

# PLAY IN SPRING GOLF TOURNAMENT OPENS HERE SUNDAY

## MANY PRIZES TO BE GIVEN

Seventy-Two of Leading Valley Golfers Entered

Assignment of the 16 prizes to be given to winners in various flights of the second annual Valley spring golf championship tournament was made by the local golf committee Saturday.

The 72 golfers entered in the tournament will tee off at 8:30 Sunday morning at the local course. The first round of match play will be completed in the morning, and the second round will be played in the afternoon.

The prizes were assigned as follows: Championship flight; the medalist meal ticket at White Kitchen, won by Charles Puckett; winner, loving cup donated by golfers here and Alfonso Escalante; runner-up, hat donated by J. C. Penney Co.; winner of consolation flight, mirror donated by Edelstein's.

First flight—winner, golf shoes donated by The Fashion; runner-up, hat donated by Escalante; consolation winner, golf bag donated by Waffle Shop; winner of consolation flight, photographs donated by Rogers Studio.

Second flight—winner, golf balls donated by Pipkin-Manske Co.; runner-up, one year's subscription, donated by The Brownsville Herald; consolation winner, book-ends donated by Alamo Iron Works.

Third flight—winner, golf equipment donated by Aziz Bros.; runner-up, \$5 in merchandise donated by Dorfman's Jewelry store; consolation winner, book-ends donated by Alamo Iron Works.

Fourth flight—winner, golf equipment donated by Bollock's; runner-up, hat donated by Manuottoli's; consolation winner, golf equipment donated by Eagle Pass number Co.

Some changes in the pairings were made by the committee Saturday, in view of belated entries, and the dropping out of several persons.

Jim Augenbitch will play in the Championship flight; winner, Alfonso Escalante. He replaces Fred Adkins who will not be here.

W. B. Walton will play in the second flight instead of the third, as will G. C. Richardson, while John Pipkin and H. D. Defiel will play in the third flight.

## Wrestling Card Slated Monday

Jack McCarthy, who took the measure of Earl Smith here last week, is to collide with Ramon Macias, Mexico City husky, in the main event of a wrestling card to be held at the VFW wrestling arena here Monday night.

McCarthy manhandled Smith in winning the main event last week. Smith took one fall from him, but it was so sudden that McCarthy did not want to have it counted, maintaining that he had been "city slicked."

Macias, a big favorite with the cheerleaders, drew with Nore Jeriston in the 45-minute bout last week. The week before he took two straight falls from Tuffy Watson.

The semi-final will bring together two old Brownsville favorites—Dad Pan Dobie Osborn and "Wildcat" Reynolds. These are two colorful performers who are fresh from the big city circuit.

The O'Neil has been out of Valley since his wedding about a year ago.

## Giants Defeated

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 7.—(AP)—The Nashville "Vols." farm team of the New York Giants, Saturday put an end to the New York Yankees exhibition game winning streak, defeating the American League, 5 to 4.

It was the Yanks' first defeat in eight games, and the Southern Association team's victory also terminated the 16-game hitting streak of Red Rolfe, who struck out twice, received one pass and got on base once via an error.

Score: New York (A) 021 010 000—4 10 0 Nashville (SA) 000 210 000—5 8 2

## Hager Heads C. C.

(Special to The Herald) MERCEDES, April 7.—H. E. Hager was elected president of the Mercedes Chapter of the Commerce Club at an organization meeting Friday.

Ty Cobb was elected vice president and Robert Miller treasurer. Present at the meeting were the following directors appointed several months ago by the city council: L. S. Boling, Oscar Dube, L. S. Adams, E. Tolson, J. C. Bauer, H. E. Hager, Ty Cobb, Richard Bailey and F. M. Corey of Progress.

# Stoefen and Allison Meet in Houston Tennis Finals

## Elks and Eagles to Open Baseball Season Monday

With six teams and 80 players on the dotted line, the Brownsville Playground Baseball league will run up the curtain on the new season Monday night with the Elks, defending champions, crossing bats with the Eagles, one of the strongest clubs in the new circuit.

The contest, a nine-inning affair to get under way at 7:30 p. m., is expected to attract a large gathering of fans.

The league is expected to be somewhat faster in view of the fact that four clubs have dropped from the circuit and the best players from these clubs have been signed by other aggregations.

The use of "short fielders," utility 10th man on the field, has been sanctioned and this also is expected to make toward faster playing, according to Prexy O. D. Deputy.

Single nine-inning games, rather than seven-inning double-headers, will be played on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights under the new arrangements.

The team rosters are as follows:

**Elks**  
H. White, F. E. Swan, Fred Pilgrim, John Puckett, Dave Wood, Fred Ball, Fred Wright, Sam Lesser, Jack Wynn, Hurst, Bassell, L. K. Maxey, H. L. Harrison, Dr. H. C. Sample, Lt. W. J. Dunn and R. W. Sutherland.

**Eagles**  
Geo. McGonigle, Jr., Ed. Enns, Homer Hanna, Ford Lockett, Joe Richards, Paul Hougltinge, E. C. Hunter, Leonard Gokke, Bob Green, Santos Ceyanes, Ben Gambrell, Chas. Bracht.

**Pan-American**  
G. E. Lauver, M. Garza, E. Hartman, T. E. Griffin, A. Garcia, R. Cruhan, A. Perez, K. Clark, D. Martin, M. Flores, P. H. Lindhorn, C. Garcia, W. F. Godwin.

**Athletic Club**  
Wm. Scanlan, Franklin Graham, Burnell Goodrich, J. L. George, Wm. Ball, E. Sewell, Robert O'Brien, Joe Putegnat, Sid Eidanor, Robert Graham, L. M. Faulk.

**Kiwanis**  
Robin Paik, Linton Smith, J. D. Ireland, Frank Critz, Travis Jennings, Walter Galloway, Bart Hinkley, Jr., Dr. Chas. Calderoni, Chas. Puckett, M. W. Knight, Maurice Pipkin, Dr. G. Langner, J. P. Glenn and C. G. Bennett.

**Veterans**  
G. Cortinas, W. Szpinski, R. G. Wagner, C. L. Sage, H. Allen, John Hulme, Victor Egly, P. M. Norwood, Frank L. Dedita, Phippen, Walter Lawley, Rudolph Knapp, J. L. Clear, C. J. Williams and F. A. Powell.

The first half schedule:  
March 9—Elks vs. Eagles.  
March 11—Kiwanis vs. Pan-American.

March 13—Veterans vs. Athletic Club.  
March 15—Eagles vs. Kiwanis.  
March 18—Pan-American vs. Vets.  
March 20—Elks vs. Athletic Club.  
March 23—Kiwanis vs. Vets.  
March 25—Athletic Club vs. Eagles.

March 27—Elks vs. Pan-American.  
March 30—Kiwanis vs. Athletic Club.  
May 2—Eagles vs. Pan-American.  
May 4—Elks vs. Veterans.  
May 7—Pan-American vs. Athletic Club.  
May 9—Eagles vs. Veterans.  
May 11—Elks vs. Athletic Club.

## Fight Results

HARLINGEN.—Carlos Garcia, 138, San Antonio, knocked out Dick Wymore, 126, La Feria, in the third round after a miserable showing. Garcia, a good boy who beat Barney Ross in 1930, spent the three rounds trying to straighten Gonzalez up out of a come-crouch with upercuts.

The sport ever introduced into the popular and crowds of 1,000 to 2,000 fans were not uncommon at important games. Players and teams finance the leagues, no admission being charged spectators.

Originally granted a 16-day meet, the officials of Alamo Downs have announced the extension of this to 18 days with the addition of two dates originally given to a Guadalupe county group. The San Antonio inaugural meet will open on Monday, April 23 and close on Saturday, May 12. Immediately following this meeting, a nine-day event on the half mile track at Seguin Fair Grounds is scheduled, and will be operated by Alamo Downs at the request of Seguin officials, headed by Mayor Max Starcke.

Edinburg Netters Beat U. T. Freshmen (Special to The Herald) AUSTIN, April 7.—The Edinburg Junior college Broncs defeated the University of Freshmen tennis team two straight matches here Saturday and were winning a third match when it was halted by rain.

Ivy Lee Doty defeated Retch-nagle 6-1, 6-3, and S. W. Patrick downed Coster 6-1, 4-6, 6-1. Rain halted the matches and play was resumed in the Gregory gymnasium.

The doubles match was stopped after the first set in order to prepare the gymnasium for a show. The matches planned for Friday with the San Antonio Junior College were rained out.

The Edinburg debate team, which accompanied the tennis squad here, was runner-up to San Antonio Junior college in a district meet.

## Balkline Title Won By Cochran

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The playoff brought the fastest billiards of the tournament. It was started off with a 217 run in the opening inning by the winner. That was his best for the game, but he had an unfinished run of 80 in the final frame.

## TEXAN FACES TOUGH TEST

Allison and Lott to Play Stoefen and Grant in Doubles

HOUSTON, April 7.—(AP)—Lester Stoefen of Los Angeles, national indoor champion, and Wilmer Allison of Austin, Davis Cup singles player last year, Saturday blasted their way to the finals of the annual River Oaks tennis tournament.

Stoefen outplayed Bryan "Betsy" Grant, tiny Atlanta, 6-1, 4-6, 6-2, and 6-3. Allison completed his victory over George Lott of Chicago, Davis Cup doubles veteran, by winning a love set. The scores were 7-5, 14-12, 3-6, 6-0. Darkness interrupted the match Friday night after three sets had consumed two and a half hours.

Of the two victors, Stoefen had the easier sledding in the semifinals.

Allison was seeded Number 1 and Stoefen Number 2 but the Californian had been coming up fast the past few weeks and a defeat for Allison could hardly be called an upset.

Mrs. Mary Greer Harris of Kansas City and Jane Sharp of Los Angeles won the women's doubles championship, defeating Eugenie Sampson of Chicago, and Kathryn Pearson of Houston, 6-2, 6-2. The singles titlist will be decided Sunday with Miss Sharp meeting Miss Sampson.

Allison and Lott, who may form the Davis Cup doubles combination this year, will play Stoefen and Grant in the men's doubles final. Allison and Lott toyed with Brady and Smalley, University of Texas combination, winning 6-0, 6-0. Stoefen and Grant downed Gilbert Hall, Edinburg, 7-5, 7-5, in the other semi-final.

Any sportsman, tackle dealer, or guide wishing a pair of the clinchers can secure them from the Salt Lake Stamp Co. The retail price is \$2.50, but the company has offered to supply the Valley at \$2 a pair. The tags cost 6 1-4 cents each and can be secured from Dr. Hockaday at Port Isabel.

**ALL STARS VICTORS**  
The "All-Stars," a group of former high school boys, defeated the St. Joseph's Academy playground ball team 12-1 Friday afternoon on the Academy grounds.

Two Mission leagues, known as the Grapefruit and Orange leagues, expect to start their playing schedules about April 15. The leagues will be sponsored again this year by the Young Men's Business league, which provided silver loving cups last year for winners in each bracket.

In addition to these cities, night play will probably be held in Pharr, San Juan, Weslaco and Edcouch, all of which reported city leagues last year. These cities, also, are equipped with floodlight diamonds for night games.

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## Lions, Kiwanis And Oilers Win

(Special to The Herald) SAN BENITO, April 7.—Lions, Kiwanis and Oilers were leaders in the playground baseball league at the end of the first round.

The opening game of the new season was one of the most important if pre-season dope means anything. The Lions won from the Federal-Police team 10 to 9 in a real scorcher of a game. Each team is regarded as having excellent chances at the championship.

The Kiwanis Club was almost ready to buy advertising space Wednesday to tell the world it had won a ball game. The Kiwanians whipped their fellow service club, the Rotarians, ears down by 21 to 6, Tuesday night.

Third game of the week saw the Oilers defeat the Merchants by 13 to 12 in another close contest Thursday night. The Merchants scored five runs in the ninth but fell one inning short of tying the score. Nine of the first games are being played this year and only one tilt is on the program each night. The diamond also has been considerably improved.

Monday night the Kiwanians will play the Merchants, Tuesday night the Lions meet the Oilers and Thursday night the Rotarians and Federal-Police will try to keep each other in the cellar.

Standings:  
Team— W. L. Pct.  
Lions ..... 1 0 1.000  
Kiwanis ..... 1 0 1.000  
Oilers ..... 1 0 1.000  
Federal-Police ..... 0 1 0.000  
Rotary ..... 0 1 0.000  
Merchants ..... 0 1 0.000

## MACK SIGNED IN S. A.

SAN ANTONIO, April 7.—Richie Mack, who has been going strong over the state, is to fight in the main event of a card to be held by the Elks Club here Tuesday night. His opponent has not been named. The semi-final pits Bill McDowell against Del Hawkins.

## Valleyites to Tag Tarpons As Aid in Studies of Migrations

PORT ISABEL, April 7.—The tarpon which are hooked and landed, but not killed, in the Valley tarpon rodeo, August 8 to 12, are going to be made to serve the cause of science in helping to find out more about the habits of this fish, according to Dr. J. A. Hockaday of Port Isabel, chairman of the fishing rodeo committee.

A supply of two hundred stainless steel tags and five pair of clinch-ers have been received by Dr. Hockaday to be used in tagging of tarpon this season.

These tags have been specially designed through the cooperation of the Salt Lake Stamp company of Salt Lake City, Utah. Each tag bears a number on one side from 200 and on the other of the lettering U. S. B. F. for United States Bureau of Fisheries.

They are designed to attach to the gill cover of the tarpon by means of the special pair of clinchers and when attached will penetrate the bony structure and the other end detached. The metal is resistant to the corrosive action of salt water and should remain attached during the life of the fish.

The tags with clinchers will be distributed among the fishing guides and tackle dealers of the Valley. Each sportsman who fishes at Port Isabel this season is urged to carry with him a supply of tags and a pair of clinchers, and is asked to tag and release tarpon that he does not keep for mounting or other purposes.

Before being released, the tarpon must be measured, the number of the tag noted, and the date, by whom caught, etc., and all this information should be forwarded to the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries, Washington, D. C., where it will become a matter of record for the future study of the migratory habits of the tarpon.

An effort will be made to secure the cooperation of other fishing points along the Gulf coast from Tampico to Florida in this work. While reasonable amount of time, not less than 1,000 tarpon should be tagged during 1934. Dr. Hockaday believes.

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## Alamo Downs To Open April 23

SAN ANTONIO, April 7.—Alamo Downs, newest member of the horse racing circuit in Texas, will offer one of the most pretentious plants in the state at their grand inaugural meeting, April 23 through May 12.

Located in a natural beauty spot eight miles from San Antonio on the Cuernera road, the racing plant, judging from architect's plans, will probably run second only to the famed Arlington Downs. Work on the track and buildings is progressing at a rapid rate as the contractors rush along on the 24-hour schedule in an effort to have all in readiness for the grand opening.

Listing a one-mile standard track with chutes, a concrete and steel grandstand of the most modern type seating 10,000, a two-story clubhouse of Spanish type architecture and 16 barns of 50 stalls each are a few of the construction tracks at the newest Texas race track.

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# HOOKS SLIDES

## Stuart Does 440 in Extra Fast Time Of 52.8

SAN ANTONIO, April 7.—(AP)—Two records fell as many schools gathered on Edison Field for the third annual Edison high school invitation track and field meet in the rain here Saturday.

Harwood of Rock Springs broke the shot put mark with a "forward pass" of 52 feet 9 inches, surpassing Lester's mark of last year by with an inch of four feet. Stuart of Donna clipped 11 off the 440, going the distance in 52.8.

Edison won the meet by a single point, with 26 points against 25 by Donna's Redskins. George West was third with 15. Rock Springs fourth with 14. Fredericksburg 11 and Lancaster 10 1-2.

Individual ratings, Nance, George West, 15; Harwood, Rock Springs, 13 1-2; Reed, Donna, 8 3-4.

**STUART MAY SET DISTRICT MARK**  
Stuart, by virtue of his run at San Antonio, bids fair to establish a new Valley record in the district meet to be held Saturday at San Benito.

The old district record in the 440 is 53.9, established in 1931 by Glenn of San Benito. Stuart did the 440 in 54.3 to win the event in the Valley Relay Carnival.

The first four games were split even—Stevens and the fifth was regarded as the "crucial" contest. Before the game Mack called Big George and Lefty Grove aside.

"Earnshaw, you start," said Mack. "Give us everything you've got. The series depends on you."

## B Troop Takes Saturday Tilt

B Troop took a 16-11 slugfest from Machine Gun troop at Ft. Brown Saturday in an inter-troop contest which saw a total of 27 hits and as many runs.

Medkiff and Phippen of the winning nine were the leading swat-smiths, getting three bingles each in five trips to the batter's box.

Headquarters defeated A Troop in a previous encounter.

The Saturday score:  
B TROOP AB R H E  
Spezinski, p ..... 4 4 2 1  
Henry, 2b ..... 6 1 2 0  
Medkiff, 3b ..... 5 1 3 0  
Knapp, 3b ..... 5 2 2 0  
Trevino, rf ..... 6 2 2 2  
Pippen, cf ..... 5 2 3 0  
Matthews, lb ..... 4 1 1 0  
Sage, ss ..... 5 2 2 1  
Smith, if ..... 4 1 0 0

Totals ..... 42 15 16 5  
MACHINE GUN AB R H E  
Haley, if ..... 3 1 0 0  
Kilpatrick, if ..... 2 0 0 0  
Sandlin, 3b ..... 4 2 1 0  
Galt, 2b ..... 4 3 2 0  
Norwood, lb ..... 5 1 2 0  
Rivera, c ..... 5 0 1 4  
Powell, c-2b ..... 5 0 0 0  
Anderson, cf ..... 4 2 2 0  
Wyland, p ..... 1 0 0 0  
Waldyke, rf ..... 1 0 0 0  
Williams, rf ..... 4 0 1 0  
Vargas, p ..... 4 2 1 0

Totals ..... 42 11 11 5  
By innings:  
B Troop ..... 215 100 223—16  
Machine Gun ..... 100 153 100—11

Hits: Off Spezinski 11, off Vargas 9 in 3 innings, off Powell 4 in 5 innings, off Wyland 2 in one inning. Struck out: By Spezinski 12, by Vargas 2, by Powell one, by Wyland, none.

## Edcouch League To Open Season Sunday

(Special to The Herald) EDDOUCH, April 7.—A six-team Playground Baseball league will swing into action here Monday with a team from Elsa, one from Englemann Gardens, one from Rollo and three from Edcouch entered. The Edcouch teams represent the Chamber of Commerce, Firemen and High School.

League games are to be played on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday nights, leaving Friday and Saturday nights open for special games with other Valley teams.

## FRIDAY BASEBALL

Cleveland (A) 6; New York (N) 5, 11 innings.  
Brooklyn (N) 6; St. Louis (A) 2.  
Chicago (A) 4; Pittsburgh (N) 3.  
St. Louis (N) 11; Cincinnati (A) 9.  
New York (A) 12; Birmingham (SA) 1.  
Boston (A) 11; University of Alabama 3.  
Philadelphia (A) 20; Richmond (PL) 3.  
Detroit (A) 10; Montreal (IL) 6.  
Boston (N) 9; Albany (IL) 3.

## BOWLING

Ladies, Bring Your Husbands Men, Bring Your Wives

Enjoy an afternoon or evening of pleasant recreation at the new

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Located on Elizabeth between 12th and 13th

The management wishes to extend three hours of FREE bowling to ladies from 2 p. m. until 5 p. m. each Wednesday afternoon. (Two alleys will be reserved for this purpose.)

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Five-Back 7 1/2c per line  
R. W. EATON, Proprietor  
GLENN CHERRY, Manager