

The Hedley Informer

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NO. 2

My Home Town

Mrs. G. E. Lacy suggested that this theme by Jon Leggitt would be appropriate for this anniversary issue:

This is the story of my town. The town originated as Rowe. The town of Rowe was founded in 1893, about a mile west of the present townsite, and was named for the Rowe ranch. The first postoffice was in the W. I. Rains home.

In 1907 a large part of Rowe burned, and since there had been talk of moving the town anyway, the fire presented an excellent opportunity for the great undertaking. The new town was named for Mr. Hedley, who along with R. H. Jones and Colonel W. E. Reeves, promoted the moving of the town.

Hedley has always been a progressive little town. Hedley's first newspaper was the Hedley Herald, established in 1908. J. Claude Wells of Memphis began the Hedley Informer on October 21, 1910. Then on July 16, 1917, Edward C. Boliver bought the newspaper and it has been in his family ever since. Hedley has had a newspaper continuously since 1908, except for one year, 1909, during which the community experienced very poor crops. Hedley has always had a large number of business establishments for its size and the number is constantly increasing.

My part in this story began April 5, 1943. In these seventeen and a half years I have seen "just another little town" become a well above average community. There have been, of course, as in the case of any town, some losses in business. For instance, I remember well when there were three gins in Hedley. But these losses have been offset by numerous gains. When I was a small boy, there was no pavement anywhere in Hedley, except for highway 287. The city park and tennis courts are reasonably new public facilities in the town.

In October, 1952, the first Cotton Festival was held, and the celebration has become a greatly anticipated part of the harvest in Hedley. This year, in recognition of the festival, Governor Price Daniel proclaimed October 14-15 Cotton Festival Days in Texas.

One of the largest fires Hedley has ever experienced occurred on May 19, 1957. On that day the

large First Baptist Church burned to the ground. The fire chief and several of the local fireman were out of town, so the Memphis and Clarendon fire departments were called. But the fire was too far advanced before it was discovered, and the building was completely destroyed. Although it was a black day for the community, perhaps it was a blessing in disguise. On March 9, 1958, the congregation entered a beautiful new sanctuary probably the most imposing structure in the city.

Today there are thirty-seven businesses in Hedley rated by Dun and Bradstreet, a very good number for a town of its size. Among these businesses are a bank, four grocery stores, eight service stations, four cafes, two beauty shops, two barber shops, three garages, a feed store, a dry goods store, variety store, two drug stores, a television repair shop, blacksmith shop, a motel, a gin, compress, grain elevator, etc. Hedley is a very religious community. There are six churches serving the town and the surrounding area.

Hedley has always been a small town. It has changed little in population since its founding. The official 1950 census figure was 588. The 1960 population is almost exactly 500. But Hedley's energy makes up for its size. In the last two or three years, Hedley has tripled its fire-fighting strength. The number of businesses has steadily increased in number, and our local bank is in better condition than ever. Five or six years ago, there were no businesses between the intersection of Main Street and Highway 287 and the east city limits. Today, as one drives through this section, he sees many clean, modern, well-lighted businesses along the way.

Many people will try to tell you that Hedley is dying, but Hedley is very much alive, more alive than ever before. I have thoroughly enjoyed my experiences in Hedley and I am proud to call it "My Home Town."

Cotton Bowl Cafe Open

Mrs. Merylene Sargent has reopened the Cotton Bowl Cafe, and plans to continue operating it. She invites her friends to call on her.

Rev. J. S. Tipton attended the state Baptist Convention at Lubbock this week.

Mrs. Kendall Writes

Oct. 27, 1960

Dear Friends,

Congratulations on your 50th "Informer" celebration. We have been subscribing 49 of those 50 years, and I am enclosing two subscriptions, one to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinds of Silverton, Box 578, and the other to Mrs. Buford Hinds, Box 1234, of Abilene, so I can get the news of my good friends of the "old home town" when I am at either place.

May you continue to print The Hedley Informer for many years. We have sold our home there to Mr. Connie DeBord, but not our memories of friends and loved ones. These we keep and cherish. May God bless each of you and every one who reads your paper.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Frank Kendall

Branigan Moves

Branigan Jewelry of Memphis has moved to the building vacated by Ferrel's Men's Store on the west side of the square. They invite Hedleyans to call on them in their new location.



LEGION NEWS

The local post will not hold its regular meeting next Tuesday night which is election night. However they will hold open house November 11th (Veterans Day) beginning at noon.

Card of Thanks

The family of C. M. Bailey would like to express their sincere thanks to everyone that brought food and flowers during his illness. Also to the ones that sat up or helped in any way.

The family of C. M. Bailey

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank everyone for their nice gifts to me on my birthday recently. I appreciated them very much.

Pete Newman

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hall left last week end for a trip to Aransas Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kirkpatrick and Mrs. C. L. Johnson have been visiting in Corpus Christi.

50th Anniversary

This is the 50th anniversary issue of The Hedley Informer, the first copy of which, dated Oct. 21, 1910, was published by Mr. and Mrs. J. Claude Wells, now of The Memphis Democrat. This issue should have appeared two weeks ago, but was delayed because of the Cotton Festival.

This is not an elaborate issue, but perhaps Hedleyans may enjoy turning back the clock to recall what they or their friends were doing years ago. Items are scattered throughout this issue which appeared in the Informer from 15 to 50 years ago. We hope you like them.



LIONS ROAR

Next week is regular meeting night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nivens taking care of the cats. Eating time is 7:30 p. m. A good program is being arranged so come out for a good feed and a good program.

A lighthouse for the blind broom sale is contemplated soon.

Biffle Laundry

We want to congratulate you on your 50th Anniversary. We have enjoyed and appreciated 25 years of your business in that time.

The Biffles

From the 1st Informer

The first issue of the Informer, dated Oct. 21, 1910, carried these news items:

The Rowe Mercantile Co. has moved to Hedley.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mann is quite sick.

P. C. Johnson, Ed Kinslow and Ed Dishman went to Dallas Sunday to attend the fair.

R. H. Jones, E. E. McGee and Ed Blankenship attended court at Clarendon this week.

The town cistern went dry last week. The wind didn't blow enough to turn the windmill.

Miss Laura Brinson visited relatives in Dallas last week.

A. N. Wood has purchased G. G. Dunn's blacksmith shop.

W. E. Reeves hurt his hip last week and is having to use a crutch.

J. R. Boston went to Clarendon Monday to serve on the grand jury.



We Are Old Timers Too!

Founded back in 1913 on a platform of safety for depositors' money and service to the community, this bank has added steadily to its customers and friends. Today it is strong in deposits and strong with its depositors. Its modern methods of doing business safeguard its customers.

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**This bank will observe its 50th
Anniversary in August, 1963.**

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HEDLEY, TEXAS

Hedley Lions Club



Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. All Lions are

urged to be present.

H. L. White, Pres.
M. O. Weatherly, Sec.

See Myrtle Kirkpatrick for flowers or leave order at Wilson Drug.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Doherty left last week for a visit to Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dodson have returned home to Muskogee, Okla., after a visit here

Jack Doherty has been visiting here from Odessa.

44 Years Ago

In November, 1916, the Moreman and Battle store had a contest for children on their Majestic Range. The winning writer was Leon Reeves, aged nine years, who wrote:

One thing, it cooks quick, and better, and uses less coal, and lasts longer.

Also writing letters were Shelby Willis, Tinsley Mullins, Fannie McIntosh, J. N. Kendall, Ruby Mullins, Jimmie Killian, Ruth Sanford, Biffie Grace Hart, Ruth Grimsley, Don Alexander, Raymond Dunn, Gretta Lee Willis, Bernice Duncan, Mary Davis, Opal Blevins, James Richey, Margaret Lewis, Janette Adamson, James Worsham, Theopal Hefner, Jewel Everett, E. B. Wofford, Raymond Killian, Clyde Bryant, Amp Watkins Kermit Johnson, Willie Pool, Madge Richerson, Glenn Willis, Maurice Bray, Fannie Fincher, Nita Fincher, Gladys Cloninger, Mittie Hamblen, Harmon Scales, Zela Woods, Gladys Adamson, Vashti Watkins, Tony Watkins, Vera Brinson, Thomas Killian, Flora Lane, Alma Adamson, Odessa Jamar, Gladys Hefner, Rector Wimberly, Alice Grimsley, Francis Davis, Ozella Jamar, Ruth Richerson, Henry Kinsey,

Agnes Allen, Mildred Fincher, Ruth Marsalis, Vivian Duckworth, Jessie Lee Pool, Earl Stewart, Reba Allen, Lois Masterson, Ansil Adamson, Ora Belle Hefner, Lucile Neely, Beulah Lane, Dannie Mae Masterson, Leona Jamar, Ernest Johnson, Opal Risley, Porter Pierce, Vera Blankenship, Pauline Stewart, Hallie Reavis, and Lionel Davis.

Hedley Lodge No. 413



O.E.S., meets the first Friday night of each month. All members are requested to attend.

Edna Wilson, W. M.
Pauline Morris, Sec.

Adamson-Lane Post 287, American Legion



Meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. All Legionnaires are urged to attend.

A. L. Cherry, Commander
Cliford Johnson, Adjutant

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Bargain rates are now available on the Amarillo News, one year for \$13.50, and the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, one year for \$15.75. See the Informer today for your subscription.

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MEMPHIS, TEXAS

48 Years Ago

The following are taken from the Informer files for November, 1912:

As an evidence of the vast amount of grain being hauled here R. W. Scales, public weigher, is weighing from 50 to 85 wagon loads per day

S. A. McCarroll and wife, U. J. Boston Miss Mary Caloway, Chas Kinslow, A. A. Kinard, Paul Moore and J. C. Wells went to Memphis Tuesday night to hear the Dallas Sympony Orchestra.

The honor roll for the 3rd and 4th grades includes Carrie Dyer, Mary Haley, Blanche Adamson, Zela Wood, Lora Grooms, Cloteal

Moreman and Harmon Scales.

Mrs Frank Kendall, while helping put up a stove one day this week, fell and narrowly escaped serious injury.

Donley County officials elected and qualified are:

- Judge J C Killough
- Clerk, J J Alexander
- Sheriff, J T Patman
- Treasurer, Guss Johnson
- Assessor, G W. Baker
- Attorney, W. T. Link
- Commissioners:
- E D McAdams, Precinct 1
- P O. Logan, Precinct 2
- N. L. Fryar, Precinct 3
- J T. Bain, Precinct 4
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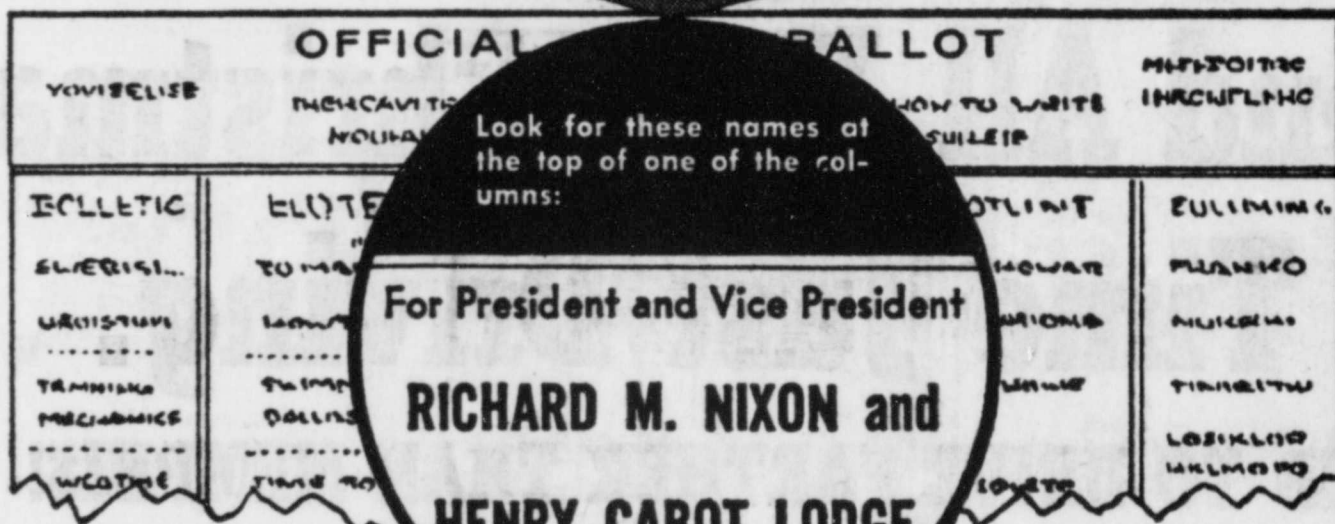
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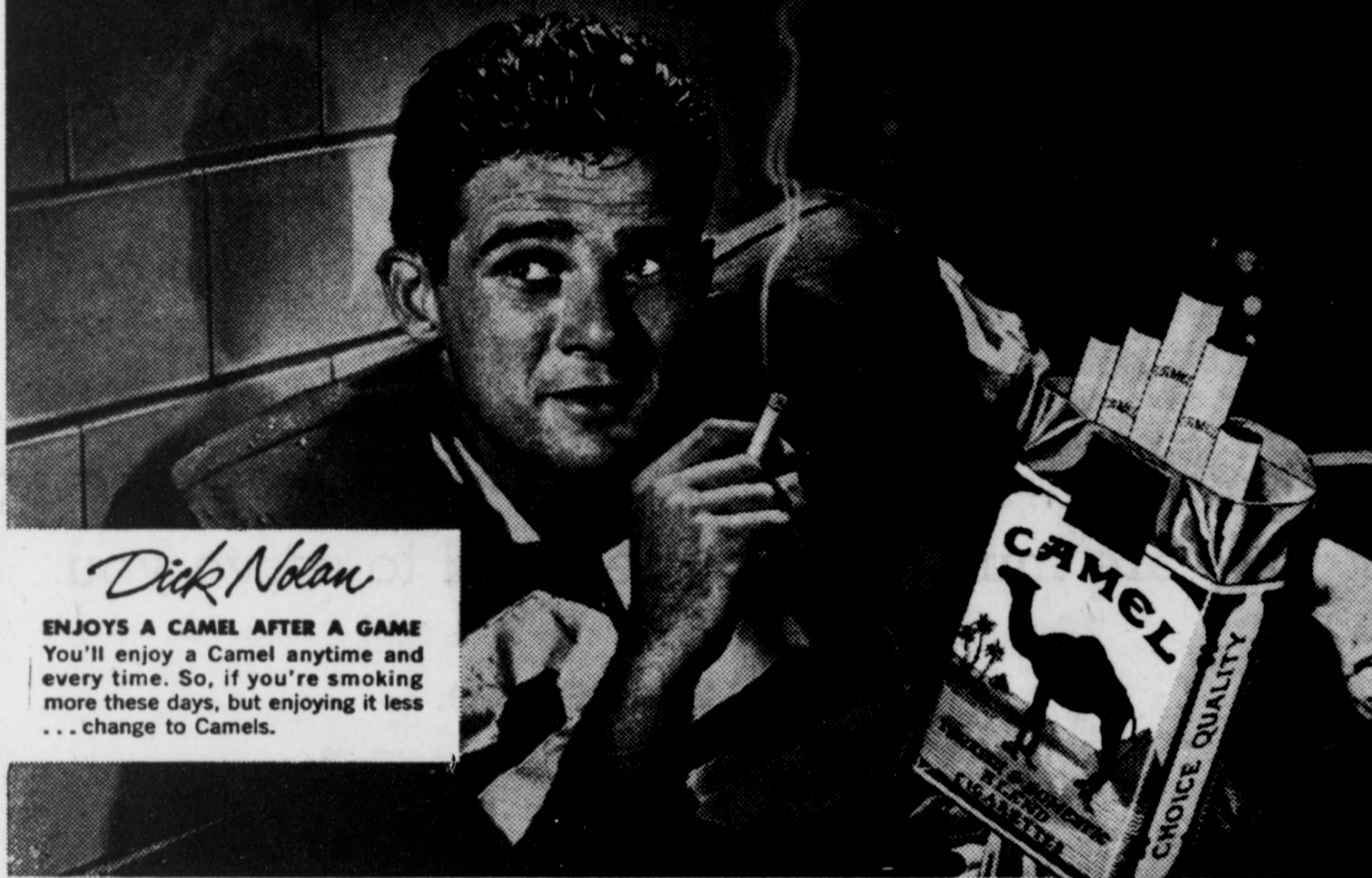
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Bargain Rates

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They Advertised Back in 1919, Too

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Read the Classified Ads.

45 Years Ago

These items were taken from the Informer files for November, 1915:

On the high school honor roll were Tom McDougal, Levonia Masterson, Murray Wolfe, Robert Stroud, Edna Simmons, Mellie Bird and Annie Richey, Mary Helen Bain, Clara Jones Louis Poston, Johnnie and Alice Killian, Graham and Lena Mae Brinson, Rennick Hefner, Mary Rockett, Maggie Marsalis, Bonnie Bowser, Julia Lane, Eunice Morrow and Golden Masterson.

The grade school honor roll included Cloeteal Moreman, Fay and Ray Moreman, Mary Horschler, Vera Blankenship, Clayton Mann, Isaac Rains, Melba, Ernest

and Kermit Johnson, J. R. Boston, Willie Johnson, Joe Nipper, Nita, Fay and Jewell Culwell, Gladys and Eleanor Hefner, Vera Brinson, Jewell Everett, Don Alexander, J. N. Kendall, Lois Masterson, Madge Richerson and Leonard Tims.

S. G. Adamson and Miss Jessie Douthit were married Monday night by Rev. M. L. Story.

R. W. Scales buys grain and seed. Little Fay and Cleo Moreman visited in Estelline this week.

R. Y. King has moved to Hedley to make his home.

Mrs. J. G. McDougal visited in Clarendon last week.

Rev. C. W. Horschler is reported very ill.

Mrs. W. G. Brinson visited relatives in Lelia Lake Sunday.



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Corn Flakes, large box	.09
Lettuce, firm head	.04
Oranges, dozen	.23
Bananas, golden ripe fruit, dozen	.15
Bulk Rice, lb.	.05
Matches, 3 boxes	.10
Cigarettes, pkg.	.15
Roast, tender, juicy, lb.	.17
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Just 15 Years Ago

Taken from the Informer files for November, 1945.

Dalton Duggins is back at home with a discharge, received last week at El Paso.

Lance Leggitt came in Monday from El Paso with a discharge after nearly two years overseas service in the Pacific.

Cpl. Doyle Messer of Chanute Field, Ill., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Messer.

Bobbie Lee Hall visited Jane Ruth Hall last week end in Denton, where Jane Ruth is attending TSCW.

Mrs. Frank Kendall, Mrs. J. S. Hinds and Nancy Lou left Sunday for a week's visit at Tye and Abilene

Alfred Johnson, C. A. Reed and H. L. Pierce attended the Conoco district meeting at Shamrock Wednesday night

R. H. Alexander has been promoted to Staff Sergeant.

M. D. Latimer was fatally injured and Radell Latimer suffered a broken collar bone Monday when their car overturned after a blow-out north of Quail. Walter Johnson, third occupant of the car, escaped with bruises

Third Class Petty Officer Tommy Dean Tate is visiting home folks after 18 months overseas

Mr. and Mrs. J. Les Hawkins of Natalia are visiting here.

Clifford and Charlie Johnson, R. B. Christian and David Stotts attended the TCU-Tech football game at Lubbock Saturday.

Subscription renewals this week include J. M. Clark of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Frank Simmons of Santa Ana, Calif., C. E. Bain of Wasco, Calif., R. L. Beach of the US Navy, Mack Shaw of Bly, Oregon, Rual Curtis at Amarillo, and J. T. Pearson at Clarendon.

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46 Years Ago

The following items are from the Informer files for August 1914: The faculty of the Hedley school includes Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Meadows, Miss Elvia Wiggins, Mrs. Daisy Kennedy, Mrs. Arthur Scoggins, Miss Frankie Smith, Miss Ina Reeves, Miss Anna Moores and Prof. J. J. Wills.

Those on the program at the Bach club meeting included Misses Mary Helen Bain, Grace Bryant, Golden Masterson, Mabel Rains, Ina Reeves, Mellie Richey, Myrtle Reeves, Ima Moreman and Clara Jones

The BYPU program was given by Willie Caldwell, George Goin, Mellie Richey, Otis and Ernest Bishop, K. W. Howell and Lola

Baker.

Rev. C. W. Horschler is holding a revival at McKnight.

D. C. Moore and daughter Miss Mittie left Tuesday for Montague County to visit relatives.

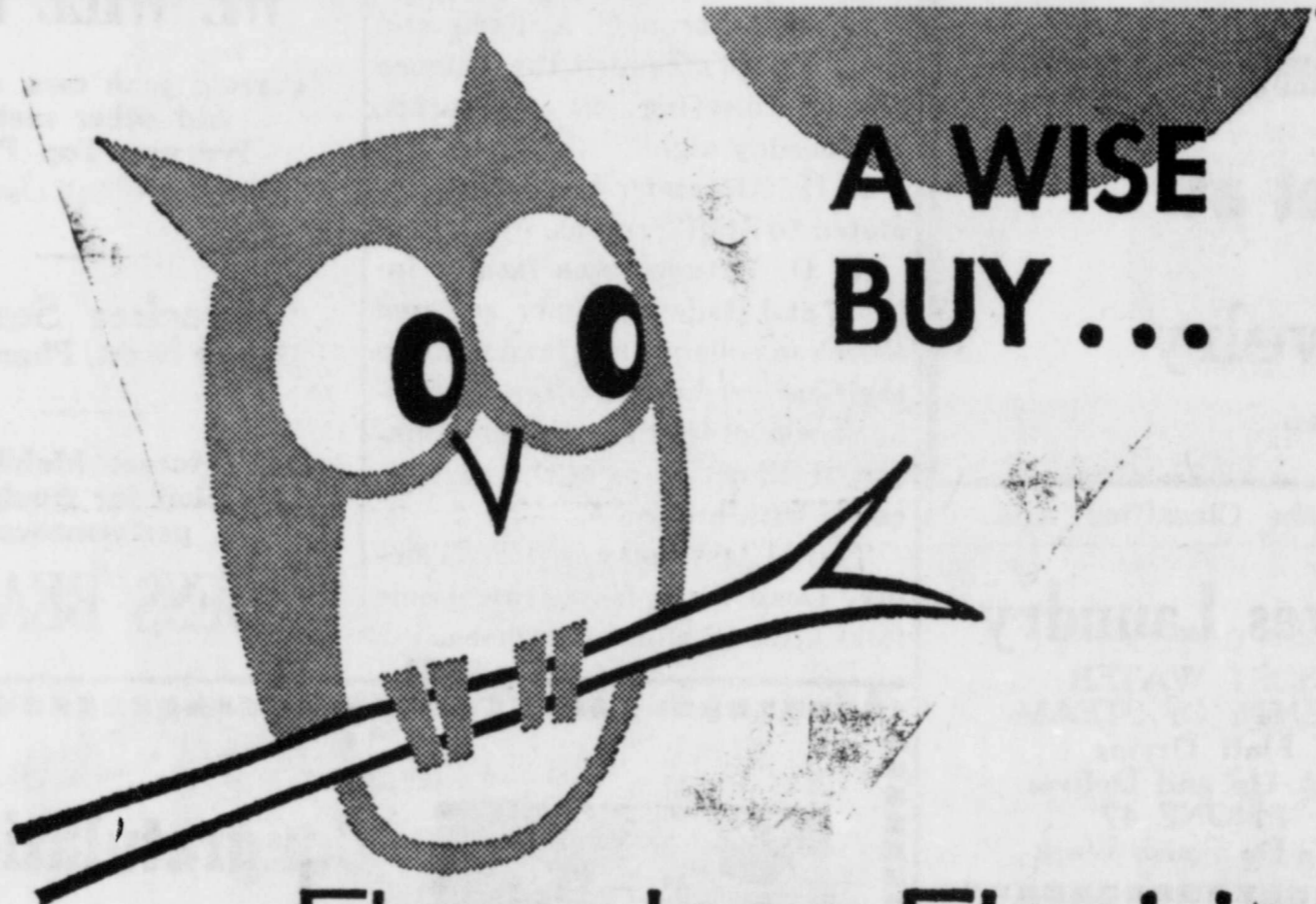
J. Ring, J. M. Whittington, I. Harris, Martin Bell and A. B. Cloninger returned Saturday from Hardeman County, where they went fishing. They tell some big fish stories.

THE HEDLEY INFORMER

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1919 Study Club

All members of the 1919 Study Club were present to enjoy a 12:30 luncheon Oct. 26 in the home of Mrs. Clifford Johnson. Mrs. Roy Jewell and Mrs. E. G. Allen were co-hostesses.

Mrs. V. C. Hopson of Dimmitt gave a very inspiring part on "Take Time for God." Other guests were Mrs. Smith of Dimmitt and Mrs. A. L. Cherry of Hedley.

Mrs. J. M. Baker was elected as a new member of the club. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Ethel Kinslow and Mrs. Oscar Moore Nov. 16, Thanksgiving time.

Hedley Lodge No. 991

A.F. and A.M. meets on the first Tuesday night on each month. All members are urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

Carl W. Morris, W. M.
 S. G. Adamson, Sec.

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25 Years Ago

These items were taken from the Informer files for Nov. 8, 1935:

Mrs. George Thompson was hostess to the New Deal Bridge Club. Present were Mesdames Louie Thompson, U. J. Boston, Bill Ray of Clarendon, Oscar Alexander of Denver, Fox of Childress, Felton Camp of Tyler, Dannie Battle, Elvin Hickey, Ralph Moreman, G. Z. Sherman, Mary Dishman, John Aufill, B. L. Howard, Hobart Moffitt, Homer Simmons, Alva Simmons, Sid Thomas, W. C. Payne, Clarence Davis, Ray Moreman, Roy Kuteh, Lake Dishman, Ross Adamson, Harrison Hall and Miss Otey Watkins.

On the Epworth League program were Lois Wood, A. V. Hendricks, Weldon Bennett, Allen Edwards, Eula Curd and Sue Beth Edwards.

The Seventh Grade officers were Eutha Davis, Emory Stone, Doris Sherman, Geraldine Tollett and Thelma Killingsworth.

Attending a party for J. B. Long were Norma Jean, Billy and Mary Jo Hart, Doris and Willis Long, Geraldine Land Kenneth and Billy Ray Bell, Lena Mae Nash and Billy Clifford Johnson.

On the program for the Wifados Club were Mesdames J. K. Caldwell, R. E. Newman, J. W. Noel, Harrison Hall, Ross Adam-

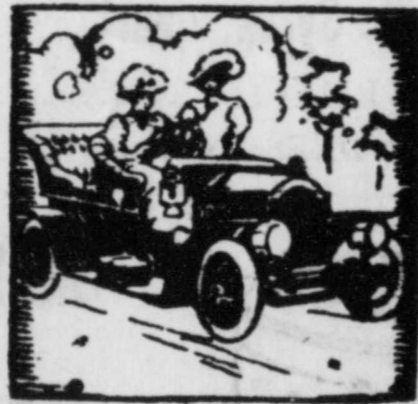
son, Pearl Adamson and Crawford.

The M & M Co. advertised men's suits with two pants for \$12.50, dress shirts for 69¢ up, dress shoes for \$2.95, work shoes for \$1.75, boys' overalls for 49¢, men's overalls for 98¢, single blankets for 89¢, women's silk dresses for \$3.95, and other prices in proportion.

At 1938 Reunion

According to the 1938 register of the Old Settlers Assn. the following signed up as having come to Donley County in 1900 or before:

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rains, S. G. Adamson, B. D. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watt, R. W. Talley, Hugh Brown, Mrs. W. C. Bridges, Mrs. C. A. Wood, Mrs. S. A. Killian, Mrs. Rubye Glass, Mrs. E. W. Bromley, R. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. McCracken, Odo Caraway, Geo. Killian, Mrs. J. M. Killian, Ike Rains, R. L. Lamber-son, M. E. Bell, D. Curd, J. T. Bain, W. H. Jones, G. M. Leathers H. J. Derrick, Mrs. Sarah M. Stocking, Mrs. John Tate, Mrs. Floyd Bull, Mrs. James Heckman, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, Frank Kendall, J. P. Devine, Mrs. G. F. Leathers, Mrs. O. C. Hill, F. G. Watt, Mrs. C. W. Williams, Mrs. W. E. Reeves, Miss Ola Curd and Kinch Leathers.



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Shurfine FLOUR, 5 lb. paper bag.....	.29
Shurfine Halves Unpeeled APRICOTS, 303, 5 for.....	\$1
Shurfine RSP CHERRIES, 303, 4 for.....	\$1
Shurfine Strained CRANBERRY SAUCE, 300, 5 for.....	\$1
Shurfine FRUIT COCKTAIL, 303, 5 for.....	\$1
Shurfine YC PEACHES, Sliced or Halves, 2½, 4 for.....	\$1
Shurfine Halves BARTLETT PEARS, 303, 4 for.....	\$1
Shurfine CRUSHED PINEAPPLE, No. 2, 2 for.....	.59
Shurfine Fancy TOMATO JUICE, 46 oz., 2 for.....	.59
Shurfine All Green Cut ASPARAGUS SPEARS, 300, 4 for	\$1
Shurfine Fancy BEANS AND POTATOES, 303, 6 for.....	\$1
Shurfine PORK AND BEANS, 300, 9 for.....	\$1
Shurfine CUT BLUE LAKE GREEN BEANS, 303, 5 for	\$1
Shurfine SLICED BEETS, 303, 7 for.....	\$1
Shurfine Whole Kernel GOLDEN CORN, 303, 6 for.....	\$1
Shurfine Cream Style GOLDEN CORN, 303, 6 for.....	\$1
Shurfine FRESH SHELLLED BLACK EYES, 300, 8 for.....	\$1
Shurfine EARLY HARVEST PEAS, 303, 5 for.....	\$1
Shurfine WHOLE IRISH POTATOES, 303, 8 for.....	\$1
Shurfine Small Whole SWEET POTATOES, No. 2, 4 for.....	\$1
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Shurfine Fresh Pack PICKLE CHIPS, 16 oz., 4 for.....	\$1

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Shurfine Pumpkin, No. 2½, 2 for	.39
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