

# The Hedley Informer

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## O. H. BRITAIN SOLD THE CASH STORE TO MR. EARL

O. H. Britain has sold his store to Mr. Earl, of Oklahoma, and they are busy invoicing this week. Mr. Earl, wife and little boy came last week and are now citizens of Hedley. We understand he is a progressive business man, and the Informer extends to this estimable family a warm welcome in behalf of our citizenship.

The Informer regrets to see Mr. Britain get out of business in Hedley, for he was among the first to enter business in the town and has done more for the building of the town, possibly, than any other one man. All ways ready to boost, not only in words, but with his time and means as well. He has done much toward making Hedley the best market for farm products of any town her age in the Panhandle. He has been an able citizen and has done much as a school trustee. Besides that he has always been an ardent supporter of the Informer for which we here and now thank him. He has not said what he will do, but if he leaves Hedley, our best wishes go with him and his splendid family.

## ANOTHER GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORE PROBABLY COMING

We learn that J. W. Bond has rented his building on east Main to a party who will occupy same after December 1st as a general merchandise store. Thus does Hedley continually grow.

### WATCH HEDLEY GROW!

Mrs. J. C. Wells went to Armstrong county Wednesday to visit her parents. If the paper is not up to its usual standard of excellence this week, blame the editor, "devil" and office cat.

Scholarship in the Bowie Commercial College for sale by the Informer. Who wants to buy it at a bargain?

Good Road days came and went without much stir being made along the roads. However, J. G. McDougal and R. H. Jones went out east of town and worked down a bad hill. During the winter after the people get over the rush will be a good time to have the regular road working days.

We carry a complete line of lap robes, wagon and buggy harness, Jumbo cellars, made to order saddles, and in fact any kind of first class goods or repairing that you are in need of. Give us a chance. We want your business. No saddles or harness so sick we cannot doctor them.

Kendall & Gammon.

M. L. Tisdell, special agent for the Amazon Fire, was in Hedley Wednesday looking after business and visiting his brother-in-law, J. A. Moreman.

W. L. Lewis was in from McKnight Monday. He said they had ginned nearly 400 bales and would get nearly as many more.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Simmons, November 6th, a girl.

When your watch is sick and refuses to kick take it to Stanley the Jeweler.

### Farm for Sale

at a bargain. Will be for sale only 15 days from date of this issue at this price. 160 acres, 85 in cultivation, balance in grass. Right at school. On R. F. D. Price \$1600.00. \$1000 cash, 4 years on balance.

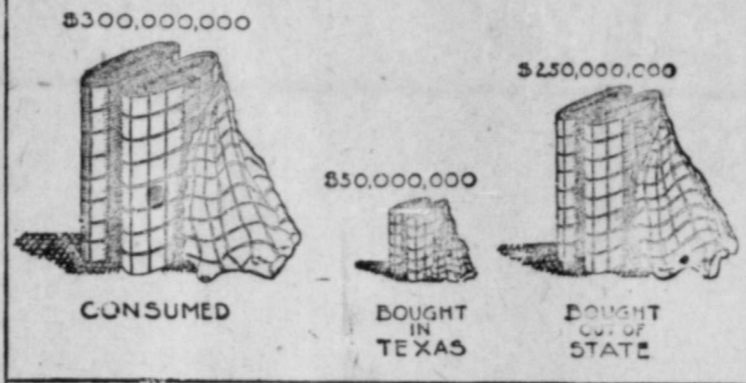
See J. W. Watt, at Moreman's gin

W. O. W. members are all requested to be present at regular meeting next Thursday night as business of importance is to be transacted. Be sure to attend.

The Farmers are requested to meet in Hedley Saturday Nov. 8, at 2:30 p. m. This meeting is called for the purpose of trying to get a creamery station at Hedley. We have a standing offer of 28c net to the farmer for butter fat, and if we can secure the necessary amount of patronage a station will be secured here. Be sure and attend this meeting.

K. B. Ragan, E. H. Willis.

## OUR HOME INDUSTRIES



### II—JOBBER AND WHOLESALERS.

We consume \$300,000,000 worth of dry goods and notions per annum and of this amount \$50,000,000 is purchased from the Texas jobber and manufacturer and \$250,000,000 from out-of-state jobbers and manufacturers.—Commercial Secretaries.

John Wood was in from his place in the Rolla community Wednesday and tells us the record his girls made in picking cotton on Saturday last. Irena, 12 years old, he says picked 410 pounds that day; Charlie, a girl of 10 years, picked 359 pounds, while the other young lady, Ruby, 8 years old, picked 206. These are all remarkable records and considering the differences in the ages and the respective amounts picked by each one it is hard to determine who made the best record.—Wellington Leader.

"Look a here Johnnie," you have et 7 biscuits already! "Well maw" if you don't want me to eat so many you will have to quit buying that Royal Seal flour at T. C. Lively & Co.

Presiding Elder Story held Quarterly Conference here last Saturday. He preached some splendid sermons Saturday and Sunday. Annual Conference is to be held at Vernon next week, at which time the assignment of preachers will be made for the ensuing year.

### Closing Out!

I will close out my tin shop on or before December 1st. There will probably be no tin shop here another year. So don't wait until the very last to have work done. Place your order early while I have material to do it with, otherwise the stock will be used up. C. W. Turner, Tinner.

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## THAT MEXICO SITUATION BOBBING UP AGAIN

Mexico, City, Nov. 3.—President Huerta must resign the presidency of Mexico without loss of time, and must not leave as his successor General Aureliano Blanquet, his minister of war, or any other member of his official family or of an unofficial coterie whom he might be expected to control. This ultimatum from Washington on behalf of the United States government was conveyed to Huerta through his private secretary, Senor Rabago, by Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American Charge d'Affairs, acting under instructions from the State Department.

Senor Rabago presented the memorandum to his chief late Sunday, but up to this evening President Huerta had returned to answer, and, as far as could be learned, had guarded its contents from almost all his official and intimate counsellors.

Those who learned of the Washington note regarded Huerta's position as such that he will be forced to give one of two answers—refusal point blank to comply with the demand, possibly going so far as to hand the diplomatic representative his passports—or elimination of himself officially.

Those who are most intimate with President Huerta insist that the latter course would not be taken for many reasons, chief among which is that such action would be tantamount to submission to the rebel forces.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Huerta will spurn the "ultimatum" of the United States that he retire forthwith. This information was received here today from the City of Mexico. While not an ultimatum in the strict meaning of the word, it is considered by administration officials that certain definite demands were given Huerta.

Just what all the United States demanded in its note to the Mexican president is not known, but he has announced through friends that he will reject all the American proposals and is determined that the congress just elected shall be seated regardless of consequences. From

this it is believed that President Wilson requested that the Mexican deputies just elected should not be seated.

## 45,000 AMERICANS HAVE LEFT MEXICO

Washington, Nov. 6.—Of 50,000 or more Americans in Mexico prior to the beginning of the present diplomatic difficulties between the U. S. and that country, only about 5,000 still remain. According to information reaching the state department about 1,200 to 1,500 Americans remain in the City of Mexico. The rest of the 5,000 are distributed among the towns of Torreon, Monterey, Guaymas and Mazatlan.

Since the warning issued by the President in his last message to congress relative to the Mexican situation, no new instructions have been sent to those Americans. It is stated, however, that in the interval many who had left the country had returned.

### POSTED NOTICES

My land is posted and hunters are warned not to hunt on same for I will prosecute them to the fullest extent of the law.

S. L. Adamson.

Take notice that I have the Rowe section 2 miles north of Hedley leased and will prosecute any one hunting on same.

J. C. Harris.

All parties take notice that my section is posted and no hunting will be allowed. Any one caught hunting thereon will positively be prosecuted. A. F. Waldron.

FOR SALE—Have 2868 acres of good tillable land within four miles of R. R. town, 10 miles of five wire fence, 800 acres in cultivation, large barn 80x80 with blacksmith shop, small barn, four room house etc. Well and windmill, inexhaustible water at 80 feet deep, just ten miles from big well near Hereford. At least 160 acres can be irrigated. Practically all tillable. Would take half in farm land near Hedley and give balance long time.

Write L. A. Wells, Amarillo.

## FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

OF THE PANHANDLE ASSOCIATION TO MEET WITH THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT HEDLEY BEGINNING NOVEMBER 27, 1913

### PROGRAM

#### THURSDAY

7:15 p. m. Devotional Service led by W. H. DeBord.  
7:30. Introductory Sermon—M. S. Groom. Alternate, R. S. Garrard.

#### FRIDAY

9:15 a. m. Devotional Exercises—W. T. Hightower.  
9:30 to 10:15 The Bible Our Only Rule of Faith, Polity and Practice—A. L. Duncan and Henry Simpson.  
10:15 to 11:00 Duty of Every Member Toward the Sunday School, Prayer Meeting and other like services of the Church—F. D. Pearson and C. R. Teague.  
11:00 Sermon—D. B. Hill.

2:15 p. m. Devotional Service led by Joe M. Jenes.  
2:30 Duty and Blessing of Systematic Giving—J. W. Hembree and W. R. Perry. General discussion.  
7:15 p. m. Devotional Exercises led by J. K. Duke.  
7:30 Leadership of the Holy Spirit.  
(1) Promise of such Leadership—W. H. DeBord.  
(2) Evidences of such Leadership—R. S. Garrard.  
(3) Results of Obedience or Disobedience to such Leadership—J. J. Smith.

#### SATURDAY

9:15 a. m. Stewardship—A. L. Duncan. General discussion.  
11:00 Sermon—J. W. Hembree.  
2:15 p. m. Devotional Service led by A. H. Hefner.  
2:30 Meeting of the Associational Board.  
3:30 The Work of our State Convention—R. B. Morgan.  
7:15 Devotional Exercises led by C. O. Jameson.  
7:30 Sermon—A. L. Duncan.

#### SUNDAY

10:00 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 Sermon—R. B. Morgan.  
2:30 Sunday School Rally. Program to be supplied.  
Brethren and Sisters, we urge you to come and let us have a profitable time.

COMMITTEE.

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(adv)

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Entered as second class matter October 28, 1910, at the postoffice at Hedley, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Four issues make a newspaper month.

Advertising locals run and are charged for until ordered out, unless specific arrangements are made when the ad is brought in.

All Obituaries, Resolutions of Respect, Cards of Thanks, Advertising Church or Society doings when admission is charged, will be treated as advertising and charged for accordingly.

That it pays to use Printers Ink has been thoroughly demonstrated by some of the merchants who have been advertising regularly in the Informer. Clerks are all busy and some days the force is doubled. Hedley merchants are all good advertisers and the result is in more people coming to Hedley to trade, increase in volume of trade, and in advertising each merchant gets his share. We know it pays to advertise, hence we feel that we do the right thing in soliciting advertising for the Informer.

NOTICE—There has been considerable complaint that some parties have been fishing in the public fish pond on Main street. This is strictly prohibited as the fish are only three years old and have not had time to increase to the extent that they should be fished out.

Northern, rain, more northern has been the program this week and very little crop gathering has been done. Today is clear but a fresh norther is blowing to the same old tune.

When the farmer comes to town, His tires loose or his wagon broke down, Parker, the Blacksmith, will set them tight, His work guaranteed, he will do it right. He will shoe your horses, heel and toe, And you won't have to wait long before you go. Has a full supply of everything in iron and wood; Solicits your patronage, will treat you good. (adv)

N. J. Allen went to the Fair at Dallas last week.

**U. S. Marshall**  
tried to make an arrest at Hedley this week, but gave up the job and said there was no possible chance to locate his man as long as the people were going in such great crowds to Milner & Cloninger's restaurant and grocery store to get good things to eat. Come to Hedley. (adv.)

**A. M. Sarvis, M. D.**  
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Hedley, Texas

**DR. B. YOUNGER**  
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Clarendon, Texas

**TRUMBULL TALKS DEVELOPMENT.**

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Mr. Frank Trumbull, the executive head of the M. K. & T. Railway in a recent communication discussed the litigation instigated by the Attorney General against that line. Mr. Trumbull has brought many millions of dollars to Texas and it is so seldom that we have an opportunity of hearing men who are capable of influencing investments, that his utterances are here reproduced in part. "I have been particularly interested in the development of Texas, as it was formerly my home, and I have been for a number of years connected with properties which are important factors in the industrial life of the state. More than that, I have been instrumental in getting a good many millions of dollars invested in Texas.

"We want to improve our Texas lines. We want to give better service. On the other hand we want to look everybody in the face, including our creditors and shareholders, as well as our Texas friends. We can not ignore our responsibility to investors. No conscientious man can do that.

"I regret that what seems to me an unwarranted and superfluous impairment of our credit has made some of the things I had hoped to do even less possible than they were before. If the state of Texas had endeavored to find a way to prevent our making extensions, it could have hardly chosen a more effective method than to bring suit for penalties aggregating \$105,000,000. We will do the best we can, all things considered, but our duty to ask our friends to put more money into Texas except for maintenance of existing lines?

"If the suit brought by the state of Texas is successful, I and all my friends here and abroad will lose every dollar we put into that state. What would you do in my place? This is a broad, far-reaching question, but it is a broad and far-reaching condition and not a theory that confronts us. And I am sure you will agree with me that it is a very sobering question to ask oneself."

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