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PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (HJR 21)
 Special Election May 18, 1971

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article XVII, Section 1, of the Texas Constitution, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. The Legislature by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each House, to be entered by years and days on the journals, may propose amendments to the Constitution, to be voted upon by the qualified electors for members of the Legislature, which proposed amendments shall be duly published once a week for four weeks, commencing at least three months before an election, the time of which shall be specified by the Legislature, in one weekly newspaper of each county, in which such a newspaper may be published; and it shall be the duty of the several returning officers of said election, to open a poll for, and make returns to the Secretary of State,

of the number of legal votes cast at said election for and against said amendments; and if more than one be proposed, then the number of votes cast for and against each of them; and if it shall appear from said return, that a majority of the votes cast, have been cast in favor of any amendment, the said amendment so receiving a majority of the votes cast, shall become a part of this Constitution, and proclamation shall be made by the Governor thereof."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on May 18, 1971, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment providing that the Legislature may propose an amendment of the Constitution at any session of the Legislature."

WSCS
 "Taste and see that the Lord is good," was the theme of the lesson directed by Mrs. S. B. Keeter when the Women's Society of Christian Service met in the United Methodist church Tuesday morning. She said the purpose of the study is to see if our worship today is as meaningful as it should be and whether it is a witness to others that God is in our living.

Each one present designated her favorite Psalm and gave the reason.

Mrs. J. W. Famer and Mrs. Otis Gay sang Psalms 8 and 19 to the tune of two popular songs with accompaniment on the auto harp by Mrs. Farmer, emphasizing that the message is important, but innovation of presentation may make it more attractive to youth.

Mrs. Bob McClelland gave a meditation on "What is near that thou art mindful of him?" and closed with the morning benediction.

For next Tuesday, Psalms 2 and 84 will be studied, emphasizing the theme "Thine is the Kingdom."

Others present were Mmes. C. J. Thurber, Albert Kliver, W. M. Owens, W. F. George, Carroll Hester, Virginia Fiday, Paul Zink, Emma Gaunt, Travis Smith, Jerry Voyles, James Owens, Bessie Ebrohard, Fred Widmoyer, E. H. Pearce, David Thomas, Floyd Boyd, M. L. Hines, Elgin Denny, Herman Mahler, Delbert Todd, Ray Low, Etta Bennett, and James Todd.

1st Baptist Items
 A group of 25 young people and 7 adult counselors spent Friday and Saturday in a prayer retreat and funtime at the Falls Creek Baptist Encampment in the Arbuckle mountains of Oklahoma.

The Rev. Mr. Paul Burleson of Fairway Baptist church in Wichita Falls was guest speaker.

The hours passed all too quickly, according to the young people, as they enjoyed sing-songs, meditation and testimony times, and the mountain climbing.

Youth on the trip were Gena Miller, Nancy Miller, Susan Teel, Audrey Bushfield, Bethany Cobb, Kathy Sullivan, Teri Singer, Barbara Curry, Annette Leath, Rita Rallsback, Julie Miller, Lana Jacks, Shaylene McKnight, Phyllis Smith, Jaye Nijper, Dana Reaves, Debbie Moore, Brenda Jackson, Stephen Wood, Calvin Baker, David Cobb, Kern Rallsback, Danny Fellenbaugh, Johnny Roberts and Chuck Burkema.

Adult counselors present were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Schell, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Flowers; Donald Hill, Glen Miller, Jim Bolding.

CARD OF THANKS
 Thanks to all my friends for their kind words and encouragement. May I live up to the honor that was bestowed on me recently. Friends like you challenge a person to be a better and more active citizen.
 Mrs. D. O. James

DAR Awards
 American History Month was observed recently by the Wichita Falls chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution. Good Citizen awards were presented to 15 area high school girls.

Each of the senior girls received a red rose. Among the honorees were Sylvia Sibley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Sibley of Iowa Park; and Pat O'Neal, daughter of Mrs. Juanita O'Neal of Holliday.

The girls and their mothers were guests at a tea served at the Woman's Forum. Refreshments were served from a table made into a huge valentine. A Swiss embroidered cloth was spread over red. The centerpiece was white flowers placed between two red hearts. Two silver candelabra with red candles completed the setting.

Preacher's daughter: "Daddy, does God tell you what to say in your sermons?"
 Preacher: "Of course, dear."
 "Then why do you scratch out some of it?"

PEPA CAMP FIRE GROUP
 by Terrie Reece
 Fourth grade girls of Bradford school have chosen Pe-Pa, which means "White Wings," as name of the group. Our leader is Mrs. Donald Richter, and current membership is seven.

The meeting came to order last Thursday and the girls talked of the Honor of the Beads.

Each girl wrote in the back of her Camp Fire book the things she had done to earn her Beads.

We discussed the Dad & Daughter banquet which will be served at 7 p.m. April 2 in the high school cafeteria.

Refreshments were served by Christie Franklin and Tandra Wilkerson.

The Churches of Iowa Park

- Church of God**
 601 E. Cash
 W. F. Williams, pastor
 Johnny Lee, S. S. Superintendent
 Norma Jean Fox, Y.P.E. Director
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Devotion 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:00
 Prayer Meeting (Wed.) 7:30 p.m.
 Young People's Service (Saturday) 7:30 p.m.
- Church of Christ**
 Park Avenue at Bond
 John L. Maples, Minister
 Bible Classes 9:00 a.m.
 Worship 10:00 a.m.
 Young People's Class 5:00 p.m.
 Worship 8:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Ladies' and Pre-School Bible Class 10:00 a.m.
 Bible Classes 7:30 p.m.
- First Presbyterian**
 211 South Yosemite
 Alfred M. Dorsett, Minister
 JNDAY:
 Morning Worship . . . 9:00 a.m.
 Family Fellowship. 10-10:15 a.m.
 Church School 10:15 a.m.
 Youth Fellowship . . . 6:00 p.m.
 TUESDAY:
 Womens Prayer Band. 9:30 a.m.
 In Church Prayer each week
 Lucy Birk Circle . . . 10:00 a.m.
 Second Tuesday each month
 WEDNESDAY:
 Clara Lowrance Circle 7:30 p.m.
 Second Wednesday of month
- Grace Baptist**
 511 South Colorado
 Rev. Bill Norman
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship . . . 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- Faith Baptist**
 (Southern Baptist)
 Wall at Lafayette
 Ron Killingsworth, Pastor
 Sunday:
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 10:55 a.m. Morning Worship
 6:00 p.m. Training Union
 7:00 p.m. Evening Worship
 Monday:
 3:45 p.m. Sunbeams, G.A.'s
 Tuesday:
 9:30 a.m. WMS Meeting
 Wednesday:
 3:45 p.m. Graded Choir Grades 1-8
 7:30 p.m. R.A. Meeting
 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting
- First Christian**
 Cash at Bond
 Claude C. McDonald, Minister
 Sunday
 7:00 a.m.—Men's Fellowship Breakfast (Third Sunday)
 9:30 a.m.—Church School
 10:55 a.m.—Worship Service
 5:00 p.m.—Youth Groups
 Bible Study
 6:00—Worship Service
 9:30 a.m.—Second Monday—Circles
 10:30 a.m. Second Monday—General Meeting
- United Methodist**
 201 East Bank
 Don Youngblood, Minister
 Sunday School 9:30
 Morning Worship 10:40
 Evening Worship 7:00
 Youth Fellowship 5:30
 WSCS, Tuesday morning . . 5:30
 Choir Rehearsal, Wed. 7:30
- United Pentecostal**
 Lafayette at Jackson
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 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Tuesday Night Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
 Thursday Night Young People . . . 7:30 p.m.
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Night WMS
 Night group of the First Baptist Women met in the home of Mrs. Carroll Duke this Monday, with Mrs. J. Louis Quick, president, directing business.

Mrs. V. I. Woodfin gave the Calendar of Prayer and Mrs. Bill Curry led the opening prayer. Mrs. Woodfin gave a prayer for missionaries whose birthdays were on Feb. 15.

A good will donation was approved by the Rev. Mr. Clumber, a minister who is ill.

Mrs. J. C. Roby and Mrs. Woodfin will bake cakes for Sheppard AFB hospital.

Mrs. Omega Harris presented an interesting topic from the mission book "Taiwan." Roots of strength proved to be strong, by the tour of thousands of years of Chinese history. Also there were hundreds of pieces of world famous Chinese artwork in the Taipei museum.

The interesting deposit for articles of the collections is in well preserved caves dug out of the mountain behind the museum. The display is changed every three months. These art treasures were carried by trucks and trains and boats to far west of China for safekeeping during World War II.

Their Chinese music is similar to ours: western pop music, "Old Masters" classical, or maybe a cue spring melody in a minor key.

Chinese and Americans have many interests in common, a zest for living, hunger for education, desire for a life of peace and opportunity, fruits of industry, science, modern technology, and fun and recreation.

Day-to-day religion in Taiwan is not simple. There are more than 3000 Buddhist shrines and temples. They have many deities: for the business man, for the student, for the expectant mother, for marriage seekers, and others.

Refreshments were served to those mentioned and Mmes. Nelson Johnson, D. O. James, S. B. Reaves, Roy Smith, J. A. Berg, Carl McKinnon, Homer Block, Sam Hill, O. E. Lochridge.

Mrs. James dismissed the group with prayer.

EECKY GENE HENSON
 Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Henson are parents of a daughter Becky Gene, born Feb. 14. Weight 6 lb. 6 oz. She has two sisters.

Grandparents are Mrs. Arta Henson of Iowa Park and Mrs. Jewel Lane of Oklahoma City.

"Who," roared the boss, "told you that just because I've kissed you a few times you can loaf around and not do any work?"

"My lawyer," replied his private secretary.

AARC
 C. C. Schmitt of Wichita Falls, former president of the Association for Retarded Children, was featured on the program of the Iowa Park Auxiliary at their meeting Tuesday evening. Meeting in the Bradford school cafeteria, 70 were present.

"Who should be a member?" was the theme of Schmitt's talk. He said every citizen should be long—members should be solicited from service clubs, social organizations and churches.

He said the scope of ARC groups is expanding, with Sweden being the most outstanding in work with mentally retarded children.

Mrs. John Reynolds, president, called on Mrs. Richard Bishop to read minutes of the most recent session, and on Mrs. Joe Baxter for a treasury report.

Ed Navraai, membership chairman, presented Mr. Schmitt.

Mrs. Frank Rauscher, one of the five teachers of special education in Iowa Park schools, gave a resume of helps the Auxiliary has provided during the past year. She listed:

Playground equipment; filmstrips; two teaching machines; 12x12 rug; two sewing machines; stove; refrigerator; toys; games; books; a kiln for ceramics; monthly petty cash fund for each teacher; a trip to Funland in Wichita Falls for the small children; a trip to Six Flags for the older ones.

As an entertainment feature, the children in the classes took turns doing square dances on the stage, to the tunes on the record player, supervised by Mrs. Rauscher. Participation on the part of pupils is almost 100% daily.

During the social hour dozens and dozens of cupcakes baked by the mothers were consumed along with cups of ice cream.

February is membership month and renewals have been coming in

all along. At close of the program three new families were enrolled: Messrs. and Mmes. A. C. Balli, Edward Lane, K. G. Wilks.

JAMES ALLEN SIMMONS
 Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simmons of Petrolia are parents of a son James Allen born Feb. 15 at Wichita General hospital. Wt. 6 lb. 4 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Simmons of Petrolia and Mrs. Boyd Smith of Iowa Park.

Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Tirzah Corder of Iowa Park and Ms. Davis of Petrolia.

TODD CARVEY SCHENCK
 Arrived at 9:22 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, and is receiving true Valentin treatment. He was brought home Wednesday to a red-and-white

ancestors, all of Ft. Worth, are grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Schenck jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hetherington; great-grandparents: Mrs. C. P. Schenck sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Carvey sr.

The Ft. Worth folk made the round trip from Ft. Worth for a one-hour glimpse of the baby.

Mrs. S. A. Gasperek returned Saturday from Haskell where she had spent four days with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (SJR 17)
 Special Election May 18, 1971

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section 49-d-1 to read as follows:

"Section 49-d-1. (a) The Texas Water Development Board shall upon direction of the Texas Water Quality Board, or any successor agency designated by the Legislature, issue additional Texas Water Development Bonds up to an additional aggregate principal amount of One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000) to provide grants, loans, or any combination of grants and loans for water quality enhancement purposes as established by the Legislature. The Texas Water Quality Board or any successor agency designated by the Legislature may make such grants and loans to political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the State of Texas, including municipal corporations, river authorities, conservation and reclamation districts, and districts created or organized or authorized to be created or organized under Article XVI, Section 59, or Article III, Section 52, of this Constitution, State agencies, and interstate agencies and compact commissions to which the State of Texas is a party, and upon such terms and conditions as the Legislature may authorize by general law. The bonds shall be issued for such terms, in such denominations, and upon such conditions as the Legislature may authorize.

(b) The proceeds from the sale of such bonds shall be deposited in the Texas Water Development Fund to be invested and administered as prescribed by law.

(c) The bonds authorized in this Section 49-d-1 and all bonds authorized by Sections 49-c and 49-d of Article III shall bear interest at not more than 6% per annum and Development Board shall prescribe, subject to the limitations as may be imposed by the Legislature.

(d) The Texas Water Development Fund shall be used for the purposes heretofore permitted by, and subject to the limitations in Sections 49-c, 49-d and 49-d-1; provided, however, that the financial assistance may be made pursuant to the provisions of Sections 49-c, 49-d and 49-d-1 subject only to the availability of funds and without regard to the provisions in Section 49-c that such financial assistance shall terminate after December 31, 1982.

(e) Texas Water Development Bonds are secured by the general credit of the State and shall after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas.

(f) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on Tuesday, May 18, 1971, at which election all ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the issuance of One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000) bonds to provide financial assistance to cities and other public agencies for water quality enhancement purposes, providing for the improvement and continuance of the water resources program, and establishing an interest ceiling on Water Development Bonds at 6% per annum."

We checked late Wednesday and found that Carl Davis and John D. Huff have filed as candidates for city aldermen. The election will be an event of April 3.

Luther Skinner and Robert Wilcox have filed for positions on the annual school trustees election. This also will be on April 3.



Park Area Home Demonstration club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. J. R. Cope. Mrs. Lee Turner, president, called the meeting to order. The meditation based on 1 Corinthians emphasizing courtesy and purpose of heart, was given by Mrs. Lee Vaughan.

For roll call each member told why she joined the HD club.

Mrs. Cope introduced Mrs. Earl F. Watson, who told of her trip to Kenya and Israel, dwelling on the food and culture of each locality.

She said Kenya food is good but the kosher foods of Israel did not appeal to her. "Kosher" means "fit and proper according to requirements of the Jewish faith."

She also displayed souvenirs from both countries, including the money, which differs in each nation.

A visit to "The Garden Tomb" in Jerusalem made Mrs. Watson heart-sick because it was portrayed in a cold and commercial manner.

Kenya is an up-to-date city with many beautiful birds and flowers. She visited there with her sister and family. They went to the Ark at Kenya where there are many wild animals and much game.

Following the program a time of recreation and exchange of secret pal gifts were enjoyed.

Others present included Mmes. Edd Penn, Herma Mahler, E. H. Pearce, Allen Bennett, Janis Oliver, O. M. Jones, Grady Henderson, J. C. Roby, C. E. Russell, James Todd, Charles Winfrey, Ray Low, A. H. Estes, Roy Fortner, L. O. James, W. E. Kistetter.

March 3 meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Kistetter.

CARD OF THANKS

It is with grateful hearts that we express our deep appreciation to everyone for their love and consideration during the illness and passing of our loved one. Your prayers, flowers, memorials, food and every means of condolence will always be remembered.

Mrs. Arnold Holtzen
Mrs. Doris Worthen and family
Mr. and Mrs. Don Holtzen and family

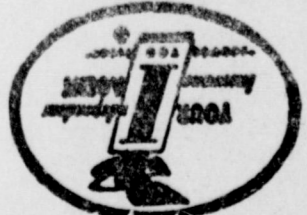
Mrs. Edna Lemond and grandchildren Diane Kingcade and Kyle Williams visited Sunday in Arlington with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glover and children.



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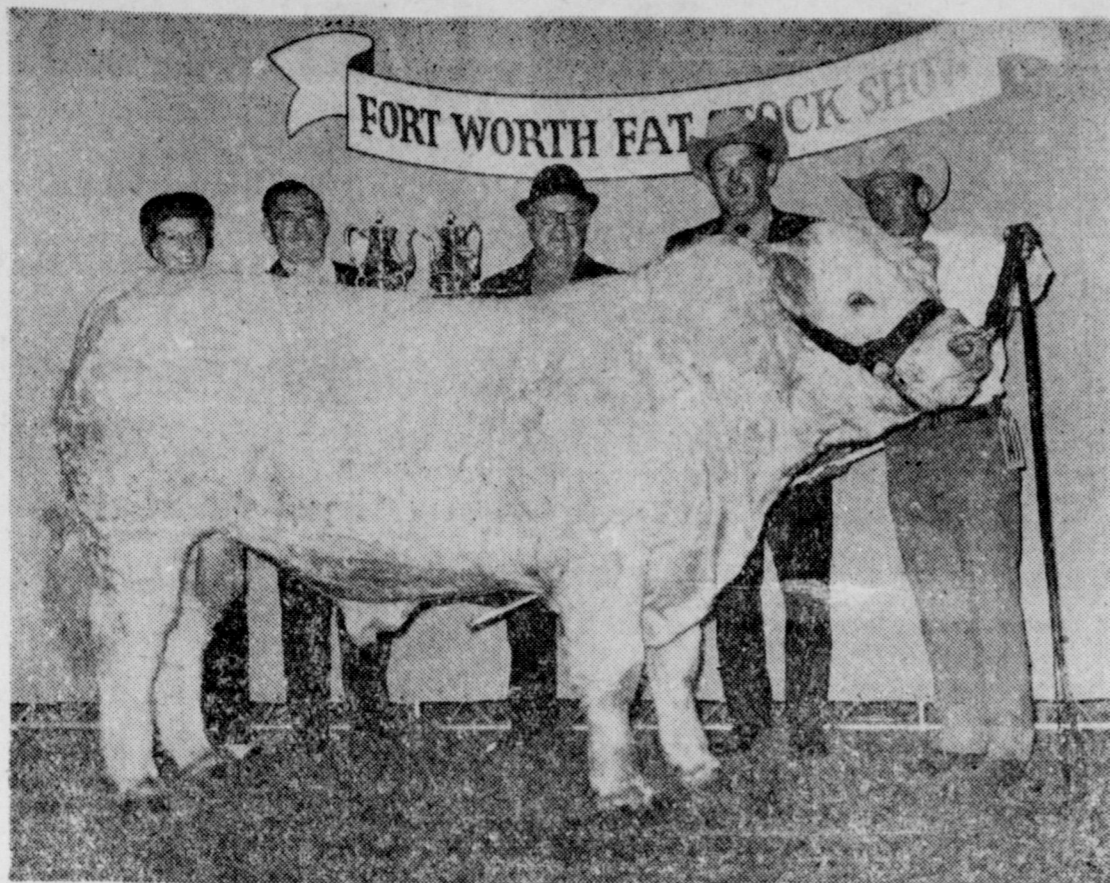


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Pictured behind the bull are Mrs. Frank Letty, who represented the American International Charolais Association in presenting the silver service grand champion award to

the owners—left to right: Powell, Bowman and Roberts.

LaRue Douglas, herdsman, has the halter lead rein.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell and their daughters Judy and Becky reside on their farm across the road from the Iowa Park experiment station.

Besides raising Charolais cattle, they operate the Beverly Meat Shop in Wichita Falls.

Texans Study P.O.W. and M.I.A. Problems

Mrs. J. C. Roby was one of more than 125 members of Texas Prisoners of War and Missing in Action Families who heard H. Ross Perot issue a plea last Friday afternoon in a joint session of the Texas Legislature for a statewide effort to gain release of prisoners being held by the North Vietnamese.

Come March 3, it will be four years since her son Lt. Col. Charles Roby was reported missing in action in Vietnam.

Mr. Perot said the North Vietnamese feel a captured man is a disgrace to his country. They do not want their prisoners returned and can't understand that we are interested in the release of our sons, brothers, fathers and husbands.

All those attending the Capital City Conference were guests of Mr. Perot, who hopes to organize delegations in each state in the Union to work for release of prisoners and information concerning those missing in action.

General Chappy James, deputy secretary of defense and personal friend and the last one to see and talk with Colonel Roby before his ill-fated mission, reiterated the belief that Communist sensitiveness to accusations of barbarism in the court of world opinion has reaped benefits to the prisoners.

Results have been seen through increased numbers of letters that reach families from their captive loved ones, in more propaganda films being released, and in what seems to be better treatment of prisoners.

General James also said the raids made on prison camps recently though they netted no prisoners, served to give our prisoners hope that someone is trying to free them.

Li. Gov. Ben Barnes and House Speaker Gus Mutscher hosted a reception Friday evening honoring the families who had come to Austin for the conference, where they could get acquainted with each other and with those on the program. Mrs. Roby especially appreciated getting to talk with General James.

In order to get the message to Hanoi that American people are concerned, Mr. Perot hopes to divide the state into two units and organize two Texas delegations to go to the Paris peace talks; to

observe a national day of concern on Good Friday, with the focal point being a silent minute at 2:15 p.m. CST, when all activity and traffic will stop while Americans pray and think together, no matter where they are; and to beef-up the letter writing already going strong in Texas communities.

Mrs. Roby would like to hear from any relatives of POW's or MIA's who live in this area, so they could form a unit of concern here.

Shower Honoree Sunday Dinner Is Smorgasbord

Miss Carol Hunter, bride-elect of Michael Theimer of Wichita Falls, was honored at a Valentine Tea last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Bill Baird and Mrs. Lamontte Rinear were hostesses in the Baird home, 2411 Clayton.

In the receiving line were Miss Hunter and her mother Mrs. Sam Hunter of Iowa Park, and Michael's mother Mrs. Louis M. Theimer.

The refreshment table, covered with a hot pink cloth and draped with pink net caught up with clusters of pink grapes, was centered with a crystal bowl from which pink punch was served with tiny cakes in heart design, nuts and mint wedding bells. An arrangement of pink carnations on the buffet in front of the mirror afforded a duplicate view of the beautiful scene.

Misses Lucy Black, maid of honor, and Rebecca Weber, bridesmaid, alternated at the punchbowl and registry. Miss Geraldine Darnell of Poteau, Okla., will be the other bridesmaid but was not present for the tea.

The 60 guests who called were given tiny scrolls inscribed with an invitation to the wedding on March 12 at the Iowa Park United Methodist church.

Carol is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam D. Hunter of Iowa Park. Michael is son of Dr. and Mrs. Louis M. Theimer of Wichita Falls. Both are students at Midwestern university.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sewell went to Sulphur Springs last weekend for a visit with his brother O. C. and family and sister Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Taylor. They also visited with friends.

Mrs. Bessie Nipper had a group of friends join her for lunch last Sunday following church worship services. All gathered in the home of her son Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nipper.

Lovely decorations throughout the spacious reception and dining area enhanced the beauty of the crystal, china, silver and linens used in table appointments.

Turkey and dressing and all that goes with them, supplemented by salads brought by the guests, featured the meal served smorgasbord style, as each one found a place at various tables arranged in the dining area.

Present for this delightful occasion were: the Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Flowers, Norman, David and Cheryl; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Schell; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nipper, Pat, Diana, Carla, Mike and Hunter; Miss Titia Belle Blarks; Johnnie Wood and Dwight Berry; Mmes. Nell Leath, Ed Patterson, Frankie Hendrick, O. M. Jones, Curtis Hill, Clifford Roberts, V. R. Munden, Albie Girard, D. O. James, Carroll Duke, Sam Hill, O. E. Lochridge.

Kite Safety Hints

Wayne N. House, company manager for Texas Electric Service Co. here, urges young kite flyers to follow a few simple rules for their own safety. He warns them of the danger of flying kites in the vicinity of electric power lines.

"If your kite should get caught in electric lines, call Texas Electric Co. Someone will be sent to get it down for you."

House recommends the following safety rules for kite flying:

Use dry string, not wire or anything metallic.
Use wood and paper in your kite not wire or metal.

Fly your kite on days when there is no rain.

Avoid busy streets and highways while flying your kite.

Don't pull on the string or climb a power pole to loosen a snagged line.

Fly your kite far from electric or power lines.

Fly your kite away from television and radio aerials.

"Posters containing these safety hints have been distributed by the Company to all schools," Wayne said, "so kite flyers will get more fun out of flying kites and at the same time keep from getting hurt or losing their kites."

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Heart Attacks Need Attention

Instant recognition of heart attack symptoms and immediate medical care can save many lives. With this in mind the American Heart Association offers advice that all of us should take to heart: Know the warning signs and act immediately to obtain help when they occur.

The new concept is given validity by the greatest life-saving development to emerge from the 1960's; namely, hospital coronary care service which reduces in-hospital deaths following heart attack by about 30 per cent. With full utilization of this service it might be possible to save an additional 50,000 lives yearly.

But the most skilled professional staff and the finest equipment are all but useless unless the patient acts quickly to obtain the service. Most of the reversible crises following heart attack occur during the first 72 hours. And the first four hours are the ones of greatest peril.

In other words—minutes count. The decision to obtain medical assistance immediately can represent the difference between life and death. Such a decision should not be left to the heart attack victim

only, but rather is one for the wife, husband, relative or friend.

Heart attack symptoms vary, but these are the usual warning signs:

- * Prolonged oppressive pain or unusual discomfort in the center of chest, behind the breastbone.

- * Pain may radiate to the shoulder, arm, neck or jaw.

- * The pain or discomfort is often accompanied by sweating, nausea, vomiting and shortness of breath may also occur.

- * Sometimes these symptoms subside and then return.

If these symptoms occur, the person with suspected heart attack should avoid physical exertion as much as possible. Someone should phone your doctor immediately. If the physician can't be reached, the patient should be moved immediately by the fastest method available to the emergency room of a hospital.

Incidentally, the recommendations offered here are wholly in line with the Heart Fund slogan: "Give—so more will live."

Help with the Heart Fund

A business district solicitation known as "Heart Days for Business" will get underway here Monday, March 1 highlighting the early part of the 1971 Heart Fund Campaign, it was announced this week by Mrs. George Bludnick, 1971 campaign chairman.

George Bludnick, business district chairman, will be assisted by Steve Lovelady.

Mrs. Bludnick pointed out that the heart and blood vessel diseases cost the nation's business and industry over 50,000,000 man-days

of production each year. "The cost of heart and blood vessel disease is estimated at about \$10,000,000,000 or approximately \$40 a person," she said. "If the cost here is only half the national average, these diseases are costing the people of our area more than \$125,000 each year."

Anyone wishing to give of their time in making calls during this six-day campaign is asked to call Mrs. Bludnick at 592-5919 or at 592-4981.

Ranch of Renown Seeks Funds for More Dormitories

by Richard Rickson

The Ranch of Renown of Solomon's Chapel, is a boys and girls Ranch located in Wichita county just off the highway toward Dean.

We specialize in helping people 16 years old and over. It is designed to help young people from broken homes and those troubled with personal problems.

The Ranch of Renown had its beginning nearly four years ago. The directors, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bert L. Elliott are also pastors of Solomon's Chapel, an undenominational church.

"My wife Chris has always wanted a place where Christians could live together, and so God saw her desires," states Elliott. "Not only do we live together as a family, but we also bring in the ones who have no one to love them. We feed the hungry for both spiritual and natural food."

Our present living quarters consist of five two-room dormitories. One is used as a kitchen for preparing and eating meals, and also a place to have morning Bible study and prayer before going to school.

Youth director is Rev. Rhonda Graves, who sees that the children get their morning prayer and Bible studies and she supervises the preparation of meals and assigns responsibilities to the children.

"The children we get are usually underprivileged or troubled youngsters who are looking for a better way out," states Rev. Richard Rickson, the youth representative. "I myself was on the verge of committing suicide five years ago but through Brother and Sister Elliott's ministry I was reached for Jesus and now have dedicated my life to helping others find true happiness in this life which really comes through Jesus."

Joyce Wells, assistant pastor, says, "About four years ago I was doing everything bad a 14-year-old girl could do. My mother was in California and I was living with my father and three brothers. One day while I was talking to Sister

Elliott, she began to tell me everything I did and I had never told anyone. Only God knew until she told me. That made me want to turn away from my old life to God. I praise God for Brother and Sister Elliott's ministry and for this ranch. Now this ministry is my ministry."

Brother Don and Sister Bobby Melton and Lisa live on the ranch in their own house. Don and three of the Ranch boys—Robert Graves, Clarence Gosnell and Duane Tucker—built the church. Bro. Melton says, "It sure had to be God because I never claimed to be a carpenter. Sister Bobby is an invalid, but through reading the Bible and receiving faith in God her condition is improving."

Mr. Elliott has for years gone out into the highways and hedges and through this ministry supported the Ranch with freewill offerings from his hedge people. In this way the Ranch of Renown has been made possible through ranchers, business men and women and housewives. The Lord has always met our needs.

At the present time Rickson has taken it upon himself to raise the funds for a dormitory to hold 60 to 80 young people. "What God did for me he can do for others. I want others to get a chance to be helped. If there is anyone interested in helping us to help others, we will be thankful for any kind of offerings to put in the Dormitory Fund."

All donations should be made out to the Ranch of Renown. A receipt will be sent to the donor along with a copy of the ranch paper Firebrands of God. The address is Route 1, Box 366-10, Wichita Falls, Tx 76301.

Telephone No is 767-5720.

"You know, darling," said the wife, cheerily, "you're not as big an idiot as you used to be." "Thank you, sweetie. You think I'm really getting smarter!" "No, thinner."

Service Held for Mrs. G. Shawver

Mrs. George Shawver, a longtime resident of Baylor county, died last Thursday in a Seymour hospital.

Funeral service was conducted Saturday with burial in Riverview cemetery.

Born March 18, 1896, in Texas, she was married on Dec. 24, 1915, in Westover. She was well-known in this area for her oil paintings.

Surviving are Mr. Shawver; a son George K. of Phoenix, Ariz.; four brothers: O. S. McLemore of Iowa Park, Travis McLemore of Levelland, Deward McLemore of Austin, Ronnie McLemore of Archer City; two sisters: Mrs. H. L. Fox of Waxahachie and Mrs. Carrie Shawver of Seymour; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Besides relatives, those from Iowa Park attending the funeral service included Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watson and Mrs. Joe Baxter.

TRACY MARIE DAVENPORT

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Davenport of Canadian are parents of a girl Tracy Marie, born Feb. 1. Weight 7 lb. 2 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davenport of Iowa Park and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Daniels of Canadian. Mrs. J. P. Bettis of Higgins is great-grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eke are living at College Station. She is the former Jeri Combs and works as a secretary at the Veterans hospital there. James is a student at Texas A & M university. Both are graduates of IPHS.

S-Sgt and Mrs. Jack Spruiell jr. of Little Rock AFB spent the weekend here with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Hill Spruiell and Mrs. Martha Dillard.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Waldrip and daughters of Sand Springs, Okla., visited his sister Mr. and Mrs. Monty Britt last weekend.

Baseball season opened Wednesday, Feb. 17, for 26 members of the Houston Astro squad. They reported to spring headquarters in Cocoa, Fla. First game will be on Friday, March 5, as they host the Boston Red Sox.

Mmes. Pete Koonce, Dick Reilly and W. A. George of Iowa Park Garden club are at Valley View this Thursday morning judging conservation posters made by students in the four school rooms.

Texas State Teachers association will have the annual convention March 11-13 in Dallas. Iowa Park will be represented by John Sibley, Dean Miller and Herman Escue.

Texas Highway Patrol investigated 119 accidents on rural roads in Wichita county during the month of January. These crashes resulted in one person killed and 16 persons injured.

A motorist and his wife had been arguing for quite some time and lapsed into angry contemplation. Finally, he pointed to a male in a pasture they were passing. "Relative of yours?" he suggested.

"By marriage," she rejoined.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grissom of Houston came to Iowa Park last Sunday to see her parents Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Walkup. He returned home while she remained for a longer visit.

Football 1971

- Sept. 10: Frenship here
- Sept. 17: Granbury here
- Sept. 24: Open date
- Oct. 1: Burleson here
- Oct. 8: Vernon here
- Oct. 15: Brownwood there
- Oct. 22: Stephenville here
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