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LIONS ROAR

Next week is regular meeting night. The local Methodist ladies will serve the meal and since it falls during "Eat More Beef Week" looks like we might get steaks. Big Henry Moore may have us a good program for that night, as it falls on "Veterans Day" and he hasn't been very active lately.

Last week by using the eat and run method, twenty-four Lions enjoyed a good meal served by the local ladies and heard a nice talk "Lighthouse for the Blind."

The club voted to help this work by selling brooms and other articles made by the blind on Friday, Nov. 19. Wait for this date, you will not only get good hand made articles at popular prices, but will help a good cause.

Theatre Closing Delayed

Following the usual policy of exerting every effort to keep a theatre in Hedley, Bob Harris has announced an extension of last Tuesday's closing date to at least the middle of the month. Meanwhile efforts will be made to raise finances necessary for continued operation.

Harris reported hundreds of calls from Theatre fans prompted the delay.

Boy Scout News

One or two more cars are needed for the Boy Scout trip Sunday, as all twenty scouts and their leaders plan to go. They plan to leave Hedley at 7:30 AM Sunday morning, drive to the Easter Pageant grounds for Sunday School services, visit Mt. Scott, Medicine Park and Craterville Park and other points of interest in the Forest Reserve and Wildlife Refuge near Lawton, Okla., and return about 9 PM.

Irby Thomas of McCamey, who lived here about 30 years ago, visited here Tuesday.

Clint Mosley and wife of Cooper spent Tuesday with his brother M. W. Mosley.

Mrs. Bill Bromley of Clarendon and Mrs. J. D. Riley and children visited here Thursday.

General Election

In Tuesday's general election 166 votes were cast in the Hedley box. The only race of any great interest here was for Congress, Walter Rogers receiving 138 votes and Pete LaMaster 23. The only amendments carrying the Hedley box were Nos. 1, 4, 10 and 11.

Seniors Say "Quit Your Kidding"

"Quit Your Kidding" is the title of the play the Hedley Senior class has chosen for production. The play is a farce comedy by Felicia Metcalfe and will be presented Friday, Nov. 12, at 7:30 in the high school auditorium. The same group brought you "The Darling Brats" last year when they were Juniors. You will soon have an opportunity again to laugh at and with the following cast:

Louise Bailey as Mrs. Mary Buford, Charlene Sargent as Evelyn Buford, Leon Bevers as Winston Buford, Nancy Nash as Binnie Buford, Allen Cope as James Horton Travis, Marie Hill as Jean Owen, Lanelle Mendenhall as Betty Anderson, Bill Meador as Dr. Mel Shannon, V. C. Waddell as Thomas Patton, John Jenkins as David Spivey Whitten, Martha Jo Spalding as Miss Sophronia Buford, and Micky Wynn as Camilla Dusenberry.

Basketball News

Kirkland out hustled the Hedley Owlets to a score of 34 to 52. It was a tough start for a season opener. Coach Martin says that with a little more hard work and with a few variations the Owlets will prove to be more balanced and more effective.

The next basketball game will be a double header at Carey Nov. 9.

The reason that a basketball schedule has not been published is that there is a mix up in the district schedule. Dodson at first did not want to participate, but lately have changed their minds. An entirely new schedule will be worked out at Quail Monday night Nov. 8. All representatives from the District 3B schools will be present to rework the schedule. Following the meeting a schedule will be published.

Pierces Observe Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pierce observed their golden wedding anniversary Sunday at their home in Hedley with open house for a large number of friends. About 150 registered during the afternoon.

Guests were greeted at the door by the Pierces' son-in-law, Fred Carter of Sunray. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, their son Porter Pierce of Fort Worth and his daughter Maetha Kay, their daughter, Mrs. Fred Carter of Sunray, Mrs. Pierce's sisters, Mrs. Floyd Bulls of Pampa, Mrs. Nora Painter of Sunray and Mrs. J. W. Bland of Hedley.

Mrs. J. B. Masterson presided at the register. Myrtle Reeves ushered the guests into the dining room, where they were served coffee and cake. The Pierces' granddaughter, Freddie Jo Carter, poured coffee, and two nieces, Jude Gable of Memphis and Marie Hill of Hedley, served cake.

The serving table was laid with a cream linen embroidered cloth, and carried a beautiful arrangement of Talisman roses, yellow mums and gold grapes, with a gold cherub in the center. The lovely three tier wedding cake was of white decorated with gold, and topped by an arch of gold leaves and the figure "50" in a golden horseshoe.

Walter Pierce and Miss Nena Parmley were united in marriage Oct. 25, 1904 at Memphis, Texas. Both of them were born in Tennessee and came to Texas with their parents as children. They have lived in Hedley most of the time since about 1912, and have always been active in social activities and in the Methodist Church.

Mr. Pierce, a former Sheriff of Donley County, has retired from the grocery business after spending many years in that line, and is at present interested in stock raising.

Out of town guests attending the anniversary included Mrs. Nora Painter and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hammock of Sunray, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bulls and Miss Ila Pool of Pampa, Miss Lucille Gable and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Gilreath of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dart of Panhandle, Price Butler and Mrs. Bess Coppedge of Estelline, Mrs. Marcus Messer of Earth, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pool, Mrs. Cur-



LEGION NEWS

Next Tuesday night is regular meeting night, which will be a business meeting followed by a free feed. The Post now has 74 members paid up for 1955, and are trying to get their quota of 116 by November 11.

By an Act of Congress Nov. 11 was changed from Armistice Day to Veterans Day. The local Legion will hold open house on that day, and all veterans are urged to drop in some time during the day or evening.

Also by another act of congress this year two words were added to the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. The two words were "under God" and the pledge now reads as follows: "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and the Nation for which it stands, one Nation under God indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all."

The department of Texas is offering a Silver Star for any members who sign up 10 or more members for 1955 by Nov. 11, and a Gold Star for 25 members prior to Nov. 11. Some of the local members have already qualified for the Silver Star award.

Hunting Trip

J. P. Gilbreth and two sons W. P. and Richard, returned last Wednesday from their hunting trip in Utah and Colorado. They had fair luck this year, killing 4 deer and one elk. Mrs. Gilbreth's brother killed the elk and one deer.

They were accompanied by Mr. Gilbreth's brother, Elmer Gilbreth to Elk Ridge and finished their hunt in Cedar Point, Utah. They reported a good time and visit with kinsmen there. They also brought back beans and apples for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Alewink visited in Amarillo Tuesday with Mrs. J. K. Caldwell, who has been seriously ill.

Miss E. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bourland, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Churchman and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Johnson of Clarendon, Mrs. Hiram Painter, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thompson, Mrs. Donald Lindsey and Donna Jane, Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Boston and Mrs. Martin Agan of Amarillo.

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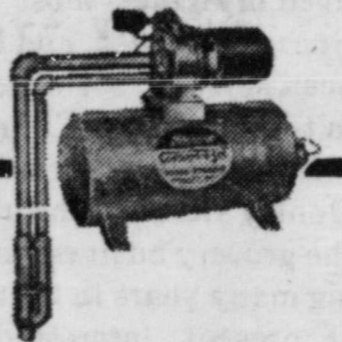
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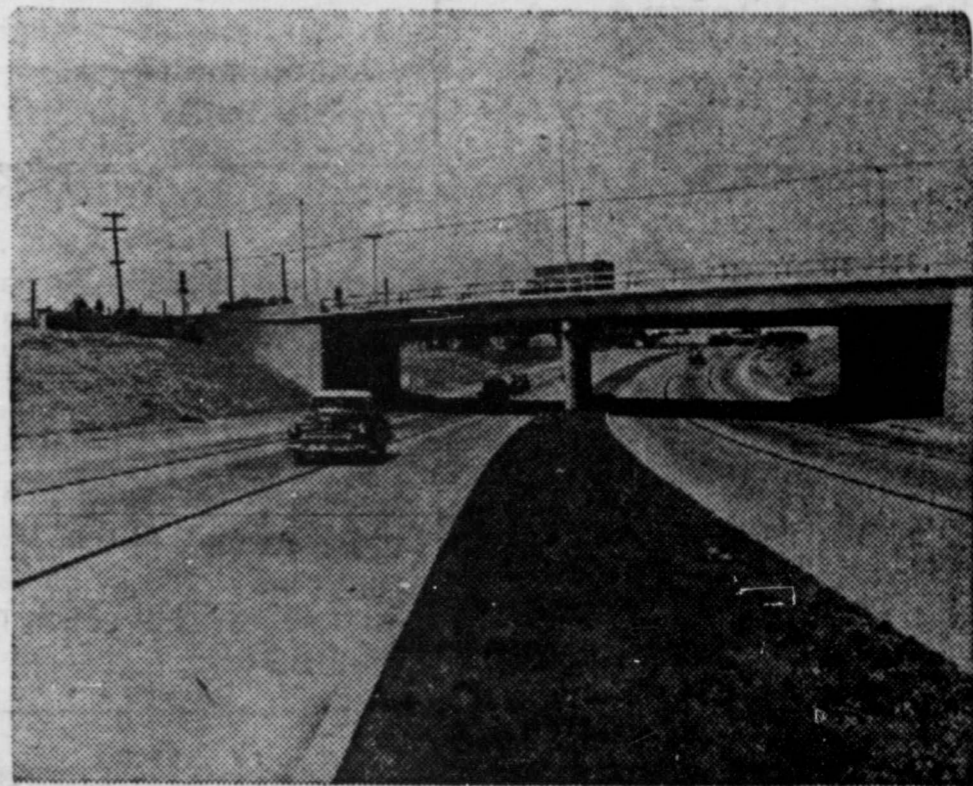
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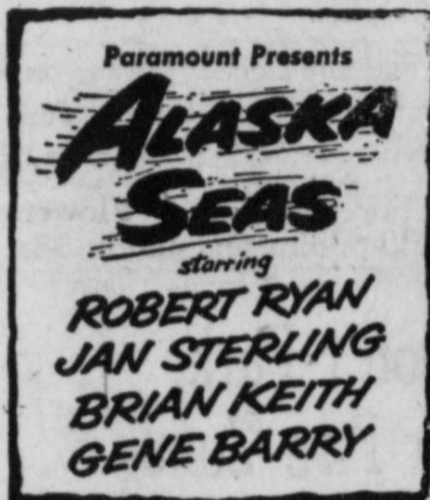
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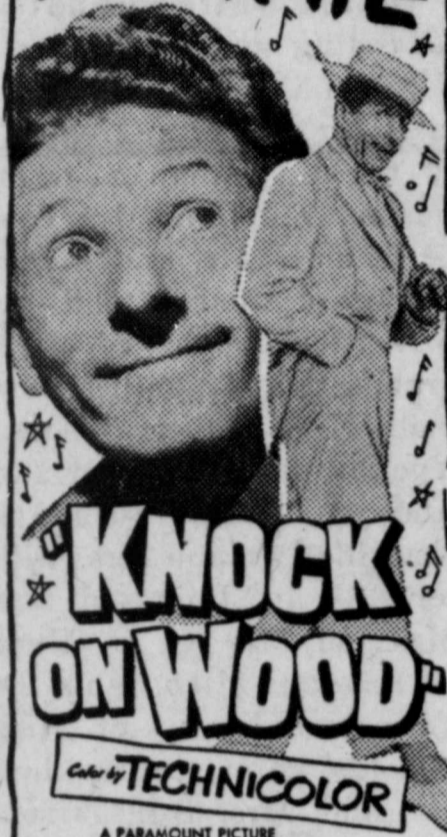
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Ours is a land of plenty. While other lands experience famine and hunger, we are blessed with fruitful fields and abundant harvest. While some have no opportunity to exercise freedom of speech, we can say what we think and feel with no fear of a penitentiary sentence. Citizens of many other nations have no liberty to vote; yet Americans may go to the polls and elect the man whom they believe to be the best for the office. In many lands there is no freedom of the press, no public schools, no churches, no right to worship our God as conscience dictates.

It is not by accident that we enjoy freedom. A price has been paid. We enjoy liberty today because back of it all stands the Bible and the power of God. Our ancestors came to the new land of America without many possessions but they possessed one thing which has made America 'the land of the free and the home of the brave.' That vital element was a belief in God and the freedoms which are a by product of the Christian religion. This belief in the power of the Almighty Sovereign has brought to us our freedom. Every blessing which we enjoy today can be traced back either directly or indirectly to the Bible. God is the great Emancipator of men; the word of God brings freedom—freedom for the individual and liberty for the masses.

Let us be thankful unto our God for our freedom. Without His guidance in the formative years of our great nation, we would never have known the freedom which we enjoy today.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Owens Jr. of Amarillo announce the arrival of fine little twin daughters on Monday, Nov. 1.

Carl Gerlach and family moved Sunday from Amarillo to Lake Charles, La.

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Governor Shivers has proclaimed Nov. 8 to Nov. 14 as Beef Week in Texas. Since cotton and cattle are our largest money crops our interests are to "use more cotton products" and to "eat more beef." Both the American Legion and the Lions Club have planned to have beef as the main diet at their meetings next week. Besides helping the price of cattle it is mighty good eating.

Hedley Lions Club



Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. All Lions are

urged to be present.

J. M. Baker, President
Carl Morris, Secretary

Mrs. Jet Brumley Dies

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masterson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brumley and Johnny attended funeral services at Pampa Wednesday for Mrs. Jet Brumley, who passed away Monday afternoon.

She will be remembered by old timers here as Miss Lizzie Wimberley.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Training Union 7:30
M. L. Sims, Director
Evening Service 8:30
Choir Practice Wednesday at 7:30
Mid-week Prayer Services 8:15
W.M.U. meets Monday at 2:30
Sunbeams Wednesday at 2:30
G. A. Thursday at 4:30

Family Reunion

Mrs. Mattie Clark was honored on her 89th birthday with a family reunion at her home on Sunday, Oct. 17. Each family brought lunch and the day was spent visiting.

Out of town friends and relatives attending were: sons and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clark of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark of Wichita Falls; daughters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tate of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brewer of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lester of Memphis; grandsons and families were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Clark and Yvonne of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Audean Clark, Teresa and Gary of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lester, Billy and Bobby of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hamilton, David and Mike, and Tommy Tate and Davey of Amarillo; granddaughters and families were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carson and Susan of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vandeventer and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Hicks, Wiley Jr. and Johnny, and Mrs. Galen Thompson of Amarillo; out of town friends were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Parker of Mangum, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stevens and Claudett of Amarillo, Mrs. C. C. Vandeventer of Clarendon and Mrs. C. E. Watson of Lubbock.

There was a number of local friends and neighbors called throughout the day. Mrs. Clark had a large number of beautiful gifts on display.

Mrs. Clark has one great great granddaughter. She is the great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark. All five generations are living. One son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark of Petersburg were unable to attend.

Jiggs Mosley of Amarillo and Mrs. Bob Rose and little daughter of Pampa visited in the M. W. Mosley home over the week end.

Mrs. J. M. Baker is in Pampa at the bedside of her father who is critically ill.

Ross and Hodge Adamson of Ropesville visited here this week.

Methodist Church

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Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
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Church of Christ

Welcome to the Church of Christ services on Sunday. Sunday School begins at 10:00 AM, preaching at 11:00 AM, and communion service at 11:40 AM. On Sunday night, singing from 8:00 to 8:30, and preaching from 8:30 until 9:00. On Wednesday nights, Bible Study begins at 8:00.

Hedley Lodge No. 413

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

Margaret Davenport, W. M.
Johnnie Hill, Sec.

Hedley Lodge No. 991

A.F. and A.M. meets on the first Tuesday night on each month. All members are urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

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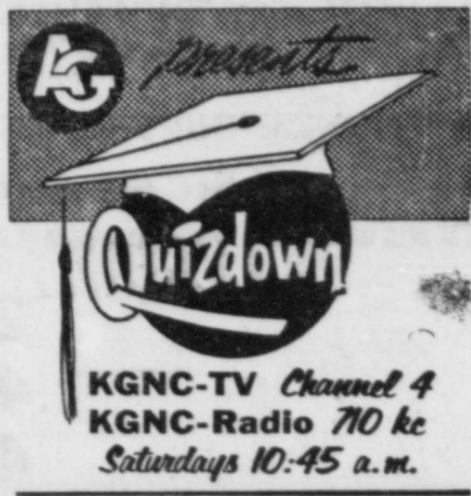
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