

# The Hedley Informer

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## Woodroe W. Farris Announces Candidacy For County Commissioner

Woodroe W. Farris, a long time resident of Donley County announces his candidacy for County Commissioner of Precinct 3

I have lived in this precinct all of my life and most of you people know my life history and what kind of man I am. If I am elected I will do my best to serve the people of Precinct 3. I will try to see each and every one before election time and your vote and consideration will be appreciated.

Woodroe W. Farris

## FFA News

The Hedley FFA had a very successful local project show. It was well supported by the community both by financial aid and by attendance.

Tracy Sanders showed the grand champion pig and Richard Dickson the reserve champion. Tracy's was a Duroc and Richard's a Poland China.

Jerry Gill showed the grand and reserve champion lambs. Both were fine wool crossbred lambs.

Other placings were:

Pigs: Larry Altman champion Berkshire and 1st Light Hamp

David Baker, champion Hampshire

Pat Chesser, 2nd Berkshire and 5th Light Hamp

Ernie Houdashell, 1st Light Poland and 2nd Heavy Hamp

Bobby Wiggins, 3rd and 5th Light Poland

Don Howell, 2nd and 4th Poland

Gary Weatherly, 2nd Poland and 4th Hamp

Donald Bain, 3rd Light Hamp

David Spier, 2nd Heavy Duroc

Mike Chesser, 2nd and 3rd Light Duroc

Sheep: Ernie Houdashell 3rd,

Glen Ward 4th, Tracy Sanders

5th, Ronnie Ward 6th, Danny

Drum 7th and Danny Morgan 8th.

John Gillham, former FFA ad-

visor in this county, judged the

show. The boys were very well

pleased with his judging and the

comments he made regarding their

animals.

In the Donley County pig and

lamb show David Baker showed

the grand champion pig and Tracy

## Greenbelt Dam

The Texas Water Development Board will meet in Austin Thursday and Friday, at which time they will act on the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority's application for the financing of the dam, filter plant and distribution system.

The application is for the state to participate in the project to the amount of \$2,100,000 for water for future use and to purchase the Authority's bonds in the sum of \$8,200,000.

The bonds will be a 35 year serial bonds and the proposed interest rate is 3 3/4%.

The engineers, bond attorneys, financial counselors, local attorney, officers and directors all plan to attend this meeting.

Porter Pierce of Fort Worth visited here last week and he and W. A. Pierce celebrated their birthdays on Jan. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen Regal of Pampa visited Mr. Regal's aunt, Mrs. W. D. Franklin, Saturday.

Mrs. Kay Autry visited in Amarillo recently with her sister, Mrs. H. N. Blackmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee visited in Clarendon Sunday.

Sanders the reserve champion Tracy Sanders showed the champion fine wool lamb.

Other placings were:

Sheep, Jerry Gill 2nd, Glen Ward 3rd, Jerry Gill 4th, Danny Morgan 5th, Ronnie Ward 6th, Danny Drum 7th and Ernie Houdashell 8th.

Hogs, Richard Dickson 2nd Poland and 5th Hamp, Larry Altman 4th Berk, Ernie Houdashell 5th Hamp, Mike Chesser 5th and 6th Duroc, Bobby Wiggins 3rd Poland, Don Howell 2nd and 6th places and Pat Chesser 5th Berk.

The boys carried five hogs to the Amarillo show, with the following placings: Larry Altman 2nd Berkshire, David Baker 4th Hampshire, Tracy Sanders 5th Duroc, Ernie Houdashell 15th Hampshire.

The boys have their hogs and sheep entered in the Fort Worth stock show. They plan to leave Wednesday Jan. 29, and will return Sunday, Feb. 2.

## School News

At the regular meeting of the School Board on Jan. 13, the board re-elected Jack Webster for a period of one year. Mr. Webster will serve as Principal-Coach.

R. K. Sams was re-elected for a period of two years as Superintendent of Schools. This two years is to begin on July 1, 1964.

In other business, the Board elected Mrs. Dean Nivens as the School Bookkeeper and Tax Assessor-Collector for a period of one year. Mrs. Nivens is to take over this office on Feb. 1. Mrs. Nivens will have her office in the Superintendent's office until the close of school this year, when other arrangements will be made. Anyone who has business with the Tax Assessor-Collector after Feb. 1 may contact Mrs. Nivens at the school.

The School Board would like to express their sincere thanks to Clifford Johnson for filling in for Mr. Adamson who has been ill. Mr. Johnson has been collecting school taxes for Mr. Adamson for some three or four weeks.

## To Collect Poll Taxes Here Jan. 25

As a service to this community, Sheriff Truett Behrens will have a deputy in the Clifford Johnson insurance office all day Saturday, Jan. 25, to accept poll taxes.

Sheriff Behrens urges all voters to pay their poll taxes, as they are coming in slowly and there will be several important issues to vote on this year.

## Promoted

Two former Hedleyans employed with the First National Bank at Pampa have recently received promotions. Arthell Gibson has been promoted to cashier of the bank, and Adell Myers, asst. cashier, has been promoted to the personal loan department.

## Notice

The Hedley water tower will be completely cleaned and the inside repainted in the near future. This job will require several days, and the city water will be on part of the time and off part of the time, so that no one will be seriously inconvenienced.

## Clyde Slavin Announces Candidacy For County Attorney

Clyde Slavin wishes to announce his candidacy for the office of County Attorney of Donley County, Texas, subject to the Democratic primary to be held this year.

After receiving his degree from the University of Texas and passing the bar examination in 1939, he was admitted to the practice of law and is now associated with the law firm of Knowpp & Slavin, Clarendon, Texas.

Although he feels that he is acquainted with nearly every voter in the county, an attempt will be made to see them all to seek their vote for said office.

## Allen Harp Announces Candidacy For District Judge

Allen Harp of Childress this week authorized us to announce his candidacy for the office of District Judge of the 100th Judicial District, subject to the Democratic primaries.

Mr. Harp stated that he will issue a formal statement on his candidacy in the near future.



## LIONS ROAR

This week is our regular Lions Club meeting. Coach Jack Webster and his high school basketball team will be the guests of the club. They have a wonderful team and need your support. Eating time is 7:30 p. m.

The new tile flooring is to be in readiness by ladies night, Jan. 30. Dr. Leon Hill of Amarillo will be the speaker. The Lion ladies will have full charge. This should be a wonderful meeting.

## Hedley P.-T. A.

The Hedley PTA will meet Monday night, Jan. 27. Doyle Messer will give the invocation and Mrs. Jack Hoggard will be program chairman.

Mrs. R. E. Clark of Memphis visited Mrs. W. D. Franklin Sunday afternoon.

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**Vehicle Inspection**

Austin—The director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, Col. Homer Garrison Jr., today reminded Texas vehicle owners that the 1964 vehicle inspection deadline will soon be upon them.

He reported that some 60 per cent of the allotted inspection period has elapsed and only 20 per cent of the vehicles have been inspected.

"If this trend continues, vehicle owners can expect to have to wait in line in order to get their vehicles inspected by the April 15 deadline," he said.

Jimmie's Garage is the local inspection station.

**School Census**

The school census is now under way. Any parent who has a child that will be six by the first of September is requested to see Kenneth Sams, Jack Webster or one of the teachers, as the school needs to get a complete census blank for each of these students.

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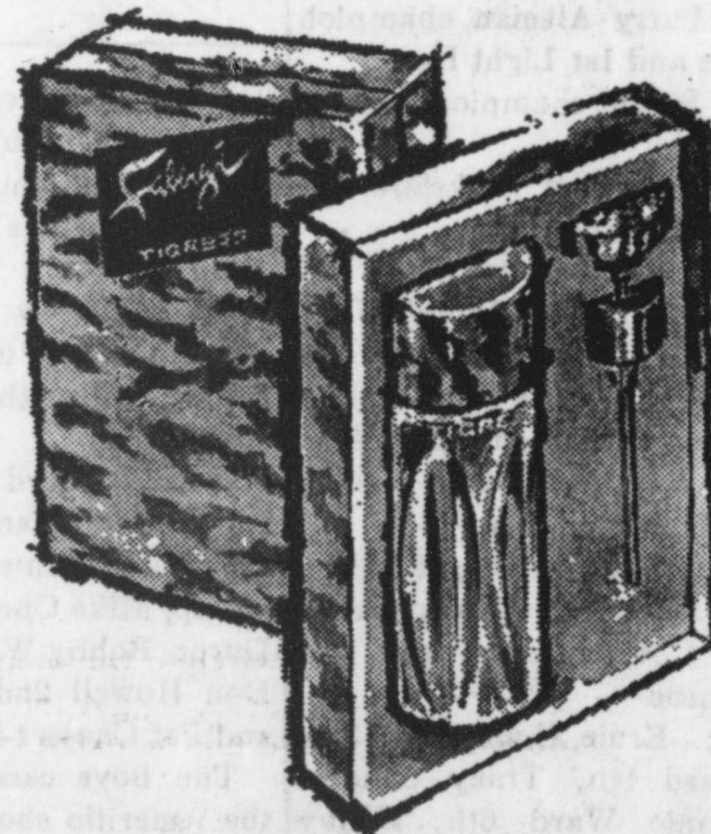
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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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ALLEN HARP

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector  
LONNIE [BILL] CORNELL  
VERGIL T. McPHERSON  
TRUETT BEHRENS

For County Commissioner, Prec. 3  
A. G. ALEXANDER  
JUNIOR HILL  
F. M. MURRAY  
WOODROE W. FARRIS

For County Attorney:  
JOHN R. GILLHAM  
CLYDE SLAVIN

For County School Supt.:  
RUTH M. RICHERSON

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 3:  
M. O. WEATHERLY

## Fat Stock Show

A news release from the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show of Fort Worth, which is being held there from Jan. 24 through Feb. 2, reveals that a number of Hedley FFA students will have entries in the show.

Among those entering two barrows will be Richard Dickson, Don Howell, Ernie Houdashell, Angela Messer, Tracy Sanders, Gary Weatherly, Bobby Joe Wiggins, Larry Altman, David Baker, Mike and Patrick Chesser. The Hedley FFA will also enter four barrows.

Those entering lambs will include Tracy Sanders, Danny Drum, Jerry Gill, Danny Morgan, Angela Messer, Ernie Houdashell, Glen and Ronny Ward.

## Card of Thanks

I wish to take this means of thanking all my friends for their cards, flowers and every other kindness shown me after my operation. I appreciated everything very much.

Gene Bolin

Read the Classified Ads.

## New WTU President

Executive changes in West Texas Utilities Company's management were announced following a meeting of the Board of Directors.

Effective March 1, S. B. (Si) Phillips Jr., will succeed Cal Young as President. Also J. F. Longley was promoted to Executive Vice President.

Si Phillips, a Vice President since 1960 and an employee since 1939, will succeed Cal Young as the chief executive of the company. Young, who reaches the mandatory retirement age of 65 on February 27, will be elevated to Chairman of the Board. Phillips was also elected to the Board of Directors.

Young in commenting on Phillips' election as president said, "I feel he is bringing to this position the youth, vigor, and ability it needs. He is well qualified and will make a very able president."

## Accident Report

'Old man 1963' has quietly slipped away into the past forever. His evident scenes, however, will remain with us till the end of time. Due to the scars left beside the roadway, and the hospitals, at the morgue and in the cemeteries the year 1963 will be remembered as the worst year in traffic history.

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 11 accidents on rural highways in Donley County during the month of December, according to Sergeant J. W. Wilson, Patrol Supervisor of this area.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county for the calendar year 1963 shows a total of 44 crashes resulting in two persons killed, 20 injured and an estimated property damage of \$35,875 00.

F. S. Blackwell has been very ill in a Memphis hospital.

Mrs. Florence Perkins has been in an Amarillo hospital for treatment.

Otis Owens has been ill in a Memphis hospital.

Sime Adamson is reported about the same in an Amarillo hospital.

We are glad to see Gene Bolin up and about after his recent operation.

The Jerold Sims family of Pampa visited here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Coursey of Hollis, Okla., visited Mrs. W. D. Franklin Sunday afternoon.

## FFA News

A number of people in both Hedley and Memphis contributed prize money for the local project show. The FFA chapter is very grateful for this help.

The money the boys win goes a long way toward financing their projects and enabling them to enter the various shows.

Those people who contributed are Matthew Allen, Security State Bank, West Texas Gin, Hedley Lumber Co., Clifford Johnson Insurance, West Texas Utilities, Ray Moreman, Charlie Johnson, Gene Floyd, Pie Adamson, Jap Shaw, Myrtella Deahl, Dr. D. H. Cox, Ray Altman, W. C. Quisenberry, F. M. Murray, Junior Hill, R. M. Saunders, O'Neill Weatherly, Jimmie's Garage, A. G. Alexander, Molly Dickson, Wilson Drug, Reid Barber Shop, Jess Beach, Cotton Bowl Cafe, Bill Johnson, Moffitt Hardware, Pickett Grocery, B. C. Johnson, and in Memphis John Deere, J. C. Penney, Carson-Lockhart Pharmacy, Farmers Coop Gin, Potts Chevrolet Co., Cook Grain and Storage Co., Fowlers Drug Store, Greene Dry Goods Co., Foxham Motors Co., Diggs Pharmacy, J. H. Morris and Beaty Gin.

Clyde Hoggard has donated feed and if we have missed anyone please let us know.

Pete Newman visited here from Memphis last Thursday. He reports that he received 175 Christmas cards.

## A. S. C. News

Dates To Remember In 1964

January 24—Final day for filing application for new growers cotton allotments

January 31—Final day for filing application for payment on shorn wool and unshorn lamb.

January 31—Final day to make application for commodity loans.

February 17—Final day to disburse commodity loans.

February 10—Feed Grain sign-up begins.

March 27—Feed Grain sign-up closes.

March 31—Final day to redeem commodity loans

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 tive of the Social Security Admin-  
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 on Mondays, Jan 6 and 20, Feb. 3  
 and 17, March 2, 16 and 30. He  
 will be at the Legion Hall in Mem-  
 phis from 9:45 to 11 a. m., on  
 Tuesdays, Jan. 14 and 28, Feb. 11  
 and 25, March 10 and 24.

He will be available at the times  
 and places shown to conduct any  
 business relating to Social Securi-  
 ty.

**Singing**

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 Church of the Nazarene next Fri-  
 day at 7:15 p. m. Everyone is  
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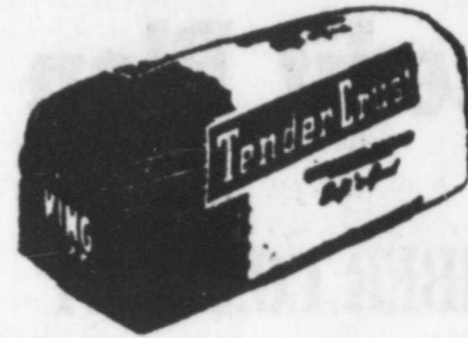
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