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Thousands expected Saturday

Wichita County Christmas Parade to highlight activities

Thousands of people are expected to flock into Iowa Park Saturday for the second annual Wichita County Christmas Parade. They will either be watching or participating.

One of them will be the feature attraction. . . Santa Claus, who is expected to make his entrance on a decorated float and then spend a couple of hours with the children. Shoppers will be treated to a

chance of winning free Christmas shopping money. Participants in the parade will be competing for \$350 in cash prizes and plaques, according to Philip Welch and Tommy Key, co-chairmen of this year's event.

The free Christmas shopping money is something new in recent years for sponsoring Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce.

Through Saturday morning, shoppers can register at any of 14 participating firms in Iowa Park, as often as they wish. No purchase is necessary.

Drawings will begin at 1 p.m. and continue every half hour at the Chamber of Commerce. Winners will receive a book of script money, valued at \$50, which can be redeemed at any of the 14 businesses. Total money to be given away is \$300.

Winners must be present at the drawings in order to win.

Participating businesses are Parkway TrueValue, Settle Drug, McClendon Seed and Feed, Gilmore Inc., Shaw Motor Co., Whites Auto, Iowa Park Florists, Petal Pushers, City Cleaners, Iowa Park Leader, Bates-Barrios Chevrolet, Beall Auto, H&S Food Store and Park Pharmacy.

SANTA CLAUS

Immediately following the parade, Santa Claus will be at his hut, between Settle Drug and Iowa Park Florists, until 2 p.m.

He will return Dec. 15 and 22, to the same location, where he will receive visitors between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

CHILI FEED

A chili feed will be put on by the Iowa Park MuleSkinners following the parade, on the sidewalk next to the Chamber of Commerce building.

For a fee of \$1, persons will be fed chili and beans, with crackers, onions and catsup.

Across the street, live entertainment will be provided. A stand serving free Dr. Pepper will also be in the area.

PARADE ATTRACTION

Approximately 80 units from Iowa Park, Wichita Falls, Burkburnett and Electra will be participating in the parade. They will form on the old fair grounds, west of Park West Shopping Center, at 10 a.m.

The parade will begin winding through the business district at 11 a.m., and will disband at the junior high.

A reviewing stand with visiting dignitaries will be located across Cash Street from the Chamber office. Those on the stand will vote for the top three entrants in the parade.

First prize will be \$100 cash and a plaque, second prize will be \$50 cash and a plaque, and third prize \$25 in cash and a plaque.

A duplication of prizes will be awarded to the People's Choice top three winners. During the parade,

ballots will be handed out to the crowd, and one organization of entry is to be put on the ballot.

People's Choice ballots will be deposited at the Chamber office, Park Pharmacy, Settle Drug, Parkway TrueValue and Whites Auto, within 30 minutes after the parade has ended. They will then be taken to the Chamber office for tabulating.

Out of town dignitaries who will be on the viewing stand include: Col. and Mrs. Larry Prichett, Mayor Raymond Dickey of Electra, Mayor and Mrs. Brack Preston of Burkburnett, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Draper of Wichita Falls, and Lee Potts, Barry Jackson and Robbie Jeffers of the Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce.

Among those from Iowa Park who will be on the viewing stand will be Helen Rich, Iowa Park Chamber's first woman president, and Lita Watson, first woman to serve on the Iowa Park city council.

Included in the parade will be marching bands, several units from Sheppard AFB, the Maskat Temple cloths and train, automobile and motorcycle clubs, and numerous other organizations.

"There are several more floats entered this year than any we've had in the past," commented Key.



JUST IN TIME - Members of the Iowa Park Optimist Club and Chamber of Commerce raised the traditional Christmas tree at the corner of Park and Wall this week, just in time for the Wichita County Christmas Parade this weekend. It

also signaled the annual Christmas tree sale held by the Optimists next to Shaw Motor Co. on West Highway. Optimists Jim Sargent and Alan Shewmake are helped by Linda Merrick and Helen Rich.

Miss Wichita County pageant set

Iowa Park Optimist Club members have announced they will again host the Miss Wichita County Pageant Feb. 29 at the Iowa Park High School auditorium. This will be the second annual county-wide contest and is a preliminary to the Miss Texas Pageant which will be held in Fort Worth in July.

The new Miss Wichita County will receive a trophy, scholarship, wardrobe, and several additional awards. She will serve as an official hostess for county functions for her 1980-81 reign.

During the next few weeks, Optimist Club members will be promoting the pageant through advertisement sales as well as obtaining candidate sponsors.

Peggy Stolper, sponsor's entries chairman of the pageant, is currently seeking applications from area girls between the ages of 17 and 26 to compete for the title. Contestants will be required to compete in swimsuit, evening gown, talent and personal interview.

Anyone interested in further information concerning the pageant can contact any one of the following: Peggy Stolper, at 592-5155; Jewel Thompson, general chairman, at 592-4618 (after 5 p.m. only); or James Richter, at 322-6722.

"This is a county-wide endeavor and we want to encourage both

contestants and sponsors in the entire Wichita County area to participate in the event in order to make the pageant a complete success," stated Mrs. Thompson. "We feel our county has the potential to produce a Miss Texas winner and we intend to support our winner to the best of our

Wood Convalescent Center management is changed

The Missionary Baptist Foundation of America (MBFA) of Lubbock assumed management of Wood Convalescent Center in Iowa Park and five other nursing homes owned by Wood Family Enterprises, it was announced this week by Mike Wood, president.

The Wood family began its extensive operation with purchase of the Iowa Park facility in 1969.

No changes in personnel or operating procedures are to be made here, according to Mrs. Frank Guyette, administrator of the Iowa Park facility. Clea Beggs is director of nursing here.

"These six homes are outstanding facilities with excellent staffs, and MBFA is privileged to add these fine nursing homes to its operation of 18 nursing homes in a three-state area," commented Land D. Wall, president

ability."

Due to the capacity crowd at last year's pageant, advance and reserve ticket sales will begin Jan. 7, and will be available in various locations throughout the county. Detailed ticket information will be announced at that time.

of MBFA Foundation.

"We look forward to working with local health professionals, families and residents of the Wood Homes in continuing the high quality of resident care and community cooperation in Iowa Park and Wichita Falls," Wall said.

MBFA Foundation is a not-for-profit Christian foundation devoted since 1969 to providing alternatives in care for the elderly and disabled of West Texas. It also operates the Dallas Memorial Care Center, a Medicare extended care facility, a nursing home in East Mesa, Ariz., and two homes in Kenosha, Wis.

Other nursing homes are in Dumas, Throckmorton, Aspermont, Jayton, Andrews, Anson, Brownfield, Crowell, Tahoka, Amarillo, and Lubbock.




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COUNCIL TO CONSIDER:

Ordinance to restrict mobile homes to parks

The Iowa Park city council faces a heavy agenda, topped by a change in the mobile home ordinance, when it meets at 7 p.m. Monday in council chambers.

But a light agenda faces the school board, after having met in a called meeting Tuesday. Trustees will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Aldermen will consider a change in the mobile home ordinance which would restrict all future move-ins of the homes to mobile home parks.

Two meetings with the Planning and Zoning Commission during the past week, during which members of the council and commission discussed the mobile home situation in the city, have led to changing the ordinance.

Should the changes be approved, mobile homes now located on private lots will be allowed to remain, but can never be replaced with mobile homes in the future.

Aldermen will also consider two resolutions: one authorizing the mayor to enter into a lease agreement

with Billy James to fence in some city-owned property adjoining his garage; the other allowing the mayor to execute a financial advisory contract with a Dallas firm.

J.B. Barbour has asked to make an appearance before the council to request the city abandon a portion of North Victoria, next to his trucking business.

Aldermen will hear a proposal from Steve Morath, city administrator, to permit him to go ahead and accept the bid from Bates-Barrios Chevrolet for a compact pickup.

Bids were opened two weeks ago for two pickups, and the firm's bid was accepted. However, aldermen wanted to delay accepting one of the pickups while Morath checked into the possibility of buying a motor scooter for the water meter readers. The scooters are too expensive, Morath said.

Following the regular board meeting, council members will sit at the board of adjustments to hear a

request from Toby Whitaker to permit a variance from the required front setback line at his 809 Park Plaza home to allow him to build a carport.

SCHOOL BOARD

School trustees held a called meeting Tuesday night and approved proposal to pay for medical insurance for all full-time employees of the district. The issue has been under consideration about two months.

A proposal from Crown Life Insurance Co. was accepted, calling for a premium of \$23.10 per employee per month.

Total cost of the benefit for 175 full-time employees will be made from federal funds, it was explained.

Other than regular monthly reports, Supt. Faris Nowell said Tuesday's agenda will include a lengthy progress report on construction of the new gymnasium at the high school, and discussion of setting a limit on student travel without board approval.

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Skelton-Patton nuptials exchanged here Saturday

Miss Cynthia Dawn Skelton became the bride of Larry Ned Patton in a double-ring ceremony performed Saturday evening in the chapel of First Baptist Church. Kim Broadstreet, assistant minister of the Baptist Church at Phillips, cousin of the bride, directed the couple in the exchange of their vows.

When the minister asked "Who blesses this marriage?", parents of the couple, Mr. and Mrs. L. Don Skelton of Iowa Park and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Patton of Wichita Falls, answered "We do."

Decorations for the wedding consisted of a bouquet of yellow spider mums, white carnations and gladioli and a branched candelabrum

holding lighted tapers on either side of the stained glass window. The unity candlestick stood on the floor at the front center of the rostrum.

The officiant for the ceremony sang "We've Only Just Begun"; Kerr Broadstreet of Fort Worth, another cousin of the bride, sang one of his own compositions, "Let's Share Our Love," for which he and Craig Shook played guitar accompaniment for pre-nuptial selections. Mrs. Glenn Schell, pianist, played the time-honored wedding marches.

The bride's father escorted her to the altar. She wore a white chiffon gown over taffeta made empire style. The bodice featured

panels of re-embroidered lace from the shoulders to the waistline in front and the lace was repeated on the short bishop sleeves, at hemline level of the skirt and in the border of the chapel train. A Camelot cap of the lace held her fingertip veil of illusion, and she carried a cascade of white carnations, yellow tea roses and English ivy complemented with yellow and white silk streamers.

Mrs. Craig Shook, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. She wore a long yellow Qiana dress with spaghetti straps topped with a beige lace-fringed jacket. Miss Lori Skelton, sister of the bride, and Miss Lisa Wright, the bridesmaids, wore identical gowns, except in blue. The attendants carried long stem blue, yellow and white carnations and wore matching headpieces.

Miss Angie Skelton of Henrietta, niece of the bride, the flower girl, was dressed like the matron of honor. Chad Shook, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Attending the groom were Richard Ness of Fort Worth, best man, Lindy Patton of Wichita Falls, his brother, and Steve Skelton



MRS. LARRY NED PATTON

blue drapes, one set of Grecian dividers, and a bridal couple standing on the top tier against a background of lilies of the valley and silk leaves.

The blue and yellow daisy-shaped mints, made especially for the occasion, and white napkins lettered with "The first day of our lives together, Cindy-Larry, Dec. 1, 1979" completed table decorations. Mrs. Leonard Skelton and Mrs. Mark Skelton served refreshments to the guests.

The groom's parents gave the rehearsal dinner at La Hacienda Hernandez.

The new Mrs. Patton attended Iowa Park High School. The groom was graduated from Burk Burnett High School and attended Texas Tech for two years. He is employed at Mowrey Gun Works and the couple will live in Iowa Park.

Special wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Broadstreet of Winters, grandparents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Patton and A.S. Patton of Chattanooga, Okla., grandparents and great-grandfather of the groom. Other out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Park of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Bridwell of Fort Worth.

17 attend WMU meeting

Seventeen members of Faith Baptist WMU attended a meeting held in the home of Mrs. Norman Hodges Monday night.

Mrs. Leonard Green was leader for the Foreign Missions Week of Prayer program titled "Praying Honestly to Receive". She was assisted by Mes. Ken Cole, Hodges and Don Jagger.

Mrs. Larry Balsley was in charge of business. Plans were discussed for a Christmas party for patients at Wichita Falls State Hospital Dec. 11.

During the social hour, favorite recipes of those in attendance were shared and exchanged.

of Iowa Park, brother of the bride, the groomsmen.

The bride showed her love and respect for her mother and the groom's mother by presenting them with long stem yellow roses during the

service. Her mother wore a deep rose Qiana gown and the groom's mother was attired in a full length peach chiffon dress. They wore white cymbidium orchids tinted orchid for shoulder corsages.

Mrs. John Latham secured signatures of the wedding guests at the church. The registry table, covered with white net accented with yellow and blue bows, held a white feather pen, bride's book and a yellow tea rose in a bud vase.

The bride's parents hosted the reception following the wedding at Texas Electric Reddy Room.

The refreshment table was draped with a white net cloth trimmed with a yellow ribbon bow. The centerpiece was a treasured three-branched antique silver candelabrum holding a bouquet of white mums and yellow tea roses framed by lighted white candles. The pedestal crystal punch bowl at one extremity of the table was another family treasure.

The wedding cake was a three-tiered structure decorated attractively with frosting yellow roses and



BEVERLY BANKS and ROBBY CROWNOVER

Announce engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Banks are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Beverly Denise and Robby Lee Crownover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Crownover of Seymour.

Miss Banks was graduated from Iowa Park High School in 1979. She was active in band, F.F.A., F.T.A. and journalism. She participated in science fairs

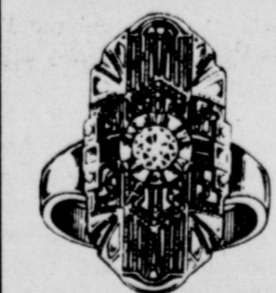
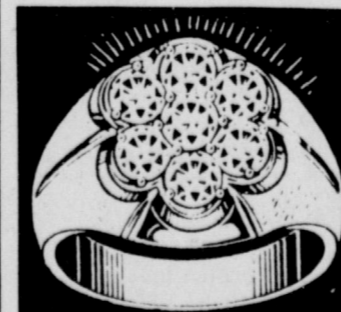
throughout high school. She is currently employed at Southwest National Bank.

The future groom was graduated from Seymour High School in 1976. He was active in F.F.A., holding the Lone Star Farmer Degree. He is employed by O.L. Fulfer Oil Well Service.

A February wedding is planned.



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Shults-Ezzell wedding held recently at Rising Star

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shults of Rising Star, former residents of Iowa Park was the setting for the November 17 wedding of their daughter, Lisa Beth, and Bryan Allen Ezzell, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Ezzell of Rising Star.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by Gary Adams, Bible Chair Director at Cisco Jr. College. Illumination was provided by tall ivory tapers burning in brass candelabra decked with white daisies, burnt orange rosettes and yellow cushion mums flanking the nuptial space.

The bride was escorted by her father who presented her in marriage for both parents. Her pale candlelight wedding dress featured a blouson bodice designed with a scoop neckline and butterfly sleeves and a triple tiered, side draped skirt. She carried a bouquet of white daisies, yellow cushion mums and baby's breath highlighted with a yellow rose in the center and matching streamers.



MR. and MRS. BRYAN EZZELL

Family sentiment characterized the traditions chosen by the bride to complete her

costume. For "something old", she carried a 1921 Morgan silver dollar that

belonged to her paternal grandfather, the late A.T. Shults. Her bridal bouquet was attached to a new Bible inscribed with the names of the bride and groom given to her for the occasion by her maternal grandfather, L.W. McLaury for "something new". For "something borrowed", Mrs. L.W. McLaury, her maternal grandmother, loaned her a 1906 Indian head penny that had belonged to her father, the late A.N. Burgan. To complete the theme, she carried a blue handkerchief that had belonged to her late paternal grandmother, Love Jones Shults, and provided by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Phil McCantles.

The bride's parents were hosts for the wedding reception in their home.

Guests registered in the bride's book with a white feather pen placed beside a white wicker basket containing rice bags tied with yellow and burnt orange ribbons.

The bride's bouquet provided the centerpiece for the refreshment table which was covered with a yellow linen cloth. The three-tiered cake had special significance since it was baked by Mrs. John Joyce and decorated by Mrs. John Schlizer as a gift to the bride and groom. The three-tiered orange velvet confection was covered with white sour cream icing and carried out the bride's colors in floral ornamentation. Adding further charm were the white cupid column dividers and cluster of yellow satin bells on the top tier.

Continuing the decorative theme, white daisies and yellow mums were frozen in a ring to highlight the punch served with the cake. Other table appointments were yellow mints and orange napkins lettered with "To have and to hold from this day forward, Lisa and Bryan, Nov. 17, 1979".

The bride was graduated from Iowa Park High School in 1979 and is presently a student at Cisco Jr. College. The groom, a 1977 graduate of Rising Star High School, is employed by Pyramid Drilling Co.

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Reflections is coming

Wedding date planned

The engagement of Miss Connie Lee Morgan and Randy Lynn Laudermilk is being announced today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morgan of Kamay. Parents of the groom-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cain of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Laudermilk of Jolly.



CONNIE LEE MORGAN

April 4 is the date set by the couple for their wedding. Miss Morgan was graduated from Holliday High School in 1976. She was a member of the Rodeo Club, co-editor of Eagle Express, member of VICA, library assistant and named to Who's Who on the library staff.

Her fiancé was graduated from Rider High School in 1976. He was president of the VICA Club, belonged to FFA, played golf and baseball. He is working at Washex.

Blood pressure check is slated

A blood pressure check will be held at Friendly Door next Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Mrs. Ken Cole and Mrs. Margie Ketchersid will be in charge, according

to Myrna Robinson, site manager. Those who plan to attend the Christmas dinner Dec. 20 must have their reservations in by Dec. 14.

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Hanson-Dyer vows solemnized Friday evening

Honeymooning in Los Angeles, Calif. are Mr. and Mrs. James Keith Dyer, who were married Friday evening in the Southwest Baptist Church in Wichita Falls. The Rev. Larry Lilly, pastor, was the officiating minister. The bride is the former

Miss Terri Elaine Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Hanson of Wichita Falls, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dyer of Iowa Park.

When the bride met her groom at the altar she was wearing a formal silhouette

gown of chiffonella over taffeta. The fitted bodice was richly enhanced with silk Venice lace used in a scalloped pattern to edge the Queen Anne neckline, in trim for the gathered ruffle which extended from the center front over the

shoulders to the back, and on the sheer bishop sleeves. The full A-line skirt fell from an empire waistline adorned with the lace trim and terminated in a wide ruffle hemline flounce which swept to the back of an attached chapel train.

The bride's veil of imported English illusion was edged with scalloped Venice lace and secured by a lace and pearl-covered bandeau coil. She carried a short cascade bouquet of all-white flowers composed of sweetheart roses, miniature carnations, stephanotis and baby's breath.

Keeping traditions, the bride wore an old engagement ring of Mrs. Bill Clary of Oklahoma City, her aunt for "something old"; something borrowed" was Mrs. A.B. Vordenbaum's strand of pearls. For the blue and good luck traditions, she followed the garter and sixpence customs.

The bride walked to the altar on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage for both parents.

The ceremony took place in an altar space illuminated with cathedral candles glowing in two spiral candelabra swathed with boxwood in the foreground and in fifteen-branched candelabra in the background. The floral pieces in the setting were two graceful arrangements of white peonies, dahlias, gladioli, open roses and large peach and white zinnias.

The altar was approached along an aisle designated by satin pew bows, and the unity candelabrum in the lower altar completed the sanctuary decorations.

Mark Beauchamp, the bride's niece, lighted the candles preceding the entrance of the bridal party.

Miss Holly Irby, pianist, offered a prenuptial concert including selections from the compositions of Beethoven

which were "Sonata Andante", "Allegretto", and "Romanze". Ricky Timms, vocalist, gave special solo offerings of "Evergreen", "The Wedding Prayer", "It Seems I Always Loved You" and "Together Forever". Miss Irby provided accompaniment and also played the traditional processional by Wagner and Mendelssohn's recessional.

The maid of honor, Miss Diane Stephens, and the bridesmaid, Miss Joyce Vordenbaum of Dallas, wore formal gowns of peach Qiana designed with flattering raised bodices, spaghetti straps, side wrap A-line skirts, and fashionable matching capes slightly raised on one shoulder with a drawstring. Equally as attractive were the nosegays which they carried formed of silk peach daisies, azalea blossoms and roses, cream-colored straw flowers, brown leather leaf, brown and peach satin streamers.

The groom and masculine participants in the wedding wore light brown tuxedos with dark brown velvet trim. The groom wore a boutonniere of white roses and stephanotis.

James Dyer served his son as best man, and Stuart Greenwood of Wichita Falls was groomsman. John Beauchamp and Al Michael of Wichita Falls were ushers.

The reception following the wedding was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church and hosted by the bride's parents. They were assisted by Mrs. Al Michael, Mrs. John Beauchamp and Mrs. Cecil Webb.



MRS. JAMES KEITH DYER

Rice bags were distributed by Kelli and Stacie Beauchamp, Misti Michael and Hayli Dyer, daughter of the groom. They were dressed like the bridal attendants.

The table from which the cake and punch were served was gracefully draped with peach satin overlaid with a sheer cloth trimmed with brown ribbon. Each appointment lent itself to the peach and brown color scheme to achieve a total effect of charm.

A five-branched silver candelabrum in the center of the table held white candles and a bouquet of peach and brown silk flowers. The choice of silver was also noted in the punch bowl and mint trays.

The traditional-style white wedding cake of three tiers was heavily decorated in scrollwork and border design and cascades of peach roses. Two sets of Grecian columns added lofty dignity, and the top ornament, a bride and groom standing in front of a pearlized and tulle lattice background, fit into the romantic mood of the occasion.

The table which held the bride's book was covered with a cloth identical to the one on the refreshment table and the appointments carried out the peach and brown theme.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Hanson wore a taupe Qiana gown fashioned with a scoop neck, long sleeved jacket that tied at the waistline and crystal pleated skirt. Mrs. Dyer chose a beige silkylure gown with an attached brown chiffon cape that fell to the beaded waistline in front and hung loosely over the shoulders and back. Each wore peach-colored glabella corsages.

The bride was graduated from Wichita Falls High School and is employed by North Texas Medical Laboratory. The groom, who is president of Dycon Inc., was graduated from Iowa Park High School. The couple will live in Iowa Park.

The groom's parents gave the rehearsal dinner at Frontier Steak House where tables were decorated with brown and beige candles ringed in peach and brown flowers.

Christmas gifts, wraps are Epsilon Eta program

Mrs. Anita Chaney of Lone Star Gas Co. gave the program for Epsilon Eta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Tuesday evening in a meeting held at Texas Electric Reddy Room. She was introduced by Mrs. Carter Pirkle, educational chairman.

In keeping with the season, Mrs. Chaney gave a demonstration of Christmas gifts and wrappings, showing how ingenuity can change inexpensive gifts into something beautiful. She used a kitchen scoop filled with candy and tied with a bright bow, a jogging shoe filled with goodies and other household items to prove her point.

Chapter members brought an assortment of goodies made from Lone Star's "A Christmas to Enjoy" recipes.

Mrs. Bud Mercer was in charge of business. During the evening, First Pearl

awards were presented to Mmes. Phil McDonald, Barry Mahler, Carter Pirkle and Richard Hicks, and Mrs. Jean Proulx received her first Pallas Athene award. Mrs. Mahler reported that the picture coupons project netted \$170 toward the St. Jude Research Center.

Mrs. Alton Hunter and Mrs. Raymond Cope, inactive members, were guests.



Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Lucas announce the birth of their second child, Kelli Dee Ann, a nine-pound, six-ounce daughter, born Nov. 9. The new baby has a brother, Bryan, six years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dishman of Electra, Mrs. Jody Ewing and Mrs. Arlene Newsom of Iowa Park are grandparents of the baby.

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