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Basketball News

Hedley clobbered Memphis Friday night in our high school gymnasium. The girls game was close most of the way through. During the first half Memphis held a slight lead, but this was reversed in the third quarter. Final score was 49 to 45. Wynn dropped in 23 points for high point honors. Also scoring were J. Sanders 19 and Thomas 7. Guards were B. Sanders, Davis, M. Baker, Hinds, and Wood.

In the boys game Memphis took the lead to begin with and at the half the score was 23 to 30 in their favor. Hedley rallied and tied the score at the end of the third quarter. In the final quarter Hedley took the lead. Final score was 52 to 46. High point man was Bailey who bucketed 13 points. Following him were Woods 12, Youree 7, McCarty 7, Cox 6, and Wiggins 5.

In the all boy double header Saturday night the first game was Memphis vs Quail. Memphis held a slight lead until the half, then Quail got to work and the game was close until the finish. Final score was 34 to 38 in favor of Quail. High point went to Minatrea with 16 points.

In the second game Hedley played Clarendon. This was a good tight game during the first half and then Clarendon took a strong lead in the third quarter. Hedley rallied near the end of the game, but it was too late. Clarendon won 47 to 51. Woods was high point with 15 sizzling points. Also scoring were McCarty 11, Cox 8, Bailey 7, Wiggins 4, and Youree 2.

Birthday Party

Angela Ruth Messer celebrated with a birthday party in her home Thursday afternoon, Dec. 20. She is three years old.

The young guests played until time for birthday cake and ice cream. After this the honoree opened her lovely packages.

The children present were Connie Lee DeBord, Vee Latimer, Frances and Susie Allee, Irene, Nancy, and Carol Moss, Kay Stewart, Mark Haskins and Robert Shaw, and Katrina Messer of Clarendon. Patsy and Judy Tate who are in California also sent a gift. Adults present were Mesdames O. F. Messer, P. C. Messer, C. R. DeBord, C. H. Moss, Bill

Methodist Church

The numbers were small in Sunday School and the two worship services, but several visitors were in the congregation and it was good to see them again. The morning message centered about the title, "On Being All There." In the evening the pastor was assisted by James Glasscock of Wellington. They spoke on "The Light That Can't Be Put Out" and the prophecies of Isaiah as related to Christ. This was a very informal service, with request numbers and specials by Mrs. Preston Gilbreath, Mrs. Don Springer, Mrs. Don Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bailey, Ross Springer, and the pastor, assisted in instrumental music by Kathleen Spalding, to whom we owe so much. Exchange of gifts in the Sunday School classes helped to make a good day.

We ought to take thought of time. The tragic fragmentariness of life call for our dependence on the Author of Time, who alone can give meaning to eternity. In our giving we need to always keep in mind our gifts from God, and to Him. What does He want? Just us. The greatest gift is His love as we see it in Christ.

The sermon subjects for next Sunday are "On Winding Tops" and "You Are My Sunshine."

The parsonage family wishes to acknowledge with gratitude receipt of a number of cash gifts from inside and outside the Methodist Church, a turkey, a chicken, and a number of other gifts. It is a sincere pleasure to live in Hedley.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our many friends for the way we were so generously remembered for Christmas. We appreciated it very much.

May God bless every one of you.

Mrs. R. E. Newman and Pete Miss Sallie Page

James Stone and family of Waco visited here Sunday and Monday.

The D. J. Lindsey family of Amarillo spent Christmas here.

Allee, F. J. Shaw, and Doyle Messer, the hostess. Little Lyndon Messer and James Whitlock Allee were also present.

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Christmas Party

Mrs. W. H. Moffitt entertained her Sunday School class last Thursday evening with a lovely buffet supper. Beautiful decorations in keeping with the Yuletide season made a festive setting for the party.

Mrs. J. S. Tipton gave the invocation. Numbers on the program included the devotional by Mrs. B. C. Johnson, the Christmas story by Mrs. Leroy Harris, and poems by Mrs. Frank Murray. The group sang "Silent Night" and closed with prayer.

Nearly all the members of the class were present for the occasion and each received a gift from the beautiful Christmas tree. Boxes were also packed to be distributed to shut-ins.

Joan Ray Moreman of Dallas spent the holidays with home folks.

W. L. Stewart underwent an appendectomy at Groom Friday night.

Myrtle Reeves spent the week end in Plainview visiting Buddy Reeves and the Bill Jones family.

Jack Quisenberry, who is attending Baylor College of Dentistry at Dallas, spent the holidays here.

Kermit Johnson and family of Knoxville, Tenn., visited here during the holidays.

The Jerald Sims family were here for the holidays from Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Huffman came in this week from Sioux City, Iowa. They will leave in January for Guam to spend two years.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Strickland of Albuquerque were Hedley visitors over the holidays.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Tipton and Stanley went to Ft. Worth to spend Christmas with their daughter and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Winton Bernardin of Taos, N. Mex., spent the holidays in Hedley.

The L. E. Groves family were here Monday from Knox City.

The J. M. Dickson family were here Monday from Buna Vista.

The R. M. Saunders family of Stafford spent the holidays in Memphis and Hedley.

Charlene Barnett of Amarillo spent Christmas here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Taylor of Lynwood, Calif., were here for the holidays.

James Reid and family of Amarillo were here for Christmas.

Cecil Hunnicutt and family of Amarillo spent Christmas in Hedley.

Ernest Johnson of Harlingen spent the holidays in Hedley and Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Beach of Belen, N. Mex., spent the holidays here.

Arthell Gibson and family were here from Pampa for Christmas.

Verrell D. Leeper and family were in Hedley for the holidays from Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bell of Houston visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy D. Tate of Amarillo spent Christmas here.

Mrs. W. C. Plunk has been visiting here from Vernon.

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 We wish you one and all a very happy and prosperous New Year.

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W. H. Cooke 111 3tf

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Mrs Juanita Reed and daughter of Sweetwater visited relatives and friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Sam Owens Jr. and family of San Antonio spent the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fisher of Burbank, Calif., were here for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson of Ft. Worth spent Christmas in Hedley.

Winston Johnson of Amarillo visited here this week.

Corky Hunsucker and family of Lubbock were in Hedley for Christmas.

Pat Patterson and family were here from Ropesville for Christmas.

LOCAL NEWS

The Pete Wynn family were here from Kermit for Christmas.

Rob Simmons and family of Deming, N. Mex., visited here over the holidays.

Jack Beach and family of Farmington, N. Mex., were here for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinds and Nancy Lou visited in Abilene over the holidays.

Mrs. Ed Harris was here from Rotan for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. N. Johnson of Matador spent Christmas here.

Foster Pickett and family were here from Amarillo for the holidays.

Willis Thomas and family of Plainview visited here for Christmas.

Don Hansard of Amarillo spent the holidays with home folks.

Adell Myers was here from Pampa for Christmas.

Kenneth Painter has been at home on leave.

Christmas Party

The Eighth Grade enjoyed a nice Christmas party last Friday evening, December 21, with Mrs. Ray Moreman and David as hostess and host. After going caroling various places over town the group gathered at the Moreman home which was beautiful decorated for the Christmas season.

A number of interesting games were enjoyed. A highlight of the evening was a visit from Santa Claus and gifts were exchanged from the beautiful Christmas tree.

Refreshments of delicious ice cream sodas and cookies were served. Favors were miniature china Christmas bells. Everyone reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Stewart of Austin are visiting the Royce Halls this week.

Mr. and Mr. Frank Hargrove of Little Rock, Ark., spent Christmas here.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Naylor and Jerry of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Hall of Panhandle visited Christmas with J. S. Hall and Miss Myrtle Hall.

Monroe Humphrey and family of Uteyville, Colo., were Christmas visitors here.

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

We appreciate very much the friends and acquaintances we've made since we've been here.

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Mrs. C. L. Goin, who suffered a broken leg in a fall at Perryton last week, is at home in Amarillo. Mrs. W. I. Rains is visiting her this week.

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George Thompson and George Thompson Jr were here Monday from Clarendon.

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Miss Elvaree Moore spent this week in Mangum, Okla.

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J. E. Murdock, pastor

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