



CSCC TO DRILL WILDCAT IN CENTRAL COCHRAN DISTRICT

Cities Service Oil Company No. 1-C F. C. Maston is to be a 5,200-foot wildcat in Central Cochran County, nine miles southeast of Bledsoe.

SHALLOW PROSPECTOR IS STAKED IN CENTRAL PECOS

R. L. Wheelock, Jr., of Corsicana, trustee, has filed an application with the Railroad Commission, requesting permission to start a lease hole at one on his No. 1 D. B. Gregg, as a 1,300-foot wildcat in Central Pecos County.

STANOTEX TO SEEK OIL IN ELLENBURGER IN SW CRANE

Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 1 Hattie A. Reynolds is to be a 6,800-foot wildcat to test to the Ellenburger in the Tucker area of Southwest Crane County, 10 miles east of Grandfalls.

WINKLER PROJECT HAS SIGNS OF GAS AND OIL OF DISTILLATE

Stanford Oil & Gas Company No. 2 Seth Campbell, Central Winkler County exploration to the Ellenburger, three miles southeast of Kermit, and 1980 feet from south and 1,986 feet from west line of section 13, block B-5, per survey, ran a 70-minute drillstem test in the lower Wadell zone of the Simpson at 11,503-571 feet.

Recovery was the 2,000-foot water blanket; 459 feet of gas cut drilling mud, and a slight amount of distillate. The project is drilling ahead. The top zone of the Wadell at 11,243-495 feet had some signs of oil and gas during a one hour test.

MAGNOLIA STARTS WORK AT DEEP N-C UPTON VENTURE

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-A TXL, North-Central Upton County wildcat, 13,000 feet to test into the Ellenburger, and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 31, block 40, TP survey, T-4-S, spudded to 423 feet in redbeds, and set 13 3/8-inch surface pipe on bottom with 300 sacks of cement.

MIDLAND WILDCAT DRILLS AHEAD AFTER TAKING DST

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1-E Wilson Bryan, Central, Midland County Ellenburger prospect, 14 miles south of the city of Midland, and in section 36, block 39, TP survey, T-3-S, had reached 4,753 feet in Permian lime, and was making more hole. It ran a drillstem test at 4,810-80 feet for one hour. Recovery was 180 feet of sulphur water. There were no signs of oil or gas.

ARGO HAD NO SHOWS IN TEST AT GAINES PROSPECTOR

Argo Oil Corporation No. 1-N E. H. Jones, Northwest Gaines County venture to 9,600 feet, ten miles southwest of Denver City, and in northwest corner of section 49, block G, CCSD&RONG survey, ran a one hour and 50 minute drillstem test at 4,808-85 feet. Recovery was 20 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water, reported.

NORTH CRANE PROJECT HAS SULPHUR OIL IN GRAYBURG

Hunt Oil Company No. 1 TXL, 18 miles north of Crane, five miles east of the north side of the Sand Hills field, and in northwest quarter of section 31, block 42, TP survey, T-4-S, topped the Grayburg lime at 4,438 feet. It cut a core at 4,488-4,500 feet.

Houstonian Will Run For Rail Commission

HOUSTON —(P)—Tom Blakey, Houston tax consultant and real estate man, said Wednesday he intended to run for State Railroad Commissioner in the July primary election.

A native of Nacogdoches, Blakey was educated in the public schools there, and came to Houston in 1920; "I have been urged to run by friends of the late Railroad Commissioner Lon A. Smith," Blakey said, "because of my 20 years' experience in the oil business. I believe we should keep our natural resources within the state, and seven years we'll be trying to buy coal from the north."

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## Stassen Blasts Mac Arthur's Hopes

### Lewis Files Court Motion Nullifying Back-To-Work Edict

WASHINGTON —(P)—John L. Lewis Wednesday asked a federal court to throw out an order requiring him to end the coal strike. The court set Monday for a hearing on the plea.

Judge T. Alan Goldsborough, who fined Lewis for contempt in a 1946 strike, received the petition and set the date for the hearing.

Goldsborough's office said his action automatically holds up the effect of the temporary restraining order against the 24-day-old strike.

The Justice Department had been planning to ask a contempt citation against Lewis and his United Mine Workers for ignoring the order.

The question whether the department would proceed, in view of Goldsborough's action, was not immediately answered.

Lewis' lawyers had asked for a hearing Friday, but Goldsborough put it off until Monday.

Injunction Hearing

On that day also Goldsborough is scheduled to hear the government's request for a preliminary injunction to replace the restraining order, which expires Tuesday.

The Lewis motion challenged the validity of the national emergency provision of the Taft-Hartley Act, under which the anti-strike order was issued last Saturday.

"Violation of the miners' right to work and freedom from involuntary servitude is explicit in the court's direction that the union shall order the miners to return to their employment," the Lewis motion said.

At the current tests, the only witnesses are a few experts from one country—the United States. The experiments are military in purpose, to show how the U. S. Armed Forces may use atomic energy in war. The U. S. Atomic Energy Commission has warned everyone but a few well-screened experts to keep away.

Two Types of Tests

It seems evident to careful observers that at least two types of tests were planned. The first, presumably, would be the use of atomic warheads on guided missiles, on short range flights; the second, atomic bombs dropped from the air.

Rear Adm. William S. Parsons, a deputy commander in the operation, was quoted in a newspaper interview here as saying instructions instead of guinea pig ships would be used to record the results.

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### One Man's Joy Is Another Man's Sorrow



Harold Stassen



Gen. Douglas MacArthur



Thomas E. Dewey

Cartoonists picture three candidates for the GOP presidential nomination as they probably appear after receiving returns from Tuesday's balloting in Wisconsin's primary elections. Former Gov. Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota wears a smile of victory. General Douglas MacArthur, the runner-up, may withdraw as a candidate as a result of his overwhelming defeat in his home state. Governor Dewey of New York, who claims to have more pledged delegates than any other GOP hopeful, also ran.

### Many Texans Vote In City Elections

Record turnouts for Tuesday's municipal elections were indicated Wednesday as final tabulations were made throughout the state.

Keen civic interest and favorable weather combined to attract voters to the polls in record numbers in several localities.

Jack Smith edged out incumbent George Mims as a councilman at Big Spring.

H. W. Wright and Dr. C. W. Deats were reelected.

E. H. Blum, vice president of the Atlantic Refining Company, was elected mayor of Highland Park.

He succeeds A. Starke Taylor. Blum was unopposed.

At Lubbock, former City Manager W. H. Rodgers won out over incumbent Clarence A. Bestwick for mayor.

Woman Elected

Mrs. George Gray held the distinction Wednesday of being the first woman ever elected to the Stamford City Council.

Union in the municipal elections was the campaign at Matador. Newspaperman Douglas Meador was elected mayor on a no-salary campaign promise.

The editor of The Matador Tribune won over incumbent G. T. Edwards in a record turnout. Meador said he would return the \$500 annual salary to the city.

Monahan Results

New mayor of Odessa is A. P. Brown, who won over Frank Riggs and A. J. Burks. Mayor E. G. Rodman did not seek reelection.

Alexander, Red Rogers and Bill Hale were elected councilmen.

At Abilene, Robert R. (Bob) Morris, unseated City Commissioner Harry Dobyns in the only contested race in the election there.

A total of 414 ballots were cast at Monahan, where L. E. Hardy, Paul Carr and Jack Sharp were elected councilmen for two-year terms. Eight candidates sought the three council positions.

U. S. Steel Corporation and subsidiaries announced cutbacks in the Pittsburgh District, slashing steel operations in that area to about 30 per cent of normal.

Bethlehem Steel furloughed 3,000 employees at its Sparrows Point plant, following previous cutbacks at its Johnstown, Pa., and Lackawanna, N. Y., mills.

Fred Pearson Named Mayor Of Kermit As Record Vote Polled

KERMIT—Fred Pearson, a former city secretary, was elected mayor of Kermit by a majority vote in Tuesday's city election. He defeated Clyde Barton, J. F. Simpson and C. B. Parker.

A record total of 1,224 votes were cast in the election in which interest had been mounting for several weeks. The previous record vote was in 1946 when 556 ballots were polled.

Cecil Atwood and H. A. Counter were elected to the City Commission from a field of five candidates.

In the mayor's race, Pearson received 730 votes; Barton, 411; Simpson, 41, and Parker, 35.

The commissioner contest tabulations: Atwood, 614; Coulter, 606; Atkin Cook, 391; John Baldwin, 319; and Emory Spangler, 283.

Texas' Soil Moisture Shortage Is Critical

AUSTIN —(P)—A critical shortage of soil moisture is developing in large blocks of Texas counties, the United States Department of Agriculture reported Wednesday.

Over most of the state, surface soils are becoming too dry for the best progress of growing crops, and for planting. The critical condition is threatening in South-Central, Southern and Western counties, including Southern sections of the high and low rolling plains.

The surface dryness was aggravated by high winds, and there was some damage to wheat, the USDA said in its crop and weather survey for the week ended April 4.

The subcommittee recommended \$641,007,000 in all.

The Senate group added \$1,000,000 for Belton Reservoir and a little amount for Garza-Little Elm Reservoir.

Other Texas waterways approved included: Texasland Reservoir, \$2,500,000; Benbrook Reservoir, \$2,200,000; Lavaca Reservoir, \$2,000,000; Grapevine Reservoir, \$3,300,000; Whitney Reservoir, \$4,000,000; Hondo Creek Reservoir, \$280,000; San Angelo Reservoir and Floodway, \$4,000,000; Brady Creek, \$900,000.

### Russians Throw Air Crash Blame Back On British

BERLIN —(P)—The Russians threw the blame for Monday's Soviet-British plane crash on the British Wednesday. British officials said the Russian story was "palpably untrue."

A Russian investigating commission charged the crash in which 15 died was caused by British violation of Allied regulations. The commission said it occurred over a Russian airport in Berlin and that the British pilot failed to comply with four-power Allied control regulations by flying over the Soviet traffic zone.

British officials issued no direct comment on the commission's report. They did deny a Moscow radio report which said the air collision was caused by a British airliner coming down out of a cloud and colliding with a Soviet fighter.

The radio version was substantially the same as the commission's report.

The official British statement said:

"Moscow Radio has put out the story that the British Viking aircraft came out of a low cloud and collided with the Soviet fighter about to land. The official British view is that the true facts about the collision cannot be established until the enquiry has been completed. This much is known, however:

"Visibility at the time of the collision was some five miles, when two miles from Gatow Airfield the Viking was sighted from the air traffic control tower at Gatow Airfield. Also the Viking had flown from Hamburg down the corridor towards Berlin at a height of 1,500 feet with the clouds another 1,500 feet above it. The facts in themselves show that the Soviet story is palpably untrue."

A representative of British European Airways, operators of the transport, denied the crash occurred over a Soviet airport.

Appeals Court Upholds Slot Machines Seizure

AUSTIN —(P)—Seizure of eight slot machines in the clubhouse of the San Angelo Country Club was legal even though the Texas Ranger entered without a search warrant, the Third-Court of Civil Appeals ruled Wednesday.

The appellate court's decision upheld the judgment of the trial court.

The machines had yielded the club a revenue of approximately \$1,200 a month, court records showed.

He's Not Scared

Mrs. R. G. Edwards of Atlanta, Ga., smiles at three-year-old Richard Scott Edwards after he survived a four-story fall with no more damage than a few bruises. Richard scampered to the fourth floor of an apartment building when his mother's back was turned, entered an open apartment and fell from the open window. There were no broken bones and his mother said he didn't even cry much.

### Dewey Is Blanked In Wisconsin Vote

MILWAUKEE —(P)—A smashing victory by Harold E. Stassen, promising him upwards of 20 of Wisconsin's 27 GOP National Convention votes, threatened Wednesday to push Gen. Douglas MacArthur out of the presidential race.

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York was blocked out with little chance to get even one delegate.

Stassen held fast to late-count leads—some so big the result no longer was in doubt and some slim—in a score of the 27 delegate contests involved in Wednesday's primary.

His candidates staved off with a rally in mid-day tabulations a challenge of two MacArthur aspirants to move into the circle of seven at-large delegates where Stassen's slate has led almost from the first.

They tabulated which included 390 of 579 precincts in Milwaukee County, where MacArthur's delegates ran well, gave the top Stassen at-large delegate, Walter J. Kohler, Jr., 192,007 votes.

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The low Stassen candidate, George Greeley, had 168,962 votes. This compared with 167,000 chalked up by Fred R. Zimmerman, leading MacArthur candidate.

The possibility was voiced by Rep. Miller (R-Neb.) in Washington that MacArthur, now leading in only seven of the 20 district contests might quit.

Lansing Hoyt, who heads the National MacArthur Clubs, issued a statement here blaming the general's poor showing on a light vote in the delegate contests.

Stassen Adds To Rumor

Hoyt, who was likely to be elected as a MacArthur delegate, said the general "would have won" if he had made a personal appearance in the state.

From Minneapolis, Stassen gave further grounds for speculation that MacArthur might not wish to continue in the national contest.

The former Minnesota governor, thanking friends for supporting him, expressed "sincere regret" that the action of a group of citizens in entering the name of a great general, Douglas MacArthur in the primary made it necessary for me to be in a position of rivalry on the ballot.

Odessa C. Of C. Manager Dies In Hospital There

ODESSA—M. J. Benefield, 52, manager of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce, and a former state commander of the American Legion, died about 6 p. m. Tuesday in a hospital here. He was admitted to the hospital Monday night, suffering from pneumonia. He was ill several weeks last year with a heart ailment.

A veteran of World War I, Benefield had been manager of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce since Feb. 1, 1945. Prior to that time he was manager of the Chamber of Commerce at Brady 10 years, and was in business there prior to entering Chamber of Commerce work. He was a former president of the Chamber of Commerce Managers' Association of West Texas, and served several years as a director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. He was a member of Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Thursday in the First Methodist Church at Brady.

Survivors include his widow, two sons, a daughter, and a brother.

Paul G. Hoffman, Auto Maker, Will Guide ERP's Fate

WASHINGTON —(P)—Paul G. Hoffman, who makes automobiles run, now will try to make Europe run.

President Truman has named him boss of the European Recovery Program (ERP). The Senate seems sure to okay him.

Then Hoffman starts work. He's 57, had been a salesman for years, and now is president of the Studebaker Corporation. He has been, since 1935.

His ERP job is one of the biggest and most unusual in American history. Simply, it's this:

ERP is supposed to help money and goods and food—into 16 European nations to get them on their feet. It's a major blood transfusion.

2. By doing this—by stopping collapse—keep Communism from spreading and taking them over.

Will ERP work? Hoffman thinks it's a gamble. But he said: "To my mind it's a good gamble."

Program, Could Collapse

ERP is supposed to last four years. Will Hoffman last that long in ERP? The real question is: Will ERP last that long?

This country, with feeling here toward Russia getting tense, is going to build its army and navy.

If Russia calls our hand and starts pushing hard to take over Europe, and does it, goodbye ERP.

Or, if in spite of ERP, Communists within a country take it over, it's goodbye ERP in that country.

So in spite of anything he does, ERP still can blow up in Hoffman's face.

One of his first tasks will be to build up a staff starting from scratch, of maybe 1,000 people here, another 1,000 in Europe.

He'll work with the State Department and other government agencies but the spotlight will be on him.

Reds Losing Ground In Italian Elections

ROME —(P)—Informed American observers said Wednesday the Communists are losing ground in the campaign for Italy's latest April 16 parliamentary elections.

They expect some spectacular last-minute propaganda move by the Communists.

There was some speculation that Russia might agree to Trieste's return if the Western Allies would return African colonies to Italy.

Another guess is that Russia may try to convince Italy that the United States is planning war against Russia, which would involve Italy.



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## Linum TKO's Debbs To Hold State Crown

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas' welterweight champion Bert Linum of Austin retained his title Tuesday night with a technical knockout over Beaumont's Johnny Debbs.

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| Staley's Sweetens                               | 43¢    |
| SYRUP—5 lb. bucket                              |        |
| Brer Rabbit SYRUP—pint bottle                   | 15¢    |
| Snider's CHILI SAUCE                            | 19¢    |
| Each                                            |        |
| Kimball's Pure APPLE JELLY—2 lb. jar            | 31¢    |
| MEAT SAUCE                                      | 25¢    |
| CHB—2 for                                       |        |
| Clabber Girl BAKING POWDER—4 16-oz. cans        | 31¢    |
| Hooker or Babbitt LYE—2 cans for                | 15¢    |
| Hudson's Fly Spray Gun and 1 Pint Hi-Power      | 29¢    |
| FLY SPRAY—both for                              | 19¢    |
| White House APPLE SAUCE—No. 2 can               | 10¢    |
| French's Pure Prepared Mustard 9 oz. jars 3 for | 29¢    |
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## WHAT IS CHIROPRACTIC?

Chiropractic is based on the fact that the brain is the human power house. It creates vital energy. Without brain energy no organ or part of the body can function. Brain energy is transmitted over the body's network of nerves. These nerves radiate from the spine, and it is in the spine that the nerve can be "pinched" by vertebrae, and the flow of energy over them impeded or cut off. When in this way the connection between brain and one or more parts of the body, disease is the inevitable result. By skillful analysis and precise spinal adjustments, the Chiropractor is able to locate and release impinged nerves and restore an uninterrupted flow of brain energy to the part affected. Health follows naturally.

## CASE HISTORY No. 12,516

Woman, age 40, was very nervous. Her back and neck hurt and she had terrible headaches. At times her joints hurt and she was tired, drowsy and had backache. The doctor said her trouble was due to arthritis and nervousness, but nothing helped her much until she gave Chiropractic a trial. Now she says she is feeling fine.

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## High School Play April 21 Opens 1948 Golf Season

DALLAS—(AP)—The eighth annual Texas High Invitational Tournament here April 21 opens a 49-tournament golf season for the Southwest.

The schedule was announced by Harry Gage, director of the Texas PGA Tournament Bureau. The busiest weekends will be the July Fourth holidays when four events are scheduled, and the Labor Day holidays when six tournaments are booked.

The schedule includes:  
April 21-25, Texas High School Invitational at Cedar Crest, Dallas.  
April 28-May 1, Texas Amateur, River Oaks Country Club, Houston.  
April 30-May 1, Sweetwater Invitational, N. M.  
May 4-7, Southwest Conference NIC qualifying, DAC Country Club, Dallas.  
May 6-9, Mineral Wells Invitational.  
May 13-16, Brady JayCee Invitational, Brady Country Club, San Angelo Invitational.  
May 27-30, San Angelo Invitational.  
May 28-30, Monahans Invitational, Monahans Country Club.  
June 3-6, Odessa Invitational, Hobbs, N. M.  
June 10-13, West Texas Open, Abilene Country Club.  
June 17-19, Texas PGA, El Paso.  
July 1-4, Abilene Veterans Amateur, Temple.  
July 12-16, Texas Juniors, Brackettville Park, San Antonio.  
July 17-18, Texas Veterans Amateur, Temple.  
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## Sport

—THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, APRIL 7, 1948

## Youngsters' Field Day



(NEA Telephone)  
Young and old, little and big gathered around the Fort Worth Cats' baseball field to witness the Cats play their big brothers, the Brooklyn Dodgers. None were too old or too young to try for an autograph from Leo Durocher, Dodger manager. The Dodgers won the second game 4-3.

## Bulldogs Nudged By Bobcats 19-16

By TANNER LAINE  
The Midland High Bulldogs played in hard luck Tuesday, else they would have beaten the San Angelo Bobcats in a 3-AA baseball game in Indian Park. San Angelo won 19-16 after nine innings of hectic play which saw first one and then the other on top.

Mistakes cost the Bulldogs, but they cost the visitors, too. Midland's miscues were costlier however. Say for both teams of boys they hit the ball. It was a flurry of base-hits by both.

Two big, fat innings paid off for San Angelo. The Speedy Moffett-coached lads garnered six runs in the fourth and seventh frames. Midland was consistent in eating up the difference and had good times in the third, sixth and eighth frames.

Midland got off ahead with two runs in the first and one in the second while San Angelo was scoreless. Then in the third starting pitcher Dave Hyatt of Midland got in hot water and the Cats tallied five. They kept it up in the fourth with six more and chased Hyatt. Midland was hammering away and was never out of the ball game.

The Barnes Milam Bulldogs put on a rally in the eighth and ninth but couldn't quite cut the cake. Moe Price, Bulldog second sacker, stole home in the ninth after smacking a triple. Relief hurler Max Harris put San Angelo down with a whitewash in the ninth.

Buckingham Hts. Larry Buckingham, Midland cleanup hitter, got five hits in six trips, including a double and a triple. Herman Hankla, catcher, and Bull Whitson, left fielder, got three smacks apiece for Midland. J. Duke, center fielder, and Scheyler, third baseman, got four hits each for San Angelo.

It was a scoring feast. San Angelo just got the most, that's all. The game was the second win for the Bobcats in District 3-AA and marked Midland's first defeat. San Angelo licked Abilene in the opener and Midland took Sweetwater.

The box score:

| Player             | AB | R  | H  | O  | A |
|--------------------|----|----|----|----|---|
| German, 2b         | 3  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 1 |
| Price, 2b          | 3  | 2  | 1  | 2  | 2 |
| M. Treadway, ss    | 5  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 1 |
| Deel, 1b           | 4  | 3  | 1  | 0  | 1 |
| Buckingham, rf     | 6  | 4  | 5  | 4  | 0 |
| Hankla, c          | 6  | 2  | 3  | 9  | 1 |
| Whitson, lf        | 5  | 2  | 3  | 0  | 0 |
| A. C. Treadway, 3b | 5  | 0  | 0  | 2  | 2 |
| Bevins, cf         | 5  | 0  | 1  | 1  | 0 |
| Hyatt, p           | 2  | 1  | 1  | 0  | 1 |
| Roberson, p        | 2  | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0 |
| Harris, p          | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 |
| Mann               | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 |
| Totals             | 47 | 16 | 17 | 27 | 8 |

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## USGA Refuses The Babe

NEW YORK—(AP)—An official "for men only" Wednesday barred the fabulous Babe Didrikson Zaharias from the National Open golf championship.

The Babe, who has accomplished amazing feats in widely assorted fields of sport, said she would like to play in the 1948 tournament at Riviera Country Club at Los Angeles June 10-12.

The U. S. Golf Association told her Tuesday she wasn't welcome. It said the tournament always had been intended to be strictly stag, and declared:

"Applications must be men who either are professional golfers, or amateurs with handicaps not exceeding three strokes. Thus, the USGA has declined an informal entry submitted in behalf of Mrs. Zaharias."

Very Disappointed  
No woman ever before had sought to enter the tournament which was first played in 1895.

Mrs. Zaharias won 17 women's tournaments in succession last year before turning professional. Her titles included the American and British Amateur championships.

After learning of the USGA's decision, Mrs. Zaharias said she was very disappointed. "I wanted only to qualify," she said in Los Angeles. "And if I qualified, I feel I would be good enough to make a showing in the open. However, I respect the USGA very much. They have been fair and broad-minded to me. If they say no I'm willing to go along. Maybe next year it will be different."

The Babe had one parting shot. "I still think I'm good enough to play."

## Aggies Blank Baylor As Texas Trims Rice

By The Associated Press  
Baylor meets Texas A. & M. College at College Station in the only baseball game on the Southwest Conference bill Wednesday.

Baylor will be out for revenge for a stinging defeat suffered Tuesday when the Aggies blanked the Bears 8-0.

Only man on the Bear team who scored a hit was first baseman Tom Chandler. Earl Beasley, a M. hurler, chalked up ten strikeouts and gave up only three walks.

At Austin Tuesday the University of Texas trimmed Rice 8-2. Murray Wall allowed Rice only three hits. At the plate, Wall smacked out a triple to help the Texans along.

Chick Zolmeyer, Texas shortstop, hit a 370-foot homer with one man on in the seventh.

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## BOOSTERS Will Fete Athletes Twice Yearly

In a meeting Tuesday night the Midland Bulldog Booster Club voted to hold two banquets yearly honoring high school athletes. One will be the annual football banquet and the other will be a banquet in the Spring honoring participants of other sports.

The two-banquet plan takes effect this year. The grid fete will be after the football season and the second banquet will be held in May or one of the Spring months.

The Booster Club next Fall will endeavor to bring about a cooperative relationship between parents of the football players and the coaches and their boys and the school. Jack Maaburn introduced the subject and the club discussed it. Maaburn said especially in training regulations the parents could help a lot.

A committee will study the subject and make recommendations. Members are Maaburn, Stan Eskine and John Scroggin.

## Indians To Make Exhibition Tour

The Midland Indians, currently in pre-league training, will take the road Thursday on a statewide trip for exhibition games.

The Tribe meets Sweetwater at Sweetwater Thursday night and invades Longview Saturday night.

Sunday they play at Bryan, Monday at Henderson, Tuesday at Kilgore and Wednesday at Tyler.

Next Friday, April 16, the Indians will be back here and may play a benefit game in Indian Park for the Boy Scouts that evening.

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## Stanton News

STANTON—A basket lunch was spread Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Atchison when 55 descendants of the couple gathered there.

The Stanton Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Ray Simpson recently. Mrs. John P. Priddy reviewed a book, "Alexander of Macedonia," and refreshments were served to Mrs. Chuck Houston, Mrs. Gerald Menket, Mrs. Cecil Bridges, Mrs. A. Forrest, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. Jim Tom, Mrs. Dale Kelly and Mrs. Jarless Jones.

Fifteen Girl Scouts and their sponsor, Mrs. Arrington, hiked out to the cedar brakes Saturday morning with their lunches. They were Benny McCoy, Sue Jane Zimmerman, Nancy Roquemore, Mary Beth White, Jo Jan Hall, Lorraine Burns, Eula Bell Mott, Mary Lynn Hamilton, Ruthy Hall, Yvonne Orry, Ernie Haynie, Anna Bell Heckler, Eugenia Martin, June Free and Velma D. Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Johnson and children made a business trip to Monahan Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Coggins left Sunday for Temple, where Mrs. Coggins will receive medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Greg visited their son, Revis Greg, and his family last weekend.

Patsy Kelly was host to friends at a party Friday night.

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## Reynolds Gives Jinxed Exploration Plane To Pilot Bill Odom

HONOLULU —(P)— Milton Reynolds Wednesday gave his jinxed exploration plane to his pilot, Bill Odom, with no strings attached, and added:

"I'm like a small boy with air rifles. I get into mischief." The millionaire thus summed up his recent escapade in China. He fled Shanghai without a passport after fouling-up project to seek the world's highest mountain. Behind him left irate Chinese and American scientists who were to have participated in the aborted aerial expedition.

Reynolds gave Odom the converted Liberator bomber—which he said cost \$125,000—a few minutes before the pilot took off for Chicago, via San Francisco.

Reynolds said the expedition set him back \$250,000.

He said Odom plans to go into business with the plane—and the first enterprise probably will be flying a group of Eastern businessmen to Africa to hunt lions.

Reynolds referred to his hurried flight from China as "something strictly out of Hollywood."

In Beijing, Chinese newspapers criticized the frustrated expedition as a "publicity stunt."

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**40,500 New Members**  
**Is Baptist SS Goal**  
HOUSTON —(P)— An additional 40,500 new members in Baptist Sunday Schools and 2,000 branch Sunday Schools in Texas are the challenges which are being placed before the 7,000 Sunday School workers and preachers attending the State Sunday School Convention in the First Baptist Church here.

How to accomplish these goals are being discussed at the convention, which will continue through Thursday. The workers are attending general meetings, conferences led by outstanding Baptist leaders and special sessions on home life.

A feature of Wednesday's program was to be a worker banquet for 1,000 people attending the convention. Speaker was to be Dr. W. R. White, newly elected president of Baylor University.

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## Red Apology Hasn't Eased Berlin Tension

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst  
Russia's quick public apology for the Soviet-British plane disaster Monday in Germany created hope that this might signal a general easing of the dangerous tension which developed recently between the Soviet and the Western Allies in that zone, but this hope now has largely dissipated.

The Russians Wednesday blamed the British for the collision between the Soviet fighter plane and passenger ship, with the loss of 15 lives. The Bolsheviks charged that the British pilot violated regulations by flying over the Soviet traffic zone. The British retorted that the Russian story was palpably untrue.

The Soviet authorities not only had apologized but had promised that hereafter Allied planes would have unhindered access to Berlin. As a result, British Foreign Secretary Bevin, while pressing for immediate investigation of the disaster, felt able to tell the House of Commons regarding the general East-West dispute in Germany:

"If there is good will, it is capable of solution. It is a pity that Bevin was smart to put in that qualifying 'if.'"

Treated As Accident  
The Russians are treating the crash as an accident and hint that exact characterization might be questioned. The Allies haven't quibbled over the term. It appears from the testimony of eye-witnesses for the Allies that the pilot of the Red fighter plane was trying to harass the transport by diving at it. However, it would be absurd to claim that he deliberately sacrificed his own life in order to destroy the British plane with 12 Britons and 2 Americans aboard.

He just wasn't smart enough as a pilot to do the trick of "buzzing" which the witnesses say he undertook.

The Russian apology for the Berlin "collision" was a striking deviation from their usual behavior. It meant, I take it, that they really were greatly disturbed by the bungling of their fighter pilot. It means they were afraid this shocking incident might cause a rupture of the peace, coming as it did when East-West relations already were tense. So they did what they rarely do—they apologized.

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## Training Camp Notes

**GIANTS WIN AS INDIANS GO HITLESS EIGHT INNINGS**  
PHOENIX, ARIZ. —(P)— Things were looking up for the New York Giants Wednesday, particularly in the pitching department. Ray Poat, Joe Begg, Earl McGowan and Jack Hallett combined to toss eight hitless innings against Cleveland Tuesday as the Giants won 5-2 in 11 frames.

**NEW YORK YANKEES BEGIN TRIP BACK HOME**  
ST. PETERSBURG, FLA. —(P)— The New York Yankees grabbed a train Wednesday for the first leg of their journey back home. They play their Augusta, Ga., farm club in Augusta Thursday.

**PHILLY PITCHER GOES ROUTE TO DEFEAT TORONTO 7-2**  
CLEARWATER, FLA. —(P)— Robin Roberts, promising rookie hurler from Michigan State, drew a nine-inning assignment for the Philadelphia Phils against Toronto Wednesday. Dutch Leonard went all the way for the Phils against the Leafs Tuesday and gave up six hits. The Phils won 7 to 2.

**BUMS LOSE SCORELESS STREAK AT OKLAHOMA CITY**  
TULSA, OKLA. —(P)— The Brooklyn Dodgers continue to roll unhindered through minor league opposition. The number one team scored its twentieth straight victory at Oklahoma City Tuesday.

The Indians managed to snap a Brooklyn streak of 24 scoreless innings when they pushed across a run in the eighth. The Brooks meet Tulsa of the Texas League Wednesday.

**CHICAGO WHITE SOX TAKE PITTSBURGH PIRATES 7-5**  
DEL RIO, TEX. —(P)— Most of the Pittsburgh Pirates were confused Tuesday in their game with the Chicago White Sox at Juarez, Mexico, because all of the public address announcements were made in Spanish. The Bucs lost 7 to 5.

**WALLACE TAKES LEAD FOR WHITE SOX SHORTSTOP SPOT**  
DEL RIO, TEX. —(P)— Jack Wallace has moved into the lead for the shortstop position on the Chicago White Sox. "I've decided to go along with Wallace for the time being at least," says manager Ted Lyons. "He's hitting and fielding well." Wallace has collected 22 hits, 10 of them for extra bases, in 73 times at bat.

**BROWNS SEEK SIXTH WIN IN ROW FROM CHICAGO CUBS**  
WACO, TEX. —(P)— Cliff Fanning and Clem Dreisewerd drew the pitching assignments for the St. Louis Browns Wednesday against the Chicago Cubs. The Browns have combined luck and hitting power to win five straight from the Cubs.

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## Lions Slate Anniversary Event Friday

Charter members of the Midland Lions Club who still reside here or in neighboring cities will be honored guests at the club's twentieth anniversary night banquet and program at 7:30 p. m. Friday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. James L. Daugherty, president, said Wednesday. It will be a ladies night meeting, and all Lions, past and present, their ladies and guests are invited to attend.

Daugherty said an effort has been made to send personal invitations to all charter members who reside in this area. Thirty-seven of the 102 charter members are Midland residents.

The club was organized April 9, 1928.

**Banquet Program**  
R. D. (Bob) Scruggs, the only charter member who has been continuously affiliated with the club since its organization, will be master of ceremonies at the banquet session.

Addresses will be made by M. C. Ulmer, a charter member, Frank Stubbeman and James S. Noland. Comments also are to be made by Dr. David M. Ellis and Barney Grafe, charter members who still are active in the club.

All charter members and past presidents will be introduced, as will members of the Lion Tamers organization.

The Lion Club "International Convention" Band, under the direction of John Biggs, will be a program feature.

**College Veterans**  
**Slate Bonus Meeting**  
AUSTIN —(P)— Veterans in 20 Texas colleges and junior colleges still are seeking a state bonus. They will meet here April 17 and 18 to plan bonus legislation.

Pat Maloney of San Antonio, University of Texas law student and chairman of the committee sponsoring the meeting, said delegates will represent some 50,000 Texas veterans.

"It is our hope to evolve an ultimate plan which will be beneficial legislation to the state, as well as the veterans," Maloney said.

Student veterans of the following schools have indicated they will attend the convention: Baylor, TCU, Texas Tech, Trinity, University of Houston, Texarkana, Tyler, Edinburg, Texas Wesleyan College, Sam Houston, Weatherford College, Schreiner Institute, Paris Junior College, Daniel Baker College, University of Corpus Christi, Brownwood, San Marcos, Lottorneau Institute and the University of Texas.

**CAGED BEAR KILLS 10-YEAR-OLD CHINESE BOY**  
SHANGHAI —(P)— A caged bear killed a 10-year-old Chinese boy at the Shanghai Zoological Gardens Wednesday.

A crowd looked on in horror as the bear reached through the bars of its cage and seized the lad. He was mauled and bitten so severely he died in a few minutes.

## World-Famed Clown Falls Dead During Radio Interview

NEW YORK —(P)— Albert V. Adams, 48-year-old famed English clown, fell dead of a heart attack at the microphone during a radio interview Tuesday night.

His wife, Louise, who had performed with him around the world for 20 years, thought at first he was clowning when he collapsed at her side.

The program was cut off the air.

An hour later the widow was back at Madison Square Garden going through her antics in the final dress rehearsal for Wednesday's opening of the Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey Circus.

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## Truman Faces Questions

The draft-Eisenhower movement is behaving—to use an inelegant comparison—like a stream of water in a leaky garden hose. Successfully stopped in one place, it pops out in another.

General Eisenhower's refusal of the Republican nomination in the event it was offered him, plus widening rifts in the Democratic Party, gave some Democrats the idea that he might come in on their side. This in turn re-awakened the public clamor for the general that shows no geographical, political, social or economic boundaries.

But there is now an important difference. If General Eisenhower's name had been presented to the Republican convention he would have been only one among four or five leading contenders. He might not have made it.

But as a Democratic contender, General Eisenhower would be up against Truman and nobody else. He would be asked to challenge the almost automatic practice of giving the incumbent a renomination if he wishes it.

This delicate situation not only puts the issue up to General Eisenhower and his supporters. It puts it as squarely up to President Truman and those in his camp. Truman has predicted his victory in November and has given no public evidence of anxiety. Yet he cannot be indifferent to the pattern of recent events.

Southern politicians are complaining loudly. District leaders in the big cities have been threatening revolt since the shift of policy on Palestine. Normally Democratic labor leaders are showing little enthusiasm for Truman and much for Eisenhower. And then there is Henry Wallace.

Truman may not believe the frequent predictions that he cannot possibly win. But he must see that the oddly assorted Democratic Party of Franklin Roosevelt's administration is beginning to come apart at the seams. There must be something of a struggle, then, between Harry S. Truman, loyal party man, and Harry S. Truman, President.

The President has always shown immense party loyalty, even to the Pendergast machine that started him on a political career. Yet, like almost every other President, he has gained assurance and individuality during his White House residence.

He is not today the humble, reluctant man who said, the day after Roosevelt's death, "There have been few men in all history the equal of the man into whose shoes I am stepping. I pray God I can measure up to the task." This is natural. Any man who heads the government of the world's greatest nation assumes an importance that must surely be reflected in his own eyes.

Is the Democratic Party headed for dissension and defeat under the present leadership, and could Harry S. Truman, loyal party man, reunite it and assure victory by withdrawing in favor of General Eisenhower?

Does Harry S. Truman, President of the U. S., believe this—and if he does, what will he do about it?

## Committees Appointed At Realty Meeting

Appointment of committees was the principal order of business at the bi-monthly meeting of the Midland Real Estate Board in the Scharbauer Hotel Tuesday noon.

Larry Burnside, president, appointed Laura Jessie and Mrs. Susan Noble as program committee for the next three months. Ray Upham, Clarence Nelson and Alva McKee were appointed to an appraisal committee for the next quarter, and Barney Grafe and Clifford Hogue were named to a committee in charge of making a survey of the history of the real estate business in Midland for the last several years.

## Ex-Aggies To Meet Here Thursday Night

New officers will be elected and plans for the regional Aggie muster to be held here April 21 will be completed at a pre-muster meeting of the Midland County A&M Ex-Students Club at 7:30 p. m. Thursday in the county courtroom of the Midland County Court-house.

W. B. Harkrider is president of the club and James Mims is secretary. The regional muster here April 21 is expected to attract scores of former Aggies from cities in the Permian Basin area.

## Leap Year Desperation



## WASHINGTON COLUMN

### Voice Of America Changes, Toughens Up, Gets Results

By PETER EDSON  
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—The Voice of America is changing. It's toughening up. What's more, it's getting results. The proof is that Moscow radio and Communist-dominated government broadcasting stations behind the iron curtain have started to scream their denunciation of all U. S. State Department Voice programs.

"I have listened to quite a few Voice of America broadcasts in the Russian language," said one Moscow announcer in a recent English program beamed to the U. S. "It is not hard to tell from the contents that a kind of bitter enemies of the USSR run the broadcasts," the announcer went on. "The Voice of America is trying to poison the minds of Europeans with the vilest anti-reactionary views."

In between he tried to tell the Kansas farmer, the Pennsylvania coal miner, the school teacher in California that the Voice of America was trying to build up an entirely false picture of U. S. life. The Moscow mouthpiece then sought to set them all straight. According to him, there was a "panic" in the stock exchange, the culmination point in the development of American business had been passed, the U. S. economic slump was beginning. Communist attacks on the Voice of America are not confined to radio. The Communist press has taken up the cry with leading articles in Pravda, Izvestia and others telling the Russian people, not to believe what they hear on American short wave broadcasts.

To the men who direct the American information program—William T. Stone in general charge in Washington, Charles W. Thayer directing the Voice in New York—all this is real encouragement. It's proof their stuff is getting across. When U. S. foreign broadcasting was first moved into the State Department after the war, the policy was to build up a reputation for accuracy, fairness, dependability. When the Russian radio let go a

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## Lower Proration Allowables Seen

GALVESTON —(P)—Bad news may be on the way for Texas crude oil producers.

A member of the Texas Railroad Commission has given indication monthly proration allowances may be reduced in order to assure maximum recovery from the various fields.

Commissioner William J. Murray, speaking here Tuesday before the Western Petroleum Refiners Association convention, said the action is indicated by information gained at commission hearings now being held to determine new maximum efficiency rates for Texas fields.

"So far we have found a downward trend and you may have to anticipate a decrease in allowances for Texas," Murray told the approximately 1000 petroleum refiners.

The three-day convention will conclude Monday afternoon with J. Copeland Gray, member of the National Labor Relations Board, Washington, D. C., and W. T. Holliday, president of Standard Oil Company of Ohio, as speakers. Reductions in proration allowances would be a regrettable at a time when crude oil is in such demand but that a continued downward trend at the remainder of the hearings will make the decreases inevitable.

"If we find that a field can operate efficiently at a greater production rate, I assure you that field will receive an increased allowance," he said, "but our findings as of now are not encouraging."

H. T. Ashton, St. Louis executive for Socony-Vacuum, was re-elected president of the association, as were all other officers. Roland V. Roderman, Oklahoma City, was named to the board of directors.

## Questions and Answers

Q—Has an official flag been adopted for the Secretary of Defense?

A—The official flag for this Cabinet post is blue silk, with a five-pointed star in each corner. In the center is an American bald eagle, wings outstretched. Talons of the eagle hold three crossed arrows, and on its breast is a shield of 13 stripes.

Q—To what royal family does Michael I of Romania belong?

A—He is a member of the Sigmaringen branch of the former imperial family of Germany. As a private citizen his name would be Michael Hohenzollern.

Q—Where is the largest Masonic temple in the U. S.?

A—In Detroit, Mich.

Q—Who were the three great generals who were never defeated?

A—Alexander the Great (died 323 B. C.), Julius Caesar (assassinated 44 B. C.), and the Duke of Wellington (died 1852).

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## Tuberculin Patch Test Program Is Conducted Here

Sponsored by the Midland County Tuberculosis Association and financed with funds obtained in the Christmas seal sale, the annual tuberculin patch test program has been conducted in various Midland schools, Dr. Homer B. Johnson, president, said Wednesday.

Several hundred students of the first, fifth, eighth and twelfth grades of the elementary, junior high and high schools, and the entire student bodies of the rural, Carver and Latin American schools have been tested. The permission of parents was sought before children were tested, and parents were notified as to the test results.

Endorsed By Schools  
The program is endorsed by the Midland County Health Department and the public schools. Doctor Johnson expressed appreciation to teachers and P-TA workers for their cooperation.

Assisting Mrs. Lillian Davidson, executive secretary of the tuberculosis association, in the testing were Mrs. O. F. Barnard, Mrs. S. M. Erskine, Mrs. W. C. Cartwright, Mrs. A. E. Patterson, Mrs. Roger Northrup, Mrs. Don Thompson, Mrs. F. R. Schenck, Mrs. Max David, Mrs. Leland Ball, Mrs. Danna Gouchie, Mrs. J. C. Carlson, Mrs. Tom Murphy, Mrs. G. A. Grimm, Mrs. John Mashburn, Mrs. J. M. Devereux and Mrs. Parrish.

## National Sheriffs Meet Ends Wednesday

EL PASO—(P)—Sheriff Walter Monaghan of Pittsburgh, Pa., was on Wednesday's program of the National Sheriffs Association convention here.

Committee reports and selection of a site for next year's convention were scheduled. Delegates to the convention heard Dr. E. M. Jellinek say Tuesday that jail is no place for a chronic alcoholic.

Warden James J. Johnston of Alcatraz Prison, San Francisco, said the Federal Prison System has the largest unified correctional plan in the world.

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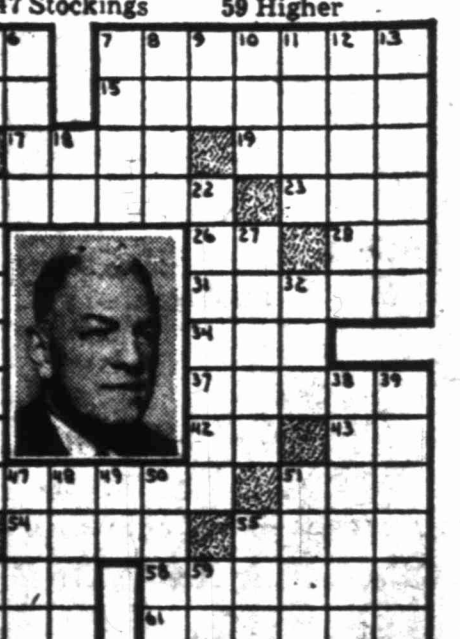
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| 19 Be fond            | 6 Withered           |
| 20 Clamor             | 7 Possess            |
| 21 Calm               | 8 Level              |
| 23 Short sleep        | 9 Rhode Island (ab.) |
| 24 Comparative suffix | 10 Evil              |
| 25 Pronoun            | 11 English school    |
| 26 Negative           | 12 Turn              |
| 28 Tantalum (symbol)  | 13 Surgical tool     |
| 29 Cloys              | 18 Area measure      |
| 31 Twelve             | 21 Methods           |
| 33 Facility           | 22 Salad herbs       |
| 34 Make (suffix)      | 25 Blend             |
| 35 Fabric             | 27 Seeped            |
| 37 Turns              | 29 Pitch             |
| 40 Not (prefix)       | 32 Sea (Dutch)       |
| 41 Type measure       | 35 Scorches          |
| 42 Man's nickname     | 36 Come forth        |
| 43 Exclamation        | 38 Gully             |
| 44 Bird's beak        | 39 Participates      |
| 46 Young hogs         | 45 Blessing          |
| 51 Eggs               | 47 Stockings         |
| 52 Stout talk         | 48 Electrical units  |
| 54 He is governor of  | 49 Three-toed sloth  |
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## Answer to Previous Puzzle

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9. RHODE ISLAND  
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21. METHODS  
22. SALAD HERBS  
25. BLEND  
27. SEEPED  
29. PITCH  
32. SEA  
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45. BLESSING  
47. STOCKINGS  
48. ELECTRICAL UNITS  
49. THREE-TOED SLOTH  
50. THROW  
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Midland Lodge No. 625  
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7:30. Burial, evening  
April 6, stated meeting  
W. M. George Vanna-  
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Maple leaf-shaped pin, with pearls on  
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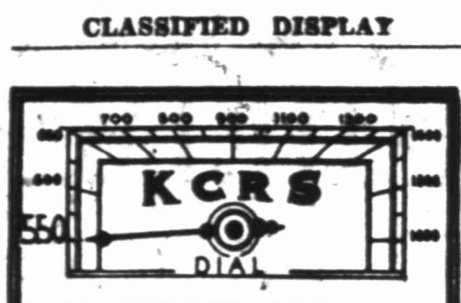
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## Rankin OES Is Host To Six-City Meeting

RANKIN — Members of Jean McCamey, Big Lake, Crane and Midland chapters of the Order of Eastern Star were invited guests when the Rankin Chapter entertained Monday night. The chapter rooms were decorated with potted lilies and basket arrangements of lilies.

Dinner was served in the reception room of the Masonic building and was followed by the regular meeting of the chapter with Worthy Matron Estel Harrell and Worthy Patron Dr. J. C. Bredehoft presiding. Grand officers Allen Jacobs of Big Lake, deputy grand matron District 2, Section 2, and Erma Hyde of Midland, deputy grand matron District 2, Section 2, were present, as were all visiting present and past worthy matrons and patrons.

At the close of the meeting an impressive memorial service was held by candle light. All officers took part in the service and all ladies were gowned in white formal. Sprays of white lilies were used in the ceremony, one being placed on the white satin covered altar by Odessa Edwards, conductor, and the other carried by Mary Ann Workman, who, gowned in white satin, portrayed the angel.

"When They Ring Those Golden Bells," "In The Garden" and "Abide With Me" were piano selections used. The service closed with Evelyn Jo Moore singing "Whispering Hope," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Lella Workman.

Sixty-six members of the Rankin Chapter and their guests attended the dinner and meeting.

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James L. Carlisle reported to Midland police Tuesday the theft of a tire and wheel from his automobile.

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## Art Exhibit Features Display Of 100 Works

More than 100 oil paintings and bronzes representing both American and European schools including many contemporary works are now on exhibit in Midland's City-County Auditorium by the George Chapellier Gallery, under the auspices of the American Association of University Women.

The exhibit ranges from a 330-year-old painting on copper by Frans Francken I of the Flemish School (1584-1616) to Twentieth Century Impressionistic works. Attracting attention in the display is the Byzantine icon, a religious scene with a multitude of saints praying the Divinity. This painting is accompanied by a silver covering which has openings through which the saints' faces are visible.

"The Art Collector," an Alamo Teres painting of the period circa 1870 is interesting in the fact that it contains many works of art, as it depicts two men discussing painting in a studio full of works of art. The Italian School is represented by such painters as C. Cervi (Rome, 1851). French figure portraits stand out in the exhibit, representing such masters as Emile Charles Lambinet, a pupil of Corot, and Corot himself. "Boat by the River Shore," a Corot work, is handsomely accented with a hand-carved frame. Thomas Moran (1837-1914) is called "The Turner of America" because of his vivid colors, an example of which appear in his "Grand Canal of Venice." John Richardson of the English School of 1830 adds a touch of comedy in the characters he depicts in "The Village Barber." Western scenes, of interest to Midlanders, appear in the works of Charles Schreyvogel, an American who also has made a place for himself with his fine sculpturing.

Representing the works of a contemporary American, Albert Alton, is the portrait of Chapellier, gallery owner who will be present in the auditorium throughout the week to conduct the public on a tour of the exhibit.

## Asbury WSCS Hears Conference Report

Mrs. Theo Ferguson highlighted Asbury Methodist Church's WSCS meeting Monday afternoon with a report of the recent five-day WSCS conference which she attended in Plainview. She, with Mrs. Edgar Tanner, represented the Asbury group.

Mrs. Ferguson's report followed a program under the direction of Mrs. Clyde Gwyn. Featured speakers included Mrs. Gwyn, who discussed "Earth and Her Progress," Mrs. Lenora Hester in a talk on "Rural Communities," and Mrs. Preston Pirtle in "The Building of a Rural Community."

Mrs. J. A. Andrews and Mrs. George Darnon served refreshments to Mrs. Lou Mashburn, Mrs. Hester, Mrs. Preston Pirtle, Mrs. Joy Busby, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. J. T. Moore, Mrs. Carmel Pirtle, Mrs. Gwyn, Mrs. Odell Ponder, Mrs. Allen Mashburn, a new member, Mrs. Bruce Goode, and a guest, Mosell Vanover of Arizona.

## Jerry Lee Blue Is Feted On Birthday

RANKIN — Jerry Lee Blue was honored on his sixth birthday Friday when his mother, Mrs. T. H. Blue, entertained a number of his friends at the Blue home.

After playing games and taking pictures, refreshments of cake and cold drinks were served, with Mrs. Oscar Lee, Mrs. Curley Cowan and Mrs. Jack Childress assisting the hostess.

Attending the party were Sandra Kay Cowan, Priscilla and Janice Bell, Jim Lively, Tommy and Carolyn Langford, William, Jimmy and Geneva Childress, Scotty and Beverly Bennett, Betty and Jackie McCain, Mack McSpadden, Donald and Lynn Lee, Jimmy Lee, Butch Moore, Douglas Young, Lonnie Ferrell, Raymond and Sandra Kay Blue and Jerry Lee.

## Conventions Committee Will Aid P-TA Parley

The Conventions Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday with officials of the district P-TA parley to be held in the city April 23 and 24.

The Chamber of Commerce committee will help with the barbecue to be held at Cloverdale Park.

Diesel locomotives cut railroad fuel costs 33 to 75 per cent, according to type of operation.

## Viola-Piano Recital Slated Thursday In School Auditorium

A capacity attendance is expected Thursday night in the Midland High School Auditorium when Ernest Wallfisch, pianist with the Dallas Symphony Orchestra, and his wife, Lory Wallfisch, noted pianist, who studied under several famous European musicians, will present a viola-piano lecture-recital. The performance will start at 8 p. m.

The recital is sponsored by the Midland Concert and Lecture Association as its fifth and final program number of the 1947-48 season. The Civic Music Club is assisting in bringing the noted musicians to Midland.

Guest tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Ben Danaby, Jr., Mrs. William Y. Penn and J. T. Baker. They also may be purchased at the door Thursday night. Association members will present membership cards for admittance.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallfisch came to the United States last year from Rumania where they were widely acclaimed among the most promising young musicians of Europe. They have continued to gain fame in the Southwest since moving to Dallas.

## Mrs. Raymond Leggett Heads New Officers Of Junior High P-TA

The John M. Cowden Junior High School P-TA elected Mrs. Raymond Leggett president at a Tuesday night meeting in the school annex. Dr. Glenn Walker, in an address on "Health—A Must," highlighted the program which also included music by the school's A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Dorothy Routh.

The new slate of officers, presented by Mrs. J. L. Daugherty, chairman of the nominating committee, also includes Mrs. Lee Flood, first vice president; Mrs. Walter Cremin, second vice president; Mrs. Howard Delany, secretary and Mrs. Duane Chesnut, treasurer.

Spring conference plans were reviewed by Mrs. Leggett for the unit which will participate in the April 23-24 event slated in Midland.

Winning the attendance count was the eighth grade room of Coleman Slaughter, it was announced.

More than half the crimes committed in Indiana in a surveyed six-month period were by persons under the age of 30.

## League's One-Act Play Contest Slated Friday In Auditorium

The Interscholastic League "One-act play contest," to be held Friday in Midland High School Auditorium, will feature the Midland group, under the direction of Verne Harris, 35-minute presentation of "The Trysting Place."

The cast will include: Mary Lee Cowden, Mrs. Curtis; Bob Short, Lancelot Briggs; Sarah Lew Link, Mrs. Briggs; Frances Puetz, Jessie Briggs; Frank Shepard, Rupert Smith; Jimmie Fitzgerald, Mr. Ingoldby; and Don Droleman, "The Mysterious Voice."

The contest scheduled has been announced by officials. Big Spring will open at 2:45 p. m. with Louis N. Parker's "A Minute," followed at 3:25 p. m. by Sweetwater's presentation of "Dust of the Road." The remainder of the schedule includes: Midland at 4:10 p. m.; San Angelo at 7:30 p. m.; Abilene's "Mr. Lincoln's Whiskers" at 8:20 p. m.; and Odessa's presentation at 9:10 p. m. of "Green Grow the Lilacs."

## MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

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## Crane News

CRANE — Donna Miller, 1947 Crane High School graduate, is oboe soloist with the North Texas State Teachers College pit orchestra. Miss Miller recently had a solo part when the orchestra performed with the opera "Passion Play" according to St. Matthew in Dallas. The performance was broadcast. While a senior in high school, Miss Miller was asked to play with the Houston Symphony. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gay Miller of Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Watkins and son visited Watkins' sister, Mrs. J. H. Graham of Bradshaw, last weekend.

Herbert Foreman visited in Brownwood over the weekend. J. B. Rodgers, Jr., spent the weekend in Dallas.

Mrs. Guy Bosworth flew to Chattanooga, Tenn., Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Venable, and the Venable's newly-adopted daughter.

The Leon Byrd and W. R. Crowner families are visiting in El Paso.

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