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Greenbelt Dam

The engineers of the Greenbelt Water Authority will make their report to the cities next Tuesday night, Dec. 19. They will have a report on the Little Gyp site in Collingsworth County and the newly proposed site, which is up the river from the present road crossing.

The meeting will be held in the district court room at Childress starting at 7:30 p. m. The public is not only invited but urged to attend.

Colonel Si Freese of the engineering firm of Freese, Nichols and Endress of Fort Worth, will be present and will explain the costs of the dam at each site, distribution system and other expenses incident to the construction of the dam and reservoir.

Several car loads of local citizens should make plans to attend this meeting. It appears now that enough data has been secured to go ahead with this wonderful project which will benefit the entire Greenbelt area.

The new site has been explored because it will cut 50% on the hardness of the water and only cut 20% on the quantity. A lake at this site will still furnish some 30 million gallons of water daily, about three times as much as the cities are now using.

Basketball News

The Hedley boys and girls really went to town at the Sunray tournament last week end, both teams winning first place. In their first game the boys defeated Booker 63 to 36. Joe Darnell was high with 19 points. In their second game they won over Gruver 57 to 54, with Joe Darnell again high with 19 points. In their final game they overcame Stratford 40 to 36. Joe Darnell was high with 13 points.

The girls in their first game won a real thriller from Gruver by a score of 41 to 40. Susan Cox was high for Hedley with 33 points. In their second game the girls defeated Statford 49 to 36, and Susan Cox was high with 27 points. In their final game they defeated Follett 39 to 24. Susan Cox was high with 28 points.

Ms. and Mrs. W. C. Quisenberry visited Dr. and Mrs. Jack Quisenberry at Childress Saturday.

J. T. Bain

Another of this area's oldest settlers died Wednesday of last week when John Thomas Bain, 85, passed away at a rest home in Claude. Funeral services were held Friday in the First Methodist Church of Hedley by Rev. C. C. Lamb and Rev. Gene Grace. Burial was in Rowe cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Bain was born June 10, 1876 in Leon County, Texas. He moved to Hall County in 1898, then to Donley County in 1900 where he farmed until he retired. He was a member of the Hedley Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife of Hedley; two daughters, Mrs. A. B. Carnes of Cactus and Mrs. J. R. Hall of Hedley; six sons, Claude of Berger, George of Sunray, Tommy of Hedley, Garland of Corpus Christi, Clyde of Wasco, Calif., and Kenneth of Pacific Grove, Calif.; 39 grandchildren and 69 great grandchildren. Two sons and a daughter preceded him in death.

Sodalitas Club

The Sodalitas Club met in the home of Mrs. L. O. Thompson on Thursday night, Dec. 7.

Mrs. Connie DeBord brought the devotional for the evening.

After a lovely plate was served by Mrs. Thompson, the club was honored to have Miss Eudora Hawkins as guest speaker. Miss Hawkins brought the Christmas program to sixteen members and three guests. She gave stories of three of the great women of the Bible, Esther, Rahab, and Ruth, and then showed a wonderful film "Holy Night."

Present were: guests Mesdames Ray Moreman, Woodroe Clendennen and R. M. Saunders; members Mesdames R. A. Shaw, Bill Mathews, Doyle Messer, Ted Maddox, Kenneth Brinson, O'Neill Weatherly, W. L. Stewart, Earl Wheatly, H. L. Morgan, Dixon Latham, Mack Bush, Don Springer, Billy White, Connie DeBord, Harold White and L. O. Thompson.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party Dec. 16 with the husbands of the club members as guests.

Mrs. Mattie Barnett has returned from a visit with her sons at Pampa and Amarillo.

John Dicksons To Observe Golden Wedding



The children of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Dickson request the honor of your presence at the Fiftieth Anniversary of the marriage of their parents on Sunday, the 24th of December, 1961, two until five o'clock at the Lions Den in Hedley.



LIONS ROAR

If you don't like steaks, sour dough biscuits and what goes with it don't come to Lions meeting this Thursday night. Grand Chef Lion Slim Hunsucker ably assisted by some of the best male cooks in Texas, will prepare the meal. Eating time is 7 p. m. Come and bring your appetites.

This will be the last meeting before Christmas. Some business and maybe some program will be arranged, but mostly it will be eat. There will probably be some left if you are late. A good crowd of hungry Lions is expected.

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Santa Claus Coming

All Hedley youngsters will want to be on the lookout for good old Santa Claus, who will be in Hedley for his annual visit at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, Dec. 23, with treats for all the children.

We understand that Santa will arrive by plane, weather permitting, but we feel sure that he will be here on schedule, plane or not.

Mr. and Mrs. Wetton Day of Clarendon announce the arrival on Tuesday, Dec. 5, of a fine little son, weight 8 lbs 3 1/2 oz., who has been named David Gene. Grandpa Frank Murray is more or less improving.

Christmas Cantata

The Hedley and Lelia Lake Methodist Churches are sponsoring a community Christmas Cantata Dec. 17 at the Hedley Methodist Church. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jewell visited Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Tipton at Carter, Okla., Sunday.

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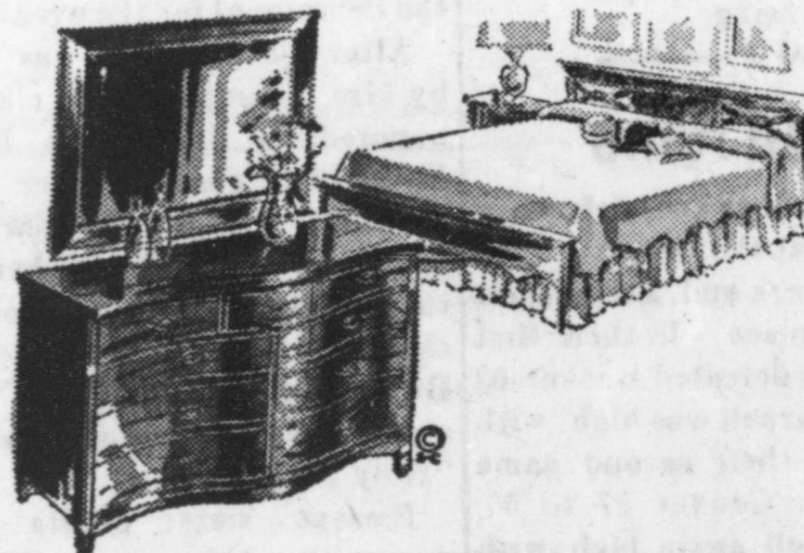
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Hedley Lodge No. 413

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

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Alice Johnson, 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
Clifford Johnson, Adjutant

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Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sunday in each month.
J. E. Murdock, pastor

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We now have bargain rates on the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, daily and Sunday for \$15.75 plus tax, and on the Amarillo Daily News, daily and Sunday for \$13.50 plus tax. You can also get a bargain on your Informer if you renew it along with a daily paper. The bargain rate on The Amarillo News will positively end Dec 31

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, Preaching at 7:00 PM.

Hens, Frozen, lb.	.39	Hamburger, lb.	.49
Lean Stew, lb.	.55	Rolled Roast, lb.	.89
Pressed Ham, lb.	.44	Pream, Instant	.33
Chinese Pagoda Tea, 240 cup size	\$1.30		
Nestle Quick, 1 lb. can	.44		
Griffin's Flake Coconut, 7 oz.	.29		
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Peas and Carrots, can	.20		
Frozen Beef Pies	.29		
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Mrs. Lou Ann Malone

Funeral services for Mrs. Lou Ann Malone, who passed away last Friday at Pampa, were held there Monday. Burial was in Rowe cemetery here.

Mrs. Malone was born Aug. 7, 1878 in Hardin County, Tenn. She was a member of the Baptist Church and was a former Hedleyan.

She is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Aletha Trussell of Pampa, Mrs. Fay Adkins of Arlington, Mrs. Lillie Doherty and Mrs. Gladys Downing of Amarillo and Mrs. Emma Whitwell of Hedley; and four sons, V. D. and C. D. Malone of Pampa, H. A. of Anaheim, Calif., and G. L. of Las Vegas, Nevada.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends for your many kind deeds in the death of our loved one. We appreciated the food, the flowers, and every other kindness shown us very much.

May God bless every one of you
The family of J. T. Bain

Hedley P.-T. A.

PTA dues are now due. Parents who will join the PTA are requested to see Mrs. J. O. Hoggatt at the Hedley Variety Store, Mrs. Betty Morgan at Johnson Dry Goods, or Mrs. James Potts at the Hedley Laundry.

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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.

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United States Civil Service Commission

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson spent last week end with the T. R. Easterling family at Vernon.

Rieky and Clay Cherry visited in Clarendon last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hunsucker visited in Lubbock Sunday. Mark Grace accompanied them to visit his grandparents there.

Mrs. John Thomas has been brought home from Amarillo, where she has been undergoing treatment for some time.

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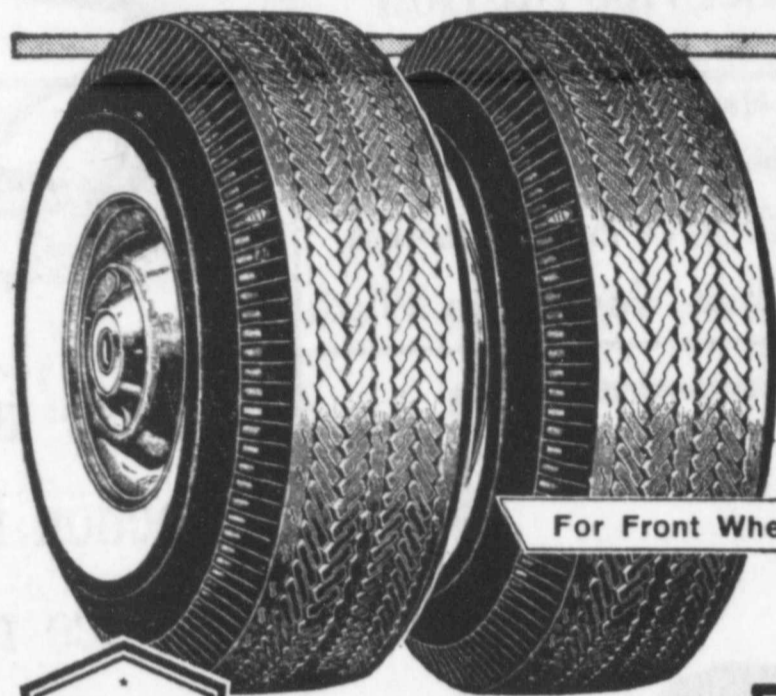
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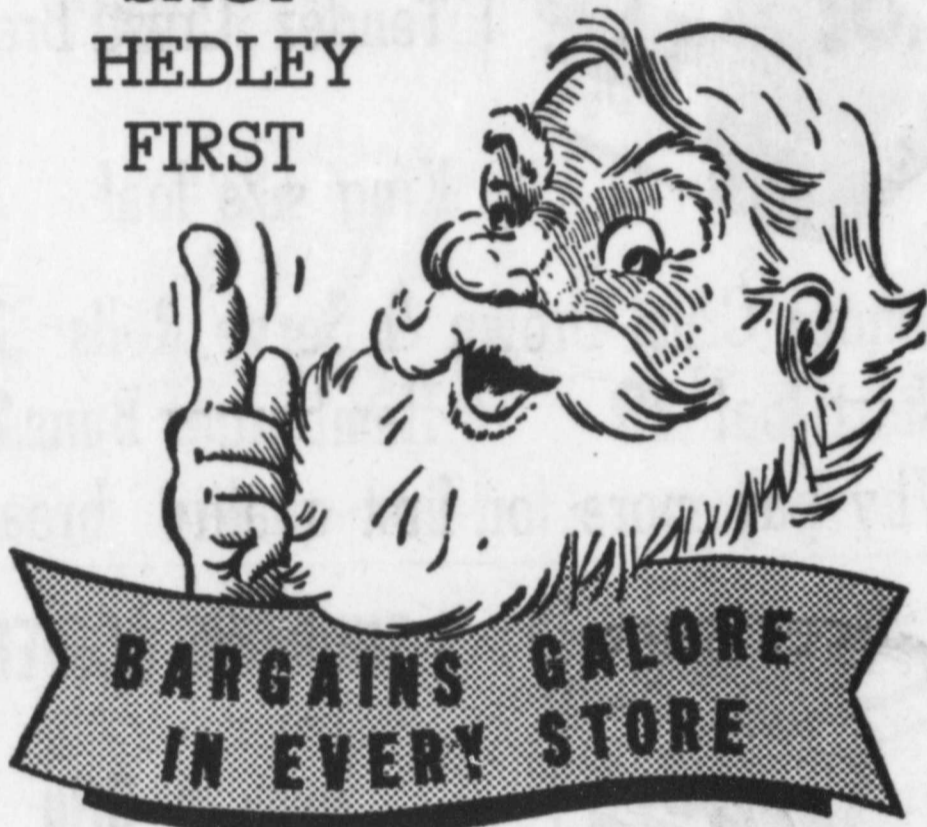
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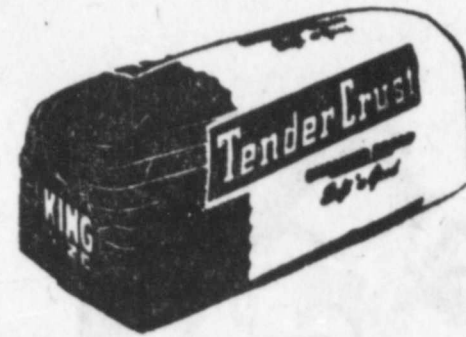


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