

# The Hedley Informer

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## Scout Circus

Boy Scouts of Troop 36 attended the Scout Circus in Pampa last Saturday night. The local troop took part in the pioneering event. They were allowed 6 minutes to put up their three lean-tos, but they had time to spare. The three lean-tos were built in two minutes according to Scoutmaster Boaz Stotts.

Scouts from every part of the Adobe Walls Council, covering 33 communities in 15 counties of the Texas and Oklahoma Panhandles took part in the Grand entry which started off with the massing of American flags in the center of the arena with a band composed of Explorer Scouts. The actual procession in the grand entry was led by Sheriff Rufe Jordan. He was followed by Cub Pack 1 of Panhandle and the 3,000 Scouts who participated in the Circus.

Immediately following the Grand Entry and the pledge to the flag, in which the Scouts were joined by the audience, the participants in the bicycle event rode in to give the audience a demonstration of precision bicycling in formation. The 20 cyclists then proceeded with thrill packed stunts, flying off a ramp at breakneck speed as other Scouts fell in their path, until the last rider made his jump over the bodies of 5 Scouts. A flaming hoop was then placed on the ramp and the cyclists rode through it, as they rode toward and through the flaming hoop, sparklers were lit to guide their way, the dimmed arena providing a backdrop to their danger filled act. Scouting games and contests then followed as Scouts raced in chariots drawn by two Scouts, jumped and tumbled over each other and staged a tug-of-war.

Knights in armor (Cub Scout event) then trooped into the arena in their homemade costumes, to show jousting, sword dueling and dragon slaying, as they slashed away at each other and played dead for an audience that enjoyed it as much as they did.

Another event presented by the Cubs was a battle between pioneers and Indians. Explorers demonstrated square dancing, wall scaling and fire extinguishing. The Tejas Indian dancers of Borger gave four tribal dances to the accompaniment of a drum and the calls of Jake Ross, district executive of Borger.

## Owls Win District

Hedley High School won the baseball District Championship in a play-off game with Turkey here Monday afternoon. Hedley started with a two run lead in the first inning and Turkey never caught up. Several rallies started for Turkey, but were cut short by the locals. Leon Bevers pitched the entire game for Hedley and did a very creditable job of it.

The Bi-district play-off games will start soon. We understand it will be a two out of three games series with Lorenzo.

## Recital

Mrs. Earl Gibbs will present her piano pupils in recital Tuesday, May 24, at 8:00 PM in the Baptist Church. Mrs. Gibbs reports a good year with lots of interest shown by her pupils.

Those who will take part in the recital are Billy and Bobby Wiggins, Johnny and Richard Dickson, David Moreman, Bobby Couch, Nancy Shaw, Katrina Snelson, Cherry Dee Thomas, Sandra Moffitt, Carolyn Stephens, Nelda Sue Stotts, Linda and Sharon Davis, and Patricia and Loveta Houdashell.

Everyone is cordially invited.

## New Deposit Boxes

The Bank installed 25 new safety deposit boxes last week. They are average size and the bank now hopes to have enough boxes to take care of their customers needs.

The Grand finale came as the arena, filled with the encamped Scouts, was dimmed and all joined in the national anthem.

Members of Troop 36 participating in the circus were Monte Paul Rogers, David Moreman, Loyd Messer, Tony Jenkins, Roger Messer, Jimmy Youree, Tinsley Mullins, Jack Doherty, W. A. Jenkins, Leonard Mullins, Don Cox, Harold Moffitt, Gilbert Speed, and Billy Maddox.

Accompanying the boys on the trip were Scoutmaster Boaz Stotts, Clifford Johnson, L. D. Messer, and Barney Johnson.

The troop wishes to thank every one for the help and transportation in making this trip possible, also every one that purchased tickets to the Circus.

## Graduation Exercises

The baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, May 22, at 11:00 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Rev. R. N. Huckabee is the speaker.

The commencement exercises for the Senior and Eighth Grade classes will be held together on Wednesday, May 25, at 8:00 PM in the school auditorium.

Dr. J. B. Roberts of West Texas State College will give the commencement address.

Valedictorian of high school is Louise Bailey and salutatorian is Don Reeves. Valedictorian of grade school is Bonnie Alexander and salutatorian is Linda Davis.

## Vacation Bible School

The workers of the Methodist Church have announced that their Vacation Bible School will be held June 6 to 11 from 9 to 11 o'clock each morning. Refreshments are to be served during intermission at about 10 o'clock. The school will close with a picnic lunch at the park at 12 o'clock on Friday.

The teachers of kindergarten children, 3½ through 5, are Mrs. R. A. Shaw and Mrs. Marie Johnson; for primaries, 6, 7, and 8, Mrs. W. P. Doherty and Mrs. W. A. Pierce; for juniors, 9, 10, 11, Mrs. R. N. Huckabee; for intermediates, 12, 13, 14, Mrs. J. S. Hinds. Other workers may be announced later.

Sunday morning the Sunday School will meet as usual, but we go to the high school for the general community worship at 11 o'clock. Sunday night the pastor will speak on "If I Return Next Year." This is his last service before conference.—R. N. Huckabee

## Tea and Book Review

The library staff is having a silver tea and book review Friday, May 20, at 2:30 in the reading room of the high school library.

Mrs. Doyle Messer will review the book, "Good Morning, Miss Dove." The members of the library staff will serve as hostesses.

The money contributed at the tea will be used to buy letter jackets for the girls who have served on the staff for two or more years in high school.

The public is cordially invited.

## Mrs. C. N. Shaw Dies

Mrs. C. N. Shaw, a resident of Hedley for 38 years, passed away in a Memphis hospital last Thursday at the age of 73.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon from the Church of Christ here by J. C. Stepp, minister of the Lelia Lake Church of Christ, and Rev. J. S. Tipton, pastor of the local Baptist Church.

Mrs. Shaw was a member of the Hedley Church of Christ.

Miss Zula M. Brown was born March 25, 1882, in Johnson County, Texas. She married C. N. Shaw December 30, 1901 in Fort Worth. They moved to Donley County in 1916.

Burial was in Rowe Cemetery at Hedley under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home of Memphis.

Mrs. Shaw is survived by her husband, three sons, M. D. Shaw, Jap Shaw, and R. A. Shaw, all of Hedley; four grandchildren, Mrs. Kenneth Taylor of El Paso, Mrs. Pat Patterson of Ropesville, and Nancy and Richard Shaw of Hedley; and one great-grandchild, Steve Patterson of Ropesville.

## New Service Station

A new enterprise in Hedley, the McPherson Bros. Service Station on highway 287, will hold its formal opening on Saturday, May 21. Virgil McPherson, Winfred McPherson and Tobe Woodard will be connected with the station, and invite the public to call on them. They will handle independent gas and all brands of oil.

Free cokes will be served for the opening Saturday.

## Rain Again

Hedley got the biggest rain yet Wednesday, bringing the total for this week to about 3 inches, and the total since May 1 to about 6 inches.

## An Invitation

On May 20 all children who will start to school for the first time the term of 1955-56 are invited to come to school to spend the day without their parents. A program will be arranged for them. The purpose of this is to orientate the children and make starting to school easier for them next fall.

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Thursday afternoon, May 15th, in the Fellowship Hall of the Baptist Church, Mrs. Betty Clendennen Cameron, a recent bride, was the honoree at a miscellaneous shower.

The guest were met by Mrs. Murray and then greeted by the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Clendennen. Miss Glenda Hansard presided at the register. Colors of yellow and white were carried out in the tea table setting with the table laid with a lace cloth over yellow, and sided with a bowl of yellow mums, flanked by yellow tapers.

Miss Carolyn McPherson rendered soft music during the tea hour. Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Owens had charge of appropriate contests during the social hour. The gifts were presented by Lura Dell Moore, who entered under a parasol with hanging gifts singing "we're having a shower." She was assisted in the presentation by Sandra Moffitt. Words of appreciation were spoken by the honoree

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron will make their home in Amarillo, where the groom is employed.

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### LIONS ROAR

Next week is regular meeting with the Methodist ladies of Lelia Lake promising a good feed Lions Adell Myers and Clifford Johnson promise a good program. Meeting time is 8 PM. Don't miss the good feed and good program; you are paying for it whether you come or not.

Notice the Lions Club window at Johnson-Evans Dry Goods. Several items of interest are on display.

Major J. Loyd Grimsley of Hopewell, Va., and family visited Saturday in the home of his uncle, W. E. Grimsley. Major Grimsley is the son of the late J. T. Grimsley, and once lived here. He, and his family expect to sail for Germany about June 24th, for a two year stay. They went on from here to visit his wife's family in California.

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### Boy Scout News

David Moreman was awarded the official Scout flashlight at Monday night's Scout meeting, for selling the most tickets to the Scout Circus at Pampa. Other members of the local troop that sold at least 1 ticket will receive a Circus patch to sew on their uniform. The patches will be awarded as soon as the sales report is sent to Pampa and returned, according to Scoutmaster Boaz Stotts.

Scoutmaster Boaz Stotts of Troop 86 will leave Saturday afternoon for Camp Ki-o-wah where he will attend the Order of the Arrow week end held for Scout leaders. He plans to take the Order of the Arrow Ordeal, and become a member of the O. A.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral of Mrs. C. N. Shaw Saturday included Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lamb of Mansfield, Mrs. Goldie Funkhouser of Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Don Harkins, Bonnie Weatherby, Bert Shaw, Dud Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford and Tom Cooper, all of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Taylor of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson of Ropesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Putman of Clarendon.

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### Baseball News

Hedley will play the strong Wheeler team here next Sunday at 3 PM. This will be the first home game for the locals since the Clarendon game was postponed. Playing two Sundays in a row at home the boys hope to get ahead in the win column as they have now lost two and won one.

Last Sunday at Pampa wildness and errors caused the locals to let Pampa have 8 runs in the first two innings. The boys got down to business, but couldn't overcome Pampa's early lead. The game ended 14 to 7 in favor of Pampa. Highlight of the game was Brick Stone's homer with two men on, over the 370 ft. center field fence in Oiler Park.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown at the loss of our wife and mother. We especially would like to thank the Rev. J. C. Stepp of Lelia Lake and Rev. Tipton for his visits in the home and hospital. Also for the beautiful flowess, the food and ladies who served it, and we would like to thank all who helped in anyway during our sorrow. May God bless each and every one of you.

- Mr. C. N. Shaw
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- Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw and family
- Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shaw and family

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### State Judging Contest

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The teams did not place in the first eight places. We will not know how they placed until a later date.

On their way down the boys stopped at Fort Worth and visited Swift Creamery. On the way back they spent Saturday night at Belton Dam.

### Card of Thanks

I wish to take this means of thanking each and everyone who had a hand in helping in any way during my illness. Also for the many beautiful cards, flowers, and gifts. These kind deeds will never be forgotten. May God bless each one of you.

Mrs. J. D. Masten

### Rowe Cemetery

Work is about to begin on Rowe Cemetery. Anyone wishing to donate please see Mrs. Leon Reeves, Mrs. Hobart Moffitt, Myrtle Reeves, Mrs. T. J. Cherry, Mrs. Alva Simmons or M. O. Weatherly.

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"Whoever shall willfully maim, wound or disfigure any horse, ass, mule, cattle, sheep, goat, swine, dog or other domesticated animal, or whoever shall willfully kill, maim, wound, poison or disfigure and dog, domesticated bird or fowl of another with intent to injure the owner thereof, shall be fined

not less than Ten Dollars (\$10.00) nor more than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00). In prosecution under this Article the intent to injure may be presumed from the perpetration of the act."

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Mounds and Almond Joy, 2 for <b>.15</b>	
Morton Tea, 1/4 lb. with Free Glass <b>.41</b>	

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