

# The Hedley Informer

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## Pay Your Poll Tax!

We would like to urge that every one in Hedley and the community pay their poll taxes before the deadline Feb. 1st. Besides the annual city and school elections there is almost sure to be an election on the Greenbelt dam or probably two this year, an election of the county on Highway right of way purchase and if these materialize the City may have to call an election to meet the demands that occur from these projects.

Also while we are on the tax subject both the city and the Hedley School district will omit the interest and penalty on all delinquent taxes if paid by Feb. 1. Also they will only collect 10 years taxes so if you are interested in any property that has become delinquent now is the time to clear your title. A shadow of a title and 10 years peaceful possession gives you a good claim on land according to the statutes of the state.

We have accomplished some few things in the past year but there is much more to do in 1961. The population of Hedley according to the official 1960 census is 494 people. This includes only the people who live in the city limits which are very small and should be extended. It does not include the students, those in service or away on trips. The official census shows the Hedley division or immediate trade territory is 1309 good people. Let's make it 2000.

Clifford Johnson Mayor

## Road Meeting

Nearly one hundred citizens of McLean and Hedley communities and other towns affected attended the Hedley McLean highway meeting held in the Lions Den here last Friday.

Mr. Hatfield of Amarillo, engineer employed by the Hedley-McLean Highway association and Mr. Massey of Childress, State Highway Engineer, were the main spokesmen.

The Highway has been held up on account of not knowing the exact location of the Greenbelt Dam. The opinion gathered from this meeting was that we might not have to wait until the exact location of the dam was determined but the bridge and road could be started if the engineers were certain where the dam could not be built.

## Mrs. Lucy Ida Tims

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucy Ida Tims, 77, a long time Hedley resident who passed away Sunday in a Memphis hospital, were held Tuesday from the First Methodist Church here by Rev. S. A. Wolfe and Rev. J. S. Tipton. Burial was in Rowe cemetery under direction of Murphy Funeral Home. Active pallbearers were grandsons of Mrs. Tims.

Mrs. Tims was born March 3, 1883, in Cyril, Ala. She was a member of the First Methodist Church here. Her husband, Charlie C. Tims, died May 7, 1939.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. M. L. Sims of Hedley and Mrs. Ben Hogan of Nagasa, N. H.; five sons: L. C. and John of Hedley, G. E. of Muleshoe, W. G. of Lockney and A. C. of Chickasha, Okla.; 25 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

## FFA News

Gene Floyd made the highest individual score of the participants in the Livestock Judging Contest held at Childress Saturday, Jan. 14. The Hedley team, composed of David Moreman, Jon Leggitt and Gene Floyd, placed second in the Contest.

Gene received a medal as an individual award and the team received a banner.

## Lelia Lake-Hedley PTA

The Hedley Lelia Lake PTA will meet next Monday night at Lelia Lake with Mrs. Wayne Lattimer leader. Sim Goodall of Memphis will be the speaker for the evening. Connie DeBord will give the benediction and Letha Springer will present a variety program.

All members are urged to attend.

## Greenbelt Dam News

Ross Springer, director, and Charley Johnson, H. H. Hall and Clifford Johnson of the City Council attended a meeting of the Greenbelt Water Authority at Childress Monday night.

The meeting was called to hear the report of Dr. S. H. Townsend of Childress and Sam Breedlove of Quanah, President and Vice President of the Authority, on the Austin meeting in regard to the water situation in Texas.

## School Census

January is the month for taking School Census. It is important to the school district for two reasons. First and probably most important is that the list of eligible students in a school district determines partly how much money the school district will receive from the State. In this instance each eligible student will mean approximately \$78.00. Secondly, the school is better able to determine how many students will be enrolled each year and in what grade.

Each census blank must be signed by the parent or guardian. All information must be filled out for each child that is of census age. Children born on or before September 1, 1943 or after September 1, 1955 are not eligible and must not be listed on the blank. Another way of putting this is that children born after September 1, 1943 and before September 1, 1955 are eligible. The ages included in this bracket are 6-18.

Census blanks are going out this week. School children will bring them home to be filled out by the parents. This should be done this week and returned to the school by the student.

If anyone knows of a new family that has moved into the district or who has children not going to school, we would like to have them brought to our attention so that they may be counted. Remember this means money to the district.

Read the Classified Ads.

Governor Price Daniel was at meeting and promised his support to all measures conserving the water of Texas. A bill has been introduced in this legislature allowing the board of water development to underwrite water projects such as ours up to fifteen million on any one project. This would enable them to finance the entire Greenbelt dam, filter plant and distribution system estimated at about ten million.

They also reported that they have been given two years from Jan. 4, 1961, to build the dam. The site now under observation is about one mile east of the Donley County line in Collingsworth County. They expect enough data on this site to be able to advertise for bids on the core drilling at this site by the last of this month.

## Mrs. Dolores Runyon

Funeral services for Mrs. Dorothy Dolores Runyon, 27, of Grand Prairie, who passed away Tuesday of last week at Grand Prairie, were held Thursday from the First Methodist Church here by Rev. Jack Welch of Grand Prairie and Rev. S. A. Wolfe of Hedley. Burial was in Rowe cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Runyon, the former Dolores Gunn, was born in Hedley May 3, 1933. She was married to Kenneth Runyon Dec. 26, 1950, at Mangum, Okla.

She is survived by her husband; three sons: Bobby, Michael and David Runyon, all of Grand Prairie; her mother, Mrs. Henry Gunn of Hobbs, N. Mex.; and a sister, Mrs. Seretha Morgan, also of Hobbs.

## Annuals On Sale

The Hedley High School annuals are now on sale for \$3.50. See any of the Senior Class and reserve your annual. They will be delivered about the close of school.

## CJC Enrollment Jan. 23

Dean Abel announces Jan. 23 as enrollment date for the second semester at Clarendon Junior College. We have had quite a number of applications from students transferring from other schools to Clarendon Junior College for the second semester because of their being able to stay at home and obtain transportation to and from the college for only \$5.50 per month. This saving for dormitory accommodations and meals away from home will amount to a sizable sum.

Clarendon Junior College will be offering 50 or more classes during the second semester and it will be possible to get a good required schedule.

We are glad to see Lewis Stiles back at home with a discharge from the armed forces. He received his discharge Jan. 6 at Fort Lewis, Wash.

Newell Shields had a narrow escape Saturday night when his jeep and a cattle truck collided on highway 287 east of the Carl Morris place. Mr. Shields suffered facial cuts.



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## LIONS ROAR

Our Soil Conservation District will have charge of our program for next Thursday night. They are doing a wonderful work in our country and we feel sure you will enjoy their program. We are indebted to Red Doherty and

Lion Roy Jewell, who are members of the committee, for this.

The District Mid-Winter Conference of Lions International was held at Amarillo last week end. Deputy District Governor Aubrey and Mrs. Cherry attended the meeting from here.

This week is directors meeting at the Lions Den at 7 p. m. All

members of the board of directors are urged to attend and all other Lions are invited.

Last week's program was on the Cotton Festival. Mrs. Roy Jewell and Mrs. Hobart Moffitt showed films of the last three Festivals. Dates for the 10th Annual Cotton Festival were set for Friday and Saturday, Oct. 13 and 14.

### 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.

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## Bridal Shower

Mrs. Allan Cope, the former Miss Nelda Sue Stotts, was honored at a bridal shower in the Bank Committee Room last Wednesday, Jan. 11. Hostesses for the occasion were the ladies of the First Christian Church.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Malcolm Glass. Mrs. Eleonora Stuckey presided at the register where the guests names were recorded in a beautiful hand made bride's book.

Mrs. W. E. Grimsley and Mrs. Herlie Moreman served wedding cookies, punch, and nuts from the beautifully decorated tea table. The table was laid with a lovely white cutwork cloth which the honoree's uncle had brought back from Germany. The table was centered with a basket of yellow and white chrysanthemums.

Many lovely and useful gifts were on display.

## Math of Finance

Clarendon Junior College will offer Mathematics of Finance on Thursday nights for the spring semester. Mathematics of Finance (Math 135—3 hours credit) is a general course in mathematics as applied to finances. Topics will include interest, taxes, annuities, amortization, stocks, bonds, insurance, and discount.

Enrollment may be completed during the week of January 30, on Monday Tuesday or Thursday nights. Tuition will be \$15.00 for the course.

Instructor for the course will be Mr. Day. Further information may be secured from the Dean's office or Mr. Day.

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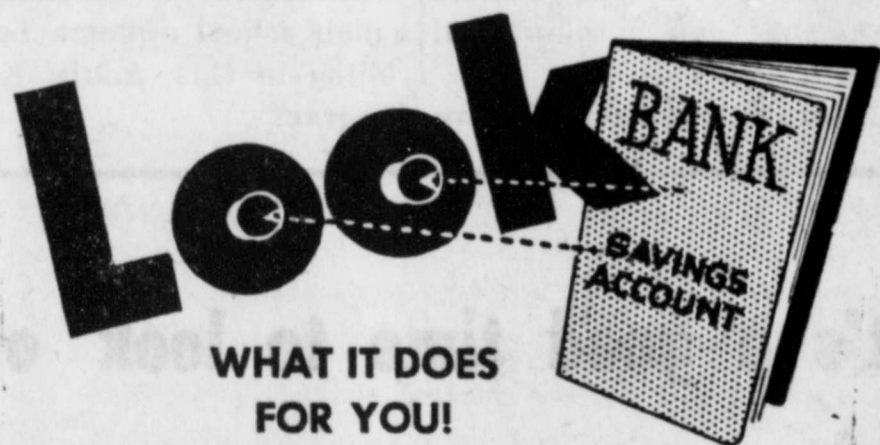
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### Adamson-Lane Post 287, American Legion



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

A. L. Cherry, Commander  
Clifford Johnson, Adjutant

### 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.

### Church of Christ

Welcome to the Church of Christ services on Sunday. Bible Class begins at 10:00 AM, preaching at 11:00 AM, and communion service at 11:40 AM. On Sunday night, classes for all ages 6:30 to 7:00 PM, Preaching at 7:00.

### Church of the Nazarene

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Service 8 P. M.  
Mid-week Prayer Service 8 P. M.

Read the Classified Ads

### Family Reunion

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Altman Sr. of Newlin Sunday were a total of 37 relatives and friends, including 16 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Everyone enjoyed a lovely meal and fellowship. That afternoon all visited Mrs. John H. Ward, mother of Mrs. Altman. Mrs. Ward had been ill.

Relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman and daughters of Lelia Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williamban and daughters of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Altman Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Altman and family of Newlin, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Murphy and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Morrison and family of Childress.

Friends present included Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McCallum and daughters of Lelia Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Matney and son of Childress.

Mrs. J. P. Alexander of McLean suffered a broken hip in a fall Monday and is in a Pampa hospital.

Charles Neal Johnson and family were here last week end from Matador.

### Ring Baptist Church

Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sunday in each month.  
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### CJC Offers New Night School Courses

Dean Abel announces that in addition to the courses in history, government, accounting, Bible, and Biology, new courses in shorthand, typewriting, business law, oil painting, and mathematics of finance will be offered during the second semester of our adult education program in night school.

The mathematics of finance will meet on Thursday nights for each week for the Spring semester for three hours of credit.

The oil painting course will be under the direction of Miss Ruth Richerson; will meet three hours one night each week during the second semester, and an application has been forwarded to the Education Agency to approve college accreditation for this course.

Rev. W. R. Lawrence will direct the Bible instruction for the next semester, and any individual who has not taken Rev. Lawrence's survey of the Old Testament course should not put it off any longer. The initial enrollment is Jan. 30. Feb. 6 will be the alternate enrollment date with Feb. 13 deadline for second semester night school enrollment.

All of the night school courses with the exception of oil painting are presently approved for college credit, however, many of our night school adult students are pursuing these courses for cultural, personal improvement and promotional purposes.

Adults are not required to have

Meeting in the R. E. Darnell home for a family reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Hez Darnell of Siloam Spring, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Darnell of Amarillo, Leonard Darnell of Odessa and Mrs. Mary Ruth Williams of Lubbock.

### Card of Thanks

To each and every one of our dearest friends, we want to thank you from the bottom of our hearts, in the last respects for our beloved Dorthy Dolores, for the food prepared, the flowers, your words of sympathy and kind deeds.

May God bless each and every one of you.

Mrs. Uple Gunn  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Morgan and boys

Kenneth Runyon and boys

### Lelia Lake M. Y. F.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Beverly McCollum. There were nine present. We had charge of the evening worship service.

We were dismissed by the MYF benediction.

Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gene Darnell announce the arrival on Wednesday, Jan. 11, of a fine little daughter, weight 6½ lbs., who has been named Cynthia Diane.

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### Highway Patrol Positions Open

The director of the Texas Department of Public Safety announced today 72 vacancies are available for qualified young men in the department's uniformed services.

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr. said field service examinations will be given applicants at various locations over the State Feb. 14, 15 and 16. He said application forms and full information can be obtained at any Texas Department of Public Safety field office, or by writing to department headquarters, P O Box 4087, Austin.

Garrison said qualifications call for a high school education or the equivalent; height not under five feet, eight inches, nor over six feet, four inches; and weight not less than two pounds per inch of height nor more than three pounds per inch of height.

Applicants must be between the ages of 21 and 35.

He urged prospective applicants to get their applications in early, noting that the deadline for receipt of completed forms is Feb. 10, 1961.

An examination will be held Feb. 15 at Amarillo.

### 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.

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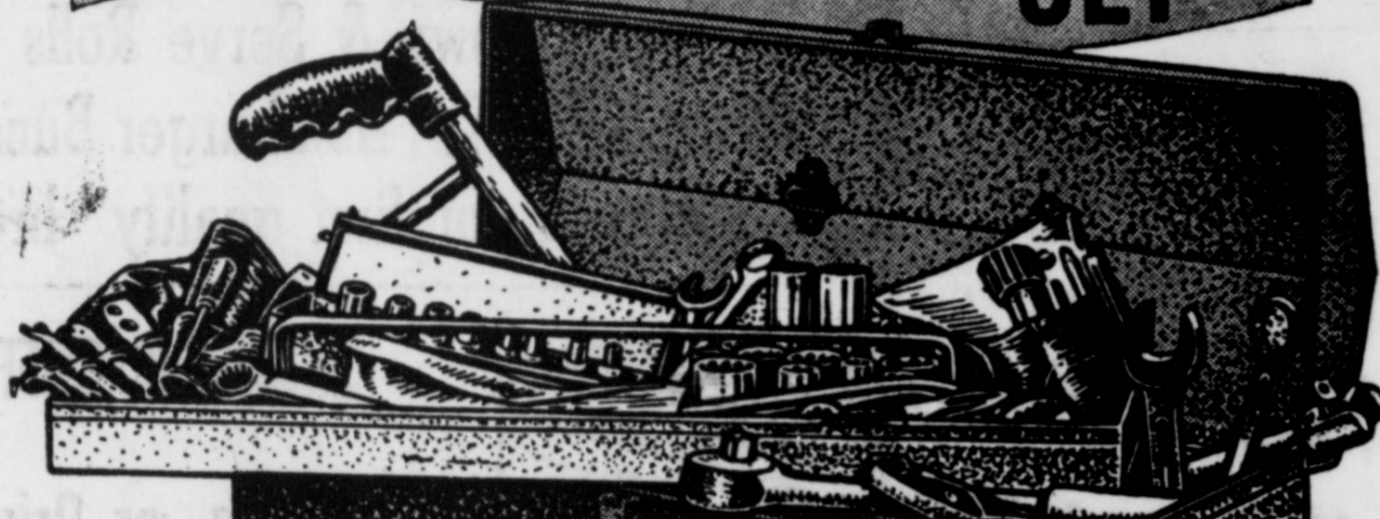
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Shurfine Hominy, 303 can	.09
Shurfine Stuffed Olives, 7 1/2 oz. jar	.39
Shurfine Crushed Pineapple, No. 2 can	.26
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