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Public School Week Set For March 1 - 5

The Motley County School System is getting ready to welcome parents who will visit classrooms during Public School Week March 1-5.

The school lunchroom staff will feed visiting parents on Wednesday, March 3, and will begin feeding kindergarten at about 11 a.m. Parents need to check with their children to find out what time they need to be at the school in order to eat with their children.

The Matador Lions Club will eat at the school cafeteria on Tuesday, March 2, then visit classes.

Why public schools? If democracy is to continue, we must educate our young. Not just a portion of our young, but all. Each youngster must have the opportunity to enjoy and expect an educational opportunity at least through high school. But, there must also be a chance to prove this. A chance to let parents and tax payers in general know what our schools are doing.

So, today, Texas Public School Week is the biggest single public relations event of the school year, and an opportunity to increase

public understanding and support, as well as civic support for improvement measures. Texas Public School Week originated in 1950 through the efforts of Freemasonry in Texas. It is today, Mason sponsored and is traditionally proclaimed by the Governor of Texas as the first full week in March.

March 1-5 has been designated as Texas Public School Week. You are invited to take this opportunity to seek answers to your questions about education and the system, and to evaluate your local school district and

personnel. Visit, observe, and ask - do your schools have qualified teachers? Do they have enough money available to give your child and others the educational base so vital to living and working in modern

society? Whether you are a parent or not, your comments, questions, and observations will be most welcome. Won't you please take part? Observe Texas Public School Week, March 1-5.

Farabee Selected For 1982 Award

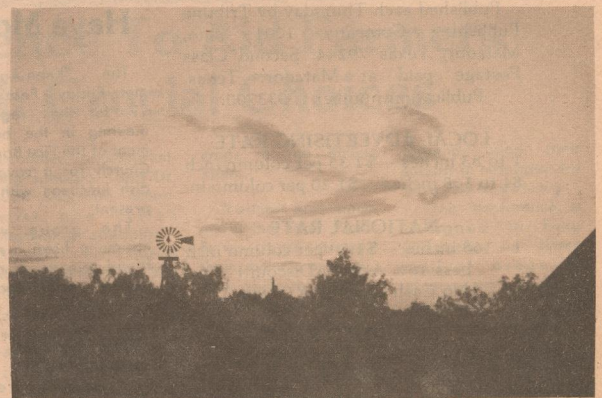
Senator Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls has been selected to receive the 1982 Friend of Education Award. This award is presented annually by the Texas Classroom Teachers Association, a statewide teacher's organization, to a person outside the field of education who has made a significant contribution to education in Texas. Senator Ed Howard of Texarkana has been named co-recipient.

In the last legislative session, Senator Farabee sponsored and passed bills providing for teacher competency testing and for improving the teacher retirement system. Senator Farabee said, "I am honored to

have been selected to receive this award.

Education is the single largest and most important part of the state budget. Improving our education system while still trying to hold the line on spending should be a top priority of state government in the 80s." Senator Farabee presently serves as a member of the Select Committee on Public Education.

The award will be presented at the 1982 TCTA State Convention on February 26, at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Dallas. Governor Clements and Lieutenant Governor Hobby will speak at the meeting.



PRETTY SUNSET -- Warm weather early this week gave county residents spring fever. Temperatures dropped again Wednesday night, but the winter days seem to be over for this year. (Knack on wood).

Letters Of Intent Signed By Local Men

Two members of the 1981 Motley County Matadors football team have signed letters of intent with Howard Payne University, Brownwood, Texas, Howard Payne head coach Bill Hicks announced last week.

Glenn Calvert, 6-3, 260 pound lineman for the Matadors, and Harvey Lee, 6-2, 200 pound fullback-linebacker, both have indicated they may be playing football for Howard Payne next year.

Another noted

Motley County running back from the past, Jerry Paul Lee, will be their teammate. He is the older brother of Harvey Lee.

"We are extremely pleased with our initial signing of these football recruits," Hicks said. "We did not anticipate such a good recruiting due to a late start in recruiting, and were surprised we did in fact sign the young men earlier than anticipated. We are getting the athletes that we need, and the

character and academic excellence we desire."

Other former Matadors who may play college football are Wesley Stafford and Jerry Long, but they have not signed letters of intent yet.

The Matadors rumbled through the 1981 football season undefeated, and were ranked the number one class A team in the state for 14 weeks.

They were defeated in the quarter finals in the state playoffs.

The County Official

- If he talks on a subject - he is trying to run things.
- If he is silent - he is dumb and has lost interest.
- If he is usually at the Courthouse he should get out more.
- If he is out when you call - he isn't on the job.
- If he is at home at night - he is neglecting county business.
- If he is not home at night - he must be out carousing at the club.
- If he agrees with you - he lacks originality.
- If he does not agree with you - he is ignorant.
- If he seems too busy for casual talk - his job has gone to his head.
- If he engages in casual talk - that's all he has to do.
- If he can't give you an immediate answer - he's incompetent.
- If he can give you an immediate answer - that's what he's paid for.
- If he appears cordial - he's playing politics.
- If he appears aloof - he should be trimmed down to size.
- If he has an opinion - he is bull headed.
- If he explains both pros and cons - he's pussyfooting.
- If he has been on the job a short time - he lacks experience.
- If he has been on the job a long time - he lacks new ideas.

Kit Horne Joins Utility Company

Kit Horne, a native of Coleman and until recently an agricultural extension agent in Burleson County, has joined West Texas Utilities Company as its Farm and Ranch Supervisor.

He succeeds James L. (Curly) Hays, who recently retired. Horne holds a BS Degree in agri-business from Tarleton State University and a Master's Degree in ag education from Texas A&M University.

Bill Tedder, manager of WTU's Public Service Department, said much of Horne's work will involve youth activities, particularly 4-H and FFA programs through the WTU service area.

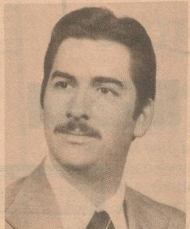
He will coordinate WTU's participation in the Texas Agri-Business Electric Council of Texas A&M, which will include sponsoring workshops for vocational-agriculture teachers and others. He also will work

with cattle associations, farm groups and in other civic and community programs.

Horne served as United States Ambassador in the International 4-H Youth Exchange in Norway in 1976. He later was with the First National Bank of Brownwood before joining the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in 1977. He then served as an extension agent in Brown County before taking leave to complete his graduate studies, and later became extension agent at Caldwell, in Burleson County.

His activities have included 11 years of 4-H Club work, membership in the Tarleton State Rodeo Club, the Coleman County Junior Rodeo Association, the Texas and National Association of Extension 4-H Agents.

His wife is the former Mindy L. Cardinas, also of Coleman.



Kit Horne

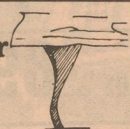
Severe Weather Program Set

There will be a severe weather spotters program Tuesday, March 2, at the Motley County Courthouse. The program will begin at 7 p.m.

Representatives from the National Weather Service of Lubbock will

be guest speakers. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Matador Volunteer Fire Department is responsible for early warning and protection from severe weather for Motley County.



Billie Clifton Named Dougherty Postmaster

Sectional Center Manager/Postmaster Elmer J. Reed, Jr., of Lubbock, today announced the appointment of Billie J. Clifton, as the new Postmaster at Dougherty, TX, effective Saturday, February 20, 1982.

Ms. Clifton, 53, a native of Motley County, has served as a Clerk in Roaring Springs, Texas, for the

past 6½ years.

Postmaster selections for offices of this size are made on the basis of merit from a list of qualified candidates submitted to the Sectional Center Manager at Lubbock. He selects and recommends to the Postmaster General the best qualified person for appointment to each vacancy:

Ms. Clifton's hobbies are sewing and gardening.

She has three married sons, and her husband is deputy sheriff of Motley County.

Ms. Clifton is member of the First United Methodist Church, Roaring Springs, TX; she is a high school graduate, Roaring Springs, TX.

The Motley County Lady Matadors lost their bid for the Bi-District basketball championship 46-54 Tuesday night, to the New Home varsity girls, in a nail biting cage contest played at Lorenzo.

The local girls began slow and trailed 5-10 at the end of the first quarter, but seemed to be coming back strong in the second and third quarters. New Home was ahead 18-23 at halftime.

In the third quarter the Lady Matadors pulled ahead slightly, but could not keep New Home down. The local girls had trouble with free throws, which hurt

their come back efforts. But still they were in the lead 38-37 as the final period began.

With four minutes to go in the game New Home moved ahead again 44-45, and for the next two minutes both sides played tough defense. With two minutes to go in the game New Home was ahead 44-48.

But the last two minutes proved fatal for the Lady Matadors, as they scored only two more points to New Home's six. When the final buzzer sounded New Home had claimed the Bi-District crown 46-54

over the Lady Matadors.

Shelly Jackson scored 17 points for Motley County and Kim Campbell scored 10.

Darla Dempsey had eight points and Vivian Sims and Jeanette Moore each scored four.

Also scoring for Motley County were Deanna Durham with two and Rhonda Stephens with one.

The Lady Matadors went into the game with an impressive 17 wins to only six losses for the season.

Scouts Give Program To Eternas Club

Eternas Junior Study Club met Thursday, February 18 in the home of Mrs. Jesse Perkins with Mrs. Franklin Jackson as co-hostess.

Scoutmaster, Ronnie Vandiver and scouts Jeffery Burkes, Kody Hardin and Wade Vandiver presented the program on their trip to the National Jamboree. Slides, along with many souvenirs were shown to members.

Mrs. Johnny Turner presided over the

business meeting. Members are continuing work on the club cookbook. Also, the date for the Little Olympics has been set for May 1st.

Those present were Mesdames Walter Taylor, James Stanley, David Boykin, Larry Clifton, Donnie Jackson, Jeff Thacker, Roger Vinson, Kelly Meyer, Alan Bingham, Gary Hillyard, Danny Copeland, Jerry Jones, Emilio Aguilar, Larry Hoyle, Travis Jameson, Neal Haralson and Larry Bell.

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Keen-Agers

Have Monthly Meeting

The "Keen-Agers" met Friday, February 19, for their regular meeting in the basement of the First Baptist Church for a covered dish luncheon with 21 present.

The group was happy to have a new friend join us, a new resident of Matador, Frank Ward.

Film strips of the beautiful country of Switzerland were shown. The wonderful scenery of rivers and mountains made all we

fishermen wish for fishing pole and to be there casting out for a big fish.

Many regular attendees were home or in the hospitals ill.

The next meeting will be March 19th. All senior citizens of the community are invited to join the group each month at 12:00 noon. "Keen-Agers" keep this date in mind. If anyone needs a ride to and from the church, call the church office and someone will pick you up.

In The Rough

by hazel

There was a called meeting of members of the Springs Ranch Club, Thursday, February 11, at 10:30 a.m. at the Welcome Center of the Springs Ranch. Purpose of the meeting was to organize the lady golfers.

Leona Cox was elected president; Loys Campbell, vice-president and tournament chairman; Hazel Donovan, secretary-treasurer and reporter. The name for the group is Springs Ranch Ladies Golf Association. The members voted to pay \$10.00 each into the Association, as dues.

Those present were Loys, Dorothy Day,

Dorothy Russell, LaVoe, Mary Jones, Laverna, Dorothy Campbell (Floydada), Leona, Olivia, Louise, Opal, Winifred, Hazel and Doug Terry, our pro. Others paying were Lucretia and Lillian. *****

Thursday, February 18, Leona, Loys, Hazel and Doug met at City Hall at 9 a.m. and set up tournament dates for the season. *****

There have been some beautiful days for golfing - and lots of players enjoying playing.

Marvin had the thrill of a "hole-out," from about 100 yards off the green, on No. 6 recently.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Smith have recently moved here and purchased the Algje Groves home on South Eubank.

Mrs. Smith is the former Kim Fletcher of Roaring Springs. Mr. Smith is also from this area, having been a former resident of Spur. They have been residing in Lubbock where Mr. Smith has been associated with the International Harvester Dealership for the past two and a half years. He is now employed by Matador Motor & Implement Co. in the service department.

Charles Cammack and a friend, Chris Cummins of Nacogdoches, both Texas Tech students, spent the week end visiting

Charles' mother, Mrs. Zona Ruth Cammack.

Mrs. Frank Price is a patient in the Nichols Hospital in Plainview following surgery.

J. W. Pritchett had recent surgery at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. R. E. "Pappy" Campbell, Sr. is a patient in the Caprock Hospital in Floydada. He fell at his home but did not suffer any broken bones.

Visiting recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Richards, Bonnie, Will and Luke were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hall of Oklahoma City, Okla. Mrs. J. M. (Marjorie) Harper of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa visited recently with her sisters and families, Mrs. John (Josephine) Hamilton and Mrs. Olive Russell.



LIBRARY NOTES

By Beverly Darsey Librarian

Children's films will be shown in the library film room on Saturday, March 6, at 10:00 a.m. Watch this column in next week's Tribune for titles.

We appreciate the recent donations of books and periodicals from the following library supporters: Mr. and Mrs. Glen Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Algje Groves.

A donation of \$447.08 was received from the newly organized Friends of the Motley County Library Association. These funds will be used to purchase books for the library. Many citizens, both in and out of the county, have joined this library-support group and have pledged their support through membership dues and/or fund raising activities, as well as volunteer work in the library. We greatly appreciate our Friends Association and its individual members! Anyone wishing to join this group may contact Friends President, Mark Gibbens-Rickman, or Treasurer, Freda Keahey, or Librarian,

Beverly Darsey. Dues are 50¢ Student; \$2.00 Individual; \$5.00 Family; \$10.00 Supporting; \$25.00 Business Firms, Organizations, and Civic Clubs; \$50.00 Patron; and \$100.00 Life Membership.

During the past few weeks the library has had the volunteer services of Cathy Reeder and Joan Patton. We are very thankful for their help in processing books and for "taken over" when the librarian has to be out.

A new packet of films has arrived at the library and is available for checkout or for scheduled showings in the library film room. For film titles and subjects and to set up film showings, contact Beverly at the library Thursday and Friday (9 to 5) and Saturday (9 to 1).

Attention Friends of the Motley County Library! Save your empty detergent boxes -- they can be made into magazine cases for the library (this idea comes from Friends member, Virginia Hoyle -- Thanks!)

13th Century Magna Carta To Be Shown At A&M

The 13th century Magna Carta -- the basis of the U.S. Constitution -- arrives in College Station from England this month at its first stop in a six-state tour.

Two local ladies, Mrs. Harold H. Campbell and Mrs. J. E. Edwards have more than a passing interest in the tour of the Magna Carta document.

The document, which will be shown at Texas A&M University for three days beginning Feb. 28, is known as the Lincoln Exemplar. It is one of four remaining original copies of the Great Charter which became the basis for western law.

Signed and sealed by King John in a

historic meeting at Runnymede in 1215, the Magna Carta was a treaty between the king and his barons that guaranteed the rights of all people and made the king subject to the law.

They have recently been invited to become members of the Magna Carta Dames, an organization whose ancestors were the barons at Runnymede. Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Edwards have traced their lineage to Gilbert DeClare, The Earl of Hertford, who was one of the sureties of the Magna Carta. The ladies are also members of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Beverly Darsey Attends Meeting

Beverly Darsey, librarian at the Motley County Library attended the Library Information Services workshop at Western Texas College in Snyder on February 10th and 11th, sponsored by the West Texas Library System at Lubbock and the Big Country Library System at Abilene. The

workshop was designed to help local librarians provide better information services to adults and children in West Texas communities.

Librarians heard Margaret Nichols from North Texas State University at Denton discuss the kinds of questions library patrons ask and how librarians can help patrons find the answers to those questions accurately and quickly both in-person and over the telephone. Common reference books, such as dictionaries, encyclopedias, almanacs, directories, that all libraries own, were recommended as good sources for the kinds of questions that the average library user asks.

Ken Dowlin and Anne Harrington from the Pikes Peak Library District in Colorado Springs discussed the question: How will patrons get answers to questions in the future? Dowlin and Harrington believe the future is now. The computer system developed for the Pikes Peak Library District serves homes and businesses, by allowing users to telephone the library and receive information delivered on their home or business computer screens. Dowlin described other electronic services available to library users in some parts of the country -- a video reference service that enables questions to be answered over cable channels or provide community television programming originating from the library.

More than fifty librarians attended the workshop.

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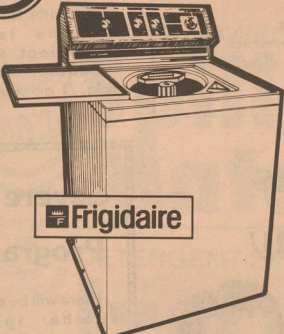
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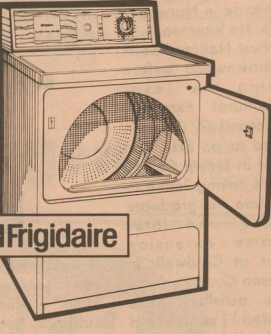
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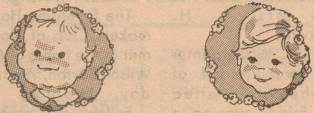
Grandparents Brag Corner



Casey Tyler Green, 4 years and Corey Scott Green, 2 years are children of Dr. and Mrs. Tom Green of Midland. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Knight Jr. of Pearland. Great-grandparents are Mrs. J. C. Green Sr. and Mrs. C. M. Colley, both of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Knight Sr of Dale, Texas.



Brian age 12, Krista age 8 and Melissa age 5 are children of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Don Green of Shallowater. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Furgerson of Maple and great-grandmothers are Mrs. J. C. Green Sr. and Mrs. C. M. Colley, both of Matador.



Jerod Blake Reiger, son of Dana and Bruce Reiger. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dillard and Great-grandmother is Mrs. Edna Dillard.



County Agents Corral

By Jerry Cummins

Conference To Aid Farmers With Crucial Choices

CHILDRESS --Changes in agriculture present threats for some farmers and opportunities for others during 1982. In either case these changes will affect how farmers fare not only in 1982 but in years to come.

Suggestions for ways to make the most of these changes will be presented during a special one-day program at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 9 at the Fair Park Auditorium, three blocks north of the Childress County courthouse.

The program "Profitable Decision Making in 1982," is especially tailored to the needs of agricultural producers.

"A panel of Extension educators will spend the day addressing real-world problems of farming and ranching." They will cover farm policy, production and financial decisions, and marketing alternatives.

The Childress meeting will focus upon conditions and alternatives in cotton and wheat. It is one of 10 such meetings being conducted across the state by the Extension Service. The local meeting is being held in conjunction with the Rolling Plains Economic Program.

Policy and marketing trends will be examined by Dr. Ron Knutson, economist and policy and marketing specialist; Dr. Roland Smith,

economist and marketing specialist, and Dr. Carl Anderson, economist and cotton marketing specialist. Knutson will discuss implications of the 1981 farm bill. Smith will discuss marketing outlooks for wheat, and Anderson will look at cotton prospects.

The relationship of production and financial decisions will be covered by Dr. Wayne Hayenga, farm management economist. He will offer some suggestions on ways to stretch credit, evaluation risk position, trade-offs between income and survival, crop insurance, spending money to make money, selecting the best crop from the standpoint of profit and risk, and the implications of such choices for the farmer, the landlord and the banker.

A dutch treat barbecue lunch will be served at noon for \$5.

During the afternoon, Knutson will compare marketing options for risk and returns, evaluate marketing methods for 1982 and the future, and offer suggestions for developing a marketing plan.

Smith and Anderson then will provide a detailed look at selection of selling prices, pricing versus delivery, and evaluating storage for cotton and wheat, principal

crops in the Rolling Plains.

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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson of Lubbock spent last weekend her with her sister, Mrs. Douglas Meador.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neighbors visited in Hereford several days last week with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Milton

Rudder.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groves of Lubbock visited friends here Monday, and Mrs. Groves attended a meeting of the Stitch and Chatter Club at the home of Mrs. J. E. Edwards.

Lunchroom Menu

Mon. March 1
Breakfast- Orange Juice, Toast, Cereal, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Lunch- Barbequed Sausage, Buttered Corn, Turnip Greens, Hot Roll, Butter, Fruit, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Tues. March 2
Breakfast- Grape Juice, Bacon & Eggs, Hot Biscuit, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Lunch- Beef & Cheese Taco, Ranch Style Beans, Tossed Salad, Cookies, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Wed. March 3
Breakfast- Apple Juice, Toast, Cereal, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Lunch- Baked Chick-

en w/Cream Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Butter, Syrup, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Thurs. March 4
Breakfast- Orange Juice, Waffles & Syrup, Sausage, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Lunch- Hamburger w/Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles & Onions, Potato Chips, Jello, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Fri. March 5
Breakfast- Grape Juice, Toast, Rice, Butter, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Lunch- Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Pinto Beans, Spinach, Cornbread, Cake, 1/2 pt. Milk.

County Agent Is Speaker

Matador Garden Club met February 15, at the Plainview Savings and Loan Community Room, with Miss Rachel Patton as hostess and leader of a program on horticulture.

Jerry Cummins,

Motley County Extension Agent presented the program on the safe use of chemicals for lawn and garden beauty. He distributed pamphlets on controlling insects and gave proper instructions for weed control formulas.

Further suggestions were given in a question and answer session following the agent's talk.

The "show and tell" roll call was answered by members bringing a picture of their homes showing flower beds or

lawns. The leader concluded the program with a Lone Star Gardener Review. Others present were Mesdames W. F. Jacobs, Ted Elliott, Robert Birchfield, W. D. Lipscomb, Alvin Stearns and W. N. Pipkin.

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| % service order commitments met as promised | 90 | 98.4 | 100 |
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| % direct dialed long distance calls completed on 1st try | 95 | 96.9 | 99.0 |
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Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

Mrs. Maxine Shipley of Turkey and Mrs. John Barton visited Sunday and Monday of last week in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Jones and Ted Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas of Amarillo visited last weekend with Mrs. Ralph Stapleton and her houseguest, Gregory Stapleton of Davis, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Watson of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barton attended the German Sausage Festival in Slaton, Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Tilson visited in Spur, Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Quattlebaum.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Poteet of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens visited in Hale Center, Sunday with J. D. Hensley. Mr. and

Mrs. Poteet returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Stephens and enjoyed fishing and an outdoor supper at their lake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. "Skeet" Jameson visited in Paducah, Sunday with his father, Bob Jameson and his wife, Mrs. Jameson, a patient in Richards Memorial Hospital. Other visitors were Mrs. Bob Jameson's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harmon of Dimmitt.

Rate Increase Approved By Utility Commission

A settlement agreement allowing West Texas Utilities Company to increase its rates to retail customers has been approved by the Texas Public Utility Commission of Texas.

The new rates, which will average about 8.3 per cent above the old rates, were placed in effect on Friday, February 12. This action is in accordance with a stipulated agreement with all intervenors, including cities represented by the Texas Municipal League, WTU and the PUC staff.

The increase is designed to increase the Company's annual retail revenues

by \$11.8 million. A wholesale rate increase of \$5.5 million, also settled by agreement and expected to be approved by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in Washington, would bring WTU's total annual revenue increase to \$17.3 million. The Company had applied for a total increase of \$32.2.

The effect on a residential bill for 600 kilowatt-hours of electricity per month would be slightly over 10 per cent. This would include the fuel cost adjustment. For 600 kilowatts at a residence, the bill would be \$37.89 under the new rates and \$34.39 under the old rates.

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- 1 quart water

Dissolve soft drink mix and sugar in water. Pour into plastic ice-cube trays or small paper cups. Freeze until almost firm. Insert wooden stick or spoon into each. Freeze until firm. Makes about 20.

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradford were her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kendall, Jason and Shannon of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bradford of Groover, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Roper of Dumont and Dan Bradford of Vernon.

Mrs. Van Earl Bradford remained to help with the care of her mother, Mrs. Bob (Doll) Jameson who is on the critical list in Paducah Hospital.

Anthony Watson spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Watson. The Watsons drove to Cisco Thursday to visit their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Watson, Michael and Anthony, and Anthony returned home with them.

Glenard Danials was a supper guest and visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins and Bobby last Thursday night. He said his dad Oliver is still in the nursing home and doing very well.

Jr. Wilson and daughter Glenda of Amarillo visited during the week end with his mother, brother and aunt, Verba, Jake and Beno.

Todd Mullins of Amarillo visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins, Friday.

Allie Lawrence is in Atoka, Okla., visiting with friends and tending to business.

Mrs. Jim McCleskey accompanied her sister, Mrs. James Smith to Amarillo Friday to visit James Smith, who is in the V.A. Hospital.

Wesleyan Guild Meets
The Wesleyan Guild met with Mrs. Agnes Aaron of Matador, Wednesday night of last week with Mrs. Chelsea Read, president, in charge.

Alta Duwall gave the opening prayer, Jean Cooper gave the Devotional with Faith as her theme using Romans as her scripture basis.

Mrs. Aaron continued the presentation of her study on Paul, using Acts. Billie Clifton gave the closing prayer. Others present other than those on the program were Misses Freda Keahey and Lula Swim and Mesdames Pearl Palmer, Imogene Swim, Opal Bradford and Ruby Burt.

Miss Lula Swim and the L. M. Millers on their return from Plano and

Whitesboro came by Quannah for a brief visit with Mrs. A. H. Brackwitz.

Mrs. J. M. Carpenter and son, Randall of Stephenville visited from Friday evening to Sunday afternoon with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Edith Brooks.

Mrs. Elmer Osborn attended to business in Spur Friday.

Mesdames Vera Rigby and Elsie Woolley of McAdoo were Friday afternoon visitors with Mrs. Roxie Lewis. The ladies had children attending the McAdoo School when Mrs. Lewis taught there in 1937 to 1939 and their grandchildren were students of Mrs. Lewis during her last years of teaching.

Mrs. L. M. Miller had the misfortune of breaking her right arm while visiting relatives in Whitesboro recently. She and Mr. Miller went to Plainview Tuesday to have their physician check its progress.

Mrs. Vera Mitchell went to Crosbyton Monday for a check up. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Newel Crego.

Mrs. Orval Doak and brother Willis Cooper, both of Lubbock, were guests in the home of their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Cooper for lunch last Wednesday. During the afternoon they visited other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Cooper drove to Crosbyton Sunday afternoon for a visit with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gene St. Clair.

The old S. D. Hunter home has been purchased by the management of Roaring Springs ranch and will become one of their club houses when settled there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence (Preacher) Brooks of Meadow were recent visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. Edith Brooks.

Since Mrs. Billie Clifton is assuming the office of postmaster at Dougherty, Miss Freda Keahey will act as clerk in the local post office.

M. D. Freeman visited Mr. Walter Craft in the Lockney Nursing Home recently. Mr. Craft, a longtime Roaring Springs resident, has been a resident in the Lockney facility since having a foot and lower leg amputated more than a year ago.

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

Homemakers Club Has Meeting

The Extension Homemakers Club of Flomot met in the home of Mrs. Wilson Barton, Wednesday, February 10.

Following a covered dish luncheon, Mrs. Seab Washington, president, presided at the business meeting. A field trip to Childress is planned for Wednesday, March 10 to tour the Lancer Mobile Home plant and see completed mobile homes. They also plan to visit the Mud House that sells ceramics, greenware, paints and other craft items. Those wishing to take the tour are requested to contact Mrs. Seab Washington, telephone number is 469-5278.

Those attending besides those mentioned were Miss Sylvia Quintero, Extension Agent-Home Economics of Vernon, Mesdames James Monk, D. M. "Ikie" Gilbert and Bill Washington.

Senior Citizens Honored

The First Baptist Church of Flomot honored the senior citizens of the community, Sunday, February 21, 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The Rev. Melvin Smith, pastor, gave a devotional. Mrs. Wayne Hunter was leader of the program that included the singing of hymns and playing quiz games with prizes being awarded to the winners.

The artistic talents of Mrs. Arnold Johnson added to the enjoyable courtesy when she presented each guest a miniature log cabin with a name on it. The person was to pray each day for a week for the person whose name appeared on the log cabin.

Refreshments of chips and dip, sausage rolls, bacon pinwheels, assorted cookies, hot and cold punch were served.

Honored guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bilberry, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond, Mesdames H. S. Gilbert, James Monk, Wade Martin and C. W. Starkey.

Guest Speaker At Methodist Church

The Rev. Jimmy Wilson of Silverton was the guest speaker at the Sunday morning services at the United Methodist Church in Flomot. The Northwest Texas Conference observed a Pulpit Exchange, Sunday, February 21 so members of the United Methodist Churches would have the opportunity to meet area UMC ministers. They were told the facts of the Pension Fund Crusade that is to be held Sunday, March 21.

Other Pulpit Exchanges

The Rev. Howard Marcom of Ralls, former pastor of Whiteflat and Flomot, was guest speaker at the United Methodist Church in Matador. The Rev. Mrs.

Ruth Cooper of McAdoo was guest speaker in Turkey and the Rev. Mark Rickman of Matador was guest speaker in McAdoo.

Attend Educational Workshop

Mrs. Wayne Hunter, a teacher with the South Plains School faculty, attended a Laubach Method Workshop conducted by Mrs. Jean Nettles of Lubbock held at the First Baptist Church in Floydada, Saturday. Mrs. Nettles gave a beautiful presentation of a control vocabulary speech when teaching the English language to non-English speaking people.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis and sons, Michael and Warren of Fritch visited last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey. Warren remained to visit until Sunday when his parents came to accompany him home.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Jeff Sperry were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sperry of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hill of Floydada visited during the week with Mrs. Bert Cloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Starkey visited the weekend in Wellington with her mother, Mrs. Edna Bente.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter received word Sunday night her brother, Major Claborn of Madill, Oklahoma had suffered a heart attack and was a patient in the intensive care unit of the hospital in Madill.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bynum, Kani and Bart, Sunday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Moore and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Moore and Kim of Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin of Lockney visited Sunday with his uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Martin. They also visited his aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Washington.

Randy Hunter, student at Regional Junior College in Vernon, visited the weekend with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter. Luncheon guests of the family, Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Melvin Smith and children of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Reid, T. C. and Christi of Amarillo visited Monday and Tuesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Starkey this weekend was their son, Michael Starkey of Amarillo. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Starkey.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Norman and children and members of the United Methodist Church of Quitaque joined members of the UMC in Flomot, Sunday night for the church services and a covered dish supper in the Fellowship Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and son, Randy visited in Floydada, Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Speer.

Rites Held For Former Resident

Mass for Felix Ortiz Sr., 64, of Quitaque, former Flomot resident, were celebrated at 3:30 p.m., Monday, February 22 in Lady of Loretto Catholic Church in Silverton with the Rev. Harry Waldow of Tulia officiating. Burial was in the Resthaven Cemetery in Quitaque under direction of Quitaque Funeral Home.

Ortiz died Friday evening in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

He was born in Orange Grove. He lived in Flomot until 1975 when he moved to Quitaque. He was a farmer. He married Dolores Leal in 1941. He was a Catholic.

He is survived by his wife; three daughters, Angie Moreno of Pampa, Royelia Angell of St. Anthony, Idaho, and Rosa Cantu of Plainview; nine sons, Daniel, Leo, Severino, Armando, Felix Jr., and Sam, all of Quitaque, Tony and Joe, both of St. Anthony, Idaho and Louis of Tulia; four sisters; three brothers; 38 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

To The Young People

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I ask you: "Are you winning the race to life?" (that is eternal life).

The survey run in the churches of Matador show that 95% of teenagers today do not go to church on Sunday nights and Wednesday nights, and not many more than that go at all.

I'd say that something else is dominating your life in place of God. Young people always talk about being free to do what they want to do. The only way you can ever be really free is to know Jesus as your personal Savior.

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(re-election)

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Commissioner Precinct Two
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General Telephone Company of the Southwest, in accordance with the Rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates in Texas effective March 5, 1982.

The proposed changes in rates will affect all customer classes and are designed to increase the Company's intrastate revenue by 24 percent.

A complete set of revised rate schedules has been filed with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and is available for public inspection in each of the Company's Business Offices in the State of Texas. A summary of the Company's rate filing has also been sent to the Mayor's Office of each affected Municipality.



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The utility intends to change its service rules and regulations including rules relating to obtaining service, line extension and line extension charges, the provision of electric service, service fees, and discontinuance of service.

Implementation of the proposed changes is subject to approval by the appropriate regulatory authority. A statement of intent including the proposed revisions of tariff and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change, the effect the proposed change is expected to have on the revenues of the utility and the classes and numbers of utility consumers affected is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

The statement of intent is available for public inspection at the General Office of the utility located at P.O. Box 309, Spur, Texas 79370.

Campbell McGinnis
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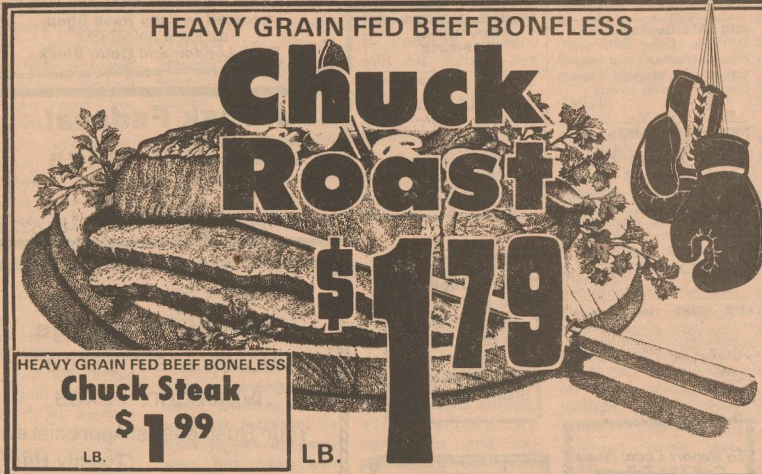
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