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## Owls Win Bi-District, Lose At Regional

The Hedley Owls defeated Mobeetie last Tuesday at Wheeler 58 to 42 to win the bi-district championship. Ricky Bolin was high for Hedley with 18 points.

The Owls met Channing in the first game at the regional meet in Levelland Friday and were defeated 49 to 34. Hedley led most of the way but fell behind after Terry Collins fouled out. Terry has been a defensive starter for three years. Ricky Bolin made 10, Stuart Messer 10, Raymond Woodard 8 and Terry Collins 6 for Hedley.

## Lone Star Seeks Rate Relief

Dallas, Texas (March 8, 1975)-Lone Star Gas Company's return on its utility residential and commercial service in Texas "has been reduced to virtually nothing, primarily due to increasing gas costs," the Texas Railroad Commission was told today.

Louis B. Huley, senior vice president, told the Commission that "In 1974, while total natural gas sales by Lone Star climbed to a record \$313 million, net income of the company's utility division was down 22% due mostly to a \$76.5 million increase in gas purchase costs over the previous year."

The rate relief sought, Huley



## LIONS ROAR

The new tables and chairs ordered for the Lions Den have arrived. The building is being put in readiness for the March 28th ladies night banquet and dedication program. Lion District Governor Charles E. Allen of Friona will be the speaker. A musical program by the Hedley Singing Sweethearts will follow the dedication ceremony. A capacity crowd is expected.

Hedley Lions should get their tickets early. They are only \$2.50 each. Turkey and Virginia baked ham will head the menu. Mrs. Kate Stone and Mrs. J. M. Baker will serve the meal. Lions and ladies from Clarendon, Howland, Turkey and other towns are expected to attend.

Due to a conflict in dates the annual Lighthouse of the Blind broom and mop sale will not be held until Saturday, April 12. It will be on the walk in front of the Youth Center. Lions Frank Murray and Vergil McPherson are co-chairmen for the sale, and they will need a lot of help to make it a success.

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stressed, is "primarily to assist the company with the serious problem created by the increased cost of our gas supply." Huley urged the Commission to authorize a 100% monthly pass-on of increased gas costs instead of the 65% semiannual pass-on currently in effect.

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## Joint School and City Election

Three signed up to run for the City Council before the deadline last Wednesday. They were Charles Johnson, Henry Moore and W. B. Wiggins, all incumbents.

Three also signed up to run for the school board. They were T. E. Naylor, incumbent, Doyle Clendennen and Don Springer. The other incumbent whose term expires this year, J. D. Skaggs, did not sign up to run again.

## Lots To Be Sold

Tuesday, April 1st, at 1:30 p. m. at the courthouse in Clarendon, Sheriff Frank Lindsey Jr will sell several lots in Hedley.

These will include lots belonging to the estates of T. O. McLaughlin, S. R. Hodges, Ben E. Hemelstrand, Mrs. T. E. Bailey, H. L. Whitfield, Clarence Stone, Orma Sullivan, and Lela M. Reeves.

## School Lunchroom Menu

Thurs, Mar. 13, fish, tartar sauce, blackeye peas, salad, peanut butter cookies, milk.

Fri., Mar. 14, sloppy joe on bun, grated cheese, french fries, lettuce, onions, ketchup, jello, milk.

Mon, Mar. 17, ravioli casserole, green salad, corn, batter bread, butter, syrup, milk.

Tues., Mar. 18, stew, cube cheese, corn bread, ice box cookies, milk.

Wed, Mar. 19, pinto beans, relish, deviled eggs, turnip greens, corn bread, chocolate pudding, milk.

Thurs, Mar. 20, fried chicken, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, apple sauce, milk.

Fri., Mar. 21, pig in blanket, baked beans, cole slaw, sliced peaches, milk.

Mrs. Irma Brumley of Quanah visited Mrs. John Tate last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Bonner of Amarillo visited the John Tates Saturday afternoon.

Ronnie and Tammy Overcast of Shamrock spent last week end with their grandparents, the Dennis Reeds.

## Public Schools Week

About 25 visitors ate in the school lunchroom during Public Schools Week. The school appreciated all callers during the week.

Those signing the register during the week included Tommy Bolin, J. S. Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Stafford and La Mona, Otis Owens, Bobby J. Wiggins, Don Springer, Lloyd Loggitt, Mary Ruth and Harold White, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watt, Keith and Guy, T. E. Naylor, Ray G. Brown, Lynden Messer Willie Johnson, Gertrude Boatright, Mrs. Buford Holland, Martha and Junior Hill, Hazel Darnell, Keith Brinson, Chad Landrum, Patsy Adcock, Misty Clendennen, Opal Clendennen, Mrs. Aurora M. Torres, Fabian Torres Jr., Mrs. Gloria Cavazos, Mrs. Wilma Snelson, Christi Morquecho, Angie Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Holland, Tanya and Scheli, Mrs. Fay Wortham, Renee Shields, Mary Freeman, Judy and Doyle Clendennen, W. C. Quisenberry, Sandra Gillespie, Allen and Ray Altman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones and Billy M. Powell.

## L. M. Harris

Funeral services for L. M. (Mike) Harris, 65, of Garland, a former Hedleyan who passed away at Garland last Tuesday night, were held Thursday. Burial was in a Mesquite cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Esther; two sons, Billy Dean of Vernon and Bart of Longview; five brothers, Joe, Phil, Ed, Paul and Pascal, all of Dallas; and several grandchildren.

## Easter Holidays

The Hedley schools will be closed March 24th through 28th for Easter holidays.

## License Plates To Be Sold Here

For the convenience of Hedley residents, the Security State Bank has arranged for a representative of the tax collector's office to be at the bank here two days in March so that car tags can be secured here.

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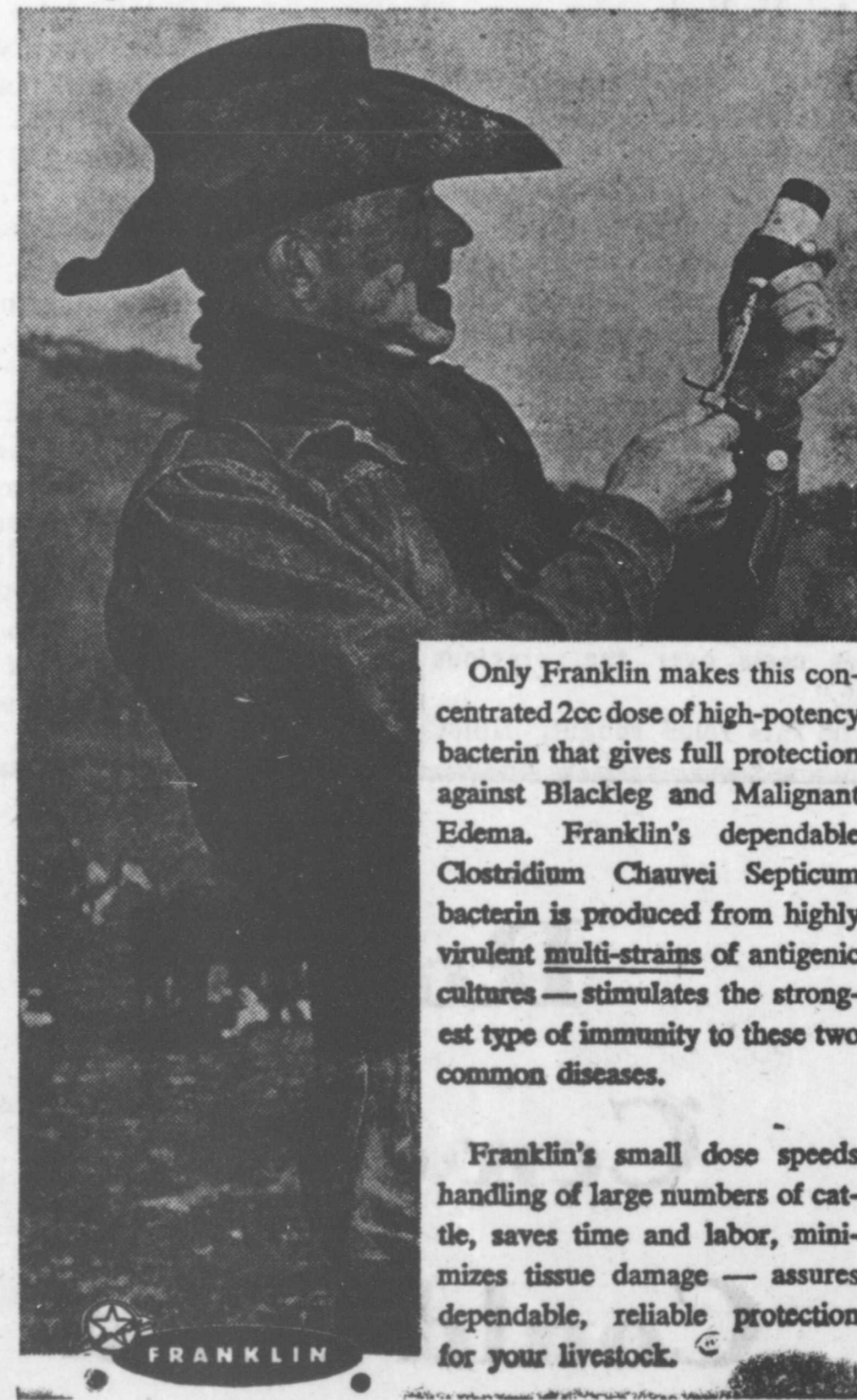
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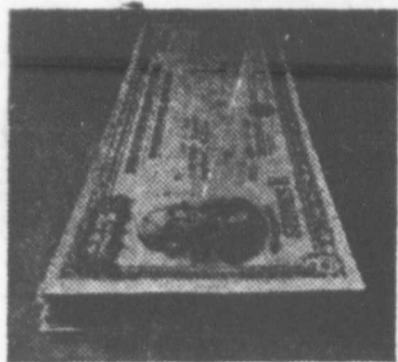
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The time is here, for work to be done again on Rowe Cemetery. This work is paid for solely by voluntary contributions, and donations are needed to pay for gas and labor.

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

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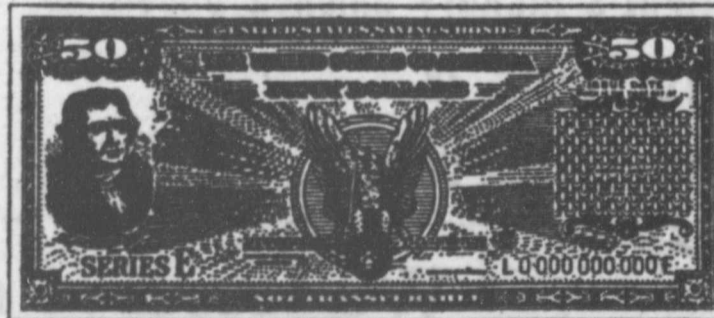
In my neighborhood everyone was poor. Most of us were lucky if we had enough food to eat or clothes to wear. So like most kids we spent a lot of time talking about the things we wanted out of life. Things like owning a big car, wearing fine clothes and going to all of the best places. Boy, we could hardly wait to grow up.

Like the other kids I had little odd jobs in grammar school but I got my first real job when I started high school. I was a junior clerk in a big department store. That's where I first heard about U.S. Savings Bonds. My boss asked me if I wanted to join the Payroll Savings Plan and I said yes. A month later I got my first bond.

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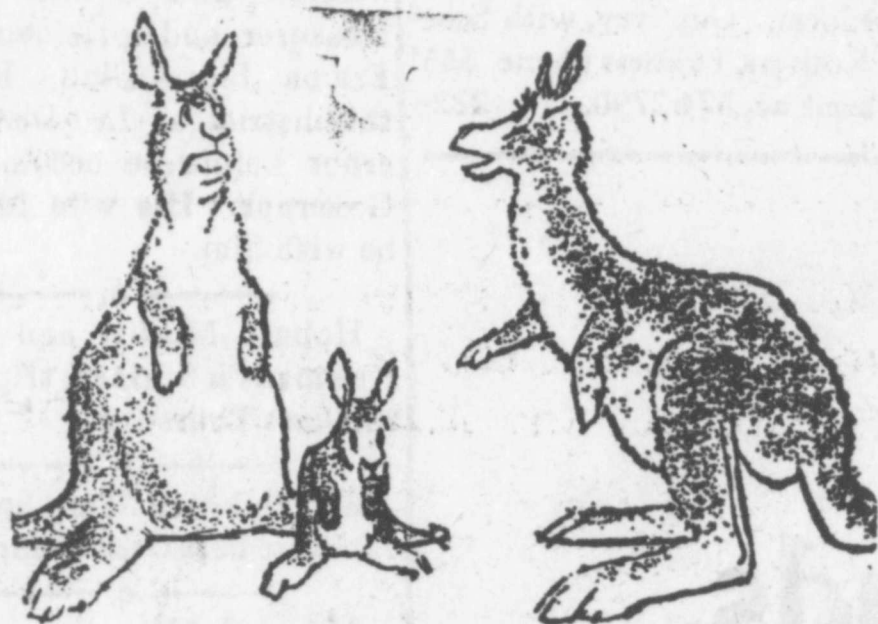
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## Greenbelt News

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The April meeting of the board will be in Hedley April 3.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

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## District Governor To Visit Local Lions

Charles E. Allen of Friona, Lions District Governor, will make his official visit to the Hedley club Thursday evening, March 27. The new Hedley Lions building will be dedicated and Lion Allen will be the speaker. It will be a ladies night banquet starting at 7:30.

Mr Allen is the executive vice president of the Friona State Bank, a past mayor of Friona, a past master of the Friona Masonic Lodge, a Baptist, a World War II veteran and a past secretary, treasurer and president of the Friona Lions Club. He served this district as Lt District Governor before he became District Governor. His wife Melba will be with him.

Hobart Moffitt and Roy McKee made a business trip to Amarillo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs Tom Leggitt and Jon were here from Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Boliver and Angela were here last week end from Amarillo.

## Memorial Club

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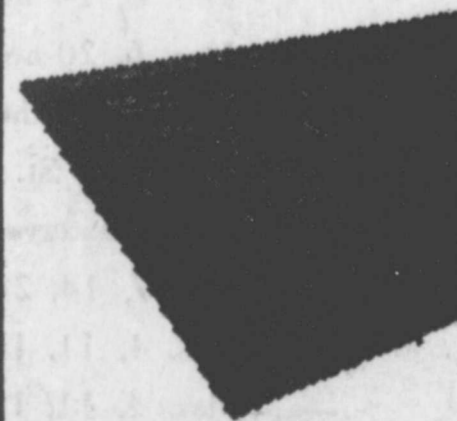
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