

Britain Answers Japs' Challenge

Cotton Yield Estimated At 12,741,000

Government Forecast Slightly Under Month Ago WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The agriculture department today forecast this year's cotton crop at 12,741,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight, as indicated by Oct. 1 conditions.

Murderous Attacks Take Higher Toll In London

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Early Morning Raids People On Their Way To Work

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Wheat Subsidy Plan Suspended To Far East

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LULAC DINNER SET FOR THIS EVENING

A goodwill dinner, sponsored by the Lulac councils of Big Spring, will be held at 6:30 today in the Kate Morrison school.

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Cincinnati Captures World Series

Table with 2 columns: Team, Runs, Hits, Errors. Cincinnati 000 000 20x-2 7 1, Detroit 001 000 000-1 7 0

CINCINNATI, Oct. 8 (AP)—Cincinnati's rampant Redlegs won the world series today, four games to three, by beating the Detroit Tigers in the seventh contest, 2 to 1, before a crowd of about 25,000 thrill-crazed fans.

Court Upholds Hines Verdict

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 8 (AP)—New York's court of appeals upheld today the conviction of James J. Hines, a former Tammany district leader, on charges of being a political shield for a New York City policy racket.

Tax Roll For Schools OK'd

Approval of a \$9,425,430 tax roll for 1940 and rate of \$1 per \$100 valuation with 25 per cent to debt requirements and 75 per cent for local maintenance was given by the board of trustees for the Big Spring Independent school district Monday evening.

City Lined Up In Program To Improve Road

U. S. 80 Campaign Is Started, Drive Set Next Tuesday Big Spring was on its way Tuesday in a program designed to improve traffic conditions and revenue potentialities of its major highway—U.S. 80 — after a meeting Monday night attended by 40 business men.

Will Re-Open Burma Road On October 17

U. S. Citizens Are Advised To Come Home

Government Takes Cognizance Of Far Eastern Crisis

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The government today advised American citizens in the Far East, especially women and children, to consider the advisability of returning to the United States because of disturbed conditions in that area.

Tokyo Can Receive No Help From Germany And Italy, Churchill Declares Before Commons

LONDON, Oct. 8 (AP)—Winston Churchill announced in the house of commons today that Britain would reopen the Burma war supply road to China in answer to Japan's pact with Germany and Italy and declared Japan's new alliance would not be able to help her so long as the British and United States fleets "are in being."

Ambassador Cancels His Trip Home

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The British ambassador, Lord Lothian, asserted after a White House call today that his government had ordered him to cancel plans to return to England because "they think there may be a crisis in the Far East."

Instructions For 'R-Day'

With full supplies, for use in registration of males falling in the conscription age classification, received and ready to be distributed to election precinct chairmen, County Clerk Lee Porter said Tuesday that a school of instruction had been called for 2 p. m. Saturday.

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Wednesday with increasing high cloudiness Wednesday; slightly warmer tonight. EAST TEXAS—Fair and slightly warmer in west and north portion tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy and warmer.

Senate To Quit On Wednesday

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Draft Questions And The Answers

Jack Stinson, Washington columnist, writes a question-and-answer discussion of the draft. He answers questions typified by those running through the minds of all who register. The article begins today. See the "Washington Dispatch" on the editorial page.

READY FOR WAR WITH THE U. S.

ROME, Oct. 8 (AP)—Premier Mussolini's newspaper, Il Popolo d'Italia warned the United States today that Germany, Italy and Japan were ready to go to war with the United States if America rejected the Rome-Berlin-Tokyo axis' mutual "living space" offers and preferred instead to "throw down the gauntlet."

Youths Arrested With Stolen Car

Three youths, who gave their names as the Knott community, were taken into custody by state highway patrol officers at Pecos Monday at 9 p. m. in possession of a stolen car.

U. S. Air Squadron To Be Fighting For Britain Soon

LONDON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The first British fighter squadron composed solely of American pilots will shortly take its place in the front line of Britain's defenders, Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair announced today.

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LATER THAT DAY AS LOIS IS EATING A SHACK IN A NEARBY LUNCH-ROOM... WHAT IS IT, WILL? I-I'VE BEEN SEARCHING FOR YOU EVERYWHERE!

(-ODD IT MAY BE MY IMAGINATION, BUT THERE SEEMS TO BE SOMETHING UNUSUAL IN THE AIR! I CAN SENSE IT IN EVERYONE'S ATTITUDE!-) WELL, WELL! SO IT'S REPORTER! WON'T YOU BE SEATED, MY DEAR? AND HOW ARE YOU FEELING TODAY?

(-I'M FEELING FINE, THANK YOU!) (-?-?- THIS SUD DEN SOLICITUDE! I-I DON'T UNDERSTAND IT!-) IT'S JUST THE CALM, LOIS - BEFORE THE STORM!

YOU DIDN'T TELL US LAST NIGHT YOU WERE HITCH-HIKING TO PATCHUKA! WHAT IS YOUR RACKET, ANYWAY? IT WOULDN'T BE A GOOD RACKET IF I TOLD, WOULD IT?

I-I'M LOOKING FOR SOMEBODY! I'VE COMBED EVERY SPOT IN THESE WILD AND WOOLY MOUNTAINS, CEPT THAT BURG, AND I THINK... WHAT WAS THAT NOISE? SOUNDS LIKE A CHICAGO TYPEWRITER!!

YOU'RE RIGHT! IT'S A MACHINE-GUN!! -GO, QUICK AND... NEVER MIND - I'LL GO MYSELF!!

THAT WAS TERRIFIC PATSY! - BUT I DIDN'T KNOW THAT SONG WAS TO BE AUDITIONED FOR VAN STRIKER!! -ER- IT WASN'T... -WE SORTA SLIPPED IT IN WITH THOSE OTHER SONGS FREDDIE GAVE YOU TO PLAY...

I, VAN STRIKER, WILL HAVE A FIT IF I DON'T FIND OUT WHO WROTE THAT SONG!! -GO, QUICK AND... NEVER MIND - I'LL GO MYSELF!!

COFFEE CROF ANDERSON, S. C., Oct. 8 - Eighty-four year old D. C. Holland may not have to buy any coffee this winter. He has a crop of it in his garden.

YEP YOUR MONEY'S GONE, STUPID! YOU MIGHT AS WELL GET USED TO THE IDEA ANY COME ON HOME! I-I SHALL DO NOTHING OF THE SORT! I WANT TO FIND THE SCOUNDWAG WHO TOOK IT IF I HAVE TO SEARCH TO THE END OF THE EARTH!

OH - GOSH! YOU SURE MADE A QUICK TRIP TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH! OR - HOW YA FEELING? AW - NOT YET! NOT YET! BUT... -AW - AS I'M GIVING A BIT FATIGUED, I THOUGHT IT BEST TO COME BACK AND GET A GOOD NIGHT'S SLEEP! BEFORE DRAWING ON SUCH AN ARDUOUS VENTURE!

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The Effects Of Liquor Cannot Be Repealed "If you have had three drinks, you are not exactly (dead) drunk, but you are in no condition to drive an automobile," says the New York Times.

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Coahoma News

A. E. Cook of Lubbock visited friends here Friday. He is a former teacher in Coahoma public schools. Everett and Eris Little of Meigs spent the weekend visiting friends and relatives. They are former residents of this city.

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With Nairn Self-Polishing Wax—made by Congoleum-Nairn—world's largest manufacturers of smooth surface floor coverings...

Stock Law Election A Feature Of Howard County News Of 1891

News of a stock law election, which carried in humdrum fashion by a four-to-one count, and a lot of homey chatter is contained in the tattered copy of the Howard County News being shown by J. S. Winslow, county commissioner.

EMPTY PACKAGE UNDER TRESTLE HALTS FD'S TRAIN

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—President Roosevelt's special train rolled into union station today after a 40-minute delay attributed by Secretary Stephen Early to the discovery of a package—which turned out to be empty—under a trestle on the line of travel.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Oct. 8 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle 2,400; calves 1,800; most classes cattle and calves fully steady; common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 5.00-8.25; five lots good 1220 lbs. steers 9.00; few lots good and choice fed yearlings 9.00-10.25...

Crude Production Shows A Decline

TULSA, Oct. 8 (AP)—With Texas Kansas and Illinois production off, the nation's daily crude oil production dropped 311,142 barrels to 5,488,465 for the week ended Oct. 5, the Oil and Gas Journal said today.

EX-BANKER DIES

DALLAS, Oct. 8 (AP)—Houston Gaines Musgrave, Sr., 75, former vice president of the First National Bank of Aubrey, Denton County, died here last night. He had been a resident of Dallas for the past 17 years.

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HEARTS COWBOYS LOCOMOTIVES BRIDGE TABLES

IVA'S CREDIT JEWELRY Iva Husaycutt Wacker's is Across The Street

TWO DEAD, ONE HURT IN PLANE CRASH

ALICE, Oct. 8 (AP)—L. C. Bayne, pilot of a plane that crashed here yesterday with the loss of two lives, remained in a hospital today.

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ALLEGIANCE TO FLAG PLEDGE ADVOCATED FOR ALL PUPILS

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 8 (AP)—Mark Smith, president of Kiwanis International, advocated before the Texas-Oklahoma district convention today that all American school goers "from the first grade through the senior classes of college" open the day with a pledge of allegiance to the flag.

GIN MISHAP FATAL

CROCKETT, Oct. 8 (AP)—Jordan D. Welch, 44, cotton gin expert of Dallas, was killed last night while working on a gin near here.

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The FASHION WOMEN'S WEAR

FLIERS KILLED

SALT LAKE CITY, Oct. 8 (AP)—A crash into a mountainside in the rugged Wasatch range cost two lives yesterday of two United States army fliers identified as Second Lieut. James E. Mather of Salt Lake City and Private Homer C. Lloyd of Rosebud, Mont.

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W. T. Strange, former chamber of commerce manager here and who also operated an architectural office before moving to Lubbock two years ago, was back in town Tuesday for a brief visit. He still answers to the name of "Tangle."

SEA FOOD SEASON IS NOW OPEN -- WE OFFER FOR YOUR APPROVAL A SPECIAL SEA FOOD PLATE Consists of Broiled Oysters, Fried Jumbo Shrimp, Tenderloin of Trout, Stewed Tomatoes, Dill Pickles, French Fried Potatoes and your Choice of Coffee or Tea—50c

COOL WEATHER CALLS FOR MEXICAN FOODS— Includes with Chili or Pina Sauce... 30c Chili and Tomatoes... 30c Mexican Dinner with Coffee... 60c Chili Con Carne with or without Beans... 50c Scrambled Eggs with Chili Con Carne... 50c

The Steak House Cliff Baldwin, Chef FAST, COURTEOUS DRIVE-IN SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Kingfield of Rotan, his great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kingfield of Rotan, his great-great-grandmother, Mrs. A. R. Cave of Rotan. They have all been visitors to the Brooks home as has the child's great-aunt, Mrs. R. T. Martin and daughter, Mariene of Roby. Mrs. Cave, who is 81 years old, presented Robert Truman with a fifty-cent piece and A. W. Kingfield with a silver dollar over 60 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Millington of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harris Sunday. Ira McQuerry visited his brother, Bradley McQuerry, and family of Colorado City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Birkhead and Tommy and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Birkhead spent Saturday in Lubbock.

Mrs. D. H. Glass left Saturday for an extended visit with her sister in Dallas and to visit the fair.

DELBERT DEAN, 28, and Gilbert Peterson, 19, both of McAllen, were killed, Bayne received a broken leg, dislocated collar bone and chest and pelvic injuries. The plane crashed from 800 feet after taking off for McAllen.

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