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To Seek Pay Raise

Austin—A minimum beginning salary of \$3,000 instead of the present \$2,403 for public school teachers will be asked of the next legislature by the Texas State Teachers Association.

"Texas annually must have nearly 5,000 new teachers either as replacements or to take care of the rapidly increasing enrollment. The profession must be made more attractive and Texas faces a critical situation in its schools unless that can be accomplished, Chas. H. Tennyson, executive secretary of the association said in making the announcement.

Tennyson also pointed out that more of the state tax dollar must be allocated to public schools for additional classrooms if children are to continue to get a good education.

Despite an increase in the pay for teachers granted by the voters and legislature three years ago, the profession is not attractive to young people because the pay is less than the national average for all workers. The average salary for all Texas professional public school personnel is \$3,182, but that of that of the average classroom teacher is only 2,980. In comparison, the average for all employed people in the United States including laborers, is \$3,390.

Baseball News

Hedley will play Childress here next Sunday at 3 p. m. Childress has a fast young team and should give the locals a bit of competition.

Last Sunday Hedley defeated the Claude Cap Rock League team 15 to 4. Mathis and Dorman did the pitching for Hedley. Bill Jenkins put one over the center field wall for a homer. This gives Hedley 8 wins against one loss in league play.

Boy Scout News

W. L. Stewart, C. L. Johnson and T. O. McFarland took 10 Boy Scouts to the District Scout Camp north of Canadian Sunday. Mr. McFarland will remain with the boys this week and hopes to catch a fish.

Those making the trip were Scouts Joe Wayne Wood, Bill Reeves, Tommy and Terry Bailey, Bobby and Bennie Lesley, Bennie Sims, Jimmy Waddell, Don Youree and Deward Gibson.



EVANGELIST Z. A. MYERS AND WIFE

Revival Meeting

A revival is now in progress at the Assembly of God Church with Evangelist Z. A. Myers and wife of Long Beach, Calif. in charge. Rev. T. E. Gibson, pastor, announces that the revival will go through July 13. There will be a special Childrens Church at 7:30 each evening before the 8:00 o'clock evangelistic service.

The public is cordially invited.

Card of Thanks

We want to thank each and everyone for their kind deeds and words spoken during the death of our loved one. Also to those who prepared food each day and to those who sent the beautiful floral offering we offer our sincere thanks. May God bless each and every one of you.

R. O. Shannon
R. E. Shannon and family
W. W. Farris and family
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Watkins
Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Parsons
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watkins

Letha and Thelma Moss have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moss in Dallas. During their visit they attended a portion of the Stamps-Baxter School of Music. They also visited the WFAA radio station during open house week and saw a number of WFAA radio stars.

Capt. Everett Mann of Millbrae, Calif., visited here last week.



LIONS ROAR

New Boss Lion Carl Morris and the other new officers and directors of the club will be installed next Thursday night. Lion R. E. Drennan of Clarendon, former Deputy District Governor will be the installing officer. Meeting time is 8 p. m.

Attendance at last week's meeting was mighty good. Let's keep it up during the summer months.

Something to be thinking about for next month is the Old Settlers Picnic and the Lions annual family picnic.

Awarded Ribbon

With U. S. Forces in Alaska--M-Sgt. Clyde A. Thomas of Hedley, Texas, recently was awarded the Army Commendation Ribbon for meritorious service on the eve of his rotation to the U. S. from Alaska.

His wife and daughter have been living in Alaska with him.

The Sergeant was assigned to Headquarters Company, U. S. Army, Alaska. His decoration was presented for his work as an instructor in the senior Army instructor's office of the Organized Reserve Corps. He also holds the Silver Star for gallantry in action, Bronze Star Medal, Purple Heart for wounds received in action and the Combat Infantryman Badge.

Polio

The Texas State Health department is urging every town, community and person in Texas to take every precaution in the prevention of polio.

As most of you know, one of the families of our town has recently had the misfortune to have a case of polio. We must do everything in our power to prevent another case if possible.

Dr. George Cox of the State Health department has termed all "out houses" or privies as a serious menace. He also says that towns should be cleared of rubbish, trash and weeds.

Since we are fortunate to have a sewer, it is our duty as citizens of Hedley to rid our town of these open toilets and clean up our alleys and any other unsanitary conditions that might be a breeding place for flies or any kind of filth. PLEASE don't be indifferent about this as polio is certainly a serious disease.

Your cooperation in this clean-up campaign will be appreciated.

Mayor, Mike Thornberry
City Health Officer, D. H. Cox, D. O.

Beckworth Visits Here

Lindley Beckworth of Gladewater, candidate for the U. S. Senate, was a caller at the Informer office Tuesday night. He states that he formerly had three uncles living in this vicinity, two of them, John and Tillman Slaughter, having grown cotton at Hedley some 25 years ago while the third, W. P. Slaughter, taught school at Lelia Lake.

John Slaughter was shot dead while serving as night watchman at Clarendon.

Mrs. Virgil Threet of Roswell visited in the R. E. Newman home this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Rolan E. Wiley and family of Cordell, Okla., visited here last week and made a trip to Albuquerque over the week end, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Biffle.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hickey of El Paso visited here last week.

George Gordon of El Paso was a Hedley visitor Tuesday.

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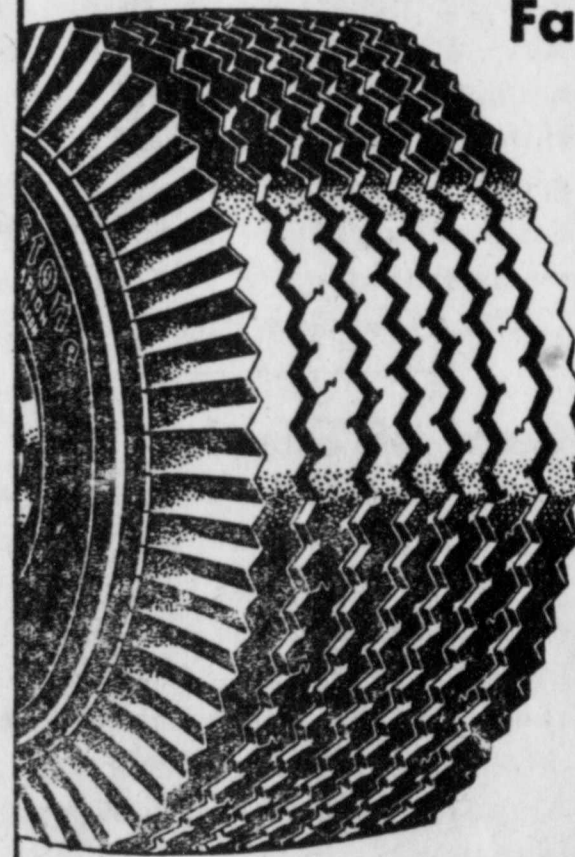
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Hedley

Polio Case Here

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Adamson-Lane Post 287, American Legion

Meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. All Legionnaires are requested to attend.

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Due to recent irregularities in which some people fish, there will be no fishing on the Cooke ranch without permission. W. H. Cooke III 318p

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Clarendon Celebration Set For July 3-4-5

Officials of the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association, sponsors of the Annual Clarendon Fourth of July Celebration, this week are putting the final touches on what already promises to be the biggest celebration in Clarendon's history.

Sixteen beeves have been donated by ranchers for the traditional free barbecue to be held on the courthouse lawn at noon on the Fourth.

This year's celebration is scheduled for three days, July 3rd, 4th and 5th, instead of the customary two days. Featured attractions will be the rodeo performances on the night of July 3rd, the afternoon and night of July 5th. Cowboys from the surrounding ranches and the top rodeo performers from the amateur circuit will vie for prize money totaling more than \$2000.00 in addition to shop made saddles and boots.

Other attractions include a western parade on the afternoon of the 4th and matched horse races on the afternoon of the 5th. Western dances each night at the air conditioned American Legion Hall will feature the music of Emmett Allen and his Sunset Ramblers.

Highlighting the attractions on the 4th will be an Old Settlers get-together for persons who have resided in Donley County for twenty-five or more years and for former residents of the county of twenty-five or more years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Stephens announce the arrival of a fine little daughter June 25, weighing 7 lbs., 4 oz. The young lady has been named Debra Ellen.

Quilting Club

The Quilting Club met last Wednesday at the McKnight Community House with Mrs. Clyde Bridges as hostess. The ladies came with thimbles ready to quilt despite the wind and sand. Everyone was glad to see her neighbor.

At the noon hour a bountiful lunch was served of fried chicken and all the trimmings. When the hour came to go home four beautiful quilts had been finished. Mrs. Bridges, in her gracious manner expressed her appreciation to the group.

One member, Mrs. Walter DeBord, was absent due to a vacation in California. We missed her since she is so faithful. We do hope she got into the movies while there. Several others were absent due to busy farm work. Since revival meeting time is here in the different communities the club will not meet until all meetings are over.

Those present were Mesdames T. N. Messer, Joe Miller, Pete Messer, John Tate, Henry Nivens, J. M. Kennedy, W. I. Rains, L. D. Messer, Bill Clay, Tom Tate, Ellis Harrison, Rexie Word, Jack Perkins and Misses Virginia Miller and Olena Perkins and the hosters.

Reporter

Notice

If anyone has used clothes to contribute to those who need them, please bring them to the West Texas Utilities office. Both children and adult clothes are needed, and are being requested every week

Notice

Now that the weeds are growing fast, more money is needed in the Hedley cemetery fund to keep up the good work that is being done. If you wish to contribute, see Winfield Mosley, City Secretary.

First Baptist Church

O. L. Jones, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Training Union 7:30
M. L. Sims, Director
Evening Service 8:30
Choir Practice Wednesday at 7:30
Midweek Prayer Services 8:15
W.M.U. meets Monday at 2:30
Sunbeams Wednesday at 2:30
G. A. Thursday at 4:30

Church of the Nazarine

M. W. Wilson, Pastor
Sunday School 10 A.M.
Preaching Service 11 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
W.M.S. each 2nd Wednesday
Mid-week Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

Swimming Party

The Young People's Sunday School class of the Baptist Church went to Wellington Tuesday morning and enjoyed a lunch at the park and later swimming. Those who went were Nancy Nash, Jane Mosley, Peggy Spear, Wanda Saunders, Jacque Johnson, Wanda Moore, Joan Youree, Jean Bailey, Barbara Johnson, Patsy Blevins, Rusty Mosley, Benny Spear, Lettie Thomas, Mrs. Sims, Mrs. Mosley, and Mrs. Johnson. All reported a very nice time.

Billy Wiggins suffered a broken arm when he fell from his bicycle Friday.

Nancy Hunsucker visited in Turkey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Alewine and the C. R. Hunsucker family left Friday morning for a few days visit in Oklahoma.

Virginia Kelly of Memphis underwent a throat operation last week at the Mayo Clinic at Rochester, Minn.

Church of Christ

Shelby W. Sanders, Minister
Sunday Bible Study 10:00 A. M.
Preaching 11:00 A. M.
Communion Service 11:45 A. M.
Evening Services 8:00 P. M.
Tuesday Ladies Bible Class 3:00
Wed. Mid-Week Service 8:00 P. M.
We invite everyone to come and meet with us.

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Hedley Chapter No. 413, O.E.S., meets the first Friday of each month at 8 P.M. Members are requested to attend. Visitors welcome.
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For County Commissioner, Prec. 3:
F. M. MURRAY
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M. E. FOSTER

For County Judge:
W. J. WILLIAMS
(Re-election)
JACK E. GRAY
J. N. WEAVER

For County and District Clerk:
WALKER LANE
(Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector
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For District Attorney:
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