

Woodville
in bloom

Edison Museum preview

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MAIL BOX

Jack David
District Accounting Supervisor
GSU/Silsbee, Texas

Dear Mr. David:

Mr. Locke and I moved to the Old Nona Road in 1965 and have used your service that long. Now since his death, I am moving back to Beaumont, and effective March 1, 1983 there will be a new owner of Green Acres . . .

I would like for you to know how much I appreciate the excellent service we have received in these years. Mr. Coplen and his associates have been most helpful always. During many storms he has worked long and late to see that our power was restored without any great inconvenience. For this, I am grateful.

Very truly yours,
Helen Locke
Kountze, Texas

Editor's note: GSU employees servicing the Kountze area are Lanita Bailey, customer contact clerk, and James Coplen, service-man-1st class.

Gulf States Utilities

To whom it may concern:

Thank you for having the limbs cut from the tree in my yard. The limbs were in the lines and

THE COVER

Springtime in Woodville, Texas, means the Dogwood Festival. The town comes alive with the gorgeous blossoms and the annual celebration to welcome their arrival. Wyatt Bell, who is superintendent of the Gulf States office in Woodville, pauses in front of the Ferral Chessher home where the dogwoods and other spring flowers grow in abundance. The cover photo was taken by Toni Reyes of Employee Communications. More on the dogwoods can be found inside on page 5.

it was too dangerous for us to cut them out.

Thank you for sending those men out before the leaves were on the tree as this was a pecan tree and cutting the tree at this time of year does not harm the tree.

The men from Asplundh did a nice job on the tree — it was not chopped up but was left neatly shaped. Everything was neat and clean when they left. Thank you again.

Sincerely,
Charles R. Hamburg
Westlake, La.

Mrs. Jane Dufrene
Consumer Information
Coordinator
GSU/Lake Charles, La.

Dear Mrs. Dufrene:

I would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to Gulf States and its personnel for allowing my Environmental Science class to visit the Nelson 6 facility. Mr. Richardson, Mr. Mutch, Mr. Stotz, et al, did a superb job of explaining the various operations of the power plant. The students made many complimentary remarks about the tour. It was a great success.

If I can return an "in kind" service, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely yours,
V. Monsour, Ph.D.

Professor, Environmental
Sciences and Microbiology
McNeese State University
Lake Charles, La.

Editor's note: Ken Richardson, manager-design engineering, and Jim Mutch, supervisor-environmental engineering, both work in Power Plant Engineering and Design in Beaumont while Brad Stotz is an engineer at Nelson Coal.

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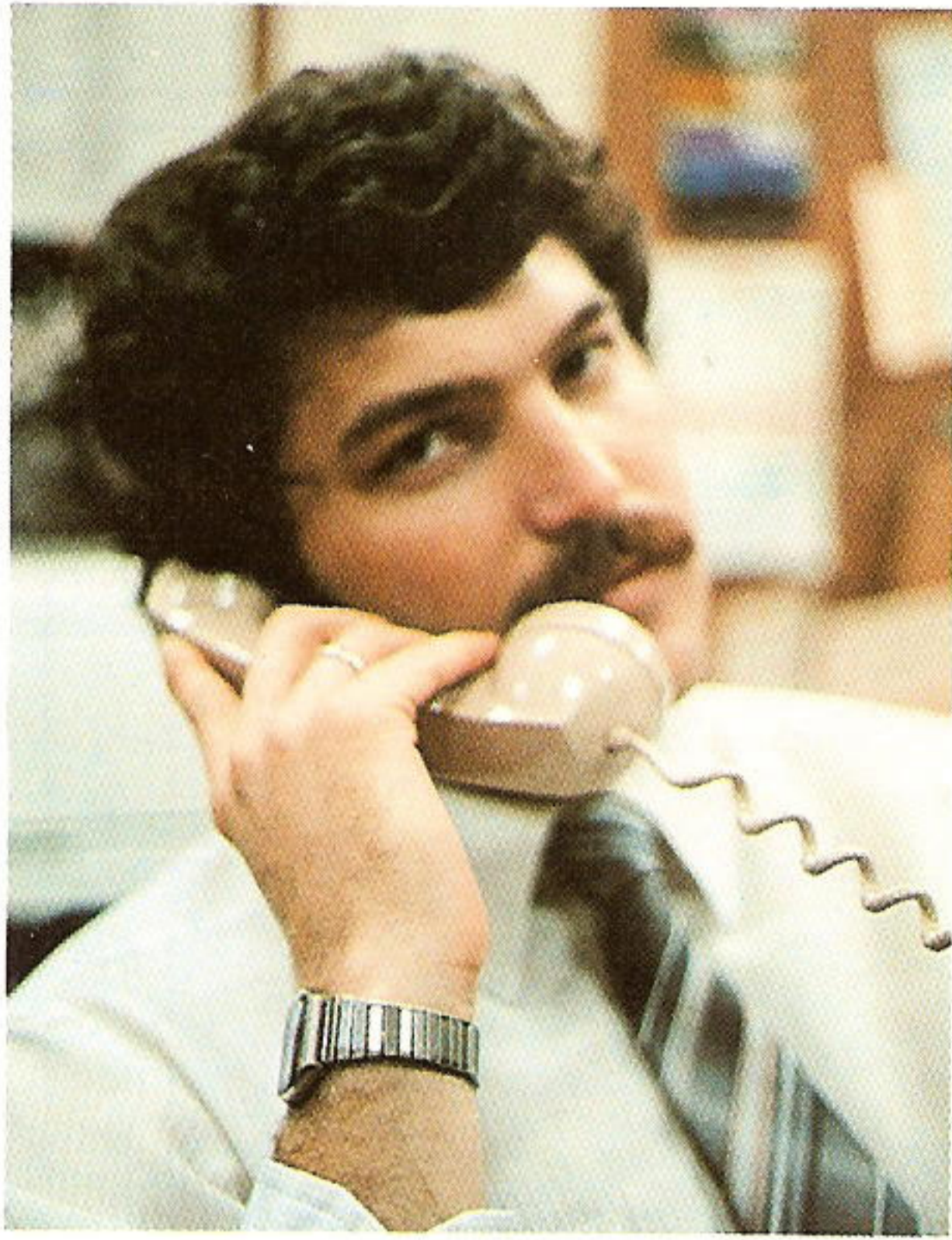
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Greg Shepard

When energy talks, it pays to listen

Utility company employees pay electric bills just like other customers, so Gulf States employees ask many of the same questions about how to cut energy costs.

Because of that fact, GSUers will be the first customers with access to Energy Talks, a new telephone service which will bring energy facts right to your fingertips. Beginning May 2, employees will be able to call Energy Talks by dialing extension 733-3080 within the GSU system. Other customers may call Energy Talks beginning June 1 by dialing 409/839-3080. Collect calls will be accepted from customers calling long-distance.

Energy Talks will feature a series of taped messages on energy conservation and other GSU-related topics. An operator will answer incoming calls and

play a requested tape. After listening to a tape, a customer may either hang up or be reconnected to the operator. The caller may then request another tape or ask to speak to an information specialist about a specific energy topic.

Greg Shepard, coordinator-conservation services, predicts Energy Talks will be successful "because it will provide sought-after energy information promptly."

To be located on the eighth floor of Edison Plaza, Energy Talks will be staffed by employees who will answer the telephone and plug in the tapes. Marketing and Consumer Services employees representing different areas of expertise in energy matters will be available to answer customers' more specific questions. The service



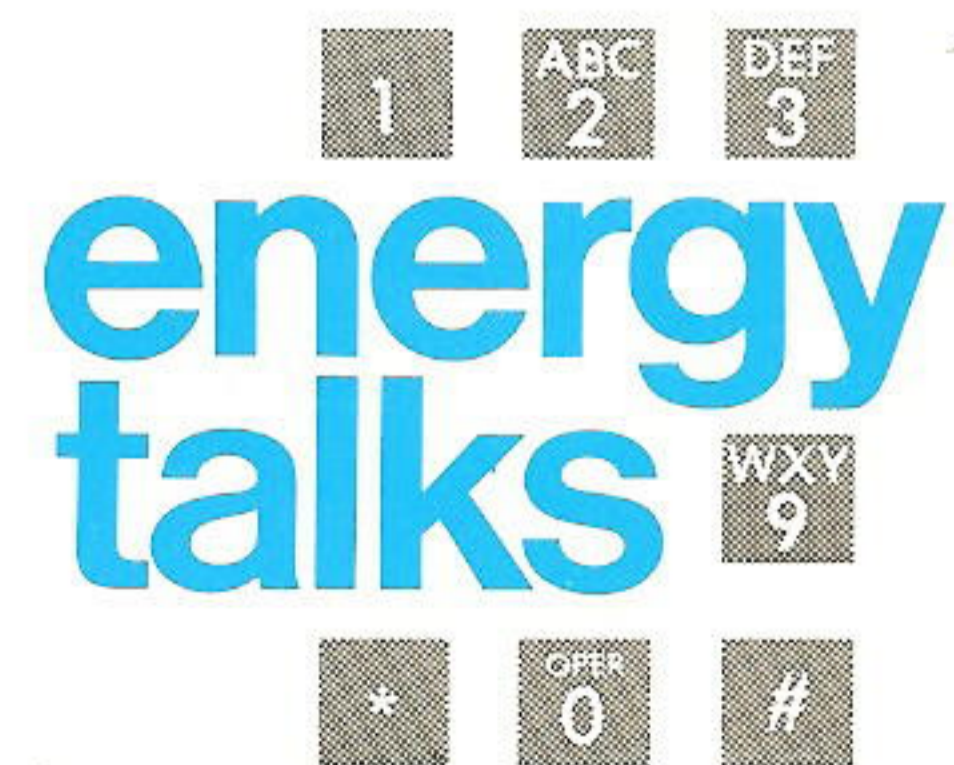
Clare Scott

Story and photos by Susan Gilley

will be available from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. on workdays.

Since the Energy Talks system will be able to handle up to 15 calls simultaneously, callers usually should receive quick responses to their tape requests.

As an added service, the Energy Talks staff will offer to mail printed material to customers who want more in-depth information than that contained on the tapes. Scripts of the tapes also will be available.



733-3080

Woodville Dogwood Festival

Story and photos
by Toni Reyes

A springtime drive through Woodville is all that is needed to know why this east Texas town of 2900 people celebrate the arrival of the dogwood blossom with a festival. The breathtaking view of the dogwood trees at their peak makes Woodville a beautiful place. And the Woodville Dogwood Festival has

celebrated that beauty now for 40 years. Townspeople have volunteered many hours of hard work to produce the parades, plays and thousands of dogwood blossoms handcrafted from paper that help make up the annual event.

Not that the dogwood trees in Woodville really need any help.

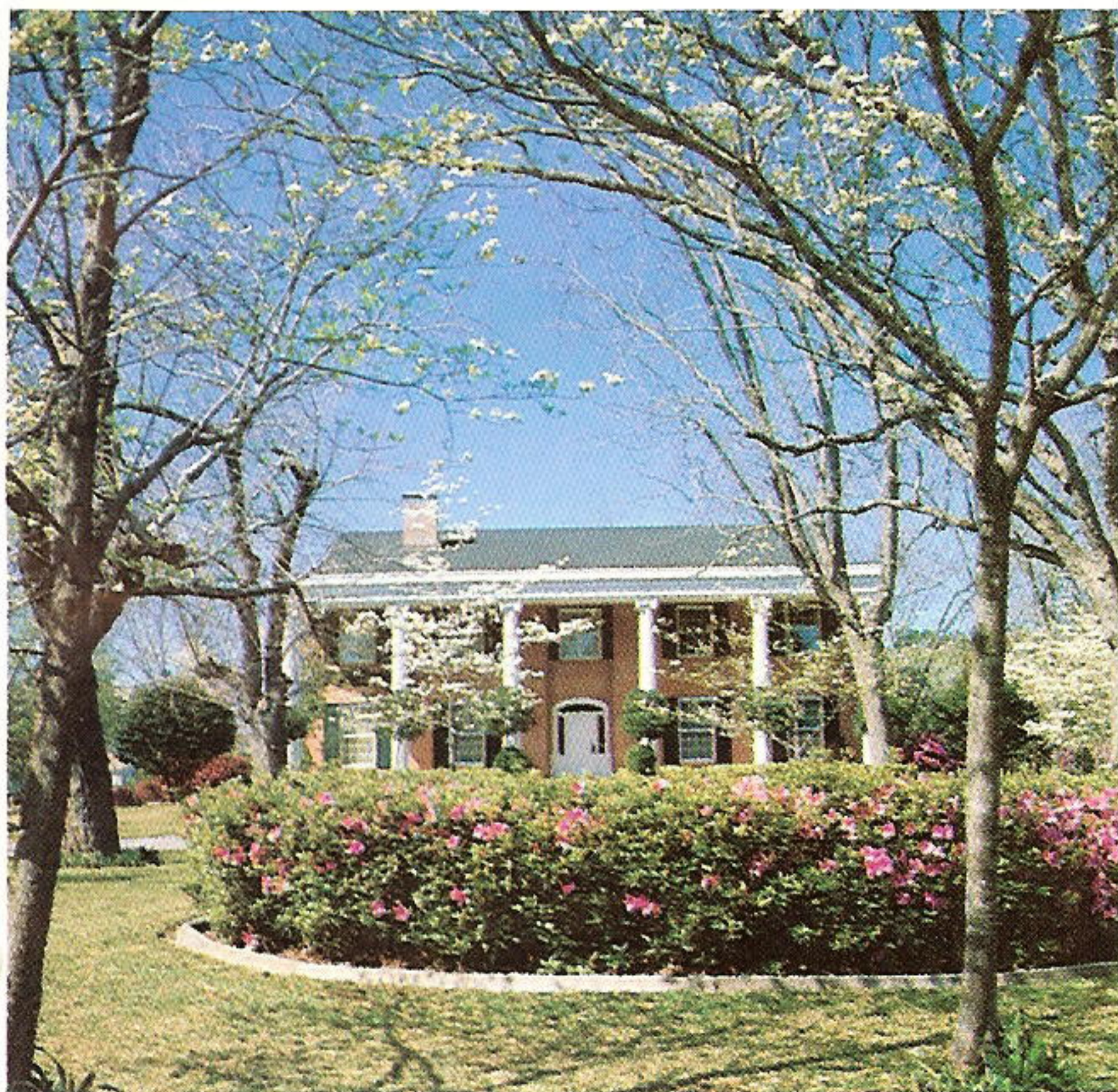
A visit to the town during this year's festival week found the white, or sometimes pink, blossoms to be plentiful. Wyatt Bell, superintendent of the GSU office in Woodville, explained that the handmade versions are used for scenery decorations and on the parade floats.

Bell, who has lived in Woodville since 1965, has been active with festival preparations for most of that time. Now a member of the festival's permanent board of directors, he remembers his very first festival assignment. After reassurance that duties in his rookie year would "be easy," he accepted. It was much later that a more complete job description revealed that he "only had to come up with an idea for the annual play, write the script and then produce it."

The people of Woodville are proud to point out that the festival has a perfect record of no rain. Although the parades have been sprinkled on and rain may have fallen up until curtain-time, the play which is considered to be the highlight of the festival has never been rained out. But then, Nature has always been very good to Woodville.



The Woodville Dogwood Festival has celebrated the beauty of the dogwood for 40 years.



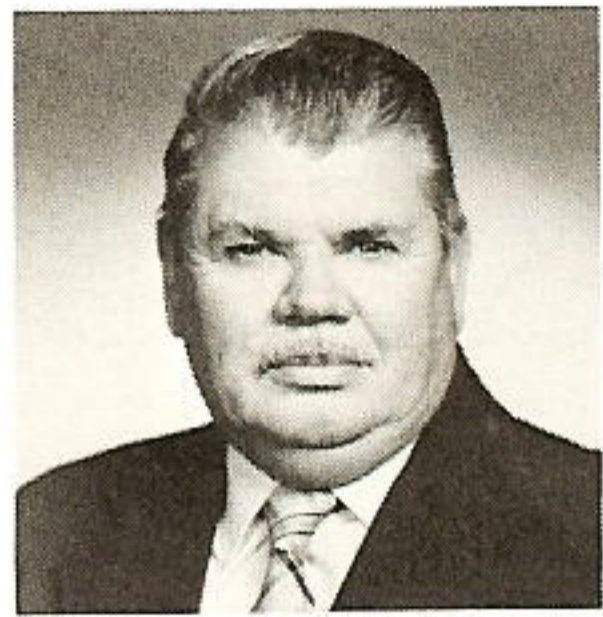
The Ferral Chessher home was included in the festival's tour of gardens.



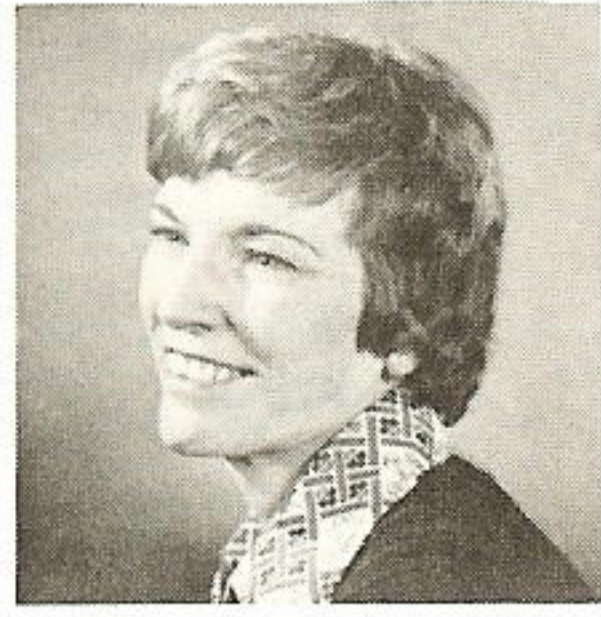
GSU employees Danita Harper and Alene Cole display one of the official festival flags which flew in front of the Woodville office.

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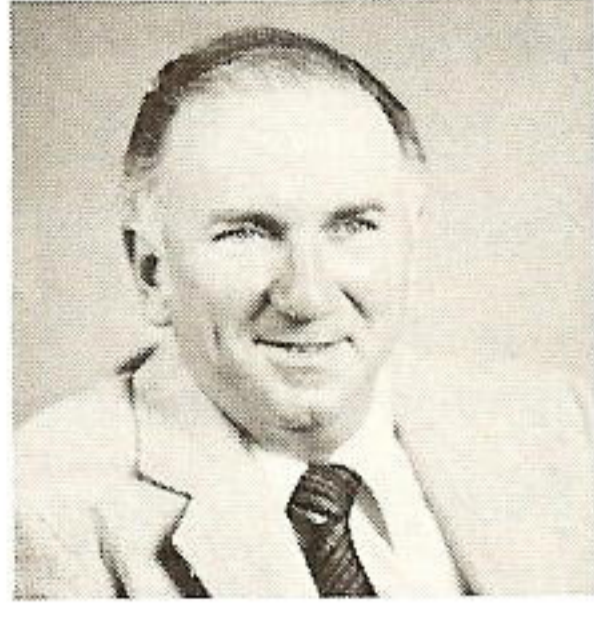
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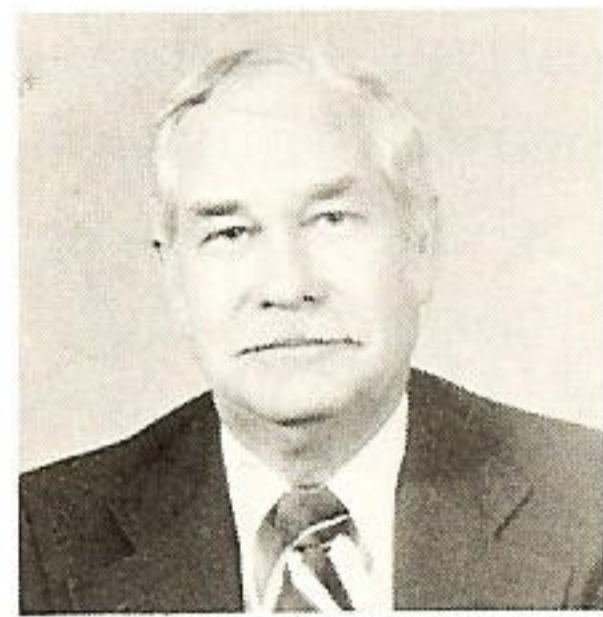
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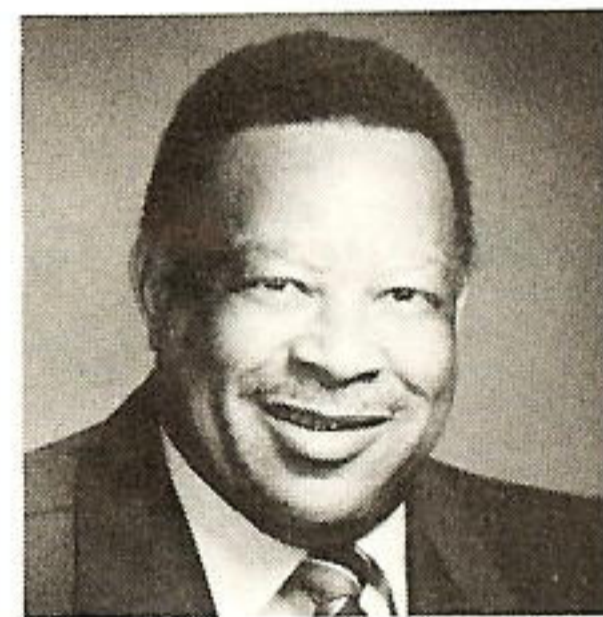
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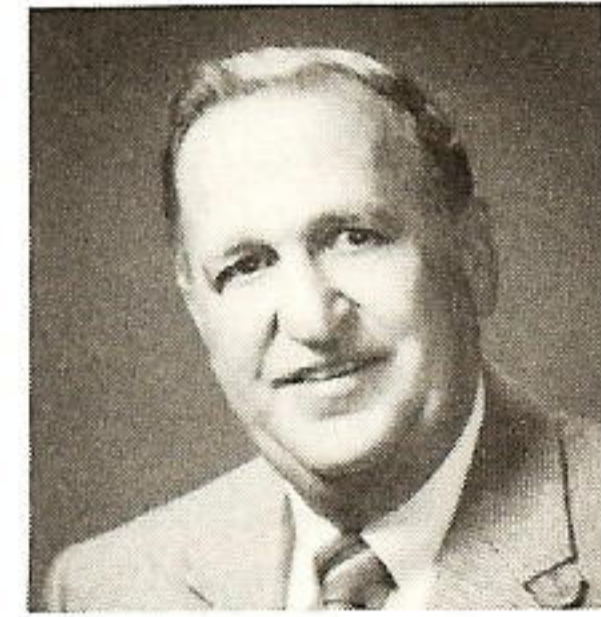
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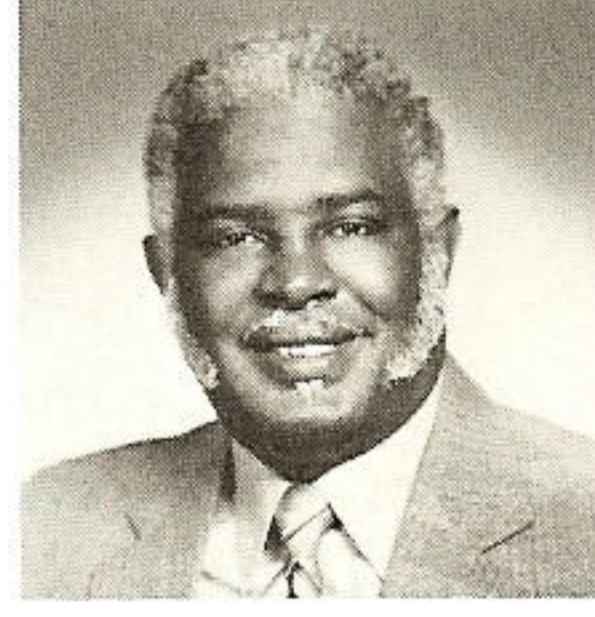


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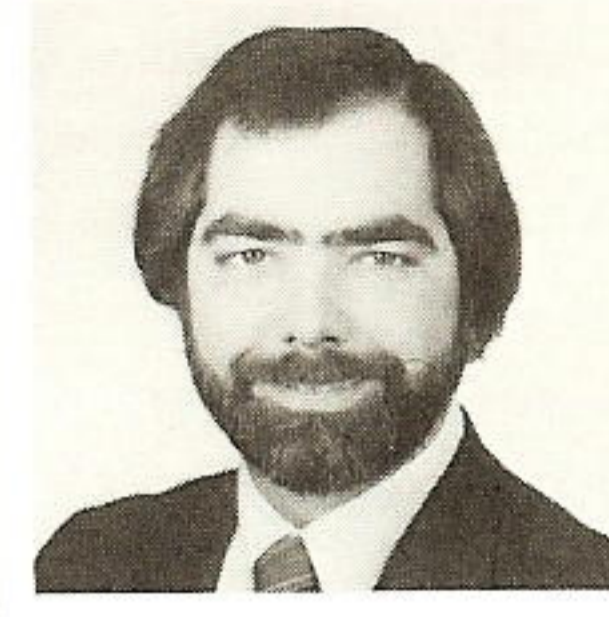


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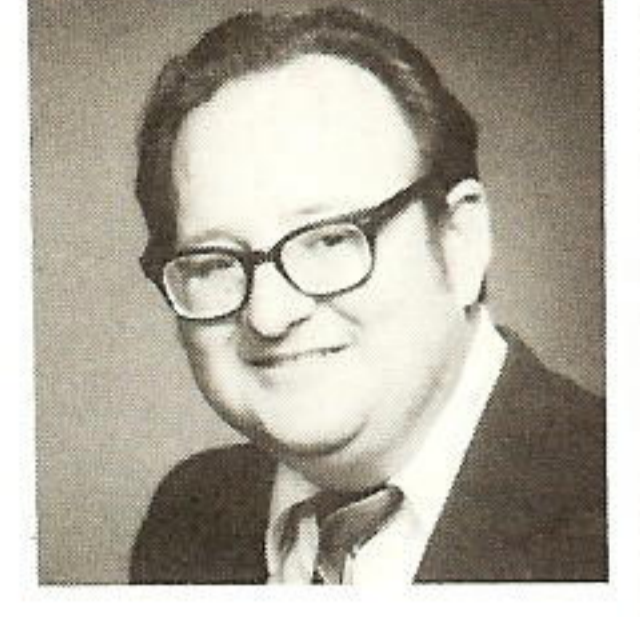
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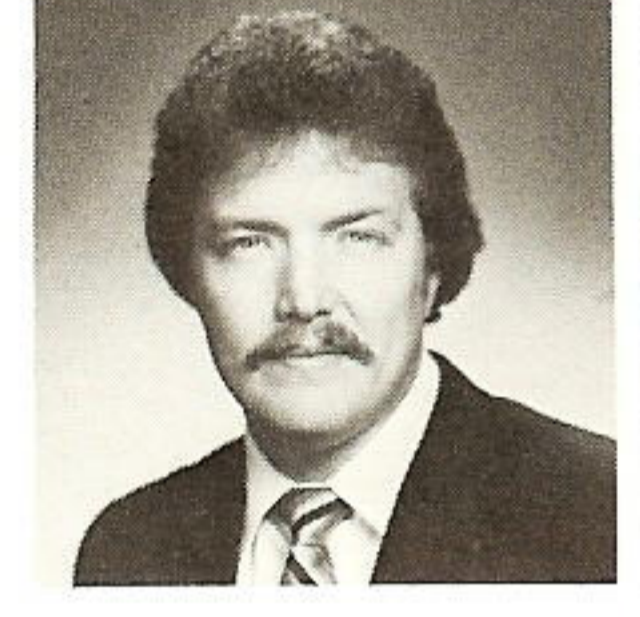
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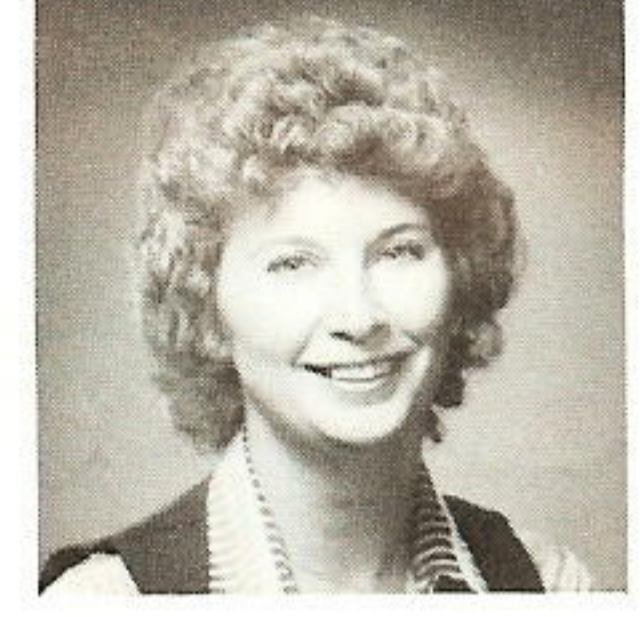
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Issue to feature GSU graduates

High school and college graduates whose parents or grandparents are GSU employees or retirees will be featured in a special picture section of a summer issue of *Plain Talks*. The section will also include photographs of GSUers who complete a college degree.

Pictures — preferably black and white, head-to-shoulder shots — should be submitted no later than Friday, April 29, said Betty Gavora, *Plain Talks* executive editor. Color photographs may be submitted if no others are available.

Each picture should be labeled with the graduate's name, school and relationship to a GSU employee. Pictures will be returned after publication upon the request of the sender.

Pictures of graduates should be sent to *Plain Talks*, Edison Plaza-9th floor, Beaumont.

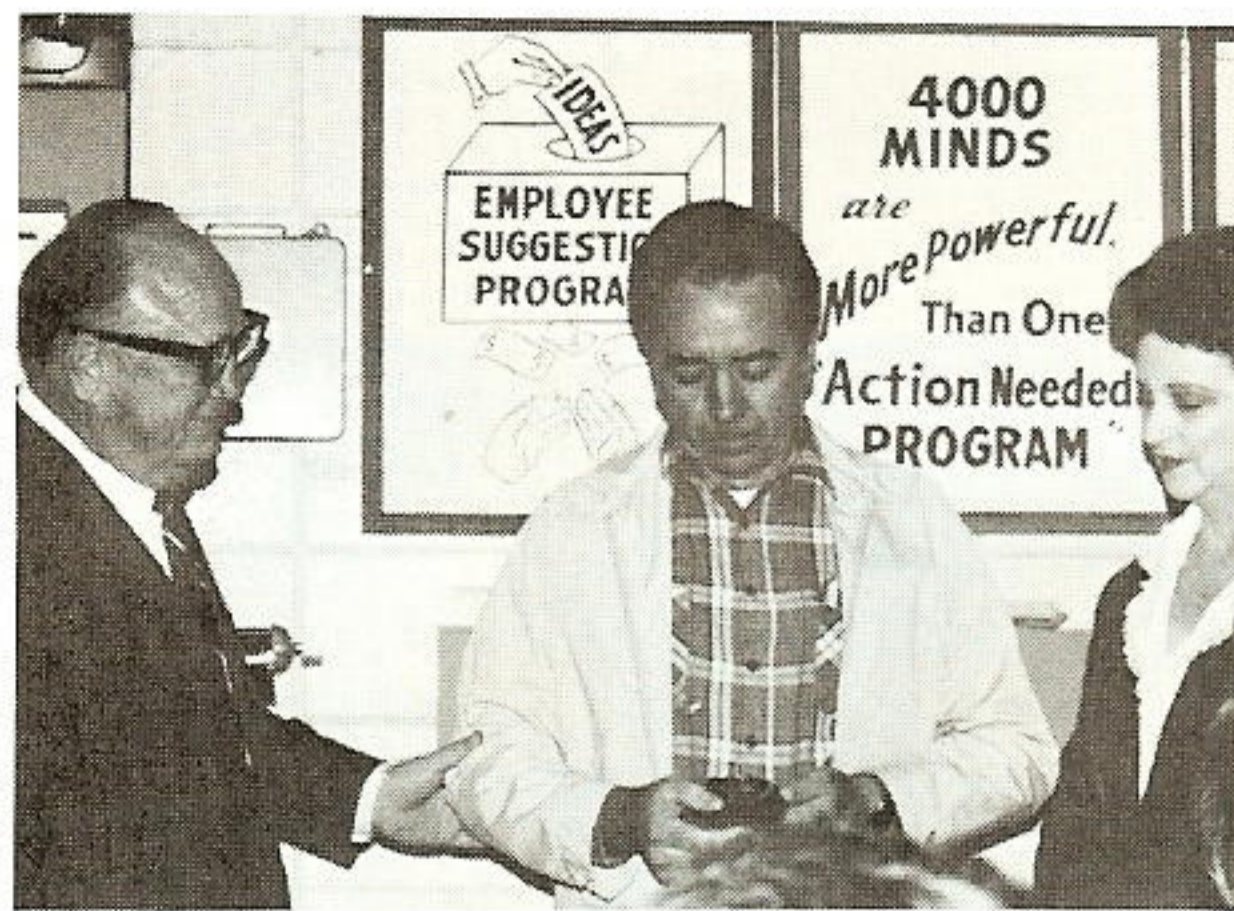
Edison Plaza awarded plaque

The Community Appearance Committee of the Beaumont Chamber of Commerce has selected Edison Plaza to receive the chamber's Public Attractiveness Tribute (PAT).

The PAT award was created by the chamber to recognize special efforts to improve the appearance of the community. Chamber members nominated candidates to the committee who selected 25 businesses and organizations for recognition.

Arden Loughmiller, Beaumont Division vice president, accepted a plaque on behalf of Gulf States and Edison Plaza. The PAT award is a "good incentive to take interest in the appearance of our community and make it attractive," Loughmiller said.

The plaque will be placed in the lobby of Edison Plaza.



Quick action saves family

Less than 20 minutes after Chester Landry banged on the front door of the burning house, the fire leveled the James Regan residence in Egan, La. Landry and his wife, on their way home late one night last year, noticed the fire before those inside the house. All five occupants were asleep at the time.

Finding the front door unlocked, Landry entered and awoke all he found as he went through the house. The headcount conducted outside proved one short — Jimmy, the youngest was missing. Landry and the child's mother went back into the house and safely rescued him.

It was for this unselfish deed that Chester J. Landry, a utility foreman at the Lake Charles substation, was honored with the President's Lifesaving Award. In Lake Charles this February, Norman Lee presented the award to Landry, a 24-year veteran of GSU.

Benoit dies in Port Arthur

Dudley Benoit, 54, of Port Arthur died Jan. 11 in Hermann Hospital, Houston. A native of Gueydan, La. Benoit joined the company in 1952. He was a utility man in the T&D Department in Port Arthur.

Survivors include his wife, Juanita L. Benoit; one son, Rusty Benoit; and two daughters, Tessy Allison and Tina Benoit, all of Port Arthur.

Company ends year with awards

Advisers of the Beaumont Junior Achievement company SAY can take special pride in the accomplishments of the high school students and in their own work as advisers. When awards were given at the year-end banquet, SAY received Top Sales Company and the Spirit Award for Outstanding JA Company. The group also qualified as a Blue Chip Company each of the four quarters of their business year. Awards are presented on the basis of sales volume, attendance, reporting and maintenance of company records. The group manufactured lamps from discarded electric meters in addition to cookbooks.

The Gulf States employees serving as advisers were singled out for special recognition with the Outstanding Adviser Award. Advisers were James Perry, Charles Boynton, Dennis Dawsey, Marianne Deka, Karl Jackson, John Tarver, Ronnie Hale, Gene Tillery and Bill Alt.

Brandon selected as policy advisor

Dianne Brandon was chosen as a member of the Louisiana Weatherization Assistance Program, Weatherization and Energy Assistance Policy Advisory Committee.

Committee members are professional people throughout the state who have expertise and interest in the energy concerns of elderly, handicapped and low income people. Brandon will help advise the Office of Community Services, part of the state's Department of Urban and Community Affairs, on their weatherization programs.

Brandon, a Gulf States employee since 1976, is the community affairs coordinator in Baton Rouge.

Edison Museum preview

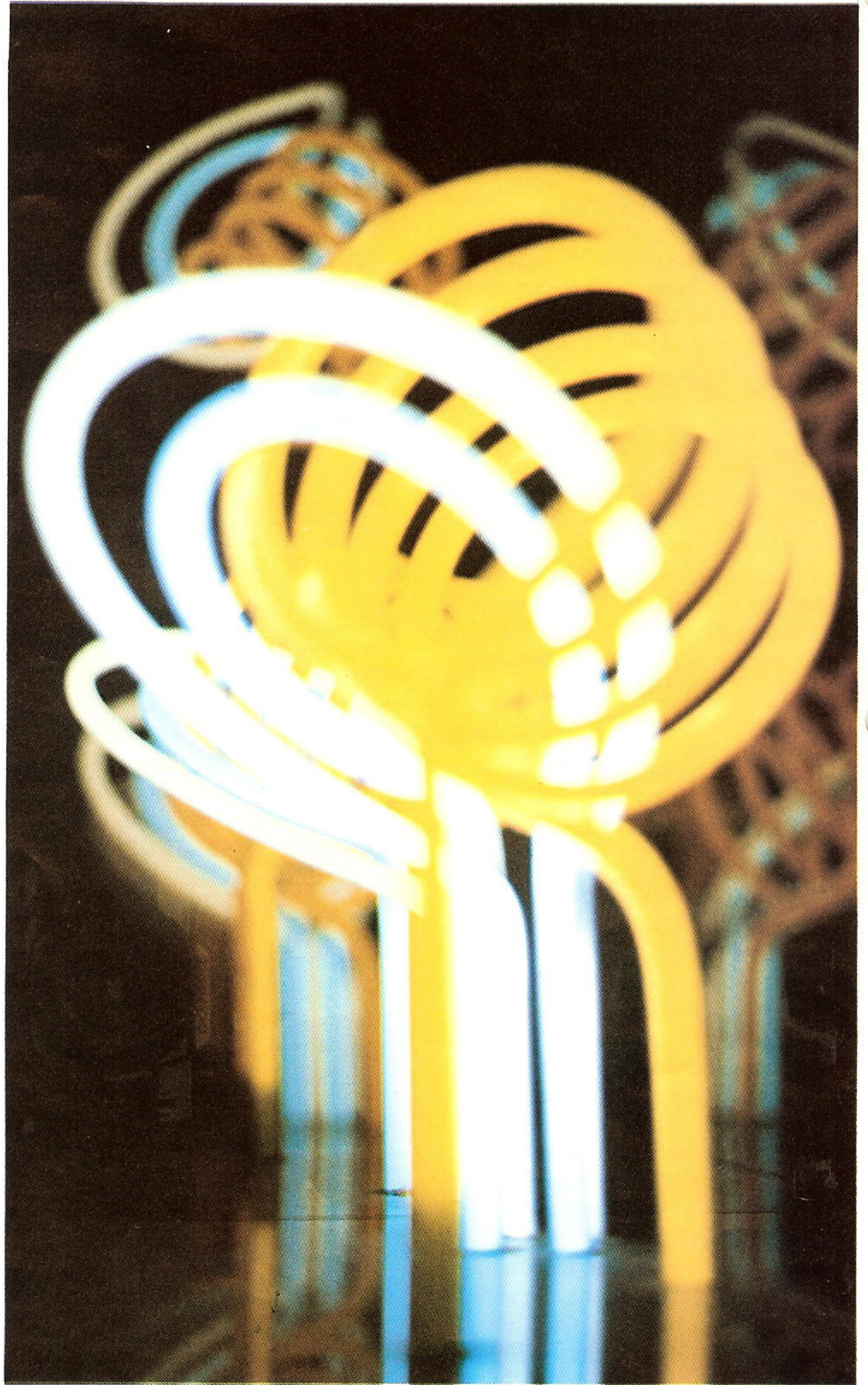
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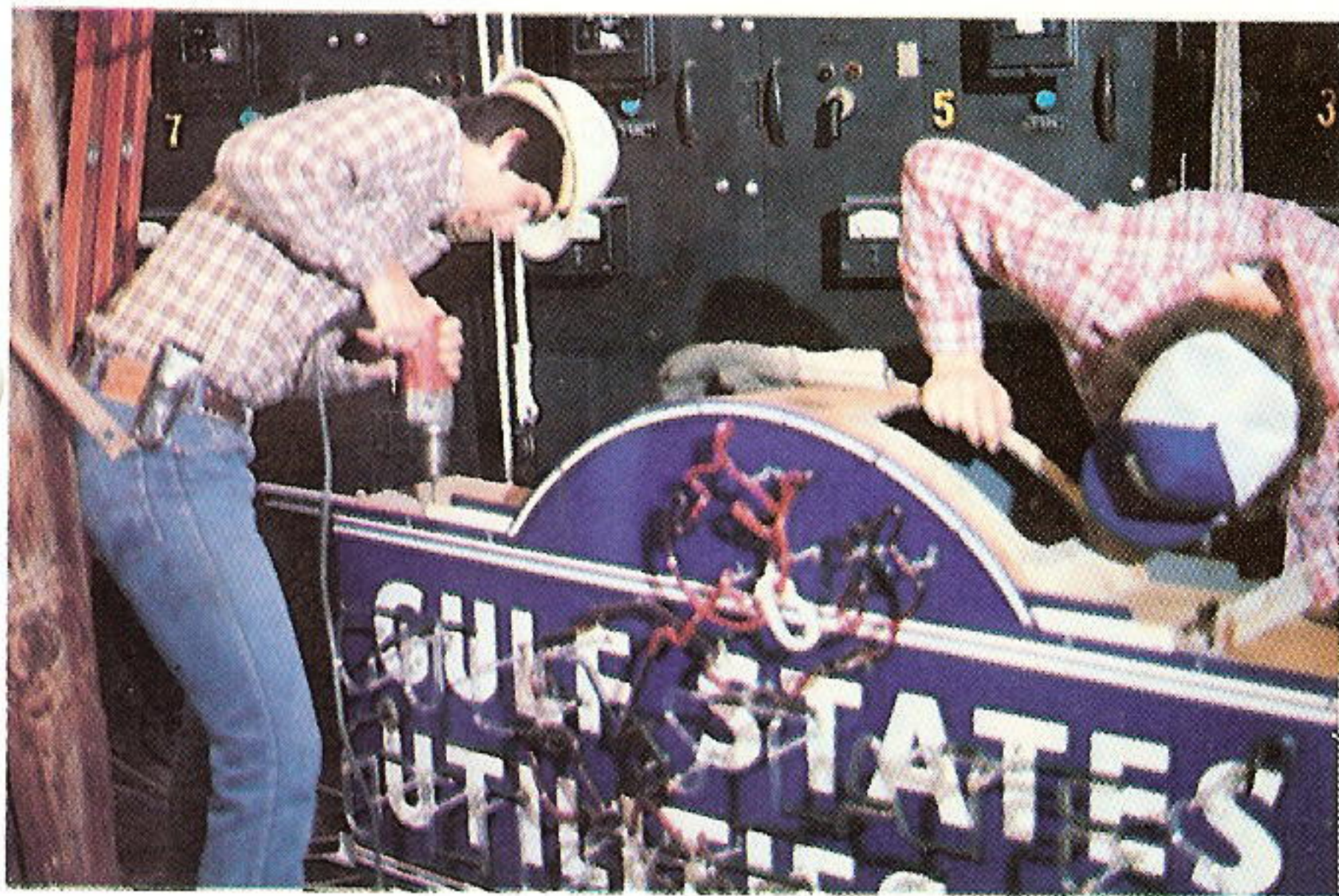
The former Travis Street Substation in Beaumont houses the only collection of Edison memorabilia west of the Mississippi.

All Gulf States employees share in the heritage of the Travis Street Substation in Beaumont. The red brick building adjacent to Edison Plaza is important in the history of GSU as one of the earliest in the system to supply power to the downtown area of the city. Now the old substation serves a new function — housing the only collection of Thomas Edison memorabilia west of the Mississippi River.

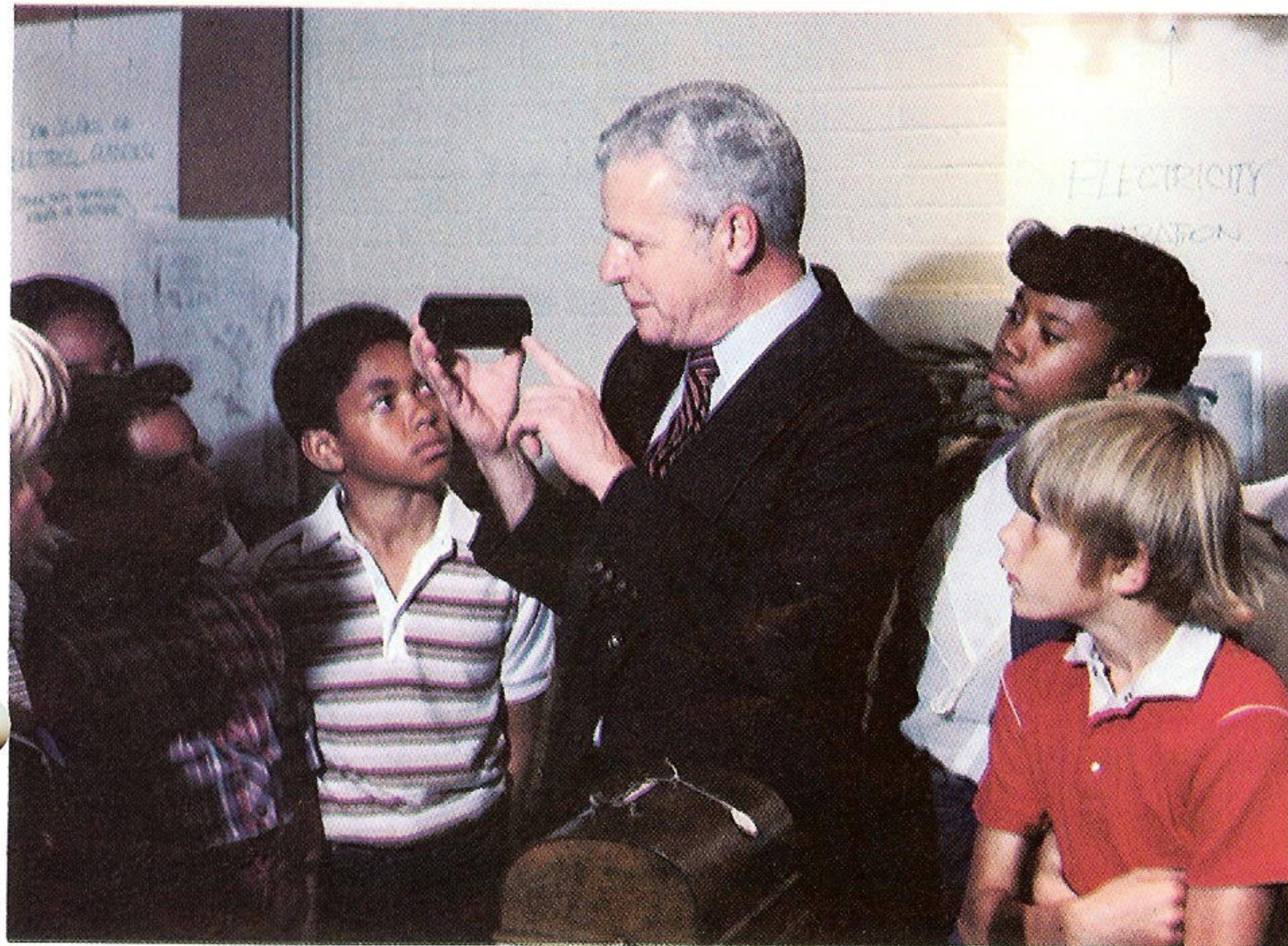
The Edison Museum is not a Gulf States museum. Rather, it is a separately-chartered, non-profit educational institution which was the dream of former GSU Board Chairman Don Crawford, who greatly admired the famous inventor and his many achievements. Museum Curator Joe DeJean shares that admiration, calling Edison, “Without question, one of the greatest Americans who ever lived.”



This neon artwork is part of the museum collection.



Long-time employees may remember this Reddy Kilowatt sign.



Some of these school children had never seen a cylinder, the earliest type of records.

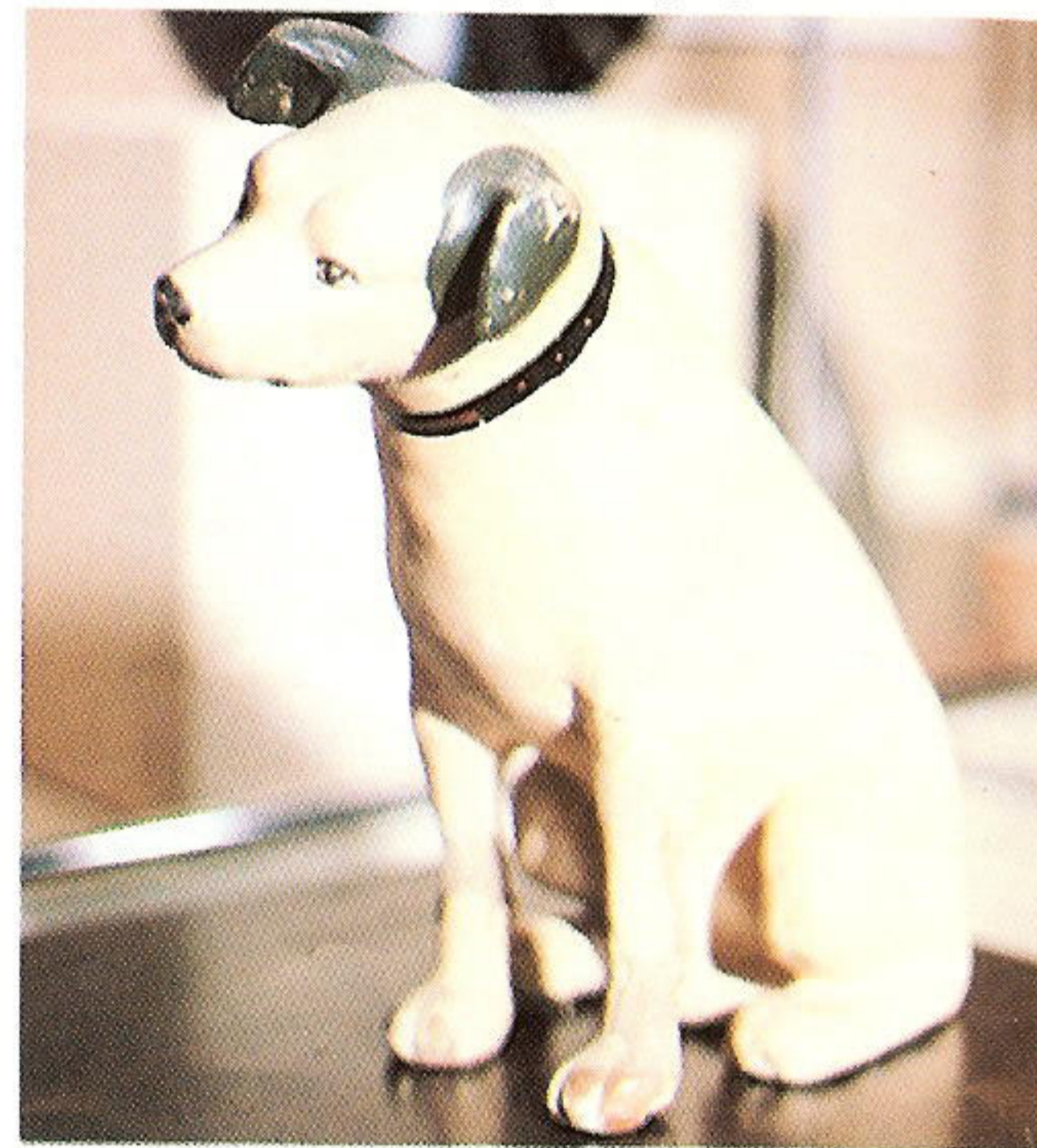
The museum is not finished yet. A trip through its historic walls reveals a number of exhibits still in the embryo stage, but GSU employees and their families are invited to call ahead and arrange a time to make a tour. When you do visit, you will see a fascinating array of items from our past.

Exhibits will be divided into three sections, allowing employees and other visitors to trace the history of the electric industry through the genius of Thomas Edison yesterday, today and tomorrow. DeJean has spent many months bringing together the hundreds of original artifacts from around the country which will make it a memorable tour for youngsters and adults. When most of us think of "the wizard

of Menlo Park" as Edison was called, we naturally conjure up mental images of the electric light and the phonograph. DeJean tracked down a generous sampling of early examples of both, including an early phonograph which has been restored to its original sound quality and plays cylinders, the first records. Visitors will be entertained by a recording of "I'm From Dixie" on one of those cylinders. The phonograph section is his favorite, DeJean says, "because it brings so much joy to people." He also plans to show a copy of "The Great Train Robbery," a movie produced by Edison, which was the first film ever made which had a plot.

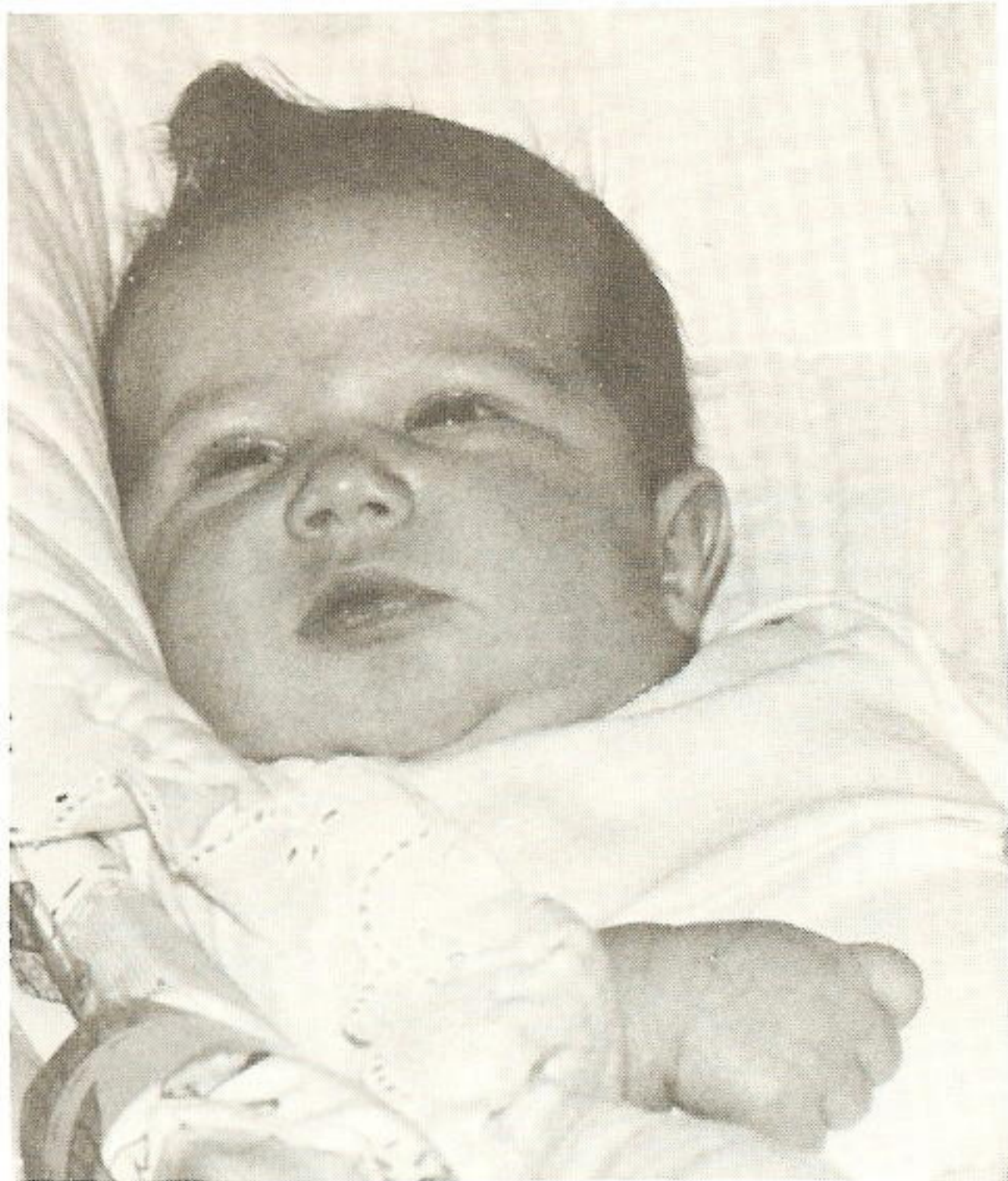
There are personal items from the inventor's estate as well,

Nipper serves as watchdog to the museum's collection of phonographs.



such as an autographed scrapbook of a vacation camping trip he took with industrialists Henry Ford and Harvey Firestone. Some of the most intriguing displays center around appliances from years gone by. A section on the electric industry highlights the early days of transmission and distribution, the history of Gulf States and the evolution of Reddy Kilowatt, for decades the symbol of much of the investor-owned electric utility industry.

When the museum throws open its doors to the public, DeJean anticipates a steady throng of guests. Now is the perfect time for employees to make a leisurely tour and enjoy the rare opportunity to watch the exhibits being born, bringing to life the story of years gone by.



Baby daughter joins family

Little Holly Greer McGraw made her appearance in the Thomas and Marilyn McGraw family on Feb. 7, when she was born in Baptist Hospital's Women's and Children's Unit.

She weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces and was 19 inches long.

Mrs. McGraw is secretary for the Public Affairs Department in Beaumont.

Holly has one sister, 16-year-old Stacie of Jasper.



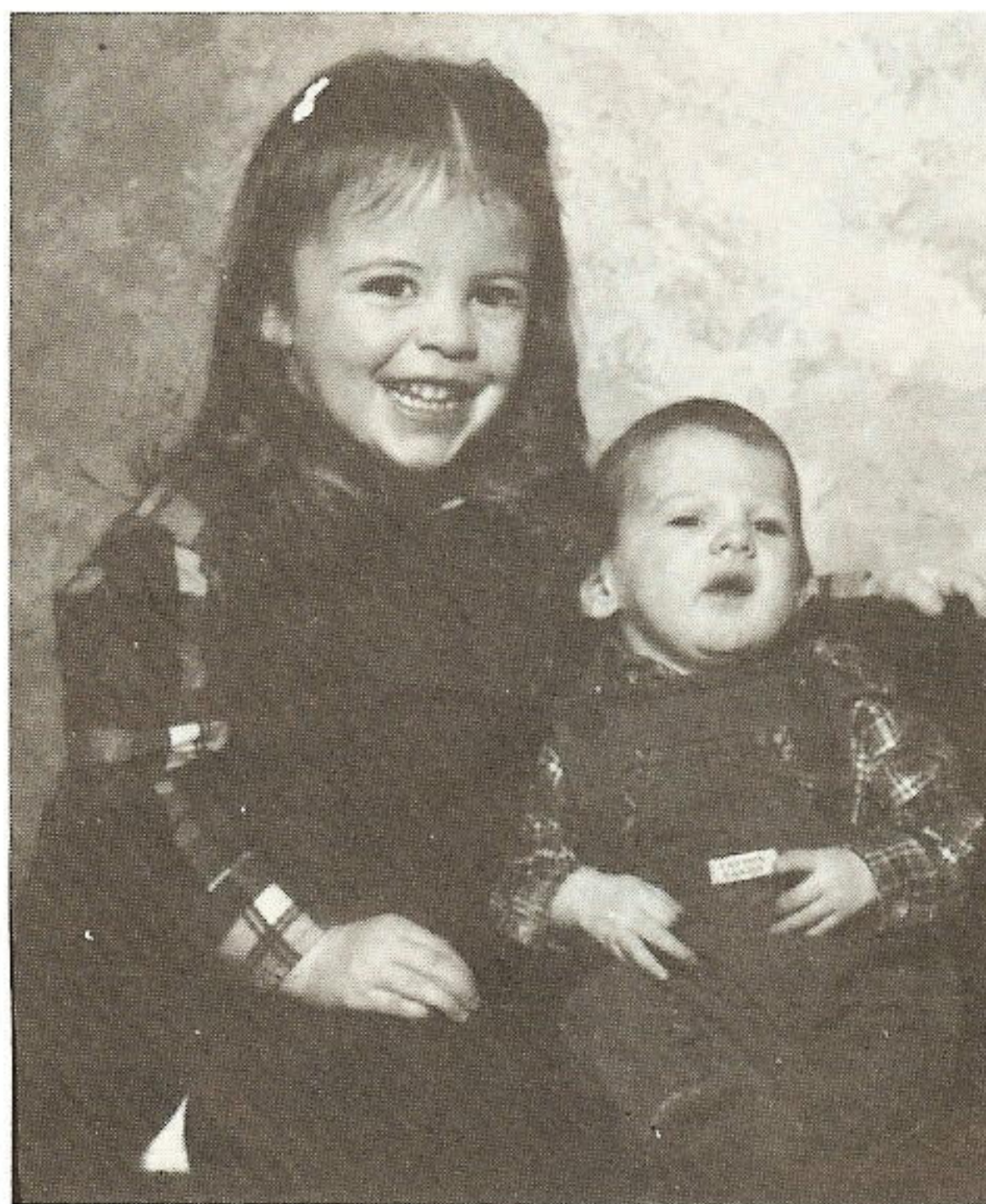
Carter retires

When utility man Johnny C. Carter retired March 1 from the Beaumont service center, co-workers and friends gave Carter a recording depth finder for fishing, a personalized garden hoe and a bucket with "Gone Fishing" on it.

Maggio family adds son

Joseph Michael Maggio was born in Women's Hospital of Baton Rouge on Dec. 4, 1982, weighing 7 pounds, 8 ounces and measuring 21 inches. He is the newest addition to the family of Jerry and Gaynel Maggio. Little Joseph's mother is a customer contact clerk in Zachary.

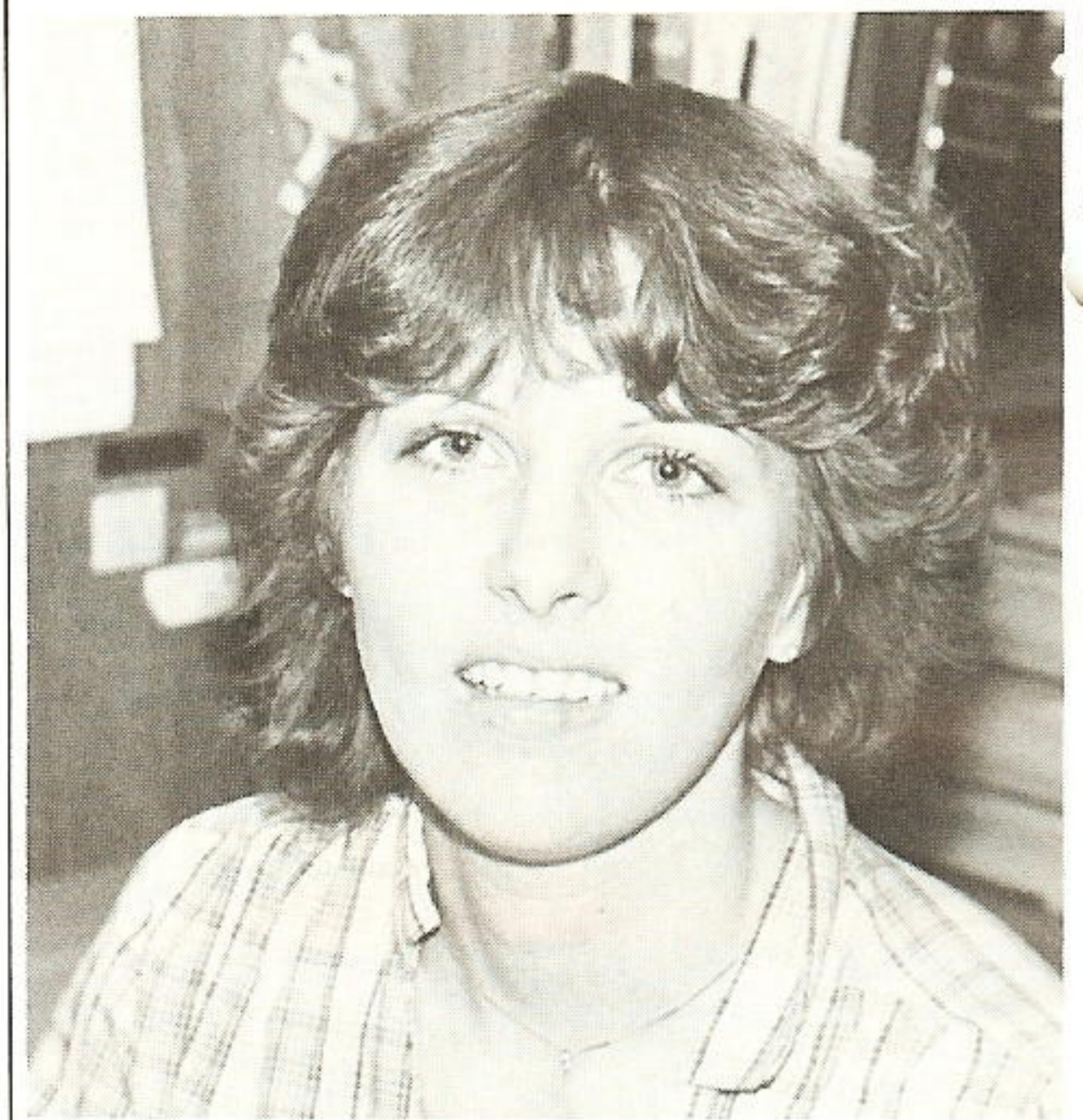
Pictured with Joseph is his 3-year-old sister, Jaime Lynn.



President Reagan responds to letter

Jodie Duhon, daughter of Bert Duhon, district accounting supervisor in Lafayette, was thrilled when President Reagan responded to a letter from Jodie and her fourth grade class. The letter asked President and Mrs. Reagan to attend a patriotic program, to be presented by the children.

Although the President was unable to attend, he told the children how important they are, as they will carry on the ideals found in our Constitution. He urged them to take time to read, study and ask questions in order to learn. Reagan ended the letter granting his best wishes to the class and their teacher.



Family plans two weddings, graduations

Anna Laurette (Laurie) Bogue, daughter of senior systems analyst J. Wayne Bogue, will marry Michael Monzingo of Port Arthur at St. James Catholic Church on May 6, 1983.

Laurie is a student at Lamar University in Beaumont where she will be graduating on May 14. Her brother, Richard Alexander (Alex), also attends Lamar and will graduate on May 13.

Alex will marry Sheila Schlette on May 20, 1983. The ceremony will be in Lumberton.

Surprise shower

Co-workers honored Doris Hay, consumer affairs coordinator in Lake Charles, with a baby shower. Hay's second child is expected in May. Her shower was given early because her first child was six weeks early.

Pictured are Barbara Wilkerson, Hay, Jim Richardson, Susan Buford and Nancy Guillory.



Todds surprised with shower

Kyle Todd, division engineer in Baton Rouge, and his wife, Terri, were given a surprise baby shower on Feb. 11 by friends at the Choctaw Service Center. Kyle and Terri, a 4th-grade teacher at Trafton Academy, expected to be changing diapers by March.



Retirement barbecue honors Johnson

Orange Service Center employees gave Andrew J. "Johnny" Johnson a retirement barbecue. Johnson, utility man II, retired March 1 with 40 years of service.

Johnson's gifts included a power mower for him and a decorated broom for his wife, Ola Mae.

Johnson and his wife are pictured with two of the cooks for the event.



Inglehart retires with 45 years of service

Around 200 people attended the gala gumbo retirement party held for J. "Kiefer" Inglehart in Conroe. Inglehart retired from the Conroe Service Center as chief construction inspector on March 1, with 45 years of service. Inglehart's wife, Pauline, is an elementary teacher and will retire this May.

The Ingleharts have a daughter, Patsy Herndon of Dickinson, and a son, Dan Inglehart, who is a district serviceman-1st class, in Somerville.

Bowman ties knot

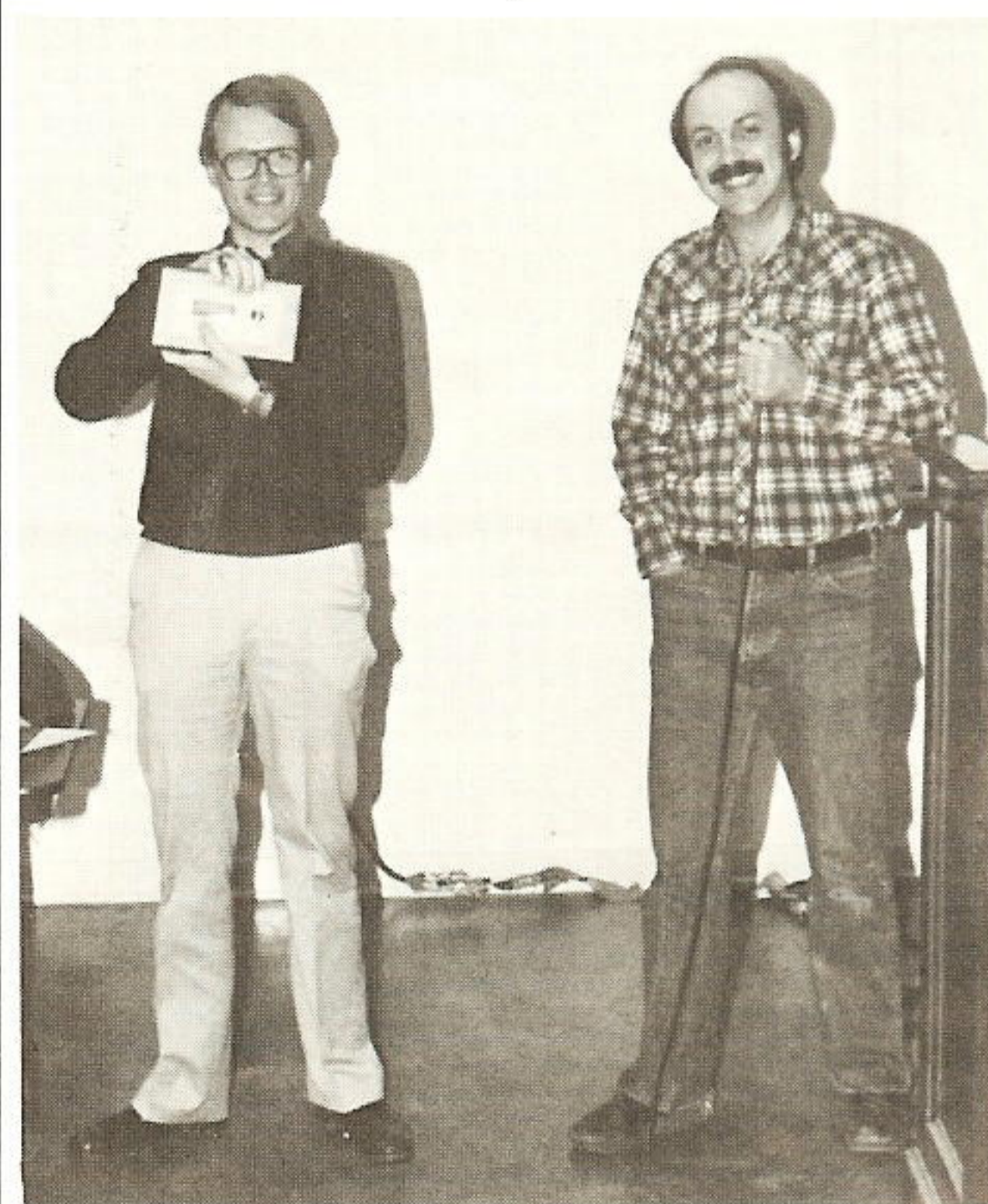
David Bowman, senior engineering assistant in Baton Rouge, and Teresa Wynne of Gulfport, Miss., were married on Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, 1983. Bowman has been employed at Gulf States since November 1970.

According to Robbie Zeringue, *Plain Talks* correspondent, the Bowmans' honeymoon plans included a 14-foot Durocraft and Toledo Bend fishing.

Party honors Joe Burton

Louisiana Station co-workers gave Joe Burton, general maintenance supervisor, a going away party. Burton moves to the River Bend Nuclear Power Plant to assume the same position.

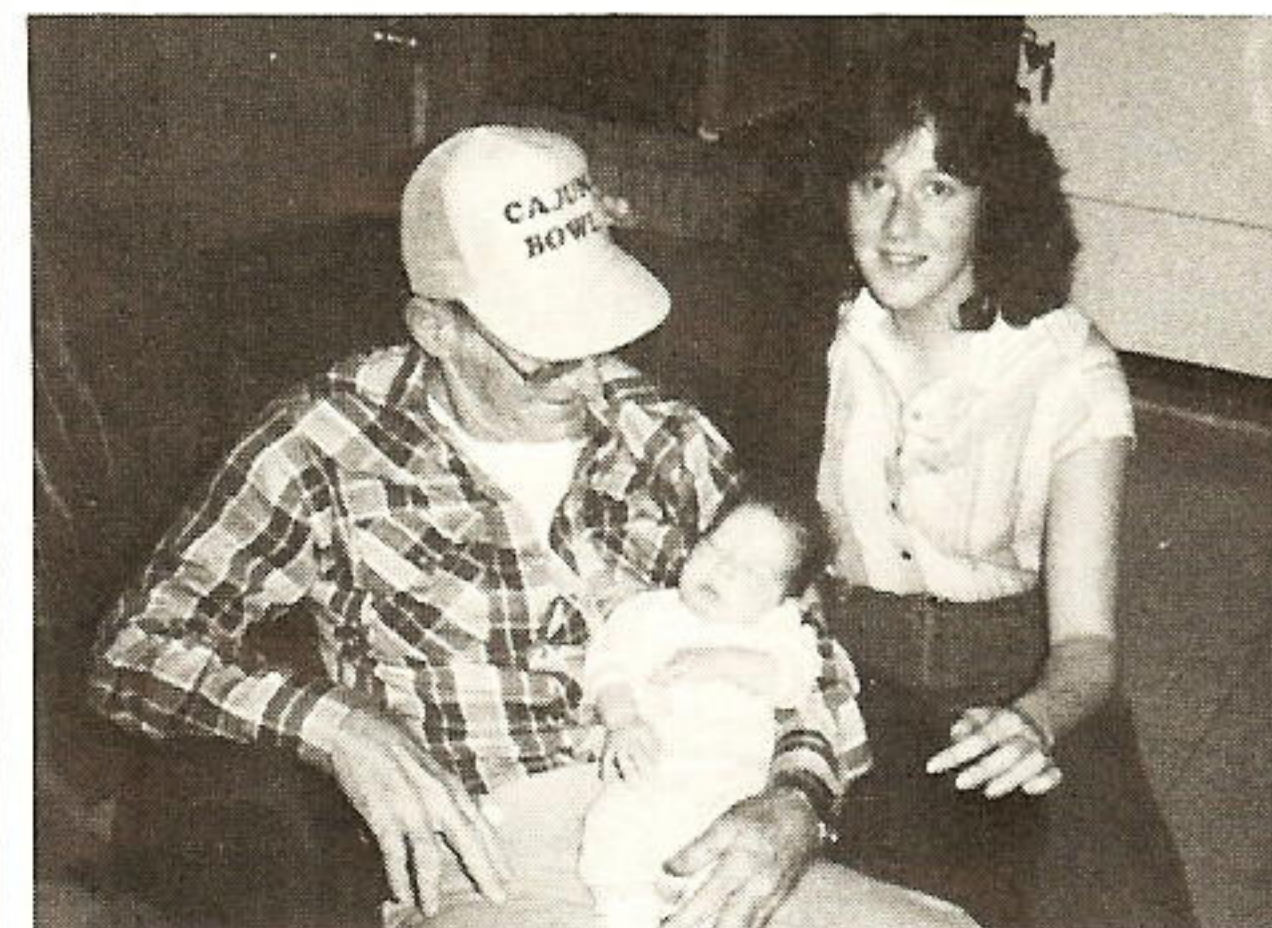
On behalf of the group, Ricky Fernandez, right, presented to Burton the gifts of an onyx pen and pencil set and a money clip, complete with green bills.



Family welcomes Walsh, Jr.

Rodney Ringuet, retired Jennings truck driver, admires grandson David Keith Walsh, Jr. The infant weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces and measured 17 inches when he was born Nov. 4, 1982.

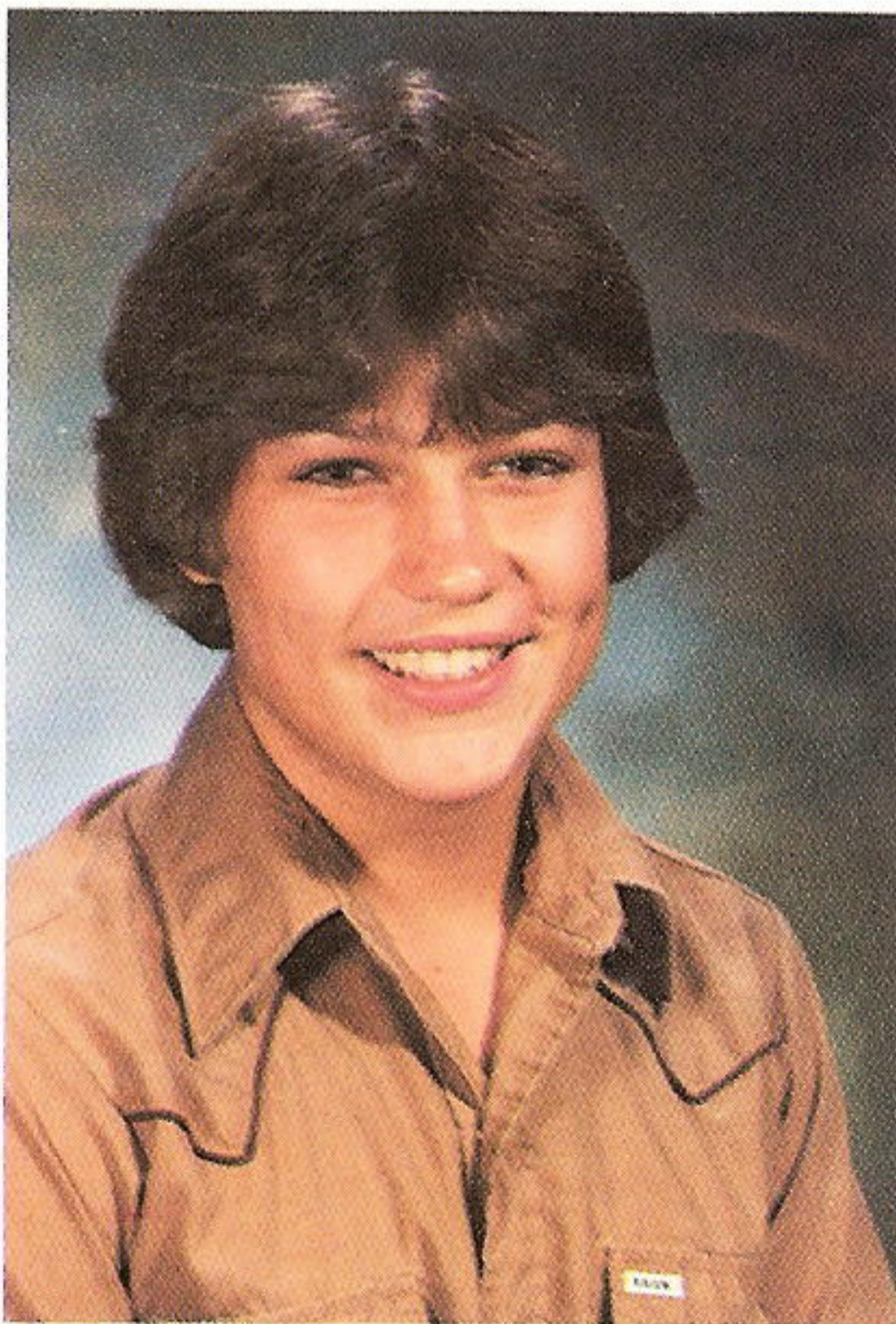
Mary and David, Sr. live in Jennings.



Should investor-owned utilities make a profit?

by Mike Nettles

Editor's note: This article features one of the winners in the GSU 1983 High School Essay contest for employees' children. It was written by Mike Nettles, son of Huntsville service foreman Joe Nettles. Mike is a 14-year-old freshman at Huntsville High School where he played on the freshman football team.



Should investor-owned utilities make a profit? The question should be how much profit should a utility company make? No company could operate very long at a loss.

All across the United States, utility companies' profits are dwindling. Utility commissions and other regulatory agencies are bowing to public pressure and not allowing utility companies an adequate profit. The reduced earnings are making it difficult to attract investors. The investor is after the most profit at the least risk. This is no longer the case with utilities. In 1981, the bond rating service of Standard & Poor's downrated 85 investor-owned utility companies while only two went up. The lower rating costs utilities millions of dollars in extra interest when they go to the money market to finance new construction or rebuild old facilities. As an alternative to this, many utility companies are postponing needed new construction projects. Either way, the public served by the utility companies loses.

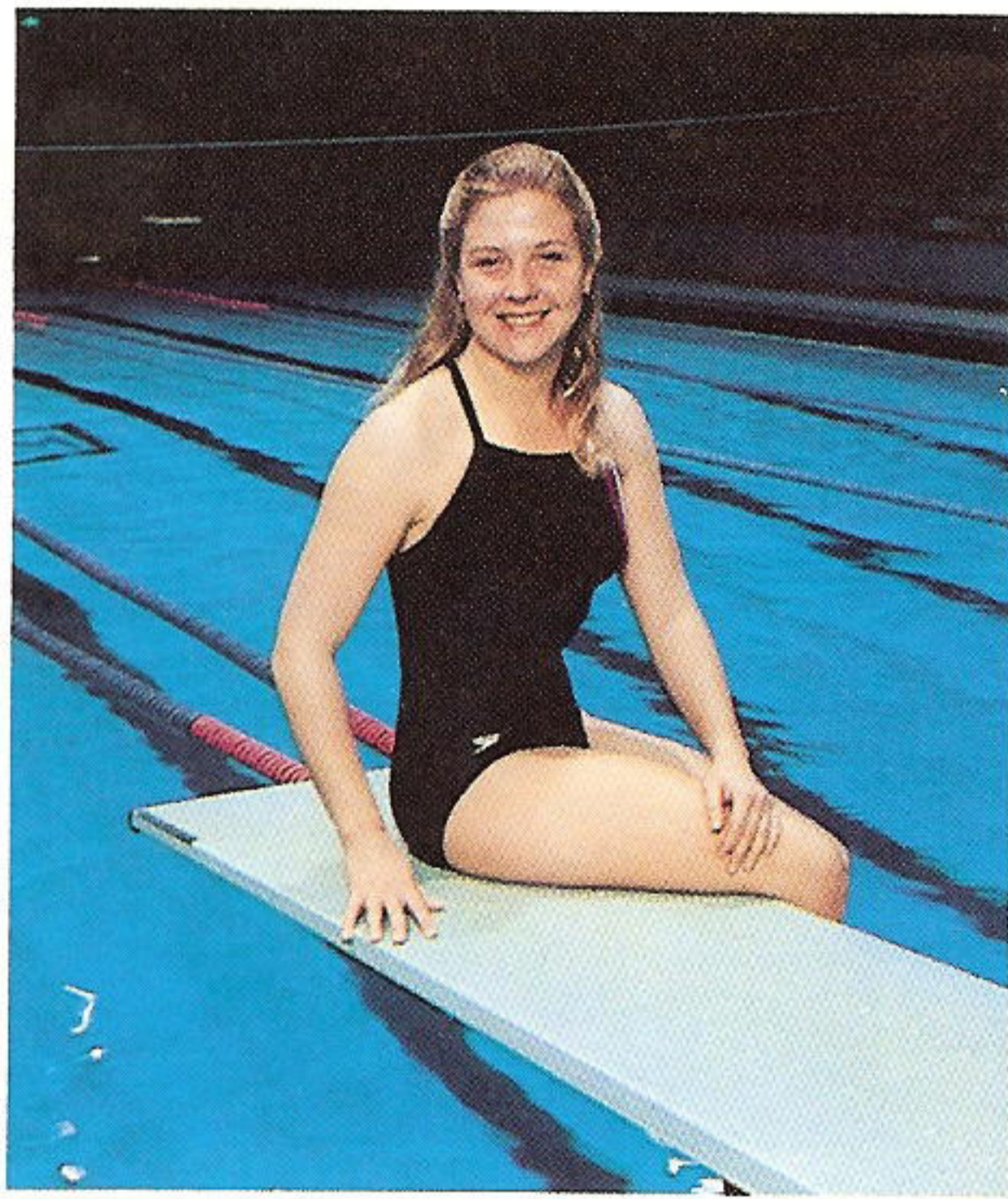
Investor-owned utility companies have played a big part in achieving the high standard of living we enjoy today. The products they deliver have made life more enjoyable for all of us. The cost of delivering this product to the public has increased considerably in the past decade. Utility companies must expand to

meet the growing demands of the public. Our utility companies must be allowed adequate profit to meet these demands.

Utility companies are facing many new challenges. Old sources of fuel are dwindling as well as expensive. New generating fuels and methods must be explored. Many utility companies are joining together in research to find new sources of energy for the future. Financing this research has proven very costly.

In our free enterprise system, a company can increase its profits by raising the price of the product it sells. If there is a demand for the product, the public will pay the higher price. Investor-owned utility companies can't do this. Because they have no competition, the price of their product is regulated by one or more agencies of the government. When utilities find it necessary to increase prices, they must appeal to the utility commission. They can postpone rate hearings and stall on an answer for over a year. When an answer finally comes, it is usually far less than was needed.

Today, we are facing an ever-increasing demand for energy. Our supplies are being exhausted. Unless our utility companies are allowed adequate profit to invest in research and exploration to find new sources of energy, we may be casting a dim light on our future.



Serwan makes a big splash at SMU

by Susan Gilley

Photos by Paul Talley, SMU Sports News

Fitness and flair — that winning combination helped 20-year-old Janie Serwan qualify for 1984 Olympic and Pan American diving trials.

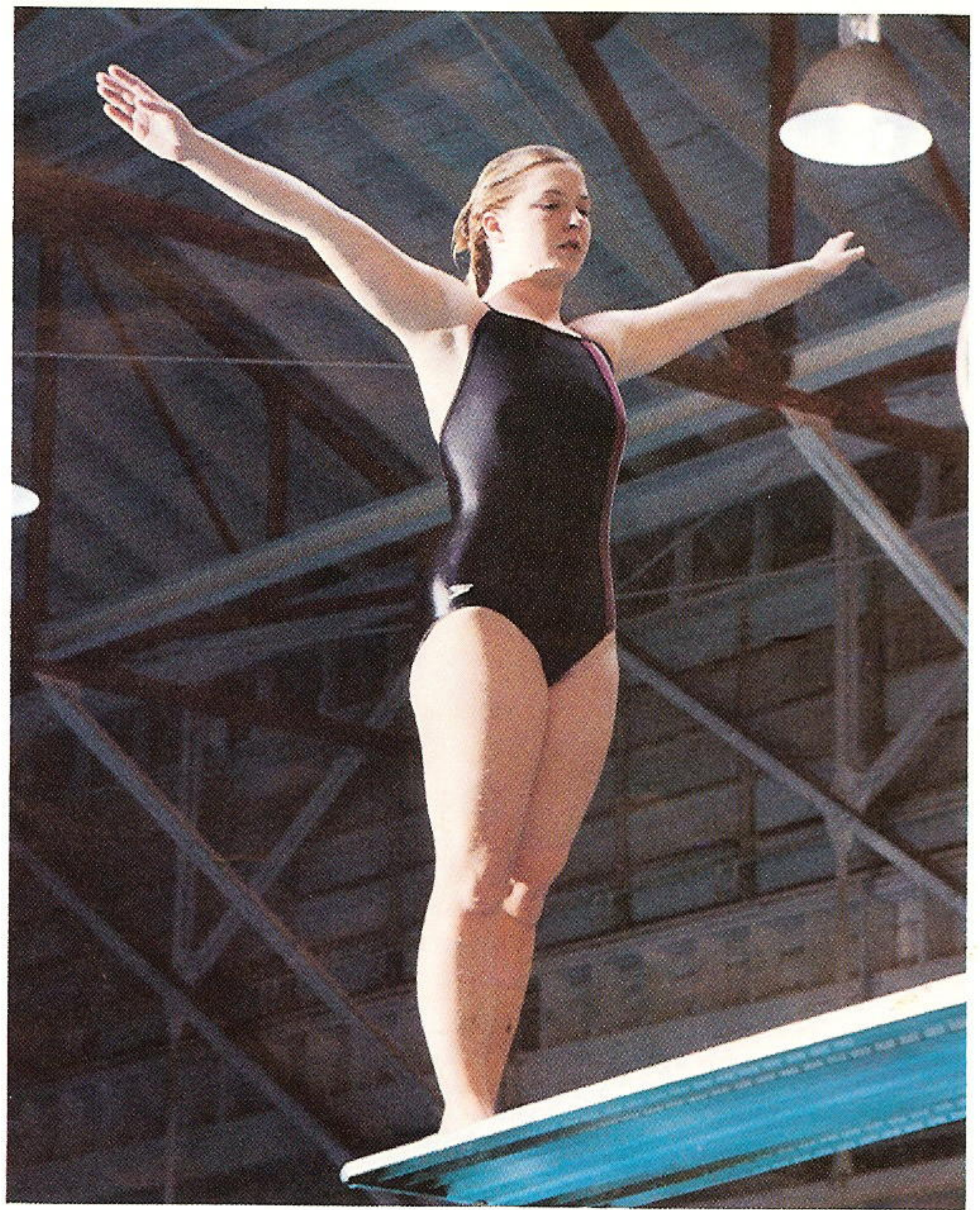
Janie's father, Ed, is GSU's vice president of production.

"There was a time, even back in the 1976 Olympics, when girls could get away with doing easier dives. Now diving is quite sophisticated for both sexes. Also, training techniques and the facilities have improved immensely," says Janie.

Janie, the youngest of five children and the only daughter, was a natural for competitive sports. Two of her brothers excel in tennis, another is a professional golfer and her youngest brother excelled in high school football and javelin-throwing.

As an 8-year-old, she loved to do her gymnastics on the diving board at a Baton Rouge country club. A lifeguard noticed her eagerness and encouraged her to enter a diving meet. She placed first in the 9-10 age category, thus launching her 11-year venture into competitive diving.

Janie's mother, Jane Rita, served as her coach until she began her freshman year in college. Although Mrs. Serwan had dived competitively, she did not reach the levels her daughter has attained. While Janie attended Long Beach State University in California, she trained with the Olympic coach in



Janie Serwan's dedication to diving qualified her for the Olympic Diving Trials.

nearby Mission Viejo. She won the conference championship for her college.

The youngest Serwan is now a sophomore majoring in broadcast journalism at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, where she is preparing for a career in sportscasting. Her transfer to the Texas university last fall made her ineligible to dive competitively at the college level this year, but the NCAA All-American is competing in the U.S. Indoor Nationals this month. While at Long Beach, Janie was a member of two (1981-1982) U.S. National Diving Teams and represented her country in the Canada Cup Championship. At SMU, she trains under Cynthia Potter, a former Olympic medalist.

Janie's trim, five-foot, five-inch, 118-pound body reflects the rigorous workouts required for national competition, but such training can take a toll. "A lot of divers have problems with lower back and shoulder pain. After all, when you're diving from a platform 35 feet in the air, you're moving about 65 miles an hour when you hit a hard surface (the water)," she points out.

Her favorite dive is the reverse group — "You go off forward and start flipping back toward the board." There are five groups of dives — front, back, reverse, inward and twisting.

Her choices show that women's diving has definitely come a long way from the days when, says Janie, "A girl would throw herself off the board and hope she landed on her head."



Alan Dougherty, engineering asst.-production.



Tom Donohue, repairman 2nd-class; Shelly Travis, mechanic helper.

Nelson Coal Station holds fire-fighting classes

by Sheila Soileau and Toni Reyes

Have you ever used a fire extinguisher? Do you know that different types of fires may need certain kinds of extinguishing agents? How about the location of the nearest fire extinguisher?

Employees at Nelson Coal plant covered these topics and others in a class on fire fighting and prevention training held in March. The Nelson Coal production training group helped coordinate the classes taught by Jerry Bellow of Basic Resources, Inc., to educate employees that everyone must deal with the possibility of fire, whether it may be at work or at home. According to plant superintendent Jim Hurley, those attending learned that the best method of fighting fires is prevention.

Employees were taught the different types of fire, which are determined based on their characteristics, what their causes may be and what is needed to extinguish each type. In addition to demonstrating the effective use

of various fire extinguishers, other methods to put out fires were discussed.

Class members gained true hands-on experience when they were allowed to build a fire and extinguish it. After determining what type of fire had been built and the proper extinguishing agent, each employee was given a turn to actually operate the extinguisher used. Use of the water hoses located in the fire houses throughout the plant was demonstrated, too.

Many employees were surprised at how little they had known about fire fighting and prevention before the class. Ed Jones, a training coordinator at the plant, had thought he was safety minded to place a fire extinguisher in the kitchen of his home. He hadn't realized that it was too near the most likely place for a fire in the kitchen — the stove. If a fire were to break out in his kitchen, the extinguisher may not have been of any help. Jones

said, "After the class, I went home and moved the fire extinguisher to a better location."

The classes were given high marks by those attending, with the general feeling that safety practices taught in the classes could be used at home and at work. Others expressed how much more aware of prevention methods they had become since taking the class.

By the way, do you know the location of the nearest fire extinguisher in your work area?

ON THE MOVE

A

Albrecht, Robert P., Silsbee, to lineman-2nd class, Electric T&D.

B

Bibb, Bettie L., Beaumont, to senior draftsman, Engineering Design.

Botley, Gayle W., Beaumont, to staff accountant I, Rates & Regulatory Affairs.

Brandt, Marlene G., Baton Rouge, to senior consumer service representative, Division Consumer Services.

Braud, Kenneth P., Gonzales, to lineman-1st class, Electric T&D.

Bunch, Scott W., Willow Glen, to mechanical maintenance foreman, Plant Production.

C

Caldwell, Steven B., Willow Glen, to test technician-1st class, Plant Production.

Coggins, Thomas R., Beaumont, to line foreman, Beaumont T&D Line.

Cormier, Michael J., Lake Charles, to substation mechanic-1st class, Electric T&D.

Cowart, John D., Beaumont, to utility foreman, Beaumont T&D Line.

Crenwelge, Daniel J., Nelson Coal, to repairman-3rd class, Plant Production.

Cunningham, Buster D., Beaumont, to utility foreman, Beaumont T&D Line.

D

Davis, George M., Baton Rouge, to special investigator, Division Operations.

Dodson, Robert J. Jr., Conroe, to master repairman, Plant Production.

Duplant, Charles T., Beaumont, to senior engineering assistant, Engineering Design.

E

Easterwood, Terence M., Beaumont, to mechanical engineer, Power Plant Engineering and Design.

F

Falcon, Lynn A., Beaumont, to inspector-tree trimming, Beaumont T&D Line.

Fontenot, Darryl W., Beaumont, to communications serviceman-2nd class, Engineering Design.

Fontenot, David I., Beaumont, to utility worker II, Office Services.

Frazier, Ricky L., Beaumont, to substation mechanic-3rd class, Electric T&D.

G

Garrett, Michael W., Beaumont, to apprentice-T&D Department, Electric T&D.

Gautreaux, Russell R., Baton Rouge, to building and grounds maintenance man, Electric T&D.

Gemei, Sameh H., Beaumont, to electrical engineer, Power Plant Engineering and Design.

Gill, Michael C., formerly of Willow Glen, to associate planning analyst, Human Resources, Beaumont.

Green, Craig H., River Bend Site, to technical supervisor, River Bend Nuclear Group.

Greer, Stuart A., Orange, to substation mechanic-1st class, Electric T&D.

Guillory, Stacy T., Baton Rouge, to relayman-1st class, Electric T&D.

Guy, Terry L., Conroe, to lineman-3rd class, Electric T&D.

H

Hackler, Bruce, Beaumont, to garage mechanic-3rd class, Electric T&D.

Hard, James L., Conroe, to supervisor-survey & right-of-way, Conroe T&D.

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Hebert, Paul W., Port Arthur, to lineman-2nd class, Electric T&D.

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Hill, Robert L., Conroe, to meter security auditor, Internal Audits.

Howard, Irwin G., Baton Rouge, to test technician-1st class, Plant Production.

J

Jenkins, Morris O., Beaumont, to heavy equipment foreman, Beaumont T&D Line.

Johnson, Ardes E., River Bend Site, to switchboard operator, Plant Production.

Johnson, Theodore B., Beaumont, to senior systems analyst, Computer Applications.

L

Landry, Jesse M., Willow Glen, to repairman-2nd class, Plant Production.

Lavergne, Michael R., Nelson Station, to repairman-1st class, Plant Production.

M

Marshall, Larry D., Beaumont, to lineman-2nd class, Electric T&D.

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Nauls, Theodore W., Beaumont, to second fireman, Plant Production.

O

Ogden, Carolyn S., Beaumont, to line assistant, Beaumont T&D.

Overbeck, Joseph C., Conroe, to lineman-4th class, Electric T&D.

P

Patterson, Windsor W., Port Arthur, to test technician-1st class, Plant Production.

Peairs, Jerry D., Baton Rouge, to serviceman-1st class, Gas Department.

Pellerin, Milton J., formerly of Port Arthur T&D Garage, shop foreman transferred to Port Arthur T&D Line, Electric T&D.

Petitjean, John A., formerly of Conroe T&D Engineering, to coordinator-Woodlands Projects, Oak Ridge T&D Engineering.

Picard, James B., Willow Glen, to repairman-3rd class, Plant Production.

Pratt, Gary L., Conroe, to lineman-3rd class, Electric T&D.

R

Rainwater, Lawrence L., Beaumont, to inspector-tree trimming, Beaumont T&D Line.

Redeo, Bernard D., Conroe, to serviceman-1st class, Electric T&D.

Robinson, James M., Willow Glen, to mechanical maintenance foreman, Plant Production.

S

Schneider, Eugene H., Willow Glen, to planning coordinator, Plant Production.

Shimek, Richard L., Beaumont, to staff EDP auditor, Beaumont Internal Audits.

Sullivan, Perry M., Willow Glen, to electrician-3rd class, Plant Production.

T

Terro, Daniel J., Sulphur, to senior meter reader, Division Accounting.

Thomas, John H., Port Arthur, to test technician-2nd class, Plant Production.

Tingen, Donald L., Beaumont, to inspector-contract construction, Beaumont T&D Line.

Trahan, Johnny A., Orange, to apprentice T&D department, Electric T&D.

Travis, Shelly A., Nelson Coal, to repairman-3rd class, Plant Production.

V

Victorian, Davis J., Nelson Station, to repairman-1st class, Plant Production.

W

Wells, Joseph Jr., Beaumont, to utility worker II, Plant Production.

White, Darrell W., Beaumont, to operator's helper, Plant Production.

Whitesides, Lemoyne L., Conroe, to right-of-way representative, Conroe T&D Engineering.

Wisener, Timothy A., Beaumont, to senior draftsman, Engineering Design.

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