

## Spreckels Contest<sup>T-11</sup> Wife's Nazi Charge<sup>11/10</sup>

SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Sept. 8 (U.P.).—Adolph B. Spreckels, heir to a Pacific Coast sugar fortune, last night through his attorney, Francis Price, said he could refute charges of his estranged wife, Emily Hall Spreckels, that he was pro-Nazi. "We have a defense to the charges in Mrs. Spreckels' divorce complaint," Price said, "but Spreckels and I feel we should not disclose it until we file his answer in the action. We can and will refute the allegations." Mrs. Spreckels, the former Baroness von Romberg, charged her husband publicly proclaimed his belief in the principles of Nazism and forced her to entertain his alleged Nazi friends.