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## French, British Near Open Warfare

### Public Hearing Will Be Held on Road Bond Plan

Commissioners Accept Petition and Will Study Election Proposal

Midland County Commissioners today called a public hearing October 14 on the proposal for a special election to vote \$250,000 in bonds to complete the county's highway system.

The petition asking the election contained 70 names when it was presented to the commissioners. They accepted it, approved it unconditionally and ordered the public hearing to be held at their next regular meeting.

No Opposition Business and professional leaders in charge of the project said they had not heard a word of opposition. The Chamber of Commerce has approved the plan and its highway committee worked out details guaranteeing taxpayers that the \$250,000 paved road program will not increase taxes.

The program calls for paving a road south from Midland to the Upton county line and north to the Martin county line—a total of 31-miles of designated state highway.

Plans call for completion of the work within 12 months.

### Boy Scout Drive For Funds Will Start Tomorrow

Approximately 40 volunteer workers interested in a well-financed Boy Scout program in Midland during the coming year early Tuesday morning will start the annual campaign for Boy Scout funds here, local Scout leaders being hopeful that the drive may be completed in one day.

A breakfast at seven o'clock tomorrow in the Blue Room of the Scharbauer Hotel Coffee Shop will inaugurate the campaign. Prospect lists will be distributed, areas assigned and instructions given the workers at the breakfast.

Midland's quota for the year has been set at \$2250. The volunteer workers will make a strenuous effort to "go over the top" in the campaign by tomorrow afternoon. Follow up work will be continued during the remainder of the week.

Among the volunteer solicitors who will assist in the campaign are: Ed Midkiff, John Turner, Nicholson, Smith, John Porter, Bill Holmes, Paul Larsh, L. G. Lewis, Oscar Champion, A. L. Loskamp, Fred Kotzya, Bob Morris, C. W. Sanderford, Tom Sealy, McKnight, J. Guy McMillian, Ed Hitchcock, W. A. Yeager, L. H. Curry, Tom Brown, Doc Graham, Claude O. Crane, Bill German, George McEntire, Pecos Wilkenfeld, H. F. Fox, John P. Howe, Delbert Downing, T. Paul Barron, Ollie Jones, E. C. Hawkins, J. Davis, Jimmie Smith, Ray Gwyn, J. B. Crain, Merritt F. Hines, W. E. McCarrier, Marshall Crawford.

### Town Hall Speaker



Hawthorne Daniel, pictured above, will open Town Hall's series of lectures for the new year with an address at the high school auditorium, Thursday evening at 8:15 o'clock. He will discuss "Britain's Move to Canada" and what it means to American business. The club's membership campaign is now underway and those desiring to become members should communicate with Mrs. E. H. Ellison, Box 1092, or other officers of the organization, or purchase tickets on the mezzanine of Hotel Scharbauer. Daniel is a veteran of army and navy service, has written a number of books, and is a former editor of "The Commentator" magazine.

### Dutch Pilot Feuds



Koenig D. Parmentier, former chief pilot for the Royal Dutch Airlines whose family was killed by German bombs in Rotterdam, has joined the R. A. F. and makes nightly raids on German-held points on the Continent seeking revenge.

### All Aboard Plane Thought Dead After Wreckage Is Found

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 23 (AP)—Army officers and coast guardsmen began difficult operation today to pull an army plane from its mucky grave in a south-east Georgia swamp after abandoning hope that Brigadier General Francis W. Honeycutt and two companions survived the crash.

General Honeycutt, 57, commandant of Fort Bragg, N. C., Captain George K. Kehoe, 36-year-old pilot, and Corporal Robert J. Schmitt were aboard the plane which left Fort Bragg late Friday for Jacksonville.

The craft, last reported Friday night over Savannah, Ga., was found late yesterday after a two-day search.

Capt. F. S. Stooks, officer of the 16th Observation Squadron who directed search operations, said the plane "was practically buried" in the soft, marshy earth where it struck the ground about six miles east of Woodbine, Ga.

The protruding above the mud and water of the Satilla river's swamplands and officers were unable to say whether the bodies of the three men still were in the shattered craft. Pieces of a human skull were found some distance away.

General Honeycutt, son of an army colonel, had been in the service for many years. His widow, two daughters and a son survive.

Captain Kehoe was a native of Rutland, Mass., and is survived by a sister there.

Corporal Schmitt is survived by his mother, Mrs. Clara Schmitt of Chicago.

### More Activity for Far East As British Bomb Italian Bases

By The Associated Press  
CAIRO, Egypt, Sept. 23—The Mediterranean war for Africa and the near east quickened today as the British navy and air force raided Italian positions and the neutral government of Fascist-ruled Egypt declared martial law.

Martial law was invoked as a defense measure by Premier Hassan Sabry Pasha, who, however, headed a new cabinet committed against immediate war even though an Italian spearhead is 60 miles inside the Egyptian border.

A naval communiqué said a fleet of warships attacked Italian positions about newly occupied Sidi Barrani Egypt, "with good results" early Sunday. This was the second naval bombardment of the area, 60 miles inside the Egyptian frontier, in an effort to disorganize Italian preparations for a further advance across the desert toward Alexandria and Suez.

### RESIDUE COMMITTEE MEETS

A meeting of the Insoluble Residue Committee, branch of the Midland Geological Society, will be held at the University Lands office at 7:30 tonight. C. M. Linehan, geologist for the Standard Oil Co. of Texas will preside.

### HAS APPENDECTOMY

Mrs. J. R. Elms underwent an appendectomy at Midland hospital Sunday afternoon.

### Officers Hold Kidnaper Safe In Unnamed Jail

More Developments In Case Hinted By Hillsborough Police

HILLSBOROUGH, Calif., Sept. 23 (AP)—Baby Marc De Tristan, Jr., was safe in the arms of his titled, rapturously happy family today while tight-lipped federal bureau investigation men held his accused abductor, the alien German, Wilhelm Jakob Muhlenbroich, in some secret spot.

Joy reigned in Hillsborough, whose residents last night turned out by the thousands to roar a welcome as Count Marc De Tristan proudly bore his son up a long path to the waiting mother, the child's curly head bobbing above the jubilant throng.

On a grimmer note, Chief of Police C. M. Hirschey said: "I think that more than one person was involved in this kidnaping, and I expect several sensational revelations to be made when the trial opens."

And he added: "I don't want Muhlenbroich in my jail—there are too many trees close by."

Makes Confession The F.B.I. said Muhlenbroich, 40, had confessed kidnaping three-year-old Marc Friday, striking the child's nurse to the street. Yesterday his confused flight ended in mountainous El Dorado County, as two alert hunters braved his revolvers to disarm and truss him.

Immigration Inspector E. C. Benson of Oakland said the dark-skinned abductor, a seaman, was arrested for illegal entry in 1925, but his records did not show whether he had been deported. The F.B.I. learned he had entered from Canada under the German quota ten years later.

Chief Hirschey said he had asked the F.B.I. to turn him over to San Francisco police for subsequent transfer to San Mateo County State and county authorities agreed it was a matter for state, not federal, prosecution. The minimum penalty, upon conviction, would be life imprisonment under California's "little Lindbergh" law.

Child Unharmed Yesterday's hero, a hard-fisted, middle-aged saw-mill owner named Cecil Wetzel, temporarily dropped from view after delivering the handsome boy and his sullen kidnaper to federal men at River Pine, a village of 50 souls.

The child had not a mark or bruise, the Tristan family physician said, yet it was learned he had been seriously close to death in the wild ride of the stolen kidnap car.

Rounding a sharp curve in the mountain dark, the car plunged over a 40-foot embankment. Man and child were unhurt, and Muhlenbroich climbed up to the road and at gunpoint took the car of the officer, William Gianasio, of Sacramento.

Transferring the child and his stock of canned goods and ammunition to the new vehicle, Muhlenbroich roared on—until a few hours later he lost his way.

Then he met Wetzel, taking a log truck to his own ranch mill. "How in the hell do I get out of here?" he asked.

Wetzel, the San Francisco Chronicle said in a copyright story, had already noted the fair-haired child, clad only in a sunsuit, in the car.

The lumberman, a former Washington State college football player and wrestler, gave directions, then followed Muhlenbroich until he stopped for further instruction. Wetzel stepped to the road, moved in close and gritted, "how about that baby?"

The suspected kidnaper drew a revolver and Wetzel dived for him. They rolled briefly in a welter of flying fists, dust and weapons, a fight for life on Wetzel's part, a fight against life imprisonment on Muhlenbroich's.

Ellis Wood, a lumberjack, arrived in time to help Wetzel take a second round from Muhlenbroich—who had a holster under each arm—and bind him with stout cord.

### Two Rebel Bands Sought In Mexico

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Sept. 23 (AP)—Two rebel bands still were resisting federal forces near the Durango state border today, but the situation was described as not serious.

The office of General Antonio Guerrero, commander of the Fifth Military Zone, reported that General Jose Ruiz, who has been pursuing the bands, was on his way here with Manuel Rodriguez, described as a leader of insurgents in Chihuahua state. Four other men were said to have been captured near San Lorenzo and freed after they surrendered their firearms.

### LEGION TO MEET

Members of the Woods W. Lynch post of the American Legion will meet Tuesday evening at eight o'clock on the third floor of the courthouse. All members are urged to be present by Commander W. B. Preston. Refreshments will be served.

### Bomb Traps 500 Refugees in Schoolhouse



Workers probe ruins of the East London School which was hit by a bomb the night of Sept. 9. British reports said, while it was crowded with 500 persons whose homes had been destroyed. The report did not say how many of the city's casualty total of 400 killed and 1,400 hurt occurred in the school.

### Explosion in Army Arsenal Fatal to 2, Eleven Others Hurt

DOVER, N. J., Sept. 23 (AP)—Two persons were killed and eleven slightly injured today in an explosion at the United States army's Picatinny arsenal.

It was the second fatal munitions blast in the Dover area within a fortnight, the explosion of a smokeless powder line at the Kenvil plant of the Hercules Powder Company September 12 having taken 50 lives.

Col. A. S. Buyers, public relations officer at the arsenal, said the explosion occurred as employees were taking apart fuses of world war shells, "a dangerous job at best."

"They were in a building about 30 by 50 feet in size and set apart for this operation. Each employee was protected by screens, which apparently prevented serious injury to any of those reported hurt. Buyers said the blast caused "some damage" in one end of the building.

A military board began an immediate investigation. Colonel Buyers said the explosion apparently occurred when fulminate of mercury, used in the fuses, "got go."

The operation was to recover the metal parts of the fuses, which would then be loaded with fresh explosives and used again.

### March Through Indo-China By Japs Started

By The Associated Press  
TOKYO, Sept. 23—The Japanese army and navy, described in authoritative quarters as prepared to meet any "uncalled for intervention" by third powers, began a southward march of empire into French Indo-China today.

(The United States and Britain have informed Japan officially of their interest in maintenance of the status quo in Indo-China.)

The action was described in army and navy quarters as a long stride toward a final statement of the China war, and establishment of Japan's "New Order" in East Asia.

In imperial headquarters communicate said Indo-China forces which had "unlawfully" resisted the occupation in a skirmish on the northern frontier surrendered at 11 a. m. today (2 p. m. CST).

The occupation was the result of an "amicable understanding" reached with French colonial officials at Hanoi, Indo-China capital, at 4:30 p. m. Sunday, it was announced.

Despite "some skirmishes" at Dongdang, on the northern frontier, when some Japanese troops began their entry in the darkness from the Chinese province of Kwangsi last night, the advance was declared to be proceeding smoothly.

### DISAPPROVAL OF U. S. VOICED BY HULL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 (AP)—Secretary Hull declared today that the status quo in Indo-China was being upset through duress and once again he voiced the disapproval of the United States.

He read a formal statement of his press conference on the entrance of Japanese military forces into the French Far Eastern colony.

"It seems obvious that the status quo is being upset and that this is being achieved under duress," Hull said.

### Heroism Related

Whole boatloads sank while huddled children, piped the boisterous "Roll Out the Barrel."

### LATEST NEWS FLASHES

#### Conferees Agree on Wool Labeling Bill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 (AP)—Senate conferees on the wool labeling bill (S 162) agreed today to all House amendments to the measure, and final congressional action on the legislation was expected within the next few days. The bill would require that all articles containing wool bear labels showing their exact fiber content, including percentages of new or reused wool.

#### Japanese Storm French Positions.

HANOI, French Indo-China, Sept. 23 (AP)—Japanese forces resumed an attack on French positions near Langson, about 12 miles within French Indo-China, this afternoon, informed sources reported, after Japanese warplanes had bombed the airfield there.

#### Asks Approval of Natural Gas Pipeline.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 (AP)—Curtis B. Dall urged the Federal Power Commission today to approve his plans for a \$20,500,000 natural gas pipeline from the Louisiana-Texas fields to Tennessee and North Carolina.

#### Elliott Roosevelt Sworn Into Army.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 (AP)—Elliott Roosevelt, second son of President Roosevelt, was sworn in today as a captain in the Army Air Corps' Specialists Reserve and announced he would immediately give up his private business interests to serve the army for a year.

#### Deadline Set For Special Train

Texas and Pacific Railway officials today declared that an answer must be received by six o'clock tomorrow afternoon to a proposal to run a special train to the Midland-Austin football game in El Paso next Friday night.

A minimum of 225 tickets must be purchased to assure the train. Round trip passage would be \$4.65 each.

#### Bob-Cat Hunting Good

POPULAR BLUFF, Mo. (UP)—Tom Phelps and his four hounds have killed 40 bob-cats in the past 13 months. It is believed to be a record in this section of Missouri.

#### IS DISCHARGED

Richard Akin was discharged this morning from a Midland hospital.

#### Condition of Injured Men Remains the Same

Condition of two men injured in a collision of an army truck and a local car here Saturday night was about the same today. Private Hollis Schoenberger received a fractured spine and Bob Swain, drug store employe, had a dislocated hip.

#### ADELANTE TO MEET

Adelante Club will meet with Mrs. B. K. Buffington, 514 Holmsley, Tuesday at one o'clock for a desert-bridge.

#### Andrews Wildcat To Shoot

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 M Bar Ranch, erstwhile "mystery well" in southern Andrews County, is preparing to shoot with 1,000 quarts of solidified mud from 4,055 feet to 4,292 feet, the total depth. The well had swabbed dry, showing some gas but no oil or water, after washing out circulating mud with 1,000 gallons of acid, then treating under pressure with 1,500 gallons. The string of 7 5/8-inch o. d. casing is cemented at 4,037 feet with 300 sacks. Nitro shot will be tamped with calseal and gravel.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 A Sandidge Heirs, northwestern Dawson County wildcat, is trying to free drillpipe stuck at 5,325, 20 feet off bottom. At total depth of 5,065 feet, the well showed rise of (See OIL NEWS, page 8)

#### Postage Raised On Local Mail

With the advent of city delivery, postage on all local mail will be raised from 1c to 2c, it was announced by Postmaster Allen Tolbert this morning.

City Delivery will be started October 1 and Tolbert requested all persons notify their correspondents of their street address. He added that it would facilitate service if persons would register their address with the post office.

### King George Declares Armies of Invasion Massed for Attempt at Landing Men on British Isles

Monarch Thanks "Friends in America" for "Gifts for Relief of Suffering in War" While Capital Undergoes Another Raid

By The Associated Press  
Great Britain and France verged on open warfare tonight as the British fleet began shelling Dakar, French West African port, and the French cabinet in Vichy declared that France would "reply to force with force."

The British government announced that General Charles de Gaulle, leader of Frenchmen who had pledged themselves to carry on the fight against Germany, arrived at Dakar with a "free French" armed force accompanied by a British force.

### Forest Development Rigging Up Rotary For New Yoakum Wildcat

By Frank Gardner  
Rotary is being rigged up for a new wildcat test in southeastern Yoakum County a mile and a half north and slightly west of Shell's discovery producer in the Waples-Platter area and a mile and a quarter northwest of The Sloan & Zook Company No. 1 Waples Platter Company and T. N. Sloan, second oiler.

The well will be drilled by Forest Development Corporation as No. 1 A. C. Whisman. Location is 660 feet out of the southeast corner of section 553, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Oil Development Company of Texas No. 2-38 fee, in the Wason field farther southwest in Yoakum, established daily potential of 1,309.28 barrels of 33.9-gravity oil and gas-oil ratio of 628-1 following acidization with 10,000 gallons in pay lime from 4,910 to 5,065 feet, the total depth. Basin States Oil Company No. 2 Fisher Walker also was acidized with 10,000 gallons and set potential of 495.76 barrels a day, bottomed at 5,198 feet in lime. Pay was topped at 4,840 feet. Oil tests 34-gravity, and gas-oil ratio is 614-1.

On the Gaines side of the Wason, Amon G. Carter No. 6-D A. L. Wason rated potential of 1,335.84 barrels of 36-gravity crude and ratio of 676-1 after 9,000 gallons in lime from 4,910 to 5,040 feet, bottom of the hole.

Deal Made Richmond Drilling Company of Midland has obtained from C. O. Collins of Fort Worth a one-half interest in his 80-acre R. W. Smith lease in the southeast part of the North Cowden pool of Ector County. Richmond will contribute the equivalent of \$37,000 toward drilling and completing two wells on the tract. Lease consists of the south half of the southeast quarter of section 13, block 43, township 1 south, T. & P. survey. The tract is a north offset to Cities Service Oil Company's W. H. Rhode lease, upon which heavy production has been developed. Cellar and pits are being dug today for Richmond and Collins Nos. 1 and 2 Smith. No. 1 is 660 feet from the south and 1,980 from the east line of section; No. 2 is 660 feet out of the southeast corner of section.

A mile and a half south of the South Cowden pool in Ector, Forest Development Corporation No. 1-H Paul Moss is drilling below 3,140 feet in anhydrite, having topped Yates sand at 2,790 feet and first frosted quartz grains at 2,810.

Forest No. 1 Bradley et al, Ector wildcat seven miles south of Yates sand at 2,870, first drains at 2,900 and now is drilling past 2,990 in anhydrite.

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#### Reporter-Telegram Carriers Are Young Businessmen of City

Stanley Blackman, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. (Bill) Blackman, delivers The Reporter-Telegram in West Midland from Missouri Ave. to the railroad.

Each buys his papers at wholesale and must see that his subscribers pay promptly in advance. If subscribers pay promptly in advance he is successful in his first business venture.

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Today's Minute Men

Thousands of young Americans soon will break the ties of home and ordinary life and begin learning how to defend their country.

This is the first time the United States ever conscripted men in time of peace.

But there is nothing basically new about the step that is being taken. The details, the technique, are new. The principle is old. It is simply that every able-bodied citizen has an obligation to defend his country.

It has always been so. In the frontier days, to which orators wistfully refer, it was so. When some isolated post on the edge of the western woods heard rumors of an Indian rising, what happened? Every able-bodied man got his gun and began to drill and organize defense of the stockade.

In Revolutionary days, the Minute Men were organized. Above every man's fireplace there hung the long-barreled rifle. He was sworn to take it down at a minute's notice and assemble with his neighbors to defend their homes.

But this is 1940. The .22 target rifle or the sporting shotgun a modern Minute Man might snatch from his closet is no longer a match for bombers and armored divisions that function like clockwork.

So, to meet new conditions, we adopt new tactics. To be fair to all, we make a matter of law the obligation which the Minute Man assumed as a matter of course.

The men who go out today to learn to defend their country are today's Minute Men. The manner of organizing them and training them is one made necessary by today's conditions. But the obligation they fulfill is the same one that was fulfilled by the straggle of villagers who met early that April morning on the green at Lexington and heard Captain Parker give them the instructions no American can forget.

"Stand your ground. Don't fire unless fired upon. But if they mean to have a war, let it begin here!"

"Isms" or Democracy?

Europe seethes with "isms." Millions have lost their rights. Their individual freedom is gone forever. Many have even been forbidden their worship of God.

We want none of this in America! Yet, we live in a small world, where ideas creep across the seas and over national borders.

As a thinking, patriotic American, you've been wondering, "What can I do about it all?" Our answer is, first, recognize that "America's future does lie in its youth," and then, do something about youth.

Our country can depend upon her scout trained youth. Our country can be assured of a future in which recognition of duty, with ability and the desire to do, will inspire a new generation of citizens to unselfish service.

Here is an American movement, now serving more than a million boys. It is led and directed by clean-cut, straightforward, volunteer Americans, the successors of the minute men of old, who believe thoroughly in our American ideals.

In this area this movement is Buffalo Trails Council of the Boy Scouts of America. Nineteen hundred boys are living scouting daily in Buffalo Trails Council. More are joining.

Buffalo Trails Council is financed entirely through voluntary subscription of funds annually by its friends. It will conduct its annual drive tomorrow. Demonstrate your belief by giving just as liberally as you can.

Selective Service Organizations Asked Of Governors by FR

By Douglas B. Cornell

HYDE PARK, N. Y., Sept. 23 (AP) President Roosevelt disclosed today he had asked the 48 governors to organize the selective service system in their states and to recommend to him at once persons to be appointed state draft directors and members of local boards.

White House officials said Mr. Roosevelt probably would sign today an executive order putting into effect the first two volumes of rules and regulations for conscription. The request to the governors went out in identical airmail letters which said: "The procurement and training of our manpower under proper administration, fairly and without fear or favor, is undoubtedly the most important single factor in our entire program of national defense. I ask your every help."

setting October 16 as the day for men in the 21 to 35 age bracket to register. He suggested that state executives issue similar proclamations. From the registrants 400,000 men will be picked promptly for a year's military training.

Following the registration, local boards will take charge of the classification and selection of men, and the president said it was "all-important" that the boards be composed of people in whom the community "has the greatest confidence."

He left it to the state executives to appoint advisory boards for registrants and medical advisory boards. Expressing confidence many thousands of patriotic citizens would offer their services, the chief executive made it plain they would receive no compensation, except for clerical help.

CORRECTION

It was erroneously reported in the Sunday Reporter-Telegram that the location of the City Mattress factory of E. W. Jennings and Lee Thomas is located at 110 S Main street. Location of the plant is at 110 S Baird street. Telephone number is 1646.

The Weather



SERIAL STORY

THIS COULD BE YOUR STORY

BY MARGUERITE GAHAGAN

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YESTERDAY: Joe begs Sue Mary to give up her job and new friends, settle down and marry him. But she isn't ready for marriage. When Natalie suggests that they share an apartment, Sue Mary is moving in before she knows it. And she likes keeping house.

SUE MARY HEARS TOO MUCH

Chapter XIII LIFE in the new apartment settled down. Sue Mary hadn't told Joe yet. For some reason she had put it off, trying to build up her reasons for making the change. He came back from his vacation and so she had to face the issue.

"I simply couldn't stand that half bedroom any longer," she told him while he listened, his face an expressionless blank. "After all, I spend so much time with Natalie down at the hall, and I work with Vera, who is Natalie's best friend—"

"And you go around with Nick, who is the fourth in the quartet," Joe added quietly.

She flushed. "He's a friend of mine, of course. They all are."

"And I'm tired of hearing you

say that they are Reds. If you knew how silly that sounds. Just because they paint, and write, and are interested in politics you make them sound crazy. Good heavens, they aren't any more Red than I am—or you are. Why, the party paper is always warning against losing our American freedom; telling us how some groups are trying to control the press, the radio, kill freedom of speech, outlaw the right to unionize."

"The YP group is truly American Joe. Just because they aren't blind to the mistakes being made here, and because they see the good in some other forms of government, you — and others who don't know the Youth Progress platform—say it's Red, or it's Nazi. How silly."

"You're learning the lesson," Joe said. He was taking her to a ball game and he wore his team uniform, Joe was a member of the plant nine, and today two of the departments were playing a sandlot game.

Sue Mary sat on the grass with wives and children watching the game. She couldn't let Joe know just how much he upset her when

he criticized the YP group. He was so big, so strong, so level-headed, that each time he said such things she was overcome with doubts.

He and these boys and men were Americans too. That was what confused her. How could two such groups, both American, have such entirely different standards?

All she had to fall back on was the lessons that Vera and Nick and Natalie had taught her. These people were workers, blinded, underprivileged, downtrodden, stupid. They had to be helped since they didn't know how to help themselves.

Around her welled the traditional American baseball spirit. "Hit the old horsehide," yelled little Tommy Slovack. "Strike 'em out! Kill the umpire!" screamed good-natured Mrs. Mahoney.

It was like being back in a remote but familiarly dear past. Like high school days in Springville, where no one thought of saving the workers, or safeguarding American ideals from war-mongers, munitions makers, capitalists. Where everyone knew his neighbor and went to the polls to vote for the candidate because he was a man they had all known for years and years, and because he was honest.

It was in that mood that she left Joe that evening and went back to the apartment. She felt clean and healthy with the wind and the sun lingering in her hair and on her face, and the voice of the fans ringing in her ears. Sitting there on the grass after the game, eating some of the peanut butter sandwiches Mrs. Mahoney had insisted she share, and drinking beer that Joe had brought along, she had captured again that feeling of family unity, of safety.

She climbed the stairs to the apartment. The door was open so the cross-ventilation could cool off the room and Sue Mary heard Vera and Natalie talking.

Suddenly she wished she was back in her old room. Back where she knew no one, but where she could have privacy, where she could settle these doubts, these conflicting ideas alone.

"Well, I'm not worried. And I'm not going to let you get me started," Vera's voice came to Sue Mary against the background of music from the radio. "He's no more serious with her than I am with that fool Ross Clark, Jr."

"Of course I'll use him. I'll find out everything I can. That was the plan in the beginning; I mean in going to that office to work. And it's fortunate that he's simple enough to be interested in me. I don't know how much good he'll do, but we must consider every angle. I'll pump him, and do as much undercover investigating as I can without tipping my hand."

"And as for Nick — well, I know he's doing the same thing. It's not serious." \* \* \*

SUE MARY leaned back against the wall. Her mind refused to function. It seemed that she had listened to those voices from a long distance. But they were real. They were the voices of girls she knew, worked with, called her friend.

"You may be able to handle your work. I don't doubt but that you can play this Clark guy for all he's worth," Natalie's voice was amused. Then it sobered.

"But remember this. Nick is a man with emotions, with a heart, and I tell you he's not doing all this just because of the work. I've watched his face when he's not conscious of anything but her. When she's there, he goes into a

OUR COUNTRY

Thirteenth of 24 articles on "Our Country," written exclusively for NEA Service and The Reporter-Telegram by the nation's most famous authors. By Sophie Kerr Author of "Big-Hearted Herbert," "There's Only One," "Fine to Look At," etc.

MR. AND MRS. AMERICA, to make up our minds about what we want in this country, we must also make up our minds about what we don't want. To discard is the first step in selection. Therefore let us ask ourselves some plain questions.

We have four basic freedoms here, freedom of speech, freedom of assembly, freedom of religious worship and freedom of the press.

Do we want to give up freedom of speech? NO!

Do we want to give up freedom of assembly? NO!

Do we want to give up freedom of religious worship? NO!

Do we want to give up freedom of the press? NO!

BESIDE these basic freedoms we have our long-established form of government, which has three branches executive, legislative and judicial, acting as check and balance to extreme power in any one.

Do we want to give up a government which combines executive, legislative and judicial powers, working together co-operatively? NO!

We have a two-party system, which ensures each citizen the right to express his will by ballot as to the persons who shall govern him.

Do we want to give up this two-party system, guaranteeing our personal participation in our government? NO!

Do we want to endow any branch or individual in our government with exceptional authority which would parallel dictatorship? NO!

Do we want to submit a super-taxation which can be used against the will of the majority of the people? NO!

Do we want rulers with power to make war, conscript citizens, seize property, crush opposition with fines and prison sentences and set their will above our law—as in the totalitarian states today? NO!

Do we want America to be anything but free and strong and forward-looking, offering her people constant opportunity for decent living, and national peace to give this living stability and permanence? NO!

MR. AND MRS. AMERICA, we people! We are part of America's government and responsible to it as it is responsible to us. Our responsibility begins in our town and county elections and goes on to our State and Federal elections. We have the right to be heard, we have the right to act. Only our own apathy and carelessness can give us bad government.

Will we forget that this government is ours to make or spoil? Will we forget that in our own hands lies our welfare and the welfare of those who shall come after us? And will we forget that the time to think . . . to speak . . . to act . . . is NOW? The answer, Mr. and Mrs. America, is ours to make.

It is NO! \* \* \* The United States cannot be compared to any other country, past or present; it is something new in the world, writes Stuart Chase in the next article of the series on "Our Country."

MISSING CHILD FOUND COLORADA CITY, Sept. 23 (AP) —Three-year-old Katherine Coopers, who apparently became lost after she set out to visit her father in a field where he was working, was found safe late yesterday about a mile from her home near Hermleigh.

"She's pretty. I suppose you've noticed that," Natalie said at last. "A man would notice it long before you would. And rather helplessly. I've seen him react to that. Nick always has wanted to be needed, and this is a natural."

"Old-fashioned feminine love," Vera repeated softly. "Well, that's what he'd get. She's a child. A perfect child; as naive as they come. A typical American office girl impressed with our talk, with what we are doing, gullible and pretty. Nick sees that."

"She offered us an in at the office and any one of us would have enough sense to take it. The ways things are now with war orders, defense appropriations, and national hysteria, you can't tell me but that these big guys aren't making money hand over fist. It would help the party to uncover a little dirty work between the politicians and our big business men. It would mean our candidate would walk in office."

"That's why I'm in this campaign. That's why Nick's in it, and for heaven's sake try not to worry me about his falling in love with that little innocent."

(To Be Continued)

Steel "Bathing Caps"



Their dip in the English Channel interrupted by the scream of air raid sirens, this British couple scurries for shelter, donning steel helmets as they run, according to British censor's caption. Barbed wire entanglements, like that seen in background, surround most of Britain's coasts.

Looks Like a Car But Acts Like a Train—What Is It?

G. L. French, assistant division superintendent of the T&P railway, was through Midland yesterday afternoon driving an official inspection car. Ordinarily a 1935 model Ford V8 would not attract much attention, but when it is mounted on railroad tracks, it creates quite a stir.

The Ford, called a Rail Auto by railroad men, is fitted with a cow-catcher and four all-steel wheels. The car runs on regular train orders. It weighs about 1000 pounds more than a regular stock car and averages about 12 miles to the gallon of gas.

Public Records New Cars Registered M. O. Means, Buick sedan. Taylor Cole, Buick sedan. Charles Hendricks, Chevrolet sedan.

Marriage Licenses Issued Paul J. Landrum and Augusta Lindsay. Deed Transfers K. F. Campbell et ux to R. F. Carroll et ux lot 1, block 1, West End Addition.

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# Feller Hurls Indians to Win to Leave Tigers Only One Game Ahead

**By Bill White**  
**Associated Press Sports Writer**  
 Like the old-time movie serials, the American League pennant race stops abruptly today.  
 After almost everybody had given up on the Yankees being able to make it five pennants in a row, and had decided the Detroit Tigers were too tough, Cleveland yesterday smashed out a 10-9 win in the third game of a four-game series at Detroit and the Yankees beat Boston, 6-3, to make the race a three-way scramble again. And now, with everybody on edge, they all take the day off!

Resuming play Tuesday, the Tigers have a two-game series with the troublesome Chicago White Sox, and the Indians meet the Browns in a pair. This means the pennant chase probably will not be decided until that three-game series starting Friday between the Tigers and the Indians at Cleveland.

After losing the first two games of the "crookical" series, the Indian victory yesterday—Bobby Feller's 27th of the year—left the pennant picture looking like this:

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB	TP
Detroit	37	62	.584	5	5
Cleveland	36	76	.577	1	5
New York	32	64	.562	3 1/2	8

Sid Hudson and Ken Chase turned in two fine pitching performances to hand the Washington Senators a pair of victories over the Athletics, 5-4 and 5-2, and old Ted Lyons pitched the White Sox to a 10-0 victory over the St. Louis Browns.

In the National League, Jim Turner pitched a two-hitter to give the champion Reds a 2-1 victory over the Pirates (the Reds have won this season by one run) in the first game. But Johnny Vander Meer's wildness cost them the second game, 8-1.

The Brooklyn Dodgers scored a twin win over the Phillies as Freddie Fitzsimmons won his sixteenth 10-2, and Curt Davis captured his eighth 4-2.

The Boston Bees and the New York Giants split their double-header, the Beantowners nipping Carl Hubbell, 4-3, in the first on Eddie Miller's ninth inning double that scored Chet Ross, but bowing before Bob Carpenter, 7-3.

The St. Louis Cardinals blasted the Chicago Cubs, 8-1 and 2-1, knocking Dizzy Dean in the first game and getting the best of a pitcher's duel in the night cap between Max Lanier and Larry French.

## Sports Roundup

**By Eddie Briets**  
**NEW YORK, Sept. 23 (AP).—**George Raft, the movie star (who owns a slice of lightweight George Latka), has offered Lew Jenkins \$25,000 to defend his title against Latka. At last reports, Jenkins wasn't interested. Everybody here believes the Yanks are definitely out of it.

**Today's Guest Star**  
 Lawrence Skiddy, Syracuse Herald-Journal: "Every move Cleveland's complaining players make, with a view of making Vitti look bad, appears to work out in such a fashion that Vitti looks good and the players look bad."

Lanny Ross, the radio warbler, bagged a 94-lb. antelope with one cartridge near Leander, Wyo., the other days. Chick Meehan, former Syracuse U. and Manhattan College coach, is definitely through with Athletics.

Old Pop Warner has a grade A peeve on because somebody wrote that Bob Zuppke was a better artist than he. Alabama lost a whale of a football prospect when malaria forced Charlie Hudson to quit school. Jake Powell, the Yankee outfielder, who has played in only two games this season, has been tossed out of three by umpires because of his jockeying from the bench.

**Hunch Dept.**  
 The other day, Doc Prothro, manager of the Phils, was desperate for a pinch hitter. He called the roll of the Philly bench, then thumbed his newest rookie pitcher and told him to go up and hit. "Hickory" commanded the Doc. Up to bat marched Charlie Fry and hickories a homer to beat the Cubs. The hunch was Fry's home town, Hickory, N. C.

Eighteen members of the 52-man freshman squad at St. Mary's (California) tip the beam at 40 lbs. or better. Charley Yates, who won the British amateur title two years ago, hasn't been so hot in golf this year, but he just has been elected vice-president of an Atlanta bank. Tommy Farr will be Joe Louis' next opponent, and thank goodness they're taking it to Los Angeles.

**Yip, Yip.**  
 Notre Dame had its four horsemen. Well, Brown has at least two—and both of them can really ride a nag. Halfback Dick High spent the summer on a dude ranch in Wyoming, and Frank Wilson, also a half, got his giddap experience showing his dad's horses at various shows throughout the year.

**PIPELINE WORKERS HURT**  
**HARLINGEN, Sept. 23 (AP).—**Ezra Harris of Mission and Chester Crosby of Gatesville were burned seriously and nine other pipeline workers injured last night when oil they were salvaging ignited in a temporary pit near Barreda, several miles east of here.

**FORMER JUDGE DIES**  
**ITALY, Sept. 23 (AP).—**James N. Blanding, 89, for many years a member of the Corsicana bar and a former County Judge of Navarro County, died here last night.  
 He was a native of South Carolina and came to Texas in 1871, settling at Corsicana.

## Fight Fans Will See Odessa Card Tonight

A large number of Midland fight fans are expected to attend the matches that will be held in Odessa tonight, starting at 8:30.  
 The main event will find Babe Ritchie of Lubbock, former state heavyweight champion, pitted against Billy Cruse, champion of the 8th corps area in a match slated for ten rounds.  
 The curtain raiser will find Earl Pace of Midland making his professional debut against Andy Allcorn of El Paso. A six-round special is also carded with Bob Royall of Midland against Ed Gonzalez of Fort Stockton.

In the semi-final bout of eight rounds, Glen Gray of Mineral Wells and Roy Salome of El Paso will tangle.

## Conference Games Slated This Week In Three Districts

**By Harold V. Ratliff**  
**Associated Press Staff**  
 The championship battle opens in three districts this week but Texas schoolboy football fans will focus their interest on a non-conference struggle between Sherman's Bearcats and Sunset's Bisons of Dallas.

Sherman, justifying the glowing things said about it in pre-season forecasts, is being boomed as probably the outstanding team of North Texas.

Sunset, of which little was expected, leaped into prominence by beating the veteran Corsicana Tigers last week.

The Sherman-Sunset game is scheduled at Dallas Thursday night. The first conference tilt of the season was played last week with Conroe's Tigers beating Orange 39-12 in district 14.

Fort Worth Tech plays Arlington Heights Thursday night in the Ft. Worth district. Friday night, Cleburne goes to Hillsboro and Corsicana to Bryan in District 10 and Athens plays at Tyler in District 11.

There are 60 games on the week's schedule, 35 of them inter-district affairs and three inter-sectional.

With Jeff Davis and San Jacinto of Houston playing open games, every one of the 104 Class AA teams will have seen action.

The third week of the campaign finds 40 teams to have tasted defeat and 11 to have been tied, an unprecedented number for this early in the season.

Among the beaten or tied teams are six of last year's district champions: Electra, Sulphur Springs, Breckenridge, Sweetwater, Nacogdoches and Austin (Houston).

Also among the teams meeting reversals are such widely-heralded outfits as Wichita Falls, a victim of Masonic Home, Breckenridge, loser to Arlington Heights (Fort Worth), and Gainesville, battled to a scoreless standstill by Olney.

Two of the touted teams were particularly unimpressive in victories last week, Austin High beating Class A San Marcos by only 6-0 and Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) edging out over low-ranked Paschal of Fort Worth 2-0.

Conroe's Tigers caused a lifting of eyebrows. The Tigers are newcomers to district 14. They were not expected to be an important factor in the title drive. But their crushing victory over Orange, a veteran aggregation, indicates Port Arthur and Beaumont are in for severe trouble.

It now develops that Conroe is being boomed as the strongest team in that city's history. And it is to be recalled that a few years ago Conroe cut quite a swath before losing to the state champion Longview team.

## Adjournment Hopes Boosted By Support From GOP Members

**WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 (AP).—**Democratic leaders, anxious to bring the nine-month congressional session to an end this week, received promises today of some Republican support.  
 Although many Republicans were talking instead about a recess until after November elections, Senators Reed (R-Kan.) and Johnson (R-Calif.) said they were ready to quit until January and go home this weekend.

On the other hand, Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) who has been credited with voicing White House views at times, said he was opposed to adjournment "in order to go home and campaign."

"The situation in Europe is worse than it's ever been," he said. "I think Congress must stay here on the job in order to strengthen our defenses at home and abroad."

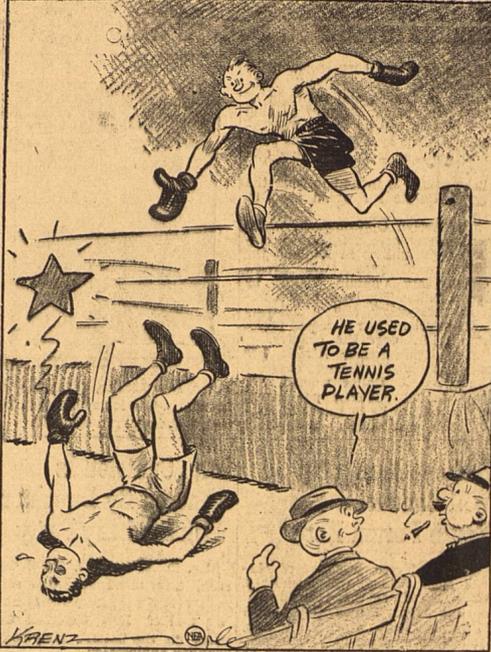
Several possible snags to adjournment this week loomed in the legislative schedule.

Senate-House conferees must adjust differences over excess profits tax legislation.  
 Senator Burke (D-Neb.) threatened over the weekend to start a filibuster unless Senate leaders consent to consideration of the Logan-Walter bill, for speeding up judicial review of decisions made by quasi-judicial government agencies.

The House was expected to give approval early this week to a \$150,000,000 fund for civil functions of the war department, and then to take up the \$1,500,000,000 defense appropriation request which is to defray conscription costs.

**MAN KILLED BY TRAIN**  
**CORSICANA, Sept. 23 (AP).—**The mangled body of a man, identified as Robert F. Adams, aged 25 years, of Corsicana, was found on the Southern Pacific lines tracks about eight miles south of Corsicana near Angus at an early hour today.

## Instinct



## Hold Everything!



## SMU-UCLA Battle Will Open the "Big Time" Grid Season Friday

**By Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr.**  
**NEW YORK, Sept. 23. (AP).—**If you haven't felt the tang in the air, or read the news that summer officially ended last night, take a look at this week's football schedule, and you'll see that autumn is here.

There were a good many games over the past week-end, but next Friday and Saturday, there are six scheduled contests that are at the top of the "big game" division, and as many more important sectional and conference clashes.

Friday night's headliner is UCLA against SMU at Los Angeles. The Uclans, even without Kenny Washington, figure to be among the Pacific coast leaders, while SMU is touted as about the Southwest conference's best.

Saturday's biggest games are inter-sectional—Boston College - Tulane at New Orleans, Pittsburgh-Ohio State at Columbus, Washington-Minnesota at Minneapolis, Michigan-California at Berkeley and Colorado-Texas at Austin. These will be the first games for each team, except for Boston College, which walloped Centre 40-0 last Saturday. There's no way of telling what may happen.

Not far behind in the rankings are Washington State-Southern California, Iowa State-Denver (Friday) and a trio of conference games in the South, where most of last week's action was concentrated. Duke, the southern conference champion, opens against V.M.I., 33-0 winner over Roanoke last week. North Carolina, usually the Blue Devil's leading rival, clash with Wake Forest. They won last Saturday's games 56-6 over Appalachian and 79-0 over William Jewell, respectively. North Carolina State, which upset William and Mary, 16-0, Friday in the first southern conference tilt, meets Davidson, 19-7 winner over Rollins.

In the southeastern conference, Louisiana State (39-7 against Louisiana Tech) plays Mississippi (37-0 against Union U.) and Florida meets Mississippi State.

The East can't offer much more than warm-ups unless it's Navy vs. William and Mary, but further west the program includes Purdue-Butler, Missouri-St. Louis, Texas Christian-Centenary, Denver-Iowa State (Friday), Colorado State-Coronado Mines, Utah State-San Jose and the coast doubleheader sending Utah against Santa Clara and Stanford against San Francisco.

## Cowden Handicap Tournery Starts At Country Club

Play in Ellis Cowden handicap golf tournament for members of the Country Club will get underway this week. All qualifying scores are to be posted by Saturday night and pairings for first round matches will be posted Sunday.

Qualifiers will play two matches each week until the tournament is completed, probably around November 1. Cards on qualifying scores and matches are to be left at the clubhouse with professional Gaither Nowell.

The tournament was won last year by Frank Johnson who defeated Pat Riley in the finals.  
 Handicaps for each golfer will be set by the Country Club tournament immediately after qualifying scores of each person has been turned in.

Europeans originally used vanilla as a perfume instead of a cooking commodity.

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**TODAY**  
 6:00—Wolfe City Cowboys, TSN  
 6:15—All Star Quartet, TSN  
 6:30—Sports Spotlight, TSN  
 6:45—News, TSN  
 7:00—Amerlen Looks Ahead, TSN  
 7:15—Short, Short Stories, TSN  
 7:45—Geneva Davis, Soprano, TSN  
 8:00—Raymond Gram Swing MBS  
 8:15—L. Diamond's orch. & news MBS  
 8:30—Dick Shelton's orch., MBS  
 9:00—Lew Diamond's orch., MBS  
 9:15—The Profit Trio, MBS  
 9:30—Long Ranger, MBS  
 10:00—News, TSN  
 10:15—Mitchell Ayer's orch., BS M  
 10:30—Dick Shelton's orch., MBS  
 10:45—The Den Orchestra, TSN

**TOMORROW**  
 6:45—The Serenaders  
 7:00—Bing Crosby Sings, TSN  
 7:15—Mandolettes, TSN  
 7:30—News, TSN  
 7:45—Rough Riders, TSN  
 8:00—News, TSN  
 8:05—Piano Moods, TSN  
 8:15—Rhythm Ramblers, TSN  
 8:30—Keep Fit to Music, MBS  
 8:45—American Legion Con., MBS  
 9:00—AP News Melodius, MBS  
 9:05—String Ensemble, MBS  
 9:15—Black & White, Piano, MBS  
 9:15—Bill Lewis, Songs, MBS  
 9:30—Backstage Wife, TSN  
 9:45—Easy Aces, TSN  
 10:00—Songs of Carol Leighton, TSN  
 10:15—Our Gal Sunday, TSN  
 10:30—Wife vs. Secretary, TSN  
 10:45—Neighbors, TSN  
 11:00—News, TSN  
 11:05—Conservation of Vision, KBST  
 11:15—Crossroads Counselor, TSN  
 11:30—11:30 Incorporated, TSN  
 12:00—News & Market Reports, TSN

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12:15—Singin' Sam  
 12:30—Dreamers  
 12:45—Crystal Spring Ramblers, TSN  
 1:00—Music in Melow Mood, MBS  
 1:15—Roy Parks, TSN  
 1:30—George Duffy's orch., MBS  
 1:45—Britt Willis's orch., TSN  
 2:00—Organ Melodies, TSN  
 2:15—Frank Gagen's orch., MBS  
 2:30—Manhattan Handicap, MBS  
 2:45—Gus Arheim's orch.  
 3:00—News & Market Reports, TSN  
 3:15—Accordions, TSN  
 3:30—L. S. Government reports, TSN  
 3:45—AP News Bulletins, MBS  
 4:00—L. S. Government reports, TSN  
 4:15—Crime & Death  
 4:30—Song of Bonnie R. Taylor, TSN  
 4:45—Johnson Family, TSN  
 5:00—L. S. Government reports, TSN  
 5:15—Sports Cast  
 5:30—Louis Panico's orch., MBS  
 5:45—Jack Stacey's Orcht.

## The Standings

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
**National League**  
 New York 5-1, Boston 4-3.  
 St. Louis 9-2, Chicago 1-1.  
 Cincinnati 2-1, Pittsburgh 1-8.  
 Brooklyn 10-5, Philadelphia 2-2 (second game called 8th by agreement).

**American League**  
 New York 4, Boston 3.  
 Washington 5-5, Philadelphia 4-2.  
 Cleveland 10, Detroit 5.  
 Chicago 10, St. Louis 0.

**STANDINGS**  
**American League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	37	62	.584
Cleveland	36	63	.577
New York	32	64	.562
Chicago	30	69	.537
Boston	25	71	.514
St. Louis	15	84	.436
Washington	12	85	.422
Philadelphia	5	92	.366

**National League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	36	49	.662
Brooklyn	30	62	.578
St. Louis	29	66	.545
Pittsburgh	25	72	.510
Chicago	22	75	.490
New York	18	77	.469
Boston	12	84	.424
Philadelphia	4	99	.322

**TODAY'S GAMES**  
**National League**  
 St. Louis at Chicago—2.  
 Philadelphia at Boston—2.  
 New York at Brooklyn.

**American League**  
 No games scheduled.

**STEIDLE TAKES TITLE**  
**TEXARKANA, Sept. 23 (AP).—**Long hitting Frank Steidle of Hot Springs, Ark., added spectacular putting to booming tee shots here yesterday and blasted Neil Smith of Ardmore, Okla., 7 and 6 for the championship of the fifth annual Four-States Invitation Golf tournament.

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NICE two room apartment for rent reasonable. Colonial Apartments, 315 North Baird. (167-6)

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TWO room furnished or unfurnished apartment. 302 South Weatherford. (168-3)

NICELY furnished large four room apartment; newly decorated. See Mr. Berry at Morrison's, or apply 1510 South Loraine. (168-3)

NICE two room apartments; Frigid-aire; private bath and garage. See Spaulding, 1204 North Main, phone 837-J. (169-3)

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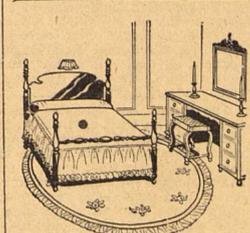
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### Today's Markets

#### Wool

BOSTON, Sept. 23 (AP). (U. S. Dept. Agr.) — Fine western grown wools were receiving a strong demand in Boston today. Good French combing length fine territory wools in original bags have brought 89-91 cents scoured basis. Average 12-month Texas wools have been sold at 90 cents scoured basis, and choice lots have brought 92 cents scoured basis. The active demand was mostly on fine wools. Other grades were receiving some inquiries, but no sizeable orders.

#### Livestock

FORT WORTH, Sept. 23 (AP). (U. S. Dept. Agr.) — Cattle salable and total 2,700; calves salable 2,200; total 2,600; market: Most classes cattle fully steady; some cows little higher than last week's close; killing calves and stockers steady to weak; common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 5.00-8.00; few good and choice lightweight yearlings 9.00-10.25; and some show yearlings 11.00-12.00; beef cows 4.25-5.50; few good fat cows to 6.10; canners and cutters 2.50-4.50; bulls 4.25-5.75; common and medium killing calves 5.25-7.50; good and choice 7.75-8.50; culls 4.50-5.00; good and choice stock steer calves 8.75-10.00; narrow demand for low grade stockers.

Hogs salable 1,600; total 1,900; steady to mostly 10c lower than Friday; top 6.80; most good and choice 1.85-2.80 lbs. 6.40-6.50; good and choice 150-180 lbs. 5.65-6.35; stocker pigs strong, 4.50 down; packing sows steady, 5.25-5.50.

Sheep salable 1,300; total 3,100; slow; early sales and bids about steady on all classes; medium grade spring lambs 7.00-7.50; shorn yearlings 5.75; shorn 2-year-old wethers 4.25; shorn aged wethers 3.25; woolled fat ewes 3.00-3.50; spring feeder lambs 6.25 down.

#### Stocks

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 (AP). — Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks today:  
US Stl 29,299 59 3/8 up 2  
NY Central 26,700 15 1/8 up 5/8  
General Motors 26,700 49 3/4 up 7/8  
Anaconda 17,900 23 1/2 up 1  
Republic Stl 14,400 18 3/8 up 3/8  
Chrysler 13,300 80 1/2 up 2 7/8  
Gt. North Ry Pt 12,400 28 1/4 up 1 3/8  
Beth Stl 12,300 81 3/4 up 1 3/8  
Para Pict 11,700 7 up 1/8  
Aviation Corp 11,200 4 7/8 up 1/4  
Curtiss-Wright 10,000 8 1/8 up 1/4  
Kenneth 9,700 31 1/4 up 1 1/2  
General Elec 9,600 35 5/8 up 1 3/8  
Baldwin Loc Ct 9,400 16 1/4 up 5/8  
Boeing Airp 9,200 17 up 1/2  
US Rubber 9,200 21 7/8 down 1

#### Cotton

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 (AP). — Cotton futures closed 5-7 higher.

### Citizens Urged to Sign for Classes

All Midland citizens interested in any extension courses were urged today by Bill Colyns, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, to communicate at once with that organization.

Plans are now underway for establishing an extension class in speech and one in economics here with instructors to come from Texas Tech at Lubbock. Mr. Colyns warned, however, that failure to sign up may delay the classes. A minimum enrollment of 21 is necessary for any class and this number has been secured for either of the classes planned.

Enlisted Navy Man, 71, In Service 48 Years.  
MEDFORD, Mass., Sept. 23 (UP). — Stanley Baker, 71, of Medford claims to be the oldest enlisted man in the navy.

Baker enlisted on March 2, 1892, and has been allowed to continue in service beyond the retirement limit by special permission.

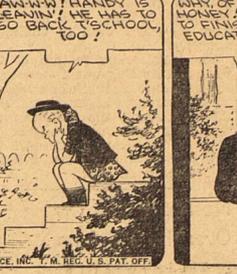
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### BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



By EDGAR MARTIN

### WASH TUBBS

WHILE EASY IS BUSY WATCHING THE FOREIGN AGENTS, AND VICE VERSA, LET'S SHIFT OUR SCENE TO THE HOME FOR CORRECTION, WHERE VICKI SHERIDAN, SHOPLIFTER, IS GETTING HER FREEDOM



By ROY CRANE

### ALLEY OOP

AFTER WINDING THROUGH A MAZE OF UNDERGROUND PASSAGES IN PURSUIT OF AN EGYPTIAN HOLY MAN, ALLEY OOP ENDS UP IN AN EERIE CHAMBER



By V. T. HAMLIN

### RED RYDER

BLINDED IN A FIGHT WITH ACE HANLON, RED HAS BEEN OPERATED ON BY DOCTOR WILSON, CHICAGO SPECIALIST.



By FRED HARMAN

### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

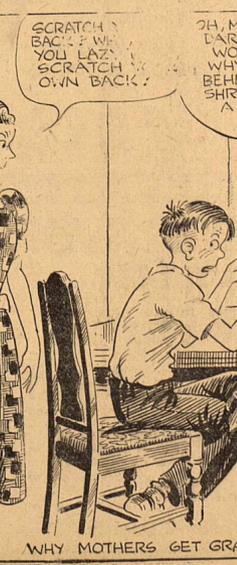
DAD, IF FRECKLES DOESN'T WANT TO BE STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT, HOW CAN HE KEEP FROM BEING ELECTED?



By MERRILL BLOSSER

### OUR BOARDING HOUSE

UM-KUMF — LEANDER, ONE OF THE MOST RENOWNED OF ALL TRADITIONS IS HOOPLE HOSPITALITY! FOR CENTURIES IT HAS BEEN A HALLMARK OF OUR FAMILY — IN FACT, MENTION IS MADE OF IT IN THE ALMANAC DE GOTHA, WHEREIN OUR LINEAGE AND COAT OF ARMS ARE DESCRIBED — HAR-RUMPH! — NOW, A LITTLE WHILE AGO A PAPER BAG OF WATER DESCENDED ON MY HEAD, DROPPED FROM AN UPSTAIRS WINDOW — EGAD, KINDLY REMEMBER THAT EVEN HOOPLE HOSPITALITY CAN BE STRAINED TO THE BREAKING POINT! — AND GIVE ME MY HAT!



By J. R. WILLIAMS

### INTERPRETING THE WAR

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press Staff Writer

One of the characteristics of war, as a throwback to savagery, is that international laws and tacit agreements which are adopted in moments of peace often are discarded in the heat of life-and-death struggles.

Warring nations make their own laws to suit the situation. That was done often in the world war, and it has been practiced ever since the present conflict started.

When laws or customs are violated there is no punishment excepting the condemnation of world opinion, or the resort by the injured party to reprisals—the old law of an eye for an eye—which starts an endless chain of death.

One of the codes most frequently thrown into the discard is that calculated to protect civilians from direct attack. There are times when human life appears to have no value whatever and is sacrificed merely for the shock it will produce on other civilians in an effort to smash morale.

I suppose that actually death by bombing or as the result of torpedoing is no more painful physically to a citizen than a fighting man, though the mental stress likely is greater for the non-combatant than for the professional who has been trained to "take it."

Also in my more cynical moments it seems to be that talk about "human warfare" is largely claptrap. War is barbaric and inhuman at best; it can't be humanized, though some of its blows may be softened. Just so long as there is armed aggression which must be met by defense in kind, just so long will death take its toll among innocent bystanders—women and children and the aged and infirm.

However, there's more than accidental killing of civilians going on in Europe. Some of it is cold blooded and deliberate massacre.

There's little anybody can do about it now, excepting to apply the pressure of public condemnation. Curiously enough, that still does have its effect even in circles of savagery.

The outstanding feature of the week-end fighting would seem to be the continued strength of the British defense and counter-attack. This morning found the Germans intensifying their aerial attack on England but London reported the first four waves of German bombers had been driven back.

### Nashville One Up Over the Crackers

By The Associated Press

Manager Larry Gilbert of the pennant-winning Nashville Vols planned to send his ace pitcher, Cletus (Boots) Poiffenberger, winner of 28 games this year, against Atlanta in the Tennessee City tonight in a play-off championship. Behind the effort to cop the Shaughnessy brilliant pitching of George Jeffcoat, Nashville trounced Atlanta 11 to 2 yesterday and took a three to two game lead in the final series.

Southern Association headquarters announced that the Dixie series, between play-off winners of the Southern and Texas League, would open Wednesday in the park of the Southern representative.

Houston won the Texas play-off championship from Beaumont.

### A Life for a Death



A new life consoles Mrs. Louise Moore, above, for a recent death. Her husband, Central Pennsylvania Airlines pilot J. F. Moore, crashed to his death along with 24 others in U. S. commercial aviation's worst disaster. Thirty-six hours later Mrs. Moore bore a son, Donald Patrick, pictured in her arms at the home of his late father's parents in Beaver, Pa.

### Residents of Gulf Coast Town Prepare to Absorb Heavy Storm

PORT O'CONNOR, Calhoun County, Texas, Sept. 23 (AP)—The 500 residents of this storm-threatened Gulf Coast village prepared to absorb the heavy blow of a tropical disturbance today, very few persons evacuating inland.

Several score fishing and shrimp boats which operate in the gulf and in dangerous Matagorda Bay from here moved to points of safety along the intercoastal canal, and owners of other small boats secured them in sheltered coves.

At 9 a. m. the tide here was three feet over normal, but the sun was shining. There was a 10 mile north-east wind, increasing, and an ugly bank of clouds toward the gulf. Port O'Connor is located on a peninsula on Pass Cavallo, at the mouth of Matagorda Bay.

Coast Guard Ready

Coast guardsmen at the Salaria Island station stood by for emergency duty, but it was believed all small craft had headed earlier weather bureau warnings and scurried to safety from open waters.

The storm warning was posted at 5 a. m. and residents immediately began boarding up windows and otherwise preparing for a blow of gale intensity, 60 to 70 miles per hour.

The New Orleans weather bureau ordered storm warnings up from there to Rockport, 60 miles south-east of here. The advisory indicated the disturbance was of "small diameter but considerable intensity." It warned the storm would pass inland within a few hours in the vicinity of Port O'Connor.

The center of the storm was located at 5 p. m. about 40 miles east of Rockport, moving north north-westward. The winds were characterized as dangerous for the Matagorda Bay area between the town of Matagorda, 40 miles northeast of here, and Rockport.

Matagorda Protected

Matagorda is somewhat protected from the gulf by Matagorda peninsula. A few miles west of here is the resort town of Palacios, on Matagorda bay. Bay towns also in the threatened area are Olivia, a fishing village, Port Lavaca, Seadrift, Tivoli, Austwell and Rockport on Aransas Bay. Except for the towns and villages, the area is mostly ranch country sparsely settled.

The disturbance was the second to move in on the Texas coast this season. In August a tropical hurricane passed over Port Arthur, on the extreme southeast coast, doing heavy damage to property, but taking no lives there. Disastrous floods in Louisiana were an aftermath of the storm that did tremendous property damage and claimed many lives.

Two highly destructive storms have racked Matagorda Bay in the past.

A few miles northwest of Port O'Connor are the crumbled ruins of Indianola, once-prosperous seaport that never recovered from hurricanes in 1875 and 1886. Hundreds of persons were killed in both storms, and the city was not rebuilt after the hurricane in 1886.

At Rockport, there was little apprehension, but boatmen were taking their craft to places of safety either at Rockport harbor or well-protected Copano Bay. The tide was high and the wind fresh.

### Tuesday and Wednesday Last Days of Wadley's Room Making and Dollar Day SALE

Books Close Wednesday, September 25th! All charges after Wednesday payable in November.

Wadley's

### Large Portion Of State Receives Rain

By The Associated Press

A tropical disturbance approaching the Texas coast from the Gulf of Mexico near Port O'Connor was expected Monday to intensify cloudy and showery conditions that brought light to heavy week-end rains over much of the state.

The official forecast called for showers in both east and West Texas.

The weather bureau reported heaviest rains for the 24 hour period ending at 6:30 a. m. today at Galveston, 2.01 and Navasota, 2.01.

Bridgeport in North Texas got an additional 27 on top of Sunday's 2.56 inches. The week-end aggregate at Wichita Falls was 1.15 inches, regarded as of great benefit to farmers and ranchers.

On the plains, Lubbock reported heavy showers in some spots, with lowering clouds and dropping barometer indicating further precipitation. Rains in the area ranged upward to 60 of an inch.

Light showers continued at Dallas in North Texas and Sherman reported 32 of an inch since Saturday.

Sunday rains in west and Central Texas were heavy in spots, including Lampasas 1.47, Austin 2.25, Brownwood 1.31, Dublin 2.64, Henrietta 2.70, San Marcos 1.31.

### New Fords Will Go On Display Friday

New 1941 model Ford cars and trucks will go on display here Friday, September 27, according to word received today by Glenn Williams of Midland Motors, local Ford dealer.

Production of the new line was stated earlier this year than usual and deliveries will start immediately after announcement day, according to Williams' information.

The new Mercury 8 for 1941 also will be introduced at the same time.

While complete descriptions of the new models are still not available, advertising now being released indicates that the 1941 Ford cars will be bigger than last year's and will have many of important improvements.

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### Forward Push Made By Market Favorites

By Victor Eubank

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 (AP)—Business hopes overshadowed war dispatches in the stock market today and leading issues resumed their forward push on the best volume in about three weeks.

Gains ran to 3 or more points for favorites, with several preferred stocks, selling in 10-share lots, up as much as 6 or so at new 1940 highs.

While there were frequently slow-downs as profits were cashed here and there, transfers were around 1,000,000 shares.

Closing prices were at or near the day's tops.

Renewal of the air bombing battles between the British and Germans kept many traders in the do-nothing ranks. At the same time, growing national defense spending, brokers said, received more attention and stocks of companies that stand to benefit enjoyed a revival of popularity.

Prominent among preferred stock gainers were those of Pittsburgh Steel, Otis Steel, General Steel Castings, Jones & Laughlin, Budd Mfg., Certain-Teed, American Woolen, American Locomotive and Revere Copper & Brass.

Common shares getting a life were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Montgomery Ward, Douglas Aircraft, J. I. Case, International Harvester, Westinghouse, General Electric, Allied Chemical, Dow Chemical, Eastman Kodak, Du Pont, Pullman, American Locomotive, Santa Fe and Great Northern.

### Officers Question Suspect in Blaze

DALLAS, Sept. 23 (AP)—Dallas Deputy Sheriffs today questioned a badly burned man, found wrapped in quilts in an automobile parked by a roadside, in connection with an explosion and fire which damaged a suburban drug store.

The suspect was taken to a hospital where his condition was described as critical.

Soon after the blast last week, witnesses said a man burst from the building, attempting to extinguish flames that enveloped him. He then jumped into an automobile which sped from the scene.

### Flashes of Life

DALLAS, Sept. 23 (AP)—Police-man J. M. Ferguson found this note in a feminine hand, pasted on the windshield of an overparked car beside a parking meter:

"Mister Officer—I don't know how long I'm going to be gone, but if I'm gone too long you'll find a nickel under the hood."

The motorist got a ticket.

### Sports

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 23 (AP)—Smoky Joe, negro trainer at North Carolina State for years, claims a share in State's surprise 16-0 football victory over William and Mary.

Joe's remedy for the hard luck of recent seasons was to exchange his rabbit's foot for a fox's foot, and it worked.

"I said my boys were fast as a fox, and I'd try to change their luck with a fox's foot," he said, "and I did."

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Sept. 30 (AP)—Dr. Harold Zink, DePaul University political science professor, is in a race with current events. He spent eight years writing a book on foreign governments, but now most of the governments are different.

He's reworking the book and hopes to have it ready in revised form by January—provided there aren't any more changes in the meantime.

Tungsten is the toughest of all metals.

### Warfare . . .

(Continued from page 1)

America Thanked

"We have behind us the good will of all who love freedom," the monarch declared.

"Our friends in the Americas have shown us this in many ways, not the least by their gifts for the relief of suffering in the war."

Nazi raiders roared over England's coasts again and some reached London, sending its millions underground twice after dawn and spattering the western part of the capital with bombs.

Vigorous anti-aircraft fire quickly cleared the skies, however, and most of the invaders were believed to have turned back before they reached the capital.

Authoritative reports said eleven raiders had been shot down.

Four separate times waves of German planes surged across the British coast as Nazi forces again intensified the battle of Britain after a lull of daylight raids.

### Oil News . . .

(Continued From Page One)

1,200 feet of sulphur water in 12 hours, and crew was unable to swab it below 600 feet of bottom in four hours of swabbing.

Upton Extender Gauged

On 24-hour gauge, Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 1 Virginia Eddleman (Yeager & Armstrong), mile and a half south extension to the Gulf-McElroy pool in Upton County, pumped 233.33 barrels of 31.6-gravity oil. It topped pay at 2,990 feet, reached total depth of 3,250 in lime, and was shot with 900 quarts.

All seeking Ordovician production in northern Pecos County, Taubert, McKee & Siemonit No. 1 Crockett is drilling at 4,272 feet in lime; Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Shearer had drilled to 1,864 feet in anhydrite and lime; and Patislo No. 1 Hoffman is fishing for bit at 720 feet in brown lime.

J. K. Hughes No. 1 Shannon Estate, two and a half miles north of the Soma pool in western Crockett County, is reported dry and abandoned at 2,502 feet in lime, two feet past contract depth. It is said to have topped the lime at 2,417 feet. The Soma sand was found barren.

### AT HOME ON KENTUCKY

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dickson are now at home at 1102 W. Kentucky. They have been living at the Crawford hotel since their marriage.

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Illustrated above: Dynamic 6 Cruiser 4-Door Sedan, \$1010\* (Same model Eight, \$1045\*). Illustrated at left: Custom 8 Cruiser 4-Door Sedan, \$1135\* (Same model Six, \$1099\*).

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