**Drugs and Sundries** 

TOYS, GIFTS, COSMETICS

Member Chamber of Commerce

THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN ARANSAS COUNTY

**VOL NO. 89** 

ROCKPORT, ARANSAS COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1958



works manager.

From Taylor Oaks Tralier Camp comes another good report.

spends his winter in Texas, fished with Robert Townsend, a Canadian, on one day, and brought in 85 trout. The next day he was out with Wilmer Hanson, of Iowa, and they brought in 42 specks.

And there have been lots of catches in the basin. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Skinner, of San Antonio, caught 12 big specks. George Christian, Minnesota, and Archie (continued on page 8)

## Wichita Falls Man **Teams With Local** Men to Catch Reds

Top honors as Texas' finest fisherman for redfish ought to go this week or any other week to W. S. Burland, of Wichita Falls, who, with one partner for two days, and two partners for one day, has brought in 700 pounds of fish, mostly reds, fishing out of Rock-

And it's no fluke or beginner's luck, for three weeks ago he and his brother, A. D. Bourland of Corpus Christi, along with Bill Krauss of Wichita Falls, brought in so many bull reds that it cost \$40 just to get them cleaned and

Burland, widely known among major oil companies for his company which manufactures paraffin solvents sold in 25 states and Canada, thinks that next to the solvent business the best thing in life is fishing, and that when it comes to fishing there is no place like Rockport. The result is that he spends a lot of his time here on Aransas and Mesquite bays and over behind Mud Island.

Early this week he slipped into whown, loaded his fishing tackle, inveigled Mayor Collum into going with him, cranked up the old outboard and took off.

The boys didn't do too badly that day-they caught 80 reds and trout for a total of 150 pounds of fish, with the top trout weighing in at four pounds and the heaviest red at three and a half.

But that only whetted Bourland's appetite, and the next day he talked the mayor into going again, along with Kyle Paul, also of Rockport, and that day the boys checked in with 240 pounds a little larger than the day before, because it took only 125 fish to make up this total.

But the pay-off really came the third day that Bourland fished. Mayor Collum couldn't go, so Bourland and Paul started for their fishing hole about noon, but didn't get a bump until about two-thirty. Then they spotted some birds and started fishing.

As fast as they could pull them out, they filled a 16-foot stringer with reds running between two and four pounds apiece. And then, almost as fast, they filled three more stringers of conventional size before they had to stop fishing

Between 2:30 in the afternoon and about 6 o'clock, that pair of fishermen caught 150 fish that averaged two pounds, and chugged home with the bottom of their boat running over with fish!

"You never saw anything like this last day," Bourland said. "We caught the when we had backlashes; we caught them when we had our rods tucked under our arm and let the fresh bait swing back into the water before casting; we caught them without moving out of our tracks. All you had to do was drop a shrimr into the water and Swo-o-o-o-osh, there

went another one." Where's Bourland today? Out fishing, of course.

### WEATHER

TT AZINA ARABAY							
Date	Bar.	Rain	Wind	Hi	Lo		
Dec. 1	2 30.06	0	1	62	40		
Dec. 1	3 29.98	T	6	60	37		
Dec. 1	4 30.50	.03	6	49	30		
Dec. 1	5 30.64	0	3	53	36		
Dec. 1	6 30.48	0	2	58	30		
Dec. 1	7 30.24	0	1 0	67	37		
Dec. 1	8 30.22	0	1				

**Bauxite Shipments to Alcoa** Scheduled to Start Jan. 12

company's Harbor Island docksbuilt on Aransas County Navigation District property-about Jan.

The ore will then be trans- ary.

# Guy Jellison, a Californian who Oldtimers Game Will Be Held This Saturday

proceeds of the game will still go of 1959. to the Lions' Scholarship fund and

Jimmie Hayden is captain of one other, and between the two they have assembled a galaxy of former Aransas County Stars.

On Hunt's team are such old at work. time great as Hunt himself, along with other backs, Eugene Satsky,

Bopey Cole is slated for one of the guard positions; Dave Davis is startng center. Tackles for the Gurley, Dickie Ballou and Robert capacity. The refining operation ley. Franklin; while ends listed include is equipped to process two differ-Eddie Bradshaw, Gary Smith and

den, a back, who will be assisted public. in lugging the pig hide by Martin

Ahead of these backs is a line made up of guards Bobby Close, Gilbert Falcon and Pat Smith; Christmas Holidays Nueces Judge tackles, Jerry Iles, John Silberisen, and Bobby Landrum, Leon Bateman, Lauriano Falson, and Mike Townsend.

All these and any other Rockport ex-player that thinks he can make the grade are asked to be at the Pirate field house at 6:30 on Saturday evening.

Refereeing the game will be Charles A. Roe, Jr., and his cohorts. and President of the School Board Dr. H. F. Elliot has promised to be in attendance if at all possible with plenty of arnica and bandages to restore damaged war- Msr. Florence Horton. riors that may need it.

### John Cabaniss Awarded Trophy

John Cabaniss was awarded the Captain Howard Mills football trophy for 1958 at a father and sume classes Jan. 5. so football banquet held Wednesday night in the high school cafeteria at which Ed Barnard was parties. Refreshments will be Master of Ceremonies and Coach Johnnie Frnka of Wharton Junior College the principal speaker.

Coach Melvin Borchert presented and Guy Clark, early in the eve-

This presentation was followed dren of the community. by another when high school principal A. B. Lefevre, presented Borchert with the District's Co-Champion trophy.

In turn, each Borchert presented t to this year's team captains-John Cabaniss and Clyde Town-

send. Coach Frnka showed the group of about 60 people a film on the Arlington State-Wharton Junior College game this year.

#### BALLROOM DANCE CLASSES TO BEGIN

Youth Groups will be available starting Jen. 17.

will be given preference due to the limited number of instructors Length overall is 45 feet, and beam available.

Please contact Mrs. A. L. Holland at SO 4-6354 for further information.

#### JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL GAME TOMORROW

ketball game in Frate gymnasium some 90 days from now, the boat work done in connection with the tomorrow night at 6:30. The op- is expected to measure out at suit filed by Aransas County. for students is 15c, for adults 25c. over.

The first shipment of South | shipped 70 miles by barge, through American bauxite, destined for Al- the Intracoastal Canal and the coa's new alumina plant at Point shallow waters of Matagorda Bay Comfort, will pass through the to the new refining plant at Point Comfort.

Dominican bauxite will be handled in the same manner, with 12, according to A. B. Kaltwasser, first deliveries to the transfer station scheduled for late Janu-

> This transfer operation, Kaltwasser said, is a temporary state of affairs, to be continued only until completion of the deep water ship channel through Matagorda Bay, authorized by Congress early

Initial operations at Alcoa's newest and largest refining plant have been slated to start Feb. 1, The oldtimers game, scheduled the works manager said, although for last Saturday night, has been there is still considerable work to postponed until this Saturday, at be completed at Point Comfort 8 p.m. at Pirate Field, and the which will take the greater part

Despite this, Alcoa plans to man other worthy charities, so plan to the beginning of alumina operations with 150 employees laid off when the Point Comfort smelting team; Woody Hunt will head the plants were curtailed several months ago. Supervisory and office personnel for the new plant have been employed and are already

new alumina refining plant is in J. D. Spencer, Vicenti Corpus, full swing, it will have an annual Eddie Morrison and Pete Ramirez, capacity of one million tons, and will provide jobs for more than 600 people.

Ultimate cost will be in the the plant is so designed as to make ent types of ore-one from Surinam, in South America, and the Opposed to this aggregation is other from Alcoa's new mining and additional educational facilianother under Captain Jimmy Hay- operations in the Dominican Re-

# ena, Charles Smith, Danny Adams, Alfreda Pena and Jim Sparks. Schools Ready for

Christmas program was held Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the auditorium.

for the story of the Nativity. The program included carols sung by a 16-voice chorus. The Rev. A. Arnott Ward told

the story "A Star Is Born" with a musical setting. The finale was "Come All Ye Faithful," sung by the assembly.

The program was directed by

The Curtain Club of the Aransas County High School and the cast of a recent variety show was given a formal party Saturday night in the Palm Court of the Nucces Hotel in Corpus Christi.

Aransas County schools will close at 2:30 pm Friday and re-

At 1:30 p.m. each of the high school classes will have Christmas served to each group by the room mothers.

Gifts of toys will be exchanged around trees in each room, the next year's captains—Dale Barnard toys later to be turned over to tribution to underprivileged chil-

A Christmas program and piano recital by the Sacred Heart Convent pupils will be held Thursday night at Sacred Heart Hall.

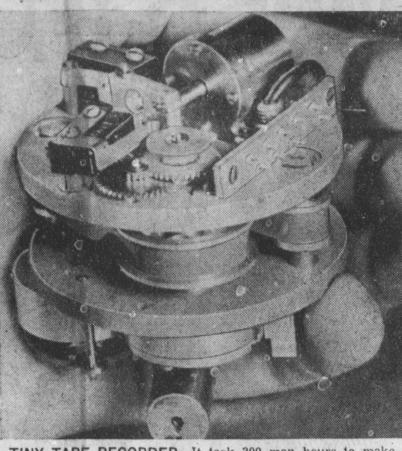
at the convent at 10 a.m. Friday. After the party the school will close for the holidays and classes will resume Jan. 5.

### Keel Laid on New **Boat for Harry Ponton**

A keel for a new boat for Harry Ponton-the Jenny Lee-was laid Wednesday by John Minton, who Ballroom dancing classes for be- will construct the 45-foot shrimper ginners in the Junior and Senior after plans which he drew himselfa Because the boat is to be used both in the bay and the Gulf, the Registrations should be made as draft will be held at three feet, soon as possible as first registrants and battened %-inch plywood will

> will be 15 feet. be turnished by a four-cylinder comment. GM 251, through a 3-to-1 reduc-

shrimper, with a two-drum land Graves and Fisher Alsup. Blume winch, and a fuel capacity There will be a junior high bas- of 300 gallons. When completed



TINY TAPE RECORDER-It took 300 man hours to make this tiny tape recorder which was fitted into Explorer II, the Army's unsuccessful satellite. It was designed to store up information about cosmic rays, temperatures, meteorite bombardment and release it in five-second periods on signal from the ground. The completed assembly (a cover fits over it), built at University of Iowa, fits conveniently in a man's palm.

## **Baptist Building Program for New** Kaltwasser said that when the Church Gets Underway as Members ew alumina refining plant is in Vote to Issue Bonds for Structure

Members of the congregation of by the Kingdom Builders' Foundateam are: Bob Morrison, J. C. possible a future doubling of its according to Reverend C. W. Brum-

> The new building, when comthat will seat nearly 400 people ties to take care of at least 300 past year of 194.

The bonds will be underwritten its use.

# Receives Report Lenore Faber was the parrator On Boundary Trial

shape" so far as the upcoming tributed. court trial on a boundary dispute with Aransas County is concerned, County Judge Jerome Jalufka said

Fisher Alsup, indicates that County will keep the boundary line it now claims.

A public report of all the preparations will not be made, Ja-

football signals would be to give more than half the goal the church them the game," he said. However, has set itself for this year. How-Jalufka said surveys have been ever, there are still almost three made on the site, land titles have weeks left during which time conbeen checked in Austin and legal tributions can be received, he said. preparations have been drafted

Alsup said the trial tentatively Methodists Need is set for next spring, though a Pointettias and the students in the shop for dis- specific date has not been determined.

Thirty-three square miles are involved in the suit. Jafulka has termed the suit a serious threat to the county's income as oil interests on Harbor Island now A Christmas party will be held yield about \$125,000 annually in tax revenues.

Aransas County filed suit in 135th District Court at Refugio more than a year ago, claiming that Port Aransas and parts of Harbor Island and Mustang Island lie within its boundaries.

Jalufka said Tuesday he has asked Noah Bennedy, who succeeds him, to keep attorneys that already have been hired to fight the Aransas County border claim.

He said "it appears" that Kennedy and the new court will keep the attorneys. Jalufka's statement followed

closed meeting between one of the attorneys, Ralph Wood, and be used as material for the hull. the commissioners' court. Kennedy and commissioner-elect Robert N. Power for a 24/20 propellor will not be contacted afterward for

by the county in the border dis-The Jenny Lee will be a single- pute are Wood, Harvey Weil, Ire-

Alsup is legal advisor to the

(Continued on Page 8)

the First Baptist Church voted tion, to guarantee payment of infor the other; and Blackie Chupe neighborhood of \$45 millions, and last week to issue \$80,000 in bonds terest and principal, and will be for construction of a new church, sold to members of the congregation and other interested parties. Bearing 5% interest they will be issued in \$100, \$250 and \$500 depleted, will have an auditorium nominations. Interest will be paid semi-annually. Upon completion of the new

sanctuary, Reverend Brumley said, in the church Sunday school, which had an average attendance this over to the site of the Baptist mission here and remodeled for

As a community missions project for the Christmas season, Revinstructed by the land office to to the task. erend Brumley said, each circle of check county records and to con- According to the Commission's in the vestibule of the church, each bearing the name of a circle, and circle members can place gifts for the needy in them up to Saturday, Dec. 20, after which time the con-Nueces County is in "good tents of the baskets will be dis-

Miss Jean Venable, music director of the public schools, and a member of the church, is devoting much time and effort on the He said that a private report he Christmas cantata that will be received from his legal assistant, presented on Sunday, Dec. 21. Choir members have been practic-"chances are good" that Nueces ing for weeks on the music, which tells the story of Christ's birth, and which is interspersed with Christmas carols.

Gifts for the Lottie Moon Christmas offering have reached "To give the other team your \$755, Rev. Brumley said, or a little

# More Poinsettias

The congregaton of the First Methodist Church is making a special effort to decorate the sanctuary of the church for Sunday morning services with poinsettias, according to Rev. Asa F. Avant. Anyone interested in aiding this

worthy project should contact the Rev. Avant who has information upon where the plants can be obtained at special prices of \$1.25 for those with a single flower, \$2.25 for those with two blooms. The flowers should be placed in the sanctuary Saturday afternoon, Reverend Avant said.

As a part of the service, he said, the choir will render special numbers preceding the sermon which he will preach.

#### FULTON FIRE DEPARTMENT BUILDING RISING

The Fulton Fire Department iff's Department, cleared up two Barnes were present, but could building is rising rapidly, accord- post office burglaries in which ing to M. W. Cochran, who headed the Lions' committee which has dressed to the Southwestern Bell Attorneys who have been hired been raising funds for the project. Telephone Company were taken in The walls are already up, Cochran said and the roof will be on before the week is out.

So far, Cochran stated, everycourt but is being paid extra for thing has been paid for as the may be taken by the local anthoriwork progressed, but the Lions ties, Sheriff A. E. Shivers said. Club still needs a little over a project.

# Richardson Grants **Easement for Pass**

Eight Hundred Feet Wide Strip Across St. Joseph to Be Dikea Off to Care for Spoil From Cedar Bayou If Work Starts

Calhoun Group

**Protests Claim to** 

**Matagorda Land** 

acres on Matagorda Island.

an organization protesting rancher

Toddie Lee Wynne's claim to 3,800

"If the land is state property and

torney general to do but to file

next month, the decision whether

to file legal action will be made.

be needed for survey and investi-

assistance in obtaining complete

question is owned by the state.

George Fred Rhodes, local at-

books as state-owned and on which

the state is granting oil leases."

owned by Wynne, had double

land office report, to file suit

rows across the disputed land pre-

THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD

OFFICE BURGLARIES

ARRESTED IN POST

Nov. 28.

venting hunters and fishermen

boy last Monday by Sherman Mun-

approximately \$436 in checks ad-

two burglaries on Nov. 25 and

The boy was released to his

father, pending any action that

checks at a local grocery.

if the report is favorable.

porary chairmen.

it reaches legal action."

tional statement.

Sid Richardson, Fort Worth oil man and owner, among other things, of St. Joseph Island, has rescued the Game Commission's plans for a fish pass at Cedar Bayou by granting it an 800-foot easement across St. Joseph's Island.

The strip of land runs for approximately four miles. from where the projected cut is expected to leave Mesquite Bay to the mouth of Cedar Bayou, where it empties into 'the Gulf.

The bayou has been open intermittently since prehistoric times. It is possible to identify the area in Cabeza de Vaca's "Naufragios," which he wrote over 300 years ago, after having tramped the A group of Calhoun County Texas coast from Galveston Island citizens will meet today to form southward.

While LaFitte engaged in piracy off the coast of the Lone Star State, he made use of Cedar Bayou. The group contends that the for in thise days it was deep land in question is owned by the enough for a good sized bark to enter from the Gulf, threading State Sen. William S. Fly of its way through Mesquite to Aran-Victoria, told the group last week, sas Bay, where the buccaneers had established a fort on the shores of if Wynne is claiming it, then St. Joseph's Island.

there is nothing else for the at-Prior to the Civil War, it presented a problem to the stage line that ran down Matagorda Island, Following a report on findings from Saluria to Aransas Wharf. by the Texas General Land Office on St. Joseph's.

As late as 1951 or 1952, the bayou was still open, although "These claims on islands are shallow at both ends. During the most difficult and expensive," Fly drouth years it closed, however, said, "thousands of dollars may and attempts by local sportsmenaided by oil man Toddie Lee gation alone, and it may require Wynne, of Dallas-were unsuccessan appropriation from the state ful. A trickle of water induced by legislature to finance this issue if a drag line soon dried up.

The Game Commission, in re-John Ross Williamson, chief sponse to sportsmen's requests. field inspector for the Texas Gen- has made preparations to reopen eral Land Office, said he has been the pass, allocating some \$400,000

the WMU is planning a Christmas fer with Wynne regarding his engineers, the shortest and most claims. He said his report has direct route for the cut was across been sent to the state office, and Matagorda Island, which is owned that he could not make an addi- by Wynne, who was unwilling to grant the needed right-of-way State Rep. R. H. Cory of Vicbecause it would segregate a siztoria, along with Fly, pledged full able hunk of his acreage.

An alternate route, up the data and taking any warranted natural course of Cedar Bayou was longer and would cost more, but Calhoun County Surveyor Charles | the Commission decided to go W. Hodges outlined the original ahead with this, only to be held up grant on Matagorda Island. Hodges once more because of difficulty in said, in his opinion, the land in finding a place to dispose of the soil expected from the dredging.

In the easement granted by torney, said some citizens had al- Richardson, the Commission is already attempted various steps. lowed to erect a levee 800 feet We were advised in Austin that from, and parallel to, the center if claim was to be made to the line of the bayou. Beyond this, on land it would have to be a title Richardson's land, the soil is to be suit. It behooves me as to why dumped. If, following the dredging, the state would have to prove Richardson decides against the ownership to land already on the levee remaining, the Commission is to remove it.

Abandonment or failure to main-Cory said he had been informed tain the pass by the Game Comthat the American Liberty Oil Co., mission cancels the easement.

#### leased the land in question, one lease from the state and one from Dredging Business Wynne. He advised the group to Picks Up at Rockport organize, and after receiving the

Bauer-Smith Dredging Company moved their dredge, C.S.E. HOL-Among those attending the ses- LAND, their tug, BEN, and their sion were representatives of the crew boat, NAN SUE, into Rock-Texas Game and Wildlife Com- port Harbor on Wednesday in mission, county clerk Maurice preparation for work on the Intra-Fields, Tom Toney and Lacie May, coastal Canal in this area. Captain who with Rhodes serves as tem- W. S. Schilling is in charge of operations.

Interest among area residents The Corps of Engineers also arose when it was discovered that moved their dredge FOX into official records showed that the Rockport Harbor this week preland in question was owned by paratory to doing some work in the state, and that employes of this section of the Intracoastal the Wynne Ranch had plowed fur- Canal.

#### CAMERA CLUB from reaching the area in aircraft. MEETS WEDNESDAY

The local camera club met Wednesday night at the High School for discussion and criticism of films and prints.

Next meeting will be Wednes-Arrest of a 13-year-old Refugio day, Jan. 7, at 7:30 p.m., in the high school. dine, of the Aransas County Sher-

#### DANCE HELD AT RADAR STATION

Members of the 813th AC&W Squadron held a Christmas dance at the station Wednesday night.

### NO GARBAGE PICKUP XMAS

According to City Water Superintendent Tom Shults, there will The arrest followed attempts by be no garbage pickup on Christmas ponent is Aransas Pass. Admission about eight new tons or a little In carroaign speeches before thousand dollars to complete the the youngster to cash one of the Day, but it will be resumed on the next day, Friday.

Specials Good from Friday, Dec. 19 thru Wed., Dec. 24. Closed Christmas Day

Virginia Reel Brand

Sausage . . . lb. 59c

Virginia Reel Brand

Thick Bacon

VERY GIRE

Blackhawk Bacon . . lb. 59¢

Rath's Blackhawk

Rath's Sliced

Thick Sliced Bacon 2 15. 1.15

Good Veal Shoulder Round

Swiss Steak . . . lb. 65¢



Chuck Roast

NS 5 lbs. 4.79

Fresh Boston Butt Style

Pork Roast 1. 49¢

Fully Cooked - Bar-S Holiday



Fresh Dressed — Home-Grown Turkey

Toms 39°

Turkey

Garden Large Stalk CELERY. APPLES . . 4 lb. bag 49c Fresh Texas CABBAGE No. 1 Russet POTATOES . . 10 lb. bag 45c

Quick Convenient Gladiola

- COFFEE SPECIALS -

Maxwell House . lb. 77c Maxwell House . . 1.49 Maryland Club . lb. 77c Admiration . . lb. 73c INSTANT

Chase & Sanb	orn, 6 oz. 99c
FIRST CHOICE	1b. 19c
MRS. TUCKER'S	lb. 25c
NORTHERN TISSUE	3 rolls 25c
NORTHERN NAPKINS	2 ctns. 25c
REYNOLDS FOIL	reg. roll 33c



We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantity

49c		Mince or Pumpkin	
100	ea.	PET RITZ PIES	ag 49c
39c	. ½ gal.	MELLORINE	lb. 5c
1.00	. 3 qts.	ICE CREAM .	ag 45c
1.0	. 3 qts.	ICE CREAM .	Quaker Wh

CORN MEAL .				21	/2	lb.	box	25c
POWDERED SUG	AR					2	for	25c
Baker's Southern Style COCOANUT					4	oz.	can	19c
	Millian	in i	Million	The state of the s				
Eatm	0- 3	00 6			STITE STITE	THINK!		
CRANBERR	Marie Strategy					190		
Betty Crock White - Yellow -	Cho			c .	~		Chi	

FLOUR GOLD MEDAL 5 lbs. 49c FLUFFO 3 lbs. 73c SUGAR 5 lbs. 53c DEL MONTE GLASS SPICED PEACHES 21/2 39c LIBBY'S FRUIT COCKTAIL 303 can 25c WHOLE KERNEL NIBLETS, CORN 12 oz. 16c DEL MONTE PEAS 303 can 18c FIRST CHOICE SLICED PINEAPPLE No. 2 can 25c RENOWN WHOLE GREEN BEANS 303 can 20c WINSLOW ALL GREEN ASPARAGUS No. 1 can 20c ROSE-DALE 303 can 16c GREEN LIMAS RAINBOW CANDIED DILL STRIPS CANDIED PICKLES 16 oz 37c PEPPERIDGE FARM DRESSING MIX pkg. 25c McCORMICK, ALL COLORS CAKE DECORS ea. 19c FIRST CHOICE DETERGENT giant 59c BREEZE giant 79c BREEZE \_\_\_\_\_reg. 31c LUX LIQUID \_\_\_12 oz. 33c



FROZEN

Valley Frost

Mrs. Baird's

Borden's

Quart

TEXIZE

Fleecy White

BLEACH

Sunshine-8 oz.

Quart Sun Spun

Del Monte

Delight

Comet

RICE

SPINACH

DOG FOOD

Sunshine or Nabisco

TIDE or CHEER

PINTO BEANS

CRACKERS

Old Ivory

**STRAWBERRIES** 

DINNER ROLLS

**ORANGE JUICE** 

WHIPPING CREAM

SPICED PEACHES

**MARSHMALLOWS** 

Nabisco Stack Pack—12 oz.

RITZ CRACKERS

SALAD DRESSING

Campbell's, 21 oz.

6 oz., Tree Sweet

WEST'S



**Del Monte** 

WISHES YOU A VERY

Merry Christmas

THIS AD WILL RUN THROUGH XMAS WEEK!

We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantity

**Armours Star Broad Breasted** 



TOMS

Lb.

Diamond

WALNUTS

lb. bag

45c

Libby's, Whole

**GREEN BEANS** 

23c

Del Monte

Early Garden Spears

**ASPARAGUS** 

29c

Red & White.

SHORTENING

3 lb. can 69c

Samuel's Mohawk



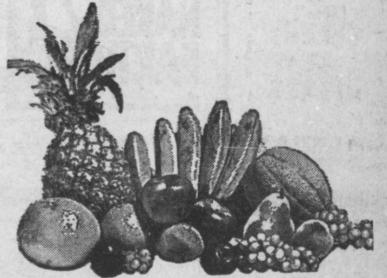
WHOLE OR SHANK HALF

	OYSTERS	pt.	890
	Swift's Premium CHUCK ROAST	lb.	530
	Swift's Premium Steak	P	ound
	R'nd Steak	6	9c
۵	Samuel's Thick Sliced  BACON 2 1b.	ske.	990

Samuel's Thick Sliced BACON	2 lb. p	kg.	99c
Cedar Valley BACON		lb.	49c
Young, Tender Chicken		01	

HFN2	lb.	3	yc
Longhorn CHEESE		lb.	49c
BOLOGNA		Ib	49c

pound Fresh



	Fresh, Green GELERY	stalk 10c
	Delicious APPLES	Ib. 10c
	Texas ORANGES	5 lb. bag 39c
•	POTATOES	10 lbs. 45e
	Instant Coffee	6 oz. 990
	Red & White	2 FOR 25C

Quaker CORN MEAL 15c Brown or Powdered

19c

17c

18c

33c

63c

15c

29c

45c

2 for 29c

3 for 25c

1 lb. 27c

31c

Ib. 10c

2 lb. box 39c

1/2 gal. 29c

21/2 25c

2 for 49c

Sun Spun

MARGARINE

lb. 17c

SUGAR 2 for 25c

Del Monte FRUIT COCKTAIL 25c

Ocean Spray

**Cranberry Sauce** 23c

Sunshine

**XMAS CANDY** 49c

Libby's, 12 oz. Whole Kernel

Vacuum Pack Corn 2 for 35c

Heinz

TOMATO SOUP 2 for 25c

FOLGER'S or MARYLAND CLUB, Ib. 77¢

ADMIRATION ... Ib. 73¢

Red Bird

21/2 can Imported, Pitted

33c "Sair" Dates 35c

YAMS

Lightcrust 5 lbs. 49c Tomato Juice 29c FLOUR 49c

21/2 can

25c

Del Monte

SUGAR

Our Value

**PEARS** 

5 lbs.

Your Choice Reg. Borden's **BISCUITS** ICE CREAM can 10¢ 1/2 gal. 79¢

Pepperidge Farm STUFFING 25¢

Northern Northern Tissue, 3 for 25c NAFKINS

Northern 10c WAX PAPER 19c

Our Value

Cut Green Beans 2 FOR 25¢

Egg Nog Mix & 59° 115 CRISCO



Subscription Price In Advance

One Year in Aransas County	\$2.00
Six Months in Aransas County	\$1.50
One Year Outside Aransas County	\$4.00
Six Months Outside Aransas County	\$2.50

Published Every Thursday

R. ROY WOODS and ROY V. ROGERO Owners and Publishers

J. L. BAUGHMAN, Reporter

Entered as second-class matter June 30, 1927, at the postoffice at Rockport, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1927

BETHANY SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Behtany Sunday School

Christmas music and songs were

enjoyed by everyone and gifts

A luncheon was served to the

Those present were: Mrs. Ruby

John McLester, Mrs. Eva Coaker,

Mrs. Roy Mullinax, Mrs. Tom

COVE

DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Rockport

THURSDAY and FRIDAY

Dec. 18-19

LADD BORGNINE

SATURDAY and SUNDAY

MON., TUES., WED. Dec. 22-23-24

CLOSED

A continent

before your

awakes

eyes!

were exchanged.

E. B. Crawford, Sr.

work.

Class of the First Baptist Church

CLASS HOLDS CHRISTMAS

PARTY AT ROATEN HOME

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR HAS DINNER FOR GRAND MARCH

The local chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star had as their guest at a dinner at Corky's Mon- held their class Christmas party day night, Mrs. Marie Mullins of at the home of Mrs. Shelley Roaten Freer, Deputy Grand Matron of last Thursday. Mrs. Christine District 5, who was paying her McDonald gave the devotional on official visit of the year to the the birth of Christ. Rockport group.

Also attending was Mrs. Jones Christian, Grand Representative of the Order from North Carolina, who has spent the last several winters in Rockport.

Later, at the Masonic Hall, Mrs. | Condley. Mary Juergens, manager of the Rockport Chamber of Commerce, Mundine, Mrs. Ruby Traylor and and a member of the order, read the Christmas story.

Atmosphere surrounding the Shults, Mrs. Estelle Huckaby, Mrs. earth is about 21 per cent oxygen, V. C. Dasherd, Mrs. Thelma 79 per cent nitrogen.

### RIALTO THEATRE

Aransas Pass

Enjoy Your Movies In Air Conditioned Comfort On Our New Wide Screen

THURSDAY and FRIDAY Dec. 18-19

Audie Murphy and Patricia in

The Gun Runners

SATURDAY ONLY Dec. 20

Buddy Hart and

Wendy Stuart in The Littlest Hobo

SUNDAY and MONDAY

Dec. 21-22

Gordon Scott in

Tarzan's Fight for Life

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY Dec. 23-24

John Drew Barrymore and Lita Milan in

Never Love a Stranger

land and its people.

tient padres taught Indians and Spaniards, and civilization took slow but stubborn root n the New World. Used as churches, schools, forts, granaries and dwelling places, the missions are landmarks of an interesting era.

definite pattern. Their various pling since the dawn of history. units were enclosed within a wall Everyone is familiar with the now being applied to the study of assemb'ed guests by the hostess,

Mrs. Roaten, assisted by Mrs. and the cemetery. the fields were the mission's man.

her mother, Mrs. Gunter; Mrs. ranches. governor, alcaldes, regidores, al- to another. But this is not so. National Foundation. Other areas guacil and fiscales elected by the Many viruses are constantly of March of Dimes activity are converts under the watchful eye changing their characteristics- polio, arthritis and birth defects. Aikin, Mrs. Louise Shults, and of the missionary. Not all of them growing more or less harmful. were built of lasting materials, Alencon, city in southern France, recorded perhaps a dozen still have years. Each year it causes some research.) is famed for the manufacture of buildings standing, some of which beautiful laces and embroidery are used for worship today.

Others in the same city are San cled the world. Francisco de Espada, La Concepcion Purisima, San Juan de Capisknown as the Alamo.

At Goliad there are two: Espiritu Santo de Zuniga and La incidence might drop from the dren of the neighborhood, brave in crippling more and more people. their Sunday best, line the steps How far it would have gone withas they wait the bell that calls out the vaccine no man can tell. them to prayer.

In the Valley, the city of Mission is named for a tiny chapel, built long ago by the Oblate Fathers, and still used by neighboring families as a place of

Oldest of all those that still stand is the one built at Corpus Christi de Ysleta in 1681, on an island in the Rio Grande, below El Paso. The river changed its course and the church now stands on Texas soil as do two others in the neighborhood, the convent church of San Elizario and another at Socorro.

Both of them were built about 1682 and have had their vicissitudes since. The beautifully simple, snow-white structure at Socorro has been damaged by fire and flood, only to be rebuilt time and again. The other owes its greatest claim to fame to the famous Salt War of San Elizario, in which the parish priest, Father Antonio Borajo, took a very active

term meaning lively.

### Missions of Texas Virus Causes Ills Were First Schools From Colds to Polio

The missions of Texas were built (Editor's note: This is the first of primarily to Christianize the In- three articles on viruses, the harm dians, but they were also im- they cause, what is being done portant as a means of extending about them, and even what good Spanish rule as supplements to the they may do, by Dr. Henry W. presidios and in warding off the Krumm, chief of virus research for French. In addition, they exerted a the National Foundation. Dr. profound cultural influence on the Kumm spent 23 years on the investigation of malaria, yellow Missions were the first schools fever and yaws while with Inin Texas. Within their walls pa- ternational Health Division of the Rockefeller Foundation.)

be tomorrow's epidemics.

oped in connection with polio are

Progress is being made against

but it is helping us to understand

Virus disease is a major phase

(The second article by Dr. Kumm

Halloween was originally a

church festival, All Hallows Eve,

will discuss questions for which

viruses and it is important. Not

By HENRYE W. KUMM, M.D. Chief of Virus Research,

The National Foundation So far as we know now, viruses causes it have contributed to the are man's smallest enemies and fight on polio and to efforts to among the most deadly. Invisible control all virus disease in man. No matter whether they were to the naked eye, and difficult to situated in the woods of East see even with the best optical ported work on polio has con-Texas or the chapparal along the microscopes, viruses have caused tributed to our understanding of man dressed as Frosty, the snow will exchange gifts. border, most of them followed a man sickness, pain, death and crip- other viruses. Techniques devel-

with fortified gates. Within this effects of viruses. We have all mumps and measles. An experiquadrangle were the church, houses had common colds, which are due mental vaccine against viruses alfor clergy and converted Indians, to viruses. We may know someone lied to the common cold has aiordinarily ranged around the inside who has been crippled by the virus ready been produced by governof the fortifications; carpenter, of polio We have heard of yellow ment scientists, using procedures blacksmith and tailor shops; fever, hepatitis and smallpox These developed by Dr Salk for the polio looms, grain bins, kilns; houses are all due to viruses that attack vaccine. for soldiers assigned to the mis- man. There are other viruses that sion for its protection; the orchard attack lower animals and plants. These may be serious, too, for only does it bring us closer to Beyond the enclosed Indian vil- disease can devastate a food sup- control of the virus diseases for lage were the fields, and beyond ply as it destroys the health of a which we still have no answer,

We are apt to think of viruses other health problems as well. Nearly 40 formal missions were as essentially the same from one established in Texas, each with its day to another and from one year of the expanded program of the

Here is a recent example. Inbut of the ones that have been fluenza has been known for many aswers are sought through virus deaths. But after the First World War something happened to the San Jose, in San Antonio, is the influenza virus. It became more best known and is said to be the deadly. And it killed 20 million to honor all departed saints. most beautiful in the southwest. people in an epidemic that encir-

The development of the Salk vaccine through research suptrano and that Texas shrine, San ported by your March of Dimes Antonio de Valear, more familiarly is well known. At the time the vaccine was developed, polio was an increasing disease. One year's Bahia, which bulks against the year before, but over a period of sky atop its crag while little chil- years the disease was gradually

Thus, in studying virus diseases, scientists are not dealing

creamy rich



KNOLLE DAIRY FOODS AT YOUR DOOR OR STORE.



### with a static problem. They know Rockport Elementary that a virus disease that is rare Parent-Teachers Hold row. They are dealing with an ebb | Regular Meeting and flow af nature that no one

The Rockport Elementary P.T.A. understands. This is why research met Wednesday, Dec. 17, in the into even rare virus diseases is necessary, for these ailments may the program was presented. Furthermore, research into one

virus often turns up information which may help the understanding Christmas scenes and songs. The first number was "I Saw Mommy badly in the school. of others. A great deal that we know about viruses, for example, Kissing Santa Claus," sung by has come from studies of a particular virus that causes what is John Ballou. The second scene was known as mosaic disease of to- a manger scene with the group bacco plants. Not very many people singing "Away in the Manger," such, but studies of the virus that group singing "Jingle Bells." The home of Mrs. Arthur Clinton, Mrs. Likewise, March of Dimes-sup-THE STATE OF THE S

man, with his top hat and corn cob pipe. The other children were dressed in their snow clothes and sang "Frosty, the Snow Man."

Mrs. Eller's room won the at-

tendance prize. Mrs. Don Henderson, president, was given by Mrs. Arnott Ward asks that anyone having warm clothing to donate to the elementary school should contact Miss first grade classes in a group of Maria Vidaurri or Mrs. Henderson. These clothes are needed very

The cradle roll, beginners and primary group of the Church of Christ will be entertained Thursare worried about this disease as and "Silent Night." Next was the day with a Christmas party at the next scene was a chimney with Richard Sharp, Mrs. Fayrene Santa Claus descending and a Brown, Mrs. George Robbins, Mrs. group of children holding stock- Johnny Wright and Mrs. John B. ings singing "Jolly Ole Saint Goff will be co-hostesses. Games Nick." The last scene was a young will be played and the chlidren

鎮鎮與鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵鐵

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR

MY GOOD FRIENDS

TO ALL

AND -

CUSTOMERS

JOE SEDLMEYER, JR. Joe's Radio and TV Service

ROCKPORT

# \*Capture\* \*EART \*HER\*HEART with a FROM TOWNSEND'S

Make her purr like a kitten in one of our kitten-soft sweater sets the gift that she will be delighted to find under the tree. We have a startling array of sweaters in different styles and fabrics.

3.98 to 10.98



What is more comforting than a lovely robe to relax in for the evening, to lend a special charm to breakfast time? We have robes of soft cotton, corduroy, cotton quilted, nylon quilted and various other materials.

4.98 to 14.98

MERLE HORMAN COSMETICS

Townsend's Dress Shop

Phone SO 4-2404



MAKE -

# THIS CHRISTMAS

# RCA Christmas SHOP

AT YOUR R.C.A. DEALER

No Payment Until February

RATLIFF FURNITURE COMPANY

Phone SO 4-6121



### Old Englishman Says Lots of **Rabbits Here**

ago an Englishman, William the residence of Mr. James Power, Bollaert, came to Texas, and dur- "an old emprasario settler." ing the three years he spent in the south as Aransas Bay, Lamar, and ships with milk and fish. Corpus Christi.

Texas navy who served on the in case of sudden attack. vessel "Lafitte," and belonged to the Texas Coast Guards, whose laert says, "and parties went uniforms were red woolen shirts, ashore to wash clothes, fish, white trousers and straw hats. 'oystering,' 'gunning,' etc. In this These Coast Guards were armed vicinity roams the last of the with muskets, pistols, pikes and Koronks or Caracahuas Indians. parding swords, and, said Bol- They have the reputation of being no scarcity of hatchets, tomahawks that a chief by the name of 'Capand Bowie knives for close itan Francisco' told him that a

The vessel also carried, in its est meat he had ever eaten." small stores, plenty of "Honey Dew" plug tobacco and segars.

### WESTERN AUTO **Associate Store**

WIZARD AUTOMATIC WASHERS

From

159.95

# MITCHELL'S JEWELRY



**PHONE SO4-6542** 

Watches, Diamonds Jewelry Engraving

Rockport

ing inside "Decrows" point, along with the two vessels that accompanied them-the "Santana" and

the "Washington." The fourth night out the little fleet came in over the bar at Aransas Pass, and the next morning went on to Live Oak Point, One hundred and sixteen years where Rockport is today, but then

Power had some "Beefs" killed infant republic, traveled as far for the flotilla and supplied the

He had an armament of rifles He was one of the men in the and muskets secreted in his house

"Here we took in water," Bolaert in later years, "there was cannibals. Mr. Power informed me white man's heart was the sweet-

The squadron left the Power's day, 5 p.m.; Thursday, 11:30 a.m.; home and circled Copano Bay, but Saturday 7:00 a.m.; Friday night In answer to a Mexican scare, navigation was hard, because Novena devotions at 7; Confesthe Lafitte made a cruise from "these bays are full of sandbanks Galveston down the coast, slipping and shoals, and one has to keep and 7 to 8 p.m., Vigil before Holy inside at Pass Caballo bar, anchor- the lead or pole going, and it requires some attention to navigate Fridays, 4:30 to 6.00. in the channels."

There were rabbits on shore in great abundance, but cavilization(?) had already begun to thin the deer. Bollaert and a companion killed a rattler with 12 rattles. Snakes, scorpions, centipedes and a few alligators were seen, and 7:45 p.m.; Sunday School workers turtles were very abundant. Sharks were not very common.

There were six or eight habitations at Lamar, but the people there, afraid of a Mexican invasion, were preparing to leave. Corpus Christi was on high land with muskit timber.

"Messrs. Kenney (Henry Law-rence Kinney) and Aubry are the principal traders here," Bollaert said. "Their log house is fortified and they have a piece of artillery.

. . . This spot at present (1842) may be looked on as a good point for trading into Mexico. When the question is settled between the two countries, then Corpus Christi will become a place of some import-

**ELLIOT-HUGHES NEWS** 

Mrs. Ruth Garcia, medical, discharged Dec. 17. Mrs. Clem Hernandez, medical,

discharged Dec. 15. Lloyd W. Hight, medical, dis-

charged Dec. 18. Mrs. W. Charmley, medical, admitted Dec. 15.

Mrs. Elvira Dominguez, medical, discharged Dec. 17. Mrs. Ann Wismer, medical, ad-

301 VICTORIA BANK

AND TRUST BUILDING Phone HI 3-6281

Victoria, Texas

mitted Dec. 15.

Kemper Williams Insurance Agey.

You Don't Need

FOR HOME IMPROVEMENTS

on the F.H.A. Home Improvement Plan

Easy - Economical - Convenient

- SEE --

Seth Steele or Randal Stivers

FULTON LUMBER CO., Inc.

"WE DELIVER THE GOODS"

or Phone SO 4-6462

For Full Information

PITTSBURGH PAINTS

Keen that JUST PAINTED look longer

BATHROOM

FAMILY ROOM

BEDROOM

SCASH

SERVES YOU FIRST

Add that:

• GARAGE

PORCH

**GO TO CHURCH** SUNDAY

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Harry Carter Minister in Charge Holy Communion and Sermon,

first Sunday each month, at 7:30 p.m., other Sundays, Morning Prayer and Sermon at 9:00 a.m. Church School each Sunday at 10:15 a.m. Choir rehearsal is each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. The Woman's Auxiliary meets the first Thursday at 3:30 p.m., and the Bishop's Committee on the second Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fr. G. J. O'Doherty, Pastor

and 6 p.m.; Holy Days 8 a.m. and year. 7 p.m.; week-day Mass Monday, Tuesday and Friday at 8; Wednessions, Saturdays, from 4:30 to 6

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. C. Wilson Brumley, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; meeting, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Women meet every Monday.

Monday: 4 p. m. YWA. 7:30 p. m. BWC. Tuesday: 9:30 a. m. S.B. & W.M.S. 3:15 p. m. S.B. & W.M.S. 4:30 p. m. Int. G.A. Wednesday: 4:00 p. m. Jr. G.A.

> CHURCH OF CHRIST N. E. Hicks

Bible class, 10 a.m.; morning worship, 10:50 a.m.; Sunday evening class, 6:30; Sunday evening worship, 7:30; Wednesday night service, 7:30; ladies Bible class. Thursday, 9:30 a.m. and men's Bible class at 7:30 p.m.

FULTON BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Eulon Mills

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

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD Rev. J. R. Fleming, Pastor Sunday school, 9:45; Preaching service, 11 o'clock; Evening Evangelistic service, 7:30; Week night service Wednesday. 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. Arnott Ward, Minister Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a. m.; Senior Young People and Pioneer Young People, 6:00 p. m.; Deacon's meeting, third Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.; Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; Men of the Church, first Thursday of each month, 6:30 p. m.; All Circles meet second Thursday morning at 9:30 a. m., afternoon at 3:00 p. m. Evening at 7:30 p.m.; Session meeting second Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; Women of the Church, fourth Thursday at 3:00 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. A. F. Avant Sunday school, 9:30; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; Methodist Men, 2nd Thursday, 7:30; WSCS, general meeting, 1st Thursday, 3 p. m.; fellowship dinner, 3rd Sunday at noon; MYF, Sunday at 6:00 p.m.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Buford Harris, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45; preaching service, 10:15 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; p. m.; Sunday prayer service, 6:30 to 7:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE Aransas Pass

nesday evening service, 8:00. All tive. He will assume his new posi-

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Aransas Pass Frank Reece, Pastor

Bible school 9:45; morning worship, 10:50; evening worship, 7:30; prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

> PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. L. C. Barnett, Pastor block north of Joe's Trailer Park Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Night Service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Young People's Service, Saturday, 7:30

he Above Directory of Churches Is Sponsored by the Following Merchants

Rockport Electric Co. Glass, Screnson, McDavid Lowman with their three children,

First National Bank Rooten Drug Store



IT'S THE LAW \* in Texas + A public service feature of the State Bar of Texas

Is That Christmas Gift Taxable?

Although it may come as a surprise to some people, the federal government levies a tax which applies to gifts made by one person to another. However, the government has no desire to tax ordinary birthday and Christmas gifts. The law, therefore, excludes from taxable gifts the first \$3,000 given Sunday Masses, 7 and 9 a.m. to each individual in each calendar

The law also excludes from taxable gifts, gifts to the church, community chest, and similar charitable organizations, and allows each giver an exemption of \$30,000 before the tax apples.

The tax applies whether the gift Days and Thursdays before First is of money or of property. If it is of property, the tax is computed property at the date of the gift.

7:30 p. m., Training Union, 6:30 p. time of his death. This may or may was transferred to the Corpus death shall be deemed to have been supervisor in 1956. made in contemplation of death and shall be taxable in the estate of the one who dies.

It may be advisable to "look a gift horse in the mouth" for the gift may cost the one who receives the gift in income taxes as well as the giver in gift taxes.

For income tax purposes the cost basis of property received by gift is the cost to the giver regardless of the fact that the giver may have paid a gift tax on the gift. The other rule is that in case of property received by inheritance, the cost basis is the fair market value at the date of the decedent's

An example will show the application of the rules. Suppose a farmer acquired his land in the early days at a cost of \$10,000. This property is now worth \$50,-000. The farmer wishes to retire and to escape estate taxes, so he gives the farm to his daughter.

Although he may pay federal gift taxes totaling several thousand dollars, when the daughter decides to sell the farm for its \$50,000 value, she still has to pay income tax on \$40,000 profit (difference between the sale price and her father's cost of \$10,000).

On the other hand, if the farmer had not given the farm to the daughter, but had left it to her under his will, he would have saved the gift tax. The daughter would have taken the property at a cost basis of \$50,000, so upon the sale she would not have had to pay any income tax.

Of course, there would have been some estate taxes an ladministration expenses in the father's estate. but that would have been much less than the taxes which resulted from the gift. However, depending upon individual and particular circurstances, there may be occasions when a gift is advisable. Your lawyer can advise you on this matter.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform-not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

CPL APPOINTS INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVE

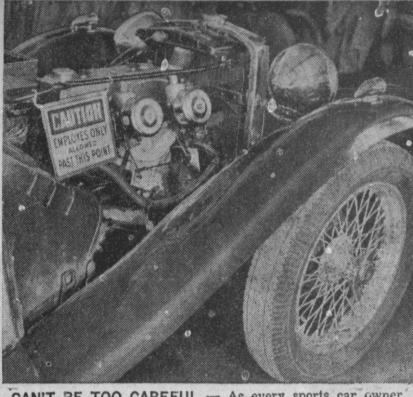
tion Dec. 20.

Central Power and Light Company has announced the appointment of Whit A. Cox as an in-Sunday services, 11 a.m.; Wed- dustrial development representa-

> A veteran CPL employee, Cox has been residential sales supervisor of the company's Corpus Christi district organization. In his new assignment he will assist W. C. Price is an expansion of CPL's industrial development activities. Among other duties, Cox will work with chambers of commerce in their efforts to attract new industry to South Texas.

> James F. Chatelle, builder-dealer coordinator in CPL's Valley District commercial department, has been named to succeed Cox as residential sales supervisor. He is now in Corpus Christi acquainting himself with the new job and will move his family there within the next few weeks.

Born and educated in San Marcos, Cox has lived in Corpus Christi siace 1937. A member of the Downtown Lions Club and a captain in the army reserve, he and his wife, Myrtle live at 4125 Mary Nell, 11; Mickie Allene, 9, and Shirley, 7. They are members of St. Luke's Methodist Church. A CPL employee for almos 23



CAN'T BE TOO CAREFUL — As every sports car owner knows, people just love to put their hands all over the interesting little vehicles. So Lt. Col. Nicholas J. Rifkin, stationed at Pease Air Force Base in Portsmouth, N.H., had this special sign made up to hang on his MG-TC. It means that only qualified mechanics can poke into the car's inner workings.

years, Cox began working for CPL | Chatelle's service record with CPL on the fair market value of the in the Home Office purchasing de- dates back to 1953. He joined the partment. On military leave during company as a meter repairman in The purpose of many gifts is World War II, he rejoined the or- Corpus Christi and moved to San to remove the property from the ganization in 1946 in the Home Benito two years later as Valley preaching service 10:45 a.m. and taxable estate of the giver at the Office commercial department. Cox District meter tester. m.; prayer service, Wednesday, not be accomplished. The federal Christi District four years alter as mercial department in 1956, Chalaw provides that transfers made a new business representative, and telle served as lighting represenwithin three years before date of was promoted to residential sales tative for a year and was named

Transferred to the Valley comthe Valley District builder-dealer A former Corpus Christian, coordinator in 1957.

**Brown Patch** Control Outlined

Brown patch, a rather comme lawn disease, is especially activ in the warmer sections of the state at this time. Although mo lawn grasses are susceptible to the disease, San Augustine lawns are most frequently attacked.

The disease starts as a small spot in the lawn. The circula brown spot spreads rapidly and the grass soon takes on a dead appearance. Infected areas often regain their green color following changes in the weather. The disease is most prevalent during humid weather on lawns with a dense turf and when temperatures remain above 70 degrees Fahren-

Recent tests in Louisiana have shown that Terraclor (P.C.N.B. 75% wettable powder) gave practically 100% control of the disease. P.C.N.B. should be used at the rate of 1 pound per 1,000 sq. ft. of lawn. The material should be watered down immediately after it is applied. This practice may prevent possible leaf burning and will get the chemical down in the turf where it is most

The fungus which causes brown patch lives in most soils regardless of the plants grown and when conditions become favorable the outbreak occurs.

Some men who desert their wives shouldn't be charged with desertion. Most of them are in reality refugees.

For a Good Lunch . . .

TRY HELEN'S DRIVE-INN

Lunches Served from 11 to 2 Every Day Except Wednesday and Sunday

**Short Orders at All Times** 

SOFT DRINKS — BEER CURB SERVICE

HELEN'S DRIVE

Phone SO 4-8569

Highway 35, South

# a MODERN Banking Service

for your convenience . . .



VISIT OUR NEW

bank teller service at your car window

The newest idea in banking comes to Rockport.

Our Mosler Drive-in Window gives you more innovations than ever, to help make banking a real pleasure.

Now you can make a deposit in less than a minute . . . no

more parking problems, no standing in line. So drive up and drive in, for quick, convenient banking.

THE FIRST HATIONAL RANK

Rockport, Toxos

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Member Chamber of Commerce

FRANKIE JONES STATIONED JANUARY DRAFT IN CALIFORNIA

Frankie P. Jones, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jones of General Delivery, Rockport, Texas, is now stationed at the U.S. Naval Missile Center, Point Mugu, Calif., by Captain Magruder H. Tuttle, USN, Deputy Commander, Pacific Missile

Jones reported to the Naval Missile Center on Dec. 2, 1958, from the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif. He has been assigned to the Operations Depart-

Jones enlisted in the Navy in August, 1958, and received his reing Center, San Diego, Calif. Upon ice headquarters Wednesday. completion of "boot" training he was assigned to the Naval Missile Center, Point Mugu, California.

Mrs. Fred Close and sons, Fredspend the Christmas holidays with | call was for 340. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bissett and Mr. and 1958 were: Mrs. W. F. Close Mr. Close will met Mrs. Close and sons in Hous- September 573, October 564, No-

CALLS 359 TEXANS

AUSTIN-The state quota for for 359 men, Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service director, announced Wednesday.

compares with a quota of 462 for December, previously announced. The January call is the state's share of a national quota of 9,000 men, all for the Army.

Service said that, as a result of table and jewel trees about the the drop in the monhtly quota, room. there would be no pre-induction in January.

Local board quotas for the January induction are scheduled to cruit training at the Naval Train- be mailed by state Selective Serv-

The January quota will be filled with men who are at least 22 years old on January 1, with the excep- guest room. tion of volnuteers or delinquents, who may be younger.

The January induction quota is die, Eddie and Dennis Hart, ar- the lowest monthly call on Texas was centered by a low vase in rived from Dallas Wednesday to since December, 1957, when the

January 493, February 641, arrive Christmas Eve to join the March 660, April 679, May 677, vember 556 and December 462.

MRS. MEANS GIVES PARTY FRIDAY

Mrs. E. W. Means gave her an-Texas draft boards in January calls | nual Christmas party Friday afternoon, assisted by Mrs. H. H. Dick, Mrs. Orville Haynes and Mrs. The state's January call of 359 F. L. McCord, who were co-hostesses. There were 10 tables of

A miniature Christmas tree over the sun parlor fireplace set the key note for decorations, carried The state director of Selective on by a bird tree on the coffee

drawn work over a pale green skirt covered the tea table, which which there were white chrysanthemums and ranunculus, flanked 3% of your income this year as Monthly quotas for the state in by taper-bearing candlesticks.

Mrs. Jack Hagar and Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr., poured coffee; Mrs. Tom Roper, Mrs. Rose Masfamily. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hart June 519, July 538, August 539, terson and Mrs. F. M. Dobkins

> Mrs. Phyllis Stewart turned in the high bridge score; Mrs. Essie Roper was second right; and Mrs. Page was low; and Mrs. Charles

Those who made up the 10

Miss Winona McFall, Mrs. Arthur Bracht, Mrs. Fred Bracht, Bracht, Mrs. A. L. Bruhl, Mrs.

Mrs H. Paul Stewart, Mrs. J. V. Ferguson, Mrs. Lillian Sorenson, son, Mrs. Edith Mills, Mrs. Ida May Templeton, Mrs. Charles Cleveland, Mrs. Frank Lenoir,

Mrs. Sue Collins, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. J. P. Hanway, Mrs. A. L. Bachman, Mrs. Eva Lutz, Mrs. Harry McDow, Mrs. Lois Rozzell, Mrs. Katherine Dodson, Mrs. W. N. Sanders, Mrs. Harry Traylor, Mrs. Cecil Whiteley, Mrs.

Mrs. Lillia Wood, Mrs. C. L. Thomas, Mrs. Page, Mrs. Jones Christian, Mrs. Yarrell, Mrs. Margaret Philpot, Mrs. Joe Slocum, and Mrs. N. F. Jackson.

Those tea guests who called

during the afternoon were: Mrs. E. L. Clark, Mrs. Eddie Sue Brundrett, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. Jack Hagar, Mrs. S. F. Jackson, Mrs. Travis Bailey, Mrs. R. L. Harrell, Mrs. Wentworth, Mrs. Gerude Mills, Mrs. Arnott Ward, Mrs. Frances Sanders, Mrs. Leth, Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr., Mrs. Rose Masterson, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Mrs. Margaret Dobkins, Mrs. J. C. May, Miss Lillie Fahr, Mrs. Elsie Roberts, Mrs. V. D. Wellington and Mrs. Frank Crockett.

The TEL Class of the First Baptist Church will entertain their husbands at a Christmas party in the Baptist Fellowship Hall Friday night, with a supper and exchange



## Right for Your Every Single Need!

No matter what you're building, whether it be a new attic, a game room, or an extra shelf in the pantry, you can depend on us to have the kind of lumber you want - at a price you'll like. So the next time you build, remember the convenience and savings you find here!

### CHAS. T. PICTON LUMBER CO.

LUMBER AND BUILDING SUPPLIES

Phone SO 4-2331

Rockport

bridge and 30 tea guests.

A jeweled wreath hung over the mental and physical examinations living room fireplace, and driftwood, pine cones and gilded leaves were used as decoration for occasional tables. Yellow gladioli and yellow and aquamarine carnations formed the centerpiece for the dining table, while pink calla lillies and carnations were used in the

A linen table cloth of Italian

served the eggnog.

Cleveland, bingo.

tables of brdge were:

Miss Mabel Bracht, Miss Genevieve Fred Booth, Mrs. Sadie Currie;

Mrs. Gumm, Mrs. Tom Roper, Mrs. Arlo H. Hansen, Mrs. Travis John-Mrs. Charles T. Picton;

E. T. White;

of Christmas gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and Miss Mary Grace Barnard of Sinton visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

# HEADQUARTERS

**Electrical Appliances** Stainless Steel Houseware Dishes for Every Occasion

Radios and TV Desk and Bed Lamps Clocks for Every Room

GIFTS

From \$1.00 Up

WE GIFT WRAP

Rockport Electric Co.

Phone SO 4-2412

### Income Tax Fax

Questions and Answers About

Your Individual Income Tax Report for 1958, as Presented by the Texas Press Association.

Medical expenses present great opportunities for switching ex- block 62, S&W. pense from one year to another.

Medical expenses are deductible to the extent they exceed 3% of ton Bayview. your adjusted gross income. But you are allowed not more than zel, part of lot 22, block 1, LBS \$2,500 per personal exemption and No. 1. not more than \$5,000 on a separate return, or more than \$10,000 on a joint or head of household return.

Exemptions for old age and blindness do not count. If you or your spouse are over 65 years old the 3% provision does not apply to you.

Now suppose that you have large unpaid medical expenses this townsite. year and will have even more in 1959. Do not pay any of these this year. Wait until 1959 and pay them all in that year. This way you will have the advantage of the full deduction instead of losing well as 3% of your income for

This works the other way too. Suppose you have paid medical expense of over 3% of your adjusted gross income and will have a deduction and you still owe medical bills which you plan to pay in 1959. If you pay those bills before the end of the year they will be a deduction this year. You won't have to use them to make up 3% of your adjusted gross income for 1959 before you can start deducting again. If you do not have funds readily available it might be wise to borrow the money.

Let's see how that would work. Suppose you borrow \$1,000 from a bank and repay in twelve monthly installments. Your cost for such a loan would be about \$70. Now suppose you take this \$1,000 and pay deductible bills with it. If you are paying taxes at the lowest rate, you will save \$200. Your net profit on the transaction will be about \$130.

Remember too, that any interest paid on borrowed money will become a deduction next year.

### ARANSAS TRY CASES DEEP

Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Co. No. 1 State Tracts 96, Aransas County wildcat six miles north of Rockport in Aransas Bay, has set 51/2-inch casing at 11,824 feet and plugged back to 11,776 feet.

320-acre lease in State Tract 95. away for food.

### PROPERTY TRANSFERS

A. L. Bracht to Diocese West

W. R. Hooks to D. T. Brocato, part lots 13, 15 and all lot 14.

R. S. Bearman to W. F. Emerson, lots 11, 12, 13, block D, Ful-

A. Salisbury, Jr., to G. N. Diet-

C. Harrist to E. M. Craven, lot

35, Market Street Homes. S. H. Steele to U. H. Garcia, lots 16, 17, block 412, Manning. H. A. Merchant to J. M. Bailey,

lot 9, block 7, Fulton townsite. H. E. Wilson to J. D. Linton, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, block 53, Fulton

N. E. Boughton to V. L. Ramsey, lots 6, 7, Fleming.

E. F. Brundrett to A. G. Meres, part of outlot 107, Lamar.

B. P. Wagley to H. C. Floyd, part lots 15, 16, block 126, D&M. R. S. Beamant to J. M. Pepper, lot 18, block B, Fulton Bayview addition.

E. E. Rumley to M. A. Lockevood, lot 6, block 224, farm lot 1, block 209, Aransas Pass.

E. Savage to E. W. Savage, farm lot 7, block 222, Aransas Pass. Security Subdividers to J. U. Cross, lots 7, 8, 40, 41, 42, Copano Camp Sites.

O. Spitz to R. F. Shake, lot 5, block 473, Aransas Pass. L. J. Fairless to J. W. Elledge,

part of Tedford Tract. H. W. Jones to Mrs. J. P. Needham, lots 1, 2, block 5, Stewart. J. C. May to M. E. Nutt, part

of Fulton Mansion Addition. T. Bailey to L. L. Carleton, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12 and part of 13, block 29, S&W.

Conn Brown to L. E. McDowell, lot 7, block 390, Aransas Pass. LBS to C. R. Smith, lot 24, block 1, LBS No. 1. LBS to R. P. Johnson, lot 32,

block 1, LBS No. 1. O. Lee to F. M. Frandolig, part of old G. W. Fulton Homestead. L. S. Benge to B. F. Taylor, lots

29, 30, 31, 32, block 16, Denver Heights. D. K. Baker to J. S. Cron, part

of J. W. Paup survey. J. S. Cron to M. A. Spenser Trust, part of J. W. Paup survey. (Y-3, page 442, No. 33254).

A certain species of ant culti-The project was earlier drilled vates grass around its hill, harto 11,864 feet. Location is on a vests the seeds and stores them

# FIRE WORKS

OPENING MONDAY, DEC. 15

**RED STAND** 

Midway Between Rockport and Aransus Pass



#### BRUSH FIRE TUESDAY

The Rockport Fire Department Texas, lots 1, 2, 3, block 27, S&W. made a quick run Tuesday morn-T. O'Connor, Jr., to city, riparian ing to put out a fire in the brush near Helen's Drive In. No damage

LETTER TO SANTA

Kippy Knauth Rockport, Texas

Dear Santa,

May I please have these things: Hand Andy tool set, P-40 Warhawk, Spirit of Saint Louis.

Hopefully yours,

Kippy

bands enjoyed a social hour.

### Presbyterian Church To Install Elders

The Presbyterian Church will install elders Sunday morning, at the regular service.

Ruling elders are at H. Greene, C. C. Hayden and Hugh Morrison. Deacons to be installed at the same time are Bob Morrison, Jimmy Little, Charles A. Roe, Jr., N. C. Vanagriff and Volney Cavitt.

Pastor A. Arnott Ward will deliver the Christmas sermon, and the choir, directed by Mrs. N. F. Jackson, will sing an anthem arrangement of the "First Noel." Mrs. J. Allen Frye is organist

for the occasion.

The Behtany Class of the First The Dorcas and Homemaker Baptist Church met Thursday classes of the First Baptist Church night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. held a joint Christmas supper at Shelley Roaten. A Christmas social Baptist Fellowship Hall. After the and exchange of gifts was enjoyed meal class members and their hus- by class members and associate



CORPUS CHRISTI HOUSTON DALLAS BROWNSVILLE

**NEW ORLEANS** DENVER SHREVEPORT **NEW YORK** 

Ray's Texaco

It's SAFER!



Call SO 4-6321



# CHRISTMAS STARTS AT "MIDNIGHT"



Glamour Set (Cologne, Hand and Body Lotion) \$1.00

... MOST BEWITCHING FRAGRANCE UNDER THE TREE!

Midnight! She'll call it the high point in her holiday gift-opeding. You'll call it the stroke of genius on your part, as the giver .. and righly so! For Midnight has such a special appeal for all women and comes in so many wonderful ways, the giving is easy...the reception, sure delight! Prices plus tax

Midnight by TUSSY

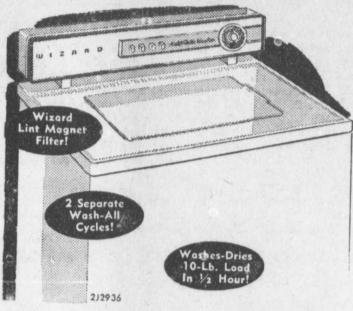
YOUR PRESCRIPTION STORE

ROATEN WALGREEN DRUG Phone SO 4-2311

Member Chamber of Commerce

# HIRST MASSIFIED BY STATE OF THE STATE OF THE

ASSOCIATE STORE



### **Wizard Automatic Washer**

299.95 National List

Buy on Easy Terms . . . . And Old Washer

Outstanding features you'd expect only on high-priced washers, yours for this low, low price! Pressure-proof filing system for customized water-saving control! Hand-"Flush-to-Wall" design. One-year guarantee on complete washer. Five-year transmission guarantee!

Matching Dryer, List Price, 239.95.



Western Flyer 26" Lightweight . . .

5.00 Down, 1.25 Weekly

Fun for all ages! Extras: Lightweight Tires! Kickstand! Rear safety reflector, many others! Boy's, Red; Girl's, Blue. Hurry!



FOOTBALL

3.25 Value

Tough, rubber-impregnated fabric. Official size. Tan pebble-grain finish with white end stripes. A gift to delight!



six-guns, handcuffs,

sheriff badge, neck-

erchief, etc.!

Lovable "WEE THREE" DOLL FAMILY

15.00 Value

13.66

Entire vinyl doll family for this low price! Real rooted hair, sleeping eyes. Joints move. Baby drinks, wets.



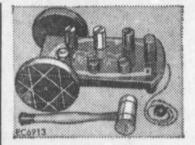
Baby Beth and Layette 3.98 Value

11" baby doll is all vinyl, fully jointed Has sleeping eyes and root-ed hair. Dressed in shirt, pants. Complete accessory layette. Charmer!



Steel Tripod TREE HOLDER

Wide - spread legs, clamps hold tree rigid. Built-in water container.



Pounding Pull Toy Reg. 1.50

Combines pull toy, pounding board. 4 1/4" wheels. Six pegs,



Others from 4.85 to 23.50

10" Western Flyer Trike

42.95

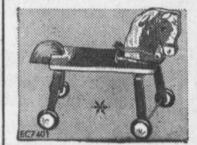
12.95

Save! Rugged! Sleek! Safe! Ball pearing front wheel, puncture-proof tires.



**Talking Ranch Phone** 

Turn the upper crank and bell rings, lower crank operates talking record.



Steering Horse Rider

Strong steel and wood horse steers when head is turned. Gong rings as it moves.



**Necchi Sewing Set** With Doll!

Smart case has lock. Toy machine really sews! Dresses, patterns, material, etc.



Commando "Burp" Gun Authentic Action

Sight! Pull lever! Automatic barrel recoil! Loud "Burp" gun noise! Real-

Wizard

FOOD

MIXER

34.95

# Shot Gun Shells 20% off

Two or More Boxes

Wizard 101/4"

**Electric Skillet** 

Reg. 12.95 9.95

61/4"

**PORTABLE SAW** 

Wizard

42.95 value

34.95

Wizard

DEEP FRYER

61/2 qt. 18.75

Glass **CASTING RODS** 

> Unconditionally Guaranteed From

2.79 to 12.45

8-Cup

**GLASS CARAFE Brass Plated** Warmer Keeps

Hot Drinks Piping Hot Reg. 4.25 2.98

Wizard

**30" GAS RANGE** 

209.95 Value

159.95

Fire-King

**OVENWEAR** 

12-Piece Set 1.89

Electric

**PERCOLATORS** 

From

9.98 to 16.50

WAGONS 1.45

> To 15.95

Electric **OVEN TOASTER** 

Wizard

Was 6.29

4.98

TACKLE **BOXES** 

1.59

**BLACK BOARDS** 

1.98

and 4.95

# Nationally Advertised...

DAVIS Silent Sentry Cord Body

6.70x15

**PLUS TAX AND** RECAPPABLE TIRE

THIS TIRE VALUE CANNOT BE BEAT ANYWHERE

Seat Covers Installed Free

Guaranteed Wheel Palancing

CLICK RIFLES 98c

True Tone

**RADIOS** 14.95

34.45

Chrome **DINETTE SET** 

> 7 Pieces Reg. 114.95 84.95

WELCOME MATS

98c

Reg. 1.47

**DOCTOR** and

NURSE KITS

Reg. 2.98 2.49

Marx **ELECTRIC** TRAIN

28.84

**PULL TOYS** 1.98 74c to

**CORN POPPER PUSH TOY** 1.98

**DRUMS** 

Reduced from 1.88

98c

DOLL

**CRIBS** 241/2" Long

4.95

Wizard ELECTRIC

> IRONS 8.95

EIG DUMP TRUCKS 1.98

DISHES

For the Little Miss 98c

2.88

BABY **DOLLS** 1.88

GLASSES

Set of 8 in Gift Box Reg. 1.49 89c

> IRONING **BOARDS**

> > and IRONS 1.98 ea.

THE REPORT OF THE PARTY OF THE

### **Arthritis Is New Target** Of '59 March of Dimes

manpower in the United States no "miracle" drugs. Aspirin, hot today, is high among the targets baths and exercise bring relief. of the National Foundation as it Some new drugs like cortisone may launches its "Greater Victories" reduce inflammation but cannot be March of Dimes on Jan. 1, 1959, counted on to stop the progress Mrs. Elaine LePlanc, local chair- of the disease, doctors says. man of the drive, said.

Salk vaccine, Mrs. LeBlanc says, the March of Dimes organization niques of rehabilitation pioneered consisted of two or three stores is now tackling new problems.

Its expanded program will move which have been opened up by re- niques search done while finding a preventive for polio and rehabilitating its victims. That is why the 1959 Greater Victories."

Medical scientific research, pafessional disease fighters are the core of this program, which will defects and research in virus diseases and disorders of the central nervous system.

Arthritis and other rheumatic Visit at Allen Home diseases bring pain and crippling to more people in the United States than any other chronic dislion and a half dollars a year.

The National Foundation will may need medical care as exten- held a short busness session. sive as that required by paralytic polio patients. This age group is reading, "Out of the Ivory Palace," Rio Grande, all of which land was the most hopeful with which to which everyone enjoyed. The group work, with the possibility of bring- sang "There's a Song in the Air." normal, productive lives. What is given by Mrs. Young and in closlearned here will be of benefit to ing presented the hostess with a arthritis patients of all ages.

But children as well as adults may ber brought food and a Christbe victims of this unpredictable mas basket was made for a needy disease. Some 30,000 youngsters family. each year have juvenile arthritis. In addition to swelling of the Everyone had a nice, enjoyable joints causing pain, stiffness, re- morning. stricted motion and crippling, the rheumatic diseases may attack the heart, eyes, kidneys or skin.

of arthritis are laregly unknown, San Benito.

Arthritis, the No. 1 crippler of | and doctors warn that there are

In most cases, however, crip-Having tamed polio with the pling can be prevented or reduced account of the Coastal Bend over by the National Foundation in the treatment of polio are valuable for forward into broad new areas of arthritis patients. Children espeunmet health problems, many of cially can benefit by these tech-

Foundation are now trying to unlock the mysteries of the rheu-March of Dimes theme is "Toward matoid diseases and find causes, cures and preventives. Some scientient aid and the training of pro- clues. Others are studying what is petition asking that Rockport be cover initially polio, arthritis, birth persons to determine its origin and of the same name. After the two

# Santa Makes Early

Santa Claus made his appearance early Thursday morning at ease. Over 11,000,000 persons are the home of Mrs. W. B. Allen, afflicted. Some 320,000 are so dis- who was hostess for the Fannie abled they can no longer work. Townsend Circle for their Christ-The loss to the nation in wages, mas party. Santa greeted each working hours and taxes is a bil- guest at the door as they arrived, and gave gifts and candy to three small guests, Patricia Harrist, offer patient aid to juvenile and Beverly Sue and DeLois Young. adolescent arthritis patients Little Scott Hiller also visited and through age 18. Of the 16,000 his picture was made with Santa. children likely to seek treatment Mrs. Curtis Harrist, chairman, each year, some 5,000 to 6,000 called the meeting to order and

Mrs. Lee Roy Young gave a ing many to maturity able to lead The Legend of the Poinsettia was bouquet of poinsettias. Games were Nearly every person over 60 played, refreshments served and has had some form of arthritis. gifts were exchanged. Each mem-

Meeting closed for this year.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wood left last Friday for a round of visiting Experts say the cause and cure in the Valley. Their first stop was

## Judge Moses Was A Mustanger in **Early Area Days**

One of Rockport's earliest citizens was Judge J. Willamson Moses, whose reminiscences of the area are packed with Texas flavor, as well as giving a very factual if treatment is started early. Tech- a century ago, when Corpus Christi and a half dozen houses, while Rockport wasn't even started!

He was one of the first men to be appointed to the Refugio County bar after the Civil War and one Researchers for the National of that county's justices of the peace during reconstruction days, before Aransas County was separated from Refugio. Moses was also Rockport postmaster during the tists believe viruses may offer seventies, and his name is on a known as the "rehumatoid factor" chosen as the county seat of Rediscovered in the blood of afflicted fugio County rather than the town counties divided, he was the first chief justice of Aransas. And, in Diego, he became a newspaper correspondent!

mustanger on the prairie surrounding Corpus Christi, and as Texas tangs. ranger, surveyor and Indian

been broken, would occasionally bring a much higher price.

The wild herds were so plentiful between the Nueces and the free of brush in those days, that old maps show it under the name

> WESTERN AUTO Associate Store

> > WIZARD BATTERIES 6 and 12 volt

\$8.45 Exch. up to \$18.45 Exch.



FEELING SHEEPISH-Just a few friends and relatives of this ewe stood around after it got its head stuck in a bucket on a ranch at Powell, Ore., and frightened off the rest of the herd of 2,000. Owner Rod Johnson soon rescues the "monster" from the unhappy predicament.

"The Wild Horse Desert." No one Creek, on the present King Ranch.

sioner in charge of surveying the ning on his land, which, he said, Moses said, in later years, that U. S.-Mexican boundary after the extended nearly from Corpus the wild mustangs were so plen- Mexican War, came up from Rio Christi to the Rio Grade. tiful that a horse was seldom Grande City to Corpus Christi worth more than \$5, although an over a hundred years ago, and extra fine or fast one, after having some of his wagon teams and Kiowa, Kansas, are back for anmost of his loose animals were other winter visit and attended stampeded by the mustangs. This local Church of Christ services was just south of Santa Gertrudis recently.

after years, while living at San ever believed, according to Moses, Moses used to tell a sotry about that they could be caught, for the Colonei Kinney, founder of Corpus ground trembled with their tread. Christi, who, boasting to northern However, before the good judge and the greatest precautions had visitors, of his vast acreage and was admitted to the bar he led a to be taken to keep them from herds, took them for an afterfull and interesting life as a stampeding domestic stock which noon's ride toward his Oso Ranch. soon became as wild as the mus- Passing numerous herds of these wild mustangs, he pointed them out John Bartlett, U. S. Commis- as only a few of the many run-

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lieurance,

Have An Extra Set!

**Used TV** Sets \$79.95 Up

GUARANTEED

PHONE 118

\$5.00 Down Easy Credit Terms

Sully Bros. Appliances

ARANSAS PASS

### Letter to Editor Okeys Pay Garbage

Dear Editor:

and always enjoy its weekly visit. But I just can't understand why some people object to paying for of us from getting our shovels we read the paper. We should be out every morning to clean up our very proud of our firemen. lawns from the mess stray dogs leave. Yes, we have a dog. But do not allow it to mess up the neighbors' lawns.

Some don't think we need a policeman here, but we do. Why wait until we have a tragedy happen, then talk about it. The sheriff or his deputies can't be in Rockport all the time.

have the finest little town anyone Rivers on Tuesday. could want to live in. Our beach is the things that help Rockport. So meeting. why not quite fighting, all start working to make our town the finest we can.

How many appreciate our fire proving.

department? Seems some have forgotten them. When I read your paper today that they had to take from their own fund that they Just finished reading your Pilot pay for the privilege of fighting fires to save property for others, for their Christmas tree, for the children of Rockport. I'm sure some have just forgotten to dig in their dog catcher. It would save a lot pockets and help. We forgot until

Yes, I'm a newcomer but I am a property owner or will be when I get it paid for. And we are very proud to be a part of Rockport.

Mrs. Mary Sauerberg.

### MRS. WEST AT THREE RIVERS

Mrs. Grady West served on a panel discussion of "Evangelism We also know we need better in Sunday School" which was a drainage in Rockport, too. This is feature of the Blanco Association's very important to Rockport. We Workers' Conference at Three

Reverend C. W. Brumley of the far better than any in miles of First Baptist Church here delivhere. We should all be in favor of ered the day's sermon at the

> Tom Holland is living at Bayside and has been ill, but is im-

The Day After Christmas And not at all strange Are the crowds flocking in With a gift to exchange

> The socks are too large The ties are too bright The slippers are wrong The shirts aren't right

BUT . . . If you are anxious And eager to learn What to give and be sure Your Gift WON'T RETURN

For what it is worth This suggestion is mine . . Nobody brings back

His Liquor and Wine!



## Mary's Package Store

Next to Duck Inn

Rockport, Texas



TOILETRY GIFTS

Max Factor, Coty, Lenel, Old Spice Sets from 1.50 up

Hazel Bishop Perfume Sticks

Fine Imported Perfume by Anjou Four Odors - 2.50 to 10.00

Jev:elite Comb and Brush Sets

2.00 to 6.50

Comette Hosiery 99c to 1.99

Lentheric Colognes, Perfumes and Sets













Soft, complementary

and types. For full flavored "Baking SOLANA OVENWARE



Cameras — 3.95 up

Zippo and Ronson Lighters 3.50 up

Men's and Ladies' Billfolds 1.50 up

Timex Watches, any style

Toilet Sets for Men

Kings Men, Old Spice, Max Factor, Colgate Binoculars and Barometers

Hallmark



# JOHNSON'S REXALL DRUG STORE

Phone SO 4-2252

Air Conditioned

ACCURATE PRESCRIPTIONS

Central Heating

and if pressed could never rise

over twice and sometimes only

were no trouble to catch. And

Moses once saw a companion rope

one of these birds on the wing!

fawns on the prairies in like man-

ner and when out of provisions

would rope wild cattle or javelinas

for food. The latter were quite

abundant and were not too hard

to rope after the knack is learned.

Incidentally, the Judge would have

fallen out with the modern school

stay around and fight fiercely,

seen Mexicans often ride into a

Once the Judge and several com-

a rope on him. The big cat whirled

and started for Jose's horse and

nearly caught him before Andres

Ximenes, fighting his own fear-

crazed mount, got close enough

to make his throw, which caught

the lion around his neck and a

The men commenced dragging

the beast towards camp, as it

lunged and fulled, snapping and

clawing at the ropes that held him

down one of the horses two or

three times," the Judge said, "but

at last they got their ropes around

a tree and snubbed the lion up

tight, where we shot him. It was

very exciting sport, but danger-

ous, and one that even Andres

wild bull was child's play in com-

Simmons for a Christmas supper

A social hour and exchange of

"He came very near pulling

front leg.

stretched out.

parison."

gifts followed.

the butt of a loaded quirt."

all javelinas are man-eaters.

The mustangers used to pick up

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Girl Scout troops No. 43 and 58 enjoyed a slumber party at the Little House Friday, Dec. 5. Troop 43 were: Sallie McCord, Marcy drett.

Wentworth, Lydia Benavides, Laura Jean Crabb, Bobby Taylor and Mrs. F. L. McCord. From troop 58: Sherry Brundrett, Janis Clark, 58 was hostess for the evening Pam Court, Jeanie Diederich, Linda meal and each girl was responsible for her own breakfast. Dancing, Johnson, Donna Lassiter, Elizabeth Says Judge Moses songs and games were enjoyed by Peres, Mary Solis, Terrie Thomas, all. Those attending from Troop Sue Taylor and Mrs. Jerald Brun-



DeLuxe Set: 2-oz. bottles of cologne, after-shave lotion, hair tonic; stick deodorant and man-sized soap. \$5.00

It's all man! A fresh, spirited fragrance . . . to appeal to the "he" in every man... in the toiletries every man needs!

\* 4-oz. bottle of cologne. \$2.00

4-oz. bottle of after-shave lotion. \$1.50

★ Men's Duo: 4-oz. bottles of ★ Men's Trio: 2-oz. bottles of cologne and after-shave lotion. cologne, after-shave, hair tonic.

cologne and after-shave lotion.

\* Traveler's Set: 2-oz. bottles of MEN'S TOILETRIES BY TUSSY

YOUR PRESCRIPTION STORE ROATEN WALGREEN DRUG

Phone SO 4-2311

Member Chamber of Commerce

# **Early Day Ropers Tried Anything**

The old mustangers that made their living catching wild horses from the vast herds that roamed the prairies around Corpus Christi in the fifties were a hardy breed of men that sometimes roped a lot of things besides mustangs, including mountain lions, javelinas and wild turkeys.

Judge J. W. Moses, the first judge Aransas County ever had, was one of the wild horse catchers before he was admitted to the bar and in later years, after he moved to San Diego, used to reminisce.

"Boys started young in those days," he said, "and I remember a couple of Judge Robert Love's boys that I saw one day-one about five and the other sevenand a lot of small youngsters on the Nueces ranch gathering up all the chickens they could find. Two or three of the boys would act as drivers and the rest of the gang, taking stands behind the bushes, would rope the chickens as they

"Every ranchero's child began to throw a rope almost as soon as they could toddle-boys and girls alike, although of course the girls soon quit. They practiced on everything, chickens, kids, calves, pigs, dogs, cats and anything else small enough for them to rope."

In those days, before the country between Corpus Christi and the Rio Grande was so badly grown with brush, wild turkeys were a frequent prey of cowboys and mustangers. When a fat gobbler was spotted on the prairie the rider would get between him and the brush and chase him as fast as his horse could lope. The turkey would run for a little bit, then fly,

SERVICE-REPAIR GUARANTEED

Phone SO 4-8542 Highway 35

with the horse at full run on his New Books in trail, untl the bird lit and started County Library running again. A fat gobbler rarely Adult Fiction: ever flew over 500 or 400 yards.

once. The plan then was to chase Leon Uris-Exodus them hard until they endeavored Rona Jaffee-Best of Everything to hide in the first small brush or Adult Non-Fiction: clump of grass they reached when, Crosthwait, William L. - Last if the pursuer was active, they

of a Texas doctor)

Andrew Tully-Treasury Agent Pearl S. Buck and Carlos P. Romulo-Friend to Friend Bennett Cerf - Reading for

Pleasure

torine

Teen-age Science Fiction Stories Midnight, Wild Stallion of the West

No Roses for Harry! Widget

of easter sports wrters, to whom The library will be open only one day next week. Will be closed "Though it is true that one is on Wednesday, Dec. 24, and Friwounded and squeals," he said, day, Dec. 26, for the Christmas when reminiscing, "the drove will holidays.

SAFETY PROGRAM yet we never regarded them as very dangerous animals. I have GIVEN MONDAY

A safety program was presented herd of them and kill two or three Monday at 9:30 a.m. in the audiwith their mesquites and even with torium of the Aransas County High School, sponsored jointly by the high school Parent-Teacher panions roped a Mexican lion, or Association and the Safety Council puma. As the beast made for the of the Rockport-Fulton area. timber, Jose Maria Villareal put

Patrolman W. B. Tate of the Department of Public Safety gave a talk and showed a film, "Death on the Highway."

Philip Baldwin, member of the high school faculty and safety chairman for the Parent-Teacher Association, said the program was arranged to impress students and others with the importance of observing safety rules, both on the highway and in town during the holiday season.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BANNING, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the estate of HUNT R. BANNING, to work for \$2.50 per week. He Deceased, were granted to DON H. and Jose Maria did not want to BANNING on December 15, 1958, grew into a giant among newstry again. They said lassoing a by the County Court of Aransas papers, and he watched and worked County, Texas.

against said estate are hereby re- methods of getting the paper out quired to present the same to said to readers. Tuesday night the Fidelis class executor within the time prescribed of the First Baptist Church met by law. His post office address is a Mason, Lang is survived by his at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. D. R. Rockport, Texas.

DON H. BANNING featuring turkey and trimmings. Independent Execuior of the Estate of Maui, Hawaii, Homer E. Lang

### Mrs. Cole's Father Passes Away in Houston

Walter S. Lang, who became a Frances Parkinson Keyes-Viclegend at The Houston Chronicle during his lifetime, died in his BUCKS AT CATARINA sleep Friday night after a brief

paper was published on Oct. 14, cept Picton.

He climbed from office boy to superintendent of the mailing room, the position he held at the time of his death.

The 71-year-old Chronicle veteran entered Memorial Hospital in Houston eight days ago after complaining to his wife that he had diffculty breathing.

Lang went to work for The Chronicle Sept. 26, 1901. As office boy, his duties included sweeping the sidewalk in front of The Chronicle's first plant at 1010 Texas Ave.

Two years later, Lang went to work in the mailing room and he spent the rest of his life there, dedicated to his job of getting the newspaper to out-of-town sub-

scribers. To Lang, The Chronicle was "my paper," and he coveted it with the pride of a father for his child.

His improvisations to meet train schedules with state editions are legion. He often chuckled as he told the story of how an irate conductor would discover a baggage truck carelessly "abandoned" well in front of a locomotive at departure time.

The trick frequently gave the mailers just enough time to throw the last bundle of Chronicles aboard a baggage car as it prepared to depart. Even before he became head of the mailing de THE ESTATE OF HUNT R. partment in 1910, Lang took his ob of getting the paper on its way to subscribers as his personal responsibility.

Lang was 14 when he went climbed steady as The Chronicle to meet new trends as motor trans-All persons having claims port and expressways changed

A veteran of World War I and wife, Mrs. Marie Lang; two sons, Walter Lang, Jr., of the Island of HUNT R. BANNING, of Houston; two daughters, Mrs. Deceased. Cecil Cole of Rockport and Mrs.

Jack Burton of Houston; on brother, V. A. Lang, of Houston: three grandsons and two granddaughters.

LOCAL HUNTERS GET

Harold Picton, Jack McDavid, Jay Johnson, Travis Johnson and The oldest employee at The Captain G. S. Spinney, of Aransas Stitche (Texas shelf-Recollections | Chronicle in point of service, Lang | Pass, went hunting last week down started his career three weeks Catarina way and came back with before the first edition of the four bucks. Everybody got one ex-

### For Christmas



The World's Fastest Portable

For students: Better marks.

For Mother: Easier, quicker "home bookkeeping."

For Dad: Neater notes, better

For Everyone: The world's fastest portable. Come in today for a demonstration. \$74.00 up.

FREE-with every new Smith-Corona Portable, a \$23.95 value Touch Typing Course, on

Used Typewriters and Adding

### Thompson's **Business Machines**

Phone PL 8-3773

Lamont St. at Hi-way 35 By-Pass

ARANSAS PASS, TEXAS

# Guide to Christmas Giving

# Gift Suggestions for Her



是是是是是一种,是是是是是是一种,我们是是是一种,我们是是是一种,我们是是是一种,我们是是是一种,我们就是我们的,我们就是我们的。

COTTON AND CHENILLE SPREADS

BEAUTIFUL BOXED TOWEL SETS \$1.98 to \$4.95

PILLOW CASE SETS \$1.98 to \$3.98 LADIES' SLIPPER SOX AND NYLON STRETCH GLOVES Negligee and Gowns

in Nylon Tricot, by Miss Elaine and Embossed Nylon by Miss Elaine

Shorty Short Pajamas and Negligee to Match In Red and Black

Slips and Half Slips in Red, White, Pink and Black

Ladies' Dusters \$5.95

Ladies' Robes Cotton, Nylon and Corduroy from \$3.98

New Shipment of Children's Holiday Dresses Sizes 1 to 3, 4 to 6X and 7 to 12 in Nylons, Cottons and Rayons \$2.98 to \$7.95

Ladies' Panties, 49c to \$2.50 Red, White, Black

> NEW FALL DRESSES For the Ladies

Children's Phumba Panties Nylon Slips \$3.95 to \$7.95 Others at \$1.98 and \$2.98 Complete Line of Infants' Wear



Gowns for the Ladies

Nylon Gowns	\$3.98 to	\$7.9
Challis Gowns		
Nylon Bed Jackets	\$4.95 and	\$5.9
Challis Pajamas		
Broadcloth Pajamas		

CHILDREN'S SWEATERS

# Select Your Gifts for the Entire Family Here

# Gift Suggestions For Him ---

Beautiful Assortment Men's Ties

\$1.50 to \$2.50 By Wembley and Van Heusen and Other Brands

Men's Manicure Sets \$3.95 to \$9.95 Plus Tax

> Travel Kits \$2.95 to \$5.95

Shaving Kit \$4.95 Attractive Leather Case

> Stetson Hats Billfolds

Tie Traveler & Tie Prince \$2.00 and \$3.00

> Men's Pajamas Outing Flannel and Cotton Broadcloth

MEN'S GIFT SETS

MEN'S JEWELRY BY SWANK & TEX TAN

> SOCKS BY COOPER From 55c to \$1.25

Men's Sport Shirts \$2.98 and Up

Men's Dress Shirts By Van Heusen and Tru Val





Men's Dress Socks Beautifully Boxed Men's House Shoes Handkerchiefs

MEN'S JACKETS AND CORDUROY SPORT COATS 6 MORE SHOPPING DAYS TILL XMAS

By Tex Tan From \$1.00 to \$3.50

Men's Belts.

Many More Gifts Too Numerous to Mention

Minsky's Consolidated DRY GOODS STORE

Air Conditioned

Across from First State Bank

Aransas Pass

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the following named Defendants whose residences and/or You are hereby commanded to apwhereabouts are enknown:

Tract No. 1 hereinafter described; Aransas County, State of Texas, Tract No. 1 hereinafter described; Rockport, Texas, at or before Tract No. 1 hereinafter described; next after the expiration of fortyto Tract No. 1 hereinafter de- issuance of this citation, the same said Tripis Addition to Rockport, centered by a miniature white during that period. scribed;

INAFTER STYLED AND NUM-BRED CAUSE: GREETINGS: pear before the Honorable District Fred Schaefer, Defendant, as to Court, 36th Judicial District, of J. G. Battaglia, Defendant as to at the Courthouse thereof, in Oleta Battaglia, Defendant as to 10:00 A. M. of the first Monday Angelo Battaglia, Defendant as two (42) days from the date of and if any or all of the above docket of said Court styled Eddie of said property. named persons be dead, the un- Odoms, et al vs. Fred Schaefer, known heirs, wives, husbands, le- et al, and the following named Plaintiffs were and still are the Howe from Aransas Pass. gatees, devisees, and legal repre- persons are Plaintiffs; Eddie owner in fee simple of the above sentatives of any or all such per- Odoms, L. C. Huff, and Calvin described property. On said date devotional and led the lesson on "A resentatives, all of whom are un- who are first named in this cita- each and all, unlawfully entered organization. known to Plaintiff and to his tion, and to whom it is directed. upon and disposed Plaintiff of said

DEFENDANTS IN THE HERE-

all persons owning or claiming any and permission of, as well as for premises, and such unlawful pos- with carol singing. interest in the hereinafter de- damages on the following de- session has continued since the scribed land hereinafter called De- scribed tract or parcel of land in date of March 15, 1952, to Plain-

Aransas County, Texas, to wit:

Tract No. 1, Lots No. Seven Party for WOC (7) and Eight (8) of the Tripis Survey, Abstract 221, Certificate silver Christmas tree. 35, Patent 479.

being the 14th day of January, Aransas County, Texas, of March church, with choir boys in the fore-Mary Battaglia, Defendant as to A. D. 1959, then and there to 11, 1890, recorded in Vol. J, pages Tract No. 1 hereinafter described. answer the Plaintiff's petition 40-41, Deed Records of Aransas The unknown wives and hus- filed in said Court on the 1st County, Texas, to which map and while Mrs. Pat Smith presided bands of the above enumerated day of December, A. D. 1958, in the records thereof, reference is behind the punch bowl. Also in and identified persons if living, the Cause numbered 3374, on the here made for further description the house party were Mrs. A. L.

tiff's damage in the amount of

Ten Dollars. The officer executing this proand make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given by my hand and seal of said Court of office in Rockport, Texas, this 1st day of December, A. D. 1958.

MRS. JAS. C. HERRING, Clerk of the District Court Aransas County, Texas

By WRETHA B. JOHNSON, Deputy

(Seal)

LETTER TO SANTA

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a play piano and tiny tears doll and some clothes with it. and some bottles fore the tiny

Zulema Lopez

### FOR SALE

For Your Protection Phone SO 4-2112 or SO 4-2459

**Beasley Insurance Agency** 

HOME - BUSINESS - AUTOMOBILE

Rockport Ready-Mix Concrete Co.

Free Estimates — Place and Finish Service 11 Years, Experience

We Have the Know How

DAY OR NITE - CALL SO 4-6208

LIFE - HOSPITAIZATION - POLIO - CANCER ctf

Twin outboard powered steel 34-foot houseboat, "Lorelei-K." Fully found and ready to cruise. Complete in every detail.

26-foot Chris-Craft Cruiser, "Fortuna." Newly overhauled engine, complete and ready to go fishing or cruising. Hauled and painted

> B. A. KNAUTH SLIP R-131 ROCKPORT Yacht Basin, Tel. SO 4-2301

### WESTERN AUTO Associate Store

START YOUR

LAY-AWAYS FOR CHRISTMAS

COMPLETE STOCK OF BICYCLES \$21.95 to \$53.50

# COLLUM BOAT BARN

1108 S. Church St.

AUTHORIZED MERCURY DEALER

Repair and Maintenance On All Motors

Phone SO 4-2604

Rockport

# **Rent or Sale** Phone

VAN ETTEN'S

SO 4-8542



## **SALUDOS AMIGOS!**

For \$300 Down Payment You May Own a Two or Three-Bedroom Home in an Exclusive

### LATIN-AMERICAN SUBDIVISION

IN ROCKPORT

Completely Finished, Utilities Available

FOR COMPLETE DETAILS INQUIRE AT

PHONE

ROCKPORT LUMBER CO. Mrs. Roe Gives Annual

Addition to Rockport, Aransas Mrs. Charles A. Roe, Sr., gave Carter of the United States Im-County, Texas, being a subdi-her annual party for the Women migration and Naturalization Serv-met Dec. 16 at 4 p.m. with presivision of Out Lot No. Two (2) of the Presbyterian Church last ice stated that the period within dent De Rema LeFevre presiding. of the Smith & Wood Division, Thursday night, at her home. The and also a part of the Thos. T. decorations carried out the holiday dress is almost at hand. Williamson 40 Acres Original motif and were centered around a

All the above mentioned property tea table, against a background of being shown on map or plat of green and gold, and the table was ground, flanked by white tapers.

Mrs. J. D. Griggs poured coffee, Bachman, Mrs. Roscoe Johnson, On the 15th day of March. 1952, Mrs. Lois Rozzell and Mrs. Glen

Mrs. Etna Rees-Jones gave the sons who may be dead, and their Luddington, Trustees of the Plaintiffs were in possession of Loving Church," followed by the unknown heirs, wives, husbands, Church of God, Rockport (colored), said premises, and afterward on annual report, presented by Mrs. CHRISTMAS MEETING legatees, devisees, and legal rep- and those persons are Defendants the same date, the Defendants, J. W. Ingersoll, president of the Mrs. E. L. Clark gave a reading,

There were 70 present.

Church and their wives will be return the same according to law the First Baptist Church tonight. Sparks.

Aliens Must Register Soon GA's Meet

District Director Harlon B. which aliens must report their ad-

A beige taffeta cloth covered the lod. All aliens in the United States, with few exceptions, must report Christmas party for the primary Mrs. F. L. Harrington, of Dewitt, their address to the Government

available to all post offices and Clark. The prayer calendar was offices of the Immigration and read by Meceal River. Naturalization Service during the month of January.

Mr. Carter urges all aliens to comply with the reporting require- GAME NIGHT TONIGHT ments, as willful failure to do so may lead to serious consequences.

### ALTAR SOCIETY HOLDS

The Sacred Heart Altar Society Foreign Wars building. held its Christmas meeting at the ated, described and identified, and A suit in Trespass to Try Title to have occupied and used such Bonner. The program concluded Corpus Christi, the guest speaker.

Mrs. Adams discussed "The Shrine at Lourdes" and told of a pilgrimage that she had made to Deacons of the First Baptist that world-famous spot.

Miss Marian Adams, daughter of guests of Reverend and Mrs. Wil- the speaker, accompanied her from cess shall promptly execute and son Brumley at the parsonage of Corpus Christi as did Mrs. A. E.

The Intermediate Girls' Auxil-

Sandra Gardner, Linda Clark, Pa- the consolation prize. The month of January has been tricia Campbell, and Mrs. Couser

Plans were discussed for a children at the Spanish mission to Iowa, and the second to Mrs. C. M. be held Monday, Dec. 22, at 3 p.m. | Spires. Mr Carter said that forms with A stewardship program, "Auditing which to make the report will be Our Accounts" was led by Linda Jan. 5, 1959.

Patricia Campbell, Reporter

AT VFW BUILDING

According to Matt Scott, chairman in charge, the first game NEY, Deceased, were granted to night for tourists to be held during the 1958-59 tourist season will ber 15, 1958, by the County Court be held tonight at the Veterans of of Aransas County, Texas, Sitting

The next one will be held on attorney of record, of each, and A brief statement of the nature premises and withheld from them "The Shepherd Story," assisted by rectory Sunday evening and lis- Jan. 8 and others will be held against said estate are hereby reall the Defendants above enumer- of this suit is as follows; to wit: the possession thereof. Defendants Mrs. N. F. Jackson and Miss Lola tened to Mrs. L. M. Adams of every Thursday night after that, quired to preesnt the same to the according to Matt, until the end undersigned within the time preof the season.

> E. J. Johnson attended the Christ- P. O. Box 867, Rockport, Texas. mas party of the Daughters of Mrs. L. L. Wagner of Corpus Christi Wednesday, Dec. 10, 1958. c37

TOURIST PARTY HELD MONDAY

At the regular Monday after noon tourist party, Mrs. C. O. Utz turned in the high bridge score. Present were Meceal Rivers, Mrs. Verle Harris was winner of

Mrs. William J. Campbell of Deset for the address reporting per- and Mrs. Landrum, the counselors. troit, Mich., was high in canasta. The first bingo prize went to

The next party will be held on

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF MILTON W. TINNEY, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the estate of MILTON W. TIM-WINNIE ELLEN SIPE, on Decemin Matters Probate.

All persons having claims scribed by law. Address such claims to WINNIE ELLEN SIPE, c/o Mrs. Norman McLead and Mrs. Ellis L. Clark, Attorney at Law, WINNIE ELLEN SIPE

Texas Republic at the home of Independent Executrix of the Estate of MILTON W. TINNEY,



WOMEN'S **NYLON GOWNS** 



A "Comfy" Gift Idea, Wrap Around Style in Nylon Quilted

5.98 to 12.98

Children's 3.98 to 4.98



Women's

Pink, Blue, Green Lovely Nylon Lace Trim

Sizes 32 to 40 3.98 up



Ladies' NYLON

PANTIES With Lace Trim

**Briefs \$1.00** 

ARROW GIFTS

are always first choice

favorite collar styles in fine fabrics . . . white, tones, fancies SPORT SHIRTS handsome solids and patterns in popular fabrics . . . Arafold collar crew neck, V-neck, collar styles ... in machine-washable Darvan HANDKERCHIEFS white, tones, borders, initials 1.50 up season's new solids, patterns UNDERWEAR 1.00 up

USEFUL GIFT FOR MEN

designed with comfort features

Leather House Shoes \_3.98 up A Soft Leather. 5.98 Fall Colors in Stretch Socks... 2 for 1.00 Rayon and Nylon 1.00 each Men's Pajamas 2.98 up Billfolds 3.50 up

ASK FOR YOUR VAL-U-CHECKS

OPEN UNTIL 8:30 P.M. NOW TILL CHRISTMAS

NDENING'S

Aransas Pass

Wesleyan Service Guild Holds Christmas Party

The Weslevan Service Guild met at the Methodist Fellowship Hall last Thursday for their annual Christmas party, with 15 members present.

The program for the evening "Everywhere, Everywhere Christmas." The leader was Mrs. J. D. Donaldson, assisted by Mrs. B. W. Hamblin, Mrs. Edna Snyder, Mrs. Jack Horton, Mrs. J. P. Keith, Mrs. Stan Heath, Mrs. Eu- Mrs. Maud Stansell, of Lubbock. gene Everett, C. D. McLure, Mrs. Chester Barre and Mrs. June Lil-

Mrs. Chester Barre, assisted by winner of the bingo prize. Mrs. Donaldson.

A. L. Holland, Mrs. Mary Dawes, Archie Johnson, Aitkin, Minn.; Miss Elsie Hawes, Mrs. John Mrs. Wilmer Hanson, Lake View, Haynes, Mrs. Fay Hartman, Mrs. Iowa; Mrs. R. E. Herr, Tripp, S. Gray, Mrs. Jane Eller, Mrs. R. E. Dak.; Mrs. Robert Heller, Alpena, Hawes, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. C. O. S. Dak.; Mrs. L. H. Ball, Wa-Lowery, Mrs. Searle, Reverend and tonga, Okla.; Mrs. Gertrude Sher-Mrs. Avant, Mrs. E. G. Cooke, Mrs. win, Broken Bow, Okla.; Mrs.

will be held on Jan. 13, at 7:30 p.m. Tekamah, Nebr.; Mrs.

FOR HIM

A Watch, Diamond Ring,

Cuff Link Set, Binoculars,

Barometer, Watch Band,

Birth Stone Ring or

Ident Bracelet

Taylor Oaks Has December Birthday Party Recently

Park had a party honoring Mrs. Eva Whitfill, whose birthday is in December.

The table was decorated in the Christmas theme, with a centerpiece of poinsettias and refreshments were served by hostesses Mrs. Esther Hodges, Crosbyton; Mrs. Fay Belt, of Lockney; and

Mrs. Wlitfill was winner of the prize for the top bridge score; Monday night. Mrs Gladys Christian was canasta Hostess for the occasion was winner, and Mrs. Grace Ball was

Those present were: Mrs. George Others present included Mrs. Christian, Truman, Minn.; Mrs. C. D. McLure and Miss Virginia Frank Gilley, Arkansas City, Holland. Kans.; Mrs. Effie Bacon, Ft. The next meeting of the Guild Smith, Ark.; Mr.s Geo. Cady, found in Egyptian relices of about

THE MOST CHERISHED GIFT OF ALL

**JEWELRY** 

LARGE SELECTION OF CHILDREN'S AND BABY JEWELRY

Convenient Budget Terms Available

Manning's Jewelers

Thomas, Plymouth, Ind.; Mrs. J. W. Ketchum, San Antonio; Mrs. Margaret Evans, El Paso; Mrs. Ed. Whitfill, Lockney, Texas; Mrs. C. S. Heath, Mrs. T. E. Giese, Guests at Taylor Oaks Trailer Mrs. J. F. Chaney, Mrs. Sally Smith, Mrs. T. A. Roper, all of Rockport.

> MRS. LOU WHITE WINS BOWLING TROPHY MONDAY

Mrs. Lou White, of Bill's Sporting Goods, is now a member of the "200 Club," in good standing, ever since she rolled a 210 at the Six Points Bowling Lanes last 52, Manning.

Mrs. Whte, who has been participating in league bowling for the past six years, was presented a trophy by the lanes certifying that she rolled 200 or better and that she is now a member of the exclusive organization, graced only by those who are better than average bowlers.

As this is her first 200 in six years of league play, Mrs. White is understandably enthusiastic.

First evidences of algebra are Will 1700 B.C.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

M. J. Kellum to M. E. Nutt, part lots 5, 6, 9, 10, block 32, Fulton. of Crocoline Survey. A. B. Williams to C. D. Prophet, J. Caldwell to Lloyd Branch, part block 170, S&W.

lit 5, block 200, D&M.

sas Pass Colonization.

R. A. Gill to C. D. Sammons, lot

A. B. Williams to R. H. Johnson.

E. M. Spencer to E. L. Clark,

E. L. Clark to E. A. Vogler, lot

P. A. Vogler to Navigation Dis-

LBS to J. H. Pels, lot 7, block

L. Sheppard to R. D. Hogan, part

C. D. Prophet, Jr., to D. W.

Underwood, lots 15, 16, block 170,

C. D. Prophet, Jr., to J. C. Lang-

C. D. Prophet to Gladys Duck-

ston, lots 9, 10, block 170, S&W.

wall, lots 5, 6, block 170, S&W.

lots 1, 2, 7, 8, block 170, S&W. (Page 102, No. 33435, Z-3.)

ARANSAS COUNTY FLYING

The Aransas County Flying

Club held its annual Christmas

party in the club room at Aransas

County Airport on Tuesday eve-

spent in visiting after guests had

consumed a ham supper, from a

table with a Yuletide centerpiece.

The room was decorated in the

Christmas motif, and a tree, laden

with gifts, was enjoyed by all

Door prizes were won by Mes.

Twenty-nine members and guests

The next meeting will be held

Buster Coward and Bud Woods of

those who attended.

enjoyed the evening.

on Tuesday, Jan. 13.

Aransas Pass.

ning, Dec. 16. The evening was

CLUB HAS XMAS PARTY

of afrm lot 2, block 239, B&D.

lot 7, block 3, LBS No. 1.

trict, lot 14, block 418, Manning.

lot 8, block 440, Manning.

8, block 440, Manning.

3, LBS No. 1.

S&W.

et ux, lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 169,

48, Copano Village.

of lot 11, block 16, S&W. L. Branch to E. L. Clark, same A. F. Tyler to M. D. McNorton.

part of lots 7, 8, 9, 10, block 47,

R. B. Umbarger to M. D. Mc-Norton, part of lots 9, 10, block 46, Copano Village. 47, S&W.

J. M. Cannon to D. A. Bracht, 46, Copano Village. lots 7, 8, block 109, lot 19, block

A. Banda to E. M. Spencer, lot S&W. 14, block 199, D&M. E. M. Spencer to M. Zamarripa,

lot 14, block 199, D&M. Y. J. Dawson to G. O. Zimmerman, lots 13, 14, block 37, Fulton. H. F. Elliot to C. H. Waggoner, lots 9 through 16, block 25, S&W.

Arthur Bracht to R. F. Fiedler,

ots 7, 8, block 6, Fulton. L. S. Rozzell to Howall Refining, block K, Hotel Reserve, S&W. W. H. Graham to R. B. Umbarger, part of outlot 28, D&M. B. F. Taylor to H. Embury, lot

15, block 185, S&W. L. S. Rozzell to H. Embury, lots 1, 2. 3, block 1, Stewart.

B. Chupe to C. F. Flores, lots 9, 10, block 99, D&M. Aransas County to A. C. Shivers, let 4, block 213, Manning.

E. H. Carter to S. J. Williams, lots 15, 16, block 32, Fulton. T. S. Shukeat to G. J. Merriman, part lot 99, block 250, B&D.

A. L. Swearingen to A. D. Swearingen lot 4, block 343, Aransas L. E. Sanders to N. Benavidez,

part Fulton outlot 7. T. M. Mahan to A. W. Ebert, part of Thornley Mahan tract. E. W. Means to A. B. Williams, lot 7, block 21, Fulton.

C. I. Jones to R. A. Ferrier, lot 29. Oakdale. R. A. Ferrier to W. J. Hacker, lots 28, 29, Oakdale.

D. W. Taylor to J. D. Kovacs, part lots 4, 5, block F, Live Oak Heights. R. B. Melton to H. Embury,

block 322, Manning. R. M. Kauble to J. Suttles, lots 8, block 187, S&W. C. F. Gerlach to D. Gerlach, part

farm lot 1, block 236, B&D. J. S. Pena to L. Arispe, part lots 6, 6, Hyland Oaks. LBS to S. Andeson, lot 14, block

. LBS No 1. A. M. Rodriguez to A. Longorio, part of Cade tract.

Coaker Makes Large A. B. Williams to H. Embury, Catch of Trout, Reds, Flounders, Drum

L. O. Hill to B. P. Wagley, lots 59, 60, 61, Hill's Village, and catches of trout, reds, flounders on Fire Prevention. south 10 acres of Tract 194, Aranand drum to be brought in here in a long time, when they brought in F. O. Lenoir to F. L. Geese, lot about 1800 or 2000 pounds of fish be a ladies' night on New Year's from nets set down towards the M. Stephenson to R. A. Gill, lot

old shipyard. Wednesday noon, when they brought them in, it looked like all the fish in Texas, but it couldn't have been, for anglers in the Rockport basin continued to have the exceptional luck that they have become accustomed to in the last

### Alien Service Personnel Must Register Too

Under the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1952, all aliens serving in or accompanying mem-J. H. Pels to B. B. McMahan, bers of the Armed Forces in the Continental United States, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Guam or the Taylor, lots 11, 12, block 170, Virgin Islands, are required by law to report their addresses to the C. D. Prophet, Jr., to S. M. U. S. Immigration and Naturaliza-Langesen, lots 13, 14, block 170, tion Service each January.

Service personnel, members of C. D. Prophet, Jr., to Mattie their families, and others including "Lodge Act" enlistees, falling into this category should obtain and fill out an address form (I-53) at the nearest post office or Immigration and Naturalizition Service office and return it to the C. D. Prophet, Jr., to O. Lee,

> Aliens serving with or accompanying members of the U.S. Army overseas must report their addresses within 10 days after returning to the Continental United States, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands. Army Regulation 608-73 outlines details of these requrements.

Iris was the Greek goldess of the rainbow.

# Fine General

CAMERA REPAIRS

**GEORGE DICKEY** 

**PHONE SO 4-2478** 615 King St. Rockport

ROTARY CLUB MEETING

Byron Hardeman was in charge of the Rotary program at Wednesday noon luncheon and presented W. S. Coaker and his fishing as his speaker Fire Marshall Carl partners made one of the largest Osborn, who spoke to Rotarians

There will be no Rotary meeting next Wednesday, but there will

Visitors were Carroll Weaver, Sinton; Lee Coleman, of Ingleside, and Merritt Hulett, of Saratoga Springs, New York.

Alberta, a province of Canada, was named in honor of one of Queen Victoria's daughters.



A neighbor's child falls out of a tree in your back yard.

Does your liability insurance provide funds for the medical bills?

For the answer to this, or



GLASS, SORENSON &

First National Bldg.

Representing THE TRAVELERS, Hartford

Continued Service Since 1928

#### The International Date Line is Aransas Pass, Texas R. Morris to Mid-State Investan imaginary north-south line ment, lot 1, block 167, Manning. | through the middle of the Pacific O. M. Shultz to B. P. Wagley, Ocean. and the contraction of the contr

FOR HER

A Beautiful Watch,

Diamond Ring,

Necklace Set, Bracelet or

One of the Hundreds of Nice

Presents at Manning's Jewelers

STARTS FRIDAY, DEC. 19 - LASTS THROUGH WEDNESDAY, DEC. 24

Men's

DRESSES

For Girls 88c

**BLOUSES** 88c

**WORK SHIRTS** 

Size 14 - 161/2 1.00

DRESS PANTS 25% off

Ladies' Jackets

Reg. 2.98 2.19

LADIES'

MEN'S

**Entire Stock** 

OF DRESSES 25% off

LAMPS

Reg. 6.95 4.29

Genuine Army Cloth-Reg. 4.50

3.39 MEN'S KHAKIS

Reg. 1.49 and 1.00

HOUSE SHOES

Reg. 2.98

Sizes, Small, Medium, Large — All Colors HALF SLIPS, Reg. 1.19 . . 88c

Sizes 12 - 20 - Reg. 3.98

LADIES HOUSECOATS Sizes 5-7 - Reg. 39c

Sizes 8-9 - Reg. 49c . . . 3 for 1.00

Sizes 6 - 18

Boys' and Men's **JACKETS** 

Reg. 4.98

Reg. 2.98

BOYS' GIRLS'

SHOES

**Special Shoes Close Outs** Values to 6.95 — Your Choice

PAIR

Large Assortment of Toys For Boys and Girls of All Ages



Reg. 2.49

CHILDREN'S PA

Reg. 1.98 While They Last —

Assorted Colors - Reg. 69c

HEAD SCARFS . . 2 for 1.00

Reg. 2.98 — Assorted Styles and Colors

DIAPER BAGS . . 1.98

Close Outs--Values to 89c a yard PIECE GOODS 3 for 1.00

CHECK OUR CHRISTMAS BARGAIN TABLE FOR

REAL VALUES ON CHRISTMAS **DECORATIONS** 



Walker's Variety Store



# MANTAD WHERE MORE PEOPLE DO MORE BUYING AND SELLING!

### MISCELLANEOUS

EARL'S DRIVE IN Grocery and ice house, open until midnight | ton, three bedrooms, two baths, Boat stalls. Business route, High- wood fireplace. Brick home, comway 35, south.

DIRT HAULING-Shell, Sand and gravel. Tractors and dozers. half residence, \$27,500. "Dudley" Bracht Trucking Co. Phone SO4-2169.

ROCKPORT READY-MIX concrete service. Call SO4-6208 day or night. Rockport Ready-Mix Con-

FOR STURDY PLANTS see your local nurseryman. J. E. Tedford Nursery, Farm to Market Road 1781.

BULLDOZER - Dragline excavating, clearing, leveling. W. F. Bartlett, Phone PL 8-2825, Aransas

things, see the Treasure House Florists, SO 4-2381.

GENERAL MASONRY, concrete finishing, block, plastering and form work. Call SO4-6105 for free estimate. Bill Pierson.

SEPTIC TANK Service. Reason able rates. Call PL 8-2508, Aransas Pass, collect.

SHOP J. M. SPARKS & SON for the whole family at Xmas, where old Santa greets you and waves merrily to all the kiddies.

ONE COAT FLAT OIL PAINT. close out sale, \$2.25 per gallon. Rockport Lumber Co. ctf

RADIO-TV SERVICE as near as your phone. All work guaranteed. Call W. P. Hoover, 3 miles west on Farm Road 881. Phone ctf

ST. AUGUSTINE GRASS for lawns. See J. E. Tedford Nursery.

AVOID THE RUSH. Start your Christmas lay-away now. Your patronage appreciated. J. M. Sparks & Son.

SLOCUM ELECTRIC SERV-ICE: Anything electrical. Contracting and service work. Call SO4-2605 for immediate service. ctf

C. STAN HEATH for healthy plants and shrubs at reasonable that Hoffman prices. Highway 35, west of courthouse. SO 4-6429.

AVOID THE last minute rush. Put your Xmas gift in lay-away now. J. M. Sparks & Son. ctf

LET THE TREASURE HOUSE Florists plan your Christmas decorations. SO 4-2381. ctf

SPECIAL: Grease job and spray, both for \$2.00. Winters' Sinclair BABY SIT: By hour, day, week Park.

or month. Phone SO 4-2503. HELP WANTED: Be independ-

ent. Sell Rawleigh Products. Good opening in Aransas Co. or Rockport. See J. A. Deaver, Box 1254, Rockport, today or write Raw-Reigh's, Dept. TXL-2450-D, Memp41 phis, Tenn.

IF YOU ARE having trouble holics Anonymous, Box 1096, Rock-

CATTLEMEN: For better sales town Livestock Comm. Co. Sales 4-2381. every Wednesday.

WANTED: Baby sitting or all around house work. Mrs. Dakin, north of Joe's Trailer Park. c38

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY -Man or woman. Responsible person from this area, to service and collect from cigarette dispensers. No selling. Car, references, and \$592.50 to \$1975.00 investment necessary. 7 to 12 hours weekly nets up to \$327.50 monthly income. Possible full-time work. For local interview give phone and particulars. Write International Distributing Co., P O. Box 865, Okla. City,

USED FURNITURE We Buy, Sell And Trade Mattresses renovated PHONE 69

408 EAST WILSON

ARANSAS PASS

#### FOR SALE

On Aransas Bay, north of Fulctf pletely furnished.

North of Rockport, one block from bay, 3 bedroom, bath and a

Choice lots in Little Bay Shores, Fulton and Old Tasselfoot Village on Lamar Peninsula. Waterfrent lots on Copano and Aransas Bays. 10, acre tract with 1/2 minerals, \$2,500, and 70 acres west of Ful-

FOR RENT: Large cottage with garage, furnished. Bills paid, \$70 month. Waterfront house available private pier, furnished, 4 bed-

In consideration of community appearances, we limit the number of our signs. We have fine list-UNUSUAL Christmas ings without "For Sale" signs. FOR THE BEST IN RENTALS. ctf SALES AND LEASES, see or call

COCHRAN REALTY CO. On Highway 35, Fulton Phones SO 4-6335 and SO 4-2977, Rockport

GOOD USED AUTOMATIC washers, refrigerators, used TV's. Rockport Electric Co.

FOR SALE: Westinghouse wash and dry combination, \$329.95. Good ctf used refrigerators and television sets at Rockport Electric Co. ctf

FOR SALE: Three furnished cottages, 16x30ft., to be moved. \$500.00 each. Ben Thompson. P.O. Box 145, Phone SO 4-8550.

FOR SALE: 71/2 h.p. outboard motor, used 10 hours, gear shift, 6-gal. tank, throttle control. \$50. Call Bob, SO 4-6262. ctf

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 1956 Chevrolet, 6-cylinder, Standard 210, radio and heater, white sidewalls, \$995, privately owned. K. L. Harwick, corner Hackberry and

FOR SALE: Beautiful, wooded trailer park, priced right. Owner leaving state.

FOR SALE: 16 m.m. projector, 8 m.m. movie camera, projector and screen, double barrel 12 ga. shot gun, nearly new; assorted golf clubs, right hand, \$2.50 each.

FOR SALE: 60-inch sofa-bed, practically new, reasonable. Hallmark Trailer. Circle In Trailer

### MISCELLANEOUS

MEN'S AND BOYS' heavy sweat shirts, white, navy, red and grey; also turtle neck T-shirts, assorted sizes and colors. Men's SPECIAL ORDERS for cakes and boys' washable slacks, sizes for any occasion. Call Hope Cole, 2 to 16 and 28 to 42. J. M. Sparks p39 & Son.

ONE CENT SALE: Dresses, with your drinking write to Alco- \$7.99 each or 2 for \$8.00. J. M. Sparks & Son.

FUNERAL SPRAYS and funeral wreaths a specialty at the consign your livestock to the Robs- Treasure House Florists, SO

MEN'S AND BOYS' JACKETS, 33 1/2 % off. J. M. Sparks & Son. ctf WE HAVE a large assortment of men's lovely long sleeve sport shirts and dress slacks. J. M. Sparks & Son.

LADIES and Children's nylon toppers; also children's long coats, 33 1/2 % off. J. M. Sparks & Son.

WANTED: Soft, clean rags, old sheets and pillow cases preferred. Rockport Pilot.

HELP WANTED: Experienced white service station attendant over 30. Good salary. Apply Cox Gulf Service Station.

STRAYED OR STOLEN: Black and white, neutered male cat, weighs 15 pounds, has nuce spot on tail and hip. Answers to name "Whiskers." \$5 reward for return. Phone SO 4-6281. Mrs. E. W.

Monday night Mrs. H. C. Gurley and Mrs. Clinton will be hostesses at the Gurley home for a Christmas party for the young people's group of the Church of Christ. Entertainment will be a scavenger

QUICK, EFFICIENT SERVICE TO ALL MAKES 24 to 48 Hour Service on Most Jobs REASONABLE PRICES

Manning's Jewelers

Next to Rialto Theatre

Phone 92 - Aransas Pass

### FOR SALE

Three-bedroom home on 2 lots, nice trees. \$9,000. House and six lots.

Two-bedroom home on large lot, near downtown. \$5.000. Four-room house-\$2,500. Only \$750 cash down rayment.

Two-bedroom house on two lots. Furnished house on waterfront.

Riparian rights. Furnished camp house - \$500

down payment. Furnished duplex and home

Home and 12 lots, good business property. Nice lot in town, 70x128-only

\$1,500. Two-bedroom and four lots-\$6,300. Terms.

Small house in town - \$2.000. Terms. House to be moved, \$1,500. Lots of lots-with trees.

FULTON New two-bedroom home - tile bath, central heat. Choice lots with large oak trees.

Trailer park and rent houses. COPANO Waterfront lots with riparian

Furnished home-with view bay. List your property with MRS. R. B. SIPE

Phone SO 4-2603 Rockport FOR SALE: House trailer, 25foot Travelite. Sleeps four, modern, extra clean. Must see to appreciate.

Steve Theodore, SO 4-2134. ctf FOR SALE OR TRADE: 37-ft '55 model Rocket trailer, slightly used. See at Circle in Trailer Park, Highway 35, north. SO 4-8562. ctf

SALE: Shoes, two pair, \$5.00 while they last. J. M. Sparks &

FOR SALE: Air compressor, valve machine, lathe, welding equipment and small tools. Van Etten Garage, Highway 35, north

FOR SALE: Grey, wool carpet and table model Underwood typewriter. Call SO 4-2474.

FOR SALE: Automatic Deep Fryer and Cooker, copper tone finish. Never used. \$12.00. Phone SO 4-2319.



WARM-She may dream of skiing, but she'll be warm and comfortable sleeping in cotton flannelette pajamas by M. C. Schrank. The top is a striking reproduction of a hand-knitted Swiss sweater in rich stainedglass colors.

# NOTICE

THE ARANSAS ANIMAL CLINIC

HAS MOVED TO West Highway 35, 1/2 Mile Beyond Little Bob's

Aransas Pass

# **Army Surplus**

SAVES YOU MONEY

Good Use Army Clothes - Boots - Tarps -Tools - Tents - Cots - Bunks - Guns -- Camping Supplies.

We Buy - Sell & Trade NOTICE, NEW LOCATION

503 S. Commercial Phone 602 - Aransas Pass

### FOR SALE

WHY RENT?? Suburban home, new, four lots.

combination.

glassed in porch, one bedroom, bath. Two-bedroom, completely re-

decorated, living room with fireplace, large dining room, 100'x140', close to bay. Two-bedroom furnished house,

two baths, large den, living room with fireplace and dining room. Excellent condition. Two-bedroom home, Tule Sub-

division, trees. Three-bedroom house, bath, living room, kitchen dining room

Small house on bay front, valuable, good investment. LOTS - any description - any

BUSINESS PROPERTY Cafe, Drive Inn Grocery, Motel, Apartment House—Valuable prop-

Warehouse, 20x44, lot 80x150, Highway 35, good location.



Rockport FOR SALE: Squirrel monkey. SO 4-6304 after 6 p.m.



CHRISTMAS TOY-You can make such toys as this jaunty puss-in-boots at little cost from small feed and flour bags. Other ideas for making gifts from cotton bags are included in a new sewing booklet available free from the National Cotton Council, Box 9906, Memphis 12, Tenn.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Furnished house. Also unfurnished house. Furnishbeautiful trees, large living room, ed apartment, bills paid. Mrs. R. B. Sipe, phone SO 4-2603. ctf trout, all of them large, as well as

> NICE 1, 2 and 3-room apartments. Close in and reasonable. and came in with 30 reds and Everything furnished, including air-conditioning. Weekly or month- Kansas, caught 25 reds and five ly rates. Also have few sleeping drum. rooms, all with private baths. Idylwilde Apartments. Phone SO 4ctf

FOR RENT: Two bedroom unfurnished house. Near elementary school. SO 4-6191. ctf

nished apartment. Low rent. SO 4 - 2394.

three rooms, bath and carport. \$50 north as the State of Minnesota. per month, bills paid. SO 4-2475. ctf

iences. SO 4-2895.

FOR RENT OR LEASE: Airconditioned, modern offices, next door to post office. Contact Leonard LeBlanc, SO 4-2463.

FOR RENT: Modern efficiency apartment suitable for one person,

mished, first floor, corner duplex, well located. SO 4-6379.

Six-Million Pound Drop Reported in Commercial Fishing

perienced a 6,417,377-pound drop of Mexico and Texas bays.

other species of fish combined.

# Commercial coast fishing ex-SUNDAY, DEC. 21

during the past fiscal year. Total commercial catch was 127,741,753 pounds of fish both from the Gulf Shrimp was the highest pro-

ducer on the coast. Commercial fishermen harvested more than 64 million pounds of the shellfish variety. In fact, shrimp production was higher than that of all Next in line was menhaden with

59,575,326 pounds taken, with a jump to the third highest producer, red snapper, of 1,609,700 pounds. Bluefish took the cellar, totaling only 79 pounds for the

# **MILLER REALTY COMPANY**

Phone SO 4-6473

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS! Price Reduced to Sell!!!

Little Bay Shores, Inc.-Three-bedroom home, \$11,000.00. Low monthly payments.

Two-bedroom home, lot 50x260, large live oak trees-\$8,500. Two-bedroom home—2 lots 50x140, newly decorated—\$9,500. Two houses-approximately one acre, Bellview addition,

Two-bedroom home, furnished, Copano Village, lot 100x150, \$7,500.00. Small house on Austin street, \$1,750.00.

# Buy Now While They Last!

# Nothing Like It! new VENUS "365" automatic ball PEN-cil

with world's longest replaceable ink cartridge

• feels like a pencil . . . writes like a pen • perfect slim balance for new writing ease starts instantly-never skips

• jewel-set ball writes on any normal surface

**Guaranteed 365 Days** 

writes for at least 1 year or new refill FREE

THE ROCKPORT Phone SO 4-2192 P. O. Box 608

ROCKPORT, TEXAS

### WATERFRONT-

and drum.

(Continued from Page 1)

Johnson, of the same state, caught nine nice reds. Mrs. Jim Stanesell, Lubbock, fishing elsewhere, caught nine nice reds, three trout and one flounder one day, and on another came in with six trout

Mr. and Mrs. Hatter, Moddy, Texas, caught 45 nice reds and 30 drum. Johnson, of Minnesota, and Christian, went fishing again, trout. Ray Smith, of Bogue,

Bill Savoie, better known around Taylor Oaks as the Kankakee Flash, is becoming a legendary fisherman, although friends at the trailer park say that some of the methods he uses to produce catches, such as dynamite and tele-FOR RENT: Downtown fur- phones, are slightly unorthodox.

However, the waterfront news ctf about Bill is picked up regularly pute is concerned. by friends in Kankakee as well FOR RENT: Furnished cottage, as other spots in the U. S., as far

In fact, so famous has his suc-FOR RENT: Two-bedroom cot- cess (or lack of it) become, that tage, unfurnished, \$50 month. SO another paper besides our reguctf larly chronicles Bill's exploits as FOR RENT: Three rooms and an angler. J. L. Suits, editor of bath, furnished. Modern conven- the Petersburg (Texas) Journal, ctf always devotes part of his weekly issue to stories of Bill's latest catches.

Eighteen attended a seminar recently at the Marine Laboratory. In the group were representatives of the Institute of Marine also extra nice one bedroom apart- Science at Port Aransas, the U.S. mnet. Call SO 4-2482 or SO Fish and Wild Life Laboratory at ctf Galveston and field biologists from FOR RENT: 2 bedrooms, fur- Corpus Christi and Palacios.

Bill Wilson of the Galveston ctf laboratory discussed the effects of FOR RENT: Furnished 3-bed- siltation from dredged spoil on room and screened porch house. Oyster reefs. He said the greatest \$65 Inquire at 704 Live Oak Street. effects on oysters from dredged

spoil was at a distance of 200 to 400 yards from the dredge and that the effects are neglegible beyond that distance.

NUECES JUDGE (Continued from Page 1)

election, Kennedy defended the hiring of the law firm of Wood, Pratt & Boykin to assist in the defenes of the boundary suit. He also said that "the practice of occasionally hiring lawyers who are skilled in a particular field of law is a good one."

He did not mention the employment of Alsup at an extra fee to aid in preparation of the suit, but did say he would not keep Alsup on his payroll as legal advisor when he went into office. He said he would not need a legal advisor

because he already is an attorney.

After the private session Jalura said Nueces County is in "good shape" so far as the upcoming court trial on the boundary dis-

Previously he had said "chances are good" that Nueces County will keep the boundary line it now claims.

Jalufka said a public report of all the preparations will not be made because Aransas County officials then would know Nueces County's court strategy.

### Income Tax Service

I WILL OFFICE AT

**Prophets on Hiway 35** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday For My 8th Year in Rockport After Jan. 1

ROBERT J. LETH ctf

# MENU

Choice of

VIRGINIA BAKED HAM SOUTHERN FRIED CHICKEN ROAST BEEF

Whole Green Beans

Candied Yams Cauliflower in Cream Sauce Soup Ice Cream Tea or Coffee

\$1.00

# Rankin's Cafe

SO 4-8573

# SPECIALS

THURSDAY, DEC. 18, THROUGH WEDNESDAY, DEC. 24

AT OUR FOUNTAIN

Christmas Shopper's Special Sandwich and Malt . . . . . 49c

WE MAKE OUR OWN SANDWICHES 89c FORMULA 20

CREAM HAIR DRESSING 59c, plus tax 35c PENETRO COUGH SYRUP \$1.49 BISMADINE DIGESTANT POWDER, 89c \$19.89 SUNBEAM SHAVEMASTER \$13.95

53c ANACIN, 30 TABLETS ALL LAZY SUSANS Less 20% From \$7.95 to \$16.95

\$1.45 8-LIGHT SERIES XMAS TREE LIGHT SETS

\$1.69 7-LIGHT MULTIPLE

XMAS TREE LIGHT SETS PANBURN 5 CANDIES 59c to 10.00

Free Gift Wrapping on Gifts Bought in This Store Reliable Prescription Service by

Registered Pharmacists

YOUR PRESCRIPTION STORE

Phone SO 4-2311 Member Chamber of Commerce