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BOOSTER CLUB MEETING

The Matador Athletic Booster Club will have a meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the school for coaches, members and their families.

Whiteflat Reunion Set For Saturday, April 4

The annual Whiteflat Reunion is scheduled to be held at the American Legion Building in

Matador on Saturday, April 4. All Whiteflat Exes and friends are invited to attend. The noon meal will be catered.

All exes are reminded that the only food needed this year is cakes, pies and cookies.

All exes living in the area need to meet Friday

evening at 5:30 p.m. at the American Legion to set up tables and chairs.

The Legion building will open at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday.

If any more information is needed you may contact Nora Belle Dunning. Also if you have old pictures, and want to bring them, feel free to do so.

Plans Progressing For Motley County Library

The Motley County Library board met with the Motley County School Board on March 11. The school board agreed to furnish a room in the old elementary school building for one year to be used as a library.

The library board also met with the Matador City Council on March 12. The council agreed to give financial support to the library.

At this time the board is

working on the application for the Texas State Library grant. It is also working on the application to be part of West Texas Library Systems.

Anyone wishing to donate books or money to the library may do so at the Motley County Courthouse.

Beverly Darsey has been hired as the librarian for the Motley County Library.

Matador Senior Citizens Selling Chances On Quilt

The Matador Senior Citizens are selling chances to win a handmade quilt. The tickets sell for \$1.00 each and may be purchased from any member of the Matador Senior Citizens.

The quilt is on display at "The Dugout", located on Highway 70 east of Matador Branch Plainview Savings and Loan.

The date for the drawing will be announced at a later time.

Survey Collects Pledges For Motley Skating Rink

In a recent telephone survey, a six person committee has collected \$2,307.00 in pledges to

begin a skating rink in the old school gym. A public meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 7 at 7:30

p.m. in the courtroom of the Motley County Courthouse in Matador. The pledges were

donated by persons in Roaring Springs, \$520.00; Flomot, \$165.00; and Matador \$1,622.00. However, money is not enough to complete this project for our youth. Your full support, by giving time and work are needed.

The first expenditure will be about \$600.00 to put rink coat on the gym floor. The rest of the money will be used to purchase skates and other equipment.

Everyone interested in this project for our youth is urged to attend the meeting Tuesday. Also anyone wishing to purchase their own skates may order them at this time.



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PEE WEE BASKETBALL ACTION -- The Motley County Pee Wee Basketball Tournament has been in progress this week at the Motley County School with local teams from the fourth, fifth and sixth grades participating. The tournament will end today with games beginning at 9:00 a.m. and continuing through the afternoon.

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Regina Cruse Named Spelling Bee Champion

In the annual Motley County Spelling Bee held at the Motley County School on Friday, March 27, Regina Cruse was named National Spelling Bee Champion and Junior Spelling Bee Champion. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cruse of Flomot.

Regina will attend the 33rd Annual Spelling Bee in Amarillo on April 25. The Spelling Bee is sponsored by Amarillo Globe-News and West Texas State University. The County Champions and Junior Champions will attend a luncheon at the Amarillo Country Club.

Runner-up in the Junior Spelling Bee was Tammy Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor, Matador and Runner-up in the National Spelling Bee was Shanna Lancaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Gary Lancaster of Matador.

Shannon Vinson, School Champion for 1980 was also present at the Bee.

Mrs. Edith Timmons is the County Spelling Bee Director. The Pronouncer was Mrs. Devonne Dillard, Special Reading Teachers Aide and Judges were Mrs. Kelli Jackson, Elementary Teachers Aide and Dean Willmon, Fourth Grade teacher.



EARLY DAY RESIDENTS -- Some of the Garrison and Latham Family.

Motley County School Calendar

April 6 -- April 10

Monday, April 6 - Girls Golf at Lorenzo. Booster Club -- 7:30 p.m. in cafeteria.

Tuesday, April 7 - High School UIL Literary

Events at Smyer. Skating Rink Meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Motley County Courthouse.

Wednesday, April 8 - End of 5th Six Weeks.

Thursday, April 9 - Jr. High and High School

Girls Track at Post. Aerobics at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 10 - Senior Career Day.

Saturday, April 11 - FFA Judging Teams at Texas Tech.

Attention Farmers

There will be a Federal Crop Insurance meeting Thursday, April 2.

The meeting will be held at the courthouse in the courtroom beginning at 7:30 p.m.

City To Conduct Alley Clean-Up

The City of Matador will conduct an alley clean-up the week of April 6th thru April 10th. A special truck will be run during that week to pick up SMALL brush, grass clippings, etc. that are placed in the alley.

No large trees or objects that cannot be thrown on a dump truck will be picked up, so the City asks you to please do not place these in the alley. The City Council has asked residence cooperation.

Guests Present Program For El Progreso Club

As special guests of El Progreso Club, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Richards, last Thursday evening presented the program for club members and their guests, at a dinner in the Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church.

A slide presentation of South American countries, by the couple told of two years spent in Paraguay and tours in Brazil, Argentina, Bolivia and Peru. The slides were made by Mr. Richards, and narration was by Mrs. Richards.

They went to Paraguay when Mr. Richards received an assignment with Aid for International Development in the field of agriculture, from New Mexico State University. While residing in Asuncion, Paraguay, they spent holidays traveling in the surrounding republics. Magnificent scenery was caught on film by Mr. Richards which displayed breath-taking results with the skill of a professional photographer.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards brought back to the states, many fine pieces of furniture and numerous handcrafts reflecting the culture of South American natives.

Displayed at the meeting were headgear, art work, leather goods, and exquisite lace cloths, including a table cloth which required a year for 12 women to finish. Several items of embroidered wearing apparel were shown, and Mrs. Richards was wearing an attractive orange colored cotton tunic which she had purchased there.

Mrs. Furman Vinson, club president, greeted the

assembly in the church sanctuary, where Mrs. Frank Pohl presented organ selections, and Invocation was by Rev. Mark Rickman, church pastor.

At the banquet table, Mrs. Vinson introduced Mrs. Harold Campbell, president of Santa Rosa District, TFWC and several members of her executive committee, also officers of El Progreso Club.

Mrs. Vinson also expressed appreciation to the food committee, Mesdames R. E. Campbell Jr., W. F. McCaghren, W. N. Pipkin, W. F. Jacobs and Howard Traweck, and to the decorations committee, Mesdames C. D. Garrison, Phil Green and Ted Elliott, who decorated the tables with baskets of spring flowers. Favors for the ladies were minute thimble sized straw baskets containing jelly beans.

Out of town guests included Mr. Richards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Richards of Paducah and Larry Elliott of Lubbock.

Club members and their guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Furman Vinson, Harold Campbell, J. M. Russell, E. A. Day, J. E. Edwards, Phil Green, W. F. McCaghren, Frank Pohl, Franklin Price and Gerald Pipkin; Miss Mary Keith, Keith Patton, Miss Rachel Patton; Mesdames R. E. Campbell Jr., Robert Darsey, Glenn Woodruff, Ted Elliott, John Hamilton, Clay Gilbert, W. F. Jacobs, Douglas Meador, R. E. Donovan, J. D. Craven, D. E. Pitts and Scott Robbins, and Rev. Mark Rickman.

Welcome To The Whiteflat Reunion



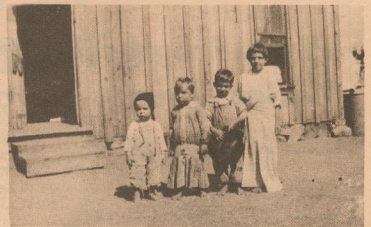
Cordie Gatewood Stephens Dixon and Nora Belle Stephens Dunning at the mouth of Four-Corners Lake.



Mrs. Hattie Belle Stephens who came to Whiteflat in 1907 is shown with her grandson, H. A. Stephens and great-grandson, Kenneth Dunning.



EARLY PHOTO - (Top L to R) Hollis Stephens and Vinie Dodd Keltz. (Bottom) Jim Miller and Annie Dodd.



THE FOUR McWILLIAMS CHILDREN, made about 1913. Left to right Varner McWilliams, Earnest McWilliams, Roscoe McWilliams and Connie Ross McWilliams Browning.



BAPTISMAL SERVICES at the Four-Corners Lake at Whiteflat. Rev. H. L. Burnam was pastor of First Baptist Church.



HOLLIS STEPHENS and his small brother Earl and his daughter, Nora Belle.



MR. and MRS. BILL McCAGHREN

Couple To Observe 52nd Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. (Bill) McCaghren will be honored with a reception celebrating their approaching 52nd wedding anniversary. Their children and grandchildren will host the event at their home here, Saturday, April 11, from 2 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Everyone is invited, but the couple requests "no gifts."

The former Judine Watson and Bill McCaghren were married April 27, 1929 in Spur, with the late Rev. W. B. Vaughn officiating. At that time Rev. Vaughn was serving

as pastor of the First Methodist Church, Spur, and later came to Matador to serve the Methodist church here as pastor.

Hosts will be the couple's daughter and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Darwin Scott of Shreveport, La., and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCaghren Jr., of Amarillo, and their children.

Grandchildren of the couple are Marty McCaghren of Broken Arrow, Okla.; Ray Scott, student at A&M University, and Mrs. Jim Hudson (Gayla Scott) of Palestine, Texas.

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Women's Softball Assn. To Meet April 7th

The Motley County Women's Softball Association will have a meeting April 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Matador Branch Plainview Savings and Loan Community Room. Officers are Mae

Thomas, President; Darla Gwinn, Secretary. A new Vice President will be elected to fill the vacancy of Maggie Marshall. Everyone interested in playing softball is urged to attend this meeting.

Whiteflat Reunion Saturday, April 4th

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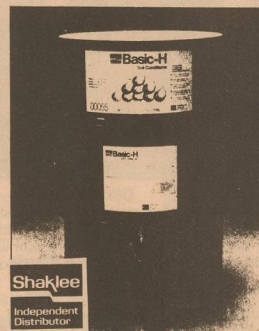
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Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper are in St. Louis, Missouri visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Minton, Cheryl and Carol.

Mrs. H. R. "Skeet" Jameson visited in Sagerton, Tuesday in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Cliff LeFevre. Other guests were Mrs. Ladain Anderson of Houston and Mrs. Frank McKerral of Angleton.

Mrs. Johnny Turner has been in Plainview this week with her father, Marvin Montague of Silvertown, a patient in the Central Plains Hospital. Mr. Montague returned home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens visited in Lockney, Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Robin Darsey were in Lubbock, Thursday and toured the Texas Tech Ranching Heritage Center and museum.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Martin, Sunday with her father, Ray Martin of Roaring Springs.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Monte Stephens, April and Shaun of Quilaca.

Mrs. Edith Timmons of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Mrs. Etta Moore of Matador visited Mrs. W. R. Tilson, Friday and Mr. and Mrs. John Barton, Saturday.

Mrs. Ralph Stapleton and George D. and their houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hopson of Burnet visited in New Deal, Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Markham. They visited in Abilene during the weekend with Mrs. Doris Horwitz, Mrs. Nina Barkley and Rex Brock and celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Stapleton's and Mrs. Hopson's sister, Mrs. Willie Blair, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hopson continued on their return trip home.

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

Mrs. Lillian Thacker returned home last Monday from Corpus Christi where she had been visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Max Thacker, Chris and Todd.

On Sunday night she attended the Parkland Baptist Church with them, where Max and Jane sang in the choir for the program their church performed of the Prodigal Son. In pantomime, Mrs. Thacker says it was one of the most beautiful and touching programs she had ever attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brooks and sons of Dumas spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brooks and their son, James Wade Brooks.

Bobby Mullins is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins while working on a line job at Spur.

Mrs. L. A. Mullins and Mrs. Osie Lee Brown attended a SPAG meeting in Lubbock last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins received word Monday afternoon that their son, Lester of Hereford is in Deaf Smith General Hospital suffering from a light heart attack. Tuesday morning he was reported to be stabilized.

Mrs. Jim McCleskey accompanied Mrs. Elgie McCleskey and Mrs. Bill Raetz to Lubbock for doctor appointments, Monday.

Mrs. John Propest and Thelma Barley of Helton, Okla., spent Friday thru Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Hobbs Gipson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Palmer visited Sunday with their son and family Mr. and Mrs. James Palmer, Trish and Josh at Levelland.

Mrs. L. A. Mullins attended the Caprock District Texas Federation of Women's Clubs at the Hilton Inn in Lubbock Saturday. Mrs. Nell Clem drove up Friday. She was in charge of the "fishin'" for fun along with her daughter, Mrs. Cathy Meaks of Silvertown. Mrs. Grace Campbell of Matador was there Saturday also.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hipp of Modesto, Calif., were houseguests of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hipp from Friday until Wednesday of last week. On their way here they stopped in Lubbock for a few days' visit with their nephew, Charles Hipp and family, son of the Elmer Hipps.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Marshall were transacting business in Lubbock Wednesday of last week. On Sunday they visited their daughter and family there.

Mrs. J. D. Palmer was in Lubbock Tuesday of last week to be with her grandson, Josh who at that time underwent a tonsillectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Peacock returned Saturday night from a trip to Mesa, Arizona, for several days' visit with their son, Mike and family. Their grandson, Jon accompanied them from Plainview to visit the Mike Peacock's.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Cooper visited Mrs. Cooper's daughter, Mrs. Gene St. Clair in Crosbyton, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lula Swim spent the weekend in Abilene in the home of her nephew, J. R. Swim and family. J. R.'s mother, Mrs. J. T. Swim of Littlefield, drove down and accompanied her sister-in-law for the weekend visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Swim, Edward and Emily. The ladies returned Sunday afternoon and Mrs. Swim returned to Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Haile of Stratford were Thursday visitors in the home of his cousin, W. H. Marshall. Mr. Haile, the son of pioneer area resident, Lucius Haile, was read at Spur.

Mrs. Minnie Dye accompanied Miss Swim to Abilene and visited her brother and family, the Ted Norton's, there.

Miss Bess Ferguson and Mrs. L. A. Mullins attended to business in Plainview Monday morning.

The Lloyd Staffords' visited her mother, Mrs. Berryman Sunday in the Floydada Nursing Home where she recently became a resident.

The Stafford's daughter, Mrs. Jerry Roberson of Lubbock and family also visited with Mrs. Berryman.

Mrs. B. L. Peacock and Mrs. W. A. Lewis attended to business in Floydada Wednesday morning.



REV. AND MRS. ROBERT C. COZBY AND KARA

Rev. Cozby Is New Pastor At Assembly Of God

Rev. Robert C. Cozby has been named pastor of the Matador Assembly of God Church. Brother Cozby, his wife Rhonda,

and their seven year old daughter moved to Matador this last week from Floydada. Born and raised in

Floydada, Cozby graduated from Floydada High School and farmed for over seven years before entering the Ministry two years ago. The couple both enjoy ministering in song and have held services in Cedar Hill, Lorenzo, Lockney, Crosbyton, and Floydada. He served as assistant pastor under Rev. G. A. VanHoose at the First Assembly of God in Floydada. The couple have one child, a first grader named Kara.

"We're happy to be living in Matador," said Bro. Cozby. "The people here are all so friendly and have made us feel right at home. We'd like to invite everyone in the area to visit our church services. The Lord is doing exciting things in our church and our community and we're so excited about being a part of it."

Lunchroom Menu

April 5
Breakfast-Orange Juice, Donut, Cereal, 1/2 pt. Milk.
Lunch-Hamburger w/Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, and Onions, French Fries, Jello, 1/2 pt. Milk.

April 6
Breakfast-Grape Juice, Bacon & Eggs, Hot Biscuit, Butter, Jelly, 1/2 pt. Milk.
Lunch-Fish Sticks w/Tartar Sauce, Macaroni & Cheese, Cole Slaw, Hot Roll, Butter, Cobbler, 1/2 pt. Milk.

April 7
Breakfast-Orange Juice, Toast, Cereal, 1/2 pt. Milk.
Lunch-Meat Balls w/

Brown Gravy, New Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Butter, Fruit, 1/2 pt. Milk.

April 8
Breakfast-Orange Juice, Waffles & Syrup, Sausage, 1/2 pt. M

April 9
Breakfast-Apple Juice, Toast, Cereal, 1/2 pt. Milk.
Lunch-Turkey Roll w/Cream Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Roll, Butter, Syrup, 1/2 pt. Milk.

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

Mrs. Alfred Martin and daughter, Mrs. Dean Turner of Matador visited during the weekend in Decatur with Mrs. Martin's mother, Mrs. Emma Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay met their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Arrington and son, George Wade of Canadian at the Floydada Airport, Sunday and George Wade returned home with his grandparents to visit this week. Mr. and Mrs. Arrington are attending the Cattleman's Association convention in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Garrett of Alameda, Calif., who visited last month with her mother, Mrs. Doris Morris, left Monday to visit in New Orleans, Louisiana with his mother and in Lakeland, Florida with Mr. and Mrs. Odell Washington.

Visiting Mrs. Harley Gunn, Saturday was her daughter, Mrs. Garland Francis of Silvertown.

Mrs. Joe Edd Helms and Paula of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin and Ryan of Matador visited Mr. and Mrs. Art Green, Sunday and celebrated Mrs. Green's birthday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lane, Amy and Krysta of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morris and Dodie of Afton.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Green and Mrs. James Monk visited in Plainview, Thursday with Mrs. Billy Green and Aaron and the Tommy Rice family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond and Mrs. James Monk visited Wednesday with their uncle, Murry Myers, a patient in the General Hospital in Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sperry of Newlin visited during the weekend with Mrs. Jeff Sperry.

Visiting from Monday until Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Roys and family were Mr. and Mrs. Eren Valdez and family of Immokalee, Florida. Weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roys and Donnie of Dumas and Richard Roys and daughter, Malissa of Lubbock.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond from Friday until Sunday was her son, Weldon Gates of LaCanada, Calif., and his friend, Ted Landrum of San Juan Cape Sparna, Calif. They also visited Mrs. James Monk.

People In The News

Mrs. Dan (Frances) Brandon had surgery, Monday, March 23 at the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Keith were in Quannah this week where they received medical treatment at the Quannah Memorial Hospital.

Miss Mary Slover is a patient in the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview following surgery, Thursday, March 26.

Mrs. Ethel Ratcliff returned home this week from Lubbock where she was a patient in the Methodist Hospital for medical tests.

Mrs. Alfred Barton, Sr. is a patient in the Hi Plains Hospital in Hale Center. Mrs. Tom Berryman moved recently to the Nursing Home in Floydada.

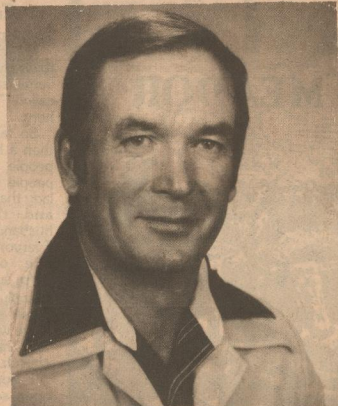
Mrs. Clovis Murphy was a recent patient in the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview.

Mrs. R. E. (Edna) Campbell, Sr. was accompanied this week to Oklahoma City by her daughter, Mrs. Bert Schweitzer of Lubbock, for medical treatment. Mrs. Campbell had recent eye surgery in Lubbock.

Mrs. Elgie Evans of Matador visited for a week with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Scott and family and Ceaman Scott and family in Lubbock. Harold Pabes and family of Tomahawk,

Wisconsin visited the Scotts' and also brought Mrs. Evans home to Matador. The Pabes continued on their way home to Tomahawk.

Congratulations Pat Green



On Your Promotion To Agency Manager Of Lynn and Garza Counties

We wish to thank you for the outstanding job performance you have done for the Farm Bureau members in the Motley County area.

Don E. Morrison

will be handling Motley County and he also is the manager of Floyd, Motley, Cottle and King Countys. Don's office is located in Floydada, but we will still maintain the Matador office. Contact June Tilson for all claims and questions you may have.

We are in the process of procuring an agent for the Motley County office. Anyone interested please contact Don E. Morrison.

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Funeral Services Held For Ruby Crowell Turner

Funeral services were held for Ruby Crowell Turner, 54, of Flomot at 2:30 p.m., Thursday, March 26 at the First Baptist Church in Flomot with the Rev. Terry Jones, pastor officiating, assisted by the Rev. Hollis Locke, pastor of the Fairmont Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Flomot Cemetery under the direction of the Seigler Funeral Home of Turkey.

Mrs. Turner died at 11:30 p.m., Tuesday at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness.

The longtime Flomot resident had lived in Turkey a short time. She was the widow of Leonard "Junior" Crowell, who died in 1978. She later married Malcolm Turner, who died in 1979. She was a Baptist. Survivors include two

sons, Lynn Crowell of Chillicothe and Joe Bob Crowell of Turkey; her father, H. B. Pinckard, Sr. of Amarillo; a brother, H. B. Pinckard, Jr. of Amarillo; and three grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Ray Cruse, Denver Anderson, Howard Rogers, Glendale Tiffin, Wendell Morris and Eugene Ferguson.

Services Held March 14 For Former Resident

Services for Ollie E. Martin Sevier, 82, of 804 S. Avenue B, Kermit, were held at 3 p.m., Saturday, March 14 at Northside Baptist Church in Kermit with burial following in

Monahans Cemetery. Mrs. Sevier, a former Motley County resident died in Kermit Memorial Hospital Wednesday night, March 4, 1981.

She lived in the Whiteflat Community several years.

She was born November 15, 1898, in Sherman and married Walter P. Martin who died in May, 1956. She was a Kermit resident for 46 years and a member of the Northside Baptist Church of Kermit.

She is survived by two sons, W. Carroll Martin of Albuquerque, N.M. and Ted J. Martin of Lake Coleman; four sisters. Mrs. Alice Elmore and Gladys Spray, both of Kermit, Maggie Winstead of Seymour and Lillie Meyers of Dallas; 14 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Arrangements were handled by the Kermit Funeral Home.

Housewarming Given For Turner Family

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner were honored with a Housewarming at their beautiful home, Saturday night, March 28.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Mesdames Seab Washington, Jesse Perkins, Jeff Thacker, Roger Vinson, Robin Darsey, Hal Martin, Art Green, Gordie Washington, Joe Farley and Ronnie Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner were presented a money

tree and gifts. Refreshments of cake, punch and coffee were served.

Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens, Mrs. James Monk, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Turner and Messrs. Dean Turner, Seab Washington, Hal Martin, Joe Farley, Gordie Washington, Art Green, Robin Darsey, Roger Vinson and Ronnie Cox. Many friends unable to attend sent gifts.

Planting Your Garden

By Jerry Cummins

Now that you've decided what you are going to grow in your garden, worked up the soil and added the necessary fertilizer, the hard work of gardening is over. Planting the garden is the fun part enjoyed by most folks. Now it won't be long until at last you will have something actually growing in the garden.

Planting is generally done in two ways -- by seeding or by transplanting. Good advice when seeding vegetables in the garden is to use fresh, high-quality seed of recommended varieties purchased from local garden centers or nurseries or from reputable seed order catalogs.

Vegetables which should be seeded directly in gardens include all types of beans, beets, carrots, collards, sweet corn, cucumbers, cantaloupes, okra, peas, pumpkins, radishes, spinach, squash,

turnips and watermelons. Transplants of some of these vegetables may be available at local garden centers and nurseries, but they offer no real advantage over seeding directly in the garden.

When seeding time rolls around, the soil should be moist but not too wet. To check, squeeze together a handful of your garden soil. If it crumbles readily rather than sticking together, it's in ideal condition for seeding.

Most garden seed are planted by dropping the seed in shallow furrows or rows on raised beds. Make the seed furrow with a hoe handle, the corner of the hoe blade, your hand or a stick. Don't get your vegetables rows too close together. Most garden vegetables do best when planted in rows 18 inches to 36 inches apart.

Although it may seem wasteful, always plant more seed than needed in

case some don't germinate and come up. One common mistake many gardeners make is to plant seed too deep. Proper planting depth will be, on the average, two to three times the widest measurement of the seed. Cover seed to the right depth and then firm the soil lightly over the seed. Ideally the soil moisture content should be sufficient for good seed germination and emergence. However, during extremely dry periods, it's a good idea to water to insure a good stand.

After vegetables come up, remember that too many plants in an area are just as bad, if not worse, as too few. Thin vegetables to the proper distance between plants. Remember, it's for their good as well as yours.

To make the job of thinning less painful, thin plants periodically. For example, if snap beans are to be thinned to 4 inches between plants, thin small plants until they are about 2 inches apart. Then allow remaining plants to grow for a period of time until they begin to crowd together. At that point, complete thinning so plants are the recommended space apart.

It's a good idea when removing larger plants to use a knife or clippers to cut the stem at the ground level. This will not damage the root systems of remaining vegetables as pulling out of unwanted plants might have done.

Remember that thinning your garden vegetables to the correct spacing is one of the most important "follow-up" activities after planting. Contact the county Extension office for additional information on correct spacing for commonly-grown vegetable plants.

Next time I'll provide you with some important information on how to get those tomatoes, peppers and eggplants started off on the right foot.



Tony Arnold and Randy Hamilton

"Government-In Action" Youth Tour Winners Announced

Names of winners of Dickens Electric Cooperative's Government-in-Action Youth Tour Contest were announced this week by Bailey L. Reece, Manager of the Cooperative.

Winners whose oratory qualified them for an all expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. are Toni Arnold and Randy Hamilton. Toni is the seventeen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Arnold of Spur. Toni is a junior at Spur High School where she has received many honors and been active in many different events. During the 1980 and 1981 school year Toni has been Assistant Editor of the Rowel staff, member of the La Espuela yearbook staff, and a cheerleader. Toni was also FFA Princess for the 1979 and 1980 school year.

Toni is also a member of the FHA and the National Honor Society. Honors that Toni has received have been, Dickens County Farm Bureau's representative to the Citizenship Seminar in Waco, summer of 1980, first place in Class 2A in Feature Writing in 1981. Math Departmental Award in 1980, third place in District 4-2A in spelling in 1980 and has been on the "A" honor roll from 1979 to 1981. Toni's hobbies include ceramics, music, and traveling.

Sixteen year old Randy Hamilton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hamilton of McAdoo. A

sophomore at Spur High School, Randy is active in 4-H. He is a council delegate of the County 4-H and also of the Triangle 4-H Club. Randy has attended the State 4-H Congress and participated in the State 4-H Trap Shoot. Randy has also exhibited sheep and poultry in the County Livestock Show. He received the Dickens County 4-H Gold Star Award this year. Randy is Vice-President of his class and is also a member of the FFA and FHA. His hobbies are trap shooting, golf and basketball.

Other contestants in the contest were Trudi Ozborn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ozborn of Afton, Jerry Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall McGalliard of Spur, Mickey Mowrey, daughter of Mr. Mickey Mowrey of Dickens and Kasey Hodges, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hodges of Spur.

Trudi Ozborn and Jerry Alexander were chosen as alternates.

All contestants delivered an oratory on the subject, "America's Energy Challenge of Today and Tomorrow." Toni and Randy will be among young people from throughout the state participating in the tour to our nation's Capitol in June.

The management and employees of Dickens Electric with to thank all the contestants for taking part in the GAYT contest.

"We are proud to have such outstanding young men and women in our service area. Congratulations to Toni and Randy and also to our other contestants. We feel like they are all winners!" states Cooperative Manager, Bailey Reece.

Jay Laughlin, Co-author Of Nuclear Publication

Jay Laughlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary B. Laughlin of Midland, former Motley County residents, is co-author of a research paper recently published by the Nuclear Engineering Dept. of Texas A&M University. The paper, "Measurement of the Charge on Submicrometer Aerosol Exposed to Bipolar Ions", was presented at the

fifteenth annual meeting of IEEE Industry Applications Society held at Stouffer's Towers in Cincinnati.

Jay, an assistant professor in the Nuclear Engineering Dept. at Texas A&M, will receive his masters' degree in Nuclear Engineering in May.

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Services Held For A. B. Chambliss

Graveside services for A. B. "Doc" Chambliss, 64, of Matador were held at 2 p.m., March 27 in East Mound Cemetery in Matador with the Rev. Bob Crosby, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, officiating.

Burial was under direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Chambliss died Wednesday morning at his home. A Matador Justice

of the Peace ruled the death was of natural causes.

The Bowie native moved to Matador two weeks ago from Billings, Mont. He married Ruth M. Weigle on July 29, 1969 in Mindon, Nev. He was a veteran of World War II and was a farmer and ranch hand. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Ellis of Reno, Nev., and Charlie of Millville, Penn.; a daughter, Myra Bailey of Reno; three brothers, Sam of Orley, Mo.; J. T. of Lincoln, Ark.; and Charlie of Twin Falls, Idaho; two sisters, Donna M. Eyraud of Caliente, Nev., and Myrtle Clay of Lindale; and a number of grandchildren.

Letter To The Editor

To the people of Matador: I have been living in your town for 22 days and am very disappointed in the so called "friendly" people here.

So far I have met less than a half dozen friendly people. They are the people we rent from, the lady that runs the Dugout, and the people my husband is employed by. Everyone else acts like we are out of place.

I'm sure there are more friendly people, but they must be hiding. Also, there was only one person that has invited me to church.

I hope this letter will open some eyes. It isn't easy being a newcomer. I get the impression we are supposed to know everything that is happening. When I do ask, no one seems to know.

Be friendly to newcomers!

Name Withheld By Request

STEAK CANTONESE AND RICE

- 1/2 pound boneless beef round steak
- 2 teaspoons vegetable oil
- 1 small tomato, coarsely chopped
- 1/2 green pepper, cut in strips
- 1/8 teaspoon each garlic powder, ground black pepper and ground ginger
- 1 teaspoon cornstarch
- 1-1/2 tablespoons soy sauce
- 1 beef bouillon cube
- 2 cups hot cooked rice (cooked in beef broth or bouillon)

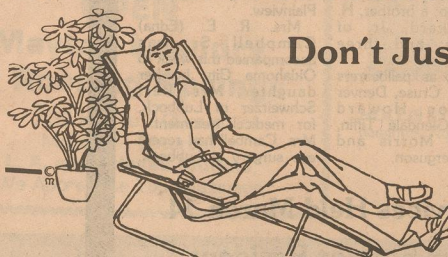
Slice meat into thin strips, cutting diagonally across the grain (partially frozen to make slicing easier). Brown steak in oil on all sides over high heat. Reduce heat. Stir in tomato, green pepper and seasonings. Cover and simmer 10 minutes. Blend cornstarch and soy sauce. Stir into meat mixture. Add bouillon cube. Cook and stir until mixture thickens and bouillon cube dissolves. Serve over beds of fluffy rice. Makes 2 servings.

EMT Notice

The Motley County EMT Association will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, April 2. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will be held at Matador Branch Plainview Savings and Loan.

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Livestock Show 1981

Brandt Bearden, Matador, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ros Bearden, exhibited the Grand Champion Steer in the 41st annual Motley County Jr. Livestock Show, sponsored by the Motley County Livestock Association held in Matador on March 23rd. The 1265 lb. Crossbred steer was bred by Ros Bearden, and was 1st in the heavy steer class. The animal sold for a premium of \$225 to Tulia Livestock Auction, Tulia, TX and the Great Western Meat Co., Morton, TX.

Ross Graham, grandson of Mrs. Ruby Miles, Roaring Springs, exhibited the Grand Champion Market Hog. The 214 lb. Duroc was 1st in the middle market hog class, and sold to Tips Package Store, Dickens, TX for a premium of \$80.

Larry Clay, Flomot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay, exhibited the Grand Champion Market Lamb. The 130 lb. Suffolk Lamb was 1st in the heavy lamb class, and sold for a premium of \$75 to Tips Package Store, Dickens, TX.

The Grand Champion Heifer was entered by Dell Bearden, Matador. The Limousin heifer was 1st in the crossbred class, and Champion of the crossbred heifers.

Holly Hobbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hobbs, exhibited the Reserve Champion Steer, a 1175 lb. crossbred animal that placed 2nd in the heavy steer class. This animal sold for a premium of \$175 to Clinton Hobbs.

Carlene Luckett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carter Luckett, exhibited the Reserve Champion Market Hog. The 229 lb. Duroc placed 1st in the heavy weight market hog class. The animal sold for a premium of \$60 to Wilson Electric; Caprock Auto;

Brown Implement, Floydada, TX.

Tammy Clay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clay, Flomot, exhibited the Reserve Champion Market Lamb. The 128 lb. Suffolk lamb placed 2nd in the heavy lamb class, and sold for a premium of \$75 to Floydada Livestock Sales Co., Floydada, TX, and Dean's Food, Roaring Springs, TX.

Donna Thompson exhibited the Champion Hereford heifer.

Brent Campbell, Matador, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bundy Hal Campbell, was showmanship winner in the Beef classes; Charles Ed Cammack, son of Mrs. Zona Ruth Cammack, in the Swine classes, and Larry Clay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay, Flomot, in the Sheep classes. Trophies were presented by the Motley County Livestock Association to all showmanship winners.

The Rate-of-Gain trophy was won by Shannon Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Campbell. Gain over a 106 day feeding period was 3.24 lb/day, with breeder of steer being Guy Campbell. Placings in the Rate-of-Gain contest were as follows: 2nd Koree Campbell with 2.91 lb/day, 3rd Brent Campbell with 2.88 lb/day, 4th Heath Campbell with 2.72 lb/day, 5th Renee Renfro with 2.66 lb/day, tie for 6th, 7th and 8th place with 2.60 lb/day Brent Campbell, Heath Campbell and Shannon Campbell. Other entries with a gain of over 2 lb/day; Leigh Barton, Rob Francis, Shawn and Brandt Bearden, Brandi Barton, Wesley Stafford, Kim Hand, Rob Francis, Kim Hand, David Stafford, Koree Campbell and Wesley Stafford.

A breakfast of pancakes and sausage was served exhibitors and those connected with the show by Billy Wason, assisted by Walter Jones, Ronnie Vandiver and Vann Francis.

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Holdover directors are Butch Renfro, Matador; James Bearden, Roaring Springs; Bobby Clay, Flomot. Incoming directors are Kenny Barton, Matador; Billy Hand, Roaring Springs; and Donnie Turner, Flomot.

A total of 30 steers, 27 swine, 12 sheep, and 23 heifers were exhibited.

Placings in the Heavy Steers: (1085-1265 lbs.) 1st Brandt Bearden; 2nd Holly

Hobbs; 3rd Heath Campbell; 4th Heath Campbell; 5th Brandt & Shawn Bearden; 6th Brent Campbell; 7th Kim Hand; 8th Brent Campbell; 9th Koree Campbell; 10th Rob Francis.

Lucian M. McCarroll, Extension Agent, Paducah, served a judge. Don McCandless, Floydada Livestock Sales, Floydada, served as auctioneer, and J. C. Cross, Matador, was announcer.

Larry Bynum, Flomot, served as show chairman, and Butch Renfro, Matador, was vice-chairman. Guy Campbell, Matador, was show secretary, and Bill Hand, Roaring Springs, was recorder. Bobby Clay and James Bearden were show directors. Show advisors were Bill Moss and Jerry Cummins.

Kenny Barton, Matador, was beef chairman, assisted by Roy Gene Stephens. Swine chairman was Carter Luckett, Matador. Joe Ike Clay was sheep chairman. Lewis Bostick was heifer chairman. Sales chairman was L. B. Campbell, assisted by Pat Green.

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Cattle Ear Tick Infestations Are Weather Related

By Warren Multer

When cattle are being put through the chute they should be inspected for spinose ear ticks. Large numbers of these ticks have recently been found packed in the ears of cattle. Conditions have apparently been favorable for development of large populations of both hard and soft ticks in Motley County according to Warren L. Multer, Extension Agent-Entomologist.

All stages of spinose ear ticks are passed in the ear of cattle except the adult stage. The larvae and nymphs feed by sucking blood from the host. Adult ticks do not feed. After mating, a female tick will deposit from 800 to 1,000 eggs over a period of up to six months.

After hatching, the spinose tick larvae contact the host and work their way into the inner folds of the outer ear. In addition to cattle, horses and mules, other hosts include sheep, goats, hogs, cats and dogs. On several occasions these ticks have been removed from the ears of man. Wild hosts include coyotes, deer and rabbits.

The larvae require five to seven days to complete development then they molt. The nymphs require four weeks to seven months to complete development. Then they leave the ear and drop to the ground to molt into adults.

Cattle heavily infested with ear ticks become dull, may lose weight and the ability to hear. They shake their heads and rub their ears in an apparent attempt to relieve the irritation. When the wounds caused by the feeding ticks become infested with pus-forming

organisms, a condition known as "canker ear" may result. Weaker animals can die as a result of heavy ear tick infestation.

When spinose ear ticks are found in the ears of cattle, Co-RalR5% dust, lindane 3.5% aerosol and malathion 0.5% spray can be used for control on beef cattle and nonlactating

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"Other crops in the district eligible for

protection include grain sorghum in Randall County, peanuts in Motley County and soybeans in Floyd, Hale and Swisher counties. The deadline on those crops is also April 30," he continued.

FCIC is an agency of the United States Department of Agriculture. It is designed to protect a producer's crop production expenses from risks like hail, wind, drought, insects and disease.

Information about the FCIC program can be obtained from any private insurance agent handling the program or from the FCIC offices in Amarillo and Lubbock.

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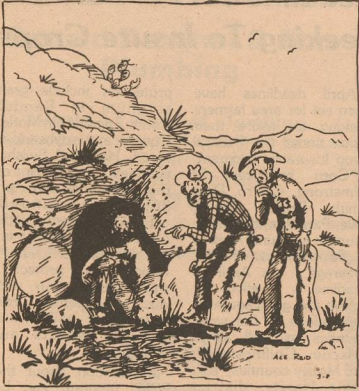
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Proposals will not be consolidated for bidding purposes. Bidder must submit individual bids for any of the following highway mowing proposals:

PROPOSAL NO. 1 (2 Year): Childress County, US Highway 82, from US 83 to the Oklahoma State line, length 10.89 miles, approximate area 132.12 acres.

PROPOSAL NO. 2 (2 Year): Cottle County, US Highway 83, from South Pease River to King County line to include all of FM 3256 and FM 2998, length 33.92 miles, approximate area 253.08 acres.

PROPOSAL NO. 3 (2 Year): Dickens County, State Highway 70, from Motley County line to Dickens, length 14.78 miles, approximate area 143.32 acres.

PROPOSAL NO. 4 (2 Year): King County, US Highway 82, from Dickens County line to Knox County line, length 33.07 miles, approximate area 240.00 acres.

PROPOSAL NO. 5 (2 Year): King County, US Highway 83, from Cottle County line to Stonewall County line, length 30.07 miles, approximate area 240.00 acres.

PROPOSAL NO. 6 (2 Year): Motley County, US Highway 62 and 70 and State Highway 70 from Floyd County line to Cottle County line to include State Highway 70, from Matador to Dickens County line, length 44.39 miles, approximate area 288.74 acres.

Proposals, plans, and specifications may be obtained at the Department Office of the following Maintenance Construction Supervisors: John W. Rothwell, Jr., Childress; Donald R. Fowler, Paducah; Hubert S. Collins, Dickens; and Clay R. Jameson, Matador; or District Office, Childress.

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