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Pay Amendment Seen By Jester

Governor Says He Hopes For Change In School Tax Law

AUSTIN—(P)—Gov. Beauford Jester said Friday a constitutional amendment may be necessary to get the state off the per capita system of public school financing and over to a plan based on equalization and day-to-day attendance.

"I think we may be laying the groundwork for such a change now," Jester commented at his press conference. "When these teachers get their pay checks in September and find that this \$55 per capita bill is not going to pay them the salary they thought it would, they're going to want some changes made."

The governor said he hopes that an interim committee called for under pending legislation will develop an answer to put the state's educational finances on firm footing.

A House concurrent resolution by Claude Gilmer of Rocksprings calls for an interim legislative committee, appointed by the speaker of the House, president of the Senate and governor, to make a study of educational needs and make a report for the next session of the legislature.

Wants Best Answer
Jester said he did not intend that his appointments to the committee would be men who shared his views but rather who had a real interest in finding the best answer.

Jester said he is asking the attorney general whether corrective legislation is necessary to carry the provisions of the \$55 per capita bill which he allowed to become law without his signature.

He declared that the request had no relation to the discussion of the respective merits of the per capita and other plans for public school financing, but was concerned only with a technical provision designating sources of funds with which to pay the increased per capita apportionment.

"Several authorities have expressed serious doubt whether the automatic tax board can set any ad valorem tax rate for the available school fund under the terms of the bill, except that portion needed for free textbooks," he said.

Half Of Fort Worth's Accidents Are Due To Drinking, Says Officer

FORT WORTH—(P)—With an annual award banquet at 7:45 p. m. honoring Governor Jester and pointing to Texas' progress in traffic control, the 800 delegates to the Texas Safety Association will end their two-day convention here Friday night.

Meanwhile, in sectional meetings scheduled for all day, the state's safety movement in fields of traffic engineering, industry, schools, courts and law-enforcement continued to be advanced.

"One-half of the accidents in Fort Worth involve a drinking driver at the wheel," Police Chief R. E. Dysart of Fort Worth declared in a panel discussion held by the traffic safety section.

Weather

Fair Friday night and Saturday; not much change in temperature. High temperature for Midland was 51 degrees.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

LOUISVILLE — (AP) — A field of 14 three-year-olds was entered at Churchill Downs Friday for Saturday's 73rd running of the Kentucky Derby.

HENDERSON — (AP) — Three persons were killed Friday when an automobile swerved off the highway and overturned at Pirtle, Texas.

ROME — (AP) — The death toll from a machine gun ambush of May Day marchers near Palermo rose to seven Friday.

NEW YORK — (AP) — Britain declared Friday Jews should be given a voice in the United Nations debate on Palestine.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Peyton Ford, 36-year-old Oklahoman, was nominated by President Truman Friday to be an assistant attorney general.

BONHAM — (AP) — A total of \$371 in cash, several hundred dollars in checks endorsed for deposit and \$2,500 in War Bonds were taken by two burglars from the safe of a drug store here Friday.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — China has agreed to open negotiations soon for a settlement of all its outstanding war accounts with the United States, the State Department announced Friday.

French Premier Fights Communist Party In Cabinet

PARIS—(P)—Socialist Premier Paul Ramadier, fighting to prevent the fall of his cabinet over a new split with the Communist Party, appealed Friday to the national assembly for full support of his wage and price freezing program.

Asking the legislature for a vote of confidence, he refused to consider granting any wage increases, saying such a step would lead to skyrocketing prices and ultimate disaster.

"If you agree with me we will continue," he said. "If not, let others take the responsibility." He seemed assured of victory, and sources close to the cabinet said the premier was preparing to ask his party to let him form a new government with Communists excluded if he won the confidence vote.

McClellan Also Served Notice
The bipartisan foreign policy leadership will face a battle unless the bill is amended additionally to ban relief for any Communist-dominated country.

The Arkansas senator told a reporter he wants to go even farther in this respect than the House, which provided that relief money could be spent in such areas under tight American control.

Meanwhile, Republican Senators H. Alexander Smith (N.J.) and Hickenlooper (Iowa), both members of the Foreign Relations Committee, told a reporter they intend to support the full \$350,000,000 relief figure.

'Fair Trade' Practice Act Facing Certain Death In Texas House As Foes Win Point In Subcommittee

AUSTIN—(P)—The so-called "fair trade" practice act appeared to be facing certain death in an unfavorable House subcommittee. It bounced into the new State Affairs Subcommittee Thursday night after a prior subcommittee appointed to study the Senate-passed measure recommended it to be reported favorably to the House.

The recommendation was killed by Rep. Sam Hanna of Dallas, a bitter opponent of the bill, who moved to send the bill back to a subcommittee of his own choice.

His motion carried 11 to 8 and Hanna named Cecil Storey of Longview, J. B. Sallas of Crockett and Sterling Williams of Snyder to the sub group.

Storey and Sallas have both opposed the "fair trade" measure while Williams has supported it. The bill, by Sen. G. C. Morris of Greenville, would allow manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers to enter into minimum price fixing contracts on trademark or brand products which are in fair and open competition with other commodities of similar nature.

United Nations Will Pay Tribute To Aleman

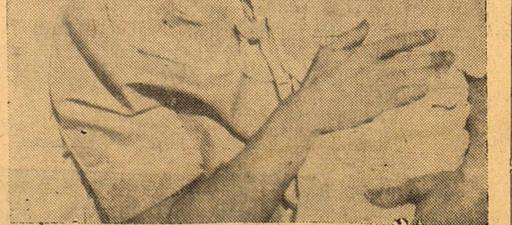
NEW YORK—(P)—The special Palestine assembly of the United Nations will have an extraordinary meeting Saturday to honor the president of Mexico, Miguel Aleman.

Andrew A. Cordier, executive assistant to Trygve Lie, U. S. secretary-general, said the session would be confined to ceremonies and brief addresses by UN officials and the Mexican chief executive.

He said the assembly's 55-nation political committee would meet Monday to take up the question of forming a committee to inquire into Palestine.

WILL PLEAD INSANITY
BEAUMONT—(P)—Defense attorneys for Riley Brown McCain, former Houston salesman charged here with the slaying of Elnora Collins, Houston clerical worker, on the night of September 30, 1945, said he would plead not guilty by reason of insanity.

Evicted While In Hospital



Mrs. Vincent Meed holds her four-day-old baby son, Jerry, in an Alhambra, N. Y., hospital after she was reportedly told by her landlady she and her ex-serviceman husband could not bring the baby back to their apartment.

Floods Wash Out Railroad



Levees built along Big Muddy River at Aldridge, Ill., failed to hold the rampaging river, resulting in the washing out of the Illinois Central railway tracks.

'State Of Union' Well Received By Midland Audience

After all, it is still true, "the play's the thing," and this reviewer sees no reason to point out the obvious faults of the Midland Community Theater's production of the Lindsay-Crouse hit, "State of the Union."

Especially are we reluctant to criticize because the presentation Thursday night in the City-County Auditorium was so surprisingly professional to this newcomer to Midland.

Moreover, it is quite likely slow spots, forgotten cues, tendency of some to "play ahead" of their lines and other such trivialities went unnoticed by the audience. No matter how irksome these may have been to the actors themselves, they may be assured those out in front did not find them so.

Professional Touch
Although a seasoned Broadway show-goer would first find fault with the fact of the "spicy" words and phrases were cut out, the deftness of a professional touch kept that fact meaningless to Thursday night's audience.

The cast should be heartened by the response of those they entertained so fully. There was genuine feeling in the curtain calls at the close. Comment heard by this interviewer between acts and after the play ended was that all present enjoyed themselves.

Friday and Saturday nights the play is sure to be smoother, and the cast, the play's only real critics, will have more reason to enjoy the kind of self-approval which comes through a performance well played.

"State of the Union" is a splendid vehicle for the Community Players, and a thought-provoking medium for theater-goers.

Its story of a man who thought he would like to be president of the United States has its humorous moments, but comedy, as such, does not rob the plot of its revealing behind-the-political-scenes seriousness.

Excellent Conditioner
The play, probably the first time produced in Texas, gives the veteran players opportunity to broaden their scope of portraying types. At the same time, it is an excellent conditioner for the less experienced, one of whom, Bill Duncan, showed definite promise in his handling of a top role.

William H. Pomeroy, Jr., plays his role of presidential aspirant, Grant Mathews, with smoothness seldom achieved off the professional stage.

Pomeroy is ably and expertly supported by Elsie Hoskins in the role of wife, Stella Maye Lanham as Kay Thornyke, who has designs on him, and Norris Creath as Jim Conover, bigtime political boss. The rest of the cast measures up to standards necessary for minor roles, all of which makes the production one which will be enjoyed by all who love the stage.

Art Cole has done a fine job which shows not only in the cast's all-around performance, but also in the stage property and effects departments.—JEM.

APRIL POSTAL RECEIPTS TOTAL \$14,014.59

Postal receipts for the Midland post office during April totaled \$14,014.59. N. G. Cates, acting postmaster for Midland announced Friday. This was an increase of \$867.03 over March receipts which totaled \$13,147.56. Receipts for April 1946 totaled \$12,373.98.

Evicted While In Hospital

TEXAS DEPARTMENT STORE SALES SHOWING INCREASE

DALLAS—(P)—Department store sales in Texas big cities were up from four to 13 per cent for the week ending April 26, as compared with the same period last year, the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas reported Friday.

Fort Worth sales were up 13 per cent and other percentages of increase included San Antonio five and Houston and Dallas four.

House-Passed Rent Control Bill Is Sent To Senate Where Warm Response Grets 'Local Option' Provisions

WASHINGTON—(P)—A House-passed bill extending rent control, but letting each city, town and county decide whether to take or leave it, was tossed over to the Senate Friday.

The "local option" feature immediately got a friendly reception there.

The House approved the measure 204 to 182 Thursday night, after beating down attempts to require a 10 per cent rent increase where ceilings now apply.

The bill provides:
1. Continuation of controls from June 30 to December 31, with the President given authority to continue them by proclamation to March 31, 1948, if he deems this advisable.

2. That "the governing body in any county, city or town may in their discretion terminate rent control earlier by a finding that the necessity therefor no longer exists."

3. Authorizes landlords to raise rents 15 per cent in return for two-year lease if the tenant agrees.

4. Exempts from ceilings all new houses and apartments and any that have not been rented in the last two years.

5. Abolishes all government priority and allocation controls over building materials and construction under the Veterans' Housing Act, except that the government may require a permit for construction of buildings to be used for amusement or recreational purposes.

6. Retains veterans' preferences to buy or rent new homes and continues government mortgage insurance on new homes up to 90 per cent of value.

JayCee Convention Described To Group At Friday Meeting

The recent Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce Convention held in Fort Worth was described to members of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce at its luncheon meeting Friday noon in the Scharbauer Hotel.

Delegates of Midland, who attended the convention, spoke at the luncheon meeting. They were: R. H. (Rusty) Gifford, Alfred (Red) Petty and Ted Thompson. Gifford's talk gave the parley high lights. Midland won four state awards at the convention. Petty was program chairman Friday.

A luncheon meeting of the Jay-Cees will not be held next Friday. It gives way to a night meeting Saturday. This will be the annual presentation and inaugural party. H. C. (Nub) Jones is ticket chairman.

Martin Neill reported that Midland JayCees had raised \$2,668.36 for Texas City relief and that \$1,551.35 had cleared through Midland from other state units. Ernest Neill of Midland has been cited by the state organization for his spearheading of the Texas City relief campaign.

Lou Frazen urged attendance at softball games.
A JayCee directors meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. Monday in the City-County Health Unit office.

Sinclair Will Invest Millions In Houston

HOUSTON—(P)—Harry F. Sinclair revealed here Friday that he is spending between \$30,000,000 and \$35,000,000 on expansion of his refinery in Houston.

This, he said, is part of a national Sinclair expansion program which originally was planned to cost \$100,000,000, but now is estimated to cost \$150,000,000. These figures do not include a \$50,000,000 expansion and improvement program by Sinclair's Richfield Oil Corporation of California.

President Aleman Urges Solidarity

NEW YORK—(P)—President Miguel Aleman of Mexico declared Friday that strengthening of the Western hemispheric solidarity is "the first step we must take in the furtherance of the ends" pursued by the United Nations.

Speaking from City Hall, where Mayor William O'Dwyer conferred honorary citizenship of New York City upon him following a parade through rain-swept downtown Manhattan streets, President Aleman asserted:

"Mexico's contributions to the work of the United Nations has been heartfelt and generous. But Mexico believes that the first step we must take in the furtherance of the ends pursued by that organization is to uphold hemispheric solidarity strengthening the ties that bind the American republic together."

Stressing Mexico's kinship with the United States, he said, "Let us remember that our countries are united by the similarity of their institutions and their common love of freedom rather than by their geographical proximity and parallel histories."

Newburyport Continues Price-Cutting Program

NEWBURYPORT, MASS.—(P)—Newburyport's price-cutting experiment was set for an indefinite run. The merchants of this seaport community of 15,000 voted unanimously Thursday night to continue the program which saw prices slashed 10 per cent by a majority of merchants on all commodities except those fixed by law.

The 10-day experiment, which attracted nationwide attention, was originally slated to end Friday.

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A Shocking Situation

"Facilities for caring for the state's unfortunates are far below the standards required of a subdivision of a civilized nation."

Thus was summed up the general findings of a special investigating committee of the Texas House of Representatives which visited the state's eleemosynary institutions recently.

Filthy and insanitary conditions were found at several of the institutions, with new equipment, repairs and renovations needed at many of them.

Personnel in many instances was below standard, and in some cases the lack of cooperation between management and employes resulted in utter confusion.

The situation in general was far from pleasing—and certainly presents a picture of which citizens of Texas cannot be proud.

Steps must be taken now to modernize the entire system and to develop it to recognized standards. This project cannot be accomplished overnight, but the program to remedy the distasteful conditions can and must be started at once.

Certain recommendations which would improve the situation were made by the committee, and it is up to Texas legislators to initiate a program of reform. The Senate already has adopted a bill which would improve the boys' and girls' schools at Gatesville.

The committee's report indeed is shocking, but perhaps it will shock legislators and citizens into action.

Coming Events

SATURDAY

Midland Home Demonstration Council will meet at 2:30 p. m. in the assembly room of the county courthouse.

The Youth Canteen at the Midland High School gymnasium will be open from 2 to 5 p. m. and 7 to 11 p. m.

The Midland County Museum will be open from 3:30 to 5 p. m.

The Junior Choir of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 9:30 a. m.

"State of the Union" will be presented by the Midland Community Theater at 8:20 p. m.

The American Association of University Women will have a luncheon meeting in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel at 1 p. m.

SUNDAY

The Watson School of Music will present Dorothy Jean Walston and Shirley Lee Winter in a piano recital, assisted by the Estrellito Orchestra at 4:30 p. m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church.

TO ATTEND DALLAS OPERA

Elma Jean Noble, Eula Anne Tolbert, Jo Ann Procter, Charlotte Kinsey and Mary Helen Armstrong left Friday morning for Dallas to attend the opera La Boheme Sunday afternoon.

Festival Being Held In Odessa

The 65-piece Midland High Band, newly uniformed, the high school choral club and the junior high choral club are participating in concert and marching contests at one of the area's largest interschool league music festivals in history Friday and Saturday in Odessa.

Choral contests, junior high school and Class D bands (organized less than two years) will be judged Friday beginning at 8:30 a. m. The marching contests will be Friday night on Ft. Field. Awards for excellence will be made.

More than 135 Midland students are participating. Choral groups participating include those from Odessa, Midland, Wink, Monahans, McCamey, Fort Stockton, Iraan and Denver City. Junior high bands are from Odessa, Monahans, Kermit, Pecos, Seminole, and Hobbs. Class D bands are Midland and Big Lake groups in their first year of organization. The Seminole band is not scheduled to march Friday night.

Odessa is the only Class A band entering the contest. Class B organizations include Monahans, Kermit, McCamey, Wink, and Hobbs.

Class B bands are Andrews, Crane, Pecos, Iraan, Denver City, Seminole, Grandfalls, and Alpine. All will participate in marching Saturday night.

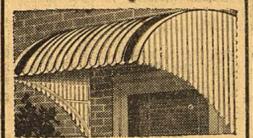
Food Handlers School Closes Friday Afternoon

The food handlers school, for Midland waiters, waitresses and cafe owners, sponsored by the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce and directed by the Midland Health Unit and the State Department of Health, closed Friday afternoon. Approximately 160 persons were enrolled for the week's school.

Dr. F. E. Sadler, director of the Midland-Ector-Howard Health unit said the cooperation of Midland food handlers was fine and the school was a great success.

A Midland ordinance requires food handlers in the city to have a certificate. Persons attending at least four classes during the week will be awarded a certificate. Two identical classes were held each day at 9:30 to 11:30 and 2 to 4 p. m.

BACK FROM DALLAS
R. C. Crabb returned Friday from a business trip to Dallas.



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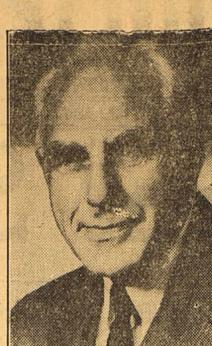
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BROWNSVILLE GETS CAMP

PORT WORTH—(AP)—Sale of 161 acres of Fort Brown to the city of Brownsville was recommended here Thursday by the Federal Public Housing Authority.

New USCC Head



Earl O. Shreve of New York, vice-president of the General Electric Company, was elected president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States at its annual meeting in Washington, D. C., Thursday. He succeeds William K. Jackson of Boston.

'Duel In The Sun' Showing At Yucca

Long anticipated by the theater-going public as one of the important film events of 1947, David O. Selznick's "Duel In The Sun" more than lived up to expectations in a multitude of ways as it made its debut at the Yucca Theater here Thursday. A dramatic Technicolor saga of the Texas Panhandle during the 1880's, "Duel In The Sun" will continue its run here through Saturday.

"Duel In The Sun" has a terrific impact. It is a tremendously exciting photoplay that "immediately seizes your pulse to pounding and its scope and power leave you breathless at the end." Selznick personally wrote the screenplay of "Duel" from an adaptation by Oliver H. P. Garrett as suggested by a novel by Niven Busch and while it is historical in pattern, Selznick has drawn his characters sharp and clear and each one becomes violently etched in memory.

Directed by King Vidor with imagination and evident enthusiasm and crammed with bold and colorful showmanship from the prologue to the final scene, the picture presents one of the great casts of film history: Jennifer Jones, Gregory Peck, Joseph Cotten, Lionel Barrymore, Herbert Marshall, Lillian Gish, Walter Huston, Charles Bickford, Harry Carey, Otto Kruger, Joan Tetzel, Scott McKay, Sidney Blackmer, Tully Loach, Butterfly McQueen, and more than 6,000 extras.

Senator Taft Abandons Fight To Bar Labor's Jurisdictional Strikes

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) Friday abandoned his fight for a labor bill provision that would let private employers seek injunctions against jurisdictional strikes and secondary boycotts.

The chairman of the Republican Policy Committee outlined to a reporter plans to modify the proposal as the Senate got set to vote on the first of four amendments which would add more restrictions on unions to its big labor disputes measure.

The amendment up for decision would forbid union coercion of workers in selecting their collective bargaining representatives. GCP leaders expect it will be adopted by a "comfortable" margin.

Taft yielded to opposition in his own party in deciding to forego an attempt to permit private employers to file for injunctions. Among others, Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) made it clear that he would not support such an amendment.

While debate on the bill went slowly ahead, Senator Myers (D-Pa) told the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor that although he wants to help unions in what he called their "back-to-the-wall" fight, "the people of this country, including many in organized labor, are sore at too many things which have been done in labor's name." He added: "To a large extent, it's labor's fault."

GO TO DALLAS

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NEW PROSPECTOR IS TO BE DRILLED IN EAST WINKLER

Stanford Oil & Gas Company and Shell have filed an application with the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to start drilling at once on their No. 1-E R. A. Wheeler, as a 9,600-foot exploration on the east side of the Wheeler field in East Winkler County.

It will be 650 feet from north and east lines of section 18, block B-7, psi survey, and is one-quarter of a mile south and the same distance west of completed oil wells in the Wheeler field.

POSTAL SAVINGS ARE \$16,595

Postal savings deposits at the Midland post office during April totaled \$16,959, which compares with \$21,297 during March. This does not mean that there was a decrease in the total amount, N. G. Oates, acting postmaster announced, because \$17,913 was paid out of the savings deposits in March while only \$9,284 were paid out in April.

VISITORS IN MIDLAND

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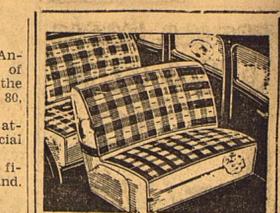
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National Flower Show Judge Speaks At Meeting Of Midland Garden Club

Mrs. Alfred McKnight of Fort Worth, a national flower show judge and pioneer exponent of the art of flower arranging, was the guest speaker Thursday for the meeting of the Midland Garden Club in the Country Club.

Using flowers grown principally in Midland yards, Mrs. McKnight presented illustrations in flower arrangements and discussed "The Importance of Flower Arrangements in the House".

She pointed out the differences in arranging flowers for a show and for the home, saying "Dare to dare when arranging flowers for the home; do anything you want to; use the colors that make you happy".

The greatest fault in flower arranging by everybody today is using too many flowers in one container, according to Mrs. McKnight.

Rules Discussed
Included in the rules for arranging flowers which Mrs. McKnight discussed, were: "decide before you make the arrangement where you are going to place it, take it down and tear it up, trying for perfection; don't let the mechanics show; make accessories a part of the arrangement and keep the lines of the arrangement within the lines of the container".

Mrs. McKnight illustrated arrangements suitable for living rooms, the dining table and for the hall, pointing out the importance of a splash of color for a good impression.

A new idea which Mrs. McKnight illustrated was a two-way arrangement. The dining table was covered with a cloth, half fuchsia and half blue. The arrangement featured the blue arrangement on the fuchsia side of the cloth and the fuchsia flower arrangement on the blue side of the cloth.

With each of her table arrangements Mrs. McKnight used an appropriate table cloth. She showed the possibilities in using feed sacks and ticking to make table cloths.

Mantle, Easter and madonna arrangements were shown.

Members of the Tejas and Yucca Garden Clubs were guests at the meeting.

Present were Mrs. A. L. Repecka, Mrs. Morris C. Milton, Mrs. Edmund Borys, Mrs. George Abel, Mrs. Leslie T. Brown, Mrs. Robert L. Clarke, Mrs. Edna F. Lodge, Mrs. L. C. Link, Mrs. J. A. Matthews, Mrs. Vernon B. Bottoms, Mrs. Fay Cool, Mrs. Joe Kogler, Mrs. Hugh P. Osborne, Mrs. Nelson Puett, Mrs. Foy Proctor, Mrs. James D. Martin, Mrs. Arch Clevenger, Mrs. Donald McDougle of Austin; Mrs. Effie Sanders, Mrs. John O. Lucous, Mrs. B. R. Scharbauer, Mrs. Fred W. Coff, Mrs. W. C. Murphy, Mrs. Roy Minear, Mrs. Lamar Lunt, Mrs. Walter Cremin, Mrs. L. G. Lewis, Mrs. J. A. Mascho, Mrs. R. C. Spivey, Mrs. Carl Westlund, Mrs. James T. Smith, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. George S. Corey, Mrs. George J. Byrne, Mrs. W. B. Neely.

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Business, Professional Women's Club Officers Named; Edith Wemple, Young Democrat Speaks

Mrs. O. M. Luton will be installed as the 1947-48 president of the Midland Business and Professional Women's club in a ceremony May 30 in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel. Mrs. Luton has served the club during the past year as president-elect.

Other officers of the club were elected at the May luncheon Thursday. They are Mrs. J. W. Christian, president-elect, Betty Kurpees, vice president; Mrs. Dewey Pope, treasurer and president; Mrs. J. F. Friberg, secretary; Vera McLeroy, parliamentarian.

The newly elected officers also will be installed May 30.

Edith Wemple Speaks
Edith Wemple, national committeewoman of the Young Democrats of Texas, was the guest speaker. She discussed the organization and purposes of the Young Democrats. She explained that the purpose of the organization is to encourage young voters to take an active interest in government and to become acquainted with the candidates.

"There is government and there is politics; there are politicians and there are statesmen. It is our responsibility to be able to distinguish between them," Miss Wemple said in closing.

Miss Wemple is the daughter of Fred Wemple, a member of the Texas Highway Commission. Ernestine Hough, president, directed the meeting. Announcement was made of the panel which Midland B&PW members will conduct for the Kernit Club, May 8 in Kernit, and of the City-County Federation luncheon May 10.

Marguerite Stephenson of Port Arthur was a guest. Others present for the luncheon were Cordelia Taylor, Betty Kurpees, Vera McLeroy, Hester Williams, Mrs. H. C. Hannaford, Mrs. Troy Laxton, Mrs. J. B. McCoy, Fannie Bess Taylor, Mary Louise Rhodes, Nettie Johnson, Dick Looby, Laura Jesse, Mrs. Roy F. Gardner, Mrs. O. M. Luton, Mrs. Nellie Feeler, Flossie Vaughn, Mrs. George B. Christy, Mrs. John W. Christian, Ruth Donnell, Sibyl Sneed, Norma McMillon, T. K. White, Mrs. DeAlva Brewer, Patsy Brewer, Mrs. Bertha Kenney, Mrs. Dewey Pope, Mrs. Iva M. Noyes and Mrs. Kathryn Long.

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Club Members Hear Mrs. Wade Heath Read Mystery Play

Mrs. Wade Heath read "Lady In Danger", a mystery by Max Afford and Alexander Kirkland at the meeting of the Play Reader's Club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Roark was hostess for the meeting in the home of Mrs. Robert Muldrow, 1908 West Holloway Street.

During the business meeting, final plans were made for a seated tea to be Saturday at 3 p. m. in the City-County Auditorium. Mrs. Harvey Herd will read "Born Yesterday".

Present were Mrs. E. H. Barron, Mrs. J. P. Butler, Mrs. DeLo Douglas, Mrs. F. H. Fuhrman, Mrs. Harvey Herd, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, Mrs. Wallace Irwin, Mrs. Carl McAdams, Mrs. Muldrow, Mrs. William Y. Penn, Mrs. Roark, Mrs. Heath, Mrs. W. T. Schneider and a guest, Mrs. W. W. Schneider of Denver Colo.

Texas Women's Clubs Have Golden Jubilee

AUSTIN—(AP)—The Texas Federation of Women's Clubs will observe its Golden Jubilee during its annual state convention at Houston, May 13-15, Mrs. Florence Johnson Scott of Rio Grande City, president, has announced.

Founding of the federation at Waco in 1897 will be commemorated with a pioneer dinner and a program depicting the history of the organization.

Cowden Named To High Knights Templar Office

R. B. Cowden of Midland was elected Eminent Grand Captain General of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Texas, at its 94th conclave in San Angelo this week. Cowden, long prominent in Masonic circles, was elevated from the position of Eminent Grand Senior Warden.

Dallas will be host to the Grand Conclave in 1948.

MOTHER'S DAY FOUNDER OBSERVES 83RD BIRTHDAY
WEST CHESTER, PA. — (AP) — Anna M. Jarvis, the founder of Mother's Day, observed her 83rd birthday quietly Thursday. Blind, deaf and bedridden, Mrs. Jarvis has been at the Marshall Square Sanatorium for four years.

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11:00 a. m.: Preaching.
7:45 p. m.: Preaching.
8:00 p. m.: Thursday: Preaching
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
8:30 p. m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday
8:00 p. m.: Bible Study.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
Fort Worth and Tennessee
Rev. C. B. Hedges, Pastor.
7:15 a. m.: Sunday radio program.
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Preaching service
8:00 p. m.: Preaching service.
8:00 p. m.: Wednesday prayer meeting.

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Father Frank Triggs, Pastor
Rev. Patrick Ryan, O.M.I., Associate Pastor
Sunday Masses.
8:00 a. m.: Low Mass.
11:00 a. m.: High Mass.
7:00 p. m.: Novena.
Station of the Cross, 7:30 p. m. Friday.
Daily Masses 7 a. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Corner North A and Tennessee
J. Woodie Holden, Evangelist
9:00 a. m.: Worship.
10:00 a. m.: Bible Study.
10:50 a. m.: Worship.
6:30 p. m.: Young People's Bible Study.
7:30 p. m.: Evening Worship.
7:30 p. m.: Wednesday, Bible.
3:00 p. m.: Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class.

COTTON FLAT BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. R. E. Cain
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:30 a. m.: Morning Worship and sermon.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Lorraine and Illinois Streets
Rev. Clyde Lindsley, Pastor
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon by the Rev. Clyde Lindsley.
8:30 p. m.: CYP and Children's Endeavor with a social followed by a worship program.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon by the Rev. LeRoy Castle.

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
California and Colorado Streets
J. V. Davis, Minister
10:30 a. m.: Sunday morning service.
7:00 p. m.: Evening service.
7:30 p. m.: Wednesday: Prayer services.
7:30 p. m.: Friday: Young People's Training Program.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
West Texas and North A Street
Rev. Hubert H. Hopper, Pastor
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Preaching and sermon. "When God Cuts Across Our Intentions."
8:00 p. m.: Young People's meeting.
7:45 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon, "A Fundamental Acknowledgment."

THE HOLINESS MISSION
East Pennsylvania and South Terrell
R. S. Jones, Pastor.
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Preaching.
7:45 p. m.: Evening service
Tuesday
8:00 p. m.: Young People's Meeting.
Thursday
8:00 p. m.: Prayer Meeting.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
510 South Baird Street
Rev. Paul H. Cox
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Preaching service.
6:15 p. m.: Christ's Ambassadors.
7:30 p. m.: Evangelistic services.
Wednesday
7:30 p. m.: Midweek services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
300 North Main Street
Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, Pastor
9:45 a. m.: Church School.
6:15 p. m.: Intermediate and senior MYF.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. G. Becker, Pastor
Services in Trinity Episcopal Church at H and Illinois Streets.
2:15 p. m. Sunday School.
3:00 p. m.: Divine Worship.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main Street and Illinois
Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School.
10:55 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon.
6:45 p. m.: Training Union.
8:00 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon.

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Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world" (Titus 2:11, 12).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Through the wholesome chastisements of Love, we are helped onward in the march toward righteousness, peace, and purity, which are the landmarks of Science" (page 323).

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
H and Illinois Streets
Rev. R. J. Snell, Rector.
8:00 a. m.: Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Holy Communion and sermon, "Holy Orders."

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Route 1, Midland.
Rev. Lee Bailey, Pastor
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship.
7:30 p. m.: Training Union
Wednesday 8:00 p. m. Mid Week Prayer Service.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Indiana and Big Spring Streets
Rev. F. W. Rogers, Pastor.
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship.
8:00 p. m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.: Prayer service.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1001 South Main Street
Rev. Fred McPherson, Pastor.
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Preaching Services.
7:00 p. m.: Preaching Services.
Wednesday
8:00 p. m.: Mid-week prayer meeting.
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School and Bible Class.

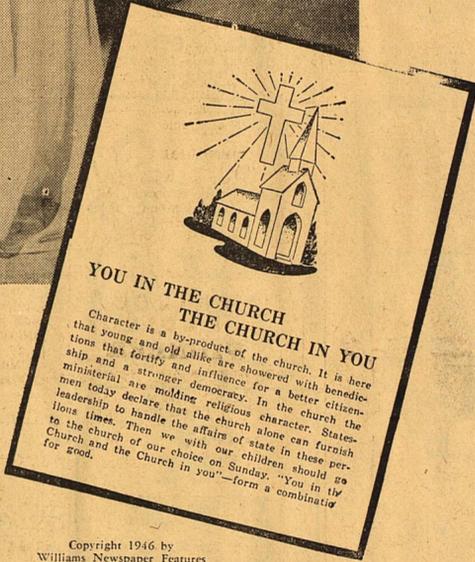
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7:45 p. m.: Tuesday: Young People's meeting.
2:30 p. m.: Wednesday: WMB meeting.
7:45 p. m. Thursday: Preaching services.

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RETURN ENGAGEMENT

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THE STORY: Sophie comes upon Godfrey trying to make love to Bridget, the maid. She apologizes to Bridget for Godfrey's behavior and tells her it will never happen again.

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WHEN she returned to the drawing room Godfrey was still sitting there alone, waiting for tea-time. She walked in without a word of greeting and sat down. Godfrey cleared his throat. "Don't discharge the woman, Sophie," he said. "She—she lost her head on finding herself in the same room with Godfrey Mansbridge. A natural enough reaction for a person unused to celebrities."
Sophie raised a weary hand. "Oh, stop it, Godfrey. You're only making yourself ridiculous." "I, my dear?" "It's stupid of me to mind, isn't it? I don't know why I let myself care how you behave."
"Sophie, I can assure you it meant nothing. It was absolutely meaningless."
"Don't you suppose I know that by now? It's always been meaningless to you."
The room was very still for a minute as they both allowed the past to envelop them in silence. It was Godfrey who spoke first. "Well," he said, his tone almost jocular, "I'm glad you can be more sensible about it now, my dear."
She smiled sadly, still looking back. "I wasn't always, was I? After our baby was born, when Julie divorced you, I was foolish enough to expect you to marry me."
"Come, come, Sophie, you rushed straight off into the arms of Vasilov. At the time I was cut up about it, I can tell you."
"Just a second! Your chronology is out of order. If you remember, you married your society queen five years before I ever laid eyes on Basil Vasilov." She clasped

SOPHIE sat without speaking for a few moments. How would it be possible to explain to Godfrey what Max had meant to her? She moved across the room, settling herself more comfortably, arranging her skirts to the best advantage. "Godfrey, I'd like you to understand once and for all why I married Max. Basil and I were together for five years—and they were happy years. After that I retired, as you know, except for my three farewell-appearance tours."
"Well, then our daughter married Frank Jenkins and I was alone. I hadn't even my career any more. When Max Bernheim came along, I hesitated to marry. It seemed unfair to marry outside the profession, and then there was—I felt—"

"I felt—" She waited, unwilling to admit what had been her real reason, which was the feeling that she belonged to Godfrey, should never really marry another. "Never mind. I accepted Max. I liked him. He was one of the nicest men I have ever known. Truly sympathetic. We were supremely happy. And then when Vicky needed me she had a home to come to. Max was like a grandfather to her." Sophie dropped her voice until it was almost a whisper. "She never knew, of course, and doesn't now, that you are her grandfather."

They heard Sir Charles's dignified and ponderous step approaching along the hall. He came into view. "They are coming, Madame," he announced, pulling on his white gloves and straightening his tie.
Sophie swept her draperies into place and prepared to greet the guests. "As soon as you have announced them, Sir Charles, please ask the others to come down. Now, Godfrey, for Vicky's sake—do try to behave yourself."
Godfrey, settling himself into a position where his left profile was reflected in a mirror, pulled his sleeves down over his cuffs and made no reply.
They waited for the sound of the doorbell.
(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority
Written for NEA Service

Expert players use the suit-directing play to good advantage, but they do not abuse it. In today's hand, for example, if South were using the suit preference play he would open the deuce of hearts. West would win with the ace and lead a spade. And even though North went in with the ace, do you think he would lead a club?
South had bid diamonds and hearts, so first of all North would try to cash his heart trick and then get in a diamond trick.
I saw a very interesting defense on this hand. South, who had bid hearts and diamonds, opened the ace of diamonds. Of course from the ace-king, the king should be opened, so the play of the ace denied the king.
Next he led the jack of hearts. After all, he did not know that his partner held the king and queen of hearts. Dummy won and played

Hand diagram showing cards and scores:

♠ A 9	♥ K Q 6	♦ 10 8 7 6 3	♣ 8 7 3
♠ 8 6 5	♥ A 10 3	♦ 9 4	♣ K Q 10 6 5
♠ K Q J 10	♥ 7 4	♦ 2	♣ A J 9 4 2
♠ 7 4 2	♥ J 9 8 5 2	♦ A K Q J 5	♣ None

Tournament—Neither vul.
South West North East
1♥ 2♣ 3♦ 4♠ 5

a spade. North correctly went up with the ace of spades and then he stopped to think. Certainly his partner, who had cashed the ace of diamonds, did not want a diamond lead back. Should he cash the queen of hearts? Feeling that there was something "phony" about the whole thing, North led back the eight of clubs. South ruffed, returned another heart, and another club was ruffed. Thus North and South took a spade, a heart, a diamond and two ruffs, defeating the contract two tricks.
At most of the tables the king of diamonds was opened, and even though South shifted to the deuce of hearts, this was won in dummy and when a spade was led, North made the mistake of playing the small spade. Declarer won and led another spade. North was in the lead and made the further mistake of leading a diamond. Declarer ruffed and lost only a spade, a heart and a diamond.

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GADFREY, TH' BOYS SURE DID A GOOD JOB SETTIN' THIS SHIP A-FIRE!

YEH, AND IF WE DON'T GET OFF BEFORE THE MAGAZINES GO, I'LL TAKE MORE WORNUGS TIME-MACHINE TO GET US HOME AGAIN!

YOU AINT KIDDIN'! ONLY I STILL CAN'T FIGGER HOW WE'RE GONNA GET INSIDE TRIPOLI!

OH, ONE WAY OR ANOTHER—SOMETHING'LL COME UP!

RED RYDER

—By FRED HARMAN

UGH! STONE COME OUT! NOW WE GET AWAY FROM BAD BUNCEWEED GANGS, YOU BETCHUN!

WHAT ARE WE GONNA DO NOW, MOOSE?

WE'LL TAKE CARE OF LITTLE DENVER FIRST, THEN WE'LL GET EVEN WITH RYDER AND COLLECT THIS GALS' RANSOM OURSELVES!

VIC FLINT

—By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

SO THAT'S BATTLE DENVER, DOESN'T LOOK LIKE A PUG—NOT A MARK ON HIM. WHO'S THE GIRL?

I HAVE NO IDEA, BUT HE CERTAINLY HAS A BAD CASE, DID YOU NOTICE THAT DYING CALF EXPRESSION WHEN HE LOOKED AT HER?

Cross town a talk was taking place that was to prolong my stay in New York.

OKAY, NIFTY FELIX, WE'RE ALONE. LET'S HEAR WHAT YOU GOT ON YOUR MIND THAT HAD TO BE SAID IN PRIVATE.

YEAH, NIFTY, GANSON AND ME WERE TALKIN' ABOUT DENVER'S CHANCES AGAINST THE CHAMP. REMEMBER?

SURE, ED, GANSON SAID HE WOULDN'T CONSIDER A HEAVY BET ON EITHER FIGHTER AS A GOOD INVESTMENT.

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6:45 HI NEIGHBOR
7:00 EVENING MELODIES
7:30 THIS IS YOUR FBI
8:00 BREAK THE BANK
8:30 THE SHERIFF
8:55 CHAMPION ROLL CALL
9:00 GILLETTE FIGHTS
9:30 NEWS OF TOMORROW
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6:30 A & M FARM REVIEW
7:00 MUSICAL CLOCK
7:30 ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS
7:45 MUSICAL MOODS
8:00 WAKE-UP-AND-SMILE
8:30 YOUR HOME BEAUTIFUL
8:55 MORNING NEWS
9:00 JUNIOR JUNCTION
9:30 DR. CARLSON'S PROGRAM
10:00 KRIGER'S CHILDREN'S HOUR
10:30 MORNING RENDEZVOUS
11:00 COMMUNITY PARTY
11:30 CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
11:45 MAN ON THE STREET
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12:15 ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS
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1:00 HOT TOWN SPEARS
1:30 HILL TOPPERS
1:45 THIS IS FOR YOU
2:00 MUSIC FIELD & TRACK MEET
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2:50 JIMMY BLAIR
3:15 CHITTY TRIO
3:30 HARRY WISNER—SPORTS
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4:00 DINNER-DANCE TIME
4:15 SONG SPINNERS
4:30 MUSIC LIBRARY
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6:00 MURDER AND MR. MALONE
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6:45 CONCERT HALL—THE AIR
7:00 NEWS OF TOMORROW
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Cards' Pitchers Are Tossing Too Many Homer Balls

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer

Shed a tear for "Sad Sam" Bredon who flew from St. Louis to "ped up" his world champion Cardinals and arrived in time to watch them stumble through an eight-straight loss on a homer by New York's Johnny Mize.

Mize, an old hired hand whom Bredon peddled to the Giants for \$50,000 and three players over five years ago, put the finger on the Cards' early season trouble with one full swing of his war club. The Red Bird pitchers are throwing 100 more home run balls. No less than 14 homers have been clouted off the Red Bird staff.

Coming up Thursday with a man on and the Giants trailing by one in the seventh, Mize hammered a Ken Burkhardt "shot put" delivery against the right field barrier, to give the Giants a 6-5 decision.

The Dodgers routed Bob Chipman with a three-run second inning and went on from there for a 5-2 victory over Chicago.

While St. Louis fans mourned the Cards' misfortunes, the Browns gave them something to cheer about with a 20-hit attack and a 14-5 rout of Washington. Following on the heels of a 15-5 romp over the Yankees, the Browns boosted themselves to the .500 level, only one game out of first place.

Rain washed out the New York at Chicago and Philadelphia at Detroit tilts in the American and postponed the Pittsburgh at Philadelphia and Cincinnati at Boston games in the National. Boston and Cleveland were not scheduled.

Father Of Kermit Man Is Buried At Coleman

KERMIT—Funeral services were held at Coleman, April 28, for Elias Briggs, 76, a retired rancher, and father of C. L. Briggs of Kermit, who died at the home of a son in Coleman.

Survivors include his widow; six sons, C. L. of Kermit, T. A. of Breckenridge, L. E. of Burket, R. L. and A. M., both of Coleman, and W. P. Briggs of Austin; three daughters, Mrs. S. P. Sutton and Mrs. Ruth Crowder, both of California, and Mrs. Hattie Slack of Mozelle; two brothers, A. Briggs of Coleman and T. A. Briggs of Cain City.

ATTEND SCOUT FESTIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bissell and Mrs. J. C. Rinker attended the Kermit Girl Scout May Day festival in Kermit Thursday evening.

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Broncs, Tribe, Oilers, Take League Tilts

By The Associated Press

Big Spring chalked up its sixth straight win Thursday night, soundly trouncing Sweetwater, 15-8. The Broncs now hold a two-game lead over Odessa.

Odessa jumped a place on the strength of a 9-6 victory over Vernon.

Ernie Nelson, Midland southpaw, was the pitching hero of the night. He struck out 18 men and gave up five scattered hits in hurling his team to a 10-4 victory over Ballinger.

Public Invited To 'Gymboree'

A first annual "Gymboree" will be held at the Midland High School gymnasium at 8 p. m. Friday.

Physical education departments of Midland, Odessa, Big Spring and Kermit high schools will participate.

A feature program will be presented, including ring games, tumbling, and other phases of physical education.

The public is invited. Admission will be charged. The gym will be decorated in colors of the four schools.

Bet Horses Know Where They Will Be Sleeping

LOUISVILLE—(P)—Louisville's population was increasing by thousands Friday as Kentucky Derby fans flocked to this Ohio River city from points north, south, east and west.

Just to give you an idea of the bedlam that is Louisville on Derby Day, Kentucky's National Guard of 1,200 officers and men have been assigned here to help police the awe-inspiring crowd.

Not only that, but Police Chief Carl E. Heustis has marked for Derby use 262 members of his department.

The crowd already is beginning to tax hotel and rooming house facilities and no one knows where all the visitors are going to sleep if they spend Saturday night here.

Notables among the many expected include Ann Sheridan, Eddie Rickenbacker, Big Jim Farley, Lord Halifax, Robert Taylor and Barbara Stanwyck, Jinx Falkenberg, Mrs. Elizabeth Arden Graham, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Whitney, Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal, Attorney General Tom Clark, French Ambassador Henri Bonnet, General Jonathan Wainwright, and Mrs. Anthony Eden, wife of Britain's former foreign secretary.

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Agency Funds Available In Senate-Passed Bill

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Senate completed legislative action Thursday on a \$2,330,000,000 appropriation bill providing funds for a score of government agencies—and money to resume past-due educational allowance payments to veterans.

The bill, supplying money for the remainder of the fiscal year which ends June 30, now goes to President Truman.

Major items in the measure include \$1,800,000,000 for the Veterans Administration, \$465,000,000 for army pay, and \$135,000,000 for grants to the states under the social security program for aid to the aged, children and the blind.

Because the bill had not been passed, the Veterans' Administration was unable to send month-end checks to veterans drawing unemployment compensation or attending college and getting subsistence allowances.

Crane News

CRANE—Funeral services were to be held in San Angelo Friday afternoon for Daniel Irvin Karr, 56, who died Thursday in a San Angelo hospital.

He was a brother of J. R. Karr of Crane.

He had been employed at the San Angelo post office more than 20 years, and served in the Navy during World War I.

Survivors include the widow; four brothers, J. R. Crane, J. L. of Spur, J. H. of Fort Worth, and R. E. of Crosbyton; and three sisters, Mrs. L. E. Mabe of Levelland, Mrs. Carrie Clements of Perryton, and Mrs. C. H. McBride of Hazel.

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Rocky Ford Beats Shell

Rocky Ford beat Shell Oil, 13 to 12, in an exhibition softball game Thursday night in the new Midland Softball park.

The Rocks rallied in the seventh inning to win the tilt, which was revenge for a recent loss to the Oilers.

Dowell Incorporated plays the JayCees at 7:30 p. m. Friday and Joe Roberson Sinclair takes on Mackey Motors at 9 p. m.

League play opens next Monday night.

Rocky Ford and Mackey Motors tentatively are scheduled for the curtain-raiser at 7:30 p. m. Saturday to the Dowell-Monahans Coke game at 8:45 p. m.

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Indians Beat Cats; Nelson Whiffs 18

Left-handed Ernie Nelson struck out 18 batters here Thursday night enabling the Midland Indians to win a Longhorn League baseball game, 10 to 4, over Ballinger's Cats.

Nelson was really throwing. The little man with an arm like a whip was never in danger. He scattered the six hits he gave Ballinger.

Midland's Indians go right down to business and in the third frame garnered five runs on a seven-hit attack. They picked up three more in the fifth and two in the seventh.

Visiting Ballinger and Midland play the second game of a series at 8 p. m. Friday night.

Eddie Mellillo, Indian shortstop, got three safeties in four trips. Also hitting well for Midland were Nelson, the pitcher, who got two for four, and Arnold Davis, center-fielder, who got two for four, including a triple.

Harold Webb, Midland manager, stole home in the fifth stanza.

The boxscore:

BALLINGER					
Player	AB	R	H	O	A
L. Geiger, ss	5	1	0	0	2
McClain, 2b	5	0	0	5	1
Williams, cf	5	1	3	4	0
F. Geiger, 3b	5	1	1	1	2
Stringfield, 1b	5	0	2	5	0
Brawley, lf	2	0	0	2	0
Hutto, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Allinder, c	3	1	0	7	0
Gage, p	1	0	0	0	0
York, p	1	0	0	0	0
Sutor, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	4	6	24	5

MIDLAND					
Player	AB	R	H	O	A
H. Mellillo, 2b	6	1	1	2	2
E. Mellillo, ss	4	3	3	0	2
Davis, cf	4	2	2	0	0
Ramsdall, lf	4	1	1	0	0
McAlexander, 3b	4	0	2	0	1
Nipp, rf	4	0	1	1	0
Webb, c	5	1	2	18	0
Petree, 1b	3	0	0	6	0
Nelson, p	4	2	2	0	2
Totals	38	10	14	27	7

Line score:
 Ballinger 000 020 200—4
 Midland 005 030 20x—10
 Errors—L. Geiger 2, F. Geiger, H. Mellillo, E. Mellillo, McAlexander, Webb. Runs batted in—F. Geiger, E. Mellillo, Davis, Ramsdall, McAlexander 2, Nipp 2. Two-base hits—Williams 2, E. Mellillo, Webb. Three-base hits—Davis. Double plays—Geiger to McClain to Stringfield. Left on bases—Ballinger 9, Midland 12. Bases on balls—Gage 2, York 5, Nelson 7. Strike outs—York 1, Hutto 4, Nelson 18. Hits off—Gage 7, York 2, Hutto 5, Nelson 6. Sacrifices—Petree. Losing pitcher—Gage. Umpires—Gigliello and Dinnen. Time—2:30.

American League			
City	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	6	4	.600
New York	7	5	.583
Detroit	6	6	.500
Boston	6	6	.500
St. Louis	6	6	.500
Cleveland	5	5	.500
Washington	4	6	.400
Philadelphia	4	6	.400

Bulldogs Are High In League

The Midland-Lamesa High School baseball game was announced to be played Friday night in the Lamesa park.

By virtue of two successive wins over Odessa and Big Spring, the Bulldogs are in second place in the 10-AA standing.

They are just ahead of Lamesa and the battle Friday night will decide which will hold second place. Abilene is out in front and is undefeated.

The 10-AA standing (before Friday games):			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Abilene	5	0	1.000
Midland	3	2	.600
Lamesa	2	2	.500
San Angelo	2	2	.500
Big Spring	2	3	.400
Odessa	2	3	.400
Sweetwater	0	4	.000

THURSDAY'S RESULTS
 West Texas-New Mexico League
 Abilene 19, Borger 12.
 Lubbock 11, Albuquerque 13.
 Pampa 10, Clovis 7.
 Lamesa 7, Amarillo 16.

Longhorn League
 Sweetwater 8, Big Spring 16.
 Odessa 9, Vernon 6.
 Ballinger 4, Midland 10.

Texas League
 Fort Worth 3, Shreveport 5.
 Oklahoma City 2, Houston 3.
 Dallas 8, Beaumont 1.
 Tulsa-San Antonio, postponed, delay in travel.
 National League
 St. Louis 5, New York 6.
 Chicago 2, Brooklyn 5.
 Cincinnati-Boston, postponed, rain.
 Pittsburgh-Philadelphia, postponed, rain.
 American League
 Washington 5, St. Louis 14.
 New York-Chicago, postponed, rain.
 Philadelphia-Detroit, postponed, rain.

THE STANDINGS			
West Texas-New Mexico League			
City	W	L	Pct.
Lubbock	8	1	.889
Amarillo	7	1	.875
Abilene	5	3	.625
Pampa	4	3	.571
Lamesa	4	5	.444
Albuquerque	3	6	.333
Borger	2	6	.250
Clovis	0	8	.000

Longhorn League			
City	W	L	Pct.
Big Spring	6	1	.857
Odessa	4	3	.571
Sweetwater	4	4	.500
Midland	3	4	.429
Vernon	3	5	.375
Ballinger	1	5	.167

Texas League			
City	W	L	Pct.
San Antonio	12	6	.637
Fort Worth	9	5	.643
Oklahoma City	9	8	.529
Shreveport	11	10	.524
Beaumont	9	10	.474
Houston	7	11	.389
Dallas	6	12	.316
Tulsa	6	13	.316

National League			
City	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	9	3	.750
Pittsburgh	8	5	.615
Chicago	8	6	.571
Boston	7	5	.583
Cincinnati	7	8	.467
Philadelphia	6	8	.429
Philadelphia	5	7	.417
St. Louis	2	10	.167

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LAYNE WINS 21ST

By The Associated Press
 Bobby Layne racked up his 21st Southwest conference victory in three years Thursday, an 8-6 affair over Rice, but received a healthy assist from Charles Tankersley and his University of Texas playmates. Tankersley took over pitching chores in the sixth inning when Layne was removed for a pinchhitter.

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The public, one and all, is invited.

Base Hits Ring Out In Texas League; Missions Get Free Ride To First

By The Associated Press
 Base hits bloomed in May in the Texas League Thursday night, 53 of them rattling off 11 pitchers.

When the barrage was over, San Antonio was on top of the standings, Beaumont was finally ousted from fourth place and Oklahoma City and Fort Worth were still perched in the first division. The newcomer was Shreveport.

The scores: Shreveport 5, Fort Worth 3; Dallas 8, Beaumont 1; Houston 3, Oklahoma City 2. Tulsa didn't get to San Antonio in time to play its afternoon game with the Missions.

The free-ride San Antonio got into first left it with a comfortable two-game margin over Fort Worth, which couldn't defeat Shreveport, even with Ed Head on the mound.

Ivory from hippopotamus tusks is more valuable than that from elephant tusks.

Dowell Vs. Monahans

Dowell Chemical, one of Midland's best softball teams, will play Monahans Coca-Cola at 8:45 p. m. Saturday in the new Midland Softball Park.

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