

## Neutrals Safe, Says Grobbels

BERLIN, Sept. 21 (AP)—Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels today gave foreign correspondents a vigorous denial of allegations that Germany intended to violate the neutrality of Belgium, The Netherlands or Luxembourg.

"I am in a position to give a categorical, unequivocal and unconditional denial," said the propaganda minister in his first appearance before foreign newspapermen since Germany started her invasion of Poland Sept. 1.

"The German government never had, does not have now nor intends in the future to violate the neutrality either of Belgium or Holland."

To a question whether this also applied to Luxembourg, the tiny duchy at the northern end of present German-French battle lines, Goebbels replied:

"Yes, you may also include Luxembourg."

Goebbels alluded with a smile to his presence as evidence he was neither dead nor captive nor out of sympathy with Adolf Hitler's war aims, as some reports had alleged.

"I guess you don't need a denial about my person," said the propaganda chief. "My answer to British lying propaganda is my propaganda on which you have seen evidence in these past weeks. I think."

Goebbels called the propaganda of the British information ministry "childish and laughable."

"It does not in the least perturb our sovereign feeling of security," he said.

The propaganda minister, who looked rather tired, further denied "completely and unreservedly" all reports of uprising in the protectorate of Bohemia and Moravia.

## WILL FIGHT UNTIL HITLER IS CRUSHED, DALADIER ASSERTS

PARIS, Sept. 21 (AP)—Premier Daladier broadcast to the world tonight a declaration of France's determination never to abandon her fight to aid Poland until Adolf Hitler's efforts "to dominate the world" have been crushed by a "complete victory" over the Nazi forces.

The stubby premier interrupted—as far as France was concerned—the worldwide broadcast of President Roosevelt's neutrality message to congress to declare with his own voice that France never would make peace until peace was established on a "solid, lasting basis."

## STRIKE IS SETTLED, SHIPS FREE TO SAIL

NEW YORK, Sept. 21 (AP)—Nine vessels held in the port of New York by a seamen's strike for war-risk bonuses and insurance were free to sail today as a result of an agreement for settlement of the dispute.

The United States lines, the American Export lines, the American Scantic line and Lykes Brothers, whose ships had been tied up, agreed to the plan of settlement, Joseph Curran, president of the National Maritime Union (N.M.U.) announced.

Under the plan, approved by union members last night, seamen on ships entering European and Mediterranean ports would receive a 25 per cent wage increase, transportation back to the United States in case their ships were lost, wages in the event of internment in a foreign port, loss of personal effects guaranteed up to \$150, and assurance that charges would be withdrawn against seamen on trial for alleged failure to obey orders to sail.

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## Victory Held As British Aim Suspension

LONDON, Sept. 21 (AP)—Foreign Secretary Lord Halifax today declared "we must not undertake anything that does not directly contribute" to victory in the European war, in commenting on the failure of Poland to get help.

Speaking in the house of lords, Lord Halifax said:

"One of the major tragedies of the last few weeks was that we should have had to watch the resistance of a gallant nation overborne without ourselves being able to render such direct assistance as might have produced different results. I have felt it every hour and every moment."

"But we must not lose sight of our main objective in this war—victory—and we must not undertake anything that does not directly contribute to that victory which might mitigate against it."

Leslie Burgin, minister of supply, at the same time told the house of commons of creation of a war supply council and broad plans to use "every ounce of endeavor and drive of output" in Britain in the drive to win the war.

Giving the nation a glimpse of the extent of the weapons Britain was forging, Burgin declared his department had placed orders for war supplies exceeding (70,000,000 pounds (currently \$277,200,000) since the outbreak of hostilities.

# FD CALLS FOR ARMS EMBARGO REPEAL

## Rumanian Premier Is Assassinated

### Remaining Polish Resistance Negligible, Says Nazi Reports

#### Commander Leaves For West Front

##### Only Four Major Centers Of Defense Unconquered

BERLIN, Sept. 21 (AP)—The army high command reported today only four centers of resistance to Nazi forces remained in Poland and Germans expected they would fall without shelling.

##### Four Points Held

The command's belief the remaining resistance was negligible already had been indicated by the departure for the western front of Col.-Gen. Walther von Brauchitsch, commander of the German army, to assume direction of the struggle against Great Britain and France.

The points still held by Poles, a high command communique said, included:

1. Warsaw, besieged capital of Poland.

2. Modlin, fortified center 18 miles northwest of Warsaw.

3. Gora Kalvarja, on the left bank of the Vistula 23 miles southeast of Warsaw.

4. On the Hela Peninsula, narrow finger of land poking out into the Gulf of Danzig. Its extremity is 19 miles northeast of Danzig.

German officers indicated no lightning strokes against these centers were planned, but rather, since they are surrounded, the Poles will surrender.

One of the generals in Reichsfuehrer Hitler's entourage, discussing the situation of Warsaw, said Tuesday:

"Our foe here does not think it worth while to risk the life of a single German soldier to take Warsaw. Cut off on all sides it has no alternative save to surrender."

"Why, then, should we shell it and give food—though unjustified—anti-German propaganda that we are firing on women and children?"

Military men said the same feeling applied to the other remaining islands of resistance.

Some 3,000 Poles were believed to be isolated on the Hela Peninsula.

In other quarters Germany's failure to strike a crushing blow at Warsaw so far was attributed to a policy of waiting on congress action in Washington.

Interest on influencing the United States' decision whether or not to revise her neutrality legislation at the special session of congress brought the propagandists' batteries to the fore.

Diplomatic-Politische Korrespondenz brought into the open a German complaint, previously whispered in government circles, that Anthony Joseph Drexel Biddle, Jr., United States ambassador to London, had been ordered to leave tomorrow for Paris.

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#### HITLER TAKES OVER DANZIG



This is the first picture received in the United States of Adolf Hitler's appearance in Danzig to make his defiant speech in which he said Germany was ready to fight for seven years. Albert Forster, No. 1 Danzig Nazi, is shown being greeted by Hitler (left) just before he spoke. They stand in a street bedecked with swastikas and beneath a sign: "Danzig Greets its Führer." Associated Press Radiophoto from Berlin.

## Pole Officials Hordes Flee May Be Held Before Reds

BUCHAREST, Sept. 21 (AP)—Authoritative sources said today the Rumanian government had decided to intern Polish President Ignace Moscicki, Foreign Minister Josef Beck and other high civil officials as well as Marshal Edward Smigly-Rydz, Polish army commander.

All had crossed the frontier from Poland into Rumania.

Smigly-Rydz was interned yesterday and sent to enforced domicile at Craiova, near the junction of the Rumanian-Bulgarian frontiers.

Both Britain and France had appealed that he be allowed to leave the country, while Nazis insisted he be interned like any other soldier.

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## Victim Was A Strong Foe Of Nazi Faction

### Calinescu Slain In His Automobile With Machine Guns

BUCHAREST, Sept. 21 (AP)—Via Copenhagen.—(AP)—Premier Armand Calinescu was shot and killed today by men officially identified as Iron Guardists and troops were called up at once to prevent a coup.

#### Shot By Masked Men

The assassination of Calinescu—known as Rumania's "strong man"—for his suppression of the outlawed, pro-Nazi Iron Guard organization—was attributed to conflicting national interests arising from the European war.

It came as German and Russian troops approached the Rumanian frontier in their occupation of Poland. Rumania got one-seventh of her territory from Russia in the World war settlement.

Calinescu was machine gunned in his automobile by masked men. Other masked men seized the Bucharest radio station but were subsequently arrested.

Late today a communique read over the station formally accused the slayers of being members of the pro-Nazi Iron Guard.

"This afternoon, Premier Calinescu was murdered in a cowardly manner near his home," the communique said. "The murderers, who are members of the former Iron Guard, have been arrested."

It said a new premier already had been chosen but failed to give his name. He was to be sworn in late in the afternoon, after which a meeting of the new cabinet would be held.

The communique announced "perfect order and calm reigns throughout the country."

Immediately after the death of the premier a crown council was called by King Carol to meet the resultant crisis in Rumania's position in internal and international affairs. It was still sitting late today.

The British-French allies and Germany were engaged in a bitter struggle, each side attempting to influence Rumania's policy to their advantage. Calinescu had been known as an advocate of political and economic cooperation with Britain and France.

Rumania's oil, needed by Germany's mechanized army and her air force, was the major prize. (In Budapest Rumanian diplomats said Calinescu had been shot by masked men.)

Traveling over 50 miles of muddy and rain-puddled highways and roads branching through to three mountain passes, I witnessed the southern refuge left, now that Russian troops have blockaded the Rumanian border.

I saw small children, some half-naked and all of them hungry. Some of them, separated from their parents, had been taken in hand by Hungarian peasant women. Grown men wept at the sight of these youngsters trooping along in the mud.

I saw blood-spattered trains, bullet-torn automobiles, and damaged military trucks—Polish military mementoes.

I saw women whose faces were white with fatigue.

Three weeks ago in Warsaw I saw the Polish army gathering in confident readiness to fight. Yesterday, after a 1,500-mile roundabout journey from the Polish capital, the army was in the mud.

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## Nazi Air Defeats Claimed

PARIS, Sept. 21 (AP)—Military dispatches today reported French and British air pilots had brought down an undetermined number of German planes in the past few days in a series of victorious dog fights with German fliers over the western front.

French communiques, military sources said, have been limited only to those enemy planes which have fallen behind the French lines. They said the number of Germans who crashed was known to be "substantially more."

These sources said it was "possible" some French planes in the air battles might have been those manufactured by United States aircraft firms and purchased by France.

The French war ministry's evening communique of yesterday announced definitely that one German plane had fallen behind French lines. It was recalled also that military dispatches last Monday reported one French pilot had brought down three enemy ships.

Air victories also had been reported previously during fighting in the Sierck sector September 15 when French planes were said to have driven German fighters out of the air.

War dispatches said today the French army was threatening approaches to Zweibrücken, Germany, at the upper end of the Blies river valley.

These advances reported French advance units had fought numerous pitched battles with German patrols in the Zweibrücken zone and further west, near Saarbrücken.

Zweibrücken, about 16 miles from Saarbrücken, lies five miles within Germany and Saarbrücken two miles.

These reports indicated each side was seeking prisoners in the gun-blasting zone between the northern reaches of the Maginot and Siegfried lines from whom to pry secrets of strategy and troop disposition.

The morning war ministry communique, in much the same laconic style as previous announcements, said there was "local activity by advance guards and artillery actions on both sides."

British and French staffs were in constant contact, apparently studying a threat which many observers saw in the reported massing of German troops at Aachen, Germany, near the Belgian and The Netherlands borders.

Col.-Gen. Walther von Brauchitsch, German chief of staff, was reported to have left Germany's fighting front for the west and the Germans were said to have concentrated from 1,500 to 2,000 heavy bombing planes near Aachen.

Aachen, about 85 miles north of the present fighting zone and 270 airline miles from London, was pictured as a key point of the German line facing neutral Belgium and The Netherlands.

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## SAYS PRESENT LAW IS DANGEROUS TO AMERICAN PEACE

In Message To Special Session Of Congress, Says There's No Hope That War Will Quickly End

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21 (AP)—President Roosevelt asked congress today for repeal of the arms embargo provisions of the neutrality law because they are "most vitally dangerous to American neutrality, American security and American peace."

In a message delivered in person to an extraordinary session of the legislators, the chief executive said he could offer no hope that "the shadow over the world might swiftly pass."

Standing on the rostrum of a crowded house chamber, Mr. Roosevelt told senators and representatives he had assembled them to amend legislation which in his best judgment, "so alters the historic foreign policy of the United States that it impairs the peaceful relations of the United States with foreign nations."

The "crux" of the issue, he said, was repeal of the embargo, which forbids shipments of munitions to combatant nations, and a "return to international law."

Urges Non-Partisanship

The president took occasion, also, to renew his plea for non-partisanship during the present international crisis and to reassure the nation of his belief America could keep from being embroiled in Europe's conflict.

"Let no man or group in any walk of life," the president said, "assume exclusive protectorate over the future well-being of America—because I conceive that regardless of the party or section the mantle of peace and of patriotism is wide enough to cover us all."

"Let no group assume the exclusive label of the peace 'bloc.' We all belong to it."

Mr. Roosevelt added that "in my candid judgment" the United States "should succeed in these efforts" to keep out of war.

When and if the embargo is scrapped, the president said there were other phases of policy "reinforcing American safety" that should be considered.

He listed:

Restricting American merchant vessels, so far as possible, from entering danger zones.

Preventing American citizens from traveling on belligerent vessels.

Requiring foreign buyers to take transfer of title in this country to commodities bought by belligerents. (Cash-and-carry).

Preventing extension of war credits to belligerents.

Two other objectives, the chief executive said, have been attained amply under existing law. These are the regulation of collections of funds in this country for belligerents and the maintenance of a license system covering foreign trade in arms, ammunition and implements of war.

However, a choice of methods by which these "safeguards" should be set up—"so long as the method chosen will meet the needs of new and changing day to day situations and dangers."

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## British Reports Of Czech Revolt Branded 'Nonsense' By Nazi Chief

LONDON, Sept. 21 (AP)—British government allegations of a "serious" revolt in Bohemia and Moravia—parts of Czechoslovakia which Germany absorbed—were cited today as backing British hopes of enlisting Germany's aid in the fight against Adolf Hitler.

(In Berlin, the British reports of an organized revolt were described as "nonsense" by a spokesman for Baron Konstantin von Neurath, reich's protector for Bohemia and Moravia. He invited correspondents to visit Prague to see for themselves.

(The British did not give the sources of their information.)

A ministry of information communique said Britain had received authoritative information a revolutionary movement had started last Sunday in Bohemia and Moravia and was continuing despite "ruthless" repressive measures.

"That this is not just a flash in the pan," the ministry said, "is shown by the unanimity of purpose, the tenacity and the discipline of the participants."

It was recalled in London that Eduard Benes, former president of the Czechoslovak republic, told Prime Minister Chamberlain only two days after Britain's declaration of war:

"We Czechoslovak citizens consider ourselves as being also at war with Germany's military forces."

The British press, meanwhile, gave unanimous endorsement to Prime Minister Chamberlain's address before the house of commons yesterday, in which he answered Adolf Hitler's Danzig speech and asserted Britain's war efforts would be "the utmost of which she is capable."

Labor also gave its support to the aim outlined by Chamberlain. In a speech broadcast to the empire, Arthur Greenwood, acting leader of the labor opposition in parliament, declared "the monster of tyranny must be strangled forever."

## Weather

WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Friday; slightly warmer in the Panhandle tonight and in north portion Friday.

EAST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Friday.

TEMPERATURES

|    | Wed. p.m. | Thurs. a.m. |
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| 3  | 90        | 63          |
| 4  | 90        | 62          |
| 5  | 87        | 63          |
| 6  | 86        | 63          |
| 7  | 81        | 70          |
| 8  | 79        | 72          |
| 9  | 76        | 77          |
| 10 | 75        | 81          |
| 11 | 73        | 84          |
| 12 | 71        | 87          |

#### FINAL RITES SAID FOR CHAS. M. SCHWAB

NEW YORK, Sept. 21 (AP)—A solemn mass of requiem was sung in St. Patrick's cathedral today for Charles

# After a Man's Heart

by JEAN RANDALL

## Chapter Eight THE SIEGE

Alone in the dining room, Tim and Buff were joined by Mrs. Webb. "Should I take her up some soda?" asked the anxious cook. "Or maybe we'd best get Dr. Westland out right away," she added, the exclamation she employed only in times of crisis. "My goodness-graciousness!"

Tim mopped his forehead. "I shall burst myself, just thinking about it."

"Oh, don't!" Buff pleaded. "I feel absolutely suffocated. Still, her parents didn't seem alarmed. And she hasn't put on all that poundage nibbling away on a lamb chop and pineapple diet. Tim, I'm sorry to leave you alone, but I've got to get some exercise—after all I shall take a long tramp—climb Audubon and Long's and Pike's, perhaps."

He caught her arm. "No, you don't! I can get about pretty well on these infernal crutches, and I'm not going to be left alone here with that—that ananconda. It might occur to her to come down for a mid-afternoon snack. Take me along, Buff, of your charity. Mrs. Webb—"

"The cook had sunk into a chair and was staring at the table. I wouldn't believe it if I hadn't seen it with my own eyes! Four chickens, and a good size they were too—besides all them vegetables and things. You sure ain't going to make money off these boarders, Miss Buff!"

"No," the girl assented, "I sure ain't! Webby, about supper now—I hope you heard me say supper!" Webby nodded, her eyes glazing as she made a mental inventory of the food consumed. "I ain't no murderer, Miss Buff."

The Hunts were still in possession when Buff and Tim returned late in the afternoon. Mrs. Webb reported that there had been several calls for Tim from Boulder. He applied himself to the telephone and came away, looking troubled.

"We can do nothing about it this afternoon, Buff. Worse than that, it looks as if Hunt has a real case if you try to put him out. He rented the ranch in good faith, as he says, from a man who was, to all intents and purposes, your father's legally constituted agent. Johnson says—"

Johnson was the name of the lawyer—that it will be a couple of weeks before you can get rid of them—if you can at all. However—"he came clear and sank his voice. "There are men who will kill a cat than by choking it with butter! If the table you set fails to satisfy Maudie May—"

Michie danced across her face. "I get you!" She flashed out of the room and into the kitchen.

When the strangely assorted family assembled for the final meal of the day, Maudie May looked about her in pained surprise. There was a bowl of bluish milk at each plate; crackers—and none too many of them—in a bowl on the table. Nothing else.

"Where's the soup?" she demanded. "I never heard of starting dinner with crackers and milk."

"No More Food?" Buff explained pleasantly. "We dined at noon. We're simple ranch folk, you know, and keep to country ways."

Maudie tipped her bowl and howled the last drop. "I hope there's plenty to make up for this silly start."

"Have you all finished?" Buff was urbane. "Then shall we go in to the living room?"

"But—but—" Maudie May's eyes were popping. "We haven't had dinner—supper yet!"

"Oh, yes!" thought you understood. We have our big meal in the middle of the day, as I told you. Just a snack at night."

"No more food?" The Hunts were plainly incredulous. "But this is outrageous! Maudie May's hungry," her father announced as one explaining that his child had been on a forced starvation diet for days. "She'll be ill if she doesn't have solid food."

"I'm sorry I thought this morning you wouldn't like staying here," Mr. Corliss, went on. Buff, primly, "has a bad case of dyspepsia," she refused to see his start of angry surprise—and Dr. Westland preferred that he have a light meal at night. I have to watch my own diet, too, so that's all right. I've a tendency to stoutness," said Buff. Buff who was as slim as one of the aspen trees now shaking its golden leaves outside the window. She led the way into the living room, and the Hunts trailed disconsolately behind her.

to resort to law in the matter. "It's not important enough for that," he argued. "And what is more, I think Hunt is staying more out of sheer obstinacy than because he wants the place. Let me manage this for you, Buff, and we'll see their retreating backs in a day or two."

With Mrs. Webb he struggled for a couple of meals, then finding that her outraged soul could not be brought to setting the kind of table he ordered, he informed her she had a bad case of lumbago and must stay in bed until further notice.

The force turned into abrupt tragedy as far as meals were concerned. Whatever else Buff had picked up in the course of her nomadic life with her parents, a knowledge of cookery was not included. She struggled with grim conviction in the kitchen, burning, under-cooking, producing biscuits that would have made Webby actually ill if Tim had not prudently hidden what was left of them.

"This," announced Mr. Hunt the second day, "is unbearable." He flung his napkin down and glared at his plate. On it reposed a bit of tough, and scorched beefsteak; a potato which had baked so long it was shriveled within its skin; green beans which were dry and flavorless. "If this Webb woman is actually sick, why don't you get another cook?"

"It's really Miss Carroll's affair, isn't it?" Tim said gently. "We can hardly advise her about her own household."

"It's a plot to drive us away!" Hunt snorted. "Well, it won't succeed, of that you may be sure. I've paid for a month's board and room here and a month I shall have."

"I really am sorry about dinner," Mr. Hunt. Buff nursed a burn on her wrist while she gazed with genuine shame at the ill-cooked food. "I tried my very best! Mrs. Webb said even I could bake potatoes, but it seems not."

Maudie May settled the question. "You make her give you money back, Pa, and we'll leave this afternoon. I'm hungry!" Tears came into her small green eyes. "I haven't had a decent thing to eat since that first meal. Are you going to let us all starve to death just for the principle of the thing? I don't care a hoot about principles," she said earnestly, "but I care a lot about us having dinner that somebody knows how to cook. Make her give you back all the money," she added. "We haven't had ten cents' worth of decent food since the cook got sick."

An hour later Maudie May came downstairs ahead of her cents. Buff and Tim sat in silence in the living room. Tim openly triumphant, Buff struggling with an attack of conscience. Still, she had given Mr. Hunt a check covering the entire amount he had paid Atkins!

Maudie May, well fed, was one person; deprived of appetizing food for two days, she was another. It was her stomach rather than her heart which prompted her now.

"I know who you are," she said directly and simply to Tim. "You're the man that Iris DeMuth made a fool of. You used all your money and your partner's to buy up a lot of good-for-nothing land that she'd tricked you into thinking was a silver mine. You were engaged to her, and all the time she was playing around with somebody else. The papers were full of it. It was Miss Carroll I'd sure watch with you!"

She waddled to the door, paused to fire a parting shot. "Everybody says you have a nerve to try to keep on in business right in Boulder after what happened! As if any company would trust you now!"

"Ready, Maudie May? Car's at the door. Goodbye, Miss Carroll. I shall see to it that this little transaction gets plenty of publicity."

Mrs. Hunt saluted through the hall without a glance at the two left behind. The sound of her car soon died, leaving the silence unbroken behind them.

As the Hunts drove off, Tim was white with his big hands were shaking.

"It's true," he said presently. "Every word of it's true. Now you know the kind of person I am!" He rose to his feet and went upstairs before she could answer.

Buff sat where she was for a long time. She heard Webby stirring in the kitchen and thought vaguely that a good dinner would help the entire household; but above every other sensation she was conscious of pity for Tim Corliss. The little story had held glimpses of tragedy, which had been underlined and made acute by the look of suffering on Tim's face.

After a time she went into the kitchen. Mrs. Webb was furiously busy. Something gave off savory odors from the big range oven, a double boiler simmered on top. The fat housekeeper was creaming butter and sugar in a bowl.

"A nice story you left my kitchen in, Miss Buff!" she said severely. "And if the stuff that was left on the table is a sample of what you gave those poor Hunts to eat, I don't wonder they left Lumbago! I suppose you and Mr. Tim got your reasons, and after all I'm getting paid to do what I'm told; but laying in bed without good nourishment and sugar in a bowl, and I shan't say I hadn't helped you either, by the looks of you!"

Buff wondered about for another hour. When she heard the sound of a car approaching she strode down to meet it. George Weekes stopped and grinned at her.

"And I'd like to talk to you before you see Tim. Suppose you drive under those pines and let's confer a bit. Okay?"

"And then some," he agreed heartily. He steered his car under the clump of trees which marked the boundary of the ranch. "Tim not so well, or is it these Hunts he called me about?"

"Both, in a way. The Hunts left right after lunch. A feeling sick touched her mouth at the recollection of that meal—but not before the daughter had—had spilled the beans about Tim."

He frowned. "How'd you mean—spilled the beans?"

She told him briefly of Maudie May's accusations. "Tim said it was all true, and more. Then she shut himself up in his room. I think you'd better tell me all about it, George."

"I suppose so. Poor old Tim! Where shall I begin?"

"With—that girl, Iris DeMuth, isn't that her name?"

"That's her name. She blew into Boulder one fine day and dropped into our office. Had some one speculatively wanted assayed for silver. Silver in 'em all right—plenty of it. Tetrahedrite."

"Don't waste time being technical," she commanded. "Where'd she get the ore?"

"From a mine she owned up in the mountains. Oh, she owned it all right. I looked it up, of course. She wanted Tim to buy up a lot of land around it; she had a New York company willing to back any development—if there was actually silver there."

"And was there? The specimens might not have come from her mine?"

He nodded his appreciation. "Good point! Naturally the same idea occurred to Tim and me. So he went up himself and took some specimens from the mine to assay. You know silver ore exists in veins, and if a bit were taken from the vein itself even an expert couldn't tell whether it contained silver until he had assayed it. Tim brought home a tidy lot—"

"Wait a minute. Did she go along—show him where to get the bits he took?"

An Accomplice "Tim wasn't born yesterday, my dear. He took his specimens to the assay office and he chose to go to the assay office before he could test them. Was gone ten days, in fact."

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"Nothing. Tim slogged away as usual. Business dropped off, of course, and that didn't add to his hilarity. Everything gone at one fell swoop; his bank account and mine, his cash, his money, something of his professional prestige. Not all of it, as a matter of fact, though he thinks so. I wanted to move on where we wouldn't encounter knowing grins wherever we went; or at the very least, I wanted old Tim to take a vacation somewhere until the whole thing blew over. He wouldn't. He swore he'd stick it out right there; build up his reputation again, going for his reputation again, going for his reputation again."

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"I saw the advertisement of this place in a Denver paper, and persuaded him to take a month off out here. I had a nice picture of Tim loafing in the sunshine, going for long healthful tramps, wrapping yarns with Atkins—and coming back in October fit as a fiddle. If you—"

"If I hadn't come along, it might have turned out that way. Is that what you're thinking? As it was, he hurt his ankle, driving over our road after dark, and got into a worse condition than he'd been before."

"Don't you believe it! You've done him worlds of good. I'll bet those Hunts have helped even more. I could wish for Tim's sake that a long succession of tenants would arrive, one after another, to distract his mind. As it is, he's almost well again. Westland says he's improved a lot. Of course he's still somewhat of her hand almost, but he's still upset over Iris—poor old Tim!"

"He's never missed around much with girls, you see. His father died when he was a kid and Tim supported his mother; put himself through college besides. That didn't leave time for anything else. His mother was a lovely person and Tim sort of founded his ideas of womanhood on her. And Iris, Iris takes her, was pretty swell to look at; appealing, too. She had a lot of the first-hand money, and Tim eating out of her hand almost all the time."

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thoughtfully. Just so did her father look when life occasionally seemed too difficult for him.

George took his departure with effusive thanks, and admonitions to his father to "stay on as long as Buff can put up with you."

"Which will be no longer than tomorrow," Tim said. They had returned to the fire, Buff curled upon a fat pillow on the floor, Tim occupying the hardest and straightest chair the room afforded. "No use telling George so. All he'd do would be to argue—to quote the doctors, and so on."

"Well, but—but you aren't really well, Tim! And if you go before I find another foreman, that will leave Mrs. Webb and me alone here!"

He smiled. "May I point out (a) that you are a singularly fearless young person? And (b) that I'm not much of a protector to anyone in my present state?"

"Aha!" she said triumphantly. "You admit then that your present state isn't normal?"

"I admit nothing. I merely announce that the sooner I get back to work the better for everybody, myself included. You've been heavenly good to me," he continued, "and with no reason on earth except that it appears to come natural to you to help lame dogs over stile. Will you accept my most earnest thanks—and—goodbye!"

"Tell Me About It" "Goodbye—tonight!" She rose to a kneeling position on her pillow and looked at him with startled eyes. "Why tonight?"

"I thought it would be easier all round if I left before you were up tomorrow," he explained. "Mrs. Webb will give me an early breakfast. George, he went on, "thought he was being mighty careful and discreet, but it happens that I know what took him back in such a hurry tonight. The poor guy's been seeing two men—"

Buff clasped her small tanned hands about one knee. "Tim, you told me that what Maudie May said was true. George amplified the outline somewhat. But there's a lot yet that hasn't been said on the subject. Don't you think it would do you good to tell me about it? Every single thing, I mean."

"What is there to tell?" he asked dreadingly. "I was a fool, and all of Boulder—perhaps most of Denver—knows it. George was 'the worst sufferer, but I hope to make it up to him. I shall make it up to him, he said with quiet firmness."

"Tim." The word came in the merest whisper. "We're both of us in a fix, do you realize that? I would it be if—if we joined forces?"

He turned a perplexed and frowning look upon her.

"How do you mean—join forces?"

"I need someone to take care of. You need to be taken care of," she said simply.

"My dear, but even if they were not, what could we do about it? Stars of anger shone in her eyes. "I took a course in psychology. It lasted only four months because Lance had to go to England—or thought he had to—but I had my textbooks and I kept on studying. I discovered that I'm definitely the maternal type. A flush rose in her cheeks, either from the heat of the fire or from embarrassment. Tim could not decide which. "I'll always need someone to take care of. And it's simply not for you to say that you don't need to be looked after. You do—you will, for months. You have," she finished proudly, "a scar on your psyche!"

"Great guns!" was his startled comment. "If that's the sort of thing you learned in your course, I'd say you were definitely better without it. 'Scar on my psyche,' indeed! It sounds as if I'd had my appendix out, or had stopped a bullet!"

She said coolly and sweetly: "You're simply betraying how little you know of psychology: I shall pay no attention to you any more than you would to me if I came in all excited over finding a bit of fool's gold in the mountains and declaring to you it was the real thing! Then seeing his expression change, she hurried on. "What matters—is the thing that I'm remarking before, join forces."

"Meaning—"

"Meaning marriage," she said, though this time the fire could not be held responsible for the bright color in her face.

"Make it 'something' then," was his advice. "See here, Buff, I've never studied psychology, but I do know more about its practical application than you do. It's plain that your father and mother want you to build up a life of your own for your sake, not for theirs. You're an odd sort of girl, did you know it? Modern to your finger tips in most things, but a regular old-fashioned daughter just the same. The kind that would forego matrimony and devote herself to the care of an invalid parent—that sort of thing."

"But your father and mother are both perfectly healthy people, so far as I can make out simply able to take care of themselves. So forget all this duty business, turn over a new leaf, and go in for something on your own."

"As for instance?"

"Well—dancing and—er—well, dancing. Parties. New clothes, last, that what interests most girls?"

"None that I know. One of my friends lives in New York and has a good position in an advertising firm. Another is an interior decorator—"

"He interrupted her wildly. "Whatever you decide on, promise me you won't interior decorate. Great Scott, the crimes that are committed under that head—especially by your sex! Seems to me their sole object is to make a room as hideous and uncomfortable as possible. Take this living room now—"

"What's the matter with it?" she asked belittlingly.

"Nothing. That's what I'm getting at. Simple and restful. Nothing to be knocked out or off. Room for a man to stretch himself. Comfortable couch and chairs and a fireplace. My idea of what a room should be."

Buff smiled knowingly.

Chapter 11  
BUST WIRES "This is my idea of what a room should be," said Tim.

Buff chuckled. "You should have seen it when we bought the ranch! Dyed pussy willows in about eleven different vases. Hascocks, or footstools, whatever you like to call 'em, lying in wait for the unwary at practically every turn. Two paintings—I had to remove those before I took my hat off or Lance would have been ill. A sofa which held one and a half persons if each of them gripped an arm tightly."

He cast an eye about the big room.

"Who wrought the miracle?"

"I did!" She gave a little wiggle of childlike glee. "What sort of an interior decorator am I, Mr. Timothy Corliss? Although," she added honestly, "it was more a job of removal than it was of decorating. First I stripped the room of the bare walls and floor; then I went to Boulder and ordered this furniture sent out. It came the same day. The whole procedure hardly required twelve hours."

"And unlimited cash," he reminded her. "Don't forget that. He ran a suspicious hand over the arm of the chair he was occupying. "I have an idea that this thing I'm sitting in cost about a hundred dollars, maybe more."

"What if it did? I happened to be where I could buy what Lance likes. But I've made him comfortable in places where—oh, dollars would be the limit of expenditure. I," she boasted, "can make a home out of three yards of cretonne, two sofa cushions and a fireplace."

He sighed and relaxed. "I'll take your word for it. I suppose a course in interior decorating is indicated. But I recommend Chicago. Boulder's a grand little place, but I doubt if they go in for the kind of thing you need."

"I never said a word about wanting to take such a course," was her indignant reply. "It was you who brought it up—warned me against it. You might as well give in, Tim. You need me and I—I need to be needed. I'll look after you, and you can pay back all the money you owe George—"

"I'm using what for cash?"

"I said quickly. "It's even some Lance gave me! Grandmother let me something, and I do sell things, you know. We'll have a joint bank account."

Letter from Eleanor Carroll to her daughter Buff.

"Darling, we expect to be in Chicago by Tuesday of next week. Surely by now you will have found someone to replace Atkins and can join us at once. It has been a hard time, this separation from you, but I feel sure it has done us all good. Lance is in fine spirits and has a new idea for a series of cartoons about which he is writing his syndicate. Please wire when we may expect you."

"ELEANOR."

Reply from Buff to her mother. "Sorry but I've decided to spend the winter in Boulder. You know I always thought it a most attractive place, and I've about settled on an occupation for the next few months; perhaps for the rest of my life. I agree with you that we've all benefited by the separation. You said nothing about your headaches which makes me hope that you've had none. Ask Lance to write me about his new idea for the series of cartoons. Yours with love, "BUFF."

Telegram from Lance Carroll to his daughter Buff.

"WHAT OCCUPATION WIRE FULL DETAILS BUT BETTER YET CLOSE RANCH AND JOIN US AT ONCE REPLY PREPAID LANCE."

Telegram from Buff to Lance.

"NOT YET READY TO DIVULGE OCCUPATION BUT AS SURE YOU FULLY RESPECTABLE ONE HAS ENTHUSIASTIC APPROVAL OF CHURCH AND STATE IN FACT AM LEAVING RANCH IN CARE OF NEW FOREMAN WHOSE NAME IS SIMONS LETTER FOLLOWS BUFF."

Day letter from Lance Carroll to Buff.

"BE MORE SPECIFIC OR I SHALL TAKE FIRST TRAIN TO SEE WHAT IS HAPPENING. YOUR MOTHER GREATLY GRIEVES BY REFERENCE TO CHURCH AND STATE MOST UNFORTUNATE AS CANNOT DECIDE WHETHER CONVENT OR POLITICS INDICATED LANCE."

Reply, night letter.

"CANNOT BE SPECIFIC ABOUT OCCUPATION UNTIL I KNOW DETAILS MYSELF. DON'T BE FOLISH DARLING BUT TRUST YOUR BUREAU."

Telegram from Lance Carroll to Buff, returned undelivered.

"COME TO CHICAGO FIRST TRAIN FATHER."

Telegram from Lance Carroll to Mrs. Webb, also undelivered.

"WHERE IS MISS BUFF WIRE ADDRESS AT ONCE LANCE CARROLL."

"Opening Gun"

Telegram from Lance Carroll to Simons of Carroll Ranch.

"WHERE IS MISS BUFF MISS BUFF WHERE IS ANYBODY REPLY AT ONCE CARROLL."

Telegram from Simons to Carroll.

## Recent Bride Is Given Shower In Merrick Home

Mrs. Landers Is Honored At Friday Party

MOORE, Sept. 16 (Spil)—Mrs. A. J. Landers, recent bride, was honored at a bridal shower, given in the home of Mrs. J. B. Merrick on Friday afternoon, September 15.

Mrs. W. H. Ward took the recent bride "On a Honey Moon of Trees" and "On a Cake Romance."

Ella Ruth Thomas and Jo Ann Massey presented the bride with a box of gifts.

Cake and punch was served to the honoree, Mrs. A. J. Landers, Mrs. R. L. Cook of Big Spring, Mrs. J. R. Dillard, Sr., of Big Spring, Mrs. Lena Massey, Mrs. J. M. Thomas, Mrs. Mrs. R. L. McCullough, Mrs. J. B. Daniels, Mrs. D. W. Hayworth, Mrs. Andrew Merrick of Big Spring, Mrs. J. B. Phillips, Mrs. Joe Gilmore, Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Mrs. Ben Stutley of Big Spring, Mrs. W. H. Ward, Ella Ruth Thomas, Jo Ann Massey, Sallie Stutley of A. J. Landers and the hostess, Mrs. J. B. Merrick.

Those sending gifts were Mrs. B. Y. Walker of Big Spring, Zula Loma, Mrs. C. L. Phillips, Anna Smith, Mrs. Stutley of Big Spring, Johnnie and Arlene Chabney of Big Spring, Cecil Phillips, Rawleigh McCullough, Mrs. M. L. Rowland, Mrs. Mavis Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ray Dillard, Jr., of Big Spring.

## Garden City, Garner And Forsan Win

Forsan, Garden City and Garner hopped into the win column in opening games of the district 11 six-man football loop Friday and Saturday.

Garden City piled up the most impressive score, slaying a 48-8 package to Water Valley in the only game of the division for teams under 100 enrollment. Herschel Wheeler's boys piled up at least two touchdowns in every quarter in the game played Saturday afternoon at Water Valley.

Conhoma's introduction to the six-man game was a bit rough when Garner worked up a four touchdown attack to win 24-2 at Garner. Forsan treated Westbrook almost as roughly from the point of the score, 27-7, but the game was another story.

Tommy McDonald scampered across with two scores while Garner's Tension tallied once on a

NEWS NOTES FROM THE  
OIL FIELD COMMUNITIES

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Grant and children, Bobby Jo and Jackie, were San Angelo visitors Saturday.

W. J. McAnelly of Houston visited his sister, Mrs. Harvey Smith, and Mr. Smith at their home in the West Continental camp this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cardwell spent the weekend visiting friends in McCombs.

Ernest Clifton was a business visitor in El Paso Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. L. Coulson of Sterling City visited her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Watkins, Mr. Watkins and daughter, Deanna Marie, Tuesday.

John Hardy Morgan sold 220 mutant lambs at 8-4 cents per pound

HELP  
KIDNEYS PASS  
3 PINTS A DAY

Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 million tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. Kidneys remove waste and poisons from your blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day.

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TWO WEEKS ONLY

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Grant and Mrs. J. D. Dempsie at Senator's en route there.

Mrs. E. T. Branham and children, Zane and Peggy Ann, returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harris, on their ranch near Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Redmon are in Oltown, Okla., because of the illness of Mr. Redmon's mother, Miss Virginia Conroy of Fort Stockton is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. M. J. Bransfield and Mr. Bransfield.

CHANEY RITES SET  
FOR 2 P. M. FRIDAY

Final rites are to be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Eberly chapel for Edwin Clark Chaney, 55, who died Tuesday in a hospital at San Angelo.

Mr. Chaney, resident of Henderson, who had been in West Texas visiting children, was the father of Mrs. M. G. Granfield of Fort Worth. Other survivors are his wife, two sons, his mother, four brothers and two sisters.

## DIES IN CAR

DALLAS, Sept. 21 (AP)—O. M. Patrick, 43, slammed on the brakes of his automobile for a traffic signal light today and then died of the wheel of his car from heart disease.

Mrs. Patrick and her daughter were in the automobile at the time.

Balanced Farming In Better State  
To Combat Threatening Drouth

Farmers who are following a balanced plan of operation are in a much better position to withstand the onslaught of a drouth which is spreading into many large areas over the Great Plains region, according to L. H. Hutter, regional director of the Farm Security Administration, with headquarters at Amarillo.

At a meeting last week in Amarillo, FSA field employees gave reports on conditions which lead many department of agriculture officials to believe the drouth may become as severe as the one in 1935.

"Those farmers," Hutter said, "who are dividing their operations into various sources of income have experienced the fastest recovery from the last period of crop failures and depressed prices for farm products. It is reasonable to assume that those families having more than one source of income will fare better than those who are dependent on a one-cropping system."

Emergency Conditions  
Emergency conditions were reported in parts of Colorado, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, the Panhandle-Plains area in Texas and in several counties in New Mexico. Several counties in southeastern Colorado, especially along the Kansas line, were said to be in severe condition. Producers county is considered in a critical stage. Both irrigated and dry land farms are suffering. Only traces of moisture

Comptroller On  
Program At Oil  
Assn. Convention

GEORGE H. SHEPPARD

DALLAS, Sept. 21—George H. Sheppard, comptroller of public accounts of the state of Texas, is scheduled to be a speaker on the program of the annual convention of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas association, to be held at the Rice hotel, Houston, October 5-7, according to an announcement released by the association headquarters here last night.

Comptroller Sheppard will tell Texas oil men convening at Houston some of the important aspects of the ad valorem tax picture in Texas and the part the oil industry plays in providing revenue necessary to the proper functioning of local sub-divisions of state government, the announcement states.

It was also stated that there is to be a special meeting of oil tax men at the convention on Friday afternoon, October 6th, at which time Sheppard will be one of the principal speakers. Several other prominent authorities on taxation will have messages of vital interest to Texas oil men. A number of state and local government officials will take part in this program, details of which will be announced shortly.

BIG CROWDS ATTEND  
AMARILLO'S FAIR

AMARILLO, Sept. 21 (AP)—The annual Tri-State fair continued showing to banner crowds today.

Panhandle-Plains milking short-horns faced some of the outstanding herds of mid-western states but came through with flying colors to keep both grand championship banners in home territory. Both banners will fly from the farm of Miles Milhoan and sons of near Wildorado, whose entries took the bull and cow championships.

William P. Hopkins of Amarillo showed the champion Holstein bull and the Tierra Blanca farms of near Canyon exhibited the champion female Holstein.

Gov. John E. Miles of New Mexico will head a big fair delegation from that state tomorrow.

Planes Rescue  
Vessel's Crew

LONDON, Sept. 21 (AP)—The British government announced today two Royal Air Force flying patrol boats had rescued the crew of 34 of the steamship Kensington Court, which sent out an SOS after having been attacked by a submarine.

A ministry of information announcement said the rescue, somewhere in the Atlantic ocean, was the first case in which an entire ship's crew had been picked up at sea by flying boats.

The Kensington Court was a 4,983-ton vessel, owned by the Court Line. London was her port of registry.

The ministry's announcement said the flying boats, responding to an SOS, arrived alongside a lifeboat from the Kensington Court 10 minutes before the steamer sank.

The announcement added: "The pilots saw a tiny boat crowded with men while others were in the sea clinging to the sides."

"While one flying boat kept watch from the air the other came down on the water alongside the overloaded lifeboat. Fourteen of the men, some in a desperate condition, were pulled into the aircraft. When it had taken off with the heavy load, the other aircraft descended and picked up 20 more men."

"The two aircraft made a quick search for the attacking submarine but it was not located. The steamer crew said one of their two lifeboats had capsized and the other was in danger of sinking."

Services Held For  
Mrs. L. C. Taylor

Services were to be held at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Della Alice Taylor, wife of L. C. Taylor, who succumbed early Wednesday after a long illness.

Rev. C. E. Lancaster, pastor, was to conduct rites at the First Baptist church.

Active pallbearers were L. E. Maddux, George Brown, Ray Lawrence, George O'Brien, W. C. Blankenship and Naji Shick. Named as honorary pallbearers were H. C. Burris, T. H. Rogers, C. C. Rogers, Dewey Martin, Roy Green, Ray Millison, L. I. Stewart, H. C. Jenkins, M. C. Stulting, Harry Billington, Jim Skalkley, Mr. Miller, Mr. Wamble, Paul Price, John Smith, Roy Lay, Roy Odum, Carl McDonald, Sol Bledsoe, Ben Hogue, Charles Sullivan, C. E. Richardson, Buck Richardson, G. F. Williams, G. C. Potts, Frank Sholts, G. H. Hayward and C. E. Miller.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Taylor is survived by three daughters, her parents, four sisters and one brother.

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### EMBARGO REPEAL IS CALLED VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 21 (AP) — An authority on international law asserted today repeal of the arms embargo by the United States would be a "direct violation" of international law.

Henry S. Fraser, technical adviser to the late George W. Wickersham on the League of Nations committee for the codification of international law in 1926 and 1927, in an interview (Post-Standard) said if the embargo is repealed "Germany will instantly have the right under international law to take steps of reprisal and retaliation against American ships."

Such reprisals might be taken against ships even in coastwise trade, and even if they were not carrying contraband, he said in a statement and added:

"There is an established principle of international law that a neutral may not, after the outbreak of war,

change its legislation for the purpose of assisting one of the belligerents."

### REPORT GIVEN ON COTTON EXPORTS UNDER SUBSIDY

Sales of American cotton and cotton products for export under the government's subsidy program totaled 1,895,000 bales between August 1 and September 18.

The agriculture department said today that of this total, 60,000 bales represented the raw cotton equivalent of cotton products.

During the previous marketing year, exports of raw cotton totaled 3,327,000 bales. Farm officials hope the export program will enable the government to sell at least 6,000,000 bales abroad during the current season.

The department said actual exports of cotton from August 1 through September 18 totaled 526,000 bales compared with 429,000 bales in the corresponding period last year.

### Public Records

**Building Permits**  
Robinson Torpedo Co., to move small structure from 807 Washington Blvd., to 2011 Scurry street, cost \$20.

**Marriage License**  
Talmadge Jackson, Big Spring, and Ruby Weldon, Abilene.

**In the 10th District Court**  
Verdell Darrow versus E. P. Darrow, suit for divorce.

**New Car**  
Magnolia Pipe Line Co., Plymouth coupe.

**MARRIED HERE**  
Talmadge Jackson, Big Spring, and Ruby Weldon, Abilene, were married here Wednesday evening in rites solemnized by Justice of Peace J. H. Hefley. The couple will make their home in Big Spring.

Cora Rudd, who has been visiting relatives in California, has returned home. En route here, she visited with a son at Mountain Air, N. M.

### WOMAN CLOWN WITH CIRCUS



Lala, world's only woman clown and one of the features of the restyled, air conditioned Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus that will give an afternoon and night performance in Big Spring Monday. Lala hails from the Mills Olympia Circus, London, England. Her brand of fun-making is said to stack up well with that of the Big Show's other 100 clowns. With a personnel of 1,500 people and 1,025 rare menagerie animals the "Greatest Show on Earth" will erect its acres of tents at Third St., between Bell and Abrams Streets.

### Death Of Rumania's Premier, Foe Of German Domination, May Set Off The Balkan Powder Keg

By JOHN EVANS

AP Foreign News Editor

Bullets that killed Rumania's anti-Nazi "strong man" premier today may be signals for the old Balkan powder keg to explode again.

Armand Calinescu long had tried to hold off the spreading threat of German domination through southeastern Europe. He was King Carol's choice to prevent the rise of the "iron guard" pro-Nazi fascists whom the government often said had German Nazi support, whether official or unofficial.

Germany today showed her strong hand when Rumania interned the fleeing Polish leaders, whom France and Britain asked her to allow free passage to them. Germany wanted President Ignace Moisevici, Marshal Edward Smigly-Rydz and Foreign Minister Josef Beck out of the war.

The 1914 war started in the Balkans with the assassination of the Archduke Francis Ferdinand.

The 1939 war is well started, but the Balkans still are the great big unknown quantity in the issue between Hitler and Germany's old enemies, Britain and France.

The killing of the premier in broad daylight as he was driven along a main Bucharest street comes with the suppressed iron guard Nazi movement rumbling inside the country and the massive old enemy Russia at her borders.

Rumania, seething inside, is under the direct pressure of Germany, Russia and Hungary with a none too friendly Bulgaria at her back.

Germany naturally looks toward the great Rumanian oil fields and her rich wheat harvests.

Russia never has taken her eyes from Bessarabia, taken from weakened Russia after the last war and given to Rumania by the allies. Bessarabia is one-seventh of the country.

Hungary looks hungrily at the territory of Transylvania, one-fifth of Rumania, taken from the once great, rich Magyar country.

Bulgaria, small and poor, lost 9,000 square miles to Rumania.

Altogether Rumania got two-fifths of her territory from the allies' war victory. She long has been nervous about a possible day of reckoning if her old enemies should rise in power. Hitler's dynamic progress toward control of eastern Europe worried her.

Rumania still may steer a neutral course but she is vulnerable inside and out.

The four powers whose former land she got through war may seek to get it back.

Rumania accepted a British-French guaranty of protection against "aggression"—which meant Germany. Poland had the same guaranty and today Germany and Russia occupy all but four points besieged and apparently destined to fall soon.

Against the darkness of this picture is King Carol's hope and aim to stay out of the war. He has won the support of the army and certainly he has gained favor with his people who once thought him weak. The kingship has steadied him and he early sought to stamp out the fascist or Nazi movement that might try to stamp him out.

Carol has about a million men under arms.

California is named after an imaginary island figuring in an old-time romance.

### Hospital Notes

**Big Spring Hospital**  
Mrs. Homer St. Clair of Lamesa has been admitted to the hospital for medical treatment.

Marion, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hays of Coahoma, underwent major surgery Wednesday afternoon.

O. J. Cunningham of Garden City underwent an appendectomy at the hospital Wednesday afternoon.

H. M. Glover, route 1 Big Spring, who has been in the hospital since September 4, following major surgery, returned to his home Thursday afternoon.

Condition of Mrs. J. B. Hatchett, who fell and broke her hip recently, continued about the same Thursday afternoon.

**Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Medlin of Westbrook, at the hospital Wednesday evening, a daughter. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Mrs. A. A. Spivey of Forsan underwent major surgery Thursday morning.

Mrs. C. C. Brown of Luther underwent surgery Thursday morning at the hospital.

### ENFORCEMENT COORDINATED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21 (AP) — Designation of 14 treasury agents and two coast guard commanders

to coordinate the treasury's enforcement activities was announced today by Secretary Morgenthau.

Among the coordinators named were:

District No. 10 (Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, with headquarters at Houston)—F. V. Sorrells, secret service.

### LIFTING EMBARGO, NOT UNNEUTRAL, HULL ASSERTS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21 (AP) — Secretary Hull asserted today lifting of the arms embargo after the outbreak of war abroad would not be an unneutral act.

The state department chief, in a long statement at his press conference, said belligerents constantly changed their position during a war, and that a neutral could too.

Otherwise, he suggested, the belligerents would have all the rights and a neutral none.

### FIGHTS STUDENT FEE

AUSTIN, Sept. 21 (AP)—Attorneys for James L. Malone of Carthage today filed a motion in the supreme court asking permission to bring a suit of mandamus against the University of Texas demanding refund of a \$1 student union fee.

Malone said he had been denied admission to the university because of refusal to pay the fee which was authorized by the legislature. Malone contended the law was unconstitutional.

### PACKING HOUSE MARKET

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| Pride Sliced<br><b>Bacon</b><br>25c<br>lb. |  | Center Cut Sliced<br><b>Cured Ham</b> 35c<br>lb. | Market Sliced<br><b>Bacon</b> 16c<br>lb. | Salt<br><b>Jowls</b> 10c<br>lb.                                                                            | Veal Loin<br><b>Steak</b> 23c<br>lb. | Real Pork<br><b>Sausage</b> 15c<br>lb.            | Calf Tongues &<br><b>Hearts</b> 10c<br>lb. | Fat Dressed<br><b>Hens</b> 59c<br>each  | Whipping<br><b>CREAM</b> 10c<br>1/4 Pt. | Sweet Cream<br><b>Butter</b> 25c<br>lb.            |
| Apples<br>Oranges<br>Bananas<br>Lemons     | Doz.<br><br><br>15c<br>Doz.                                                          | Fresh<br><b>Tomatoes</b> 5c<br>lb.               | Large Head<br><b>Lettuce</b> 5c<br>each  | Salad<br>Dressing<br> | Qts. 25s<br>Pts. 15c                 | Vegetole<br><b>Shortening</b> 39c<br>4-lb. Carton | 10 lb. Bag<br><b>Sugar</b> 59c             | Diamond<br><b>Matches</b> 5c<br>2 Boxes | Admiration<br><b>Coffee</b> 25c<br>lb.  | Kellogg's With Bowl Free<br><b>Corn Flakes</b> 10c |

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| Baby Food Libby's or Clapps—Can 5c   |                                                                |
| Mother's Oats With Premium—Large 25c |                                                                |

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2 Large or 4 Small 15c

Sweet Corn No. 2 Can 10c 3 for 25c

COCOA

1-lb. Hershey's 15c

2-lbs. Mother's 19c

CRACKERS 2 lb. Box 13c

Heinz Asst. Baby Foods 8c 2 for 15c

Heinz KETCHUP 14-oz. Bottle 18c

Del Monte TOMATOES No. 2 Can 10c

Modern OLEO lb. 12c

Post Toasties Large Package 9c

Heinz Tomato Juice .. 8c 2 for ... 15c

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Fancy Mountain lb. 2c

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Armour's Vegetole SHORTENING 4-lb. Ctn. 39c 8-lb. Ctn. 75c

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CRISCO 3-lb. Can 49c

Fancy Iceberg LETTUCE HEAD 4c

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SPINACH or G'BEANS No. 2 Can 10c 3 for 25c

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NBC Shredded Wheat Biscuit 10c

Pure Tomato CATSUP 14-oz. Bottle 10c

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# Happenings In Rural Communities

## COAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Thorpe returned this week from a two weeks vacation with relatives in Fort Worth, Ranger and Grandview. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Zonker

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Each ..... 10c

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Pkg. .... 5c  
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Pkg. .... 5c

**PEAS, Mission**  
No. 2 Can ..... 11c  
**CORN, Del Monte**  
No. 2, each ..... 11c

**DOG FOOD**  
Blacky, each ..... 4c  
**SPAM**  
Each ..... 25c

**CHEESE, Kraft's**  
2 lb. Pkgs. .... 45c  
**OLEO**  
Modern ..... lb. 11c

**Lifebuoy SOAP**  
Each ..... 6c  
**Camay SOAP**  
Each ..... 6c

**SALT**  
5c Size ..... 2 for 5c  
**Folger's COFFEE**  
lb. .... 25c

**Chuck Wagon**  
**BEANS, each** ..... 7c  
**TOILET TISSUE**  
Ft. Howard, 3 rolls 19c

**BROOMS**  
Each ..... 19c  
**CRACKERS**  
2 lbs. .... 15c

**GREEN BEANS**  
No. 2, each ..... 7c  
**SPINACH**  
No. 2, each ..... 7c

**PEACHES, Heart's**  
Delight, No. 2 1/2 ..... 15c  
**Heinz CATSUP**  
14 ounce ..... 19c

**MILK, Pet or**  
Carnation, each ..... 7c  
**TOMATO JUICE**  
50 ounce ..... 20c

**PEAS**  
Le Grande, each ..... 10c  
**Powdered SUGAR**  
Each ..... 6 1/2c

**Brown SUGAR**  
Each ..... 6 1/2c  
**PRUNES**  
Gallon ..... 27c

**BLACK PEPPER**  
1 1/2 ounce ..... 5c  
**Softasilk**  
**CAKE FLOUR** ..... 29c

**ICE CREAM**  
Banner ..... Qt. 25c  
**RAISINS**  
4 Pounds ..... 28c

**Maxwell House**  
**COFFEE** ..... lb. 26c  
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## MARKET

**ROAST BEEF**  
Pound ..... 15c  
**STEAK MEAT**  
Pound ..... 12 1/2c

**FRYERS**  
Each ..... 39c  
**HAMBURGER**  
2 lbs. .... 25c

**STEAK**  
Pound ..... 20c  
**PORK CHOPS**  
Pound ..... 25c

**CHEESE**  
Longhorn, lb. .... 19c  
**Sliced BACON**  
Pound ..... 19c

**CURED HAM**  
Center Slices, lb. .... 35c  
**Sliced BACON**  
Corn King ..... lb. 25c

and small son, Charles Harry, left this week to make their home in Coahoma where Mr. Zonker is employed by Phillips Petroleum company. He formerly worked for Sinclair-Prairie Oil company.

Mrs. Aaron Ross and small daughter, Sibyl Ruth, accompanied by Mrs. Norman Read, visited Mrs. Ross's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Shore, in Hereford a few days this week.

W. C. Phillips made a business trip to Abilene Saturday. He was accompanied by A. E. Webb of Borger.

Clifford Lytle left this week to make his home in Kansas. He was accompanied to Oklahoma City, Okla., by James Stroup who will spend a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Perkins Milam.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith of Hobbs, N. M., and former residents of this city, were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson. Opal Smith, who has been visiting Elsie Mae Echols, returned with them.

"Enlightenment" was the topic of W.M.U. Monday afternoon when it met at the Baptist church. Mrs. N. W. Pitts was in charge of the program and the devotional was given by Mrs. Chester Coffman. Attending were Mrs. Austin Coffman, Mrs. Ralph White, Mrs. Nando Henderson, Miss Bessie Lee Coffman, Mrs. Jim Ringner, Mrs. Earnest Rainey, Mrs. N. W. Pitts, and Mrs. Chester Coffman.

Mrs. Jack Stroud left Monday for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. May, of Dallas. She will also attend "rush week" at S.M.U. where she is a former student.

Miss Velma Shive of Canyon, accompanied by her brother, Eldon Shive, of Hart, Texas, spent Friday with their cousin, Mrs. C. H. Devaney, and other relatives of this city. Miss Shive graduated from Coahoma high school with the class of 1929. She was en route home from a two weeks' vacation in Dallas.

The Presbyterian auxiliary met Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. G. T. Guthrie presided at the meeting, and Mrs. C. H. Devaney was in charge of the program. The topic discussed was "If Our Church Fails To Teach" and others on the program were Mrs. A. E. Johnson, Mrs. Elbert Echols and Mrs. George Pagan. Attending were Mrs. J. B. Wheel, Sr., Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Charles Hale, Mrs. Noble Read, Mrs. Charles Read, Mrs. Truett Devaney, Mrs. Leroy Echols, Mrs. C. H. Devaney, Mrs. Elsie Elliott, Miss Agnes Barnhill, Mrs. Bernard Lay, Mrs. Elbert Echols, Mrs. Frank Lovelace, Mrs. Dewitt Shive, Mrs. Pagan, Mrs. H. T. Hale, Mrs. L. L. Stamps, and Mrs. C. T. Guthrie.

R. L. Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Adams, who was playing sophomore football at John Tackleton, received a broken ankle Saturday while practicing. He was accompanied home by his mother and will be unable to return until the second semester.

C. M. Medford has as his guest this week his brother, Floyd, of Colorado City.

Miss Dorothy Mullens is spending the week in Lamesa with her friend, Miss Reelle Meeks.

Miss Ruby Smith is spending a few days with Miss Carlene Fletcher and Miss Bessie Lee Coffman. She is formerly of this city and is now making her home in Hobbs, N. M. She is en route to Brownwood.

W. F. Talley spent Saturday in Snyder with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Talley.

Miss Sonora Murphy of Dunn has moved to Coahoma to accept a position as night operator at the telephone exchange. She was formerly employed by the same company at Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McCann, Fred York, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Coffman, Mrs. C. L. King, Mrs. J. E. Rowe, and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Logan attended the annual state singing convention at San Angelo Sunday.

Nila Pearl Bodine, Faye Gentry, and Kenneth Stalcup spent Saturday in Colorado City visiting friends.

Freddie Kizer, small son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Kizer, sustained a broken ankle Wednesday afternoon when he jumped off of a bale of cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown of Big Spring were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rowe, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Smith and family of Midland and J. W. Ways of Big Spring spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lindley spent Sunday in Ira visiting their aunt, Mrs. Lillie Murphy.

Callie Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler of Moore, is spending the winter here with her aunt, Mrs. Della Lay, and attending school.

The first meeting of P.T.A. was held Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium. A large crowd was present and Mrs. A. D. Shive presided at the meeting. Mrs. Boone Cramer was in charge of the program and the principal speaker for the evening was Dr. George McMahon, superintendent of the Big Spring State hospital. Several musical numbers were furnished by the pupils of Mrs. Leslie Adams.

Mrs. Henry Wolf of Vincent was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bates.

Mrs. Clara Webb has returned to her home in San Angelo after spending the past six weeks with Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Brown spent Sunday in Lamesa and Roscoe with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flache, Jr., spent the weekend in Lamesa with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Flache, Sr.

Dudley Keith of Roscoe is spending a few days with his brother, Pat Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baker and son, Junior, accompanied by Evan Baker, spent the weekend in Stamford with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Baker.

Bonnie Joyce, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wilson, is spending two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Wilson.

Harry Logsdon, who recently moved from here to Dublin, is spending the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter made a business trip to Ira Tuesday.

Kenneth Stalcup left Tuesday to accept a position in the oil fields at Ira.

Luther and Ray Bodine left Thursday to spend a few days with relatives in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Graham moved to Midland this week. Mr. Graham will be employed at the airport.

Helen French of Colorado City is spending the week with Faye Gentry.

L. D. Garrett of Albany spent the weekend here with his cousin, Rube Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hale and family spent Sunday in Midland as guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Hale.

Mrs. Kate Wolf spent Sunday in Colorado City with relatives.

Miss Catherine Woodson has returned after spending the past two months in Fort Stockton.

Walter Woodson of Clovis, N. M., is visiting his father, Mr. F. P. Woodson, and other relatives here this week.

Fred Woodson will leave Friday to enroll at Brantley Draughn Business college.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Box of Mineral Wells are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lovvorn.

Mrs. Mae Martin and Mrs. Lillie Mae Harlow moved to Big Spring this week. Mrs. Harlow's boys, Bobby and Jackie Cathey, are attending school there.

Charles Engle and Mildred Bowers were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Engle of the R-Bar community.

Mrs. Jack Roberts and Mrs. N. E. Reid spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Reid in the R-Bar community.

C. W. Ferris of Big Spring has taken over the drug store and Boone Cramer has opened a grocery and dry goods store in the Roberts building.

C. E. Kizer was in the Big Spring hospital several days this week suffering from a head injury received while working on the railroad Wednesday.

Officers for F.F.A. were elected at a meeting Tuesday evening at the shop. Eldon Dunn was made president, Leldon Dunn, vice president, Wayne Rogers, secretary, Jim Turner, treasurer, Wayne Monroey, reporter, Hezlie Read, watchdog, and parliamentarian, Alex Turner, Jr. Emmitt Cavin, agriculture teacher, is the sponsor of the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gross and family had as their guests over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Key of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powell and family of East Texas visited his parents in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKaskle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Carter and children visited Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Huddleston and son Sunday afternoon.

The Goodwill club met Wednesday with Mrs. C. H. Neely. Those present were Mrs. Jim Pardue, Mrs. M. J. Copeland, Mrs. T. L. Pond, Mrs. H. F. Burchett, Mrs. J. T. Gross, Mrs. H. F. Hamby, Mrs. O. W. Louis, Mrs. W. J. Edwards, Mrs. L. O. Morris, Mrs. G. H. Porch, Mrs. Lewis Carlie and the hostess, Mrs. Neely. Visitors were Mrs. Tommie Morris, Mrs. Fay Sanders and Mrs. Nila Bailey. Cup towels were embroidered and Mrs. Pardue presented members with gifts from the club sisters. This was the last meeting of the year. Mrs. D. C. Hamby was presented with a gift shower as she is moving from the community soon. Cake and cookies and punch were served.

Those attending the club picnic at the park Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pardue, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pond and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Burchett and daughter, Mary Frances, and Mrs. M. J. Copeland and daughter, Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. Edd McGee and children.

Always Good!

"The Bread That Is Worth More Than It Costs"

Mr. and Mrs. John Flache, Jr., spent the weekend in Lamesa with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Flache, Sr.

Lola Lovvorn has returned home after spending the past three weeks in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Enlow and son, James, of Burkburnett were the weekend guests of their daughter

## CENTER POINT

Sunday school and church services showed good attendance Sunday. Services were conducted by the Rev. Howard Hollowell and visitors from Moore, Coahoma and R-Bar were present.

Young People's Christian Alliance class had a watermelon feast at the Cantrell park Sunday evening. Attending were the Rev. and Mrs. Hollowell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sneed, Mrs. Albert Edens, Louise Crow, Frances Anderson, Betty Barber, Nell Edens, Velma Ray, Sneed Christian, Stephen Brooks, Wilford Anderson and David Edens.

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## CAUBLE

Miss Glenna Fay Raddler entertained guests from Tulsa this last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Yates and Mrs. Denver Yates and daughter visited in Abilene and Haskell the past week.

Eldred Ely of Big Spring visited Claudine Ely this last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gaskin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bettie and family, and Mrs. Lawson visited in the home of Mrs. R. I. Findley Sunday.

Joe Franklin, Joe Turner and James Whatley visited Cecil and Leroy Findley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thames and children of Big Spring visited in the home of A. E. Ford Monday.

Mrs. Tennie Franklin visited her daughter, Mrs. Herman Porch, of Hartwell last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. True Dunnigan visited Mabel and Callie Dunnigan Sunday.

There will be a community party at the school house Friday night, Sept. 22nd.

Roy Spry left for New Mexico Sunday morning.

Mrs. Sam Brown and daughter, Jane, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Callahan, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Armstrong of Stanton is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. T. V. Sipes.

Mr. and Mrs. Faw of Monahans are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. June Whatley this week.

War is the name of a town of 1,392 persons in West Virginia.

## Ex-Resident Charged In Girl's Death

Charges of murder have been filed in El Paso against George White, 25, former Big Spring resident, in connection with the death of his sweetheart, Mary Cotter, 19.

He was taken into custody at El Paso Tuesday night after the unconscious form of Miss Cotter had been found on a street. She died later in a hospital where it was disclosed she suffered from a skull fracture.

White, limp and dazed, was unable to give detectives a coherent story of his activities on Tuesday night. He told Traffic Officer Joe Moffett that he and Miss Cotter had quarreled, that he had shoved her and that she fell.

E. Blodson, who lived half a block from where Miss Cotter was found, said that a man had picked her up, apparently started for a car and had dropped her to the sidewalk and administered further punishment.

White, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. White, reside at 106 W. 23rd street in Big Spring, formerly worked here. He had enlisted in the army at El Paso in 1934 and again in 1937, but subsequently purchased his discharge. Officers said he was a good soldier. His mother learned of the incident in a radio news broadcast Wednesday afternoon.

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Ritz 42 oz. 15c  
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Coffee ..... Drip or Reg. lb. 21c  
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## Hysterical Hoarding

If there is any one thing of which the United States has plenty, it is food. Only a few weeks ago people were worrying over what to do with piled-up surplus stocks of sugar, lard, wheat, corn, meats, and fruits, not to mention non-food products such as cotton. Those same stocks exist today and the potential early demand for them is changed little, if at all, by the outbreak of war in Europe. And it would take a long time even for an conceivable increased demand to pull down the reserves.

In the light of these facts, the recent rush on grocery stores by many housewives and restaurant proprietors to lay in supplies is one of the most curious expressions of hysteria and misinformation in a long time. Perhaps it may have been aggravated by certain instances of over-shrewd salesmanship which conveyed a fear of shortage. At any rate, 800,000 tons of sugar and some millions of pounds of lard, over and above the continuing normal supplies, do not melt very rapidly in the market.

If Americans are thinking about the sugar rations that were imposed in the last war, they might recall that it was not in 1914 but in 1917 and 1918 that supplies became limited. Reserve supplies and other factors are different and generally more favorable now than then. It was two years before prices of foodstuffs rose appreciably then, and two years is a long time to keep an extra pound of sugar or can of lard around the house.

The rush of buying may not justify all the price increases of the last few days. Legal action against profiteering may be required. But primarily the remedy lies with consumers. Hysterical buying is a sure way to boost prices.

## Robbin Coons

## Hollywood Sights And Sounds

**HOLLYWOOD**—Something had better be done about this before we innocent males have nothing left to enshrine on pedestals.

I'm talking about the fall of the Movie Heroine. She isn't, as you may have noticed, all she ought to be. She isn't, not entirely anyway, that lovely goddess of beauty and sweetness and sincerity she was, unfailingly, for many thousands of years. She certainly is no longer merely that Girl met by Boy.

She is, in short, becoming a human being—with some pretty nasty human traits, and traits that make her seem real flesh-and-blood rather than a wishful celluloid mirage.

Bette Davis probably started it—this debunking of the frail and lovely, noble frail. She sunk dramatic teeth into her Mildred—unhappy, despicable Mildred—in "Of Human Bondage." If she started it, she has kept it up. Bette's "Jezebel" was a heller. And Bette's Charlotte in "The Old Maid" is not a pretty creature, but a woman with psychoses and complexes and, deep down, rather mean. Bette's Elizabeth in "Elizabeth and Essex" will be another one, you can be sure.

But look around at other sweet ones of the past. Kay Francis in "In Name Only" is a deep-eyed vixen masking her mercenary schemes to hound poor Carole Lombard and Cary Grant. She's such a she-devil in angel's clothing that she darned near wrecks the others' lives, and the plot to boot. Remember when Kay was self-sacrificing herself on the screen so much that she was practically washed right off it by her tears?

And who's this? Myrna Loy, no other. "The perfect wife." The smart, gay, warm and loving Mrs. Nick Charles of "The Thin Man." The girl who had said goodbye forever to screen wickedness, to the vamps and oriental schemers she used to play before she was "discovered."

But look at our Myrna now! In "The Rains Came" she's that "woman without morals," who sees her man and goes after him, who tolerates a stupid husband but doesn't let marriage annoy her too much. It's true she reforms in the end—but what an unscrupulous, unmoral dame she is before it comes.

For a collection of unpleasant, unromanticized femininity there's no better display case than "The Women" affords. Rosalind Russell, the arch-act of malicious gossip in this one, has played "straight" heroines, but never so devastatingly as her present assignment. Paulette Goddard, as a cat with some redeeming qualities, glories in the role. And Jean Crawford, who in a few assignments has gone noble on us, emerges here as the epitome of the cheap, gold-digging, ruthless and predatory female.

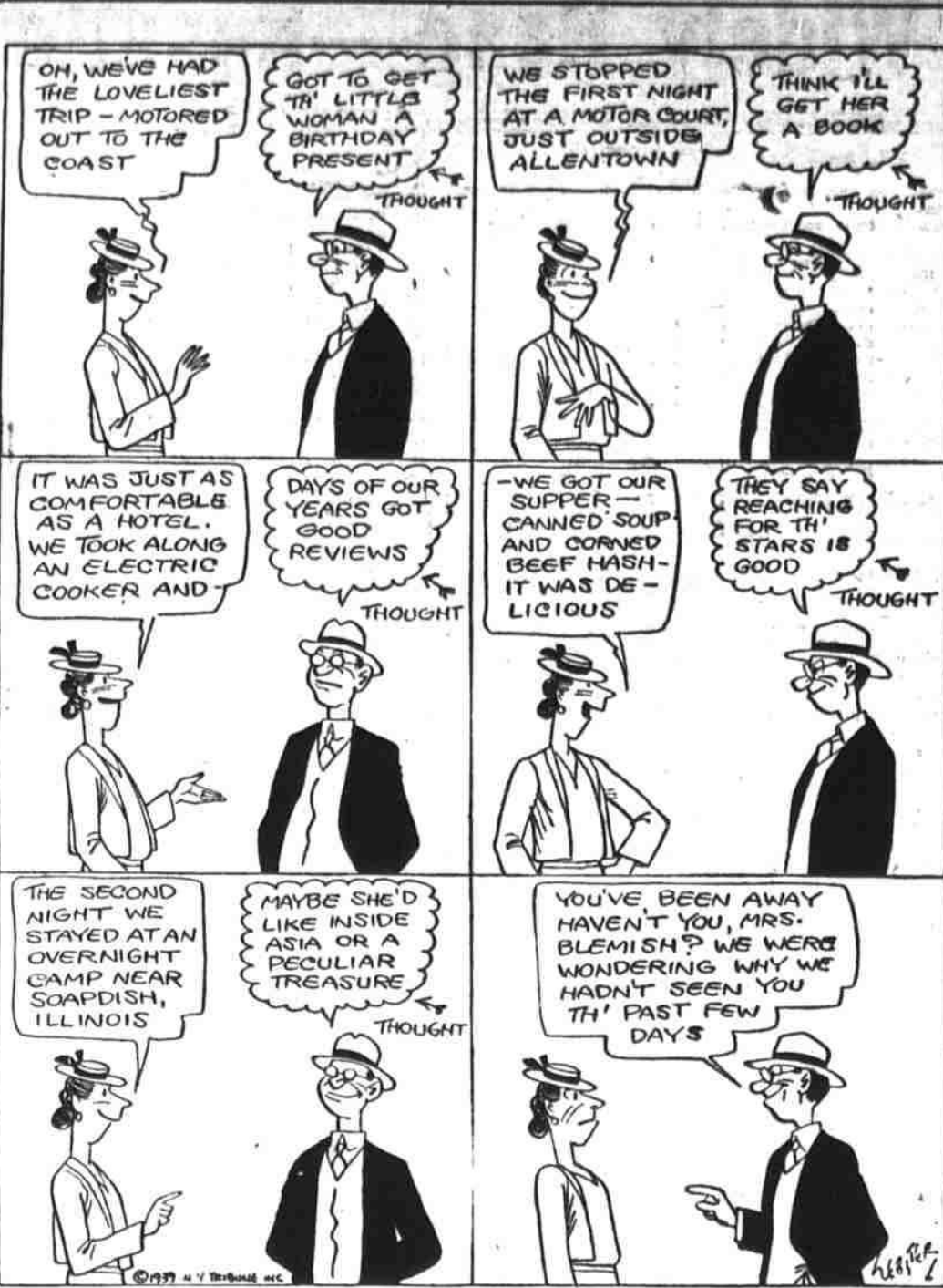
It used to be said that a romantic star was "brave" when she took on such unattractive tasks as these. Where the bravery is involved is not soon apparent. Kay Francis looks to be on the high road again, and "The Women" may revive Joan Crawford's admittedly dwindling fame. "The Rains Came" will boost Myrna Loy's ranks in dramatics—and Bette Davis, the classic example, owes all she is and has to a double-dealing Mildred.

Rear-driven cars are foreseen for 1945. Could this be an outgrowth of back-seat driving?—Volmer Gleditsch, Joplin Globe.

Isn't it about time for the League of Nations to pass a resolution or something?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Texas produces 40 per cent of the world's peanuts, but Indiana has the best known McNuts.—Tupelo Times.

## Are You Listening?



## MOORE

Lawrence Adkins, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. D. W. Adkins, for the past week left Friday to resume his studies at West Texas State at Canyon. Lawrence is classified as a senior this year.

L. J. Davidson of Center Point was a business visitor at Moore Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hammack and Miss Ella Ruth Thomas and Pershing Morton spent the weekend at Christoval.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Phillips of Monroe, La., arrived Sunday morning to spend a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Sr., of this community, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Prescott of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffie King and daughter, Betty Lou, of Center Point, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. King and Mrs. Rice of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. N. F. King last Tuesday.

Miss Miami Cotton of Big Spring was a Sunday dinner guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Pettey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rice are the parents of a girl, born Tuesday and weighing 9 1/4 pounds. Her name is Joyce LaRanda. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely. Mrs. Rice is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. King.

Misses Eva May Turney, Pauline Wilmon, Ruby Helen Fryar, Daisy Cline, Jeanette Stevenson, Annie Merrill Mathis, and Irene Brown enjoyed a weiner roast at the city park Saturday night.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. King included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Freeman of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey King of Big Spring, Mary Rice and Mrs. Henry King, both of Big Spring, and Elmer King of Center Point.

B. Daniels and children, Helena May, Murphy Lee, Wanda Joe and Sheran Jane, were all Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Turney.

Trustees and teachers met in a board meeting Tuesday night to discuss several important questions concerning the school. Miss Arah Phillips, principal of the school, made a financial report for the school term of 1933-1934.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Billings and children of Brown, who have been vacationing in Arkansas for the past two weeks, returned by the way of this school to visit their daughter, Miss Beauna Billings, who is teacher of the primary room this year.

Norma Lee Adkins spent Wednesday night with her sister, Mrs. W. N. Wood and family of Knott.

Madison Smith, Clyde Turney and F. M. Stevenson were guests at the good will dinner at Center Point Thursday night.

Raymond, Lillian and Buck Nail of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward Tuesday afternoon.

Edgar Phillips and the Coffee family made a business trip to Seagraves Friday afternoon.

Cecil Phillips was substitute teacher in the primary room Friday. Miss Billings was notified late Thursday evening of the death of her uncle, Calvin Billings, of Brown. Mr. Billings had been ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Osburn and son, Jerry, of Luther were Sunday dinner guests of his sister, Mrs. F. M. Stevenson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Phillips of Monroe, La., and Mr. Roy Phillips and children, Patsy and Joy Beth, of Knott, Mrs. J. W. Walker of Knott, Mrs. J. W. Edgar Phillips and children, Dorothy Jean, Freddie, Francis and Edgar Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Jr., and children, Donald and Twila

Francis, of Knott, Mrs. Lee Castle of Brown, Misses Twila Lomax, Arab Phillips and Anna Smith, Doris McClain of Knott, and Mr. and Mrs. Elra Phillips and daughter, Billy Bob, of Big Spring were all Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Sr.

The regular fourth Sunday singing will be held Sunday afternoon in the school gymnasium beginning at 3 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Miss Ruth Lusk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lusk, left for Midland, Texas, Sunday night to resume her duties with the Devonian Oil company there. Ruth has been here for the past two weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Callie Wheeler, who is taking a post graduate course at Coahoma, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Payne and daughter, Lorina, of Big Spring were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nelson and family. George Brown and Bud Ward made a business trip to the Davis mountains Sunday.

Mrs. Verdie Phillips of this community has returned from Sweetwater where she has been for the past week teaching a study course in the First Baptist church Junior department.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hull spent Sunday with Mrs. Hull's sister, Mrs. Luther Reddell, and husband of the Lees community.

Margie Earnest and Glenn Barnes of Big Spring were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wheeler and family.

R. M. Wheeler made a business trip to Midland Sunday.

Mrs. Randolph Marion and son, Richard Leon, are spending several days with her mother, Mrs. D. W. Adkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Phillips and children, Dorothy Jean, Freddie, Francis and Edgar Allen visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. Fryar, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Newton and family, David, Bill and Norman, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Warren and family of Knott.

The P-T-A is sponsoring a membership campaign for the next two weeks. A large oak tree, with four branches to represent the different class rooms has been drawn and placed on the bulletin board. When each room collects a fee from a member a star is placed on the tree's branches. The room collecting the most stars will be given a party by the losing rooms.

Bruce Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Verdie Phillips of this community, left last week to enter Howard Payne college. Bruce is classified as a senior this year and is on the football squad.

## Death Claims Mrs. Taylor

Illness of a year's duration ended in the death, early Wednesday, of Mrs. Della Alice Taylor, wife of L. C. Taylor, Coaden refinery employee. Mrs. Taylor, 34, succumbed at 12:30 a. m. at the family residence, 511 Douglas street.

Mrs. Taylor had resided in Big Spring for 12 years. Survivors, besides her husband, include her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Mason; three daughters, Roe, Nora and Nita Taylor; one brother, Vernon Mason of Harlingen; and four sisters: Mrs. L. B. Hambricht of Norton, Mrs. Irene Morton of Abilene and Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Jr., and Miss Joyce

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## FAIRVIEW

A large crowd heard Rev. A. M. Bryant last Sunday when he preached at the Prairie View Baptist church. Rev. Lightfoot of Corsicana will fill the pulpit next Sunday at 11 a. m. and Rev. Dunn will speak in the evening. Sunday school will be at 10 a. m.

The church has been without a pastor for several months, and members are hoping to call a minister soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bloodworth and son of Wynnewood, Okla., are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Henderson returned Tuesday from Roton where they visited relatives. A brother of Mr. Henderson's accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wooten were Sunday dinner guests of C. C. Gaylor in Big Spring.

Mrs. J. G. Hammack and Mrs. Jackson have been busy canning beans and peas. Other women of the community have several hundred cans filled.

Gathering of cotton is going at a fast pace in this area, and the harvest soon will be completed.

D. L. Knightstep has returned from Bowie. He reports dry weather in that part of the state.

Mrs. W. A. Langley has been on the sick list this week.

School recess Friday for cotton picking and will resume on October 9.

P-T-A met Friday in regular session to plan a box supper and auction sale for Friday, September 22. A cake walk will be held and women are to bring box lunches and cakes. Funds will be used for school needs.

Visitors at school Friday were Mrs. W. B. Puckett, Mrs. J. E. Morris, Mrs. J. W. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Yates, Mrs. Bryson, and Mrs. A. M. Bryant.

Friday night a community gathering was held at the school house and games and visiting were diversion. Mrs. Deats and Miss Irwin provided the music.

A community singing was conducted at the school Sunday night by J. W. Kilpatrick.

James Bryant and W. A. Ringener were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gillman Sunday.

J. E. Norris and Charlie Key were visitors in Elbow Sunday.

Mrs. Brown, who has been ill, is reported to be convalescing.

Dramatic club practiced its play, "Deacon Dubbs," to be presented soon and date is to be announced at the box supper on Friday.

## CONFERS AT AUSTIN ON GREGG ST. JOB

E. V. Spence, city manager, returned Monday from a business trip to Austin. He had conferred with highway department officials on plans to pave Gregg street as a part of highway No. 8.

Spence also called attention to the advertisement of bids for projects under the amendatory PWA application on Oct. 2.

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## Washington Daybook

**WASHINGTON**—England and France may not appear so busy fighting, but they are working hard in the diplomatic corridors.

Just now that is of especial interest both to diplomats, who like to win contests that way, and to military men, who are in doubt how England and France can win any other way.

Wedge in among reports of skirmishes on the western front and German advances in the east, are brief items telling how England and France are using all their old persuaders on Italy, Spain and Japan, to turn them against their one-time ally of the anti-comintern. Nor have the British given up on Russia.

Wars are sometimes won by an adept purchase of an ally just as they are won by an adept purchase of munitions. England no doubt would offer Italy an extensive piece of African acreage in return for fighting Germany or even for an assured friendly neutrality. With Italy on the fence as she is, England would not feel safe in sending any sizeable expedition through the Mediterranean into the Black sea to help Poland through the "back door."

**THE TIME HAS COME**  
 Military experts suggest that the time has come for diplomacy to work relief. Search as we will, we cannot find a solitary soldier who can tell how France or England can break into Germany. An attack on the sea coast would be extremely hazardous and might cost Britain half her navy and still fail.

The skirmishing along the western front so far means little.

The nearer the collapse of Poland, the more desperate the plight of France and England to show that they have the winning hand. With Italy on their side, they would have an opening into Germany. The Brenner pass does not furnish an especially happy access to Germany but it is better than using half a million men blowing a hole through the 40-mile Siegfried line.

So urgent is the need for such an entry that the British and French ambassadors have camped on Count Ciano's doorstep ever since the war began.

**WHAT OF RUSSIA?**  
 Where Russia stands may remain a mystery until her troops cross somebody's border. Just now there are a few in Washington—and in Russia, seemingly—who are in doubt as to what is up.

A few desperate "Hitler-haters" tried to read into it that the Russians never had been happy with Germany as a next door neighbor and would be even unhappier with Germany closer to the rich Russian Ukraine (their Ohio-Mississippi valley) than she ever was before.

Of course if worst comes to worst for the Allies, they can sit tight and hope to starve out Germany. But sea-strategists say a goodly crop of barnacles will grow on the bottom of the British navy before the Allies succeed.

## George Tucker

## Man About Manhattan

**NEW YORK**—If the other 95 per cent makes retaliatory gestures in a manner that will be felt at the boxoffice, Pearl Buck shouldn't be bewildered. For an explanation she will have only to go back to a speech she made in 1937, which went like this:

"In the theatre only five per cent of the audience is intelligent. A good play fails because the rest aren't interested in it. They want the same thing over and over again. They want everything to turn out all right in the end for the man and the girl. The average motion picture is a horrible fuddle in which Clark Gable makes love at a big salary."

It is to be hoped these words do not return like Banquo's ghost to the banquet, for Miss Buck has left off novelizing for the moment and written a play, "Flight Into China," which has had its first trial in a New Jersey playhouse. It is the story of a Jewish refugee who flees Nazi persecution and finds asylum in China.

This is Miss Buck's first journey into playwrighting, although her novel, "The Good Earth," found its way to the theatre through the careful rewriting of Owen Davis and his son Donald.

Miss Buck's great admiration for the Chinese is well known, and it is among these people that she knows so well that her hero finds the peace that comes with complete understanding with his fellow man.

Times change, and with them the face of the city, and so the site of the old Belmont, on Park avenue (Fourth avenue if you live below 42nd street), is to be reclaimed at long last by five major airline companies. Across the street from Grand Central terminal will rise a new limestone terminal for American, Pan-American Airways, United Airlines, Eastern Airlines, and Transcontinental & Western.

This is a dream of long standing, and it comes at a time when the airlines themselves are planning to desert the Newark airport and use the North Beach port on Long Island.

The Jersey authorities are stubbornly resisting efforts of the lines to pull out of Newark, which would mean the end of the honest claim that Newark's great port is the world's busiest. It is said that New York has spent \$3 million dollars in their Newark holdings, a large part of which must go by the boards if all the lines pull out.

Some fabulous plans have been put forward and deflated in an effort to find a suitable (meaning convenient) port for Manhattan. One such was to build a gigantic floating landing field in the harbor. Another was to transfer Central park into a mid-city airport, but the lofty buildings made this impossible, even if nature lovers and the city proper had been willing to sacrifice Manhattan's beautiful park.

The main discontent with Newark is the inconvenience in reaching it. You can fly from Newark to Boston in the time that you can reach New York from the port in a taxi.

A study at Massachusetts General hospital suggests that worry leads to rheumatism. Hence of course, the familiar condition, worried stiff.—Senator Soaper.

A travel writer explains that there is practically no middle class in South America. Goah, how refreshingly different! Who gets stuck for everything down there?—Boston Herald.

"If winter comes, can spring be far behind?" Not unless the president decided to move it ahead.—Wilkes-Barre Times-Leader.

Unquestionably American communists seeking to explain Moscow's newly found affinity for Germany, are red in the face.—Greensboro News.

"A physician declares that President Roosevelt is in condition to stand a third term." Will some one now please examine the country?—Thomaston Times.

Another consolation about beginning at the bottom is that you have less distance to skid.—Carey Williams, Greensboro Herald-Journal.

## SERVICES TODAY FOR VETERAN MEMBER OF BAR, W. M. TAYLOR

## ACKERLY NEWS

Doris Crisswell left last Monday for Abilene where she will attend McMurry college.

Mrs. Curtis Whiles was honored with a shower at her home Friday. Many nice gifts were received by the honoree. Refreshments were served to thirty-eight ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Lowe of Big Spring were the guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Baum.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Phillips attended a singing convention at Key last Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Dillard of Colorado City was called here last Monday to attend the funeral of a relative, Little Harold Gene Mauldin.

George Hardin was reported seriously ill Sunday evening.

Doyle Childs of Lubbock visited friends here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Etheredge and children and Hattie and Nova Kestly White spent last weekend in Mills county visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Etheredge.

L. C. Pyle went to Lubbock Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Coker and baby of Big Spring were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Archer, last Monday.

Mrs. Earl Hedges and children of Foran were the Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. W. Coleman.

Rev. and Mrs. Cumble, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones were Sunday guests in the L. C. Hambrick home.

Carl Lollar of Anson was here last week buying maize to truck to that place.

Mrs. Shelby Reed and son of Henderson spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown. J. Archer made a business trip to Sweetwater last Friday.

Allen White of Fort Bliss visited his mother last week. He was en route to a post in Virginia where he will take air training.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Bartlett of Key were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holmes last Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Savell of Abilene spent a few days last week with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Savell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dement and family visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mrs. Thurman Baum visited her sisters in Big Spring last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardin entertained the young people with a party Saturday evening.

Rev. H. H. Hollowell filled his appointment at Center Point Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bryson and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bryson attended the rodeo at Colorado City last Saturday.

Oscar Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Tucker were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jones of Spangenberg last Sunday.

Billie, Barbara and Shirley Archer returned last week from San Antonio where they visited their mother.

Kay Dyer was the guest of Mrs. J. T. Robertson of Flower Grove last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowler and family of Colorado City were the weekend guests of her parents.

Mrs. R. R. Myles and Mrs. Joel Britton made a shopping trip to Big Spring last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vesper Love and children visited relatives near Midway last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rudeseal were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams last Sunday.

No. 1 had been found of the thieves who took all the tires from a filling station here last Monday night.

The Boy Scouts met at the home of Scoutmaster J. P. Hewlett Tuesday evening. Those attending were Homer Criswell, Hosea Williams, Billy Hambrick, Jim and Tom Woods

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## FD Calls

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"To those who say that this program would involve a step toward war on our part," the chief executive asserted, "I reply that it offers far greater safeguards than we now possess or have ever possessed to protect American lives and property from danger."

"It is a positive program for giving safety. This means less likelihood of incidents and controversies which tend to draw us into conflict, as they did in the last war."

"There lies the road to peace. After relating steps already taken to strengthen the nation's defenses, Mr. Roosevelt said he saw no need for additional legislation nor for further executive action under his proclamation of a limited state of national emergency."

Mr. Roosevelt said the executive branch of the government had done its utmost, within a traditional policy of non-involvement, to aid in averting the present appalling war."

"Having thus striven and failed," he said, "this government must now make no time or effort to keep the nation from being drawn into the war."

Here he predicted success "in these efforts."

Before closing, the president expressed his desire to be able to "offer the hope that the shadow over the world might swiftly pass." But he said:

"I cannot. The facts compel my stating, with candor, that darker periods may lie ahead."

Mr. Roosevelt said the disaster abroad was not of American making, but that "we find ourselves affected to the core, our currency of commerce changing, our minds are filled with new problems, our position in world affairs has already been altered."

A moment later he asserted: "Fate seems now to compel us to assume the task of helping to maintain in the western world a citadel wherein that civilization may be kept alive. The peace, the integrity and the safety of the Americas—these must be kept firm and serene."

Thus the president, for some of his audience, gave reassurances the United States would stand firmly behind the Monroe Doctrine.

His message also gave his backing to the neutrality proposals transmitted to congress at its last session by Secretary Hull.

Before Mr. Roosevelt drove to the capital to address the congress called together only seven weeks after adjourning the regular session, 17 senators opposed to repeal of the arms embargo met to plan their strategy of opposition to revision of the neutrality act.

Mr. Roosevelt was reported to have outlined his position to the conference of democratic and republican leaders held in his executive offices yesterday afternoon.

That gathering, according to other reports, produced no commitments on how congress stood with regard to the president's policy and this, too, appeared to be the situation in congress.

On these two points there was said to be general agreement, however:

1. That the first concern of all parties is to preserve American neutrality.
2. That revision of the present neutrality law, the core of which is the arms embargo, should receive consideration free of all politics.

On high authority it was stated that Mr. Roosevelt had expressed the hope congress would finish its work on neutrality and adjourn speedily. This was in response to a suggestion made to him by Alf M. Landon, titular republican leader, that the national legislature should meet continually throughout the European war.

The president proposed that four congressional leaders remain in the capital after adjournment for constant consultation on the international situation.

This quartet would consist of Senators Barkley of Kentucky, McNary of Oregon, the democratic and republican leaders, and the corresponding chiefs of the house—Representative Rayburn of Texas, and Martin of Massachusetts.

On the neutrality issue, Mr. Roosevelt was said to have taken the position that if congress cared to legislate on various phases of the neutrality problem, such as American travel on belligerent ships, it was all right with him.

But he explained that under emergency powers he already has control which could be exercised over such things as travel and the entry of American vessels into war zones. In that connection it was noted that the state department controls issuance of passports.

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LOST: Black and white female building; vaccine tag No. 59012. Reward if returned to R. V. Forsyth, 606 Eleventh place.

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### 5 Woman's Column

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## FINANCIAL

### 15 Bus. Opportunities

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FOR SALE: Blue Moon Cafe at bargain if sold at once. See Roy F. Bell or call 921.

## FOR SALE

### 18 Household Goods

TWO 6-foot, all porcelain, deluxe, 1936 model Frigidaires. One 5 1/2 foot, 1936 model MW refrigerator. One 9-tube repossessed Zenith table model radio. One 7-tube repossessed Zenith radio, cabinet. One 9-tube repossessed GE table model radio. One used Eary washing machine, 1937 model. One used Thos. washing machine, 1937 model. One 6-ounce Frigidaire bottle cooler. One Tailors model Singer sewing machine. All the above items like new, priced right. Gibson Household Appliances, 214 E. Third St.

### 23 Pets

FOR SALE: Thoroughbred Dauschund puppies. Phone 73 or see J. J. Green.

FOR SALE: Toy Boston puppies at 405 East 2nd Street.

### 26 Miscellaneous

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FOR SALE: 100 barrel Lincoln steel tank, complete with wood tower, ladder and gauge. Phone 838.

FOR SALE: Lady's Swiss \$40 watch and lady's set of diamond wedding and engagement rings. Bargain for cash, or will trade. Wayne Rogers, 1808 Gregg.

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NICELY furnished 2-room apartment; no children; at 507 East 15th.

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## MARKETS

### Wall Street

NEW YORK, Sept. 21 (AP)—War stocks napped for a while in today's market but eventually advanced and stepped out for a sprint that put many up as much as 3 points at the best. Isolated gains of 5 or 6 were noted.

Prices were spotty in the forenoon with the turnover the first two hours the smallest since the boom got under way nearly three weeks ago.

Speculative forces had their ears to the ground, however, and, just after mid-day, when rumors were heard in boardrooms of a "leak" at Washington indicating repeal of the arms embargo was "in the bag," buyers hit the list from all sides and quotations soon mounted to peak levels of the day.

For a brief interval the ticker tape fell 2 minutes behind. Subsequently there were frequent slow-downs and pickups in activity. Renewed hesitancy was evident near the close and final advances were well trimmed in many cases. Transfers were around 1,700,000 shares.

## Livestock

### PORT WORTH

(USDA)—Cattle salable 2,400; total 2,700; calves salable 1,000; total 1,800; most slaughter steers and yearlings 7.00-8.50; two loads 1.02 1/2; steers 9.25; bulk cows 4.25-5.25; bulls 4.50-6.00; killing calves largely 5.00-7.50; good and choice stock steers calves 8.75-9.50; load mixed steers and heifers 8.15.

Hogs salable 1,200; total 1,300; top 7.50, paid by shippers and butchers; packer top 7.40; good and choice 175-270 lbs. averages 7.35-7.50; 150-170 lbs. 6.75-7.30; packing sows 6.00-6.50; feeder pigs 6.25 down.

Sheep salable 1,400; total 2,000; medium to good spring lambs 7.25-8.00; woolled yearlings 6.50 down; feeder lambs, mostly 6.00-6.50.

## Cotton

### NEW ORLEANS

Cotton futures weakened following an early advance today under hedge selling and liquidation. Final prices were steady at net losses of 2 to 7 points.

Open High Low Close  
Oct. .... 8.15 8.15 8.10 8.12  
Dec. .... 8.95 8.95 8.82 8.89  
Jan. .... 8.97 8.97 8.79 8.79  
Mar. .... 8.75 8.75 8.65 8.66  
May .... 8.58 8.58 8.42 8.45-47  
July .... 8.38 8.38 8.25 8.28

## FIRE ALARM

Firemen Wednesday evening answered a call to the First National bank where some person had been alarmed by smoke in the vicinity. Firemen said that it was merely a harmless trash fire.

Latin America includes: Brazil (which speaks Portuguese), Haiti (which speaks French), Puerto Rico (a U.S. dependency) and 15 Spanish-speaking republics.

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### 46 Houses For Sale

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### 49 Business Property

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## AUTOMOTIVE

### 53 Used Cars To Sell

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FOR SALE: 1939 Plymouth sedan; radio; 4,000 miles; repossessed. Can be had by taking up payments. Marvin Hull Motor Co. Phone 59.

FOR SALE: 1932 Plymouth 2-door sedan in good shape; new 6-tyre tires. See Lee Jenkins at Star Tire Service.

## Premier

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mats said the slaying was "highly significant just at a moment when German and Russian troops are approaching Rumania's northern frontier." Other Budapest sources said they believed a long-expected revolt of the Iron Guard had come.

The Rumanian legation in Belgrade said after vain attempts to telephone Bucharest that it looked as if the Iron Guard already was in charge.

The premier was driving in his car on Bucharest's main street, on his way to the royal palace, when he was shot.

His car was suddenly blocked, reportedly by three other machines. The three cars converged on that of the premier while a peasant cart blocked the road ahead.

One car drew alongside. Masked men jumped out and opened fire with sub-machine guns. Calinescu slumped in his seat. Bullets had riddled his chest and abdomen from side to side. He died en route to a hospital.

Eight of the alleged assassins and accomplices have been arrested. The troops were called to surround their cells and public buildings and to guard against any attempt at a coup.

While the assassins were carrying out their assignment another band of armed, masked men seized the Bucharest radio station, shooting and wounding the announcer and interrupting the scheduled program.

Then one of them announced that Calinescu had been killed in a revolt.

Police rushed immediately to the scene of the shooting, where two of the alleged killers were arrested. Meanwhile Rumanian authorities quickly clamped on rigid censorship until the facts were established.

Diplomatic circles here had said an economic war over Rumanian oil was under way, with a German mission in Bucharest attempting to obtain vast quantities of the output for Germany's army and airforce.

Calinescu's campaign against the iron guard came to a head in the fall of 1938 and since then police have announced discovery of a half dozen "revenger" plots against him.

On June 17, police said iron guardists planned to assassinate Calinescu and King Carol with hand grenades at a race track.

Calinescu was minister of interior in charge of police on Nov. 30, 1938, when Corneliu Zelea Codreanu, his 14 chief aides also were shot. At that time there were reports iron guardists had taken an oath to assassinate Calinescu in revenge.

Despite the frequent reported discovery of such plots against him the premier steadily refused to have a bodyguard.

It was said Calinescu told King Carol when the monarch begged him to employ guards: "No man can escape his fate."

(In Budapest Rumanian legation sources reported there had been constant agitation throughout Rumania by iron guard members since the start of Germany's invasion of Poland. They said the news had been suppressed by the Bucharest government lest it lead to "complications" during the international crisis.)

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**DOUBLE TALK IN DALLAS.**—His double joints help Joe Louis, but boy with the Dallas Rebels, present this weird sight, as 15-year-old Joe watches a baseball game. Wait'll he grows up; the boy now measures six feet, four inches.

## Radio

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heard above the calm voice of the announcer and four times the drone of diving airplanes came over the air.

The broadcaster said the raids were conducted by squadrons of 30 German planes.

Before silence again sealed Warsaw's fate, the radio reported a successful attack against a German force. But it also admitted devastating blows from German cannon and warplanes.

Still defiant, Mayor Stefan Starzynski had appealed to the capital's citizens to preserve until a final victory had been won against the Germans.

Colonel Wladyslaw Lipinski described the battle in which he said Polish forces, particularly cavalry, drove back a German tank attack.

The radio said German aircraft made several raids over the center of Warsaw, especially in the neighborhood of Flakied Square and the city's largest hotels, inflicting heavy casualties among women and children.

Seven German warplanes were said to have been shot down.

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## Cavern Near Boerne Soon To Be Opened As New Attraction

Local People Interested In Project Regarded As Equal To Carlsbad As Place Of Natural Scenic Wonder

Texas has as a natural wonder a cavern of its own. True, it is not yet a Carlsbad Cavern; in fact it doesn't even have a name yet; but it could develop into as great an attraction as Carlsbad, in the opinion of those who have seen it in the present state of development.

A great deal of this development is to be the result of Big Spring capital and labor. Two of the owners of the project are Big Spring citizens, R. T. Piner and J. C. Evelyn, while a Big Spring contractor, Otis Grafe, has the contract for putting the cavern into condition to show its wonders to the public.

This work includes the building of approximately a mile of caliche surfaced road from one of Kendall county's roads to the cavern, located a trifle more than ten miles northeast of Boerne, which is on the main highway between San Antonio and Fredericksburg, one of Texas' most traveled highways.

Another former Big Spring citizen, E. D. McIver, who moved to San Antonio from here in July to take charge of the promotion and getting the project into operation, is fast getting the work done to where they expect to open the project to the public some time within the next two to four weeks.

Some more of the work includes a winding descent carved and blasted out of practically solid limestone to enable visitors to the cavern to walk up and down to the level where the many attractions can be shown them. This floor is approximately 100 feet below the surface of the earth, and the entrance is at one of the highest points on a hill that stands high among the other hills of this beautiful, rugged country.

A concession house, located near the entrance to the cavern, should be completed about the time of the opening, and is of the beautiful native stone which abounds in that part of Texas.

**Underground River**  
The explored part of the cavern and that part of it which will be opened to the public shortly, is some seven hundred feet in length, and is divided partly into four chambers.

In addition, there is an underground river, which has already been traversed some two or three hundred feet in one direction and about three-quarters of a mile in another, and which was found Sunday last by a party from Big Spring to contain at least one bone of some supposedly prehistoric monster.

This explored part contains hundreds of stalactites and stalagmites, the water-formed formations which have made Carlsbad so famous. A major difference is that while Carlsbad has mostly one color in such formations, a pure white, the Boerne cavern has at least six different shades of such formations, mingled and intermingled to make an almost unbelievably lovely sight. The owners are informed that in addition to a greater variety of colors, such as pure white, pink, red, brown, reddish brown and green, the size of some of the formations is considerably greater than those found in Carlsbad. Several of them are approximately 15 feet in diameter and most of the large ones have grown together from the ceiling of the cavern to the floor, that sometimes being a

## 'B' Team Of Gridders Formed By Murphy; First Game Is Matched

Reduction of the Steer squad and creation of a new high school grid unit was announced at football practice Monday afternoon by Pat Murphy, coach.

The new team will be known as the Shortnors and will be a fill-in between the Yearlings, Junior high contingent, and the traveling squad of the Steers.

Purpose of the new team is to give boys, who possibly would play little or none during a season with the regular Steers, a change to figure in some actual game combat with class B teams in the area.

One game already has been lined up for Friday at O'Donnell. Murphy said he anticipated little difficulty in arranging half a dozen other games during the season.

"This way the boys who couldn't expect to do much but sit on the bench will be getting some valuable experience on the playing field," Murphy commented.

Shortnor squad members will continue to work out daily with the Steer squad. The only difference is that they will play their own schedule of games.

Murphy said he was hopeful that some arrangement could be made whereby John Daniel could turn over the coaching duties on the Yearling squad to someone else and assume control of the Shortnors.

The Steer squad will be cut to about 24 members, said Murphy, giving him two men for each place and a good utility lineman and a utility back.

## MORRISON SWORN IN AS DIST. CLERK

W. S. Morrison was officially sworn in as district clerk Friday to succeed Hugh Dobberty, resigned, after the commissioners court had approved \$5,000 bond.

Morrison was sworn in by J. W. Jackson, Comptroller, in accepting the appointment Thursday at the hands of District Judge Eben Collins. Morrison announced he would not be a candidate for the office in 1939, thus leaving the field wide open to a number who had been applying for the position. He said he had made known their intentions to run.

## \$3,000 Fixed As Goal For Campaign

All Business Interests In City Urged To Aid In Program

With \$3,000 as the goal, an intensive campaign to solicit funds for the Salvation Army's activities in Big Spring will be staged on October 4-5-6.

The goal was accepted and the dates fixed by the Army's advisory board at a meeting Friday afternoon, when plans were mapped in the hope of enlisting a great cross section of business men as solicitors in the drive. Every effort will be made, it was said, to put the campaign on a more general basis than ever before, with the whole community urged to assist.

The drive will be launched with a "kick-off" breakfast, plans for which are yet to be fixed. Then, a climax will be a "Tag Day" on October 7.

Members of the advisory board—R. T. Piner, Joe Ogden, J. H. Greene, R. R. McEwen, Bob Whipple and G. H. Hayward—conferred with Major L. W. Canning, head of the Army unit here, and R. L. Portwood, director of the campaign.

**\$3,000 Budget**  
Major Canning pointed out that \$3,000 would be needed to finance the Army through a year, and that the local campaign would be for only one-half that amount; the remainder is raised through contributions of the Army's own workers and members; intermittent donations, contributions from outside Big Spring and in the Christmas

kettle solicitation. Approximately \$2,300 was raised in last year's drive, and the Army has been sorely handicapped by lack of funds.

Major Canning submitted a report showing that thousands of people had been reached and aided during the past year. Some of the highlights:

**Many Helped**  
Clothing and shoes were given to 2,333 men, women and children. Groceries were given to 119. Garments were given to 1,747 families.

Three persons were aided with drug supplies, and one was provided with hospitalization.

Christmas dinners were provided for 567.

Toys and candy were given at Christmas to 1,442 children.

In transient relief, the Army had 2,099 applicants. 201 were lodging, 1,639 were given meals, 316 were given transportation; 38 were given clothing; 12 were given other aid; and 148 women transients were aided.

In the religious field 208 street meetings were held, with over 9,500 attending; 314 indoor meetings were held with an attendance of over 5,700; 206 meetings were held for young people with 3,900 attending. There were 25 conversions.

**Business Classification**  
To put the campaign on a broader scale this year, business classifications will be set up, and a team will be selected from each classification to contact other businesses and individuals in that particular field.

The party of visitors at the cavern Sunday included several from San Antonio and Boerne and Mr. and Mrs. Piner and Mr. and Mrs. M. K. House of Big Spring.

## Bull Circle In Operation

Two registered bulls were put into service Monday as a pair of Jersey bull circles were established under the supervision of the Farm Security Administration.

The animals, from the registered herd of Dr. S. T. Underwood at Hale Center, are coming two year olds and cost \$150 and \$100. They were purchased by John Barbee, FSA supervisor in Howard and Glascock counties, and Rex Baxter, Amarillo, state FSA director.

Luke Strawn, FSA supervisor, said that one of the sires would be kept on the place of Royce Johnson at Knott and the other on the D. B. Low place at Elbow.

Out of dams with records from 500 to 600 pounds of butterfat, the bulls boast an impressive pedigree, including a grand sire imported from the Jersey Islands.

While the bull circles were made possible by FSA, service is open to any person in this area interested in dairy improvement. The purchase price will be retired by a fee, which will be reduced when the animals are paid for.

## MARTIN CO. FARMER TAKES OWN LIFE

The body of Luther Martin, about 52, was shipped Sunday morning to Tupelo, Miss., for burial.

Lynn White, Stanton, Martin county justice of peace, returned a verdict of suicide after Martin's body had been found on the M. W. Farrington farm near Lenora at 1 a. m. Saturday. A 22 calibre rifle lay nearby.

Martin, who was unmarried, had been on the place three years.

Surviving are a brother, John Martin of Arkansas, and a sister, Mrs. Gregory, Tupelo, Miss. Mrs. Martin's home was in charge of arrangements.

## COUNTY AUTHORIZES DISCOUNT FOR EARLY PAYMENT OF TAXES

Discounts for early payment of current taxes on the Howard county and common school district rolls were authorized Monday by the county commissioners court.

The court passed an order to that effect shortly before noon to avail county and common school district taxpayers of the opportunity provided under optional terms of Senate Bill 402 passed by the last legislature.

Under terms of the order, payment of taxes 90 days before the final due date would merit a three per cent discount. This would mean payment during October. Those settling current tax obligations during November would qualify for a two per cent discount and December payments would earn a one per cent discount.

Payments during January would be on the same basis as always and delinquent tax status is unchanged.

For several years the Big Spring Independent school district tax office has successfully operated such a discount system. Often times half of the taxes is paid within the first two months.

Should all taxpayers take advantage of the maximum three per cent discount, it would mean that the county would discount approximately \$4,800 on its roll slightly in excess of \$16,000,000. However, most officials agreed that at the outside the discount figure possibly would not exceed \$2,000.

**More Seats Being Added At Stadium**

Seating capacity of Steer stadium may be increased by 1,000 by Friday night, it was indicated Monday as WPA workmen began installing seats on the east stand framework.

In the first day's work, one complete section was put in and most of a half section was completed. F. W. Callahan, San Angelo, district WPA engineer, and Edmund Notes, local school business manager, estimated that at the current rate of progress the job would be about finished by Friday evening when Big Spring plays Colorado City here in the second game of the season.

In addition, gravel walkways were being laid in front of both east and west stands and around to the entrance.

Ground was being put into shape for installing caliche base on five tennis courts on terraces at the southwest edge of the stadium.

If the sign-painter can get to the job, line markers will be established so that spectators can follow the progress of the games with greater ease. In addition, the second coat of lime this week should make the lines much more distinct from the stands.

## New Air Unit Is Displayed

Nothing is left to chance in the Payne forced air unit now on display at the Empire Southern Service office.

Made in six sizes to meet any requirements, the dual set-up can be operated either as a heating or cooling unit. It features a built-in blower, furnace, burner, automatic controls and a desert sand crinkle-finish.

Every control is completely automatic and operate from a centrally located thermostat. This thermostat, nerve center of the unit, can be set on any given temperature and will operate at that temperature only for the hours desired. After that time it drops down to a given minimum temperature, thus economizing on fuel.

A feeder valve operates from the thermostat and will cut off completely should the pilot safety control click in event flames should go out. The blower only operates after given temperatures are reached and cuts off when not needed.

Cold air is taken in through spun glass, oiled filters at the bottom, through the furnace radiators and to the ducts where combustion wastage is removed. Then the air passes through main ducts to the control duct outlet which literally sprays the warm air in every direction. Cold air is picked up at vents at floor level and returned to the unit.

For cooling, a damper attachment is flipped on the central duct and cool air drawn in from blowers and washers on the roof.

**Mail Contributions To Salvation Army Are Solicited**

Although formal drive for Salvation Army funds will not be staged until October 4-5-6, the organization will gratefully receive contributions by mail now, it was said Monday by R. L. Portwood, director of the finance program.

Portwood asked that checks be made out and mailed to the Salvation Army, 204 Petroleum building. The mail method was cited as that every person in the community will have an opportunity to assist in financing the Army's work for the next year. An intense solicitation campaign will be put on early next month, with representatives of all business, professional and industrial classifications assisting.

## MARTIN COUNTY GINS 169 BALES

STANTON, Sept. 18 (Sp.)—The 1939 cotton crop is beginning to come into the gins in earnest with 169 bales having been ginned over the county to date, according to report coming from five of the gins over the county. They are: Lenora, 85 bales; Farmer Gin (Stanton), 31 bales; Stanton, 29; Farmers Cooperative Gin (Stanton), 15; and Faran, 8.

Plans are to put around 200 bales on feed the latter part of the month, said Fitzhugh.

Vocational agriculture enrollment this year stands at 25, far above the 18 for last year.

## Reservoirs Are Ready For Rains

Let the rains come. This is the way city officials, contractors and PWA engineers summed up the status of the municipality's \$500,000 waterworks improvement project which includes two dams in the southeastern part of the country.

At the end of the week both structures were ready to impound any volume of water which might come tumbling off the Moss Creek, Devil's and Powell creek watersheds. Final touches were being added to the job with the cutting of the plug from the diversion channel which shunts water from Devil's creek into the Powell creek basin.

Waste dirt from the channel was to be added to the levee across Devil's creek and steel sheet piling driven to redress through the center section of the diversion dam. Only the narrow dirt fill above the rock rip-rap on both dams remained to be done to entirely finish the job.

In Big Spring the filtration plant was ready to receive waters from the lakes when a sufficient supply has been accumulated. Pipeline units long since have been tested and approved.

In all the project has reached such a stage that Otis N. Key, resident PWA engineer, has requisitioned the semi-final PWA grant on the original \$225,000 government pledge. The final grant requisition will be for \$28,700 on the amendatory application.

Bids will be opened Oct. 2 on major jobs under the supplemental project and work should get underway on a million gallon reservoir, moving of water mains, covering two existing reservoirs, etc., not later than Oct. 15.

**Background Of War Discussed**

The world is at war because (1) a man named Hitler is at large, and (2) because of the necessity of the survival of the British empire.

These causes, with variations, were discussed before Big Spring Rotarians and several score guests at their luncheon session at the Settles hotel Tuesday noon by Frank Baldwin, managing editor of the Waco Times-Herald and News-Tribune, whose observations were valued because of a recent trip to Germany, Poland, Danzig and other "hot spots" of Europe.

As for America's part in the world's affairs, Baldwin asserted, "we wouldn't be concerned about the survival of the British empire except for the fact that to a great extent the survival of American democracy depends upon it."

The Wacoan said the present U. S. neutrality statute should be repealed "as quickly as possible" to give President Roosevelt the type of help he wants.

Nazism—the force behind the European war—be described as a "movement of violence and destruction."

"Hitler and his party have no program," Baldwin said. They depend upon continued movement of violence for their own existence and perpetuation.

The Wacoan termed Hitler as a man without ability except to lead the German people, and described the dictator as "a man with delusions of grandeur, a megalomaniac, a man with an exaggerated inferiority complex, and a Narcissist (one infatuated with one's own likeness)."

Baldwin quoted source in Europe as saying Hitler regarded himself as the man of the century "sent by God to guide the destinies of the German people." He also referred to a German scientist who acknowledged the Fuehrer's great powers of oratorical persuasion.

"In the mass of Germans," said the speaker, "Hitler has ability supreme to lead them."

"Remember, the people themselves didn't want the war. It was forced on them."

And, Baldwin cautioned against the nurture of hate in American hearts. "I fear that as I hate," he said, "I will forget the kind-faced old gentleman in Germany who laughed with me; the group of German children I saw playing in a school yard, even as American children play. I fear that I—all of us—may forget that they are human beings just like we are, except that they're caught in a trap."

Baldwin saluted the Poles as vigorous, enthusiastic people proud of their possessions and anxious to tell the world about them. "And I found them—this was before hostilities occurred—confident. Poland would never be conquered."

The Wacoan asserted he could see no certainty of an English-French victory, and warned that if the dictators win in Europe, the crisis is brought to American shores.

Baldwin's appearance here was in connection with the Rotary club's international relations program, and he was introduced by Max Jacobs, chairman of the international relations committee.

After the talk, which was broadcast over KBBT, Baldwin answered informally various questions on the European situation put to him by interested listeners.

## Future Farmers Of Glasscock Organize

GARDEN CITY, Sept. 16—With an extensive feeding program already started, the Future Farmers of America organized here during the week.

Lester Ratliff was named president, Dan Houston vice-president, Lee Swindall secretary, Hugh Kincaid treasurer and Earl Cook reporter.

E. M. (Max) Fitzhugh, vocational agriculture instructor, reported nine FFA boys were feeding out calves. Fern Cox, W. E. Chaney, Lester Ratliff, Dan Houston, Horace Underwood, and R. C. Shafer were feeding one each and Robert Lawson, Harper Sedell and John Ed Sedell were each feeding a pig.

Lee Swindall had a pig on feed for his demonstration. Plans are to put around 200 bales on feed the latter part of the month, said Fitzhugh.

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## Sadler Would Lift 2-Day Shutdowns

East Texas Field Would Not Be Affected

AUSTIN, Sept. 18 (UP)—Jerry Sadler, member of the state railroad commission, said today he would recommend to the commission that Saturday and Sunday closings of Texas oil wells long in effect be lifted immediately except for the East Texas field.

The top allowables would remain unchanged, however, and because exemptions of many wells from the two-day closings would be eliminated, the net effect, Sadler asserted, would be a sharp reduction in Texas' petroleum production.

By revising well allowables schedules to conform strictly to actual production and abolishing special allowables for new fields, additional clashes in production would be brought about immediately, Sadler continued.

If the commission adopted his shutdown proposal, he said, Texas' total crude output could be reduced 53,000 barrels daily below the September estimate of market demand for Texas oil made by the federal bureau of mines.

Lon A. Smith, commission chairman, said he had discussed the matter with Sadler but had reached no decision. Smith and Sadler frequently team together in issuing oil production orders.

Smith and Sadler also announced they would leave today for Washington to discuss the matter with the trip was to confer with Secretary of Interior Ickes and others on the oil situation.

"We want to keep Texas' production around the bureau of mines estimate of market demand," Smith said.

Last week Smith and Sadler issued orders increasing the allowable of the East Texas field approximately 100,000 barrels daily and leaving the remainder of Texas' field allowables unaltered, this after several other mid-continent oil producing states had curtailed production.

Sadler declared his purpose in restoring seven-day production for Texas fields except East Texas would be to do away with a "ratchet" in exemptions. Many wells have been exempted from the two-day shutdowns ostensibly because of special operating conditions, such as heavy water production or high pressures.

It would be impossible to place East Texas on full-time production, he said, because of a new formula under which production of the field is allocated.

Texas' current production is approximately 1,400,000 barrels daily, 8,000 barrels below the bureau of mines estimate of demand, Sadler said.

Later Ernest Thompson, third commission member, said he heartily concurred in the idea of eliminating Saturday and Sunday shutdowns but retaining five-day production allowables.

Well over 800 Mexican harvest laborers were contracted in Howard county by Saturday. S. G. Merritt, local manager of the Texas State Employment Service, said 461 pickers were placed during the week, bringing the total for two weeks of the season to 897. The stream of Mexicans from the valve continued but most of them were heading on north since the demand here was largely satisfied.

Producers were drawing from nine to nine and a half cents a pound on their lint, which grades 15-16 strict middling on an average. Seed held firm at \$22 a ton. There were comparatively few bales of snaps appearing at gins.

By offering prices on a par or even above the New York market, ginsmen and buyers were grabbing off the crop for the first time in years. The government has not yet pegged the price by loans. Son buyers looked for a break in the market, particularly the local market, this week. This prediction, however, did not include seed.

Acute drought conditions prevail since early August and more pronounced in the past three weeks, estimates down as low as 12½ bales for the county. Others were optimistic, but top guesses stood at 16,000 to 20,000 bales. The latter figure was very popular.

M. Weaver, county adjustment assistant, said that there were 61 farms in Howard county which did not have a stalk of cotton. This was around 50 farms higher than the normal complete failure. Many others had only about a foot of their usual acreage.

Total acreage for the county looked to be more than 55,000 acres, 10,000 acres below the government allotment for the year. At best it appeared that the county's farmers could not hope to realize more than a million dollars from their cotton, seed and government farm benefit payments this season. On a 12,000-bale harvest, seed revenue at \$22 a ton would hardly exceed \$100,000. Cotton at eight cents—and not many felt there was more than hope to hold it above that level—would net farmers \$488,000. Total benefit payments, including around \$150,000 in cotton subsidy payments, likely will not go over \$350,000.

**Over 29,000 U.S. Workers In Texas**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18 (UP)—The federal government, with a total of 923,896 civil employees, has 29,785 on its payroll in Texas.

The civil service commission, making these figures public, emphasized they had no relation to the number of legal residents of the state employed by the government, some of whom may hold jobs in other states, many among the 1,011,401 federal employees in Washington.

Texas' population of 6,172,000 was 4.26 per cent of the estimated national total of 144,985,000 in July, 1937. The federal workers in the state constituted 3.22 per cent of the total government employment, and 48 per cent of the state's population.

## DICKENS MAN NAMED TO HEAD JUDGES

MINERAL WELLS, Sept. 18 (UP)—Judge Marshall Formby of Dickens county was elected president of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners association today.

Formby, former secretary of the association, succeeds Judge Homer Bouldin of Albany as president. —San Angelo was named convention city for next March.

Other elections at today's closing session included those of Commissioner John H. Winters of Amarillo, secretary; and Judge P. McDaniel, Seymour, vice president.

The organization joined the West Texas chamber of commerce in a fight for equality of freight rates for Texas.