The Hedley Informer

HEDLEY, DONLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, MAR. 2, 1956

Questions and Answers Peter F. Tidwell **On Salt Fork Dam**

In the near future a confirmation election will be held in the seven area towns concerned to ap prove or reject the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority, which proposes the dam across Salt Fork of Red River north of Hedley. The Informer is publishing a series of articles in question and answer form to acquaint the voters with the facts concerning this project.

(Continued from last week)

Q: What is the estimated cost of the completed construction of the dam and the pipe lines for delivering water to the various cities and other customers under consideration at this time?

A: The actual cost of the project cannot be definitely determined ing financed. until construction contracts for dam, the filtration plant pipe lines, etc. have been advertised and let under competitive bidding under the supervision of the Board of Directors and the engineers for the Authority. Under present prevailing prices, the cost of the completed project is estimated at \$8,100,000.00, including interest during construction and all origination expenses.

Q: How will this project be fi-

Funeral services were held for Peter Franklin (Uncle Pete) Tidwell, 78, in the McLean Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon. Rev. R. M. Cole, pastor of the Baptist Church at Alanreed, officiated. Burial was in Rowe Cemetery here.

Mr. Tidwell, a retired farmer, passed away Sunday in the home of a son, J T. Tidwell, in McLean. He is survived by one other son, six daughters, 28 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren and was a brother of J. M. Tidwell of Hedley.

districts. However, for the purpose of calculations at this time, a rate of 4% is being used for the reason that it is comparable to

such other projects presently be-

Q: What will be the security pledged to the payment of these bonds?

A: This is a natural and logical question for in its answer you can determine just what the cost will be to your city and its citizens. The ansmer is that there are definite fixed annual requirements for principal and interest which must be paid as it becomes due. There-

thority must come primarily from the cities, there must be fixed herent with anything that grows, agreements with the cities. Each for growth is the result of change. Q: For how long will the bonds city will be expected to enter into a long term contract to purchase created 102 years ago. In 1854

To Wed March 24



Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Mosley announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jane, to James Montye Smith son of Mrs. Edna Smith, of Clarendon, Texas. The wedding will take place March 24 at 7:00 PM in the First Baptist Church, Hedley, Texas.

Public Schools Week

The need for the public school never changes, but times and con-

R. L. Farris Dies

R. L. (Bob) Farris passed away Wednesday morning at the Odom hospital in Memphis, where he had been since suffering a heart attack Tuesday of last week.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ here Thursday afternoon, March 1, by Mr. Milton Ownbey, Minister, and Mr. J. C. Stepp, Minister of the Lelia Lake Church of Christ. Interment was in Rowe Cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Leonard Baggett, John Nash, Chester Walker, Charlie Johnson, Leroy Harris, and Doc Kennedy.

Honorary pallbearers were Milt Mosley, Jake Masterson, Jess Mann, J. W. Bland, Walter De-Bord, Leon Reeves, Clifford Johnson, John Hill, Herman Kirkpatrick, Hobart Moffitt, Rosco Land, Vance Alewine, Fred Watt, and Malcolm Glass.

Robert Lee Farris was born Aug. 22, 1885, at Celina, Tenn. He was married to Miss Cordelia Owens on March 31, 1903, at Moss, Tenn. The family moved

to Daingerfield, Texas, in 1906. and later to Hall County and reditions may change or require to sided near the Brice community fore, since the income to the Au- be changed methods and practices from 1911 to 1913. They then of public education. This is in- moved to Donley County where

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nanced?

A: By the issuance of bonds.

be issued?

Authority, the bonds cannot run mated that the present daily usage for longer than 40 years.

issued?

not be determined at this time because the price of money fluctuready for the market. It is con-

bonds will carry such rates as are comparable to those of other simi-

lar construction projects which require some two years to construct and maybe another six months to impound an adequate amount of water. On such projects which do not have historical earning records as a market predicate, it cannot be expected to receive as low an interest rate as the wellestablished credit of long time operating counties, cities and school

A: Under the statute authoriz- a minimum amount of water from ing the issuance of bonds by the the Authority. It has been esti-the public school.

of water in the various cities is

Q: What will be the interest 100 gallons per day per capita so gent understanding of the imporrate on the bonds proposed to be the plan is that the initial contract tant functions of our basic institu-

tions. This is especially true of with each city shall be placed at A: The actual interest rate can- a minimum of 100 gallons per day the schools. The initiative and ren, 1 sister, Mrs. Lizzie Smith of per capita and the minimum price resourcefulness and the wisdom and leadership that our schools is to be 25¢ per thousand gallons

ates, and the rate can only be As an illustration, the following is are inculcating in the youth of today are the answer of the probmade at the time the bonds are a preliminary estimate of the anlems of citizenship in the years ticipated annual payments requirahead. templated, however, that these ed from each city having member-

ship in the Authority for water delivered into the tank:

> City Clarendon Hedley Memphis Wellington Childress Paducah Quanah McLean Shamrock "(To be continued next week)

they have resided since on a farm near Hedley. Our Texas public schools were

He was a member of the Church of Christ.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. the first law passed establishing R. L. Farris of Hedley, two daugh-

It is a healthy thing in our demoters, Mrs. Art Gamble of Borger. cratic way of life to have intelliand Mrs. H. E. Davidson of Amarillo; three sons Charley F. of Albuquerque, Woodroe of Hedley. and Jack of Austin; 8 grandchild-Celina, Tenn. One daughter preceded him in death.

Election May 8

We are informed that an election will be held on May 8 to confirm the legal organization of the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority.

This election will not vote any bonds, but is merely to confirm Hedley as a member of the group of towns participating.

58,092 fill their great obligation to our hold open house; accept their hos-23,652 times by being a participant in the pitality, and you will enjoy the 58,711 annual Public Schools Week, experience of going back to school March 5 through 10. Schools will -- if but for a day.

Yes, "bring me men to match mountains." That is the need of Annual Payment our times and must come from the

public schools-schools that are \$ 34,644 9,292 strong in virtues required for 75,692 building strong men and women. We can be assured of this and 61,680 125,616 do our part in understanding and 35,232 helping the public schools to ful-

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Methodist Church

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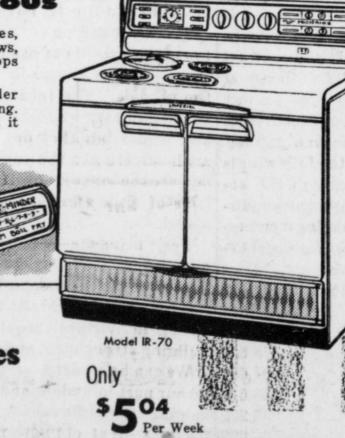
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ed to the dining hall by the presi-

dent Mrs. Herije Moreman. An

original musical invitation was

sung by Mrs. R. N. Huckabee as

the guests were served from the

bountiful salad table, centered by

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er Lee Morgan, R. M. Saunders,

R. A. Shaw, W. L. Stewart, M. O.

Weatherly, Dan Keith Wells, Hav-

old White, W. B Wiggins, Kenneth Brinson, Carl Gerlach, Win-

fred Doherty, Harrison Hall, J.

R. Carlton, Ray Moreman, A. E.

Ranson, J. S. Hinds, Winfield

Read the Classified Ads.

Mosley, and Frank Murray.

Card of Thanks

I want to express my sincere thanks to everyone for the many Members of the 1919 Study lovely gifts, clothes and money Club were hostesses to a lovely you gave me. I am using them Valentine Salad Supper Tuesday all, and appreciate them very, evening, Feb. 14, at 6 p. m. at the very much.

> I am not allowed to use my arms in writing letters, so am taking this means of thanking every one. I would appreciate letters from anyone who cares to write.

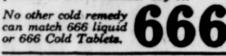
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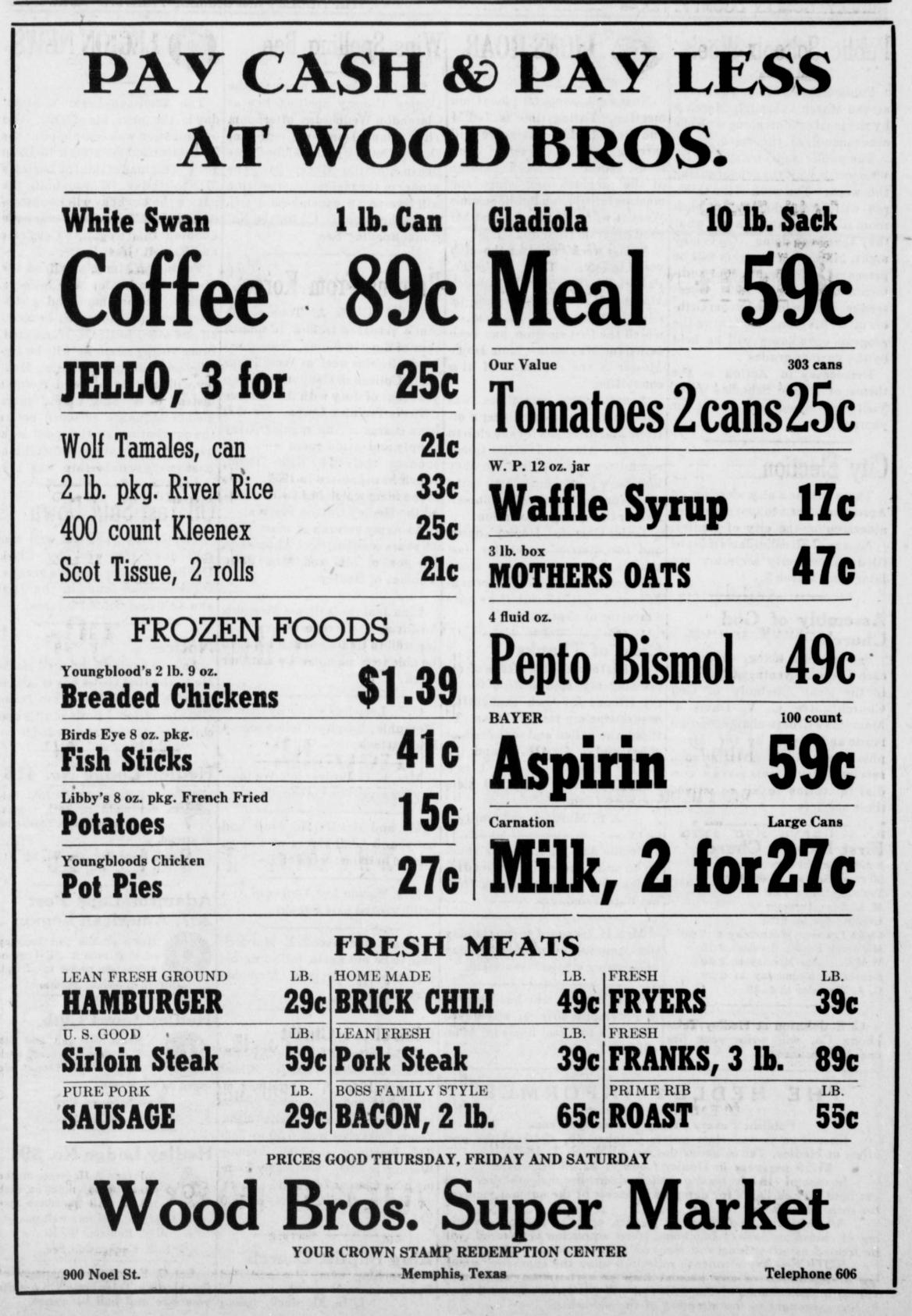
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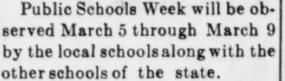
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Public Schools Week



The public is given a special invitation to visit the school during this week. The work of the children will be on display in each room so the visitors can see what they have been doing. On Friday night, March 9, a program will be presented in the high school auditorium beginning at 7:30. Guest speaker will be Judge Luther Gribble of Wellington. Following the program open house will be held by the various grades.

Democracy in Action is the theme of Public Schools Week Visit your school and see it for vourself.

City Election

There will be a city election on April 3 to elect a mayor and three aldermen for the city of Hedley.

Names of all candidates must be filed with the city secretary not later than March 3.

Assembly of God Church

Services are being conducted each Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the local Assembly of God Church Rev C. V. Davis of Memphis will be in charge. Special music and singing by the Memphis Assembly is given in each service. Rev. Davis gives a cordial invitation to all to attend these services.



Next week is regular Lions Club meeting. Eating time is 7 PM and the Lelia Lake ladies are still turning out some mighty good feeds. Lion J S. Hinds has charge of the program and since the meeting falls during Public Schools Week it will probably be another good program from our school.

At last week's meeting the club voted to have a float in the St. Patrick's Day parade at Shamrock March 17th. The float will be advertising the Salt Fork dam, on which the first election has been called for May 8th. Lion Doyle Messer is the chairman of this

committee. A nominating committee was appointed to name next year's of-

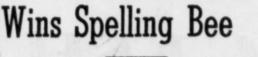
ficers and directors for the club to vote on Also the District Queen committee was appointed so they may have plenty of time to make plans for electing a queen contest. ant for the spring convention.

Janice Chrystal, Hedley's queen and the district queen for last year, is away at school, but hopes to be home during the Easter holidays and visit the club if we have a meeting at that time.

Card of Thanks

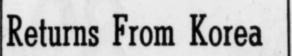
I wish to take this means of ex pressing my appreciation to al my friends for their thoughtfulness during my recent illness. To those who called and sent cards of cheer, and to Dr. Hunt and the staff of Odom Clinic may I say "Thank you and may God bless you with friends."

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Don Cox won first place in the Donley County Spelling Bee at Clarendon Wednesday afternoon. This means Don will represent Donley County in the Globe News winner of the regional competition

tional Spelling Bee.



M. Sgt. Clyde A. Thomas, re cently returned from a 16 month tour of duty in Korea, reassumed his duties this week at West Texas

State College in Canyon for a two year tour of duty with the Reserve Officers Training Corps. He will have charge of the regular Army supply and arms room and will sponsor the WT Rifle Team, which he organized in 1952. This is the team which has twice visited the Hedley Cotton Festival.

An Army veteran of more than 18 years service, Sgt. Thomas is the son of Mr. and Mrs John Thomas of Hedley.

Lina Jenkins is ill in a Memphis hospital. She is reported responding well to treatment and hopes to be able to come home by another week.

G. L. Leeper is seriously ill in a Memphis hospital following heart attack.



The American Legion's birth. day is the next big event. The organization was completed at the St. Louis Caucus, March 15-17 in Bee in Amarillo March 24. The 1919. This makes this the Legion's 37th birthday. Throughout the will receive an expense-paid trip nation the birthday will be observto Washington, D. C., for the Naed and the 777 posts in Texas have adopted this slogan, "Celebrate and Keep it Great."

> Falling on March 17 will be the district convention at Childress. A district commander and a district vice commander will be elected and other business transacted. Since voting strength will be figured on 1956 memberships. Hedley will only be allowed 5 votes instead of 8 votes, unless more memberships are received before the convention, as the post now has only 86 paid memberships. Last year's membership was 158.

Oil Test Shut Down

The Gentry No. 1 test well was shut down this week by Clark Drilling Co. after reaching granite. Oil shows were found in the 3100 and 3200 foot dolomite zones.

Notice

Anyone having good used clothing to the Red Cross box is asked to bring them to the West Texas Utilities office. Both adult's and children's clothes are needed.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School 10 :: 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 Mid-week Prayer Services 8:15 W.M.U. meets Monday at 2:30 Sunbeams Wednesday at 2:30 G. A. Thursday at 4: 30

C. E. Johnson at Hedley Telephone Co. will write your fire and hail insurance.

J. E. Murdock and family

Cecilia Ann Hoggard was shak. en up and suffered minor head injuries when she was thrown from her horse Sunday.

Mrs. H. Hoggard spent the day in a Memphis hospital last Friday undergoing medical treatment.

S. H. Yandell, who has been il in a Memphis hospital, was moved this week to a rest home in Amarillo.

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Mrs. E. C. Boliver left Wednes- Hedley Lodge No. 413 day for a visit in Poteau, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Sims and baby, and Adell Myers of Pampa visited here last week end.

Mrs. Wanda Lee Youree of Amarillo visited here Sunday.

We are glad to see J. E. Murdock able to be out again following his recent operation in a Memphis hospital.

Church of Christ

Welcome to the Church of Christ services on Sunday. Sunday School begins at 10:00 AM, preaching at 11:00 AM, and communion service at 11:40 AM. On Sunday night, Young Folks class work 6:30 to 7:00 PM, Preaching at 7:00; Evening Worship at 7:30. Weduesday evening Bible Class at 7:35 PM. Thurs

day afternoon Ladies Bible Class 3:00 PM.

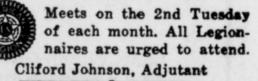
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O.E.S., meets the first Friday night of each month. All members are requested to attend.

Mattie Irene Roberts, W. M. Johnnie Hill, Sec.

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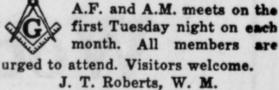
Hedley Lions Club



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

> Ross Springer, Pres. Doyle Messer, Sec.

Hedley Lodge No. 991



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