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## FFA Banquet

The annual FFA banquet was held last Tuesday evening in the school cafeteria and about 130 enjoyed a delicious meal of barbecued chicken and the trimmings.

Chapter president Paul Dwight was in charge and John Scott gave the invocation. Steve Scott gave the welcome. Mark Brinson the secretary's report and Randy Woodard the treasurer's report.

Randy Woodard, Gregg Ellis and John Scott entertained with music, and Fred Watt was made an honorary member.

Bob White and Gregg Ellis gave the FFA awards, which went to:

Livestock production, Jeff Hill  
Dairy products, Randy Woodard

Ag electrification, Jon Lemley  
Ag mechanics, Mark Brinson  
Beef production, J B Wotham  
Crop production, Jimmie Adams  
Soil and water management, Ben Lemley

Swine production, Terry Stone and Duke McDaniels

Outdoor recreation, John Scott and Kirk Dwight

Public speaking, Paul Dwight  
Star exhibitor, Andy Wheatly  
Star Chapter Farmer, Steve Scott

Mr. Mather introduced the speaker, Guy Fibstad of Boys Ranch, who made a very interesting talk along with slides of the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gilbreath of Anthon, Colo., visited the Peterson Gilbreaths last week.

## Combined Birthdays

Friends and relatives gathered at the Gilles picnic grounds recently to celebrate the birthdays of Elmore Bailey and Millie Land. Barbecued ribs, pork sausage and beef were prepared by Jiggs Land and Terry Bailey. Cpl. slaw potato salad, beans, shortbread biscuits, grit bread and many delicious desserts were enjoyed by 56 well-wishers.

Present besides the honorees were Ellen Faye Land, Mrs. Elmore Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hill, Mrs. Flossie Wood, Mrs. Nell Gamble, Rev. and Mrs. Lewis Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wiggins of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Land and Mark, Mrs. Joe Wood and Rev. V. L. Huggins of Memphis, Mrs. Ethlyn Gbodner of Okmoo, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Land, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Land, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stavenhagen and Mrs. Pat Scripps of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Land of Lelia Lake, Mrs. Rose Land of Wellington, Mrs. Hazel South of Lawton, Ok., Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bailey and family, also Kerch Beard and Stephanie and Robin Dickey of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Graham and Melissa of Bushland, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Bailey, Todd and Kristi of Gilme.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lachar and Justice Brown and children of Amarillo visited Mrs. Elsie Shaw and Mrs. Celia Lumbach recently.

## DeBords Observe Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. DeBord were honored with a reception Saturday, Apr. 29, in the Lions Den for their 50th wedding anniversary.

Dusty and Shawna DeBord were at the register. Mrs. Connie Lee Wilson and Deborah DeBord served the beautiful three tiered wedding cake and gold punch from a table laid with a gold cloth and featuring a centerpiece of gold carnations. The gold cloth belonged to Mrs. Walter (Granny) DeBord.

Mark Conley (Slate) DeBord and Johnny OMA (Peggy) Rogers were united in marriage May 1, 1928, at Comstock, Texas. They have four children, Connie DeBord of Hedley, Mrs. Waldo Emerson of Curtis, Okla., Dewey DeBord of Sunday and Jerry DeBord of Brady, also nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The honorees received many lovely gifts.

## Grimsley Honored

The children of Ned Grimsley honored him with a big birthday dinner Apr. 23.

Those present with Ward Grimsley of Los Angeles, Cal., J. R. Grimsley of Fort Worth, Jewell Chennant, Flora O'Neal and Ann Derrick of Amarillo, Frank and Lavonia Skidmore, a grandchild, Gary Swinney, a granddaughter and family, Ed and Wanita Taylor with two great grandchildren of Ned's, Kenneth and Kerch Taylor of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grimsley and son of Ned, and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Holcomb. Mrs. Ethel Grimsley, Ann and Ray were afternoon guests. Everyone enjoyed the dinner and the fellowship for the day.

## Mrs. Lena Crawford

Funeral services for Mrs. Lena Crawford, 82, a former Hedley who passed away Wednesday at Vernon, were held there Friday. Burial was in Rowe Cemetery here. She was the widow of the late Rev. L. J. Crawford.

She is survived by four sons, five daughters, three stepsons, four stepdaughters, 20 grand children and 26 great-grandchildren.

## To Visit School

All children who will be eligible to enter kindergarten next year are invited to visit school Friday morning, May 5. Each one needs to bring 60¢ to eat in the lunchroom.

Parents are asked to meet for a few minutes in the kindergarten room at 11:30 before taking their child home.

## Cheerleaders

The Hedley High School Cheerleaders are selling green jackets with the name of our town and our Owl emblem on them. If you are interested in one contact either Jackie Lindley 856-2671, Kim Woodard 856-4831, Janice Ash 856-2481, Susan Johnson 856-3281 or Sherrie Hill 856-2801.

A \$5.00 down payment for each jacket.

## Primary Election

Don't forget to vote in the primary May 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Spier of Arlington announce the arrival on Apr. 29 of a little daughter, weight 7 lbs 4 oz., who has been named Jennifer Lynn Ann. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Woodard Spier of Burleson and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nivens of Amarillo.

## Honor Graduates

Honor graduates for the Hedley Schools have been released. High school valedictorian is Lisa Stewart with an average of 93.65. Salutatorian is Bob White with an average of 87.14.

Junior high valedictorian is Tim Taylor with an average of 90.88, and salutatorian is Scott DeBord with an average of 89.06.

## School Board Meeting

Regular school board meeting will be Monday, May 8, at 9:00 in the school library.

## Lioness Club

The Lioness Club meets the first Thursday of each month, breakfast meeting at 8:30 and regular meeting at 7:30.

Martha Taylor is president of the group.

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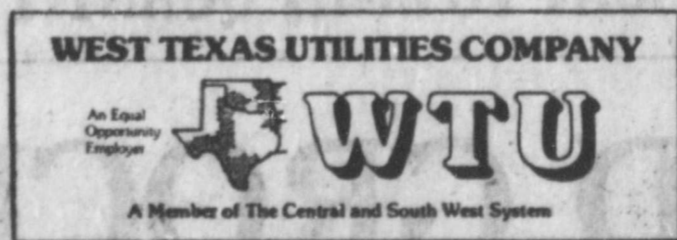


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**Primary Election**

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**School Lunchroom Menu**

Thurs, May 4, steak fingers, creamed potatoes, green beans, bread, peanut butter and crackers milk.

Fri., May 5, sloppy joe on bun, tater tots, ketchup, lettuce, sliced onions, fruit jello, milk.

Mon., May 8, ravioli, cheese, corn, carrot sticks, chocolate cake, milk.

Tue., May 9, turkey roll, cranberry sauce, green beans, macaroni and cheese, hot rolls, cookies, milk.

Wed., May 10, barbecue with rice, carrots and peas, bread, fruit, milk.

Thurs., May 11, chicken salad or lettuce leaf, oven fried potatoes, bread, peanut butter and Graham crackers, milk.

Fri., May 12, tamales, baked beans, salad, bread, fruit jello, milk.

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**FFA News**

The Hedley and Quail FFA took part in the judging contests at Texas Tech Apr 22. The Hedley dairy products team placed 6th at Tech, 5th in area, and 1st in Greenbelt District. This team was Randy Woodard, Steve Scott, Jeff Hill and Paul Dwight alternates.

Hedley and Quail had livestock and dairy cattle teams, but have not learned their placings.

Hedley livestock team was Ben Lemley, Andy Wheatly and J. B. Wortham. Dairy cattle team was Mark Brinson, Jimmie Adams and John Seibt.

Quail livestock team was Ronald Alston, Gene Caldwell and Charles Arthur. Dairy cattle team was Otis Farrie, Mike Guthrie and Harold Baker.

Dane McDuffie was voting delegate for the Hedley FFA at the district meeting in Memphis Apr. 26.

**School Tax Valuations Are Raised**

The School Board of Hedley ISD has decided to use 100% of value as a basis for levying taxes for the year 1978 instead of 40.8% as previously used.

Anyone wishing to meet with the Equalization Board for discussion is invited to do so. Date for the meeting has been set for May 1st from 6 to 9 p. m.

The rate will be lowered from last year's \$2.00 per \$100, but the exact amount has not yet been determined.

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