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## Open House at Hedley Postoffice

The inauguration of the new United States Postal Service on July 1, will be celebrated in every post office across the country. Dedication ceremonies in Washington will be hosted by Postmaster General Blount. Honored guests at the ceremony will include members of Congress, former Postmasters General, the Board of Governors of the new Postal Service and their wives, as well as other headquarters personnel and dignitaries.

Postmaster Davis and employees invite you to visit your local post office on July 1. Visitors will receive a souvenir envelope imprinted with the old and new insignia of the postal service. This envelope will also be made available in limited numbers as a first day cancellation—just for the cost of an 8¢ stamp. This will be the first time First Day Covers have been available at all U. S. Post Offices.

A photographic display of modern Postal Service jobs and functions will help visitors learn more about the men and women of the Postal Service and how each mail user can help them serve the community better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinds have moved their house here from Silverton and are making their home here now. We are glad to have them back in Hedley.

## Christy Lee Edwards

Funeral services for Christy Lee Edwards, 23 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Edwards of Hedley, who was killed in a jeep accident last Wednesday, were held Saturday at Memorial Park Cemetery in Amarillo. Rosary was said Thursday evening in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Memphis.

Arrangements were conducted by Spicer Funeral Home.

The Edwards family had lived here only about two months, coming here from Los Angeles, Calif.

Survivors, in addition to the parents, are one brother, Joseph Jr.; two sisters, Jewell Ann and Heida Reene; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Young of Hesperia, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Edwards of Dumas.

## Legal Notice

The Hon. Commissioners' Court in and for Donley County, Texas will set as an equalization board for a Second Hearing on Monday July 12, 1971, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in the courthouse in the City of Clarendon, Texas.

## Notice

The school gym will be open on Wednesday nights after church services.

Karen Quisenberry of Childress visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Quisenberry, last week end.

## "Texas" Opening Honors Mayors

Thirty-four Panhandle towns sent their mayors or representatives to the opening of "Texas" in Palo Duro Canyon last Thursday night, where the mayors and their wives were special guests. Ten of them had been present in 1962 at the groundbreaking ceremonies for the theatre, and were especially honored.

All the mayors were greeted by Uncle Henry of the "Texas" cast, and were appointed honorary mayors of Henryanna, the imaginary town in the show. Max Sherman, state senator, and Tom Christian, representative, presented them with the certificates designating them with the honor, and they were congratulated by state representatives Ben Bynum and Byron Poff.

The sixth version of "Texas" delighted the audience, which filled the theatre. It was, if possible, better than ever.

Mayor D. E. Boliver of Hedley was among the 34 mayors present.

## Clarendon Celebration

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July 3, old fiddlers contest at 3:00 p. m., \$200 in prizes.

July 3, western parade at 4:00 p. m., annual free barbecue at 6:00 p. m.

July 4, jackpot roping Sunday afternoon.

## Less Whitaker Jr.

Funeral services for Les Whitaker Jr., 47, of Amarillo, who passed away there last Wednesday, were held in Amarillo Friday. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mr. Whitaker was a lifelong resident of Amarillo. He owned farms near Hedley and in Potter County, and for many years was a salesman for Clowe and Cowan Inc.

Mrs. Mabel Bridges is visiting in Farmington, N. Mex.

## New Vaccination Laws

Senate Bill 27, amending section 209 of the Texas Education Code, was signed into law by Governor Preston Smith on April 26. This law is now in effect and requires that all children entering Texas elementary or secondary schools or institutions of higher education must have been immunized against six diseases: diphtheria, tetanus, poliomyelitis, measles, rubella, and smallpox. The law states that "the State Department of Health shall provide the required immunizations to children in areas where no local provision exists to provide these services."

Senate Bill 971, an amendment to Senate Bill 27, has become law. It enables the State Board of Health to modify or delete any of the six required immunizations, and allows the provisional admittance of students if the required immunizations have been begun and are continued to be received "as rapidly as is medically feasible," and requires the State Department of Health to promulgate rules and regulations relating to the provisional admission of persons to an elementary or secondary school or institution of higher education.

All students will be allowed to enter their respective school systems during the Summer and Fall 1971 terms, with the provision that their immunizations against at least one of the aforementioned diseases will have been started by January 1, 1972, and all completed as soon as medically feasible.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jones of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jones of Dallas visited Mrs. E. D. Morton and Forest last week end. The latter couple were here on their honeymoon. They will make their home in Dallas.

Mrs. David Taylor visited her husband in San Antonio last week end.

Mrs. Sharon Stafford underwent surgery in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee are visiting the Bill McKee family in Houston.

Visiting in the Homer Hill home this week was the John W. Neely family of Hawthorne, Calif.

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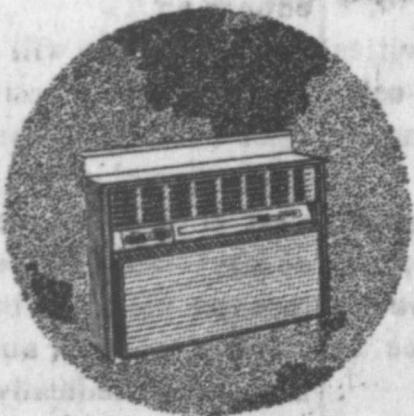
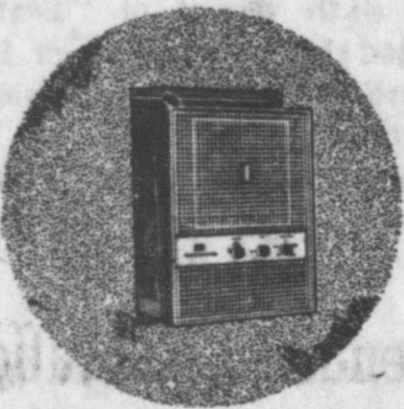
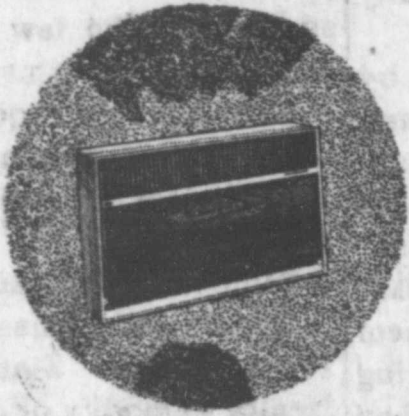
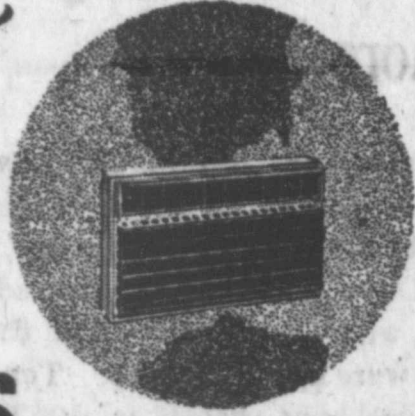
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The law requires that this part of Medicare be kept on a "pay-as-you-go" basis and increased use of medical services as well as higher costs made a premium increase necessary. The additional 30¢ paid by the beneficiary will also be matched by the Government as is the balance of the premium. This means that the medical insurance will continue to be worth twice the amount you pay.

For most beneficiaries the

monthly premium will be \$5.60 and if they are receiving a social security check, it will be automatically deducted from the check. Those people who are not receiving a monthly check will be billed for the additional premium amount of their regular quarterly billing schedule.

If you need more information regarding Medicare, call your social security office at 376-5151, or if you prefer visit the office at 317 East Third Amarillo.

## Storm Warning

Since the tornado season is with us again, it is time to remind everyone of the signals sounded by the fire siren. One blast of the siren indicates a fire, two blasts are to call the department together, and three blasts indicate a storm.

Three blasts do not necessarily indicate that a tornado has been sighted, but they do mean that everyone should watch the clouds and take whatever action seems to be necessary.

## Adamson-Lane Post 287, American Legion



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

Johnny Conatser, Commander  
Clifford Johnson, Adjutant

## Hedley Lodge No. 413



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July 1, 15 and 29

August 12 and 26

Sept. 9 and 23

He will also be at the American Legion Hall in Memphis from 8:30 to 11:30 on the following Wednesdays:

July 14 and 28

August 4 and 18

Sept. 1, 15, and 29

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Pat District Governor Boyd Meador of McLean installed the new officials of the Hedley Lions Club at their last Thursday night's ladies night meeting.

The new officers are Louie Bogue president, Doyle Clendennen, Fred Stafford and Otis Holland vice presidents, O'Neill Weatherly secretary-treasurer, Johnny Conatser Lion Tamer and William Mullins taitwiser.

Miss Connie Lee DeBord and Miss Angela Messer were chosen club Sweethearts. Miss DeBord is the pianist and Miss Messer will lead the singing. Miss Messer is the 1970 Lions Club Queen and

The 42 Club will meet with Mrs. W. H. Jones on Thursday, July 8, at 7:00.

Mr and Mrs E. L. Cline have moved to Memphis to make their home

will be eligible to compete again in 1972.

Hobart Moffitt is the club's official greeter and Clifford Johnson is publicity chairman for both the club and the Cotton Festival.

The next regular meeting of the club will be Thursday night of next week at 7:30 p.m. All Lions are urged to attend and start the new year with a lot of vim and vitality.

## Little League Baseball Clarendon Celebration

The Hedley Little League will play the following schedule:

Owls vs. Yankees at Clarendon Monday, July 5

Owls vs. Giants at Hedley Thursday, July 8

Owls vs. White Sox at Clarendon Friday, July 9

Owls vs. Cubs at Clarendon Tuesday, July 13

All Little League games will start at 7 p.m.

Sam Owens Jr. and family of Fort Worth and Mr and Mrs. Dick Bigelow of Pueblo Colo., visited in the Sam Owens home last weekend.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. A. T. Simmons Tuesday of last week were Mr and Mrs John Adamson of Turkey. Mrs. Simmons returned home with them for a visit of several days.

Mr and Mrs U. J. Boston of Amarillo visited Myrtle Reeves Monday.

Cindy Johnson of Matador is visiting her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Clifford Johnson, this week.

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Peggy Lamberson of Perryton and Tommie Brown of Amarillo are visiting their great-grandmother Mrs. Celia Lamberson, this week.

Mr and Mrs. W. W. Gage and Melissa of Fontana, Calif., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parks.

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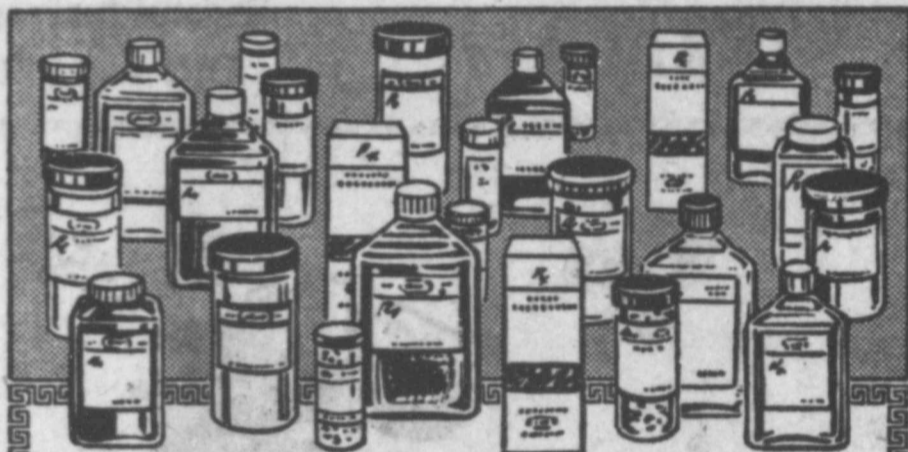
Louie E. Bogue, Pres.  
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### Rowe Cemetery

The time is here for work to be done again on Rowe Cemetery. This work is paid for solely by voluntary contributions, and donations are needed to pay for gas and labor.

Please do your part to help keep the cemetery looking nice.

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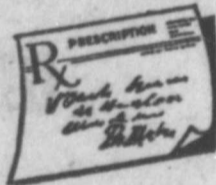
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