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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1939 A Fanatic Menaces Civilisation

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The Issues Here Involve Far More Than Territory And Fight Will Not End Until Samebody is Wholly Done For The myth built up by many people, that Adolf Hitler was exentially a shrewd builter, who, with clairwayant power, knew instinctively just how far he could safely go and who had no intention of going a whill further—that myth is blown to pieces. We know now, what should have been apparent from the very tone of "Nell Kampf"—that the man is a fanatical hysteric who identifies himself with Ood, who believes that he is resistless, and who meant all along to have all his way ere though it involved a word was not the deaths of millions on millions. Oppose to though it involved a word was not the deaths of millions on millions. Oppose to take myth, that, however hysterical Hitler himself was, the German poople wip did not want war and who were going to rise up and make it pian and opinion him as they once controlled the Kaiser? And where are those generals not that they would not have war?

Those generals are this morning directing the rape of Poland — the systematic murder of women and children in Warsaw, — the systematic killing off of valish soldiers. And those common people are shricking in the streets "Hell Miller!" and "We want to see our Fuebrer!"

The Western World faces now what it should have realized long ago— that Massians in on circliver philosophy made a little getoesque by a few wild abbratians, but a system invented by a gang of criminals for the deliberate purpose of lating some one circliver philosophy made a little getoesque by a few wild abbratians, but a system invented by a gang of criminals for the deliberate purpose of lating some or circliver philosophy made a little getoesque by a few wild abbratians, but a system invented by a gang of criminals for the deliberate purpose of lating some or circliver philosophy made a little getoesque by a few wild abbratians, but a system invented by a gang of criminals for the deliberate purpose of lating some or circliver philosophy made a little getoesqu

to value one of many millions of aku'ls.
But the good man made, an, honest
effor for peace with his sixteen points,
and was turned down? There will not be
many people left to believe anything so
foolub. Plebiacite? There were to be
pleblacites in Czechoslovskia. An international commission to have charge of
the pleblacites? There was an internafload commission which was to have
charge of, the pleblacites in Czechoslovvalue. What a nichiacite means in his charge of the plebiscites in Czechoslo-vakia. What a plebiscite means in his hanguage we know well, from the cases of the Saar, Austria, Czechland. They mean the importation of the Gestapo and thousands of thugs in brown shirts the systematic terrorization memane terrorization of the into staying away from the the or voting for Hitlerism.

But will be did have a just claim when But will be did have a just claim when be demanded "well-determination" for Danisi, with its German population? Did be, with his legions locifing to wer. Caschlend and Blookia? Did he, when in the same breath he depanded the Corridor, which is predominantly inhabited by Poles? Did he, when Danisk two-thirds of Poland's Battle trade, and to give it to him meant that Poland became his economic and so his cultical virtuant? political prisoner?

In point of fact, Danzig and the Corri-In point of fact, Danzig and the Corridor have little to do with the resi question at issue here. Bittler wanted these merely by way of strangling Poland to death and catabilishing his tyreamy—the worst that man has known since the Dark Ages — as he has established it over Austria and Czechpsdovakia. And he wanted that merely to the end of preparing himself eventually to establish it over all Europe and the Western wurld, as you may read in his own "Mein's Amp" and in Mr. Rauschnium's "The Revolution of Nibilism."

In the last war, there was a lot of talk about cirilization being at stake. Much of it, it least, was hoove, But at length that is at itsue now is precisely whether.

that is at issue now is precisely whether or not we shall all be Nazified, whether we shall all be Nazined, whether we shall return into baroarism, or whether et civilization shall vertue. We have the men shall retain some diginal beautiful shall be shall b er not we shall all be rassues, whether the shall return into baroarism, or whether

None the consections. He will either win or he and
all his gang will hang it beat the hangman'to the draw by hisating out their
me braffs. More his people have in by the draw by snaung out their meaning the more than been med their uniforms for the same all lest. Bither they will win or Germany will wanish from the company of a sations. For the Western world is sation, but the meaning links uniform, and none of them leaves to doined until either Nasian and the company of the western world is sationally and the company of the meaning large translations is done for.

Now Or Wait Until Too Late?

A arim question which this country has been whatfully putting of rises up today and clamors for its answer. With the war in Europe breaking over Poland the United States looks on in dread. As and gathering force as the day goes on, well it might, for who has forgotten 1914.

The question concerns this country's policy towards that war. Neutrally, of a certainty must be the basks of that policy; but what kind of neutrality, of shall we stand on international law, as in the World War, selling our vant supplies without restriction to witchever nation will come and get and pay for them?

Or shalf we take up the drawbridge and retire to the contemplation of the arrungle from the tower tops?

That latter would be the decided preference, certainly. But a nation doesn't

rence, certainly. But a nation doesn't always get its preferences in this our world. And recoil from it as we may, our worm. The entirely on the side of the British and the French. The threat to our ultimate well-being comes directly from the realization of Germany and Italy, the realization of which will strike us with slarm ax the balance of victory may seem so tip in favor of the aggressors and pose the

favor of the aggressors and pose the further question of our stand.

The eventual answer to the second question may be bound up in the first. In any case, the questions must be met in that order, What shall we do about arms and munitions for England and France?

On The Fence

But It Is Not Likely That Musso Can Stay Neutral

As this is written, news comes that Sigi-nor Muscolint and his cabinet have de-cided to climb up on the neutrality fence and sit this one out. A wise bby, that Mussia — one who, unlike his fellow dic-tator, has never lost sight of reality, and he has a pretty good idea of the long chance, that the Axis would be takting even with himself going along—does seen with himself going along—does ind care for the prospect of eventuality adorning a gallows—knows well that, whatever the outcome, Ifaly would be wrecked.

whatever the outcome, Italy would be wrecked.

But it may reasonably be questioned whether the Allies can allow him to be neutral or not. It can be argued, indeed, that the very best service he could render Germany would be to remain neutral. For that would bar the French Army from striking at Germany from the south, which is perhaps its best bet. The French General Staff seems to have no-doubt of the capacity of its army to cut rapidly through the Italian forces, and, in conjunction with the British and French armie, to take Italy completely out of the war and use it as a base of operations.

te bullets, operations, seriest coreriest corPurthermore, even if the Southern or he and a campaign were not practical, the fact the hangwould still remain that Müssolini would would still remain that Moksolini would be intolerably dangerous as a neutral. By holding off until a grudal moment, had been reached, and then suddenly throwing his weight behind Oermany, ne might easily decide the war. Hence, it is quite possible that the Allies will returne to grant him neutrality — that he will have to face the choice of taking sides one way or another in, short order.

Ecrasez l'Infame!

By Dorothy Thompson

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THE WORDS are all sholow, It also are also to listen to the make one aick to listen to the make one aick to listen to the come from, on all sides. And now, I, know that it is that gives us this sense of sickness. It is that nobody in the same of sickness. It is that nobody in the listens of sickness. It is that nobody in the listens of sides, as the same in the listens of the listens of

blackmaller and a thirt.

Thirt is what makes us alek instreet the street of the str

world know, not excluding millions.
We know that Germany is ruled by a game. By the super-inchelered of history. We know that they are also history to be a super-inchelered of history. We know that they never intended to keep, by throwing the country into expanic; that they night a final coup of grace by selfung the time of particles and the country into the country into the property of the country into the property of the country into the property of the country into the count

YOU CANNOT NEGOTIATE WITH A HIGHWAYMAN

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We know that Hiller has broken every promise that he ever gave a series of the late Marshal Pilsudskir pitch for the late Marshal Pilsudskir pitch for the late Marshal Pilsudskir pitch of the late Marshal Pilsudskir under shood the nature of Mr Pilsudskir under hood the late of Mr Pilsudskir under hood the late of the late o

hand.

And on Sept. 26, 1938, speaking in the Sportspalast in Berlin, Hittler said: "The Sudstenland is the last territorial demand I have to make in Europe."

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Therefore all this laft about prescript agreement in burn, and everybody knows it. Everybody knows it. Everybody knows that you cannot make ANY kind of an other prescript and a second present a second present

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AND THIS IS'A POSSE WHICH IS FORMING

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WHICH IS FORDING
The Prenchmen who twice this
year have marched to the Magdinot
cure the right to "peaceful negotiations." The Englishmen and women who have equipped themselves
with gas makes and purpared for
sit radis for the second time this
sittle conception. They are not prepared to light for the Folish Corpared to Figure 1. The second time
that the Top of the folish cartied of Hiller. The cry in their
theat is "End this infamy! Interthe the Top of the folish cartied fit little to the folish cartied fit little to the folish cartied fit mentions words about
"jurity of race!"

Wholever the Enversments

purity of race!"

Whater the povernments with a property of their subjects of their subjects of the world are becoming a posse on a man hunt. They are after anneahody who has been preying an ithe world for ice long. This is the truth that everybody knows.

This is the truth that everybody knows.

THE RATLE IS FOR ALL CIVILIZED. BYANDARDS

And disput fills every heart. It files, a gorge in very threal. The people of man, and a camarilla whole civilization, three hundred million people may have to go to sar.

Str.

There is no belief in the world feet, in the status quo men and control in the status quo when in all countries three is tyranny and slavery or unemploy.

The people of the world feet, it is being a great era of intelligent and art all in Germany. But it is being a tangied to death. It is not only at Danzig that a hand, is on the length and hreadth of this earth. That hand must be taken away.

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and so on.

In the Not-So-Merry Old Land of Os



Letters to the Editor:

Dear Sir:

At Versalles, France and England somed the wind. Now they are renping the, whiteivand, and soon they'll be begging the United Statest to ealing it of whitein. If we do, we'll be bigger suckers than Barnum ever thought of.

Clemencean the Tacer proved himself a greedy old cat in 1918, He imposed a treaty which left German an economically impover-thed country. He bred the generation that calulmated in Hiller; a bitter, warped, starving screenism. The trouble started when Napoleon III used every means to great mation. His mark, had his revenge, in the France-fruits and War, in which Chemencean Gught. France fully wenged hereeld in When the rest of the world war evenlying prayerfully in the 1920-France was, collecting war debts removing the proposition of the world war debts from a starving Germany at the bisyone of the control of the world war debts from a starving Germany at the bisyone of the control of the world war debts from a starving Germany at the bisyone of the control of the con

Mr. Billopp≉

Half-Hearers

Half-hearers are people who hear half of what you say and fall to listen, to the other half, so when you ask them to gunstairs and get your seksors off the sawing table, they come back and report that they have fooked everywhere on top of the bureau and cannot find them.

chocolate ice cream wear you wantiles.

They obliging set books for you from the library but not the cream and the larger but not the cream and the sections, size 10, when you said distinctly the size is 11; select red candles when you date them so carefully you wanted not hem so carefully you wanted not mais because week, spreed news said the death, or people, who are said to death, or people, who are suffered not set the man shelting, and credit birting to the wrong parents.

Ball-heavers are well intention—

to the wrong parents.

Half-hearers are well intentioned. They mean to be helpful. But
they cause so much confusion that
you'conclude it would be ever so
you'conclude it would be ever any
word better if they didn't hear
anything at all.

CHNISTOPHER BILLOPP.

Let England Fight It Out Home, Church, School-

Which Matters Most? Winners in The Charlott fews prize contest for letter o the editors will be announce

News prize contest for lesters to the refiliors will be announced in Sunday's paper.

Meantims The News announce-es another contest. Subject for next week will be:

WHICH IS MOST IM-PORTANT IN THE CHILD'S LIFE—HOME, CHURCH, OR SCHOOL?

SCHOOL?

For the best letter on this subject. The News will pay a prison of 35, for the second best a prise of 35, for the second best a prise of 32. Letters, to be eligible for the prises, must bear the correct name and street or publication. They must be the second of the writers for publication. They must be the second of the prises of the second of the publication. They must be the second of the prises of the publication of the publication of the publication of the second of the publication of the

with no chance of getting it back, produce another and greater depression, and possibly an American dictatorship. The choice is our.

LAWSON JONES.
612 East Sixteenth St.
Charlotte.

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Thinks We Should Aid Allies Short Of War

Allica Short Of War Dear Shr:
Should war start in Europe, the
U.S. should do everything possible to help France and England.
To not mean that We should
also help France and England.
To not mean that We should
should halp them by selling them
anything we possibly could. So
that we may be on the safe addrmany high everyone must buy on
a cash-and-carry basis. This
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would bring about the fall of the Nati Ooserment. I say this because I do not think that Germany is well enough prepared in the Nati Ooserment. I say this because I do not think that Germany is well enough prepared in the National State of th

termany a pact with classical was natural enemy of Japan.
Germany faces were crists within the resultance of the control of th

Value Of Factory Products In State

Products in Store
University News Letter
The following table shows the value of factory products for North Carolins for reach creains of industry Store 1899. The figures are in round numbers and are not strictly comparable due to minor changes to assembling data but are appropriate to the companies of the compa

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	1927		,,,,	1.153	0.000
				1.312	0.000.0
	1931			1.02	1,000.0
	1612			878	1,000.0
	1933			1.103	1,911,0
	1937			1.38	6,738,0
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Sunflower Street By TOM LITTLE AND TOM SIMS



Neutrality



Automatic control of the control of

but in reality a discriminating act, worked to discriminate in favor of Gerworked to discriminate in favor- of Oer-many and against other countries by plaking an embargo on arms. This, which was very nearly equivalent to prescriting Germany with an Atlantic freet, could only be an encouragement to Germany to produce the kind of crists with which we struggle today." Mr. Johnson also gave some of, his thoughts on neutrality, which were: "When in 1914 the conflict broke upon-the United States; our-Geremment ex-lored its clitters to regain neutral

not only in act but even in thought, such an appeal today would be meaningless and absurd."

WERE BORAH AND HI

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JOINSON, DISHONEST?
Apparently, so far as this Administration is concerned, we are agreedy in the
European shinds up to our, eyestowa.
Apparently also the old anickrenne is
already out against say expression of
optimon or advocacy that doesn't happen to libe with Administration policy.
This swifer has no brief for the arms
embarge. Not only in this place, butin the testimony before the Senate
Foreign Relations Committee be has
consistently supported the Administration's accument but on the appressed
before the same veterans convention
by our Ambassador to Germany. Mr.
Witton: "You fail, I am suire, to see a
distinction between the morality of
hipping arms and munitions for var
and the morality of shipping copur for
tuses, sized for shells and cotton for exalposters."

WE REALLY HAVE NO

WE REALLY HAVE NO
ARMS TO SELL ABROAD
But that isn't the point of this column.
That point is the rool crass nerve of
Mr. Johnson in secusing men like
Senator Borah and Senator Johnson of
playing politics with peace in voting
their convictions. He is playing pennic
politics with war. The arms embargo
Unit's wire from any fine logic about playing politics. With peace in voting their convictions. He is playing peared their convictions. He is playing peared light spring from any fire logic about neutrality. It came from an American repletance to supply the meafs to tear mea's sould bloodily from their bodies. I fully agree with Ambassador Wilson, but I trenshle at the buildowing arrogance of a bub-Cabinet minister who is already trying to herabest independent epinion by a potitically intended rabble-rousing auggration of treason. His assertions about the effect of one neutrality laws, up to this moment, either to encourage or favor Hiller am perfectly abound. There is no war, They are not in prescion, "If they were in operation we have no arms to set abroad No one should know that."

were in operation we have no arms to seth abroad. No one should know that better than Mr. Johnson. We have only the ingredients of "arms and, as to those Germany has here an access fully as free as like opponents. In the event of war, she would continue to have that access — but couldn't use it. German industry is better equipped than any, including our own, to fabri-cale wappons of war. Expectally since setting the Skoda Works in Cascho-liowakis she has as much operatings.

selving the Skoda Works in Grecho-slovakia she has as mich operating arms-making capacity as the rest of the world combined. In other words, Mr. Johnson's whole attack is bistant bunk."

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indeed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Paul Swicegood are saying itôl-ray! It's a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Curry of Massey-town are also whooping up jite population with a fine girl.

We Suspected It All Along (Headline, Rockingham Post-Dispatch) WAR 18 EMINENT IN EUROPE

They Going To Drive It Back?
(Claremont item, Nowton Observer)
Foye killer and John Henry Highman are in Deltoit, Mich., on a busimea trip this week.

ness trip this week.

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Hang Of It Adler You've Been
At IJ Awhile

Gission Iran, Stanity News & Fress)
Have been writing to paper, can't
tell exactly how lout. I raped about
30 years or more and have naver learned,
how, and herer will. If the other fallow or lady, writes more interesting and
helpful items, give you at praise and
admiration for being instrumental land
helpful to our good county paper.