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LIONS ROAR

This week's meeting of the Club is at 7 PM. The ladies of Lelia Lake have charge of the supper and a good program is promised. A large crowd is expected honoring District Governor Dub Nelson of Childress, who will be present.

This week's meeting of the board of directors was well attended with Dick Yeager of the National Cotton Council as a guest. Festival committees report new events coming in every day. A well rounded program will start at 10 AM Friday morning and last until midnight Saturday. Let's all be ready.

Rev. I. E. Biggs

Funeral services for the Rev. I. E. Biggs were conducted last Saturday afternoon in the First Methodist Church in Clarendon, of which he had been pastor for the past four years.

The Rev. E. E. White of Childress officiated at the funeral. Burial was in the Snyder cemetery with services under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home of Clarendon.

The Rev. Mr. Biggs, 58, died Friday in a Plainview hospital.

He was born Dec. 27, 1896, in Fisher County, Texas, and had been a Methodist minister for 27 years. He was pastor of the local church about 15 years ago.

Survivors include his wife, Thelma; one daughter, Mrs. Bruce Edwards of Amarillo; a son, James Biggs of Stanton; three brothers, Grady Biggs of Grand Prairie, Arlie Biggs of Fort Worth, and Lester Biggs of Colorado City; a sister, Mrs. Fred Davis of Snyder, and five grandchildren.

Urged To Decorate

All merchants are urged to decorate their show windows for the Cotton Festival. The windows will be judged and ribbons awarded before the Festival. Posters may be obtained from the Lions showing the use of cotton products. Not only will it help advertise the Festival, but your own business as well. Let's go all out to make this, the fourth, our biggest and best Festival.

Winfield Mosley has moved his bachelor's equipment to Twitty where he is bookkeeper for a gin.

Schools To Close

Hedley schools will close Friday for cotton picking holidays. They will remain closed for approximately a month.

Notice

The PTA meeting scheduled for next Monday night has been cancelled, since school will be out.

Legion Auxiliary

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held Oct. 4th. Mrs. Willie Johnson brought a short program on music and Mrs. Kathryn Latimer gave a report on the Convention held at Clarendon.

We are to sell poppies and have a Cake Walk during the coming Cotton Festival. All members are urged to bake their own cakes and bring them in. Mildred Shaw is chairman of the Cake Walk Committee. Our meeting time has been changed to 7:30 PM.

There is still time to bring your gifts for the Gift Shop for Veterans. Please have them at Johnson-Evans by Oct. 20th. This year they are to be sent to the Veterans Hospital at Temple.—Reporter

Garden Club

The Hedley Garden Club will hold a Flower Exhibit at the Cotton Festival in the old City Drug building. The club invites all ladies of the community to enter flower arrangements in this exhibit. For further information call Mrs. J. B. Masterson, chairman of the committee.

Mrs. Ed Boliver spent last week in Crystal City with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Tinsley, who had suffered a heart attack. Ed and boys went to Crystal City over the week end and brought Mrs. Boliver home. They report Mrs. Tinsley much improved.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral of Mrs. C. E. Johnson were Mrs. Etta Harlow of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brummett of Denton, Mrs. Vivian Foster of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clinton, and Dan and Don Jobe of Cisco, Dalworth Jobe of Scranton, Oscar Rutherford and Mrs. Mildred Roller and son of Amarillo.

Mrs. Clyde Bridges went to Amarillo Sunday and brought back Carol Jeffreys for a visit.

Cotton Festival

There will be a rodeo performance each afternoon of the Festival at 2 PM and the Sunday afternoon following at 2:30 PM. This will be under the sponsorship of the Hedley Riding Club and will be held at their grounds in the west part of Hedley. Tom Harlan of Kellerville will be in charge of the rodeo with some of the toughest stock in the Panhandle. There will be three big days of fun and purses for the winners.

Queen Contest

All Cotton Festival Queen candidates and the present Festival Queen Sandra Youree will appear on TV over KGNC Channel 4 from 6 to 6:30 PM, Wednesday, Oct. 19th. Cotton John says to tell them to appear in evening dresses and give the Hedley Festival some glamorous, first class representation. Contestants are to be at the TV station at 5 PM in order for time for time for dressing and instructions.

All seventeen of the contestants are working hard to succeed to Queen Sandra's throne, and we should help them in every way we can. The contest closes at 6 PM Thursday night, Oct. 20th. The new queen will be crowned at the Coronation Ceremonies at the High School auditorium Friday night, Oct. 21st.

1919 Study Club

The 1919 Study Club held its first meeting of the new club year in the home of Mrs. Ed Kinslow, with Mrs. Oscar Moore, co-hostess. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Herlie Moreman. After a short business meeting the following program was given:

Leader, Mrs. Huckabee
Prayer, Mrs. Kendall
Roll Call, How I can help our president this club year
President's Message, Mrs. Moreman

A Hymn for the New Year by William S. Gordon, Mrs. Oscar Moore.

The new year books were discussed on the year's subject for study, "New Horizons."

The hostesses served lovely refreshments to thirteen members.

The October meeting will be in Clarendon with Mrs. Davenport and Marjorie hostesses.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon from the First Methodist Church here for Mrs. C. E. Johnson, 71, a resident of Hedley for many years. Rev. R. N. Huckabee, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. J. S. Tipton, pastor of the Baptist Church here.

Burial was in Rowe cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home of Memphis. Pallbearers were Robert Bailey, Tommy Bain, L. E. Blankenship, F. A. Watt, W. P. Doherty, and W. H. Moffitt.

Mrs. Johnson died Saturday night at her home here following a lengthy illness. She was born May 20, 1884, at Scranton, and moved to Hedley in 1913, after marrying C. E. Johnson in 1903 at Scranton. She was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Order of Eastern Star of which she had served as worthy matron. The Johnsons have been owners of the Hedley Telephone Co. for many years.

Survivors include the husband; a daughter, Mrs. Melba Couch of Hedley; two sons, Ernest E. of Harlingen, and Kermit of Knoxville, Tenn.; three brothers, Oscar Rutherford of Amarillo, and Olan and Lee Rutherford of Brawley, Calif.; six sisters, Mrs. Etta Harlow of Eastland, Mrs. Vivian Foster of Fort Worth, Mrs. Wilma Brummett of Denton, Mrs. Claude Ellis of Fort Worth, Mrs. Cornelia Clinton of Cisco, and Mrs. George Bruton of Monahans; and four grandchildren.

FFA News

On Tuesday night, Oct. 6, at 7 o'clock the Hedley chapter of Future Farmers of America held its first meeting this school year and officers were installed as follows: president, Richard Stotts; vice president, Bill Reeves; secretary, Bobby Couch; treasurer, Donald Youree; sentinel, Lewis Bevers; and reporter, David Boliver.

After this business was over a domino tournament was held. The two best players were Charlie Darnell and Berle Owens.

Reporter

Bake Sale

The Eastern Star will sponsor a bake sale Saturday, Oct. 15 in the Lions Den. Members please have your food there by 9 AM.

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Saturday Prevue 10:30 P. M.
 Sunday Matinee 2 P. M.
 Monday 7 & 9 P. M.
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Birthday Party

A birthday party was given
 Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 4th, in
 the home of Mrs John Tate for
 her little granddaughter, Judy
 Tate on her 4th birthday. Those
 enjoying the occasion were Sharon

Johnson, Vee Latimer, Susan Cox,
 Angela Messer, Kathy Woods,
 Sandra Moffitt, Larry Kidd, Patsy
 Tate and Judy, Mrs. Marie John-
 son, Mrs. Doyle Messer, Mrs. Sue
 Kidd, Mrs. Wayne Latimer, Mrs.
 Gene Tate, and Mrs. John Tate.
 Those sending gifts were Nancy
 and Sluggo Shaw and Helen Nell
 Wood.

Notice

Due to lack of space several
 items had to be left over for next
 week's paper.

Pvt Allen Cope is visiting here
 from San Diego. He will go to
 Camp Pendleton, Calif., Oct. 22-

Aubrey Lee Cherry is at home
 on leave and will assist with the
 Cotton Festival.

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 office at Hedley, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.
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ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY

Commencing Saturday, Oct. 15 (which happens to be our birthday and also the
 45th birthday of our business) we invite you to come in and help us celebrate.
 In appreciation of your past business, everything in our shop will be marked down for this event,
 which will run from Oct. 15 until after the Festival.

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Come in and register your name, drop a ticket in the box, which entitles you to a chance at the
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Wayne Latimer

No. 953

Official Statement

Of Financial Condition Of The

SECURITY STATE BANK

at Hedley, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 5th day of Oct., 1955, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

| | |
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| Loans and discounts, including overdrafts..... | \$334,521.91 |
| U. S. Government obligations direct and guaranteed | 79,000.00 |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions..... | 8,734.07 |
| Corporate stocks..... | 10,000.00 |
| Cash on hand, balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection | 229,216.18 |
| Banking house or leasehold improvements..... | 1,500.00 |
| Furniture, fixtures and equipment | 5,200.00 |
| Other real estate owned..... | 2.00 |
| Total Resources..... | \$668,174.16 |

LIABILITIES

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| Capital stock | \$35,000.00 |
| Surplus..... | 20,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | 24,408.62 |
| Demand individual deposits | 475,708.08 |
| Time individual deposits..... | 54,114.95 |
| Public funds, including U. S. Government deposits..... | 56,808.64 |
| Other deposits..... | 2,133.87 |
| Total all deposits \$588,765.54 | |
| Total Liabilities..... | \$668,174.16 |

STATE OF TEXAS)
County of Donley)

I, Ansil Adamson being V. Pres. & 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.

Ansil Adamson, V. P. & Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of Oct., 1955.

Frank Kendall, Notary Public,
Donley County, Texas.

Correct—Attest: (Seal)
C. L. Johnson }
H. H. Hall } Directors
F. A. Finch }

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| Toilet Tissue, Old Dutch, 2 for | .15 |
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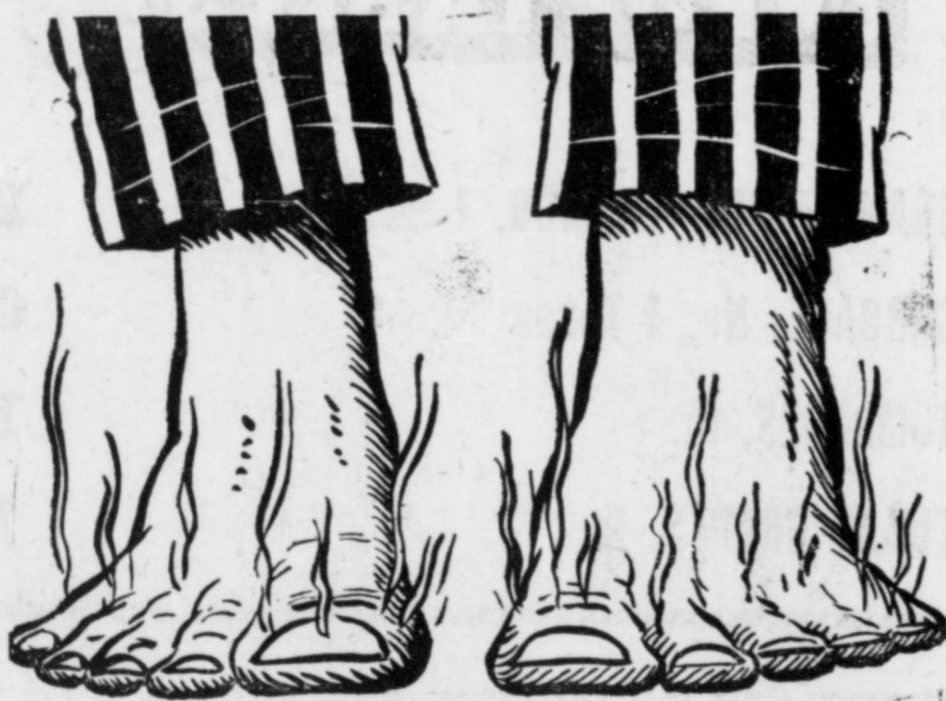
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