

Coffee held for Mrs. Powers

Sixty guests enjoyed a coffee held in honor of Mrs. (Paul) Johnnie Schurup Powers, on Saturday, February 23, 1985, from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m., at the home of Mrs. J. H. Clipson Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Powers were recently married. She is from El Campo and the coffee was held to introduce her to her new friends here.

Decorations for the morning included a beautiful centerpiece of spring flowers, including yellow lilies, white daisies, white tulips, red and pink carnations and baby breath. Mrs. Powers was presented a beautiful bouquet of apple blossoms.

Hostesses were Mrs. Clipson, Mrs. Frank Davidson, Mrs. J.K. Davidson, Mrs. Robert Griffith, Clara May Nash and Mrs. Henry Sunderman.

Helping register guests was Sherrie Webb, Mrs. Powers' granddaughter. Included as servers were her daughters-in-law, Claudette Powers, Vicki Powers and Debbie Powers, and her daughters, Mrs. Sharon Webb, Mrs. Johanna Bowen, and Mrs. Clipson's daughter, Mrs. Cathy Adelson of Houston.

Letters Policy

The Headlight urges readers to submit letters to the editor. However, for legal reasons, the letters must be signed and include the writer's address and telephone number. Although we believe letters should be printed with the name of the author, we will print letters without names, in the interest of a free exchange of ideas.

—John Fearing

Letter to the editor

Circle G owner offers compromise

To all the people of Colorado County and more especially the county commissioners and the city council of Columbus:

As most of you already know, I am trying to get permission to keep my business open until 2 a.m. It is hard to compete on an equal basis if I am having to close my club at 12 o'clock (midnight) while my competitors are allowed to stay open until 2 a.m.

This is not fair to me, and partly because I do not operate in the Columbus city limits; even though I like Columbus and do a lot of business there. Let me make it very clear that I am not so hell-bent on a 2 o'clock (a.m.) operation. All I want is to be able to make a living on an equal basis as all other businesses in the county, including those in the city of Columbus.

I have talked to several business people in Columbus

about an idea that would correct this injustice. In the interest of justice for all the citizens of Colorado County I have this suggestion:

The city council of Columbus and the county commissioners should get together and each give just a little bit, and allow all club operations to stay open until 1 a.m.

I urge you, in the interest of justice, to approve this idea at once.

Herb Graham,
Owner, Circle G Club
at the Bowling Alley

Editor's Note: It appears Mr. Graham has a good point, as well as a compromise that would be beneficial to all. Hopefully it will be considered seriously, and that the comments of others would be made public in future letters.

—John Fearing

Garwood & Nada News

By Mrs. J.F. Struska

Dr. and Mrs. Max H. Faykus of Victoria announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Susan, of Dallas to Mark David Collins of Victoria. The couple will exchange vows May 15 at 7 p.m. in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Victoria.

The bride-elect is a 1977 graduate of Victoria High School, received her B.S. degree in nursing from Baylor University in 1982 where she was on the dean's list and a member of both Sigma Theta Tau, a nursing honor society and Pi Beta Phi sorority. She is presently a student at the University of Texas at Arlington where she is pursuing a master's degree as a pediatric nurse practitioner.

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The women of the Garwood Lehigh Memorial United Methodist Church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Engstrom with Mrs. Engstrom as hostess at 10 a.m. last Wednesday.

She opened with a song and prayer by the president Mrs. Lawrence Berger, roll call and minutes were read by secretary Mrs. Minnie Lee Conner. Treasurer's report by Mrs. Louis Miller, and card report by Mrs. Vera Shop. Mrs. Berger gave a report on a meeting in Victoria.

Mrs. Conner, Mrs. Marion Bennett and Mrs. Berger gave a report on the home near Markham for all ages of children who were giving trouble at home. Mrs. Conner read a piece from the El Campo Leader News that described the home.

The Alpha Sigma Omicron chapter of Beta Sigma Phi celebrated Valentine's Day with a "warm up" get together on Sunday at Nada hall in Nada.

The social honored the chapter Valentine sweetheart, Cynthia Boenisch. After the "warm up," members enjoyed an evening at the Garwood Fireman's annual dance.

Previously, the chapter had met February 5 in the home of Madlyn Zbrank of Garwood. The meeting, conducted by

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Clayton Smiths

welcome son

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith, of Odessa, announce the birth of their first child, a son, born on February 20 at 2:28 p.m. at Women and Children's Hospital in Odessa. The baby was named Cale Archer and weighed seven pounds four and one-half ounces and measured twenty inches at birth.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob McLean of Houston. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil A. Smith of Garwood. Great grandparents are Mollie Hunt of Garwood and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo A. Smith of Colorado Springs, Colorado.

The new mother is the former Diane McLean.

Richard Lesaks

welcome girl

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lesak of Wharton announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, named Lauren Nicole. The baby was born at 9:01 a.m. on February 7 at Gulf Coast Medical Center in Wharton and weighed seven pounds five ounces.

She has one brother, Kyle Matthew, two and one-half years old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Korenek of Nada. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Lesak Sr. of Garwood.

The new mother is the former Phyllis Korenek.

Shropshire Upton

chapter met

The Shropshire Upton chapter of UDC met in Nesbitt Memorial Library for their February meeting with Mrs. Sue Imbomone, Mrs. Gladys Gold and Mrs. George King as hostesses.

Mrs. William Kemper, president, opened with the ritual and salute to the flags. Mrs. N.J. Maines held the memorial service for Mrs. Charles Kearney. Mrs. Myrah Jase Draper gave a brief biography. Charles and Jim Kearney were special guests.

The honorable mayor of Eagle Lake, Elmer Struss, gave the program on the history of the splendor. This was in the form of a quiz on leaders and events in the War Between the States.

Mrs. Elmer Struss and Mrs. McTabb were guests.

Museum Notes

Be sure to see the old valentine and sheet music display at the Prairie Edge Museum. The attractive poster advertising these items was made by Emmy Sheridan. The valentines, music and music covers are mostly from the collections of Joyce Hubalek, Louise Priemeyer and Mand Zupstien Wright. This display will be available for you to see for about two more weeks.

Through arrangement by Helen Farris, a friend M.L. Randall of Houston has donated a large collection of valuable items from his Madisonville, Texas ranch. Among these interesting pieces are the following: wooden wash tub and wringer, wheel rim trough, fuge blower, sugar press, mining cart, cane press, wood stove and anvil.

Remember the garage sale scheduled for March 8 and 9. The sale's purpose is to make money for expansion and maintenance. You may bring donations most mornings Monday through Friday and from 2 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays.

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Juan Valles' welcome daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Manuel Valles, of Eagle Lake, announce the birth of their third child, a daughter, born on February 25 at 9:03 a.m. at Eagle Lake Community Hospital in Eagle Lake. The baby was named Joan Maria and weighed eight pounds fifteen ounces and measured 21 inches long.

The baby is welcomed home by two brothers, Juan Manuel Jr. and Carlos Antonio.

Maternal grandparents are Santos and Jovita Saucedo of Eagle Lake. Paternal grandparents are Antonio and Micaela Valles of Mexico.

The new mother is the former Maria Gila Saucedo.

Amanda Kay Besch born

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Besch of Eagle Lake are proud to announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, born on Saturday, February 16 at 8 p.m. at Eagle Lake Community Hospital. The baby was named Amanda Kay and weighed eight pounds five ounces.

Amanda Kay is welcomed home by a brother, Brandon, age four.

Maternal grandparents are Mrs. Victor Berger of Weimar and the late Victor Berger. Paternal grandparents are Mrs. Louise Besch of Alletton and the late Ernest Besch. Great grandparents are Mrs. Annie Ripper of Alletton and Mrs. Alma Lippert of Columbus.

The new mother is the former Brenda Berger of Schulenburg.

Heritage House News

BY PATRICIA A. HORNDT

The residents of Heritage House gathered in the dining room for church services this past Sunday. Rev. George Welch visited and had a wonderful sermon. We thanked Rev. Welch for coming out and having church services for our residents.

Welcome new residents

We would like to welcome these new residents to Heritage House. They are Richard Brown, Mrs. Susie May and Esquiel Hernandez. Welcome and hope your stay is enjoyed.

Deepest sympathy

We want to extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family of Lena Shackelford.

February birthday party

Heritage House residents were hosted with a birthday party for the month of February last Friday afternoon. A delicious birthday cake and soda water were served to approximately 37 residents. Beautiful corsages and a boutonniere were presented to the birthday people and everyone sang "Happy Birthday." Those celebrating were Evelyn Redmond, Tillie Mae Williams and Maurie Glenn.

We want to thank Mr. and Mrs. Don Wiese and the Farris family for the flowers.

Employees celebrating their birthday this month were Helen Perry, Dora Eaton, Rowena Earls, Gussie Shropshire, Eula McGrew and Josie Bankston. Happy birthday to these great employees of Heritage House.

Bingo afternoon

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