

Odessa Oil Worker is Gunshot Victim

ODESSA - Blanton Houston Moseley, 43, an oil field worker, died at his home early Friday of a gunshot wound in the right temple.

Peace Justice C. P. Robinson said the wound was self- inflicted.

Mr. Moseley's wife, Clara said she sat on a bed unable to help as her husband waved a home-made 22 caliber pistol.

Funeral for Mr. Moseley will be held at 3 p.m. at Gorman Church of Christ. Burial will be in Alameda Cemetery.

Mr. Moseley was born May 14, 1920 in eastland County.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Billy Wayne and David of Odessa; three stepsons, Norman McCoy, Terry McCoy, and Patrick McCoy, all of Odessa; two stepdaughters, Debra McCoy and Sharon McCoy, both of Odessa; his mother, Mrs. Hettie Lewis of De Leon; one brother, Bobby L. Moseley of Gorman; and one sister, Mrs. Gorrene Reeves of De Leon.