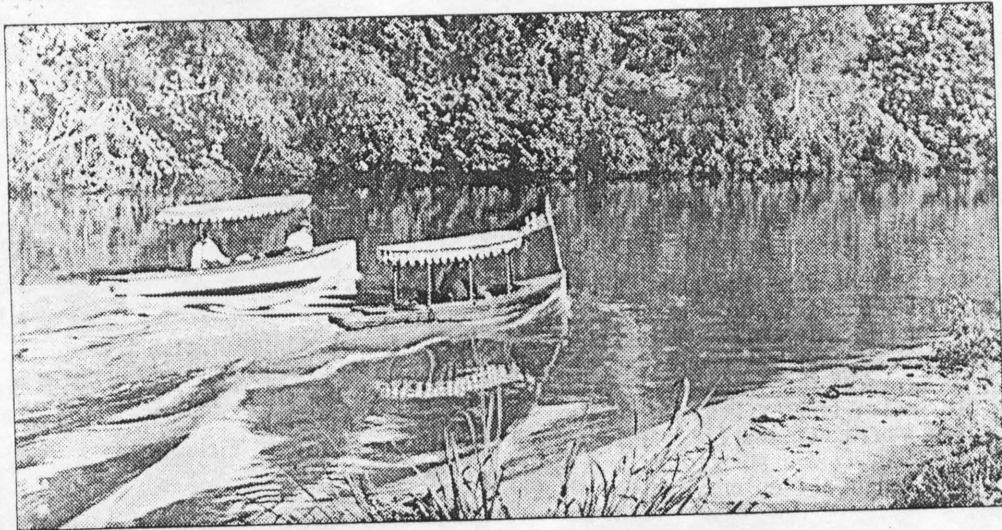


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100 years of yachts

Galveston's Texas Seaport Museum is helping to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Houston Yacht Club, recalling the days when pleasure boats docked on Buffalo Bayou at the foot of Houston's Main Street and in what is now the Houston Ship Channel via the exhibit *From Buffalo Bayou to Galveston Bay, Houston Yacht Club, 1897-1997, The First 100 Years*. The photo display includes many never-before-shown images from the club's archives. Among the scenes captured for posterity are a turn-of-the-century regatta at Seabrook and the flotilla escorting President Franklin D. Roosevelt on his 1936 tour of the Ship Channel. This special display will remain on view through 1997.

■ 10 a.m.-6 p.m. daily, through 1997, at the Texas Seaport Museum, Pier 21 on Harborside Drive between 21st and 22nd streets, Galveston. Entry is included with regular museum admission: \$5; \$4 for students ages 7-18 and adults age 65 and older; and free for younger children. Call (409) 763-1877.



AT THE TEXAS SEAPORT MUSEUM: Electric boats cruise Buffalo Bayou in this 1905 photograph from a special display at the museum.