A BIG 'UN — Glenn Hebert of Sweetlake and his helper, Clem Myers, drag a big 10-foot 'gator onto the prow of the mudboat they use to ply the marshes. The alligator has been dispatched by one bullet from a 30-30 cal. rifle, but there is still “life” in the creature’s powerful tail. This one is well above the average of seven and one-half feet per ‘gator that Hebert had been catching. (Staff Photo by Dave Precht)