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Mrs. W. B. Proffitt

Funeral services for Mrs. W. B. Proffitt, 84, who passed away last Wednesday in the Memphis hospital, were held Friday in the Memphis Church of Christ by Min Gregg Whitacre. Burial was in the Memphis cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Malcolm Glass, Charlie Foster, A. E. Ranson, Walter Johnson, Omer Hill and Hal Goodnight

Mrs Proffitt, the former Minnie Bray, was born June 30, 1884, in Macon County, Tenn. She was united in marriage to Walter B Proffitt June 18 1901, at Fayette, Tenn. They moved to Lamar County in 1913, to Hall County in 1924 and to Donley County in 1930. Mr. Proffitt passed away in 1957.

Mrs Proffitt was a member of the Church of Christ.

She is survived by six sons, Noah E. of Rising Star, Avery Owen of Lakeview, Witt C. and Odell of Amarillo, Leon of Hedley and Bill of Shamrock; two daughters, Mrs. R. H. Sims and Mrs. Myron Gerber of Amarillo; 17 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren and 5 great-great-grandchildren

Glen Wooldridge is at home from Lubbock, where he attended Texas Tech.

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Richard Shaw Is CJC Valedictorian

Richard Shaw, son of Mr and Mrs R. A. Shaw of Hedley, was the valedictorian of the 1969 graduating class of Clarendon Junior College, with an overall grade point average of 2.6. The commencement exercises for the college were held there last Friday.

Richard received numerous honors this year. He was named among students in "Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges," received the Ag award the Chemistry award, and the Biology award. He is an agriculture major.

1919 Study Club

The 1919 Study Club closed the year of 1968-69 Wednesday, May 28, with a 10 o'clock luncheon at the Lions Den. Seventeen members, Mrs Charley Kinslow of Memphis, life member, and one guest Mrs. Doyle Messer, were present. During the business hour Mrs. Roy Jewell, incoming president, read her committees for the ensuing year.

The club voted to present the Lions Club with a check for \$25 for the tennis court fund.

Mrs Hobart Moffitt gave the treasurer's report

For the program Mrs. J. M. Baker, leader, led the pledge of allegiance to the flag

Mrs Herlie Moreman, assisted by Mrs Doyle Messer, showed a film strip and sound orientation entitled, "Honeys, Heroines and Housewives"

Mrs W. H. Jones, outgoing president, installed the new officers for the year 1969-70, which will be the 50th anniversary of this federated club. The club adjourned for the summer.

Willie Johnson, reporter pro tem

Teacher Aides Named

In a school board meeting Monday night, May 26, two teacher's aides were elected to assist the elementary teachers during the coming year.

They were Mrs. Carolyn Woodard and Mrs. Nancy Mullins.

Jackie Spier of the U. S. Navy came in last Wednesday for a visit with home folks after completing boot training at San Diego, Calif.

Methodist Conference

We are glad to note that Rev. Billy Wilson was returned to Hedley in the annual Northwest Texas Methodist Conference last week end

Other appointments of interest to Hedleyans include Cecil Guthrie to Nolan, Wilton E. Lynn to Trent, Roscoe Trostle to Brownfield Parkview, Carl H. Nunn to Clarendon, David Hamblin to Memphis, Wilbur F. Gaede to Wheeler, and A. B. Cockrell to Vernon First.

LEGION NEWS

New officers will be elected at the next meeting of the Hedley post of the American Legion which will be held Tuesday night of next week. Ansil Adamson is the retiring commander. Supper will be served. Everything will be free.

Birthday Party

Stevie Hamilton celebrated his 5th birthday at the home of his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. Sam Owens, on May 19th.

Ice cream and cake were served to several of his friends. He received several nice gifts, which he enjoyed opening and displaying for them. They received favors of large balloons and candy.

LIONS ROAR

The Hedley Lions Club celebrated the 27th anniversary of its founding last Thursday night. The club was chartered in May, 1942. Out of town guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ketchum of Los Angeles, Calif., guests of Lion Herlie Moreman, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Estlack of Clarendon, guests of Lion Allen Estlack.

Dan Castles of West Texas Utilities Co. in Abilene brought the program. The program was presented by Mrs Roy Helen Mingus and daughter Milinda, both also from Abilene.

This program was among the best the club has had in years. It was a skit taken from the Broadway hit "Fiddler on the Roof." The men enjoyed it as well as the ladies. Another fine program is in the making for the next ladies

McKees To Observe Golden Wedding

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee request the pleasure of your company honoring their father and mother on their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, the eighth of June, from three until five o'clock in the Security State Bank committee room, Hedley, Texas.

All friends of the family are invited.

Equalization Board

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization of the Hedley Ind. School District will meet June 19th from 10:00 a. m., to 12:00 noon at the Hedley High School.

Any interested persons are invited to come and meet with them.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my thanks to everyone for your cards, flowers and visits while I was ill, also to everyone who asked about me.

T. J. Cherry

The Bobby Broughtons and children of Farmington N. Mex., visited in the Mrs. R. E. Beach and J. J. Beach homes this past week end, also James Deane and Debbie Beach were here from Sunday.

Visiting in the Clarence Welch home last week were Mr and Mrs. W. W. Welch and Becky of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Welch and Tex of Claude.

Jamie Evans was at home from Lubbock from Sunday to Tuesday.

night which will be June 26th.

Lions Club Queen Nancy Saunders, who has also served as Lions Club Sweetheart for the last two years and will reign as Queen of the 18th Cotton Festival this October, was presented three awards for her services to the club and community. Lion Vergil McPherson was presented an award for adding 6 new members to the club during this fiscal year.

The 1919 Study Club presented the Lions Club with a check for \$25 for the new tennis courts now in the making. Some more donations are still needed for the finishing touches to this project.

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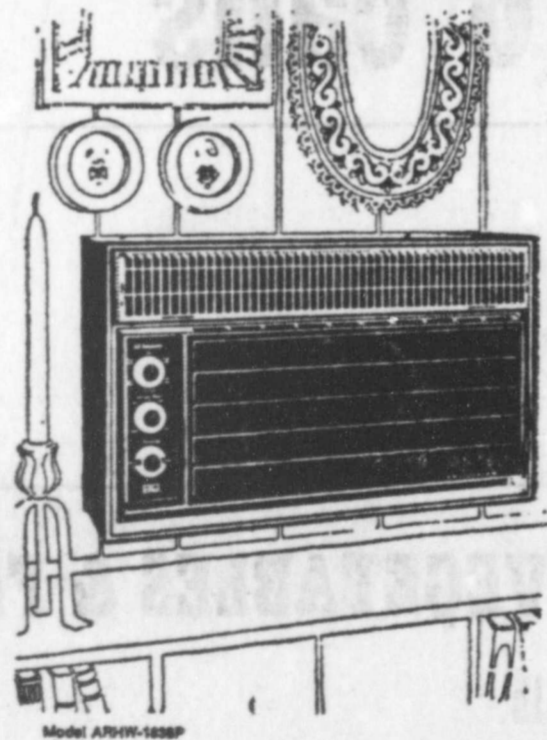
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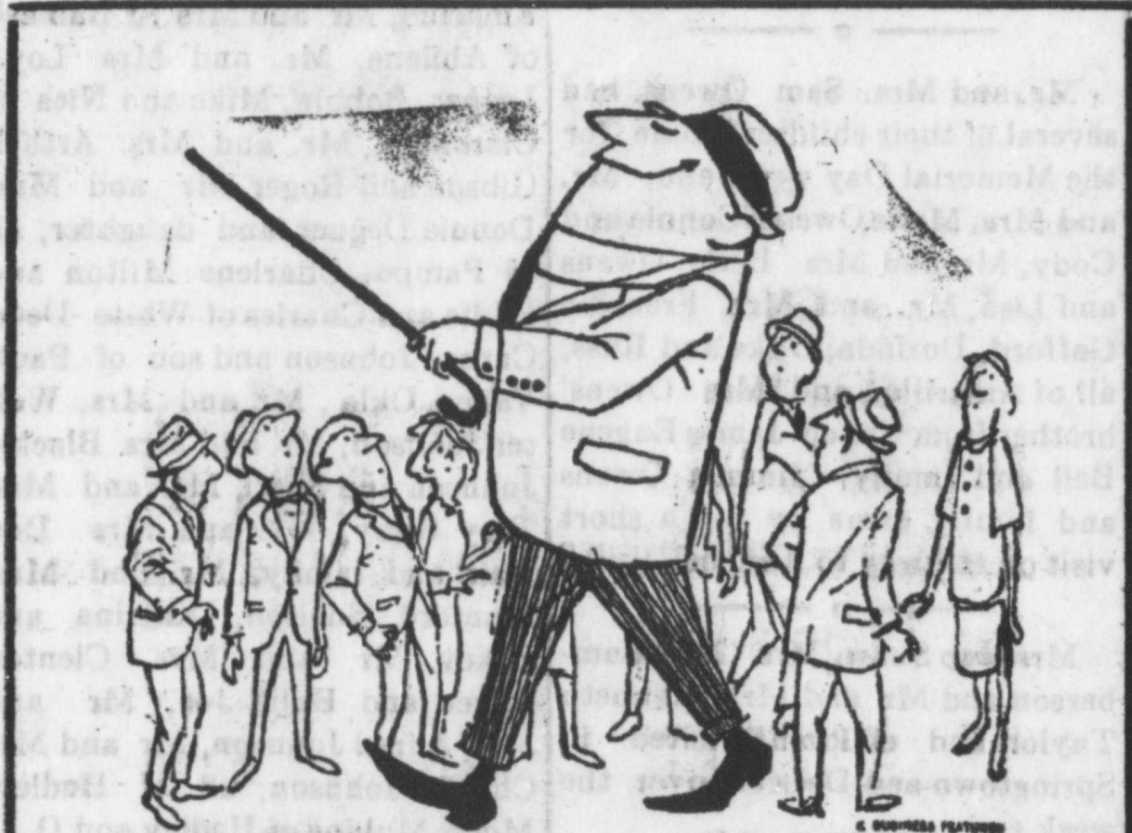
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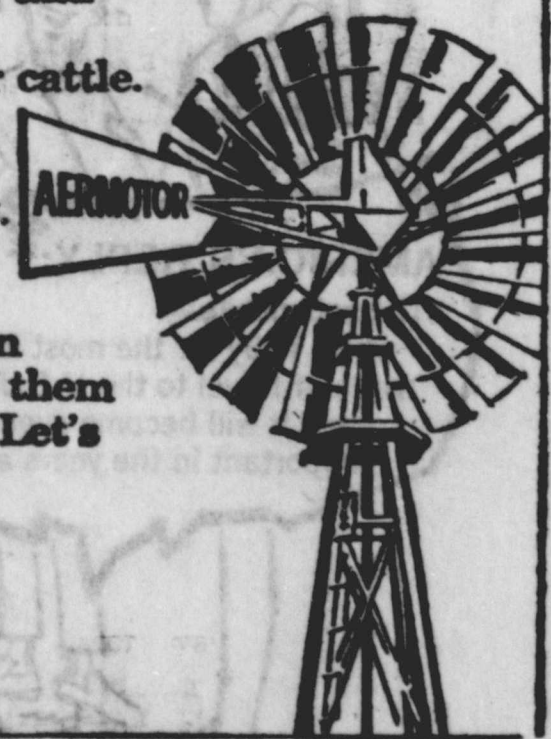
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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Owens had several of their children home for the Memorial Day week end, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Owens, Connie and Cody, Mr and Mrs Berle Owens and Lisa, Mr. and Mrs. Frenchie Gafford, Dorinda, Duke and Russ, all of Amarillo, and Mrs Owens' brother from Fritch James Eugene Bell and family. Jimmie Owens and family came by for a short visit on the way to Abilene.

Mrs Jap Shaw, Mrs Celia Lamberson and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Taylor and children visited in Springtown and DeLeon over the week end

The Harold Mithelmans have been visiting here from Iowa.

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Family Reunion

The Johnson family reunion was held Sunday at the Memphis city park. Everyone enjoyed a big dinner and visiting together.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson and Tommie Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson and Roddie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and son, Sandra Wilkerson and children, Clyde Johnson and granddaughter and great-grandson, Mr and Mrs Bud Johnson, Cindy, Tim and Gerry, all of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs Al Babiash of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Leeper, Bobbie, Mike and Nita of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Arthell Gibson and Roger, Mr and Mrs. Dannie Degner and daughter, all of Pampa, Charlene Milton and Eddie and Charles of White Deer, Carnez Johnson and son of Pauls Valley, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Mr. and Mrs Blackie Johnson and Sheri, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Selby, Mr. and Mrs Don Hair and family, Mr. and Mrs. Manford Snelson, Katrina and Pokey, Mr. and Mrs, Clinton Pierce and Billie Joe, Mr and Mrs Alfred Johnson, Mr and Mrs Charlie Johnson, all of Hedley, Moon Mullins of Hedley and O. D Windham.

M. O. Weatherly is reported recovering nicely after surgery in an Amarillo hospital, and is expected to return home about the end of the week. Mr. and Mrs Gary Weatherly and Mr and Mrs. Kirkwood of Colorado Springs visited him last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewett Huff of Lawton, Okla., and Mrs. Harold Merritt and daughters Ellen and Cindy of Gladewater are visiting the W W Clendennens.

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