

## THE PANHANDLE STATE FAIR IS NEXT MONTH

That the Panhandle State Fair to be held in Amarillo, October 8th to 13th, will be much better and bigger than ever before, is now an established fact. There will be upwards of \$18,000 in premiums and purses to be contended for. There is \$10,000 in the cattle division alone, 6,500 of which is offered in the Hereford classes. Already enough entries have been announced to make the coming exhibition in the class with the Chicago Fat show and the Royal at Kansas City, and it will be better than the Denver and Fort Worth shows. If the people of the Southwest can be brought to realize this fact as many as 75,000 people should pass through the gates at the fair to see this feature alone. But this is only one of the main attractions. One of the best agricultural displays ever shown is already promised all over the Panhandle section. Never in the history of the fair has the amusement end received so much attention as is being given it this year. Secretary J. L. Van Natta informs us that there are more than fifty horses already entered in the harness races and he expects to see the number increased to eighty before the entries close. There is \$4,000 in purses hung up for the races. Then Mr. Van Natta has secured several clean amusement features which will practically make "something doing" every minute. Among these latter, Mille La Bella and Dare Devil Hurley appear daily in their automobile cloud which has to be appreciated; Bell and Eva, do acrobatic and clown stunts that are right up to now; Grace Ayer, said to be the premier roller skater of the world, puts on two exhibitions every day. These are all free entertainments for those who attend the fair. Other free attractions are being sought.

If the people of the Southwest will take hold of this great fair as they should we will soon have as great an exhibition right here at home as the state fair at Dallas. Get busy, tell your friends about it, and make arrangements to be there with the whole family!

The Informer, \$1.00 per year.

## MORE TALK ABOUT L. & G. N. RAILROAD

While enroute from Washington, D. C. to Lakeview, Q. C. Duke engaged in a conversation with Mr. J. D. Cameron, general manager of the Black Diamond Oil Co. of New York and this gentleman informed Mr. Duke that he had talked with a Mr. Simmons, a New York broker who informed him that the Lubbock & Great Northern Railroad was going to build, that the bonds had been sold and contract let for its construction. He also stated that the steel and equipment had been purchased and that actual work would begin in a few months.

The Lubbock & Great Northern project has been on foot for three or four years and on many occasions eastern representatives have visited this section and along its route, creating much excitement but no definite facts have been announced.

The above news sounds good and comes from a very authentic source.

The country through which this road is routed certainly needs a railroad and the people should respond readily to any legitimate and reasonable proposition.—Lakeview Promoter.

Matinee Friday afternoon, 3 o'clock. Pleasant Hour.

R. A. Chamberlain and Nat Woods of Clarendon were transacting business in the best little town in the Panhandle Wednesday.

FOR SALE—Two horses and one mare; good work stock. J. H. Reaney.

W. C. Stewart, Clarendon plumber, was a business visitor in Hedley Wednesday, and we understand, secured some contracts in his line.

## DELCO-LIGHT

PRICES \$350.00 and \$420.00. J. W. CARAWAY.

O. C. Lowery and family, who have been living on Route 1, left last week for Lindsay, Okla., where they will reside.

We have a select lot of material for making wagon beds. If in need see us.

Cleora Smith Lumber Co.

## Announcement--

We wish to announce to the people of Hedley and surrounding territory that we have purchased the BELL & CROW stock of Groceries, and solicit a share of your patronage.

We are putting in lots of fresh, new goods, and will carry a complete line at all times. We are experienced in the business and know how to treat our customers.

We will sell for cash and save you money on Quality Goods. Call on us.

**Barnes & Hastings**  
CASH GROCERY CO.

## Oregon & California Railroad Co. Grant Lands

Legal fight over land at last ended. Title vested in United States Land, by Act of Congress, ordered to be opened under homestead laws for settlement and sale. Two million three hundred thousand acres. Containing some of the best Timber and Agricultural Lands left in United States. Large Copyrighted Map showing land by townships and sections, laws covering same and description of soil, climate, rainfall, elevations, temperature, etc. Postpaid One Dollar. Grant Lands Marketing Co., Portland, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hastings celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary at their home in Clarendon one day the past week. Twelve of the thirteen children were present, besides a large number of grandchildren. The absent one, a son, was sick in California. Mr. and Mrs. Hastings are the parents of Frank Hastings, one of the proprietors of the Barnes & Hastings grocery store here.

Have your Tailor work done with Clarke, the Tailor, who knows how.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Benson were visiting in Wellington the early part of last week. On the return they were accompanied by Mrs. H. G. Anderson and daughter, Miss Ruth, who remained here several days.

The pictures will not hurt your eyes now. Pleasant Hour.

Will C. Leter, well known Childress county stockman, committed suicide at his home near Kirkland one day last week by swallowing carbolic acid. Ill health is given as the cause.

WANTED, TO TRADE a good level farm in Montague county, eight miles east of Bowie, for a quarter section near Hedley, not more than four or five miles out. Will pay cash difference for good place. There are 100 acres in this farm, 70 acres in cultivation. See or write L. A. Kennedy, Clarendon, Texas.

T. M. Little of Clarendon was a business visitor in Hedley Monday. He was just returning from a purchasing trip to the markets.

Frank Jones was here Saturday from his home on route 1.

## TO THE FARMERS

I am in Hedley for no other purpose than to buy your Poultry, Butter and Eggs, at the Highest Cash Prices.

R. S. Smith.

The County Teachers met last week in Clarendon in a very instructive and enjoyable session. Supt. Lewis and Principal Miss Sarah Helm of the Hedley schools took prominent part in the program.

Don't fail to see the outcome of Marie Walcamp and Eddie Polo (Pedro) at The Pleasant Hour Friday night. Last Chapter of Liberty, also comedy and drama.

Mrs. Zilpha Mickle returned to her son's home in Memphis Tuesday, after visiting several days with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. A. M. Sarvis. Paul Sarvis carried her in the automobile.

R. G. Adamson and wife returned Tuesday from Amarillo where they visited their sisters. They had their little son's tonsils removed while up there by Drs. Krume & Killough.

## LANDS FOR SALE

Section, half section, quarter section, or any amount you want Improved and unimproved. At reasonable prices. And also city property.

J. P. Johnson

Jet Brumley has rented one of the Bond W. Johnsons houses. He will get possession October, first, at which time he will move his family here from Memphis.

Tell, Childress county, now has a bank, the First State Bank beginning operations there a few days ago. C. E. Crews and Joe H. Ward of Childress are president and cashier, respectively.

FOR SALE or trade, a good secondhand family auto. Mrs. A. M. Sarvis.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bozeman, at Lelia Lake, a son last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones of Goree, Knox county, are visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. W. E. Brown, in the Naylor community.

Caraway's Garage has the No-Flare Headlights. If you wish to comply with the law, come in and figure with us on the No-Flare.

## PRESIDENT WILSON GREET'S SOLDIERS

From the White House, addressed to "The Soldiers of the National Army" and signed by President Woodrow Wilson, come the following beautiful words of commendation and counsel:

"You are undertaking a great duty. The heart of the whole country is with you. Everything that you do will be watched with the deepest interest and with the deepest solicitude, not only by those who are near and dear to you, but by the whole Nation besides. For this great war draws us all together, makes us all comrades and brothers as well as true Americans felt themselves to be when we first made good our national independence. The eyes of all the world will be upon you because you are in some special sense the soldiers of freedom. Let it be your pride therefore, to show all men everywhere not only what good soldiers you are, but also what good men you are. Keeping yourselves fit and straight in everything pure and clean through and through. Let us set for ourselves a standard so high that it will be a glory to live in and then let us live up to it and add a new laurel to the crown of America. My affectionate confidence goes with you in every battle and every test. God keep and guide you.

Suits made to measure, with Clarke the Tailor who knows how. Clarke, the Tailor.

C. S. and A. O. Hefner were in Hedley Wednesday, from the latter's home in Naylor community. C. S. recently sold his photo studio at Clarendon and has been taking much needed vacation before looking for another location. He expects to leave in few days for Fort Worth to inspect conditions in that vicinity.

NOTICE—4 strayed mares, 2 gray, 1 black and 1 blue, two miles northwest of Hedley. Owner please call and pay damages on same. H. G. Diekson.

J. C. Harris attended to business in the Collingsworth county capital the past week.

The old gin at Goodnight has been torn down and removed to Astola (formerly Southard) in this county.

## OUR AGENT SAYS FARM LABOR IS NOW PLENTIFUL

There seems to be some fear in this county that sufficient labor to gather the crops will not be available on account of the war situation. Now such will not be the case, for I have definite information from the state labor commissioner that plenty of help will be furnished from the drouth stricken counties in Texas, and at this particular time I wish to call the attention of farmers in Donley county who are going to need help this fall. If you will write or phone me at Clarendon, advising me just how much help you will need I will prepare a list and send it to the state labor commissioner at Austin, and the help will be arranged for. The people in other counties in Texas have been very unfortunate in not making any crops this year, and they are anxious and willing to lend a helping hand in harvesting the bumper feed and cotton crop of Donley county. So don't delay but write me at once, saying how much help you will need and I will have the matter looked after.

While we sympathize with people of other parts of the state that have been hit so hard by the continued drouth and I feel sure will give them work, let's not forget that we have a wonderful opportunity to show some fine specimen crops, at the Dallas Fair this fall. Farmers may I have your cooperation in getting together the types of farm products which I feel sure will be the blue ribbon winner at the State Fair this fall. May I write the secretary of the fair association for space for the Donley county exhibit? What is your wish in the matter?

Yours Very Truly,  
L. A. KENNEDY,  
County Agent.

You had better put in your Coal while you can get it. J. C. Wooldridge.

Miss Helen Allen visited relatives in Windy Valley the past week.

Mrs. Jet Brumley was here from Memphis Sunday to visit her husband who is manager of the Barnes and Hastings grocery store.

## At Your Service

Just as the minute men were at the service of the nation in their day, so are we at the service of the people of this community today.

We solicit the deposits of both the large and small depositors. We give the same careful, courteous treatment and accommodations consistent with good bank to one and all.

Let Our Bank Be Your Bank

**GUARANTY STATE BANK**

## Check Accounts are Welcome Here

Individuals, corporations and societies find it to their advantage to have an account in this institution because.

Our FACILITIES afford the greatest convenience and dispatch in the transaction of their business.

Our POLICY is flexible enough to respond to the needs of our smallest depositors.

Our RESOURCES are fully adequate to meet the utmost requirements of our customers.

Our OFFICERS are readily available. They are well qualified to advise you regarding financial matters and are interested enough in the welfare of customers to furnish just such information as they need.

## Make This Your Bank

THE FIRST STATE BANK OF HEDLEY

J. C. Doneghy, Pres.  
J. R. Benson, Cashier

G. A. Wimberly, Vice-Pres.  
P. T. Boston, Ass't Cashier



## AT YOUR SERVICE

When your child is sick, or hurt, it would be well to have some simple remedies at the house. And then if you must call in a physician, you will want the best drugs, carefully compounded

**IN EITHER CASE,  
OURS IS THE PLACE**

In addition to our complete stock of Drugs and Druggists' Sundries, we are headquarters for High Grade Candies, Delicious Ice Cream and all Fountain Drinks.

### HEDLEY DRUG CO.

**Land Agent  
Farm Loans  
Insurance**

**R. E. NEWMAN**

Mrs. W. M. Stout, pioneer Hall county citizen, died one day last week following an extended illness. Burial took place at Estelline.

Memphis and Wellington had their first bales of new cotton last week, the same bringing 23 and 20 cents respectively, in addition to handsome premiums

### King Barber Shop

**J. B. KING, Prop.**

**First Class Equipment,  
Prompt and Courteous  
Service Always.**

**Agents  
Troy Steam Laundry**

M. N. Junelle and Miss Ollie West, popular young people of Memphis, were united in marriage one day last week.

### DELCO-LIGHT

PRICES \$350.00 and \$420.00.  
J. W. CARAWAY.

## The Dixie's

**FALL SHOWING OF FINE FOOTWEAR!**  
White House, Buster Brown and Walk-Over Lines, All New and Up-To-Date

All bought before extreme high prices prevailed, which enables us to offer you these nice goods at much below the market prices.

Many broken lots in ladies' and children's Shoes at last year's prices. We invite you to call and look this line over before making your fall purchases and we believe you'll be convinced you can save money by buying from us.

### SILKS AND WOOLEN DRESS GOODS

Special effort has been made to make this department full of the stylish fabrics offered by the Best Houses, and giving you the best values that can be had. Taffeta, Messaline, Crepe de Chine and Fancy Silks, Serges, Poplins, etc., in staple colors. Full line of Trimming, Buttons, etc.; in making up Planning and Instructions given, if needed, in all sales. McCall's Patterns on sale. Many new lines of Fall Goods now on exhibition.

### O. N. STALLSWORTH

son's company, Do. E 9th... Grifflie's regiment, Forrest's Command... war and was imprisoned seven or eight months at its close. Although a comparative stranger in Hedley when he reached town, he wasn't long, for Capt. McGee met up with him and entertained him in his usual handsome style. Mr. Duncan is going over into New Mexico for a visit.

**WANTED—All the pea pickers I can get. \$1.00 per hundred.**  
J. A. Wade

Rev. C. B. Ingram of Clarendon was a visitor in Hedley the past week. He has been holding a series of meetings at different places in the county and has met with good success in his work. He will begin a revival meeting at Giles on Sunday the 23rd inst.

### W. C. Mayes, M. D.

Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat  
**Memphis, Texas**

W. M. Boston left the past week for Tulsa, where he is principal in the high school for the term just begun. The Informer wishes for him a successful year's work, and will try to keep him "abreast the times" as to the Hedley happenings.

### FARM AND RANCH LOANS

On Long Time

Also Vendors Lien Notes taken up. Will pay the cash for them.

City property. Resident and business lots from \$40 up.

Farms and Ranches—from five acres up.

I have a very desirable residence property in Hedley to trade for a good farm. Fine proposition for some one who wishes to move from the farm to town.

Also special bargains on a few well improved resident properties in town.

### D. C. Moore Hedley Texas

County Attorney E. F. Richey, was here from Clarendon Monday to attend a session of the justice court. He also found time to make an excellent talk at the school opening exercises.

Second hand wagon cheap. See J. Walker Lane.

Miss Una Boston has gone to Estelline, where she will teach the ensuing school term. In response to her father's request, we take pleasure in placing her name on our subscription roll, and trust her year's work will be most pleasant.

**CROP FOR SALE—**at a bargain. In good condition. H. C. Darnell, Route 2, Hedley.

J. B. Stogner and J. J. Bills of Windy Valley community were visitors in Hedley last Saturday.

## School Books and School Supplies

School Days are almost here again, and we're pleased to announce that we are headquarters for School Books and Supplies of all kinds. Come and let us fit you out for the school term.

The margin of profit is so small that we will be compelled to have Cash for School Books. Remember, "If it's needed in school, we have it."

Complete Line of Dry Goods and Groceries

### J. L. Tims & Son HEDLEY, TEXAS

### MEMPHIS BOOSTER DIED LAST WEEK

A. W. Read, former secretary of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and of the Denver to Gulf Highway, died last Friday afternoon in a Fort Worth hospital. He had been suffering for some time from a nervous breakdown. Mr. Read was a wire booster for his town and the Panhandle, and will be sorely missed at home and throughout this section of the state.

J. T. Bain was a visitor in Wellington last week.

Have a fit with Clarke, the Tailor, who knows how.

### WILL DO SOME ROAD WORKING

J. T. Grimsley was in from his farm Saturday. He said he and his neighbors were going to do a lot of much needed road work in his neighborhood this week. We are afraid the rain knocked them out for a time, but we are sure they'll do the job right whenever conditions permit.

We carry a complete line of Builders Hardware. Get our prices. J. C. Woodridge.

Dr. F. M. Blake, optometrist, has moved from Wellington to Memphis to practice his profession.

## SOMETHING TO REMEMBER!

**When you get ready for that fall Harness, Collars, or Breeching**

remember that your wants have already been anticipated with a complete line of **HAND-MADE** Goods that are guaranteed to give you service.

These goods were bought right and are now ready for your inspection.

You will also find

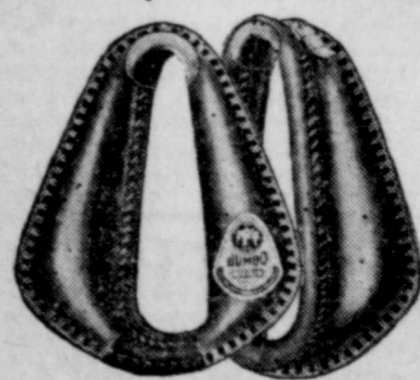
### GUARANTEED HALTERS, HAME-STRINGS AND COW YOKES

A fine line of buggy whips, belts, gloves, sole leather, rope, saddle blankets, harness oil, together with a complete assortment of **RACKET GOODS** that it will pay you to investigate. Many articles sold here that will cost you more money elsewhere.

**Shoes and Harness Repaired**

### See KENDALL

For the Rest of the Chapter  
EAST SIDE MAIN ST. HEDLEY, TEXAS







# Announcement

With Pleasure We Make our Announcement for the Fall Season.

Our buying methods and connections and the volume of business we do enable us to sell Standard Dependable Merchandise under the present market value. In our six years of business we have built a reputation on standard quality and values.

WE HAVE THE PROOF OF THE BUYING PUBLIC'S APPROVAL IN INCREASE IN SALES EACH SUCCESSIVE SEASON.

We invite you to come in and inspect our lines. Note the quality and selection of our stock. When you buy here, the quality of merchandise and our methods of doing business guarantee the price to be right.

## M. & M. Company

### THE HEDLEY INFORMER

ED C. BOLIVER  
Publisher

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Entered as second class matter October 29, 1910, at the postoffice at Hedley, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Four issues make a newspaper month.

Advertising locals run and are charged for until ordered out, unless specific arrangements are made when the ad is brought in.

All Obituaries, Resolutions of Respect, Cards of Thanks, Advertising Church or Society doings when admission is charged, will be treated as advertising and charged for accordingly.

Puck says: "It's love that makes the world go round, but it's marriage that keeps most of the inhabitants hustling."

The Dutch scientist who built a room with vacuum walls to give him quiet, so says an exchange, went to unnecessary trouble and expense. Most any business house that doesn't advertise could meet his need.

A pessimist-patriot complains that whenever a neutral country decides to enter the war on the side of our allies, the next thing to be decided is the size of the loan we are to grant her.

As some brother editor remarked last week. "It seems all the colonels are getting promoted except our old friend, Col. John Barleycorn." Tuesday of this week Dallas county, the most populous in the state, voted dry by about fifteen hundred majority, thus dealing J. Barley a swat from which he'll never fully recover. About two hundred saloons, several big wholesale houses and innumerable dives soon will be out of business. In the words of the late lamented Dr. Rankin, "On with the battle!"

"If the weather continues warm and our motorists continue to use this new 200-skunk-power gasoline, we'll all have to wear gas masks when we go out airing," says Dudley Glass.

Thos. Durham, at one time editor of the Hedley paper but lately of Wellington, has purchased the Lampassas Blade, we are told, and will take charge right away. Durham is a good newspaper man and we wish him well.

President Ben Smith of the Panhandle Press Association has named Saturday, October 13, as Press Day at the Panhandle State Fair in Amarillo. This editor has already served many years of a life term in country print shop, and has never yet attended a press association meeting, so we hope to be in Amarillo on this gladsome occasion.

The Claude News has announced that after October first its subscription price will be \$1.50 per year. Very few papers retain the old \$1.00 rate, and these few must raise the price eventually unless paper and other material take a long tumble in price. The \$1.00 rate is a money losing proposition which cannot long be endured by the publisher unless offset by a large advertising patronage at liberal rates. The Informer is not announcing a raise yet, but under present conditions it is bound to come before a great while.

If you owe a man and can't pay him, go to him and tell him so. Of course, he prefers your money to your talk, but then either will beat nothing.

Russia is behaving very badly again and it looks as if she will be a hindrance rather than a help to the overthrow of Prussian autocracy. Here's hoping she will come to her senses ere long.

Our heart goes out in sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cheney, of The Southwest Plainsman, Amarillo, in the death of their mother in Los Angeles, Calif., and their oldest daughter, Mrs. Katherine Switzer, at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, both of which sad events took place within the past two weeks. Truly this double affliction must be hard to bear, but they have hosts of friends over this section who we know, join as one man in tender condolence. May strength and grace sufficient for their needs be supplied them.

Don't forget the Panhandle State Fair, in Amarillo, Oct. 8th, to 13th. Hedley should be well represented there, both in attendance and exhibit.

What about a community fair for Hedley this fall? We could easily make it worth our time and money by little effort, not to mention the pleasure we'd all have out of it. Think it over.

The Informer can get you some close rates on excellent papers and magazines. Ask us.

...last years... within two... there had during the time... but little fighting on what... called the Riga sector... Russians seemed amply able to hold their own, but political conditions in Russia, along with very bad physical conditions at the front, brought about a mutinous outburst which lost Riga to the Russians army just as Galacia and Bukowino were lost a month ago. It is believed that Riga itself is of small strategic importance, the danger is the changed condition being that the Russian army is so thoroughly demoralized that it may not be held together. However, unexpected resistance has been encountered by the Austro Germans at the southern end of the line, where the redoubtable Von McKensen has been held up for several weeks, notwithstanding the impetus he got by means of the Russians' first munition. The idea that Petrograd is in any danger this winter is not held by competent observers, barring the possibility that treason from behind may reduce the Russian army to complete negation. On the western front the Italians have continued their offensive, to their advantage, Rome claims. Desperate fighting has taken place and high points of vantage has been secured by the Italians, although such advantages probably are potential rather than actual. Certainly the city of Trieste, Austria's most important seaport, is at the mercy of the Italian and British guns, but actual capture of that highly important stronghold doubtless is far distant. The condition as it stands today is that Trieste is bottled up, as is the whole Adriatic Sea, by Austria's enemies, and the Austrian empire is thus cut off from the high seas. In France and Belgium only artillerying has, for the most part, marked the week's activities. Another drive is believed to be near, probably in the neighborhood of Lens, where the Canadians have closed all the openings except the back door to the coal city. Our own war preparations are slowly but surely taking form, and by spring this Nation will have a million soldiers, armed, drilled, and outfitted. Our shipbuilding plants, for both warships and commerce ships are going night and day. Our war factories are equally busy; and our financial affairs are prospering. Next year America will be a stronger factor in the war than Russia has been, in consequence of which Russia's future operations are of diminishing consequence.—State Press in Dallas News.

**The War of All Nations**

booms away, and still you are interested in home affairs and mid-west events. Take your home paper, The Hedley Informer, and the Weekly Kansas City Star and keep up also on the big war news.

**Two Papers for Price of One**

Many nations at war, millions of armed men involved, greatest navies of the world concerned, the very face of the earth may be changed, and you and your folks will want to know all about it. Send, bring or mail us \$1.25 for one year's subscription to both papers. New or renewal.

**40,000,000 ACRES OF PUBLIC LAND**

Now opening to entry, purchase, or lease by land seekers, in state of New Mexico.

The last opportunity to secure government land, or cheap state land, on easy terms, is fast disappearing.

New Mexico still contains about 30,000,000 acres of government land which is being taken up under the 640 acre grazing homestead act and other federal land laws, and over 10,000,000 acres of state farm and grazing land which is being leased, or sold on thirty years time.

It is the last good chance to acquire public land at a small part of its real value.

The State Record at Santa Fe, New Mexico, publishes all official notices of state land sales in the entire state in addition to a weekly digest of development information from all counties. Over 170 auction sales of state land in tracts ranging from 40 acres to nearly 40,000 acres, will take place during the next few weeks, and the description of the land and improvements and terms of such sales are now being published.

A sixty-four page newspaper descriptive of the state, copy of the 640 acre homestead law, and other descriptive matter will be sent to all subscribers to the State Record requesting the same. In addition to this the State Record will answer all letters from subscribers requesting information about anything in the state. Subscription \$1.50, State Record, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

### On the Firing Line Every Day in the Week

Ready to serve you with high class Cleaning and Pressing and repairing of clothes.

The kind that you can readily recognize as "different."

Phone Us, Drop a Card, Come In Sometime

### Hedley Pressing Parlor

W. J. Luttrell, on Route 2, was a pleasant caller at this office last Saturday.

Cigars  
Fine Ink, Glue,  
Mucilage  
Shoe Polish  
West side Main

### OVERLAND AUTOS

We have the agency for the Overland cars in this territory, and are ready to accommodate old customers and make new ones. This year we have cars that are REAL Automobiles—that make good in every way.

We will be pleased to demonstrate the superior qualities of the Overland at any time.

Will trade cars for good horses and mules

### LOTT & LOTT CLARENDON TEXAS

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**Got Something You Want to Sell?**

Most people have a piece of furniture, a farm implement, or something else which they have discarded and which they no longer want.

These things are put in the attic, or stored away in the barn, or left lying about, getting of less and less value each year.

**WHY NOT SELL THEM?**

Somebody wants those very things which have become of no use to you. Why not try to find that somebody by putting a want advertisement in THIS NEWSPAPER?

## Lumber & Coal

### Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

U. J. BOSTON, Manager

**DR. B. YOUNGER**  
DENTIST  
Clarendon, Texas

**DR. J. W. EVANS**  
DENTIST  
Clarendon, Texas

**DR. G. S. JACKSON**  
Graduate  
VETERINARIAN  
Professional Calls Answered Promptly  
Clarendon, Texas.

**SCIENTIFIC MASSEUR**

Scientific masseuring has helped many of the best citizens of this town and community and it may be just what will help. We would be pleased to talk the matter over with anyone who may wish to have our services.

I am not a surgeon nor a physician, but if you want scientific masseuring, call and see me.

Dr. H. S. Dowda,  
Scientific Masseur.  
Clarendon, Texas.

**P. A. BUNTIN**  
Embalmer and Funeral Director  
Auto Hearse and Ambulance.  
Calls Answered Promptly.  
Clarendon, Texas

**GEO. A. RYAN**  
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance

You don't have to wait if you tell me your wants in these lines. Office: Connally bldg  
CLARENDON, TEXAS

**A. M. Sarvis, M. D.**  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office at Hedley Drug Co.  
Phones: Office 3 2r. Res. 28  
Hedley, Texas

**J. B. Ozier, M. D.**  
Physician and Surgeon  
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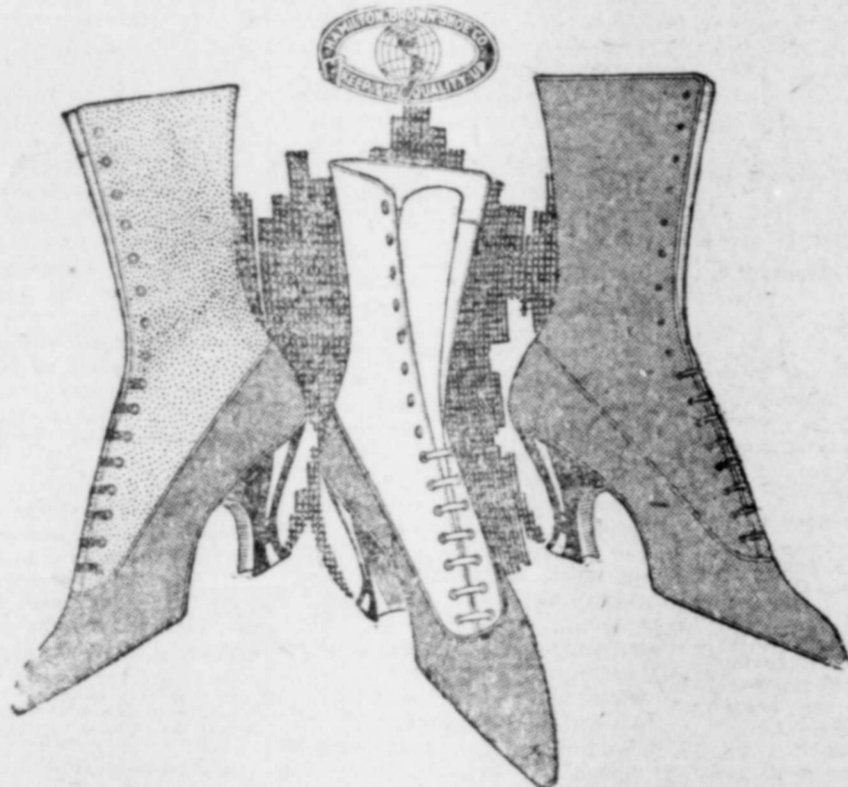
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Hedley, Texas.



...the opening of the 1917-18 session of Hedley public schools. Exercises were held in the Methodist church and quite a large crowd of our citizens gathered to show their interest and their willingness to co-operate in the school work.

Fitting addresses were made by County Judge O'Neal and County Attorney Richey of Clarendon, Messrs. J. H. Richey and Frank Kendall of Hedley. These timely talks were helpful and highly appreciated by all present.

The enrollment is now about 275, we understand, with probably another hundred to come as soon as they can be spared from the harvesting. Hedley people should be proud that their school is in such flourishing condition, with everybody working harmoniously in order that the greatest good may be accomplished.

The faculty is second to none in this country. All are competent, earnest and industrious, which means much for the welfare of the pupils. In addition to the personnel as published a week or two ago, Miss Katie Smith of Clarendon is teaching Expression, and we are told has a good class.

H. D. Heath, who has been holding a meeting at Windy Valley, left Sunday. There had been about twenty conversions and twenty additions to the church when he left. We are told that another preacher has been secured and the meetings will continue longer.

A. L. Miller was a business visitor to Clarendon Monday.

For insurance that insures, see C. E. Johnson.

Mrs. S. L. Adamson returned Tuesday from Amarillo where she has been visiting her daughters.

News pictures, war pictures Pleasant Hour, Saturdays.

O. R. Culwell is at the Tioga mineral wells for his health, and is slowly improving.

Ten per cent off on all leather goods for next thirty days for cash. Now is your opportunity to buy cheap.

Moreman & Battle.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunstream of Arlie are here prospecting and attending the revival now in progress.

Carl McFarland, who has been with the Hall garage here, left the past week for Memphis, where he has a good position with the Coursey garage as chief mechanic. Carl is an expert auto man and we regret to see him leave Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook, at McKnight, are the parents of a fine 12-1-2 pound boy. The young man arrived Wednesday.

FOR SALE—One set of Encyclopedia books. All who are interested may see the books at J. L. Tims store, Hedley Texas. Mrs. C. W. Horschler

R. L. Duckworth and family visited relatives in Collingsworth county the past week.

J. D. McCants of Giles, accompanied by his pretty little twin daughters, Alleene and Pauline, visited in Hedley one day this week.

One show in afternoon. Pleasant Hour.

John Caraway has returned from a business trip to Dalhart, Tucumcari, Las Vegas, and other points

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J. R. Boston, president of the School Board, called at the office Monday, paid the Informer a nice and highly appreciated compliment, and subscribed for the paper to be sent to his son and daughter who have gone to Tulia and Estelline, respectively, to teach school. He says he believes in "bouquets for the living." So do we, and we thank him heartily for ours.

### ALLEN & HICKS

### Real Estate AND INSURANCE

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Our good friend, R. S. Smith, made himself solid with the Informer the past week by having us send the paper to his mother, Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mineral Wells, and his wife's mother, Mrs. S. C. Justice, Forreston.

**R. H. BEVILLE**  
Attorney at Law  
Clarendon, Texas

Two new members have been appointed to the Hedley Independent School District trustees, at a recent meeting of the board. R. H. Jones takes the place of C. A. Hicks, resigned; and Ed Dishman takes the place of T. T. Harrison, who has been in Colorado for the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Moore of Yuma, Arizona, and Miss Laura Moore of Fort Worth are here on a visit to their sister, Mrs. John Caraway.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. T. M. Parker of Rotan, Texas, will preach at the First Baptist church in Hedley next Sunday, morning and evening.

A cordial invitation is extended to all, and the members of this church are especially urged to come out and hear Bro. Parker.

The Hedley Realty Co. is another new firm in Hedley, with H. M. Evans as manager. Read their ad in this issue.

There will be no preaching at the Methodist church next Sunday, morning or evening, on account of the absence from town of the pastor, Rev. J. H. Hicks.

For insurance that insures, see C. E. Johnson.

Cal Barnett, Randall county stockman who formerly lived in this county, was a business visitor in Hedley yesterday.

The finest musical Phonographs made are those made by the Steinway Piano Co., the "Aeolian Vocalion." You will find a fine assortment of them on sale at Stockings store, Clarendon, Texas.

C. E. Blankenship called a few days ago and ordered the Informer sent to W. P. Colwell, Vineyard, Texas. Thanks, friend.

### TO MEAT CUSTOMERS

I will not sell any more meat from my wagon, but will hereafter furnish meat to Mr. F. M. Lynn, at the Hedley Meat Market. Give him your business. M. W. Mosely.

Frank Decker, Roy Patterson and Paul Durham, of Memphis, and Shake Davis, of Lakeview, were in Hedley a short while Wednesday. They were en route to Clarendon in a car.

WANTED—A second hand Dearing row binder. No old, broken down machine considered. A good trade for same. O. W. Kyser, Route 1, Hedley.

County Agent L. A. Kennedy, accompanied by his little son, attended to business in Hedley last Saturday.

County Surveyor Jack Killough was here from Clarendon last Friday.

E. R. Clark and W. T. Walker of Hedley were visitors at the Leader office last Saturday. —Wellington Leader.

### Locals

Matinee Saturday afternoon 2:30. Pleasant Hour.

Jack Bromley was here Wednesday from Clarendon.

Fire insurance, this world only C. E. Johnson.

Alan Jefferies was here yesterday from Clarendon.

See J. Walker Lane for a second hand wagon.

Mrs. Conley Ward of Memphis was a visitor in our city Wednesday.

Good mutual program next Tuesday night. Pleasant Hour.

A. L. Chase, Clarendon garage man, was in Hedley yesterday on business.

If it's needed in school you'll find it at Stocking's store, Clarendon, Texas.

Tom Little was here Monday from Memphis.

For insurance that insures, see C. E. Johnson.

Grandma Bond, Misses Ethel and Bertha Bond have returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Wellington.

For the next ten days we will give a special discount on all rugs. Moreman & Battle.

Rev. Theodore Killian is the new pastor of the Lutheran church at Clarendon.

FOR SALE—In Hedley, Texas, 15 acres of land, 5-room house, storm cellar, cistern, and other improvements. For price and terms, see Mrs. E. L. Mevis, Giles, Texas. 4tp

Rev. J. H. Hicks left yesterday for Amarillo, where Mrs. Hicks has been the past two weeks.

We show one show at night and only two reels of the second show. Pleasant Hour.

C. O. Cooper returned yesterday from a visit to relatives and friends in Arkansas.

My horse, harness and storm proof closed cab for sale at a bargain. Enquire of Dr. J. D. Stocking, Clarendon, Texas.

N. J. Allen and C. A. Hicks have formed a co partnership in the real estate, insurance and money to loan business. Read their card in this paper.

The Double Cross, Chapter two, Saturday afternoon and night. Shown to standing room only at Queen Theater, Fort Worth. Pleasant Hour tomorrow.

County Judge J. H. O'Neal was a visitor in Hedley Monday and delivered a splendid address at the opening of our public school.

When "Liberty" is done then Pearl White in "The Fatal Ring" each Friday. Pleasant Hour.

J. L. Kennedy and H. C. Burris attended to business in Clarendon Wednesday.

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