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F. G. Watt

A long time resident of Donley County, Fred Gury Watt, 82, passed away last Wednesday evening in the Memphis hospital. Funeral services were held Friday morning in the First United Methodist Church here by Rev. Billy Wilson and Rev. Dave Sellars. Burial was in Rowe Cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home. Graveside services were conducted by the Hedley Masonic lodge.

Pallbearers were Walter Johnson, W. W. Wiggins, W. B. Wiggins, J. T. Hill, John Hill Jr. and H. Mobley.

Mr. Watt was born Oct. 2, 1886 in Navarro County, Texas, and came to Donley County in 1892. He was united in marriage to Miss Byrta Ruth Akers on April 4, 1914, at the Akers home in Giles. She preceded him in death Oct. 16, 1957. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the Hedley Masonic lodge.

He is survived by one son, Fred A. Watt of Hedley; two daughters, Mrs. Collier Heater of Dumas and Mrs. Edwin E. Ayers of Kaufman; and six grandchildren.

Card of Thanks

With respectful loving remembrance of my dear wife, may I use this method of gratitude to express my sincere appreciation for all the kindness shown in the loss of her brother Fred G. Watt.

May God bless everyone.

Malcolm Glass

Mrs. Blackwell To Be Honored

In honor of her eighty-first birthday this Sunday, Feb. 16, the children and grandchildren of Mrs. F. S. Blackwell will have part in the morning worship services of the First Baptist Church. Included in the group coming are Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Blackwell and children, and Mr. and Mrs. James Koontz. These will lead the congregational singing and present several special music numbers.

The people at First Baptist Church are looking forward to this special treat and fellowship.

Joint School and City Election

The city and school will hold a joint election in the Hedley City Hall on Saturday, April 5.

There will be two candidates for school trustee, both to be elected for three year terms.

There will be four candidates for alderman, two to be elected for two years and two to be elected for one year.

Any qualified citizen may run for these offices. Deadline for placing a name on the ballot will be March 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee spent last week end in Amarillo.

Mrs. Lois Beach has been ill in the Clarendon hospital.

W. G. Johnson

Another long time Hedley resident, William Grover Johnson, 83, passed away Sunday in the Clarendon hospital after a lengthy illness.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church by Rev. Dave L. Sellars. Burial was in Rowe Cemetery here. Pallbearers were Otis Holland, O'Neill Weatherly, Sam Sanders, Hobart Moffitt, Warren Mendenhall and John Stephens.

Mr. Johnson was a native of Summerset, Ky. He came to Texas in 1920 and had lived in Hedley since 1926. He was a Baptist.

He is survived by his wife, Eva; three daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Stephens of Hedley, Mrs. Etta Moss of Clarendon and Mrs. Lora Britton of Amarillo; two sons, Rhuben and Virgil of Hedley; a sister, Mrs. Sara Ann Navels of Summerset; two brothers, Walter of Carey and Charles of Burnside, Ky.; 17 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Men's Day

This past Sunday was Men's Day at the First Baptist Church. Saturday evening the Baptist men had a meeting which included fellowship and inspiration. Harold (Cubby) Miller, a paint contractor from Memphis, was the inspirational speaker. Sunday morning Dennis Reed and E. L. Cline spoke to the congregation. Sunday evening Duane Reynolds, Tommy Bolin, Charles Payne, Jon Leggitt, and R. A. Parks spoke. Men occupied the choir also.

Pastor Dave Sellars reports that each of the men did an excellent job in his speaking and personal testimony.

Following the evening service a fellowship was held in honor of Jimmy Boliver, for his faithful service and many contributions to the church life.

Notice

Having taken an inventory of utensils and serving pieces, the Baptist church is anxious for the return of about 30 silver salad forks and a punch bowl and cup set. Your help in this matter would be very much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Moreman were here Friday from Amarillo.

Gov. Preston Smith Writes Randy Shaw

Randy Shaw recently wrote a letter to Governor Preston Smith protesting the proposed consolidation of schools. Following is the reply Randy received from Governor Smith:

February 3, 1969

Mr. Randy C. Shaw
Box 532
Hedley, Texas 79237

Dear Randy:

Just a note to personally express to you my gratitude for your recent letter expressing your views regarding the proposal to consolidate schools having less than 2600 average daily attendance of their students.

While campaigning for governor of Texas, I made my views just as clear as possible through all sources of news media. I do not favor all the recommendations of the public school committee, and this is one of those recommendations that I have publicly said many times I did not favor.

I know that we are all in accord with the overall objective of improving the education program for our children. I simply do not believe we need to destroy many of our communities that are built around a fine independent school district. I know there are other ways to achieve this goal.

It would be my final suggestion that you contact your state senator and representative as they are the ones who do the actual voting on these measures when they are presented in the form of legislation.

Sincerely,
Preston Smith

42 Club

The 42 Club will meet this Thursday night, Feb. 13, with Opal Mann at 7:30.

Reporter

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all our friends for the cards, flowers and food. We appreciated everything very much.

The family of F. G. Watt

Mrs. C. H. Reid underwent surgery in the Memphis hospital last Wednesday.

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**Vehicle
Inspection
Deadline
April 15**

Social Security News

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He will be available to help on any matters relating to Social Security

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A. S. C. News

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Signup for the 1969 feed grain, wheat, and cotton programs is scheduled to begin Feb. 3, and continue through March 21. The decision as to whether advance payments will be made is expected prior to the beginning of signup.

1969 Wheat

In order to participate in the 1969 wheat program, you must certify compliance with the program and divert an acreage equal to 15 percent of your 1969 allotment. Some producers are confused about this as they think this 15 percent comes off of the original wheat allotment. But remember, you can plant all of your allotment and set aside the 15 percent diversion. This will entitle you to earn certificate payments on

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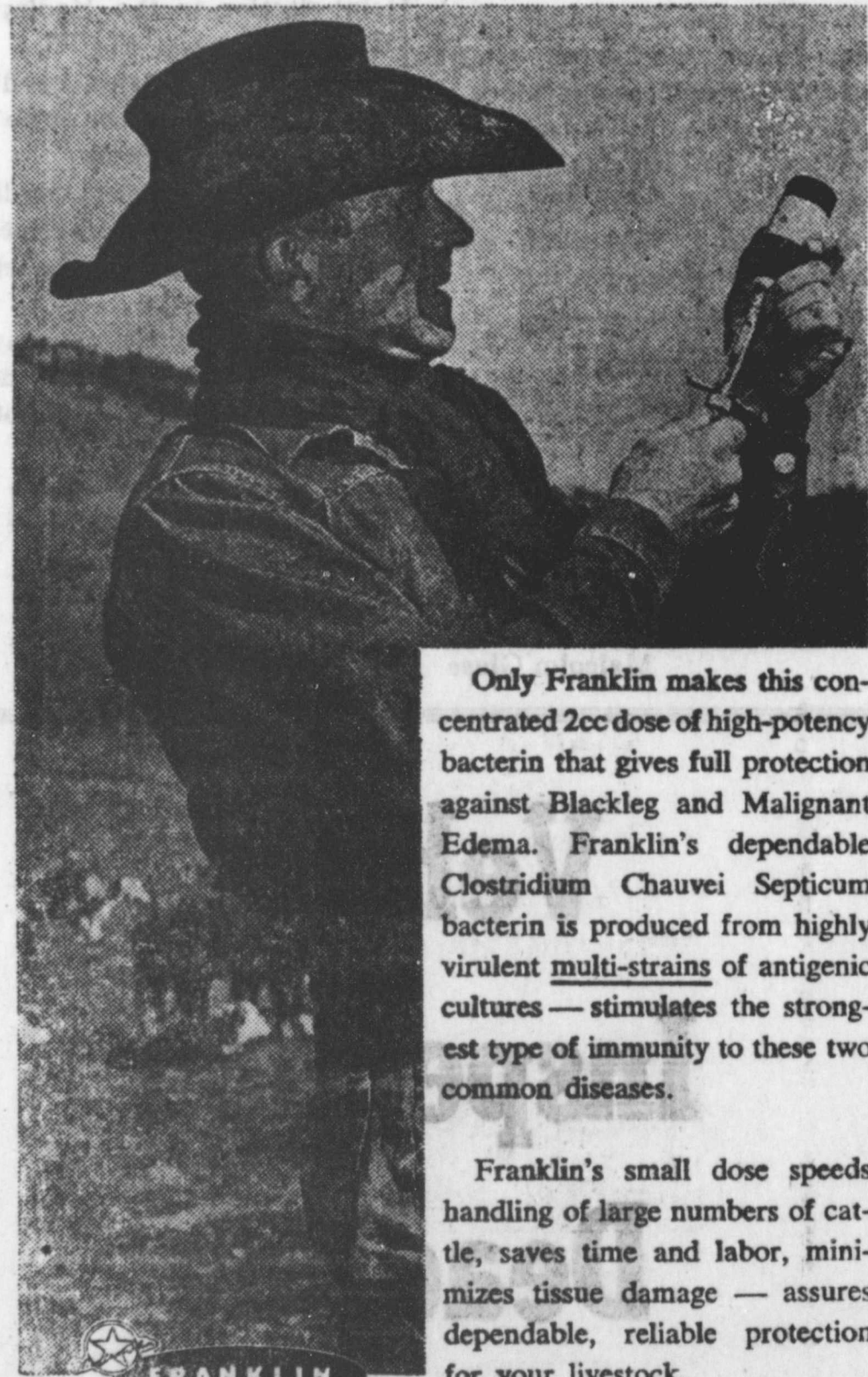
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Del Monte Spinach, 303 size can, 3 for	.69
Bakerite Shortening, 3 lb. can	.59

Del Monte Sweet Peas, 303 size can, 4 for	\$1.00
Mission Cut Green Beans, 2 for	.39
Yukon's Best Flour, 5 lb. .49	10 lb. .89
White Swan Evaporated Milk, 6 cans	\$1.00
Scott Towels, jumbo roll, 2 for	.77
Northern Tissue, 4 roll pkg.	.39

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Decker's Oleo, solids, 6 for	\$1.00
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Plains Cottage Cheese, 2 lb. carton	.43

Fresh VEGETABLES & FRUITS

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Fresh Green Onions, bunch	.09
Texas Carrots, 1 lb. pkg., 2 for	.25
Colorado No. 1 Red Potatoes, 10 lb.	.47

FRESH MEATS

Wright's Bacon, Smoke Rite, 2 lb.	\$1.09
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T-Bone Steak, lb.	.95

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People make the news and your newspaper is always interested in what you've done Let us know if you have: Died, married, enlisted, graduated, been born, left town, been shot, struck oil, had triplets, been lynched, been robbed, been elected, had a fire, been arrested, found a still, been promoted, written a book, inherited a million, committed a murder, stuck up a bank, bought a home.

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Copies of the 1969 edition of the Farmer's Tax Guide are available at your local County Agent's office, according to Ronald Gooch, County Agent

The Farmer's Tax Guide has been redesigned this year to make it easier to use and more helpful to you in preparing your income tax return. Provisions of the tax law that apply to farmers and ranchers are explained in everyday language, and examples throughout the booklet show how these rules are applied to actual farming and ranching situations.

Copies of the Farmer's Tax Guide can be picked up at the County Agent's office or call the office at 874-2141 and a copy will be mailed to you, free of charge, Gooch said

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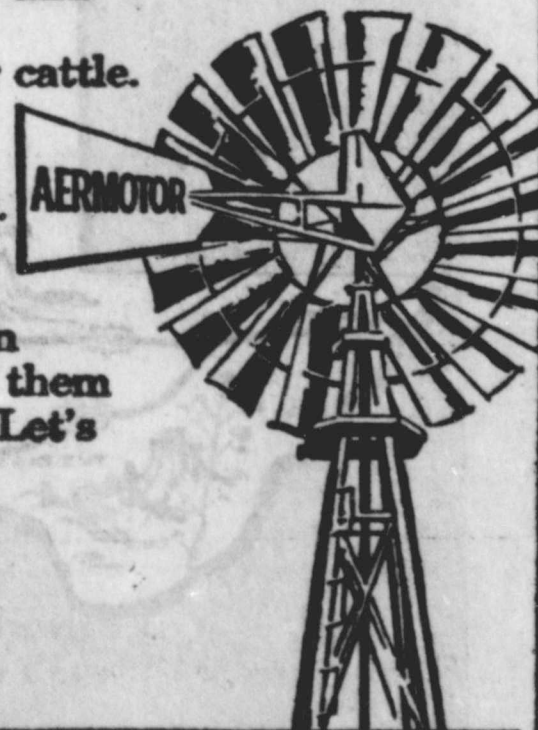
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