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Cotton Festival Is Big Success Again

Hedleyans are slowly recovering from the Fourth Annual Cotton Festival last week end, one of our biggest and best.

The Festival opened Friday with announcements, followed shortly by the pet and novelty parade, which included Boy Scouts, the Hedley Fire Dept., Junior Fire Marshals, a bicycle brigade, the Clarendon Negro Drum and Bugle Corps, R. W. Scales car, the Riding Club and a donkey cart managed by Rusty Mosley and Gary Alexander. Other Friday events included an address by Paul Spillman, Legion State Vice Commander, a good exhibition by the Clarendon Negro Drum and Bugle Corps, entertainers from Clarendon College, Spanish entertainers Tom Harlan's Rodeo and many other special events.

Saturday was the big day, as usual with one of our largest crowds viewing the parade. This included Raymond King, the Hedley Boy Scouts, Memphis Boy Scouts, Memphis, Clarendon, and Hedley Cub Scouts, the Hedley Fire Dept., Memphis Band, Queen Peggy Clay in a Don McMillian Ford with Frank Helvey and State Senator Andy Rogers, the Old Settlers surrey with Mrs. Wayne Latimer, Mrs. Walter DeBord, Clifford Johnson and Tommy Bain, 1954 Queen Sandra Youree in a red Ford furnished by Taylor Motor Co., Peggy Mullins on the Pickett Grocery float, Princesses Jean Sanders and Loveta Houdashell in a convertible with Aubrey Lee Cherry and H. C. Crawford, the Tejas Indians of Borger, the Hedley Variety float with Barbara Ward, the Star Theatre float with Nancy Stephens, the 1919 Study Club, the West Texas Utilities float with Judy Wynn, Sue Cox and Sue Wilson, Dorothy's Beauty Shop float with Nancy Hinds, McPherson Bros. Service Station float, the Giles Pioneer Club float with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Glass, Mrs. T. E. Bailey and Mrs. G. T. Foster, the Hedley PTA float with Mrs. Clyde Gilbreth and son Doyle Wayne, Mrs. Lloyd Leggitt, Pat, Joan and Judy Leggitt, the organ grinder (Faye Land) and monkey, the Moffitt Hardware float with Reatha Ranson and John Jenkins, Clarendon Band, Moreman Grocery & Lock-

er float with Geneva White, a 1927 Buick representing Hall Service Station with Kathleen Spalding, Johnson-Evans float with Carolyn McPherson, the Senior Class float with Lawanda Penick, Blackie Johnson and Scott Lamberson, the Sodalitas Club float, the Legion Auxiliary float with Bill Huffman, the Spicer ambulance, Hedley Garden Club, Owl Drive In, a car and pickup from Palmer Motor Co., tractors from Palmer Implement Co driven by Pete Darnell, Gene Floyd, H. E. Darnell and Gene Darnell, the Security State Bank float with Butch Weatherly, Bobby Wiggins, Richard Dickson, and Tracy Sanders, a John Deere tractor from Harrison Hardware, four cars and a pickup from Potts Chevrolet, the Hedley Riding Club, and Bob Farris hauling two trailers full of boys and girls.

\$10 donated by the Hedley Lumber Co. was given to Dorothy's Beauty Shop for the first place float, and \$5 donated by Clifford Johnson was given the PTA for the second place float. For the fourth time, the Memphis Band won first place and \$15. The second prize of \$10 went to the Clarendon Band, and \$5 to the Clarendon Negro Drum and Bugle Corps.

Other outstanding Saturday events included addresses by Senator Andy Rogers and Rep. Elbert Reeves, the Tejas Indian dancers, the Maverick Club, and Tom Harlan's rodeo.

Flip Breedlove did a fine job of emceeing both days, ably assisted by Aubrey Lee Cherry

All in all, the celebration would do credit to a much larger town than Hedley, and all who participated can be proud of their parts in it.

Farm Bureau News

The Farm Bureau is now selling Blue Cross-Blue Shield group hospital insurance. If they can get enough members in the required time the insurance will go into effect in three months instead of six months. Community meetings are being held to explain the plan to Farm Bureau members and all others interested. The meeting will be at Hedley Oct. 27, at Lelia Lake Nov. 1, at Clarendon Nov. 3, at Ashtola Nov. 8, at Goidston Nov. 10, and at Alanreed Nov. 15.

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Peggy Clay Chosen 1955 Festival Queen

Miss Peggy Clay was officially crowned Queen of the Cotton Festival of 1955 in the Coronation ceremonies held in the school auditorium last Friday night. Lions District Governor Dub Nelson placed the crown on the new queen's head and escorted Miss Sandra Youre, 1954 Cotton Festival Queen, from the throne in a ceremony which was beautiful and impressive.

Peggy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clay of Quail and was sponsored by the Paymaster Gin. Jean Sanders, sponsored by the Owl Cafe, and Loveta Houdashell, sponsored by the Security State Bank, received the second and third highest number of votes in the contest and were named Royal Princesses. The fourteen other lovely candidates and their escorts served as attendants.

Preceding the coronation a program under the supervision of Miss Myrtle Reeves was presented. Numbers on the program included accordion numbers by Nancy Hinds and Judith Wilson, tap dance by Bobby Wiggins, songs by Mrs. Thava Crawford's quartet of Amarillo, piano solo by Sue Cox, songs by the Encores of Quail, a talented group of boys directed by Mrs. Lowell Wells who have become well known entertainers, a tap dance by Sue Wilson, Tiptoe Through the Tulips by Linda Davis, Bonnie Alexander, Nancy Hinds and Loveta Houdashell with Sue Cox at the piano and Don Cox on his cornet, a musical number by Letha Moss, and a cornet solo, Indian Love Call, by Don Cox.

An all cotton fashion show was then presented by the Sodalitas Club. The complete wardrobe of cotton which was modeled was loaned to the club by the National Cotton Council of America and included creations of several famous designers.

Aubrey Lee Cherry very ably emceed both the program and the coronation. Mrs. James Evans was announcer for the fashion show.

Pete Clifton and family of Childress visited here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Newman were here Sunday from Phillips.

C. F. Simmons Dies

Hedley friends were deeply shocked and grieved this week to learn of the death of C. F. Simmons, who passed away Sunday at Torrence, Calif., from injuries suffered in a fall there last Thursday.

Funeral services were to be held from the Church of Christ here at 2 PM Thursday. Burial will be in Rowe cemetery with Spicer Funeral Home in charge. Pallbearers will be Hobart Moffitt, Leon Reeves, Winfred Doherty, Jesse Beach, Lloyd Leggitt and Ansil Adamson.

Charles F. Simmons was born in Hedley Sept. 13, 1914. He graduated from Hedley high school in 1932, and had lived since then in Grand Island, Nebraska, Cincinnati, Ohio, and several other cities. At the time of his death he was employed in Torrence, Calif.

His father, "Uncle Frank" Simmons, passed away a number of years ago. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Frank Simmons of Lakewood, Calif., five sisters, Mrs. Eb Hooker of Lakewood, Calif., Mrs. Bob Lewellyn of Santa Ana, Calif., Mrs. Thornton Garrett of San Mareno, Calif., Mrs. Ted Rhodus of Kansas City, Kansas, and Mrs. John Adamson of Turkey, and two brothers, Alva T. Simmons of Hedley and Homer F. Simmons of Amarillo, and several nieces and nephews.

Public Address System

The donation taken at the Coronation Friday night for the public address system amounted to \$31.84. This was almost a third of the balance owed on this system.

The Sodalitas Club appreciates the willingness of the people of the community to cooperate with them in making it possible for the school to have this much needed facility. The members want to express their gratitude to all those who have helped, not only with this donation, but in all the fundraising projects they have sponsored in their attempt to pay for the public address system.

Mrs. Doyle Messer
Chairman Finance Committee

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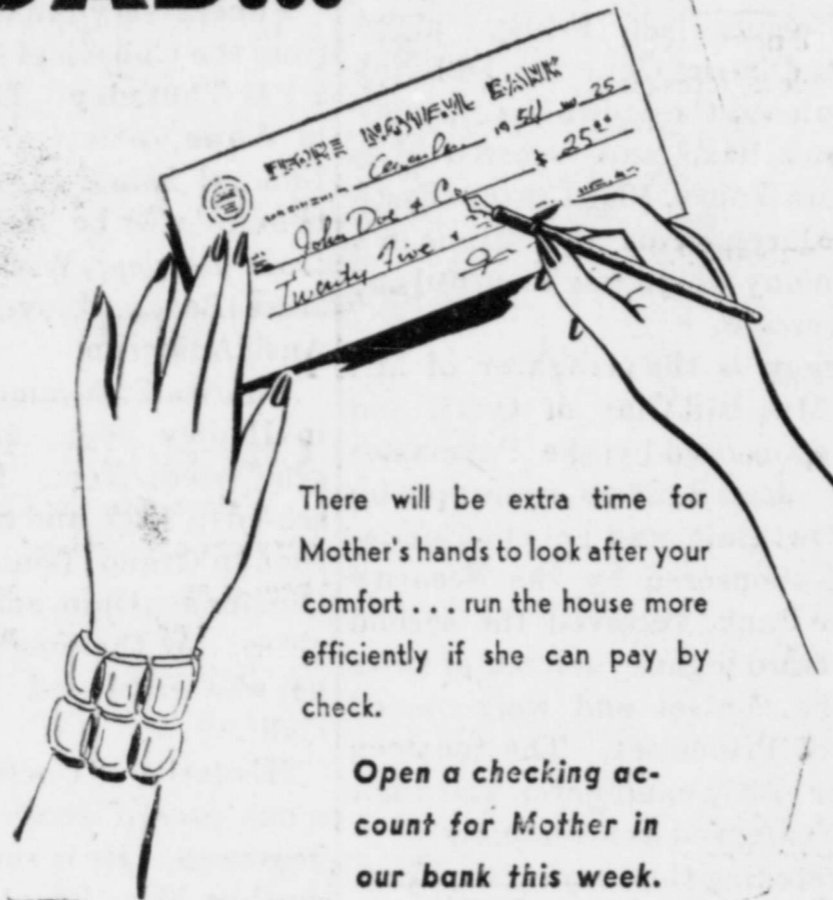
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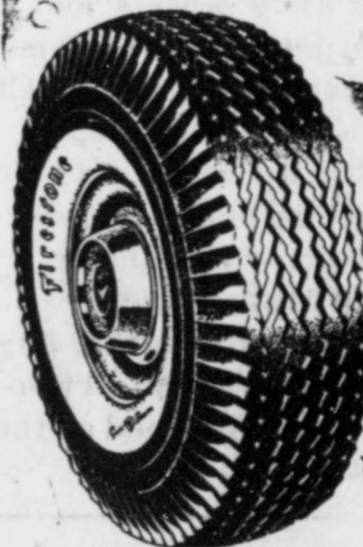
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Garden Club

The Garden Club will meet Tuesday, Nov. 1, in the Lions Den at 3 PM. Hostesses will be Mrs. J. B. Masterson, Mrs. Leon Reeves and Mrs. R. N. Huckabee.

Leader, Mrs. Herlie Moreman Roll Call, flower or plant of the month

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everett visited here last week from North Carolina.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Tipton are attending the Baptist General Convention in Houston this week.

J. W. Noel was here Saturday from Weatherford.

Enjoy Trip

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones have returned from an enjoyable vacation which took them through fourteen states east and south. Among the interesting places visited were Bald Knob at Cairo Ill., the Natural Bridge, Sky Line Drive, and Stonewall Jackson's tomb in Virginia, the old city of St. Augustine, Fla., and the Old French Quarter in New Orleans. On the way home they spent several days with their son Ivan and family in Houston, Texas.

Earl Tollett and family were here from Borger over the week end.

Truell Huffman and family of Goldsmith and Mr. and Mrs. Carter Huffman of Amarillo visited here last week end.

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We hesitate to try to name the Festival visitors who were here from Amarillo because we are sure to miss many of them, but among them were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mikesell, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson, Foster Pickett and family, Travis Alexander and family, Mrs. Thava Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hamblen, Mrs. Delphia Bailey, Deward Gibson, Donna Lindsey, Patsy Davis, Merry and Herbie Whitfield, Mrs. Ray Doherty, Curtis and Louise Bailey
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Henry Moore,
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