what information we have" to be furnished Greer. He added that, so far, his office had not been asked for such information.

Greer's letter in part, read: "The Highway Commission has directed the engineering staff to make an intensive study of this entire route within the next 30 days and furnish additional information to the Commission that will permit a determination of future procedure concerning this most meritorious presentation."

Greer also applauded the group for the able manner in which the matter had been presented.

SEA SHELL SHOPPE GIVING TIPS ON MAKING JEWELRY

The Sea Shell Shoppe has announced that it will give free courses in making objects from shells starting this week, with classes being held every Tuesday and Thursday morning.

COUNTY P. T. A. COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

The Aransas County PTA Council met Tuesday morning in the Lions Club building at Fulton and elected a nominating committee, consisting of Mrs. J. R. DeForest, Mrs. Prentice Owens, and A. L. Griffith, Jr. to select a slate of officers for the coming year.

County Judge Appoints Park Board, Cooperates With Chamber of Commerce

County Judge John D. Wendell, with the cooperation of the Commissioners' Court and the Rockport Chamber of Commerce, has appointed an advisory park board for Aransas County.

Seth H. Steele is chairman, Mrs. J. D. Griggs is secretary, and other members of the board include Arthur Bracht, president of the Rockport Chamber of Commerce; Mayor Chester Johnson; Major James H. Jarboe, county surveyor

United Fund Fails To Meet Co. Quota

The United Fund is not a new charity; it is all the old charities in one package. It does not ask for more money than you have been giving; it asks only for the same amount. It does not compete with your pet charity; it aids it to get the money needed.

Despite this, the Aransas County limited fund last night, had fallen short of its quota by some \$2000. Instead of the \$8000 asked, Mrs. Seth Steele, secretary of the fund reported to the board of directors, only \$6108.40 had been donated.

The Fund is not a new charity; it is a united approach to all charities to which Rockport ordinarily gives. It does not compete with them; it's budget is based on the needs of the following organizations: Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Red Cross, Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, Crippled Children's Hospital, Aransas County Youth Council, Aransas County Junior Youth Council, Aransas County Emergency Corps, Cerebral Palsy, the United Fund Operating Fund, the Contingency Fund, and the U. S. O.

The total requested was \$8000. Of this total, the operating costs last year were as follows:

Secretary, who looks after mail, bookkeeping, pledges, and other duties of like nature all through the year, \$50 per month, or \$600 per year. Printing and supplies, \$109.55; dues to the National Association of United Funds, \$50; Phone, \$16.88; miscellaneous expense, \$9.20; total expense, \$785.63.

This expense is kept at a minimum, and, although \$1000 is set up for this in the budget, through careful management it has been consistently less.

Office space for permanent records, cards, and similar items is furnished by the secretary. During the drive, when a downtown office is needed, Ellis Clark has donated the use of space and a telephone, as well as clerical help. Labor for the drive is furnished by unpaid workers; the use of the Woman's Club is donated.

Signs needed by the drive were donated free; coffee and donuts for the workers kick-off breakfast are paid for by the workers themselves, or donated; and use of the Chamber of Commerce building is also donated throughout the year, whenever needed.

Yet, despite all these things, and despite the help of all the workers who give their time unsparsingly, the drive has fallen down, and in so doing has hurt the very people who failed to give.

Under the old system, if \$1 cash had been given to these causes by firms and individuals, it would have made a donation of only twelve dollars a year, or a dollar a month to charity.

It would also have meant twelve drives, and twelve or more days out of the year devoted to work on them.

With the United Fund, if everyone had given even \$10, the amount would have been more than sufficient, and only one day's time would have been consumed.

Copano Fish and Game Protective Association To Discuss Bay Closure

According to Dr. J. E. Bauer, president of the Copano Fish and Game Protective Association, the membership will discuss closure of Aransas, Mesquite, and San Antonio bays to nets and to large shrimp trawls at the association's regular meeting on November 20, in the Goliad County Courthouse, in Goliad.

The principal speaker for the evening will be Cecil Reid, of the State Game and Fish Commission's Marine Laboratory at Rockport. In addition, Bauer said, films on hunting and fishing will be shown.

and local head of the Aransas Natural Gas Company; and A. L. Holland.

The purpose of the board is to formulate a county-wide park program which can eventually be submitted to voters of Aransas County for their approval, and to work for more state funds to be used in Goose Island State Park.

If the program is approved, a permanent county park board can then be elected.

To accomplish this main objective, Steele said, members of the board are anxious to discuss matters relative to parks with any interested citizen or group. Ideas from everyone are solicited, he said.

Board meetings will be on the second Tuesday of every month, in the courthouse as soon as it is completed.

Redhead With Strange Tag Killed by Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Frandolig

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Frandolig went hunting over the weekend, and came back with a limit of ducks and one goose, which is not so unusual, but they had one female redhead that was out of the ordinary.

At the base of its skull, on the back, just where the neck joins on, there was a metal safety pin that had been thrust through the flesh and healed. On the back of this safety pin there was a plastic tag, white, with a blue top, and on that tag was — nothing!

Mrs. Frandolig said that seven or eight years ago she and her husband had killed another duck that was banded with a metal clasp around one of its legs, but that the safety pin deal carried by this redhead was something the likes of which neither of them had ever seen before.

Mrs. Hagar, nationally-known Rockport authority on birds, was not available for comment.

Fire Department Will Inspect Extinguishers Free

The Rockport Volunteer Fire Department, anxious to prevent fires of the sort that recently cost Corpus Christi a half million dollars because a fire extinguisher wouldn't work, is inspecting these necessary pieces of equipment free.

If you have one, and it hasn't been expected in some time, take it to the fire station and the firemen will give you the lowdown on it, for free. If it has to be re-filled, a charge will be made.

Either Fire Chief Dick Fox or Fire Marshal Carl Osborn will aid you with any problems in connection with the inspection.

Rogers Geophysical Company Moving Party To Rockport

According to J. H. Stephen, party chief, the Rogers Geophysical Company, of Houston, is moving a crew of fifteen men into Rockport to do oil exploration work on this region.

Six docks have been rented from the Aransas County Navigation District, in the Rockport Yacht Basin, and boat equipment will consist of a 26-foot cruiser, a cabin boat, 2 self-propelled barges, and two 30-foot bateaus.

Exploration will be carried out in Aransas and Mesquite bays.

Fulton Docks Now Electrically Equipped

The docks at Fulton Harbor, have now been equipped with electrical outlets available at all stalls, according to N. F. Jackson, chairman of Aransas County Navigation District No. 1, which controls both this and the Rockport Yacht Basin.

This added feature of the new harbor, which was completed only a little over a year ago, was installed in response to widespread requests for these additional facilities.

COLORED FIRST BAPTIST TO SPONSOR TURKEY DINNER

The Colored First Baptist Church is sponsoring a turkey dinner Wednesday, November 21, from 12 until 6 p. m. at the home of Ethel Slaughter at \$1.00 per plate.

City Council Discusses House Numbering

Members of the city council, at their regular meeting, discussed a house numbering project with members of the local Jaycee group, whom they advised that plans for this were being prepared by McClendon and Associates, of Corpus Christi. These plans, the Jaycees were told, would be presented at the next meeting of the council.

Preparation of a delinquent tax list for publication was then considered, and City secretary Mary Lake Segler was asked to notify the mayor immediately, when the list was complete, so that a special council meeting can be called to approve it and authorize its publication in the Rockport Pilot, as a preliminary to institution of tax suits by city attorney Joe Caldwell.

In the discussion, it was reported that approximately \$1500 in back taxes and penalties had been received since the action was decided upon some two or three weeks ago, and reported in the paper at that time.

Junior High Tarpons Tie For Second Place In District Standings

Last Thursday night the Aransas County Junior High School Tarpons edged the Portland Eagles 7-0. The Portland game concludes the season and gives the Tarpons a 5 won — 2 lost record and a tie with Gregory for second place in the district standings. Donnie Blissit scored the only touchdown of the game and Joe May ran over the extra point. Defense has been the pride of the Tarpons as they shutout Aransas Pass 6-0, Bishop 16-0, Sundean 14-0, Port Aransas 22-0, and Portland 7-0. The Tarpons were shutout themselves twice by Ingleside 14-0 and Gregory 28-0. The local team usually were outweighed by their opponents and only a great desire to win enabled them to accumulate their season record.

Tommy McCabe, David Pena, and Joe May were elected as captains for this year's team. Thursday the team elected Miss Betty Sweetheart. Betty was honored at halftime of the Portland game as she was presented with a bouquet of white carnations and a box of candy by the three team captains.

Players composing this year's team are as follows: Buddy Ayers, Te xTackette, Gilbert Garcia, Joe Garza, David Pena, Mike Smith, Roger Beasley, Billy Johnson, Joe May, Tommy McCabe, Charles Satsky, Joel Meador, Tommy Dowdy, Bruce Hanna, Steirly Rozzell, Jimmy Jackson, Danny Kelly, Donnie Blissit, Bob Johnson, Gilbert Hill, Gayle Williamson, Daniel Aleman, Robert Hester, Jerry Wright, James Dittforth, Johnny Keith, Frankie Cassel, and Harry Wilson.

Mrs. Hagar's Bird Watching Activities Receive Wide Publicity

Through stories sent out from here through the Chamber of Commerce publicity committee, Mrs. Hagar's bird watching activities have once more received wide publicity.

Within recent weeks, stories or radio program on her work have appeared in the Monahan's News, the Marshall News Messenger, the Beaumont Enterprise, the Corsicana Sun, the Wichita Falls Record-News, and over WOAI, at San Antonio.

Thanksgiving Hassel Still Going On

Rockport's Thanksgiving hassle is still going on, and some people say they will and others say they won't. As of the time this goes to press, the score stands about like this:

The offices in the Aransas County courthouse, the postoffice, the City Hall, and the Aransas County Navigation District all intend to take their Thanksgiving on November 22.

Merchants and other businesses than those mentioned here all say that they will take their Thanksgiving on November 29, the day that the bank and the schools are to be closed.

At the last report, Fulton businesses intended to close on Nov. 22.

Enemy Bombers Can Easily Ride Jet Stream To Texas Says Major Unless Ground Observers Help

"Far aloft," said Major D. L. Graff, of the 747th Aircraft and Warning Squadron at Ellington Field, "there is a gigantic river of air, the jet stream, which flows at tremendous velocities over the surface of the earth, on which enemy aircraft borne at a thousand miles or more per hour, can approach Texas, bearing atomic bombs, and because of this, our state is actually more vulnerable to enemy action than are either the cities of New York or Washington.

"When this vast current of the

upper atmosphere was first fully recognized and its study began from high-flying airplanes, particularly those operating in the Pacific during World War II, pilots found themselves strangely accelerated or retarded by it. As the studies progressed, it was found that it was not a steady stream, and that it did not flow around the earth as was first thought, except intermittently and inconsistently. Still, as study progressed, some extremely interesting facts were dug out by the meteorologists and other trained personnel assigned to its study."

Graff, in Rockport for an inspection of the site of the 813th AC&W Squadron now being constructed here, had accepted an invitation to speak before the men of the First Presbyterian Church, local citizens, on the work of his branch of the service.

This jet stream is a sporadic, high-altitude wind, resulting from the interplay of tropical and polar air masses, and it usually blows from west to east, its course varying from day to day and even from hour to hour, Graff pointed out.

In wintertime this stream, starting over the bleak coasts of Siberia, crosses the Pacific, drops southward along the western coast of the United States, swings to the east over the Gulf of California and enters Texas about Del Rio. From there it passes close to Rockport and Corpus Christi and then takes a northern and eastern course, past Dallas and towards the Atlantic coast.

As the great river of air can be picked up over the Asiatic air bases of Russia, and flown with sufficient power to hurry aircraft along far beyond the speed under which they can be forced with their own power, its winds form a railroad for invasion, bearing destruction at better than a thousand miles an hour if ever enemy bombers follow them. Other aircraft, flying over the pole and striking at New York and Washington, would require more time to reach their objectives under their own power than would bombers on the jet stream to reach Texas.

For this reason, Major Graff said, the Air Defense Command is ringing this region with radar stations such as the one that is being built here, which will be manned by 200 officers and men.

The local station will be amplified by two others, one at Riviera and the other at Palacios, which will operate and be maintained from here.

In addition, said Graff, observers in the Ground Observers Corps are necessary parts of the defense spiderweb, for, at certain levels, the radarscopes fail to detect low-flying airplanes, and then the only means of detection is that afforded by the eyes of trained observers.

The present ring of radar defenses along the southern border, according to the major, is a supplement to others all round the coasts of the United States and Canada, and across the snowy wastes of our northern neighbor, from which direction invasion can also come.

Judge, Commissioners' At San Antonio Meet

County Judge John D. Wendell, and commissioners W. B. Allen, Jack Sparks, and Arthur Davis left this week to attend the annual convention of County Judges and Commissioners to be held in San Antonio, at the Plaza hotel on November 14 - 16, inclusive.

At their regular meeting before leaving, they transacted only routine business, approving a bond for the Sheriff-Tax-Assessor-Collector, and paying \$281.25 to the State Treasurer on road bond indebtedness.

After some discussion, the date of Thanksgiving for County offices was moved to November 29 again, after first having been set at November 22.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD HOLDING REVIVAL

A revival meeting will be held at the First Assembly of God Church during the coming week at 7:30 nightly. The Rev. Grover Jones will be the evangelist, from Portland. The Rev. J. R. Fleming is pastor of the local church.

Pirates Play Bishop Friday

The Aransas county Pirates close out their 1956 football season tomorrow night at Pirate stadium against Bishop Badgers. The Badgers have already sewed up the crown this year as they won their ninth straight ball game last week. Even if the Pirates should upset them, Bishop has already clinched first place.

Playing their last game for the Pirates will be four seniors. Fullback Allen Thomas and ends Ray Washington, Billy Shaver and Roy DeForest, will be suiting up for their last time. Two other seniors were lost earlier. Two year letterman Eddie Morrison was injured this past summer and did not play at all. Four year letterman Tommy Bradshaw was injured in the fifth game and had to sit out the remainder of the season. Squadman Abner West was also lost due to an injury earlier in the year. He is a senior.

The Pirates have won over the Badgers the last two years. Bishop's single wing attack has rolled over all opposition this year and are expected to finish out their regular season undefeated tomorrow night against the Pirates.

Drilling Barge Mr. Gus Moves To New Site Off Aransas County

C. G. Glasscock-Tidelands Oil Co.'s mobile drilling platform, "Mr. Gus," was moving on location for The Atlantic Refining Co., Tidelands Oil Co., and Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 Block 717, proposed 9,000-foot Aransas County tidelands wildcat 18 miles offshore in 80 feet of water.

The drilling platform completed Atlantic No. 1 State Tract 527S as an 8,519-foot duster some 40 miles south of Freeport.

Conroe Drilling Co. and others of Corpus Christi No. A-1 State Tract 4 (Puerto Bay), proposed 8,800-foot Puerto Bay Field test three miles northwest of Aransas Pass, is 400 feet from the east line of a 460-acre lease and Tract 4 and 1,100 feet north of Heep No. 2 Neuhaus and others' Barry Estate, discovery gauged for 46 barrels of 40 gravity oil plus 90 percent water daily from perforations at 8,281-45 feet.

It scales 2,390 feet northeast of the San Patrio County line and the bottomhole location of Arkansas Fuel Oil Corp. No. 1 State Tract 4, gasser. It scales 450 feet west-northwest of the north corner of State Tract 50.

Voters Okay Amendment 9

The few Aransas County voters who turned out in yesterday's special election passed the constitutional amendment to give assistance to totally disabled persons by a wide margin.

An official count with all precincts reporting gave a total of 89 votes for the issue and 2 against.

The turnout was one of the lightest in the history of the county.

Election workers whiled away time during the day by reading or talking.

Texans generally gave the amendment top heavy approval with most other counties reporting poor turnouts. The Texas Election Bureau had issued a pre-election forecast of from 150,000 to 200,000 votes.

The error in scheduling is expected to cost the state upwards of \$200,000.

MEAL PLANNING CAN BE EASY!

SHOP FROM OUR SMILING SHELVES

THOUSANDS of FOOD SUGGESTIONS



SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY, NOV. 16 - 17

Coffee Specials

- MARYLAND CLUB lb. can 99c
- FOLGERS lb. \$1.05
- YARBOROUGHS lb. 93c
- H & H lb. 89c
- BRIGHT & EARLY lb. 79c

Texas Brand

Sliced Bacon lb. 39c

ENJOY the BEST

FOR LESS

Cudahy's Puritan Thick

Sliced Bacon 2 lbs. 85c

Good Veal

BRISKET STEW
lb. 19c

Swift's **PREMIUM FRANKS** lb. 39c

Good Veal **RIB CHOPS** lb. 45c

Good Veal **CHUCK ROAST** lb. 35c

Cudahy Puritan — 4-6 lb. Size

PICNIC HAMS
lb. 29c

Calf Liver . . . lb. 39c

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

LOIN STEAK

GOOD VEAL

lb. 49c

FLOUR Snow Queen 5 lbs. 39c

SUGAR 5 lbs. 47c

Regular **Cheer or Tide** 30c

Kraft's **Miracle Whip**, pt. 33c

KRAFT OIL qt. 63c

Delight **DOG FOOD** 3 cans 25c

Regular Size **CAMAY** 3 bars 27c

Kleenex Table **Napkins**, 2 boxes 49c

Pillsbury - No Angel Food **Cake Mix**, 3 boxes 89c

STERLING SALT 10c

CRISCO 3 lbs. 89c

Sun Valley **OLEO** lb. 20c

Kraft's Philadelphia 3 oz. **Cream Cheese**, 2 - 29c

Blitz White **POPCORN**, 2 cans 29c

Blue Starch **Sta-Flo** 1/2 gal. 45c

Alcoa Aluminum **FOIL** 25 ft. roll 29c

Northern Jumbo **TOWELS** roll 27c

Pillsbury Chocolate **Frosting Mix** 31c

First Choice Big No. 2 Can Sliced

Pineapple

In Heavy Syrup

25c

SHORTENING

BAKE-RITE

3 lbs. 79c

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

CARROTS cello bag 9c

Texas **ORANGES** 5 lb. bag 35c

CABBAGE lb. 3c



Russet **POTATOES**
10 lb. Cello Bag 49c

FROZEN FOODS

Libby's 10 Oz. **SUCCOTASH** 20c

Libby's 10 Oz. **BLACKEYED PEAS** 24c

Libby's 10 Oz. **STRAWBERRIES** 29c

VEL Giant Box 69c

Flour **Gold Medal**, 5 lbs. 47c

Red Bird - Whole and Pieces **YAMS** 2 1/2 can 25c

First Choice 46 oz Can **Tomato Juice** 25c

First Choice 46 oz Can **Pineapple Juice** 25c

Libby's Cut 303 Can **GREEN BEANS** 15c

Rose-Dale 303 Can **GREEN LIMAS** 17c

Adolphus **RICE** 2 lb. box 31c

Stockton 12 Oz. **CATSUP** 2 for 31c

Carnation Talt Can **MILK** 3 cans 39c

Valley Acres **EGGS** dozen 45c

LeGrande 300 Can **PEAS** 10c

Kounty Kist W/K 12 oz. can **Golden Corn**, 2 for 25c

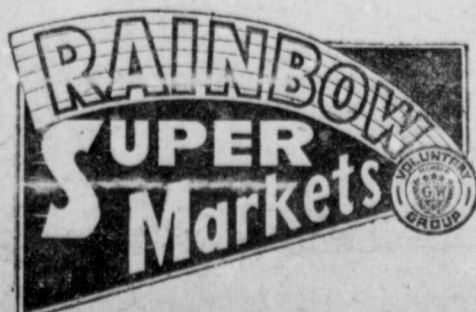
Libby's **Vienna Sausage** 2 - 35c

Libby's **Potted Meat**, 3 - 27c

Ranch-Style 303 Can **BEANS** 2 for 25c

Dromedary Mix **CORN BREAD** 24c

Kimbell's **Cranberry Sauce**
300 Can 19c

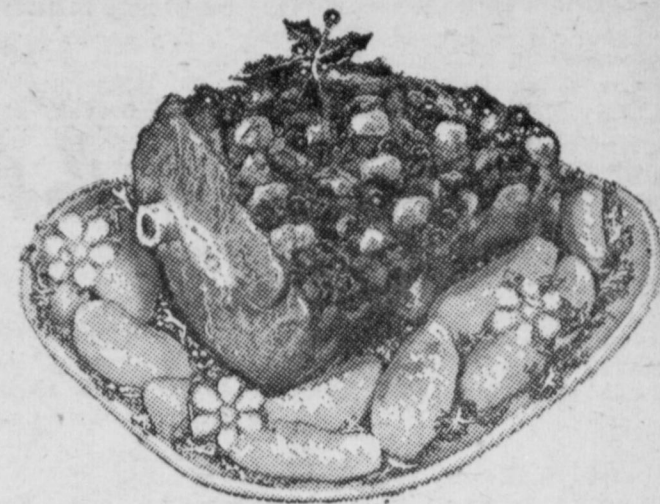




WEST'S
DECKER'S IOWANA

PICNIC HAMS 27^C

POUND



SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16 - 17

Decker's Country Smoked Sausage 39 ^c	Lb.	Sun Spun BACON lb. 39 ^c
Decker's 1 Lb. Roll Sausage 29 ^c		Longhorn CHEESE lb. 49 ^c
All Meat BOLOGNA lb. 39 ^c		Fresh Ground Hamburger 3 lbs. 89 ^c

Swift's Premium Heavy Beef

Chuck Roast lb. 39^c

Swift's Premium Heavy Beef Shoulder

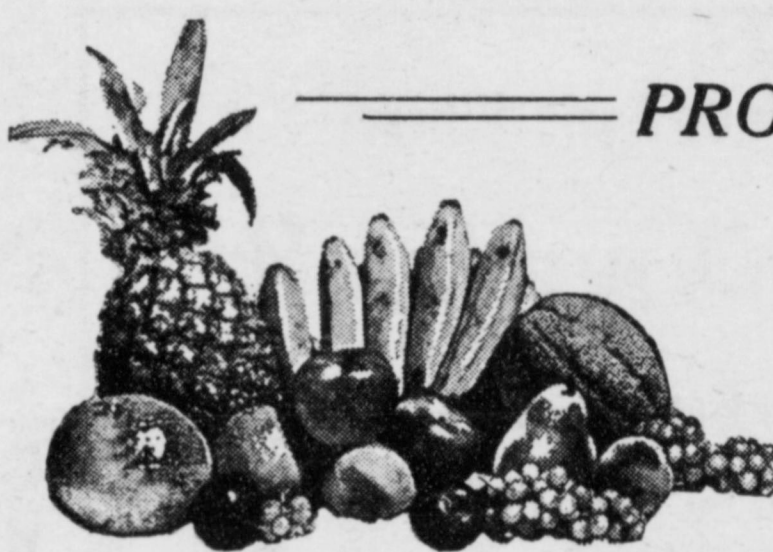
ROUND ROAST lb. 49^c

Boston Butt Style

PORK ROAST lb. 39^c

U. S. Good Baby Beef
ROUND STEAK lb. 65^c

Northern TISSUE 3 for 25 ^c		Home Folk Blackeyed Peas, No. 2 can 15 ^c
Comet Long Grain RICE 2 lb. box 39 ^c		Del Monte Blended PEAS No. 303 17 ^c
Baker's Angel Flake COCONUT 17 ^c		Del Monte Cream Style GOLDEN CORN No. 300 16 ^c
Sun Spun Crushed PINEAPPLE No. 303 19 ^c		Sun Spun - Turnip or Mustard GREENS can 9 ^c
Our Value Tomatoes, 303 can 2 for 25 ^c		Ocean Spray CRANBERRY SAUCE 19 ^c
Sun Spun Salad Dressing Qt. 39 ^c		Sun Spun French Style GREEN BEANS 15 ^c
Peter Pan PEANUT BUTTER 12 oz. 39 ^c		Red & White Tiny NEW POTATOES 2 for 25 ^c
Sun Spun Strawberry Preserves, 20 oz 45 ^c		Puss 'N Boots Cat Food, tall can 2 for 25 ^c
Van Camp No. 2 Can PORK & BEANS 2 for 35 ^c		Cut Rite WAX PAPER 25 ^c
Tex Sun ORANGE JUICE 46 oz. 39 ^c		Kraft Velveeta CHEESE 2 lbs. for 75 ^c
Pillsbury's - No Angel Food CAKE MIXES 30 ^c		Red & White SHORTENING lb. 79 ^c
Betty Crocker PIE CRUST MIX 19 ^c		PET MILK 3 for 39 ^c
SUGAR 5 lb. bag 49 ^c		Red & White MILK 2 for 25 ^c
Fresh Country EGGS dozen 49 ^c		Pillsbury's FLOUR 5 lb. bag 45 ^c



PRODUCE

Idaho Russet
POTATOES, 10 lbs. 49^c

Home Grown Yellow or White
SQUASH 2 lbs. 15^c

Golden Yellow
BANANAS
2 lbs. 25^c

Ruby Red
Grapefruit
5 lb. bag 39^c

Fresh Eatmore
CRANBERRIES
1 lb. pkg. 25^c

FROZEN FOODS

Dole - 6 Oz.
PINEAPPLE JUICE 17^c

Libby's Frozen
PEAS 17^c

6 Oz. Treesweet
ORANGE JUICE, 3 for 49^c

Morton's Beef, Chicken or Turkey
POT PIES 4 for 99^c

Hunt's Yellow Cling
PEACHES 2 1/2 can 27^c

Del Monte
CATSUP 19^c

Decker's
MARGARINE lb. 19^c

CLOROX 1/2 gal. 29^c

Delight
DOG FOOD 3 for 25^c

TIDE or CHEER 30^c

Sunshine
CRACKERS 1 lb. box 25^c

Bath Size
CAMAY SOAP 2 for 25^c

Folger's
COFFEE lb. 1.02

Maryland Club
COFFEE lb. 99^c

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CONGRATULATIONS —

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Albin of Corpus Christi are the proud parents of a daughter, born Tuesday, November 13 at Spohn Hospital. Mrs. Albin is the former Miss Kathryn Torres.

Mrs. Leona Nelson attended the McAllen Beauty Clinic in McAllen last weekend, where she took a special course in hair styling and shaping.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Thornton and children of Victoria spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gurley.

Mrs. Norman Bissett, John Lee and Albert Roy of Bay City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett.

Scientists Take Uncertainty Out Of Squirrel Hunting

Research by scientists of the Maryland Department of Conservation may provide a tip for enthusiastic squirrel hunters and help them bring home their limits. The scientists, sniffing into the lives and loves of these furry nut eaters, took a census of squirrels in two wood lots. One of the methods involved sitting quietly for 15 minutes in one of 10 observation posts in each woodlot and at the end of 15 minutes moving on to another post.

The number of squirrels seen was recorded and these records were used to estimate the number of squirrels in each woodlot. However, the biologists got to

worrying. What if, along about the end of each fifteen minute period the squirrels got over being scared and more of them showed up than during the early part of each quarter hour. Then, they said, their census figures would be wrong. So, to be sure that they were right, the scientists just continued to sit after the 15 minutes were over, and recorded the length of time they had been sitting before squirrels appeared.

Information was gathered on 109 squirrels, and it was discovered that about twice as many were seen during the first minute than were seen at any other time. After the squirrels were over their first curiosity caused by the fuss the scientists made in arriving, the animals went on about their own business.

The scientists after mature consideration of these habits of the squirrels, and of the two methods of squirrel hunting, came up with an interesting idea. One method is to select a good-looking spot and sit quietly for fifteen minutes or a half an hour, hoping that some squirrel will wander along and give you a shot. The other method is to walk quietly through the woods, pausing at likely-looking spots or at places where there are signs of squirrel activity, but moving on if no squirrels are seen within a few minutes. With more squirrels being seen during the first few minutes after the hunter arrives at a spot, the man who moves around, quietly, will get more shots.

Best method of all, they say, is to sit quietly near a tree where squirrels have been feeding. This beats the other two all hollow.

Cpl. Leon Thornton and Miss Bobby Mohler of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gurley.

Pirate News

By Beverley Matern

Bon Fire

A Bon Fire and Snake Dance will be held Thursday night at 6:00. The Snake dance will begin at the elementary school and will travel down to the beach where the bon fire will be held. A big pep rally will follow the bon-fire in which a dummy of the Bishop Badgers will be burned.

Hall Decorations

The halls at A. C. H. S. have been decorated with green and white crepe paper for the last game of the season.

Miniature football players will be put on all the football boys' lockers. The Seniors will have stars placed on theirs in addition to the miniature football players because this will be the Seniors' last game.

Six Weeks Exams

Six-weeks exams will be held Thursday and Friday of next week. These exams will close the second six weeks of this school term.

Thanksgiving Holidays

A. C. H. S. will turn out school on the afternoon of November 28 for the Thanksgiving holidays. School will be resumed on Dec. 3.

Outstanding Player Award

In 1954, "Capt." J. H. Mills contributed to the athletic department a sum of money which has been used to buy a nice plaque in his honor with a football figure on it and name plates. Each year beginning with the year 1954, the outstanding Pirate football players name will be added on one of the name plates.

Friday night Coach Borchert will reveal the "Outstanding Player Award Plaque" and announce the outstanding player for the years 1954, 1955, and 1956.

Every year hereafter a players name, who has made the greatest contribution to the team will have his name added.

The permanent captains for the 1956 Pirate team have been chosen. They are fullback, Allen Thomas, a two year letterman, and, end, Ray Washington, a two year letterman. Both of these boys are very worthy of this honor for their constant strive for continuous spirit of the Pirate team.

F. H. A. Style Show

The Future Homemakers will present "Styles Around the Clock". A style show, featuring fashions suitable for high school girls on Friday night, November 23 at 7:30 p. m. at the high school auditorium. Tickets will be available in advance. Contact any F. H. A. member or Mrs. Edith Cruser, sponsor. The price of admission will be 35c for adults and 20c for students.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bartlett and Quincy Clark of San Antonio came in Sunday for a few days of fishing at Copano.

Mrs. A. C. Ricks and sons of Beeville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ricks and Vicki.

Mrs. Leona Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Boling attended the Beauty Clinic in McAllen over the week end.

Before salmon leave salt water, they store up oils and fats for the journey to the spawning grounds, during which they do not eat.

Fulton P. T. A. Elects Delegates To Annual County Meeting

The Fulton P. T. A. met Wednesday at 5:00 p. m., in the Lions Club Building, with Mrs. R. A. Johnson, president, in the chair. Mrs. Everal L. West presented the program. Mrs. James Calhoun's fifth grade wrote business letters in English class, and Miss Margaret Cash's sixth grade science class performed several experiments with water.

Mrs. Raymond Owens, Mrs. Prentice Owens, and Mrs. Francis Rouquette were chosen delegates to the County Council of Parent - Teachers Associations of Aransas County, scheduled to meet in Fulton on November 12.

Year books were distributed to the members. The fifth grade won the attendance prize.

Many New Shrimpers Built Along The Gulf

Twelve fishing vessels of five net tons or over received documents from the U. S. Bureau of Customs in the Gulf of Mexico area during August, the last month of record, as achievement surmounted only by the Atlantic coast with 19 during the same period. The Chesapeake area was third with 9; Alaska had six; the Pacific coast reported five, and New England and the Middle Atlantic regions each built two.

In the Gulf, the total of 12 was less than for the same period a year ago. However, there have been a total of 77 new boats built in the region as against 69 in 1955 for the five months ending with August 31. Total construction for the 1956 fiscal year was 103 along the Gulf coast.

Methodist Men's Club Meets

This week the Methodist Men met in the Fellowship Hall. Final plans and committees were made and appointed for the annual Methodist Barbecue. The Men's club is sponsoring this big day this year. W. B. Allen will cook the barbecue as he has in past years, and promises it to be as good, if not better than ever before. Tickets are being printed and will be for sale soon. The price of this big plate will be \$1.25 for adults, Children 75c. This will include barbecue, beans, potato salad, drink and dessert.

The date Tuesday, December 4th, serving will begin at 11 a. m. till 8 p. m. All proceeds from this barbecue will be applied on building fund of Methodist Church. In the southeast room of the Fellowship Hall, the W. S. C. S. will have a Bazaar as they have in years gone by. There will be lots of hand-made articles for sale. Such as aprons, pillow cases, pot holder's decorative wall plates, and numerous other gifts, Christmas cards and gift wrappings. Remember the date, December 4th, 11 a. m. — 8 p. m. in Methodist Fellowship Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCullough, Mrs. Bart Neal, and Charles Banks of Austin spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Ratliff and Eddie.

New Cars Registered During Month of Oct.

Marvin Perryman, '56 Ford Tudor.
James C. Bracht, '56 Chevrolet Pickup.
Thomas F. Wright, '56 Plymouth Four-door.
J. E. Spencer, '56 Plymouth Station Wagon.
C. H. Cade, '56 Chevrolet Four-door.
W. W. Parker, '56 Chevrolet Four-door.
Mrs. James H. Sorenson, Sr., '56 Plymouth Station Wagon.
Floyd Richardson Construction Company, '56 International.

Presbyterian Circle II Meets

Mrs. L. O. Hill entertained the members of Circle II of the First Presbyterian Church, Thursday afternoon, serving refreshment plates upon their arrival. Mrs. James B. Jackson presided for the business session. The report of the visitation chairman showed that thirty visits had been made by the members for the month of October and 49 cards sent. Announcement was made that the joint meeting of the five circles, known as the Christmas party, would be held December 10th. Mrs. Hugh Morrison presented the lesson, which was followed by a general discussion. Miss Lillie Fahr led the discussion of the emphasis for the month, on "Stewardship". Eight members and a guest, Mrs. C. H. Tidd, were present.

Baptist Business Women's Circle Meets

The Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. W. S. Coaker Monday night for Bible study. Mrs. J. W. Rooks had charge of the program, which was a study of the prayers and life of Moses.

Refreshments were served to six members and one visitor, Miss Jerene Broadway. The next meeting will be on November 26.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Cole and boys of Smiley spent the week end with Mrs. Mattie Cole in Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Winterly and twin girls of Palacios spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Johnson and family in Fulton.

Culley Roberts and Miss Sally McIntosh of Houston spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberts.

Pirates Lose Ingleside Game

Playing before a capacity homecoming crowd last Friday night, the Ingleside Mustangs rolled over the Aransas County Pirates 48-13 in a district 31A ball game. Tommy Stewart and Bobby Sterns proved too much for the lighter Pirate crew as each scored three times behind as large a line as you will find on any high-school football team. The Mustang line averaged 193 lbs. with an overall average of 183 lbs.

Ingleside scored early as they drove down the field after taking the opening kick-off. Fullback Sterns went over from 5 yards out. Their lead was increased suddenly when they recovered a Pirate fumble on the Pirate 1 yard line. The next play Sterns went over from the 1. The Pirates came back and put across a touchdown on a 17 yard scamper by John Cabaniss. The first quarter ended with the Mustangs out in front by 14-6. Stewart went 10 yds. for another score just before the half to make the score 21-6 at half-time.

Both teams scored one time each in the third quarter. Ingleside from the three and John Cabaniss from the nine. The Pirates fumbled away another scoring chance when they lost the ball on the Mustangs two yard line with first down and goal to go. The play was set up on a beautiful screen pass play from Satsky to Thomas that covered 42 yards.

The Mustangs put across three more in the fourth and final quarter. Once again they turned a Pirate fumble into a touchdown and on the last play of the game, they completed their only pass of the night for 55 yards and a touchdown.

Bobby Close played an outstanding game on defense and Ray Washington caught a total of 5 passes, as well as playing a good defensive game.

Pirates	Mustangs
11 First Downs	13
131 Yards Rushing	331
159 Yards Passing	55
17 Passes Tried	6
11 Passes Completed	1
1 Had Passes Intercepted	1
4 Fumbles Lost	2
2 Recovered own Fumbles	1
2 for 40 Punt Average	1 for 33
2 for 10 Penalties	4 for 40

Immigration to the USA in 1820 was 8,385. In 1952 it was 265,520.

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— and —
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



There'll Always Be An "Expert"

Drove out to see how they're getting along with the new super-highway that's going to pass through town. While I was there a fussy little guy—a spectator, like me—came up to the foreman on the job and started making all sorts of suggestions: "Shouldn't it go a little farther left there? ... Why don't you bank the curves more? ... Those ditches are awful close" ... and so, on and on.

From where I sit, free advice is called "free" because it's usually not worth much. That little fellow was typical of the kind of "expert" who can't resist getting in digs—about how you work, what you wear, why you happen to prefer a glass of beer with your supper. People like that don't mean to be troublemakers... but the road to real intolerance is paved with their good intentions.

Joe Marsh

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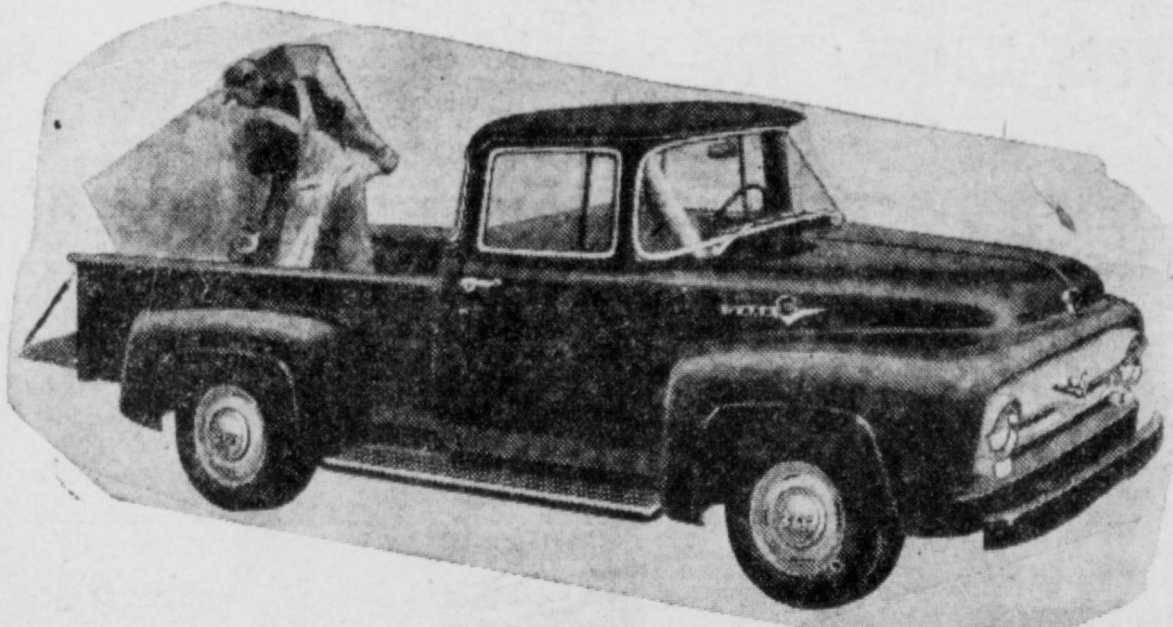
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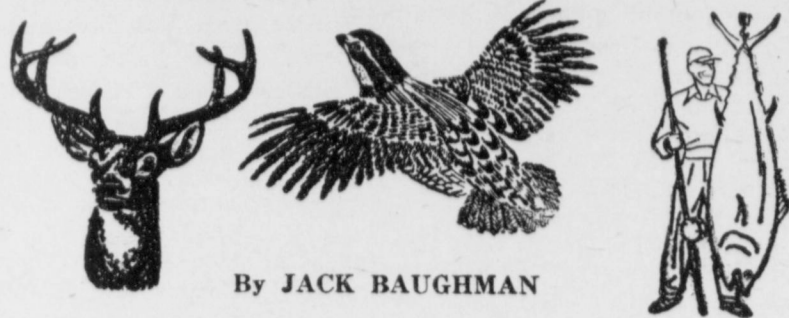
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Guy Madison and Felicia Farr in
Reprisal
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The Battle of Gettysburg

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SUNDAY - MONDAY
November 18 - 19
Tab Hunter and Natalie Wood in
The Burning Hills

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
November 20 - 21
Ernest Borgnine and Bette Davis in
The Catered Affair

Fur, Feathers & Fins



By JACK BAUGHMAN

Friday the 16th, the hunting season opens in Texas on bear, deer, javelina and turkey. Many a hunter would rather have a wild turkey than any other member of the quartet, for the big birds are royal game — a prize that everyone covets.

They are as American as ham and eggs, and the principal contribution of the New World to the birds domesticated by man. Conquering Spaniards, in what little time they had left free from searching for gold and torturing Indians, found two species of a big, new, bronze-colored bird in Mexico. One of them, descended from the same strain that still runs wild in Texas, was a domesticated variety that Montezuma fed to the animals in his zoo; the other, smaller bird, ranged to the southward, and with it we have no concern.

There are few things in nature more superb than a great wild gobbler, trim and alert, as he steals along, head high, iridescent gleams sparkling from his cape, his back and wings a medley of rippling bronze. Nevertheless, this monarch of the liveoaks soon becomes pomposity personified when, his mighty fantail spread and wattles crimson, his stately gate becomes an overweening strut, more ludicrous than regal.

Although they may sometimes be shot or trapped with comparative ease, wild turkeys are far from stupid — very far, indeed. Their eyesight is incredibly penetrating, their hearing indescribably keen, and they have little curiosity of the kind that is so deadly to many other animals and birds. Unless they are positive it's another turkey, anything that moves is bad, and they waste no time in leaving its vicinity. A turkey hunter must know their habits, have steady nerves, and be able to meet guile with guile. Above all, he must have infinite patience.

Practically all turkey hunting is based on one immutable trait in turkey nature. Sooner or later a scattered flock will gather. The hunter who is hidden at, or near the gathering place, may get a shot. The true test of his skill is in the use of his call. Leaning

against a stump or fallen log, or hidden in some tree top, with endless care to keep his movements from being observed, he sounds the tentative "Kyouck!" of gathering birds, by sucking on the hollowed-out, second wingbone of a wild turkey hen; by plowing a leaf held between his thumbs; or with a hollowed wooden box across the edge of which he rubs a piece of slate, hoping to toll one within shot.

"Kyouck! Kyouck! Kyouck!" he goes, and he must be able to answer perfectly the queuing note of any bird in the flock, gobbler or hen, young or old, for all of them have different voices and are suspicious as only a wild turkey can be if not answered in kind.

Some idea of the immense numbers once found in Texas may be gained from accounts by old timers. A troop of Texas Rangers, camped on Skid's Creek in 1865, counted 500 turkeys in one evening and saw more, but became tired of counting! In Cottle County they were killed for the Fort Worth market, and in 1867 C. C. Bailey, of Swenson's Ranch, saw three six-horse wagon loads, killed near Paducah on the Tongue River, all destined for the poultry houses of Fort Worth!

Not many mountain climbers begin their challenge of a peak in an outboard.

But two hardy Americans — ex-GI's turned soldiers-of-fortune with a yen for the unknown — the outboarding and portaging their 14-foot aluminum Duratech up the Orinoco, Caroni, Carrao and Churun rivers of southeastern Venezuela in quest of the world's highest waterfall, 3,200-foot Angel Fall.

The pair of Yankee adventurers, Nicholas Piantanida, 24, and Walter Tomashoff, 23, decided when they were army buddies in Colorado that someday, somehow, they would challenge the famous falls of "Devil Mountain" using an outboard to bring them to the base.

Both men are veteran mountain climbers.

Piantanida and Tomashoff arrived in Caracas early in Nov. with a boatload of equipment with

which to make the outboard o'ys-sey.

If successful in reaching their goal, the two men hope to verify the adventure by retrieving a piece of the aircraft which soldier-of-fortune Jimmy Angel — for whom the Fall is named — crash-landed there some years ago.

Angel survived the crash and lives today to recall the episode.

If they make it, Piantanida and Tomashoff will be the first Americans to conquer the peak, four climbers of other nationalities having succeeded previously.

From Caracas, the youths traveled by truck to Ciudad Bolivar on the Orinoco, just north of where it joins the Caroni. Here is where the adventure began.

They popped their craft, powered with a 15 h. p. Evinrude, into the Orinoco, took aboard rations, canned and dehydrated, for 60-days, fuel for nearly 300 miles, camping, mountain climbing and portaging gear. The balance of the previous space was divided by the two six-foot, 200-pound adventurers.

From Ciudad Bolivar — where officials will make periodic aerial checks of the pair's progress during the expedition — they headed south down the Orinoco to Puerto Ordaz, confluence of the Orinoco and Caroni. Then they headed due west into the Venezuelan interior, past the scattered islands, and portage points of the Caroni to San Pedro de las bocas.

Pushing still farther west, they headed for Canaima where the Caroni meets the Carrao River.

Up the Carrao to the Churun River — one of the headwaters of the Orinoco — and to their destination, thundering Angel Fall.

Enroute, they will camp each night along the river where they will prepare for the next day's voyage and check their running, detailed photographic and written accounts of the trip.

Tomashoff and Piantanida plan to publish their log and picture-stories of both the trip and the ascension when they return.

Much of the water over which they travel is infested with tiny, flesh-hungry piranha, electric eels and ray fish.

But before Tomashoff and Piantanida departed from the U. S. on the first leg of their outboard mountain-climbing expedition they acknowledge: "We are fully aware of the hazards involved."

Texas call them hurricanes and know them well. In the Pacific they call them typhoons, from the Chinese words taifun, or big wind. Australians have christened them "willie-willies"; in the Indian ocean they are called cyclones, and the Filipinos speak of baguios.

Columbus heard of the big wind from the Carib Indians, who call-

ed it "Hunrakan" after their god of stormy weather, and from this, our word hurricane has developed.

Take your choice, but when the mast at the weather station bears two square red flags, with black square centers, one above the other, it's time to batten down the hatches and dig out the storm shutters.

The Texas hurricane season, the time when the Weather Bureau starts its hurricane service, extends from June 15 to October 31, and any one that has lived along the Texas coast for any length of time can remember one or more of these tropical blows from off the Gulf.

However, these people that have experienced one or more of these blasts from heaven are not, as a general rule, able to tell too much about it, and the good descriptions of hurricanes found in the literature of the world can be numbered on the finger of one hand.

One of them is Lafcadio Hearne's terrific account of the destruction of L'He Derniere off the Louisiana coast over a hundred years ago; another is that given by Nordhoff and Hall in their book by the same title as the storm; and the third occurs in a newer book, just published this fall by Harcourt, Brace and Company, and called "To The Great Southern Sea".

William A. Robinson, a retired ship-builder from Massachusetts, in the Varua, a brigantine which he had built, and his family, Ah You, his wife, of Tahiti, his eleven-year old daughter, Fihio, who had been given to him when she was seven by her parents on eleven-year old daughter, Pihio, and Zizi, of Rapa, four thousand miles out of Tahiti, encountered what he called "the ultimate storm".

At its height, he says, the waves were so huge and concave "that the whole upper third seemed to collapse and roar down on us."

"The seas were white, phosphorescent avalanches that I felt towering over my head astern, but did not see until they burst down upon us and swept by on either side. . . . Sometimes to my astonishment, the wind picked up so much surface water that it even carried the oil ahead of us" which we had been allowing to stream over the stern to lighten our progress.

"The storm reached its peak about 2 a. m., and . . . several of the biggest monsters that broke just under her stern lifted her bodily and carried her shudderingly along with her like a surf-board. . . ."

"I have experienced several hurricanes during my time, both on land and sea, and this was worse than any of them. . . . From time to time I began to hear what I thought was thunder. . . a hollow

booming that reverberated through the night — not realizing at first that it was the sound of great seas breaking. But these were seas greater by far than any I had ever seen before. . . ."

Williamson brings the sound of the sea and the storm to the printed page in one of the most magnificent descriptions in world literature. Read it and see for yourself, however. . . . for it's an experience.

Speaking of books, there is another one just out, authored by Drs. John J. and Frank C. Craighead, a pair of young men who grew up with the resolve that they were going to be naturalists. Years ago, while they were still high school students, they wrote several articles on hawks and owls for the National Geographic. One of these brought them an invitation from an Indian prince to be his guests while hunting with falcons, and they journeyed across the sea to write about this oldest of all sports.

Later, after college, they entered the wildlife field and "Hawks, Owls, and Wildlife", which the Stackpole Company has just issued, is based on years of field and

laboratory experience. The latest of the Wildlife Management Institute's authoritative books, it fulfills a long-time need for a complete report on the relationship between predatory birds and wildlife, including most game species.

No group of birds have been more maligned than have the hawks and owls, and no group has as much mis-information circulating about them. They have been the victims of folklore and legend, some of it dating from the time of Aesop's fables, and in most areas have been persecuted with unrelenting vigor.

In recent years food habit studies have been conducted by trained biologists, and have dispelled many of the half-truths that have worked against these birds in their relation to man and nature.

One cannot help but think of an article that appeared in the Dallas News for June 28, 1955, by Frank X. Tolbert. It was entitled "He Hunts Texas Eagles In Plane" and extolled a gentleman and a sportsman who, said Tolbert's article, has killed over 8,000 golden eagles from a plane. Perhaps Stackpole Company has just issued, is based on years of field and

TEXAS IN REVIEW

A look at modern football equipment used in a typical college and the most exciting plays from three Southwest Conference football games will be features of the Humble Company's TV program, Texas in Review, next week.

From the athletic department of the University of Texas, the modern pads and equipment that football teams use will be shown and demonstrated.

Scoring plays and other exciting highlights from the Texas A & M - Rice, Arkansas - SMU, and TCU - Texas football games will be narrated by Kern Tips.

Texas in Review can be seen Monday (November 19) over KPRC-TV, Houston, 9:30 p. m.

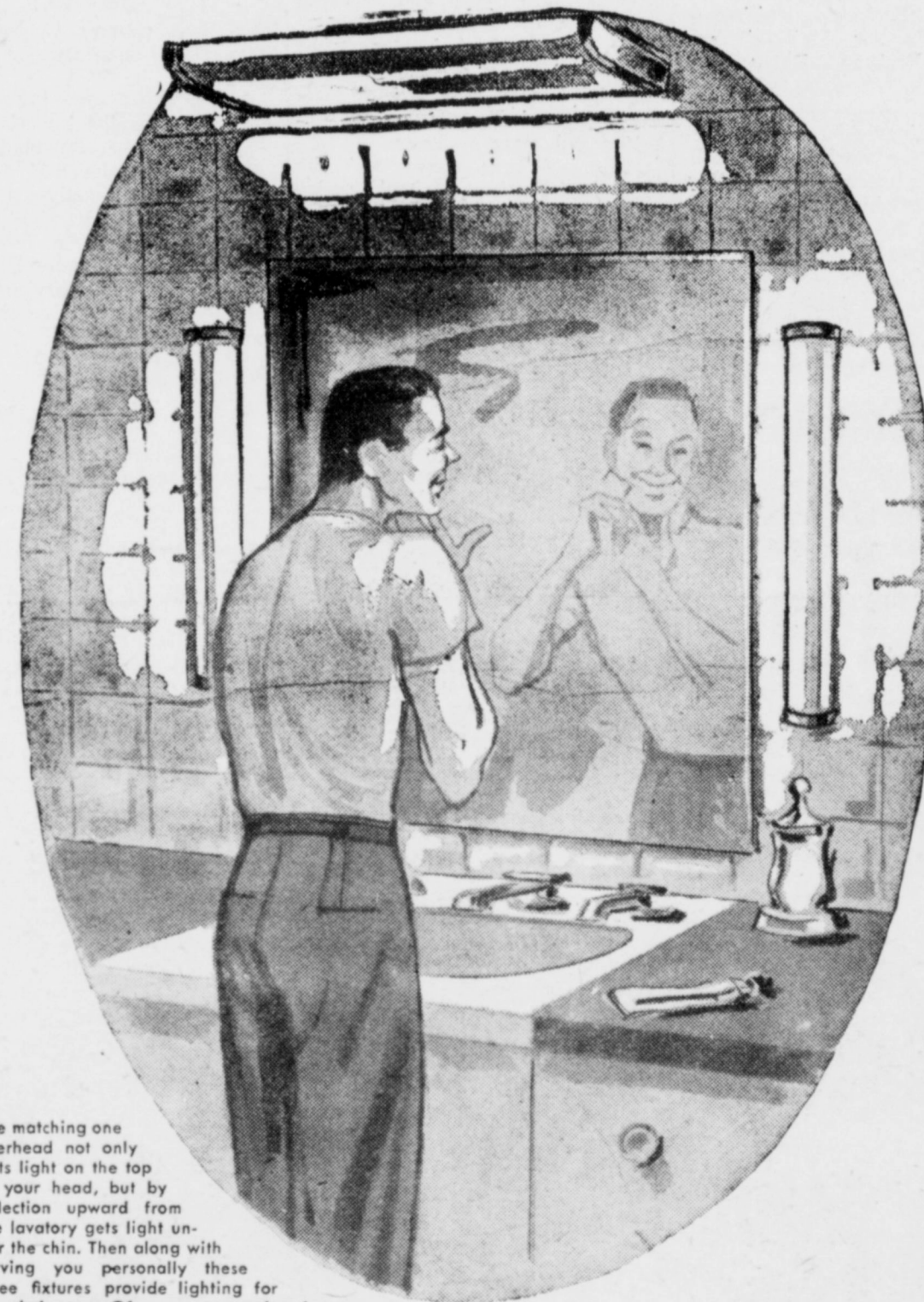
Tuesday (November 20) Texas in Review can be seen over KRIS-TV, Corpus Christi, 8:00 p. m.

Wednesday (November 21) Texas in Review can be seen over KENS-TV, San Antonio, 6:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brundrett, Mrs. Hays Atwood and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Warden left Wednesday for their deer lease in Aguilares.

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Postal Patrons Can Speed Christmas Mail Through Foresight, Postmaster Says

Postal patrons this coming Christmas season can speed the processing and assure quicker delivery of their Christmas parcels and cards by availing themselves of various postal services and free postal information pamphlets, Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield announced today.

The services mentioned by the Postmaster General include:

1. This year, for the first time, sealed parcels may be mailed at the third- or fourth-class postage rates without labels, notations, endorsements, or hieroglyphics of any kind authorizing the opening of the parcels for postal inspection. Packages sealed with modern sealing materials or even with just plain Christmas seals should carry better in the mail than unsealed ones. Strong cord should also be used.

2. Combination Mail, which was used for the first time during last Christmas season, and which permits a mailer to enclose a letter or message inside a gift parcel and pay the appropriate postage on it plus the postage for the package itself. Postage for letters must be placed on outside of parcel.

3. Certified Mail, also used for the first time in the 1955 season, which permits mailers to have proof of delivery of Christmas letters, cards or parcels having no intrinsic value for a postal fee of 15 cents plus first-class postage.

The free postal pamphlets — available at all post offices — are entitled "Packaging and Wrapping Parcels for Mailing" and "Domestic Postage Rates and Fees".

Lou Benningfield of San Antonio spent the weekend in Rockport with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Benningfield.

Bobby Oliveres, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oliveres was admitted to Memorial Hospital Sunday night.

Fred Percival, Long A Surveyor, Says Early Work Poor

Fred Percival, local surveyor, has been a civil engineer for more years than he cares to remember, most of them in south Texas. During that time he has discovered all sorts of odd facts about early surveys in the region. In an article written some years ago he says:

"One of the oldest recorded settlements in Texas," he said, "was that near the present town of Bayside, or the ghost town of old St. Marys. This was the old Mission of Refugio de Copano. This mission was later moved to Refugio on account of frequent raids by Indians, pirates, and robbers."

"There is ample evidence, too," Mr. Percival said, "of a very large and permanent camp of Indians as Lamar, near where the present Copano Causeway strikes the land."

"When Texas first began to encourage settlement and land investment, she established County and District surveys for the purpose of surveying, marking and describing these lands as for required for settlement, the payment of indebtedness, land warrants, land scripts, bonuses to the railroads and other developments."

"At that early date lands naturally had a low value per acre and the crudest and cheapest methods of survey only were justified."

"Such surveys, he continued, "were made by the old crude Jacob staff compass and iron link chain as quickly and cheaply as possible, because more costly and accurate methods were impractical."

Mr. Fred, as he is known, ought to know, because during the time that he has been surveying methods have become progressively better and more accurate.

"The old time surveyors," he says, "did the best he could under these conditions and tried, wherever possible, to mark these bounds and corners by natural objects such as rocks, trees, streams and similar things, and regarded his field notes as a means to define and locate these monuments for present and future records. Unfortunately, not only were his instruments and methods crude and subject to many errors in field and office, clerks were often just as unreliable and made more errors in recording and transcribing."

"On top of that," he pointed out, "land owners often bought and sold lands by these visible monuments rather than by description in the notes. Many of these old monuments have been lost or destroyed, or recorded measurements have failed to reach

them, or overlap others, so that the modern surveyor is often at a loss to determine the true location of these marks. His problem then is one of research."

Original surveys in Aransas County, Mr. Fred says, were usually made by lines run along the bay shores and the ones in the brush were assumed, in many cases, and not run at all. Later, in the early boom days, there were various surveys all through the area often marked by only a small stake that has long since been lost or destroyed.

This unfortunate condition, he says, is not peculiar to Aransas County alone, but exists in greater or lesser degrees all through Texas, and has been the basis for all sorts of lawsuits and confusion.

Now Is The Time For Oyster Stew

Now is the time to serve a tempting bowl of steaming hot oyster stew to your family on returning from a football game, a brisk hike, or any typical Nov. outdoor activity. This dish will have special appeal to all and it is so easy to prepare.

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Oyster stew served in a large bowl accompanied by crisp crackers, a jellied fruit salad, and a home baked cake will form the basis for an attractive, delectable, nutritious meal. Here is a recipe for "Oyster Stew" as recommended by the home economists of the Fish and Wildlife Service to serve your family on these chilly autumn days.

Oyster Stew
 E pint oysters
 1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted
 1 quart milk
 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
 Dash pepper
 Paprika
 Drain oysters. Add oysters to butter and cook for 3 minutes or until edges curl. Add milk, salt, and pepper, and bring almost to boiling point. Garnish with paprika. Serves 6.

J. V. Ferguson was in Corpus on business Saturday.

Raymond Eugene Boone Celebrates 1st Birthday

Mrs. Bobby Boone entertained her son Raymond Eugene on his 1st birthday Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5.

Favors of toy guns were given to each child.

Refreshments of cake, candy, Coke and coffee were served.

Those helping Raymond celebrate were the following: Kay Sparks, Donna Ann Sparks, Cathy Deason, Jay Dietrich, Sandy, Diane, Mary Beth, and Danny Boone, Charlie Boone, Janet and James Benningfield, Valerie and Sonny Harwick, Cindy, Jim and Royce Courts, Keith Williams, Maurice Good, Cynthia Robbins, Donna Jo Brooks of Ingleside, Donna Jean Guy of Colorado, Fabian and Brian Moore of Corpus.

MR. AND MRS. OSBORN SPEND TIME IN HOUSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Osborn spent last Friday in Houston, representing the Rockport Electric Company, at the Hotpoint Distributor-Dealer Preview Show which was held at the City Auditorium and the Shamrock-Hilton Hotel. Besides being shown a most exciting "preview" of 1957 Hotpoint merchandise, luncheon in the Emerald Room, cocktails and dinner in the Shamrock Room of the Hotel, they were entertained by a superb cast of singers and dancers who had been flown in from New York City. The evening's entertainment concluded with the singing of Rudy Valle (and his Sax), who is making a personal appearance at the Shamrock-Hilton, along with Al Donahue and his Orchestra.

Mike Hunter of Houston visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDow in Fulton, Saturday.

Fall Camporee To Be Held Nov. 17

Several items of interest to Scout leaders were announced this week by J. M. Chrestman, chairman of the Mustang district. The first concerned the annual fall camporee for Boy Scout Troops within the district, which will be held at Benson's Nursery in Sinton on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 17th and 18th. Units will begin arriving at 9:00 a. m. Saturday morning and will depart for home at 1:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon. The Camporee is being directed by the Order of the Arrow, honor camping society of the Boy Scouts of America. Some 250 Scouts and leaders are expected to take part in the two day activity.

Chrestman also announced that roundtable for unit leaders and committeemen will be held at the Sinton High School on Thursday, November 22 at 7:30 p. m. Leading the cub leaders roundtable will be Joe Olle of Refugio and K. T. Edwards of Sinton. Directing the scoutmasters roundtable will be W. J. Mott of Aransas Pass, Joe Benson of Sinton and Vernon Lay of Refugio while Ony Chaffin and Tracy Speake of Sinton will lead explorer leaders in their discussions.

Tickets for the annual council dinner and meeting are now available for all those desiring to go. The dinner will be at the Robert Driscoll Hotel in Corpus Christi on Thursday, December 6 at 6:30 p. m. Tickets may be purchased from Chrestman in Taft or E. Chas. Lewis in Sinton or by contacting any Institutional Representative.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ferguson and Mary Jane of Corpus spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDow of Fulton, Sunday.

Humble Broadcasts Football Games

The TCU-Texas Southwest Conference football game will be both telecast and broadcast from Ft. Worth this Saturday by Humble Oil and Refining Co. In addition, four other Southwest Conference games will be broadcast as part of Humble's football coverage.

The TCU-Texas game will be telecast from Ft. Worth. Kern Tips and Alect Chesser will describe the action and color highlights beginning at 1:45 p. m. (CST) over KRIS-TV, Corpus Christi.

The Arkansas-SMU game will be broadcast from Little Rock with Dave Russel and Jim Wiggins on hand to do the announce-

ing starting at 1:50 p. m. (CST) over WOAI, San Antonio-1200.

The Texas A & M-Rice game will be broadcast from College Station with Ves Box and Dave Smith on hand to describe it. Broadcast time is 1:50 p. m. (CST) over KRIS, Corpus Christi-1360.

Baylor plays Nebraska in Lincoln, Nebraska. Jerry Doggett and Mike Mistovitch will broadcast the play-by-play and color beginning at 1:50 p. m. (CST) over KWBU, Corpus Christi-1030.

Engagement Announced


Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ballou announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sarah Earline to John Isaacks, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Isaacks of Beville. The wedding date has been set for Wednesday, Dec. 23, in First Baptist Church.

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Showers In Honor For Miss Harrell

Miss Shirley Faye Harrell, bride-elect of Larry F. Wright, was honored at a shower Thursday at the H. C. Mullinax home. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Mullinax were Mrs. J. C. Gurley, Mrs. Hugh Highfill and Mrs. Dudley Prophet, Jr.

A lace cloth over pink covered the tea table, and a miniature bride and groom under an arch entwined with pink carnations was the centerpiece.

Bell Isle, a thousand-acre park, is located on the Detroit River.

Osborn's Have Dinner Guests

Mrs. John Main, of Tokyo, Japan, and her sister were dinner guests last Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Osborn. Mrs. Main, who owns the home next door to the Osborns, is in the States on emergency leave, due to the illness of her father, who lives in Louisiana. Tech. Sgt. Main has been in Korea and Japan for two years and is now stationed near Tokyo, where he expects to remain until sometime 1958. Mrs. Main leaves in a few days, to fly back to Japan to join him.

LOWER RETIREMENT AGE FOR WOMEN INCREASES SOCIAL SECURITY CLAIMS

Applications for retirement and family insurance payments have increased by approximately 50 percent in the Corpus Christi district since enactment of the amended law which permits payments to women at age 62 instead of 65 as before. H. M. Cleveland, manager of the Social Administration for this district, spoke of the increased work load in explaining the charges as they apply to women workers, wives and widows.

"A working woman may receive her retirement insurance at age 62 or later starting for November," he said. "The payments at age 62 will amount to only 80% as much as they would be if they were to begin at age 65."

"A woman worker can now become insured and eligible to receive the payments with less work than was required before too. However, the minimum is never less than one and a half years of covered work.

"The wife of a man who receives social security payments can receive a wife's benefit at age 62, at a reduced rate, starting next month also," Cleveland says. Women workers and wives who take the reduced benefits before

age 65 will continue to get a reduced amount after they are 65," he stated. "But payments to a widow can begin before or after age 65 at the full amount, even though she may have received a wife's benefit at the reduced rate before her husband died."

A dependent mother of a deceased worker may qualify for payments at age 62, if the insured worker was not survived by a widow or child who could become entitled to the benefits.

Cleveland mentioned that applicants should be prepared to submit proof of their age. Widows should also furnish their marriage certificate at the time they apply for the insurance.

To inquire about the payments at the lower age, women in this area should get in touch with the Social Security Administration, 530 South Water Street, Corpus Christi, Texas.

EDGEWATER REPORTS FULL HOUSE

The Edgewater Trailer Park reported a "full house" with permanent and winter visitors from New York to California. Winter visitors arriving so far are: Mr. and Mrs. Burt Decker, Hormell, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gibbs, Stratford, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O'Camb, Sun Valley, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Marburger and son, LaGrange, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Randell, Chillicothe, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grinsman of Mt. Hope, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hagar of Rockport Cottages, left Sunday afternoon to spend several days at Corsicana, visiting friends and relatives, and attending to business.

Crowds Grow At Marine Lab

More than 50,000 persons visited the Texas Game and Fish Commission's Marine Laboratory during the last fiscal year, making it one of the major points of interest in South Texas.

In addition to persons from all parts of the U. S. and many foreign countries, 3,500 schoolchildren visited the aquarium on the laboratory's first floor.

Located on the Rockport yacht basin, the laboratory is considered a must for groups of Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and similar organizations when visiting in this area. In addition to the aquarium of live fish, there are many preserved specimens, as well as a collection of shells from all over the world, star fish and sea turtle eggs. A large case of arrow heads found on Live Oak Peninsula adds to the interest of visitors.

Patricia Pew, biologist, who conducts tours and lectures on specimens on display, stated that the most popular items are a live octopus and the tank of sea horses. The displays also include game fish from both Aransas Bay and the Gulf.

The second story of the building houses, the 3,000-volume library, the largest specialized library on marine works in the southwest. It has been catalogued, and includes books on marine biology, fish and game publications and periodical journals. It is used for reference purposes by people from all over the state.

Adjoining the library is the photographing and drafting department. This is where a shrimp bulletin is also in the making.

A feature of this department is a map file containing about 300 large Intra-Coastal Waterway

charts; harbor charts; current wind and tide charts; U. S. coast and geodetic survey charts; a collection of old maps of the Texas coast, some of them dating back to 1848; some Japanese fishing charts; and some charts made by the laboratory staff showing fish migration and salinity gradients and shell surveys in the bays.

C. W. Reid is director of the Marine Division and Robert Kemp, assistant director. Terrence Leary, biologist, another member of the staff, is making a survey of all the shell resources on the Texas coast, using highly specialized electronic equipment which can locate various shell reefs and buried shell.

Bob Hofstetter, biologist, is doing special work on oysters in Galveston Bay. Plans have been outlined for oyster reef building and rehabilitating. A branch office in Houston is headed by Howard Lee, also an assistant director of the laboratory.

A fleet of boats is maintained for use in various phases of marine study. This includes a boat which makes weekly trawls in Aransas Bay to determine the trends of the shrimp population. There are two shallow draft boats used by the biologists when they make netting trips to tag fish, a program conducted for determining the growth rate and movements of game fish. Two cabin cruisers are used as patrol boats by the game wardens, with M. B. Mullinax as supervisor.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLead and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kinsey, in Farmington, New Mexico, this week.

Howard B. Roby of Barkdale Air Base Shreveport, La. visited with Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Pady and Bessie Pady of Fulton.



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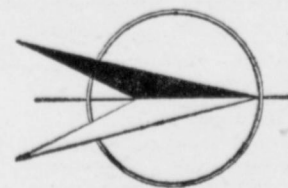
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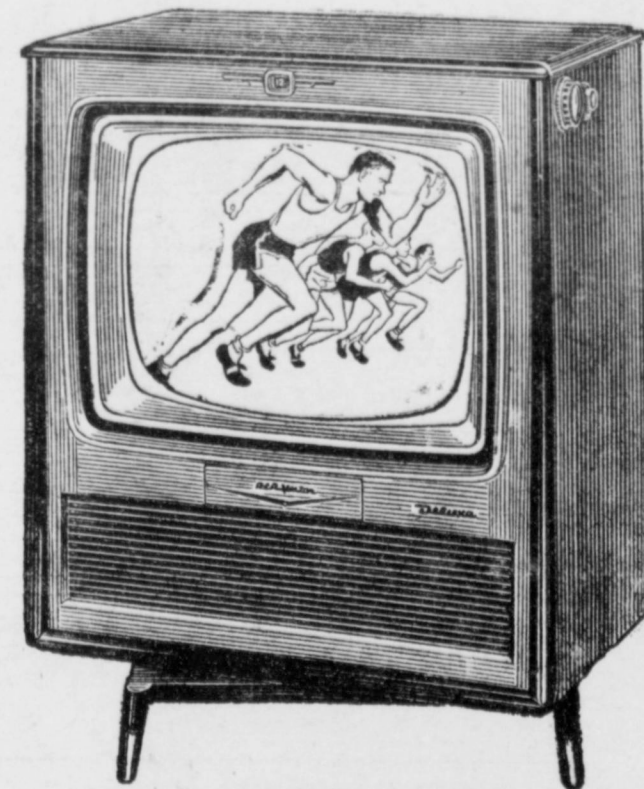
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Stages Once Ran Down St. Joseph

Calhoun County rights-of-way and highways on Matagorda Island, the object of a bitter squabble between the Air Force and the Calhoun County Commissioners' Court, date from before the Civil War, and were formerly stage routes down Matagorda Island, over which the mail was carried, from Indianola to Rockport and Corpus Christi.

In those days (about 1848) the

mail was first taken from Indianola to Skluria, an early settlement on the north end of Matagorda Island, and from there was carried on horseback down the length of the island, across Cedar Bayou, and along the beach of St. Joseph Island to a point about opposite the old lighthouse which still stands on Harbor Island. At this point, known as Aransas Wharf, there was a small colony of homes and the wharf from which it obtained its name. From the Wharf it was taken to Rockport by boat.

Later, there was a stage-coach line established, which operated over the same route. At Vinson's Slough, where the stages crossed Cedar Bayou, between Matagorda and St. Joseph's, passage of the mail and stages was often interfered with by old man Vinson on one pretext or another.

The town of Saluria was started about 1845 by James Power; Alexander Somervell and Milford P. Norton were also interested in the venture. By 1847, after Power had bowed out of the picture, several homes and businesses were established and a United States lighthouse was built. At the beginning of the Civil War, Saluria was a thriving port and ranching center, and a considerable population had grown up along the two islands, Matagorda and St. Joseph, served by the stage line that had its southern terminal in a two-story building in the little community of Aransas Wharf.

In February, 1862, when a Yankee blockade of this coast was in the making, Major Forshey, in command of Fort Esperanza, reported:

"The mail has not yet been disturbed, but the contractor, Captain Peter Johnson, fears the capture of his boat from Corpus Christi to Aransas. The stage goes down the island from this place (Saluria) again tomorrow..."

Five days later, on February 24th, the Major again writes his superior:

"... the blockading bark has possession of the pass at Aransas, but has not yet planted guns on the shore; that the mailboat has ceased to run, and the stage on

this island bearing the mail has been discontinued; that the inhabitants of this village and coast have all abandoned their homes and flocks and herds, and fled in different directions, and that the line of trade, from fear of capture, has entirely ceased."

Captain Peter Johnson, who owned the stage line, had used the coaches, or ambulances as they were sometimes called, to load all his portable possessions, and to make his way up the islands. One of the coaches was drawn by a pair of mules named Susan and Sally. At Cedar Bayou the conveyances were loaded on the ferry that had been stationed there to cross the stage from one island to the other; this was then towed across Mesquite Bay and up St. Charles to the site of Lamar. John Smith, the old stage driver, accompanied the family.

This was the end of highways on St. Joseph's and Matagorda Islands. The rightful owners were dispossessed by the damn Yankees, a state of affairs which seems to about to happen again.

Calhoun County now has public road rights-of-way from Port O'Connor to Matagorda, which was formerly served by ferries crossing Broad Bayou and Saluria Bayou. These rights-of-way, the routes of the old highways, extend through the site of the old town of Saluria down the center of the island behind the sand dunes to Cedar Bayou, then up Cedar Bayou to the Gulf beach, and from there back to Pass Cavallo and the town of Saluria, with various crossroads from the Gulf through the dunes to landings on San Antonio and Espiritu Santo Bays.

These roads are coveted by the Air Force, which has filed notice that it intends to institute condemnation proceedings, a step which the Calhoun County Commissioners' Court is fighting.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. McClendon of Rockport and Corpus have just returned from a siege of Engineers National meetings in the East.

They were delayed in their return due to an accident that happened to Mrs. McClendon on the train which confined her to the hospital for a week and which will confine her to crutches for the next three weeks.

Traffic Accidents Claim 5 Lives During September

Traffic accidents during September in the Corpus Christi District of the Texas Highway Patrol took 28 lives in 20 fatal accidents that occurred in 9 of the 16 counties comprising the district. The 28 deaths during September is exceeded by only one month since January 1, 1946. The only month during that period in which there was more deaths in the district was December of 1955 when an all time high of 31 deaths was recorded. The 20 traffic accidents during September resulting in one or more deaths set an all time record for the number of fatal accidents in the district in any one month, the previous high being December of 1951 and December of 1955 in each month of which there was 19 fatal accidents. There were 6 multiple death accidents during September with 14 lives being lost in those accidents. Two of those took 3 lives each and there were 4 resulting in 2 deaths each. Dur-

ing the month a total of 129 accidents were reported, all of which were in rural areas with the exception of 4 urban fatal accidents that resulted in 6 deaths. In addition to the 28 deaths the 129 accidents resulted in 81 injured and property damage estimated at \$96,431.00.

Seven of the September deaths were in Nueces County, 5 each in Aransas and Calhoun Counties, 3 in Bee County, 2 each in Jim Wells, Lavaca and San Patricio Counties and 1 each in DeWitt and Refugio Counties.

The 28 deaths in September was 17 more than in September of 1955 and 14 more than in August of 1956. The 81 injured in September was 27 more than in September of 1955 and 16 less than in August of 1956. The 129 total accidents reported in September was 37 more than in September of 1955 and 18 more than in August of 1956.

Of the 20 fatal accidents in September there were 11 in which there was a drinking driver or pedestrian involved, in 5 such information was unknown and in

only 4 was it definitely established that there was not a drinking driver or pedestrian involved. Of 106 fatal accidents occurring in the district in the first 9 months of 1956 there were 50 in which there was a drinking driver or pedestrian known to have been involved. Of the 20 fatal accidents in the district in September there were 10 in which there was only one motor vehicle involved. Of the 106 fatal accidents in the district in the first 9 months of 1956 there were 58 in which there was only one motor vehicle involved.

In the district during the first 9 months of 1956 there were 106 fatal, 328 injury and 634 property damage accidents reported for a total of 1068 accidents that resulted in 129 deaths, 699 injured and property damage estimated at \$782,591.00. Reported during the same period of 1955 were 18 less fatal, 27 less injury, and 125 less property damage accidents for a total of 170 less accidents that resulted in 21 less deaths, 136 less injured and property damage approximately \$186,000.00 less.

At the end of 9 months of 1956

five of the 16 counties in the district had recorded more deaths than in all of 1955. Those counties are Aransas, Calhoun, Jim Wells, Duval and Refugio.

During September Highway Patrolmen stationed in the Corpus Christi District arrested or warned a total of 2500 drivers for committing hazardous driving violations. Fifty percent of the arrests were for either D. W. I. or speeding. The 52 D. W. I. arrests during September was the largest number of such arrests since December of 1955.

One driver with two previous D. W. I. convictions, one a felony conviction on which he was placed on probation, was charged with felony D. W. I. by Highway Patrolmen for the third time since 1950, in the same county. He remains untried on any of the three charges.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gurley of Tulsa, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gurley of Seadrift visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gurley Friday.

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Fulton, Texas

Rev. Floyd Wren, pastor
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Commercial Fishermen to Have Important New Weapon in Fight Against Spoilage

New York — Texas commercial fishermen may soon have a revolutionary new weapon to aid them in the battle against spoilage. This weapon is "Acronize," an antibiotic process that halts the growth of bacteria responsible for the deterioration of fish from the time it is caught to the time it reaches the consumer.

It was announced on October 2 that the Canadian government cleared the use of Acronize by Canadian fishermen and introduction of the antibiotic process is expected to save an estimated \$25,000,000 for the fishing industry in Canada.

Acronize has been approved in the United States for use on poultry and the formula developed for fish has been under study for some time by officials of the United States Food and Drug Administration. Formulas for use on red meat and other perishable food products are also under study.

According to the Fisheries Council of Canada, the annual catch of fish and shellfish north of the border amounts to about two million pounds. Industry sources estimated that at least 17% of this fish spoils before the boats dock. Another six percent is lost before it reaches the market. Indications are that Acronize will prevent a major part of this bacterial spoilage which cost Canadian fishermen some 23% of their effort.

In addition, a survey conducted between 1937 and 1950 by the Fisheries Research Board of Canada showed that 40% of the ocean fish reaching consumers in Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa had lost their original fresh taste and appearance, though still regarded as edible.

An experiment in 1954 on 4,000 pounds of cod and haddock fillets shipped one thousand miles from Halifax to St. Catherine, Ontario,

in July and August revealed that the most single factor influencing the quality of such filets in distant retail markets is the storage period of the fish at sea.

The major benefit of Acronize, therefore, will be to reduce drastically the high deterioration factor in the fishing industry. Not only will it extend the storage life of fish aboard ship, but it will allow the fishing vessels to range farther out to sea to cap any, unexplored schools of salmon, mackerel, scrod and other well-known fish and to market other delicacies now inaccessible or economically impractical with present storage methods.

The use of Acronize in the United States will result in the catch of Texas fishermen being marketed far beyond the area in which it is now sold. Acronize could be a boon to the shrimp industry for it would permit the shrimp catch to be stored in tanks of water instead of in crushed ice. Not only will Acronize-treated water keep the shrimp fresh for longer periods but it will permit each boat to carry a larger catch because large cargoes of ice will not be required.

The Acronize process was developed by American Cyanamid Company and employs the antibiotic Aureomycin (chemical name, chlortetracycline) to keep fish and other perishable food fresh with ordinary refrigeration methods alone.

The Acronize process is also expected to result in great savings to the canning industry in Canada for it opens for the first time the possibility of the individual packaging of fish by super markets for consumer convenience.

The Acronize is used in such small amounts that it has been impossible to detect any remaining in the fish after they are cooked. The cost to protect a pound

of fish with the process is a small fraction of one cent, which more than offsets the spoiling it prevents. The cost of enough Acronize for a ton of ice is about two dollars.

Burton F. Bowman, General Sales Manager of Fine Chemicals Division, American Cyanamid Company predicts that Acronize will necessitate a complete re-evaluation of the entire fish marketing industry.

"The extra time allowed fishermen at sea," said Mr. Bowman, "will permit them to range farther out and to bring home bigger loads without fear of excessive spoilage. Because the fish arriving at the pier will be fresher, fewer will be downgraded and more will find their way to the consumer's table.

"The added time granted to the processor and the shipper would allow larger loads of fish per truck and will allow both the wholesale and retailer to keep higher inventories on hand. Costs would be cut all down the line, reaching from the fisherman's net hundreds of miles out to sea into the home of the consumer a thousand miles inland."

In the long run it will be the consumer who will benefit most from the Aureomycin process. First, the use of Acronize will mean fresher foods for the consumer with a wider variety of choice. In addition, the Acronize label on the food package is a guarantee to the consumer that the product has been stored and processed under the most healthful and sanitary conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Freeman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mayfield and children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Halberdier and children of Corpus spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith of Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McDavid Jr. of San Antonio visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDavid and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay King of Lyford have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnson and family.

Butterfly Migration Exceptionally Large This Fall

All the preceding day brown hordes of butterflies had poured across Aransas Bay. Now, before the sun was up, their bright wings were stilled, and they hung in great drifts from a tamarisk tree, hiding its foliage, the amber and gold of their bodies making it look like some giant, exotic flower growing from the soil of Live Oak Peninsula.

"Sure I know them," said Mrs. Jack Hagar, nationally-known ornithologist, pausing in her morning round of bird-watching. "They're Monarchs on their fall migration from the northern states and Canada, and all day yesterday they passed over in clouds. It's the biggest migration of its kind I've ever seen, and I've been busy banding a bunch of them."

Mrs. Hagar is not the only person in Texas banding butterflies. Others are cooperating in Victoria, Palacios, Conroe, and Texas A. & M. All information that they gather is forwarded to Dr. F. A. Urquhart, Director of the Royal Ontario Museum of Zoology and Paleontology, in Toronto, Canada, who started the program of banding several years ago.

Object of all the excitement is a big brown and orange insect which, because of the colors of its wings, was named after Prince William of Orange, founder of the present British royal line, — and called King Billy in the British Isles, Monarch in this country.

These Monarchs were long known to wander from Canada to the United States, and are found nearly everywhere certain types of milkweed grow. However, before Urquhart started his banding with tiny paper tags, gummed to stick to their wings, no one knew whether the Monarchs actually migrated, or were merely local populations hatched year after year.

However, once the bands were used, some astounding things were learned about these insects. One of them, tagged by 8th Grade pupils of the Dover School in Milwaukee, turned at Lindale, Texas, over a thousand miles away, in 33 days.

One that Mrs. Hagar banded

Fisheries Loan Fund Preparation Near Completion

One of the new functions authorized by the Fish and Wildlife Act of 1956 — the creation of a fisheries loan fund — is now ready to operate and loan application forms will be distributed from the Fish and Wildlife Service on receipt from the printers, Secretary of the Interior Fred A. Seaton announced recently.

Under one of the provisions of the new Act, the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to establish rules and regulations "to make loans for financing, and refinancing of operations, maintenance, replacement, repair, and equipment of fisheries." Loans can not be extended for any phase of a shore operation.

The broad objective of the fisheries loan fund created by the Act is to provide financial assistance which will aid the commercial fishing industry to bring about a general upgrading of the condition of both fishing vessels and fishing gear in order to produce more efficient and profitable fishing operations.

The Act authorized \$10 million to provide initial capital as a revolving fund for these loans. The law provides that the loans will bear an interest rate of not less than three percent and will mature in not more than 10 years. Under the terms of the Act, a loan may not be granted unless reasonable financial assistance applied for is not otherwise available on reasonable terms.

Rules and regulations for making loans under the fisheries loan

fund were prepared last fall was caught four days later at Harper, Texas, 215 miles northwest of Rockport. This, according to Dr. Urquhart, was a valuable contribution to the research. Mrs. Hagar's specimen "is the first authentic indication that these (Texas) butterflies might move westward and mingle with those that winter in California."

Why any butterfly that had ever reached Texas should want to go to California is the \$64 question. Evidently, butterfly tastes are as unpredictable as are those of humans.

fund will be published in the Federal Register.

Persons in the United States and territorial possessions who desire loans should obtain an application form and instruction sheet from the nearest Fish and Wildlife Service Fishery Market News Office. These offices are located in New York City, Boston, Mass., Hampton, Va., New Orleans, La., San Pedro, Calif., Seattle, Wash., and Chicago, Ill. In Alaska applications may be obtained from the FWS Fishery Products Laboratory in Ketchikan and the FWS office in Juneau; in Hawaii from the FWS Laboratory, 2570 Dole Street, Honolulu.

Forms are also available from the central office of the Fish and Wildlife Service at Washington 25, D. C. Completed application forms must be sent to the Washington office of the Service for processing.

Street addresses of the Fishery Market News Offices are as follows:

Boston, Mass., Rm. 10, Commonwealth Pier.
New York City, 155 John Street.
Hampton, Va., 18 S. King Street.
New Orleans, La., Federal Building.

San Pedro, Calif., Post Office Building.
Seattle, Wash., 421 Bell Street Terminal.

Chicago, Ill., Rm. 618, 565 W. Washington Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Shirey have moved to Mercedes where they have recently built them a new home.

Last Saturday and Sunday Mr. D. R. Simmons attended the Battery F, 345 Field Artillery of World War I Convention at Buchanan Lake, from there they went on to Junction and spent a few days.

Mr. C. F. Smiley returned from Galveston Saturday where he had been visiting his wife who is in the hospital.

Jimmie Reid Simmons attended the District Convention of Postmasters in San Antonio Saturday.

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Woman's Club
Holds Meeting
The Woman's Club met in regular session, Tuesday afternoon. As there was no program, the entire period was occupied with matters of business relative to the club's routine, presided over by Mrs. Joe H. Slocum.
Mrs. James E. Jackson, chairman, reported on a clarification of some amendments to the by-laws and their arrangement in proper sequence, which changes were accepted.
Announcement was made that the first of the club sponsored afternoon card parties for the tourists, would be held the last Monday in November (26th) from 2 to 5 p. m. at the club building.
Mrs. Arthur Bracht, program chairman, announced that the Dec. meeting of the club would be presented by Mrs. E. T. White at the usual hour of the club's meeting, 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 11th. The organization voted to allow an additional \$50 to the Aransas County Library for supplies, following a report from Mrs. Everal L. West, chairman of the library committee. Mrs. West also reported the gift of 100 volumes on Home and Family Life and Mental Hygiene, by Dr. H. L. Pritchett, retired faculty member of Southern Methodist University.
By vote of the club, the sale of fruit cakes from the same bakery as in former years, is to be a club project, with Mrs. J. H. Mills, chairman.
During the refreshment period, Mrs. Slocum served cake and coffee to the members and a guest, Mrs. A. B. Leeper of Lima, Ill. and Rockport.

METHODIST DISTRICT CONFERENCE MEETS IN BEEVILLE
The Corpus Christi District of the Methodist Church met at the First Methodist Church in Beeville on Monday of this week. Among the 350 delegates present were representatives from the Rockport Methodist Church: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Glass, Mr. and Mrs. William Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Newell Boughton, and Rev. Dana S. Green.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our bereavement, and especially to thank Rev. Harry Carter and pallbearers. May God bless each of you.
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2 pounds.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Greer, Tulsa, Oklahoma, fishing in the basin, snagged ten trout weighing up to 3 1/2 pounds. Mrs. Jean Cheney, Blackwell, Oklahoma, caught, a three-pound redfish.
So far, Bill Savoie hasn't got out his dynamite, but we're looking any day for an explosion in the area, and some reports of magnificent catches made by a man from Kankakee, Illinois.
Fred Christilles had George Riddell and his wife, from Dallas, on Thursday, and they caught 47 nice large trout. On Saturday he fished Kari Stelgas and his wife and son, from San Antonio, and although the weather was nothing extra, they came in with 12 nice trout and one sheephead.
Sunday he fished Joe White, R. F. Weid, E. H. Bankhead, and R. M. Luckenbach, all of Alamo town, and they caught 47 trout. Monday he had Charles Koch, L. L. Repka, Victor Stanioch, and Gilbert Rinehart, of Poth, who caught 105 trout.
Sunday, Bill Crist fished Robert Fleckner, Gordon Wiley, and Geo. Cole, Jr., of Dallas, and Bob Schutts, Fort Worth, and the party came in with 54 trout.
Monday he and Mrs. Crist and Mrs. Christilles went out and caught 78 beautiful trout.
The Lockney Subsidiary Chamber of Commerce is back at Taylor Oaks this winter, and Ed. Whitfill fishing for the first time last Monday snagged two nice reds and ten trout.
Mrs. Tom Roper, who every once in a while goes out and shows guests of the court and her husband how to catch fish, has done it again. Last Tuesday she caught a red that weighed two pounds, and then, tired of fooling with little ones, strung one that weighed nine pounds.

Mrs. Clark Gives Luncheon

Mrs. Ellis L. Clark honored Mrs. Truett Poer of Monahans and Mrs. Jack Stanley of Lubbock with a luncheon at Magees, Saturday. Additional guests included Mrs. Jack Hagar, Mrs. R. R. Rice and Mrs. Roy Hinton. Seasonal flowers centered the table.



Den Four

Assistant Denner Andy Everett presided over the meeting of Den 4 on Tuesday afternoon when they held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. N. F. Jackson, den mother, with Mrs. W. D. Edwards assisting.
Jack Gwynn led the outdoor flag ceremony to open the meeting, and the cubs joined in the Grand Howl as a closing ceremony. N. F. Jackson, Jr., was named flag leader for the next meeting, and Butch Begnaud was placed in charge of refreshments.
During the activity period final touches were put on the cub's Puerto Rican musical instruments, and Mrs. Jackson was hostess to the group for Puerto Rican Pralines and Coke.
In addition to the den mothers and Den Chief Raymond Ingersoll, the following cub scouts were present: Bobby Ray Edwards, Andy Everett, Jack Gwynn, Dennis Beasley, N. F. Jackson, Jr., Chris Sorenson, and Gary Tuer.
The mothers of the cubs of Den 4 are reminded that they should be accumulating materials for costumes for the den's Calypso band for the pack meeting to be held on Thursday, November 22nd. These costumes will be simple, including a sombrero or ragged straw hat, a "serape" of some colorful scrap of material, and a bright sash.

Den 1

Den 1 met on Tuesday, November 13th, at the home of Mrs. Glenn Wendell. Roll call was taken by Denise Davenport. The pledge of allegiance was said, and the cub scout promise and law of the pack were repeated.
The cubs then went on a field trip through the pasture of Rouquette and Wendell, had a picnic lunch, and returned home.
Cubs present were Denise Davenport, Reginald Wendell, Gregory Useiton, Kevin Draper, Gerald Van Eton, and Jimmy Seawright, along with den chief Britton Dick and den mothers, Mrs. L. R. Davenport and Mrs. Glenn Wendell.

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WATERFRONT—

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aged 3 1/2 pounds each.
Fishing three days, E. C. Elkins, Dick Dearen, and H. G. Watson, Dallas, and E. P. Mayfield, of Waco, took home 251 trout.
Fishing two days, W. G. Carroll, Dallas, and Bill Glass of the same place, strung 75.
Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rohm and Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman, of San Antonio, caught 44 trout; John Kewalik and Ted Kryk, also of Alamo town, took home 113 trout and six redfish, the last weighing 50 pounds for the six. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Procknow, San Antonio, caught 42.
A whole bunch of folks from Luling were down, too, taking advantage of Veterans Day. Mr. and Mrs. Abe Holland and Mr. and Mrs. H. O. (Preacher) Maddox caught 209. Also from Luling, Mr. and Mrs. Al Carrigan caught 36; Mr. and Mrs. George Thorman, 114; Mr. and Mrs. Burt Hogue snagged 80; and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rice strung 157.
Cari Muller and George Courtneay, San Antonio, brought in 20 trout; Frank Munoz, Steve Rangel and Ernest Bartlett, San Antonio, had 61 nice fish; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Anz, of the same city, caught 30; H. E. and T. E. Bricker and E. Schoellhorn, San Antonio, caught 18 specks. W. C. Maxwell and M. S. Scott, San Antonio, caught 40. Mr. and Mrs. George O'Cam, Sun Valley, California, brought in 20 nice drum and reds; R. B. Tompkins, Fulton, had five drum and four reds.
Monday, John Strickland, Odem, and W. D. Allman, Oakland, California, caught 35 sand trout and seven drum.
Maxie L. Brooks, Sr., Preston LeMeilleur, and Maurice Weynand, all of San Antonio, strung 51 trout; A. B. Muller and A. C. Geyer, both of San Antonio, and E. W. Meyer, of Yorktown, came in with twelve trout, and Mr. Scherer and Mr. Spivey, Sinton, caught 37 large trout.
Earle Thomas had a couple of parties this week. Jim Bates and Bill Easley, San Antonio, caught 39 trout Monday, and Tuesday he had Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Collins, Dallas, who caught 37.
Frazier Cantrell had Roy Brunson, C. W. Bell, John Howell, and Gaylor Gilbreath, of Fort Worth, on Sunday, and they caught 151 good trout. Mr. and Mrs. Del Nigh and Mrs. Dorothy Tyler, of Watonga, Oklahoma, caught 142 good trout, fishing with Cantrell.
South Beach Lodges reports that Zack Murray, Burley Burk, Walter Stephens, and James L. Daniel, of Eden, caught 248 trout on Monday and 235 on Tuesday. Most of the mince-sized trout, but they have a few flounders and a red or so.
J. C. Stansell, Lubbock, fishing in the Rockport Yacht Basin, caught a trout that weighed three and three-quarter pounds on Saturday. Monday he brought in six trout up to 2 1/2 pounds, and on Tuesday caught another dozen, running to two and a half pounds.
Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Vickery, of Arkansas City, caught 22 reds and trout last Wednesday, and a three-pound trout Saturday. Tuesday, Vickery and W. M. Speicher, Pine River, Minnesota, caught 21 trout weighing up to

ROTARY DINNER HELD WEDNESDAY

The Rotary Club held its Ladies Night dinner Wednesday in the Woman's Club. Fred Brundrett and Dick Denny were in charge of the program and presented Dr. Clarence Cotten, of the Welder Wildlife Refuge as the principal speaker. Dr. Cotten spoke on the work of the refuge and showed films on wildlife. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caldwell had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Burch Addington; guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bracht were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Leeper, of Illinois; and others present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mills and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Carroll. Buddy and Roger Carroll entertained at the piano.
Mr. and Mrs. Anton Teschendorf and family of Edroy, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Tedford.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Patrick and son Billy, of La Grange visited at the Herring home Sunday.
Mr. C. A. Benson, Sr., of Blanco, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Johnson over the weekend. Mr. Benson is Mrs. Johnson's brother.
Linda Ann and Barbara Lynn Herring visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Herring and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hinton over the weekend.
Mrs. Henry Koehler and son spent the week end in Bay City.

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