

# The Hedley Informer

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HEDLEY DONLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1911

Come to Hedley, the Town with a Future, Situated in the Famous Farming Country

## HEDLEY SCHOOL HARD AT WORK

The Hedley school, the first month of which is pay school, opened last week with an enrollment of about 80 pupils. Supt. Hall and Misses Horn, Allison and Callaway are teaching and the school this year promises to be the best Hedley has had under this able corps of teachers.

It is expected that over 200 pupils within the scholastic age will attend this winter besides a number of overs and unders that will attend. The school will have about five teachers when all the pupils begin attendance.

Let the school-board, the patrons and the pupils all co-operate with the teachers and there will be no reason why Hedley school cannot do great work.

Miss Callaway from near Ft. Worth arrived last week having been employed by the school board to teach music.

## B. W. M. U.

The society met with Mrs. Carson Sept. 14. It was the regular day for discussion of Sunday School work, and the subject was Daniel and his companions in the fiery furnace, (Dan. 3) was discussed with a great deal of interest. We get lots of good out of these meetings. The subject of mission work in Europe will be discussed at our next meeting Sept. 28 at Mrs. McDougal's and all ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Cor. Secretary.

J. L. Calhoun of Clarendon came down Tuesday and bought a bill of lumber from a Hedley yard and let the contract to T. H. Kidd for two good houses and barns to be erected on the farm 10 miles north which he bought from Mr. Glasgow. This is a feather in Hedley's cap and shows what our town is doing in the way of price making.

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## MATTHEWS-OZIER MILLINERY OPENING

The Millinery Opening at the Matthews-Ozier Millinery Co's was largely attended and the great variety of offerings in the millinery creation made the sales for the opening greater than the expectations of the millinery people. With the ability to trim hats in style and to satisfy the taste of the purchasers this company should do a nice business in Hedley this season.

J. A. Simmons was in town Monday and is elated over his crop which he says is the finest he has ever raised. He has 250 acres in cultivation, 125 acres of it in cotton that will possibly yield 1,000 lbs. to the acre; good Indian corn, 25 acres of the best kaffir he ever raised, and 20 acres of maize which is extra good also. Mr. Simmons is a progressive farmer and knows how to farm to get the best results.

Two weeks ago Dr. Matthews presented the Informer with a 43 pound watermelon which was from a volunteer vine and grew in the yard without any cultivation whatever, which goes to prove that this section of country leads them all in the crop growing line.

Rev. J. B. Wood closed his meeting at Rowe church Sunday night. He had a great revival and several conversions. Rev. Fort assisted in the preaching, having once been a resident of that place, had many friends to aid him in the work.

The weather has been much cooler this week and the light showers Wednesday settled the dust, and people have been more comfortable than for the week or two preceding.

The First State Bank is occupying its new building and everything is so much nicer for the business.

## NEW DRY GOODS STORE IN HEDLEY

Hedley has another dry goods store.

Dr. Langford of Goodnight has leased the Bond building on the east side of Main street, recently vacated by J. A. Adams, and will open a stock of drygoods at once. We understand he expects to carry a large line and try to have what the people want. Welcome to our little city that is always growing.

O. H. Britain is showing his pride in the town by having a cement sidewalk put down around his place. Who will be next? A lot of such walks would be a good advertisement for the town.

J. F. Alexander and son Eric of Hemphill county came down last week to visit their brother-in-law and uncle E. H. Willis. Eric remained to work here this fall.

## COUNTY FAIR OCT. 6-7 AT CLARENDON

Get yourself ready for two days of Fair at Clarendon Friday and Saturday, October 6-7, says the Clarendon News. Splendid premiums for best livestock and agricultural products, also fruits, flowers, art, needle work, embroidery, and many other items.

The list has been prepared for publication which will be printed and put in pamphlet form. Be sure to get one and for any particulars see or write W. H. Craig president, or Dr. N. F. Williams, secretary.

Sunday afternoon while Mrs. R. H. Jones and daughters were driving their horse became frightened. The occupants of the buggy jumped out and the horse ran around the block completely demolishing the buggy which was new and a good one. The ladies by their quick jumping escaped injury.

Imperial Shop for Barbering.

## BAPTIST MEETING CLOSED SUNDAY

The Baptist meeting closed Sunday night after running two weeks. State Evangelist Newsum is a splendid revivalist and did some good work in the way of causing sinners to turn to the upward road. Over 27 persons were converted and 17 were baptized last Sunday afternoon. Eight other members joined the church by letter. The meeting was good and did lots of good.

The Baptists are planning to build a church on their lots in West Hedley; subscriptions for the building are being solicited.

Mr. Cross of Young county is here prospecting. He is highly pleased with our country and crops and expressed a desire to become one of our citizens.

Rev. Lynn of Calahan county came this week to visit his father and brothers.

## HEDLEY COMING TO THE FRONT

Hedley, Tex., Sept. 16.—owing to the heavy milo maize, kaffir corn and Indian corn in the Hedley vicinity, hogs are being shipped in for market fattening.

Broomcorn is an excellent crop this season, with a coming shipment of probably a half a dozen cars. Two broom corn factories are located near here with superior broom making.

Between 3,000 and 4,000 bales of cotton will be gathered around Hedley this year, with picking now in active progress.

Donley will have perhaps, 12,000 bales of cotton this year against 3,500 last season.

Over four inches of rain has fallen here in the last day or two. —Amarillo News.

D. D. Billings is here from Kirkland to buy cotton this fall. He bought cotton here last fall.

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### JOHNNIE MADREL WELLS

It is with burdened hearts that we tell our readers of the irreparable loss of our only child, Johnnie Madrel. We have frequently chronicled the death of the loved ones of others, but never before has the Death Angel taken away one of our own loved ones, and the most beloved of all to us.

Johnnie Madrel with her mother was visiting her grandparents in Armstrong county and on Friday morning Sept. 5, was taken suddenly ill with an attack of auto-intoxication, from which she had suffered at intervals since last February when she came so near dying. She was taken to Amarillo and given every attention possible, but the heart was too weak to stand the strain and she died at 5:20 o'clock Sunday morning September 10. She was 3 years, 10 months and 2 days old.

She had suffered much and never once complained even when the pain was greater than death itself. Last February when we had given up all hope our darling was given back to us and we felt all the time that she was given to us for only a time that we might love and care for her more tenderly.

Johnnie Madrel had a bright and loving disposition and had a cheery word of greeting for all who passed along, and her little heart overflowed with love and sympathy for those in distress. She would sit for hours and talk to grown people as though she were grown herself, and had grown thoughts and grasped deep meanings like a grown person. She was a regular attendant at Sunday School, and small as she was would go alone to the church, sit in the class and learn the text on the picture cards with ease, and recite them to us upon her return home after church.

We regret that our readers could not see her as she lay in her beautiful white casket all covered with the finest and sweetest cut flowers by our

relatives and friends. Her pale but smiling face, reposing in her last downy bed, looked as though she wanted to say, "At last I am resting without a pain; don't try to call me back to suffer again when you know I'm just asleep in Jesus." We would be selfish if we had the power to call her back and would do so, yet it is so hard to give her up.

No more do we hear her sweet little voice talking all day long to us or to her little dolls; no more does she come into the office and set type to "help Daddy get out his paper," or when the paper comes off the press, help fold the papers as well as a grown person; no more will she run to town to get "Maver" something from one of the stores; and no more in this life will we feel her loving little arms around our necks, her warm kisses upon our lips, and see her bright and expressive eyes as they would sparkle with delight and understanding.

We miss our darling, but with God's help are trying to patiently bear the burden as a cross of love, and some day we expect to meet her on yonder shore amidst the little angels singing the sweet heavenly anthems of happiness and peace. A rare jewel she was on earth and one of God's jewels she is now. Life is made up of joys and sorrows and where she is now it is all joy without a sorrow.

We wish to extend our heartfelt appreciation and thanks to the quartet that sang such sweet songs at the funeral and burial, to the relatives who did all they could to help put our darling away befitting an angel, to the minister for his kind words of consolation, and to our many friends and neighbors in Hedley who have done all they could do to make our burden lighter since our return home. May Heaven's choicest blessings be yours, and when sorrow visits you or yours may you have as many friends to serve you as a reward for your attentions to us.

### ACCOUNT OF THE DEATH

Johnnie Madrel Wells, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells, died Sunday morning at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Vinyard at 1203 Polk street. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Dr. E. E. Robinson pastor of the Polk Street Methodist church.

The mother of the child is a sister of Drs S. P. and G. T. Vinyard; and the father is a brother of L. A. Wells, both having formerly lived here, but now having their home at Hedley.

Mrs. Wells and the little girl have been here several days, but the father came only a short time before the child died.

Mr. Wells is editor of the Hedley Informer, and is well known in newspaper circles in the Panhandle.—Amarillo Daily News, Sept. 11.

### SHOULD SEND EXHIBITS TO CHICAGO LAND SHOW

The current issue of the Texas Panhandle Magazine contains a timely article on the mission and importance of the United States Land and Irrigation Exposition to be held in the Coliseum, Chicago, Nov. 19, to Dec. 9.

Some years ago the most prominent people in the trade came to a realization of the fact that the South and Southwest might sooner or later become alienated in an industrial way from the very district which had made their prosperity possible and so they conceived the idea of a Land Show that would serve a dual purpose. These men had a broad horizon and no little appreciation of the signs indicated by the times. It was a matter of statistics that three-fifths of the emigration to the south and southwest had emanated in a field not more than one night's ride from Chicago; and yet these pioneering advance guards were going forth with eager anxious feet, to increase the buying and producing power of the United States without any definite idea of concentrating their trade in the central northern constituency which had given them all they possessed in a material and mental way. Suffice it to say that the money-seeing eye of Chicago rested long enough on the great white light of the future to establish a Land Show for the training of the people in land possibilities and the developments of their minds in the channels of home buying.

It seems incumbent upon the public spirited men of this great Panhandle to see that no district receives a fairer representation of its products and advantages at an exposition of this character.

Already a booth of ample proportions has been reserved and already a campaign is on foot under the auspices of Texas Panhandle Publicity Association with the idea in view of displaying through the agency of crop samples and attractive literature all the charm and infinite fascination of northwest Texas.—Amarillo News.

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**Locals**

Frank White was down from Clarendon Wednesday.

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J. Walker Lane transacted business in Clarendon Saturday.

Lake Dishman was home from Esteline Sunday.

Remember that J. C. Wells writes fire insurance

Bond W. Johnson's fine Jersey heifer was run over and a leg broken a few days ago.

Frank Simmons and family of Wichita county have moved to this country. He is a nephew of J. A. Simmons.



Anyone finding stock straying off branded two circles will confer a favor by notifying me concerning their whereabouts at any time.

**C. F. DOHERTY**

Phone 29--2 1-2r Hedley, Texas

A A Beedy is on the sick list this week.

J. W. Bond and wife went to Memphis Wednesday.

Tell your friends that they are wanted as Informer subscribers

Miss Mary Harris returned from Clarendon Wednesday.

"Please the people," is the motto of the Imperial Shop.

Born Sept. 16 to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Williams, a fine girl.

Splendid residence lots now on sale in McDougal Addition.

J. C. Wells, Agt

Sid Baker and wife were up from Memphis Sunday visiting W. S. McCrory and wife.

Mrs. Russell Skinner and son Harvey came down from Clarendon Sunday to visit Mrs. T. R. Moreman.

When you are blue, your face itches, and you have that don't-care feeling. Get in shape by being worked over at Imperial.

W. O. McKinney moved his restaurant this week to the old bank building across the street and is now fitting it up nicely for the fall trade.

J. E. Mongole and wife of White Deer stopped over last week to visit her sister, Mrs. A. A. Beedy. They were on their way to West Virginia to visit Mr. Mongole's father and mother.

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### MRS. GUS JOHNSON'S DEATH

It was a shock indeed that came to people of Clarendon Saturday night Sept. 9th, about eight o'clock when the telephone speedily conveyed the sad message from home to home that Mrs. Gus Johnson was dead. She was taken seriously sick Thursday night, but rallied and was much better Friday, but by Saturday morning she was so much worse that far away relatives were notified of her serious condition and all day she seemed near death, but she had been in such poor health for five years that even her family hardly believed the end so near but as the day passed it was evident the end was near and despite the skill of her attending physicians and the care and attention of loved ones and friends she passed away at 7:30 o'clock. Announcements were made at all the churches Sunday morning and the funeral service that afternoon at the Baptist church brought together one of the largest gatherings ever assembled at a funeral in Clarendon, only a small part of whom could get into the church to hear the words spoken by her pastor, Rev. John F. Elder.

The pallbearers were the nearest neighbors of the family, to-wit: W. B. Sims, D. P. Ross, County Clerk Wade Willis, County Judge O'Neal, Dr. P. F. Gould and Mr. Johnson's business partner, W. M. Patman. The Rebecca Lodge No. 311 attended in a body, having held their lodge ceremony at the home before coming to the church. The News with the hundreds of other friends here in Clarendon and of the county and elsewhere tenders our sympathy to the aged father and afflicted mother, the bereaved husband, County Treasurer Gus Johnson and three little girls aged twelve seven and five respectively, in the untimely death of daughter wife and mother. This death has robbed the community of one of its best members and Christian women, who though always quiet and unassuming and much afflicted in her last few years, yet she shed forth an influence for good to all who knew her and in the home where she was queen wife and mother there is desolation and aching hearts to which words of condolence, although appreciated, are as sounding brass.

The outpouring of people, the

heaps of flowers, the tears of sorrow, all attest their love and esteem from this truly good woman.—News.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas our Supreme Chancellor on high has called unto Himself the wife of our beloved brother, Gus Johnson, thus taking from his home its brightest sunbeam and greatest joy, wife and mother.

Therefore, be it resolved that Panhandle Lodge No. 90, Knights of Pythias extend to our brother in this, his darkest hour of sorrow, our heartfelt sympathy, and would direct him to the all-wise Father for strength and guidance in his great bereavement.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our minutes, a copy furnished each of the newspapers of Donley County and one furnished the family.

P. F. Gould.  
Wade Willis.  
B. L. Jenkins.

### HEDLEYTES IN CLARENDON

E. H. Willis of Hedley spent Wednesday night here visiting the families of his father, Thos. Willis and brother, County Clerk Wade Willis.

J. B. Grimsley and wife of Hedley spent Saturday in the county capitol and visited with friends. Mr. Grimsley says the Hedley country will have a good all around crop.

R. W. Scales returned last Saturday from a months stay at Mineral Wells and feels much improved in health. He was in town from his farm home Tuesday and gives a good crop report in his neighborhood. He said crops were poor down in Texas and on up to Red River and better all the way from the river to here.

H. R. Airheart of Hedley was here Monday boosting his town. He said at the first Monday meeting at Memphis that Donley county farmers took two important premiums to-wit: Earl Allen on watermelons, with one weighing 103 pounds and Mr. Darnell on the best Indian corn. He said Hedley expected to take all the premiums at the Donley County Fair at Clarendon, Oct. 6th and 7th.

—Clarendon News.

I have bought and taken charge of the Hedley and I invite your patronage. I will try to give you the best to be had in this line.

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### HEALING IN HIS TOUCH

Prof. E. B. Garner the famous Healer is still at Hedley and a good many of the citizens have placed themselves under his treatment and they are well pleased and are improving with great strides. Prof. Garner has proven to the people that he is the most successful Healer that has ever visited the South. His methods are natural and mechanical. His patients say the power of his touch is not equaled by that of any other person in his line. He heals all kinds of diseases without medicine. He heals children that are born deformed. Come to the Nippert Hotel and get healed.

A young lady by the name of Jennie Terrel, living eight miles west of Memphis, accidentally shot and killed herself Monday afternoon. She was brought to the sanitarium here in Memphis where the wound was dressed, but death resulted Tuesday at 10 o'clock. The remains were taken charge of by the Welch undertaking establishment and prepared for shipment to Bonita in Montague county, where she will be buried beside her mother and brothers.

Henry W. Grady, in one of his bursts of eloquence, thus apostrophised the cotton plant: "What a royal plant it is! The world awaits in attendance on its growth. The showers that fall whispering on its leaves, are heard around the earth. The sun that shines on it is tempered by the prayers of all people."

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# FALL MILLINERY OPENING

## At The CASH STORE

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sept. 28-29-30

WE WILL HAVE our Fall Millinery Opening Thursday, Friday and Saturday September the 28, 29 and 30th and as predicted in these columns we will not only show one of the largest assortments of fall head toggery but one of the most up to the minute lines of fall styles ever before presented to the people of Hedley and surrounding country. And for our opening occasion we have bought 12 white felt street hats that retail regular for \$2.50 that we will present free of charge to the first 12 ladies who buy their fall hats after our opening on the morning of September 28th--Thursday. We have made special arrangements for this big event in our store both in the display of our hats and extra help in waiting on the crowds.

Our ladies ready-to-wear suits and skirts will also be on display as well as the most up-to-date line of dry goods ever before presented. We are going to offer some special values clear through our house for this three day opening and will make it a financial saving to you as well. We hope to be honored by your presence at our opening whether you have bought your fall and winter hat or not. We will not fall out with you if you do not buy your hat from us but we feel that we have got the right to insist that you should buy your hat in Hedley for no city along the Denver has got Hedley bested on Millinery. Come to our opening and be convinced. Remember the dates Thursday Friday and Saturday Sept. 28, 29 and 30th.

# THE CASH STORE

O. H. BRITAIN, Proprietor

### Locals

Dr. Hardcastle has been very sick this week.

B. E. Harris and wife visited near Hollis last week.

None better—those shaves and hair cuts at The Imperial.

Graham Brinson is on the sick list this week.

Wanted a gentle horse to work for his feed for the next three months. E. H. Willis.

Mrs. B. L. Knowles visited her sister Mrs. W. G. Brinson Monday.

G. L. Tipton, Memphis leading sign writer, painted some signs for Hedley business men this week.

W. W. Gammon has bought the Arnell property in the east part of town and expects to move into about the first of next month.

The editors went to Wellington last week to visit a few days with relatives. We found a splendid town and fairly good shops.

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W. D. Haley and wife visited W. G. Brinson and family Sunday.

Mrs. G. S. Vinyard came Wednesday to visit her daughter Mrs. J. C. Wells.

Miss Una Boston and brother went to Wellington Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. B. Cope came down from Clarendon Sat. to be with Rev. Cope in the meeting.

Mrs. J. W. Wells of Memphis visited her son J. C. Wells and wife first of the week.

T. M. Little, a Clarendon business man, was in Hedley Tuesday looking over business affairs.

A Jersey cow, a 2-year-old heifer, and a horse and a buggy for sale cheap.  
Tom Shelton.

J. B. Summerour and wife came down from Clarendon Wednesday to visit the Informer people.

Double seated Hack, almost new, cost \$80, will sell reasonable or trade for sucking male.  
A. W. Worsham, Hedley, Tex.

Rev. Holmes of the Christian church will preach here the first Sunday in October and each first Sunday thereafter.

Shave at the Imperial.

Bring your dirty clothes to the Imperial and let us send them to the Troy Steam laundry and you are sure to get first class work.

J. W. Bond and W. R. McCarroll went to Childress Tuesday and closed a deal whereby A. G. Davis bought the farm of McCarroll.

Mesdames Honea and Etherage of Montgomery county returned home Tuesday after a five weeks visit with relatives here and at Lelia Lake.

On Tuesday morning of last week the family of D. A. French were with the exception of Mrs. French, all poisoned by drinking sweet milk. The milk was used at breakfast meal and by nine o'clock in the morning the whole family with the exception of Mrs. French, were in a dangerous condition. The attending physician said the milk was poisoned by something the cows had been eating. The family have all recovered now.—Memphis Democrat.

**MEMPHIS CARNIVAL  
TO BE IN OCTOBER**

The coming fall carnival which takes place on Oct. 2 and 3 is being very much talked of and great preparations are being made to make it one of the most entertain-

ing of all other days. A unique program for the arrangement of the farm products and the display of the merchants wares has been gotten up. It is very much out of the ordinary and cannot help but attract wide spread attention. Each merchant who so desires will arrange a small booth along the sidewalk surrounding the courthouse and the same will be decorated in any way the merchants see fit.

Someone will be inside these booths to entertain and answer the questions of visitors. Between each of these booths will be placed an assortment of farm products. This arrangement will be followed throughout and the sidewalk around the courthouse will resemble a small city on these two days.

Our commercial club has taken up cheap rates from all towns on the Denver for this occasion and Memphis invites all neighboring cities to visit us on these days and enjoy the hospitality of our good people.—Memphis Democrat.

Walter E. Gunn, editor of the Texas Panhandle Magazine, of Chicago, was in our city Thursday working for Hedley to have an exhibit at the Chicago Land Show this fall.

Cotton is coming in right along the past few days. About sixty bales have been ginned at Hedley to date. Cotton is dropping off considerably in price the past week, bringing only from 10 1/2 to 11c today.

**CHURCHES** BAPTIST, Jas. A. Long, pastor  
First Sunday in each month.

PRESBYTERIAN every Third Sunday. J. P. Kidd, Pastor.

METHODIST, J. B. Wood, pastor. Every Second Sunday morning and evening.

BAPTIST, J. W. Hembree, pastor. Every Fourth Sunday and Saturday morning before.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Bible School 10 a. m. every Lord's day at the school house. Lord's Supper after Bible school. J. H. Richey, Supt.

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