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Closing Exercises Weinert High School Scheduled Sunday, Monday May 15-16

Graduation exercises for the 1955 class of Weinert Rural High School will be held Sunday and Monday, May 15 and 16, Supt. Douglas Myers has announced.

Guss Kretschmer, Retired Farmer, Dies Wednesday

Guss Kretschmer, 85, retired farmer and a resident of the Haskell area since 1909, died at his home 18 miles east of Haskell at 2:15 p. m., Wednesday.

Caddo Producer Completed on Scott Ranch

Completion of a new oil discovery on the Scott Ranch southeast of Haskell, with a potential indicating the well as one of the largest producers developed in the county, highlighted recent oil development news in the Haskell area.

Singing Convention Will Meet Sunday At Curry Chapel

The regular May program of the Haskell County Singing Convention will be held at the Curry Chapel Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, May 15, T. C. Cobb, president of the organization, has announced.

Second Annual Rice Springs Roundup Opens Tonight for Three-Day Run



Roundup spectators are assured plenty of laughs by the antics of Jake Mitchell, one of the best known rodeo clowns in the Southwest, and his educated mule, Lulabelle, pictured here.

In jubilant spirits over the timely rains during the first of the week, citizens of Haskell rolled out the welcome mat this morning for the throngs of visitors expected during the second annual Rice Springs Roundup, which gets underway tonight for a three-night run.

Paint Creek School Baccalaureate, Commencement Exercises Scheduled

Baccalaureate service for the 1955 graduating class of Paint Creek High School will be held Sunday evening, May 15, at 8 o'clock.

Baccalaureate Service of Mattson School To Be May 15, Commencement May 19

Supt. G. A. Coleman has announced the closing exercises of Mattson Rural High School.

Camp Fire Council Makes Plans for Summer Camp

The camp committee of the local Camp Fire Girls Council met Wednesday morning at the Texas Cafe to discuss and outline plans for a four-day Summer Camp for Blue Birds and Camp Fire Girls, to be held at Rice Springs Park in this city.

Five Water District Directors To Be Elected May 23

An election has been ordered on Monday, May 23, in the Haskell County Water Supply District for the purpose of electing five directors for the district.

Soaking Rains to Boost Prospects For Oat Crop

Rains which started during the weekend and continuing intermittently up to Wednesday morning brought better than two inches of badly-needed moisture to this section.

Mrs. Weaver and Dr. Williams On Lions Program

Members of the Lions Club held a greater appreciation for the country in which we live, and particularly the Southwest, after hearing talks by Dr. T. W. Williams and Bill Lane, program chairman, and a review of "America's Heartland" by Gene Payton.

HHS Band Member Invited To Play In ACC Concert

Gary Ivy, HHS Senior and a top-ranking member of the high school Indian Band, has accepted an invitation to play in the annual Spring Concert of the Abilene Christian College Band, Friday night, May 20.

Hill Oates Building On North Side Being Remodeled

The Hill Oates Building on the north side of the square is being remodeled, and a modern all-glass front will be placed in the building, eliminating the lobby at the front entrance.

Beckham-Bolles Reunion Will Be Held Here Sunday

The annual Beckham-Bolles family reunion will be held at the American Legion Hall in this city Sunday, May 15th.

Ozark Quartet To Present Program Here May 26

The Ozark Quartet will present a gospel concert here Thursday evening, May 26 in the American Legion Hall under auspices of the Assembly of God Church.

Former Haskell Woman Is Victim Of Storm

Mrs. Mamie Bland Bennett, 35, former resident of Haskell, was fatally injured Friday evening when a tornado wrecked the Bland Moccasin Factory in Temple, owned by her brother, Clarence Bland, and where she was employed.

Dance Each Night For Roundup Visitors Will Be A Feature

Among entertainment features for Roundup visitors will be a dance each night, sponsored by the local American Legion Post, in the Legion Hall. The dance will start each night at 9 o'clock.

Closing Exercises For Haskell High School Announced

Exercises marking the close of the 1954-55 term of Haskell High School have been set for the week of May 22. Supt. C. D. Allen and High School Principal W. P. McCollum have announced.

Grandson of Haskell Couple Born May 10 In Alaska

Master Sergeant and Mrs. Royce Linch of Elmendorf Air Force Base, Anchorage, Alaska, are the parents of a son, William Royce, born at 8:20 a. m. May 10 in that city.

Mexican Mission Dedication Is Planned Sunday

Mexican Mission of First Baptist Church here will dedicate their new house of worship Sunday afternoon at 2:00, May 15.

HHS Indians Lose To Merkel, 12-9, Thursday Night

Taking a four-run lead in the first inning, Merkel high school baseballers were able to stay out in front Thursday night defeating the Haskell Indians 12-9 at Fair Park.

Police Car Involved In Accident

A police car was involved in an accident here Wednesday afternoon on the highway east of Haskell.

Transfers Made In Month... Johnny Barnett Amarillo and M. Coontz of...

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Haskell County History

20 Years Ago—May 9, 1919
Thirty-eight members of the HHS Senior Class of 1919 were honored with a banquet at the First Baptist Church Friday night, May 3. Frank Junell, head of the journalism department of Hardin - Simmons University, was principal speaker. Seniors present were Maydell Barnett, Leta Burson, Era Cass, Vera Cass, Mary Ben Chapman, Lois Davis, Lorena Drusedow, Ava Grindstaff, Dorothy Herren, Edith Moody, Louise McAnulty, Vida Lee Nichols, Loree O'Neal, Alberta Orr, Maxine Quattlebaum, Louise Roberts, Dorothy Sego, Faye Strickland, Beatrice Wheeler, Virginia Williams, Odell Williamson, Lorene Wright, Lyndell Anderson, Hulen Atchison, Robert Couch, Woodrow Dishongh, John E. Fouts, Jr., Gordon Hallmark, Carl Maples, Jr., Dorsey Oliphant, J. R. Roberts, Woodrow Roberts, Fred Sanders, Jr., Hugh Shelly, Winston Watson, Howard Whatley, Billy Williams, Woodrow Wiseman.
Wallace Kimbrough, son of Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Stamford Sanitarium Monday afternoon. He is recovering nicely.
E. O. Nash and J. M. Martin of Throckmorton have assumed management of the Gulf Service Station south of the square on Highway 30.
At a meeting of farmers here Saturday, five delegates were elected to represent Haskell County at Washington in connection with the AAA program. Delegates chosen were Jesse B Smith, B. Walters, D. M. Guinn, Elmer Turner and R. O. Carothers. They will leave Abilene Sunday morning on a special train. A total of \$138 was raised among the farmers to help defray expenses of the delegation.
The City Council has called an election to be held on June 10 when property owners will vote on a \$35,000 bond issue. If voted, proceeds from the bonds would be used for repair and improvements to the city's water system.

30 Years Ago—May 8, 1925
Gus Patterson of Haskell was bruised pretty badly Friday when he fell into a 40 foot well that he and his nephew, Homer Patterson, were digging in the Pleasant Valley community. Fortunately, Gus was not seriously injured, but was stiff and sore for several days.

Wednesday morning another good rain fell here, measuring 1.19 inches, according to Judge P. D. Sanders. According to reports, the rain was general over West Texas.
The recent rains have filled the lake in English Park just south of the square, and the water is now running around the spillway.
Haskell was well represented at the WTCC convention in Mineral Wells the first of the week, with a delegation of more than 200 persons attending from this city.
The Texas Fox and Wolf Hunters Association will hold their annual State meet beginning May 12 on the Baldwin Ranch near Old Glory.
Judge and Mrs. D. H. Hamilton arrived from Dallas Thursday to spend several days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Perry.
The wildcat oil test on the Stoker Ranch northeast of town has reached a depth of 1,005 feet at noon Thursday. The drillers say several promising indications have been encountered in the test.
Mrs. J. O. Calloway has returned to her home in Fort Worth after a visit here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard.
Dr. A. Q. Gentry and family were called to Decatur last week to the bedside of his father, Gholson Gentry, who passed away Sunday after a lingering illness. He was 80 years of age and had lived in Wise County many years.
After an absence of two weeks from his grocery store, W. H. Pearsey is back on the job, and believes he has fully recovered from an attack of the Spring influenza.
Mr. and Mrs. Demos Ivy, who have been living in the Sayles community left this week for Oklahoma where they will make their home. Demos has a job in the oil fields.

50 Years Ago—May 13, 1905
J. M. and W. C. Speck of the Marcy section were trading in town Monday. They report things looking prosperous in their part of the country.
J. W. Allen of the northwest corner of the county was here Wednesday and said the new post office at Jud was giving the people in that area much better mail facilities.
Quite a number of our citizens have been unable to resist the ideal weather and are absent from town on fishing expeditions this week.
J. E. Irby left Thursday on a business trip to Missouri.
The Howard public school, taught by Fred Sanders, closed yesterday, Friday, and will have

a picnic and fish fry on Paint Creek today. A string band will be on hand to make music for the jolly crowd, and a baseball

game is planned in the afternoon.
George Martin of King County was here last week to receive

and remove several lots of cattle purchased by him in this county. He was assisted in removing the cattle to his King County ranch by Johnson, T. J. Jones, Chas. Jones, and Orpha Neasey.



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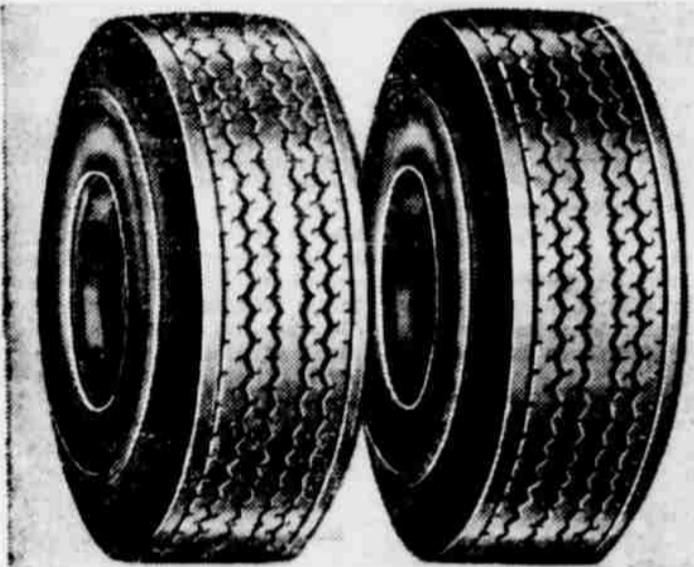
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HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From Your State Capitol

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Texas—Right down to the wire, the Legislature fought out the battle of taxation. Pay of the legislators—\$25 per day—stopped May 10. So there was all the more reason, from their point of view, that the toughest, most complex and controversial problem of their session be solved as soon as possible.

First, the House passed a tax bill, increasing or putting new levies on gasoline, cigarettes, snuff, tobacco, natural gas, trad-

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ing stamps, uranium, and wine and beer dealers. When this bill went to the Senate, amendments were introduced to tax auto storage and parking lots, jewelry, furs and clothing, storage warehouses, airlines, real estate brokers, chemical manufacturers, hotels, tourist lodges, department stores, and chain stores.

Committee Hearings
Sen. Dorsey Hardeman, chairman of the Senate State Affairs Committee, scheduled hearings almost as fast as amendments were introduced.

First witness was E. H. Thornton, Jr., chairman of the State Highway Commission. He asked that the state tax on gasoline be set at six cents per gallon, instead of the present four cents. (The House bill increased the gasoline tax to five cents).

Gov. Allan Shivers had advocated a two-cent increase in the gasoline tax to provide for the state's highway needs.

He continues to express the hope that there be no income or sales tax.

The Legislature will complete the tax bill and adjourn within two weeks is Shiver's guess.

Big question is whether the House will accept what the Senate does—especially if it changes the gas levy.

Political Aspect
While they were discharging their legislative duties, some members were thinking seriously about the political campaigns a year hence.

Mentioned often as potential candidates for Governor have been John Ben Shepperd, U. S. Senator Price Daniel, Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey and Sen. Jimmy Phillips.

But a new face entered the picture this week when Sen. Otis Lock of Lufkin was approached by friends who urged him to give serious consideration to the race for Governor in 1955.

Shivers Returns
Gov. Allan Shivers brought much news back with him from Washington.

In a long conference he made the flat assertion that the Democratic Party cannot nominate another left-wing candidate and win.

He repeated that he did not intend to support Adlai Stevenson as the nominee for President next year.

He praised the work of U. S. Senator Lyndon Johnson as Senate majority leader.

He stated that he had started negotiations with U. S. Interior

Secretary McKay, looking to the solution of technical problems involving control of tidelands oil and gas leasing—and he expressed the opinion that Texas' tidelands problems were more technical than legal.

Shivers may ask the Legislature to set up control over the distribution of polio vaccine. His decision will follow a conference with Dr. Henry Holle, state commissioner of health.

One of Shivers' first visitors on his return from Washington was 12-year-old Bernard Andrews. He is spelling champion of the Negro elementary schools of Houston.

Young Andrews told the Governor and Rep. Charles Murphy of Houston that the hardest word he had to spell in winning the championship and a trip to Austin by airplane was "zephyr."

Park Bill Passes
Ready for Gov. Shivers' signature is the long fought parks bill.

Jointly sponsored by Rep. Charles Murphy of Houston and Sen. Carlos Ashley of Llano, the measure provides for \$25,000,000 worth of bonds to build tourist accommodations in state parks.

It calls for the erection of lodges at Inks Lake in Central Texas, Eisenhower State Park on Lake Texhoma, and Atlanta State Park on Lake Texarkana.

Scheduled for construction first is a 101 unit resort hotel and lodges on Roy Inks Lake, to cost approximately \$1,000,000.

Later construction would be Possum Kingdom Lake, Lake Whitney, and Falcon Reservoir. The entire program is self-liquidating.

Veterans Land Program
Loopholes in the veterans land program will be plugged if bills by Rep. Dolph Briscoe and Rep. Buckshot Lane meet with Senate approval.

These two House-passed measures would set up stiff requirements and regulations for land purchases and place full responsibility for administration of the program on the shoulders of the chairman of the Veterans Land Board.

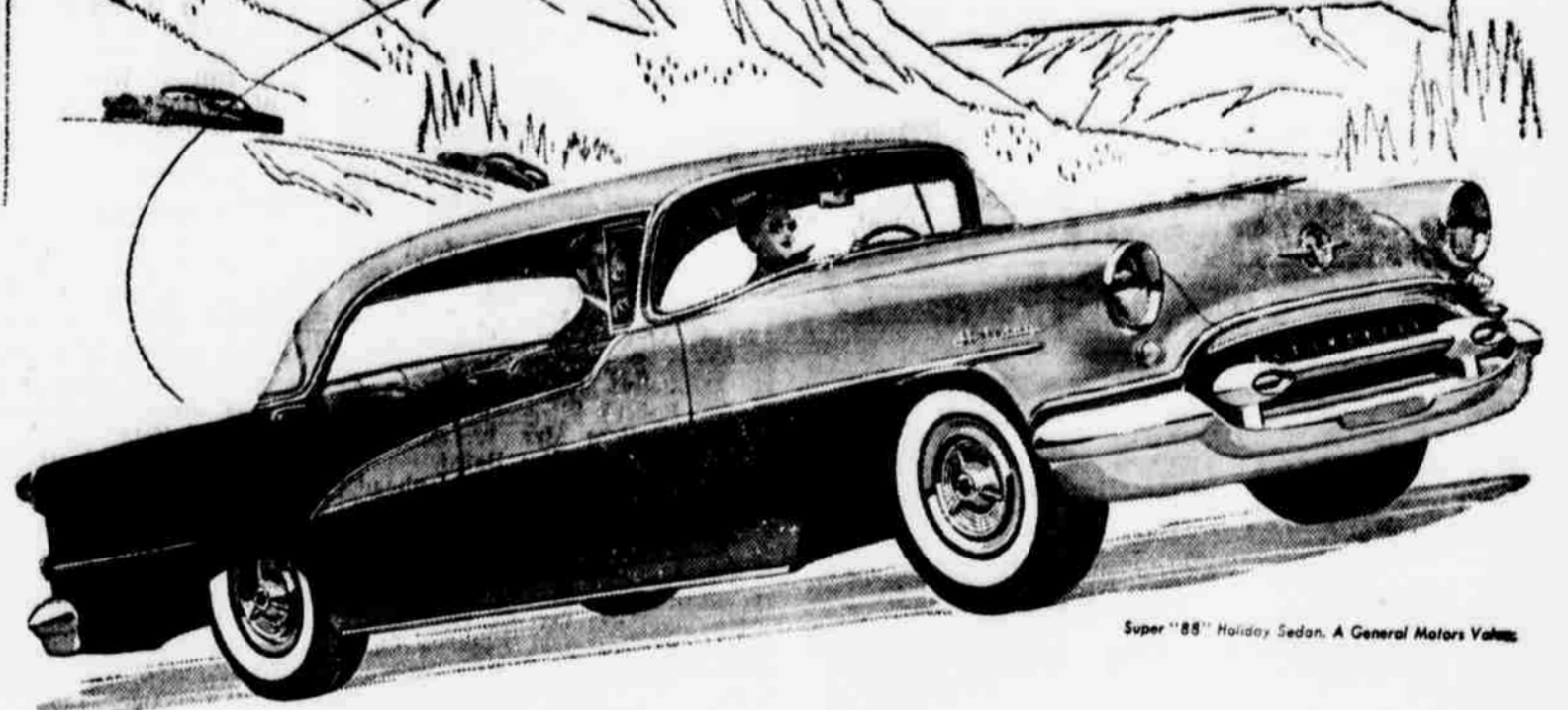
Land Records
Land Commissioner J. Earl Rudder says there have no changes in the minutes of the veterans land board.

At the April 27 meeting of the board, Gov. Shivers and Atty. Gen. Shepperd released affidavits saying that the minutes of 80 previous sessions contained gross mistakes—and Shepperd moved that notations be made showing that the minutes had been corrected.

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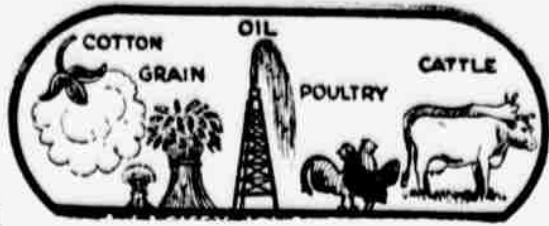
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Stores taking part in "Dollar Days" represent virtually all lines of retail business. They have reduced prices on a wide range of merchandise items for all members of the family, or for the home, the farm, or the car.

Included in the exceptional values being offered will be many reasonable items of Spring and Summer merchandise from new stocks now being received.

The reduced prices afford an ideal opportunity to stock up on needs for the family for the summer, or to buy the things needed for the home at real savings.

All the stores cooperating in the monthly "Dollar Day" are listing many of the specially priced items in their advertisements in this section of The Free Press. However, space will not permit a complete list of all bargains that await thrifty shoppers. When you visit "Dollar Day" stores you will find many additional savings on items throughout their complete stocks.

Make it a point to check the bargains and shop each of the following stores featuring "Dollar Day" savings on Tuesday, May 17:

Frazier's Radio & Record Shop, Western Auto Associate Store, Jones Cox & Co., Ben Franklin Store, Hattox Hardware, The Fabric Shop, Neely Dry Goods, Perkins-Timberlake, Perry Bros., Fouts Dry Goods, The Re-Sale Shop, Woodson Radio & Electric, Hassen's, Lane-Felker, Boggs & Johnson, Bynum's, Personality Shoppe, Sherman Floor Co., Conner Nursery, Hunter's, Cofield Dress Shop, Club Cafe, C & B Store, White Auto Store, W. A. Lyles Jeweler.

BRIEFLY TOLD NEWS

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Sr., spent last week end in Hempstead, where she visited in the home of her son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Philip Cadenhead. They also visited in Galveston and attended the Splash Day program.

Mrs. L. H. Cooper was in Houston last week end, visiting in the home of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bettis.

Mary Beth Payne, who is teaching in Abilene elementary schools, was home to spend Mother's Day in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Garrett and children, Dale Ann and Alan Bruce, who have been living in Grand Falls, were here to spend the week end and Mother's Day in the home of Mrs. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bee Gardner. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett are moving from Grand Falls to Olney, where he will be employed by Sinclair Oil Co.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Gustafsson and son David, of Gonzales, were guests Mother's Day in the home of Mrs. Gustafsson's mother, Mrs. O. O. Akins.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tooley and daughter, Andrea Kay, of Abilene were visitors Saturday in the home of Mr. Tooley's father, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tooley, and spent Sunday in Rule where Mrs. Tooley's mother, Mrs. May Anderson, Kenneth, formerly a member of The Free Press staff, is in the advertising department of the Abilene Reporter-News.

Nanette Weaver of Dallas spent the week end and Mother's Day in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arlos Weaver.

Guests in the Hugh Watson home on Mother's Day were Mrs. Waston's mother, Mrs. Lena Sadler of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Gilbreath of Stanton, Tom Watson, Erma Watson, Mrs. Mildred Furrh, Tom and Bobby Furrh, all of Haskell, and Mr. Watson's sister, Mrs. Cecil Blakely and daughter, Cecilia, of Breckenridge.

Spending the week end in College Station, where they attended the annual Mother's Day program at Texas A&M College, were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Woodson, accompanied by Nancy McFarlin. They visited Sid Woodson, a student in A&M. Also attending the Mother's Day event from Haskell were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strain, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Strain, Jr., and little daughter Jayne, who visited their son and brother, Ernest Strain who is attending A&M.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barnett and little son, Mike, of Amigo, spent the week end and Mother's Day in the home of Mr. Barnett's mother, Mrs. J. R. Barnett and in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Paul Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robison and son John Robert, of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived Monday for a visit in the home of Mr. Robison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robison, and with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Robison.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Worrell for the week end and Mother's Day were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. James Burke and little daughter Pat, of Gonzales, and Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Whitfield of Three Rivers, Texas, on the Gulf Coast.

Diane Clare, student in Baylor University, Waco, was home to spend the week end and Mother's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jetty V. Clare.

Mrs. Lone Menefee had as guests in her home on Mother's Day, her two daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. George

Fishing License Rules Clarified

AUSTIN—The Assistant Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission pointed out in a statement that persons fishing in private lakes or ponds that are land locked do not need a regular individual fishing license.

He said the clarification was made because of numerous inquiries lately.

The Assistant Executive Secretary said the state law specifically exempt from license requirements private lakes or ponds which are not subject to overflow to or from a public stream. If the lake is subject to overflow from any public body of water, river or stream, state license requirements apply.

"The apparent intent of the law," he added, "is to permit persons with private lakes or ponds which are not restocked from contact with public waters to avail themselves of the fishing resources without necessity of the usual state fishing license."

"The principal point apparently involves use of artificial baits, that is so far as the residential individual is concerned, because the state law requires persons using artificial bait to have a regular state fishing license. Persons not using artificial bait may fish in their own home counties without a license, under the general law."

The Assistant Executive Secretary said that until the record drought set in a few years back, there had been a tremendous trend toward creation of private lakes or ponds for personal fishing facilities.

"Our best estimate is that there are upward of five thousand such lakes or ponds," he said. "These projects naturally have been encouraged on the theory that development of private fishing facilities takes just that much pressure off public waters."

The Assistant Executive Secretary said the fact that some of the private lakes or ponds have been stocked with fish from state hatcheries has no bearing on the personal license regulations.

Wyatt and sons David and Michael, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDonald and little daughter Jo Beth, all of Wichita Falls.

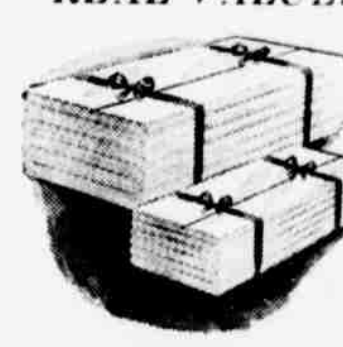
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News From Sagerton

BY MRS. DELBERT LE FEVRE

The commencement exercises for the 8th grade of the Sagerton School will be held in the school auditorium Thursday, May 19 at 8 p. m. The students will present their own program.

The seventh grade of the Sagerton School entertained the graduating class with a banquet in the school lunchroom Friday evening, May 6. "This Ole House" was the theme carried out. James Wendeborn was the toastmaster. Rev. George Coates, Methodist pastor from McMurry, was the guest speaker and gave the invocation. B. L. Ross of the 7th grade, gave the welcome, and Sue Hertel the response. Judy Guinn gave a toast to the teachers. Rev. Coates used "The Foundations of This House" as the topic of his address. Music was provided by the 7th grade class, and they sang "This Ole House" as a parody.

The mothers of the two classes prepared the meal and they were all recognized and given a corsage by the children. The mothers present were Mesdames Walter Wendeborn, Carl Hertel, J. L. Guinn, Carl Sims, Cliff Gholson, Ben Mueller, Alvin Bredthauer, Herbert Streamel, John Elias and Pat Sellers. Mrs. Barney Ross, who was ill, was unable to attend.

Terry Gholson, May Elias and Peggy Mueller served on the decoration committee for the banquet, and Judy Guinn was in charge of the invitations.

F. A. Ulmer, Carl Hertel and Alvin Bredthauer, members of the Sagerton school board, and Miss Irene Stewart, principal, all went to Rochester recently for an advisory conference on schools. All the schools in Haskell County were represented.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gibson of Idalou visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Kittley and their many friends.

A Mother's Day program was presented last Sunday by the children of the Sagerton Metho-

dist Sunday School under the direction of Mrs. Reece Clark. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lambert visited with Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Sandefer and daughters in Killen last week and part of this week. They went down especially for the piano recital given by the Sandefer's daughters.

Pastor and Mrs. R. Wendel, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipping, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdeck and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vahlenkamp are all spending several days of this week at the Lutheran Bible Camp near Kerrville. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark Sunday for a Mother's Day dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Yater Benton, Jr. and daughter, Marie and Margaret, of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Whit Clark and Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton.

The Sagerton School will dismiss on Friday, May 20, according to Miss Irene Stewart, principal.

Mrs. John Clark entertained the Stitch and Chatter Club in her home Wednesday, May 4. All the members were present except Mrs. R. O. Gibson, Sr., who has been ill. Present were Mesdames Henry Laughlin, M. Y. Benton, Cliff LeFevre, R. N. Sheid, Pete Lusk, Ben Hess, G. A. Leach, Chas. Clark and the hostess.

The next meeting of the Sagerton Home Demonstration Club will be in the home of Mrs. G. Quade Tuesday, May 17. Miss Wirges, H-D agent, will present the program. Visitors are always welcome to attend the club meetings.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. L. Guinn and Johnny Lee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Holt, Sr., in Lubbock.

Mrs. John Tiechelmann and daughter Vicki, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thorn in Abilene.

Pastor and Mrs. Zucker went to Fort Worth Monday to visit with their daughter from Cleveland, Ohio, who had a while between trains to visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cornelison and children, Kathy and Douglas, came in Friday from San Antonio and stayed until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer. Mrs. R. O. Gibson, Sr., was a patient at the Stamford Hospital several days last week. Mrs. Lena Quade was a patient at the Knox City Hospital for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Gibson of Lockhart visited here May 2, on their way home from Idalou where they had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gibson. They visited here with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Guinn and Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Kittley and in the homes of some of David's old friends. Glenda Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, entertained in her home with a slumber party for the girls in the senior class at Rule High School, of which she is a member. Those present were Anella Hertel, Doris Sprayberry, Margie Lehmann, Linda Lewis, Charlie Merle Eaton, Sherry Yarborough, Sue Williams, Kay Springs and the hostess and her mother.

The community received some good rains Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of this week. The area north and west of Sagerton received an inch Sunday afternoon and the whole area received rain Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Reginald Baird, who teaches piano at the Sagerton School will present her pupils in a recital Friday evening, May 13 at 8 o'clock. Pupils taking part in the recital are Bob Clark, Jimmy New, Larry Quade, Patsy Clark, Jana Ulmer, Joy Nierdeck, Linda LeFevre, Cherry Freeman and Judy Guinn.

Bids Are Asked On Quarters For Post Office

The post office department has asked bids for a five or ten year lease on a building suitable for post office purposes in Haskell, Postmaster Harold Spain announced today. The proposals are to be submitted not later than May 29 to Post Office Inspector J. E. Cauley at Fort Worth. Term of the proposed lease would be for five or ten years from Sept. 1, 1955.

Floor space of about 3,500 square feet is desired, plus a mail platform 10x18 feet. Important considerations are a reasonably central location, good daylight, and accessibility to rear or side entrance for mails.

General building requirements and other information may be obtained from Postmaster Spain or the office of Inspector Cauley.

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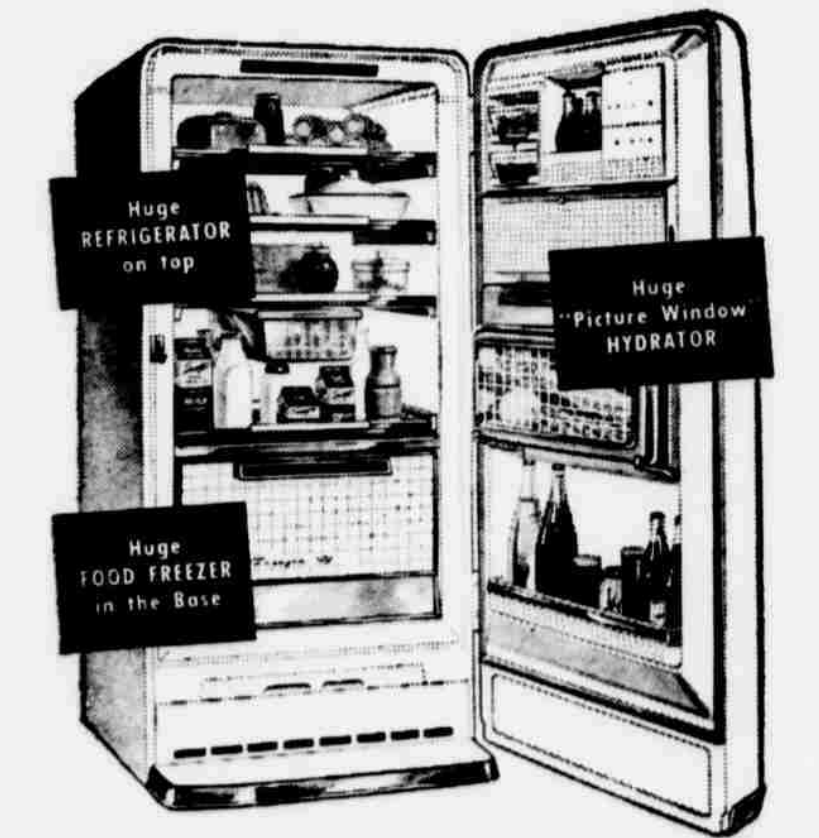
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J. M. Dubose, northwest of Anson, was one of many farmers in this area who left maize stalks on top of the land. Dubose said he was surprised at how fast the stalks broke down over the winter. Many farmers saw this land that was plowed trashy last fall. Some had doubts about plowing trashy land in the spring. Look now at those fields. The trash is there, but the old stalk is rotted inside.

During the winter clean fields lost snow, which caught in trashy fields. Charlie Pyron near Truby, said extra snow covered his maize stubble. Soil Conservation Service personnel plan with district cooperators for trashy farming. Stubble is the cheapest of water conservation measures. The cost is, you plow so that stubble is left on top of land rather than turned under. Stubble cuts wind velocity at ground level. Rain goes in the ground that is covered with stubble. Stubble lowers ground temperatures; thereby, it lowers evaporation. Bare soil runs a temperature of 140 degrees in the summer. Most hot water heaters are set for 140 degrees which is steamy hot.



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The boy, who lives with his parents on a farm in the Curry Chapel section, was handling the rifle Sunday afternoon when the gun was accidentally discharged. The bullet struck the boy in the right side below the ribs, and ranged toward the back. The lad was brought to the Haskell Hospital where surgeons located the pellet just under the skin near the spine. The bullet was removed, and after receiving emergency treatment the boy was released from the hospital.

The accident, which happened about 3 p. m., was investigated by Deputy Sheriff Jim Alvis, who said that all indications were that the mishap was purely accidental.

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