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The Junior Chapter Conducting team of the Hedley EFA placed fifth in the area contest Saturday at Plainview. Members of the team are David Baker, Bobbie Wiggins, Pat Chesser, Larry Altman, Gary Weatherly, Ernie Houshshell and Glen Ward.



## LIONS ROAR

The Lions will eat next Thursday night Nov. 30th at 7 p. m. Be on time if you can but come anyway. There will be plenty of turkey, stuffing and what have you.

This will be the regular meeting postponed a week because many would be away Thanksgiving day and also some would be having their dinner at home.

Some work is being done on the new Lions Hall. It is going to take a lot of work so if anyone wishes to donate work or finances it will be appreciated.

Attendance has been good this fall in spite of weather and work. Make it a point to be there. A good program is being arranged. A majority of the Lions still have perfect attendance.

## School Leaders Meet

The Panhandle School Leaders Assn., Area III, comprised of Donley, Briscoe, Childress, Hall and Collingsworth Counties, met in the Hedley High School library on Wednesday morning, Nov. 15, from 9:30 to 12:00.

School men from Memphis, Silvertown, Clarendon, Hedley and Quail were present. The topic of discussion was Americanism, how it can be taught and instilled in our school children. Chairman was Mack Bush.

Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served by the first year Home Economics girls under the supervision of Mrs. Shields.

## Basketball News

The Hedley Junior boys and girls teams defeated Adanreed there Monday night. We understand both teams are undefeated so far.

## School Thanks Donors Hall Honored

The Hedley school wishes to express its thanks to H. L. Morgan for soliciting funds to buy a 40 gallon hot water heater for use in the boy's dressing room.

They also wish to thank the following who contributed on this project: Mack Bush, M. O. Weatherly, Frank Murray, Ray Altman, Henry Moore, H. L. Morgan, Paul Stewart, Johnson Dry Goods, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hoggatt, Hedley Beauty Shop, Pickett Grocery, Sam Sanders, A. B. Spalding, Moreman Grocery, Bill Stone, A. G. Alexander, W. H. Moffitt, Johnson Bros. Station, B. C. Johnson, Hall Station, Clifford Johnson, L. D. Messer, W. B. Wiggins, Jess Beach, R. A. Shaw, Memphis Compress Co., Cherry Drug, W. L. Stewart and Luther O. Thompson.

## Methodist Church

Next Sunday night, Nov. 26, the members of Hedley Methodist Church are invited to go to Lelia Lake Methodist Church for the 7:00 p. m. Worship Service. Your pastor will bring the message. Then on Sunday night Dec. 3, at 7:00 p. m. the Lelia Lake Methodist members will worship with us and Rev. C. R. Hankins will bring the message. There will be ways provided for all.

Plans are being made for a Cantata. The committee is Mrs. Kathleen Mathews, Mrs. Peggie Bush, Miss Susan Cox, and Mrs. Jan Altman of Lelia Lake. A date will be set and further announcements made later.

## Youth Rally

A Baptist Youth Rally will be held Saturday night, Nov. 25, with the church at Brice. All interested young people are invited to attend.

## Notice

Don't forget there is now a state tax on your subscriptions. The Informer is \$2.04 in Donley County, \$2.55 elsewhere in Texas, and still \$2.50 outside of Texas.

Little Philip Moreman has been quite ill again at the home in Panhandle. His father, Jack Moreman, has been at home on emergency leave from Fort Hamilton, N. Y.

Akron, Ohio—Thirteen Firestone tire dealers received awards for 20 or more years service during the month of October. The group's total service equals 340 years.

One dealer, C. Strowbridge from Rome, N. Y., was honored for 40 years' association with the company and received a service pin and \$200 check.

G. W. Helmick, Los Angeles, Calif., was honored for 35 years' service and C. O. Weiser, Glade-water, Texas, for 30 years. Both received appropriate pins and checks for \$100.

Similar checks and 25 year service pins were awarded to H. H. Hall, Hedley, Texas, and six other Firestone dealers, besides watches and 20 year pins to three dealers.

## Fire Dept. Meeting

The Hedley Fire Dept. enjoyed a big steak supper at the Hedley Cafe Monday night, thanks to a recent very generous donation to the Dept.

After the meal the election of officers for next year was held, at which time Luther O. Thompson was elected Fire Chief, R. M. Saunders Asst. Chief, and Bill Mathews Secretary. These officers will take office at the first meeting in January.

## First Baptist Church

Thanksgiving will be observed Sunday at the First Baptist Church with an all day meeting. The regular services will be held in the morning, with a covered dish luncheon in the Fellowship Hall at the noon hour and singing in the afternoon. Special song leader for the day will be Jack Armstrong of Clarendon.

All members are urged to come and bring a covered dish, and bring along their guests, if any.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Johnson and Ted Sparks attended the Matador-Rochester bi-district football game at Matador last Friday. Coach Charles N. Johnson's Matador team won the game, 22 to 14. They will play Throckmorton for the regional championship.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Newton and son Wayne of Colorado City visited Mrs. E. D. Morton and Forest last week.

## Ex-Student Banquet

Just another reminder to all ex-students and ex-seniors of Hedley Schools that this Saturday night, Nov. 25, is the big night of the Banquet. We urge all of you "Ex's" to attend this year as we planned a very good program for you. Eating time is 8:00 p. m. in the High School Gym. The Senior Class and their sponsors are really planning a delicious meal and during the meal we are planning on another large bull session among the "Ex's". Let's all plan to attend this year and enjoy visiting with former classmates.

Don Springer, President

## Wedding Shower

A wedding shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Roger Neal Messer was given in the bank committee room Sunday afternoon, Nov. 19, from 3 to 4.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. Hobart Moffitt and Mrs. Barney Johnson, and presented to the honorees and the groom's mother, Mrs. L. D. Messer. They were registered by Mrs. Kenneth Brinson. Gifts were on display in charge of other hostesses.

Dolores Messer, sister of the groom, presided over the tea table, which was laid with a lace cloth over yellow. An arrangement of artificial fall flowers centered the table. Other appointments were in crystal.

Among the guests calling during the tea hour were several from out of town. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mesdames Roy Alexander, Bobby Lesley, W. H. Moffitt, C. L. Johnson, Frank Murray, Barney Johnson, Joe Miller, M. L. Sims, A. T. Simmons, Vern Patton and Kenneth Brinson, and Miss Myrtle Reeves.

## Y. W. A.

The Associational YWA met with the First Baptist Church here Monday night. A good meeting was reported.

## B. W. M. U.

The BWMU will observe a week of prayer for foreign missions next week.

Mrs. Roy Jewell visited the Paul Dishman family at Dallas last week end.





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## "Sew With Wool" County Elimination

The county elimination in the "Sew with Wool" contest is scheduled for Nov. 27 at 7 p. m. in the Clarendon high school auditorium. Mrs. Sue Shields, county chairman will attempt to secure three qualified people to judge the modeling of the garments. Garments will be examined and judged for workmanship prior to the contest. Only four contestants from a county may enter the district contest to be held at Texas Tech on Dec. 9.

There has been a great deal of interest indicated on the local level this year. There will be several contestants from both Hedley and Clarendon. To qualify, the contestant must have made and modeled her own garment. The garment must be made of 100% American milled wool.

This contest is sponsored each year by the American Wool Growers Association who offer splendid prizes to the winners at the state and national levels.

Everyone who is interested is invited to attend the county elimination. There will be a short program of entertainment while the judges make final decisions.

## Garden Club

The Hedley Garden Club members, their husbands and guests enjoyed a Thanksgiving pot luck supper Thursday evening at 6 o'clock in the Lions Den.

Mrs. Mabel Bridges, chairman of the social committee, assisted by her committee, planned a very enjoyable evening. Table decorations were in keeping with the Thanksgiving motif, arranged by Mrs. Roy Jewell. The welcome was given by Mrs. Cullen Taylor, and the invocation by Mrs. Alva Simmons.

Forty-two and dominoes were enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tate have returned home after visiting in Dalhart and in Kansas City with their daughter, Mrs. John C. Hodges and family.

Sam Owens Jr. and family of Wichita Falls visited here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Stephens announce the arrival on Tuesday, Nov. 14, of a fine little son, weight 7 lbs 15 oz, who has been named John Douglas.

W. P. Doherty is in the Mayo Clinic at Rochester, Minn., for treatment.

## Norton Infant

Funeral services were held Monday in the Travis Baptist Church at Memphis for Raymond Leroy Norton, 2½ month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lee Norton, who passed away Sunday. Burial was in the Memphis cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

The infant was the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown of Hedley, the great-grandson of Mrs. Bessie Yandell, and the great-great grandson of Mrs. Ella Cline.

## Hedley P.-T. A.

The Hedley PTA will meet in regular session next Monday night at the school building. There will be a panel discussion on Effective Learning for the Home.

## Announcement

We will be closed Thursday and Friday, Nov. 23 and 24, for Thanksgiving. We will be open again Monday, Nov. 27.

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Mrs. Louise Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Howell and son Gene visited on the south plains last week end. Mrs. Harris visited in Abernathy with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Snodgrass and Mrs. A. B. Harris, and the Howells visited in Lubbock in the homes of their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dillard and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Roberts visited their daughter, Mrs. Dot Messer, last Thursday.

Mrs. Don Blanks underwent an operation in an Amarillo hospital last Thursday.

Adell Myers of Pampa and Mrs. Mattie Barnett visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walling and Mrs. Preston Walling and daughter at Dallas last week end. They also attended the SMU-Arkansas football game.

Charles Wayne Lowe of Muleshoe has been visiting the A. B. Spalding family.

## School Holidays

Supt. Mack A. Bush has announced the Thanksgiving and Christmas holiday schedule for the Hedley schools. The school will be closed two days for Thanksgiving, Nov. 23 and 24. For Christmas holidays the schools will be dismissed at the close of school Thursday, Dec. 21, and will take up again on Tuesday, Jan. 2.



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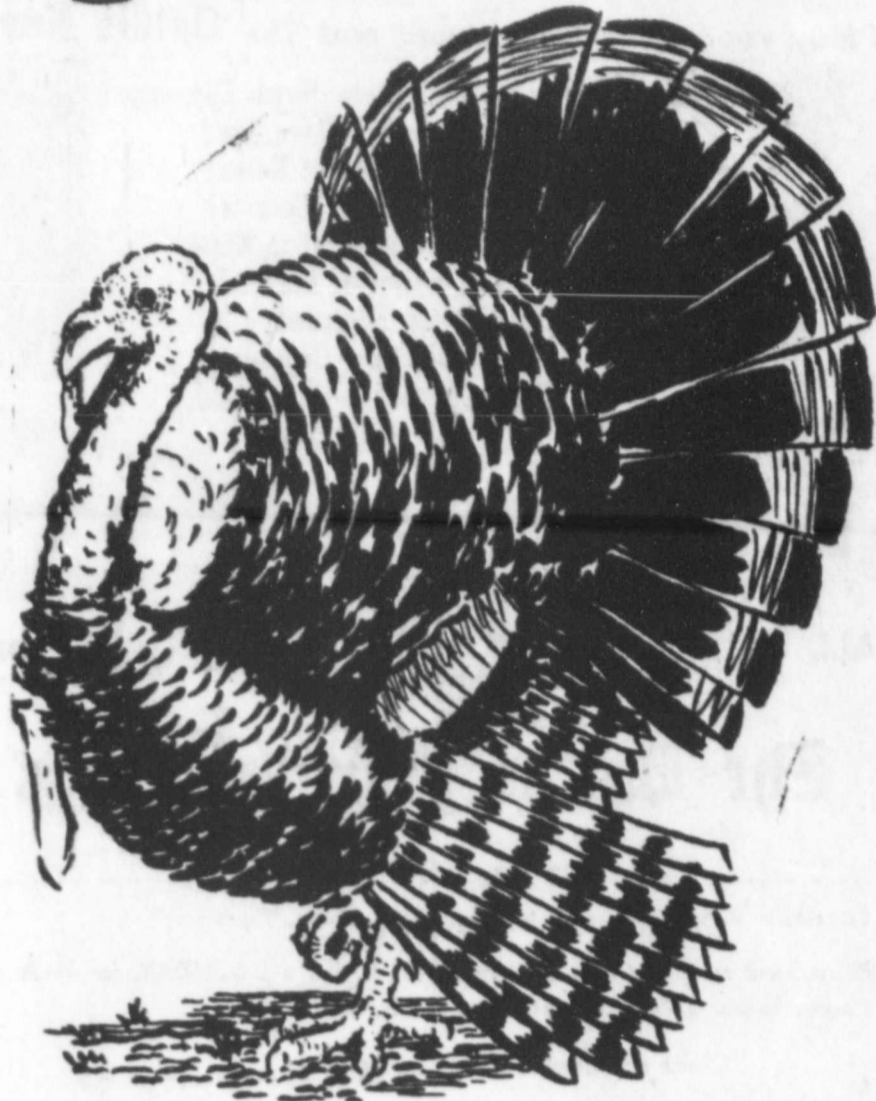
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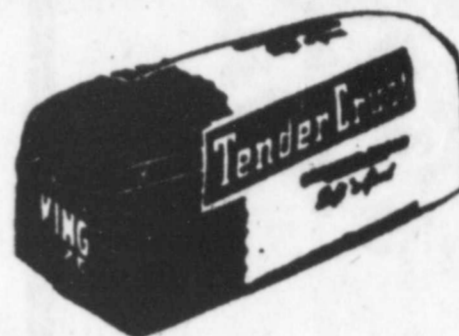
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