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Ex-Senior Banquet

One of the best Ex-Senior reunions ever held here took place last Saturday night in the school lunch room when 111 registered dam on Salt Fork of Red River. for the annual banquet, which was one of the largest crowds ever at tending.

Lionel Blankenship made clever welcome address, ably responded to by R. F. Newman of Phillips. Lloyd Croslin of Lubbock did a fine job as guest speaker. Lionel Blankenship gave the invocation and J. S. Hinds the benediction.

The principal part of the program was the "Ex Senior Circus" arranged and directed by Miss Myrtle Reeves. The "big tent" was appropriately decorated with balloons and sawdust, and every one entered into the spirit of the occasion and applauded the numerous circus acts artists. Among them were:

Ringmaster, Lionel Blankenship

Five Hawaiians from Honolulu, Pat Pritchard, Jane Mosley, Wan da Moore, Glenda Hansard and Carolyn Morris.

Two headed man, Don Reeves Jack Usrey.

The only two 1953 graduates in captivity, Carolyn Reeves and Letha Moss, sang.

Snake charmer and bearded lady, Joan Youree.

Salt Fork Dam

Carl Morris and Clifford Johnson attended a meeting at Paducah last Tuesday in regard to the Engineers and Bonding Company representatives at this meeting gave a favorable report on our chances of getting the dam. A meeting of the officers and directors of the Association is being held in Childress this week to proceed with the work on this project. Clifford Johnson, local director, will attend.

Card of Thanks

The Hedley Band wishes to thank everyone who took magazine subcriptions from the band members. The help was very much appreciated.

David Moreman sold the most subscriptions and Nancy Lou Hinds was a close second.

Marjorie were Thanksgiving dinner guests in the Frank Kendall be unable to withstand the modhome last Thursday. They were ern excesses of excitement, exaccompanied by Rev. Weldon travagance and exhaustion. Reeves, a theological student from McMurray College.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond D. Patterson of Ropesville visited in the the Saviour of the world. Jap Shaw home last week end.

Keeping Christ In Christmas



REV. O. L. JONES

How are you planning to spend this Christmas?

Unless we determine right now Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hinds and that for us this is going to be a CHRISTIAN Christmas, we shall

> But how can we keep Christmas Christian? First of all, by acknowledging the Christ of Christmas as the eternal Son of God and

No gift, be it ever so great or ever so grand, dare overshadow Rev. H. L. Wheeler, Guymon, the Gift of God in Bethlehem's manger. No gladness, be it ever so high or ever so high or ever so deep, dare match the gladness of our hearts over the thrilling angel message: "Unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord." Christmas is the birthday of our King Let us keep it that. Let us bring our gifts of sacrifice, of worship, and of praise. Let us crowd our Christian churches with festival throngs. Let us make the welkin ring with the jubilant strains of "Joy to the world, the Lord is come. Let earth receive her King." It is the desire of every pastor's heart that his church be filled with worshippers. It is their desire that people will honor their Christ by accepting Him as their Saviour and Lord, and King.

Mrs. Roy Webster

Funeral services for Mrs. Roy Webster, who passed away last Wednesday in an Amarillo hospital, were held Saturday from the First Methodist Church at Memphis by Rev. W. M. Culwell and Rev. Lloyd Hamilton. Burial was in the Memphis cemetery under direction of Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Webster passed away a few hours after she suffered a stroke while visiting a daughter, Mrs. T. J. Messer of Amarillo.

She was born March 24, 1883 at Grapevine, and came to Hall County in 1893 with her parents, the late Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Wheeler. She and Mr. Webster were married at Memphis Aug. 3, 1902, and he passed away there Jan. 1, 1938. Since that time she had been making her home with her children, spending a large part of her time with a daughter, Mrs. R. M Saunders of Hedley.

Mrs. Webster had been a member of the Methodist Church since early childhood.

Besides Mrs. Saunders and Mrs. Messer, survivors include three other daughters, Mrs. C. H. Messer, Littlefield, Mrs. Buford Curtis, Ventura, Cal., Mrs. Houston Ferguson, Palm City, Cal.; two sons, Marvin and Loyd Webster, both of Littlefield; three brothers, Okla., Earl Wheeler, Sedalia, Mo., Carl Wheeler, Caraway, Ark ; five sisters, Mrs. Jim Webster, Memphis, Mrs. J. L. Brackeen, Dalhart, Mrs. Harry Jorns, Houston, Mrs. O. K. Stevens, Roswell, N. M., Mrs. T. L. Bryant, Oxnard, Cal.; 26 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Lion tamer, Jane Mosley Bareback rider, Charlene Sargent.

Strong man, Leon (Ponce) Reeves, one of the biggest acts under the big tent. He lifted two 500 lb. weights as if they were straws.

Joan Mo eman, no spik Aing- shown in their annual meetings is her brother's act after he fell on his ear during practice.

Doherty, a perfect Frankenstein, president R. A. Shaw, vice pres and Allan Cope, wearing a baby J. M. Dickson, secretary Mrs. J carrying a doll.

Letha Moss.

man Don Reeves pushed her out who sent out the invitations in a cart.

Mme. Noriene Gibson and Mme. class of 1953. Ida Lou Dickson, but were unable crowd and lack of space.

Everyone had a wonderful time Mrs. J. S. Hinds secretary.

and enjoyed the delicious meal prepared by Mrs. Delphia Bailey and Mrs. John Wynn.

All left with renewed determination to return next year if possible. This loyalty of Hedley High School ex-students as exemplified by the active association and the interest

leesh, a French lady, sister of the to be commended. Hedley High man on the flying trareze, who School and the Hedley communiplayed the piano to substitute for ty are very proud of this organization.

All the Ex Seniors want to ex-There were two clowns, Red press their thanks to the officers, dress and cap, barefooted, and M. Dickson, the president's wife, Mrs. R. A. Shaw, for their hard

Hootchie kootchie piano player, work on the affair, to Miss Myrtle Reeves for her unusually clever Fat woman, Flossie Wood. Thin program, and to those Ex-Seniors Graduates were present all the Two clairvoyants were present, way from the class of 1917 to the

Officers elected for next year to read palms because of the big are Arthell Gibson president, Ansil Adamson vice president and

You have that special invitation awaiting you at your church Don't disappoint your God by being absent from your church.

Read the Classified Ads.

School Menu for Next Week

Monday: Barbecued beef, whole corn, creamed potatoes, peach pie, bread, milk.

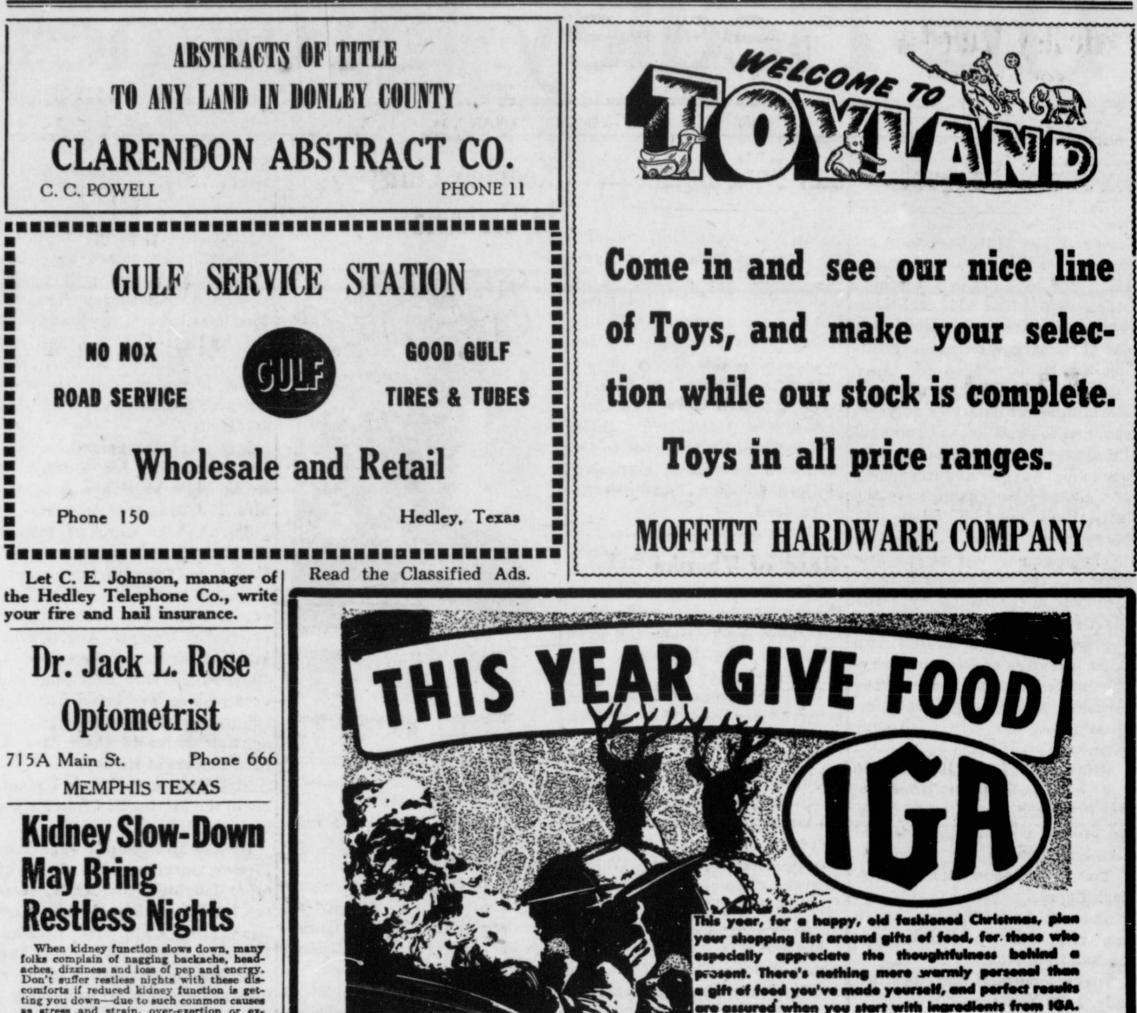
Tuesday: Red beans, macaroni and cheese, mustard greens, banana pudding, corn bread, milk. Wednesday: "Sloppy Joe" sandwiches, green beans, creamed potatoes, cabbage slaw, cake, bread, milk.

Thursday: Baked beans, tomatoes and macaroni, tomato and lettuce salad, hot rolls, honey and peanut butter, milk.

Friday: Hamburgers, potato chips, cookies, ice cream, plain and chocolate milk.

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Those present were Adell Myers

Weatherly, C. H. Reid and Ed

Miss Sallie Page of Chillicothe

returned home Monday after a

visit with Mrs. R. E. Newman

Several members of the local

American Legion Post and Auxil-

iary Unit attended the Zone meet-

ing at Clarendon Tuesday night.

Miss Myrtle Reeves had charge of

The next Zone meeting will be

held at Claude in January. Oot-

ton Johnson of Claude was elected

Zone Commander for next year.

Boliver.

the program.

W. S. C. S.

A meeting of the WSCS was held in the parsonage November wives with a supper Monday night 23. This meeting was well attend- in the Lions Den. Everyone ened, some of the women who had joyed "Sloppy Joe" sandwiches, not attended for some time being salad, pie anh coffee, followed by present. We were glad to have games of canasta and dominoes. them and hope more will come in now that the busy season is over. Messrs. and Mesdames Robert

The subject of the program was Bailey, C. L. Johnson, Leon foreign missions. Mrs. Henry Reeves, Arthell Gibson, Oneill Moore gave an excellent devotional on "Faith of Our Fathers." The highlight of the program was Mrs. W. P. Doherty's discussion on missions in Mexico and South America.

Cards were gotten out to two of our wowen, Mrs. H P. Wilson and Mrs. M. G. Whitfield, who were ill.

The hostess served a plate of refreshments to the women present and to our president, Mrs. Leon Reeves, who came in after her work at the bank was finished. Also the pastor and son Bill were present.

The retiring Zone Commander is The next meeting is with Mrs. Clifford Johnson. W. P. Doherty December 7 at 2:30

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Training Union Revival "Magna-Vision" To A Training Union revival has Be Tested at Theatre

been in progress this week at the First Baptist Church with Mrs. Edna Lang of Houston, state approved worker. in charge 109 had enrolled by Tuesday morniag. The meetings are held each night from 6:30 to 8:30, with the closing session scheduled for Friday night, when the coronation of the princes and princesses will be held beginning at 6:30.



Next Tuesday is regular meeting night of the American Legion. This will be a joint meeting with the Auxiliary and the annual Christmas party. Auxiliary members are requested to bring a covered dish. Meeting time is 7:30 PM. After the eats there will be a program and games will be played Come and bring your wives and husbands.

Guests in the F. S. Blackwell home for Thanksgiving dinner included Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clark of Anaheim, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Blackwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Malone and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Koontz of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson and family

Sweetheart Banquet

The annual banquet honoring the sweethearts of the FFA chapters of the Greenbelt District was held at Paducah Tuesday, November 24 The district sweetheart was selected at this time. Wanda Phipps from Quail won first and Noriene Gibson of Hedley was second. Those from Hedley who attended were Marvin Mullins, district sentinel, Richard Stotts and Don Sringer members; Noriene Gibson, sweetheart, and her guest Pat Pritchard, and Doyle Messer, local advisor.

With the advent of 3 dimension al movies, Cinenamascope, Cinerama, and a host of other novelty methods of projecting motion pictures the small town theatre own ers have been seeking a new and more economical method to tide them over the radical change in movie projection. Such a system. termed Magna-vision will be tested this week end at the Hedley Theatre for two great films specially booked for the occasion. Sat urday matinee and evening, Paramounts original 3 D picture "Sangaree" will be shown on the new type screen. For Saturday's prevue, Sunday and Monday, United Artists have placed a road show engagement of the hilarious Broadway comedy, "The Moon is Blue." All seats for the latter will be 50¢ according to United Artists officials.

"Magna-vision" is in itself not true 3 D according to Theatreman Bob Harris. Instead it employ an illusion of depth created by white halo surrounding the screen and the use of a different lens angle than standard. One advantage however is that the need for bothersome polaroid glasses has been eliminated. Next to Cinamascope itself, this is believed to be a vast improvement in so far as small screen theatres go The new view will be augmented by auditorium sound created by speakers placed at the rear as well

Booster Club Meets

The Booster Club met Tuesday at noon. A planning committee was appointed by Booster Club President Carl Morris to plan activities for the benefit of the town and community. Alva Simmons will be chairman of this committee composed of R. M. Saunders, F. M. Murray, C. L. Johnson, Ray Moreman and Dr. D. H. Cox.

Items discussed for immediate action were the Christmas lights for Main Street and the annual appearance of Santa Claus. Details of a trades day for Hedley have about been worked out making it fair to all merchants who participate.

College Students home for the Thanksgiving holidays Included Adrian Youngblood from College Station, Joan Moreman from NT SC, Denton, Mary Alice Hunsucker from Texas Tech, Lubbock, Bobby Jones from Howard Payne, Brownwood, Charlene Barnett and Billy Baker from Amarillo College and Carolyn Reeves, Letha Moss, Tom Adamson and Jack Quisenberry from WTSC, Canyon.



District Governor Joe R. Phillips of Amarillo will be a guest at next week's regular meeting of the Lions Club. The Methodist ladies have charge of the meal and it will be a good one. In charge of the program that night are Lions Ross Springer and Otis Owens. Come out, meeting time is 7:00 PM.

Since the second meeting of the month falls on Christmas Eve the meeting will be put off and combined with a big Ladies Night on the following Thursday, New Year's Eve.

The Melvin Jones membership contest begins January 1st. It is time for the Lions to get busy and get some new members. There are many folks around here that would make mighty good Lions if someone would only ask them to join.

Notice

Friday night at 8 PM Sgt. Clyde A. Thomas will show a World War II film at the American Legion Hall. All Legionnaires and Auxiliary members are urged to come and bring a guest. This picture will be well worth seeing.



Three teams of the Hedley FFA Chapter entered the Greenbelt District Leadersh^{*}p contest at Memphis.

The junior chapter conducting team composed of Carl Morris, Franklin LeCroy, Gano Sanders, Bud Johnson, Terry Bailey, Deward Gibson, Joe Wood, placed fifth. The junior FFA Quiz team placed sixth. Bobby Couch, Benny Sims, and Lewis Stiles were the members of this team. The radio team composed of the following boys placed sixth: Allan Cope, Blackie Johnson, and Donald Taliaferro

as the front of the Theatres tending to engulf the audience within the scene on the screen.

"We feel that we've found two wonderful pictures to try this on, in "Sangaree" and "The Moon is Blue," says Ha ris "Sangaree was originally produced in 3D and has some breathtaking sequences in it The Moon is Blue has played to packed crowds throughout the country and while rated as an adult style picture is so loaded with hilarious comedy that it will easily pass for all family entertainment."

Sangaree will play at 2:00 PM and at 7:00 and 9:00 PM Saturday. The Moon is Blue will play a 10:30 PM prevue Saturday, 2:00 and 8:00 PM Sunday and at 7:00 and 9:00 PM Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Naylor announce the arrival of a fine little son on November 23. He weighed 8 lbs., 3 oz. and has been named Tex Wayne.

boys placed sixth: Allan Cope, Mr. and Mrs. Corky Hunsucker Blackie Johnson, and Donald of Lubbock visited here last week Taliaferro end.

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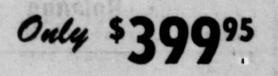
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