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Leon Doherty

Funeral service for Leon Doherty, 40, who passed away in the Memphis hospital Sunday after a short illness, were held Monday in the United Methodist Church here by Rev Billy Wilson Rev C C Lamb and Rev Ted Dotts. Burial was in Rowe Cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Homer Simmons, Ray Altman, Ross Springer, Kenneth Taylor, Darrell Holland and Harold White.

Honorary pallbearers included Charles Payne, Bill Clubb, Charlie Johnson, Hobart Moffitt, Forest Morton, Frank Murray, Ike Rains, John Tate, Clyde Hoggard, Elmer Howell and D F Reed.

Mr Doherty, a native of Hedley, was named state Comeback Farmer of the Year in April by the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce. He had been blind for some eight years, but had overcome his handicap with great courage and continued his farming operations with the aid of a seeing-eye dog and two-way radios. He was a graduate of Hedley High School and attended Clarendon Junior College. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church and had served as a Counselor for the MYF for some 11 years. He was an honorary member of the Hedley Lions Club.

He was married to Miss Florence Maureen Hill on Nov. 29, 1952, at Hedley.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, LaNeita Maurine; his parents, Mr and Mrs. Winfred Doherty of Hedley; and two bro-

To Observe Golden Wedding

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Welch of Hedley will honor their parents with a reception in the Hedley Lions Den from 2:00 to 4:00 on Sunday, August 22, the occasion being their 50th wedding anniversary.

Miss Gussie Roy and Clarence Welch were united in marriage on August 24, 1921, in Wellington. They lived in Wellington until Dec 7, 1953, when they moved to Hedley, and have lived in Hedley since that time.

Their children are Mrs. Lonnie Neeley of Quail, C. E. Welch of Claude, Wade Welch of Wellington, William W Welch of Dallas, and Cecil Welch of Clovis. They have five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

All relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Farm Bureau Chicken Barbecue

The annual Farm Bureau chicken barbecue will be held at Lelia Lake August 27th, at 7:00. Everyone is invited to attend.

Leave your chickens at Stafford Grocery and they will be picked up. Allow one-half chicken per person.

The John Lee Stephens family and Bobby Stephens family were here from Amarillo last week end.

Others Ronald of Dallas and Jack of Denton.

Completes Basic



San Antonio—Airman Henry C. Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson L Stephens of Hedley, Tex, has received his first U S. Air Force duty assignment after completing basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. The airman has been assigned to a unit of the Tactical Air Command at Holloman AFB, N M., for training and duty as a fuel specialist. Airman Stephens attended Hedley High School. His wife is the former Nancy Saunders of Hedley.

Birthday Party

Mrs Ivey Cole was honored with a surprise birthday party in her home last Friday, when several friends and relatives gathered to wish her a happy birthday.

A feature of the occasion was a beautiful yellow and white birthday cake made by her granddaughter, Nickii Bolin.

After opening and admiring the lovely gifts, coffee and cake were served to Mrs. Ruby McKee, Mrs. Carl Reid, Mrs E. C. Boliver, Mrs Clarence Welch, Mrs. Tom Clendennen, Mrs. Ollie Tyler, Mrs. Sally Bolin, Nickii, Ricky and Kim Bolin, Paula and Tony Clendennen, and the honoree.

Mr and Mrs Bud Hoggatt and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Altman of Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hoggatt of Pampa attended the funeral of their uncle, Henry Odom, at Ada, Okla., last Wednesday.

Mrs John C. Hodges and granddaughter, Teena Marie Hodges of Overland Park, Kansas, visited in the John Tate home last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W C. Holland and Clifftie Ann vacationed at Red River, N. Mex., last week.

City Sales Tax

The City of Hedley having received a petition, bearing the names of a sufficient number of qualified voters, requesting that an election be held to adopt the local sales and use tax in the City of Hedley, an election for such purpose has been called for Sept. 18, 1971, at the City Hall in Hedley. Ross Springer has been named Presiding Judge and L. D. Messer Alternate Presiding Judge, and two clerks will be appointed by Mr Springer.

If the issue carries, the tax will be at the rate of 1%, and will be collected together with the state sales tax, making a total of 5% sales tax, which is the same as in most of our neighboring towns.

Many Hedley citizens have spoken in favor of this tax. Everyone knows, of course that the city has lost a substantial amount in tax valuations. Also, due to state regulations, the cost of operation of the city junk ground has had considerable increase.

Hedley's Greenbelt water payments increased \$76 per month for the fiscal year which began July 1st, making our monthly water payment now \$1030.

The city is trying to absorb the increased water cost and the increased cost on the junk ground without raising the water rates. The sales tax could be a great help in this effort.

Incidentally, please investigate the water rates of some other towns, and we believe you will appreciate your local rates more.

Mrs. Laura Cawthon

Funeral services for Mrs. Laura Cawthon, 97, of Baton Rouge, La., who passed away there Saturday, were held Monday at Delhi, La.

She was an aunt of Lloyd Leggett of Hedley, and had visited here many times. She had many friends here.

Edgar Culwell

Mrs. Dannie Bernardin tells us that she has received word of the death of Edgar Culwell at Wilcox, Ariz., August 4.

Edgar grew up in Hedley and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Culwell.

Mrs. Jessie Adamson has been visiting in Amarillo and Clovis.



"Better Cotton Yields for Profits and Markets" is the theme of a Beltwide campaign to boost cotton yields this season. The cotton industry, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and agricultural Extension services in the 14 major cotton producing states are cooperating. Goal is to "increase producer net income and profits through increased yields and obtain an adequate supply of cotton to meet market needs at home and abroad."

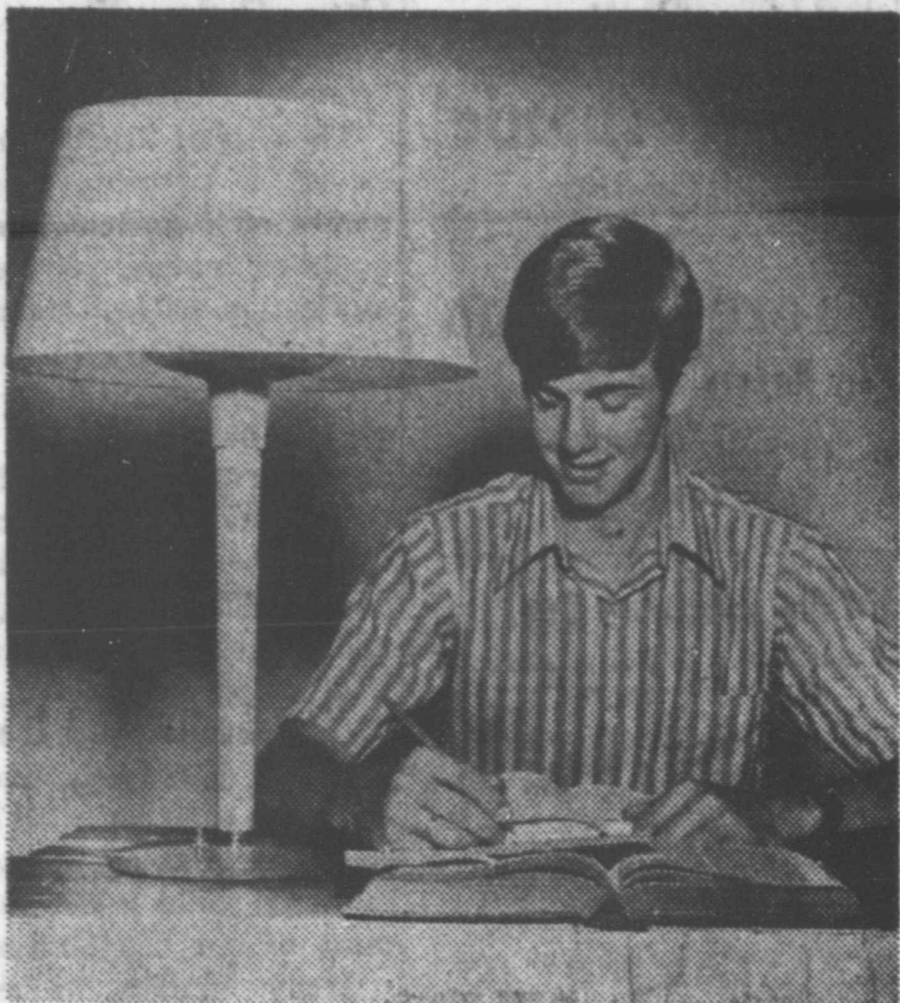
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O.E.S., meets the first Monday night of each month. All members are requested to attend.

Carolyn Lowe, W. M.
Mattie Irene Roberts, Sec.

Hedley Lions Club

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

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Swift Jewel Shortening, 3 lb. can	.60
Full Dress Dog Food, 8 for	\$1.00

Richelieu Coffee Any grind Lb. .79

Golden Fresh Orange Juice, 2 for	.80
White Swan Sugar, 5 lb.	.50
Northern 4 roll Toilet Tissue, each	.49
Crown Zee Towels, jumbo size, 2 for	.69
Fireside Crackers, 1 lb. box	.29

All chicken orders for the Lions Barbecue should be turned in by August 25th

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To Donley County Residents

Donley County resident, do you need help because of the drouth? Your federal government is making available to many residents of the southwest many types of assistance to help you through the drouth and its aftermath. Listed below are the programs available to residents of this county. If you are a resident of another county, purchase the weekly newspaper published there. We are asking the editors of all weeklies to publish these messages as a public service to their readers.

If you need agricultural assistance loans, contact Farmers Home Administration.

If you need business economic injury loans, contact Small Business Administration.

If you need cattle feed at a reduced rate, contact A S C S.

If you need emergency conservation assistance, contact A S C S.

If you need food, contact County Welfare Office.

If you need haying and grazing on set-aside acres, contact A S C S.

If you need hay transportation assistance, contact A S C S.

If you need income tax advice and assistance, contact U. S. Internal Revenue Service.

If you do not have a local office of any of the above agencies, ask for information from your County Extension Agent. Bankers, editors and other civic minded persons also may be able to help.

This message has been printed as a public service by this newspaper for the residents of this county

Interagency Drouth Committee Executive Office of the President

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

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.

Aunt Sarah, I love you.

Remember my 10th birthday, when you gave me that funny piece of green paper and everybody made such a fuss over it. (Except me.) Frankly, it was a pretty disappointing present for a kid. I couldn't eat it, couldn't play with it, couldn't wear it—and Mom took it away from me practically the minute I got it.

And every birthday after that (and Christmas, too), you gave me another one of those Bonds, you called them. I thought you were pretty gooney.

At least, I never had to guess what I was going to get from good old reliable Aunt Sarah.

And what I got was good old reliable U.S. Savings Bonds.

What I didn't realize then was that you gave me a gift of security for the future. Thanks to you and those Bonds, I had extra funds for college. And they helped when I bought my first new car.

Next week, I'm giving my nephew, Harry, his first U.S. Savings Bond. I know the kid is gonna think I'm some kind of nut. But, someday...



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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

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



LIONS ROAR

Just one more week until the Lions annual family picnic, a chicken barbecue at the city park, a gala occasion which everyone should attend. Just leave your chickens at Stafford Grocery by Wed Aug 25

A large crowd is expected in-

cluding several Howardwick Lions and their families, the district governor, Floyd Sacket of Pampa, his wife Janice, their son and others. In case of rain the barbecue will be served in the Lions Den.

The next big event will be the 20th annual Cotton Festival Oct. 8 and 9. Several have been contacted but so far the only ones who have responded are the two bands for the two dances. Lou

Hurt and his Westerners will play Friday night and Tom West and the Bushwhacker Saturday night.

There will be two regular Lions Club meetings before the Festival. Dates are Sept. 9 and 23. However there may be several workers meetings also.

School Lunchroom Menu

Thursday, Aug. 19, oven baked fish, tarter sauce, ketchup, corn, green salad, bread, butter, lemon pudding, milk.

Friday, Aug. 20, hamburgers, mustard mayonnaise, sliced onions, tomatoes, lettuce, tater tots, orange juice in strawberry jello, milk.

Monday, Aug 23, ham, noodles, blackeye peas, lettuce and tomato salad, bread, butter, roll wheat cake with pineapple icing, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 24, spanish rice with meat, english peas, carrot sticks or cantaloupe, rolls, butter, apricots, milk

Wednesday, Aug. 25, pinto beans, spinaeh, cabbage salad, corn bread, butter, apple sauce, peanut butter cookies, milk.

Thursday, Aug 26, fish, tartar sauce, corn, green salad, bread, butter, fruit jello, milk.

Friday, Aug. 27, hamburger on buttered bun, sliced tomatoes, lettuce, mustard, mayonnaise, tater tots, ketchup, sliced peaches, milk

Cherry Elected

Lynn Cherry has been elected secretary of the Howardwick Lions Club.

The Tom Clendennens were surprised with a visit by Sam Delvin Dehart, Mrs Bonnie Joyce Dehart, Robie Lee Dehart and friend Richard, all of Dallas. They spent last Saturday night with the Clendennens.

Truell Huffman and family of Eunice, N. Mex, and M. Sgt. Carter Huffman and family of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. W. H. Huffman last week end. Carter has just returned from 15 months in Taiwan.

Tina Phillips of San Diego, Calif., is visiting the Clifford Johnsons this week.

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O. W. Killingsworth has been named Installer Repairman at Clarendon, according to Sherron T. Lee, Division Manager for General Telephone Company.

He will assist in clearing outside plant trouble in the Clarendon and Hedley exchanges as well as installing telephones. He has transferred from Lovington, N. Mex., where he served in a similar capacity for 2½ years.

Killingsworth is married and the couple has four daughters, two married and Gina and Gay of the home. They are natives of Wellington.

The Killingsworths are members of the First Baptist Church and reside at 816 S. Parks in Clarendon.

School Time

The Hedley School building will be opened for students at 8:30 a. m. At that time the students will go directly to their classroom. In case of bad weather, the school cafeteria will be opened at 8:15 a. m. to take care of students that need to come to school at an earlier time. Students should not under ordinary circumstances be at school before 8:30 a. m. The teachers will be in their classrooms at 8:25 a. m.

Read the Classified Ads.

Mr and Mrs. Harry Skaggs, Dale, Dean and Don of Amarillo spent the day with the W. C. Holland family Sunday. Dale is home from the Marines on 10 day leave.

Bob Couch and family of Gallup, N. Mex., visited here last week end.

The J. C. Upton family were here from Amarillo last week end.

Mrs. Lawrence Overcast and children of Durango, Colo., visited in the Dennis Reed home last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wiggins of Houston visited here last week end

Dale Freeman, a senior, and Charles Long of Angelo State University, and Jennifer Lee Freeman a senior in Menkada College in Minnesota, have been visiting the Garlon Freeman family here.

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