

# The Hedley Informer

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## Hospital Election

The Board of Directors of the Donley County Hospital District wish to thank the voters of Donley County for the support they showed in the recent election. We pledge continued efforts to serve the citizens of this District and the surrounding area and to see that the best medical services are available to you, the people.

The results of the recent election are as follows:

C C Ayers, Clarendon 282, Hedley 84, Total 366.

O C Watson, Clarendon 276, Hedley 81, Total 357.

John H Jones, Clarendon 270, Hedley 81, Total 351.

Bud Hermesmeier, Clarendon 181, Hedley 45, Total 226

Mrs Theron Holland Clarendon 128, Hedley 38, Total 166.

Four other write-in candidates received 11 votes each with three or four others receiving 1 or 2 votes each. Three other members of the board who still have one year to serve are Delbert Robertson, Ernest Barbee and Lacy Noble. At the recent board meeting which followed the election, the new members were sworn in and officers for the following year were elected. The results of that election: Delbert Robertson President, O C Watson Vice-president and Ernest Barbee Secretary

Ms. and Mrs Charles N. Johnson and children, Charlotte Grant and Cindy of Matador spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Johnson.

## Bellringer Drive

Mrs. Betty Morgan has been designated Bellringer Chairperson for Hedley by Tom J. Caldwell Jr, President of the Texas Association for Mental Health.

The Bellringer Drive is sponsored by the Texas Association for Mental Health, a citizen's voluntary organization working on behalf of the mentally ill and to promote mental health

Mrs. Morgan will be organizing workers for the drive, which will take place in May, Mental Health Month.

Funds collected for mental health will be used for children's services mental health education and information, and to stimulate community mental health services

## Hunsucker Honored

Corky Hunsucker of Seneca, S Car, has recently been nominated to appear in the 1974 edition of Who's Who in South Carolina, a compilation on outstanding citizens of South Carolina.

To be considered for listing persons must have distinguished themselves in business, government or civic awareness within their own communities, making it quite an honor for Corky.

Mr and Mrs. Edward Morton were here last week from Reno, Nevada

Tim Upton of Amarillo visited in the Roy McKee home last week

## To Wed June 22



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsey Jr. of Clarendon announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Linda, to Tex Naylor, son of Mr and Mrs. T E Naylor of Hedley

The wedding will take place on Saturday, June 22 at 4 p m in the First Baptist Church of Hedley.

Friends of the couple are invited to attend.

## Mrs. Lula B. White

Mrs. Lula B. White, 84, passed away last Thursday at Ontario, Oregon. She was the mother of C. M. Stearns of Hedley. Mr. Stearns left Friday to attend the funeral.

## 42 Club

The 42 Club will meet with Mrs. Georgia Jeffers on Thursday, April 25, at 7:00.

Visiting the T. J. Cherrys for Easter holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Crisler of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Brown, Teresa, Troy Ross, Cherry and Alexia and Angela Miller of Vernon, Rickey Cherry and Anne Roederer of El Paso.

Mr and Mrs A. D. Nelson of Jefferson, Texas and Mr and Mrs. Tom Smiley of DeSoto, Texas, visited in the Tom Clendennen home part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs Danny Morgan were here last week end from Oklahoma City.

The J. C. Upton family were here from Amarillo last week end

## Junior Play

The junior class will present their play, Come Out of the Closet, a three act comedy, in the high school auditorium on Thursday, April 18, at 7:30.

Admission will be \$1 00 for adults and 50¢ for students.

## Bland Honored

Wichita Falls, Tex —Staff Sergeant Tommy E. Bland, son of Mr and Mrs Travis E. Bland of Hedley, Tex, has received his second award of the Air Force Commendation Medal at Sheppard AFB, Tex

Sergeant Bland, a dental specialist, was cited for meritorious service at Korat Royal Thai AFB, Thailand

He now serves at Sheppard with the School of Health Care Sciences The sergeant, a 1964 graduate of Palo Duro High School, Amarillo, Tex, attended Amarillo Junior College (USAF Home Town News Center)

## Mrs. Ella Tate

Word has been received here that Mrs Ella Tate, a former Hedleyan, passed away April 4 at Woodburn, Oregon.

Mary Margaret Pyeatt of Amarillo visited the A. E. Ransons last week.

The Neil Tibbets family of Gainesville visited in the C. R. Hunsucker home part of last week.

Mrs Thelma Hodges of Albuquerque visited in the John Tate home last week.

Mr and Mrs Bruce Shields and Kari of Amarillo spent last week end in Hedley and Lelia Lake.

Mr and Mrs David Spier and Marci were here last week end from Amarillo.

Jess Mann has been brought home from the Memphis hospital and is getting along nicely.

Jon Leggitt of Pampa visited his grandparents, the Lloyd Leggitts, last week end.

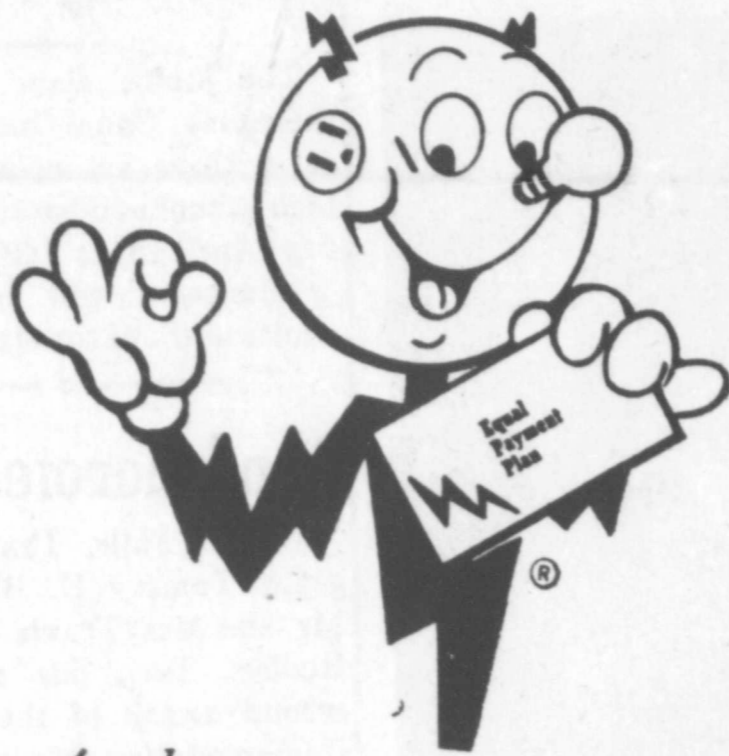
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Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. All Lions are urged to be present.

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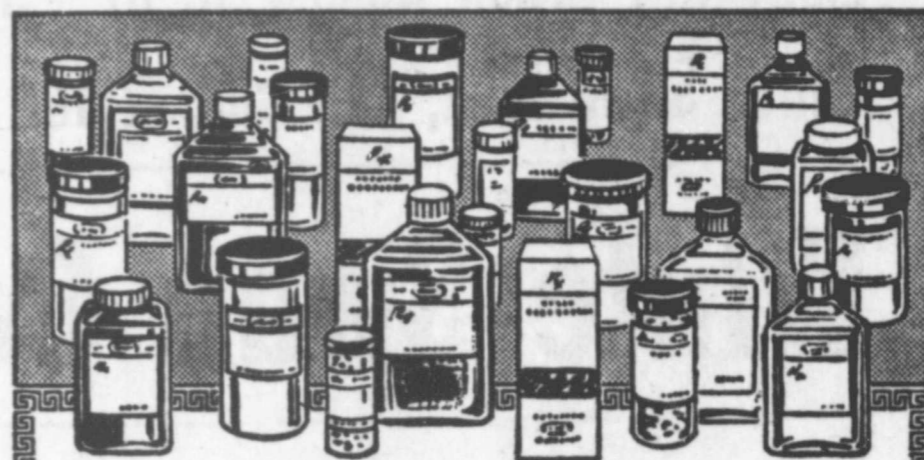
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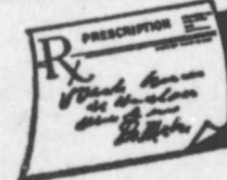


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April 4, 11 and 25  
 May 2, 16 and 30  
 June 6, 13 and 27

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 2, 16 and 30  
 May 7, 14 and 21  
 June 4, 11 and 25

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## LIONS ROAR

The next meeting of the club will be April 25 at 7:30 p m, with Mrs. Kate Stone and Mrs. J M Baker serving.

The state semi-finalist Hedley Owls basketball team and their coaching staff will be guests of the club. A film of the final game in Austin will be a part of the program.

The district convention will be in Dumas May 3, 4 and 5. The Hedley club will be allowed three votes at the convention

Mr. and Mrs. Garry Bible of Pampa visited here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Baggett and children were here last week end from Claude.

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## Greenbelt News

The April meeting of the Greenbelt directors was in Quanah. The members cities of Childress, Quanah, Crowell, Clarendon and Hedley were all represented. Clifford Johnson represented Hedley. Also present were three members of the Authority's engineers. Freese, Nichols and Endress of Fort Worth.

The March 1974 usage of Greenbelt water was 70,277,000 gallons and in March a year ago it was 59,581,000 gallons. Lake depth this year is 63 84 feet and a year ago it was 61 34 feet.

A new lake on Lake Creek for reservv water was discussed. The engineers were instructed to start the preliminary ground work on this project

Golden Mikesell and Bud Holland of Denver, Mr and Mrs. Joe Thomas of Amarillo, Mr and Mrs. J M Dickson of Panhandle, Donna, Tammy and Leah Dickson of Amarillo visited here last week end and had dinner with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Molly Dickson. Mrs. Dickson went home with Golden.

Mr and Mrs Ricky Skaggs were here from Fort Worth last week end



## LEGION NEWS

Four members of the Memphis American Legion post visited the meeting of the Hedley post last Tuesday night. They were advertising the spring district convention of the Legion and Auxilliary to be held in Memphis May 4 and 5.

New district officers will be elected at this meeting for a two year term Retiring district commander is Troy Johnston of Shamrock

Visiting in the Clarence Welch home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs C. E Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Tex Welch of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs Lonnie Neeley and Mr and Mrs Wade Welch and Genarah of Wellington, Mr and Mrs. W W. Welch and Beeky of Dallas Mr. and Mrs Cary Neeley and Curtis of Quail, Mr and Mrs Jim Ingram, Heath and Andrea of Claude, Mr. and Mrs C J Welch, Mrs. Melvin Blevins and children Karen, Mark, Melissa and Deborah and son-in-law Steve McKowen and friend Shelly Jenkins, all of Amarillo.

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

Patsy and Karen Tate of Fontana, Calif, visited their grandparents, the John Tates, last week.

Mr. and Mrs H. C. McMahan of Lubbock visited the Jess Manns over the week end.

Kelley Woodard spent the week in Groom with her brother.

Mrs Barbara Crow of Houston and Wendell Hausard of Brazoria were here for Easter

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## School Lunchroom Menu

Thurs, Apr. 18, fish, green beans, whole potatoes with sauce, batter bread, apple cobbler, milk.

Fri., Apr. 19, hamburgers, catsup, tater sticks, lettuce, sliced onions, fruit jello, milk.

Mon, Apr. 22, stew with vegetables, cube cheese, corn bread, fruit cobbler, milk

Tues, Apr 23, barbecue wieners, buttered rice, green beans, hot rolls, butter, fruit, milk.

Wed, Apr. 24, pinto beans, spinach, deviled eggs, corn bread, cinnamon rolls, milk.

Thurs, Apr 25, fish, baked potatoes, green salad, sliced bread, butter, peanut butter brownies, milk.

Fri, Apr. 26, western burgers, tater sticks, lettuce, sliced onions, fruit jello milk

## Notice

Time on the Junior play has been changed to 8:00 o'clock.

The Bobby Stephens family were here from Amarillo last week end

## Notice

People make the news and your newspaper is always interested in what you've done Let us know if you have: Died, married, enlisted, graduated, been born, left town, been shot, struck oil, had triplets, been lynched, been robbed, been elected, had a fire, been arrested, found a still, been promoted, written a book, inherited a million, committed a murder, stuck up a bank, bought a home.

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