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Homemakers' Reflections

By Donella Pantel
County Extension Agent

Nat'l Consumer Education Week Is Oct. 5-11

October 5-11, 1980, has been proclaimed National Consumer Education Week by President Jimmy Carter. Consumer education has helped many Americans to improve their lives by learning to become better shoppers, by understanding how the market functions, and by developing participatory skills in government decision making. There are many more Americans who could benefit from consumer education.

Every citizen needs skills to actively and confidently participate in the government and the market place. The Texas Agricultural Extension Service supports consumer education in numerous ways. Programs in all phases of Home Economics have been planned and conducted in Colorado County.

The County Extension Office also has free pamphlets and information available on a wide variety of consumer topics. For example, you can request a bulletin on how to seek consumer redress or how to choose a microwave oven or how to grow your own garden. Call the County Extension Agent for details. Begin your consumer education today!

TODAY'S MOBILE HOMES

by Mary Ann Pittman

LIBERALIZED MOBILE HOME LENDING (Cont.)
These are major features of the new mobile home lending regulations:

- Federal associations can make loans up to 90 percent of the total cost of new and used mobile homes, including freight, financed set-up charges, sales and other taxes, and fees imposed by law. The inclusion of these costs in the original financing agreement will, in effect, reduce the minimum downpayment from approximately 10 percent to 10 percent of the total cost.
- Maximum terms of maturity have been extended to 20 years, consequently lowering monthly mortgage payments.
- Thrift institutions would be able to extend their mobile home mortgage financing from 10% to 20% of their total assets and to more actively participate in the purchase and sale of participation interests — mobile home chattel paper.

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ELMS Junior Outriders Pop Squad



Featured are twenty members of the Eagle Lake Middle School Junior Outriders pop squad. Members are: sitting, l. to r.: Michelle Milligan, Captain; Carol Rhodes, Treasurer; Trishia Thomas; Captain; row 2, l. to r.: Lisa Fuentes, Shirley Scott, Irene Escobedo, Mella Gonzalez, Allison Camberworth, Christine Corral; row 3, l. to r.:

Maria Varga, Joyce Cardenas, Tracy Boren, Vivian Culpin, Cindy Gonzalez, standing, l. to r.: Lisa Brown, Paul Kucharski, Gloria Foster, Nara Poma, Shelia Foster, Captain.

This group was organized to help foster more school spirit. The students are excited about their new organization. —ELMS Photo.

Sheridan Lions Hear Seminar Students At Ladies Night

An overflow gathering of Sheridan Lions, Lionesses and guests attended the Ladies Night held in the Sheridan Community Center on Sept. 30th. The highlight of the activity was a presentation by Judy Dunge and Mike Rios of their summer experiences while attending the State Farm Bureau Seminar in Waco.

Judy discussed the Leadership-Oriented phase while Mike directed his remarks to the day to day social interactions of the participants.

During the current year both served as student representatives to the Central Steering Committee charged with developing a

needs assessment of the district on which the new Five Year Plan will be based. Miss Dunge is a variety cheerleader, member of the National Honor Society, student council, head, F.T.A., Business Club, president of the senior class and a National Merit semifinalist. Mike participates in variety football, serves as student council president, and is active in UIL events and an honor roll student.

Trading Commission - 1-800-424-9885. Call this number to find out whether a firm or sales representative is registered as required by law and whether any administrative or judicial action has been taken against the firm.

* Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) - 1-800-698-6888. Report a potentially dangerous product or a product-related injury, and request free fact sheets on a wide range of products.

* Auto Safety Hot-Line - 1-800-424-9885. Call this number to find out whether a car has ever been recalled because of safety defects.

* Solar Hot-Line - 1-800-252-2929. Staffed by the National Solar Heating and Cooling Information Center, they provide information and brochures on solar heating and cooling.

* Housing Discrimination Hot-Line - 1-800-424-9885. This number is provided by the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

* Lawyer Referral Service - 1-800-252-9880. Call this number, provided by the State Bar of Texas, for the name of a local attorney who specializes in a particular problem.

* Education Hot-Line - 1-800-424-9885. For information on federal grants for undergraduate college students, call this number. It is staffed by the Better Hearing Institute. They will refer you to local doctors, clinics and hearing aid dealers.

* Moving Hot-Line - 1-800-424-9885. Call this number for general information about transporting household goods — and for assistance with loss-and-damage claims. It is staffed by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Hallettsville ISD Increases Tax Rate 32%

Forty to 50 taxpayers, nearly all angry, showed up for Hallettsville Independent School District's hearing on a 32.86 percent tax rate increase last Thursday night, according to a story in the Hallettsville Tribune-Herald.

The paper said the consensus among the protesters seemed to be that the school district was spending too much on salary increases and athletic programs.

Board members pointed out that this was the first increase since 1969.

"Reason for the increase, which is expected to net the district \$297,231 above last year's \$1,027,000 collections, are increases in district employee salaries, maintenance costs, recent stipend increases exacted by the legislature — and the \$185,000 the district is forced to contribute to finance the Lavaca County Appraisal District's operating expenses," the Tribune-Herald story said.

The district plan to pay \$185,000 in two installments, \$40,000 in the first year. The 1980 tax rate will be 80¢ per \$100 of true-market value. In 1979 the rate was \$1.35 per \$100 but on a 50 percent appraisal basis.

from 11:30-1:30 at the First Methodist Church Fellowship Hall in Wharton.

Women's Aglow Fellowship is an interdenominational Christian Women's organization and you need not be a member to attend. Babysitting is provided.

Women's Aglow Fellowship will be Bonnie Ward. The meeting will be held on Friday, October 10.

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Kristine Carpenter is 1980-81
Garwood-Sheridan Band Drum Major



Kristine Carpenter is the Drum Major for the Garwood-Sheridan Junior High School Band for the 1980-81 year. Kristine goes to school in Garwood. — Rio Dist. Photo

Hear Bishop Stokes Speak On

★ "The Authority and Finality
of the Bible"

7:30 P.M.

**Monday, Oct. 20 and
Tuesday, Oct. 21**

Eagle Lake Community Center

(10-2-21)

Opening 1:00 P.M.
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Entex Offers Speakers, Film Service

Does your club or civic group need a program? Sandra Caldwell, Home Service Advisor for the Texas Coast Division of Entex, is offering free, exciting and informative programs on topics from natural gas energy for the future to clever cooking ideas for the time and energy conscious consumer.

The programs and a brief description are as follows:

For the energy conscious, the film (22 minutes) "Tomorrow's Energy" is an exciting view of natural gas and it's chief chemical component methane. It depicts the role natural gas plays in supplying America with a continuous and efficient supply of clean energy for the future.

For the gourmet to mind, they have a slide program entitled "Eggs Can Make It." This program offers consumers tips and techniques in preparing omelets, souffles and quick recipes.

"Cleverly Cooking" is a program which emphasizes using your gas range efficiently and a preview of the latest in energy-saving gas ranges. Also provided is the

"Cleverly Cooking Cookbook" that contains delicious recipes from main dishes to desserts.

Other slide programs that will be offered in the fall (1980) are: "The Spice Shelf" (available after August) where you can explore the fragrant, flavorful world of herbs and spices to add that right touch to the simplest of meals.

Then, the exciting "1980 Holiday Program" (available after October 15th) is always a special treat with gift giving ideas and creative delicious recipes for that festive season.

Groups interested (minimum number of people 15) in scheduling a program are invited to call your local Entex office, or Sandra Caldwell, Entex-Texas Coast Division in Houston, at 654-9502.

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Bishop Stokes To Deliver Religious Lectures Oct. 20-21

The Religious Lectures Committee, composed of three Eagle Lake ministers and lay persons representing six denominations, is sponsoring a series of events October 20 and 21 in Eagle Lake featuring Bishop Mack Stokes, noted author, theologian, and lecturer.

Bishop Stokes will lead a "roundtable seminar" for area ministers from 9:00 - 11:00 on Monday, Oct. 20 at the Episcopal Church in Eagle Lake. All ministers are invited to attend this session.

Monday night Bishop Stokes will speak on "The Authority and Finality of the Bible" at 7:30 p.m. at the Eagle Lake Community Center. Time will be allotted for questions at the conclusion of the lecture.

Tuesday morning Bishop Stokes will speak at an assembly for 6th, 7th, and 8th graders at the Eagle Lake Middle School at 9:15.

Secular topic of interest to the young people will be presented.

Bishop Stokes will be honored at a reception at the Farris 1912 from 2-4 p.m., Tuesday, October 21. The public is cordially invited to have a cup of coffee and meet Dr. Stokes. He will speak briefly and answer questions from 5-6.

The final lecture will be presented at 7:30 PM Tuesday, Oct. 21 at the Eagle Lake Community Center. The topic of the second lecture is "The Primary Mission of the Holy Spirit." Bishop Stokes comes to Eagle Lake with excellent credentials. He was recommended as a dynamic Christian who can speak to all ages and types of persons. The committee feels he will be an inspiration to all who hear him "as we prepare for the season of Thanksgiving and the birth of Jesus Christ."

Transportation will be furnished by the First Baptist Church. Please call 254-2871 for more information to the scheduled events.

Deborah Wilburn, David George Exchange Vows Sept. 27th

Miss Deborah LaVoe Wilburn and David Aubrey George were united in marriage at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Waco with Rev. Magr. Victor G. Schmidt officiating the beautiful ceremony at 2:00 p.m. September 27th.

For the wedding white gladioli arrangements adorned the altar.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Splander of Baytown and the parents of the groom are Mrs. Clarence George of Rock Island and Mr. George.

The bride March was played and "How Great Thou Art" was sung by the bride's mother.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a long blue dress accented by a blue hat with a veil. She carried a bouquet of blue and white carnations.

Bride's Attendants: Serving the bride as Maid of Honor was her sister, Charlotte Hoot of Shepherd and the bridesmaid was Pat Richey of Jacksonville, Florida, sister of the groom.

The maid of honor wore a long green dress with a matching hat and the bridesmaid wore a long yellow dress with a matching hat. Newsboys of white carnations were carried by the attendants.

The flower girl was Lori Hoot and she wore a pink dress.

The groom wore a pink shirt and a white tie.

The bride and groom were married by Rev. Magr. Victor G. Schmidt.

The ceremony was held at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Waco, Texas.

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Nuptials To Unite Suzanne Ramirez, Ray Sykowski Nov. 22



Mr. and Mrs. Isidoro Ramirez announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Suzanne, to Ray Sykowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roman Sykowski of Rosenberg, Texas.

Nuptial vows will be exchanged at two-thirty in the afternoon on November 22, 1980, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Rice Consolidated High School, She attended Wharton County Junior College and is presently employed as secretary at the Eagle Lake Middle School. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Lamar Consolidated High School and Sam Houston State University. He is also employed at the Eagle Lake Middle School as a Social Studies teacher.

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