

The Weather  
Forecast: Partly cloudy tonight.  
Tuesday fair with rising temperature.  
Highest 59  
Lowest this morning 46

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# VERNE VAN DYKE LOST ON HUNT



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WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 24.—

There is more than meets the eye behind these stories cropping out from time to time about secret confabs of big business groups.

So far, the public has found out only about the durable goods industries' gathering at the Virginia spa and the American Management Association powwow at the Lido Country club, Long Island.

More will be heard later about a similar group of influential Chicago business men who have assembled only from time to time, the secret manufacturers' meeting at Montezuma Point, Long Island, and a half dozen other similarly secret conventions of industrialists.

These are not such incoherent and isolated gatherings as they appear. Each one has its own pet crowd of leaders, but those who have attended three of the gatherings have noted a certain duplication in the guest list.

Later, they will come out in the open, and then their co-operation will be even closer.

In fact, you might describe their activities accurately now as the white shirt movement.

## SEARCHING PARTY SENT TO HILLS ON UPPER ELK CREEK

### Medford Man Becomes Separated From Companion Sunday Morning—Unseen Since—Snow Causes Fear

Having been missing since yesterday morning at nine o'clock, Verne Van Dyke, of Lampson's Sporting Goods store had not been located this afternoon. Van Dyke went on a hunting trip Saturday with George Laidley, near the latter's cabin on upper Elk creek. The two started out yesterday morning, quickly becoming separated.

W. W. Holmes, hunting in the vicinity of Huckleberry lake reports having seen Laidley, who is familiar with the entire section, at 10:30 Sunday morning, and Laidley was uneasy about Van Dyke's disappearance then, although he did not believe that he was actually lost. It was snowing heavily at the time, and the missing man was without a coat, but had matches with him.

The district, heavily wooded, with dense underbrush, and with snow falling hard enough to obstruct vision is one in which a person might easily become lost, especially if that person is unfamiliar with the country, forestry officials stated today. This is the first time Van Dyke has hunted there, it was said.

Van Dyke is an experienced hunter and woodsman, and the fear was expressed by close friends that he might be injured.

A party of ten or fifteen searchers headed by State Game Warden Walker, and consisting of expert woodsman familiar with the sector, left at noon today to try to pick up the missing man's trail.

The forestry office expressed the opinion that if Van Dyke had tried to come out on the Rogue river side of the divide he should have made it in four or five hours, but that if he had gone down the Umpqua side, which seems likely, he could not be expected to reach a telephone before some time tonight, even under favorable conditions.

Trails Marked  
The entire section in which the men were hunting is criss-crossed with trails, each plainly marked at all forks. With snow on the ground to carry tracks, the searching party will use these as a base of operations, once it has been determined which direction Van Dyke took.

Laidley, who reported from Trail by telephone this morning that no trace had yet been found, will be on hand to help in the search.

## INDIAN VICTIM OF HUNTING ACCIDENT

PRINGLETON, Sept. 24.—(AP)—The second fatality at the hands of deer hunters in Oregon occurred here Sunday when James Moore, 44, a Pendleton Indian, died in a hospital here from a bullet wound.

Officers said Willie Williams, an Indian, fired in the mistaken idea that Moore was a deer. The accidental shooting occurred near Kamela.

The other fatality occurred last Thursday, near Taft, on the coast, when Pierre Bones, 18, of Taft, died from buckshot wounds after a hunting companion had fired upon him.

MARSHFIELD, Sept. 24.—(AP)—C. H. Cordray, 48, drowned in the waters of Isthmus inlet Sunday when a logboat in which he and Mrs. Cordray were riding overturned. Mr. Cordray, who could swim barely enough to keep himself afloat, attempted to save his husband, who could not swim.

## DEATH MARKS FINISH OF JUVENILE'S CRIME CAREER

PORTLAND, Sept. 24.—(AP)—A bloody end was written today to the five-year juvenile crime trail of Herbert Francis Mannon, 19, mortally wounded when looting a grocery store here early yesterday morning.

## KIDNAP SUSPECT TRANSFERRED TO BRONX



Bruno Richard Hauptmann (center), shown as he was being transferred from the Greenwich street police station to the Bronx county court house. Hauptmann, was taken to the downtown police station after his arrest as a suspect in the Lindbergh kidnap case. (Associated Press Photo)

## WHIRR OF LOOMS SOUNDS AGAIN IN TEXTILE REGIONS

### Union Leaders Declare Will Open Drive for Organization of All Textile Workers—Operators Are Silent

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—(AP)—The hum of looms from Maine to Alabama sang the end of the nation's largest textile strike today. It also signaled a fight to unionize the industry "one hundred per cent."

"We shall organize all textile workers," said Francis J. Gorman, vice-chairman of the United Textile Workers and national leader of the strike.

Union chiefs, who led the three weeks' strike that was marked by death for 14 persons, injuries to about 200 and millions of dollars in losses to both sides, said the membership drive would be particularly intensive in the south.

Operators Silent.  
No statement has come from the mill operators on Gorman's announcement of a farflung unionization drive. Nor have they yet expressed their views on the report of the mediation board. Under the chairmanship of Governor John G. Winant, of New Hampshire, the mediators recommended a board of three to adjudge.

## HINT REVAMPING PLANNED FOR NRA

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—(AP)—The capital heard with keen interest today a report that President Roosevelt is preparing to announce complete reorganization of NRA, probably this week.

The Washington Post says a new board to handle Blue Eagle policy-making will be composed of Bernard M. Baruch, Dr. Raymond Moley and other prominent men. Among others mentioned for posts on this board is Gerard Swepe, president of General Electric and noted advocate of industrial self-government.

The set-up would spell the end of so-called one-man rule of NRA. What this would mean for the future of General Hugh S. Johnson remains to be seen.

## Suspect's Wife Held



Held in New York with her husband, Bruno Richard Hauptmann, Allen German, in connection with the long unsolved Lindbergh baby kidnaping after authorities found part of the \$50,000 ransom money in their home, was Mrs. Hauptmann (above). (Associated Press Photo.)

## MANY GET DEER AS SNOW DRIVES ANIMALS LOWER

Reports are coming in to Medford today indicating that hunters from this city are returning with considerable luck from forages into the surrounding mountains over the week end. Two parties have returned from extensive trips into eastern Oregon, each with a total of four bucks.

Dr. I. H. Gove, Sam Jennings, and Ralph Green were members of a party who took gun in hand in eastern Oregon mountains over the week end, returning to this city yesterday with four multi-tail bucks, while Arthur Marsh, Arnold Bohner and Elmer Hoos also returned from the same section with four deer.

Major Clarence H. Armstrong, commander of the Medford CCC district, and Rupert Henry, of Medford, returned Monday after a successful hunting trip to eastern Oregon.

Henry bagged a beautiful four-point mule deer and Major Armstrong brought down a forked-horn specimen. Colonel H. T. Geary, of Ninth corps area headquarters, San Francisco, hunted with the party and bagged a five-point deer. They hunted on Warner mountain east of Lakeview.

Harry Hansen shot a three-point blacktail deer near Fish Lake yesterday, while R. J. Henry bagged a 175-pound mule deer on another trip into eastern Oregon.

Two of the bucks shot in Dr. Gove's party weighed in at considerable figures, one totaling 204½, and the other 178 pounds.

## SUNDAY COLDEST SEPTEMBER DAY HERE FOR YEARS

### Minimum of 46 Recorded for First Time in Local Bureau's History—Many Parts of State Chilled

The coldest day in September, since weather bureau records were started here in 1911, was reported for Sunday by W. J. Hutchinson, meteorologist, with a maximum of 59 degrees. Fifteen hundredths of an inch of rain fell Sunday, and a trace during the night.

Although Sunday was the coldest September day, and rain fell all this morning, the forecast for Tuesday is fair, with rising temperature. Yesterday's minimum was 46.

Snow flurries were reported in the Siskiyou this morning, and Mr. Hutchinson said this morning that the storm has been general throughout the northwest, extending into northern California.

By the Associated Press.  
The almanac and the weather charts were in agreement Sunday that the fall season was at hand.

Week-end storms wratted mountains with snow and brought rain to the lowlands in many parts of the state.

Oregon's worst drought faded as the moisture fell in the central and eastern counties.

On the McKenzie pass across the Cascade mountains a nine-inch snowfall was reported. Eastern Oregon plateaus were blanketed with snow from Klamath Falls to Pendleton and La Grande. At Crater Lake falling snow reduced visibility to a minimum.

Snow began falling at Baker last night, the temperature slipping to 32 degrees. Heppner and La Grande also had freezing temperatures. At Pendleton and at Salem, too, the low was 34 degrees.

Top-coats were taken off hangers in many Portland homes this morning, and smoke again was pouring from chimney tops.

A cold, drizzling rain fell most of Sunday in Portland and other western Oregon points.

## GRAND JURY TOLD HAUPTMANN GIVEN LINDBERGH MONEY

### Four Witnesses Examined Before Adjourning to Tomorrow—Flier and Breckinridge to Testify Later

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—(AP)—The Bronx county grand jury hearing extortion charges against Bruno Richard Hauptmann, alleged receiver of the \$50,000 Lindbergh ransom money, heard four witnesses today and adjourned shortly after 3 p. m., until 9:30 a. m., tomorrow.

District Attorney Samuel J. Foley stated after the adjournment: "We presented the case as completely as we could, but it is not entirely co-ordinated as yet, and can not be until we hear the testimony of important witnesses, including Col. Breckinridge and Col. Lindbergh."

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—(AP)—The charge that Bruno Richard Hauptmann, 35, unemployed German carpenter, received the \$50,000 Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh paid in a futile attempt to ransom his kidnapped son two and a half years ago was placed before a Bronx county grand jury today.

Supreme Court Justice Charles B. McLaughlin swore in the jury of 23 men, but, in instructing the jury, he made no direct reference to the Lindbergh case.

The justice, referring to service on the grand jury, told the jurors "this is the most exalted position a layman ever held under the law." He said the grand jury is "a bulwark of justice," instructed them on the oath of secrecy regarding what takes place in

## HUNTING PARTY FINDS BLIZZARD ON UMPQUA TRIP

Expecting the balmyest of fall weather, but getting a freezing blizzard instead, was the fate of the party of deer hunters, consisting of Larry Schade, A. B. Cunningham, Everett Brayton, Bert Orr and Rollin Hubbard, who returned yesterday from Hershberger camp, on the Umpqua divide.

Going in on a truck last Wednesday the men took ice along to keep the butter and eggs fresh, and when they left Sunday the ice hadn't begun to melt. A brisk snow-fall started Thursday, by morning it was a storm, and on Saturday it was a real blizzard.

No whit abashed by the unfriendly advances of the elements, the party hunted deer assiduously, but hunting was all they got.

Yesterday, not wishing to devote the entire winter to hiding out from the storm, Schade and Hubbard came out to Union Creek on the exposition's two pack horses, and today Mr. Schade states that he is taking his meals from the mantle. The rest of the party acquired horses at Hershberger camp, pulled the truck over the hill to the road, and arrived in town only a few hours behind Schade and Hubbard.

## HALL'S PUPPY KILLED IN DASH INTO STREET

Weaver, the collie puppy belonging to Leonard Hall, editor of the Jacksonville Miner, was hurled this morning at the scribe's home near Jacksonville, having been accidentally killed in Medford last evening when struck by an automobile.

The puppy, just a year old, ran in front of the automobile driven by Harold Williams, and was killed almost instantly. The accident occurred on Main street here. Hall said this afternoon that Williams was not to blame, as the dog ran across the street when the car approached.

## JUDGE STEEL RESTS EASY AT HOSPITAL

Judge Will G. Steel, who was taken to the Sacred-Heart hospital last week for care, was reported resting this afternoon. The former park official, who resides at the Hotel Medford, has been a familiar figure there for many months. He recently celebrated his 80th birthday.

## BASEBALL

American.  
NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—(AP)—The Detroit Tigers today clinched the American league pennant, their first championship since 1909, when the second place New York Yankees dropped a 5 to 0 decision to the Boston Red Sox. The defeat left the Yankees six games back, with only five to play.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Boston	5	7	1
New York	0	4	3

Merens and R. Ferrell; Murphy and Jorgens.

First game:	R.	H.	E.
Washington	4	11	0
Philadelphia	5	10	2

Diggs and Sewell; Marcum, Caster and Hayes.

National.	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	12	3
Brooklyn	5	10	2

A. Moore and Holden; Munna and Lopez.

## RAINBOW SCORES THIRD WIN OVER SOPWITH'S BOAT

ABOARD U. S. C. G. CUTTER ARGO OFF NEWPORT, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Fighting off a closing rush by the challenger Endeavour the American's cup defender Rainbow today scored her third straight victory over the invader in the fifth race of the international yachting series and needs only one more victory to retain the cup.

Endeavour was approximately a mile astern as the white-hulled defender swept majestically across the finish line.

To Race Tomorrow  
Both yachts immediately agreed to race tomorrow.

The official finish was: Rainbow 2:34.05, Endeavour, 2:38.07, making the defender's official margin four minutes, one second.

The elapsed times for the 30 mile leeward-windward course were: Rainbow 3:54.55, Endeavour 3:58.06. This was almost half an hour over the cup record of 3:24.37 set by Vigilant in the second race against the British challenger Valkyrie 2nd in 1903 and 11 minutes over the time of Endeavour in the first race a week ago.

Harassed by an unruly spinnaker at the start, which fouled a jib stay and then tore as it was set, T. O. M. Sopwith and his British crew made a game but futile fall chase most of the way, cutting off a minute on the final 15 mile windward leg of the five minute advantage Rainbow had built up at the turn.

Smart Sailing  
The defender's spinnaker also split 45 minutes after the start but Harold S. Vanderbilt's crack crew broke out to a new one from below decks and had it set in four minutes, probably a record for sailing.

Sopwith never was able to get Endeavour's Annie Oakley drawing and had to douse it and set a Genoa jib for the latter stages of the leeward leg. It was here that Rainbow built up the big advantage she held safely on the beat home.

The breeze was good during most of the race, blowing an estimated 15 knots at the start and the sea smoothed out after being rough at the start.

## WALNUT GROWERS' MEETING TONIGHT

Walnut growers of the valley are requested to meet this evening in the chamber of commerce building at 8 o'clock, it was announced today. W. A. Gates, chairman of the agricultural committee of the Jackson county chamber of commerce will be in charge.

## CENTRAL PT. MAN TOOK \$5100 SAYS MOTHER-IN-LAW

### Drury Pierce Held On Charge of Stealing Savings From Improvised Safe at Home of Mrs. Marie Lange

Drury Francis Pierce, 46, of Central Point is being held in the county jail on charges of grand larceny, having been arrested at 2:45 yesterday afternoon, for the theft of approximately \$5100 from an improvised safe at the ranch home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Marie Lange. All of the money, which belonged partly to Mrs. Lange and partly to Pierce's wife, the former Hildegard Lange, sister of Hugo Lange of this city, and which was stolen at 7:40 Saturday night, has been recovered with the exception of about \$130. Pierce was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Wm. R. Coleman this afternoon in a preliminary hearing.

Planned Well  
He had planned the crime with infinite care, according to state police, who made the investigation with the sheriff's office and Marshal E. W. Hedgepeth of Central Point. He planted the money in four places, about the ranch, under fence posts, in buildings and in holes dug into the ground, in an effort to throw the blame onto transients, and had made extensive arrangements to leave the county.

The money had been placed in a crock in the cooler building which adjoins the ranch house, where Pierce had discovered it some time ago, according to officers. Saturday night he broke the lock off the building, secured the money and hid it, coming into Medford later to file complaints himself against transients in the neighborhood. He confessed the crime after fingerprints had been discovered on a glass jar in a bar, where part of the loot had been laid away, police said.

Pierce had made repairs to his car and had gathered guns and equipment together for a quick get-away, according to state police. He had previously stated to neighbors that he planned to leave the Lange ranch, where he and his wife had made their home since their marriage last Thanksgiving, saying that he "couldn't get along" there.

Worked With Gloves  
In what evidently had been planned as a "perfect crime", Pierce had worked with gloves throughout the entire robbery, but in attempting to open the glass jar had left the print of one index finger, which led to his arrest.

Mrs. Lange did not discover the theft until Sunday morning when she went to get some grapes from the cooler. She fainted, according to officers, when her son-in-law was arrested, saying, "Drury, how could you?" Pierce had come to Central Point from Hamilton county, Texas, three years ago, and in poverty, had been taken in as a farm hand on the Lange ranch.

## MILK CONTROL MEETING HELD

A well attended meeting of milk dealers, producers and others connected with the market-milk business in Jackson and Josephine was being conducted today in the courthouse auditorium, with E. G. Harlam of Portland, chairman of the Oregon state milk control board in charge. John Billings, representative of the board in Jackson county, acted as secretary. Burge W. Mason of Klamath Falls, a member of the state board, also took a prominent part.

Included among the speakers was Frank Van Dyke, president of the local dairymen's organization. A check of qualifications and matters concerning payments of fees were brought up at the session.

## WEST MAIN MILK DEPOT IS BURNED

The Sanitary Milk Depot, located at the end of West Main street on the Jacksonville highway, was completely destroyed by fire at 2:30 a. m. today, the city fire department reported. The alarm was turned in by a state police patrolman, but the local department was unable to save the small frame building.

The depot has been operated by Mrs. C. M. Churchill, who purchased the place from the Lockwood's some time ago. Cause of the fire was not determined by the department.

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