

# Japan Signs Treaty With Dictators

## British Bring Down 122 Planes As Nazis Step Up Air Assaults

### Eight Named In Grand Jury Indictments

Eight indictments were returned by 70th district court grand jury as it concluded its deliberations for the September term here Thursday evening.

This brought the total number of bills to 32 for the term. No capias returns were reported on the new indictments Friday at noon.

Five of the eight counts were for forgery, boosting the term's total to nine to make it by far the most predominant offense.

Also reported were one bill each for embezzlement, sale of securities without a license and receiving and concealing stolen property. District Attorney Martelle McDonald said this would be the last session for the investigative body until the November term of court.

Major issues were decided in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Mark Harwell against Alexander Film Co. to stay execution of judgment.

The court business was due to terminate Saturday afternoon after a four-week session.

### 'MORE OF EVERYTHING AND QUICK' LISTED AS BRITAIN'S NEED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—Lord Lothian, the British ambassador, said after a call on President Roosevelt today that Great Britain would welcome from this country all kinds of supplies, sent with the greatest possible speed.

Asked specifically what was Britain's "greatest need," the ambassador told reporters: "More of everything and quick."

### ROOSEVELT MAKES GUESS ON ELECTION

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—President Roosevelt told a press conference today he had forecast the outcome of the November election.

In response to a question, the president said the prediction was in a sealed envelope in his desk.

Then, with a smile, he added that he always understated things.

Mr. Roosevelt has made similar forecasts prior to the 1932 and 1936 elections, but had guarded them very closely.

### Negro Held In Shooting

DALLAS, Sept. 27 (AP)—An 18-year-old Odeasa negro was arrested at Garland this morning in connection with the wounding of Hugh M. Wallace, 50, Alvarado filling station operator.

Sheriff Smoot Schmidt, who returned the negro to the county jail here, said the suspect admitted critically wounding Wallace when the latter resisted an attempt to rob the station.

Deputy Sheriff Bob Gray and his 18-year-old son, Bill, caught the negro in the railroad yards at Garland. The suspect was unarmed, having left his pistol in a stolen automobile he had wrecked several hours earlier.

Last night the negro was spotted driving his car in East Dallas, but when officers sought to halt the machine, he sped away.

The officers opened a fire, which the negro returned.

The suspect escaped in heavy traffic but, he told the sheriff to stop, lost control of his car on the Gayland road near White Rock lake.

The auto plunged into some trees at the roadside. The negro tossed his pistol into the glove compartment and left.

He slept all night in a parked cotton wagon and was on his way to visit his stepfather, who picks cotton near Garland, when he was arrested.

### Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Saturday; little change in temperature.

EAST TEXAS—Fair, not quite so cool tonight; Saturday fair and warmer.

LOCAL WEATHER DATA  
Maximum temp. yesterday... 71.  
Minimum temp. this morning... 51.  
Sunrise today at 6:28 p. m.; sunset Saturday at 6:35 a. m.

### Defense Shows Power Against One Of War's Mightiest Onslaughts

LONDON, Sept. 27 (AP)—German warplanes attacked all England by the howling hundreds today in one of the mightiest aerial offensives yet launched in the long battle for Britain, and late in the afternoon at least 122 of the raiders had been officially declared shot down.

The defense thus was operating with a fury not seen in nearly two weeks.

Great air battles were fought in the sight of observers in southwest London during one raid when black anti-aircraft bursts pitted the skies from a furious barrage, and cheers broke from crowds when plumes of smoke told of hits on some of the 100 planes.

Reports from south of London said bombers, escorted by fighters, crossed the Dorset coast in at least two waves of 50 planes each, and were hotly attacked. Six of these were reported falling in plumes of fire. One was said to have exploded in the air when hit directly by a shell.

A communique said 25 British planes were lost in today's fighting but that 10 of the pilots were safe.

"Our fighters intercepted several enemy attacks in the south of England and inflicted severe losses, particularly in the neighborhood of London," it said.

British and German long-range artillery also fought a duel across the 22-mile Dover Strait, the German shells rocking the Dover area with two shells every two minutes, and the British fire increasing in intensity after half an hour.

One formation of nine German planes streaked high across central London during the progress of the big battle.

Shells burst all around them, and one section of five turned back. The other four disappeared in a cloud as British fighters closed in.

At least 120 German planes took part in the first of three waves this morning, after Britain's own mass formations had decimated the severest attacks yet against Germany and her trans-channel coast.

A German scout plane evidently spotting for the range finders back on the French coast, flew high over the Dover area during the shelling.

Then, soon after the shells began to fall, a formation of British bombers roared out to sea toward Cap Gris Nez, where the flashes of the German guns could be seen clearly. Apparently they were bent upon a fierce reply to the German shells.

About 20 bombs were dropped in south London during the first daylight attack today, destroying a number of buildings.

During the afternoon Bentley was to discuss electric water systems before home demonstration agents heard a talk by E. A. Houghton, Texas Electric Service, on farm kitchen refrigeration, Mrs. Bernice Claytor, home improvement specialist, appraise electric laundry equipment and Mrs. Minnie Chapman, TES home service department, talk about electric cooking equipment. At the same time, county agents were to be in session with Montfort on grinding feed and filling silos by means of electric power.

Demonstrations accompanied part of the talks, and illustrated slides were used by most speakers.

### Jay Slaughter Is Found Shot

POST, Sept. 27 (AP)—J. Jay B. Slaughter, about 45, was found dead in the bathroom of his large Post residence late this morning. He had been shot in the head.

Mrs. Slaughter and a negro yard boy rushed into the bathroom and found the widely-known ranchman dead. A gun lay on the floor.

An unsigned note was found addressed to the yard boy, directing that Doug Marcol, a business associate, be informed and, in part, "God bless Skeeter (Slaughter's wife) and everybody and God forgive me."

Friends and associates said the ranch owner, who comes of a family as traditional in rangeland as probably any other ever to live in far West Texas, has been intensely nervous and in decidedly poor health in recent months.

### Chill Sweeps Whole Nation

By The Associated Press  
Top coat weather chilled large sections of the nation today.

Light to heavy frosts from Southern Missouri through the Great Lakes section brought a real forecast of winter, while in the southeast, Gulf and Texas area readings were five to ten degrees lower than on Thursday.

Slight moderation was noted in the East and New England.

Both Boston and New York reported the same minimum this morning as yesterday, 42 and 44 degrees respectively.

From Washington southward temperatures were noticeably lower, Raleigh, with 42, with four degrees under yesterday's and Atlanta with 44 was seven lower.

Brownsville, Texas, reported a minimum of 55, about 20 degrees below normal.

Midwestern temperatures included Kansas City, 38; St. Louis, 56, Cincinnati, 35; Chicago, 40; Cleveland, 38; Detroit, 41.

### JOINS A&M FACULTY

COLLEGE STATION, Sept. 27 (AP)—Howard W. Barlow, one of the nation's outstanding aeronautical engineers and consultants for aircraft manufacturers, has accepted a position as head of the department of aeronautical engineering of Texas A. & M. college, it was announced today by Dean Gibb Gilchrist, head of the school of engineering.

### U. S. PLANTS GET SUGGESTIONS FOR AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26 (AP)—Air raid precaution suggestions—four pages of them—went out from the war department today to firms expanding their plants for defense orders.

The suggestions deal with the proper locations of factories, their protection and concealment against bombing attacks, and included an offer of plans for air raid shelters.

At the same time, the department disclosed that it was contemplating proposals for underground airplane hangars and storage dumps for ammunition and vital supplies, such as aviation gasoline.

Taking account of the wholesale destruction of industry in Spain,

### Use Of Rural Electricity Is Demonstrated

County and home demonstration agents from extension service district six went to school here Friday to learn about use of electricity on farms.

Varied subjects including cost, uses and other problems were discussed at the session which opened at 9 a. m. in the Settles hotel and was to continue until 4:30 p. m.

F. T. Montfort, research association, agricultural engineering department, A&M college, discussed the cost of using electricity on Texas farms and on lighting the farm home. M. E. Bentley, extension service agricultural engineer, talked about planning farm wiring systems.

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### More Jap Troops Enter Indo-China

HAIPHONG, French Indo-China, Sept. 27 (AP)—More Japanese troops with full equipment and supplies for a long stay poured into Haiphong in a continuing stream this morning and six Japanese planes roared low over Hanoi, drawing an anti-aircraft fire but evoking a strong French protest.

The soldiers disembarking at this port today were the follow-up for 2,000 Japanese admitted yesterday under a French-Japanese agreement in which Japan has gained new bases for operations against the Chinese forces of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

### GOES TO BIG BEND SEEKING SUSPECTS

ALPINE, Sept. 27 (AP)—Sheriff Elmer Taylor returned today from a trip to the Big Bend country, 80 miles south of here, in search of a man suspected of slaying a woman and deputy sheriff recently. The man was reported hiding in an isolated area near the Rio Grande.

Taylor obtained no definite information, but exhibited snapshots of the man to fishing parties, in the hopes that some trace of them might be found.

### PACKARD PLANT BOMBED

DETROIT, Sept. 27 (AP)—The Packard Motor Car company has been advised that its \$250,000 distributing plant in London was bombed earlier this week by Nazi planes. No details of the damage were disclosed.



LEGION HAILS NEW COMMANDER—Swept into office on the first ballot in a surge of popularity, Milo J. Warner (left), Toledo, O., attorney, waves heartily to delegates after his election Thursday as national commander of the American Legion during the closing session of the national convention at Boston. At right is retiring commander Raymond Kelly of Detroit.

### Counties Are Asked To Aid Registration

AUSTIN, Sept. 27 (AP)—Governor W. Lee O'Daniel today asked county commissioners courts and county clerks to man and equip every polling place in the state on Oct. 16 for registration under peacetime conscription.

Noting the task will be a "tremendous one," the governor asked that county officials call for volunteer workers, either male or female. He added that registration cards and other supplies soon will be available.

Complete instructions for registering men from 21 through 35 years of age will be issued from the adjutant general's department, state selective service headquarters, before registration day.

Preliminary instructions from selective service headquarters reveal that the number of registrants in a given precinct will be approximately 80 per cent of the vote in the July democratic primary election.

In determining the number of registrars needed for a precinct, county clerks should allow 20 to 30 minutes for each registration.

With the completion of registration county officials' part in selective service ends. Registration cards will be turned over to local draft boards, soon to be named by the president, on Oct. 17.

There will be one local draft board for each 30,000 population, or at least one for each county.

The principal fact for eligible males to remember is to register where they normally vote because every precinct must contain a registration office. Operating hours are from 7 a. m. until 9 p. m. Persons away from their home county on registration day may register at the nearest polling place and their cards will be forwarded to the home precinct for classification.

### FDR TO INSPECT DEFENSE PLANTS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—President Roosevelt announced today he would make an inspection Monday of defense units in Maryland, including the army's proving ground at Aberdeen, the chemical warfare plant near Baltimore, and Camp Meade, Md.

The chief executive told reporters he would leave tomorrow evening, after dedicating the terminal building of the new Washington airport, and travel by boat down the Potomac river and up Chesapeake Bay.

## Mutual Pledge Of Aid Seen As A Warning To The U.S.; World 'Split' Three Ways

BERLIN, Sept. 2 (AP)—Germany, Italy and Japan welded a new totalitarian bloc today with a one-for-all and all-for-one pledge of aid against any new enemy entering either the European or China war—an implicit warning to the United States.

With Adolf Hitler as an onlooker, the Rome-Berlin foreign ministers and the Japanese ambassador to Berlin signed a solemn 10-year military and economic treaty declaring the readiness of the three governments to join their 250,000,000 people as world-scale battle comrades.

Advance preparations for such an eventuality were written into the treaty by an immediate undertaking for joint technical consultations by representatives of the three powers.

The three powers formally divided spheres of world influence, Japan being recognized as the leader in founding a "new order in greater East Asia" and Germany and Italy for "establishment of a new order in Europe."

The three powers affirmed that the terms in no way affect the political status of any one of them as regards Soviet Russia. Germany, with her Russian non-aggression pact, is the closest of the three to the U. S. S. R.

The pact brings together the original membership of the anti-commintern accord but goes infinitely further than the old agreement to exchange information for curbing activities of international communists.

As for their world front, the Tokyo-Berlin-Rome signatories pledged "to assist one another with all political, economic and military means when one of the three contracting powers is attacked by a power not at present involved in the European war or in the Chinese-Japanese conflict."

That was the kernel of the pact. (Fascist authorities in Rome indicated plainly that the pact meant a united front against any attempt by the United States to interfere with them in any territory they consider their "living space.")

Spain, herself apparently ready to cast her lot with these three mightier nations, rejoiced in her part in Japan's signing on the dotted line and typical of the comment was this:

"The United States faces the alternative of renouncing its plans or of intervening immediately against the new totalitarian alliance without awaiting execution of its grandiose rearmament program."

(One newspaper cautioned "Uncle Sam" against aiding Britain.)

To neutral observers the most obvious effect of the treaty was to insure that should the United States enter the war she would be

### Treaty Not Unexpected In The U.S.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—President Roosevelt told the press today he could not say anything about the new Japanese-German-Italian pact because he had received nothing official on it.

The chief executive added that the state department undoubtedly had received official news on the agreement, but that it had not reached him.

Asked whether the ten-year treaty was unexpected, the chief executive replied yes and no, but did not elaborate.

Asked whether an embargo on oil shipment to the Far East, was contemplated the president referred questioners to the state department.

To other questions about the possibility of any additional export restrictions, Mr. Roosevelt said the subject was being studied all the time but there was no news on it.

Mr. Roosevelt held his regular Friday morning press conference shortly after representatives of Japan, Germany and Italy, in the presence of Adolf Hitler, had signed a 10-year military and economic treaty declaring the readiness of the three powers to join forces if any one were attacked by a nation not now involved in the Euro-

### Japan Is Not Entering War, Official Says

TOKYO, Sept. 27 (AP)—Japan's new alliance with Germany and Italy does not mean Japan is going to enter the European war, foreign spokesman Yachiro Suma said today.

He said Japan had not abandoned hope of compromising her difference with the United States.

"We are not going to participate in the European war. We are not going to attack any country," Suma said, adding the purpose of the pact was to solidify the community of interests of the signatories.

The signing of the pact came at a time when Japanese sources asserted that the United States, having embargoed scrap metal shipments to Japan, definitely had allied herself with Britain and China.

A clash between Japan and the United States "now seems inevitable" said the influential newspaper Asahi.

Authoritative circles expressed belief that President Roosevelt's action in limiting scrap metal exports to the western hemisphere and Britain after Oct. 16 was aimed directly at Japan and might be only the prelude to a complete embargo designed to thwart her expansion program.

It generally was expected For-



U.S. STOPS IRON SHIPMENTS AS JAPAN LANDS TROOPS—Japan landed troops near Haiphong (1), French Indo-China, Thursday in fulfillment of a Japanese-French agreement. Earlier this week Japanese troops thrust overland from China to Langson (2) in what French called an act of force. Meanwhile, the United States put a sting in its disapproval of Japan's expansionist policies when President Roosevelt ordered shipments of scrap iron and steel to Japan stopped. One answer came in the signing of a sweeping Japanese-German-Italian treaty.

## London Has New Secret Devices To Combat Night Air Attacks

### 1600 CARS IN SAFETY LANE

More than 1,600 automobiles had passed through the Texas Highway Patrol safety lane here to noon Friday to establish an average of about three cars per minute.

After setting up at 10:30 a. m. Thursday on Main between Third and Fourth streets, the patrolmen checked a total of 1,625 cars before quitting time at 5 p. m. in the four-hour run Friday morning, 629 machines were inspected.

A total of 964 vehicles passed inspection on the initial test while defects were detected in 691 cars, 107 of them returning for approval.

Results on the initial day's run showed 886 cars passing inspection, 379 having defective brakes.

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LONDON, Sept. 27 (AP)—New secret devices with which to combat night raiders were reported today in use in the London area which last night had one of the lightest night raids in the three weeks since the air "blitz" began.

The devices were said to have been developed by British scientists, and observers declared there was a chance that, used together, two of the devices might make night bombing as hazardous as raiding by day.

There was no imminent indication whether the new weapons were responsible for the softening of the German blows on the capital, and there were no intimations of their nature.

In a gradual lifting of the curtain of censorship, however, British correspondents were permitted to comment upon these new air-raid noises heard by Londoners in the last few nights:

1. A heavy single explosion disintegrating into staccato cracks high up in the Heavens.

2. A flat roar which seems to strike a ceiling several miles up and dump its way clamorously along the top of the sky.

3. A muffled rattling like a "carpet slipper machine-gun."

"These queer noises to which Londoners have listened with increasing interest and speculation are in fact caused by new types of weapons, or by well tried weapons adapted to new uses," said one observer.

He mentioned "another new weapon which makes very little noise except an odd rattle like the roudrou of a laffeta gun."

Evidence the British high command considers the threatened German invasion of England "off" indefinitely was seen by authoritative military quarters today in longer and more frequent—perhaps even nightly—British raids on Berlin.

The RAF, which raided Berlin four successive nights this week but not last night, has not announced the new policy officially, but it has been put down as a "certainty" by some sources.

# E. W. Potters Honored At Banquet At Hotel By Cosden Employes

A banquet honoring Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Potter was given Wednesday night at the Crawford hotel by the employes of Cosden Petroleum corporation. Gifts were presented to the Potters and music was furnished by Sunshine Butler and his orchestra.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tidwell, Roy Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. F. Nugent, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Vernon Whittington, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Waldrop, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Preston, Harold Bottomley, Otto Peters, Harold Harvey, George Zachariah, Perry Daughtry, Bob Ward, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. LeBlau, Sara Reidy, Ina Mae Bradley, J. D. Stehler, J. T. Morgan, Helen Duley, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Richardson, Vera Louise Whitton, T. A. Harris, Jr., O. F. Johnson, Morris Koger, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Whittington, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart S. Williams, H. C. Hart, Jack Banks, A. C. Petty, Leason Bostick, Everett Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Duley, Jack Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams, Phil Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Aultman Smith, T. L. South, E. F. Russell, Glen Aaron, A. L. Carlisle, M. H. Bostler, H. V. Karcher, J. W. Burrell, Neal Barnaby, L. C. Chapin, G. K. Chadd, R. J. Barton, Clyde Osborn, M. S. Cummins.

## Three Guests Meet With Tel-U-Club In Home Of Mrs. W. D. Berry

Three guests met with the Tel-U-club Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. D. Berry and high scores for members went to Mrs. H. C. Hamilton.

Mrs. Pollard Runnels won guest high score and Mrs. J. W. Sherwood binged for guests. Mrs. Wayne Matthews was also a visitor.

A salad course was served and others playing were Mrs. W. N. King, Mrs. Vance Lebkowsky and Mrs. J. D. Falkner, who is to be next hostess.

## Knott Girl Joins Club At A. C. C. This Week

ABLENE, Sept. 27 (Sp1)—Melva Lee Weed, daughter of Mrs. Edna Weed of Knott, has gained membership in the Melpeoneans, dramatic club of Abilene Christian college.

Try-outs were held last week for new members in this organization which sponsors all dramatic productions on the Abilene Christian college campus.

This organization presents plays every two weeks, and frequently sponsors other dramatic entertainments for the student body.

## Bandera Guest Is Visiting Here

Toots Mansfield of Bandera is spending a few days here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. Edwards and Mary Nell Edwards.

TRY LONGER BETWEEN SNEEZES OF BREATHING SPELLS PENETRO 25

## CLIFF SAYS REPORT CARDS

are what your children bring home from school to show you what kind of work they have been doing. We can't exactly call our customers report cards because it wouldn't be a polite thing to do and we are polite to our customers. But any one of 'em will tell gladly, I'm sure, that a good meal at a good price and a pleasant and enjoyable place to eat it is what you'll find at The Steak House any and every day in the week.

## THE STEAK HOUSE



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# Society

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## Daily Calendar Of Week's Events

**FRIDAY**  
WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall. AMERICAN BUSINESS CLUB dinner-dance will be held at 8 o'clock at the Crawford hotel and will be formal for the women.

**SATURDAY**  
A.A.U.W. West Texas Conference will meet at 9:30 o'clock at the Settles hotel for an all day meeting and 12:30 o'clock luncheon. 1930 HYPERION CLUB will meet at 1 o'clock at the Settles hotel for luncheon. SUB DEB CLUB will entertain rushers with a luncheon in the home of Caroline Smith with Vilo Rowe as co-hostess.

## TEEN TOPICS

### Miss Laneous Notes

By MARY WHALEY

Our nomination for a fine form of self-imposed torture is to go to bed with hair done up in curlers with an eye to looking smart on the morrow.

After years of trying to make straight locks curl, we have decided it's not worth the effort and have abandoned curls for all time.

We tried to coax each hair to curl in a gentle manner and as an aid invested in some aluminum torture pins called curlers. As daytime is no time to appear in them, we had no choice but to spend an hour before bed time wrapping our hair into the tight cylinders.

And then to bed but not to sleep. After balancing the bean just so on the poisonous pins, we would sleepily roll over only to have them jab us in an ear. We would try the other side but it would be no better. So back to the original position we would go and lie like a mummy.

In the morning, if we didn't sneeze most of them out in the night, we would have lovely curls but half open eyes, and a disagreeable expression plus a stiff neck to compliment them.

We read of heathens walking on hot coals and others lying on beds of spikes but these are amateur contraptions compared to curlers. After experimenting with many things, including hanging the head of the bed all night, we decided nothing was worth all that.

Now in a world of curls and waves, we sit with poker straight locks. But is that sleeping good these nights?

## Rushes Guests At Double Four Club Meeting Here

Rushes were special guests at the regular meeting of the Double Four club at its meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Billie Cain.

Included in the list of rushes were Doris Nell Tompkins, Jo Ann Switzer, Mary Ann Cox and Betty Jane Roberts.

Following a business session, refreshments were served to Mary Ann Price, John Anna Terry, Ann Talbot, Beatrice Mary Smith, Florence Jenkins, Emil Earl Scott, Corine Slaughter, Jean Johnson, Dorothy Sue Rowe, the rushes and the hostess. Next meeting will be with Dolores Guze.

## Sixth Grade Pupils Give Music Program

Sixth grade pupils from College Heights school took part in the Thursday school festival of the air with Mrs. E. Blount in charge.

Marilyn Keaton and Helen Blount sang "Auld Lang Syne" with Joan Ellen Chowns playing the piano accompaniment. Gene Nabors played a piano number, "In An 18th Century Drawing Room," and King Sides spoke on "Safety."

Mary Alpheus Page played an accordion number, "The Beautiful Blue Danube."

## South Ward Queen To Be Chosen Oct. 17 At City Auditorium

Standings for the South Ward P.T.A. Queen up until noon Friday show that Billie Jean Younger is leading with 383 points and Joyce Merrick is second with 336.

Others are: Estley Ann Young, 278; Lynn Porter, 215; Estline Wright, 212; Barbara June Greer, 186; Patsy McDaniel, 183; Bonnie Lou Talbot, 183; Frances Bigony, 90; Billie Jean O'Neal, 88; Reta Faye Wright, 81; Mary Helen Pritchett, 66.

The queen will be crowned in a ceremony at the city auditorium October 17th and the 11 other girls will be honored in the queen's court. Votes are a penny a vote and funds are being used by the P.T.A.

## Parent-Education Groups Meet For Discussions

The Parent Education program of the WPA nursery school met this week in the homes of Mrs. Jerry Cottongame, Mrs. O.L. Lawson and Mrs. R. A. Weinkauff.

Joyce Howard, parent education leader, spoke on the observance of Better Parenthood Week and each mother discussed how she could be a better parent.

The group met for the children and present were Mrs. T. B. Timmons, Mrs. Albert Daylong, Mrs. Johnnie Cardwell, Mrs. Jack Richbourg, Mrs. C. R. Franklin, Mrs. Tale Reese, Mrs. A. A. Chapman, Mrs. Mamie Hogg, Mrs. J. V. Murphy, Mrs. Dora Moore.

Mrs. Ellis Hensley, Mrs. O. P. Decker, Mrs. O. L. Lawson, Mrs. Sipes, Mrs. R. A. Weinkauff, Mrs. Waldo Tindol.

Guests Thursday were Mrs. Priscilla Lyon, supervisor of nursery schools for district 19, San Angelo, and Mrs. Netabel B. Rice, of San Antonio, representative of the Texas state office.

## Norma Rogers Hostess To Hi Hat Club

Norma Rogers was hostess to the Hi Hat club Wednesday in her home and business was discussed. Gingerbread and punch were served to Joyce Powell, Wanda Reese, Alva Powell, Betty Tumbleton, Edna "Sanders," Dorothy Moore.

## Central Ward Study Group Holds First Meet In Series

The first of eleven lessons was held Thursday morning by the Central Ward P.T.A. Study group in the administrative building with Mrs. Pascal Buckner in charge.

The Unique Function of the P.T.A. in American Democracy was the theme and on the program were Mrs. C. E. Lancaster, Mrs. Henry Jenkins and Mrs. E. C. Pennington.

Others present were Mrs. E. M. Happel and Mrs. G. Nichols. The next meeting will be at 9 o'clock Thursday morning and parents are invited to attend.

## Picnic Planned By Forsan Sewing Club

FORSAN, Sept. 27 (Sp1)—Planning a picnic for next week for families, the Good Luck Sewing club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Jeff English.

Salad course was served and a guest, Mrs. Buster Grisson, was present. Others were Mrs. Leroy Blackwell, Mrs. Pete Huddleston, Mrs. R. O. Shaw, Mrs. Howard Hobbs, Mrs. L. E. Barber, Mrs. Oscar Bradham, Mrs. R. A. Chaney, Mrs. Mrs. J. P. Kuehler. Mrs. Kuehler is to be next hostess.

## To Phoenix To Attend Funeral Services

Mrs. Etta Martin left Thursday night by American Airlines for Phoenix, Ariz., to attend funeral services for her brother-in-law, W. S. Johnson, who succumbed Thursday to a stroke of paralysis.

Arthur Middleton of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Mrs. Martin will meet her mother in Phoenix.

## Engagement Of Miss Koberg Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koberg announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Camille, and Lloyd Hale Patterson of Healdsburg, Calif. The ceremony will be read October 1st, at 7:30 o'clock in the Koberg home.

## Y.W.A. Group Given A Breakfast At Lamesa Hotel

LAMESA, Sept. 27 (Sp1)—Mrs. A. E. Jacobs entertained the Y. W. A. at a breakfast at the Plaza hotel Thursday morning to begin the fall sessions. Plans were made for the activities for the year. Mrs. A. E. Evans is sponsor.

Officers elected were Billy Louise Standefer, president; Lola Toibert, vice president; Madeline White, secretary; Jo Ervin Bailey, treasurer.

## Miss Edwards Given Suit By Association For New York Trip

Anna Belle Edwards and her mother, Mrs. M. M. Edwards, will leave Sunday for Dublin where they will join the group leaving for New York to take part in the Madison Square Garden rodeo.

This week Miss Edwards received a letter from the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association of Texas headquarters at San Angelo asking for her measurements in order that they may make and present her with a riding suit made of Texas Vile Wool.

They gave her several choices of color and the finished suit will be sent to New York.

Monday a barbecue and parade is being planned in Dublin for the group before they entrain for New York.

## Huge Crowds At Ford-Mercury Unveiling

Main street between Third and Fourth looked more like opening of the Christmas shopping season last night so far as crowds were concerned, but the occasion was not quite that general. The single attraction in that vicinity was a preview showing of the 1931 Ford and Mercury, with the Lincoln-Zephyr announced several days ago—thrown in for good measure.

Branded the heaviest attended dealer showing ever offered by the agency, Big Spring Motor company officials were at a loss when it came to estimating last night's turnout.

"Although our supply of coffee and doughnuts were unlimited, cake and doughnuts were reserved for about 800 people and this supply was exhausted before 8 o'clock," V. A. Merrick, president, said this morning.

Visitors continued until well past 11 o'clock and finally the service department had to be cleared and out of the display arranged there to care for the overflow crowd.

## Ship Survivors Spent Eight Days In Lifeboat

LONDON, Sept. 27 (AP)—Back in England today are forty-six persons—including six shivering schoolboys—who spent eight days of peril and hardship in a storm-battered lifeboat after the City of Benares went to the bottom 600 miles out in the Atlantic.

Rescued through the combined work of two British flying boats and a warship, the survivors were landed at a British port late last night.

"We lost all count of time after the first two or three days," said Mary Cornish, 31-year-old school teacher-scout and only woman in the lifeboat.

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## U. S. Outpost Has Food Supply For 24 Days

HONOLULU, Sept. 27 (AP)—The strongest defense outpost of the United States, Oahu Island, has a supply of staple foods sufficient to last its 225,000 civilian population only 24 days.

This was revealed today in a survey conducted by businessmen and educators appointed by Mayor Charles S. Crane of this city. The survey contemplated a situation in which all food lines to Oahu might be blocked.

For civilian use there are 14 days of food in the warehouses, another seven days' supply in retail stores, and about three days' in homes, the survey indicated.

On Oahu, where this short supply exists, are Pearl Harbor, one of the strongest naval bases in the world; Hickman Field, huge army airport; Schofield Barracks, with one of the largest concentrations of U. S. troops; and seven forts and 40 military reservations.

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## Hospital Notes

M. J. Stevens of Vealmore underwent major surgery at the Big Spring hospital Friday morning.

Barbara Wilson, Route 1 of Big Spring, was discharged from the Big Spring hospital Friday morning.

Mrs. L. A. Eubanks returned Tuesday from Dallas where she went for surgery. She is reported much improved.

## MODEST MAIDENS



"... just you and I, strolling down the lane of life together."

## South American Theme Given At Annual Fall Banquet Of The Forum

A patriotic note was carried out in the decorations and program Thursday night when the Modern Woman's Forum held its annual banquet at the Settles hotel and introduced new members.

Mrs. Walter Wilson, Mrs. Joe Birdwell, Twila Lomax, Arah Phillips, Mrs. J. L. Sullivan, Mrs. Frank Gibson are to be new members of the organization.

Installation of new officers was conducted by Nellie Puckett and Mrs. W. J. McAdams is president; Mildred Creath, vice president; Ina Deason, secretary; Marjorie Taylor, treasurer.

The club pledge was given and Mrs. A. B. Wade had the invocation. Miss Deason played the music and Mrs. Cecil Collings welcomed new members. Mrs. Wilson gave the response.

Mrs. Cliff Wiley spoke on South America and Mrs. R. A. Eubank followed with a talk on how to secure passports and visas to travel in South America. Mrs. Thomas J. Coffee related experiences aboard ship and Mrs. W. F. Cook discussed contemporary Latin America.

Miss Creath gave a poem, "Let Us Forget," and a candlelight memorial service was held for Mrs. Frank Boyle and Lois Cochran, both of whom were charter members.

The table was decorated with vines and flags spaced down the center and three red tapers burned in candelabra at either end of speaker's table. A simulated blue ocean with a ship crossing and an airplane ready to fly across were also table decorations. Plate favors were tickets for a good neighbor tour.

The Forum will study this winter on South American countries and customs. The group will meet Friday night at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. W. Muddrey, 908 Runnels.

Others present were Mrs. J. P. Dodge, Marjorie Taylor, Mrs. Cecil Collings, Mrs. G. G. Sawtelle, Edith Gay, Mary Elizabeth Dodge.

## State Supervisor Meets With The Royal Neighbors

State Supervisor Myrtle Estes Carter of Abilene was a guest at the Royal Neighbor meeting at the W. O. W. hall Thursday afternoon and was presented with a gift from the group. Mrs. Carter was recently married in Abilene.

The group practiced for the convention to be held in Odessa and a covered-dish luncheon was planned for 12 o'clock next Wednesday in the home of Mrs. E. W. Burleson.

Others present were Mrs. L. S. Bonner, Mrs. E. O. Hicks, Mrs. J. W. Orr, Mrs. J. W. Orr of Stanton, Mrs. J. S. Nabors, Mrs. Odelle Buchanan, Mrs. L. E. Holley, Mrs. Claude Wright, Mrs. Gordon Buchanan, Mrs. E. W. Burleson, Mrs. J. T. Byers, Miss Opal Pond.

## Lubbock Couple Marry In Amos R. Wood Home Thursday

Miss Erma Stokes and Dr. Allen R. Hamilton, both of Lubbock, were married Thursday night in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Amos R. Wood by the Rev. D. F. McConnell, Wood and Dr. Hamilton were formerly associated here at Dr. Wood's office and the couple drove to Big Spring to be married in their home.

Dr. Hamilton, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. H. Hamilton of Comanche, is now with the Swartz Optical clinic of Lubbock. Mrs. Hamilton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stokes of Lubbock.

## J. W. Whitton Treated For Injured Ankle

J. W. Whitton is being treated at Big Spring hospital for a broken ankle received Wednesday when he fell from a ladder. Whitton, who is a painter, was working at Mayo Courts when he slipped and fell injuring the member.

## Reservations Being Taken For A. A. U. W. West Texas Meet

Reservations are still being received for the A. A. U. W. West Texas conference luncheon being held at the Settles hotel Saturday beginning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Gene McNaillen may be called for reservations.

The morning session and afternoon sessions will be conducted by state officers of the A. A. U. W. composed of some of the most brilliant women in the state.

Members and prospective members are invited to attend the sessions.

## Elbow Knitting Class Meets For Session

The Elbow Knitting class met Wednesday evening at the school house and present were Mrs. Lacey Low, Mrs. Florrie Neill, Mrs. Gladys Williamson, Mrs. Theatus Dunagan, Mrs. Addie Hill, Mrs. Eula Mae Rogers, Mrs. G. G. Sawtelle, Mrs. Annabel McRae, and a new member, Mrs. A. T. Bronough.

## Mrs. Buel Fox Given Farewell Shower And Supper Thursday

A group of friends complimented Mrs. Buel Fox with a buffet supper and shower Thursday night as the honoree is leaving Monday for Abilene where she will join her husband who is employed there by the H. J. Heinz company.

Supper was served and games played and gifts presented. Those present were Mrs. R. C. Hitt, Mrs. Robert E. Lee, Mrs. W. W. McCormick, Mrs. J. V. Gant, Mrs. Lonnie Coker, Mrs. E. C. Casey, Mrs. Bart Wilkinson, Mrs. R. D. McMillan, Mrs. T. B. McGinnis, Mrs. Kirk Baxter.

Mrs. F. J. Gibson, Mrs. Bill Younger, Mrs. Hugh Duncan, Mrs. J. C. Velvin, Mrs. W. H. Johnson, Mrs. Joe Long Sneed, Mrs. C. O. Nalley, Mrs. Oscar Watts, Olyva Chumley.

## Dorcas Class Given Social In Home Of Mrs. Robinson

Mrs. T. J. A. Robinson entertained the First Baptist Dorcas class in her home Thursday for a social and installation of officers. Mrs. Robinson presided and Mrs. Dannie Walton had the devotional. Officers will be Mrs. A. T. Lloyd, president; Mrs. Walton, membership chairman; Mrs. Annie Beasley, class mistress; Mrs. D. C. Maupin, stewardship; Mrs. Robinson, social; Mrs. Mary Ehlmann, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. C. M. Chesney, reporter.

A salad course was served and a guest present was Mrs. A. C. Kloven. Others were Mrs. W. H. Buchanan, Mrs. Lina Lewellen, Mrs. A. P. Clayton.

## Girl Scouts Hold A Picnic On Ranch Near Forsan

FORSAN, Sept. 27 (Sp1)—A girl scout picnic was held Thursday at the ranch of Mrs. Walter Gressett south of town with Mrs. Lois O'Barr Smith and Miss Margaret Jackson, leader, assisting.

The scouts cooked the stew and prepared hot chocolate and present were Doris Whirley, Bonnie Read, Peggy Benton, Juanita Smith, Virginia White, Marjorie Oglesby, Laverna Thiene, Dorothy Jane Gressett, Frances Nan Sheedy, Joan Lewis, Glen Smith.

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## Surprise Party Given For C. P. Kennedy On His Birthday

A surprise party was given for C. P. Kennedy Thursday night by Mrs. Kennedy on his birthday anniversary in their home at 502 Lancaster with Mrs. W. N. Crain.

Forty-two was played and birthday cake and coffee served. The honored guest was presented with gifts and music was furnished by Marvin Louisa Davis on the accordion and Clemmie Lee Crain on the guitar.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merrick, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCullough.

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# Initial Tilts Will Unveil New Strength

## Giant-Killer A&I Out To Give Aggies Crucial Test Sat.

By FELIX R. MCKNIGHT  
The Texas Aggies go to work tomorrow on the storied sod of their Kyle Field.

Down a long row starts the nation's No. 1 team of 1939 in its inaugural against a reputed giant killer at College Station—Texas A&I and Industries.

Bulls-eye target of every team in its schedule and weighted with linex and schedule troubles that made the majority of experts shy off them in defense of their title and swing over to Southern Methodist, the Aggies court trouble on the hill.

But Southern Methodist, the people's choice, also runs smack grief in tonight's opener at the Coliseum against U. C. L. A. in the other Saturday games, Texas gets a visit from Colorado at Austin; Baylor opens under lights at Waco against North Texas State; Texas Christian takes Centenary at Fort Worth and Arkansas at Fayetteville, while Central Oklahoma Teachers, Rice is idle.

The Aggies, intact for the shove-off against A. and I. go against a resolute bunch that has been building up to this game for months. It isn't too unreasonable to believe that maybe this is the spot for a near upset.

The Javelinas went out to California last weekend and damaged the premises. They beat San Jose State 19-0, San Jose State, he it known, was the nation's highest scoring team last year under old Pop Warner. Furthermore, they had not been held scoreless since 1937. But the most impressive part of the triumph was the Javelina defense. It held the Californians to a feeble eight yards!

Southern Methodist prepared to throw a great collection of ground gaining backs at U. C. L. A. before an expected throng of 75,000 in the Los Angeles coliseum. Matty Bell figured he would need points to outdistance the Uclians and their fleet negro backs, Jackie Robinson and Ray Bartlett. But Bell never has been short on defense, so his Methodists get a touchdown call.

Jumpin' Jack Crain is in form and San and Texas has shown general improvement in power and speed, making them favorites over invading Colorado, defending champions at the Big Seven.

It Dean Bagley gets loose, and from scrimmage indications, he's likely to run all the way to Dallas, Texas Christian should overpower Centenary in its running game, despite absence of injured Kyle Gillespie, the fine passer and passer. Baylor, likewise, should unveil one of the most potent ground games in this area in overwhelming small, but fleet, North Texas.

The sophomores in Arkansas backfield, plus the jittery running of Hamberg, Little sack back, should be enough to comfortably bury the Central Oklahoma Teachers in the Arkansas debut at Fayetteville.

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# Steers Underdogs In Lubbock Go Tonight

## LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Jack Douglas  
Every football team has games scheduled that they look forward to with mingled feelings. Big Spring's Steers face just such a game tonight when they meet the Lubbock Westerners, defending champions of the state. To the outsider, there is an appearance of tenseness with a bit of "we'll show 'em spirit." It is under such circumstances that an underdog sometimes gets his steam up and gives a favored team the wallop of its life.

If Pat Murphy's Longhorns sink the Bad Men of the Plains, they will have turned in a game that is about three touchdowns over their heads—and it is not an impossibility. Of course, since this is the first appearance of this year on the homefield, Lubbock is apt to give an inspired showing.

There can be no doubt about Lubbock's powerful ground attack after the way Fort Worth's North Siders were smothered last week, but their aerial game has not been exhibited so far this year. If Coach Goobar Keyes' Gun Toters use the same tactics as they did in the Odessa and North Side tilts, forward defense Murphymen are going to be faced with the prospect of stopping a charging machine that has not been stopped in two starts.

In view of the fact that Lubbock is overly confident of stretching a Steer hide on their locker-room wall and the same Steer is out to show the paying customers that he has something after all, we are advancing the opinion that Big Spring will not lose by more than two touchdowns and even has an outside chance to tie or win.

Boy, does that prediction leave an opening for hitting something right.

Yesterday morning Obie Bristow, hot football fan and sports broadcast maestro, called Texas A&I's football coach to get his opinion of the Aggies sending a scout out to the west coast to catch their duel with the San Jose crew of California. The Javelina mentor called it the height of precaution. Ole Army must be taking this repeat tradition mighty seriously.

## BUFFS, VOLS EVEN IN DIXIE AS SERIES MOVE TO HOUSTON

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 27 (AP)—The count in the Dixie series was Houston 1, Nashville 1, today as the Texas league and Southern association champions headed westward to resume their diamond warfare Saturday night in Houston.

The sensational relief pitching of 24-year-old Teddy Wilks put the skids under Nashville last night, enabling the Buffaloes to win, 6-4, and even the series.

Neither of the starting hurlers finished, although youthful Howard Pollet got credit for the victory after being lifted for a pinch-hitter in the fifth frame. George Jeffcoat, Southern league strike-out king, yielded seven hits for all Houston's runs before he gave way to Tom Drake in the sixth.

**Tahoka Duels  
Tornadoes**  
LAMESA, Sept. 27 (Sp)—Having a record of two wins in two starts, Lamesa's Golden Tornadoes make an attempt to keep the book clear when they meet the Class A Tahoka Bulldogs tonight on McCollum field at Lamesa.

Tahoka, long-time foes of the Tornadoes in gridiron engagements, has one win from Crosbytown and a loss to Monahans for this season's showing.

McCollum plans to send the same lineup on the field that has started previous games this year.

Probable starting lineup for Tahoka: West and King, ends; Knight and Deason, tackles; Parker and Kigo, guards; Truman, center; Adams, quarterback; Waldrop and Botkin, halfbacks; Curry, fullback.

**Bishop Moore  
Here Sunday**  
Bishop John M. Moore, of Dallas, will preach at the First Methodist church Sunday morning at 10:55. Bishop Moore is one of the outstanding preachers and statesmen of the Methodist church, and was one of the leaders in the work of unification in which the Methodist Episcopal church, the Methodist Protestant church, and the Methodist Episcopal church, South, united to form the Methodist church.

At present he is serving as editor of the Southwestern Advocate, Methodist publication for the southwest.

The services of First Methodist church will be broadcast over Station KEBT.

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# Barker Picks Aggies, SMU To Edge Foes

## Texas, TCU Are Favored Over Non-Loop Teams

By HERB BARKER  
NEW YORK, Sept. 27 (AP)—Taking the first blindfold test of the 1940 football season and gently reminding that everybody in this country is entitled to his own opinion, no matter how misguided he may be:

California-Michigan; Michigan, with All-American Tom Harmon still on deck, looms as a title threat in the "big nine," while early forecasts relegate California to the also-rans in the Pacific Coast conference.

The guess is Michigan, despite the long trip. Minnesota-Washington: Nobody knows how good Minnesota may be, and everyone agrees Washington, paced by Dean McAdams, will sweep through the Pacific Coast.

Tulane-Houston College: The eastern drums are beating for Boston but this vote goes to Tulane, unbeaten during the regular season last year.

U.C.L.A.—Southern Methodist: Just one more sample of how many schedule makers have abandoned the old "brat" type of opener. S.M.U.'s Mustangs expect to give Texas A. and M. something to worry about in the southwest and rate the call over U.C.L.A., beret of Kenney Washington.

Ohio State-Pitt The Buckeyes won the Big Ten a year ago and apparently are better, if anything, a golf lesson from Sam Byrd.

Coaching worries: On the Long Island U. squad is a 256-pound lineman named Leo Laloff... He's a whale of a griddler, but he just doesn't seem to be good enough to oust any of the regulars. Also, he is too good to sit on the bench. Coach Clair Bee is asking you like a friend, what you are going to do today a guy like that?

Today's guest star—Dan Desmond, Sioux City (Ia.) Journal: "One of the godgets in Bob Feller's new home at Van Meter will touch off a series of aerial bombs and turn on a storm warning, if Hank Greenberg happens in the vicinity... Greenberg has battled .471 against Feller this season."

Giant fans are cheering the Yankees for their fine pennant drive and that, gentlemen, is something.

Followed the crowd: The Texas sports writers are howling and scrapping all over the southwest. Weldon Hart of the South American comes right out and picks Rice to win the conference championship, while Lloyd Gregory of the Houston Post returns the favor by selecting Texas U.

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**The Standings**

American League	W	L	Pct.
Team—	8	62	.589
Detroit	8	62	.589
Cleveland	8	64	.576
New York	8	64	.573
Chicago	8	71	.530
Boston	7	72	.517
St. Louis	6	85	.437
Washington	6	87	.420
Philadelphia	5	96	.356

National League	W	L	Pct.
Team—	9	52	.629
Cincinnati	9	52	.629
Brooklyn	8	54	.596
Pittsburgh	8	59	.540
Chicago	7	76	.497
New York	7	79	.470
Boston	6	85	.433
Philadelphia	4	102	.320

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
National League  
Cincinnati 4-1, St. Louis 3-5.  
Pittsburgh 7, Chicago 6.  
Boston 5-5, Brooklyn 2-4.  
New York 3-2, Philadelphia 1-1.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
New York 5-2, Philadelphia 4-0.  
Washington 6, Boston 5.  
Only games scheduled.

**TODAY'S GAMES**  
American League  
Detroit at Cleveland—Rowe (16-3) vs. Feller (27-19).  
St. Louis at Chicago—Harris (10-14) vs. Dietrich (9-6).  
New York at Philadelphia—Russo (14-7) vs. Babich (13-13).  
Washington at Boston—Monaghan (3-5) vs. Ostermeyer (4-9).

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Philadelphia at New York—Podgajny (1-2) vs. Hubbell (11-11).  
Chicago at St. Louis—Passeau (20-13) vs. Waneke (15-10).  
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati—Swigart (6-2) vs. Moore (8-7).  
(Only games scheduled.)

**Mexico City Population Increase To 1,752,000**  
MEXICO CITY, Sept. 27 (AP)—Mexico City's population has grown to 1,752,000, the government announced today on the basis of the recent census, making it second only to Buenos Aires among Latin American cities.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cunningham are in Dallas this weekend where Jennings will attend a sales meeting and Cunningham will buy Christmas stock.

# Sports

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## Tie Race Looms As NY Takes 8 In Row

By JUDSON BAILEY  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
Conn'd Mack, a well-known baseball manager and Illinois-known prophet when he predicted last spring the four-time world champion Yankees would crumble this year, has his last chance to make good on that prediction today.

With an almost imaginary chance to retain the American league flag, the New Yorkers have won their last eight games in a whirlwind finish that looms like a sword of Damocles over the heads of the Cleveland Indians and the Detroit Tigers.

Detroit can eliminate Cleveland with one victory any time it can get it—today, tomorrow or Sunday. But unless the Yankees get whipped, the Tigers will have to win twice at Cleveland to evade a tie with the champions.

That's why old Connie's forecast is back in his lap today, for his Philadelphia Athletics will meet the Yanks for the last time this season, and the A's can make certain that New York doesn't get any farther by winning this one game.

The A's couldn't do it yesterday in spite of two good pitching performances. The Yanks swept a doubleheader, 5-4 and 2-0, to put the standings in this shape for the payoff.

Games To Club—W. L. Pct. H'd Play  
Detroit 89 62 .589 3  
Cleveland 87 64 .576 2 3  
New York 86 64 .573 2 4

New York winds up the season at Washington with a doubleheader tomorrow and a single game Sunday.

The Tigers and Indians rested yesterday in preparation for today's crucial contest in which Schoolboy Rowe faces Bobby Feller. Cleveland has to win all three games in the series to get past Detroit.

In the only other American league game yesterday, the Senators squeezed past the Boston Red Sox, 6-5.

The National league champions, Cincinnati's Reds, divided a doubleheader at St. Louis. Johnny Vander Meer pitched six hit ball to take the first game, 4-3, and rookie Newt Kimball came back with a seven-hit job in the nightcap for a 5-1 triumph.

The Boston Bees bottled the Brooklyn Dodgers twice, 5-2 and 5-1.

The New York Giants took two from the tall-end Phillies, 3-1 and 2-1 and Pittsburgh squeezed past the Chicago Cubs 7-6.

**Religious Program To Continue Until Saturday Evening**

An interested audience attended the religious program presented by the St. Rita motor chapel on the high school playground Thursday evening.

The series will be continued to day at 7:30 p. m. and again Saturday evening at the same location under the direction of Paulist fathers, the Rev. Peter E. Hoey and the Rev. Richard A. Malloy.

Included in the program is a showing of the religious picture "King of Kings."

**DEFENDING CHAMP BETTY STILL TOPS IN GOLF TOURNAMENT**

DEL MONTE, Calif., Sept. 27 (AP)—Defending Champion Betty Jameson of Texas is still the girl to beat in the national women's golf tournament, but a pair of comely California lassies shape up as powerful threats to blonde Betty's reign.

The battle for the women's crown went into the semi-finals today over the tough Pebble Beach course.

The San Antonio champ met Clara Callender of Long Beach, Calif., while Mrs. James Ferrie, of Pasadena, Calif., met Jane Cothran of Greenville, S. C.

Margerie Ferrie, the California state champion, demonstrated a sound game of golf yesterday in walloping attractive Mary Morse of Pebble Beach; Clara Callender scored an impressive victory over Mrs. Willard Shepherd of Los Angeles, and Miss Cothran eliminated "the little giant killer" from Fargo, N. D., Georgia Talner.

Miss Jameson, meanwhile, was busy registering a six and five triumph over Mrs. Gregg Littor of Los Angeles, veteran of major tournament competition and always a threat in match play competition.

**New Legion Commander Soldiered In Texas**  
BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 27 (AP)—Milo J. Warner, elected national commander of the American Legion here yesterday, served on the Texas-Mexican border before the World war and was at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, afterward.

The Toledo, O., lawyer was with the Ohio national guard at El Paso in 1916 where as a young cavalry sergeant he got his first active service.

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# Baer Kayoes Comiskey In First Frame

## Irish Boy Draped Over Ropes When Fight Is Stopped

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 27 (AP)—Bids were in order today for a rebuilding job on heavyweight title aspirations of Patrick Edward Comiskey as the fight world speculated anew on the merit of the game's most unpredictable figure—Max Baer.

The 31-year-old Max, transferring to explosive fists the energy often reserved for clowning, knocked out the youthful Paterson (N. J.) fighter, who was rated the most likely challenger for Joe Louis' crown, in 2 minutes and 35 seconds on the first round of their scheduled 15-round bout at Roosevelt stadium last night.

When Referee Jack Dempsey stopped the fight Comiskey was draped over the top strands of the ropes. He had been down for an eight count a few seconds earlier.

A wicked short right caught green Pat solidly on the button to mark the beginning of the end. "I sucked him in and found out I could nail him," Max said.

Nail him he did, Pat sitting down abruptly. He came up fighting, but Max, the killer when he senses a weakness in an opponent, was on him with a tremendous barrage of lefts and rights.

There was nothing for Dempsey to do but step in and stop it. Disappointed, but not discouraged, Comiskey today was asking rather weakly for a return match.

"I was a wild swinging fool," he said bitterly.

As for Madeap Maxie: "Who else is there for Louis to fight but me?" he asked bravely.

## Whirlwinds In 13-6 Win Over B'Spring

LAMESA, Sept. 27 (Sp)—Lamesa's Whirlwinds and Big Spring's Junior football teams clashed on McCollum field at Lamesa Thursday afternoon, the victors coming out on the short end of a 13-6 score. Coach Coleman's Yearlings pushed over for the initial marker in the first quarter but were unable to repeat or to hold a fast-moving around and attack by the Junior Lamesans, which hit pay dirt in the second and third quarters.

For the touchdown for Big Spring, Coleman's crew moved down the field in a series of line plunges that swept the Whirlwinds off their feet in the opening minutes of play.

Lamesa hung up its first marker when James Moore raced around end to cover the six yards remaining between the Whirlwinds' hopes and a touchdown. Lamesa received to open the second half and after a see-saw battle gained possession of the ball on their own 45-yard line. Advancing the ball to the 30-yard stripe in two first downs, Lamesa crashed through to the final score when J. C. Mitchell ran off tackle, broke into the clear and ripped across the Big Spring stripe.

Starting lineup for Big Spring: Bagley and Newton, ends; Brown and Boykin, tackles; Smith and Dearing, guards; McDonald, center; E. Postick, quarter; Holley and Harold, halves; Massey, fullback.

Starting lineup for Lamesa: Roberts and Burrell, ends; Bays and Brocther, tackles; Lattimore and McQueen, guards; Bonds, center; Collins and Dougherty, halfbacks; Driver, quarterback; Mitchell, fullback.

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Editorial

What Will Spring Bring? If England is able to hold out through the winter the United States will be in the war by spring...

ing along these lines: "England is as much to blame as Germany. Let them fight it out. It's none of our business."

Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON—Notes from the CCC (the reference herein to C-men is not my invention; the boys of the Civilian Conservation Corp refer to themselves that way):

equipment, gave the blaze the once-over. P. S. It's still out. Boulder City, Nev.—Our No. 1 nominee for the little man who had a busy day: Estel "Shorty" Fout...

Man About Manhattan

SAN JUAN, P. R.—Arturo Gigante, the sports columnist for El Mundo, tells me that Mona Channel, which is off the west coast of Puerto Rico and which used to be a part of the old Spanish Main...

wasn't. After a few attempts to popularize the sport, which were dismal in the extreme, all those nice new skaters were carefully put away and haven't been seen, or mentioned, since.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds

HOLLYWOOD — The John-Elaine business ought to make a good daily "box" like the weather reports. Raymond Massey really has been acting in "Santa Fe Trail" in which he plays John Brown...

my autograph since I went off the relief rolls! Dana Andrews, the young Fremont of "Kit Carson" has three more years to go before paying off the deal that put him in pictures...

The Herald's Serial Story

Chapter 26 ONLY ONE EXPLANATION The dance had ended and John had taken her to a remote corner of the room...

Memory Of The Moon

Pedro took her back to her isolated corner, bowed slightly. "The shrewd little Michael Mahoney," he said.

as long as he was at El Cabrillo. She should be relieved. She has been worrying about fifteen hundred guests over the week end...

Bridge

BRIDGE. YEP, WE'VE COME A LONG WAY IN THE PAST FEW YEARS. IT'S HARD TO REALIZE THAT ONLY A SHORT TIME AGO THERE WAS NO SUCH THING AS A FORCING TWO BID OR THE BLACKWOOD CONVENTION...

By Jack Stinnett

For a moment Pedro's arms tightened about her, then relaxed. "Right," he agreed. "Civilized women love with their heads. It looks as though you'd already won your battle."

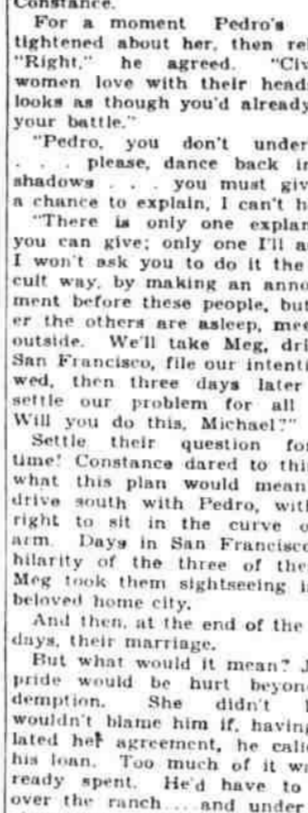
By George Tucker

Today we had lunch with William B. Bell in the unbelievably beautiful Garden-by-the-Sea at the Condado. Puerto Rican servants in white uniforms brought us wonderful filets of Mornauze...

By Robbin Coons

Movie titles are brightening up: "Reaching for the Sun" (which is the new one for the novel "F. O. B. Detroit") and "Valley of the Sun" and maybe "Sun Valley"...

Comic Strip: DICK AND DARE



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FOR Sale cheap 1934 International 1 1/2 ton truck. John Churchill, 5 miles north on Gail Road.

### Baptist Conference To Be Held Sunday At Midland Church

A fifth Sunday conference of Baptist Sunday school workers is scheduled for Sunday at Midland, it is announced by Rev. R. Elmer Dunham, associational Sunday school superintendent. The session will start at 2:30 p. m. and will be held in the new educational building of the Midland Baptist church. Conference leaders will be Mrs. J. C. Hamilton and Mrs. S. E. Nall, Odessa; Mrs. V. Phillips, John R. Hutto, Mrs. R. E. Dunham, Rev. Dunham, Rev. A. B. Lightfoot and Mrs. Vernon Logan of Big Spring; Mrs. N. W. Pitts of Coahoma and Mrs. Fred McPherson of Stanton.

### SOUTHWESTERN CARLOADINGS ON THE UPGRADE

DALLAS, Sept. 27 (AP)—A 5.81 per cent gain in southwestern carloadings was forecast today at a meeting of the southwest shippers advisory board, which also heard plans for handling troops scheduled to be concentrated in the southwest under the current national defense set-up.

Representatives of industry from Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas were given the board's estimate of 288,764 cars to originate from the southwest as compared to the 262,664 cars handled during the last quarter of 1934.

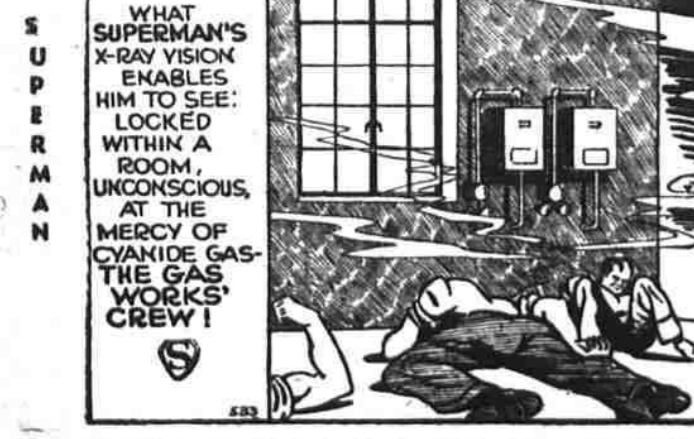
### Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS  
1. Film on a liquid  
2. Support for a pianist  
3. Inhabitant of a resort  
4. Ancient language  
5. Two-toed sloth  
6. Study  
7. Ficus  
8. Call  
9. King Arthur's lance  
10. Symbol for body  
11. Waste  
12. Musical note  
13. Lays away  
14. Crustacea  
15. Knock  
16. Worst  
17. Gem  
18. Gem  
19. Symbol for copper

DOWN  
1. Wine cask  
2. Seed coverings  
3. Public vehicle  
4. Estate  
5. Gratings  
6. Small west African monkey  
7. Flower cup  
8. Instead of  
9. Onionlike vegetable  
10. Stray body  
11. Heavenly  
12. Baptismal vessel  
13. Musical note  
14. Exclamation  
15. Solid tube  
16. Border  
17. Trap  
18. Undraped figure  
19. Turf  
20. Hardens

### Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Affirmative  
2. Rubber tree  
3. Cold dry wind of South  
4. Old musical instrument  
5. Dillseed  
6. Snail  
7. Furry  
8. Writer  
9. Wood used for masts and spars  
10. English queen  
11. Corded fabric  
12. Bird's nest  
13. Algerian support  
14. Olive tree  
15. Proper name  
16. Personal dignity  
17. Scrittin  
18. Bird's nest  
19. Of the ear  
20. Thive  
21. Name of source at bottom  
22. Bird's nest  
23. College song  
24. Statue in capital  
25. Bird's nest  
26. Bird's nest  
27. Bird's nest  
28. Bird's nest  
29. Bird's nest  
30. Bird's nest



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**AN ANALYSIS OF THE WAR DEVELOPMENTS**

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

control in order to help her achieve before jumping to conclusions re-comes independent of American position under the pact signed today between Tokyo, Berlin and Rome, though it seems to be clear one of the chief purposes of this agreement is to keep America out of giving England military assistance.

Beyond that the pact with Europe divides attention from the European and Asia among the three powers, war, and what not. However, it is the value of such an agreement depends on developments in the Pacific. Japan's position under the pact is to keep Britain and the United States at arms length.

Japan's trouble is that she does not know who is going to win the European war. She must play both ends against the middle and meantime rush her expansion so that it may be an accomplished fact when the victor of the western conflict is free to take a hand in Asiatic affairs, as either Britain or Germany most certainly will do.

Japan's position is further complicated by the ever-present danger of war with Russia. That is why Tokyo now is busy talking an anti-aggression pact with Moscow.

When all is said and done, it seems very sure that Japan doesn't want to get mixed up militarily in the European war or with America at this crucial juncture. If it can be avoided.

**To Start Work Here 'n' There Soon On New Sea Bases**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP) — The army and navy are shielding their intentions with wartime secrecy, but dirt may fly shortly on the first of eight new naval and air bases in the Atlantic acquired from Great Britain.

Recommendations of a joint army-navy survey board of experts for the development of the two northernmost points on the new outer line of defense already are in President Roosevelt's hands and reports on the rest are expected to be complete within a month.

In the meantime the chief executive is in a position to save time by using his \$200,000,000 discretionary defense fund to start work on the Bermuda and Newfoundland bases, without awaiting detailed plans for the other sites yet to be surveyed.

Even before any actual improvements are undertaken, however, naval authorities said that planes and ships of the neutrality patrol could make some use of the north Atlantic, Caribbean and South American bases as soon as the exact limits were fixed.

Just what air fields, channels, docks and fortifications are contemplated will remain secret indefinitely, by present indications.

However, high defense authorities have hinted guardedly that the intention is to anchor the long outpost line securely by strong fortifications at either end, with the aim of assuring that the Caribbean will become and remain an "American lake."

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**Treaty**

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immediately engaged in the Pacific under the mutual assistance clause with a fleet as big that she would be unable to come to Britain's aid in the Atlantic or Mediterranean. (The Japanese navy is the world's third largest, almost equal to the German and Italian combined.)

While no particular nation was mentioned, it was clear to the whole audience at the palatial chancellery that the pact was intended as a warning to America. The audience included some 200 newspapermen.

At the farther end of the hall, next to the door of offices of the cabinet and Fuehrer Hitler, stood a long table with microphones and three leather armchairs. The center one for German Foreign Minister Von Ribbentrop, the one to his right for Italian Foreign Minister Ciano and the one to his left for Saburo Kurusu, Japanese ambassador to Germany.

Von Ribbentrop, addressing the assembly following the reading of the pact warned:

"Any nation which intends to mix in the joint affairs of the contractors of the new agreement will have to meet the compact power of the three united nations of 250,000,000 people."

Von Ribbentrop described the pact as an "alliance of the three most powerful powers in the world."

He said it was directed against "those warmongers in the world who are intending to continue and to spread this war."

The pact was to be effective immediately against all comers.

**CCC Quotas Given For District Area**

CCC quotas for the 10 counties in the Big Spring district for the state department of public welfare were announced here Friday by Marjorie Whiteaker.

Howard county was assigned a quota of 10 youths and Martin county drew the same figure. Mitchell, however, was assigned a quota of 25 young men.

Other county quotas for CCC enrollment were Andrews two, Coke five, Ector six, Midland six, Nolan 16 and Sterling three.

Miss Whiteaker said that Oct. 17-18 had been fixed as tentative dates for sending CCC enrollees to camp from this district. Youths interested were advised to consult the county welfare agencies in their county seats.

**HEDY LAMARR IS GRANTED DIVORCE**

Hedy Lamarr won a divorce today from Film Writer Gene Markey after testifying that during the 14 months of married life only four times did they have a "nice quiet evening at home alone."

Superior Judge William S. Baird granted the divorce.

Markey, formerly married to Actress Joan Bennett, made no answer to Miss Lamarr's charges of cruelty.



**IN "BRIGHAM YOUNG"**—Set against the turbulent background of the great Mormon trek in Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Brigham Young," is one of the most appealing love stories the screen has ever told—that of Jonathan Kent, Mormon scout and Zina Webb, "the outsider." Tyrone Power is seen as the scout, and lovely Linda Darnell is cast as the young girl who, although not of Mormon faith, flees with Tyrone's family after her father is killed in the massacre at Nauvoo. Deeply in love, they are forced to forego their romance during the harrowing trials of the trek. Even when the permanent Mormon community is founded at Great Salt Lake and it seems that, at last, they can belong to each other, it is necessary for the leader to send his scout back to Council Bluffs to bring on the main body of Mormons. Only after the historic plague of crickets and the "miracle of sea gulls" are they able to plan on a home together. "Brigham Young" is at the Ritz theatre Saturday midnight, Sunday and Monday.

**MARKETS Wall Street**

NEW YORK, Sept. 27 (AP)—Further complications in foreign affairs served as the main excuse for another sell-off in today's stock market.

In the final hour when declines ranged from fractions to around 3 per cent, closing quotations were a shade above bottom in some cases. Transfers approximated 500,000 shares.

Touching off the early decline, brokers said, was the announcement of the military and economic agreement between Japan and the Rome-Berlin axis which was generally believed aimed at the United States.

**Livestock**

**LIVESTOCK—FT WORTH—**

**FORT WORTH, Sept. 27 (AP)**—(USDA—Cattle 1,000; calves 800; steers, some low grade offerings downward from 8.00; load steers 9.00 on feed account; bulk butcher cows 4.25-5.00; fat cows in meager supply; bulls 4.25-5.75; medium and good killing calves 6.75-8.25; stockers slow.

Hogs 9.00; good and choice 185-200 lbs 6.50-6.60; good and choice 150-180 lbs 5.70-6.45.

Sheep salable 7.00; total 2,600; medium grade spring lambs 7.00-7.50; medium grade yearlings 6.50; fat ewes 3.00-3.50; spring feeder lambs 6.25 down.

**Cotton**

NEW YORK, Sept. 27 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 13-17 lower.

Open	High	Low	Last
Oct. ....	9.69	9.70	9.51
Dec. ....	9.88	9.89	9.53-54
Jan. ....	9.56	9.56	9.43N
Mar. ....	9.59	9.60	9.42
May ....	9.45	9.45	9.26-27
July ....	9.22	9.24	9.04-05

**NEGRO ARRESTED FOR DAWSON AUTHORITIES**

Fred Walker, negro, was given in custody to Buck Bennett, Dawson county sheriff, here Friday.

The negro, wanted at Lamesa on an assault with intent to murder charge, was arrested here Thursday by Deputy Sheriff A. J. Merrick.

**Pat Murphy Speaks To Kiwanis Club**

Big Spring Kiwanians found out Thursday what makes "the wheels go round" in a high school football plant when Pat Murphy, Steer head coach, appeared as principal speaker on a program arranged by Dr. W. B. Hardy.

Murphy pointed out that the local setup paid its own way without tax support and that last year's gross receipts were \$13,000. He also introduced coaching assistants, Carl Coleman, Herchel Stockton and John Daniel.

Two new members introduced were R. L. Tollett, president of Caden Petroleum Corp., and John A. Coffey, Big Spring high school principal.

**Washington**

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pean war or Asiatic conflict.

This clause promptly was interpreted in London as applying to the United States.

Shortly after the press conference, the White House made public a schedule of presidential engagements today which included conferences with the British ambassador, Lord Lothian, and with key defense officials, prior to an afternoon cabinet session.

Prior to Lord Lothian's call, Mr. Roosevelt had told reporters, in reply to a question, that he had heard nothing about a report the United States would furnish Great Britain with half of its new production of big bombing planes.

State department officials withheld formal comment pending a close study of the details and implications of the new three-power military and economic pact of Germany, Italy and Japan.

Informally, however, officials made it clear that such a development had been anticipated here. They noted that the Japanese press, commenting on the action of President Roosevelt in prohibiting scrap iron exports yesterday, said that the embargo placed the United States definitely on Britain's side.

It was known here, officials said, that Japan had been drawn steadily into closer relationship with Germany since the Konoye government came into power recently in Tokyo and set out with new vigor to create "a new order in East Asia."

The fanfare attached to the signing of the new alliance in Berlin was considered in official quarters here as a further sign that the war against Britain was not progressing according to Nazi tables and, it was implied, a diplomatic "victory" would be encouraging to the German people.

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**Lions Mix Entertainment With Reports On Club Activities At Zone Gathering In City**

Entertainment was mixed with reports of varied welfare and community activities here Thursday evening as 150 Lions and their wives from six towns held a dinner session in the Settles ballroom.

Combined reports from the six clubs showed an aggregate membership in excess of 1,300 and recounted activities which included sending a dozen delegates to the recent international convention in Havana, sustaining milk and food funds, furnishing glasses to underprivileged children, sponsoring Boy Scout and Cub units, prevailing on city commissioners to install traffic lights near schools, aiding CAA students, promoting student loan funds, and carrying on community duties in towns where there is no

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**WALLACE PRAISES ACQUIREMENT OF NAVAL BASES**

ENID, Okla., Sept. 27 (AP)—Henry A. Wallace declared last night that in view of the developments abroad "it certainly is providential that we acquired the new naval bases in the Atlantic."

The former secretary of agriculture and democratic vice presidential nominee, during a three-speech trip through Oklahoma's eighth congressional district, told a gathering here.

"We should give thanks that we have a president who understands our dangers—the dangers of any combination of dictators," Wallace said he was confident "no American blood will be shed if we pursue our present course."

He stressed the government's wheat loans and derided the republican farm platform.

**ANOTHER VISIT**  
PORT LAVACA, Sept. 27 (AP)—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel visited with Rep. Howard Hartog last night on his "get acquainted" tour contacting members of the legislature. The governor's party left for Canada.

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