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Webster To Become Supt. At Darrouzett

According to Sunday's Amarillo News, Jack Webster has been hired as supt of schools at Darrouzett for the coming year, and will assume his duties there July 1st

We regret very much to lose Jack and his family, but wish them much success in their new home.

Senior Trip

The Senior Class had a wonderful time on their trip. We left about 3:00 Tuesday afternoon and spent the first night in Oklahoma City. We then went on and stopped at numerous places on the way, including Eureka Springs, Ark. It was quite fascinating.

We reached Rock Away Beach, Missouri, Wednesday afternoon. It was lovely there and the weather was very favorable. We did many things, including swimming, horseback riding, motor boating, we used pedalos, and numerous other things. We made a tour of the Shepherd of the Hills, various museums, visited Silver Dollar City, and toured Marvel Cave near Branson. We met other seniors from Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma.

We got back home about 7:00 Sunday afternoon. Those going

D. B. Thomas

Funeral services for D. B. Thomas, 50, of Tulia, who passed away last Thursday in an Amarillo hospital, were held Saturday in the First Baptist Church at Tulia by Rev. Frank Pollard, pastor. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery there.

Mr. Thomas was born Dec. 3, 1917, was a former Hedleyan and was married to Miss Marie Stanford Aug 5, 1939, at Memphis. He was owner of Thomas Hardware at Tulia, where he had lived since 1964. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Jerry Bullock of Tulia; three brothers, Joe of Amarillo, Clyde of Plainview and Willis of Clayton, N Mex; two sisters, Mrs. Earl Elznic of Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Truman Stringer of Tulia; his father, John Thomas of Hedley.

Visiting Mrs. Elva Davis and other relatives here during the week end were Mrs. Thava Crawford, Mrs. Sharon Gray and Scott and Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Stephens and children of Amarillo, Mrs. Sandra Wilson and Miss Sherry Jordon of Plainview.

were Sharon Johnson, Laura Solomon, Wendell Hansard, Kenny Drum, Mrs. Wayne Hansard and Mr. and Mrs. Hester Shields.

Vacation Bible School School Closing

Vacation Bible School will be held at the Baptist church this next week, May 20 thru 24. The school will last from 8:30 till 11:30 each day. Boys and girls aged four through twelve are invited. On Friday, May 24th, a Bible School picnic will be held at the park, followed by the Joint Worship Service and viewing of the activities by the parents.

Preparation Day for the school will be this Saturday, May 18, at 10:00 a m.

Final tests for the Hedley schools will be given on Thursday and Friday, May 16 and 17, and school will dismiss at 2:30 on each of those days.

Students are advised that report cards will be given out on the morning of Tuesday, May 21, from 9:00 to 12:00. If you do not intend to come by school on that morning, you need to leave an addressed, stamped envelope with Mr. Webster and your report card will be mailed to you.

8th Grade Graduation 42 Tournament

The 8th grade graduation will be held on Thursday night, May 16. Valedictorian of the class is Angela Messer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Messer, with an average of 95.9, and salutatorian is Connie Lee DeBord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Connie DeBord, with an average of 95.7.

Other members of the class are Johnny Reynolds, Gail Holland, Roy Ritchie, Chuck Hill, Kay Sams, James Hoggatt, Linda Dickson and Shane Rieken.

The Greenbelt 42 Championship, sponsored by the Hedley Lions Club, will be held May 31 and June 1 in the Lions Den. Entrants may enter as a team or enter singly and pick a partner. Entry fee will be \$1.00 per person and proceeds will go to Hedley tennis courts. There will be concessions.

All entrants are requested to notify either Vergil McPherson, Jack Stafford or Jack Webster.

Appointed Secretary

Plainview—Mrs. Sandra Sue Wilson, daughter of Mrs. Elva Davis, Hedley, recently was appointed as secretary of elections for the Student Government Association at Wayland College where she is a sophomore.

The appointment, made by officers of the SGA and approved by the student senate, was effective immediately.

Mrs. Wilson graduated from Hedley High School in 1956. She is majoring in sociology and minoring in elementary education.

Recital

Mrs. Don Springer presented her piano and organ students in their annual recital Monday evening at the First Baptist Church. All the students showed much talent and practice, as well as good instruction, and the large audience was very appreciative of their efforts.

Taking part were Lisa Stewart, Bob White, Duane Taylor, Laura Ann Wheatly, Randy Shaw, Kendra Sams, Stuart Messer, Becky McPherson, Jackla Byers, Debbie Taylor, Cliftie Ann Holland, Gary Sams, Vanessa Myers, Connie Lee DeBord, Kay Sams, Angela Messer, Tobi Rowell, Kim Steele and Nancy Saunders.

Shaw In State Office

The Agriculture Department of Clarendon College was represented at the annual Texas Junior College Agricultural Association at Levelland, May 4, 1968. The organization is composed of Agriculture majors and the respective advisers from nineteen Texas Junior Colleges.

Its purposes are to promote agriculture and to recognize outstanding students of agriculture enrolled in state junior colleges.

Richard Shaw of Hedley, an

Agricultural Education major at Clarendon College, was elected as state reporter. He will be primarily responsible for editing a state bulletin each month, incorporating activities of each junior college holding membership in the organization.

Other junior colleges with representatives elected to state offices include South Plains College, Lubbock Christian College and Blinn College.

COMMENCEMENT

May 17, 1968

Processional.....	Gail Holland
Invocation.....	Dave Sellars
'I Believe'.....	Chorus
Salutatory Address.....	Wendell Hansard
"Swing Low, Sweet Chariot".....	Chorus
Presentation of Awards.....	Jack Webster
Valedictory Address.....	Sharon Johnson
Presentation of Diplomas.....	Harold White and R. K. Sams
Alma Mater.....	Audience and Class
Benediction.....	Dave Sellars
Recessional.....	Gail Holland

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Weather alerts may give that extra margin of time which might mean the difference between life and death, but it is still up to each individual to take the safety measures necessary to protect himself in case of a tornado. The safest place to be is still a storm cellar.

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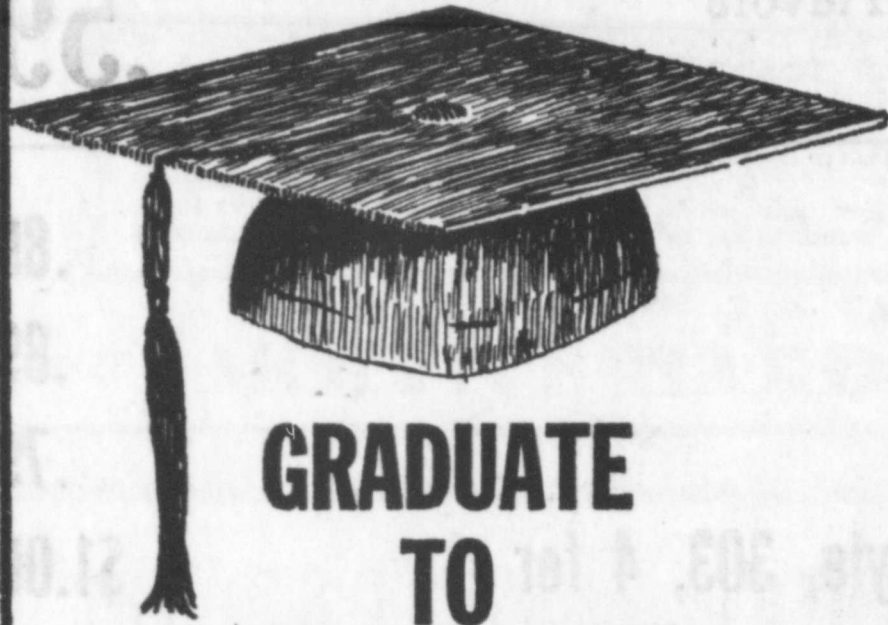
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Rowe Cemetery

The time is here for work to be done again on Rowe Cemetery. This work is paid for solely by voluntary contributions, and donations are needed to pay for gas and labor.

Please do your part to help keep the cemetery looking nice.

Hedley Lions Club

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

Doyle Messer, Pres.
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Hedley Lodge No. 991

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

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Bill Pool, Sec.

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Clarendon College Convocation May 24

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Glyndol Holland, son of Mr. and Mrs Buford Holland of Hedley is valedictorian of the class, with an average of 2.72

Other Hedleyans in the graduating class are Donna S Ritchie and Richard J Skaggs.

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Social Security News

A field representative of the Social Security Administration will be at the courthouse in Clarendon from 9:00 to 12:00 on Thursdays, April 11 and 25, May 9 and 23, and June 13 and 27.

He will also be at the American Legion Hall in Memphis from 8:30 to 11:30 on Wednesdays, April 3 and 17, May 1, 8, 15 and 29, and June 5, 19 and 26.

He will be available to help on any matters relating to Social Security.

Hedley Lodge No. 413



O.E.S., meets the first Monday night of each month.

All members are requested to attend.

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Pauline Morris, Sec.

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Thank You

To all the people of Donley County, please accept my gratitude for your vote, your support, and your kindness. The only way I can repay you is to do my best as your District Attorney. My family joins me in expressing our deep appreciation.

To Bob and his family goes my respect, best wishes, and friendship. We wish for them the best of good fortune and happiness. I look forward to further association with Bob in the legal profession. He is an excellent lawyer and a fine gentleman.

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Commencement

Hedley High School commencement exercises will be held on Friday night May 17.

Sharon Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rhuben Johnson, is valedictorian of the class, with an average of 92.6. She plans to attend Clarendon Junior College. Wendell Hansard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hansard, is salutatorian, with an average of 91.7. He plans to enter the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs.

Other members of the class are Kenneth Drum, Jimmy Shults and Laura Solomon. Mrs. Sue Shields is their sponsor.

The J. C. Upton family of Am- arillo visited here last week end.

Since Memorial Day, 1956, there has been an annual picnic on the banks of old Buck Creek with free barbecue and trimmings. This year the picnic will be held on Saturday, May 25. Bob Ayers will keep the ball rolling as MC. The old timers and other VIPs will be recognized. Walter Johnson and Richard Stotts will head the music committee and, we think, are planning a fiddlers contest.

Henry Moore, assisted by Doyle Messer and his FFA boys have kindly consented to handle the barbecue, for which we are duly grateful. Beans and pickles have already been sent from Colorado, thanks to Mike and Laura Parks, but salads and sweets will be appreciated.

We are fortunate this year to have a Giles citizen, Malcolm Glass, give the beef for the barbecue. Thanks to Malcolm. He will also be in charge of the hymn singing and, we hope, will be assisted by the Hall County Singers.

A rodeo is not being planned, but Tommy and Blackie Johnson have promised to have some calf riding, steer roping and special events. Y'all come!

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LIONS ROAR

The Hedley Lions Club will not meet next week. However there will be a big fifth Thursday ladies night May 30th. This falls on Memorial Day and will also be the club's 26th anniversary. Get ready for a big feed, a fine program and a good time.

Following that date on Friday night, May 31st, and Saturday night, June 1st, will be a big 42 party or tournament. Door prizes as well as prizes for winners will be awarded. You don't have to be extra good to win something but it will help. Any profits derived will be used for a very worthy cause.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to everyone for their cards and kind words while I was in the hospital.

I appreciated it very much.

W. H. Mendenhall

Tommy Bland of Homestead AFB, Miami, Fla., visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Manny and children of Lubbock visited here last week end.

Historical Marker

The official Texas Historical Grave marker for James T. Patman, a historically significant law officer of Donley County, has been erected at the gravesite in Citizens Cemetery two miles south of Clarendon, announced Will Chamberlin chairman of the Donley County Historical Survey Committee.

This marker is one of a series that will record the brave deeds of Texas' most gallant lawmen from the days of the republic to the present.

J. A. Stiles of Olton visited Mrs. J. F. Stiles Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Skaggs underwent surgery in a Memphis hospital Monday.

Mrs. Kent Bellah visited here this week from Saint Jo.

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