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Notice, Trailer Owners

The last regular session of the Texas Legislature amended the Texas Motor Vehicle Registration Law to allow farmers to register their farm trailers and farm semi-trailers for a \$5.00 fee providing the gross weight is not less than 4,000 or more than 10,000 pounds. Farm trailers weighing less than 4,000 pounds, gross weight, are still exempt from registration by statute. Those exceeding 10,000 pounds, gross weight, must register as a regular commercial trailer.

Captain J. L. Miller, License and Weight Service of the Department of Public Safety, advised however that any vehicle bearing the \$5.00 plate must not: (1) exceed 30 MPH, (2) be operated for hire, (3) have steel or metal wheels in contact with the pavement and it must be equipped with an adequate hitch to remain secured to the towing vehicle and be operated and equipped in conformity with all other provisions of the law. Violation of any of the above sections of the law nullifies the \$5.00 registration fee and the trailer will be subject to the regular registration fees and penalties as prescribed by law.

This does not change the existing law which requires that all trailers or semi trailers having a registered or gross weight in excess of 3,000 pounds be equipped with clearance lamps, side marker lamps, and reflectors as well as a tail light and stop light, if the stop light on the towing vehicle is obscured.

Captain Miller further stated that all machinery type vehicles, other than machinery used solely for the purpose of drilling water wells and road construction machinery, must now be registered with regular license plates and title applied for. This includes oil field drilling and servicing machinery, regardless of whether such machinery is a unit within itself or is mounted on a conventional vehicle or chassis.

Water well drilling units and road construction maintenance equipment are required to have either the \$5.00 registration plate or a regular registration plate, depending upon how the equipment is used.

Captain Miller suggested that anyone needing further information should contact their county tax assessor and collector.

Queen Mary Finchum To Reign Over 1961 Cotton Festival Until New Queen Is Crowned



Miss Mary Finchum will reign as Queen over our 10th Annual Cotton Festival Oct. 13 and 14. She is 19 years old and her parents are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Winn of Hedley.

She is the second Mary we have had as Queen, but I think the first red head. She is 5 ft. 4½ in. tall and weighs 125 pounds. She was a graduate of Hedley High School last year.

Queen Mary II has contributed much to our Cotton Festival and is continuing to do so. She will reign until her successor is crowned by the Lions District Governor in the Coronation Ceremonies at the High School Auditorium Saturday night of the Festival. Miss Myrtle Reeves will again have charge of the Coronation, ably assisted by Mrs. Don Springer and others.

There are eleven girls competing for her crown. This is one more than last year. They are beautiful girls and are working hard. We know we will have another beautiful Queen to succeed her.

Mrs. Doris Slingerland and children of Laramie, Wyo., and Mrs. Flora Pollard of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore last week.

Mrs. J. L. Williams of Childress was a visitor last week in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Foster.

Harrison-Tucker

Miss Sonja Ray Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tucker of Amarillo, and Troy Lynn Harrison, son of Mrs. E. R. Harrison of Paducah, were united in marriage recently in the Owen Park Baptist Church at Amarillo. Rev. J. W. Sizemore performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with white chrysanthemums, white bells and greenery.

The bride is a graduate of Palo Duro High School in Amarillo. The groom is a graduate of Quail High School, and is presently attending West Texas State College at Canyon.

G. T. Spalding

Frank Spalding of Amarillo, A. B. Spalding and Mrs. L. Spalding were called to Sadler on account of the death of G. T. Spalding, 71, who passed away in a Sherman hospital Saturday. Funeral services were held at Sadler Monday.

Mr. Spalding was a brother of the late L. Spalding.

Notice

The FHA will sell Marion Kay vanilla and pepper. It is an excellent product and will be on sale around Oct. 1. Please remember and stock up on these products from us. The reason for selling is to finance chapter activity.

Adult Sewing Class

An adult sewing class was organized on Sept. 12. The group decided to meet on Tuesday of each week at 4:30 o'clock. The class will continue for an indefinite period. Each class period will be two hours in length. The projects selected were: the new method of zipper insertion, interfacings, hems, short cuts in sewing and pattern alteration. In addition to these techniques, the group will make a simple hat, cover shoes with fabric and learn to make draperies.

Anyone desiring to attend any one of these classes may see Mrs. Shields at the High School or one of the regular members of the class for a tentative schedule and a list of necessary supplies. There is no charge for the classes. Each member will bring her materials as needed.

Bridal Shower

Mrs. Joe Corona, the former Elnora Butler, was honored with a bridal shower last Saturday in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church. Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Oscar Moore, Elva Davis, Vernie Wade, Tommy Bain, Leroy Harris, W. W. Wiggins, Alva Simmons, M. L. Sims and Hobart Moffitt.

Mrs. Linda Stephens and Sharon Davis furnished music during the tea hour. Marie Butler presided at the tea table, which was laid with a lace cloth over pink, carrying out the bride's chosen colors of pink and white, and which bore a centerpiece of pink asters. Alta Mae Butler was in charge of the giftery.

A large array of lovely gifts was on display.

Out of town guests attending included Mrs. Lupe Corona and Mrs. Nivens and daughter of Estelline, and Mrs. Ed McCracken of Amarillo.



FHA
News

The Freshman FHA girls entertained the other classes with a slumber party in the W. M. Snelson home Friday, Sept. 15. The Freshmen are now full fledged FHA members.

Reporter

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COTTON FESTIVAL QUEEN

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Following is the list of Queen Candidates and Sponsors:



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- Inelda Shields..... Hedley Variety Store
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Pork Chops, lb.	.63
Ground Beef, 3 lb.	\$1.00
Canned Biscuits, 2 for	.15
Bacon Squares, smoked, lb.	.29

Rowe Cemetery

Funds are now needed to carry on work at Rowe cemetery. This work is paid for by contributions only. Any amount you wish to give will be appreciated and you will be given a receipt for it upon request.

Donations will be accepted by City Secretary M. O. Weatherly, the Security State Bank or Myrtle Reeves.

Hedley Lions Club



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

Herlie Moreman, Pres.
M. O. Weatherly, Sec.

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Shrimp, can	.56	Wolf Chili, can	.68
Tamales in sauce			.36
Baby Limas, can			.10
Morten House Oven Baked Beans			.21
Pork and Beans, large can			.26
Instant Potatoes			.33
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A. A. Cooper

We regret very much to learn that our long time neighbor, A. A. Cooper, 84, passed away Tuesday afternoon in an Amarillo rest home. Funeral services were set for 2:30 Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church here, with burial in Rowe cemetery.

Further information was not available for this issue.

Card of Thanks

The Hedley Lions Club wishes to express their sincere thanks to Doyle Messer and his Ag boys for cleaning up the future Lions Den for the Cotton Festival. This fine work was appreciated very much.

Herlie Moreman, president

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Simmons visited in Dallas and Texarkana last week.

A. W. Atkinson has returned from an extended visit to Gatesville, and is now visiting in Amarillo.

Adamson-Lane Post 287, American Legion



Meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. All Legionnaires are urged to attend.

A. L. Cherry, Commander
Cliford Johnson, Adjutant

Hedley Lodge No. 413



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

Edna Wilson, W. M.
Pauline Morris, Sec.

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, Preaching at 7:00 PM.

Church of the Nazarene

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 8 P. M.
Mid-week Prayer Service 8 P. M.

Hedley Lodge No. 991



A.F. and A.M. meets on the first Tuesday night on each month. All members are urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

Fred A. Watt, W. M.
S. G. Adamson, Sec.

Ring Baptist Church

Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sunday in each month.
J. E. Murdock, pastor

Hedley P.-T. A.

The Hedley PTA will meet in their regular meeting Monday night, with an open house for parents. Refreshments will be served. All interested parents and patrons are urged to attend.

Tax On Subscriptions

In accordance with the provisions of the new Texas sales tax, the Informer will have to collect the sales tax on all subscriptions within the State of Texas. Subscriptions to points outside Texas are not taxed.

Since we did not learn the details of this tax in time to give our subscribers what we consider a fair warning, through the month of September only we will absorb the tax ourselves. In other words, during September only, the subscription price for the Informer will remain at \$2.00 in Donley County and \$2.50 outside Donley County. On Oct. 1st the price will go to \$2.04 in Donley County and \$2.55 elsewhere. So if you want to save the tax when you subscribe, do it this month.

Please do not misunderstand this offer. The tax on these subscriptions will be paid, but if you subscribe during September, we will pay it for you.

Your subscription does not have to be out for you to take advantage of this offer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moreman of Clarendon announce the arrival on Tuesday, Sept. 19, of a fine little son, weight 7 lbs. 9 oz., who has been named Philip Wesley. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moreman of Hedley and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carter of Panhandle.

Mr and Mrs. Jim Crawford of Amarillo and Mrs. Lily Crawford of California visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. R. E. Newman.

Lloyd McKee and Mrs. Amarea Hamblin of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKee and son Vodia and Mrs. Opal Bufkin of Groom visited in the Roy McKee home Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. J. D. Foster of Amarillo spent Tuesday of last week with his mother, Mrs. G. T. Foster.

Mr and Mrs. Ross Adamson of Ropesville visited here last week end.

Mrs. A. R. Butler is ill in a Memphis hospital.

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Moore-Martindale

Miss Winnie Martindale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale of McLean, and Billy Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore of Claude, were married recently in the Hillcrest Baptist Church in Amarillo

The ceremony was read by Rev J. D. Horton.

Following a wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple are at home at 1001 N. Spring St in Amarillo.

Foster Pickett and family were here from Amarillo last week

County Fair

The FHA exhibit placed second at the county fair. The theme was drinking and driving.

In the canned goods department the girls won three blue ribbons, one red ribbon and one white ribbon.

Sandra Moffitt placed second in the decorated cake department.

Reporter

G. C. Brinson carried off all the prizes in the poultry show at the county fair, with 73 entries. He won first prizes for best cock, best cockerel, best old pen, best young pen, best hen and best poult.

Lelia Lake M. Y. F.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Lacy Lee Noble. There were seven present. The MYF had charge of the worship service. We showed a film which was Tell Tale Arms. We were dismissed by the MYF benediction.

Reporter

Visitors in the home of Mrs. G. T. Foster Sunday, Sept 10, were Mr and Mrs N. A. Pritchett of Paris, Texas, Mr and Mrs Milton Foster and Donna of Richfield, Kansas, Mr and Mrs H. M. Foster and Shyrie and Johnny Foster of Amarillo, Mr and Mrs H. R. Greer of Childress, Mrs. Mary Sue Stotts and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Foster of Giles, and Miss Hazel Coursey of Hedley.

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Hedley M. Y. F.

The meeting was brought to order by reading of MYF Purposes. Then Brenda Winn brought the program which was Evaluating Our Year's Work. Silent prayer was followed by the Lord's Prayer.

The program was dismissed by the MYF benediction. Refreshments were served afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jones and children of Amarillo have just returned from a trip to Pensacola, Florida, where they were guests of Melvin's father. Melvin brought back a fine catch of channel catfish, that were greatly enjoyed by the Sime Adamson clan.

Besides the college students named in the Informer last week, Johnnie Dickson and R. E. Butler are also attending Clarendon Junior College.

Jerald Sims and family visited here Sunday from Pampa.

David Boliver was at home from Lubbock over the week end.

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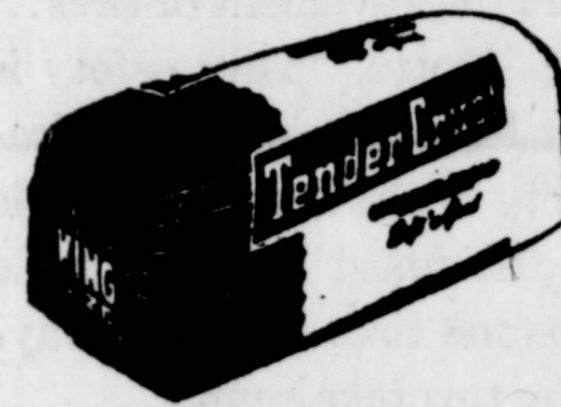
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