

The Hedley Informer

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HEDLEY, DONLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, JUNE 20, 1975

NO. 36

Phone Rates Raised

On May 1 J. H. Davis of Memphis, division manager for General Telephone Co. met with the Hedley city council and requested a rate increase for the company. The last rate increase for the company became effective Jan. 1, 1973.

The increases requested by the company included one party residence service from \$7.80 to \$10.85, an increase of \$3.05, two party residence service from \$6.70 to \$9.80, an increase of \$2.10, and one party business phones from \$17.50 to \$27.15, an increase of \$9.65.

The council at that time made an offer of \$1.00 increase on one party service, 80¢ on two party residence, and \$2.00 on business service.

Mr. Davis again met with the council on June 5 and advised that the company had refused the offer as insufficient for their needs, and the council made another compromise offer, this time of \$1.50 on one party residence phones, \$1.30 on two party residence, and \$3.00 on business phones.

The city was advised last week that the company had accepted this offer, provided that the new rate was effective July 1st. So your next telephone bill will have the rates as shown above.

Mr. and Mrs. David Beliver have been visiting here from Trenton, New Jersey.

Mrs. Audie M. Stewart Senior Citizens To Attend "Texas"

Funeral services for Mrs. Audie M. Stewart, 71, who passed away Monday of last week in the McLean hospital, were held there Wednesday. Burial was in the McLean cemetery.

She was born in Paris, Texas, and moved to McLean from Donley County in 1922.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Billie Marie Barron of La-Marque; two sons, Eddie Mab and Truit Stewart, both of McLean; three sisters, Mrs. Opal Blackwell and Mrs. Ruby Stanley of Amarillo and Mrs. Verlin McCracken of Pampa; three brothers, Bryan McPherson of McLean, Winfred McPherson of Amarillo and Vergil McPherson of Hedley; ten grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

At Childress

Mrs. Lucille Franklin is now at Leisure Lodges, 1200 Seventh N. W., Childress, Texas 79201, Exit 3, Room 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ward of Panhandle announce the arrival on June 11 of a little daughter, weight 7 lbs 14 oz, who has been named Amanda Dawn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Junior Hill and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cherry, Clay, Melanie, Craig and Marietta of El Paso are visiting the T. J. Cherrys.

The Donley County Senior Citizens will attend a performance of Texas at Palo Duro Canyon on June 25, leaving by bus from the east side of the courthouse in Clarendon at 5:00 p. m.

The cost will be \$2.25 per ticket and each should bring a sack lunch and all will eat together at the picnic facilities in the canyon.

The play starts at 8:30 sharp and will be over at 11:10. The seats for the group will be together.

For additional information contact Mrs. Nina Dale through the Fun Over Fifty or Mr. or Mrs. Mel Mills at the Senior Center in Clarendon.

Equalization Board

The Hedley school equalization board will meet at the school from 6 p. m. to 9 p. m. on June 30.



LIONS ROAR

The next Lions Club meeting will be June 26. The club's new officers and directors will be installed and take office. Lion Allen Estlack of Clarendon will be the installing officer. He is a past president of the Hedley club and a past deputy district governor.

Mrs. Kate Stone and Mrs. J. M. Baker will start serving the banquet at 7:30.

Past presidents of the club will be honored at this meeting. All former presidents are invited whether they are now members or not.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Stone visited in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gray and boys have moved back to Amarillo from Sparta, Tenn.

The John Lee Stephens family are visiting here from Sparta, Tenn.

Mrs. Roxie Wybinger and daughter Edith visited the T. J. Cherrys Wednesday.

Adell Myers of Pampa was a Hedley visitor Saturday.

Home Sold

Mrs. Celia Lamberson has sold her home in east Hedley. She and her late husband, John, bought the place and moved there in 1920. He passed away in 1928. Mrs. Lamberson lived there 55 years and raised her family. She is now making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Thomas are remodeling the home and have retired in Hedley. They are from Amarillo. Welcome to Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

Dennis, Denise and Deann Reeds of Amarillo visited their grandparents, the Dennis Reeds, last week.

Mrs. Ethel Kinslow is back at home from Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dehart; son Robbie and friend Richard of Lancaster visited Saturday with the Tom Clendenens.

Carl Mann and family were here from Pampa Sunday.

The Bobby Stephens family of Amarillo visited here Sunday.

The Harold Mithelmans were here from Mesquite last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Glass have moved back to Hedley from Kerens.

Mrs. Bill Bridges was scheduled to undergo surgery in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Billie Christal underwent major surgery in Memphis Monday.

The J. C. Upton family of Amarillo visited in Hedley and Memphis Saturday.

Officers Nominated

Hedley Lions Club officers nominated for 1975-76 are:

President, Woodruff Farris
1st Vice Pres., Melvin Boothe
2nd Vice Pres., Travis Bland
3rd Vice Pres., Doyle Messer
Lion Tamer, John Waddell
Taitwister, W. P. Doherty
Sec.-Treas., M. O. Weatherly
Directors, Fred Stafford, Jack Stafford, W. B. Wiggins and Harold White.

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Cemetery
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Donation

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**Adamson-Lane Post
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Meets on the 1st Friday of each month. All Legionnaires are urged to attend
 John M. Waddell, Commander
 Clifford Johnson, Adjutant

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Hedley Lodge No. 991

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 Garlon Freeman, Sec.

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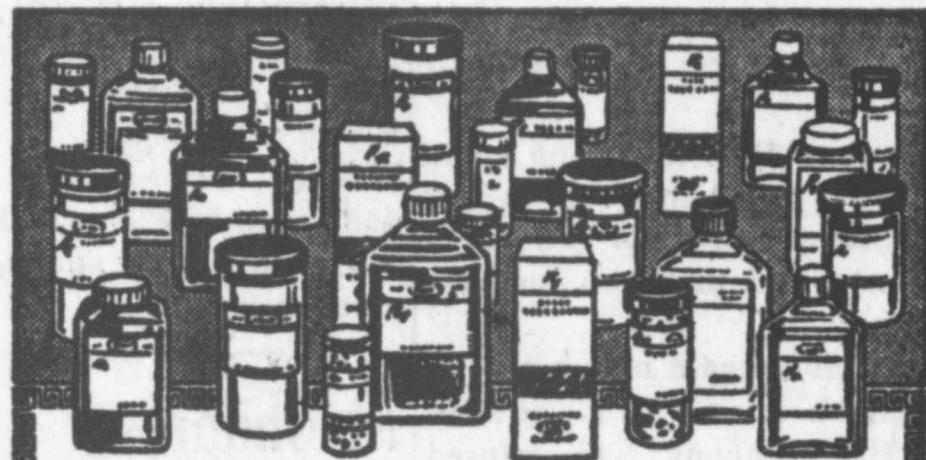
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- Kounty Kist Cut Green Beans, 17 oz. can, 2 for .77
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White Swan Biscuits, 6 for .69

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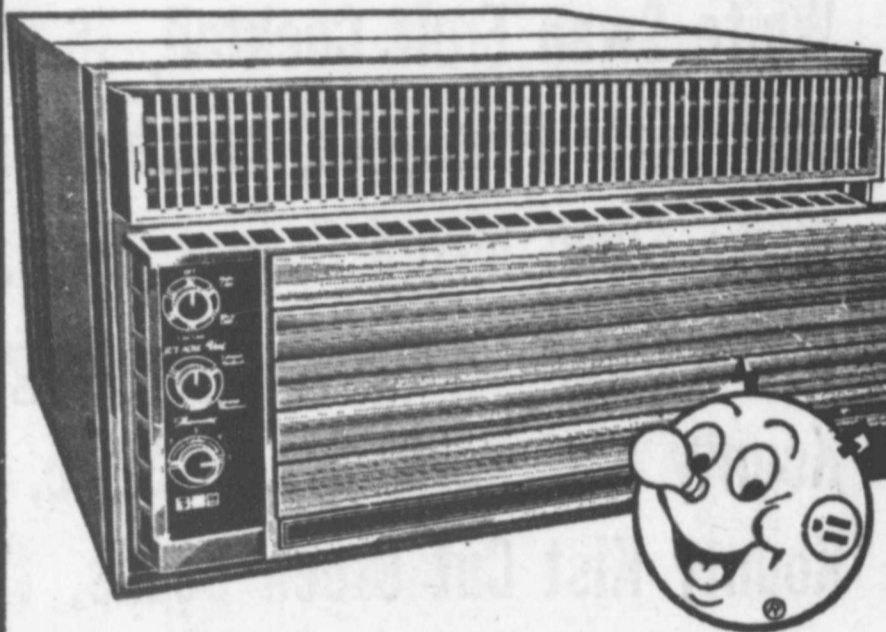
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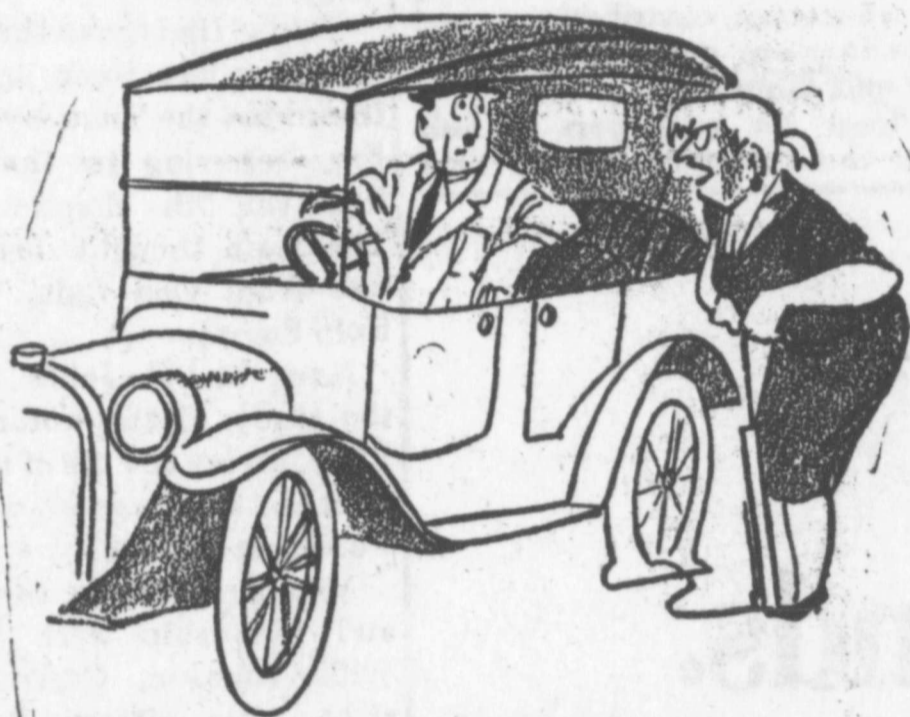
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May 1, 15 and 29

June 5, 19 and 26

He will also be at the Community Room, City Housing Authority, 216 S. 5th St. in Memphis, from 9:00 to 11:30 on the following Tuesdays:

April 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29

May 6, 13, 20 and 27

June 3, 10, 17 and 24

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

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Nancy Wallis, Sec.

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Rowe Cemetery

For times it has been suggested to be done again on Rowe Cemetery. This work is planned to be done by voluntary contributions, and donations are needed to pay for the work.

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

U. M. W.

The UMW met in the home of Mrs. Verda Hinds June 10. During business a letter was read from the pastor, Kathryn Pigg, who is in school for the summer giving her address and phone number where she can be reached if needed. A letter was read from Methodist Mission School at Farmington, N. Mex., telling of some of their program that is made possible by Methodist women.

Cards have been sent to Eloise Spalding, Ike and Ella Rains and Louis Bogue

Verda Hinds gave the devotional, using her topic and thought from Find the Time by Elizabeth Fry, referring to the scripture from the 5th chapter of John. The main thought brought out was What Can I do Today to Help Someone.

Mrs. Mabel Jones continued the study of the women of the Bible, giving the life of the Queens of Sheba and Jezebel, who was a worshiper of Baal.

Members to enjoy the program and fellowship were Mesdames Willie Johnson, Gertrude Boatright, Allean Altman, Betty Williams, Mabel Jones and Verda Hinds.

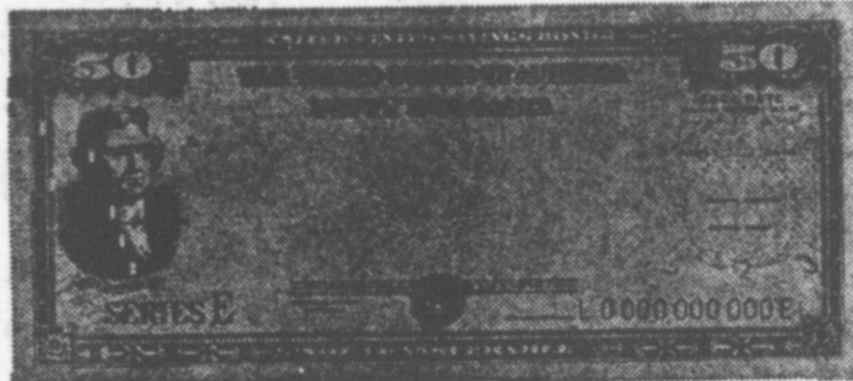
Next meeting will be with Willie Johnson.

Tommy Clendennen is now stationed on Guam

Hedley Lodge No. 48
Gladys Johnson, Sec'y.
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Memorial Club
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