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PLAYING RULES FOR SOFTBALL ARE OUTLINED

Officials for this season's games shall be published by the ASA.

Each team shall be limited to players until June 15, then more may be added before July 1.

No transfers shall be made after July 1. A player joining a club shall be allowed to play at once, provided he has not been a member of another club in the league.

A player moving from one team to another shall have a release from the manager of the first, and will be allowed to play for seven days after his name has been released.

If a player resigns, and the manager refuses a release, said player may not be allowed to play with another team. If the board finds a player guilty of giving a release, he shall be allowed to sign with another club, but shall not play until after a fifteen day waiting period from the date of his resignation from the club.

Players will be allowed to wear regulation softball spikes. Managers will be responsible for the conduct of the players, and shall endeavor to keep down arguments and unsportsmanlike actions.

The schedule shall consist of an equal number of games for each club, and care shall be taken in drawing of the schedule, so as to give an equal number of home and away games.

Managers must always endeavor to have a full team on the field at the scheduled time, but shall not have to use players (more) not on his roster, if the team shall be played, but shall forfeit by the score of 9 to 0.

If his players report before the game in progress, he shall be allowed to make his replacements, and the game shall continue in the hands of the manager. The game shall not be over, but continue as if no change had been made.

Should an A and B league be formed, players in the A league shall not, under any circumstances, be allowed to play in the B league.

A full discussion of ground rules shall be had, and these rules shall be written and a copy given to each club manager.

Any club playing out of town, any select players from some other team to make the trip, provided the club of the selected player is not playing a scheduled game. Any team playing a sitting team, locally, may select players from some other team.

Any player who is playing with any team outside our local league, will not be allowed to play on a team in the local league. Also, any player playing with a local team, will not be allowed to play on teams outside the local league. Penalty for violation of this rule shall be two weeks suspension from the local league.

The governing board consists of Aubrey Yeager, L. A. Highower, Ed T. Cox, Jr., Wade Overby, Fred Michael and A. W. Jennesse. Any appeal made by the governing board shall be in writing.

200 Expected to Attend 4-H Rally Due at Eastland

The annual Eastland county 4-H club rally, originally announced for the city park in Eastland, and which will be at the Eastland high gymnasium, Saturday, April 16, it was announced Monday.

Approximately 200 girls and boys from over the county are expected at the meeting which will stress recreational work.

Hugh F. Barnhart, assistant county agent, and Miss Mabel Caldwell, assistant home agent, will be in charge of the rally.

NEW L-BOARD HEAD
Appointment of A. W. Crouch of McLennan county to be chairman of the Texas Liquor Control board, succeeding Pat Dougherty of Austin, brother of Mrs. Frank Crouch of Eastland, has been announced.

Eastland Youths On Arkansas Team Winning 7-6 Game

Relatives of three Eastland youths attending school at Hope, Ark., have received newspaper clippings telling of their work on the high school football team there.

R. Taylor, Tommie Samuels and Boob Daniels, the Eastland youths participated in the game of the school's "1938" team which recently defeated the "1937" team in a practice game which attracted 700 persons in the school's \$35,000 stadium.

All of the Eastland youths have been given credit for football work and are considered some of the brighter possibilities for next year's team of the school.

Former Resident's Funeral Is Held Monday Afternoon

R. A. Ragland, 80, former resident of Eastland, who died Sunday morning, was buried Monday afternoon at Sweetwater.

Mr. Ragland went to Sweetwater from Eastland Feb. 2, 1882, to become Nolan county attorney, having been appointed by the district court at Eastland. The Sweetwater area at that time was unorganized and was still designated as Indian Territory.

Completing the unexpired term to which he was appointed, he ran for the office in the next election and was elected. When his term was completed he never again ran for a public office but later served, by appointment, as district judge and then as surveyor.

Born in Harrisonville, Ga., Sept. 23, 1858, Mr. Ragland lived with his parents there and in Drew county, Arkansas, until the death of his mother. He came to Texas in 1880, settling in Bastrop county, where he was admitted to the bar. In 1881 he moved to Eastland.

Mr. Ragland was prominently identified with the development of Sweetwater. He and other men bought out the first water works system when its former owners went broke and the new corporation built a lake to supply the city. The group later purchased an independent telephone system, an ice plant and independent power company.

He had served on the city plan commission since its creation in 1928 and aided in every civic program in Sweetwater since moving there. He engaged in the banking and real estate business until forced by ill health to retire several years ago.

His wife died in 1929. He is survived by two sons and two daughters, Carl M. and Preston Ragland, Sweetwater; Mrs. Don Clayton, San Antonio, and Mrs. Landon McCallister, Austin. Carl Ragland is seriously ill in a San Antonio hospital.

Eastland School Heads Returned By Saturday Vote

In what is believed a record number of votes for a long period K. B. Tanner, E. H. Jones and Frank T. Crowell were returned to office in Eastland's school trustee election Saturday.

The result of the voting: Tanner, 357; Crowell, 388; Jones, 365; D. L. Kinnaird, 144; Dr. R. C. Ferguson, 132, and George H. Hipp, 129.

Three Members of Ranger Board Are Returned to Office

Dr. Walter L. Jackson, president of the Ranger school board, and F. P. Brashier and J. E. McRoney, members, were returned to office in the school election in Ranger Saturday.

Dr. Jackson polled the highest vote, receiving 250 of the 304 votes cast; Brashier polled 206 and McRoney 192.

Closely behind McRoney was V. V. Cooper, Jr., who polled 175 votes, while M. A. Wadsworth, the fifth candidate in the race, received 34 votes.

ESTATE VALUED
Estate of Barton Philpotts has been appraised at \$2,825, according to records in the office of County Clerk R. V. Galloway. Claims amounted to \$500.

Eastland Club To Sponsor Crippled Children's Sale

Sponsorship of the Easter crippled children's sale in Eastland from April 11 until Easter was voted at the Lion's club luncheon this week at the Connelley hotel.

Rev. J. I. Cardridge and Donald Kinnaird were appointed finance chairmen for the campaign which is to be under the auspices of the Texas Society for Cripple children.

B. E. McGlamery, supervisor in this district for the crippled children's division of the State Department of Education, proposed that the club sponsor the campaign in Eastland.

K. B. Tanner was introduced by Dr. C. C. Cogburn, program chairman, and told members of the club of life in Mexico, gained when he was a resident of the country.

X-Ray Technicians Choose Delegates To State Meeting

Delegates to the Texas X-Ray Technicians annual meeting at Houston May 6 and 7 were chosen at a gathering of members of the Abilene X-Ray Technicians Sunday at Eastland in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxey.

Eloise Odom, state president; Erin Yantis, state secretary; Dora Smith and Mrs. Maxey were named to make the trip.

Those from Abilene at the meeting were Mrs. Odom, Miss Yantis, Miss Darden, Mrs. Smith, Floy Darnell, Betty Nowlin, Frances McElroy, Evelyn McKenzie, Lester Patterson and Russell Smith.

\$10,000 Is Probable Amount of Estate

An estate of approximately \$10,000 is indicated in the filing in county court of an application to probate the will of the late Briggs Owen, who died March 16 at his home near Eastland and Cisco.

The application was filed by Leona Owen, wife of Owen, who was appointed executrix in her husband's will. Claims would total approximately \$1,000, the application stated.

Mayhew Estate Is Valued at \$6,900

Estate of the late Mrs. C. D. Mayhew has been appraised at approximately \$6,900 by Alex Spears, L. C. Moore and Horace M. Conley of Cisco, records of county court showed Monday.

Aunt of Bourland Dies at Ft. Worth

Funeral services for Mrs. Orvia Nabors of Fort Worth, aunt of Leon Bourland of Eastland, who died Monday morning at Fort Worth, will be held at Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon.

The death of Mrs. Nabors, wife of Mason Nabors of Fort Worth, followed a several month illness. Her husband, eight children and seven grandchildren, all of Fort Worth, survive.

Report Tells of County Accidents

The Department of Public Safety's quarterly accident report, just issued at Austin, shows that one fatal and seven non-fatal automobile accidents occurred in Eastland county during December, January and February.

The fatal accident, said the report, was on Highway 80 while one non-fatal accident was on Highway 23. The other non-fatal accidents were on Highway 80.

Looking Into Danger Serum



Following the tetanus-like death of nine and illness of several others in Orlando, Fla., county, state and federal authorities began an investigation of a cancer-serum which had been given the victims. The photo above shows Doctors H. A. Day (standing) of the Orange County Medical Association and J. N. Patterson, director of the Florida State Board of Health laboratory, examining a portion of the serum.

STEPHENS TEST WATCHED AS OPERATORS ATTEMPT TO SHUT OFF WATER FLOW

Outstanding well this week-end in this portion of West Central Texas was two miles north of Caddo, Stephens county, the I. C. Little and George Fagg No. 1 R. M. Rogers, section 28, block 5, T&P survey, which was plugging back after encountering sulphur and salt water at total depth of 4,490 feet, in lime.

There were several levels at which operators might try to produce. These were depths of 3,900, 3,950, 3,830 and 4,063 feet where shows of gas were encountered.

Sometimes called one of the major petroleum experiments of West Central Texas, the Gallagher-Lawson et al No. 1 Mrs. Bobbie I. Terry, N. H. Kuykendall survey, Comanche 5,500-foot test although within one-half mile of Desdemona in Eastland county, was drilling at 4,917 feet with sulphur and salt water in hole.

Many have been the obstacles in drilling this well. In its completion rests, perhaps, the future exploitation of that part of Eastland county. The test was still in Ellenburger topped at 3,404 feet.

Two and a half miles south of Carbon, W. J. Dobbs was reported ready to move in for his No. 1 W. J. Greer et al, J. E. Hardy survey, a 3,500-foot test.

Also near Carbon, one-half mile south, T. W. Johnson No. 1 Mrs. Mary L. Jackson, section 34, block 2, H&TC survey, appeared as shut down indefinitely. The total depth was reported at around 650 feet.

Development of the Ellenburger area northwest of Cisco was continued, lagging from new happenings, minus routine reports, as the pool's fourth apparent producer, the Lone Star Gas company No. 1 Van Farmer—a deepened gas well about eight miles northwest of Cisco—in Eastland county, continued plugging back. Total depth of the well was 3,988½ feet where water encroached after an acid shot in the line. Plugging back was being accomplished at cautious stages.

Hickok Producing and Development company No. 1 Grover S. Cleveland (D), section 475, SPRR survey, as is the Lone Star No. 1 Van Farmer, was reported underreaming to set 15-inch pipe at around 600 feet.

Lone Star Gas company No. 2 Van Farmer, 1,321-foot north offset to the discovery well by Hickok in the Ellenburger area, was said by observers to be drilling at 3,313 feet.

Spudding was reported from Hayner et al No. 1 P. C. Larkin, a 3,000-foot try, three miles northwest of Rising Star, section 40, block 2, ETRR survey.

There was only one new location for the district this week. It was the J. H. Harvey (Corpus Christi operator) No. 1 Cox and McInnis, 20 miles north of Brownwood, H. H. Rider survey, 330 feet from the north and 1,200

feet from the east line of the 160-acre lease in Brown county. One of the dry holes of the week was recorded by E. E. Thate in his No. 1 A. Reeves and Alice Reeves, abstract 227, 15 miles south of Coleman, Coleman county, at total depth of 841 feet. In Brown county the E. M. Howard (formerly Ehlinger and Guley) No. 1 Annette F. Armstrong, block 1, H&GNER survey, was completed for five barrels of oil and 3,000 cubic feet of gas at 100 pounds pressure.

Another of the "grassroots" wells so prevalent in this part of Texas will be drilled to 400 feet by Grassroots Oil company et al as the No. 1 Mrs. Nannie Neeb, section 33, block 181, Comal county school land, six miles southwest of Cross Plains, Coleman county.

Ranger Secures Parent-Teachers Meeting in 1939

The annual conference of the first district, Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, will be held in Ranger in the spring of 1939, it was announced at the annual conference at Breckenridge this week, after Ranger had made a decided bid for the conference for next year. Cleburne and Stephenville were also seeking the conference for next year.

Dates for the conference will be set by the state board of managers when it meets next January it was announced.

The district executive committee will meet in Ranger in January of next year, after the meeting dates have been definitely set, to plan the meeting and the program, in cooperation with local P. T. A. officials.

It is expected that between 200 and 250 delegates to the conference will meet at the Ranger session, as next year will be election year for the organization, with 10 officers to be elected. Off-election year attendance is between 150 and 200.

In addition to the delegates it is expected that the state president will be present, as will representatives of the State Department of Education, State Teachers colleges, the State Department of Health and the Child Welfare division.

The first district is composed of 17 counties in this portion of the state.

County 4-H Boys Receive Bids for Free Weiner Meet

F. E. Walker, one of the local club leaders of the Alameda boys' 4-H club, is inviting all Eastland county 4-H club boys to attend an Easter weiner roast Friday night, April 8 at 7 o'clock at the Alameda school.

Walker intends to furnish all weiners for the affair and make arrangements.

Walker stated in invitations that "If you would like you may bring with you a guest, either your dad, mother, a 4-H club girl, or a girl who may not be a member of the 4-H club, your brother or sister."

Farmers Purchase Seed Peanuts From Ranger Warehouse

Officials of the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association were busy Monday and Tuesday selling and loading seed peanuts sold from the Ranger Bonded Warehouse, where they have been stored since last fall.

Farmers purchased and moved 800 bushels of the peanuts Monday it was reported today, and it was expected that 1,000 bushels would be sold and delivered Tuesday.

Because some of the farmers will not be able to purchase their seed peanuts the first three days of the week, when the sale was scheduled, it was announced by W. B. Starr, president of the association, that the warehouse would be open all day Friday, if necessary.

Pastors Meet In Monthly Session For Discussions

Twenty charges were represented Monday at the First Methodist church in Eastland at a monthly meeting of pastors of the Cisco district.

Rev. J. B. Curry, Cisco, presiding elder, was in charge of the meeting.

March work was reviewed by the pastors and plans for April activity, to include several Easter revivals, were outlined. A book on Aldergate was discussed.

B. E. McGlamery of Eastland, district lay leader, discussed benevolences and use of church literature. It was indicated that several churches expect to have benevolences paid in full by the district conference May 17 and 18.

Children's workers of the churches had a separate discussion.

Wax Making Will Be Demonstrated At 4-H Club Meets

Demonstrations on the making of wax patches to be used in building pecan trees are scheduled at meetings of boys' 4-H club meetings this week, Assistant County Agent Hugh F. Barnhart announced today.

Meetings of clubs in this week's schedule were at Kokomo and Flatwood Monday afternoon at 1:30 p. m., Tuesday at Morton Valley, at Carbon at 11:15 a. m., Wednesday, at 2:30 in Colony Thursday afternoon and at 1 o'clock at Peak Saturday afternoon.

Champions Named In High School's Personality Event

Climaxing a week's contest, Alma Williamson and Thos. Dabney were awarded titles of the girl with the best personality and the boy with the best personality in Eastland high school at a party sponsored by the Rip and Sip club and the junior class at Eastland gymnasium Friday night.

The event, funds from which will go to hold the annual junior-senior banquet and sending delegates to a home economics meeting at San Antonio, was described as an unusual success.

Bob Ferguson was master of ceremonies for a floor show program which included music by Jack Brown's orchestra, songs by Mildred Berrell, whistling by Billy Kenny, songs by the junior high school duet, harmonica music by Wayne Bagley, and dancing by Dorothy Henry, the latter of Ranger.

Mrs. Carl Miller, sponsor of the junior class, and Mrs. Bob Vaughn, sponsor of the Rip and Sip club, were co-chairmen of the general arrangements.

Gifts were presented the contest winners.

Other candidates in the contest—each class of the school had two—were Helen Rosenquest, Betty Jean Lane, Pat Owen, Carl Bryant, Maxine O'Neal and Bruce Pipkin.

Gun Club Season Off to Optimistic Start On Sunday

Ideal weather conditions Sunday brought a large turnout of members and friends at the opening spring season shoot of the Oil Belt Gun Club, it was announced Tuesday.

Many out-of-town members were present including a prominent lady devotee, Mrs. E. C. Stovall of South Bend.

Some of the younger generation give promise of developing into good shots, among whom is Bobbie Leslie of Eastland, who turned in an excellent score for a beginner, observers reported. The club will hold practice shoots each Sunday afternoon, weather permitting, and all local shooters, whether members or not are welcome to participate. The club's equipment and facilities are recognized as being among the best in the state.

42 Studying In Red Cross School Taught by Taylor

Forty-two persons have enrolled in a Red Cross first aid school being conducted Tuesday and Friday nights by I. H. Taylor of Ranger at the city hall in Eastland.

The school will be concluded in three weeks. Classes begin at 7:30. Many of the persons attending the school are Boy Scouts of Eastland and Carbon.

Taylor is registered as an instructor with the Red Cross as well as the Bureau of Mines. Instructor certificates are to be awarded at the conclusion of the school. The Boy Scouts will be able to receive merit badge credit in attending the course.

Program Changes Told at Meeting

Recent changes in the 1938 farming program were being related Monday morning by Harry K. Westerman, agricultural conservation assistant, at a meeting of county and community committeemen in the county court room at Eastland.

LONE STAR TO PASS-UP PAY IN GAS SAND

Although in the Lake Cisco sand with about 5,000,000 cubic feet of gas estimated, Lone Star Gas company Monday was taking steps to drill its No. 2 Van Farmer further to the Ellenburger lime where pay is expected as found 1,321 feet south in the Hickok Producing and Development company discovery.

The No. 2 Van Farmer topped the Lake Cisco sand, it was said, at approximately 3,495 feet. Pressure was not known.

It was reported unofficially that the No. 2 Van Farmer was running about 35 feet higher than the discovery.

Boiler was being moved back and setting of six-inch pipe scheduled preparatory to drilling ahead.

Olden Establishes A Track Record In Past Four Years

By scoring 55 points to the Class B track champion of Eastland County, Sature, Coach Herman Scruggs trackster, established a record for the coach that has probably never been equaled by a Class B school in the state.

Here is the record Scruggs has set as a track coach during his regime at Olden, which is a record for any coach to envy:

1935—Olden won the Class B track championship of Eastland County and went to the State Class B Track Meet at Denton, winning fourth place.

1936—Olden won the Class B track championship of Eastland county and went to the Class A district meet at Breckenridge, finishing in third place against Class A competition. Later the track team went to the State Class B Track Meet at Denton, winning the state championship.

1937—Olden won the Class B track championship of Eastland County and again finished third in the Class A district meet at Breckenridge against Class A competition. At the Class B State Meet at Denton the track team again won first place, making two years in a row the school had won the Class B State Championship, and the third year in succession it had finished among the first four.

1938—Olden won the Class B championship of Eastland County, scoring a total of 65 points in the track meet. The team will again go to the state meet at Denton, making four years in a row Olden has been represented. This year, however, Coach Scruggs has stated that he is taking only four boys to the state meet, although he has one or two others who could make the trip if they observe strict training rules.

Two Committees Named by McCarty Start Meet Work

Two newly named West Texas Chamber of Commerce committees, appointed by Milburn McCarty, of Eastland, WTCC president have begun work in preparation for the twentieth annual convention of the organization, to be held in Wichita Falls, April 25, 26 and 27.

H. S. Hilburn, editor of the Plainview Herald, heads the important work committee of the WTCC, and James D. Hamlin, of Farwell, 1934 president of the body, was named chairman of the nominating committee.

Serving with Hamlin are Walter D. Cline, of Wichita Falls, and C. M. Caldwell, of Abilene. This committee will submit for a vote, names of officers to serve for the ensuing year.

Other members of the work committee, which will plan the WTCC work platform planks for the next year, and submit other resolutions, are: C. A. Stolar, Canadian; J. M. Wilson, Floydada; Clifford B. Jones, Spur; B. Reagan, Big Spring; B. P. Bludworth, Brownwood; J. C. Hunter, Abilene; W. B. Hamilton, Wichita Falls; Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth; Hamlin Y. Overstreet, Texico, N. M.; W. P. Hallmark, Dublin; Tate May, Hamlin; M. C. Ulmer, Midland; J. A. Crump Paducah; C. R. Stahl, Borger; S. A. Wells, Lubbock; E. K. Fawcett, Del Rio; Dr. H. W. Morelock, Alpine; H. C. Custard, Cleburne.

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Eastland Snow Is Estimated at Half Inch by Beard

J. A. Beard, Eastland weather observer for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, estimated at noon Thursday that Eastland snowfall

since midnight amounted to one-half inch.

Beard stated that the snowfall was preceded by sleet.

While the snow and temperature to around 33 degrees was viewed as unusual, many residents recalled similar weather many years ago later in the season.

County Agent Elmo V. Cook said the effect of the weather on crops could not be determined immediately.

Wellman and Lucas Begin New Terms

City Secretary M. H. Kelly administered Wednesday night at the city hall in Eastland the oath of commissioner for C. B. Wellman and C. T. Lucas, re-elected Tuesday.

The commission canvassed the vote and declared the result as showing 101 ballots cast for each candidate in the election.

Cartlidge Leads In Funeral Rites

Rev. J. I. Cartlidge, pastor of the First Baptist church in Eastland, conducted funeral rites Wednesday in Cisco for Ruth Alene Callaway, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Callaway, who died Tuesday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hollingshead, after a two-week illness.

Burial was in the Cisco cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook, Pioneer West Texans, Observe Their 50th Wedding Anniversary in Eastland

Mr. and Mrs. M. Westbrook, who came to Eastland in 1879 when the population of the county was approximately 4,000, and who have witnessed and taken a hand in developments of West Texas since that period, are this week receiving congratulations for 50 years of married life.

Monday, when the anniversary occurred at the home of Mrs. R. F. Jones, sister of Mrs. Westbrook, and Mr. Jones, 250 visited and congratulated the couple. The Jones home is where the Westbrooks—he is now 78 and his wife 68—first started house-keeping after their marriage in 1888.

The residence, which originally had two rooms, but later was enlarged, has never passed out of Mrs. Westbrook's family.

Westbrook before his retirement in 1919 as railroad contractor, was responsible for construction of many miles of railroad in West Texas.

As an Iowan, with Canadian experience, he came to Eastland and soon after his arrival began work for the Texas & Pacific Railroad company as a contractor. His work led him into various parts of the state. Construction work at Langtry brought him into contact and close friendship with Roy Bean, where "Law West of the Pecos" was administered.

Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook at one time lived at Houston where he was roadmaster for the Southern Pacific Railroad company.

Mr. Westbrook built the dam at Lake Tully, about one and a half miles east of Eastland, which was one of the sources of the city's early water supply. Numbered among Mr. Westbrook's projects was the contract job on building the Interurban line from Dallas to Waco. One of the last projects of Mr. Westbrook was when he re-laid 17 miles of track in the Inspiration Mine in Miami, Ariz.

Fathers of Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook both took part in the War Between the States. His father was a member of the Union forces and her father, Captain J. L. Steele, died in 1901 from wounds received in the battle of Gettysburg while in service for the Confederacy.

Captain and Mrs. Steele and their daughter, Ella Steele, came to Eastland from Alabama and later operated the Steele hotel. Mrs. Steele died several years ago at the age of 97.

Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook were married 50 years ago in the First Methodist church which was razed several years ago to give place to the new edifice.

Mrs. Westbrook is a charter member of the Eastern Star organization.

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Political Announcements

The Weekly Chronicle is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For District Clerk: Claude (Curley) Maynard.

For County Treasurer: Mrs. Frances (Holbrook) Cooper.

For County Judge: W. S. Adamson. (Re-Election)

For Sheriff: Virge Foster.

For Floterial Representative: 107th District Eastland, Callahan Counties. T. S. (Tip) Ross. (Re-election). Wayne Sellers. Omar Burkett.

For Assessor-Collector: C. H. O'Brien. (2nd term).

Democrat Head to Speak on Broadcast

Chairman James A. Farley of the Democratic national committee will deliver an address over a nation-wide hookup of the Columbia Broadcasting system in connection with the celebration of the 195th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson, founder of the party, Wednesday night, April 13, from 8:30 to 9 o'clock, central standard time.

Democrats have been urged to organize meetings to hear Farley whose talk may be the keynote speech of the coming campaign, it was stated.

Officers Named at Cisco V.F.W. Meet

A. L. Clark was chosen commander and Derrell Langston as quartermaster, both of Cisco, at the meeting of the Cisco Veterans of Foreign Wars post Wednesday night at Cisco.

All other officers were re-elected. Installation will be April 20. Taking the obligations at the meeting was Dave Perry of Cisco. From Eastland at the session were Wilson Hall, Ed T. Cox, Sr., Roy Allen and J. Syd Lowery.

make their home at the Leon Pow-er plant five miles southeast of Eastland.

DEEP TEST IS DRILLING AHEAD AT 4,955 FEET

Gallagher-Lawson et al No. 1 Mrs. Bobbie I. Terry, 5,500 foot test in the N. H. Kuykendall survey near Desdemona, was drilling ahead Thursday after a drill stem test at depth of 4,955 feet showed five gallons of water every 30 seconds.

Operators stated that in the water, salt and sulphur, was a negligible trace of gas. The deep test was still in the Ellenburger, topped at 3,404 feet.

Eastland Resident, Son Attend Funeral

Mrs. P. B. Bittle and her son, George, returned Thursday morning from Palestine after attending funeral services of Gene Hancock of Palestine, nephew of Mrs. Bittle.

Hancock, 24, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hancock of Palestine.

Officers' Elec- At Singe

Election of officers at the Eastland singing convention meeting night and Sunday at miles southwest of Eastland. The public has been invited to attend.

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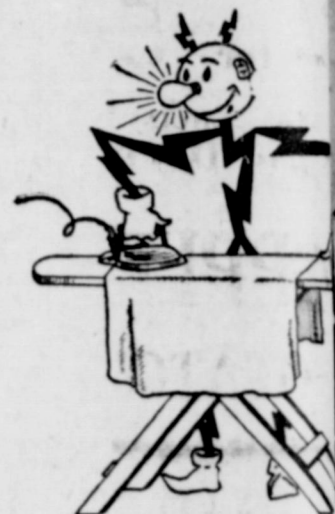


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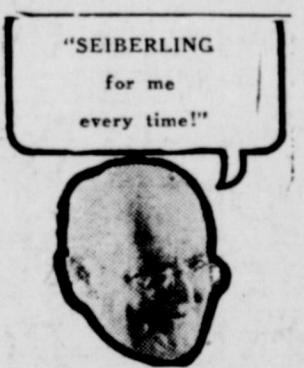
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Walt Disney's "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" beginning Friday, April 8, for a four-day run. It has been moved up Saturday to 9 a. m. E. J. Aylesworth, manager, announced today. On all days but Saturday the regular show hours will prevail for the film.

The film has received the highest praise of critics and patrons in the parts of the nation in which it has played.

In Fort Worth the film this week ended a 16-day run and in Dallas is in its second week. One of the most enthusiastic critics, columnist Westbrook Pegler, described the film as "the greatest thing since the Amistad."

Disney introduces an entirely new set of characters in the feature. Snow White is the first Disney character entirely devoid of caricature. The young Prince who seeks her hand, like the heroine, is a human character without exaggeration.

In addition, those who have worked on the feature predict that the seven dwarfs are due to steal many a scene with their comedy.

The picture, released by EKO-Radio, is playing movie houses all over the world as the principal attraction on a par with Hollywood's pretentious flesh and blood productions.

Auto Parts Store To Open Saturday On Square Location

The Eastland Lion Auto Store, located on the northeast corner of the square in the former Eastland Drug company building, will be opened Saturday morning for business. Seth Sawyer, manager, announced today.

The store is the latest unit of the Lion Automotive Parts and



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Manufacturing Company, which operates in 48 states. The company's growth the past four years is regarded in the trade as one of the most outstanding.

Sawyer, who is married and formerly worked for the company at Muskogee, Okla., and has many years of experience in the business, stated the Eastland store is being established as to be the most complete west of Fort Worth.

All parts, there are to be 10,000 different items, are tested by the Automotive Testing Bureau of America. The parts are of quality make and will be offered at popular prices, said Sawyer.

The store site has been remodeled and repaired in preparation for opening of the business.

Confidence in Eastland and the business future of this territory was basis for the move, to Eastland said Sawyer.

Eastland County Students Play In College Operetta

Five Tarleton students from Eastland appeared Thursday night in the cast of "H.M.S. Pinafore."

Gilbert and Sullivan operetta presented at the John Tarleton College auditorium by the combined Tarleton Chorus and Tarleton Orchestra.

The Eastland singers will appear again when "Pinafore" is presented for the second time next Tuesday night, April 12, at the Tarleton auditorium.

Lee Hatten, son of Joe Hatten of Eastland, sings the part of Ralph Rackstraw, British seaman who wins the love of Captain Corcoran's daughter and finds himself in command of "H. M. S. Pinafore" before the end of the operetta. Leslie R. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cook, sings a tenor role, that of a comical sailor on the "Pinafore." Rex Carnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Carnes of Carbon, also sings the role of a sailor on the "Pinafore." Oliveto Killough and Virginia Gibson of Eastland sing soprano roles as "vinters or the comical or fine sorts" of Sir Joseph Porter.

Principals in the cast included Hatten and Jean Walker of Cisco. The Eastland county students expect to visit in their homes during Tarleton's spring holidays, which begin Thursday of next week.

Miss Gibson is a senior in home economics at Tarleton, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace

L. Gibson, Eastland. E. J. Hatten, Cook, Carnes, and Miss Killough are juniors at Tarleton. Miss Killough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Killough, is majoring in music. This week she will accompany Charles W. Fresh, director of the Tarleton music department, to Lometa, where she and a senior music student at Tarleton will play a recital for a Lometa woman's club. She is a member of the Tarleton Five Arts club at the college.

Hatten is a business administration major, and a consistent honor roll student. He also writes some for the "J-TAC" Tarleton weekly newspaper. Cook is another music major. He sings first tenor in the Tarleton Chorus and in the Tarleton male quartet, plays violin in the Tarleton Little Symphony. Several times this year he has sung or played with Tarleton music organizations broadcasting from Fort Worth radio stations.

Carnes, Carbon, boy, is also a conservatory student.

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