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Planes Bomb German Zeppelin Works

French Make Direct Drive On Siegfried

WAR TEMPO STEPPED UP IN AIR, ON SEA AND ALONG FRONTS
ROMANSHORN, Switzerland, Sept. 25 (AP).—One of Germany's main airplane motor factories today was reported to have been put out of action by bombs from French or British planes raiding the Zeppelin works at Friedrichshafen, Germany. Observers estimated that thirty bombs were dropped despite anti-aircraft fire. Reports said direct hits were made on the factory.

French Artillery Is Bombarding Siegfried

PARIS, Sept. 25 (AP).—Military dispatches from the western front reported today that French artillery had begun a direct bombardment on main fortifications of the Siegfried Line. Heavy French batteries were reported dropping shells on the west wall casements in an effort to blast Germans from positions in the fortified zone. German guns replied but the French said the Nazi artillery was failing to make direct hits on advanced French positions. French troops struck the Germans in the Haardt mountains simultaneously.

Germans Claim Sinking Of British Destroyer

BERLIN, Sept. 25 (AP).—Sinking of a British destroyer by a German submarine was announced officially today as military leaders reported they were preparing for a prolonged war. The destroyer was unidentified and no details were given. The communique said eight French planes were shot down during an air raid in the west where reconnoitering activity and artillery activity was marked on both sides.

Warsaw Streets Said Running With Blood

BUDAPEST, Sept. 25 (AP).—The Warsaw radio said today the Germans were shelling the center of the city with big guns and dropping incendiary bombs. The announcer described the streets "as running with blood" and littered with mangled bodies.

Naval Battle Raging Off Coast of Norway

BERGEN, Norway, Sept. 25 (AP).—Algeri Island inhabitants reported today that unidentified ships were engaged in heavy cannonading off the Norway coast, leading to belief that a naval battle was underway. Confusion from the guns shook houses on the island. German trawlers were seen rushing to the coast as if fleeing the battle zone.

Britain Unmindful Of Mussolini's Request

LONDON, Sept. 25 (AP).—Great Britain answered Benito Mussolini's suggestion to call the war quits on Germany's military conquest of Poland by intensifying today her preparations to fight to the finish. Britain was determined despite the completion of Russian's occupation of eastern Poland. Ship production was speeded up as sea and air forces widened sea warfare in an effort to stop German submarines which sunk the British freighter Hazelside today.

Coach Taylor to Address Jaycees At Tuesday Meet

Regular semi-monthly luncheon-meeting of the Midland junior chamber of commerce will be held at the Methodist Annex on north Main street at noon Tuesday, with Coach L. W. (Bud) Taylor as the principal speaker. Taylor will discuss recent changes in football rules and other matters of interest to football fans. Vice-President Carl Uffers will preside in the absence from the city of President W. M. (Bill) Holmes. Committee in charge of arrangements for the meeting was composed of Curt Inman, Thad Steele and Boyd Laughlin. Since several matters of importance are scheduled for discussion and action at tomorrow's luncheon, Jaycee officials today urged a full attendance of all members at the luncheon-meeting.

Plan Neutrality Revision



Shown above are four Democratic members of the Senate foreign relations committee discussing tentative draft of neutrality changes, prohibiting U. S. vessels from carrying on trade with belligerent nations. Left to right: Senators Barkley, Ky.; Pittman, Nev.; George, Ga., and Connally, Tex.

Public Subscriptions Asked by O'Daniel to Pay Age Pensions

AUSTIN, Sept. 25 (AP)—Senator Hill said today Governor O'Daniel would be forced to call a special session of the legislature to provide old age pensions. Hill said he would speak on the radio October 8. Further about same and give full details of the plan. "Some of the loud-mouthed professional politicians and their hirelings, the propagandized newspapers, have been trying ever since the Legislature adjourned to becloud the issue but the facts cannot be altered."

Football Tickets For Midland-Wink Game on Sale Tues.

Reserve seat tickets to the Midland-Wink football game, to be played here Friday night at 8:30, will go on sale in the morning at 8:30 at the chamber of commerce office. All seats for the game will be reserved, and it will be first come, first served when the sale of tickets starts in the morning. The tickets will sell for 75 cents each.

Homecoming Day to Be Observed by the Christian Church

Plans are now underway for the fifth annual homecoming day to be observed by the First Christian church here next Sunday. Homecoming day is the climax of the church calendar and a large attendance is anticipated. Principal speaker for the day will be Dean Colby D. Hall of Texas Christian University at Fort Worth. Rev. John E. Pickering, pastor, has announced. Dean Hall has been a leader in religious and educational life in Texas for the last 35 years at least and is a powerful speaker, Mr. Pickering said. Special services for the day will begin with the opening of the Bible school at 9:45 o'clock. After the morning worship service, an old-fashioned dinner-on-the-ground will be served at 12:30 o'clock. Afternoon services will open at 2 o'clock and will take the place of the usual evening worship. Dean Hall and Mr. Pickering will be principal speakers at a special service at Odesa Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Everyone interested is invited to attend the services and dinner.

Legion Meets Tuesday

Regular monthly business meeting of Woods W. Lynch post, American Legion, will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock on the third floor of the court house, it has been announced by Commander T. E. (Red) Steele. Refreshments will be served and ex-service men are urged to attend.

To Speak at Odesa

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, president of the City-Country Federation, will address club women of Odesa Wednesday afternoon at the Ector county courthouse. She will discuss and outline the plans and benefits derived from a city federation organization.

Called to Amarillo

Mrs. Jas. T. Smith has been called to Amarillo by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. H. P. Neuhardt.

Pacific Storms Take Heavy Toll; 56 Reported Dead

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 25 (AP).—A violent wind and rain storm today brought death and destruction in Southern California. At least 56 persons were believed to have been drowned in the ocean and scores aboard fishing boats were reported missing. Twenty four were reported drowned when the fishing boat Spray capsized in the surf near Point Magu.

Floyd Gibbons, War Writer, Is Victim of Stroke

STROUDSBURG, Pa. Sept. 25 (AP)—Floyd Gibbons, war correspondent and radio commentator, died of a heart attack last night. He was in the midst of plans to cover the European war when he died.

Heart Attack Fatal To W. T. Lester at Home Here Today

W. B. T. Lester, 75, a resident of Midland since 1926, died suddenly at his home at 704 S. Colorado street this morning of a heart attack. He had been in ill health for the past two and a half years, having been confined to his room most of that time because of heart trouble. He would have been 76 years old Wednesday, had he lived. He suffered a stroke about two weeks ago but had apparently been recovering it when he suffered another this morning, dying almost instantly.

Yet Another Test Staked in Apco Ordovician Pool of Northern Pecos

BY FRANK GARDNER.
New drilling in the Apco Ordovician pool of northern Pecos held to its rapid pace today with the staking by Childress Royalty Company of Joplin, Mo., of a 4,550-foot rotary test offsetting to the southeast the discovery well. The new try is Childress No. 1 J. S. Masterson and is 1,900 feet from the northeast and southeast lines of section 104, block 10, H. & G. N. survey. It is reported that Indian Territory Illuminating Oil Company farmed out to Childress deep rights on the entire east quarter of section 104, retaining a 7/32nds, overriding royalty. The well will be spudded Sept. 29. Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation of Oklahoma City and Monte Warner of Dallas No. 2 M. I. Masterson, half-mile north, offset to the same firm's No. 1 M. I. Masterson, a 1,012-barrel-per-day flush producer after 500-gallon acid wash. Culbertson & Irwin, Inc. and W. H. Street, all of Midland, No. 3 Ed Fromme, in the new Fromme shallow pool a mile south of the Masterson pool in northern Pecos, flowed 39.15 barrels net oil, plus 10 percent water, on 24-hour potential gauge after shooting with 100 quarts of nitro. Oil is 31-gravity and gas-oil ratio 900-1. The well topped pay at 1,427 feet and is bottomed at 1,440. Means Spread West. Extending northern Andrews' Means pool about one-half mile to the west, Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 67 J. S. Means flowed eight barrels of oil per hour on Yates gas lift after acidizing with 1,000 then with 3,000 gallons. Total depth is 4,550 feet in line. The well now is shut in to build up pressure preparatory to testing for flow under its own power. Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 B. Blakney, Gulf-Holt deep pay test a half-mile west of the south end of the North Cowden pool of northern Pecos, halted drilling with rotary at 5,160 feet in line and now is rigging up Cardwell cable tool unit to unload hole and test possible shows. Farther north and slightly west, Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company No. 3 Fay Holt, east offset to the discovery well of the deep pay, is drilling below 130 feet in sand. On the east side of the Denver pool, southern Yoder, Magnolia No. 6 R. M. Kendrick is drilling (See OIL NEWS, page 6)

STALIN CLIMBS TRAIL OF REVOLUTION

By WILLIS THORNTON, NEA Service Staff Writer.
GEORGIA, the exotic oriental province tucked down between Europe, Asia, and Africa, produced Midway for the American marriage market and revolutionaries against the Czar, who ruled the province from far St. Petersburg. Joseph Stalin was born in Gori in 1879, son of a man who worked in the local boot factory. His father wanted him also to become a bootmaker, but his mother had higher ambitions. When the family moved to Tiflis, she entered the boy, at 14, in the Greek Orthodox Seminary there, a usual preliminary to the priesthood. Five years later she removed him for reasons, as she said, of his health. In any case, he did not appear to fit into the life of the students, and went to work in the railroad shops. There he came in contact with revolutionaries of varying shades of radicalism. By 1896 he was active in the Social Democratic clubs and conspiracies, all of which were heavily proscribed by the Czar's government and were under observation by his secret police. Thus at an early age Stalin became a professional revolutionary and conspirator under the name of Koba. At Tiflis and Batumi he organized strikes and agitated for the revolution. It was a hard life, for the party paid small wages, and the secret police hounded him from town to town. Between 1902 and



During Party Meeting



Young Revolutionary, at 25

Each time he was released or escaped from prison or Siberian exile, Stalin returned immediately to revolutionary agitation. When the outbreak of the World War in 1914 temporarily paralyzed the revolutionary movement throughout Europe, he was in Siberia. He was in only the most indirect touch with exiled Lenin, about whom the Russian revolutionary movement gradually centered. In March, 1917, the democratic revolution overthrew the Czar's tottering government and Stalin returned from Siberia. His first wife, Katherine, was already dead. The revolutionaries in charge were not his brand of revolutionaries. But as soon as it became clear that the Keveny government was going to attempt to carry on the war, the scattered Bolsheviks gathered again to plot their own revolution. Stalin was in their midst in Petrograd. In April Lenin arrived to lead them. The exact part Stalin played, and how close a confidante and assistant he was to Lenin is a question which all radicals will even today debate by the hour. He was a member of the Central Committee of the Bolsheviks; he is credited with the slogan, "bread, peace, freedom!" which helped usher in the Bolshevik revolution in October. But he was prominent only in inner party circles, not before the public. During the October days, when (See STALIN, page 6)

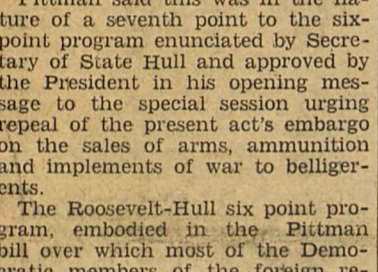
Neutrality Question Is Given Delay

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25 (AP).—The senate foreign relations committee delayed action until Thursday on the administration's neutrality legislation today. The delay was agreed to at request of Senator Borah, opponent of the Roosevelt plea for repeal of the arms embargo.

Roosevelt Allows Aides Authority To Talk With Foes

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25 (AP).—President Roosevelt was reported Sunday to have given his congressional lieutenants a free hand to compromise on any portion of his neutrality law revision program except calling for repeal of the arms embargo.

Ruined German Prize



Poland today a country of ruins and foreign occupation might be a suitable title for this picture showing German troops moving in to seize a city which they had previously destroyed by shell-fire and bombing.

German Bund Plans Told to Dies Group

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25 (AP).—Gerhart Segar, former member of the German Reichstag, told the Dies committee today that the German-American Bund sought to provide a Nazi reserve here which Hitler could "tap for any kind of assistance."

Escaped Convict Is Caught After Chase

HOUSTON, Sept. 25 (AP).—Jimmie Stringer, 28, of Jasper, escaped federal prisoner who was said to have kidnaped and robbed a federal marshal at Marlin Thursday, was captured by police today after a 25 block auto chase. Charges of robbery with firearms were lodged against Stringer after a Houston filling station was held up and robbed.

Baptist Church Men To Meet Tonight to Perfect Brotherhood

Organization of a men's Brotherhood by the First Baptist church of Midland has been announced for tonight, all men of the church having been invited to meet at the church auditorium at 8 o'clock. The plan is in line with organization of such units throughout the five counties of the Big Spring Baptist Association. J. H. Greene, president of the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church at Big Spring, will attend the meeting here tonight, making a talk on value of the organization and on its operation. TO DALLAS FOR WEEKEND Dr. and Mrs. Robt. Jones visited relatives in Dallas during the weekend.

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What About the Czechs All This Time?

A year ago everybody was agitated about the fate of the Czechs. Now in the swirl of war, people in general have forgotten them.

The Czechs were the first people, not in any sense Germans, to be engulfed in the aggrandizement of the Third Reich. What has happened to them?

Since war came, almost no news comes. All that is known is that England and France are planning to sponsor a reorganized Czech government in exile, headed by Eduard Benes, former premier of the Czech Republic.

In the meantime, what of the Czechs? When the Germans marched in, they took over the government, though leaving the fiction of a local Czech government and police force in charge.

The Germans took over the schools, introduced the German language in them. They prohibited the classic Czech authors and plays, took over the radio, dissolved social institutions and clubs.

The Czechs, stripped of the power to resist forcibly, fought back by refusal to co-operate and every kind of passive resistance they could devise.

Thus, like a play within a play, the drama of the lost nation of the Czechs is being played out against the greater back-drop of European war.

Study Success

The United States is now engaged in a great hunt for methods of keeping out of war. The debate has begun.

One way to learn about this art would be to study the methods of those nations, which, though far closer to the fighting lines than we, managed to stay out of the World War and have thus far contrived to stay out of the present European war.

Spain stayed clear of the whole thing in 1914-1918, and has now forbidden any of its ships to carry on trade of any kind with belligerent nations.

Those congressional committees charged with discussion of American policies ought to be able to get some practical hints from the policies of those countries which have succeeded in keeping out of war.

Already We Pay

The cost of a war does not fall alone on those countries which are fighting. Everybody pays. It is a matter of degree.

The United States is already paying, just because it is in the same world with countries which insist on war. Many people have already been gouged by phony "war prices."

Thus it is that the burdens of war, like ripples from a stone cast into a placid lake, reach around the world.

East Declared to Be Ahead in Radio Work

AUSTIN.—Completing his second summer of research in radio under a Rockefeller grant, T. H. Shelby, University of Texas extension division dean, today placed the South and Southwest at the bottom of the heap in educational radio work.

The East, he said, is more advanced than any other section of the country, followed by the West, where he completed a survey this summer, with the South and Southwest trailing.

Predicting that the "ear and the eye" will move more and more into educational spotlight, he based eastern educational radio supremacy on its use of carefully prepared programs and professional radio technicians.

AMERICAN NEUTRALITY DOES NOT MEAN EQUAL BENEFITS TO ALL BELLIGERENTS

By DR. CHARLES A. BEARD (Famous Historian) (Written for NEA Service.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Neutrality does not mean and never can mean "impartiality" in the sense that American policy and acts must confer the same or equal benefits upon both sides of the war.

Any benefit that either side gains depends upon: 1. Its geographical position. 2. Its strength or weakness of arms at sea or on land. 3. Its ability to get American goods.

MUCH TALK, BUT LITTLE INFORMATION. THERE is a torrent of loose talks these days about "neutrality." Members of Congress and high officials in Washington indulge in it as well as street corner philosophers.

Among the sayings of these sages the following are typical: "Neutrality means that we must treat both sides alike, that is, in such a manner that, whatever we do, we must confer the same benefits on both sides."

THE QUESTION OF SELLING ARMS. THE embargo on the sale of munitions, imposed under the Act of 1937, is therefore not "neutral" because Hitler derives more benefits from it than do the opposing belligerents.

Every government has a right to regulate its commerce and, if it sees fit, to forbid the export of any kind of goods.

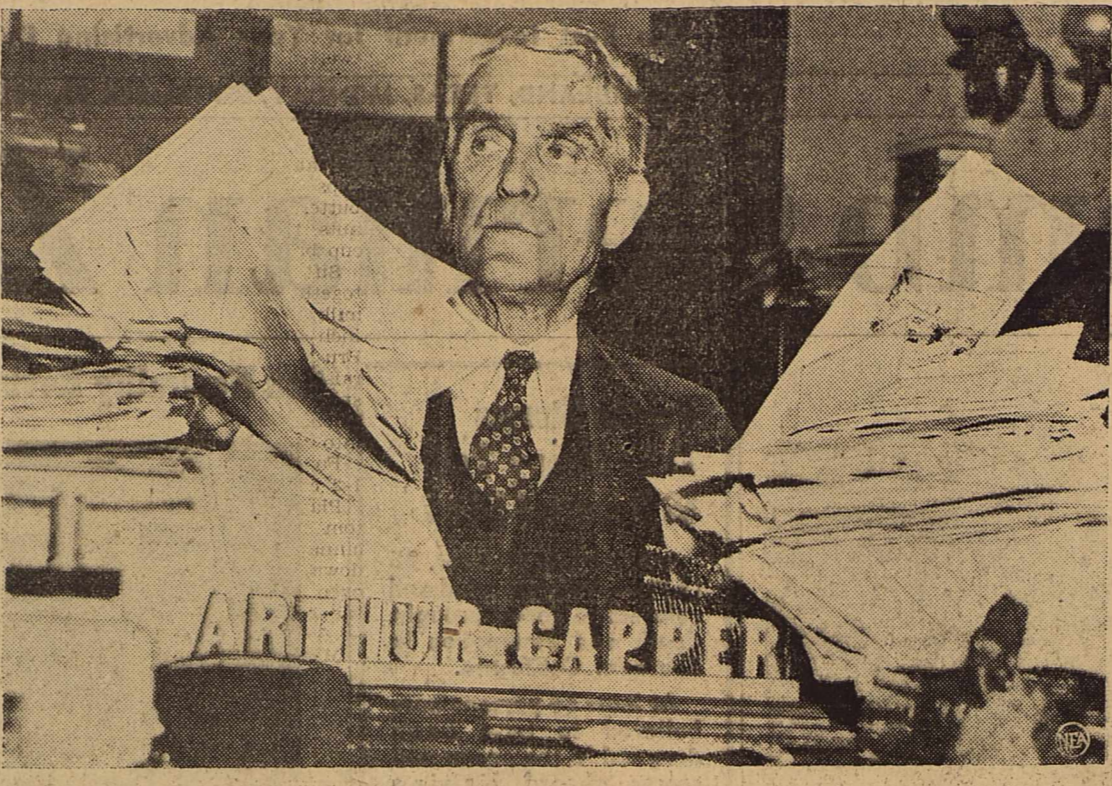
As for the sale of arms to a belligerent, neutrals may do so under international law—but the exercise of this right to sell is subject to legislation by Congress.

Nor does neutrality mean that the United States must be on "terms of friendship and amity with the contending parties."

Our Government and a vast majority of the American people despise Hitler and his despotism and nothing in neutrality requires us to do otherwise.

When do we find our duties and rights as a neutral? Some of them are to be found in laws passed by Congress scattered through the years from 1794 to 1937.

Others are to be found in orders and diplomatic notes issued by the President and the State Department, from the administration of George Washington to the administration of Franklin D. Roosevelt.



The whole nation is talking the pros and cons of neutrality. Indicative of the interest in America's role in the war are these letters on the subject stacked around Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas in his Washington office.

called international law. DUTIES AS NEUTRAL.

THE list of the duties of the United States as a neutral is long. Only examples can be given here. It is the duty of the United States Government to see that no belligerent raises troops in the United States; that no armed ships are built for belligerents in American shipyards; that belligerent warships do not use American ports as bases of operation against the enemy; and that no belligerent merchant vessel shall carry arms or supplies from American ports to a belligerent warship stationed outside our territorial waters.

Again: "No agency of the United States Government shall, directly or indirectly, provide supplies or effect repairs to a belligerent ship of war." Such are mere illustrations of our duties as a neutral.

beginning to have its effect. One New England congressman, not previously committed on the issue, called up a prominent isolationist senator the day before Congress convened and asked for some material to use in an argument against modification; said he had that morning received 526 letters from home, of which 521 demanded retention of the embargo.

On that committee are such stout foes of modification as Borah, Johnson, Vandenberg, and LaFollette. No bill will come to the floor for consideration before ample discussion has been had in committee.

All of which will take some time, during which period the isolationists will be extremely active. They will take their case to the country through public addresses, some of them by radio, some on the floor of the Senate, and some at public mass meetings.

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—It has been assumed generally here that "the President has the votes" to get the changes he wants in the neutrality law.

That may be true today, but it is a wide-open question whether it will still be true when the matter comes to a showdown.

Members of the so-called isolationist bloc in the Senate are beginning to be optimistic about the chances for retaining the arms embargo. A few days ago they were anything but optimistic; now they profess to sense a definite turning in the tide.

One thing which encourages them is the tremendous flood of mail that has been pouring into congressional and senatorial offices from the folks back home. One Senate postoffice attache says that it is even heavier than the flood which came in during the Supreme Court fight. It is strongly pro-embargo, and all but unanimously anti-war.

"PEACE PLOC" WILL BATTLE

The isolationist bloc is capitalizing on that latter fact. It is speaking of itself as the "peace bloc" for one thing; for another, it seeks to rally the peace sentiment behind it by insisting that the move to repeal the embargo is based on a desire to help Eng-

German Honor Guard Buries French Aviators

land and France beat Hitler and hence is a step toward war.

It seems certain that this will not be a short session. In the first place, technically, the neutrality legislation is in the hands of the Senate foreign relations committee.

After the bill reaches the Senate floor, the debate will really get going. There will not be a filibuster, but there will be a lot of speech-making; and as a result of it all, the isolationists believe, public sentiment will be rallied to such an extent that a majority in one or both houses will vote against removing the arms embargo.

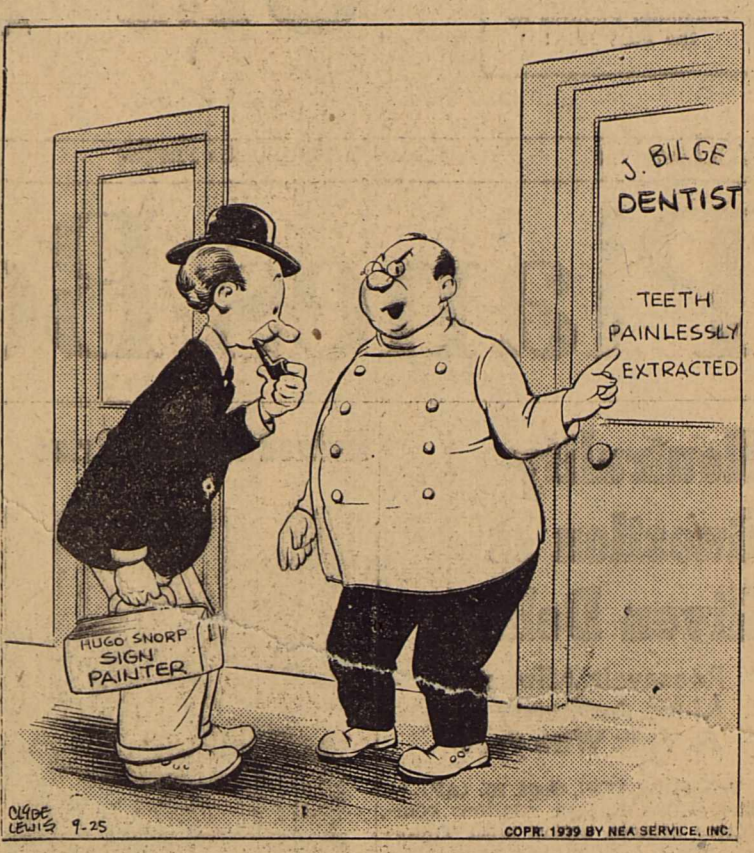
A big meeting has been called for Washington on the night of Sept. 29 as a climax to the "march on Congress," which various peace societies are sponsoring. Another has been scheduled for New York.

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Burial with military honors was reward two French aviators received for flying over Germany's West-wall, near Saarbruecken. Shot down, flyers were buried "somewhere in Germany" by a Nazi guard of honor, according to information accompanying photo, radioed to New York after passing Berlin censors.

Hold Everything!



"I want the word 'painlessly' taken off. I nearly sprained my arm on a patient this morning!"

The Town Quack



town fellows went up to chapel and expressed confidence in the Bull Dogs to beat Wink. The chapel exercise really turned into an enthusiastic parley.

The week has come for Midland to adopt the BEAT WINK slogan. Last year the town took up the chant, but Wink exploded it, however, emerging from the game in much worse shape than they went in, and admitting their luck at being the winners.

Midland this year is in a higher bracket of football, insofar as the interscholastic league is concerned, but for the Bull Dogs to drop this fourth game of the season to Wink would be embarrassing, as Wink is still a class A (formerly B) team and a menace to the comfort of West Texas 3-AA teams.

To give an idea of how the West Texas football spotlight will come to a focus on this game, Blundy Cross expresses it this way in today's Angelo Times:

Best high school football game of the week in this area appears to be the inter-district melee in Lackey Stadium. The Wink Wildcats invade Midland Friday night for combat with Bud Taylor's 3-AA entry.

A year ago, on the Monday morning before Midland was host to the Wildcats, a small group of down-

The Bull Dogs didn't let down their backers. They fought their hearts out and will still have the battle going Friday night when they get another chance at the Wildcats. They will be using the same fight but will have the advantage of probably better team work, judging from games seen thus far, and will be defending their 3-AA rating against a class A opponent. Wink, on the other hand, will have everything to gain. Their 24 game winning streak finally was broken week before last, but they are smarting under the defeat, as they proved in piling up a heavy score against Panhandle Saturday night, and will do everything possible to beat their former district rivals, the Bull Dogs.

And the newspaper stories about Callahan and some of the Ezells being out of the game is about like some of Hitler's propaganda. Don't spend your six bits feeling like you will miss the sight of these power houses in action. I'll apologize next Sunday if they are not able to play.

The Bull Dogs are pretty well ready for Wink and they have the spirit to win. The crowd will be as big as you will be apt to see at a Lackey field game. But the Bull Dogs deserve the moral backing and the throat-racking backing of their friends, the townspeople of Midland. Get behind the high school youngsters with the slogan of the week, BEAT WINK.

If He Can Do It, Certainly We Can



Baptist Adult Union Sets Goal for Next Sunday Attendance

Group Two of the Baptist Adult Union, headed by Thurman Pylant, was in charge of the program at the organization's meeting Sunday evening.

Senior League Elects Officers At Sunday Session

Election of officers was the high point in the meeting of the Senior Epworth League of the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Senior Endeavor Meets Preparatory To Opening Year

Young people of the Senior Endeavor of the First Christian church met in called session Sunday evening to prepare for opening of the year's program next Sunday.

Intermediate League

"Liberty for the People" was the topic upon which Mrs. W. F. Prothro and Elaine Hedrick made talks at the meeting of the Intermediate League.

School Is the Best Antidote for the Anti-Social Child

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON We hear a great deal about social attitude these days, and particularly about "anti-social" children.

"My Skin Was Full of Pimples and Blemishes," says Verna S.: "Since using Adierka the pimples are gone. My skin is smooth and glowing with health."

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Postilion Takes a Bow In Fact, This One Takes Three



To wear with her black Persian lamb coat, Hollywood star Patricia Morison selects a postilion hat in dark green felt. Its voluminous green mesh veil ties at the back, which is finished with three green velvet bows.

Understand, as he defends himself in various ways. Sometimes he is a bully; again, a complete incorrigible. Or he may resort to whining, complaining or try to set himself up by over-wisdom and ingratiation.

There is no fixed pattern for the anti-social child. He started out by being overly-sensitive, was given his way too much or not enough, learned to dislike what people stood for, and decided he did not like to be governed by the things other people accepted as law.

The best cure I know of in general for the anti-social child, unless he is a real problem, is school, where he must mix with all types of children and learn that it is not hard to conform to rule. Once he sees 30 or 40 other children happy in their school lives, he may gain more confidence in the big world.

He is hard on his teachers very often, resenting the regimentation she stands for. But a wise teacher, suspecting that her unruly or sullen child is suffering secretly from fear, and needs to have his confidence bolstered, can do wonders. Indeed, if it were not known, our public schools not only teach the "R's," but they have become real "behavior clinics."

Not all the credit goes to the teacher, but to the system itself that throws the child with other children every day. To be held in the good grace of one's fellow students, a child knows he must be fair. Children are quick to speak their minds if they go too far. So he tries to keep in with them, and that is good for him.

In England, new-born baby boys have an average life expectancy of 59 years, while girls have an average of 63 years.

Advertisement for hair treatments: Permanents \$1.25, Shampoo, set dried, 35c. Telephone 402. Opposite New City Hall Box 993—Odessa

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Aroma of Cinnamon Buns Is Better Than Alarm Clock

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX NEA Service Staff Writer

Quick cinnamon buns are something to make a man roll out of bed for early in the morning. Here's a twelve-minute recipe.

Quick Cinnamon Buns Eight teaspoons baking powder, 1 1-2 teaspoons salt, 4 cups flour, 8 tablespoons shortening, 1 1-2 cups milk, 4 tablespoons melted butter, 1-2 cup raisins, 1-2 cup nuts, 1 1-4 teaspoons cinnamon, 1-2 cup brown sugar.

MENU BREAKFAST: Grape, quick cinnamon buns, Canadian bacon, coffee, milk. LUNCHEON: Corn chowder, French bread, cheese, pears, bananas, peaches, nut cookies, tea, milk.

Eggless Cake After breakfast, you may want to bake this eggless cake. One-third cup butter, 1 1-2 cups sugar, 1 cup milk, 2 1-2 cups cake flour, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-4 cup raisins, 1-2 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon cream of tartar, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla, 1-8 teaspoon almond extract.

Preventing Wrinkles Is Easier Than Curing Them BY ALICIA HART NEA Service Staff Writer

Twenty-five—not forty—is the age when the average woman should take seriously the beauty experts' sound theory that prevention of lines and wrinkles is a lot simpler than correction of them.

Women's Bible class will meet at the Church of Christ, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Senior High PTA will hold its first meeting of the 1939-40 session at the high school building Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

Meeting of the Altruists scheduled for Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Madeleine Roberts has been postponed.

Delphin chapter will meet in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

An auxiliary officers' school will be held at the First Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at 8 o'clock.

Fine Arts club will meet with Mrs. L. A. Absher, 1909 W. Holloway, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Honors Arts club will meet with Mrs. B. W. Reeder, 1001 W. Florida, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Girl Scouts will meet at the junior high school building Wednesday afternoon after school for a hike and marshmallow roast.

Miriam club will sponsor a bingo party in the L. O. O. F. hall Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Friendly Builders class of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Douglas Nix Thursday for a covered-dish luncheon and a class session following.

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Boone Bible class of the Methodist church will have a picnic at Cloverdale Thursday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock, honoring new Methodist members of the school faculty and prospective members of the class.

Lucky Thirteen club will meet with Mrs. S. P. Hall, 1004 W. Tennessee, Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Flicker Beauties Outclassed by Modern Misses



In old-time flicker comedies, Mack Sennett introduced the bathing beauty to the world, along with the custard pie and bearded villain. Three of his original swim-suit girls were Harriet Hammond, Phyllis Haver and the late Marie Prevost.

We, The Women

BY RUTH MILLETT

"Cuteness is a quality girls have a hard time dropping. In fact it is a pretty hard thing for them to manage anyhow. Many a big, over-stuffed girl goes in for cuteness when she should try for something more in keeping with her size."

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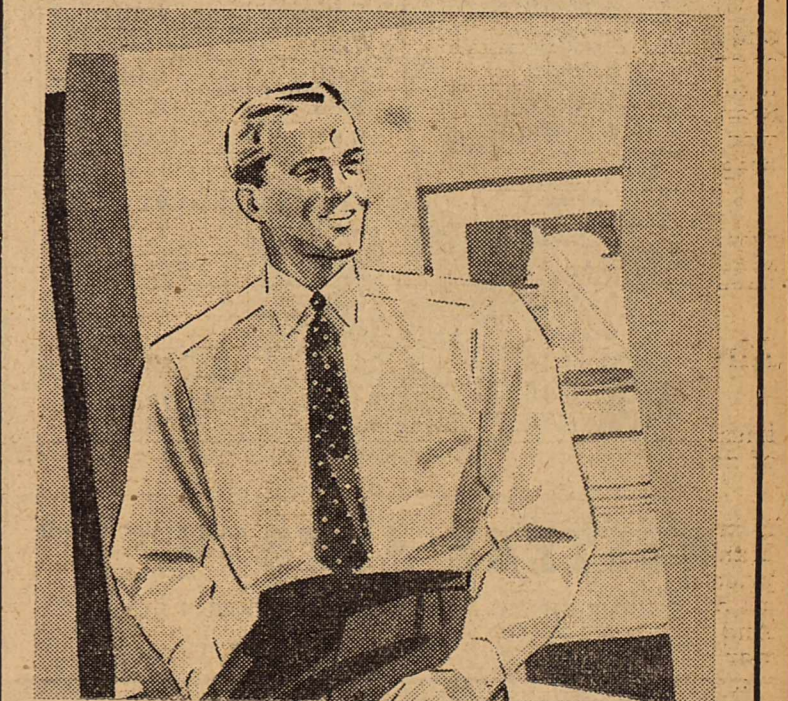
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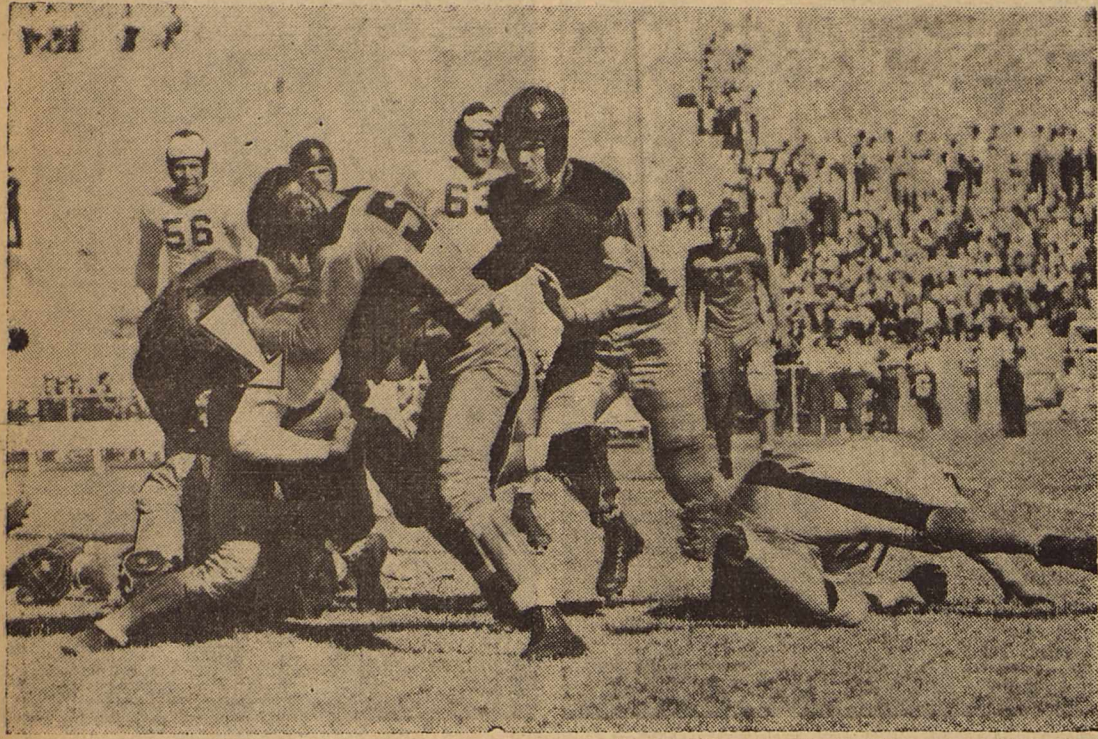
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Texas Scores First



John Kimbrough, Texas fullback, tears through the Oklahoma A. & M. line for the first score of the game. Kimbrough was the mainstay of the Texas drive of 45 yards which resulted in the touchdown.

Starr Defeats His Old Mates In First Game of Dixie Series

By FELIX R. MCKNIGHT.

FORT WORTH, Sept. 25. (AP)—Baseball's old drama, the castoff's revenge, got another showing Sunday when Ray Starr, Fort Worth's old man, tamed the Nashville Vols, his old mates, 10-2, in the opening Dixie Series game.

Starr, cool every moment, struck out nine batters, three times fanning Bert Haas, whose .365 average paced the Southern Association batters this year. Most of the Nashville bingles came in the late innings after Starr had been staked to a handsome lead.

more in the third, the result of some lusty smacking by Cazen and Kott and the inability of left fielder Dugas of Nashville to hobble around on an injured leg, gave Fort Worth a ball game.

Table with columns for player names and statistics (AB, R, H, O, A). Includes players like Gilbert, Williams, Chapman, Haas, George, Dugas, Lutz, Mihalek, Rospond, Collier, Jeffcoat, Martynik, and Rodda.

The Midland team came through the game with the Pecos team last Friday night without injuries to any of their players and will be in top shape for the Wink engagement unless ill luck befalls someone this week in practice.

Aggies Will Attempt To Break Jinx Held By the Gentlemen

COLLEGE STATION, Sept. 25.—When the Texas Aggies take on the Centenary Gentlemen on Kyle Field here Saturday, Sept. 30, Coach Homer Norton will be trying to break a jinx he started back in 1928 when he was head coach at the Shreveport school. The meeting will be their ninth and mark the opening game of the home season.

Texas Wins Again From Hamlin, Sends Challenge to Lubbock

ODESSA, Sept. 25.—As far as West Texas baseball fans are concerned Snipe Conley's Texon Oilers, champions of the Permian Basin League, were uncrowned semi-pro champions of Texas baseball Sunday after the Oilers, behind a no-hit-no-run ten inning performance of Clyde "Lefty" Humphrey, won the second straight game over the Hamlin Oilers, 1-0.

City Surprised to Learn Nude Bathing Is Legal

CADILLAC, Mich. (UP)—City Clerk H. L. Worden thinks the nation's nudists should know that Cadillac is a very advanced city. No municipal law forbids nude bathing between 8 p. m. and 5 a. m.

The PAYOFF

BY JESS RODGERS.

IT looks like that proverbial "hard winter" has struck district 3AA this year just one week after the fall season officially was opened.

The Odessa Brones, visioning a pennant their first year in the league, will be the underdog in their tussle this week with the Austin Hi (El Paso) team that pulled the upset of the past week by defeating the Amarillo Golden Sandies to be the first Texas team ever to defeat the Sandies in Amarillo on Butler field.

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You've got to go back to Georges Carpentier, Harry Greb, Paul Bernbach, and Jack Delaney to find a 175-pounder capable of attracting \$100,000 through the turnstiles and right now the Conn-Bettina encore appears certain to exceed that total, which means, of course, that the light-heavyweight class is again important.

A hundred grand is a lot of money for any fight outside of a major heavyweight title.

CONN HAS TREMENDOUS PERSONAL FOLLOWING

Conn is like Jack Dempsey and Jim Braddock outside the ring. Success with his fists has left the Irish lad unchanged. He remains the beautiful, unassuming lad he was while growing up in a gymnasium. He still addresses practically everybody, including intimate friends, as "Mister."

The biggest thrill of his life, he says, came three weeks ago when he moved his family into a new home. . . . rent \$110 a month. . . . and went out and bought new furniture for every room.

The Standings

Table with columns for League, Team, W, L, Pet. Includes National League, American League, and International League.

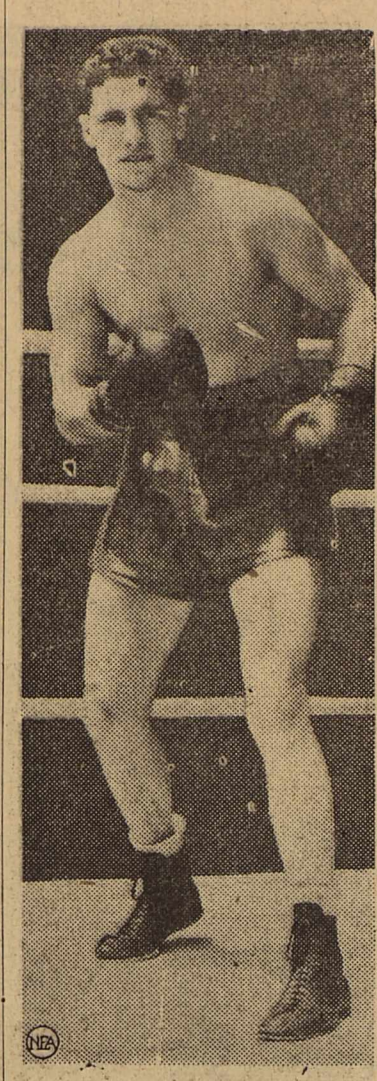
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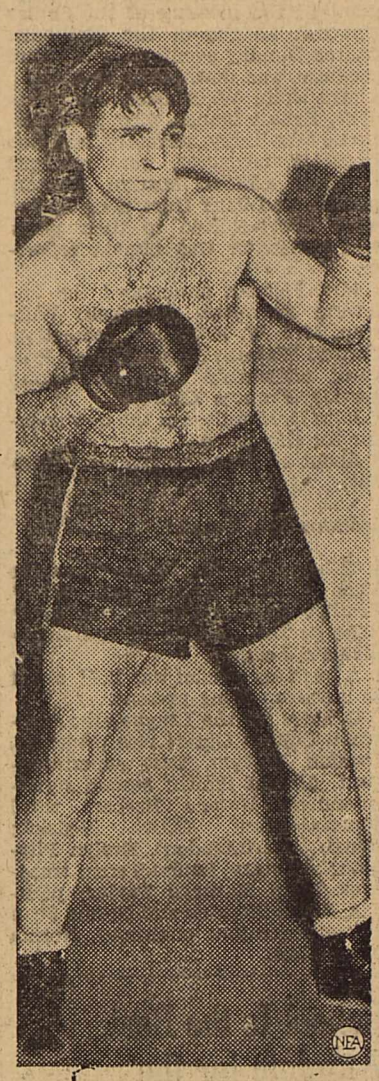
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Champion



Billy Conn

Challenger



Melio Bettina

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Irish Lad Is Year Away From Heavyweight Class

Provided he hurdles Bettina again, there is talk of Conn being sent against Lou Nova at Madison Square Garden in January, but it appears that the clever Pittsburgh lad will have to wait at least a year before he will be a full-grown heavyweight.

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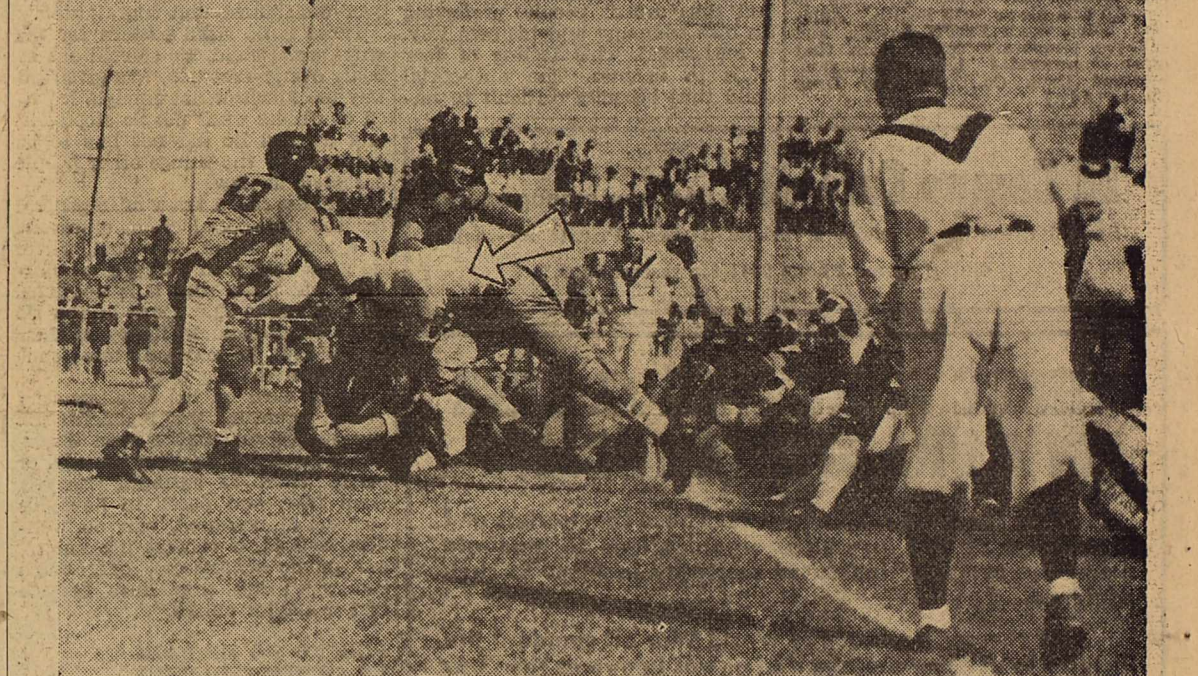
With quality and service assured by our definite guarantee—Why pay more than our low price? Davis DeLuxe guaranteed 18 mos.—Safety Grip 24 mos.

Table with columns for SIZE, DAVIS DeLUXE, and SAFETY GRIP. Lists prices for various tire sizes.

Advertisement for WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE, 107 S. Main MIDLAND. HOME OWNED & OPERATED BY MARTIN DUVAL.

Advertisement for FOUNTAIN DRINKS, HOT DOGS, and BOWLING at PLAMOR PALACE. Includes prices and contact information.

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Marion Pugh, arrow, Texas Aggie back, pounds through center of Oklahoma A. & M. line for five-yard gain in the first quarter of the game at Oklahoma City.

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ELYTHEVILLE, Ark. (UP)—If a new system of removing weeds from cotton fields catches on throughout Dixie, farm implement companies are going to have a huge surplus of hoes on hand.

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SIX-ROOM house or 3-room house; lights, water, gas. 802 North Dallas. (171-3)

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9—Automobiles

FOR SALE: 1938 Oldsmobile 8 club coupe; white sidewalls; radio; low mileage; well taken care of; bargain. Phone 895-W, 1008 West Kentucky. (171-6)

10—BEDROOMS

CORNER bedroom private entrance; one man preferred. 605 North Pecos, phone 320. (170-3)

FURNISHED garage room; private bath; reasonable. 700 West Storey, phone 758. (170-3)

NICE bedroom; reasonable. 609 N. Big Spring. (170-6)

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Research Projects Approved at Univ.

AUSTIN.—Ranging from studies of crop-parasite control to isolation of petroleum acids, nine general research projects today were approved for the coming year by the newly-launched University of Texas Research Institute.

To blanket a field outside such specific University research channels as business, industrial chemistry, economic geology, municipal government, engineering and social sciences, the institute this fall becomes a major item in University fact-finding agencies, expanded 50 per cent.

Dr. A. P. Brogan, institute director and graduate school dean, said the nine preliminary grants would account for about one-sixth of the agency's initial annual budget of \$25,000.

Cheese and Butter Production Drops

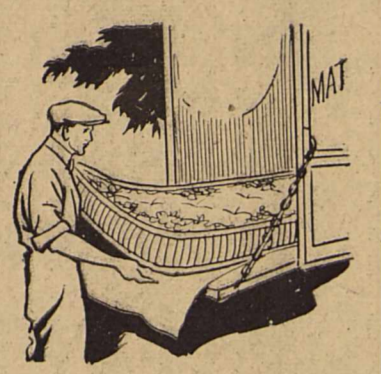
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Cheese plans informed the University Bureau of Business Research their output sank from 1,808,000 pounds in August, 1938, to 1,424,000 pounds last month, a drop of 23.9 per cent. August output also stood 12.3 per cent below July. Creameries turned out 3,414,000 pounds of butter during August, a relatively poor showing, the Bureau pointed out. This production was 0.6 per cent above August, 1938, but 1.6 per cent below July. The semi-luxury product, ice cream, however, jumped to a point 21.1 per cent above last year, reaching 1,250,000 gallons. This figure, however, was 1.1 per cent below July.

14—Personal

MADAM RUSSELL; readings daily; past, present and future. 204 East Wall Street. (170-3)

15—Miscellaneous



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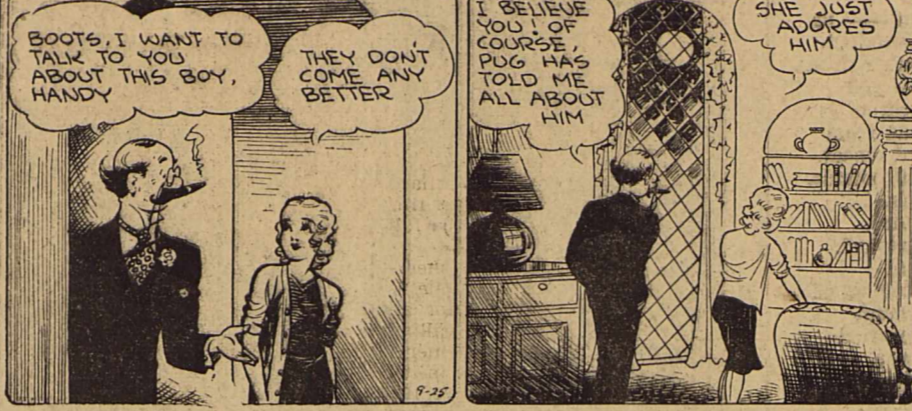
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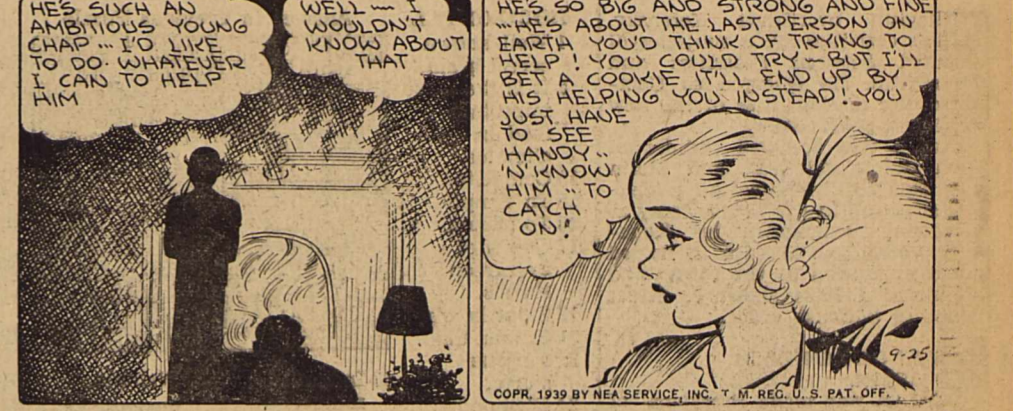
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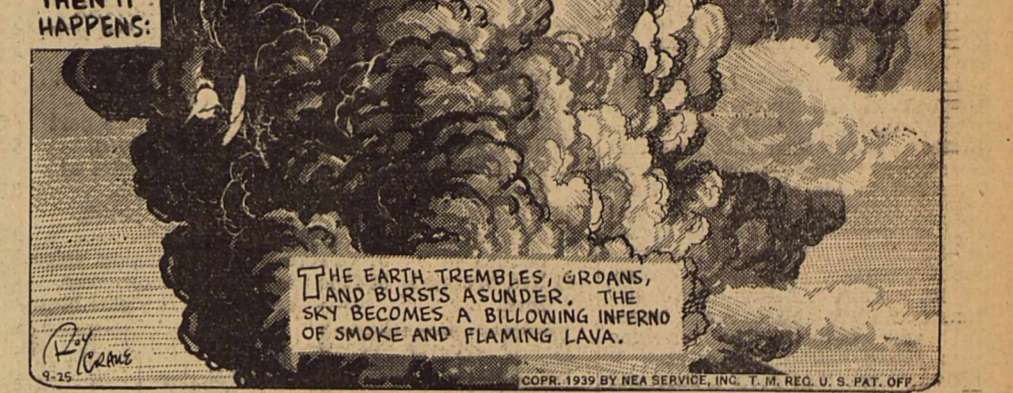
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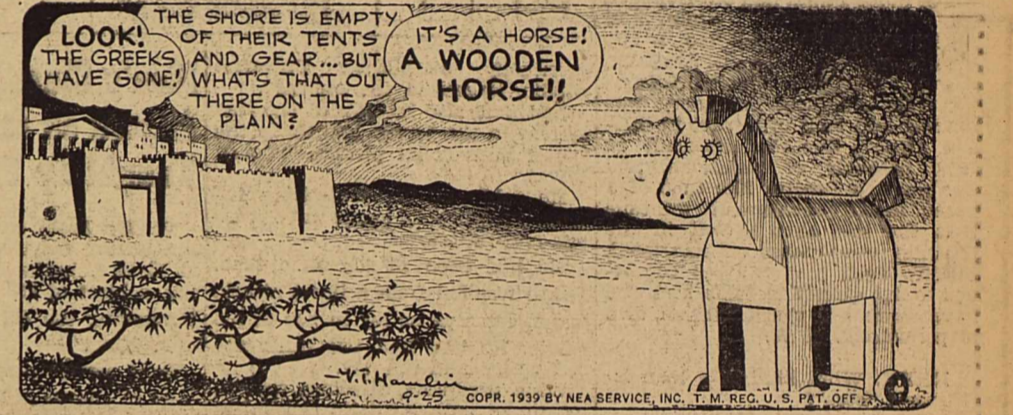
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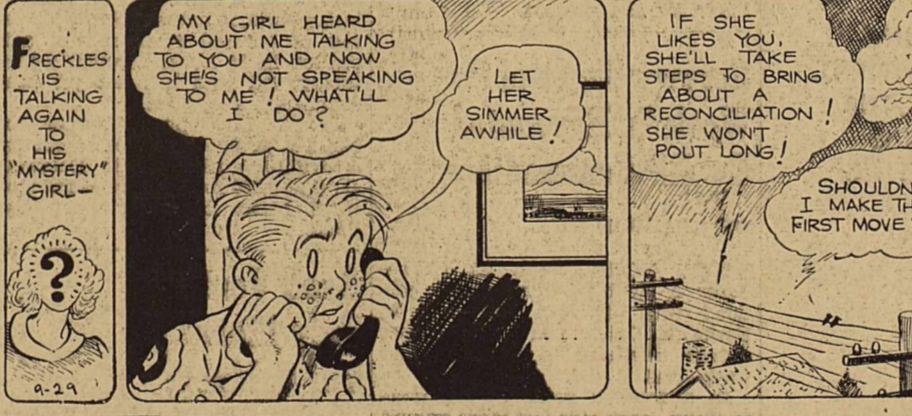
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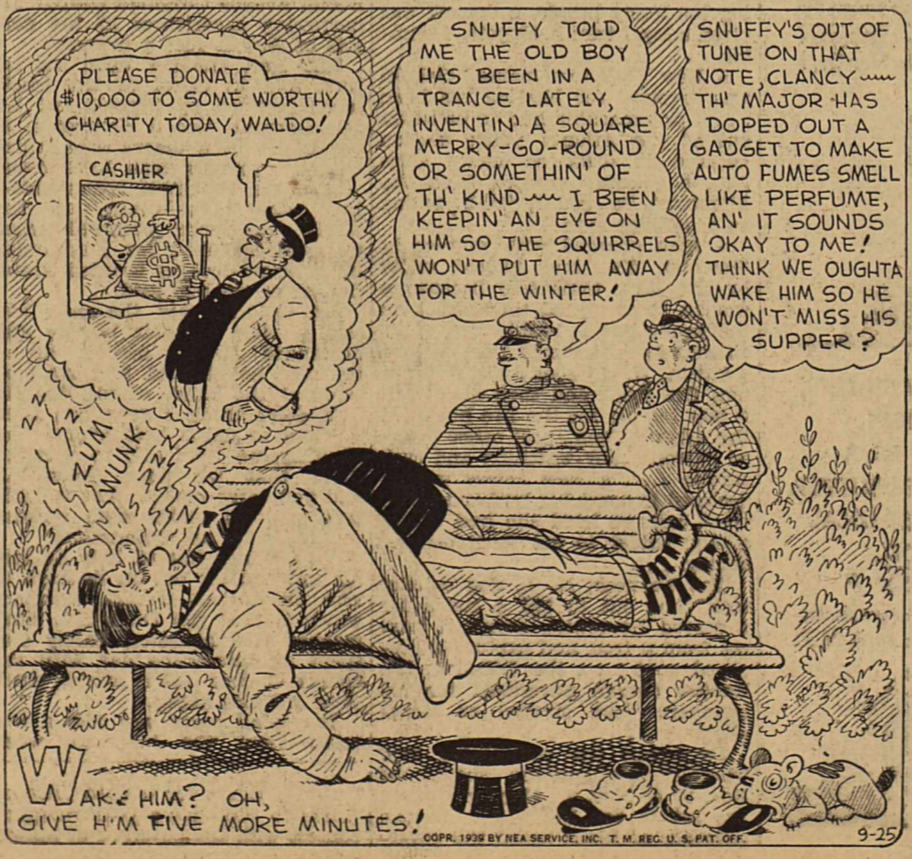
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