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Greenbelt Dam News

Core drilling of the new damsite for the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority, northeast of Hedley in Collingsworth County will be drilled within the next few weeks, Congressman Walter Rogers told the Childress Index by telephone Friday evening.

The new damsite is down the Salt Fork of Red River from the old site which was found too porous and with no red clay banks on to which the dam could be fastened.

It is believed, since red clay banks can be seen on both sides of the river, that the new site will hold water.

"When the results of this new core drilling are known we can then go ahead and ask the engineers to figure the cost of the project," said Dr. S. H. Townsend, president of the Authority.

The project was given a big boost lately when Gov. Price Daniel signed into law a new bill which would allow the Texas Water Development Board to participate up to \$15,000,000 in projects such as the Greenbelt.

It has been estimated that the Greenbelt, delivering water to seven towns, would cost \$10,000,000.

"However, that is only an estimate," Dr. Townsend said.

"We have no idea what the dam, filtering plant and distribution system will cost until given an accurate estimate by the engineers," he continued.

"For example, should some of the towns fail to vote the bond issue that will be necessary or does not wish to participate, the necessary pipe and so forth that would have been used to carry water to that town would be eliminated."

"So the actual cost will have to be figured on what it will cost to deliver the water to individual towns involved," he added.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reid attended funeral services at Winnsboro Wednesday of last week for his uncle, Henry Winkle.

Loveta Houdashell of Amarillo and Andy Anderson of Amarillo Air Force Base visited in the Ernest Houdashell home Thursday.

The Lewis Stiles family were here last week end from Amarillo.

The Herbert Foster family were here from Amarillo last week end.

C. P. Darnell

Charles Preston Darnell, 74, a long time resident of Hedley, passed away Sunday morning in a Memphis hospital after a long illness. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the First Baptist Church here by Rev. J. S. Tipton and Rev. Luther Crawford. Burial was in Rowe cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Ray Moreman, Hobart Moffitt, Tommy Bain, Graham Brinson, C. R. Hunsucker and O'Neill Weatherly.

Mr. Darnell was born July 25, 1886 at DeKalb. He was married to Laura Pearl Cooper Nov. 5, 1907 at DeKalb. They moved to Donley County in December of 1917 and he farmed near Hedley until his retirement in 1959.

He is survived by his wife; one daughter Mrs. Rosie Lee Daniels of McLean; three sons, Pete of Clarendon, Elmer of Borger and H. E. of Hedley; three sisters, Mrs. Ocie Shelton of Amarillo, Mrs. Lula McCreary of Clarendon and Mrs. Sally Cooper of DeKalb; 14 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren.

School Election

An election will be held at the City Hall in Hedley on Saturday, April 1, to elect school trustees for the Hedley school district. The ballot will include W. B. Wiggins and Harold White for re election, and Earl Wheatly, who will be a candidate for the place being vacated by Luther Owen Thompson, who is retiring from the board. There are three to elect as Hedley trustees.

Also on the ballot will be candidates for the county school board A. G. Alexander, the incumbent, will be a candidate for re election as county board member from Precinct 3, and Ellis Chenault of Lelia Lake is also seeking this office. On the ticket for county trustee at large will be R. M. Saunders of Hedley and, according to unofficial sources, John Gillham of Clarendon.

Mrs. Ethel Burkhard of Artesia, N. Mex., spent last week in the T. J. Cherry home.

Mrs. Troy Brown and children of Vernon visited in the Cherry home last week end.

W. V. Bain Dies in Tragic Accident

The entire community was deeply shocked Tuesday morning when word came that W. V. (Bill) Bain had been instantly killed when his pickup was struck at a grade crossing by a westbound Fort Worth and Denver freight train. The accident took place about three miles west of Hedley at 7:11 a. m., and was spotted by Vergil McPherson, Potter County deputy sheriff, who quickly passed the word to law enforcement officers of this area.

Funeral and obituary information was not available in time for this issue.

L. E. Thompson

Funeral services for Lewis Ewing Thompson, 68, long time resident of Donley County who passed away Sunday night in the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo, were held Tuesday morning from the First Baptist Church at Clarendon by Rev. W. R. Lawrence. Burial was in the Clarendon cemetery with Murphy Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Thompson was born Jan. 7, 1893, at Alvord. He began in the hardware business with his father at Memphis, and later was in the hardware business in Hedley for a number of years before moving to Clarendon about 1935. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and the American Legion, and was a past president of the Panhandle Hardware and Implement Assn.

He is survived by one daughter, Miss Joan Thompson of Dallas; two sons, Neel Thompson of Atherton, Calif., and L. E. Thompson of Golden, Colo.; two sisters, Mrs. Byron Baldwin of Memphis and Mrs. Joe Brown of Tyler; one brother, George M. Thompson Jr. of Clarendon; and five grandchildren.

Lelia Lake M. Y. F.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Lacy Lee Noble. There were nine present. Jerry Don White had charge of the program, which was on Missionary Careers.

We planned a social for Wednesday night. Lacy Lee Noble was elected president for the coming year. We were dismissed by the MYF benediction.

Reporter

Mrs. A. W. Atkinson

Funeral services for Mrs. A. W. Atkinson, 67, who passed away Thursday of last week in a Clarendon hospital, were held Saturday from the Methodist Church here by Rev. S. A. Wolfe. Burial was in Rowe cemetery under direction of Kelso Funeral Home of Wellington.

Mrs. Atkinson, the former Lillie Belle Sanford, was born June 24, 1893, in Piedmont, Ala. She was married to Mr. Atkinson on Jan. 2, 1919, in Aniston, Ala., and they moved to Quail 41 years ago. In 1950 they moved to Hedley. She was a member of the Hedley Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband, A. W. Atkinson of Hedley; a daughter, Mrs. Donald Hughart of Oklahoma City; two sons, A. W. Atkinson Jr. of Gatesville and Orville Atkinson of Plainview; one brother, Oscar Sanford of Montgomery, Ala.; and four grandchildren.

Don Reeves Good Livestock Judge

The West Texas State College senior livestock judging team won second place in the recent contest at the Houston stock show. The team, competing with colleges from six states, was high in sheep judging, second in beef cattle and second high in overall judging. Don Reeves of Amarillo was second high individual in the contest, taking second high in sheep judging and third in cattle.

The team will next compete at Abilene on March 24.


Card of Thanks

May we take this means to express our sincere appreciation to the people of this community for your many acts of kindness during the life, and recent illness and death of Mrs. Atkinson. Your visits, cards, prayers, food, flowers and all acts of kindness were appreciated. Our prayers are that life's greatest blessings will be yours.

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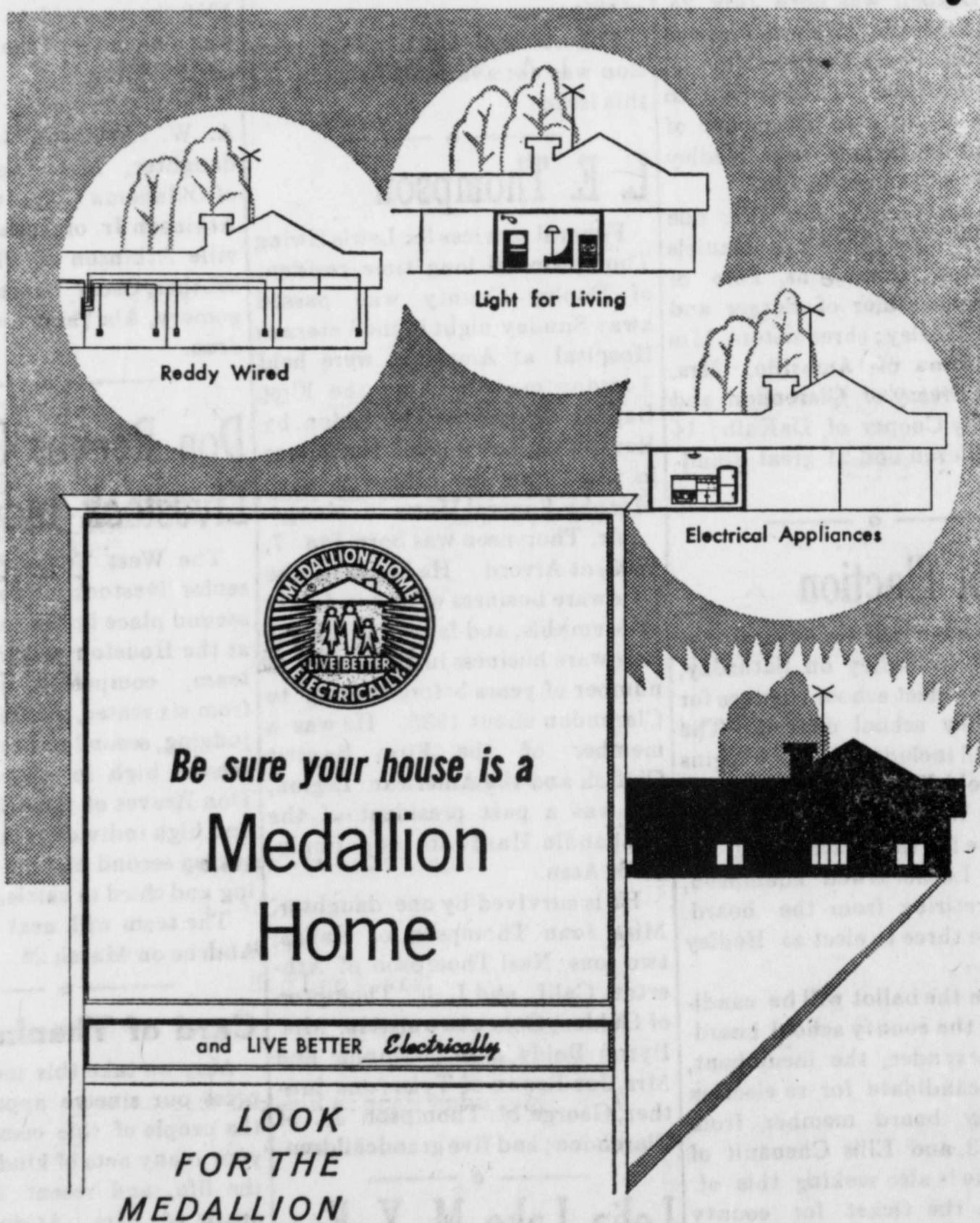
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LIONS ROAR

The program by Heiner Lude-mann, exchange student from Ger-many, was enjoyed by the 38 Lions and their guests present. Bill Les lie of the Memphis Lions Club in-troduced the speaker. Five mem-bers of the Quanah Lions Club were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nivens served their usual good meal

Next week is regular meeting. Eating time will be 7 p. m. Some-thing extra special is promised. Also new officers and directors will be elected

Ladies night is March 30th.

This will mark 19 years for our club. Cost is \$1 00 per plate for both Lions and guests. Eating time is 7:30 p. m. A good pro-gram is being arranged

We are glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Patton back at home here since Reggie has received his dis-charge from the U S Navy.

Mrs. G E. Lacy was absent from school part of last week on account of the illness of her hus-band at Quanah.

Mrs. M L. Sims went to a Mem-phs hospital Monday for observa-tion.

Hamburger Meat, lb.	.55	Pressed Ham	.40
Egg Noodles and Chicken	.41		
Morton House Brown Gravy & Sliced Beef, can	.59		
Chicken Pot Pies	.31		
Grated Tuna, can	.22		
Pork and Beans, large can	.26		
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W. J. Lewis Jr.

Funeral services for William Jenks Lewis Jr, 45, who passed away Saturday in a Boston, Mass. hospital, were held Monday from the St John the Baptist Episcopal Church in Clarendon by Rev Charles Carman. Burial was in the Clarendon cemetery under di-rection of Murphy Funeral Home.

Mr. Lewis was the owner of the Shoe Bar ranch and manager of RO and Shoe Nail ranches, all in the Donley and Hall County area. He was a native of Dallas.

He is survived by his wife, the former Vera Noland of Clarendon; his mother, Mrs W. J. Lewis Sr. of Dallas; and three sisters, Mrs. John S Young and Mrs J. Phillip David of Dallas and Mrs. John C Tatum of Corsicana.

Sodalitas Club

The Sodalitas Club held their annual Texas Day tea March 1st in the First Baptist Church. Mrs. L E Dudley honored us with her presence and made the occasion an extra special one by giving a book review on Lewis Nordyke's "Nub-bin Ridge"

The all red, white and blue tea table carried out the Texas Day theme. Cake and punch were served to the Federated clubs of Memphis, Clarendon and Hedley.

Card of Thanks

I wish to take this means of ex-pressing my thanks and apprecia-tion for all the flowers, gifts, cards and visits I received while I was in the hospital and since I have been home.

May God bless every one of you
Elva Davis

Bruce Stewart Jr. of Wichita Falls recently spent the week end with his mother Mrs B N. Stew-art.

James Reid and family and Paulette Hunnicutt of Amarillo visited in the C. H. Reid home last week end.

Jesse Kidd of Oklahoma City visited in the T. J. Cherry home last week end

See Myrtle Kirkpatrick for flowers or leave order at Wilson Drug.

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Cards of Thanks 75c

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Lions Convention

Notice was received last week by Dep. Dist Gov. Aubrey Cherry that the Hedley Cotton Festival will be one of the featured projects to be discussed at the Lions Dis-trict Convention to be held at Pampa April 20, 21, 22. Dist. Gov. Ralph Thomas asked that a talk be prepared giving the details of the Festival's organization, its growth through the years, and methods of keeping it going from year to year. Lion James Evans is scheduled to give the talk, which should give Hedley some measure of recognition at this year's Con-vention. Most of the Lions and their ladies from our local club are expected to be in attendance at the three day meeting.

1919 Study Club

The 1919 Study Club will meet March 22 at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. W. Scales with Myrtle Deahl co-hostess.

ASC News

Feed Grain Survey

On Friday, March 10th, a meet-ing of the County and Community Committees was held to discuss the survey now being made of all feed grain farms in our county. This is a broad survey now under way throughout the major feed grain producing areas as an ad-vance step in connection with a proposed program to adjust acre-ages of this year's feed grain crops. So, if you're a producer of feed grains, you are urged to cooperate by furnishing the County ASC Of-fice with your farm's acreage his-tory of corn and other feed grains for the past 2 years, as well as the acreage devoted to other crops and land uses

New Car Tags On Sale

State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer reminds Texas motorists that the renewal period for motor vehicle license plates takes in the months of February and March. The 1961 plates have black letters and numbers on a white back-ground.

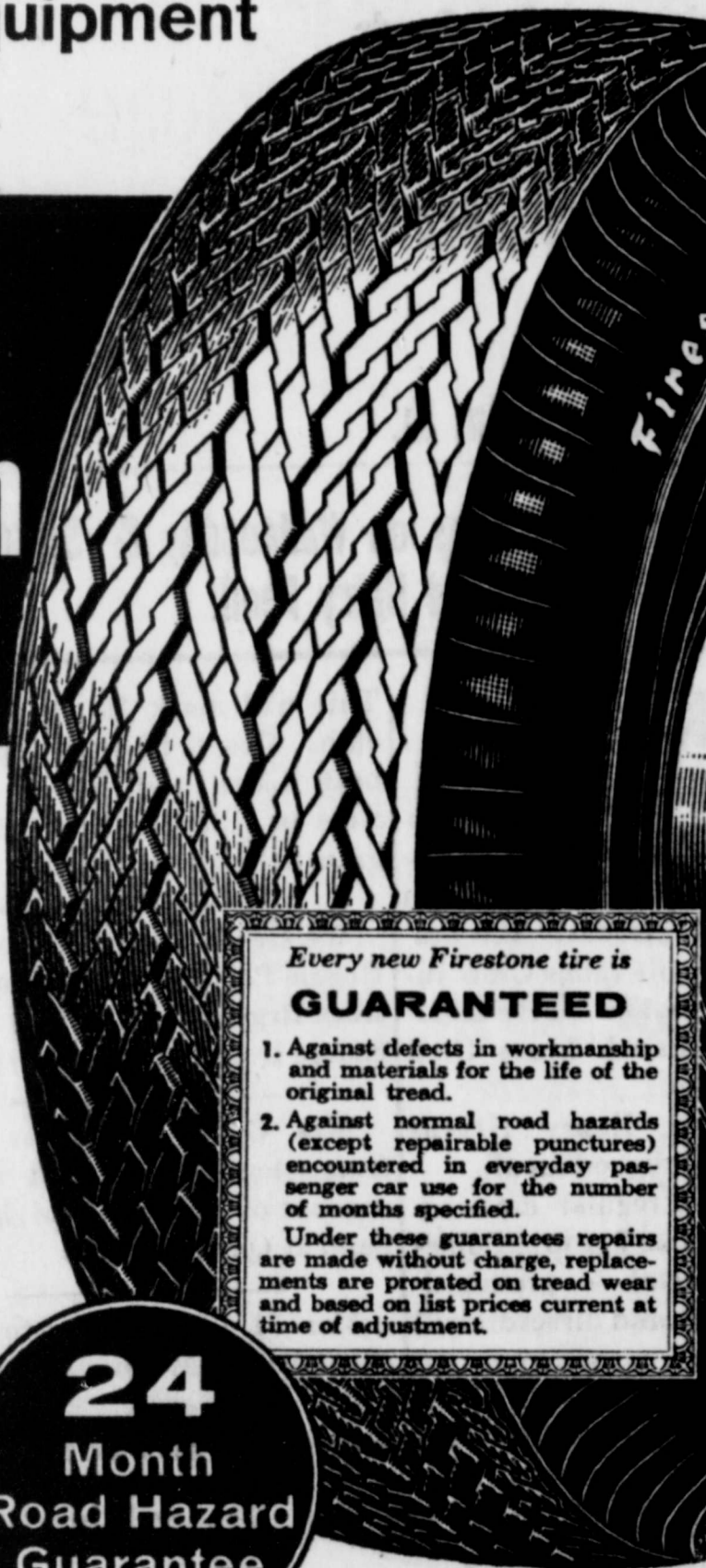
Greer stressed the importance of registering all vehicles in the county of residence, since the pen-alty for operating a vehicle with-out home-county plates is the same as for no plates at all. Also, a portion of all fees remains in the home county to benefit the local community.

Motorists are also reminded that they must take their certificate of title and their 1960 licence receipt when they go to obtain 1961 plates

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City Election

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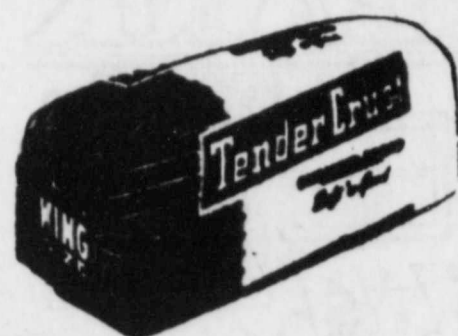
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