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FOR SALE: Nine year old black Gelding. Call Columbus after 8 p.m., 732-3475. (7-4-2t)

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FOR SALE: Altair Dairy Delite, now in operation, on Highway 90A near Altair. Call 758-3505. (6 13 tf)

FOR SALE: 16" girl's bicycle. In good condition. Call 234-3425. (7-4-1t)

FOR SALE: House for sale with large lot. If interested call 234-2728. (6-27-tf)

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Eagle Lake, Texas 77434

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Sat., July 6

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Your Patronage Appreciated

For Sale

MEXICAN FOOD AND GAME event sponsored by MAYC to be held Thurs., July 4th at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish Hall to raise funds for new library under construction. Serving begins at 6 p.m. and games at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited. (7-4-1t)

FOR SALE: 15 x 5 1/2 ft. tandem axle Kloessel built cattle trailer. Good condition. Call 732-3429, Columbus, after 9 p.m. only. (7 4 1t)

OUR NEWEST LISTING - - -

A three bedroom, 2 bath frame house off deep lot with many trees, and an established neighborhood. Shown by appointment.

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REMOVAL SALE: Clothes, crib, chest, 1 1/2 ton Friedrich AC, curtains, heaters, bedspread, and other items. 510 Pendleton, Sat., July 6th, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (7-4-1tp)

CLEAN rugs like new, so easy to do with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampoer $1. Western Auto Store in Eagle Lake.

FOR SALE: 1969 Olds, real good condition, new tires, battery and water pump. Priced to sell. Roy Tise, 234-2589. (7-4-tf)

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WANTED

Marvin's, Inc.

Needs A Part-Time

Waiter

Call 234-2156

WANTED: Janitor for Garwood Elementary School. Contact John Mader at 758-3385 during day or 758-3633 at night. (7-4-tf)

HELP WANTED: Security guard for nights and weekends. Call 234-2531 for an appointment. (7-4-tf)

GARAGE SALE

GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, July 5 and 6 from 8 a.m. til 5 p.m. at 104 W. State Street. Clothes, linens, bedding, dishes, and miscellaneous. (7-4-1tp)

Texas Farmers To Get Census Forms in July

In early July over 24,000 Texas farmers will receive an acreage and production questionnaire from Charles Cantill, Agricultural Statistician for the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, Austin, Texas.

Information from this survey will be used to determine harvested acreage and production of early harvested crops for the state of Texas and for each county. There are 254 counties in Texas, and reports are needed from many farmers so that each county will be well represented. Accurate estimates are of great importance to farmers in planning production and marketings and in providing an optimum picture of Texas agriculture.

The Texas Legislature has provided a program of estimates of agricultural production that state totals alone do not provide adequate information on Texas' most basic industry - agriculture. This is a cooperative effort of USDA's Statistical Reporting Service and the Texas Department of Agriculture.

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NOTICE

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 15.537 miles of Slab, Base Overlay and ACP from Eagle Lake (US 90A) to Wharton Co. Line, from Colorado Co. Line to East Bernard (US 90A) on Highway No. US 90A, covered by C 27-3-33 and C 27-4-26 in Colorado and Wharton Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., July 25, 1974, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of C. A. Weise, Resident Engineer, Columbus, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. (7-4-2t)

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals, plainly marked, addressed to the Commissioners' Court of Colorado County, Texas, will be received at the office of the County Judge at Columbus, Texas, until 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday, July 8, 1974, and then publicly opened and read before the Commissioners' Court in the regular meeting place of said Court in the Courthouse at Columbus, Texas, for the following:

2 1/2 T. Truck chassis and cab for Precinct 3. Specifications in office of County Judge.

A certified or cashier's check or bid bond for 5% of amount of bid, payable to Colorado County, Texas, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that bidder, if successful, will comply with statutory requirements and with the requirements of the Commissioners' Court. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to waive all technicalities and the right to reject any or all bids.

By Order of the Commissioners' Court dated June 10, 1974.

Lester J. Cranek
County Judge
(6-27-2t)

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FOR RENT: Small brick building, suitable for cafe or other small business, gravel parking area. For further information call 713 234-3533 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (6 13 tf)

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CALLING ALL HOMEMAKERS

(By Dorothy L. Schomberg, County Extension Agent, H.E.)

Getting Back To Basics

"Getting back to basics" - - - is a phrase we've been hearing very often lately.

According to Webster basic is described as of, or pertaining to the base or essence; fundamental.

A commercial on T. V. caught my attention, "If you don't remember baking soda, ask your mother", in referring to a new toothpaste that contains one of the original toothpastes: baking soda.

In our feeble way we try to relate stories of the "old days", I overheard a gentleman telling his five year old grandson about the kerosene lamp. The boy asked, "Was this was the only kind of light that was used, etc. etc. Everything was fine until they got out of the electric lights to get the full effect--her only comment was, "Boy, was that all the light they had to watch television by?"

There is a renewed interest in camping and roughing it--after taking a look at the camping equipment, which includes air conditioning and T.V., oh well.

I'm not one to point fingers-- when I get out into the wonderful sunshine, the faint feeling and prickly heat is an indication that I'm part of the "Soft Set".

But we have gone back to basics--have you ever noticed all of the bicycles around--the same people who wouldn't ride two blocks to school, as a child, are riding 40-50 miles for fun, goes to show there is a difference between twiddle de de and twiddle de da.

This year--we've had more calls from homemakers who have for the first time begun to freeze or can food or from homemakers who have misplaced information because they haven't preserved in several years.

In fact, rumor has it, there will be a seed shortage, because so many people have planted a garden this year.

I suppose what's really amazing is that we've had a change of heart about what's "In" today.

I remember when to bring a sandwich on homemade bread was like admitting you were poor or "country" and no one wanted to be "country".

Now baking bread is considered an "art" (an almost forgotten one, I might add) instead of a way of life. Funny thing - I can't remember the last time my mother baked bread, but I do remember complaining about not having "Bought Bread".

I remember when -- could get to be a great bore -- but let's try a few.

REMEMBER WHEN

Riding a horse was a sole means of transportation instead of a luxury connected with expensive, truck matching trailers and enormous, feed bills.

Living on a farm meant you were isolated from the rest of the world instead of a place you rested on the weekend.

Grandparents, lived with you or you visited on Sundays, instead of people you send a check to the "Rest Home."

Church was a place of worship on Sunday morning, instead of a comfortable building where every age group meets on week night to eat, talk and raise money.

A gas station was a place where you used the rest room, drank a Coke, while the attendant filled your car's tank, checked your oil, water and tires, wiped it the was plan-[illegible] you fill your own car and picked up a six-pak.

And County Extension Agents were Home Demonstration Agents that came to your house and showed you how to can or restuff mattresses instead of sitting in an air-conditioned office and speculating about what's wrong with society.

So much for that -- back to basics. I'd leave you with one basic that might not change the world, but I believe it certainly would be a start, "Courtesy".

ANGEL LAVON FARROW

Angel Farrow Elected As Church Pianist

On March 19, 1972 Angel Lavon Farrow at the age of 10, was invited to play piano selections for the first choir at Mt. Olive Baptist Church in Eagle Lake. On Sept. 17, 1972, except it she was planning on joining Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Matthews with the Rev. C. Williams pastor, on April 19th of this year she was nominated the pianist for Olive Branch Baptist Church in Glidden with the Rev. J. Mosley, pastor, at the age of twelve.

Angel Lavon also provides music for Sunday School of South Point Baptist Church, Rev. Bennet Cortez, pastor, in Garwood. She enjoys playing for her choirs and meeting friends.

She attends Garwood Elementary School where she plays a saxophone in the band and placed first in the Rice Junior High Band Solo and Ensemble competition. She is a member of the eighth grade.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Farrow and Mr. and Mrs. Louie A. Lee are proud of her accomplishments and hope that she will continue her work in the musical field.

DRIVING CHARGES

A charge of driving while license was suspended was filed in county court June 27th against Joseph Thomas Smith.

Monday a charge of driving while intoxicated was filed against Ralph Lopez Rivera. Both cases are pending trial.

Thurs., July 4th Is Holiday Here

Eagle Lake business firms, the Postoffice and the County Courthouse will be closed all day, Thursday, July 4th honorance of the Fourth of July holiday.

The date is an official holiday on the Chamber of Commerce closing schedule.

BREAKS HIP

Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. Edith Hanly Brown of Houston and formerly of Eagle Lake suffered a broken hip in a recent fall and is confined to St. Luke's Hospital in Houston. She was due to undergo surgery Wednesday. She is in Room 6124 at St. Luke's.

A new Japanese-built supertanker can haul enough oil to supply a tankful of gasoline for 3,000,000 cars, National Geographic says.

Cards of Thanks

NOTE OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to each person who rendered their services to help me during my horrifying experience and my stay in the Community Hospital. Thank you both, friends and relatives, for your many inquiries, visits, calls, cards, flowers, and gifts which were so overwhelming.

Our special thanks to Dr. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kohleffel, the Volunteer Ambulance Corps, nurses, aides, Mayor Elmer Struss, Mrs. Charlene Konesheck, Lawrence Berger, James Ray Thomas, all law enforcement officers, Les Euers, Glenn Locklier, and Billy Jo Williams for your dedicated services.

Your thoughtfulness and kindness will always be remembered.

Mrs. Lucille Booker
Jane Booker
Mr. and Mrs. James Booker and Mike

Fayette County Judge Resigns

Fayette County Judge David M. Murray resigned effective June 30, 1974, Murray gave for his reason, "an advanced employment opportunity within my chosen professional field."

The Commissioners' Court met Monday to appoint someone to finish Murray's unexpired term to January 1, 1975.

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Wed., July 3
BLUE STAR RAMBLERS
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RAY MALEK SHOW 8 to 12

Fri., July 5
THE COWBOYS
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Sat., July 6
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News From The Heritage House

BY BETTY SWANNER

SUNDAY SERVICES

The Sunday Services this past week were held by the First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Glen Kennell as the speaker. Some of the visitors stayed after church and had coffee. We had a good number of residents and visitors to attend.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

The birthday party of the month was given by the Jr. Red Circle Girls of the Mt. Olive Baptist Church with Mrs. Olivia Maxie as the sponsor. Those being honored were Mrs. Ida Stafford, Leonard Nicwander, and John Fuller. The girls sang a few numbers and "Happy Birthday." Michael Axel played the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wiese presented the lady with a corsage and the two gentlemen with boutonnieres.

THANK YOU

We would like to thank all of our visitors for coming by. We are always glad to have you.

We lost another one of our residents, Joe Hurd. He passed away Thursday night.

Mrs. Elizabeth Boothe and Mrs. Mae Jones came by again Tuesday and Thursday and sang for us.

Miss Denise Treybig, Donald Buzek Plan August Nuptials

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Treybig, Route 1, El Campo, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Denise, to Donald Buzek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buzek Sr. of Nada. The wedding is scheduled for Saturday, August 10, at 2:30 p.m. at St. John's Catholic Church in New Taiton. The future bride, a graduate of El Campo High School, attended Wharton County Junior College. She is presently working as a receptionist at Nightingale Hospital. The future bridegroom attended Wharton County Junior College and Sam Houston State University. He is presently employed by Southwest Grain, Inc. in Eagle Lake.

Alpha Delta Phi Members Attend Beta Sigma Phi State Meet

[illegible] to Phi and their husbands journeyed to Austin June 21 to attend the annual Beta Sigma Phi state convention.

After registration, some of the members enjoyed refreshments in the hospitality rooms hosted by Houston and Fort Worth chapters.

On Saturday, June 22, while members attended forums, a luncheon and other activities, the husbands enjoyed the "Casino of Champions," where they participated in various games.

Saturday night the couples attended the "Regatta" dinner dance.

Sunday morning was spent in attendance at brunch and the impressive Closing Ritual.

There were in excess of 1200 Texas members attending the convention with 654 husbands in attendance.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Appell, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brunner, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clipson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Vic Corman, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Locklier, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mahalitc, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Sommerlatte, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Szymanski and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Waddell.

The 1975 convention will be held in San Antonio.

VISIT AUNT

Mrs. Walter Wilbeck of El Campo and her daughter of Copperas Cove, Texas and Mrs. Ed Wubrich and her little daughter Rachel visited last week with their aunt, Mrs. Alma Kollmann.

SBA Officer At Wharton July 10

John L. Carey, District Director of the SBA Houston District Office, announces Julian Cox, Field Representative, will be present at the Wharton Chamber of Commerce for his regular monthly visit on Wednesday, July 10, 1974, to explain to interested individuals SBA's program for financial assistance under a loan guaranty program with participating local banks. Loans may be made to purchase land and buildings, expand plant facilities, purchase machinery and equipment, to purchase inventory, provide working capital, or refinance existing debt.

In addition to meeting with businessmen and prospective businessmen from Wharton, Matagorda, and Fort Bend Counties, Mr. Cox will also talk with similar individuals from Columbus and Eagle Lake, Texas, and others within commuting distance of Wharton.

The Wharton Chamber of Commerce office is located at 311 North Richmond, Wharton, Texas. No appointment is necessary; interview hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carter Observe 50th Wedding Anniv.

Sunday, June 30th a group of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reyne Dromgoole for a barbecue dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carter on the occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter were united in marriage on June 28, 1924, by a Methodist minister in Wharton, Texas, and have lived in the Eagle Lake area for all of their married life.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Carter's sisters, Mrs. Elna Coughlin and Mrs. Velma Sauers and her niece Mrs. Carol Joyce Dromgoole.

Friends join in extending congratulations to the Carters on passing this milestone in life.

VISITS IN PASADENA

Mrs. Willie Mill spent a delightful week last week in Pasadena the guest of Mrs. Myrtle Arnett.

MARKET REPORT

WHARTON CO. LIVESTOCK

The market was higher on all classes of cattle with stocker and feeder calves 2 to 3 cents higher at Wharton Co. Livestock Market on June 26.

The firm handled 550 head of cattle, 450 to 550 pound steers brought 24 to 26; 350 to 450 pound choice heifers sold 35 to 37; utility slaughter cows 27 to 29; utility slaughter bulls 32 to 35; and choice stocker cows $225 to $275.

HOSPITAL NEWS NOTES

Patients this week (July 1):

Mrs. Ben McElhiney, city
Mrs. Irene Christal, city
Felipe Hernandez, city
Mrs. Adela Garza, city
Mrs. Sandra Smith, city
Alex J. Williams, Jr., city
Nat Hurd, city
Mrs. Louise Hancock, Sheridan
Mrs. Estoria Nichols, Garwood
Willie Smith, Garwood
Mrs. Gertie Williams, Altair
Mrs. Katherine Bell, Golliad

Dismissals:

Mrs. Glenda Blair, city
Mrs. Edna McTear, city
Mrs. Ida Klockman, city
Mrs. Elizabeth Ward, city
Mrs. Rowena Earls, city
Mrs. Lucille Booker, city

DISMISSALS (Cont.)

Jerry Cook, city
Gilbert Sosa, city
Mrs. Marlene Munos, city
Marcus Gunter, city
H. E. Tate, city
Mrs. Bernice Deckard, city
Nick Shorter, city
Mrs. Lucille Reel, city
Horace Holmes, city
Mrs. Mildred Trcka, city
Mrs. Hope Moreida, city
Mrs. Mary Miles, city
Johnny Loyla, city
Mrs. Marian Woolridge, city
Mrs. Eleanora Schindler, Alleyton
Mrs. Lena Braden, Alleyton
Mrs. Estella Martinez and baby girl, Wharton
Mrs. Rose Duncan and baby girl, Harker Heights
Mrs. Lillie Schilling, Garwood
Lee Porter, Houston
L. C. Johnston, Fort Isabel
Howard Wiese, Lissie
Miss Shannon Swoboda, Bellaire.

Closed July 4th

Marvin's Inc. of Altair will be closed all day on Thurs., July 4th advise owners, Marvin and Cliff Tyler.

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PRIESMEYER'S JULY Clearance SALE!

Sale starts July 5th, ends July 31st

SHOE SALE

ONE GROUP Men's Dress Shoes Reg. $15.95 to $19.95 Sale $9.97

Boys' Dress Shoes Sizes 7-12 1/2, 13-6 1/2 Price

Ladies' Shoes DRESS-SPORTS-CASUALS
Val. to $10.00 . . $7.90
Val. to $14.00 . . $9.90
Val. to $18.00 . . $12.90
Val. to $22.00 . . $15.90

Girls' Dress Shoes Sizes 7 to 12 1/2, 13 to 4 1/2 Price

All Sandals 20% Off

Ladies' Canvas Shoes Selected Styles
Tandem French Bike, Anchor Tie, D-Ring $2.97
Espadrille, La Guna, Reg. $14.95 $8.80

POLYESTER KNIT FABRICS
Reg. $2.99 SALE $1.97 | Reg. $3.99 SALE $2.77 | Reg. $4.99 SALE $3.77 | Reg. $5.99 and $6.99 SALE $4.77

Swim Trunks & Walk Shorts MEN'S & BOY'S 25% Off

Short Sleeve Shirts MEN'S & BOY'S Entire stock of Cut & Sewn & Knits 20% Off

MEN'S & BOY'S Straw Hats 20% Off

Ladies' Summer Dresses & Pant Suits 1/3 Off

Ladies' & Girls' Swimwear 1/3 Off

Shorts & Short Sets LADIES' & GIRLS' 25% Off

Straw, Wooden, White Handbags 1/2 Price

Men's Knit Slacks ONE GROUP 1/2 Price Alteration Extra

Ladies' Summer Sleepwear (Nylon Tricot not included) COTTON & LACRON 20% Off

Blouses & Halters & Knit Tops 20% Off

Ladies' & Girls' Sportswear Slacks - Jeans - Vests - Jackets - Shells - Tops 20% Off

All Fabrics (Other than Sale Knits) 20% Off

Men's Sport Coats 20% to 50% Off

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Over the past three years, prices we must pay for fuel to generate electricity have doubled . . . tripled . . . quadrupled . . . quintupled . . . and more. Which means that electric bills have gone up 10% . . . 20% . . . 30% . . . 40% . . . 50% . . . and more.

In the past, the money you had to pay for fuel costs didn't amount to much. There have been times, in fact, when fuel costs went down—and so did your bill. Natural gas was plentiful and it was cheap.

Not any more. When we can get natural gas, it is much more expensive than it used to, be. When we can't, our only alternative is to burn fuel oil, which is even more expensive than gas.

The additions to your electric bills represent only the higher costs of fuel, which are passed directly from the fuel suppliers to you. In fact, CPL loses since we pay taxes on gross revenue. In other words, we collect more money, pay more taxes, and earn a smaller profit.

We lose and you lose.

What created this situation?

Coastal States Gas Producing Company and its subsidiary, Lo-Vaca Gathering System, is CPL's largest fuel supplier. At one time they supplied almost 75% of CPL's fuel needs.

For the past year and a half, Coastal States has been unable to fulfill its contractual obligations to meet CPL's natural gas requirements. Which means we have to look elsewhere—and pay the going price. We have also had to burn fuel oil at even more expense.

It's the old case of supply and demand. Greater demand. Shorter supply. Higher price.

Not much consolation can be found, unless it's this: At least we haven't had to hang out any "Out of Electricity" signs. We don't expect to.

And the picture is not all dark.

CPL people are searching everywhere for the most economical fuel to meet our present needs. We have started our own drilling program for natural gas supplies. CPL, along with other utilities, is moving ahead on a nuclear power plant. We have purchased equipment for a coal-fired plant.

Our aim is to stabilize the cost of fuel as soon as possible.

What can you do?

Think of energy as money. Use it wisely. Drop by your CPL office and pick up copies of several booklets which discuss ways of using electricity efficiently.

HOTTER WEATHER HAS ALSO PUSHED BILLS HIGHER.

CPL customers who have air conditioning took a double dose of higher bills during June.

Not only were fuel costs up to record levels, but air conditioning requirements were much greater, too.

The month of May, which in general is the usage-period for June bills, was hot. Abnormally hot.

According to U.S. Weather Bureau data, May of this year was as hot as a normal June.

To make some other comparisons: Averaged over South Texas, May was 130% hotter than April, and 43% hotter than May of 1973.

We give you this information so that while you join us in hoping the weather cools off, you will also make sure your air conditioning is being operated as efficiently as possible.

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