

The Hedley Informer

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NO. 16

New Service Offered

A new service is being offered to residents of this area. Buyer's Service of Pampa is now prepared to offer free delivery on all kinds of lumber and building material, doors, windows, plumbing fixtures, carpet, cabinets, carpenter's work, and many other items.

See their ad in this issue for further details.

Holman Announces For Sheriff

Homer Holman has authorized the Informer to announce his candidacy for Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector of Donley County, subject to the Democratic primary.

He states that your vote and influence would be appreciated.



LIONS ROAR

The Hedley Lions Club met last Thursday evening. Mrs. Kate Stone and Mrs. J. M. Baker served a very delicious meal to 28 Lions and guests. A. J. Rowell of Anchorage, Alaska, was Louie Bogue's guest. Ora Pearl Farris gave the program. Taitwister Red Doherty was a bit active.

The bicentennial year should be a big year for the Hedley Lions. They will be starting on their 35 years in May and the 25th Hedley Cotton Festival will be held Oct

Tomie M. Potts

Funeral services for Tomie M. Potts, 85, of Memphis, who passed away Saturday, were held in Memphis Monday. Burial was in the Memphis cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Potts had lived in Memphis since 1911, and had been a well known car dealer and cattleman for many years.

He was an uncle of James Potts of Hedley.

Hill Announces For Commissioner

After thinking it over for some time, I have decided to announce that I will again be a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 3, Donley County.

I have appreciated very much your support in the past, and, if elected, will continue to do my best to deserve your confidence.

Junior Hill

The Jack Staffords visited Fred Stafford and family at Lubbock last week end. Fred is much better and was able to go back to work Monday.

Mr and Mrs Fred Brown and daughters of Amarillo visited the Jop Shaws and Mrs Lamberson Sunday

8 and 9. That with other events should make it a full year of activities

County Clerk's Report Sales Tax Deadline

The annual report of the County Clerk appears in this issue of the Informer.

If you are interested in your county's finances, look it over.



LEGION NEWS

Adams-Lane post of the American Legion now has 65 members for the year 1976. Their goal is 76 members for 1976. They should easily reach their goal from the 500 or more veterans in Donley County who do not belong to any veterans organization. Only 11 members to go.

Myrtle Reeves and Mesdames Dannie Bernardia, Eloise Spalding, Biffie Moreman, Opal Mann, Vera Mae Saunders, Leone Taylor, Geraldine Wiggins and Georgia Jeffers visited Mrs Myrtella Deahl at Garretson Retirement Center at Panhandle Sunday afternoon. They report she is doing fine and intends to come home when the weather warms up.

School Lunchroom Menu

Thurs, Jan. 29, barbecue wieners, creamed potatoes, green beans, sliced bread, stewed apricots, milk.

Fri., Jan. 30, western burgers, ketchup, french fries, lettuce salad, ice box cookies, milk.

Mon, Feb. 2, hot dogs, ranch style beans, lettuce salad, corn, peanut butter cookies, milk.

Tue., Feb. 3, barbecue beef, broccoli, sweet potatoes, hot rolls, peaches, milk.

Wed, Feb. 4, beans, tomatoes and macaroni, spinach, corn bread, purple plums, milk.

Thurs, Feb. 5, meat balls, creamed potatoes, green beans, better bread, butter, jelly, milk.

Fri, Feb. 6, hamburgers on buttered bun, french fries, ketchup, fruit jello, milk.

Mr and Mrs. Bennie Woods of Amarillo visited the Hunsuckers Sunday.

Mrs Clarence Welch has been released from an Amarillo hospital, and is presently staying with her daughter at Wellington.

Mrs Ivey Cole was taken to the Memphis hospital Monday.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock advises that Jan. 31 is the deadline for all sales taxpayers in Texas to report, whether they file quarterly, monthly or yearly.

Some 231,000 retail merchants who have sales tax permits must meet the deadline.

Pay Taxes Now!

Pay your taxes now. All taxes go delinquent Feb. 1, and penalty and interest will be added.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to all our friends for your cards, flowers, memorials and other expressions of sympathy in the loss of our loved one.

May God bless you all.

The family of S. B. Hinds

Greenbelt News

The Greenbelt directors will meet at Childress at 6 p. m. Jan. 28. Local directors Clifford Johnson and Vergil McPherson plan to attend.

Mrs. E. C. Deering of Pensacola, Fla., has mailed us a renewal of the Informer for her mother, Mrs. Mary Reast, who is in a rest home at Foley, Ala. Mrs. Deering states that Mrs. Reast is now 96 years old, and still enjoys reading the Informer with the aid of a magnifying glass.

Mrs. Sandra Penn of Amarillo and Mrs. Elva Davis made a trip to Abilene last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jackie Stafford and Mrs. Eloise Spalding visited Fred Stafford in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Rhuben Johnson, Ronnie and Susan visited the Jimmy Belivers at Lubbock last week end.

Mrs. Ann Kennedy had surgery last Tuesday at Memphis.

Chester Walker is reported quite ill in Amarillo.

Mr and Mrs. Robin Scalf and son of Abilene visited in the Rev. Lewis Ellis home last week end.

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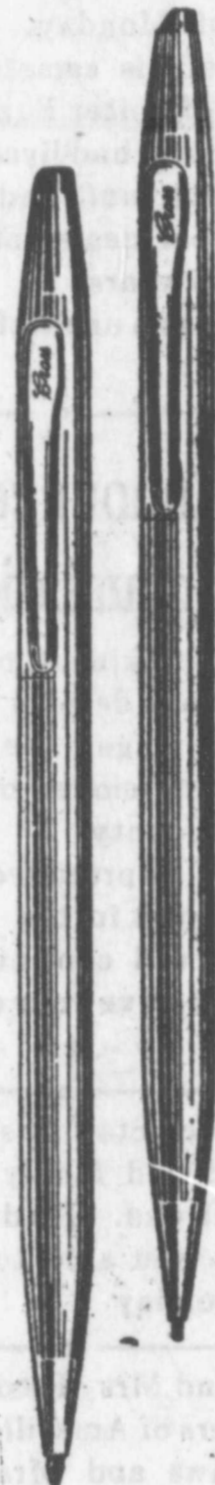
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Hedley Lodge No. 991

A.F. and A.M. meets on the first Tuesday night on each month. All members are urged to attend. Visitors welcome. Refreshments will be served at every regular meeting.
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- Wagner's Breakfast Drink, Orange or Grape, 32 oz., 2 for **.98**
- Kounty Kist Sweet Peas, 17 oz., 2 for **.69**
- Kounty Kist Cream Style Corn, 17 oz. can, 3 for **\$1.00**
- Kounty Kist Cut Green Beans, 17 oz. can, 3 for **.89**
- White Swan Evaporated Milk, tall can, 2 for **.69**
- White Swan Biscuits, 6 cans for **.69**

Soft 'n' Lite Bread, 2 loaves.79

- Husky Dog Food, 15 oz. can, 3 for **.39**
- Oxydol Detergent, giant size **\$1.39**

Charmin Tissue, 4 roll pkg. .89

Register with each purchase for a free basket of Groceries given away on Saturday.

Last week's winner was Mrs. Merylene Sargent of Hedley.

Just our way of saying thanks for shopping with us.

FRESH MEATS

- Wright's Slab Sliced Bacon, lb. **\$1.19**
- Chuck Roast, lb. **.89**
- Fresh Fryers, lb. **.49**

FRESH VEGETABLES & FRUITS

- Grapefruit, Texas Red, 3 for **.39**
- Russet Potatoes, 10 lb. **.89**
- Lettuce, Arizona, per head **.29**

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Hedley Lodge No. 413

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

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Annual Financial Report of Donley County for Year Ending December 31, 1975

| FUND | Balance 12-31-1974 | Receipts | Disbursements | Balance 12-31-1975 |
|---|--------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Jury | \$ 4,736.94 | \$ 1,894.57 | \$ 896.00 | \$ 5,735.51 |
| General | (33,730.47) O. D. | 129,683.41 | 154,121.72 | (58,168.78) O. D. |
| Road and Bridge | 78,672.21 | 157,541.65 | 143,521.50 | 92,692.36 |
| Farm to Market | 14,681.31 | 28,713.69 | 18,497.76 | 24,897.24 |
| Lateral Road | 26,104.22 | 22,657.65 | 34,211.03 | 14,550.84 |
| Permanent Improvement | 652.68 | 992.39 | None | 1,645.07 |
| Jail Sinking | 2,781.62 | None | 1,637.71 | 1,143.91 |
| Social Security | 3,797.68 | 15,305.00 | 15,375.78 | 3,726.90 |
| Donley County Road Bond Sinking | 1,602.19 | 16,308.76 | 6,911.25 | 10,999.70 |
| Revenue Sharing | 122,544.64 | 46,714.02 | 168,232.28 | 1,026.38 |
| Probation | 883.40 | 3,173.42 | 1,728.75 | 2,328.07 |
| Operating Money on Certificate of Deposit | 109,620.95 | | | |

Indebtedness

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|--|--------------------------|-------------|
| Right-of-way purchased 1960 Highway No. 287 west | Donley County State Bank | \$4,000.00 |
| Donley County Unlimited Tax Road Bonds | | \$45,000.00 |
| Precinct No. 1 | | \$3,333.34 |
| Precinct No. 3 | | \$3,748.34 |

The State of Texas }
 County of Donley }

I, P. C. Messer, County Clerk in and for Donley County, Texas do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct account of receipts and disbursements of county funds for the year ending December 31, 1975, and correctly reflects the condition of county funds as disclosed by the records in my office.

P. C. MESSER

County Clerk, Donley County, Texas

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of January, 1976

W. R. CHRISTAL

County Judge, Donley County, Texas

Examined and approved in open Commissioner's Court this 22nd day of January, 1976.

W. R. CHRISTAL

County Judge, Donley County, Texas

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Jan. 8, 15, 22 and 29

Feb. 5, 12, 19 and 26

Mar. 4, 11, 18 and 25

He will also be at the Community Room, City Housing Authority, 216 S. 5th St. in Memphis, from 9:00 to 11:30 on the following Tuesdays:

Jan. 6, 13, 20 and 27

Feb. 3, 10, 17 and 24

Mar. 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30

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

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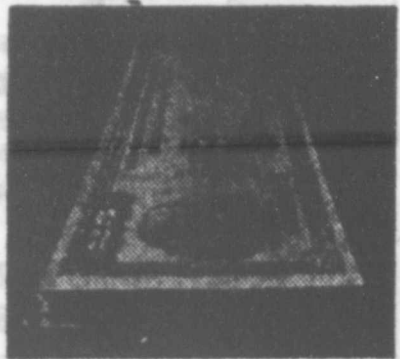
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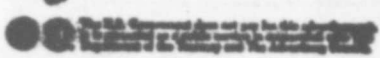


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New Texas Almanac Pecans

The new 1976-77 edition of The Texas Almanac has just been released, which is the 48th edition since it began publication in 1857

The new edition contains much bi-centennial information, and is the bi-centennial edition of the Almanac. It tells much on bi-centennial activities in Texas

Other special features include a history of the Texas Railroad Commission the latest U.S. census on manufacturing, wholesale and retail trade, service industries and transportation in Texas, and an account of the 10 Travel Trails in Texas.

Included also are data on election results, listings of county, municipal and state officials, appointive boards and commissions, and complete information on Texas as a whole

The sophomore class members are selling Southland Pecans. They are the large pieces and are in 12 oz bags. They sell for \$2.50

To order call Mrs. H. H. Shields, Mrs. Froggie Stewart or Mrs. Harold White, or see any member of the sophomore class.

Mrs. Gordon Stewart of Olaton and Mrs. Marjorie Boston of Amarillo visited Myrtle Reeves part of last week.

The J. C. Uptons were here from Amarillo last week end.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

First insertion 5c per word, following insertions 4c per word.

Four small puppies to give away. Eva Hansard

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