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## West Texas Utilities Reduces Rates

A company-wide \$1,100,000 annual reduction in electric rates was announced today by West Texas Utilities Company. One hundred and sixty three towns and communities served by the Utilities Company will benefit from the rate reduction.

The revised schedule of electric rates was filed with the City by Eugene Allison, WTU Local Manager. The new rates will be effective with meter readings made after August 31, 1964.

These new rate schedules result from a reduction in the Company's income taxes due to recent changes in the federal income tax rates and the increased usage of electricity by present customers, together with greater company operating efficiencies and economies.

"These rate reductions," Si Phillips, WTU President said, "are evidence of our policy of reducing the cost of service to customers whenever we can. The \$490,000 direct reduction in our federal income tax, plus the improved operating efficiencies of new generating equipment we have recently put into service, as well as the new facilities now under construction make it possible for us to pass on again real savings to our customers. Based on 1963 sales, the new rate schedules will represent a reduction of about 3 1/2 percent company-wide."

Approximately \$390,000 of the annual savings from the reduced rates will go to residential customers. Phillips said that with the new rates the average residential customer will get about one-third more electric service for his money than he did at the end of World War II.

In addition, the new rates will mean a saving of \$274,000 for commercial lighting customers. The cost of service to combination general power and commercial service customers will be reduced another \$221,000. Phillips said that churches, schools and smaller commercial customers will particularly benefit from this rate change.

Large light and power customers will have a saving of \$140,000. "All customers," Phillips pointed out, "will share in the \$75,000 saving resulting from lowering the fuel clause adjustment factor

## Greenbelt Dam

Authority director C. L. Johnson and others plan to go to Childress Sept 3 to the opening of the bids on the first contract of the Greenbelt Water Authority. Bids will be opened at 10 a. m. in the district court room there.

The contract will call for a pipe line from the dam site on Lake Creek to Hedley Memphis, Childress and Quanah. The bids are expected to be less than four million dollars.

The Texas Water Development Board will advance \$4,100,000 to the Greenbelt Water Authority to take care of this contract and other initial costs. Actual construction of the pipe line is slated to start in October.

## Mrs. Adamson Writes

Dear Friends:

As I am moving away, I thought it would show my appreciation to write a short piece for the Hedley Informer. I have lived in this community for over 50 years, and have made Hedley my home town for 20 years. In all these years I hope and I feel sure that I have made many friends here. Some, of course, have passed to the Great Beyond.

Now that I am moving to Amarillo I want you to know that I appreciate every neighborly and kind deed that has ever been shown me in any way, and I shall always have fond memories of each of you.

I pray God's blessings and care for you in the years to come, and I invite one and all to visit me in my new home when you come to Amarillo.

Sincerely,

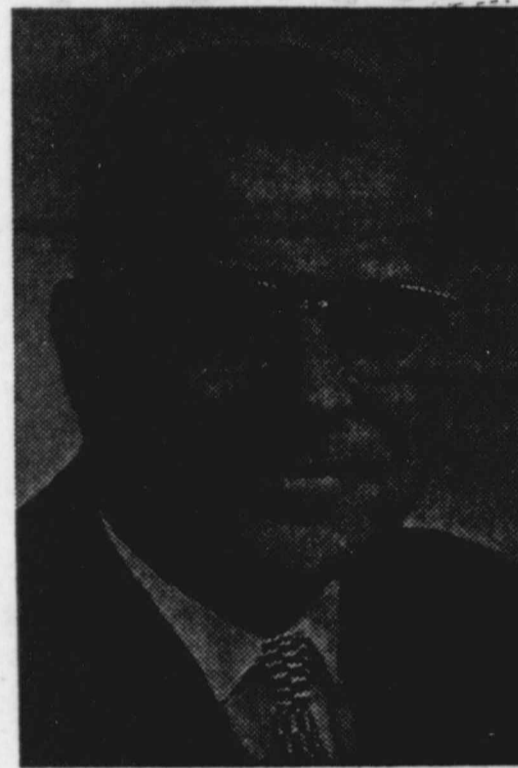
Jessie M. Adamson  
(Mrs. S. G. Adamson)

Mr and Mrs. H. L. White and children vacationed last week at Red River, N Mex

made possible by improved power plant efficiencies."

In addition to the general reduction which affects virtually all customers, the new rate schedules provide an extension of the residential and commercial electric space heating rate from four to six months. Presently WTU electric space heating customers buy electric heat at a base rate of 1¢ per KWH

## Revival Meeting



A revival meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church here from Sunday, Aug 30, through Sunday, Sept. 7.

Rev. Russell Pogue of Petersburg, above, will do the preaching for the revival and Randall Scott of Wellington will conduct the song services.

There will be morning and evening services every day except Saturday. Morning services will be at 9:30 and evening services at 7:30. Prayer services will be each evening at 7:15.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

## Receives Degree

Among the more than 200 who received degrees from West Texas State at Canyon last Thursday night was Jack Webster, Hedley High School principal, who received his masters degree.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their cheerful and gracious cards of good will wishes and their kindness to Mabel Bridges, our mother and mother-in-law, also their kind deeds and thoughts to our grandmother, Mrs. W. I. Rains, during Bill's illness.

God bless each of you.

Bill B and Jodie  
Bridges and children

## Hedley P.-T. A.

The Hedley PTA had their get-acquainted meeting Monday night with the usual watermelon feast.

The new president, Mrs. Paul Stewart, was in charge of the meeting.

## School Bond Election

Much interest was shown in the school election last Saturday, 315 votes being cast.

Proposition No. 1 carried 208 for and 98 against. Proposition No. 2, the school bond, carried 196 for and 106 against.

## Benefit Ball Game

In a fun filled baseball game here last Friday night the Pony League team nosed out the Old Time All Stars by the score of 14 to 9. The fans were very responsive and a nice collection was given to help the junior baseball program.

All players did well but the umpiring staff stole the show. However their blindness was only temporary.

Manager Lloyd Leggett has a fine bunch of boys and some real good ball players. He, as well as several others, should be commended for their work with the boys this summer. With just a little more help they can close the season in the black.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our many thanks to our many friends for your thoughtfulness, prayers, flowers, and every other expression of kindness during my illness.

I wish to especially thank Mrs. Henry Moore for the grape jam and vegetables, and also Mrs. Ansil Adamson.

Mrs Eugene Bolin

## Card of Thanks

I wish to thank everyone who came to visit me in the hospital, and those who sent cards.

I appreciated everything very much.

T. H. Gilehrest

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hoggard of Oklahoma City recently became the parents of twins, a boy and a girl, who weighed a total of 12 lbs.

The twins are grandchildren of Ozier Hoggard, and great grandchildren of Mrs. Maie Autry.

Mr and Mrs. E. M. Glass visited last week with his brother, J. M. Glass and family at Snyder, his sister, Mrs. Maud Waight at Lubbock, also in Big Spring.

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**Notice To Bidders**

Sealed proposals addressed to the Green Belt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority, c-o Dr. S. H. Townsend, Presideno, P. O. Box 252, Childress, Texas for the construction of water system improvements as follows:

Contract III-B-Water Supply Line, Sections A (2) & B  
 Contract III-C-Water Supply Line, Section C  
 will be received until 10:00 A. M., September 3, 1964.

Proposals may be delivered until the stated time at the office of the President at the Jeter-Townsend Clinic, Childress, Texas.

Immediately following closing time for the receipt of bids, the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the District Court Room, Childress County Court House, Childress, Texas. Any bid received after the stated time will be returned unopened. No bid may be withdrawn until after the expiration of forty-five (45) days from the date of receiving bids.

Contract Documents, including plans and specifications and bid forms may be examined without charge at the office of Freese, Nichols and Endress, Consulting Engineers, 407 Danciger Building, Fort Worth, Texas. Documents may be procured upon a deposit of \$40, of which deposit \$20 will be refunded upon return of the Documents as set forth in the Instructions to Bidders.

Bid security and performance and payment bonds shall be as set forth in the Instructions to Bidders.

There shall be paid on this project not less than the generally prevailing wages which have been determined by the Owner and which are contained in the schedule that is made a part of the Contract Documents.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive formalities, and in cases of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating proposal prices to adopt such interpretation as may be most advantageous to the Owner.

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## LIONS ROAR

Don Cox will have the program for this week's Lions Club meeting. He says it will be something different.

Eating time is 7:30 p. m. A small amount of business will be taken care of, then the program. Come out for a good meal, a good program and a good time.

Every seat at the four tables used was filled at last week's meeting. Also every Lion present went out filled. Let's try to fill another table this week.

Ray and David Moreman enjoyed a vacation trip to Red River, N. Mex., this week.

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## Oscar Castleberry

Oscar Richard Castleberry, 61, passed away Tuesday morning at his farm north of Clarendon after a heart attack. Funeral services were pending at press time.

Mr. Castleberry was born in Wise County and had lived in Donley County since 1923.

He was an uncle of Mrs. Kenneth Brinson of Hedley.

## To The Merchants

It is requested that the merchants of Hedley contribute a sum to the pay of the night watchman, as has been the custom in the past. The night watchman gives an extra service in checking doors, etc., which is well worth a monthly contribution.

All merchants willing to contribute monthly for this purpose are asked to contact one of your city officials.

## Singing

There will be singing at the Church of the Nazarene next Friday at 7:45 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

This singing will be a regular event every Friday night.

## Warning

It has been determined that radioactive cones which have been sold in this area can be injurious to health.

If you have a radioactive cone, please call Roy Hunter or Truett Behrens, and they will pick it up.

## Check List For CJC Students

A copy of the student's transcript must be forwarded to the registrar's office before registration.

A copy of the student's ACT score (or its equivalent) must also be on file in the registrar's office. Those students who have not yet taken the ACT test may do so on Oct. 3 at Clarendon Junior College.

Dormitory reservations should be made within the next few days if the student wishes to live in the dorm.

Those students who wish to commute should inquire about the possibility of car contracts, which will greatly minimize the cost of traveling to school.

The student who wishes to work part-time should make inquiries as to the jobs available.

Freshman orientation will be held on Sept. 4 from 9:00 to 4:00 p. m. All freshmen who have never been in college before are required to be present.

Regular registration will be held on Sept. 8, with classes beginning on Sept. 9.

Bill Bridges, who has been quite ill, is reported somewhat better. He is in Room 347, St. Anthony's, Amarillo, and would be glad to hear from his friends. Mrs. Mabel Bridges visited in Amarillo with him last week.

## Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that the City of Hedley, has filed an application with the Texas Water Pollution Control Board, 1100 West 49th Street, Austin, Texas, pursuant to the State Water Pollution Control Act (Article 7621d of Vernon's Civil Statutes), for a permit to discharge Municipal wastes from a Municipal Sewage Treatment Plant located Being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of Sec. No. 128, Block E, D&P R. R. Survey, Donley County, Texas; said wastes to be discharged into Oklahoma Draw; North of Highway 203, 2 miles east of Hedley.

## Pony League

The Pony League this year wound up the season with a deficit and some more donations are needed. Anyone interested please leave a donation at the Security State Bank.

Also, all boys who still have the uniforms are requested to turn them in at the school.

## Junior Class

The Junior Class of 1964-65 held their first class meeting Tuesday, Aug. 25. The class and their sponsor, Mr. Doyle Messer, elected new class officers and room mothers.

The new officers are as follows:  
President, Jamie Evans  
Vice pres., Sue Alexander  
Sec. and Treas., Glyndol Holland

Reporter, Kathy Spier  
Room mothers, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Spier, Mrs. Holland and Mrs. Alexander.

The Junior Class is looking forward to another good year.

Reporter, Kathy Spier

Carl Upton and family of Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upton, Jimmy, Henry and Lois Ann Kirby of Memphis enjoyed an ice cream supper in the J. C. Upton home last Friday night.

The Hobart Moffitts have been vacationing in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones attended the funeral of the lady's cousin, W. B. Webb, at Clarendon Monday afternoon.

The Ted Maddox family moved to Panhandle this week.

Mrs. H. Hoggard has been ill with summer pneumonia.

Mrs. S. G. Adamson moved Friday to Amarillo to make her home.

David Moreman is at home for two weeks from College Station.

## Notice

People make the news and your newspaper is always interested in what you've done. Let us know if you have: Died, married, enlisted, graduated, been born, left town, been shot, struck oil, had triplets, been lynched, been robbed, been elected, had a fire, been arrested, found a still, been promoted, written a book, inherited a million, committed a murder, stuck up a bank, bought a home.

## Hedley Lodge No. 413

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

Jessie Adamson, W. M.  
Verda Hall, Sec.

## Notice

For Sale—the old Informer office to be torn down. Anyone interested see the editor.

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**Pampa Rodeo**

W. D Price, Jr, president of the Top o' Texas Rodeo Association, announced today that plans are complete for the 20th Annual Top o' Texas Rodeo, scheduled for August 25-29 in Pampa The Kid Pony Show will be held on Tuesday, August 25 at 2:30 and 8:00 p. m. and will see boys and girls between the ages of five and fifteen contesting in their respective divisions.

The rodeo proper will begin Wednesday, August 26, with performances at 8:00 p. m. daily through August 29. A giant street parade will be held on Wednesday at 3:00 p. m., led by the Amarillo Air Force Band.

Beutler Bros of Elk City, Oklahoma will be in Pampa for the third year with their string of wild bucking horses and bulls to test the ability of top cowboys from over the nation. Contesting under the rules of the Rodeo Cowboys Ass'n, the cowboys will vie for \$3,500 in prize money plus all entry fees.

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8.50-14	28.45	14.22	—	—	31.95	15.97	—	—
6.70-15	22.65	11.32	\$19.05	\$ 9.52	26.15	13.07	\$22.55	\$11.27
7.10-15	25.95	12.97	24.20	12.10	29.45	14.72	27.70	13.85
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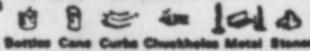
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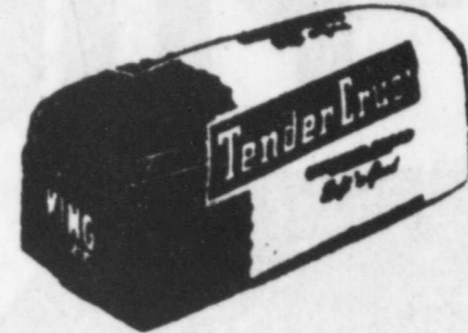
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