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A Proclamation

Whereas cotton is the most useful and versatile fiber known to man incorporating more desirable characteristics, and

Whereas more cotton is consumed in textile uses than all other fibers combined and

Whereas more than 13 million people are dependent upon cotton for their livelihood, and

Whereas the new wealth created each year in the production of cotton is multiplied many times over through the various processes from field to finished fabric, and

Whereas many allied enterprises which supply goods and services are vitally concerned with a prosperous cotton industry, and

Whereas the economy of this community and area are closely identified with that of cotton, and

Whereas cotton is a strategic material in the preservation of freedom,

I, D. E. Boliver, Mayor of the City of Hedley, hereby proclaim the 11th and 12th days of October as Cotton Festival Days in Hedley, and call on all our people to pay tribute to this essential commodity and to the cotton industry.

D. E. Boliver, Mayor

Senior Breakfast

Get the Cotton Festival off to a good start by eating the Queen Candidates' Breakfast Friday morning with the Seniors. Enjoy sausage or bacon with eggs and toast, or pancakes with good maple syrup. There will be plenty of coffee of course.



LIONS ROAR

All members of Festival committees or those who wish to help on the Festival are to meet at the Lions Den this Thursday night, time 7:30 p. m.

All Festival workers are urged to eat with the Lions Thursday night of next week at 7:30 p. m. This will be a workers meeting and all unfinished Festival work must be taken care of.

Senior Food Booth

The Senior Class will have a food booth on Main St. both Friday and Saturday of the Cotton Festival. Come in and enjoy the good food, and help the Seniors.

Cotton Festival

Festival things are happening fast but not quite fast enough as the Festival is only one week away

Parade floats are in the making and several high school bands are expected Memphis says they will have two bands in the parade.

Another very colorful group who will be here is the Matador High School all girl Drum and Bugle Corps This unit, 40 strong with three of the better majorettes is expected to perform at 11 a m on Saturday and march in the Grand Parade at 1:30 p m

One of the highlights of last year's Festival was the Amarillo Air Force Base Jody Drill team. They will be with us again Saturday and perform at 11:30 a m., perform in the Parade and give another performance in the afternoon.

The Indian Dancers will be with us again. This year it is the Kachina Indians from Post No. 62, Amarillo They will perform at 10:30 a m. Saturday morning, appear in the parade and give another performance Saturday afternoon.

For speakers, State Senator Andy Rogers says he will be here and be glad to address the people, U. S. Senator John Tower says he will not be able to attend but sends his good wishes, State Rep Bill Heatly is expected, Congressman Walter Rogers says he will make it if he can get away from Washington, Lion District Governor Steve Stephens of Amarillo and other noted Lions will be here. No word has been received from Gov John F. Connally or U. S. Senator Ralph Yarborough.

The Festival is 1% ideas and 99% work. Let's all get together as we did on the water contract election and make this our biggest and best Festival of all

TV Show

Tentative time for the Preview of our 12th Festival over Station KGNC at Amarillo is 1 p m. this Saturday, Oct. 5. Queen Dolores and the eight Queen Contestants are to be there one hour before the program starts They are to wear formals

This is Cotton John's Farm and Home Show, Channel 4 on your dial. It is hoped that a large delegation from Hedley will attend and boost our Festival.

Overwhelming Greenbelt Vote Saturday Is Result of Long Effort



The election held in Hedley Saturday on the Greenbelt water contract was an extraordinary one. Out of 212 eligible voters, almost 90%, a total of 188, came to the polls and voted. Still more extraordinary, the vote was 188 for the proposition, and none against.

At Childress the vote was 1379 for and 13 against. At Quanah the vote was 680 for and 27 against. At Clarendon the vote was 570 for and 27 against, making a total of 2,817 for and 67 against, or better than 40 to 1 in favor of the project.

Paducah and Crowell are expected to vote shortly on joining the Greenbelt Authority. It is reported that Eldorado Okla., is also interested in joining the Authority. No doubt other towns in this area will become interested before the project is completed.

The next logical step is for our citizens to work together in every way to secure the full benefit from this project.

Cake Walk

Rowe Cemetery Fund will sponsor the Cake Walk at the Cotton Festival, to raise funds for work at the cemetery. Any one who will donate a home baked cake is asked to do so for this cause. Please leave cakes at Moffitt Hardware.

Pamela Kay Jones of Amarillo visited her grandparents, Mr and Mrs S. G. Adamson, last week end.

Read the Classified Ads.

The above picture was made April 14, 1954, when Governor Allan Shivers, seated, signed the bill creating the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water District. Viewing the signing, from left to right, were Senator Andy Rogers of Childress, Senator George Moffatt of Childress, former Rep Elbert Reeves of Matador, C B Morris of Clarendon, the late Leon Reeves of Hedley, Clifford Johnson of Hedley and Rep. Grainger McIlhenny of Wheeler.

Old Settlers

The Donley County Pioneers Association has its schedule made for the Festival.

Registration of guests will start at 10:30 a m. in the committee room of the bank. Coffee and cakes will be served and rosettes will be given to those who register and special cards for the older settlers. Registration will close at 1 p m and the following program will be presented at the speakers platform:

M. C., Bob Ayers
Prayer, W. W. (Bill) Wiggins
Welcome Address, Clifford Johnson

Response, Judge R. E. Drennan
1:15 to 1:45, string band
1:45, Presentation of awards by Bob Ayers

Election of officers
Group singing arranged by Malcolm Glass, G. L. Leeper, Bob Gill, J. B. Yates and others promise help.

3 p. m., close with silent prayer for departed pioneers.

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Maverick Club Coming Hedley M. Y. F.

The Maverick Club boys will be here again under the direction of Ralph Dykeman. They are bringing their tumbling team and trampoline artists. They are scheduled to perform at 2:30 Saturday.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks for all the cards, flowers and visits we have received since our accident. We have appreciated them very much.

May God bless every one of you,
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Beach

The Hedley Methodist Youth are now having a series of programs on "The Articles of Religion of the Methodist Church." The meeting time is Sunday at 5:30 p. m. All young people are invited to attend.

The title of the next program is "What We Believe About the Bible" which will be given by Brenda Winn. At the end of the meeting refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alexander of Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lesley of Silverton visited in Odesa over the week end.

Midway

The Festival Midway again will be by the Central State Shows of Hazelton, Kansas. They have added two new rides for this year's Festival, the High Boy for teenagers and adults and the Umbrella ride for the kiddies. They will also have the fun house. The carnival will be in operation from Thursday on.

Mrs. Kent Bellah has returned to her home in Saint Jo after visiting here with her mother Mrs. B. N. Stewart, and brothers, W. L. Stewart and family and Paul Stewart and family.

Pfc. Dickie Joe Hefner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hefner, enjoyed a 20 day leave with home folks. He left Thursday for Fort Lewis, Wash., where he is still stationed. He is with the Hq. Co., 2nd B. G., 39th Inf.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collett of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Logan of Lompoc, Calif., visited last week end in the J. F. Mann home.

Singing

There will be singing at the Church of the Nazarene next Friday at 7:45 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

This singing will be a regular event every Friday night.

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.

Kenneth Brinson, W. M.
B. Gene Grace, Sec.

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D. E. Boliver, publisher

Boy Scout News

The local Scout troop will have charge of the lower street decorations and the Fire Dept. will take care of the overhead decorations.

The Scouts have posters in Hedley and surrounding towns. They plan to decorate the fronts of the business places this Friday afternoon. They will also take care of the flag displaying both Friday and Saturday of the Festival.

The troop has been a big help to the community and any aid you can give them financially or otherwise will be welcomed and appreciated.

1919 Study Club

The 1919 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Roy Jewell with the year book committee as hostesses, Mes. Mary Harris, Myrtella Deahl, Joe Miller and Jewell.

Fifteen members were present and one guest Mrs. Minnie Kinlow of Memphis. All enjoyed a delicious covered dish luncheon.

The president made a very interesting opening talk, offering any assistance in any way possible to the members.

Mrs. Ruby Glass expressed thanks for the visits, cards, letters and kindnesses during her illness and recuperation, ending her talk with a very impressive poem.

The members voted to make a field trip next meeting day.

No Subscription Tax

The state tax on subscriptions has now been removed, so that the price of the Informer is again \$2.00 per year in Donley County and \$2.50 elsewhere.

Hedley Lodge No. 413

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

Jessie Adamson, W. M.
Verda Hall, Sec.

Adamson-Lane Post 287, American Legion

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

Ansil Adamson, Commander
Clifford Johnson, Adjutant

Hedley Lions Club

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

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Farm Facts

Farming is the nation's biggest industry. Four out of ten jobs in private employment are related to agriculture.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture points out that farming employs 7.4 million workers—more than the steel industry, automobile industry, or transportation and public utilities combined.

Ten million people have jobs storing, transporting, processing, and merchandising agriculture. Six million have jobs providing the supplies farmers use.

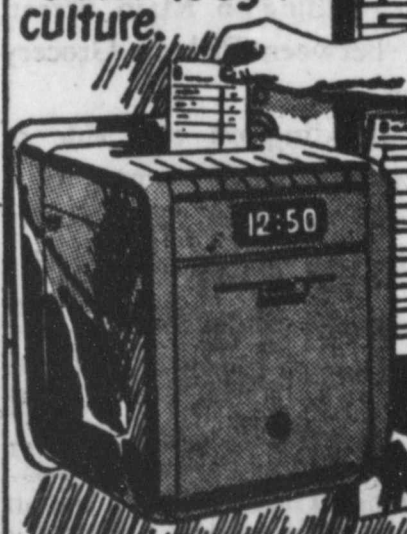
Here are a few examples from the 1958 Census of Manufactures:

- Meat and poultry—308,500 employees and a payroll of nearly \$1.5 billion.
- Dairy—292,600 employees and a \$1.3-billion payroll.
- Baking—299,000 employees and a payroll of more than \$1.3 billion.
- Fruits and vegetables—172,400 employees and a payroll of \$591 million.
- Cotton broadwoven fabrics—242,500 employees and a \$722-million payroll.

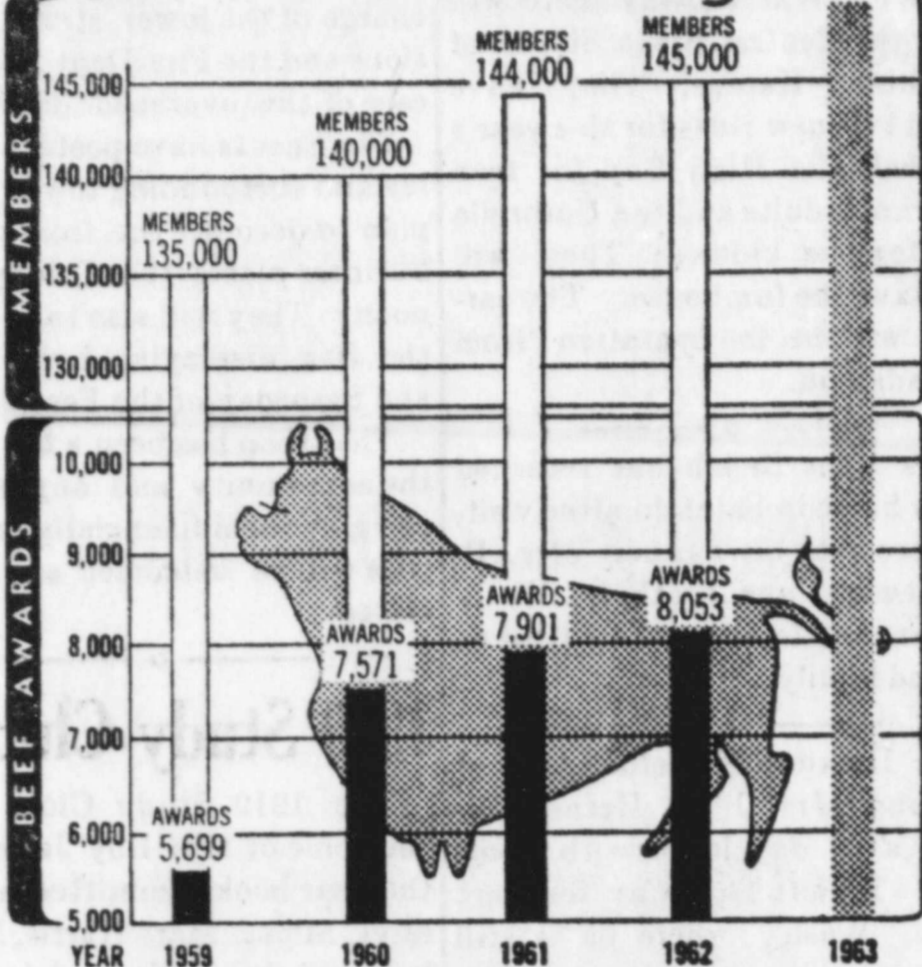
Investment in agriculture is equal to three-fourths of the value of assets of all corporations or three-fourths of the market value of all corporation stocks on the New York Stock Exchange.

A sound and stable agriculture is our nation's greatest source of strength.

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5th ANNIVERSARY 4-H Beef Program



The 1963 National 4-H Club Congress and the International Live Stock show the first week in December are destined to be once-in-a-lifetime experiences for a 4-H beef project winner.

An all-expense trip to Chicago awaits the state's top prize winner. The boy or girl also will be considered for one of six \$500 college scholarships presented to the highest ranking 4-H beef cattle producers in the nation.

This year marks the 5th anniversary of the beef program sponsorship by E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company. During the last five years participation and awards won by 4-H'ers have increased markedly.

Extension Supervised

Supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service, the program in 1962 attracted more than 145,000 boys and girls in nearly every state compared to

about 135,000 in 1959. Enrollment is expected to show another increase when the 1963 figures are compiled.

Chance to Learn

The beef program offers 4-H'ers opportunities to learn and apply latest methods of breeding, feeding and marketing. Much of the original research and testing were done by the agricultural experiment stations.

The youths also practice judging, fitting and showing of animals, and demonstrate various aspects of livestock production and management.

Awards Not Easy

Progress reports, personal development and service to the community are considered when 4-H award winners are selected.

Three girls and 21 boys already have claimed scholarships and next December six more youths will join this elite group.

Boost Your Favorite Queen Candidate!

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- Katrina Snelson Jap Shaw Conoco
- Marsha Snelson Hedley Cafe
- Kathy Spier Security State Bank
- Cheryl Stegall Moffitt Hardware Co.
- Brenda Winn Moreman Grocery and Locker

Mrs. Davis Confirmed Young Homemakers As Postmaster

Mrs. Elva L. Davis received a telegram this week from Senator Ralph Yarborough informing her that the Senate had confirmed her appointment as postmaster of Hedley.



LEGION NEWS

The regular meeting of the post is next Tuesday night. Legion's participation in the Festival and other business will be discussed.

A good feed is promised. Only 37 have paid their 1964 dues. We need 64 more soon to bust the 100 mark.

L. L. Cornelius of Clarendon was a Hedley visitor last Wednesday.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

A good definition for a Cafe is: An eating place that doesn't sell drugs. A good definition for insurance is protection. Actually you don't buy insurance, you buy protection. C. L. Johnson Insurance.

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For Sale—11 acres of land, house and barn, concrete cellar, 3 room chicken house. See Mrs. W. F. Brown. 493p

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See S. G. Adamson or phone 856-3861. 47tf

For Sale—1949 Dodge pickup, estimated 10,000 miles on rebuilt motor and new tires. See Ed Boliver.

See Arlene Thompson for Avon Products, phone 856-2761. 42tf

For Monuments, Curbing and Grave Covers, see M. O. Weatherly. Terms if desired.

See Myrtle Kirkpatrick for flowers or leave order at Wilson Drug.

The Hedley Chapter of the Young Homemakers will meet Monday night, October 7, at 7:00 in the Home Economics room at the high school. The program, "Hag or Drag, be a Queen Every Day with an Electric Washer and Dryer," will be presented by Mrs. Katherine Ball of Childress home economist for the West Texas Utilities Co.

All interested women are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Flower Show

The 1963 Cotton Festival flower show will be in the Johnson Insurance Office. Please bring your arrangements in Friday morning, Oct. 11.

This is sponsored by the Hedley Garden Club flower show committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Taylor announce the arrival on Tuesday, Oct. 1, of twins, a son and a daughter. The young man weighed 7 lbs 5 oz., and the young lady weighed 6 lbs 14 oz. Mother and children are reported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reid have been visiting in East Texas.

Mrs. Bill Johnson was brought home last Friday from a Memphis hospital, where she had been for treatment.

Slow Drivers Warned

Austin—Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said today the new speed law effective Aug. 23 specifically makes it a violation to drive a vehicle so slow as to impede traffic.

He said that before enactment of the new law it was necessary for a police officer to warn a driver impeding traffic to speed up or get off the road before filing a charge.

"Under the new statute, as we interpret it, whenever a driver is driving slower than the normal and reasonable movement of traffic and thereby impeding that traffic, he will be committing a violation for which he may be charged in court," Garrison said.

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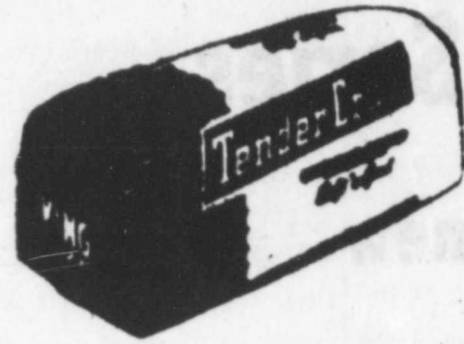
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