

Jury Begins Plot Inquiry

ASSASSINATION DC 60 PI—NEW YORK, Nov. 3 (UP)—The 22-year-old widow of the Puerto Rican plotter who attempted to kill President Truman was taken into custody a few hours before a federal grand jury began an investigation today of the assassination plot.

Mrs. Carmen Otero Torresola was taken to the women's house of detention by federal agents. No charges were placed against her.

The young mother, sought since the assassination attempt on Wednesday was located yesterday through Department of Welfare files which showed she and her husband, Griselio, had been receiving city relief since the birth of their daughter last May.

The inquiry opened while secret service agents, the FBI and scores of police scoured every nook and cranny of the slums in a round-the-clock search for more conspirators and known radical Puerto Rican leaders. Scores of persons were questioned.

Juan Pinta-Sandia, 42, head of the local Junta of the revolutionists, and two other Puerto Ricans were seized yesterday and subpoenaed for questioning before the jury.

They were picked up in the apartment of Mrs. Rosa Collazo, jailed wife of the surviving would-be assassin of the President. She is held in \$50,000 bail on a conspiracy charge.

Federal officials took extraordinary measures to maintain investigation secrecy and provide day and night guards for high American and Puerto Rican officials and other important persons in fear that the Puerto Rican Nationalists might be plotting new acts of terror.

Federal District Attorney Irving H. Saypol would not reveal the disposition of Pinta-Gandia and the other men taken into custody with him. They were John Corrao, 43, a member of the Nationalist Party, and Juan Cortez Cordero, 71, an uncle of Mrs. Collazo.

Apparently fearful of new assassination attempts, authorities posted 24-hour guards around the home of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower at Columbia University, the hotel suite of Ambassador Warren R. Austin, the chief U. S. delegate to the United Nations, and other personages.

At Lake Success, UN guards watched carefully over Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky following rumors that he too might be marked for assassination. Police ordered special protection for Manuel Cabreria, top Puerto Rican official in New York after he reported telephoned threats on his life.

650 St. Louis Cops To Help Protect President

Secret Service Agents Map Security For Speech

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 3 (UP)—More than 600 city police will join Secret Service agents and soldiers in protecting President Truman when he comes here tomorrow to make a pre-election address, police Chief Jeremiah O'Connell announced today.

Secret Service and police officials—alarmed by the attempt on Mr. Truman's life in Washington Wednesday—mapped special security measures at an emergency meeting yesterday.

The planning team doubled the number of city policemen assigned to cover the Jefferson Hotel, where the President will stay; Kiel auditorium, where he will speak tomorrow night; and the route he will travel while he is in the city.

The Secret Service announced that stiff restrictions would be enforced at Scott Air Force Base, Ill., where President Truman will land in his private plane late tomorrow afternoon.

Instead of the large reception committee originally planned, only two local Democratic bigwigs—Mayor Joseph M. Darst and City Treasurer John J. Dwyer—will be permitted to greet the chief executive at the base.

Williams Enters School In Miss.

Corp. Robert M. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Williams, has finished his sophomore year in four months and is now enrolled at Southern Methodist University as a junior.

The non-commissioned Air Force officer is stationed at Keeler Field, Miss. He attended Ranger Junior College last year.

Magnolia Sends \$100 To Ranger Fire Department In Appreciation For Help During Desdemona Fire

Ranger's Fire Department received a check for \$100 from the Magnolia Petroleum Co. in appreciation for the firemen's work at the Desdemona fire, Sept. 21.

The following letter from R. D. Hanley, vice-president and general manager of Magnolia, was sent to Mayor Price Crawley:

"We have received a detailed report from our District Superintendent, Mr. C. L. Simmons, in which he stated that the Ranger Fire Department answered our call at the time we had a fire at our Desdemona Gasoline Plant on September 21. We are deeply grateful for such a fine spirit and shown by the city of Ranger, and, particularly, are appreciative to the firemen who answered that call for their efforts to help us out.

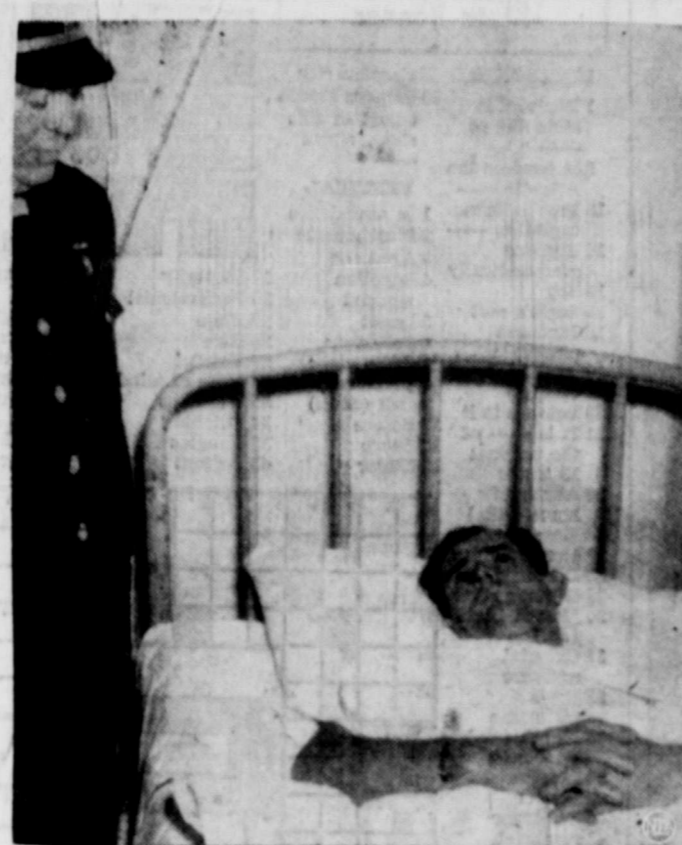
We are informed that Mr. Char-

les Isabell, Fire Chief, and Mr. C. R. Warren, Captain of the Ranger Fire Department, answered that call, along with volunteer firemen W. T. Jacobs and Monty Ray. We would like to ask that you express our thanks and appreciation to this group personally. They have certainly been good neighbors and your City should be proud of them.

As a small token of our appreciation, we would like to make a contribution of \$100 to the Ranger Fire Department, and we are herewith enclosing our check in that amount. We will leave it to the best judgment of yourself and those named above as to the special fund in which this money should be deposited.

In an answering letter, Chief Isabell and V. E. Johnson, Chief of the Volunteer Fire Dept. expressed their thanks and assured Mr. Hanley that the donation will be used to purchase much needed equipment.

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SURVIVING ASSASSIN GUARDED CLOSELY—Oscar Collazo, the lone surviving member of the two men who attempted to assassinate President Truman, is guarded closely at a Washington Hospital. (NEA Telephoto).

Five Bulldog Starters Hurt

A sprained-ankle epidemic has hit the Bulldog camp. No less than three first-string players are bobbing around on twisted feet. This brings to five the number of starters that are injured—the most injuries that have hit the Bulldogs on one time this year. And right on the eve of a district game at DeLeon tonight.

Nursing sprained ankles are tackle Hummel and backs Comacho and Cunningham. The two other ailing players are guard Barnes, who has been sick the last

Still No Score Against Pups; They Win 6-0

Breckenridge almost did it but not quite. And the Pups' goal line is still uncrossed. The Junior High team went to Breckenridge Thursday night and came back with their sixth straight victory, 6-0.

It was the Pups' second game in three nights. Tuesday, they whipped Mineral Wells, 26-0, in Ranger.

The game's only score climaxed a 65-yard Pup drive. Littlefield, taking over for the injured Perin at quarterback, bowled over from the 1-yard line for the touchdown, in the first quarter. Forney, Browning and Wallace carried the ball on this scoring drive. On defense, the entire Pup line played in its usual stop-stopping manner. Black, Rush, Mitchell, Sharp, McCullum, Simmons and Carver prevented the tough Breckenridge crew from spoiling the Ranger team's unscored record.

Thursday's win was the second over Breckenridge this year. Previously, the Pups had defeated them, 7-0 in Ranger.

Legion Elects Delegates For District Meet

Ranger delegates to the Fall Convention of the 17th District to be held in Breckenridge, Nov. 4 and 5, were chosen at the American Legion meeting last night. The delegates are: Lee Dockery, Joe Todd, Con Hazard, Bob Hansford.

Upward of 450 Legion and Auxiliary delegates are expected to register.

Principal speakers Sunday will be Congressman Omar Burleson, Department Commander Bill Elkens and Department Adjutant G. Ward Moody.

Meetings will include Legionnaire's stag smoker Saturday during Auxiliary's informal coffee, dance Saturday night, memorial service Sunday morning, barbecue dinner at noon, and separate business sessions for the Legion and Auxiliary Sunday afternoon. All of which is covered by the registration fee.

5 Ranger Men Report Nov. 15 For Induction

The following listed selectees have been ordered to report for induction on November 15, 1950:

Donald Michael Hellinghausen, Breckenridge; Wilfred Benjamin Williams, Rising Star; Jerald Ray Watkins, Rising Star; Fred Dee Joseph, Ranger; Max Crawley, Cisco; Walter Reagan Fletcher, Cisco;

John Monroe Baggett, Ranger; Donald Lewis Kinnaird, Eastland; Russell Monroe Pendleton, Breckenridge; Rudolph Brown, Pioneer; Houston Weeks, Cisco; Jimmy Burel Robertson, Breckenridge; Rudolph Newsome, Eastland; Billy George Morales, Breckenridge;

Eddie Ray Townsley, Breckenridge; John Gordon Bowlin, Jr., Breckenridge; Edward Simmons Wiesen, Ranger; Willie Elbert Braslier, Jr., Eastland; Sam Houston Tindall, Jr., Frankell; Billy Tom Hutton, Ranger; John Edward Eubank, Ranger.

(Although ordered for induction college students are eligible to be postponed for the school year, if they request postponement upon receipt of their order to report for induction.)

Boys, Gals Will Be Feudin', Fussin'

Boys and gals of the backwoods will be a-fightin' and a-fussin' Tuesday evening, Nov. 7, at 7:30. You'll find them all in "Comin' Round the Mountain" which is to be presented by the Band Boosters Club in the high school auditorium.

Alliance Holds Meeting Saturday

The Ministerial Alliance will hold its monthly meeting Saturday afternoon at 5 at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Perkins, 715 Cherry St. The purpose of this meeting is to complete plans for the union Thanksgiving Service.

Allies Retreat 10 To 50 Miles

J. E. Lewis, 71 Yr. Old Pioneer, Dies Today

Want Ticket To SMU-Texas Tilt \$100 Will Do It

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 3 (UP)—A cool \$100 would buy a 50-yard line seat today for the Texas-Southern Methodist football game, which may go far toward determining the lineup in two New Year's Day bowl clashes.

Scalpers were asking \$100 for choice tickets and \$50 for 30-yard line seats for tomorrow's headline game between SMU and Texas, the only undefeated teams in Southwest Conference play.

Founder of Eastland Electric Company Dies At Home Today

John Earle Lewis, prominent pioneer of this section, 71, died at his home in Eastland at 5 a. m. today, after a lingering illness of many years. The immediate cause of death was a heart ailment complicated by pneumonia.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Saturday at the Episcopal Church in Eastland with Father William Albert of Breckenridge in charge. Burial will be in the Eastland cemetery with Hamner Funeral Directors in charge.

Lewis, known as Jack to his acquaintances and friends, was born at Pendleton, South Carolina on July 14, 1879, the son of John Earle Lewis and Anna Harriet Smith Lewis. He spent his early life at his home in South Carolina and graduated from Clemson College in 1901. Immediately thereafter he went to Schenectady, New York, where he attended the Technical Institute of General Electric Company to further prepare himself for his life work.

Hope Of Early End To Korea War Abandoned

By Earnest Hoberecht
TOKYO, Nov. 3 (UP)—Thirteen Chinese and North Korean divisions—up to 130,000 men—smashed at the crumbling United Nations line in Northwest Korea today in a mounting offensive that has forced the allies back 10 to 50 miles.

All hope of an early end to the Korean war was abandoned. There was speculation in some quarters that the allies might have to fall back to Pyongyang, 100 miles southeast of the Manchurian border and nearly 50 miles behind the present front.

One American and three South Korean divisions retreated for the third straight day today under the impact of massed Communist tanks and infantry. The U. S. 2nd Division was thrown into a line to help stem the enemy advance. It was the third American division committed on this front.

Nearly 500 troops of a lost 16 Cavalry battalion surrounded by the Communists near Unsan fled to safety during last night's abandoning their heavy weapons and vehicles.

A 1st Cavalry regiment tried vainly today to break through the 500 men still unaccounted for but were stopped by a stone Communist defense. Later a U. S. 1st Corps spokesman wrote of the missing men. He said he believed they had all been killed or captured.

A spokesman for Gen. Douglas MacArthur candidly described the northwest front situation as "serious, but not critical."

A U. S. 1st Corps spokesman said Korea said there were signs of Chinese troops are trying to dig around the right flank of the northwest front and cut back to the west coast just north of Pyongyang.

This would cut off the bulk of the United Nations supplies in northwest Korea from supplies at reinforcements except by sea.

Chinese forces may have penetrated deeply into north-central Korea between the embattled northwest and northeast fronts. If Reds did send troops down through the unguarded mountainous terrain, they would be in a position to strike toward either coast.

Adding to the gravity of the situation were aerial reconnaissance reports that enemy motor tanks, self-propelled guns and tractors were pouring south from the Manchurian border in a steady stream.

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Saturday, November 4, 1950, has been designated "Poppy Day" in Ranger, and,

WHEREAS, The receipts from the sale of these poppies go toward the rehabilitation and aid for our disabled veterans, and,

WHEREAS, The workers who will ask you to buy a poppy have donated their time in this campaign, and the entire receipts from the sale of the poppies go to our disabled and worthy veterans, and,

WHEREAS, The amount you will pay for a poppy is your own choice, and consequently participation in this worthy cause is within the reach of everyone.

NOW THEREFORE, I Price Crawley, Mayor of the City of Ranger, Texas, wish, and hereby do, proclaim Saturday, November 4th, 1950, to be "Official Poppy Day" in Ranger, and call upon every citizen to co-operate with this effort to the extent that you are able.

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Price Crawley
Mayor of Ranger

Attest:
L. Crossley, Secretary

WOMEN TO SELL POPPIES IN DOWNTOWN RANGER SAT.

Saturday, Nov. 4, all of us will be asked to wear a little red poppy in our coats or dresses. The day will be Poppy Day, when, once each year, we of America pay tribute, by wearing their memorial flower, the poppy, to those who gave their lives in America's service during the World Wars.

The poppy comes to us from the fields of France and Belgium where the tide of war obliterated all touches of beauty except the poppy's red blooms. The poppies which we will wear on Poppy Day are not, of course, natural flowers from the battlefields. They are flowers grown in hospital and workrooms.

The disabled veterans who make the poppies derive double benefit from the work. First, it gives them employment—their only chance to help support themselves and families. Second, the work is of real value in aiding their recovery, occupying hands and minds, breaking the tedium of long idleness and restoring spirits crushed by hopelessness.

The women who distribute the poppies receive nothing for their efforts—nothing tangible, that is only the satisfaction of having helped brighten the memory of the dead and of having contributed to the welfare of the living.

Mrs. Com Hazard, Rehabilitation Chairman of the Ranger Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary, feels sure that Ranger will respond warmly to Poppy Day, as it has done in the past. She asks the aid of every citizen in this worthy cause.

Survivors include his wife and two sons, John Earl Lewis, Jr., and James Blair Lewis of Eastland.

Balance Sheet

COMMUNIST STAND IN KOREA IS BAD NEWS THIS WEEK; TITO'S APPARENT SWITCH TO ALLIES IS GOOD NEWS

By Harry Ferguson
United Press Foreign News Editor

Balance sheets for the week between good news and bad in the hot and cold wars:

BAD NEWS

1. The Communists made a successful stand in Korea this week, launched some limited counterattacks and gave evidence they intended to try to drag the war out into the winter. Both American and South Korean troops, advancing so fast that they were thinly spread, ran into hard fighting south of the Manchurian border and suffered severe losses. If the war goes into the winter, the United Nations' best weapon—air power—will be operating under bad weather handicaps.

2. International Communism apparently has not taken Korea as an object lesson. The attempt to

subjugate all of Asia went forward on other fronts. The Reds stepped up their offensive against the French in Indo-China and the Chinese Communist invaded Tibet over the stiff protest of India.

3. Plans for the defence of Western Europe still are dragging. The naming of a supreme commander for the anti-Communist nations has been delayed. The French still are objecting to the creation of a strong German armed force which the United States considers vital to the defense plan.

GOOD NEWS

1. Marshal Tito made a speech in which he denounced the Russians, praised the United States and indicated that Yugoslavia now was firmly in the anti-Communist camp. We have gained a valuable ally.

2. Chinese troops continue to

Methodist Pastor Returns To Church

Gariand T. Lavender, pastor of the First Methodist Church, returned from a two-week's revival meeting. He will be in his pulp Sunday morning and evening.

filter over the Manchurian border and fight against the northward march of the United Nations troops in Korea, but they have made no move that indicates they start World War III. Their position apparently is that they want to give token aid to the North Koreans, but don't want to do anything that would start a general war.

3. The United Nations extends Trygve Lie's term as Secretary General for three years over his opposition of Russia and her satellites. It was Lie's speed and determination in implementing the will of the U. N. majority that made possible the rapid and effective intervention in the Korean war.

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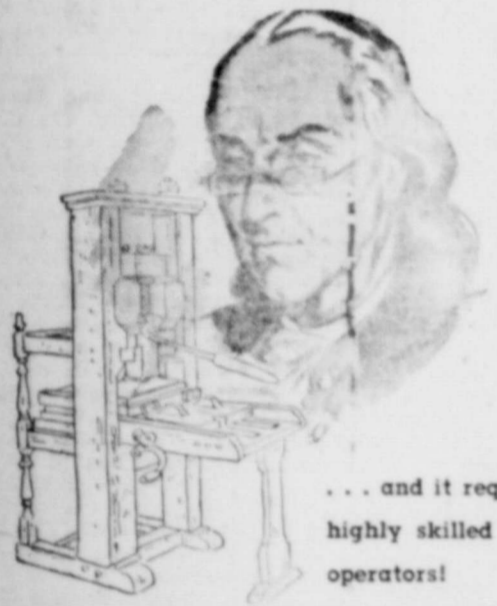
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PRESIDENT TAKES MORNING WALK—Despite an assassination attempt on his life by two Puerto Rican revolutionists, President Truman was up bright and early for his walk through the streets of Washington on November 2. Flanked by Service men, he walks near the Washington Monument. (NEA Telephoto).

NEWS FROM Desdemona

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ash and his mother, Mrs. J. E. Ash visited in Hamilton Sunday with Mrs. Ash's mother, Mr. J. M. Stevens.

Dennis Eave, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McIntosh, spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Roberts in Grandbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Irwin visited Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore.

Mr. Paul Arnold left Friday for Fort Sill, Okla., to report to the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Worden and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Worden and family of Ranger, visited in Temple over the weekend with Mr. Worden's brother, Ernst Worden who has been a patient in the Veteran's Hospital at Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel have as their guests, their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baker and children and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Walker and children.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilson and children and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Partain of Odessa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Major

Keith, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Taylor and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Amanda Rogers of Fortland visited Sunday with their sister and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lane.

Mrs. Nora Lane and Mrs. Mollie Emde made a business trip to Comanche, Monday.

Billie May of Abilene visited with his grandmother, Mrs. Katie May, Sunday.

Mr. W. A. Saint is in the hospital in Gorman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller T. Clayton and children, Martha Jo and John, spent the weekend with Mrs. Clayton's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tickner and attended services at the Methodist church, Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Reed spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lee and Mrs. Paul Bennett and Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tickner attended the association service at the First Methodist Church in Eastland Tuesday night.

Music Not Needed
MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Mrs. Henry Lanier can't sing, play any musical instrument or read music. Yet she has written the lyrics to the popular song, "Stolen Kisses."

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

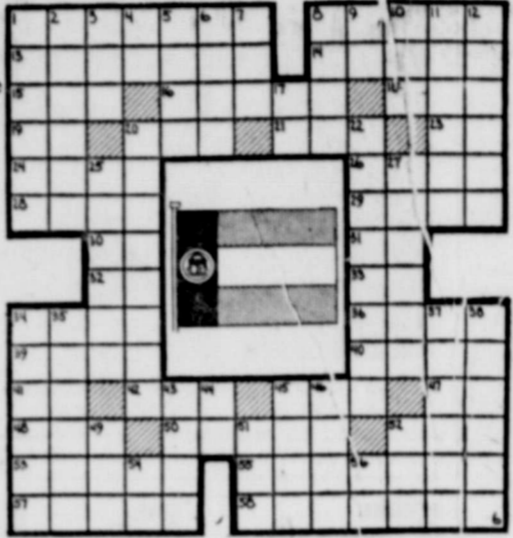
State Banner

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1 Depicted is the state flag of

- 8 It borders the Atlantic
- 13 This state's capital is
- 14 Analyze grammatically
- 15 Boy
- 16 Eagle's nest
- 18 Japanese outcast
- 19 Against (prefix)
- 20 Belongs to it
- 21 It is — of the original 13 states
- 23 Abraham's home (Bib.)
- 24 Marsh grass
- 26 Memorandum
- 28 Domestic slave
- 29 German river
- 30 "Peach State" (ab.)
- 31 Oriental measure
- 32 Boy's nickname
- 33 Month (ab.)
- 34 Wise men
- 36 Evict
- 39 Poems
- 40 Employer
- 41 Artificial language
- 42 Fox
- 45 That man's
- 47 Pronoun
- 48 Constellation
- 50 French city
- 52 By way of
- 53 Shelf
- 55 Refined

VERTICAL

- 1 In abundance
- 2 Storehouses
- 3 Aged
- 4 Egyptian sun god
- 5 Insect
- 6 Followers
- 7 Swiss river
- 8 Unclosed
- 9 Call (Scott.)
- 10 Before
- 11 Sharp
- 12 Closer
- 17 Butterfly
- 20 Perfectionist
- 22 Huge
- 25 Hire
- 27 Hatful
- 34 State of mind
- 35 Worship
- 37 Sticking
- 38 Handles
- 43 Portent
- 44 Accomplish
- 45 Aid
- 46 Passage in the brain
- 49 Paid notices in newspapers
- 52 Foreguard
- 53 Earth goddess
- 56 World War II soldier (ab.)



★ THE SCOREBOARD ★ Colorful Heavyweight Champ Would Give Ring Needed Lift

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—When a Dempsey or a Lewis rules the realm of the big boys, the entire business of beak busting booms.

When a man of less stature occupies the throne, public disinterest is reflected all the way down to the flyweights.

At present, with colorless Ezzard Charles clearly established as heavyweight champion, and no outstanding competition visible to the naked eye, the entire profession is in the doldrums.

If past performances may be relied on, right now in some comparatively obscure club or hide-away gymnasium is an unknown young fighter destined to zoom high and flash brilliantly.

So, for the nonce, let us forego discussion of the tired old familiar faces, such as Charles, Jersey Joe Walcott, Lee Savold et al, and talk about, however briefly, several youngsters, any one of whom might zip to the top in a hurry.

Salt Lake may have another lifesaver for the ring in 23-year-old Rex Layne. He can punch, take it, has a dash of cleverness, has been tested to a greater extent than any other member of the upcoming class.

Rocky Marciano puts 'em in hospitals, but the Brockton, Mass., belter has not yet made his bid at 27, and is likely to wind up there himself.

Bob Baker hits like a howitzer, but the Pittsburgh Negro is a bit on the cautious side.

CESAR BRION, the Argentine collar ad who tackles Joe Louis in Chicago, Nov. 29, knocked out Bernie Reynolds and showman Tammy Marzello, if that is any recommendation.

Roland LaStarza lacks height and can't punch a lick.

Little more than a red-headed light-heavyweight, Irish Bob Murphy stops them in all sizes, but the San Diego jod has two strikes on him in being a southpaw.

Away, as they say, farther than any of these is Jim Bailey, fresh out of Tulsa and the amateurs, whom schooled observers liked very much as he scored two quick knockouts at Brooklyn's famed Ridgewood Grove arena.

The next champion may be a fighter listed here, or he may be a guy named Samuel Schlepikis whom even Nat Fleischer hasn't heard of yet.

Whoever he is, he'll probably breathe some life back into a moribund fight game.

He always has.

He always has.

He always has.

He always has.

Tex. 4-H Clubs Will Observe National Week

COLLEGE STATION, Nov. 2—Texas 4-H Club members, more than 113,000 strong, will join with the nearly 2,000,000 members in the nation to observe National 4-H Achievement Week, November 4-12.

Working towards their 1950 theme, "Better Living for a Better World," 4-H youth have been a busy group during the past year. They have produced and conserved food, worked to make their homes more comfortable and attractive, helped to supply the extra labor needed to produce crops and livestock and furnished "know how" for making their farms more efficient and productive.

During National 4-H Achievement Week, they will report to the nation on just what they have done. The local volunteer 4-H leaders and the outstanding members will be recognized for the contributions they have made to the welfare of their state and nation.

The officers of the 4-H clubs in Texas, their leaders and extension agents have made plans for achievement banquets, tours, a achievement days and other special events for the week. Exhibits will be placed in show windows and 4-H members will tell service clubs, farm organizations, school assemblies and other groups about their work. The winners of state awards will be honored in many counties by their fellow members and leaders.

Winter Pushes Gardens Inside

Now that winter threatens, gardening becomes strictly an indoor sport. Happily, you can get attractive house plants without too much trouble and at no expense.

Methods vary somewhat according to the type of plant you want to propagate. But here are a few general rules supplied by Better Homes and Gardens magazine.

For one thing, all rooted cuttings need good potting soil. For most the ideal soil consists of three parts good garden soil, one part sand, one part crumbly compost or peat.

You should pot cuttings in this soil mixture when the roots are about one inch long. More roots will develop quickly if you dip the base of each cutting in one of the available root-harmonizing powders.

Plants being started also need a constant supply of moisture. The soil must never dry out, although it shouldn't be soggy, either. Contrary to the average home gardeners beliefs, plants being rooted should never be in direct sunlight. They should, however, have good light.

The cucumber is a member of the botanical family called Cucurbitaceae, which includes pumpkins, squashes, Watermelons, muskmelons, and about 75 other relatives.

to be quite the home girl," she said.

Jenn looked at her queerly. "Aren't I?"

"What's the matter? All the boys watching television?"

"Wouldn't you like to know," Jenn said, and left the room.

Ede smiled to herself. She did know one thing positively Tommy Melbourne was giving Jenn the absent treatment, in a most comprehensive way.

A few days later, she read in the social notes that Mr. Hamilton Grieve had rented Wendover House, Bermuda.

Nothing could have delighted Ede more. And yet, for some reason, the news item seemed incomplete.

She thought about it, off and on, for half a day before the explanation came. Wendover House was Gil Summerfield's place.

"Eh?" He was elaborately careless.

"Don't stall! I mean about Ham Grieve and your little hideaway in Bermuda, of course."

"Oh, that?" Gil smiled. "Well, it seems Ham and I belong to the same club. I happened to meet him there the other day and I bought him a drink. Which isn't hard to do, incidentally. Well, we got to talking about . . . about the Frey family. And I said that it was too bad, wasn't it?"

"What was too bad?"

His eyes were innocent. "Why, about Jenn. This business of her not coming into her money till she's 30 and having to depend on an allowance from you in the meantime."

Ede stared at him. "Gil Summerfield! Did you tell him that?"

"I certainly did."

"And he actually believed you!"

Gil grinned with relish. "Why wouldn't he? He knows that I've always known you people pretty well."

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FOR RENT: Three room apartment. Inquire Texaco Service Station, Olden.

★ NOTICE

NOTICE: The Women's Missionary of the Assembly of God Church are having a bake sale at Piggly Wiggly Saturday, November 4.

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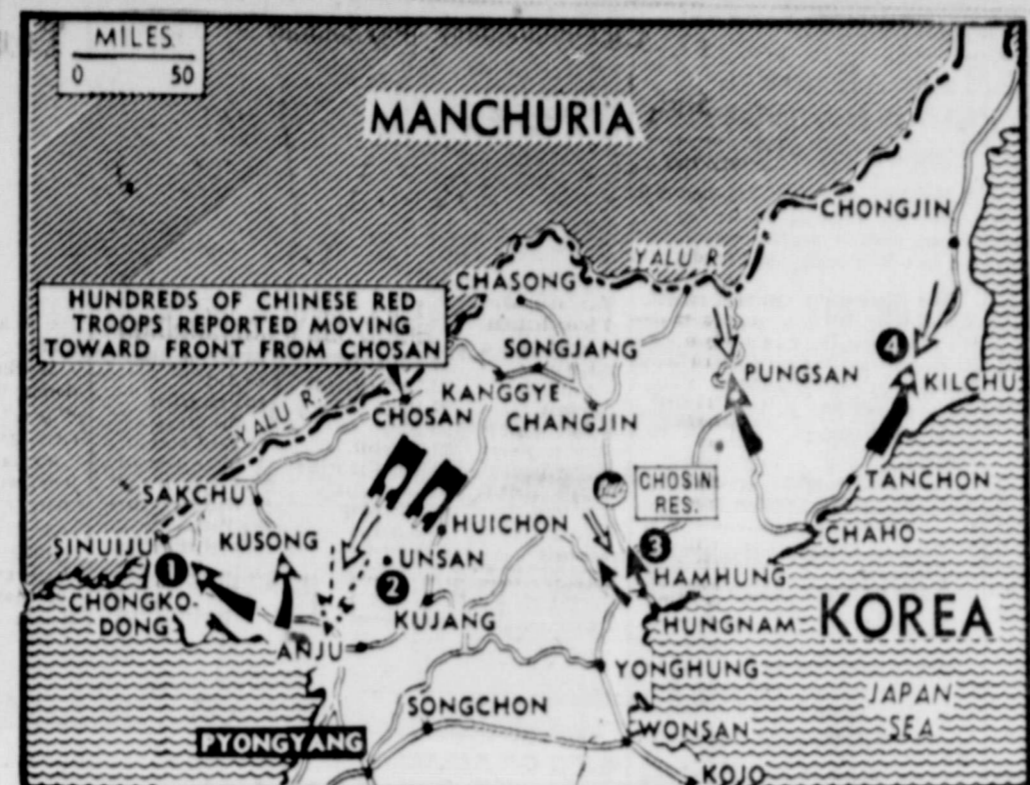
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REDS FIGHT DESPERATELY IN KOREA—The US 24th Division forced its way beyond Chongkodong (1) to within 14 miles of Yalu River, but Red thrust southwest of Unsan sector (2) still held an American battalion at bay. Reports said tanks and Chinese Reds were sent to Unsan sector in threat (broken arrow) to cut off Yank vanguards in northwest. Americans heading for clash with Chinese Reds near Hamhung, (3) while South Koreans fighting inland counter-attacked enemy south of Choshin Reservoir (dam symbols). South Koreans were fanning out above Kilchu (4). (NEA Telephoto).

SCENES AROUND RANGER

Saw an oil well being swabbed for the first time. Ralph Wagner, Rip Galloway, J. E. Meroney and I drove out about 12 miles north-west of Ranger yesterday to look over the Jackson pool that's making some rapid progress in the oil circles.

This well had been hydrofraced, like all the other wells in the new pool, and the crew was just about ready to swab. As closely and intently as I watched, I still was a little in the dark about what was happening. Even though I'm a native Texan and have lived in Lubbock and Levelland, this was the closest that I had been to an oil well.

It was fascinating to watch the men and machinery at work. Cables were strung out all over the place. And the ponderous machines rumbled like a locomotive ready to take off.

It was hard for me to get used to the scene. Here was an oil well punching a hole into the earth to draw off the black fluid that ran cars, planes, trains—that lubricated machinery of all kinds—in a thousand ways—here was oil. And not ten feet away, a calf was suckling its mother, while other cows contentedly munched grass—unconcerned at all the activity of the well.

Now this is what I understand by what is meant by hydrofracing a well. Don't take my word for it, though. It is a revolutionary process in the oil industry. Stripped of all technical terms—a jelly substance is put under high pressure into the hole. The jelly not being able to go up or down because of being cemented off at the bottom and squeezed by pressure from above, goes out to the sides.

This forces the oil impregnated sand to crack. Another substance is then put in which dissolves the jelly that is drawn off. This leaves the oil free to flow from the cracked sand. Confusing? Of course—but don't go trying to hydrofrace your water pipes. I only

guarantee it'll work with oil, think.

Our toes and fingers are still crossed as we journey to DeLeon tonight. We are keeping one ear cocked to the Eastland-Hamilton game. To be downright honest about it, for once we are praying—praying for a miracle. May the heavens burst forth and strike Hamilton with a million thunder bolts or something and may the Eastland Mavericks be given the strength of Superman. Amen.

SWC Champ Seen In Winner Of SMU-Texas Tilt

The chips are down and the stakes high as the Southwest Conference grid campaign hits a mid-season climax Saturday with the titanic clash between Southern Methodist's Mustangs and Texas Longhorns.

The rest of the conference won't admit it, but most of the fans will tell you that the 1950 Conference championship and the role as Cotton Bowl host next New Year's Day hangs in the balance.

The road ahead will be rocky for whichever one comes through in this critical contest, for SMU still must meet Texas A&M, Arkansas, Baylor and Texas Christian, and Texas still has the same crew, minus Arkansas, ahead. Both are undefeated in conference play.

Coach Rusty Russell's tricky Mustangs, rated No. 1 in the nation, will go into the game a seven-point favorite over the seventh-ranked Longhorns.



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Two Veterans Of World War II Say That Korean War Was Rougher

By H. D. Quigg
WITH 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION, Korea, Nov. 3 (UP)—Has the Korean war been rougher than the Second World War in the Pacific?

Listen to the opinions of two men who went through both as engineers with the 1st Cavalry. "Compared with this war—we didn't have a war last time—said Maj. Russell J. Wilson of Castle Rock, Colo. "Certainly from an engineer's standpoint this war is much worse."

Wilson was with the division during its Admiralty Islands and Leyte campaigns in the last war. Now he is acting commander of the Eighth Engineer Combat Battalion.

"To me—I've never seen anything like this before," said Sgt. Cornelius C. Kopper. "I hope I never see anything like it again. I guess it was so bad because we had to pull back. We never had to do that in the last war."

Kopper, whose home is Hot Springs, Ark., was with the 1st Cavalry from 1940 to 1945. He was in the Admiralty, Leyte and Luzon campaigns and was hit in the leg by shrapnel during the assault crossing of the Pasig River in the battle of Manila.

During the last war, Wilson said, the engineers had some fighting to do but they never were committed as infantry by the division commander. During the Korean fighting the cavalry division committed its engineers as regular infantrymen in the thick of the

In the Korean war the engineers didn't have the quantities of Bailey-bridging and pontoon bridging materials they had in the last war. When they came to a bombed bridge, they made bypasses—fording the streams—and under water bridges of sand bags and rocks.

"The way it was worse in this war," said Kopper, "was like this: They'd say 'go take this hill.' We go and take it and stay all night and the next day. And then they give us the order to pull back. I just ain't good to go backward—that's all. It's easier to move up the way we did in the Pacific, and get your positions and keep going."

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Hogan Rates As 'Odd Man' In Golfing Circles

By Oscar Fraley
NEW YORK, Nov. 2 (UP)—Selection of Ben Hogan as golfer of the year proved today that golf once again is an "old man's game."

Hogan earned the designation, even though he received an assist from sentiment, by fighting his way back to the National Open Championship a year and a half after a near fatal accident.

But Hogan is 38—and it re-creates the question as to where are the young golfers who once dominated the fairways.

Golf was once regarded as a sport for the rich and retired. But then the youngsters started taking over, and they did a pretty good job.

Gene Sarazen was only 20 years old when he won the National Open in 1922. Walter Hagen was but 22 when he won it in 1914.

Today your Open champion is 38. The average for the last five years is close to 33 years of age.

Going back again to Sarazen, he was only 20 when he won the P. G. A. championship. Hagen was 29. But Chandler Harper, the current pro king, is nearing 37 while the five-year age average is close to 35 for the winners.

Rarely, it seems, does a youngster join the select coterie of top notch divot diggers. Actually, there are only two men under 30

in the "name" galaxy—Jackie Burke, 28, and Cary Middlecott, 29—but neither can be called an apple-cheeked youngster.

Three others—regarded as youngsters—are Johnny Palmer, Skip Alexander and Dave Douglas, all three are 32 years old. It is a tipoff on the situation that they are regarded as junior members of the cash and carry caravan.

And the real hotshots, the top money winners, are hardy perennials—Hogan, 38; an age matched by Vic Ghezzi and George Fazio; Lloyd Mangrum, Jim Ferrier and Sam Snead, 36 each and Grizzled veterans of the golfing wars, Dutch Harrison and Lawson Little, both 40; Jimmy Demaret, Dick Metz and Herman Barron, all 42.

BOYCE HOUSE SAYS

An Irishman applied for admission to heaven but St. Peter said, "You're too big a sinner to enter." The Irishman walked a little ways off then crowed three times like a rooster. St. Peter opened the gate and said, "Come on in, Pat; we'll let bygones be bygones."

Mike had taken the "pledge" so in the saloon he ordered lemonade. But he said, "Bartender, will it be all right if you can slip in a little whiskey, unbeknownst to me."



Society-Clubs

Society Editor—Dorothy Reynolds
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Mrs. Royce Wheat Is Honored With Bridal Shower

A bridal shower was held in the home of Mrs. Durwood Wheat at Part apartment No. 8, Tuesday, October 31, from 3 to 5:30 honoring Mrs. Royce Wheat, the former Miss Melva Nowell of Ranger and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Nowell of Goldthwaite.

Mrs. Mary Wheat greeted the guests as they entered the door and Mrs. Durwood Wheat presided at the guest book.

Mrs. Curt Wheat arranged the flower decorations of cut flowers from her own flower garden. She also furnished the bride and those who presided at the guest book and punch bowl with a corsage made from lavender, pink, yellow and brown mixed colored dahlias selected from her flower garden.

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Mrs. Ralph Perkins Entertains With Open House, Tea

Mrs. Ralph Perkins entertained with an open house tea from 3 to 5 p.m., in her home at 715 Cherry, Friday, October 27.

Present were members from the Home Makers and Mary Martha class of the First Baptist church. In the receiving line were: Mrs. Milley Williams, and Mrs. M. P. McCollum from the Home Makers class, also Mrs. T. J. Anderson and Mrs. L. T. Rushing from Mary Martha class.

Members of the Alpha class and the Young Peoples Department were in charge of the program and led the guests on a tour through the home.

Floral arrangements used in decorating were carried out in Autumn colors. The table was laid with a lace cloth, and frosted punch was poured from a crystal bowl. Refreshments included nuts and cookies and was served by members of the Alpha Class and the Young Peoples Department.

Entertainment consisted of recorded music and general visiting, with Mrs. Ralph Perkins as hostess.

Sherry Ann Pryor Celebrates Fifth Birthday Party

Mrs. Fred Pryor entertained with a birthday party at 3:30 to 5 p.m. Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 31, at her home, honoring her daughter, Sherry Ann on her fifth birthday.

Various games were played before the gifts were opened.

The candles were lit and the group sang, "Happy Birthday, Sherry." The white cake was beautifully decorated in colors of pink and green.

Those attended were: Vernor Joe Pryor or Holiday, Sue Graham, Jill and Jan Watkins, Mike Patterson, Sammy Paschel, Gale Mace Danna Kaye Summers and the honoree Sherry Ann Pryor.

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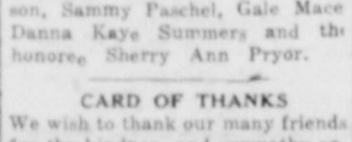
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Julia Alexander Grove No. 1954 Has Session Wednesday

Members of the Julia Alexander Grove No. 1954 of the Woodman Circle, met in regular session at the hall Wednesday, November 1.

The following were present: Mmes. F. C. Williamson, president, W. C. Harris, R. B. Patterson, E. J. Greer, M. P. Williams, Laura Melton, E. H. Blackwell, Louise Calder, John Ivy, B. E. Patterson, Lena McDonough, and G. O. Strong.

Plans for a place to have the luncheon will be decided later.

1920 Club Observes American Education Week At Meeting

Members of the 1920 Club met in regular session, Thursday, Nov. 2 at the Community Club House, to observe "American Education Week."

Those taking part in the program were Mmes. M. H. Haga man, "Democratic Party in Texas," J. T. Morris, "Privileges and Obligations of Citizenship," and Miss Carolyn Ducker; guest speaker, "Universal Declaration of Human Rights."

Other guests in attendance were Elaine Brazda and Frances Ruth Hagaman.

Personsals

Mr. B. R. Griffin underwent surgery at the Harris Hospital on Tuesday at 1:00 o'clock and his condition cannot be reported at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton and son, Charles, left for Dallas this morning where Mrs. Horton will see a specialist for a general check-up. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Horton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kunkle of Weatherford.

Korean War Turns In Race Against Winter

By Harry Ferguson
UP Foreign News Editor

The Korean war has turned into a race against winter weather that brings zero temperatures in the northern hills.

Winter uniforms have been issued to our front line troops, but it will be a keen disappointment to the high command if we have to continue to slug it out with the Communists through November, December and January. Air power, which is the weapon in which we have absolute supremacy, functions at its worst in winter's fog and snow.

Up until two days ago we were having a walk-over in our march toward the Manchurian border. One of the difficulties we are in today is that our troops—particularly the South Korean—raced ahead so fast that they became thinly spread and did not have enough solid support along their lines of communication.

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A&M Expert Gives Turkey Buying Advice

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Barrett points out that the quality of the live turkey cannot be improved by any method of processing. It is important that only live turkeys of the best quality be selected, since no higher quality meat can be expected to arrive on the table than was selected from the pen of live birds.

Flesh, finish and the absence of pinfeathers are the important factors which Barrett advises considering when selecting quality turkeys. Well-fleshed turkeys will have broad breasts that are well covered with meat. The thighs will be large and the drumsticks bulging.

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SWC Teams Are In High Spirits

High spirits were in evidence at almost every Southwest Conference camp today as the nation's most unpredictable collection of football teams began final preparations for Saturday's grab-bag of surprises.

Southern Methodist's Mustangs and the Texas Longhorns, who meet at Austin in "the game of the week," each looked sharp in yesterday's drills.

Texas A&M's Aggies, anxious to boost their sagging stock, hustled through a long workout yesterday, polishing running and passing plays and checking defensive assignments.

Arkansas Coach Otis Douglas, whose conversion of the Hogs of the "T" formation has met with spotty success, drilled his charges yesterday in the intricacies of a new offense—the spread Z.

Biggest rainbow of optimism arose at Texas Christian with announcement that half-a-dozen Frogs had been removed from the injury list.

Baylor Coach George Sauer, whose Bears pulled up upset of the week last Saturday over vaunted A&M, complained "his team hasn't been able to solve TCU's trick spread and double-wing formations."



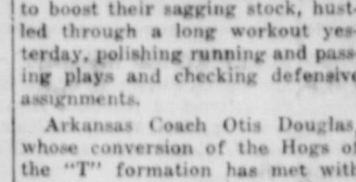
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