# The Hedley Informer 

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Scattered Shots

By the Editor

Due to a flood of requests (well 8 or 10), asking for another personal column, here it is:
The Informer family spent last week end in Crystal City visiting with Mrs. Myrtle Tinsley and Mrs. Doris Shaw. We found another town which, like Hedley, was observing its 50 th anniversa ry. The local newspaper, the Za vala County Sentinel, issued a special edition last week giving a nice account of the town's history. Crystal City has a good location in the area known as the Winter Garden, bas a population now estimated at over 10,000 , and is widely known as a spinach center, having a statue of Popeye on the main thoroughfare. One amusing note in the Sentinel's edition mentioned that about 40 years ago their electric lights were turned off at $11 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$., and for some reason the lights became very weak. Investigation showed that a citizen was using an electric heating pad to warm his cold feet, which lost him his standing in the community in a hurry.
Anotber feature of the landscape around Crystal City is Espantosa Lake, which means haunted or terrifying lake. The legend goes that the settlers of the lost Del Rio colony, who established a settlement in the area in 1834, were killed by Indians and their bodies thrown into the lake You can find another legend about Espantosa Lake in J. Frank Dobie's book, Coronado's Children.

The sheep and goat country of Texas is very wet, which perhaps means that the rain which is so undesirable here is appreciated somewhere else.

## Basketball News

The Hedley Owlets lost a hard fought game to Memphis in the local gym Tuesday night by a score of 37 to 51 . Wynn washigh point girl for Hedley with 21, T Sanders made 12 and Thomas 4

The Owls defeated Carey 45 to ${ }^{\text {and }}$ Dale Morris 2.

## School to Open

The Hedley school opening was delayed another week by the flu, but Supt J. S. Hinds announces that the schools will reopen next Monday morning, Nov. 11.

## Discussion Group

The Public Affairs Discussion Group is to meet in the basement of the basement of the Methodist Church this Thursday evening, Nov. 7, beginning at 7. If you are late, come on ahead. If you have work clothes on at the time, just come on. It would be good to have a number sufficiently large to form some sort of organization, with several well-planned meetings to be scheduled, always with an opportunity for the men to "speak their piece" on public affairs. Some will want to give a dimension of depth to their talk, finding in past ages very interesting parallels to present-day events. Reasonable men can listen to each other's points of view, with charity, and gain much. By refusing to turn a deaf ear to any fact and its implications, they can view with greater perspective the sensational developments of the current age, whether astrophysical, racial, economic, or political
If there is any substitute for well informed men in a democracy, it has yet to be discovered.
A radio will be available to listen to the president's talk at 7, for those who wish to hear it.

## Notice

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Richard W. Stotts who has been home on leave, left for Ft. Dix, N J., Sunday and will go to Germany soon. $\qquad$ - $\qquad$
Carl Morris has been in an Amarillo hospital for treatment after getting a sliver of steel in his eye.

Mrs. E. C. Boliver returned Saturday from a visit in Spring field, Ohio.
32. Cox was high for Hedley with 17, Youree made 14, Roland 4, Bevers 3, Wiggins 3, Hargrove 2,

# Mrs. J. L. Baker 

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Rebecca Baker, who passed away Monday of last week, were held Tuesday from the Newberry Funeral Home at Cbildres; by Rev. J. S. Tipton of Hedley, assisted by Rev. Tommy Beck, pastor of the Methodist Church at Margaret. Burial was in the Childress cemetery.
Mrs. Baker was born May 4, 1875 at Adamsville, Tenn She had resided in Hedley for the past 8 years, and had previously lived for 40 years at Childress. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Hedley
She is survived by her husband, J. L Baker of Hedley; 3 sons, E. and L. L. Baker of Childress and L. J Baker of Abilene; 5 daugh ters, Mrs. Charles Davlin of San Angelo, Mrs. Irwin Anglin of Groom, Mrs. Jewell Mitchell of Tucumcari, Miss Altie Baker of Hedley and Mrs. George Gregory of Turkey; 1 brother, Lee Cagle of Adamsville, Tenn ; 24 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren. Two children preceded her in death, one in infancy and one Mar. 10, 1956.

## (2. LIONS ROAR

Next week is regular Lions Club meeting with the Lelia Lake ladies serving at $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Come out for a good feed and a good program Cotton John of Radio and T. V. Station KGNC of Amarillo will have charge of the program. Topic will be "the Lean Years."
This meeting will be ladies night, so bring the ladies and have a good time.
Locals had most of the program on Cotton John's Television show last Saturday afternoon at $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Among those attending were Miss Mary Baker, Cotton Festival Queen, Richard Stotts, Woodrow Clendennan, Mrs. L. T. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Mosley, and Mr. and Mrs R. W. Scales.

## Card of Thanks

Words are inadequate to express our sincere appreciation of all the loving kindness so freely given us in our distress. God's blessings be with you.

Mr and Mrs. E. M. Glass
Mrs. W. A. Jenkins has been ill in a Memphis hospital

The 18th District convention of the American Legion Auxiliary and the 40 and 8 will be held at Shamrock this Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 9 and 10th. A nice program is being arranged including the dedication of Shamrock's new American Legion Hall by the State Commander, Warren S. Moore, of Tyler. Clifford Johnson, 18th District Vice Commander, and others from here plan to attend.
This month's regular meeting of the local post will be held Monday night, Nov. 11. Open house is planned for all day and the business meeting that night. There is a drive on now for 1958 membershipa. The post's quota for 1958 is 142. Our 1957 membership was 138.

## Resolution of Respect In Memory of

Sister Byrda Watt, Who passed away October 16, 1957.
The Death Angel has visited our Chapter and taken from our number one of our beloved members. This one, who once met with us here and shared our joys and sorrows, is now awaiting us in the Grand Chapter above. We shall join them when we, too, have completed life's labyrinth.

WHEREAS, the Heavenly Father has called our respected and beloved Sister home, and she having been a true and faithful member of our beautiful Order, therefore be it RESOLVED, That Hedley Chapter No. 413 Order of the Eastern Star, drape its Charter in memory of this departed member and that we tender to the family of our deceased Sister our sincere condolence in their sorrow and bereavement, and that a copy of these Resolutions be sent the family. Also a copy to our paper for publication.
"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord-They rest from their labors-And their works do follow them."

> Omie Beall Simmons
> Nena Pierce
> Hattie Johnson
> Committee

## Announcement

We wish to announce that the proposed volunteer ambulance ervice for Hedley will not go into service at this time.

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Methodist Church
On the belief that the Christian has a rightful place as a citizen to fill, the sermon for next Sunday morning will be along that line, on Veteran's Sunday, also called World Order Sunday
Sunday School, morning worship and the MYF in the evening were well'attended last Sunday The evening service was faithfully at tended, and to the few who came "It was good to be in the house of the Lord." Go to some church next Sunday and worship the Lord who stays with us in rain and in dry weather.


## Fire Dept. Meeting

The Hedley Fire Dept. met in rcgular meeting Monday. The wet weather prevented oufside drill, but several items of importance were taken up The Dept. voted to act as a civic and welfare unit to assist other local agencies in helping those in need of temporary assistance
In this connection, the Dept. is asking for old but usable clothing, also toys which can be repaired These will be worked over and dis-
tributed where needed.
We also enjoyed very much the delicious cake contributed by Mrs. Sue Weatherly.



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We are inviting Loyd Croslin from Lubbock to make a talk, and J. S. Hinds will give the invocation. There will be open house at the school from 7:00 to $8: 00$. Please contact all the Ex-Seniors you know.
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Church of Christ
Welcome to the Church of Christ services on Sunday. Bible Class begins at 10:00 AM, preaching at 11:00 AM, and communion service at 11:40 AM. On Sunday night, classes for all ages $6: 30$ to $7: 00$ PM, Preaching at 7:00.

## Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Worship Services 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. each Sunday
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Wesleyan Service Guild 1st and 3rd
Wednesday evenings at 8:00
First Baptist Church Sunday School 10 :: A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Training Union $7: 30$
Evening Service 8:30
Choir Practice Wednesday at $\mathbf{7 : 3 0}$ Mid-week Prayer Services 8:15 W.M.U. meets Monday at $2: 80$ Sunbeams Wednesday at $2: 30$ G. A. Thursday at 4: $\mathbf{3 0}$

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P1 O.E.S., meets the first Friday night of each month. All members are requested to attend.

Mattie Irene Roberts, W. M. Verda Hall, Sec.

# News From Our County Agent 

County agent H. M. Breedlove has announced that plans are un der way for a big agriculture clinic to be held in Donley County next February. The clinic this year will be a two day affair with one day in Clarendon and one day in Hedley. An all day agriculture meeting has been held in Clarendon for the past four years during the month of February, however Breedlove thinks that a two day meeting will get in touch with more people.
The topics that will be talked on this year will be irrigation, insect control, plant disease, cotton, wheat, and grain sorghum and all types of livestock. The different topics will be diseussed by special ist from the Texas A\&M College Extension Service. Plans are also to devote some time in each meeting on the High Plains Conserva tion Program which is just now getting started in this area. Breedlove says as plans develop and the definite program is worked out, it will be published in the local papers and on radio.

## Notice

All who brought food to the Watt home, please call for your dishes at the West Texas Utilities Co office. We had no way to identify them.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Boliver and boys visited in Crystal City last week end.

Mrs. J. W. McPherson has been brought from a Pampa hospital to the Bryan McPherson home at McLean, and is reported much better.

Rev. Robert L. Oglesby of Booker was a visitor at the Metho dist parsonage Monday afternoon.

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Flour, Sunhoonnet Sue, 25 lb . ..... $\$ 1.79$
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Pumpkin, White Swan, 2303 cans ..... 29
Tomatoes, Pick o' Morn, pkg. ..... 27
Celery, stalk ..... 14
Oranges, Texas, 5 lb . bag ..... 39
Cranherries, Ocean Spray, 1 lb. hox ..... 25
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