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NAZI AND RUSSIAN PACT IS AGREED UPON

EXCURSION TO TAMMNEY MOVED WEDNESDAY

Changed to Avoid Conflicts, Commit-

Change in the time for the excursion club-sponsored dinner... Wednesday evening was postponed today after a conference of Rotary and Lions committee members. The date was originally placed on Wednesday night so that it could take the place of the regular Rotarian luncheon.

Subject with other meetings... with plans of 30 or 40 businessmen to attend the Santa Ana... Thursday caused a change of plans, Chairman Garrison announced.

Committee Takes Testimony Nazi Ex-Envoys

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22 (AP)—The House committee on un-American activities was endeavoring today to obtain the appearance of former officials of the German diplomatic and consular service for testimony on the dissemination of Nazi propaganda in the United States.

While it was learned the committee would turn next to the testimony of a German general who had offered to supply the school with free textbooks... written in German.

The general was identified as Ernst Edgar Freiherr Speigel... station in New Orleans.

When the former German official whose testimony the committee hopes to receive is one... who was attached to the embassy here for several years... eventually took exception to the methods of the Hitler government, resigned and remained in the country. The others, from the consular service, likewise are now working with the Nazis.

Speigel said he was very hopeful... one would consent to appear. They could be subpoenaed for their attendance required, he said, but he saw no purpose to be served by that course, since his testimony, unless given freely, would be of little value.

Pastor Hurt Head-On Collision

DAVID, Aug. 22 (Sp.)—Rev. William Wright, pastor of the Methodist church, has been hospitalized since Sunday night for treatment of injuries received in an accident, as he was on his way home from a meeting at the Plains.

Mother Gets a Foursome, Three Babies Live



"I was pretty much surprised," said Virgil Deschand, 25-year-old welder of Kankakee, Ill., upon hearing 23-year-old wife had given birth to quadruplets. Mrs. Deschand is shown with three surviving babies—two girls and boy, all weighing less than four pounds. One of four, a boy, died hour and half after birth.

U. S. Grand Jury Indicts Another Long Henchman

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 22 (AP)—Another prominent name was lopped from the shrieking list of unindicted Huey Long leaders Monday when a federal grand jury accused Abe Shushan of using the mails to defraud.

The 300-pound former wholesaler was indicted with four New Orleans business leaders on charges they split nearly \$400,000 in fraudulent fees paid for refinancing bonds of the New Orleans levee board.

This brought under federal indictment three of the four best known lieutenants of the late Senator Long who took over Louisiana's political reins in 1935 when a bullet cut short the "Kingfish's" spectacular career.

Former Governor Leche and Hotel Man Seymour Weiss already face criminal charges and Mayor Robert Maestri of New Orleans remained the only one of the "high command" left free to attempt salvage of the once mighty Long machine.

Others accused: Accused with the 45-year-old Shushan, who was acquitted in 1935 on an income tax charge, were Attorney Herbert Waguespack, Financier Robert J. Newman and Norvin T. Harris and Accountant Henry J. Miller. The first four all made bond of \$15,000 while Miller was freed under \$5,000 bond.

The indictment alleged: The investment firm of Newman, Harris & Co., with the approval of Shushan and assistance of Waguespack, then a member of the board, obtained a contract to refinance \$5,455,000 of levee board bonds for a fee of 25 percent of the savings. These savings were represented as approximately \$2,000,000 but actually amounted to only \$729,000.

After payment of about \$12,000 to Charles Fite, now deceased, as a bribe for acting as a spy on competitors, the five men divided \$398,220.01 as follows: Shushan, \$132,740; Newman and Harris, \$99,550 each; Waguespack \$46,450.01 and Miller \$19,911.

Petit Jurors to Be Selected

EASTLAND, Aug. 22 (Sp.)—A commission will meet Thursday morning at Eastland and select members of county court petit jurors for the next six months.

Appointed by Judge W. S. Adamson, the commission is composed of Tom Poe of Carbon, Henry Stubblefield of Cisco and E. H. Mills of Ranger.

The juries will be for the weeks beginning Sept. 25, Oct. 16, Nov. 27, Dec. 18, Jan. 22 and Feb. 5. The juries due Jan. 22 and Feb. 5 are for those dates in 1940.

British and German Fleets in Old Zone

OSLO, Aug. 21 (AP)—Observers reported unusual activity Monday of British and German fleets in the North and Baltic seas, the areas they patrolled in the World War.

The British ships have been seen in the section where they laid a German submarine barrier during the war. A British plane carrier and planes have been carefully watching Utsire island, north of Stavanger, on the southeast coast of Norway, where there is an important lighthouse and radio station.

German armed freighters and torpedo boats were observed cruising below Longeland and Loland islands in the Falster group, near Denmark. They appeared to be making tests for mine fields in the Baltic.

Sinclair Dissolves Agency at Cisco

Discontinuance of the Sinclair bulk station at Cisco and division of the Cisco Sinclair district among several adjoining districts took place as of the 15th of August. The Cisco city territory was attached to Ranger bulk station.

Paul McBride, Jr., of Fort Worth has been the guest of relatives here for the past few days.

6000 Expected for Waco Legion Convention

WACO, Aug. 22 (Sp.)—Last minute arrangements have been completed here for what promises to be Texas' largest convention of the American Legion. The convention dates are Saturday, August 26, through Tuesday, August 29. The attendance is expected to swell to 6,000.

In spite of the heavy attendance anticipated, the convention housing committee promises adequate hotel facilities for every person. Legionnaires' headquarters will be at the Roosevelt hotel. Headquarters for members of the Legion auxiliary will be at the Hotel Raleigh. Sons of Legion squadrons, expected to be 1,000 strong, will be encamped, army fashion, on the Cotton palace grounds.

All Legion organizations are urged to bring their colors, in order to participate in the Americanism massing-of-colors program on Monday night.

One of the outstanding events of the four-day session will be a two-mile parade down Waco's main street, in which 20 bands, besides drum and bugle corps, Sons of Legion proper, Legionnaires, auxiliary members, and a large number of local officials are expected to participate.

Another top feature of the convention will be a "Judge Roy Bean" court on Saturday morning, sponsored by La Societe des 40 Hommes and 8 Chevaux. The mock trials will be conducted all day Saturday and proceeds will go into the Legion's child welfare fund.

Prominent among distinguished guests of the convention will be U. S. Senator Tom Connally of Marlin, who will speak on Americanism Monday evening, and President Pat M. Neff of Baylor University, who is to address a general meeting on Sunday afternoon.

Federal Judge Sheds His Robe

SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 22 (AP)—Attorneys and court attendants were startled Monday when Federal District Judge William H. Barrett ascended the bench in shirt-sleeves instead of the customary black robe.

Their surprise turned to amazement when he smiled and said: "Gentlemen, you may all take off your coats if you like."

Half a dozen lawyers accepted the invitation. While all said later they knew of no precedent for a coatless session of federal court, they concurred heartily in the "ruling."

Garrett Returns From Washington

EASTLAND, Aug. 22 (Sp.)—Congressman Clyde L. Garrett arrived in Eastland Sunday night from Washington, D. C.

RODEO TO BE ONE TOPIC AT C OF C DINNER

Community Problems to Be Discussed at Session Friday

The forthcoming rodeo, sponsored by the junior chamber of commerce and various other organizations, will be one of the principal subjects of the chamber of commerce dinner at the First Methodist church Friday evening.

Men and women alike were asked to wear some cowboy or rodeo regalia, to give the dinner as much color of the two-day event as possible.

The dinner is designed as the first of a series to bring the citizenship, particularly the business and professional elements, into closer cooperation, and it is open to every citizen who wishes to attend.

D. A. Bandeen, manager of the West Texas chamber of commerce, will be the principal speaker. His address will be devoted to practical conditions facing Cisco, the need of cooperative effort and the possibilities that exist here for the success of such efforts.

He and his organization have made a careful study of economic factors concerning Cisco and Eastland county and he will bring the results of these studies in condensed form to the meeting.

There will be music, round table discussions and informal talks.

Tickets will be sold at 35 cents each and teams will canvass the business district within the next day or so.

Price Issue May Be Thrust Into Proration Hearing

AUSTIN, Aug. 22 (AP)—Halfway through a 15-day statewide oil production shutdown without mishap, the Texas railroad commission Monday indicated it would shatter precedent by thrusting the issue of price into an important proration hearing next Monday.

Ernest O. Thompson, commission member and chairman of the nationwide interstate oil compact commission, asserted he would ask witnesses among more than half a hundred major oil company executives invited what factors the companies considered in determining what they would pay for crude oil.

The shutdown, extending through Aug. 29, was ordered as the commission's answer to a threatened 20 per cent price cut.

At a current hearing, attorneys opposing the request of the Humble Oil and Refining company, largest east Texas operator, for a larger share of the allowable, failed to obtain a direct admission from a company engineer, J. B. Davidson, that the cost per well of operating one well would be more than if the individual operated a number of wells.

Heretofore, the commission, which regulates Texas' huge oil industry, considered only methods of conservation of the natural resource, and not price, at its proration hearings, conducted to obtain information on which production orders would be determined.

Thompson declared he would ask company executives how they determined the sale price of gasoline and other petroleum products; whether they would purchase crude oil for storage and under what conditions, and whether they favored conservation of oil and gas in all oil producing states.

Headed for a Dunking



Bette Berkley, 17-year-old high school girl, wins national women's log-rolling title at Longview, Wash., rodeo. Earlitia Ward is the defeated finalist.

Trained Dogs Are New Rodeo Feature

Another attraction was added to the variety already planned for the Cisco rodeo here August 31 and September 1 with announcement that Joe Ambrose and his "Train Dog Circus" had been engaged. Charles J. Kleiner, Cisco oil operator, engaged Ambrose and his performing dogs for the two days.

Ambrose, a veteran of the Ringling Bros. and Barnum and Bailey circuses for 36 years, has six trained dogs, each a champion. The troupe is headed by "Spider," a toy Scotch collie, holding the world's record for walking on his hind legs, traveling a mile and a quarter thus at Atlantic City some time ago. The dog is four years old.

Ambrose, who clowns and "works the grandstand," will put on a tight wire act in the business district each day and will give shows and special acts during each performance of the rodeo.

His show is one of the cleverest on the boards and has proved a big hit wherever presented.

Other special acts to be presented during the rodeo will include a team of square dancing horses, musical numbers and so forth. The Light Crust Doughboys will appear Friday afternoon, Sept. 1.

The sponsor's show is developing into a beautiful spectacle, with scores of girls dressed in cow-girl costumes participating. Mrs. Sutton Crofts is general chairman of this feature and Mrs. Edward Lee is in charge of local girls and rehearsals.

Oil Study Group Members Named

ABILENE, Aug. 22 (Sp.)—Complete personnel of a West Central Texas Oil and Gas association committee to study this area's production problems and make a recommendation to the railroad commission for a proration order was announced yesterday by Art J. Frazier, WCTOGA president.

Frazier also announced the group would meet Wednesday at 2 at the Burch hotel in Breckenridge to do its work.

TREATY FOR NO AGGRESSION IS READY TO SIGN

Startling New Move Upsets European Diplomatic Front

BERLIN, Aug. 22 (AP)—Germany upset the whole structure of the tense middle European situation by announcing shortly before midnight last night she will conclude a non-aggression pact with Soviet Russia.

If there is to be a conflict as a result of the Polish-German dispute over Danzig and Pomerania (the Polish corridor) it now appeared certain vast Russia will be neutral.

The position of Poland, which had been counting on the effectiveness of what Germany calls the "democratic encirclement policy," appeared to have been weakened greatly.

German soldiers were massing on the Polish frontier, and now it seemed certain that if they are called upon to march eastward they will not have to worry about the possibility of encountering Russian troops somewhere in middle Poland.

Germany's announcement of its diplomatic "putsch" startled all Europe.

It apparently meant that the months-long efforts of Britain and France to induce Russia to enter a front to back up Poland, Rumania and other smaller European countries against aggression had failed.

For, according to the German announcement Russia had agreed not to fight Germany.

The announcement of what diplomatic observers admitted as a master stroke by Adolf Hitler came even while British and French military officers were in Moscow going over plans of strategy with high Soviet officers.

It seemed likely these discussions would lead to no constructive results.

The brief official announcement of the decision of Russia and Germany to conclude an agreement not to go to war staled foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop will arrive in Moscow Wednesday to conclude negotiations.

Once signatures are affixed to the Russian non-aggression pact Germany will have one less reason to fear involvement with Poland, it was stated.

What effect the new agreement will have on Germany's promises to Japan under the terms of the anti-Comintern pact—to which Italy is a signatory—could not be known immediately.

But German sources here stated "You may be sure that angle has been taken care of."

The announcement of the non-aggression pact followed by one day conclusion of a vastly important trade agreement which gives Germany access to Russia's oil, timber and wheat.

The agreement to conclude the pact with Russia caused a tremendous sensation in all European capitals.

The German official news agency (DNB) kept its wire open long after the usual closing time to let Berlin know what a sensation the action of the German government was creating.

"Poland's back has now been uncovered," one German observer said. Berlin was still talking about "der tag," and it seemed a final reckoning with Poland was more certain than ever on account of the Russian agreement.

**SOVIET DIPLOMATS
"THUNDERSTRUCK"**
MOSCOW, Aug. 22 (AP)—Tass, the official Soviet news agency, in a communique early today said German foreign Minister von Ribbentrop was coming to Moscow "for the purpose of negotiations" (Continued on Page Two)

Star of Dog Show



"Spider" toy Scotch collie, who is the star of the Ambrose "Dog Circus" to be presented at the Cisco Rodeo.

Japs Arrested as Neutrality Violators

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22 (AP)—The treasury department announced Monday the arrest of two Japanese residents of Los Angeles for attempted exportation of pistols and ammunition to the Japanese naval attaché at Shanghai.

The men, identified by Elmer L. Ireys, treasury enforcement coordinator, as Kintano Asano and Kane Hiroo, were held on charges of illegal exportation of munitions in violation of the neutrality act.

Asano, Ireys said, is one of the owners of the Union Transfer and Steamship company of Los Angeles. He added that the arms were assigned to E. Easaki, in care of the Japanese naval attaché at Shanghai.

The arrests were made Aug. 15, but were not disclosed until Monday, pending further investigation of the case.

SOCIETY and CLUBS

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Billy Britain
Complimented By
Party Sunday

Mrs. Joe Britain entertained several little guests Sunday evening from five to seven o'clock, honoring her son, Billy, on his 13th birthday. Enjoyable games were played on the lawn, and a contest was held, prize for which was presented to Sylvia Hazel.

Bob Sanford Is
Given "Chuck
Feed" Monday

Bob Sanford was honored by Mrs. Sanford with a surprise "chuck wagon feed" at their home Monday evening in celebration of his birthday. The guests came in typical western attire and dinner was served in the yard. The table was centered with a western scene in the middle of which was featured, the bull surrounded by cowboys, forming horse posts. The place cards were decorated with bunches of cowboy ranches.

Television Type
Girl and Makeup



As camera sees it this makeup makes Jean O'Donnell look more like a circus clown than the attractive girl she is. Not so however, as television receiver sees it. Color contrast, pronounced lines are necessary to make Jean transmit prettily. Max Factor, Hollywood makeup expert, says Jean has "perfect television face."

Fort Worth Will
Entertain Baptist
Student Union

FORT WORTH, Aug. 22 (Sp.).—Texas Baptist Student Union conference in Fort Worth, August 30 to September 1, will call to mind the prayer trust of two Texas college youths 21 years ago—a trust that resulted in the formation of the denominational student union that now embraces 110,000 Baptist students on 75 per cent of all college campuses in the south. It is the largest student religious movement in the world.

Those two students prayed for "a student religious movement large enough not only to serve the Baptist colleges and universities, but for one with strength enough to touch every campus

for Christ." Joined by three others, the praying students saw within the next year formation of a denominational organization on their own campus, Baylor university. In another year, they saw their efforts materialize into an organization known as the Baptist Student union, covering 15 Texas college campuses.

It was only another year that the plan was adopted by the Southern Baptist convention and spread throughout 17 southern states and to every foreign country where southern Baptists have mission schools. More than 2,000 Baptist college students represent many nations of the world and active in Baptist student work were enthusiastic messengers attending the recent Baptist World congress in Atlanta.

The days of the beginning of the movement will be recalled in addresses at the Fort Worth conference by two Baptist Student union pioneers, Dr. Joseph P. Boone, Waxahachie, the first executive secretary of the Texas

student department, and Dr. J. M. Dawson, pastor and author, of Waco. Stressed throughout the program, on which 200 students and denominational leaders from several states will take part, will be the theory and practical application of student work. According to J. W. Marshall, State Baptist Student union secretary, Dallas, 400 student officers from the various Texas college campuses are expected to attend, in addition to many college professors, college Sunday school teachers, student secretaries, college pastors, and scores of high school students, especially seniors.

Mr. Sibley Burnett, Nashville, Tennessee, former B. S. U. president of Tenn., will give direction to recreational features, assisted by Mrs. A. Adamick, state B. T. U. department, and Woodrow Harris, Waxahachie. Others outstanding on the program list are Frank Weedon, Denton; R. L. Brown, College Station; Douglas W. Hudgins, Fort Worth; Walter H. McKinzie, Austin; J. L. Cart-

idge, Nacogdoches; T. P. Lott, Huntsville; C. E. Matthews, Fort Worth, Texas Baptist pastors in college centers; 38 presidents of college Baptist Student unions in Texas conducting family altar meetings and practical conferences; Mrs. Roy McGlamery, student secretary of Oklahoma A. & M.; Mrs. R. L. Mathis and Mrs. J. W. Marshall conducting conferences.

To Bigotry---

(Continued from Page Three)

consciences persuade them, every one in the name of his god," read Newport's first code of laws. It was believed to be the first statute granting complete religious and civil liberty ever embodied in the legislation of a civilized state.

As a part of the celebration, lineal descendants of George Washington and Benjamin Franklin will be present August 19 at ceremonies on the steps of the ancient Touro Jewish synagogue.

It was there in 1790 that Washington made a classic on religious and civil liberties. W. Seiden Washington, a man who is a great-grand-nephew of the first president, will repeat his words: "Happily the government of the United States, which gives us no sanction, requires those who live under its laws should demand themselves good citizens."

We think of both tubs fairly recent innovations. King Milnos of Crete had some tub in his palace 4,000 ago.

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STAMP NEWS

INAUGURATION of trans-Pacific airmail service between United States and New Zealand is expected by mid-September. Congress, before adjourning, approved an appropriation of \$900,000 for the mail contract. Final action by the Civil Aeronautics Authority on Pan-American Airways' application to carry passengers, mail and express over the 8000-mile route was indicated within a few weeks.

The route will extend from San Francisco to Auckland, New Zealand, via Los Angeles, Honolulu, Canton Island and Noumea, New Caledonia. Four-day schedules call for 49 hours flying time with a full day layover in Honolulu and overnight stops at Canton and Noumea. Present steamer schedules require 15 days for the same voyage.

British Imperial Airways have announced plans to extend service from Australia to New Zealand, providing direct connection with the American line.

Details of the first flight and instructions for addressing covers will be announced later by the Postoffice Department.

Collectors who complain of the abundance of new issues can direct no criticism at Costa Rica. It is 15 months since the Central American nation has released a new stamp and it may be several months before a new postage issue is placed on sale.

Recent issues: Poland, 25th anniversary of Polish Legion; Siam, five stamps, picturing royal palace; Japan, one value honoring Kamataru Fujiwara, seventh century statesman.

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in
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PALACE SUNDAY
MONDAY

THE LUCKY 7th
HARDY FAMILY HIT!

ANDY
HARDY
GETS
SPRING
FEVER

with
LEWIS STONE
MICKEY ROONEY
CECILIA PARKER
FAY HOLDEN

FROM VACATION

Mrs. Barton Philpott and children, Bill, Joe and Mary, returned Sunday from a two-week vacation spent at Fortka Springs, Ark. They returned by way of Sulphur, Okla., and Mrs. J. E. Sutherland and his daughter, aunt and cousin of Mrs. Philpott, accompanied them to Cisco for several days' visit.

Death Takes No
Week-end Holiday

AUSTIN, Aug. 22 (Sp.).—Careful study of traffic statistics indicates the "Sunday driver" is responsible for a good share of Texas traffic deaths.

Texas state police officials said that of 367 traffic deaths the first five months of 1939, 279 occurred on week-ends. They said that was out of all proportion to the volume of week-end traffic, even though it is greater than on week days.

The first music camp in the south has been opened at Blue Ridge, N. C. Boys and girls of high school and college age are studying under band and orchestra leaders.

Of the 34,000,000 orange trees in California, Florida, Texas and Arizona, 45 per cent are not yet in full bearing, being from 5 to 15 years old. Production will gradually increase as they reach maturity.

Personals

Spurgeon Parks has returned from a month's stay in Gallup, New Mexico.

Miss Olga Fay Ford spent Monday in DeLeon.

Miss Alice Bacon is the guest of her brother, Tom Bacon, in Abilene.

Miss Alice Spencer spent Monday evening in Fort Worth with friends.

Miss Lillian Bacon of Abilene has been visiting in the George Atkins home.

Patsy Lois McCrea has returned from a visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Ferrell, in Roby.

Connecticut Mayor
Sentenced to Prison

WATERBURY, Conn., Aug. 22 (Sp.).—Mayor Frank Hayes of Waterbury, former lieutenant governor of Connecticut, was sentenced last night to from 10 to 15 years imprisonment in the state prison at Wetherfield, as a result of his conviction on a charge of conspiracy to defraud this city out of more than a million dollars.

Hayes, mayor of Waterbury since 1930, and from 1935 to 1938 lieutenant governor in the then democratic state administration, was the first of the principals among 23 accused to be sentenced by Judge Ernest A. Ingiles.

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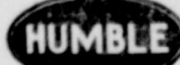
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