

ROSEBURG, OREGON, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1938

Chamberlain

Won't Say If

Peace Likely

Prime Minister Returns to

London for Conference;

Second Talk With

Hitler Slated.

out of going to war over Czecho slovakia he refused to say.

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N GERMAN PARTY DISSOLVED

Glendale Man Shoots Self. Lands in Jail

Morris Rothrock, Deserted by Bride, Faces Charge of Attempting to End His Life.

Morris Rothyock, 21, recent arrival at Glendale, Ore., from Kansas, was in the county jail here today, with a minor bullet wound in the side, and is held on a complaint charging a threat to commit a felony through an attempt at self-destruction, Deputy Sheriff Clifford Thornton reported today.

day.

He was arrested last night,
Thornton said, after he had fire,
a .22 calibre bullet into his side,
and when he persisted in threats
to take his life while his yound

to take his life while his yound was being treated.

Rothrock, the deputy shorter reported, said he wanted to end his life because his bride of a few months had left him.

Officers are holding notes written by Rothrock prior to his alleged attempt at suicide, the messages being addressed to his estranged wife an friends with whom they had been making their home.

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Rib Deflects Bullet
Rothrock's attempt to fire a shot into his heart failed. Thornton said, when the bullet was deflected by a rih and inflicted only a minor fleah wound.
The injury was treated at Clendale, and had no serious effect, aside from the loss of blood, it was reported here, and because of Rothrock's declared determination to make further attempts upon his life, he was placed in jail for his own safety. Thornton reported.

ported.

An attempt at self-destruction constitutes a felony, punishable penitentiary sentence, under Pregon law, and such a complaint, believed to be the first of its kind in Douglas county, is being filed against Rothrock, the depaty and

WORLD BASEBALL SERIES OPENS OCT. 5

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—(AP)—Unless the National league race ends in a tie, the 1938 world's series will open Wednesday, October 5, with the first two gamms scheduled in the home of the National league champions. The third, fourth and fifth games will be played in the Yankee stadium, with the sixth and seventh, if necessary, returning to the National league city.

All grapes will begin at 10:30 a.m., PST unless there is a Sunday game in New York in which event hostilities will start at 11 a.m., PST.

National league race should end in a tie, which is un-likely, the blue ribbon event of baseball will be started the third day after the tie is decided.

Junior Chamber Treated to Prune Beverage, Launches Essay Contest, Seeks Slash in Nut Freight Charge

"going to town," as they declared at a meeting last night, on the subject of wider use of Douglas county products, found themselves introduced to a new idea in the utilization of prunes. In connection with the meeting held at the courthouse, the members were served a delicious leed drink made from prunes. The beverage was supplied by Mrs. C. W. Hagan of Melrose.

Melrose.

Adopting as one of the immediate aims the development of a wider local market for Douglas county products, the junior chamber last night authorized an essay contest to be conducted in all grade and high schools of the county. Suitable prizes are to be awarded in the contest, which will start early in October, according to present plans. V. M. Orr was named chairman of the committee on arrangements. The topic, not yet definitely stated, will deal with benefits to be derived from buying Douglas county products.

To Ask Stores' Aid

Mambers of the Roseburg Junior ty in setting aside a special period in the near future at which time displays will be made of Douglas subject of wider use of Douglas county products, found themselves introduced to a new idea in the articles from farms and factories of the county with the meeting held at the

of the county.

The board of directors received instructions to immediately contact trucking companies in an effort to secure a lower transportation rate on untreated walnuts and filberts from Umpqua valley orchards to Willamette valley washing and drying plants. It is anticipated that a plant for handling the nuts will be in operation in or near Roseburg next season, but for the present season it will be necessary to transport to plants in other parts of the state and it is the hope of the junior chamber that a reduction in trucking costs may be obtained, thus increasing profit to the grower.

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Believing that many residents are not familiar with the wide variety of grown and manufactured products of the county, the junior chamber will enlist the coopera-

UNKNOWN GIVER AIDS JAPANESE REPORT FARTHER ADVA

SHANGHAI. Sept. 16.—(AP)—An puts all SALEM. Sept. 16.—(AP)—An capture for the state \$55,000 today to be used in construction of an addition to the proposed \$290,000 to be campus of the University of Oregon medical school in Portland.

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In North Honan province, Chi-nese reported routing Japanese from Linchang, capturing more than 2,000 prisoners and taking quantities of aluminition. Severe fighting raged along a gigantic gemi-circle roughly 100 miles downriver from Hankow The Chinese said Japanese were definitely stopped at Kwangtal, 90 miles from Hankow.

PAY SLASH NOTICE GIVEN RAILWAY MEN

extra floor.

If the grant is obtained, the hospital's capacity would be increased from 30 to 80 beds. If, it is not obtained, it would be increased from 30 to 60 beds.

Board members were confident that they would get the PWA grant, which, with the gift, would add \$91,000 in construction.

It was understood here that the donor was a personal friend of Dr. Richard B. Dillehunt, dean of the University of Oregon medical school, which will operate the new hospital. Dr. Dillehunt recently hinted that the donor was a son of a former governor. CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—(AP)—Formal notice their pay checks will be come 15 per cent smaller at 12:01 a. m., Saturday October 1, was given more than 900,000 em-ployes of the nation's major rail-roads yesterday.

The railroad workers are taking

a strike vote this month after col-lapse of efforts to mediate the wage DOUGLAS G. O. P. TO

MEET SATURDAY

The Douglas county republican central committee will meet at the courthouse in Reseburg Sat the Avowmber general election. The meeting will start at 2*p. m. instead of 8 p. m. as previously reported. V. M. Orr, chalrman, states th the presence of every confinitive main and committeewoman is urged.

Satic vole in Binduic to wage dispute. If a strike is voted, the support of the president Roseevelt to postpone a walkout until after a fact-finding remissional reviews the controversy. Intervention by the president also would postpone the effect tive date of the wage cut, originally set for July 1.

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FARMER ASSN. UNIT

Steps to incorporate the Doug-las county chapter of the Asso-ciated Farmers of Oregon were taken last night at a meeting of

Crisis Abroad Czechoslovak Government Also Acts Discussed At Washington

Roosevelt, Aides Confer on Effects of Turmoil in **Europe on Policy** of Neutrality.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—(AP)
—President Roosevelt called in
Secretary Hull, Sec 1 tary Morgouthan and Norman Davis today to
canvass possible effects of European developments on America's
neutrality policy, trade agraements and international finance.

The president, because of the
international situation, definitely
cancelled a speech he was to have
made tomorrow at Poughkeepsie,
N. Y., in commemoration of the
150th anniversary of the ratification of the New York state consituation. He placed on the fentative list an etgagement at Chattanooga, Tenn., September 20, in
observance of the 75th anniversary of the Civil war battle of
Chickamauga.

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Davis, head of the American Red Cross, is also ambassadoratinge in Europe.
The president's talks with the two cabinet officers and Davis were preliminary to a cabinet session this afternoon.
Availage development bearing

PARIS, Sept. 16. — (AP) — French statesmen and American diplomats had a two-hour talk over the international crists to

day.
With Sumner Welles, assistant With Sumner Weller, assistant secretary of state, as guest of honor. United States Ambassador William C. Bullitt invited Premier Daladier, Foreign Minister Bonnet and former Premier Chantemps to lunch at the American embassy residence.

The bourse slumped heavily today, with many issues losing all gains which had been made yesterday.

Daladier was reported to be

terday.

Daladier was reported to be planning a week-end flight to London to confer on the sudden interruption of British Prime Minister Chamberdain's efforts to solve the crisis through personal talks with Reichsfuehrer Hitler.

Chamberlain's decision to re-turn to London from Herchtesga-den after only one conference with Hitler yesterday was describ-ed in semi-official circles as an unexpected shock

KILLER OF THREE

instead of 8 p. m. as previously reported. V. M. Orr, chairman, court, committeeman and committeewo man is urged.

Dick Pizal, 47, of Hollywood, California, was in the county hospital here today suffering from broken ribs, a irnetured collar bone and numerous cuts and bruises as a result of an automobile accident has night near Days Creek. Pizal was hitch-hitking over the pup, into court.

The dog promptly made friends with everybody.

Acting Municipal Judge Quillin decided the pup was not vicious and friends what she said was her first birth day party—at 105.

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., SAN QUENTIN, Calif., SAN QUENTIN, Calif., (AP)—Albert Dyer, 33, was hanged on the gallows of San bruises as a result of an automobile accident has night near Days Creek. Pizal was hitch-hitking over the Tiller-Trail cut-off road and was given a ride in, a car driven by Frank Hixon of Roseburg, it was reported. About three miles east of Days Creek the car went over a Sault slaying of three school girls in an Inglewood park June 26, slan of Portland, Ore. Officers of the Tiller-Trail cut-off road and was given a ride in, a car driven by Frank Hixon of Roseburg, it was reported. About three miles east of Days Creek the car went over a steep grade. Hixon excepted with minor injuries. The automobile was demolished.

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WILL INCORPORATE sought last night by Los Angeles public defenders, who said a sought last night by Los Angeles public defenders, who said a juror, Harold Harby, was infla-enced to vote for conviction through belief the trial judge thought Dyer guilty.

FISHERMEN VOTE TO HALT STRIKE "OUARTER-OF-BEEF"

ASTORIA, Ore., Sept. 16.— (AP)—The Pacific coast fisher-men's union voted last night to end a strike against fishing on the

Fuehrer Hitler Demands Cession Of Sudeten Area, Control of Big Skoda Munitions Plant at Pilsen

To Suppress Henlein's Storm Troops

By the Associated Press. A source in touch with high German chancellery officials listed three points today as the cardinal demands of Reichs-fuehrer Hitler from Czechoslovakia.

They were: 1. Cession to Germany of Czechoslovakia's Sudeten Ger-

2. Binding assurances that Czechoslovakia's foreign policy

be in harmony with Germany's;
3. Coordination, after German annexation of Sudetenland, of what is left of Czechoslovakia with Germany's economic system—Germany, for instance, to have final say on the output of the great Czech Skoda munition works and where it is sent.

LONDON. Sept. 16.—(AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain returned today from one of the greatest peace missions in history—a man-to-man talk with Adolf Hitler—asserting be was satisfied "each of us fully understands what is in the mind of the other." But whether he achieved any success in efforts to talk Hitler ont of going to war over Czecho-Copyright, 1938, By The Associated Press
BERLIN, Sept. 16—(AP)—Hitsler was said today to have demanded both cession to Germany of Czechoslovakia's Sudeten area and binding assurances Czechoslovakia's toreign policy abould be in harmony with Germany's.

(Czechoslovakia has defensive alliances with France and soviet Russia, which is a target of the German, talian-Japanese anti-communism paet.)

Another German demand, this source said, was that after German absorption of the Czechoslovak defected without war, growing out at Plasen and the destination of this output, the source said. It was said to have been Hitler's an issue by Hitler.

It was said to have been Hitler's and the destination of great Britain yesterday, with all other questions, such as procedure under which the change could be effected without war, growing out

slovakia he refused to say.

To cheers of "bravo" and "good old Neville." the premier tired from his quick air journey to Hitler's mountain retreat, said he now had to discuss results of the conference with his coleagues.

He previously warned the big crowd which met him at Hostoa airdrome against accepting any unnuthorized accounts of what took place in his conversation with the German fuchier.

Chamberlain declared that later, perhaps in a few days. "I em going to have another talk with Herr Hitler." Amid the crowd's Another German demand, this other questions, such as procedure source said, was that after German under which the change could be absorption of the Czechoslovak Sudeten area, what is left of that republic should fit itself into Germany's economic system, at least to the extent Czechoslovakia did not hinder realization of German (Continued on page 6.) Herr Hitler." Amid the crowd's cheers he added:

AMERICAN NAZIS

TODAY'S BASEBALL

ROUTED IN JERSEY Opponents of Bund Prevent

Herr Hitler." Amid the crowd's cheers he added:
"Only this time he has told me it was his intention to come half way to meet me."
"If feel satisfied now that each of us rully inderstands what is in the mind of the other.
"You won't of course, except me to discuss now what will be the result of thit talk. All I have got now is for discussion with my colleanues, and I would advise you not to accept prematurely any unauthorized report of what took place in the conversation."

Runciman Fails
Also 3 turning to London today was Viscount Runciman from his mediation mission in Prague. His efforts had failed to bring peace between the Czechoslovak govern-Meeting, Decry Hitler and Fascism. ELIZABETH, N. J., Sept. 16.— (AP)—Routed by a hostile crowd that Jammed a meeting hall and choked all paths lending to it, the between the Czechoslovak govern-ment and 3,590,090 autonomy-de-manding Sudeten Germans whom Hitler has sworn to "save." He left the little republic torn by in-

of free speech and set about plan-ning another rally.

Opponents of the bund, estimat-ed by police at 1,000 in number. by police at 1,000 in numbe zed, Eintracht hall, where th

ed by police at 1,000 in number, seized, Eintracht hall, where the bund had advertised a meeting hat night, while another 2,000 blocked the entrance. Bund leaders called off the meeting, planned as an organization gathering after a conference with Police Chief Brennan. The anti-bundists began to appear more than three hours before the scheduled meeting time and soon had possession of the hall. Other hundreds massed about, picketing, chanting "The Spangled Hanner" and should against Hitler

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In the melec two men were arrived as disorderly persons. Captain, CAP)—Albert Dyer, 33, was hanged on the gallows of San Quentin prison today for the assection.

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PHILADELPHIA. Sept. 16.—
(AP)—Only a handful of taxicabs operated today in the nation's third largest city as 900 Yellow Cab company, drivers on strike four weeks were joined by about 125 drivers for independent operators. This left but a few owner-driven cabs in operation.

The men are demanding ways increases. TARGET ASKS \$50,000

First game— hiladelphia Incinnati Derringer and Lombardt; Butche and Atwood.

(Second game)de- Philadelphia dl; Mulcahy and V. Davis.

(First game) --Louis oklyn Shoun and Padgett; Hamlin, Rogers (8) and Shea, Campbell (8). REPUBLICANS OF

OREGON ASSEMBLE

SALEM, Sept. 16,—(AP)—Several hundred republicans met here today for the two-day fifth annual Oregon republican club convention to formulate party principles for the November 8 general election. The club's resolutions committee

will draw up the platform late to day, submitting it to the convention tomorrow morning. Harold Pruitt, Salem, club presi-dent, said today he would not seek

Henlein Hides When Charged With Treason

Sudetens Divided on Issue of Annexation; Bohemia Orders Surrender of Arms, Munitions.

PRAGUE, Sept. 16—(AP)—The premier's office announced tonight that the Sudeten German party had been dissolved by the Czechoslovák

that the Suctent German party and been dissolved by the Czechoslovak government.

Previously informed sources said the government had decided on suppression of the storm troops of the Sudeten leader, Konrad Henlein, who had fied into Germany from a warrant for his arrest on charges of treason.

These decisions were taken as continued disorders in the Sudeten areas coincided with reports of a split between radical and conservative Sudeten factions over Henlein's proclamation of yesterday's demanding annexation of the Sudeten country to the German reich. It was this proclamation that led to the charge of treason against him.

This created the possibility one section might accept renewed nescriptions with the Pergne govern.

section might accept renewed ne-gotiations with the Prague govern-

Sudetens Not United Sudetens Not United
Otto Ritter, a Sudeten German
district leader at Asch, told authorities none of Konrad Henlein's followers had any knowledge Henleinintended issuing the defiant manifesto for union of Sudetenland with
Germany.

Germany.

A "large" part of the Sudeten German ranks, Ritter declared, were "disagreeably surprised." He gave no indication, however, of how many members were involved. Semi-official sources in Prague asserted Sudeten Deputies Ernst Kundt, Alfred Rosche and Dr. Wilhelm Schekowsky, who now are in the capital, might vbe finduced to resume talks "in certain circumstances."

There was little also however to

There was little clse, however, to show any widespread movement away from Henlein.

Enthusiasm for the Sudeten Ger-man campaign continued in the Sudeten areas although there were no reports of new violence.

Arms Surrender Ordered Arms Surrender Ordered
The regional government of the
province of Bohemia ordered a
24-hours time limit in which all
residents of 63 provincial political
districts must surrender all arms
and musticons they may have condistricts must surrender all arm and munitions they may have con

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BONNEVILLE SALT FLATS.
Utab. Sept. 16. — (AP) — The
world's automobile speed record
timbled here again today as Capt.
George R. T. Eyston regained the
title John R. Cobb usurped yesterday. The new mark is 367.50
miles per hour.
Eyston, retired British army of-

ing Madeline and Melba Everett, sisters, 9 and 7 years of age, respectively, and Jeanette Stephens, 8, 1 a lonely spot in Centinela park in Inglewood, and of particular fields, and of particular fields, and of particular fields, and of particular fields. Gov. Frank F. Merriam declined to grant a siny of execution, sought last night by Los Angeles under the months. The heaviest under defenders, who said a uror, Harold Harby, was influenced in months. The heaviest under defenders, who said a uror, Harold Harby, was influenced in months. The heaviest under the fields and the conditional fields and the condition

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COAL BIN BEDDED WIFE GETS DIVORCE

BETHLEHE Pa. Sept. 16.

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Editorials on the Day's News By FRANK JENKINS

bration.

Europe are blacker than at pression at home that Germany is making steady progress toward these words are read (so rapidly what she wants he may lose his have events moved during the past few hours) the lightnings of actual war may be flashing. Or a sudden shift of the winds that are blowing over Europe may cause the lowering clouds to break and side Germany believe there is any one to the membership campaign now in progress throw hours. Few out the lowering clouds to break and side Germany believe there is any the lowering clouds to break and side Germany

As has been said so often before, it is a poker game that is going on in Europe. The said so the said so often best is going on in Europe. The said so the last war.

stakes may be his whole future, THE war clouds hanging over for unless he can create the im- taken last night at a

believe there is any drift away-at least temporarily. possibility the Germans can win if At the moment these words are they DO go to war. It is doubtful written, NO ONE knows what may if even Hitler's generals have any

is going on in Europe. The stakes are high. In Hitler's case, the (Continued on page 4.)

BARCELONA BOMBED

ternal strife.

A Britain dazed by the

BARCELONA, Sept. 16.—(AP)

Twenty-nine persons were killed and 114 wounded today when

refugees still live amid the wreck-age of previous bombings.

ASTORIA. Ore., Sept. 16.—

(AP)—The Pacific coast thister men's union voted last night to spread and general response to the membership campaign now in progress throughout the county.

JAS. ROOSEVELT

STILL IMPROVES

ROCHESTER, Minn. Sept. 16.—

(AP)—The condition of James Rosevel's the president's son. Continued to improve today and his mother planned to leave this evening for Hyde Park, N. Y.

ASTORIA. Ore., Sept. 16.—
(AP)—The Pacific coast thister coast thister coast the coast this to be closed as trike against fishing on the cloumbia river.

The strike which had thed un fishing for the first four days of the fall salmon searon will end to fishing for the first four days of the fall salmon searon will end to day without a settlement of a price dispute with packers.

The union had asked 3½ cents a pound and packers had offered 2½ cents. The action of the union were unloading a railway car. Freid claims the quarter of beef. Welling the provided that two outside independent to the bighest bidder. It was understood that two outside independent that his back, right hip and pelvis were broken and he was permanently disabled.