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Judge Williams Dies

William Joseph Williams, 76, county judge of Donley County passed away Saturday afternoon in an Amarillo hospital. He had been in failing health for some time.

Funeral services were held Wednesday from the First Christian Church at Clarendon by the pastor, Minister L. L. Oliver. The Clarendon Masonic lodge was in charge of graveside rites. Burial was in the Clarendon cemetery.

Mr. Williams had been a resident of Carson and Donley counties for about 40 years, serving as county judge in both. He was an elder in the First Christian Church and a member of the Eastern Star and Masonic lodges.

Proclamation

Whereas, Monday, October 20, is the beginning of another fiscal year for the American Legion, the largest veterans' organization in the history of mankind and

Whereas, the department of Texas through its executive committee and its state commander, Albert D. Brown has set aside the above date for special emphasis upon the American Legion and its program and

Whereas, the local post of the American Legion has over a long period of years contributed to the welfare of this community and area and has constantly fought for veterans' benefits and for the widows and orphans of veterans, I Mike Thornberry as mayor of Hedley do

Hereby proclaim, Monday, October 20, as "L" Day in honor of the American Legion urge all citizens and veterans to give special consideration to this great patriotic organization upon this day as its members go forth to get members for 1953.

Given under my hand and seal this day, October 16, 1952.

Mike Thornberry, Mayor



LEGION NEWS

The Legion Auxiliary will meet next Tuesday night, Oct. 21, at the Legion Hall at 8 P.M.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Mosley spent the week end in Amarillo visiting their son and family and other relatives.

Royal Party To Star In Coronation 8 P. M. Oct. 31



Pictured above is the official Royal Party of the Donley County Cotton Harvest Festival slated for celebration in Hedley October 31, November 1. Left to right they are Princess Charlene Johnson, Queen Wanda Ann Hansard and Princess Joyce Sanders. This trio will be officially crowned on Friday, October 31, at 8 P.M. in a colorful ceremony open to the public at the High School Auditorium. In addition all honorary Princess candidates will be featured in a processional led by mass colors of the concurrent Scout Jamboree. The High School Band will participate and many notables are expected to be on hand. The Queen and her princesses will climax a busy pre-festival schedule by reigning over all official events on Saturday, Nov. 1st.

School to Open Oct. 27

Supt. J. S. Hinds announced this week that the school board has decided to dismiss school for one week more than previously announced. Classes will be resumed Oct. 27.

Booster Tour Set For October 22nd

Every available car and driver is being requisitioned to make a Booster trip around the Panhandle on Wednesday, October 22, to promote the forthcoming Cotton Festival. The Hedley High School Band, The Cotton Princesses, Royalty, Scouts, Explorers, Lions, and Legionnaires will lead a caravan from Hedley to Amarillo, and make the circle through Groom, Shamrock, McLean, and wind up, after visiting some 25 communities, in Memphis. Any car owner willing to make available his or her car and driving services are urged to contact Clifford Johnson at the bank as soon as possible.

Notice

The Informer will issue a souvenir edition dated Oct. 31 for the Cotton Festival, which will go to all subscribers on Thursday morning, Oct. 30.

All business men desiring an ad in this edition should contact the Informer at once, as space may be limited.

Clubs Sponsoring Citizenship Movement

The three Federated Clubs of the town, 1919 Study Club, Woman's Culture Club, and Sodalitas Club, are giving a coffee at 10:00 AM Wednesday, October 29, in the Lions Den, introducing Mrs. A. J. House of Yoakum, Texas, Regional Resident of 4th, 5th and 6th Districts of Texas Federated Clubs. Mrs. House will speak on "Why I Am Glad to Be an American."

The women of the town and community are invited to attend. Mrs. House has traveled widely both in Europe and the Orient, and is well prepared to give a most interesting and instructive address.

Gray Appointed Judge

The Commissioners Court met Monday and appointed Jack E. Gray as county judge to fill the vacancy created by the death of W. J. Williams. Mr. Gray was elected county judge in the August primary and would have taken office January 1st.

Revival Meeting

A revival meeting will begin next Sunday at the Church of the Nazarene to last through Nov. 2. Services will be at 8 o'clock each evening by Evangelist H. D. Williams of Clarendon.

A group of young people from Pampa will do the singing, and there will be plenty of special songs.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Notice to Bidders

The Commissioners Court of Donley County, Texas, will receive bids for one tandem drive diesel 100 Horsepower Motor Grader equipped with cab, heater, scarifier, 13"x 24" front tires, hydraulic booster steering and 14' blade; bids will be received in the office of the county judge and will be opened November 10th, 1952, with the right to reject any and all bids. One No. 12 Caterpillar Diesel Motor Grader will be given in trade.

Cpl. and Mrs. Buddy Swindell of Ft. Worth visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hemelstrand.

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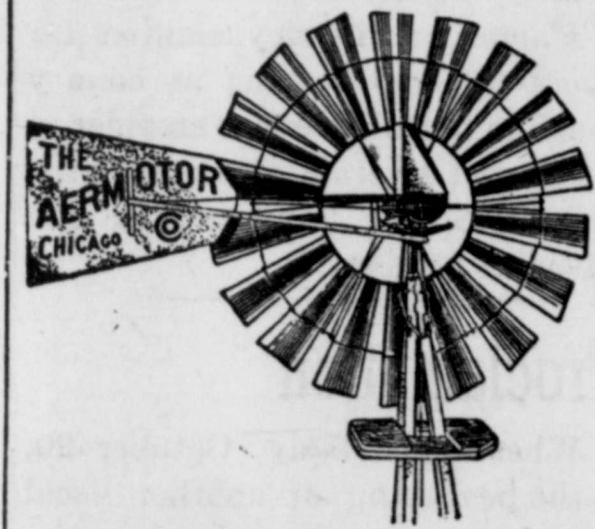
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The WSCS met Monday, Oct. 13, with Mrs. T. O. McFarland. After a short business session the leader, Mrs. J. B. Masterson, took charge of the program, giving the devotional, Our Faith in Christ. Mrs. Joyce Stewart led in prayer. Mrs. Hinds gave a very interesting talk on the goals for four years which will help promote the Kingdom of God. A sketch of two presidents' views of mission study was given by Mrs. Hinds and Mrs. Leon Reeves. Mrs. McFarland read the story of Count Up to Seven. The leader closed the program by reading this beautiful hymn:

Strong Son of God, Immortal Love,
Whom we that have not seen Thy face,
By faith, and faith alone embrace,
Believing where we cannot prove;
Thou wilt not leave us in the dust;
Thou modest man, he knows not why,
He thinks he was not made to die;
And Thou hast made him; Thou art just.
Thou seemest human and divine,
The highest, holiest manhood,
Thou:
Our wills are ours, we know not how;
Our wills are ours, to make them Thine.
Our little systems have their day;

They have their day and cease to be
They are but broken lights of Thee
And Thou, O Lord, art more than they.—Alford Tennyson

Mrs. C. E. Johnson dismissed with prayer. The hostess served delicious refreshments to 15 ladies.

We will not meet Monday on account of family night at the church. Come and bring a covered dish. We will meet Monday, Oct. 27th, at 6 PM at the church for Week of Prayer program.

See the Methodist ladies if you want to renew Hollands Magazine.

Winfield Mosley and family left Tuesday for Dallas where they will visit relatives and attend the Dallas Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carlton and Norma Jean returned Sunday from a vacation trip to California, where they visited in Los Angeles, Balboa, Newport Beach and other points. On the trip they visited Mr. Carlton's uncle, T. J. Morrison, whom he had not seen in 34 years. Mr. Morrison formerly lived at Memphis.

Mr and Mrs. Curtis Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Owens Jr. and Beth of Amarillo visited here last week end

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Kinsey and son of Hereford visited here over the week end.

Good Neighbors

Further evidence that Hedley is the best place in the world to live was shown last week by the manner in which the people of the community came to the assistance of a family who had become the victims of misfortune. Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Blankenship must have felt pretty discouraged late Saturday afternoon, Oct. 4, after fire which destroyed their home had reduced most of their clothing and household possessions to ashes. But their friends and neighbors showered them with gifts last week until now they have just about everything they need to set up housekeeping again.

It is times like this which draw the people of our community closer together. It puts a warm feeling around the heart of the giver as well as those who receive. Some of the best people in the world live in Hedley.

Mrs J. M. Everett has moved back to Hedley from Amarillo.

Earl Tollett was in town Sunday from Wellington.

Church of the Nazarene

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Preaching Service 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.
W.M.S. each 2nd Wednesday
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday 7:30 P. M.

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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
MYF and Children's Service 7:30 P.M.
Evening Worship 8:15 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 8:15 P.M.
Choir Practice, Wed., 7:30 P.M.
Candlelight Prayer Service, each Saturday, 7:30 to 8:30 P.M.
Stewards Meeting, Monday night after the First Sunday in each month
Family Night, Monday night after the Third Sunday in each month
W.S.C.S., Monday, 3:00 P.M.
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Christian Church

Sunday School at 3:15.
Preaching at 4:00 by the Minister, L. L. Oliver.

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Fox Newsreels Invited KGNC To Air Festival

Twentieth Century Fox and possibly other newsreel companies will record the main Festival events on film for their weekly newsreels released throughout the world. First films will be released here in Hedley according to company officials. The very style of wide spread coverage naturally will limit the amount of space given by the finished edition, but Festival officials are enthusiastic over the international publicity that Hedley will receive through this far reaching medium.

One of radio's most popular farm programs, "Cotton John" will originate, via recordings, from Hedley during the Festival and the entire broadcast period both days will be devoted to interviews of local participants and descriptions of Festival exhibits. "Cotton John" will be on hand in person for many of the events.

See Myrtle Kirkpatrick for flowers or leave order at Wilson drug.

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our sincere thanks to our many friends who helped us in our time of sorrow. Each word of sympathy and each act of kindness was deeply

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared D. E. Boliver, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Hedley Informer and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption.

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D. E. Boliver
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of October, 1952.
Frank Kendall
(My commission expires Dec. 31, 1952.)

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Mary Ruth, why were you so anxious to go to Canyon? Could a certain Wellington boy have something to do with it?

Jacque J., what's this I hear about your going with another boy? What is Wallace going to say when he hears about this?

Joyce W., did you have a good

time Sunday night? Seems as though that boy can't make up his mind who he wants to go with.

Noriene, where did you and Donnie go Saturday night? You should have been in town, there was someone looking for you?

Tippie, what has happened to you and J. P.?

Peggy, how do you rate getting that pretty corsage? I notice Adrian never gave you one. Could this be love?

Nancy N., I see you don't get around much any more. Could it be because Bill isn't here any more?



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Grand Parade Route Announced

The official Grand Parade of the Cotton Festival is slated to be one of the largest ever witnessed in this area. Bands, floats, and novelty entries will start at the school house, move west to Main, south to the bank, west to Johnson Street and north to dispersal point near the Legion Hall. The same route will be followed Friday for the Kiddies Parade. The Grand Parade on Saturday is scheduled for 11 AM. No traffic will be allowed to move on or across the route during parade hours.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to our friends of the town and community for the many acts of kindness shown us, especially the First Baptist Church, the Lions Club, the Dorcas Sunday School Class and the Sodalitas Club, who sponsored showers. Your thoughtfulness and generosity will never be forgotten.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Blankenship and family

Cotton Report

Census report shows that 1067 bales of cotton were ginned in Donley County from the crop of 1952 prior to Oct. 1, as compared with 881 bales for the crop of 1951

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The Bill Jones, Murphy-Spicer lots across from the City Hall will be the location for the Cotton Festival featuring amusement rides,

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