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What do Texas taxpayers get for a million dollars?

The million dollar special session adjourned last week and nobody could say for sure whether anything had been accomplished.

What is certain is that until a federal court speaks, the Texas primary election is now in chaos on several fronts:

• Candidates meeting the Jan. 10 filing deadline did so amid the uncertainty of unfinished boundary lines;

• Texas voters may not be balloting with the rest of the South on March 12 Super Tuesday presidential primary; and

• The primary, whenever we finally get around to having it, may cost taxpayers an extra $1.4 million.

In the House, the end of an era came into sight when Speaker Gib Lewis announced he will not seek reelection, but told members he intends to remain presiding officer for another year.

Lewis, a conservative Fort Worth Democrat, faces trial on two misdemeanor ethics charges, but some insiders say he is tired of being hounded by liberals in his party.

The Gib Lewis Legacy

Since 1982, flush with new seats, liberal Democrats have sought to organize the Texas House along party lines, like the U.S. Congress, in order to control it.

But Lewis swept into the first of five terms in 1983, heir to the system of predecessor Billy Clayton which handed out a fair share of plums to Republican lawmakers. Since then, the Legislature has increased expenditures and taxes despite Lewis' attempts at restraint.

In 1993, a new era begins in the Texas House, perhaps with Democrats sitting on one side of the aisle and Republicans on the other.

Senate Democrats Prevail

In the Texas Senate, Democrats ran over their Republican colleagues and won approval of a redistricting plan that would preserve a Democratic majority in the Senate.

Last week, Attorney General Dan Morales was in Washington to plead with U.S. Justice Department officials to quickly accept the Senate plan.

"I remain hopeful and optimistic we're going to be able to keep the election on time, March 10. A delay would have a negative impact," Morales said after meeting with officials.

The Senate plan must be "precleared" by the federal agency even though it is identical to a plan approved by the Justice Department last year..

More Speaker Hopefuls

One thing is certain, there will be no shortage of candidates to succeed Speaker Lewis. As two more candidates jumped into the race, Capitol lobbyists moved to distance themselves from involvement in the campaign.

Reps. Sam Russell, D-Mount Pleasant, and Tom Uher, D-Bay City, said that they are officially candidates for the speakership. The two lawmakers joined five other House members who have announced they will seek the post. The other candidates are Reps. Billy Clemons, D-Pollok; David Cain, D-Dallas; James Hury, D-Galveston; Pete Laney, D-Hale Center; and Jim Rudd, D-Brownfield.

Lawmakers and lobbyists predicted that the race for speaker will be a long battle that might not be settled until November's general election or the start of the next regular session in January, 1993.

House Reform Eyed

One day after Lewis announced his retirement as speaker, a government watchdog group started campaigning to reform the chamber's rules and power structure.

Common Cause of Texas wants to make the House function more openly and democratically after the five term speaker leaves office next year, said Mary Nell Mathis, state chair of the self-styled citizens lobby.

Electing the speaker by secret ballot is one of the reforms Common Cause is pushing. "This is the only secret vote Common Cause would ever support," Mathis said. The group plans to mail letters to its 7,000 members to ask House candidates whether they will support reform in the House's operating rules.

After the filing deadline passes, the organization will send questionnaires to candidates for the 150 House seats. They will be asked whether they back the reforms.

Other Highlights

• Gov. Ann Richards became the first governor in 20 years to grant an executive reprieve. Johnny Frank Garrett was sentenced to die for raping and killing a 76-year-old nun in an Amarillo convent on Halloween 1981.

• Texas Railroad Commissioners adopted a new system to set natural gas production allowables equal to the historic demand for gas from each field.

• A citizen advisory committee recommended that certain sexually oriented businesses be prohibited from selling lottery tickets. However, the proposed ban would not cover adult bookstores and other legitimate businesses whose activities are protected by First Amendment free speech rights.

State Capitol Highlights

By Lyndell Williams
Texas Press Association

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Legionnaires appreciate toys

Dear Citizens of Eagle Lake Community,

Please accept our belated but heartfelt thank you to everyone who cooperated so wonderfully and helped to make our "Christmas Toys for Needy Children" project a great success.

Special thanks for the generous contributions of new and used toys; for many cash contributions for the purchase of toys; to Wilcox; to Struss Auto Supply and Laker Printing for serving as collection points; and to the Headlight for the excellent publicity.

Legionaires delivered the bags of toys to the homes of the children prior to Christmas in bags marked "to be opened for Christmas 1991."

If you had seen the glow in the eyes and on the faces of the children and their parents or guardians, you would have been rewarded beyond all expectations.

Plans are already underway for another collection of toys next Christmas season.

Thanks again for making nearly 100 children in over 30 families happy during the holiday season. May each of you enjoy the blessings of God all through the new year with good health, happiness and prosperity.

Sincerely,
Members of American Legion Post 108, Eagle Lake
Fred Frnka, Commander

EL Primary School writes open letter to parents, friends

Dear Parents:

Thanks to a program called Campbell's Labels for Education our school can now obtain much needed audiovisual tools, athletic equipment, reference books and teaching aids free of charge and you can help. The program is sponsored by Campbell Soup Company and it works this way:

Help School Kids Save Labels ™

From January 6, 1992 to March 6, 1992, our students will be collecting labels from the following Campbell Soup Company products: All Campbell Soups, Campbell's Bean Products, All Prego Spaghetti Sauces, Mrs. Paul's Frozen Foods, Marie's Salad Dressing, Bakery Items and Frozen Foods, Pepperidge Farm Cookies and Crackers, Campbell's Tomato Juice*, V* Vegetable Juice*, Franco-American Products, Campbell's Fresh Products, Vlassic Pickle Products, Swanson Canned and Frozen Food Products.

Our goal is to collect 83,000 labels during that time and Campbell Soup Company will provide the equipment when we redeem the labels at the end of the drive. This year, we're looking forward to receiving 83,000. Since so many families ordinarily use Campbell's products, we're asking everyone to help by saving the labels and giving them to our students or bring them to Eagle Lake Primary School during regular school hours. Won't you please join this worthwhile effort?

As costs go up and budgets grow leaner, we must look for new, more economical ways to provide our children with the educational equipment they deserve. The Labels for Education Program is a simple cost-free way to obtain the valuable teaching tools that so enrich a child's learning experience.

We trust we can count on you for your support and for your cooperation. We will have a contest between classrooms. Help your child's class be the winner.

Sincerely,
Lynda Appelt
Project Coordinator

P.S. Here's what to save from all the canned products listed above: From Prego Spaghetti Sauces and Campbell's Fresh Products, save the front portion of each label; Campbell's Quality Soup and Recipe Mix, save the bottom flap UPC panel; Swanson Frozen Foods, save the proof of purchase seals; Mrs. Paul's Frozen Foods, save the "Quality Pledge Panels"; jars of Vlassic Pickle Products, save the lids; from Pepperidge Farm Cookies and Crackers, Bakery items and frozen foods, save the Proof of Purchase Seals (UPC Symbols); and from Marie's Salad Dressing, save the safety seals. *V* and Campbell's Tomato Juices (aluminum cans without labels), save the cash register tape with the product name circled (sorry, we can't accept cash register tapes that do not print the product.)

Mrs. Sheldon remembered with love by hospital staff

To the Editor:

Mrs. Sydney Sheldon was many things to many people. At Eagle Lake Community Hospital we remember her as one of the most caring, responsible ladies ever to volunteer here.

Not only did she put in the hours tending to the patients and the gift shop, but she also was serving her second term as Pink Ladies President. she honored that calling with respect and dedication in the great tradition the Pink Ladies have.

We will miss her ability to bring forth order and organization, but most of all we will miss her love for the Hospital, its staff, and the community it serves. Although she has passed from our ranks, her example of unselfish devotion will long be remembered by us.

Our heartfelt condolences on behalf of the Hospital, Board and the Medical Staff,

Helyn Farris,
Board Chairman

Raymond Thomas, M.D.,
Chief of Staff

Jim Buckner,
Administrator

Deadline extended...

$10,000 Reward

The deadline has been extended to March 15, 1992, for the $10,000 reward offered by A&K Railroad Materials.

The reward is being offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the individual or individuals responsible for the arson-caused fire at A&K's Yard near Eagle Lake, Texas, on or about September 3, 1991. This offer of reward will be paid by A&K on conviction of the criminal or criminals.

If you have any information regarding the above, contact the Eagle Lake Police Department at 409-234-2727 or Crimestoppers at 409-234-5555.

Let's look back...

24 and 48 Years Ago

March 16, 1967

Funeral services were held at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church at 9 a.m. Saturday, March 11, 1967, for **Miss Anna Mary Kocich** who died in Laughlin Hospital last Thursday after an illness of only three days...

Mrs. W.F. Jones entertained her son, **Woody Jr.**, with a birthday party Saturday afternoon. His little friends who helped him celebrate the occasion were **Clancy, Gary, Terry, Lisa and Paul Kafran** of El Campo along with their mother, **Mrs. Clarence Kafran; John Paul Schneider; Elizabeth Ann Berger; Jacqueline, Pamela and Kelly Kallina; Mrs. C.J. Kallina Jr. and Gigi; Susy and Laura Kasmiersky; Kenny and Denise Hyek** and their mother, **Mrs. Victor Hyek; Carl Nix; Rita Wesselski; Mrs. Lee A. Schoellmann; Patricia Jestel; Ricky and Allen Kristynik;** and his grandmother, **Mrs. A.J. Carmier. Mrs. Annie Schneider and Mrs. Rae Lobpries** helped with games and refreshments of birthday cake, sandwiches and punch. **Woody Jr.** is six years old...

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hunt are the proud parents of a seven pound baby daughter, born March 10th in Nightingale Hospital in El Campo. She is being welcomed home by an older brother, **Daryl and sister, Renee...**

Mrs. Herman Boothe has been appointed Eagle Lake Chairman of the College Loyalty Alumni Support Program for Baylor University according to **Raymond Vickery**, assistant director of the Baylor Ex-Student Association... **Clark Powers**, this is your free ticket to the Rice Theatre on Friday or Saturday, March 17-18, to see the dramatic double feature, "Four Days in November" (Death of the President) plus Robert Mitchum in "Thunder Road"... **Fleming or Maxwell House coffee was 25 cents** for a one pound can and **Pillsbury cake mixes were 29 cents...**

Mrs. John J. Williams and Mrs. George E. Williams of Garwood were hostesses at the Magnolia Tea Room in El Campo on Saturday, March 11, where they complimented **Miss Gladys Ann Priesmeyer**, bride-elect of **Lawrence J. Krenek**, with a luncheon.

April 30, 1943

Cpl. T.P. Haley, in a letter to his parents, **Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Haley**, received Tuesday, informed them that

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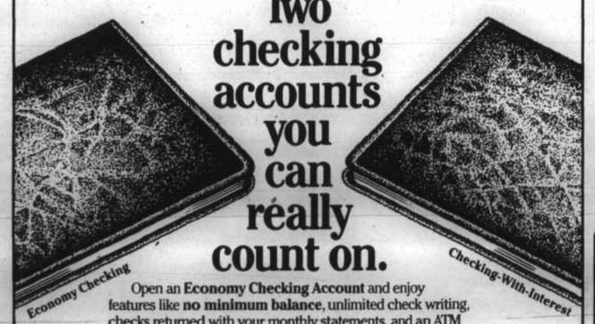

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Meyer is candidate for commissioner

Ricky Meyer has announced that he will be a candidate for the office of Colorado County Commissioner for Precinct One in the Democratic primary. His statement follows.

"I would like to take this opportunity to announce my candidacy for County Commissioner, Precinct 1, in the Democratic Primary on March 10, 1992.

"I am 32 years old and have been a lifelong resident of Columbus. I am a member of St. Anthony's Church and an active member of the Knights of Columbus. My wife, Bonnie Luann Meyer, is employed as a teacher at Columbus Elementary School.

"My previous experience working with heavy equipment and machinery for the past 11 years helps qualify me for this position.

"I am currently an employee of Colorado County, Precinct 4. I feel that my work with the county in that area has given me insight into the duties that would accompany the position of County Commissioner.

"If elected, I will be a working commissioner open to any suggestions from the people of my precinct.

"Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated."

Behlen enters commissioner race

Wayne Behlen of Columbus has joined the race for the position of precinct one commissioner in Colorado County. He makes the following statement.

"I, Wayne Behlen, would like to announce my candidacy for county commissioner for Precinct One. I am 40 years old. I have been married to my wife, Beverly, for 20 years. We have four children, Shelly, 17, David, 16, Sarah, six, and Lauren, four.

"I graduated from Weimar High School and the school of hard knocks. I have worked in the area of rice farming, cattle ranching, farm and industrial mechanics and have spent the last 14 years operating my own trucking business.

"Having had these years of experience dealing with and for the people, has taught me the necessity of always listening to all aspects of problems. I feel that, with a lot of research and perseverance, one can solve any and all problems.

"I am looking forward to meeting you, one and all, between now and March 10. Thank you for your support."

COLORADO COUNTY COURTHOUSE REPORT

. DEEDS

Gift deed: Dorothy P. Massey to John H. Massey and Henry P. Massey, various tracts, James Cummins League, et al; filed 1-2-92.

Gift deed: Albert H. Johnston to The A.H. Johnston Children's Trust, und. int. in 181.69 acres, Naham Mixon Survey; 1-2-92.

Deed: The A.H. Johnston Children's Trust to J.R. Johnston Children's Trust, und. int. in 295.01 acres, Naham Mixon Survey; 1-2-92.

Gift deed: Elizabeth Ann Shatto Massey to Elizabeth Shatto Massey, Trustee, und. int. in 148.81 acres, J.F. Smith Survey; 1-2-92.

Deed: Clarence Tellaro Estate to Melody Farris Grigar and Janes E. Jennings. und. int. in 320 acres, G.H. & H.R.R. Co. Survey, section 14; 1-2-92.

Deed: John J. Gannon Inc., defined Benefit Investment Pension Plan to John J. Gannon, 34.187 acres, V. Koehler Survey; 1-2-92.

Gift deed: Sidney G. and Majorie B. Rutta to Robert G. Rutta, und. int. in part of original lot #1, blk. #13, Columbus; 1-2-92.

Gift deed: McDowell and Laverne Criswell to Irma Theresa Jones and Sharon Leah Hughes, 20 acres, Amos R. Alexander Survey; 1-2-92.

Deed: Carole Bunge Branstetter and Lester P. Bunge Jr. to Oscar L. Bunge, 60.1583 acres, Colorado County; 1-6-92.

Deed: Carole Bunge and Oscar L. Bunge to Lester P. Bunge, 73.4941 acres, Colorado County; 1-6-92.

Deed: Oscar L. Bunge and Lester P. Bunge Jr. to Carole Bunge Branstetter, 70.4337 acres, Colorado County; 1-6-92.

Deed: James W. and Lorraine P. Brady to Ranch Developers, Inc. 79.6615 acres, I. & G.N.R.R. Co. Survey 53; 1-6-92.

Gift deed: Emilie Faykus to Preston Faykus, und. int. in 120 acres, Puerta Tierra Irrigation Survey; 1-6-92.

Gift deed: Emilie Faykus to Max Faykus, und. int. in 120 acres, Puerta Tierra Irrigation Survey; 1-6-92.

Gift deed: Emilie Faykus to Viola Zboril, und. int. in 120 acres, Puerta Tierra Irrigation Survey; 1-6-92.

Deed: Dellece Gilliam and Audrey A. Prince to Faurice and Deborah C. Jones, und. int. in 24.4732 acres, James Bowie League; 1-7-92.

Deed: Robert L. Taylor to Faurice and Deborah C. Jones, und. int. in 24.4732 acres, James Bowie League; 1-7-92.

OIL AND GAS LEASES

George B. and Marianne A. Klitchel to American Trading & Production Corp., 100 acres, Samuel Kennelly League; filed 1-7-92.

Jackie Walker and Ervin Ryan Walker to American Trading & Production Corp., 92.10 acres, Samuel Kennelly Survey, et al; 1-7-92.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Russell Wayne Prause, 39, of Columbus, and Sheila Dawn Royal, 33, of Katy.

Kenneth Ward Brand, 40, of Dayton, and Katherine Lynn Brand, 37, of Liberty.

Russell Earl Nix, 49, and Diane Steinmann Kana, 48, both of Houston.

Frederick Edward Bauer, 38, and Cheryl Ann Kovar, 33, both of Fayetteville.

Craig D. Pflughaupt, 20, of Fayetteville, and Kerry Anne Newman, 18, of Columbus.

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Garwood/Nada News

By Georgia Michalka

Catholic Daughters

Court Our Lady of the Rosary #1595 held its regular meeting on December 10 at St. Mary's Parish Hall. Regent LaNelle Engstrom presided over the meeting. The main business of the meeting was to prepare cheer baskets for Christmas. It was a light-hearted meeting and in the spirit of the holidays everyone seemed happy to visit and arrange baskets.

After their business was taken care of the ladies enjoyed a delicious meal and drew for door prizes. The winners were LaNelle Engstrom, Bernice Kallina, Betty Schiurring, Rose Staff, Janie Mae Popp, Sandy Schneider, Geneva Bunge, Annie Schneider, Doris Priesmeyer, Frieda Kubesch, Tillie Janish, Emma Waligura, Marilyn Popp, Adela Popp, Margaret Bunge, Pat Wobbe, Monica Staff and Jerayn Prihoda.

This month's meeting was January 14.

Sorority

The Alpha Sigma Omicron Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday, January 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the American Rice Growers office with Charlotte Smith presiding over the meeting.

Reports were given from the various committees. The club's recent projects: Tupperware Sales and Breakfast with Santa were deemed a success. Thank yous were read from those receiving cheer baskets and club meals. A Valentines dinner was discussed and set for February 14.

Hostesses for the evening, Susan Engstrom and LaNelle Engstrom served a variety of delicious refreshments.

Monica Lehrer's name was drawn to receive the door prize.

The meeting was adjourned with everyone repeating the closing ritual.

G.V.F.D.

The Garwood Volunteer Fire Department answered several calls in November and December. November fire calls, none; ambulance calls on the 7th, Garwood to Eagle Lake; 8th, Garwood to Wharton; 11th, Garwood to Eagle Lake; 12th, Garwood to Eagle Lake; 15th, Garwood to Wharton; 16th, Garwood (no transport), and Garwood to Eagle Lake; 19th, Eagle Lake to Garwood. December fire calls: 12th, trash fire on Hwy. 71N; 28th, Rescue call on FM 950. Ambulance calls: 12th, Nada to Wharton; 13th, Garwood to Wharton; 20th, Garwood to Eagle Lake; and 22nd, Garwood to El Campo.

Memorials: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zbranek made donations to the memory of A. Krenek, Lawrence Krenek, Annie Wendel, Vic Urbanovsky, Annie Meismer and Rose Schramm. Mrs. Fred Kubesch made a donation to the memory of Edit Richter. Mr. and Mrs. William Gohlke made a donation in the memory of A.J. Krenek. Inez Schiurring made a donation in the memory of Clara Shaw.

Officers for the new year of 1992 are: President Pat Meismer; Fire Chief Richard Seifert; 1st Asst. Fire Chief Anthony Brown; 2nd Asst. Fire Chief Todd Krenek; 3rd Asst. Fire Chief Mark Boenisch; Fire Marshall Jerry Smidovec and Secretary/Treasurer Rudy Till.

January Birthdays

21: Albert C. Leopold and Katie Hoffman.

22: Allan Labay, Lindsay Till, Raymond Korenek and Paul Baumgarten.

24: Marcie Rae Till, Meagan Staff, and Patsy Smith.

25: Raymond Hoffmann, Trent Korenek, Darlene Antrich and Dane Krenek.

January Anniversaries

22: Mr. and Mrs. Truman Engstrom Jr.

25: Mr. and Mrs. Bryan L. Smith.

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... is concerned that your pet may not be current on its vaccinations. Due to the change in management, vaccination reminders are unavailable for the months of August through December of 1991.

We are going through our files in alphabetical order to send out reminders, but we recommend that you check your personal files or call us at the vet clinic at 234-7381. We will be glad to look up any information available.

Booster vaccinations at prescribed intervals and regular examinations help protect your family and pet by maintaining strong resistance to disease.

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24 & 48 Years

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he had been transferred from China back to India... **Cpl. Leonard Seaholm** came in from Foster Field to join his family circle for Easter... **Hartzell L. Sherrill**, Signalman 3-C in the U.S. Navy, arrived from Brooklyn, New York, this week on furlough. He is the son of **Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Sherrill** of Matthews... A message from **Pfc. Alfred Reuther**, received this week, informed friends and relatives he was somewhere in the middle east...

Roland Campbell reported for duty Saturday in Houston, and passed through the same night for San Antonio where he will serve his country in the Air Corps at a San Antonio Base... **Pvt. Jack Ham** is now stationed at the Marine Base in Norman, Okla...

Pfc. Lester Schindler and **Pvt. John Glover** of Aloe Air Field, arrived Wednesday night to spend the weekend at the **Emil Schindler** home, returning Sunday evening. **Pfc. Elmer Schindler** of Ellington Field joined the family Sunday noon returning Monday morning... **Second Lieut. W.H. Cearnal** in a letter to his mother, **Mrs. A. E. Cearnal**, informed her that he was in Florida for ten days...

Sgt. Robert Campbell, with his wife and baby, have been spending part of his furlough with his mother, **Mrs. R.C. Singley**. Sgt. Campbell is stationed at Sheppard Field, where he is an instructor in Aircraft Mechanics... **J.B. Harris Jr.**, colored, Steward's Mate 2-C, in the U.S. Navy, is home on a few days furlough. He has been stationed at Norfolk, Va. and in California... **Earl Rodgers Jr.**, Yoeman 3-C and **Delno Forbes**, Yoeman 3-C have both been receiving the glad hand from numerous friends this week while on furlough...

Harrison Walker, S.C. 3-C notified his family last weekend that he was enjoying the sights in New Caledonia... **Jack K. Larsen**, A.C., graduated in his special course at Moody Field, Valdosta, Ga., Thursday. **Mrs. George Gray** was in attendance upon the graduation exercises and will witness the awarding of wings and his new commission of Lieutenant...

In a personal letter to friends, **Harold Sundberg** wrote of a chance meeting with **Lawrence Herring** on the streets of Oklahoma City. As the two strolled along, they happened to run into **Jack Ham... Pvt. Ludwig Kozelsky** of East Bernard was a guest of his sister, **Mrs. Albert Pustejovsky**, at Easter. Pvt. Kozelsky is located at Camp Barkley, Abilene... **Cpl. Donald C. Kolberg** sent a letter of Easter greetings to his parents, **Mr. and Mrs. O.G. Kolberg**, telling of his arrival in New York...

Capt. Julian Weisler writes his parents, **Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Weisler**, that he is pleasantly and comfortably located in Ann Arbor, Mich.... In a letter received by the Headlight staff Thursday from the **Rev. Bruner B. Lee**, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Angleton. Rev. Lee informs the Headlight that he has received call to report at Harvard University to attend the Chaplain school in the service of his country...

Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Harry of Garwood announce the marriage of their daughter, **Jessie Mae**, to **Ensign Clyde E. Rau**, son of **Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rau** of Columbus... Dainty birth announcements were received this week from **Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Swearington** of San Antonio "broadcasting" the arrival of **Sharon Jean**, who was introduced to the world Friday, April 23... **Sam K. Seymour III**, sophomore student at A&M College left Wednesday to report for Army duty after having spent a five-day furlough with his parents.

Hospital acknowledges memorials

The Eagle Lake Community Hospital Ladies Auxiliary acknowledges the following memorials for the period from October 1 through December 31, 1991.

In Memory of Katherine Isenhower: Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Bauer and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook, Jr.; **In Memory of Blaine Brocaw:** Mr. and Mrs. V.J. Kana, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Landry, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tomchesson and Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Treybig, Dr. and Mrs. David Euers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spalinger; **In Memory of R.R. Sanford:** Mrs. Gladys Gold; **In Memory of W.B. Christal:** Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Thornton; **In Memory of Louis Layton:** Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas, Thomas Clinic Staff; **In Memory of Nolan Grasshoff:** Mr. and Mrs. Simon Landry, Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Parma, Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas, Thomas Clinic Staff; **In Memory of Laurina Matthews:** Eagle Lake Hospital Auxiliary, Barbara Pidgeon, Mr. and Mrs. David Wintermann, Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas, Thomas Clinic Staff, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook Jr., Mr. and Mrs. James Clipson Jr., Hazel Thomson, Sydney Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Wells Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reed Jr.; **In Memory of Dorothy Sinclair:** Mr. and Mrs. David Wintermann, Barbara Pidgeon, Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Clipson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Dromgoole, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook Jr., Mrs. Sophie Zoeller, Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Wells Jr.; **In Memory of Melba Jean Hatterman:** Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stapleton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Braden, Mr. George Cason; **In Memory of Kenneth Lundquist:** Mrs. Arthur Lundquist; **In Memory of Louie Layton:** Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas, Thomas Clinic Staff; **In Memory of Howard Nolan:** Mr. and Mrs. William Stapleton; **In Memory of Pauline Schmitt:** Mr. and Mrs. Joe Linnemier, Harvey Birdwell Family, Mrs. Jimmie Scott; **In Memory of Charles Duddleston Jr.:** Mrs. Jimmie Scott; **In Memory of Mary Zahradnick:** Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stapleton, Mr. George Cason; **In Memory of Herbert A. Schroeder Sr.:** Mr. George Cason; **In Memory of Lottie Tate:** Mrs. P.L. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riha, Cindy Riha, Kenneth Staff Family, Barbara Pidgeon, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gertson, Mrs. John Mahalic Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stieber.

Memorials received for the equipment fund were: **In Memory of Jose Ugarte Sr.** from the Eagle Lake Community Hospital Auxiliary, Mrs. Jimmie Scott, Barbara Pidgeon, Sydney Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrison Sr., Letha Grace Lundquist, Jean McInteer, Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Parma, Eunice Duty, Mr. and Mrs. William Zboril, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Puno, Mrs. Lora B. Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. David Euers, Letha Heneke, Vera Obenhaus, Melba Beverlin, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gold.

• NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR •

When you're already struggling to make ends meet, a financial emergency can be overwhelming.

Yet, it happens to thousands of our neighbors in South Texas every year. Often elderly, unemployed or disabled, these are people who can just get by, if nothing goes wrong. They cannot afford an emergency.

CPL's Neighbor to Neighbor Program. The emergency fund.

That's why the stockholders at CPL started the Neighbor to Neighbor Program. It's a special energy fund to help our customers pay any home energy bill (electricity, natural gas, propane or butane) in emergency situations.

Pledge an extra dollar to your monthly electric bill.

If you'd like to help a neighbor who really needs a hand, just pledge an extra dollar or so to your monthly electric bill. Or make a one-time donation. Whichever way you choose to help, your contribution is fully tax-deductible.

CPL stockholders began the program with a $100,000 contribution.

In 1989, CPL's stockholders contributed $100,000 to establish this program. And CPL matches every dollar pledged, up to $100,000 a year.

Program administration.

The Neighbor to Neighbor emergency home energy fund is administered by area social service agencies. For a complete listing of these agencies, call your local CPL office.

Call now for your pledge form, or pick one up at CPL.

For more information or to get your pledge form, just give us a call, or come by CPL. Together, we can be there when someone really needs a hand.

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