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Lottery battle... do it or forget it

Senate Democrats last week were delighted when activist Gov. Ann Richards again attended a committee hearing, this time to urge "quick passage" of a proposed state lottery.

But House lottery opponents suggested this issue is destined to be the first legislative defeat of her administration.

Meanwhile, on another battle front, the two state insurance commissioners she told to resign by last Friday showed all signs of staying put despite her threats, and Richards made three key appointments to the agency she wants to take over the insurance agency.

Traditionally, Texas governors don't testify at committee hearings. But, that's the old Texas, and this is the new Texas.

Do It, Or Forget It

Facing cameras in Senate chambers, Richards advised lawmakers to pass the lottery amendment by March 1 — in time for the May 4 ballot — or forget it, because later action will be too late to fill the 1992 budget till.

Richards was preaching to the choir, because the Senate has twice passed the lottery in previous sessions and is expected to pass another one this session.

The next day, State Rep. Glenn Repp, R-Duncanville, led House lottery opponents who claim they have more than the 51 votes needed to stop two-thirds approval.

This one's a squeaker: lottery supporters claim 98 votes for the proposal, making the margin of contention a mere two votes.

In short, Gov. Richards has until Feb. 25, when the House vote is expected, to trade for two more votes, or face defeat.

Veteran observers expect her to win the lottery battle.

State Capitol Highlights

By Lyndell Williams
Texas Press Association

Legislative Action

Last week the Senate approved a 2-cents per barrel tax on oil coming through Texas ports to raise money to clean up oil spills.

The bill, capped at $25 million, also authorizes the Texas General Land Office to coordinate state clean-up efforts.

Senators also gave committee approval to the proposed amendment allowing local property tax dollars to be taken from rich school districts and given to poor ones.

The Supreme court has put an April 1 deadline on that issue.

In the House, calendars committee chairman Hugo Berlanga said an alternate school finance plan by Rep. Libby Linebarger, D-San Marcos, was "dead in the water".

Trial Lawyers, Insurance

Trial lawyers are pitted against insurance salesmen. Does that sound like a B movie plot, or is it the dynamics behind another Richards' ultimatum?

Last week marked the passage of the quit-or-else deadline the governor gave two insurance commissioners appointed by former Gov. Bill Clements.

Not only did James Saxon and Richard Reynolds not quit, but Reynolds accused her of "playing politics" to lower insurance rates, a key campaign promise.

Her spokesman said, "With a new insurance board, Gov. Richards has every reason to expect that rates will go down."

Key Appointments

For her part, Richards tightened the screws by replacing Saxton as board chairman with her new appointee, Austin lawyer Claire Korioth.

She also named former Texas Supreme Court Justice William Kilgarlin and Houston actuary Georgina Gonzalez to the State Conservatorship Board, the agency Richards wants to take over the insurance agency.

"That's just what consumers need in this state — a trial lawyer (Kilgarlin) heading up the insurance agency," observed Reynolds.

It has been implied that Richards is paying off trial lawyers for campaign support by giving them control of the insurance agency.

Lewis Backs DWI Bill

House Speaker Gib Lewis threw his political weight behind a proposal to suspend the license of any driver caught with a blood-alcohol level over the legal limit or refuses to take a breath test.

Lewis said the bill, filed by Reps. Hugo Berlanga, D-Corpus Christi, and Parker McCullough, D-Georgetown, "would send a message that Texas is serious about getting drunk drivers off the roads."

Judicial Election Proposal

A handful of House members are sponsoring a proposed amendment to require candidates for judicial office to first run in partisan elections in single-member districts, and then run for subsequent terms in county-wide, non-partisan elections.

Sponsors claim this method will defuse a lawsuit filed by civil rights and minority groups which is pending before the U.S. Supreme Court.

Other Highlights

•The Senate unanimously approved a bill that would allow the killing of dogs in defense of livestock. The legislation is sponsored by Sen. Bill Sims, D-San Angelo, executive secretary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

•Sen. Carl Parker, chairman of the Senate Education Committee, predicted that the Senate this week will approve his plan to overhaul the state school finance system. His plan would create 20 regional taxing districts and make as much as $5,500 available per student by 1995.

Legislative Reports

Gramm... win the war, then assure peace

When the Persian Gulf War is won, the United States must exert its influence to win a lasting peace in the Middle East, U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm said.

"I believe that as this conflict ends and the real struggle for peace begins we must take care to remember that it is Saudi Arabia and Kuwait who owe us, not the other way around," Gramm said.

"That will be the time to ask Saudi Arabia and Kuwait to be real leaders by ending the war with Israel, recognizing Israel, defunding the Palestine Liberation Organization and helping us to build a lasting peace in the Middle East," he said.

"Our goal in the Middle East must be to create a permanent peace which is based on the requirement that every nation recognize and support the enforcement of sovereignty of every other nation," the senator said.

Gramm was speaking to the 1991 Conservative Political Action Conference in Washington.

He forecast that America would emerge from the Gulf war as the only remaining super-power in the world and said that "our power and influence must be put to a great and noble purpose."

Congressman Greg Laughlin...

Proposed 1992 budget proves beneficial

The President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1992 will positively affect the 14th District. Many of you know that our federal budget deficit has steadily increased and it is now estimated to reach $318 billion for fiscal year 1991. This figure is a direct result of the high cost of bailing out our failed savings and loan institutions and lost revenues due to our current recession.

During the fall of 1990, the 101st Congress passed a budget agreement that would in fact reduce deficits over a five-year period by nearly $500 billion. This agreement included spending caps and a pay-as-you-go system for new program spending.

On Feb. 4, President Bush submitted a budget proposal that met these spending caps and other requirements of the budget agreement. The President's budget calls for the federal government to spend $1.45 trillion in fiscal 1992. However this 2.6% increase in spending over fiscal 1991 levels does not keep up with inflation, which the budget indicates would run at a rate of 4.3% this year.

Total revenues are estimated at $1.09 trillion, leaving a deficit for 1992 of $281 billion which is $37 billion less than the 1991 deficit of $318 billion. However, the good news is that the President's budget proposal includes some funding that will have positive effects on the 14th District.

One of the most important increases will affect overall transportation expenditures. An 8% increase is allocated to the improvement of the infrastructure which is the first increase in transportation spending proposed by a president in seven years.

This includes increasing the federal-aid highway program from $14.5 billion to $15.7 billion which was enacted in 1991. Bearing in mind the importance of investment in our infrastructure to our nation's economy, I was extremely pleased to note the President's support for this program.

The proposed budget also provides for full cost-of-living adjustments for veterans and social security recipients. Outlays of $24.7 billion

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24 & 48 Years Ago...

Let's Look Back

July 28, 1966

Modeling is underway on the former Shell Office Building at 209 S. McCarty for new offices for **Dr. Raymond R. Thomas.** Dr. Thomas will open offices in the new location beginning Monday, Aug. 1. Estlinbaum Lumber Co. has been remodeling the building and plans are to have the renovation completed and equipment moved in by Monday...

Sports fans of the area are invited to an unusual entertainment feature tonight, Thursday at 8 p.m. at the Little League Field when the **Eagle Lake Jaycees** meet a team of riders from the **Rotary and Lions Clubs and the Chamber of Commerce in a donkey ball game**...Eagle Lake Volunteer Firemen were called to the **Roy Tise** residence Tuesday to assist in extinguishing a fire in a gas range in the kitchen of the home...

George H. Salladay, 69, prominent rice farmer and agricultural leader in this community for over three decades, passed away suddenly from a heart attack at his home at 4:30 p.m. last Wednesday, July 20th. A memorial service was conducted in the Memorial Methodist Church at 3 p.m. Sunday with Rev. Homer Welmer officiating...

Randy Spalinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Spalinger is making plans for an exciting experience for the next year when he visits with the family of his grandmother and studies abroad in Izmir, Turkey..., City Council approved Tuesday night the hiring of **Gene Watson,** 57, former Wharton city police officer for many years as the city's new patrolman...

A.H. Seaholm has succeeded Marcus Gunter as Worshipful Master of the Eagle Lake Lodge A.F. & A.M... **Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Lee Priest** of Eagle Lake announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, **Lynda LaRue to Roland Edward Gebert,** son of Mrs. Martha Gebert of Wharton.

August 4, 1966

James R. Dry, formerly of Seguin, has been hired by the Garwood Board of Education to be their high school principal... **William Henneke,** 43, of Nada was killed and four members of a Bay City family were hospitalized in a two car accident on Hwy. 90A east of Halletsville on Saturday afternoon...

Kathy Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Scott of Eagle Lake, **and William Krenek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Krenek** of Garwood, have been selected by Colorado County Farm Bureau to attend the Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar on the campus of Baylor University... **Miss Diane Dowdy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Dowdy** and bride-elect of **Carroll Dale Ham** was complimented with a lovely bridge party in the Skull Room in Altair, Saturday...

Miss Carol Dostal was honored on her 16th birthday with a party at her home given by her mother **Mrs. Henry Dostal** Tuesday, July 26th... **Sharky Moore,** skipper of the "Owl" out of the Bridge Harbor Marina near Freeport, lived up to every bit of the praise which our friend **Jimmy Reel** has been giving him for the past few years. Captain Sharky and his grandson, **Tommy** took four Eagle Lakers, **Reel, Fulton M. Dromgoole, Roland J. Campbell and editor Fred R. Frnka** on a never-to-be forgotten fishing trip Saturday...

The Eagle Lake entry in the Youth Baseball Tournament held in Weimar last week dropped its opening game to the Weimar Youth by a score of 9 to 2. Eagle Lake managed two runs in the sixth on hits by **Mike Grigar, Mike Rucka and Mike Meitzen. Jeff Frnka and Pat Mascheck** also hit safely for the locals. **Warren Struss** relieved Frnka on the mound and did a fine job...

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Ripper announce the arrival of a daughter, **Roxanne,** born at 9:45 p.m. Sunday, July 31st, in the Gulf Coast Medical Center in Wharton. The new arrival weighed seven pounds, five ounces at birth and measured 20 inches long. Roxanne is the second granddaughter of **Mrs. D.O. Konescheck** and the late Mr. Konescheck of this city...

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson and children, **Anette, Jeanine and Bruce, Jr.,** are moving back to Eagle Lake after living in Columbus for the past two years while associated with Drymalla Construction Company and Strans-Steel Metallic Buildings...

Louis Cranek, Jr., of Garwood became a member of Colorado County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee last week at its first meeting since the death of Vice Chairman **George Salladay** of Eagle Lake on July 20th.

August 7, 1942

Ben Hodde, son of **Ed Hodde,** left for Houston Wednesday to volunteer for the Navy... **Corp. Clyde Morgan,** while on maneuvers in California, had the pleasure of seeing his brother, **Chas. Morgan,** who is stationed there... **Mrs. Martin Hale,** who is making her home with her parents, **Mr. and Mrs. Mose Thomas,** while her husband is in the service, received a telephone call from **Pvt. Hale** Tuesday night. He was leaving the reception center of Fort Sam Houston for Camp Roberts, Calif...

Henry Kretzschmar and **Elmer Struss** drove to Houston last Tuesday where Elmer was sworn into the Navy... **Pvt. Louis J. Balas** is convalescing from a case of yellow jaundice, according to word received by relatives here. He is stationed at Camp Young, near Indio, California...

Southern Pacific Railroad announced Thursday that **George McCormick,** general superintendent of motive power for the company has retired... **Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thomas** entertained Saturday evening honoring their house guests, **Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rand** of Ft. Worth... **Supt. and Mrs. W.C. Reed** entertained Tuesday evening with a tasty chicken barbecue honoring their house guests, **Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rand...**

A picnic supper was spread at the Altair park Tuesday evening in honor of **Mrs. D.R. Wilkes and Mrs. Hugh Henry** of El Paso who are guests of **Mrs. Horace McRee...**

Lt. and Mrs. Roy Boethel of Hallettsville were guests of her parents, **Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Burger,** Monday for a family reunion... From postal greetings received by friends, **Mrs. T.P. Doole** is "flying high" in her chosen vacation land. She wrote how thrilled she was over a flight from El Paso to Mountain Air, New Mexico... Announcement has been made of the marriage of Dick Ney of Houston, son of **Mrs. Kate Ney,** to **Miss Joan Dozier** of Houston. The marriage took place at the Presbyterian Church in Houston.

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OBITUARIES

Laura Dietert Boothe

February 15, 1902-February 15, 1991

Mrs. Laura Dietert Boothe, age 89, of Eagle Lake passed away February 15 (her birthday) at 4 p.m at the Eagle Lake Community Hospital following a lengthy illness. She was born in Kerrville to Annie Beckman and T.F.W. Dietert on February 15, 1902. She was married to Sam F. Boothe, June 12, 1940 in Cotulla, Texas.

Mrs. Boothe graduated from Kerrville Tivy High and earned a B.S. Degree from Southwest Texas Teachers College in San Marcos. After finishing college, she married W.C. Wenzel, with whom she was in college. They both taught school. It was after his death that she came to Eagle Lake to teach in the late 1930s.

Mrs. Boothe taught in the Hunt, Llano and Harper Schools before changing to the Eagle Lake School where she taught in the fourth and fifth grades for many years.

She retired in 1964 and enjoyed visiting with her former pupils in the Eagle Lake Hardware Store which her husband, Sam Boothe and brother-in-law, Herman Boothe owned. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Sam who passed away September 18, 1982, a sister, Mrs. E.H. Hopf who passed away in 1980. Survivors include sister, Mrs. J.C. Hollaway, Waelder; sisters-in-law, Mrs. Ruth Boothe Paul, Austin and Mrs. Herman (Elizabeth) Boothe, Eagle Lake; other relatives and loved ones.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on Monday February 18 from the Dulany Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Charles Miller, pastor, First Presbyterian Church of Eagle Lake officiating. Graveside services and interment followed in the Masonic Cemetery of Eagle Lake.

Pallbearers scheduled were Draper Stephens, Jim Mathis, Pat Mascheck, Pete Canaris, Raymond Thomas, MD, Randall Beckmann, Tom Reed and Lloyd Spalinger.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Silvestre Tavera

December 31, 1921 - February 17, 1991

Silvestre Tavera, 69, of Eagle Lake, passed away Sunday, February 17, 1991 at his residence following a lengthy illness. Born December 31, 1921 to Abundio and Manuela Marez Tavera, he had lived in Eagle Lake many years and was a member of the Vine of the Lord Church of Eagle Lake.

He was preceded in death by two children and his wife, Fermina Tavera, who passed away January 5, 1988.

Survivors include 13 children, Santa I. Tavera, Silvina Olmeda, Sina Martinez, Yolanda Tavera, Marlin Tavera, Bertha I. Tavera, Jose A., Silvestre Jr., Santos, Daniel F., Juan M., Rosendo and Victor R. Tavera; 25 grandchildren; two sisters; two brothers; and a host of other relatives and loved ones.

Funeral services were held from the Vine of the Lord Church at 7 p.m., Monday, February 18, with Rev. Paul Aguilar officiating. Graveside services and interment followed at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, from Lakeside Latin Cemetery in Eagle Lake. Arrangements were under the direction of Dulany Funeral Home of Eagle Lake.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

PRAIRIE EDGE MUSEUM REPORT

By Elizabeth Boothe, Reporter

Sandy Thomas sent me the itinerary for the group from North Carolina whom she's bringing to Texas in April. Their first stop will be San Antonio and what a wonderful variety of places they can look forward to seeing in the Alamo City! From there, they will tour much of the Hill Country and then head for Eagle Lake to enjoy our greatly anticipated Wildflower Celebration. Prairie Edge will be a big part of their stay here.

In may last week's article I gave the wrong dates for the presentation of the drama of Arsenic and Old Lace by the Prairie Edge Players. The correct dates are the evenings of March 15 and 16. You will be given the opportunity to buy your tickets soon. The regular priced ones are $4.50 and those for reserved seats are $6.50.

The Thrift Shop had a good day this past Saturday. We continue to need good furniture and workable household appliances. The next date for the shop to be open will be March 2 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

I hope you will sign up soon for a time to work at Prairie Edge during the Wildflower Tours. The museum will be the headquarters. Call Vic Scott if you wish to be included on the list of volunteers. The tours are scheduled to begin in just about a month.

Prairie Edge is open on Saturdays and Sundays from 2 to 5 p.m. Call Bill Harrison if you wish to arrange for a special tour. Principals and teachers, the end of another school year draweth nigh, so we're hoping you will arrange for student visits to the museum soon.

I strongly agree with the following quotation by A. Joseph Armstrong: "I don't think miracles have stopped; I'd just as soon believe in a miracle today as in the time of Christ."

Gonzales joins Houston Police

Guillermo Gonzales Jr., a 1986 graduate of Rice High School, graduated from the Houston Police Academy Feb. 15, 1991. Gonzales went through six months of training which consisted of firearms and driver's training, defensive tactics and penal code law. Gonzales will be stationed at the Southeast substation and patrolling in the southeast part of Houston.

Attending the graduation were his proud parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gillermo Gonzales Sr.; sister and brother-in-law, Frank and Alicia De La Garza; brother, Carlos Gonzales; girlfriend, Vivian Castillo; George and Margaret Bazan; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Fillingame; cousins, Denise and Kimberly Fillingame; Michael Duarte and Arthur Cruz.

His family and friends would like to extend their congratulations on his graduation and wish him the best of luck on the Houston Police Force. We are all proud of you, Officer Gonzales!

Garwood-Nada News

By Georgia Michalka

GAP

The Garwood Association of Parents will have their annual Spaghetti Supper on Wed., March 6, in conjunction with Public School Week. Tickets may be purchased in advance as well as at the door. Plates will be $3.50 for adults and $2 for children eleven and under. All to-go-plates will be available at $3.50 per plate.

Please come and help support the GAP!

February Birthdays

21: Timmy Bittner, Nicholas Korenek, Reynaldo Rodriquez.
22: Clara Lobpries.
23: Melissa Till.
25: Mariel Atkins, Bill Swoboda.
26: Bruce Wied, Mandy Staff, Mandy Priesmeyer, Hillary Priesmeyer.
27: Clement Korenek.

February Anniversaries

16: Mr. & Mrs. Rudy Till, III.
23: Mr. & Mrs. Clement Korenek.

About Town...

•Do you know where your dog is? Eagle Lake's Vet, Karen Euers, recently put approximately 20 dogs to sleep because they were unclaimed at the city pound.

Karen said these dogs did not look like "stray mutts"; they were good-looking animals. She cannot possibly find homes for every animal picked up by the city, but you can be responsible for your own pet. Karen urges every dog owner to make sure the animal is registered with the city and has its tags.

If your dog is missing, call City Hall, 234-2640, before giving up hope. And, if your family is considering a dog for a household pet, be sure and check the pound. You might be surprised at what you'll find there.

•Sister Gloria Jean Foster was the recipient of the beautiful quilt donated to the Greater Rising Baptist Church by Mrs. Ruby White. Thanks are extended to Mrs. White for the beautiful gift.

COLORADO COUNTY COURTHOUSE REPORT

DEEDS

Deed: Southern Pacific Transportation Co. to Fio McCommas Hensel and Norma Scott Smith, 2.0682 acres, Timothy McKean Survey; filed 2-4-91.

Deed: Bridge Oil (USA), Inc. and Bridge Oil Production Co., Inc. to Adobe Resources Corp and Nerco Oil & Gas Production Co., property in Matagorda County, et al; 2-5-91.

Deed: Reta Mae Peck Hrachovy and Monte Dwayne Peck to Alice A. Peck, int. in 23.915 acres and easement, Jos. Tinkler Survey; 2-5-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Roger Lee and Margaret O. Clatterbuck, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0338; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to John T. and Mary Jo Davee, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0341; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Ellis French, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Grand Villa #0344; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Catherine French, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Grand Villa #0345; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to John C. French, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Grand Villa #0346; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Willie L. Gentry, Jr. and Debra L. Gentry, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0349; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Bobby and Jerane Graham, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Club Ownership #0350; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Olive D. Watkins, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0337; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to David and Joyce Karel, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0343; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Paul F. and Patricia A. Kussman, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0347; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Dale B. and Yvonne R. Maus, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Grand Villa #0340; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Richard R. and Elaine A. Nelson, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0342; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Marianne Stewart, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0348; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Joseph W. and Christine Weber, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0351; 2-6-91.

Deed: Resort Recreational Properties, Inc. to Matthew and Joyce Fausek, und. int. in The Falls Resort and Club, Resort Section One. Resort Villa #0377; 2-6-91.

Gift Deed: Louise M. Schiller to Barbara Ann Devaney, et al, und. int. in 252.82 acres, S.B. Raymond Survey; 2-7-91.

Gift Deed: Louise M. Schiller to Barbara Ann Devaney, et al, und. int. in 852.82 acres, S.B. Raymond Survey; 2-7-91.

Gift Deed: Annie Neiser Bartosh to George Abel, et al, und. int. in lot no. 17 and part of lot no. 18, blk. no. 16, Weimar; 2-7-91.

Deed: Donald L. and Suzanne Leopold to David Bruce and Barbara S. Earl, 24.7 acres, Horatio Fitzroy Survey, Colorado and Lavaca Counties; 2-8-91.

Deed: Rose Mary Raabe Lach, et al to Michael Lynn Wasicek, und. int. in 50 acres, Wm. Freal. Survey; 2-8-91.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Edward John Arnj, 42 and Vivian Voss Condon, 41, both of Houston.

Nathan L. Goodwin Jr., 58 and Cynthia Lee Cliff, 47, both of Houston.

COUNTY COURT CASES FILED

Cornell Robinson, theft by check; 2-7-91.
Kandle J. Black, theft by check; 2-7.
Jerell Douglas Davis, evading arrest, criminal mischief & criminal trespass; 2-12.
Kerry Jenkins, violation of protective order; 2-12.
Kerry Jenkins, criminal trespass; 2-12.
Ronald Gilbert Ritter, driving while intoxicated; 2-12.

DIVORCES GRANTED

Lydia DeJesus Torres vs. Bobby Torres.
Sandra Marie Tucker vs. Richard James Tucker.
Myrtle Lenia Johnson vs. George Andrew Johnson Jr.
Tammy Marie Machac vs. Billy Joe Machac.

CIVIL SUITS FILED

National Coach Corp vs. Donald L. Jarvis. Damages; filed 2-7-91.
State of Texas vs. One 1978 Lincoln Continental Auto. Seizure and forfeiture; 2-11-91.
Columbus State Bank of Columbus vs. John H. Massey, et al. T.T.T.; 2-12-91.

COUNTY COURT DISPOSITIONS

Kendra Adams, Katy; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250.00. So ordered.
Fernell Luke, Katy; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $500.00. So ordered.
Louis Alvarez, Houston; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $2,000.00. State moved for Judgement N.I.S.I. So ordered.
Clinton Williams, Columbus; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250.00. So ordered.
Kerry Jenkins, Columbus; Assault.
Kerry Jenkins, Columbus; Violation of a protective order. Order resetting for 3-13-91.
Robert Semora, Eagle Lake; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $1,000.00. So ordered.
Kevin Earl Gray, Columbus; theft by check. Defendant plead guilty. Court found defendant guilty. Fined $50.00 plus restitution and cost of court.
Horace Hodges, Eagle Lake; criminal non-support. Reset for March 13, 1991.
Claude Edward Hillard, Conroe; DWI. Reset for 3-13-91. Public Defender appointed.
Ben Rivera, Rosenberg; DWI. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $1,500.00. So ordered. State moved for Judgement N.I.S.I. So ordered.
Betty Coats, Marlin, Tx.; theft by check. Continued to 3-13-91.
Sharlene Moyer Camacho, Columbus; possession of marijuana. Dismissed.
Sharlene Moyer Camacho, Columbus; DWI. Defendant plead guilty. Fined $500.00 plus cost of court and restitution, 30 days jail, probation for two years and public defender fees assessed.
Wayne Marx, Columbus; possession of marijuana. Defendant plead guilty. Fined $300.00 plus cost of court and restitution. Six months deferred adjudication.
Jose B. Sauceda Jr., San Antonio; DWI.
Joyce Durman, Three Rivers, Tx.; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250.00. So ordered.
Linda Simpson, Columbus; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250.00. So ordered.
Paul Gonzales Jr., Columbus; theft by check. Continued to 3-13-91.
Elmar Eilmann, Victoria; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250.00. So ordered.
Darrell Ketchum, McAllen; Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250. So ordered.
Wayne B. Carter, Houston; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250. So ordered.
Ron Morris, Vernon, Tx.; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $500. So ordered.
Anthony Lohagen, Wood River, Il.; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250. So ordered.
Gloria Hubbard, La Grange; theft by check. Continued to March 13, 1991.
Steven B. Balcom, Ft. Worth; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $500. So ordered.
William K. Ellis, Magnolia; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250. So ordered.
Terrie L. Smith, Sealy; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250. So ordered.
Connie Sue Holmes, Weimar; theft by check. Defendant plead guilty. Fined $786 plus cost of court and restitution. Fifteen days jail, six month probation.
Jose Martinez, Eagle Lake; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250. So ordered.
Laura Evans, Flatonia; theft by check. Defendant plead guilty. Fined $50 plus cost of court and restitution. Deferred adjudication.
Debbie Wick, Weimar; theft by check. Continued to March 13, 1991.
Kimberly Izzi, Chandler, In.; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250. So ordered.
Richard E. Paige, La Grange; theft by check. Continued to March 13, 1991.
Mr. Eli Sanchez, El Campo; hindering a secured creditor. Continued to March 13, 1991.
Willie R. Branch, Houston; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $500. So ordered.
Randall James Calaway, Houston; theft by check. Reset for March 13, 1991.
Eddie Williams, La Grange; theft by check. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $250. So ordered.
Darla Kreesk, Houston; hindering a secured creditor. Defendant failed to appear. State moved for capias for arrest and bond of $5,000. So ordered.
Joseph Guerrero, Weimar; DWI, revocation of probation.
Linda Rushall Hutchison, Austin; failure to identify. Defendant plead guilty. Fined $150 plus cost of court and restitution.
Donald Green, Columbus; theft by check. Defendant plead guilty. Fined $50 plus cost of court and restitution, 15 days jail and six months probation.
Jerrell Douglas Davis, Columbus; criminal mischief. Case dismissed.
Jerrell Douglas Davis, Columbus; criminal trespass. Defendant plead guilty. Fined $129.59 plus cost of court and restitution.
Ronald Gilbert Ritter, DWI. Court appointed public defender. Defendant plead guilty. Fined $759.50, plus cost of court and restitution. Licenses suspended for one year.

DISTRICT COURT DISPOSITIONS

Dani Lee Brady sentenced 30 years in prison for murder.
Matthew Allen Moore was sentenced to seven years in prison for forgery.
Russell McMillian sentenced to 10 years on two drug possession convictions.
Tabitha Roberts, granted deferred adjudication. Possession of a controlled substance.
Edward Louis Daughtrey, granted deferred adjudication. Possession of a controlled substance.

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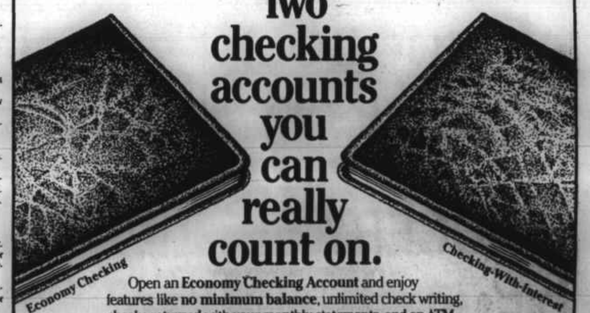

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