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Reading Conference

The teachers of the elementary grades accompanied by Supt. J. S. Hinds attended a district reading conference at Wellington last Wednesday morning. Six counties were represented at the meeting with Ruth Richerson as area chairman.

Mrs. Hinds gave a report on the program telling the group what our local school is doing this year in our reading skills classes. A Wellington teacher gave a report on a similar plan which is being carried on in the Wellington schools. Teachers from Childress and Memphis also gave talks on how they are teaching reading on various levels. The program was concluded by a talk by Dr. Ruth Lowes of W T S in Canyon.

Members of the P T A who volunteered to take these teachers' places so that they might attend the meeting were Mesdames R. M. Saunders, Ray Altman, Winfield Mosley, James Evans and Ernest Houdashell.

This conference is one in a T S T A project to study different courses in the curriculum.

Team Places First

The junior quiz team of the Hedley F F A placed first in the Greenbelt district contest held in Childress Saturday Nov. 22. The senior chapter conducting team placed second.

The F F A quiz team will compete for area honors in Plainview on Dec. 6. The boys on the team are Tinsley Mullins, Harold Moffitt, James Younger, and alternates Gary Alexander and Don Bateson.

The boys on the senior chapter conducting team are Don Cox, David Moreman, Jon Leggitt, Bobby Stephens, Doyle Clendenen, Douglas Owens, Jack Doherty, Jerry Kinney, Billy Maddox and David Morris.

Hedley P.-T. A.

County Judge R. E. Drennan of Clarendon made a very interesting talk Monday night at P T A on Education Moves for Freedom. The attendance contest was won by the second grade, who had the most parents present. The winning class at each meeting this year is to be served refreshments in their room by the P T A.

Greenbelt Dam News

The board of directors of the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority met in Childress last week.

Two estimates of the coring of the river near the dam site have been received. Cost of the coring, may run over \$10,000.00. This cost will have to be borne by the seven cities which will be on a per meter basis and will run \$1.00 per meter or more. Hedley has 240 meters.

Cities may either pay the money to the authority out of present funds or the money can be borrowed, each city being responsible for its pro rata share on a per meter basis.

The directors passed a resolution that all money advanced to them by the cities would be returned to the prospective cities when the authority is in operation and the money available.

Locals attending the meeting were W. H. Moffitt, C. L. Johnson and Mayor C. H. Reid.

Cotton Festival

The following letter has been received from the National Cotton Council of America:

Mr. C. L. Johnson
Security State Bank
Hedley, Texas

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Thank you for your interesting letter and the excellent pictures relating to the Seventh Annual Hedley Cotton Festival.

From all indications your city has done another outstanding job of publicizing cotton and we know the total cotton industry greatly appreciates these efforts. Such promotions contribute importantly to the industry's overall activities to increase cotton consumption.

Your interest and assistance in stimulating the festival and this promotion for cotton are greatly appreciated. Please let us hear from you when we can be of service.

Sincerely yours,
Robert C. Love
Field Service

Card of Thanks

Our sincerest thanks for the numerous ways our friends helped us during our recent loss.

The kindness and genuine neighborliness meant so much to us.

The family of W. E. Lawson

Homecoming

The time has come again, homecoming is here for all Ex Seniors and teachers of Hedley schools. We extend to you a cordial and warm invitation.

Our program is as follows: The crowning of the high school queen for 1958 Friday night at 7:30 in the high school auditorium. Saturday beginning at 6:30 p. m. in the high school library, the Ex's will register, and assemble at 8 o'clock in the gym for a banquet and program. A business meeting will follow.

We extend to you a warm welcome "back home" to renew old acquaintances and make new ones.

Methodist Church

District Conference this year is to be held at the First Methodist Church in Childress on Monday, December 1. Featured speaker is to be Rev. J. B. Holt, serving as professor at S M U while on leave from his post as pastor of a large church in Manila, P. I. Ex-officio delegates from Hedley, other than the pastor, are Z. C. Cornell, Carl Morris, J. S. Hinds, Ray Altman, Ross Springer, Henry Moore, and Aubrey Lee Cherry. Elected delegates are Mesdames Springer and Moore.

Committees are to work up the Christmas family night program this year, scheduled for the evening of Dec. 21. Teachers in the children's division are in charge: Mesdames M. R. Mathis, Ray Altman, and R. L. Nivens. They will use both children and youth in the program, expected to last a half hour, upstairs. The remainder will be in the basement. Henry Moore will head up the men working on the Christmas tree and other details; the Wesley Class will have charge of the gifts; and the young adults will be in charge of refreshments at the conclusion of the program. Mrs. W. H. Jones is teacher of the Wesley group, Mrs. J. S. Hinds of the young adults.

Although our overall numbers were low in the worship service, though higher than usual in the Sunday School, it was a pleasure to have several of the new babies with us Sunday morning, one in both services. Wonder what they would think of us old ones if they really knew us? Happy Advent to all.

Bank Reaches Million

Hedley now has a million dollar bank. The total assets of the bank reached a million dollars last Saturday. Figures were Deposits \$877,853.34, Capital \$35,000.00, Surplus \$35,000.00, and Undivided profits, interest, exchange, and other earnings \$54,323.38. The Total was \$1,002,176.72.

With a large part of the crop still unsold, and with the co-operation of the people of the community, Executive Vice President Clifford Johnson states that the bank may reach a million in deposits by January 1st. This would be the first time in the bank's history.

Buying and banking at home keeps Hedley dollars in Hedley, and furnishes capital for the town and community to grow. Hedley is now on a little building boom with several new homes to go up soon. Let's keep it going, and growing.

News From Our County Agent

The Donley County stock show board met in the office of county agent H. M. Breedlove Tuesday, Nov. 18, and set the date for the county fat stock show for Jan. 2. This is for all 4-H and F F A members in the county. The show this year will have 65 steers and will be the largest in the history of the county. Steers will be weighed in on the morning of the show starting at 8 at the stock yards in Clarendon, and the show will be held at the fair building there. There will be three classes of Angus steers, three of Hereford steers, two of Short Horn steers, and a group of two steers fed by one club member.

Clothing Needed

We are getting very low on used clothing, especially children's clothes. There is a big demand, and these are needed very much. Please bring any used clothing you can spare to the West Texas Utilities Co. office.

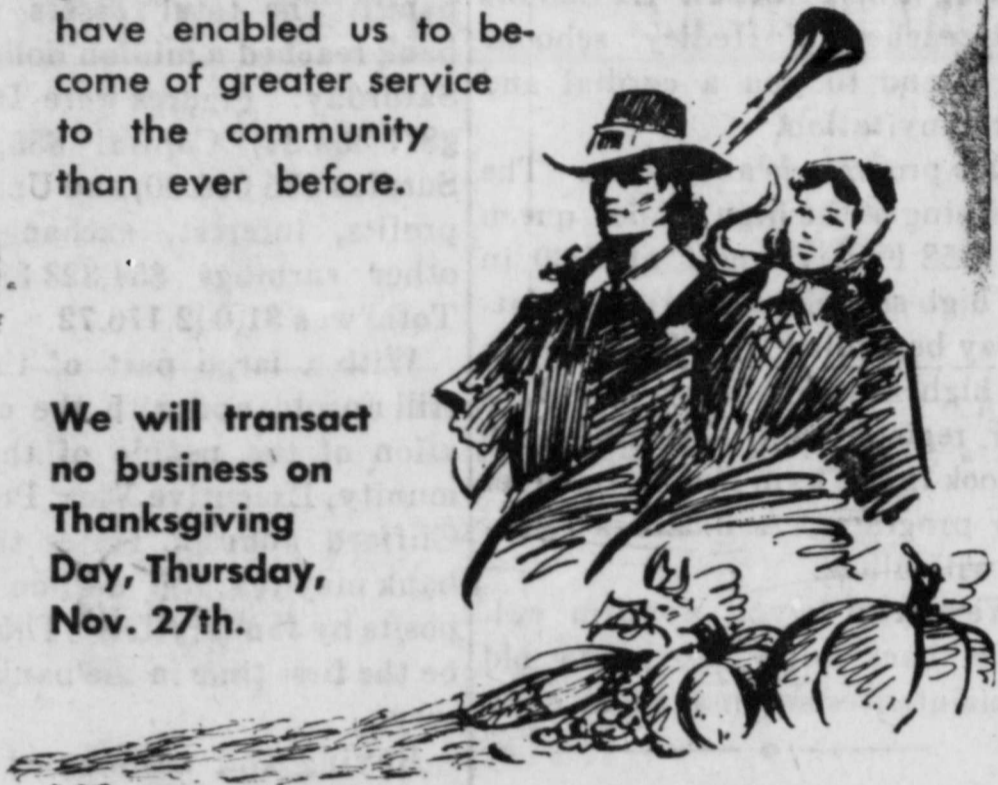
Wayne Saunders and family of Childress visited in the R. M. Saunders home over the week end.

Read the Classified Ads.

THANKSGIVING TIME

once again reminds us how well off we are in this land of plenty. And, as we express our heartfelt thanks for all the goodness that is ours in America we are mindful, too, of our gratitude to those friends and customers who have enabled us to become of greater service to the community than ever before.

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T. E. L. Class

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Scales Friday afternoon, Nov. 21.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. John Blankenship. The leader, Mrs. J. H. Cooper, presented an interesting program on Thanksgiving and Rejoicing. The beautiful old song, "Count Your Blessings" was sung. Mrs. Cline led in prayer. Mrs. Parker brought the devotional from Philippians 4:4.

Those on the program were Mesdames Spalding, Harris, Cline, Bridges, Alewine and Wade. Following was a prayer by Mrs. Oscar Moore.

A short business session followed then the social hour was enjoyed by all. The hostess served delicious refreshments to 13 members.

The Book

Statistics show that the Bible is the world's best seller where books are concerned. The word Bible means "book." It was written over a period of 1600 years by about forty different men living in many different countries. This fact testifies of its divinity, for none of the writers contradicted the others and all parts fit perfectly into place. The Bible contains all sorts of reading material. Love stories, mystery stories, history, poetry, but most important of all, it's the only way God talks to man today. Also it's the only saving power God uses today, for we read in the book of Romans, "the Gospel is God's power to save." In olden times God talked directly to man. Today we have

the written word in simple understandable language. The responsibility is each individual's. This remarkable Book is inimitable in clearness, conciseness, and holds the key to our eternal destination.

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Church of the Nazarene

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 8 P. M.
Mid-week Prayer Service 8 P. M.

To Sell Xmas Cards

The Cub Scouts are selling Christmas cards as a fund raising project. They ask all who are interested to contact the den mothers, Mrs. Ted Maddox or Mrs. Zoe Chesser, to place orders for personalized cards, and a varied selection of wrapping paper and ornaments. Headquarters will be at the Lions Den on Saturday afternoons.

Read the Classified Ads.

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Free Piggy Banks

The Security State Bank has just received a supply of plastic piggy banks. Each child who now has a savings account in the bank can get one free for asking. Also all children opening a savings account will be given a bank until the supply is exhausted. Interest is figured at the rate of 3% per annum on all savings accounts. The next interest payment date is Jan. 1st, but the interest will be paid about 10 days early in order that the savings depositors will have their interest by Christmas.

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The Hedley and Lelia Lake teachers are working together this year on an in-service training program, meeting twice a month. Two meetings have been held so far. This is to meet requirements by the State Board of Education.

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Cards of Thanks 75c

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FFA News

The F F A will have Christmas trees for sale again this year. These trees should be in the week of December 5

The trees will be of various sizes and kinds and will be reasonably priced.

Card of Thanks

Words fail to express how deeply I appreciate all of the wonderful cards, prayers and gifts I received while I was sick. I thank the Lord for my friends

Mrs L. D. Moore

Hedley Lodge No. 413



O.E.S., meets the first Friday night of each month. All members are requested to attend.

Hattie Johnson, W. M.
Pauline Morris, Sec.

To Present Program

Jay Eudy, former military advisor to King Saud of Saudi Arabia has been secured by Mr. Messer to present a program at a joint meeting of the F F A F H A Monday, Dec 1, at 7:30 at the school.

Mr. Eudy made more than a thousand slides while in Saudi Arabia. Through use of this material he should be able to give one of the most interesting and enlightening programs that has been in town in some time. He is employed as vocational agriculture teacher at Turkey.

Statement of Ownership

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D. E. Boliver, Publisher Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of November, 1958.

Frank Kendall
My commission expires Dec. 31, 1958

Mr and Mrs. Bill Bridges and Mrs Banks Jeffreys and children of Amarillo visited Mrs. Mabel Bridges Sunday

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Adamson-Lane Post 287, American Legion



Meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. All Legionnaires are urged to attend.

Billy Cooke, Commander
Clifford Johnson, Adjutant

Ring Baptist Church

Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sunday in each month.
J. E. Murdock, pastor

1919 Study Club

Mrs. Roy Jewell was hostess to the 1919 Study Club Wednesday, Nov. 19, with Mrs. H. H. Hall assisting. The Jewell home was tastefully decorated with fall arrangements of pyracantha, lovely sprigs of autumn leaves and berries

Mrs. Kinslow, leader for the afternoon, stressed the importance and privilege of the American way of life

Roll call was what we have to be thankful for.

A beautiful devotional was given by Mrs. Kendall, commenting on what price Thanksgiving.

Song, "Count Your Blessings," by the members, accompanied by Mrs Simmons.

A Thanksgiving to be Remembered, Mrs Hall

Poem, Thanksgiving, Mrs. Glass

A dainty salad plate with coffee, which carried out the theme of Thanksgiving, was served to 14 members and one guest, Mrs. Taylor.

Reporter, Mrs. Glass

Hedley Lions Club



Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. All Lions are urged to be present.

Carl Morris, President
M. O. Weatherly, Sec.

Hedley Lodge No. 991



A.F. and A.M. meets on the first Tuesday night of each month. All members are urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

W. P. Doherty, W. M.
Frank Murray, Sec.

Church of Christ

Welcome to the Church of Christ services on Sunday. Bible Class begins at 10:00 AM, preaching at 11:00 AM, and communion service at 11:40 AM. On Sunday night, classes for all ages 6:30 to 7:00 PM, Preaching at 7:00.

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Signed, Mary S. Cooke 4tfc

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