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NO. 10

Attention Farmers

All farmers interested in welding come down to the welding, come down to the welding demonstration to be held in the Vocational Ag building, Monday, Jan. 10, at 7 PM.

This meeting is being held by Doyle Messer to demonstrate welding to farmers and to give them an opportunity to practice welding if they care to. All farmers interested are welcome to come to this demonstration.

Owlets Lose One

The Hedley Owlets bowed to defeat Tuesday night to accept a licking from Clarendon 28 to 58. Smith of Clarendon was the girl the Owlets couldn't hold. She made 41 of the 58 points that led the Clarendon team over the Owlets.

Jo Ann Bolin took high point honors for the Hedley team by scoring 17 points; Wynn made 5, Sanders 4 and Hunsucker ducked 2 to complete the scoring for the Owlets.

Clarendon led throughout the game; the score by quarters being 8 to 7, 22 to 16, 40 to 19, and 58 to 28.



LIONS ROAR

Next week is regular Lions Club meeting. The FHA boys have charge of the program. Meeting time is 7 PM.

The Melvin Jones Birthday membership contest is now on and runs during this month. Each member who gets a new or reinstated member will not only get a nice award from Lions International, but he and his member will get a free feed in February.

Some 66 Lions and their guests enjoyed the Ladies Night New Year's banquet last week, which was served by the Lelia Lake ladies. Miss Myrtle Reeves had charge of the program. Appearing on the program were Don and Sue Cox, Ina Harris, Thelma and Letha Moss, and Jane Mosley.

Bill Koontz from Enid, Okla., visited with his mother, Mrs. Bertha Clark and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Blackwell by flying over a number of times on Thursday before Christmas in an airplane.

Security State Bank In Good Shape

Statement of the Security State Bank at close of business December 31st showed total resources of \$906,949.86. The deposits of \$832,983.83 is the largest the bank has ever shown at the year end, topping 1949 by \$20,870.45. Loans are \$179,808.73 and cash, bonds, and other assets show \$719,379.55.

The annual stockholders meeting of the bank will be held next Tuesday and officers and directors for the new year will be elected. The bank will have a very successful year to report to its stockholders.

Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday night with twelve members present. Refreshments were served after the business meeting.

Mrs. Jack Perkins was elected membership chairman. We need some new members so be sure to contact Mrs. Perkins.

Plans are underway to carry a program to the Veterans Hospital this month. Anyone who can go and help get in touch with Mrs. Kathryn Latimer.

It was voted we meet Thursday morning, Jan. 6, and start painting the inside of the Legion Hall. Bring your paint brush and a covered dish and plan to stay all day. Any volunteer help will be appreciated.

We want to express our thanks to the Legion boys who gave their time and work on helping fix the floor of the Legion Hall and especially Froggy Stewart who oversaw a job well done.

Our next meeting will be Feb. 1 so try to be present, we need your support —Reporter

Chaplain Lt. Colonel Rex S. Kendall came in Tuesday evening for a few days visit with home folks. He had been to Knob Hill, South Carolina, to bury an officer from the Korean War, and is on his way back to Camp Ord, Calif., where he is chaplain. His family reside at Monterey near by.

Mrs. John Howell of Dalhart visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Tate during Christmas, also with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Blankenship and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Tate.

Rowe Cemetery Fund

Balance in fund January 1, 1954	\$ 77.41
Donations to fund in 1954	344.62
Lots sold in 1954	122.50
Bake Sale May 30, 1954	110.25
Total income to fund for year	\$577.37
1954 Disbursements	
Stamps, post cards, printing	\$ 19.80
Printing deeds	6.00
Paid on mower	55.00
Labor, maintenance	316.15
Total disbursements	\$396.95
Balance in fund January 1, 1955	\$257.83

I, M. O. Weatherly, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that this summary is a true and correct report of the Condition of the Rowe Cemetery Fund, Hedley, Texas, as it existed on January 1, 1955.

(Signed) M. O. Weatherly
Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 3rd day of January A. D. 1955.

Ray A. Moreman
Notary Public in and for Donley Co. Texas.

Basketball News

Hedley enters the Memphis Tournament this week, which is to be held Thursday, Jan. 6 through Saturday, Jan. 8.

The Hedley boys play Estelline Thursday at 6:00 PM. They will meet the winner of Memphis vs. Kirkland at 8:30 PM Friday. The winner will play at 9:15 PM Saturday.

The girls will open their tournament game with Memphis at 7:15 PM Thursday. They will play the winner of Quitaque vs. Estelline at 7:15 PM Friday. If they lose to Memphis they will play the loser of the Quitaque vs. Estelline game Saturday morning at 9:00.

Owls Defeat Kirkland

The Owls took to the hardwood to rack up their 14th victory by defeating Kirkland 55 to 35 last Friday. With a terrific job of faking, combined with fast ball handling. The Owls really showed their ability.

Cope took the highlight by sinking 24 points for high point honors. Closely following Cope was Don Reeves who poured in 11 points; Bill Reeves sank 9, Waddell 6, Bevers 5, and Bailey made 2 to complete the scoring order.

Mrs. Holman Killed

Funeral services for Mrs. Elmer Lee Holman, 18, who was killed Sunday in an auto accident near Goodnight, were held Tuesday at Clarendon by Rev. Ernest Phillips.

The accident occurred when the car driven by Elmer Lee Holman collided with one driven by L. E. Gibbs of Memphis. The Holmans were en route to their home in Amarillo after a visit in Clarendon, while Gibbs was headed toward Clarendon.

Both men were hospitalized, as well as 16 months old Robert Andrew Holman.

Methodists To Repair Church

The official board of the Hedley Methodist Church voted to declare next Monday, Jan. 10, as work day for the church and parsonage. There is to be some carpentering, plastering and painting in the pulpit area of the sanctuary and the work on the parsonage is to be finished. They welcome volunteer help and hope to get most of the two jobs completed in one day. Those not in position to work may hire someone to work in their place or help to pay for the improvements. Some are doing both.

We are grateful to our newspaper for this announcement.

R. N. Huckabee

Owls Beat Clarendon

Tuesday the Owls covered the Clarendon Gym to hand them a ball handling defeat of 43 to 37.

The Owls started their victory by ducking 16 points in the 1st quarter to the Bronchos' 6. Every boy on the squad put their name on the scoring sheet. Coach Martin held the boys high for their good ball handling and passing.

Coach says, "The score didn't indicate the type of ball game we really played; every boy had good hustle, good ball handling, and passing. We just couldn't seem to put the ball in the bucket, but that's just one game. Watch us, we'll go."

High point honors went to Bill Peeves who snapped 15 points into the net. Bevers ducked 10, Cope 8, Don Reeves 6, and Bailey made 4 to complete the tally sheet.

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RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts.....	\$308,745.16
U. S. Government obligations direct and guaranteed	179,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	6,454.50
Cash on hand, balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	405,448.20
Banking house or leasehold improvements.....	1,600.00
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	5,700.00
Other real estate owned.....	2.00
Total Resources.....	\$906,949.86

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	\$35,000.00
Surplus.....	20,000.00
Undivided profits	18,966.03
Demand individual deposits	699,744.76
Time individual deposits.....	55,199.01
Public funds, including U. S. Government deposits.....	77,084.02
Other deposits.....	956.04
Total all deposits \$832,983.83	
Total Liabilities.....	\$906,949.86

STATE OF TEXAS)
County of Donley)
I, Arthell Gibson being Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Arthell Gibson
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of Jan., 1955.


Ray A. Moreman, Notary Public,
Donley County, Texas.
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Sam J. Hamilton } Directors
F. A. Finch }

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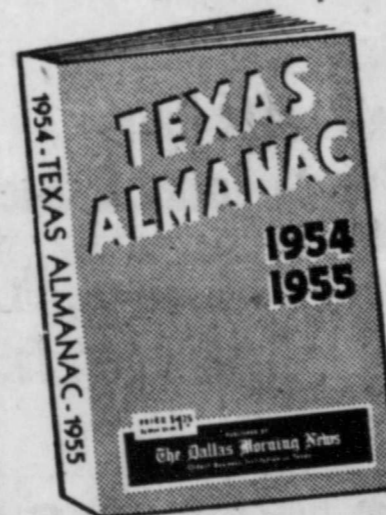
At the close of business December 31, 1954

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$179,808.73	Capital	\$35,000.00
Overdrafts	459.58	Surplus	20,000.00
Banking House	1,600.00	Undivided Profits	18,966.03
Furniture & Fixtures	5,700.00	DEPOSITS	832,983.83
Other Real Estate	2.00	Total	\$906,949.86
C.C.C. Notes on Cotton and Grain	128,476.85		
Securities	185,454.50		
Cash	405,448.20		
Total Cash and Quick Assets	719,379.55		
Total	\$906,949.86		

The above statement is correct.

Arthell Gibson, Cashier

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The Hedley Owlets took a hard defeat from Kirkland 39 to 28 last Friday.

Popping the net for high point honors was Jo Ann Bolin who scored 12 points. Following Bolin in the scoring department was Sanders who made 8, Wanda Hansard 6, and Wynn sank 2 to complete the scoring order for the Owlets.

Kirkland led at the close of each quarter, the score by quarters being 7 to 5, 14 to 18, 18 to 25, and 28 to 39.

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Family Reunion

Visiting in the F. S. Blackwell home over the Xmas holidays were all of their children: Mrs. Bertha Clark and Mrs. Hershel Malone from Anaheim, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Blackwell of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson from Dumas, Mr and Mrs. H. L. Blackwell and boys Dwight and Lee Neal from Dallas. Also present were three of their grandchildren and their families: Jerry Malone and baby from Camp Pendleton, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. James Koontz and baby from Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Blackwell and baby from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ellis and daughters, Earlene and Ilene left for Hemet, California, Sunday after spending Christmas with Mr and Mrs. Billy Gene Tate and family.

Basketball News

The Hedley Owls have compiled a fine record so far, having lost only two of seventeen games played: one to Mobeetie 58 to 61, and one to Claude 36 to 39.

They have defeated Carey 56 to 22, Lelia Lake 52 to 30, Allison 65 to 43, Carey 64 to 33, Lelia Lake 56 to 45, Allison 70 to 30, Clarendon 62 to 23, Kelton 75 to 51, Wellington 63 to 32, Quail 57 to 40, Childress B 58 to 34, Wellington 49 to 44, Lelia Lake 45 to 43, Kirkland 55 to 35, and Clarendon 43 to 37.

They won first place in the Hedley tournament, and consolation in the Mobeetie tournament.

Their remaining games are:
Jan. 6, 7, 8----Memphis Tournament
Jan. 11----Quail-----There
Jan. 14----Samnorwood-----There
Jan. 18----Claude-----Here
Jan. 21----Wellington-----There
Jan. 25----Groom-----Here
Jan. 28----Samnorwood-----Here
Feb. 1----Groom-----There
Feb. 10, 11, 12--Dist. Tournament--Groom

Card of Thanks

I want to take this opportunity to thank my friends and acquaintances of the Hedley community for being so thoughtful and considerate of me during these last few weeks while I have been so ill. I deeply appreciate the beautiful cards and letters which were a great encouragement to me.

I thank each one who called or visited or inquired about my welfare. The Doctor says my throat is doing nicely and now I am able to fill my pulpit again.

May God bless each of you.
Mrs. Geneva Kilgore,
Nazarene Pastor

Those visiting Mrs. R. E. Newman and Pete last week were R. F. Newman, Joe Bob, and Tommy of Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tucker, and Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Tucker of Estelline.

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

Clarendon will work with the county agent.

All livestock will be in the barns by 9:00 o'clock in the morning and remain in place until 4:30 in the afternoon. The show is being held in January because some of swine will go to the Fort Worth show. The steers will be shown at the Amarillo stock show in late February.

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Fat Stock Show

The Donley County Fat Stock Show will be held in Clarendon on January 26 at the old fair ground buildings on the Brice Highway says County Agent H. M. Breedlove. 4-H Club and FFA boys from all over the county will be competing with fat steers, swine and sheep. The vocational teachers from Hedley, Lelia Lake and

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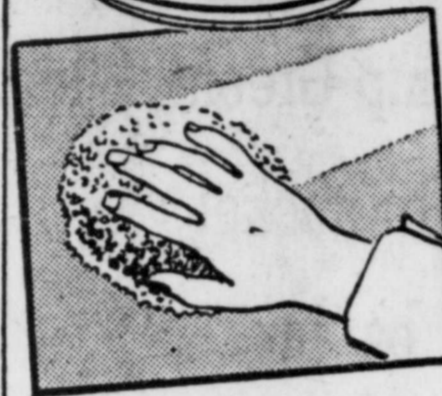


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