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End of School Exercises Held

Commencement Tuesday Night

Commencement exercises for the graduating class were held in the school auditorium Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. B. O. Wood of San Angelo made the principal address of the evening. He was introduced by superintendent O. T. Jones. Dr. Wood is pastor emeritus of the First Presbyterian Church in San Angelo.

Nelwyn King played the processional and recessional. The Rev. Sherman Conner of the First Baptist Church gave the invocation. David Durham gave the valedictory address.

Principal Earl Seago certified the class for graduation and board president David L. Glass presented the diplomas.

Mr. Seago awarded the honors. Statutes went to the two high honor students, Willene Glass and David Durham, and the Lions Good Citizenship award went to Kenneth Fincher. Stan Horwood sang "The Lord's Prayer" for the benediction.

The graduates are listed as follows:

Lynda Rhea Allen
Johnny Carroll Augustine
Charles Leroy Churchill
William Robert Coleman
David Craig Durham
Kenneth Carl Fincher
Reynolds Lee Foster
Louise Bowen Gartman
Willene Key Glass
Cullis Lee King, Jr.
Linda Jean Meyers
William Clayton Stewart
Janet Lou Westbrook
Lee Fanning Wilcoxson

Grade School Program Held Thursday Night

The eighth grade graduation exercises were held at the school auditorium Thursday evening and fifteen students received their diplomas from principal J. R. Dillard. They were as follows:

Billy Boyd Allen
Larry Blackburn
David Coleman
Jack Clark
Betty Jo Daves
David Foster
Mike Foster
Rosanne Foster
Bobby Legg
Ernest Longoria
Jeanie McDonald
James Morgan
Margaret Rodriguez
Larry Stewart
Carolyn Tindall

Elaine Price played the processional and recessional. The invocation was given by David Foster. Jeanie McDonald gave the salutatory address.

Rosanne Foster gave the class history and David Coleman the class prophecy. Nelwyn King played a number on the piano, and James Morgan gave the valedictory.

Special songs were sung by Elaine Price, Shirley Price, Jane Copeland, Barbar Durham, Karen Williams and Betty Barrett. Larry Stewart gave the benediction.

Cledis Smith Improving

Cledis Smith, who has been in the Malone-Hogan Hospital in Big Spring the past two weeks is improving and is expected to return home this weekend. Cledis was suffering from adhesions, resulting from a previous operation several years ago.

HARZKE TO OPEN LAUNDRY SOON

Hugh Harzke is remodeling the old fire house near the depot and is installing a coin-operated laundry there.

Harzke is putting in Speed Queen coin operated washers and dryers. He was not sure of his opening date as yet, but hopes to have the laundry in operation soon.

Lions Elect New Officers

The Sterling City Lions Club elected new officers at the Wednesday luncheon meeting at the community center. The new officers were elected as follows:

Bill Brooks—president
John Gibbs—1st vice-pres.
Rex McCleave—2nd vice-p.
Frank Jackson—3rd vice-p.
Marion Hays—secy-treas.
Eddie Braswell—tail twister
Hal Knight—Lion Tamer
Two new directors—R. P. Brown and Arthur Barleman.
The fact that next Wednesday, May 30, is Memorial Day and a holiday, the members voted not to hold a meeting that day.

Bill Brooks acted in the absence of president Arthur Barleman at the meeting. The prize went to Dub Fincher.

O. T. Jones reported that the Lions Club Good Citizenship Award went to Kenneth Fincher, a high school senior.

Jim Butler extended a cordial invitation to all to attend the open house at the State Highway Department barns and resident engineers office this Friday, May 25.

Soil Conservation News Column

George Demere of Water Valley is tree-doing 166 acres of his thickest brush. Conservation Contractor, J.D. Harmon of Robert Lee is doing the work.

Lela Belle Davis Bird has recently completed a pipeline and livestock water storage facility as a part of her Great Plains Program Plan.

S.K. Horwood's Great Plains plan has recently been approved by the Soil Conservation Service. Horwood is cross-fencing a five and one-half section pasture as his first project.

Troy A. Reese of Odessa has completed rootplowing, roller-chopping and reseeded 35 acres in the St. Lawrence community. Reese recently purchased one-half section and entered the Great Plains Program. Grasses used were Plains bristle, rideoats grama, and green sprangletop.

Dr. Virgil Sonders of Big Spring has signed an application for Great Plains assistance. His tentative plans include aerial spraying of mesquite and sprigging bermuda grass. Sonders has 1600 acres on the Sterling-Big Spring Highway.

Roy E. Glass recently completed tree-doing about 500 acres of brush and reseeded. Glass got good results with this type of operation in 1961.

George M. Skeete has completed about 300 acres of tree-doing and reseeded of range-land. Skeete is located 20 miles southwest of Water Valley.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank everyone who was so thoughtful of me during my illness. I thank each one for the gifts—the beautiful flowers and the prayers and the visits. Especially do I thank the nurses and Dr. Swann.

MRS. FRED HODGES

Three Are Candidates for College Degrees

William Joseph Swann Jr. is to get his law degree from the University of Texas at exercises set for June 2. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Swann of Sterling City.

Donald Clayton Carper is to receive a bachelor of science in physical education at Texas Tech at Commencement exercises there on May 28.

Mims Reed is a candidate for bachelor of science degree at Tech, May 28 in advertising. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin C. Reed.

fashion in a 20 minute 16mm. film recently prepared by the Air Forces. It is undoubtedly the best film ever assembled on this subject. I have borrowed one of these films and will be pleased to send it to any club or group that is interested in showing it.

Noratadata Club Met Monday Night

Mrs. J. R. Dillard was hostess when the Noratadata Club met Monday evening in the community center. A chicken salad plate was served.

Mrs. Robert Foster presided and Mrs. Chesley McDonald installed officers for next year. Members present were Mmes. Leroy Butler, Bill Brooks, Joe Emery, McDonald, Forrest Foster, Martin Reed, Kenneth Peel, Hubert Williams, J. I. Cope, Robert Foster, Foster S. Price, Bill J. Cole, members; and Mrs. James McEntire, Mrs. Rufus Foster, Mrs. Bill Reed and Miss Radora Massey, guests.

Bridge was played and Mrs. Emery won high, Mrs. Cope low and Mrs. McEntire, high guest.

Memorial Day Holiday

Next Wednesday, May 30, is Memorial Day and is a national holiday. It is one of the holidays taken each year by the Sterling City businesses.

The local post office, the court house offices, and the merchants will observe the holiday here.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Roy Foster
T. J. Finnegan
Mrs. E. A. Medart
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week included—
Mrs. Fred Hodges
George Tabor
Mrs. Jim Cantrell and infant son

Fire Prevention Poster Gets Honorable Mention

David Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Foster, got honorable mention on his fire prevention poster that was a winner here and sent in to the State Finals, said superintendent of schools O. T. Jones this week.

FRED COUNSEL DEAD

Fred Counsel of Paris, a brother-in-law of Mrs. E. L. Bailey of Sterling City died there last Saturday morning from a stroke, it was said.

The E. L. Baileys were on their way to Paris when word was received of Counsel's death. The Baileys went on to Paris for the funeral services.

Seniors Leaving Today

The seniors and their class sponsor, Fred McDonald and other parents and chaperones are leaving early this morning on the senior trip. They plan to stay at a dude ranch in the hill country and visit other points of interest in South Texas.

Lynn Martin arrived here early Thursday morning from Anchorage, Alaska where he has been working on a newspaper. He is a brother of Mrs. Rex McCleave.

Cub Scouts Visit Sonora Caverns

The Cub Scouts of Sterling City, three Boy Scouts and seven Cubbers went to Sonora, Texas last Saturday to tour the Sonora Caverns.

The boys and the sponsors will long remember the beauty and splendor of the many formations, said Cubmaster Kenneth Peel.

On the way home the group stopped at Blane's Log Cabin for a fried chicken dinner. Peel said he really thanked the parents that helped sponsor the trip and used their cars and time.

FOR SALE — The D. P. Glass property, has three and a half lots. See H. L. Hildebrand.

LET ME SPRAY your pecan trees. Delbert Dearen 8-2901.

THE AMERICAN WAY



The Real Winner



AROUND THE COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Time to spray pecan trees for pecan nut casebearers.

The eggs of the casebearer were found this Monday at four different locations in widely separated areas of town. And if there are more of them around. The eggs found Monday, were greenish white in color which suggests that they had just been deposited in the preceding day or two. As the eggs grow older, they change to reddish brown in color. They hatch four to five days after being deposited by the miller or moth on the brown tip end of the little nuts.

If the weather conditions are cooperative and you intend to spray your trees, it would be wise to try to do it in the next day or two at the most. After the eggs hatch, the larva feed on the tiny nuts for a day or two and then enter the little nut itself by boring into it. When they enter there is no spray that will control them.

Mixtures for control are the same as in the past. Malathion is one of the good ones. Others are DDT and toxaphene. If DDT is used to control casebearers, add six lb of wettable sulfur to the three lb of DDT to control mites. Malathion at the rate of 3 lb to 100 gallons of water will control both the casebearer and the mites. Five lb of toxaphene will also control both when used in 100 gallons of water.

In this area, it is well to add two lb of 36 percent zinc sulfate to the mixture to control rosette. Rosette is a nutritional deficiency common in this locality.

Sterile flies have been dropped in Sterling County by the Southwest Animal Health Research Foundation. Clinton Hodges reports that a box used to drop flies was found on their ranch by Jim Pate last Friday.

The boxes are about six inches square and about inches deep. Made of cardboard, they state that they were used to drop flies.

This report is the first one we have had. But since I was found, others are also in the area. The foundation drops the flies in a pattern with the center of the pattern being placed on a trouble spot in the area. Then, lines are flown in the form of spokes of a wheel in all directions from this center or hub.

To date, reports on 11 samples sent from Sterling County have been received. Of the 11 reported in, nine were identified as screwworms while

two were not screwworms. Cooperation from the local ranchers has been splendid. They are urged to continue the cooperation in mailing in samples.

This week's report from the foundation states that the Kerville plant is currently producing 30 million sterile flies weekly but that this is not enough to do the job. It will help keep the situation under control until the Mission plant goes into production about July 1. It will produce 75 million flies weekly which will give much better results. Work on the Mission plant is ahead of schedule and the plant is to be finished by Mid-June according to the foundation.

Claud McCan of Victoria County says that he has had only two cases of screwworms this year where he ordinarily would have 100 to 150 when dehorning and marking calves.

In Gillespie County, Clint Hardin says that he found a baby calf with its navel covered with screwworm egg masses. The eggs were not treated but were watched carefully. The eggs did not hatch indicating that the sterile flies being dropped in that area were helping the situation. His area has been a hot spot for worms previously.

JUNIOR CLASS GETTING UP ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

The junior class of Sterling High School is getting up an activities calendar for next school year. The calendar will contain all the known school activities printed on the proper dates as well as birthdays, anniversaries or any date that a customer wants listed.

Speaking for the class, Billy Blair said that anyone could have a date listed for 10c on the date printed; and the calendars would be sold for \$1 per copy at school opening time next fall.

On the proper dates all ball games and school activities will be listed, said Blair.

Class to Balmorhea

Ben Brown, American history teacher in the high school, and his American history class went to Balmorhea last Saturday for an outing. Chaperones included Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Nan Davis and Mrs. T. A. Gartman.

While there the group got wet and cold in a thunderstorm and hail storm.

In case of fire dial 8-4771.



CONTINENTAL TRAILWAYS New Silver Eagle Coach Which Departs Sterling City For the West Coast Each Evening at 8:45 p.m.

Sterling

GRADE SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

Sterling School Auditorium

Thursday, May 24, 1962

8:00 p.m.

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PROCESSIONAL	Elaine Price
INVOCATION	David Foster
SALUTATORY	Jeanie McDonald
HISTORIAN	Rosanne Foster
MUSICAL NUMBER	Nelwyn King
PROPHECY	David Coleman
VALEDICTORY	James Morgan
SPECIAL SONGS	Group
Elaine Price, Shirley Price, Jane Copeland, Barbara Durham, Karen Williams, Betty Barrett	
PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS and Presentation of Diplomas	J. R. Dillard
BENEDICTION	Larry Stewart
RECESSIONAL	Elaine Price

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1961-62 GRADUATES

Billy Boyd Allen	David Foster	Jeanie McDonald
Larry Blackburn	Mike Foster	James Morgan
David Coleman	Rosanne Foster	Margaret Rodriguez
Jack Clark	Bobby Legg	Larry Stewart
Betty Jo Daves	Ernest Longoria	Carolyn Tindall

NOTICE OF HEARING In the Matter of Forfeiting, Revoking and Cancelling Certified Filing No. 591 To Appropriate Public Water of the State of Texas

Notice is hereby given to whom concerned that under and by virtue of the authority vested by law in the Texas Water Commission a hearing will be held by said Commission at its office in the State Office Building, 201 East Fourteenth Street, Austin, Texas, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, the 31st day of July, 1962 in the matter of forfeiting, revoking and cancelling under Articles 7544, 7519, 7519a, and 7474, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes of Texas, the following Certified Filing No. 591, to wit: Certified Filing No. 591 of W. Y. Bengé Estate (c/o W. Y. Bengé, Jr.) was originally filed with the Commission by T. H. Johnson on June 25, 1914, and declared the intent to appropriate 14 acre-feet of water per annum from the North Concho River for the purpose of irrigating 7 acres of land in the N.W. corner of Section 35, Block 14, S.P. Ry. Co., Sterling County, Texas. Ownership of the water right was transferred to W. Y. Bengé on December 19, 1927. The action sought is the total cancellation of this water right.

Reference is here made to the above Certified Filing for a full description of its terms and conditions and for all other purposes.

At said hearing, any and all interested parties may appear to be heard and to present evidence on any matter

pertinent to the question at issue in the hearing. Such hearing will be continued from time to time and from place to place, if necessary, until a determination has been made relative to said water right(s) as the Texas Water Commission may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Texas Water Commission, at its office in Austin, Texas, this the 16th day of April, 1962.

(Signed) Ben F. Looney, Jr.
(Seal) Secretary

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Navy Now Accepting Three Year Enlistments

The Navy will accept volunteers for the first year term enlistment and will permit certain young men to reenlist for two or three years in an experimental program, Vice Admiral William R. Smedberg, III, Chief of Naval Personnel announced today.

The experimental program has been placed in operation, Admiral Smedberg said, to meet the increased readiness posture of the Navy and the Nation. It will remain in effect until June 30th, 1962. The three year enlistment program is open to men who have had no prior military training. Under the reenlistment program, eligible personnel who have been released from active duty may reenlist with an option of up to 30 days advance leave. Formerly, broken service men reenlisted for four or six years with no advanced leave authorized. Admiral Smedberg said this new experimental program would afford young men of the country an opportunity to train and serve patriotically while learning of Navy life with only a three year commitment.

The experimental program will in no way effect the Navy's current stay in school policy, young men will continue to be encouraged to stay in school.

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Open House at State Highway Department May 25

As a part of National Highway Week, May 20-26, 1962, "Open House" will be held at the Maintenance Section Headquarters and the Resident Engineers Office at Sterling City on May 25, announced District Engineer J.A. Snell.

Any resident if the area may visit these facilities during the hours 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and observe the daily function of the public agency which is responsible for the care in this area of the complex network of 2,200 miles in this District.

District Engineer J.A. Snell said the Open House will show the public how the Highway Department operates on a normal working day.

"I would like to extend a most cordial invitation to the citizens of this area to visit our Open House," he said. "Your neighbors who work for the Highway Department would like to show you through our facilities and demonstrate a few of the many tests and operations we conduct daily to care for the highways."

Visitors to the Open House will see examples of two-way radio communications and the various machinery and laboratory testing apparatus used to determine the quality of new highways being constructed and to maintain existing roads in smooth riding condition.

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A steward at St. John's Methodist Church—member of the Salvation Army Board, the Kiwanis Club, the Chamber of Commerce, the Texas Farm Bureau—these are some of the activities close to the heart of Preston Smith, citizen.

He did not stop there. In his daily pursuits Preston Smith came to realize that business and government are closely related in the American system—and that without good government we cannot have a favorable climate for good business. A man of direct action, Preston Smith went into the business of government. He served six years in the Texas House of Representatives and six in the Senate.

Senator Smith has supported sound statewide legislation for better schools, roads, welfare and conservation. He took the lead in establishing a permanent building program for state colleges. He had the integrity to support necessary state spending and the courage to oppose extravagance and waste. In government, as in business and at home, Preston Smith believes in meeting our obligations and paying our bills.

Having proved himself as one of the best-rounded, best-equipped, best-informed and most highly respected Texans in both his private and public careers, Preston Smith was a logical candidate to succeed Ben Ramsey as Lieutenant Governor of Texas.

Voters in 102 counties gave Preston the lead over four opponents in the First Democratic Primary. Now he is in the runoff. He got there without the support of any self-serving group or power bloc. His opponent has the endorsement of labor leaders and other special interests who want to dominate our state government.

Preston Smith asks only for the votes of individual Texans who want a Lieutenant Governor without any strings attached. He is depending on independent-minded Texans everywhere to vote for him on June 2.

Elect your independent candidate for Lieutenant Governor—

PRESTON SMITH

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

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What's Doing in the Churches

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Hubert C. Travis, Minister
Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Marion H. Hays, Minister
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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Classes 6:00 p.m.
Night Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sherman Conner, Pastor
Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:30 p.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

John Gibbs, Pastor
Church school 10:00 a.m.
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Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

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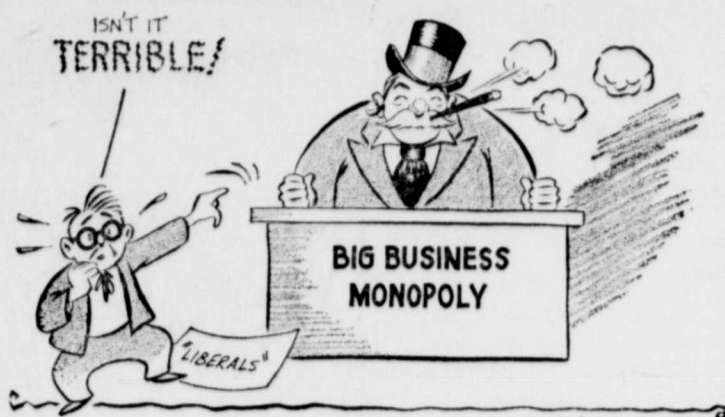
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THE AMERICAN WAY



Strange How the "Liberal" Mind Works

Social Security

Many people may be losing social security benefits according to Floyd B. Ellington, Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office, because of failure to file an application for payment.

Most of them are aware of the \$1200 yearly earnings restriction for social security beneficiaries, but may not realize that they are eligible for some benefits even if their earnings are more than \$1200 per year.

An employee can receive a check for any month that his earnings are \$100 or less regardless of his total earnings for the year. A self-employed person can receive a check for any month he does not render substantial services in the operation of his business, regardless of his net profit for the year.

Ellington said that anyone who has reached retirement

age should inquire at his nearest social security office. He may be losing benefits by not applying now.

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West Texas Utilities Company

INVITING NEW INDUSTRY

is one way we work to help build this community

Some Benefits for Workers Who Continue to Work After Retirement Age

Just the other day, a local man read an article saying all working people 65 or over who have not applied for their social security benefits should check into it. Well, he thought he was making too much money to collect his old-age insurance benefits. He's earning about \$2200.00 a year as a maintenance man.

He is glad he followed the advice in that article because he found that some social security benefits will be payable to him for 1961, even though he continues to work. You see, a worker doesn't have to retire completely in order to get benefits. Under a law passed just last summer, a worker earning over \$1200 a year and still receive some old-age retirement age, he can earn as much as \$3,000 a year and still receive some old-age retirement age in-
withheld for each \$2 he earns between \$1200 and \$1700, an additional \$1 is withheld.

er \$1700, an additional \$1 is withheld.

One of the recent changes in the Social Security Act is important to all persons who work between the ages of 62 and 72, according to Floyd B. Ellington, Manager of the San Angelo social security office.

"This change concerns the 'earnings test' the amount one may earn and still receive some payments," he said. "Earned income of \$1200 or less in a year has no effect on the benefits. Now, however, only \$1 in benefits is withheld for each dollar earned in excess of that amount," he continued. "That means that in some cases where a man and wife are both of retirement age, he can earn as much as \$3,000 a year and still receive some old-age retirement age, he can earn as much as \$3,000 a year and still receive some old-age retirement age in-
surance. Where there are three or more beneficiaries in one

worker's family, it is possible for him to earn as much as \$4,000 and receive some family payments for the same year."

After age 72, there is no retirement test, Mr. Ellington believes that there are many workers in the District between age 62 72 who should apply for the benefits to avoid any possible loss. Claims may be filed with the Social Security Administration office at San Angelo, Texas.

FEET ACHE, ITCH?

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For Attorney General:

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For Congressman-at-Large:

JOE POOL of Dallas County
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For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 3rd Supreme Judicial District:

THOS. C. (Tom) FERGUSON of Burnet Co.
JOHN C. PHILLIPS of Travis County

CHURCH OF CHRIST VBS JUNE 4-8

The local Church of Christ will have enrollment day on June 1 from 10-11 a.m. The Bible School will be conducted June 4-8, 9:00 to 11:15 each day, said Marion Hays, local minister and director of the school.

The teaching staff will be as follows:

Mrs. H. A. Chapple—Senior High
Mrs. F. S. Price—Junior High
Mrs. Odessa Atwell—Intermediates
Mrs. H. S. Latham and Charlotte Moore—Juniors
Mrs. Leroy Butler and Le-Ruth Reed—Primary
Mrs. Gene Alley and Mrs. Riley King—Nursery.

Summer Meeting Dates
Evangelist Bill Grasham of Baldwin Park, California is to

be the guest speaker in a series of Gospel sermons at the Church of Christ June 17-24.

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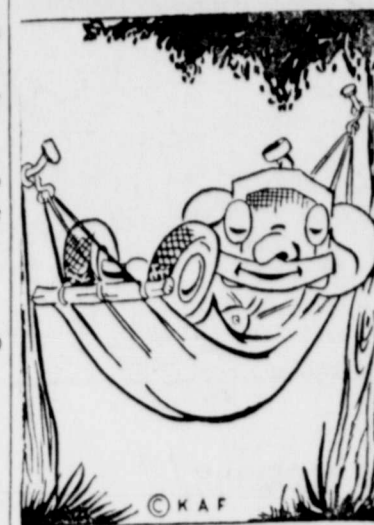
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Given under my hand and seal of office in Sterling City, Texas, 14th day of May, A. D. 1962.

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The Vacation Church (Bible) School will be held at the Methodist Church May 28—June 1. Classes for kindergarten, primary and juniors will meet from 2:30 to 5:00 each afternoon.

All children from 4 to 11 years old are invited, said the pastor John Gibbs

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