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CPL Offers Individualized Energy-Saving Info.

Central Power and Light Company is now offering a program of individualized energy-saving information to its customers. The Residential Conservation Service Program will involve home energy audits to determine how a home consumes energy, and ways to cut energy costs, according to Elaine Hamlin, RCS coordinator for the company.

The National Energy Conservation Policy Act mandated the program for utilities with retail sales of more than 750 million kilowatt-hours of electricity or 10 billion cubic feet of gas annually. The program is designed to encourage the installation of energy conservation measures and renewable resource systems in existing residences. The primary tool for attaining these goals is the home energy audit.

CPL has finished notifying its customers of the program through a mailed program announcement to all eligible customers. This includes all occupants of single-family homes, mobile homes and apartment complexes of up to four units. Customers will later receive an offer to audit with a request card attached. Anyone wishing an audit should mail the postage paid card back to CPL.

The homes do not have to be all-electric for CPL to perform an audit. The customer will be charged the federally approved rate of \$15 for the service.

On the day of the audit a responsible adult of the household must be present. The company auditor will take approximately two and a half hours to examine the customer's home. Recommendations for improving energy conservation are made using the results of the audit.

CPL uses a state-approved computer program to calculate the results of the audit. The computer, which has been provided with information on different weather

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Three Arrested In Theft At Columbus School

Columbus police department reports the arrest of three young men from Ohio in the burglary of the Columbus Elementary School during the past weekend.

Police Chief Tom Wine says his department received a call Monday morning and upon investigation found heavy damage to the school. The officer said the burglars apparently had five extinguisher fights and sprayed foam in the auditorium and other parts of the building. Also the burglars took a quantity of electronic aids, other equipment and some petty cash.

Wine said leads were received on the identity of the burglars Monday and officers went to their apartment at 519 Spring St. and arrested the three men and recovered the electronic aids, eighty pounds of hamburger meat, trash cans and other items which had been stolen.

Charged with burglary of the Columbus Elementary School were Kevin Ross, 18, Roy Ross, 19, and Carl Soliman, all of Ohio. They have been placed in the county jail and the case will come before the next grand jury.

It is believed that the arrests may lead to solving at least two other burglaries in the Columbus area.

Wine added that the three men arrested bring to eight the number of people arrested by his department in the past nine days for burglaries in the Columbus community.



Charles Grahmann
— AP photo

Bishop Charles Grahmann To Head New Catholic Diocese

The 12th Roman Catholic diocese in Texas is being created and will be headquartered in Victoria under a bishop fluent in three languages and known for his hard work.

Formal announcement of Pope John Paul II's decision to create the Diocese of Victoria and appoint the Most Rev. Charles Grahmann as bishop was made last week in Washington by Archbishop Pio Laghi, the pope's apostolic delegate to the United States.

Grahmann, 50, is a native of Hallettsville and is fluent in English, German and Spanish, three languages spoken in the new diocese. (He is the brother of Rice High School Principal Fred Grahmann.)

"I am humbled by the confidence that His Holiness, John Paul II, has placed in me," Grahmann said at San Fernando Cathedral in San Antonio before leaving for the Vatican.

Grahmann, the son of German-American parents and born in Hallettsville, has worked and lived in rural and urban parishes throughout Texas that include Hispanic, Czech, German and Polish communities.

He also served in the administrations of the late

Little League Has First Right To School Playgrounds

Because of some conflicts arising on who has priority rights for use of Little League practice fields at the Eagle Lake Middle School playgrounds, the board of trustees of Rice Consolidated School District authorized Supt. Harold King to clarify this situation and emphasize that the Little League has first right to use of the school playgrounds. The statement follows:

"There are always a large number of teams involved in baseball play during the late spring and summer. Because of the relative lack of suitable practice areas, it is understood that there will be considerable demand for the use of the school playgrounds for practice sessions.

"This notice is to serve as a reminder that the Rice Consolidated School District has previously granted first rights to the practice areas to Little League. This privilege remains in effect. Little League teams have first right to the areas at all times, meaning that if another team is practicing it must step aside for a Little League team shows up to practice. Conflicts may be reduced if directors or coaches will attempt to schedule around each other.

"All persons involved with baseball are asked not to drive vehicles onto the playgrounds. This includes coaches, players, parents, fans or anyone else. Any persons or groups who misuse the playgrounds or practice areas may be asked to go elsewhere. The campus principal may, if he finds it necessary, grant use of the playgrounds by permission only."

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Rice School Board Has Busy Agenda

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employ Mrs. Dorothy White as a Homemaker teacher for the 1982-83 year. She formerly served in that capacity in the Rice High School.

The board also approved contracts for Colorado County Special Education Cooperative personnel (including Rice, Columbus and Weimar special education teachers). Included were contracts for Victor Scott of Rice High School who serves as director of the County Cooperative; and for Ohio Rhodes of Rice High School, who serves as a counselor in the cooperative.

Appraisal Review Board Lawrence Berger of Garwood was nominated by the Rice School District to serve on the Colorado County Central Appraisal District's Review Board. Ralph T. Dowdy of Mabank, Friends are always pleased to have Mrs. Dowdy come back home for a visit.

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New Library Addition Nearly Complete; Volunteers Thanked

The addition to the library is nearing completion. When the book shelves and furnishings come in and are installed we can move into the new addition. We hope this will all be done by the time for the summer program.

Something new at the library: Cherished Moments. This is a treasury of vocal and instrumental wedding music, beautifully recorded and programmed for use at church, chapel, home or garden. The cassettes, wedding music, special music, sacred music and reception music can be checked out for three day periods. For more information check at the library.

The library gratefully acknowledges regular volunteers who gave of their time during the year of 1981. The volunteers are: Mrs. Alice Adkins, Karen and Mike Barron, Mrs. Janie Lane, Mrs. Jean McInteer, Kathryn McElie, Mrs. Nina Maschuck, Mrs. Jean Thornton, Mrs. Fair Wells, Mrs. Carole Wiese and Mrs. Eula Wintermann. The summer program also had many student and adult volunteers who helped to make the program a success. We couldn't get along without our volunteers and we give them a big "thank you."

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Mr. and Mrs. James E. Anderson of Anson announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlotte Joan, to Madison Hunt Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Alton Smith of Garwood.

The bride-elect graduated from Anson High School and will receive a B.S. Degree in elementary education in May from Abilene Christian University.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Rice High School and is working toward a bachelor's degree in Math from Abilene Christian University.

The couple will exchange marriage vows June 4th at the Anson Church of Christ.

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The 1,200 top banks were cited from among those 14,000 U.S. banks with assets under \$150 million. "We felt that the performance profiles of these banks could be indicative of unique management practices worth examining and analyzing," said Joseph Ciaburri, president, Bank of New Haven, New Haven, CT, and chairman of BAI's High Performance Bank Assembly.

"These banks have profit levels that mark them as outstanding; they managed to maintain a significant edge in an increasingly competitive market, and we think it's worth finding out why," said Mr. Ciaburri.

The Institute's researchers used their 1980 Index of Bank Performance (based on information required by the FDIC) as a statistical base, weighing three factors: return on assets, return on equity and deposit growth. Using these criteria, the top 10% of banks in each state were selected.

As a result of the study, plans are underway for an exclusive High Performance Bank Assembly, June 1-4 in Denver, with enrollment limited to the chief executive officer of cited banks. "We anticipate high involvement in the assembly, since it is a unique opportunity for 'thinkers' to meet and discuss the future of their business and management techniques that contributed to their success," said Johnette Beacham, program manager of Community Bank/Executive Leadership at the Institute.

A survey of CEOs eligible for participation in the assembly has indicated strong topics of interest, said Ms. Beacham. "Profit planning and finance, strategic planning, marketing, lending, operations and data processing are areas which the group has identified as their priority issues."

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THE BRIDE-ELECT DEBRA FUDGE HONOREE AT PRE-NUP TIAL FETES

Miss Debra Fudge of Altair, bride-elect of Jon Gregory of Robstown, has been the honoree at the pre-nuptial courtesies in recent weeks. The couple plans a May 22nd wedding in the First Baptist Church of Eagle Lake.

On Saturday, April 3rd, Miss Fudge was complimented with a Tex Shower in the home of Mrs. W. L. Bauer in Eagle Lake.

Hosting the event were Mesdames W. L. Bauer, Frank Bowen, A. D. Cassidy, J. K. Davidson, Robert Griffith, Bill Lanyon, C. L. Spangler and Melvin Stanick.

A pretty yellow tulip arrangement with lighted tapers on either side adorned the white laid refreshment table holding the silver punch and coffee servers. Refreshment trays of party snack rolls, assorted cookies and nuts were served to the guests who called to bring best wishes to Debra.

The many useful and beautiful gifts were displayed for viewing. The hostesses' gift was a lovely silver-plated pedestal salad bowl with fork and spoon servers.

Lingerie Shower
A Lingerie Shower honored the future bride on Saturday, March 13th in the J. M. Sibley home in Eagle Lake.

The guests from Waco, Rosenberg, Wharton, Hal-

COLUMBUS GARDEN CLUB FLOWER SHOW FRIDAY

The Columbus Garden Club will present a Standard Home Placement Flower Show entitled "Nostalgia in the Colorado" in the Brandon House at 616 Walnut Street in Columbus this Friday, April 23 from 3 to 6 p.m.

Donations will be accepted and there will be refreshments and a Raffle.