

Residents at Fairview Estates mourn loss of manager's son

By LULA THIELER

Fairview Estates
All of us here at Fairview extend our deepest sympathy to Don and Karen Hodson on the loss of their son Loy Hodson last week.
About two weeks ago Irene Kehlbeck flew to St. Louis, Mo. to visit her daughter and husband, Marilyn and Everett Feltham. The brought her home last week and spent several days here.
On Saturday they all went to Bird City to attend the graduation of Brit-tany Kehlbeck, a granddaughter of Irene.

Marlene and Bud Murphy of Cheyenne, Wyo. came on May 12 to take Freda Thieler to Downs to visit Charlene Beougher and fam-ily.
On Saturday they went to Salina to attend Charlene's commence-ment from Kansas Wesleyan Univer-sity. On Sunday they all attended Charlene's daughter Cala's high school commencement. The Mur-phys brought Freda home last Tues-day.
A big thank you to Terry Cousins from the Thomas County Commu-nity Foundation for the delicious

rolls she brought to us last Wednes-day morning.
Our dining room was filled with happy ladies who met here for the Red Hat party last Thursday evening.
Nearly everyone wore a red hat, some quite large and purple or bright colored clothing.
Carolyn Miller was the master of ceremonies and welcomed every-one. She then introduced Terry Cousins who gave a short talk on the purpose of the Thomas County Community Foundation and gave each one a brochure. This group

works for the betterment of all citi-zens of Thomas County. The theme for the party was "Mothers" and Carolyn read some poems and shared some jokes that everyone enjoyed.
Several prizes were given honor-ing the one with the most children, grandchildren and great-grandchil-dren.
Two ladies had the lucky number and received "bloomers" for a prize. Refreshments of "veggies," Kansas Dirt Salad, coffee or iced tea were served.
Many friends and neighbors at-

tended the open house for Maurice Rasmussen at his apartment here at Fairview Sunday afternoon. Deli-cious cake and iced tea were served in honor of his 88th birthday. Maurice's daughter and husband from California, Diann and Lovitt are visiting him this week.
Don and Dorothy Crumbaker celebrated their 63rd wedding an-niversary Thursday here at Fairview Estates with a family gather-ing. Their children, Jane Keck and Ray and Linda Crumbaker from Brewster, JoAnne and Marvin Daniels of Liberal were present.

Also Don's brothers and sisters Frances Moyer of Manhattan, Evan Crumbaker and Bob and Nada McCool all from Wamego, Ardath Murray of Bartelville, Okla., Carol Adolph of Manhattan and Margie Knorr of Kansas City all came to help them celebrate. Don is from a family of 11 children and there are eight of them still living. The fam-ily all liked to sing and they enjoyed singing many of the songs they sang when they were young.
JoAnne Daniels played the piano for them. They all went to the Qual-ity Inn for their dinner that evening.

Winona correspondent recalls story retold to her by a friend

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Pat will be bringing her mother's ashes back and the remains will be buried next to Pat's father, Russell Hillery, in the Russell Springs Cem-eter. Alice was born in Logan County in 1908, the first daughter of Alva and Rozetta Wycoff.
She graduated from Russell Springs High School in 1926 and two years later married Russell Hillery. A story Pat related to me which was retold to her follows:
"The (Wycoff) sisters all shared a bedroom and were supposed to each work to keep it neat, clean, their clothes picked up, etc.
When the "little mother" (Alice) lost her patience and her frequent reminders unheeded, she nailed one of her offending sister's dresses (Marjorie) to the bedroom floor! Neatness returned quickly." There will be many such stories retold when the Wycoff clan gathers this Memorial weekend in Russell Springs, of which they invite you to

share with them.
Troy and Brandi Wright and fam-ily of Gordon, Neb. were Friday and Saturday overnight guests in the home of Mary Wright in Russell Springs.
They were here to attend Tri-plains graduation.
Evelyn Langdon accompanied Gene and Doris Langdon of Leoti to Colby Saturday to attend the graduation ceremony of Colby Community College. Her grand-daughter, Dora Langdon, received a degree from the college.
In today's fast-moving society, grandparents must "get on the band wagon," figuratively speaking. That's ultimately what Archie and Verla Moser did to attend their grandkids' graduations and celebra-tions.
It began with graduation at Tri-plains. They hustled to make it to Brewster for their grandson Jarrett Carpenter's graduation, after which they attended a barbecue at the home of Wayne and Leisha Carpen-ter in honor of their son, Jarrett.

Then it was off to Page City for fes-tivities at the country home of Dan and Kristi Moser in honor of Archie and Verla's granddaughters and grandson. The circle was completed upon arrival at their country home south of Winona.
Lael Baxter and her fiancé, Yano Romsford of Venice, Calif. arrived May 14 to attend graduation and LPN pinning of her sister, Amber Baxter, at Colby Community Col-lege graduation on May 15.
LaVonne Baxter attended with her family, Karen Baxter and Linda

of Garden City, Billie Baxter of Winona and Bill and Pat Weeks of Hoxie.
Karen Baxter and Linda were Fri-day through Sunday evening guests of LaVonne.
Other overnight guests through-out the weekend were Amber Bax-ter, Sidney and Jarred of Bur-lington, Colo., Lael Baxter and Yano Romsford.
Sunday dinner guests of LaVonne at her home included Karen Baxter and Linda, Billie Baxter, Yano Romsford and Amber Baxter.

Judy Gfeller and her granddaugh-ter, Kara Gfeller, went to Marion Friday where they were guests of Andy and Staci Hansen, Kirsten and Kourtney.
They attended a dance recital on Saturday to watch Kirsten and Kourtney perform tap and ballet.

There will be a memorial service in remembrance of the life of former resident Nellie Flynt at the Winona United Methodist Church at 8 a.m. Monday, May 31.
The community will provide breakfast for the family following the service.

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