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Scattered Shots

By the Editor

It is a strange thing that books, which now flow from the presses of America in the greatest quantities ever known, seem to grow consistently poorer in quality. Or rather, this applies to fiction. Non-fiction is available which is really worthwhile, at a price everyone can afford and on a wide variety of subjects. If you are interested in the Etruscans, satellites, foreign recipes or almost anything else, you can find a low priced book written by a real authority.

But if you want good fiction, it is another story. If the reviewers describe it as bold, modern, frank or daring, you can rely on the fact that it will be nasty or filthy, and the kind of trash you are ashamed to have in your home. This, of course, is called Realism. If you can think of the lowest class, trashiest character you know, and can feel that all the world is like him, then perhaps you can call this realism.

Recommended as a good book is *The Bible as History*, by Werner Keller, a German writer. If you have ever felt that some incidents in the Bible are merely legendary, read this book and find how archeology is showing that these incidents are exact truth. The book mentions among other things the Epic of Gilgamesh, a Babylonian story of the Great Flood. We modern "civilized" people often do not realize just how much we owe to Babylon and other ancient civilizations. This also applies to the Mayas and some others of the Americas, but this will have to be postponed to another column.

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Golden Anniversary

Looking toward the 1958 golden anniversary year of the Church of the Nazarene, Dr. S. T. Ludwig, general church secretary, has outlined a series of simultaneous events in which every church of the denomination will participate.

Pastors of all local Nazarene churches now are planning for individual or union watch night services, December 31, which will usher in the jubilee year.

Other simultaneous services in Nazarene churches around the world will include:

Jan. 5—Worship service marking the start of the anniversary year; Apr. 6—Easter offering for world missions, goal: \$1,000,000; Oct. 12—50th anniversary Sunday services; and Nov. 23—Thanksgiving offering for world missions, goal: \$1,000,000.

Official birthday of the Church of the Nazarene was Oct. 13, 1908 at Pilot Point, Texas, when a group of smaller churches in the East, West and South formally united.

Sharing a belief in the Wesleyan doctrine of entire sanctification, or heart purity, the original 228 churches and 10,000 members have increased in 50 years to 4,500 churches with approximately 300,000 members.

Fire Dept. Meeting

The Hedley Fire Dept. entertained their wives and a few guests with a ladies' night last Friday night in the Lions Den. Everyone enjoyed very much a fine meal prepared by the Lelia Lake Methodist ladies, followed by 42 and other games.

Present for the occasion were Messrs. and Mesdames M. O. Weatherly, H. E. Darnell, C. H. Reid, Vergil McPherson, Frank Murray, L. D. Moore, Harold White, B. C. Johnson, Ed Boliver, H. H. Hall, Luther Owen Thompson and Clifford Johnson, and Rev. M. R. Mathis.

San Diego, Calif.—J. Stanley Tipton, sonarman seaman, U.S.N., son of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Tipton of Hedley, Tex., graduated Oct. 18 from Sonar School at the Fleet School, San Diego, Calif.

During the course students are trained to maintain and operate sonar equipment used aboard ships.

Mrs. J. M. Everett

Another long time resident of Hedley, Mrs. Milbra E. Everett, passed away at her home here Sunday evening. She had lived in Hedley for 45 years.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the First Methodist Church here. Rev. M. R. Mathis officiated, Dr. E. D. Landreth preached the service and Rev. T. E. Gibson assisted. Burial was in Rowe cemetery with Murphy Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers were Marshall Stone, Hobart Moffitt, Clifford Johnson, O'Neill Weatherly, Charlie Foster and Harrison Hall.

Mrs. Everett is survived by two sons, Joe Everett of Tarawa Terrace, N. Car., and James D. Everett of Amarillo; two daughters, Miss Jewell Everett of Abilene and Mrs. Doris Foster of Amarillo; two brothers, T. L. Taylor of Fullerton, Calif., and J. L. Taylor of Durant, Okla.; and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Wilson of Durant and Mrs. Lucy McMillan of Tulsa, Okla.

Her husband, J. M. Everett, preceded her in death about five years ago.

News From Our County Agent

Eleven Donley County ranchers have gone together and formed a coyote and bob cat control program for the next six months, says county agent H. M. Breedlove. This program is in cooperation with the Department of the Interior, who will furnish the trapper. The ranchers think that damage to livestock made this six months program a must in holding down damage to the calf crop and causing dockage to price of animals affected. The cost was \$96 per ranch for the six months program. W. J. Lewis, Jr. is treasurer for the Donley County coyote and bobcat control program. The ranches in Donley County who will take part in this program and where the trapper will work are R. O. Head & Knorpp, F. J. Hommel, Griffin, T. L. Roach, J. H. McMurtry, J. L. McMurtry, E. L. Sitter, W. H. Cooke Jr., M. T. Johnson and the J. A. This work is now under way on these ranches in the county. Mr. E. G. Pope of the Department of the Interior is the supervisor of the work in Donley County.

Basketball News

The Owlets defeated Dodson Tuesday night in the local gym by a score of 54 to 37. High girl for Hedley was T. Sanders with 19, followed by Wynn with 16, Thomas 8, Hinds 4, B. Sanders 3, Alexander 2 and Sims 2.

The Owls overcame the Dodson boys 38 to 21. Cox was high for Hedley with 8 points, Youree made 6, Roland 6, Wiggins 5, Hargrove 4, Waddell 2 and Dale Morris 2.

Methodist Church

Rev. E. E. White, Childress district superintendent, will be with us the morning of Dec. 1 to preach. It is planned at this time to eat the noon meal in the basement and then to conduct the short session of the conference from there. Appeals for financial help are coming in from various quarters, one very urgent being from the Wesley Foundation of West Texas State College at Canyon. The conference board of missions asks each church in the conference to take an offering for the Pleasant Valley church near Amarillo. This appeal should strike very close, as a brother of one of our members makes this his home church. And then there are the usual calls. District conference is at Memphis on Tuesday, Dec 3. There should be 30 Hedley Methodists present. The pastor will assist with presentation of a film-strip on Christian vocations.

A Christian flag and a national flag were part of the worship setting, along with a beautiful floral offering, Sunday morning. These were arranged by Mrs. C. L. Johnson. This is but one example of the faithful work she does in this type of service. There are others who also assist. Ross Springer, J. S. Hinds and Henry Moore worked on the automatic heater. We are grateful for these expressions of interest.

Nancy Hinds will lead a youth night program Sunday evening. Bonnie Alexander is to prepare the bulletin for the day. Kathleen Spalding will lead the next youth night service.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Fisher of Texarkana were visitors in the A. T. Simmons home last week end.

Mrs. J. W. McPherson is back at home from McLean.

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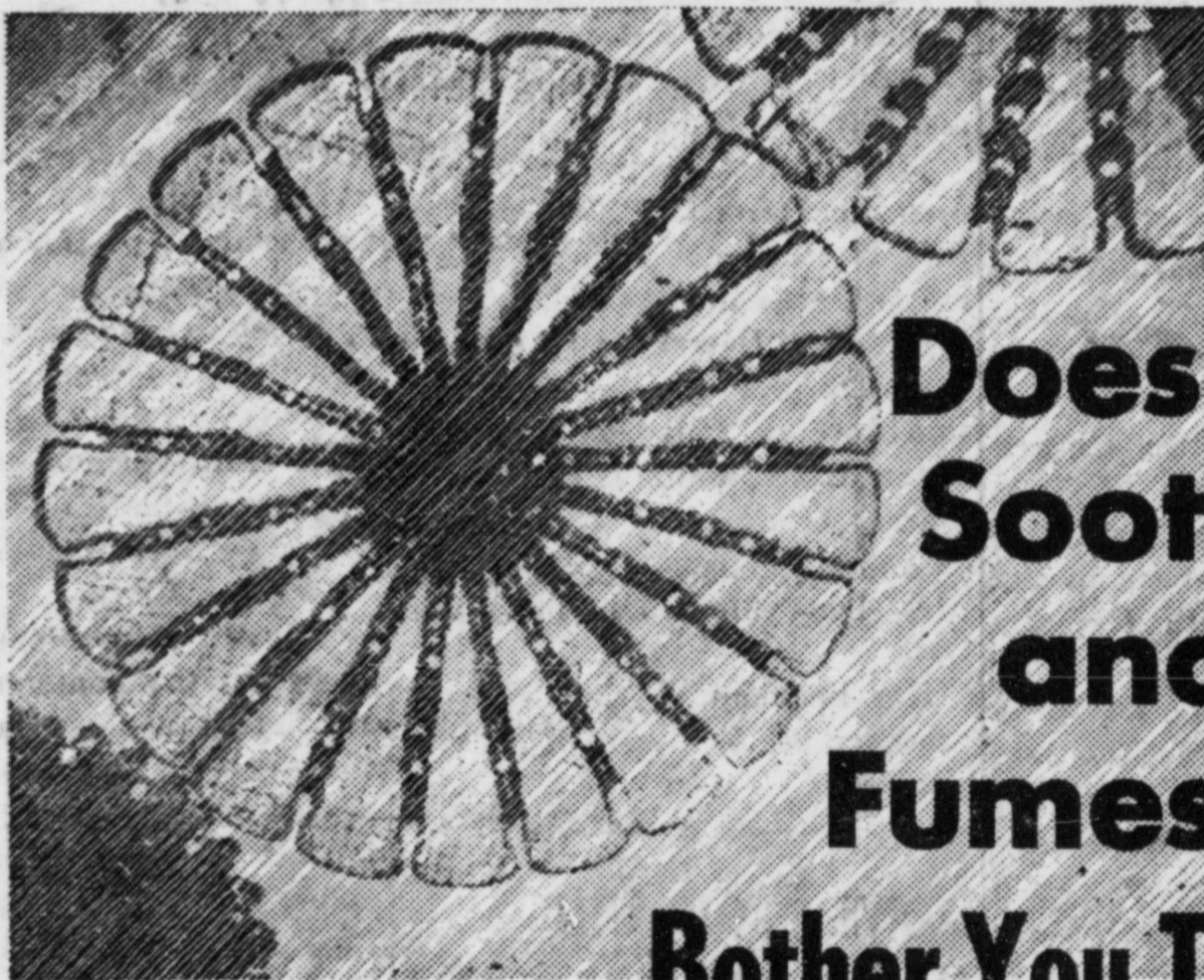
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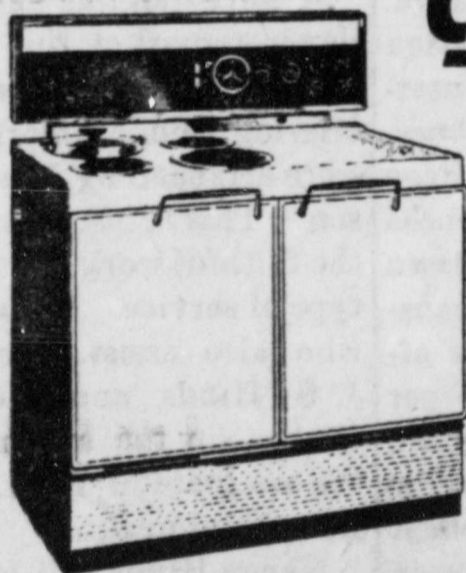
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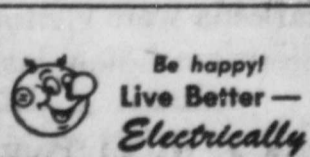
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Wesleyan Guild

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met Wednesday night November 6 for a regular meeting. Frances Hinds, Eunice Mathis, Mildred Shaw, Pearl Moore, Dorothy Tate and Mary Haskins were present.

"Christ on the Campus" was the program topic. Eunice Mathis was program leader with Frances Hinds, Dorothy Tate and Mary Haskins having parts on the program.

A Rummage Sale will be sponsored by the Guild Saturday, November 16, at the Lions Den.

Families of the members of the Guild are invited to a pot luck supper and game night on the next regular meeting night.

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Ex-Senior Banquet

The Hedley Ex-Senior banquet will be held this year at the high school auditorium Nov. 30 at 8 p. m. Committees appointed were: Feeding, Mrs. Sam Sanders and Mrs. Roy Alexander; Decorations, Mrs. Verda Hall, chairman, Eloise Spalding, Edith Bain, Pauline Leggitt and Jewell Quisenberry; Serving, Homemaking girls. Entertainment will be provided by the Hedley high school orchestra, directed by Mrs. Gibbs.

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.

Pink and Blue Shower

Mrs. Charles N. Johnson of Matador was honored recently at a coffee and stork shower given at the home of Mrs. Roy Jewell. Assisting hostess was Mrs. Alva Simmons.

Eight guests called and others sent gifts. A beautiful corsage of white and wine mums was presented to the honoree. The same colors were carried out in the decoration of the party rooms.

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.

Hedley Lodge No. 413



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

Mattie Irene Roberts, W. M.
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Hedley Lions Club



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

J. S. Hinds, Pres.
M. O. Weatherly, Sec.

Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Worship Services 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. each Sunday

Official Board 1st Monday night each month

W.S.C.S. meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 4:00 p. m.

Wesleyan Service Guild 1st and 3rd Wednesday evenings at 8:00

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1919 Study Club

The 1919 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. C. L. Johnson with Mrs. Carroll Deahl joint hostess, Wednesday evening, Nov. 7, at seven o'clock. Fall flowers added to the beauty of the home. The theme for the club course of study for the year being "America Advances" the thought was carried out by the subject "America Advances Through our Youth"—two of our local young men, Don Cox and David Moreman, having been privileged to attend the national Boy Scout jamboree during the summer, reviewed their trip to the interest of those present. This was followed by thoughts on "Democracy's Voice," by Mrs. Jones. America was sung by the group and the benediction given by Mrs. J. S. Tipton.

The meeting was called to order by the vice president, Mrs. Roy Jewell.

A silent meditation was observed in honor of Mrs. Fred Watt, followed by prayer by Mrs. Frank Kendall.

A delicious salad plate served by the hostesses was enjoyed by several club members and guests.

On Football Team

An article last week in the Amarillo News records the exploits of the Southlawn Freshman football team, which has won five straight games without being scored on. On the team at end is Mickey Cherry, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cherry. One of the two coaches of the team is his father, Glyndon Cherry.

Card of Thanks

I would like to take this means to thank our friends for the lovely flowers, gifts, cards and kind words I received while in the hospital and since I came home. May God's richest blessing be with each and every one is our prayer.

Mrs. Henry Nivens

Basketball News

The name of Lewis Bevers was accidentally omitted from the basketball game in this issue. Lewis also scored 5 points in the Dodson game.

We are glad to see Albert Gerner able to be out again.

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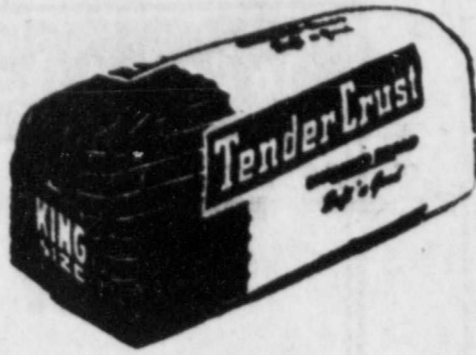
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