# The Hedley Informer 

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## Lions Club News

There will be no directors meet ing of the Lions Club this week as he Lions will meet at the Legion lothes collected in the old clothes
d.ive.
At last week's meeting, to which
the Lions wore old clothes an ought their concribution to th dive, a pick-up full of clothes was colle.eted. Lion L. P. Trimb.e had with J. B. Masterson ald clothe ni. Lion Timb'e a close sec a very suitable prize by Progran very suitable prize by Progran
Chairman Rains. Lion Ed Boil er won over Clifford Johnson i being the slouchiest looking Lio present. He was awarded a ver. useful prize. The program arrang ed by Lion Aiva simmons an 1 pre sented by Mrs. L. P. Trimble an was the annual program of the $B$ Laws and Constitution comnittee All Lions shoutd be acquainte with the by laws and constitutij by wnich the club is governed. However the big program of th year will be at next weeks meen ing. Something the Lions hav been waiting for all the year. Otis Owens.
Quite a
Que osing side Lions have been on in the attendance contest were an. the side led by Leon Reeves whic won. They state they will be sadistied with a five course banque if given the third 'Thursday in tie month, but intend to add anothe $t$ is postponed.

Let C. E. Johnson, manager of the Hedley Telephone Co., writ
your fire and hail insurance.

Girls' Auxiliary
The Baptist Girls, Auxiliary me Monday, April 30, in the Churcl er organization. The nomina er organization. The nomina $e 1$ as a who.e and the following o.fice s were elected: Anna Sul ship, vice-president; and Vee Bhip, vice-president; and Martha Ne. 1 Reid, Joy Blanken 5 ip, Bobbie Lee Hall and Ver $B$ in presented an interesting pro
gram on The Southern Baptisi Family Tree.
Those present were Mrs. The ess McPherson, Letha and Vera Bain Elenor and Billie Tip.on, Lola Fa Sue Scales, Joy Blankenship an Anna Sue McKee.
sli giris above the age of thisen are cordially invited to attend he next meeting of G. A. on Mon$d$ ay, May 7, at 5 o'elock in the Baptist Courch basement.

## Informer Rates

viluer tate is $\$ 1.00$ per year in
Donley county, and $\$ 2.00$ per car eisewhere, except that serv C. E. Johnson at the Hedley fire and hail insurance.

Buy War Bonds
Por Future Neels.

They Gave Him a Co-Etd! American Legion

Senior Class Play time is only ne week away now! Rememb | an date: Friday May 11. It is a | American Legion will meet at the |
| :--- | :--- | lege life. Come see our home delegates that attended the 18th town folks at college. Sam Owens

tistrict War Conference at Memas the corn field boy, Bucky Eve rett as the rrat member, Johnnie
Everett, Gene Latimer, Floy Sims and David Stotts as athletes and the girls-well they're the eu gvessed it interested in-ye you gvessed
the college.
Plenty of music and in-between tertainment. Averybody invited
lews Of The
Rationing Board
Effective May 1, 1945 all appli dities wi erequired to fill out their own ie clerks in the local board have illed out these applications for asoline, sugar, etc. This pla has been in operation in mo counties in this district for some time but this board wanted to help
the people of the county in this the people of the county in this
service as long as possible. Due to the shortage of office personnel and added office routine it will be inue this service. Each applicant ean call at the offiee fors applica
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For Sale-White Porcelain to loosier kitchen cabinet, in exce
ent condition. See or phone Mr Ross Adamson.
Highest market price for you chickens. See me and I will c
or L.em.
M. W. Mosley 252p Phone 44, 3 rin

Dr. D. H. Cox and family re turned last Thursday from Edgar Nebraska, where they helped ol serve the golden wedding annive sary of Mrs. Cox's parents, M and Mrs. Jake Overturf, on Apr
18.

## Jiles News

## By Mirs. Arthur Ranson

## Mr. and Mrs, Frank White o

 Sunday${ }^{4}$ Cpl. and Mrs. Hubert Foster are visiting friends and relative here a few days on a delayed route
to Wichita Falls where he will b
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Glase Clarendon visitors Thuraday Miss Joy Blankenship of Hedley spent the week end with Misse Katheryn and Margaret Baker. - Mr. and Mrs. John Ward famil were Newlin visitors Sunday.
Memphis shoppers Saturda Memphis shoppers Saturday
were Mr, and Mrs. W. B. Profit were Mir, and Mís. W. B. Proint
Irene Profitt, E. M. Glass, R. Jordon, G. T. Fostor and Mr. and Mr. and Mrs.
and daughter Reatha were Lake Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Foster have received word their son Pvt. Wil
liam C. Foster has been wounded and given the Purple Heart. He
has captured 5 German soldiers has captured 5 German soldiers
and for souveniers has a pistol and
Watch.

Dads will enapter of the War Monday night, May 7th at $8: 30$ P. M.

At this week's meeting Dad W on Veterans rights under the bill of rights and Dad Chester O. Hill will discuss the hospitilization of All Wh war veterans. All War Dads and War Mother

Piano Recital
Mrs. Chester Hill will prese her class of piano stadents in re ital Friday nigh
he High School.
The public is cordially invited

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CHURCH ATTENOAMCE
The following article was taken from the MeMurray War Whoop church members might take eart:
I am a student in MeMurra
ollege; and I'm plenty proud
Well-that is-most of the time
I went to church Sunday morn
ing; I even went to Sunday gchool ing; I even went to Sunday schoo Nere you there? Some of yo roup, only a handful Computsory church attendance? No! This is a democratic country even a democratic school. Bu greater than that it is a church
school, as you might say a religiou institution.
I question you there. Is it
religious school? religious school? Could it b
when not half the student body when not half the student body
attends church on Sunday; nonot even a third?

## I've heard you say, "What illy rule My folks sent meof t silly rule: My folks sent meoff to

 school; If I hadn't been old enoughto take care of myself I would have stayed at home." Yes! Your a great sacrifice in most instances a great sacriice in most instances you'd do right and be what they had instilled in you. Have you betrayed a trust? Have you le some one down? 1 hope not. Maybe it's just a few more min tes in bed, or just a day whe you don't want to dress. Mayb you dua't feet like going aily wher 1 can tell you-you'd feel wonder-
if you just got, up and went-and mean to a friend.
There's a place just for you Some times it looks, terribly for saken. A Sunday school teeche is very disappointed because no This in interested. This is MeMurry; the answe
to your dream. You are McMurry. How would the world rate
MeMurry aceording to you?


MRS. BLLLY C. Johnson
At a double ring wedding cer At a double ring wedding cere
ony read Saturday at $5: 45 \mathrm{p}$. m t the St. John's Methodis Church of Lubbock with Rev. Bill Fieeming reading the ceremony, Miss Estelle DeBusk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. DeBusk, of Billy, Clifford Jocame the bride of Billy
Mr. and
Hedley.
The church was decorated with waskets of white lilies and peach gladiolas with a background of palms and white candles in tall quadelabra.
The bride,
The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an ice blue two
piece dress with black accesenried She carried a white prayer book copped with two white gardenias nd streamers. For something old she wore her grandmother's rowed she carried a handkerchief belonging to Miss Jerry Shaw and or something blue she wore a pres ent given
mother.
Miss Lexiedene DeBusk, sister She wore a white maid of honor arcessories and a corsage of pink arnations.
Charles Neal Johnson, brother
of the groom, was best man an Oliver Ramsey and John White o Mibbock were ushers.
Miss Doris
Miss Doris Cornelius, former Texas Tech lighted the candles Miss Betty Syler sang "Always." She was accompanied by Mis Barbara Byrd who played the pro cessional and the D. F. D. an College Club songs were playe The bride's mother wore a black ress with white accessories an The a corromage of white carnation ress with navy and white acces ries and wore a corsage of or
bids.
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lace cloth over pink satin. A
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daisies was topped with a bride and groom and flanked by double Wite tapers.
Mrs. Lester Rogers, aunt of the wide, assisted in serving the cake arrs. T. R. Easterling, aunt of the Drs. T.
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After a short trip the couple will where he is employed with the

arine Corps Air Depot, Mira-Calif.-Marine' Sgt. Charles Queen, 21, son of Mrs. E. M ueen, Clarendon Texas, hat ordnance and demolition
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## Issues Ppper

 Home Monthly News this week. The paper
by the Memphis Damo$s$ filled with items of in-
R. Bramblett underappendicitis operation norning in a Memphis d is doing nicely at the
Mrs. Charley Johnson
and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Thursday.

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## McQueen is seriou

tome in
was graduated from
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lech at Lubbock.
and a member of
was a graduate from
school and attended
Lubbock. He is a
College Club and
Leer Leader for the ieer Lea
Kenneth Taylor has turned the Hedley Cafe back over to O. C. Sargent. We understand that $\mathbf{O}$. C. intends to do some remodel We made at least age this issue. We promised mistake Moreman to print two lines Ralph him (and better \}) visiting here, ate forgot and let the iten Coyte Doherty is building
ice little grocery stock in his cafe. Among the publications com menting on the "Jitterbug" were
the Memphis Democrat, Wichita Falls Record News, Texas Press and Publishers' Auxiliary. A pat of the Record News' comment The Hedley Informer appeals to paper stunts in North Texas in many yegra. The edition, called egioned by reverses the usual digLegion and reverses the usual digClaiming circulation of 10,000 , 000 (more or less), the paper in omen in service.
$\qquad$ cities, and Roosevelt, Senta Claus
Feggy Zoe Stotts has returned mployed in the Loretta homital for the pait four monthe.

Mrs. ${ }^{3}$.

The electric wiring, biowers, etc re being installed in the Morenan Locker System. Work is going on early and late, and we hope soon to announce the formal open-
ing.
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Another thing we would like to nary work on the highway ha been completed. If we ever expeet to get the highway complet ed, now is the time to be working We preparatory steps.
We heard some rumors sbout salt on a certain piece of pie at the Lions Club meeting last Thursday night, but it seems one of the
Lions likes salty pie. Have you seen the
Have you seen the Jap uniform J. S. Hinds? They are on display in the window of Kendall's Shop. Apparently Cupid is using a machine gun instead of a bow and arrow these days. Four Hedleg oys from Camp Fannin were at home on thrious recently an John Tim got married.
good job of cleaning up some of the unsightly trash piles and tin cans around town.
It seems that Prince Albert is a good substitute for cigarettes, you can get it
We are glad to see Happy Boren and T. O. MeFarland up and We hear
Albert Joar rumors (mostly from Johnson has hit a slump in his domino playing.


By the Editor

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## Die－Hard Nazi Defense Pockets Shape As Allies Split Reich； U．S．Plans Huge Postwar Fleet

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erage of $\mathrm{NH} / \mathrm{tons}$ during the last wat
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man in Canada，it pointed out．



## CONGRESS Tariff Battle

Even as the Republican＇s senate
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Pres．Harry S．Truman to wish his
administration well，a red hot legis． lative battle weomed in congress
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treaty program，with GOP leaders treaty program，with GOP leaders
heading the fight to defeat the meas－
ure First sponsored by Mr．Roose－
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sistant Secretary of State Wiliam
Clayton led the administration fight
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us in kind．Otherwise，he said，we
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ure was necessary to assist in the
restoration of world prosperity and
 prevention of unsettled economic
conditions leading to war，GOP con－
gressmen，led by Rep．Harold Knut
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gram Macomplished neither objec
tive prior to the present conflict． Army Strength at Peak With a population of 13，479，142，
New York led all other states
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gran agrees to divide waters in the Rio
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automatic water system can pump and carry water for her．Electric lights can
take over the monotonous，diry job of cleaning and refiling kerosene lamps．
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"Maybe it will look right if I stand on my head," said Alice Alice couldn't seem to understand.
The Mock Turtle sighed deeply, drew one flipper across "This line is the cost of livis "This line is the cost of living going up-and that line is
the cost of electricity coming down. Now do you see?" "No," said Alice, doubtfully, "why don't they go together?
One of them must be upside down." Sobs suddenly choked the Mock Turtle.
Alice was eager to please. "Maybe it will look right," she
eaid, "Mif Itand on my head!"
There is an Alice-in-Wonderland flavor to the simple facts
about electricity. Tke average price of household electricity has actually come DOTFN Since war beganj-while the cost of most
other things was going UP. other things was going UP. There has been no shortage of electricity-the basic raw portant war materials have necessarily been scarce or rationed.
That record is the result of careful planning and hard
work by America's business-managed electric companies work it Americas susiness-managed electric companie
And it peace-time job production-and for all the new electric conveniences you'll enjoy after the war.

## West Texas Utilities

Hedley Lodge No. 991 A. F. and A. M. meets on the
first Monday night of each
month. All members are urged month, All members are urged
to attend. Visitors are welcome. attend. Visitors are welcon
I. H. Rains, W. M.
C. E. Johnson, Secretary

Hedley Lodge No. 413
S., medey Chapter No. 413, O. E. S., meets the first Friday of
each month at $8: 00$ p. m. Men
tend.

## Visitors welcome: LULA, JOHNSON, W. M.



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heard and read，FDR never wanted
3rd Term．．．．A few months before his 2nd Term was about to end，Mrs．
Roosevelt invited kin of Ed Flyn
to spend a night in the White Hons to spend a night in the White House．
She especiall wanted their two tote
to slepe there＂so that they，never to sleep there＂so that they，neve
will forget he thrill of ti．
＂Cosidering the people（we do hot
really know）who have been here．＂ really know）who oepare been here．，
she said in effect， 1 ，want the chin
dren to be with us for a night－and
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tery，very
last chance！＂ After a press conterence in his
White House offce a reporter told
the President of a story that had
 Gridiron Dinner，＂said FDR，＂You＇
better clear it with some of the boys
who were there＂ pubtican Seneto，it appears，wa
teasing FDR arout his＂ucky In
ougural suit．＂． third term，＂heckled the Senator，
＂let me borrow that suit，and FI ， Fun Ragainst you and wint he him
FDR told him he culdn＇t let him
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cause I may need＂it＂myselfi，＂Be
＂You mean，＂was the retort，＂that
 wearily，that I may need it my
self 1 io ont consider it my In
augurai suil． Il is my－funeral suit．＇ Another of the favorite FDR sto
ries deals with the White House visi－ tor who remarked；＂Mr．President
how in the world did you acquire
such patience－with all the bores you meet in a day？＂rellied：＂You ac
FDR grimly ret rive patience after you＇ve spen
quire pater two yeatrence learning how to wiggl
your big toe again．． Men who were tristed by Presi
dent Roosevelt were never frisked dent Rosevelt were never frisked
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offce．The Secret Servicemen kne offce．The Secret Servicemen knew
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your team！＂．＂Well，＂replied the
Pre Preenident，＂In is comforting tod thow
that the boys aro careful．＂ ＂Sot so carefu，＂said the visitor
displaying a loaded pistoL． Among one reporter＇s thrills was
hearing him guffaw When the wain
was funny he would howl．The vaudeville comics would call it＂
belly laukti＂，The reporte
thinks，too，he is one of the fev who ever saw him weep．．i．ibert－It
happened when ex－Cong．Limber
son and others were criticizing the
war records of his sons．．Mr
． War records of his sons．ab．Mr
Roosevelt wras miserable about
letter that came（that morning） leter that came（that morning）
tron one of them．It concluded：
＂Pop，sometime I really hope ane
of us gets kilised so that maybe
they＇ll stop picking on the men en they＇Il stop picking on the rest
the fanily
FDR＇s lower lip ．When he read it to quiver
Fit FDR＇s lower lip star
and the tears came．
This Republio is governed by the
will of the people．That expressed Will hat seen interrupted exp the will
of God，in the passing of President Roosevelt．
Now，President Truman，the due
constitutional choice of the Amer－ ican people，is enicice of to the Amer fitilest
loyalty and cooperation as Com－
mander in Chet This is not a time for slackeaing
of effort．On the contrary，this riew， unexpected and grievous challenge
to the American people is a chal．
lenge to Democracy ftelt．

Ernie Pyle in the Pacific：
U．S．Builds Up Strength For Knockout in Pacific

Okinawa Landing Like Putting Foot in Enemy＇s Kitchen Door

By Emie Pyle
 OKINAWA．－Our war with Japan has gone well in the last
tew weeks． We are firmly on Okinawa，which is like having your foot in Our wonderful carrier pillots have
whittled down the Jap air force

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