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Motley County Is Part Of Palo Duro Oil Find

Figures released recently show the Mayfield discovery well in Briscoe County is producing 136 barrels

of oil a day.

As part of the Pala Duro Basin, Motley County may be sitting, almost entirely, on top of an oil field with boom

NEW MEXICO

counties. The Marathon Discovery is directly north of Floyd County close to the Mackenzie Lake. A well is being drilled just inside the northern boundary of Floyd County. Another the first Marathon well

of an oil fried with boom possibilities reminiscent in Briscoe County.

of the 1920's.

The basin covers a County well, the vast area of some 30 Mayfield, also pro-

duced 73 barrels of water on pump in 24 hours from perforations between 7880 and 7906 feet. It was drilled to 9500 feet. The second well, the No. 1 Pascal Garrison, is being evaluated at total depth. Report-edly, it has been edly, it has been drillstem tested to 8,400 feet.

the Mayfield and the

Garrison has been moved to drill the No. 1 Cogdell. It is at the permitted 9000 feet and drillers are said to be submitting surface casing. Any results of the project should be

known by mid-March.
The immediate
results of the discovery is an intensified interest in leasing. We have a confirmed report of \$100 an acre lease in the immediate vicinity of the Mayfield.
Rumors have placed the figure as high as \$135

an acre.
Reports of leasing along the eastern part of Floyd County and into Hale County have been a confirmed \$10

been a confirmed \$10 an acre.

The leasing fury, however, is in southern Floyd County where many five-year leases are expiring and land owners are concerned about not only getting top price per acre, but also the concessions

tract near the discovery well was reported leased for over \$100 per acre, with a \$650 per acre bonus, and one-quarter royalties instead of the usual one-eighth.

Leases in west Hall County are going for \$35 an acre the Globe

With more than a million dollars in oil leases in the Palo Duro Basin already this year, operators are understandably nervous about such costs, but thus far the situation is limited to the immed— iate vicinity of the Marathon well.

Another report stated that the "bonus-es have jumped from the \$25 to \$30 per acre range to as high as \$135," in the Marathon

The surest thing that can be expected from oil interest is that the reports will be conflicting and that no one is sure how much a lease will bring until it's written on a check or how good a well is until it's pumping.

play MC scored only four points to Smyers

11. The Matadors had

of 16 wins and four

Harvey Lee was high pointer for the Mata-dors with 27 points.



FREE CHEESE -- Lena Cook, president of the Matador Senior Citizens, (standing) and Mrs. Ruth Baker, vice-president, were appointed to hand out the free government surplus cheese this week at the VFW in Matador. Also shown are Herman L. Ellithorp (left) and Eward Knox Jameson.

(Photo by Leon Watson)

Residents Receive Surplus Cheese

Motley County residents are on the receiving end of something good from the government this week as families are given five pounds of cheese free, as part of the nations surplus cheese give away.

The pasteurized processed American cheese, donated by the U.S. Department of

Agriculture for food help programs, is being passed out by senior citizens at the Senior Citizens Hall in Roaring Springs, the VFW in Matador and the Community Center in Flomot.

cheese requested by County Judge Billy Whitaker several weeks ago. About 4,000 pounds

were received to be given away in the county. It cannot be sold or exchanged, but is available to residents, one box per family, who show their social security card and sign the register.

picked up from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, according to Whitaker.

Local PTA Disbands To Organize PTO

Motley County PTA members met February 22 at the school cafeteria and voted to

cateteria and voted to disband the PTA.

After the vote carried, the motion was made to form a PTO which is a local Parent Teacher Organization. It was decided that more interest in this organization might be shown due to the fact that all of the dues collected from members could be kept for use within the school.

New officers for 1982 Those serving will President, Lindy Staf-ford; Vice-President, Vicky Pierce; Secretary, Chelsea Read; and

Treasurer, Myrna
Stephens.
The plans for the new playground are being drawn at Texas Tech, playground are being drawn at Texas Tech, and the committee hopes to have these plans to present at the

community is invited to attend and join the new organization.

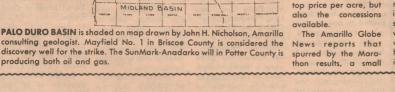
Larry Pitts Awarded Degree At Odessa

Larry D. Pitts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Pitts of Matador has graduated from the from the graduated from the University of Texas Permian Basin in Odessa with a degree in Physical Education and Drama.

Before attending UTPB in Odessa, he

attended Clarendon College for two years. Pitts is a 1977 graduate of Motley County High

Larry completed his practice teaching at Permian High School in Odessa and is presently employed as a tute teacher in Odessa



Boys Defeated In Bi-District

The Motley County Matador boys' varsity basketball team was defeated by Smyer defeated by Smyer Monday night 54-71 in at the Bi-championship

led in the contest and after the first five minutes were never closer than six points to

the Bobcats.

A fast breaking, sure shooting team, Smyer took command early

at the end of the first

come back with just over four minutes left in the first half, but lost momentum again in the final minute. Smyer led 26-38 at the end of the

Harvey Lee was quarter.

MC began to make a two quarters.

quarter, keeping the Matadors down by an average of 10 points. At the end of the third period Smyer had 36-50.

MC started the fourth quarter with heavy defensive pressure. With two minutes to

go in the game Smyer led 50-60, but in the

EMT ASSN. TO MEET TONIGHT

The Motley County MT Association will EMT Association will meet Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room of the Plainview Savings and Loan in Matador.

The program will be presented by W. W. Prater, M.D., of Paducah.

This meeting is open

This meeting is open to the public and anyone interested is cordially invited to



LADIES HONORED -- Matador Lions Club president Alan Bingham (left) and Lions Tailtwister Larry Hoyle are shown with the Motley County School Lunchroom staff after the ladies served the Lions during their special meeting at the school Wednesday, in connection with Public School Week. The ladies are (from left) Jerline Pitts, Monita Smith, Wilma Morris, Dorothy Jameson and Lemma Rector. The Lions praised the ladies for a good meal and a job well done at school this year.



SHOT DRAWS CROWD -- Wesley Stafford (40) takes a long shot during MC's Bi-District game with Smyer Monday. Harvey Lee, Glen Calvert and Tim Shannon work for position to get the rebound.



Mr. and Mrs. Ward Rattan

Rattans To Have 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Rattan will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Saturday, March 13, 1982 with a reception from 3 to 5 p.m. in their home to 5 p.m. in their home at 1515 Bundy St. in

Hosting the event will be their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Rattan and their two grandsons, David and Chris Rattan, all of Boys Ranch Texas Ranch, Texas.

Rattan and the

former Pearl Scott were

married, March 11, 1932 in Lamesa, Texas. Rattan is a native of Motley County, and Mrs. Rattan is a native of Vernon. They have lived in Motley County

Ward and Pearl join their family in request-ing the honor of your presence to celebrate this special day with them. Your friendship is a cherished gift. We respectfully request no other.

Library Notes

By Beverly Darsey Librarian

On Saturday, March dren. They are Big Red 6, at 10:00 a.m., two films will be presented of Sleepy Hollow. films will be presented at the Motley County Library for preschool

Keen-Agers To Meet March 12th

The Keen Agers will meet March 12, rather than on the 19th, announced earlier v. Gary Hillyard The senior adults

meet each month at the First Baptist Church for lunch and fellowship, and at their meetin next week, will be entertained by FRIEND SHIP, a singing group of college-age young people from Colorado Springs, who will be here for a week of free

Everyone is invited to attend the covered dish lunch and enjoy the



Mr. and Mrs. Billie D. Durham announce the Mr. and Mrs. Billie D. Durham announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara, to William Carl (Billy) Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wallace of Snyder, Texas. The couple plan a March 20th wedding in the First Baptist Church in Matador. Miss Durham graduated from Motley County High School in Matador. Billy is employed by G.C.O. Drilling Co. in Snyder.



Youth Group To Present Free Concerts Next Week

Free concerts featuring FRIENDSHIP, a youth group from Colorado Springs, Colo., will be presented next week in Matador and adjoining communities. The eleven young people, directed by Bob Drews, will be guests of Matador residents. Their appearance here will serve as a

prelude to revival services scheduled at the First Baptist Church later in the month, March 22-28, according

to Rev. Gary Hillyard, pastor.
FRIENDSHIP's music is

called "Message Music," built around old hymns and gospel songs. However, the young people also include other features, such as mini-dramas and puppetry, in their performances. They will arrive Monday afternoon, March 8, and are scheduled for

kindergarten to 3rd grade; and 2 p.m., 4th through 6th grades. They will go to Crosbyton Tuesday for

a program at 4:30 p.m. at the Caprock Baptist Association's Evangelistic Conference.

Wednesday night, March 10, they will sing at First Baptist Church, followed by a fellowship hour, and on Thursday they will present a puppet show on the courthouse lawn at 5:30 p.m. Friday,

they will be guests of the Keen Agers, at the Keen Agers, at lunch, at the First Baptist

invited to attend these

concerts and programs.
The international headquarters of FRIENDSHIP is located in Colorado Springs, and embraces five touring groups of college age young people from across the United States and Canada. They tour 10 months out of each year months out of each year and travel more than 50,000 miles with ministry that reaches schools, colleges, military bases, youth and senior citizen groups, nursing homes, prisons and churches

In The Rough

By Hazel TOURNAMENT

Twenty-four players --Alfred, Joe, Howard and Kathryn (64); Doug, Alan, Marvin, Leona and Tom (64); Vann, Johnnie and Cliff Lowrance (of Amarilio, and Canyon Country Club), Loys and Tommy (65); Gerald, Roy S., Louise, Judy and Dorothy Campbell; Jake G., Jeff, David Campbell, Edwadine campbell, Edwadine and Geneva.

Tommy's putter was really hot -- she couldn't "miss 'em." All money was donated to the drapery

fund, for the new club

Clower - Kirby Wed On February 27th

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Naomia Denice Clower and Jonathan Aaron Kirby pledged their wedding vows on Saturday, February 27, 1982 at six o'clock in the First United Methodist Church, Cotton Center. Rev. Donny Crowson of Cotton Center and Craig Curry of Lubbock performed the marri-age ceremony. Parents age ceremony. Parents of the bride are Mr. and or the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clower of Roaring Springs, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kirby, Jr., of Cotton Kirby, Jr., of Cotton Center. The ceremony was

performed before an altar area which was complimented with matching candleabra arches, spirals trimmed with boxwood and gyp centered with matching bows in mauve and plum. A kneeling bench centered the altar area, and a bouquet of white, mauve alstromeria lillies and plum pixie carnations centered the background

Miniature hurricane lamps holding votive cups trimmed with boxwood, gyp, and trimmed with plum bows marked the honor

Traditional wedding music was rendered by Mrs. Tommy Applewhite at the piano and Mrs. Ralph McFerrin at the Ralph McFerrin at the organ. Vocalist was Mrs. Craig Curry, who sang "Wedding Song", "This Is the Day", and "That's the Way It Is". Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length away of satin accented.

gown of satin accented with an overlay of organza with lace trim.

She also wore a cathedral length veil.

Maid of honor was Miss Catherine Norfleet of Cotton Center. She carried a nosegay of pixie carnations alstromeria lillies sweetheart roses, and baby's breath. Bridesmaids were Iroma Applewhite of Cotton Center and Ramona Clower of Canyon. Both are sisters of the bride. Also, cousin of the bride, Lori Bice of Abilene and Stacy Parker of Levelland were bridesmaid.

The attendants wore identical plum soft Faille gowns with a mauve seud jacket. The mauve seud jacket. The bridesmaids carried nosegays of pixie carnations, alstromeria lillies and baby's breath. They wore matching hairpieces of flowers used in their flowers used in their

tlowers used in their bouquets. The candleabras were lighted by Karen Fisher and LaJean Taylor who wore identical dresses to the

attendants.
Kimberly Clower,
sister of the bride, was
flower girl. She was
attired in a long white
dress and carried a lace
basket filled with silk
petals and accented
with a matching bow of with a matching bow of



Mrs. Jonathan Kirbu (Denice Clower)

The groom was dressed in a white tuxedo and wore a boutonniere of pixie carnations with a rose in groom was best man. Groomsmen were, brother of the groom, W. H. (Chip) Kirby, III, of Cotton Center, brother of the bride, Keith Clower of Roaring Springs, Jimmy Saglser and Jeff Kirkland, both

Cotton Center Gary Koelder and Kip Thomas, both of Cotton Center, were ushers. All of the men attendants wore grey tuxedos with white rose boutennieres.

Timothy Schoenhals of Lubbock was the ringbearer and was attired in a white tuxedo with a white rose

Registering guests at e wedding was alene Livesay of

A reception was held in the fellowship hall and serving at the brides table were LaDon Horsford of Webb Cotton Center Levelland. Serving at the grooms table were Beverly Norfleet and Kendra Burnett, both of Cotton Center.

house party were, cousin of the bride, Amy Rowell, of Plainview; Karen Joines of Cotton Center, Mrs. Charles Norfleet, Mrs. James Sageser, Mrs. Ervin Koelder, all of Cotton

Koelder, all of Cotton Center, and Mrs. J. R. Nixon of Lubbock. Sarah Mahagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mahagan, passed out rice bags. Following a honey-moon to New Mexico,

the couple will reside in Cotton Center where the groom is engaged in farming.

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Services Held Monday For Mrs. Ernest Fisher

Funeral services for Ars. Ernest (Lena) isher, 85, were onducted Monday, Arch 1, at 2:00 p.m. in conducted March 1, at 2:00 p.m. the First Baptist Church Gary Hillyard,

pastor, officiated.
Burial was in the East
Mound Cemetery under
the direction of Seigler

the direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

A native of Jack County, Mrs. Fisher passed away in the Bellmire Nursing Home in Bowie, on Saturday. She moved to Motley

County, with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John B. Garrison, in 1904. They lived in the Flomot area for many years. On May 26, 1921, she married Ernest Wester Fisher in Matador. And they, also, lived in the Flomot area. She taught school in Whiteflat for about four

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher moved to Matador in 1965. Mr. Fisher passed away on June 28, 1967. Mrs. Fisher was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Baptist Church.
She is survived by two
sons, Joe Fisher of
Lubbock and Frank
Fisher of El Paso; two Fisher of El Paso; two daughters, Mrs. James (Joyce) Thomas of Garland and Mrs. Wayne (Wanda Pearl) Spray of Bowie; 10 grandchildren and eight great-grandchild-ren; and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Charlie (Dollie) Garrison. Grandsons served as

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Baptist Church Sets Spring Revival

A spring revival will be in progress March 22 - 28 at the First Baptist Church, it is announced Church, it is announced by Rev. Gary Hillyard, pastor. Rev. Jerry Dunn, pastor of the Bethel Baptist Church, Roswell, New Mexico, will do the preaching for the week's meeting. Rev. Dunn has served his current pastorate

his current pastorate since September, 1980. He is a native of Dallas and a Viet Nam veteran. His first preaching appointment was as interim pastor of First Baptist Church of First Baptist Church of King City, Calif., followed by serving as interim pastor of Poetry Baptist Church of Terrell, Texas. Later he Terrell, Texas. Later he served as pastor of the Prairie ville Baptist Church in Mabank, Texas., and the Hillcrest Baptist Church in Lovington, New Mexico.

During June of 1979, Rev. Dunn led a group under the sponsorship of World Evangelism Foundation, on a revival tour in Yugoslav-ia. Rev. Hillyard was a co-worker in that group.

"We expect great things for Matador during this week of revival," Rev. Hillyard said. "Enthusiasm is mounting among our membership and preparations are already underway by committees in a unified effort for a successful meeting."

Among advance programs will be the appearance here next week of a group of

week of a group of young people from Colorado Springs, who will present concerts for various organizations

High School Favorites Are Announced Here

Motley County High School Favorites have been announced by school officials. These favorites are chosen by the high school student

the high school student body each year. Named Mr. and Miss M.C.H.S. were Glen Calvert and Shelley Jackson. Glen and Shelley were also chosen as Most Handi some and Most Beauti

some and Most Beauti-ful for M.C.H.S. Wesley Stafford was chosen Most Depend-able boy and Kim Campbell was selected Most Dependable girl. Chosen Most Intelligent were Wesley Stafford and Derinda Cruse. Most Courteous boy

and girl named were Todd Washington and Kim Campbell; and chosen Most Likely To Succeed were Wesley Stafford and Derinda

Named Wittiest boy

Reneigh Gwinn.
All of the favorites chosen are seniors this year at Motley County High School.



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Services Held In Vernon

For James L. Clawson

James L. Clawson, 82, died Monday night, February 22, 1982 in Vernon after a lengthy

held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, February 24 in Sullivan Funeral Home Chapel of Vernon with the Rev. Fred Porter, pastor of Second Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in East View Memorial Park.

Clawson was bugust 14, 1899 August 14, 1899 in Bridgeport and married Rosa Ella Martin, August 31, 1924 in Whiteflat. They moved to Wilbarger County in 1934 from Motley

County.
He was a Baptist. County.

He was a Baptist.
Surviving are a brother, J. W. Clawson of San Antonio; a sister, Mrs. Oleta Kitchens of Vernon; and several nieces and nephews.

James D. Addison Rites Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Burkes on July 4, 1975 in James D. Addison, 60, Arlington. were conducted at 11:00 a.m. Wednes-day, in the Assembly of God Church. Rev. Edna Dillard, pastor of the Roaring Springs As-sembly of God Church, officiated. Burial was in East Mound netery under the ection of Seigler direction of Seigler
Funeral Home.

A native of Hawkins,

Addison

Texas, Mr. Addison passed away on Sunday morning in the Caprock Hospital in Texas, passed Caprock Hospital in Floydada, following a lengthy illness. He was a retired automotive mechanic. He had lived in Matador for a number of years and then lived in Arlington and Abilene before returning to Matador about six years ago. He married Pauline

He is survived by his wife, Pauline; one son, wife, Pauline; one son, James Roy Addison of Arlington; three daugh-ters, Barbara Hudson of Coweta, Okla., Janice Ramage of Meade, Kansas, and Paula Addison of Matador; two step-sons, David Burkes of Spur and Danny Burkes of Matador; three brothers, Arthur Addison and ers, Arthur Addison and Morris Addison of Arkansas and Roy Addison of Mexico, N.M.; two sisters, Mrs. Sissy Speaks of Merkle and Mrs. Joyce Bullock of Texarkana; and six arroadshilden grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Aorris Burkes, R. C. Morris Burkes, R. C. Giesecke, Kirby Campbell, Billy Wason and Larry Hoyle.

Humn Festival Set At Methodist Church

First United Methodist Church will be hosting a choir clinic for area United Methodist churches. The workshop will be conducted by Jane Marshall, a nationally acclaimed choir clinician and composer of sacred music. Mrs. Marshall is presently a professor of church music at church music at Southern Methodist

niversity.
At the conclusion of the workshop, the Matador church will

provide a covered-dish supper for all those participating in the workshop. Following the meal, a Hymn Festival will be conducted in the church conducted in the church sanctuary at 6:30. This promises to be an exciting event with lots of good singing, so all local area residents are strongly encouraged to attend and participate.

If you like to sing and/or like to listen to good singing, please make plans to attend.





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lace Jackson Junction, Texas vis over the week end mother, Mrs Geneva Sims and brother Walter and grandfather, J. H. Bell. They also visited with her aunt Ora Stone-cipher. They are making plans for the Rice Reunion to be held on the week end of May All relatives welcome to come and enjoy visiting with old riends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. L. A.

Mullins and Mr. Mrs. Jim McCleskey visited Sunday after-noon with Mr. and Mrs. James Smith in Mata-

Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Sedgwick was called to Amarillo last week to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Olan Mother, Mrs. Olan Cook. They returned home Sunday. Mrs. Sedgwick returned to Amarillo Monday to remain with her mother is in Northwest Olan who is in Northwest Texas Hospital. Dan Mitchell of

Dan Mitchell of Lubbock was a guest of his grandfather, J. D. Mitchell and Mrs. Mitchell Saturday. Mrs. Ethel Hicks of

Abilene visited Mr. and D. Mitchell Monday night. She also visited Mrs. Edith Brooks after attending funeral services at Dickens for Mrs. Lula Mae Haney on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Rick Futrell and daughter Tara Dawn and Tamara Kay were guests of their parents and grandparents, Mr and Mrs. W. H and Mrs. Marshall Friday night

Marshall Friday night and Saturday. Mrs. Mack Skaggs spent the week end from Friday night until Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Edith

Mrs. Roxie Lewis had as her luncheon guests Saturday, her sister Mrs. T. L. Stephenson Sr., and her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stephenson Jr., all Eddie Osborn, son of

Eddie Osborn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Osborn, completed his solo hours in pilot training Sunday by flying up to have lunch with his parents and Kay Michelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Peacock of Liberty with their sons Justin and Billy Dalle were overnight guests in the

overnight guests in the B. L. Peacock home enroute to and from an emergency visit to Dumas for the funeral of a relative of Mrs. Pat Peacock's. The boys remained with their grandparents while ir parents drove to funeral. Mrs. Pearl Palmer

Mrs. Pearl Palmer and Mrs. Jo Etta Bumgardner drove to Lubbock Friday where they met Mrs. Palmer's daughter, Linda Parker of O'Donnell, who attends Texas Tech Mrs. Parker accompan ied them home for a visit. Her husband Arnold came Saturday night and they returned home Sunday after-

Mrs. Benny Goss, the ormer Wanda Mitchell had surgery at the Littlefield Hospital Thursday morning and was reported to be doing well.

L. A. Mullins was dismissed by his Lubbock surgeon Tuesday, being assigned to the care of Dr. odes of Crosbyton for remainder of his convalescence. He went to Crosbyton Tuesday for a checkup with Dr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webb of Matador spent Thursday night with his sister, Mrs. Vera Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Cooper accompanied Cooper accompanied by Mrs. Ruby Myles visited Mrs. Gene St.Clair in Crosbyton St.Clair in Cro Wednesday after

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Hand, Katie and Kristi of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents and grandpar ents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hand and Kimberly. Mrs. Meryl Massey of

Friona was the overnight guest of her mother, Mrs. Artie Smiley Tuesday night.

Green Thumb News Area Leader J. C. mmons of Spur and upervisor Wendy Supervisor Brown of Lubbock met with the Motley County Green Thumb workers Monday of last week, bringing necessary papers to them and checking the workers reports. Reported by Ora Stonecipher.

Luncheon Held

The Roaring Springs United Methodist Church had a bring-adish luncheon home of Miss Lula Swim

were Rev. and Mrs Mark Gibbens-Rick Mark Gibbens-Rick-man, and Messers and Mesdames Lem Miller, Clyde Clifton, Buck Marshall, Algie Groves, Roy Bradford, J. D. Mitchell, J. T. Swim, and Harry Duval. mesdames Ruby Burt Chelsea Read and Chelsea Read and Lillian Thacker; Miss Lula Swim and Kermit Glover and Scott Read.

Sr. Citizens News

The regular covered dish luncheon of the Roaring Springs Senior Citizens will be held March 4 (today). Everyone is invited to bring a covered dish and ion were senior to the control of the covered bring a covered dish and ion were senior to the covered to the covered dish and ion were senior to the covered dish and the covered dis

The blood pressure clinic is held the first and third Mondays of each month. The next clinic will be March 15.

Quilting is held each Thursday at 3:00 p.m. information referral call 348-3081 or 348-3156.

Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

Mary Lamkin Mrs. and daughter, Mrs. Doris Kirk of Yazoo City, Mississippi and Mrs. Maxine Shipley of Turkey visited the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Barton.

Mrs. Janice Dixon and Spencer visited from Friday until Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Card and David and Miss Wilda Hester. Mrs. Dixon attended a lingerie shower given for Miss Hester, Saturday in the home of Mrs. Carla Goodpas-

ture in Lubbock Mr. and Mrs. T. W Jennings accompar their grandson, Matthew Jennings, who visited here the past two visited here the past two weeks, to Spur, Thursday where they met his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Jennings of Old Glory, for his return trip home. Mr. and Mrs. Robin Darsey and son, Bert attended a party.

attended a party, Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox, honoring Dillon Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hale of Spur, on his second birthday. Other guests were Dana Mullins of Dickens, Mrs. Tom Hale and Valerie of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bridge, Becca and Clayt of Afton.

was in Paducah during the week with her mother, Mrs. Bob Jameson of Matador. Mrs. Jameson, a patient Hospital, was accompanied to the Cottle County Nursing Home,

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Visiting Mr. and Mis.
W. Jennings, Friday
was Jay Don Finch of
Roaring Springs.
Visiting Mr. and Mrs.
Henry L. Martin, Thursday was his aunt, Mrs. Mollie Price of Odessa and cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Arnold of Stratford. Mrs. Arnold is the former Mildred Spray. They also visited in Matador with Mrs. Price's sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Clovis

Murphy.

Mrs. W. R. Tilson visited in Matador, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Caulk and their houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shoot of Greeley, Colorado. She also visited Mrs. Kate Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens visited Friday night and Saturday in Wellington and attended a registered stocker cow sale. En route home they visited in Lakeview with Mr. and Mrs. David Hudgins. Mr. and Mrs. Ray

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Martin,

Sunday. Stuart Dixon Mrs. visited in Wheeler, Tuesday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Risner and sister, Mrs. Grady Acker of Stamford. Mrs. returned home Acker with Mrs. Dixon and visited until Sunday when her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Acker, Lisa and Renee of Mineral Wells accompanied home. Other guests during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dixon was their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Risser, Kobbi and Kaci

of Matador.
Visitors in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Morris
Stephens, Sunday were
Mr. and Mrs. Monty Stephens, April and Shaun of Quitaque, Mrs. Joe Stephens of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. David Hudgens of

Lunchroom Menu

Mon. March 8
Breakfast- Orange
Juice, Toast, Cereal, ½
pt. Milk.

Lunch- Hamburger w/Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, & Onions, Potato Chips, Fruit, ½ pt. Milk

Tues. March 9 Breakfast- Apple Juice, Donut, Rice & Butter, ½ pt. Milk.

Lunch- Hot Dog, Pork & Beans, Sala Cobbler, ½ pt. M Wed. March 10

Breakfast-

Juice, Bacon & Eggs, Hot Biscuit, ½ pt. Milk. Lunch- Frito Pie, French Fries, Cole Slaw Thurs. March 11 & Fri. March 12

Spring Break

Has The Life Gone **Out Of Your Boat?**

This is the question I read on a billboard beside the road as traveled down the highway. As I dwelled on the thought, I salized that it had more of an impact on me other than eing an advertisement for insurance. Or maybe in another ense, it could be another ad for insurance. The word of God many times refers to our body as a essel. And just as a ship on the reging sea, our boat is assed and hit on every side by the dangers and snares of he devil. We're hit on every side, with discouragement, emptation, sickness, financial pressures, and everything latan can create to cause us to get off the course God has ut us on.

put us on.

In Nehemiah the 8th chapter it says that the JDV of the
Lord is our strength! Even though satan tries his best to
defeat us, we don't need to walk around with our chin
touching our toes!
Romans 15:13 says: New (not after relief has come) the
God of hope fill you with all JDV and PEACE in believing,
that ye may abound in HOPE, through the power of the
HOLY GHOST.

o-date.

I've heard the statement many times that the life a hinstian lives may be the only Bible some people will ever lead. So let me leave you all with this one question:

"If you were on trial for your life as a CHRISTIAN, rould you have enough evidence to convict you?"

Fellowship with Christ this Sunday. He loves you! Jeannie Copeland
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Flomot News By Earlyne Jameson

Announcement Mrs. Seab Washing on, president of Extension Homemakers
Club of Flomot, planning to attend the TEHA field trip to TEHA field trip to Childress are to meet at the Flomot Community Center Building at 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 10. A tour of the Lancer Mobile Home plant and the Mud House is on the agenda.

A cordial invitation is extended to anyone wishing to attend the

Injured In Accident
Randy Martin of
Lockney is a patient in
the Intensive Care Unit
of the Lubbock General
Hospital. He was in a one car accident seven one car accident seven miles east of Plainview at 9:30 p.m., Friday, February 26. He is listed in critical condition with head and pelvic injuries. He also suffered broken

bones. He was passenger in the c driven by Mike Rose Lockney, who is listed in satisfactory condition. Randy is the grand-son of Raymond Martin Lockney, forme Flomot resident, and great-nephew of Mrs. Gordie Washington and Alfred Martin of

Boy Scout Meeting The Boy Scout Troop 360, Den I of Flomot met Wednesday afternoon for a Field Hike. Mrs. Jerry Barclay and Mrs. Larry Bynum, leaders, accompanied the boys

The troop returned to the home of Mrs. Coy Franks and refresh-ments of cake and punch were served to Brand Cruse, Lance Barclay, Cary and Cory Franks and Bart Bynum

Mrs. Arnold Johnson accompanied her sister, Mrs. James May of Quitaque to Ruidosa, N.M., Wednesday N.M., Wednesday where they attended the funeral services of

The Rev. and Mrs.
Melvin Smith, Jason
and Karen of Floydada,
Mr. and Mrs. Rex
Johnson and Darrell of Quitaque and Bob True of Turkey were lunch-eon guests of Mr. and Orville Lee nday.
Guests of Mr. and

Mrs. Art Green, Sunday were their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Green, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green and Aaron, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rice and Jennifer and Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Rice of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Don Lewis, Tammy, Kalyn and Darrin of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin and Ryan of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms of Quitaque. The birth-days of their grandsons, Ryan Martin, two years old, February 28 and Aaron Green, two years old, February 24, were brated.

celebrated.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry
Barclay, Lance, Cody
and Ty visited in
Lockney, Saturday with
his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Sol Barclay.

Mrs. Junior Payne and Mrs. James Monk visited in Tulia, Tuesday

with Mrs. Lewis Cannon and Mrs. Jean Pope. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barham of Hart Barham of Hart honored Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay of Flomot, Mrs. Jerry David of Barham Plainview and Chad Tanner of Tulia, who had birthdays in February, with a family luncheon in their home, Mrs. Coy Dunn of Dimmitt is visiting this

week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Moseley. Mrs. L. D. Bilberry honored her husband,

Mr. Bilberry, on his birthday, Saturday, February 27 with a family luncheon. He family luncheon. He was presented a birthday cake, gifts and cards. Those attending were Mrs. Dick (Doris) Dickinson, Mrs. Marla Garver and son, Cody and Mrs. Henry (Delia) Bilberry of Lubbock; Mrs. John (Joyce) Speer of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. (Nickie) Loudermilk of Quitaque and Mrs Jean Richardson o

Bobby Clay, who suffered an eye injury in a recent accident, had a good medical report week in Lubbock

Sunday. Those attend Sunday. Those attending the celebration were Mrs. Lillie Tanner and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tanner and sons of Tulia; Jerry Davis, Karen and Karla and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Barham and Daniel of Plainview; Mr. Daniel of Plainview, and Mrs. Don Ewing and children of Perryton; David Bar-Perryton; David Bar-ham and Rita Artura of Amarillo; Berry Barham of Dimmitt; Vera Alford Hart; Mr. and Mrs Clois Shorter, Keri, Cindy and Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin and Lori, Larry, Tina and Julie Clay, local

In Car Accident Anita Hunter of Garland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mr. and Mrs. Wayle Hunter, was involved in a two car accident in Garland, Thursday, February 24. She was crossing a busy intersection on a green on the driver's side on the driver's side.

Anita was knocked

unconscious by the

impact and was

conveyed by ambu
lance to Garland

Hospital where she is a

patient. She suffered

three broken ribs and a cracked pelvis. She is reported to be in satisfactory condition She is

News Briefs

Attend Funeral Of Relative Mesdames W.

Mesdames W. N. Pipkin, W. F. Jacobs, R. E. Campbell Jr., and Robert Darsey attended funeral services Satur day in Quanah, for o cousin, Mrs. Andy Hudson, 73. The former Mildred Kennedy, Mrs. Hudson had visited her relatives here on number of occasions. She died Thursday, February 25, in Childress General

Hospital.
Services were conducted at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at the First United Church in Quanah, and burial was in Quanah Memorial Park.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter; two sons; grandchildren. and

Attends Funeral Mrs. Frank Po Mrs. Frank roundation attended funeral services for Mrs. Claude services for Mrs. 91, of Carpenter, 91, of Floydada, Saturday at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church there. She was a friend of Mrs. Pohl's mother, the late Mrs. C. L. Knierim.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaden Hays purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Cook Tuesday.

Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson of Lubbock visited here Monday with her sister, Mrs. Douglas Meador. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Varner McWilliams, who attended funeral services for Mrs. Ernest Fisher.

Fisher.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen
Shupe of Greeley,
Colorado visited in the
home of her brother
and wife, Mr. and Mrs.
Everett Calk, Saturday
and Sunday. Mrs.
Shupe is the former
Lillian Steen.

Mrs. Pauline Trout of Odessa visited for several weeks in the home of her daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Danny Copeland and children, Shannon, Danny Jr., Charity and Courtney. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin

Lynn of Dumas visited Lynn of Dumas visited over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. L. L. Lynn. Visiting on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lynn of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Larry, Noland Mrs. Larry, Noland Mrs. Mrs. Larry Noland, Aaron and Jennifer of

Aaron and Jenniter of Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spray and daughter, Beth Ann of Bowie visited Mr. Spray's aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clevis Murchy this Mrs. Clovis Murphy this

Melvin Meason is a patient in the Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo undergoing medical tests. Mrs. Marion Bailey

Sunday morning and is a patient in the Caprock Hospital in Floydada Her husband, M Bailey and daughter and husband, Mr. and

and husband, Mr. and
Mrs. Stanley Martin are
at her bedside.
R. E. "Pappy"
Campbell entered the
Nursing Home in
Floydada this week.

ATTENDS FUNERAL

Joe and Jameree Freeman of Matador attended funeral services Tuesday, February 23, for her sister, Suzette South-ward, 18, Ralls high school senior, who died of injuries the received of injuries she received the previous Sunday in a car accident in Lorenzo.

Services were held at Emma Church of Christ in Ralls and interment was at Ralls Cemetery.



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A Second Glance

Well, I resign as a weather man. Last week I said I thought the winter weather was over and the day the paper came out, it snowed.

I tried to keep a low profile around town but some of you readers managed to find me and tell me what you thought of my forecast-

I make one last forecast before I leave it to the pro-weather-men. It will be cloudy to men. It will be cloudy to clear during the nights and days and temperatures will be between 10 below to 130 above with wind blowing in various places. There is an 80 per cent chance of rain during the next three months with chances occuring once in a while throughout

the spring.
There. Now gripe at me!!!.

There are a lot of interesting tales which can be told after a body attends a convention, but few are as hair-raising as Glen Woodruffs.

Mr. Woodruff at-tended a Ford Dealers Convention recently in Dallas, and while there he was robbed, tied up, and his car stolen.

But he wasn't hurt and we are thankful for that. He was in good spirits this week and was even asked to give a report to the Lions Club on how not to spend the night in Dallas.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS OF MOTLEY COUNTY

The new Property Tax Laws which became effective in Texas on January 1, 1982 make it very important that every property owner in the county take certain actions before May 1, 1982. Some of these actions are as follows:

1982. Some of these actions are as follows:

1. If you qualify for a Residence Homestead Exemption, you must make application for it at the County Tax Office. Last year's application, if you made one, will suffice unless you have moved since then. Also, if you have become 65 years of age since last year, you must reapply to get an additional Homestead Exemption.

2. Practically all owners of acreage in the county are elegible for productivity valuation on agricultural lands. Failure to properly apply for it will result in more than a doubling of taxes in most cases. A new application is not necessary of an accurate application was made last year and there has been no changes in

year and there has been no changes in ownership, acreage, or land use.

3. The law requires that all vehicles used for the production of income such the requirement of the control of the must be rendered at the tax office. Also all inventories, fixtures, and equipment of businesses and farm and ranch operations must be rendered. Failure to render can result in it being valued by others less knowledgable of its true value, and can result in the loss of some rights of protest of sessessed of protest of assessed

valuations.

4. Implements of farming and ranching are now exempt from taxation if owned by an individual; however, this exemption must be applied for each year at the County Tax Office.

5. All the forms to apply for exemptions and to make renditions are available at the Tax Office as well as a new edition of the pamphlet "Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities".

If you have questions, please call or come in to the County Tax Office.

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