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## Bert Wood

Funeral services for Bert Wood, 57, who passed away Saturday in a Memphis hospital, were held Sunday from the Assembly of God Church there by Rev. C. V. Davis and Rev. J. R. Wooten. Burial was in the Memphis cemetery with Spicer Funeral Home in charge.

A native of Georgia, Mr. Wood came to Texas in 1900, moving to Memphis in 1943. He was a brother of Mrs. Sibel Gilchrest of Hedley.

## Soil Conservation News

The Soil Bank Program has been the subject that most of the farmers have had on their minds recently. The acreage reserve phase of the program is all that has been considered to any extent to date, but another part, the Conservation Reserve phase, has a place on a number of farms in the Donley County Soil Conservation District. Some of the farms have land that rightly should be returned to grass. Deep sandy land on steep to very steep slopes and shallow mixed land on steep slopes are not suitable for cultivation. These and other soils that are low in plant food and are highly erodible by wind and water are causing damage to good land. This program presents a wonderful opportunity for land not suitable for cultivation to be returned to native pasture grasses.

The Soil Conservation Service has soil maps on most of the land in the Donley County Soil Conservation District and will be glad to make available to any farmer the soils information on his farm.



## LEGION NEWS

Attending the 18th District Convention of the American Legion at Childress last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Latimer, James Evans, M. D. Shaw, C. D. Walker, and Clifford Johnson. Clifford Johnson is Vice Commander of the district and Mrs. Latimer is 18th Vice President of the Auxiliary. The next district meeting will be at Hereford in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Moffitt visited the A. C. Maness family in Amarillo Sunday.

## Booster Club

The Booster Club met at the Cotton Bowl Drive-in Cafe last week and elected officers for next year. Officers elected were C. L. Johnson, Pres.; L. D. Messer, Vice Pres. and Fred Shaw, Sec.-Treas.

## Legion Auxiliary

Next Tuesday night at 7:30 is the regular American Legion Auxiliary meeting.

We are preparing a box of Christmas gifts to be sent to the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo. We would like for Hedley to send a nice selection this year and anyone who would like to contribute to this may send their gifts to the meeting or leave them at the Variety Store.

Each year the patients in the hospital select these gifts, free of charge to them, to send to their families at home. On December 13 and 14, volunteer ladies Christmas wrap and volunteer Legionnaires postal wrap these to be mailed. Your help is needed. Can you help by doing some of these?

## Boy Scout News

The Comanche District of the Adobe Walls Council, Boy Scouts of America, had its fall Camporee this past week end, Oct. 26 and 27 under the direction of H. E. Craig of Memphis, camping and activities chairman of the Comanche District.

The Camporee was well attended and some 84 Scouts and Explorers from the different posts, also some 270 Cub Scouts, parents and leaders participated Saturday evening.

The highlight of the camp fire Saturday evening was a performance by the Tejas Indian dancers of Borger, who put on a very nice show of authentic Indian dances. These boys are among the best in the nation in Indian dancing.

In all the Camporee was a huge success, and both men and boys are looking forward to the next camping experience.

Mrs. Cecil Hunnicutt and daughter of Amarillo spent last week in the Carl Reid home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boatright of Boys Ranch spent last week end here.

## A. C. Maness Dies

Services for Angus Clegg Maness, of Amarillo, who passed away Friday, were held Monday from the Blackburn-Shaw chapel there by Rev. W. D. McReynolds and Rev. Hugh Hunt.

Mr. Maness, who lived in Hedley 20 or 25 years ago, was born in North Carolina. He moved to Amarillo from Bridgeport about 6 years ago. He was a member of the Pleasant Valley Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Christian; four daughters, Mrs. Bill Sells of Gould, Okla., Mrs. Perry Seago of Waco, Mrs. W. E. Roberson of Amarillo and Mrs. V. A. Holland of Masterson, and six grandchildren.

## Basketball News

The Hedley boys and girls both defeated Lelia Lake here last Friday, the girls winning 38 to 26 and the boys 53 to 38.

Judy Wynn was high point girl with 19, and Joe Wood and Jerry McCarty tied for high in the boys game with 14 each.

## Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Mosley had as their guests on Sunday, Oct. 28, their children. They all attended church, then enjoyed a big turkey dinner with all the trimmings.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mosley of Amarillo, Mrs. Bill Bromley of Clarendon, Mrs. Vestal Mosley of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Mosley and Rusty of Hedley.

All had a wonderful visit. This was the first time the family had been together without the grandchildren since the first grandchild arrived 33 years ago.

## Fair Warning

Due to the constantly advancing price of newsprint, we are considering raising the subscription rate of the Informer, which has not been raised since 1943. This might be a good time for you to pay your subscription up ahead of time.

Mrs. Clifford Johnson and Mrs. Chas. Barnett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. N. Johnson at Matador.

## General Election

Don't forget to vote in the general election Tuesday. This is your chance to express your opinions on our officials. Don't fail to take advantage of it, also to vote on several important amendments to our state constitution.



## LIONS ROAR

Next week is regular Lions Club meeting with the Lelia Lake ladies feeding at 7 p. m. Lions Frank Murray and L. E. Blankenship have charge of the program.

Plans for a big Ladies Night meeting were made last week for Thanksgiving night with the Lelia Lake ladies serving.

## Johnson-Rutherford

Mrs. Hattie Rutherford of Amarillo and C. E. Johnson of Hedley were united in marriage last Sunday, Oct. 28, at Clovis, N. Mex. Judge Sullivan performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a dress of blue with harmonizing accessories. Both Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are long time residents of the Panhandle. Mr. Johnson has operated the Hedley Telephone Co. for many years.

The couple will make their home in Hedley.

## Garden Club

The Hedley Garden Club will meet Tuesday, Nov. 6, at 3 o'clock at the Lions Den.

Hostesses will be Mes. Willie Johnson, Mabel Duncan and Leona Taylor. Leader for the meeting will be Mrs. J. H. Cooper, with the following program:

Roll Call, Garden gimmicks  
African Violets, Mrs. Watt  
Dried flower fantasies and arrangements, Mrs. Jewell  
Flower tips, Mrs. Tate

We will also have election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hendricks of Pampa visited the Fred Shaws Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Afill of Lubbock visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Lowe of Lubbock visited the A. B. Spaldings last week end.

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**LOCAL NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Moffitt, Myrtle Reeves and Marjorie Harlan visited Buddy Reeves in Amarillo Sunday. His condition is reported unchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Cole of Webb, Texas spent Wednesday with Mrs. Cole's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson of Wellington visited here Saturday.

Lloyd Leggitt and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Leggitt in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Riley of St. Petersburg, Fla., visited friends here Monday. The Rileys formerly operated a cafe in Hedley.

Rev. and Mrs. R. N. Huckabee of Lubbock visited here last Tuesday.

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Don Reeves was here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Woodard and baby of Amarillo were Hedley visitors last week end.

Mrs. Nelson Riley of Clarendon visited here Monday.

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**A Sort of Correction**

We are informed that a person who was at a meeting at the College auditorium in Clarendon last Friday explaining the Teacher Retirement Amendment No. 4, made the statement that there was one newspaper in the State of Texas which opposed this amendment, and that this newspaper was the Hedley Informer.

We might say that this statement is too ridiculous to pay attention to, we might say that this

person is completely misinformed, or we might say that this statement is merely a popeyed lie.

On second thought, we will say all three of these things, and you may have your choice,

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Killian of Pampa visited here briefly last Thursday.

**Kennedy Promoted**

Abilene, Oct. 17—R. E. Kennedy has been selected to head West Texas Utilities Company's new Public Service Department, according to an announcement by Cal Young, W T U president.

The new department will assist and cooperate with local and area organizations and agencies in achieving the fullest development of the tremendous resources of the area served by the company.

Kennedy has been employed by W T U for the past 23 years, has worked in the Advertising Dept. since 1943, and was made Advertising Manager in 1946 following his return from service with the Armed Forces. Previously he served in the Treasury and Purchasing Departments.

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- Pears, Bartlett Halves, 303, 4 for \$1
- Asparagus, fancy all green cut, 300, 4 for \$1
- Beans, Mexican style, 300, 8 for \$1
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