

**The Weather**  
 Forecast: Fair tonight and Friday; fog in morning; not much change in temperature.  
 Temperature  
 Highest yesterday 69  
 Lowest this morning 47

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## LOCAL MAN KILLED BY CAVEIN



**News Behind The News**  
 By Paul Mallon  
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 WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Not all the peace moves made by President Roosevelt lately have been made public. There was one in particular which has been tied up by requirements for diplomatic secrecy. You will probably not hear about it until someone within the administration starts telling all in retrospect. The result of it, however, is that officials here are far less nervous now than at any time in months. Of course, they never know how much faith to place in words, especially private diplomatic words. But they really have ground news that there is substance behind the published peace dispatches which lately have come from Europe. Consequently, they have exhaled from their expectations of a general war in Europe now and believe it will occur two years hence. Then Germany will be ready.

What is expected now is a lull in the situation publicly while London and Romeicker through Paris. The underlying situation is that the nations are involved in constant secret diplomacy and will let little leak out until they are ready to speak. Britain is supposed to be searching for a way to let Duce consolidate his position (save his face) in Ethiopia and at the same time permit the league to fold in its wishes without getting them wanted. An English not what they wanted, an acknowledgment of their Mediterranean domination. The only trouble is that everyone projected his face a little farther than necessary, thus complicating a peaceful withdrawal of necks. Also annoying is the fact that Haile Selassie seems to have served his purpose as a European football and is likely to resent the lack of interest which may shortly be displayed toward him and his cause.

American officials at last have a satisfactory private explanation of what Mussolini wanted in Ethiopia. His military campaign was undertaken, as they now understand it, solely because of the domestic economic situation in Italy. His goal was being depleted anyway by an adverse trade balance. He needed raw materials. The titillable land in Italy was nearly all used up. His tests indicated that raw materials, such as cotton, could be grown on the Ethiopian highlands. Furthermore, the young fascist element was howling for action in the face of a bad domestic economic situation.

**YOUNG DEMOCRATS FOR LARGER CAPITOL SITE**  
 SALEM, Oct. 24.—(AP)—The Young Democratic League of Benton county has sent a resolution to Governor Martin urging the erection of the new state capitol building on an adequate site. The resolution was signed by Kenneth Kutch, president.

**SIDE GLANCES**  
 by TRIBUNE REPORTERS  
 City Superintendent Fred Schefel indicating to a breathless public that the spittle must be removed from the legs of the Jackson street bridge for another 10 days, so you'll just have to continue driving around it.

Charlie Furnas briskly hiking his way to work this morning, hands in pockets and whistling a gay air. To make the picture of schoolboy exuberance complete, he was kicking an old tobacco tin along in front of him with every other step.

A parent-teacher convention overheard at breakfast: "You know, girl, I find that I don't need more than three meals a day."

John Peter, a long cigar balanced between his jaws, tipping up and down on his toes as he critically scanned the work being done on the old Botany corner this a. m.

Tom Bates and other slaves of the Pinnacle No. 3 plant, putting in a tough morning lolling around a big bonfire in the back yard.

Jack Murray and Ham Law, both members of the gasoline octopus, discussing the business situation in terms of gallons of rambles and lubricating grease.

### BODY OF V. E. NOLAN RECOVERED AFTER FURIOUS DIGGING

**Tons of Earth Fall On Lone Worker at Miller's Gulch — Former Owner Discovers Tragic Accident**

Vern E. Nolan of Medford, about 40 years of age, was crushed to death yesterday afternoon in a mine-cave-in at Miller's Gulch, 17 miles north of Medford near the Pacific highway. Nolan, who moved to this city from Marshfield several months ago as part owner of the newly established Medford Auto Parts company on East Main street, three weeks ago sold his interest in that that establishment and bought the mine from J. M. Franklin of Miller's Gulch. Last night about 3:30 o'clock, Franklin returned from work in the Del Rio orchard, and seeing Nolan's coat and hat hanging near the mine, walked over to converse. He could find no trace of Nolan, but walking up to the placer workings, where the dead man had been undercutting the bank with a hydraulic nozzle, he discovered that 20 or 30 tons of rock and dirt had fallen. Knowing that Nolan must be under the slide, he called his wife and dispatched her for neighbors to help dig. Start Digging. Setting immediately to work, Franklin, Wallace Galbreath, Carl Miller, Bob Anderson, Thomas Hundley, John

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### 1 KILLED, 3 HURT IN AUTO SMASHUP

OREGON CITY, Ore., Oct. 24.—(AP)—One man was killed and his three companions narrowly escaped cremation when their automobile hurtled from the Pacific highway south of here about 2 o'clock this morning and burst into flames. C. P. Hyde, about 50, Dallas grocer, was killed, apparently instantly. The injured: Virgil Long, driver, fractured skull and other injuries. Forrest Vely, slightly injured. Albert Holder, fractured pelvis. The men, all from Dallas, were returning south toward Portland when their car left the highway and crashed to the railroad tracks near New Era. All the men were rendered unconscious.

W. R. Bentlie, Portland truck driver and his companion, Ben Purdie, saw the blaze and hastily extinguished it. They extricated two of the men and State Police men Secant and Carson aided in removing the other two. Deputy Sheriff Howard Maas of Clackamas county reported. Long's condition at a hospital here was critical.

### Hog Prices Fall Below 10 Dollars

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Hog prices tumbled below the ten dollar per hundred weight level today for the first time since July 7 as receipts increased. A decline of 25 to 35 cents per hundredweight in hogs today carried the top down to \$9.25 and extended the seasonal October break, the sharpest downturn in this market for a year, to almost \$2.50. Prices in markets outside of Chicago have been declining sharply in line with the break here.

PORTLAND, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Colonel C. P. Williams, district army engineer, said today he will speak at the meeting of the Inland Empire Waterways association at Walls Walls Saturday.

### Roosevelt Studies War On Return to Capital

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Barely off his train, the vacationed president plunged today into an immediate discussion of the Italo-Ethiopian situation and America's attitude toward it. Many other things were on his schedule too, but a talk with Secretary Hull over a luncheon table overshadowed the rest. Hull, along with Mrs. Roosevelt and Secretaries Hoper and Morgenthau, met the president at the train and had a brief talk with him. There was no indication as to when an American reply would be dispatched to a League of Nations communication asking for this government's

## Il Duce Withdraws Troops in Peace Gesture

### Again Heads P.-T.A.



### LEGISLATURE GETS CAPITOL BUILDING MEASURES TODAY

SALEM, Oct. 24.—(AP)—The three major bills to be considered by the Oregon legislature called into special session by Governor Martin and now in its fourth day will be introduced in the senate during the afternoon. Drafts of the three bills considered by the joint capitol committees were being copied embodying the new suggestions. The three bills will be introduced to cover the Candalaria Heights site, with a limit price of \$75,000 for the 95-acre tract; the old site as now owned by the state, and one to empower purchase of the Willamette campus or other additional adjoining grounds. The prime limit set for the third bill had not been announced. The proposals were expected to be read the first time in the senate. This will permit printed copies to be on the desk for tomorrow's sessions. In the meantime a hearing was called for tonight in the house chambers to listen to members of the state planning board and any other representatives of the governor regarding these measures. The joint capitol committees likewise voted to hold meetings every night. All bills were similar with the exception of site and limits on purchase prices of grounds. The proposals would create a "state capitol reconstruction committee" to consist of the three members of the board of control and two members each from the senate and house to be appointed by the president of the senate and speaker of the house. Should a vacancy occur the governor would fill such vacancy. Members will be paid expenses only. Five members will be necessary to constitute a quorum, with the governor chairman. The bills will propose for construction of a new capitol building 600 to exceed \$3,000,000 with power to accept from the federal government any grants. Appropriations over a three year period to be made by the state would not exceed \$1,925,000. This would be added to the grant of \$1,575,000 to be made by the federal government. The commission would be unable to contract any indebtedness.

### ROGUE FISH BILL BOBS UP IN SALEM

SALEM, Oct. 24.—(AP)—The City of New York will have nothing on the State of Oregon in its "noisier" campaign, should a bill introduced in the senate today by Byron G. Carney get approval. His measure would provide that motor vehicles shall operate without any unnecessary noise, referring to operating without cut-outs and constant use of horns. The bill would be more applicable to Portland than other cities of the state. A bill introduced by James Chinnock maintains the record that not one legislative session can be held without a Rogue River fish bill. This measure, however, is of a minor nature, permitting Josephine county to sell fish legally caught by hook and line in the Rogue river. Curry county already has such a provision.

### VETS WITHHOLD ARMISTICE BILL

SALEM, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Veterans of the American Legion and Spanish War veterans of both houses of the Oregon legislature decided Wednesday night in deference to the expressed wish of the governor that a bill calling for compulsory closing of business houses on Armistice day would be withheld until the next regular session. The legislative members met with the executive committee of the state department of the American Legion upon call of U. S. Hurt, Corvallis, chairman of the legislative committee and Carl Moser, Portland, state adjutant.

### Freezing Weather In Eastern Oregon

BENDLETON, Ore., Oct. 24.—(AP)—Freezing weather has come to Eastern Oregon by night.

### P.-T. A. REELECTS MRS. KLETZER AS STATE PRESIDENT

Senator Steiwer to Address Convention Tonight—Dr. Hunter Voices Plea for Unchanged Constitution

**Program**  
 8:30 a. m.—Conferences.  
 9:30 a. m.—Assembly.  
 10:00 a. m.—Session.  
 Invocation, Rev. Joseph Knotts.  
 Report of Credentials committee.  
 Report of Rules committee.  
 Resolution, awards, unfinished business.  
 Introduction of Convention committee.  
 Report on conferences.  
 Panel, Home Life, Dean Ava B. Milan and Mrs. Sarah V. Case.  
 Reading of minutes.  
 Installation.  
 12:00 noon—Close of convention.  
 1:30 p. m.—Post-convention board meeting.

Topping today's P.-T. A. convention activities will be Senator Frederick Steiwer's address tonight. The senator will use as his subject "American Relationships to the Italo-Ethiopian War." He will develop the undeniable possibilities of the United States becoming embroiled, business and commercial aspects, and a discussion and explanation of the neutrality bill passed by the last congress urging support of real neutrality as distinguished from technical neutrality. Preceding Senator Steiwer's address, delegates will attend a banquet at Hotel Medford honoring incoming and outgoing officers. Unusual table decorations are being arranged, and will consist of local fruits and vegetables, each guest being presented with large cellophane-wrapped Conice pears.

Business sessions occupied the morning hours, ending in election of officers. Mrs. William Kletzer was re-elected as state president; vice-presidents, Mendames V. F. Love, Eugene; C. W. Walls; Portland; Jack

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### WOUNDED FARMER CRAWLS TWO DAYS

TILLAMOOK, Ore., Oct. 24.—(AP)—After crawling two days and a night with his leg broken below the knee, Chet Mills, 40, Tillamook farmer, was resting here today. Tuesday he was hunting and at 11 a. m. fell and rolled down a 200-foot cliff, landing at the bottom with a broken leg. In 30 hours of crawling he travelled two and a half miles and was within 100 yards of a county road when his cries for help were heard. A searching party found him a mile and a half from his home at 5 o'clock last night.

### CLIPPER COMPLETES HOP FROM HONOLULU

ALAMEDA, Calif., Oct. 24.—(AP)—The Pan-American clipper plane alighted here at 11:01 a. m. (Pacific standard time) today after a 2400-mile flight from Honolulu, completing a 13,000-mile round trip to Guam. The trip from Hawaii was made in 17 hours and 30 minutes, Captain R. O. D. Sullivan cruising his big craft at an elevation of 9000 feet as he neared the California coast line. Several hundred pounds of sovereign mail was brought in by the clipper to be delivered under a special postal permit.

### Two Plead Guilty Robbery Charges

CAMBRIDGE, Ohio, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Jay Elliott, 23, Portland, Ore., and Robert Smith, 23, Detroit, pleaded guilty today to robbery charges and each was held for the grand jury under \$2000 bond.

### Brigham Young V Likes New York Cafe Floor Show

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—(AP)—The World-Telegram said today 39 young missionaries of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints here en route to foreign countries held an open-air meeting last night but one, who said he was Brigham Young, V., did not attend. "I went to the Hollywood restaurant instead," said the grinning descendant of the founder of the (Mormon) faith. "I thought it was swell," he added of the floor show. "We don't have anything like that in Salt Lake City." Young was assigned to church service in England, he said.

### GANG SLAYINGS SEND POLICE ON FRANTIC SEARCH

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Violent gang warfare which struck down Arthur (Dutch) Schultz, Fugatehead, and four henchmen sent police today on a frantic search for a 21-year-old gunman accused of wholesale hoodlum slayings. Endeavoring to put a swift stop to the worst outbreak of gang vengeance here since prohibition days, officers ordered the arrest of Albert Stern, already wanted for the slayings of "Pretty Louie" Amborg. Stern's picture was identified by three witnesses as that of the man who wounded a Schultz lieutenant in a brightly lighted Broadway barber shop last night shortly after the notorious ex-beer runner himself, his chauffeur and two bodyguards were shot in Newark, N. J.

Two bodyguards die. One of whom had dashed outside to return the gunman's fire, died today. Police were told to "shoot to kill," if they encountered Stern, apparently one of a group of trigger men designated to wipe out the Schultz gang. Amborg's death, they reported, is the seventh recent underworld slaying of which he is accused.

Federal officials expressed interest in an adding machine slip with a long row of figures, left on a tavern table by Schultz and his companions. The figures totaled \$627,253.54, giving rise to speculation over whether they represented the 35-year-old

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### JACKSON COUNTY MAY QUARANTINE KLAMATH PEOPLE

Residents of Klamath county who enter Jackson county were threatened today with quarantine because of the infantile paralysis epidemic in Keno where four deaths have occurred. The warning of imminent quarantine was issued by Dr. A. N. Johnson, county health officer, in an informative statement calling the public's attention to known facts about the disease. No cases have been reported in Jackson county and it is the aim of the authorities to avert spread of the epidemic from Keno, Dr. Johnson said.

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Football Game May Be Cancelled—Families Moving Here Under Observation — Safety Rules Planned

School officials will be consulted regarding the cancellation of the Klamath Falls high school football game scheduled for November 2 at Klamath Falls because of the infantile paralysis epidemic in Keno, Dr. A. N. Johnson, county health officer, announced this afternoon.

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### QUERY RANCHER ON POISON IN BUTTER

THE DALES, Ore., Oct. 24.—(AP)—Sheriff Harold Sexton revealed today that C. H. Williams was being held for questioning after a reputed attempt had been made to poison Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hinesline, Wasco county ranchers. Sheriff Sexton said a powdered poison had been sprinkled over butter in the Hinesline pantry. The Hineslines noted the butter had a bitter taste, and ate only a small amount. They did not become ill. The sheriff said a sanitary hearing will be given Williams before any charge is filed.

The arrest resulted after Sheriff Sexton had traced purchases of the poison through drug stores here. He said Williams denied the accusation, but admitted purchasing the poison which, he said, was to be used for killing coyotes. The Hineslines and Williams are neighbors and are reported to have been on friendly terms.

### Townsendites in Conclave Tell Need of \$200 Plan

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—(AP)—A financial fight to enact the Townsend plan at the next session of congress was demanded today by Dr. Clifton Winder of New York City in the keynote address of the first national convention of Townsend clubs. Claiming the support of 21,500,000 people—"enough votes to elect any congress or any president in 1936"—he declared the delegates must launch a vigorous drive to push through legislation providing payment of \$200 a month to citizens of 60 years and beyond.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Dr. Francis E. Townsend's plan of giving all the aged a \$200 a month pension was celebrated today with a national convention. It was the first national meeting called by the tall, mild physician, whose ideas claimed he had secured 27,000,000 followers since he began preaching his idea two years ago to his California neighbors. Townsend, wearing the legend "work for youth—security for the aged" Townsend banners identified the delegates. One banner read:

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### Speaks Tonight



Senator Frederick Steiwer will address the convention of the Oregon State Congress of the P.-T. A. here this evening.

### CALIFORNIA FIRES CHECKED; DAMAGE NEAR SIX MILLION

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 24.—(AP)—The progress of all forest and brush fires in southern California checked, at least temporarily, the region took stock of property damage from high winds and flames of the last two days and estimated the loss at approximately \$6,000,000. Just about the time a strong wind veered and turned flames from further progress in the Malibu hills, where they burned over 25,000 acres, an earthquake, extending from San Diego as far north as Pasadena, jolted light sleepers at 6:50 a. m. but apparently caused no damage. Although 1,400 firefighters remained on duty in the Malibu area, the flames there, which during the night extended along a front 10 miles wide and five miles deep, were believed to have been checked by a crosswind that blew them toward the sea. Encouraging reports were received from the Alameda-Arroyo Seco Cananda area, where about 75 residences were destroyed, public and private property damage was estimated at \$400,000, and loss of watered and potential erosion at \$2,500,000. Many crews were still at work pumping water on spot fires jumping up from

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### Girl's Coat Blazes From Ray of Sun On Shaving Glass

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### Cab Driver Guilty Of Aiding Gunmen

Lowell, cab driver, pleaded guilty today in circuit court to an indictment of assault with a dangerous weapon in connection with the serious wounding Aug. 27 of a non-union woodworker. Lowell was accused of transporting Willis and Curt Billingham, brothers, to the home of Alfred Ertman who was the gun victim. The Billingham brothers were convicted of assault and each received a 20-year sentence.

### Oh So! says FRANK WATANABE

A wife are both animal—vegetable & mineral. Animal because can making all sounds from animal kingdom—she can growl—bark—scratch—peck & purr. Vegetable because can boil—stew—steam—simmer & double boil. Mineral because can sparkle like diamond—or look like lunk of lead—she can be poison or medicine—she can be a brick or just piece of chalk—can be hard as granite or soft as talcum. In fact most of time, wife are product from the kind of treatment she gets from hands of a expert. Happy day please.

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### DIVISION ORDERED OUT OF LIBYA TO PLACATE BRITAIN

Britain's Intentions Regarding Warships in Mediterranean Not Divulged — Many Rumors of Peace

ROME, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Italy tonight officially ordered the withdrawal of one division of troops from Libya, North Africa. A government spokesman emphasized this action was taken independent of the action of any other nation. Italy has no information regarding possible British naval withdrawals, the spokesman added. "Our actions have been taken on our own initiative," he said. The Italian government however, considers its move in Libya as a peace gesture. "Italy hopes the move will be interpreted as a friendly gesture," the spokesman said.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Whether Great Britain actually will withdraw any warships from the Mediterranean in return for Italy's removal of a division of soldiers from Libya was considerable of a mystery today. One authority said the British naval concentration in the Mediterranean remains and that no orders had gone forth for its reduction.

(By the Associated Press) As Mussolini's legions awaited the "zero hour" for a new drive into the

### PEAR GROWERS HEAR RESULTS OF BATTLE DISEASES TOMORROW

Pear growers are reminded of the meeting to be held at the Southern Oregon Experiment Station tomorrow at 2:00 p. m. The main purpose of the meeting is to show growers the results obtained in selecting French seedlings for blight resistance. New facts about the cause and control of pear measles, sometimes called barkdema, will also be discussed, states Prof. F. C. Reimer who has been experimenting with this disease. This is of particular interest to Bosc growers. The control of "little leaf" by the use of zinc sulfate will be discussed with those growers interested. Affected trees which have recovered following this treatment will be exhibited. All growers interested in any of these troubles are urged to attend the meeting.

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