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Generally fair tonight, followed by increasing cloudiness Tuesday; continued warm.

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HUGE THROG EXPECTED AT STATE FAIR

Officials Predict Record Crowd Will Pass Gates Today.

SWINE JUDGING STARTS

266 Exhibitors Compete With 4,200 Entries for \$24,000 in Prizes.

The combination of a holiday and ideal fall weather today was expected to bring out one of the greatest throngs that ever passed the turnstiles of an Indiana state fair. Officials estimated the crowd will exceed 90,000 before the day is over, breaking all Monday attendance records. A year ago a record crowd of 83,167 attended. Sunday was a quiet day at the fair, although 14,462 passed through the gates.

With judging in full swing in horse, cattle, sheep and swine exhibitions, and color and action at every part of the grounds, the fair today presented a lively holiday appearance within an hour after the gates opened. With 266 exhibitors showing 4,200 entries from more than a score of states, the fifteenth annual swine show opened this morning and will continue through Thursday. O. L. Reddish of Waveland, a member of the Indiana board of agriculture, is the director, and the Indiana state board of agriculture is host.

Banquet to Be Served
According to James R. Moore, Indianapolis, official representative of the National Swine Growers Association and editor of the Hoosier Farmer, \$24,000 will be given in prizes. This is \$8,000 more prize money than ever has been offered before.

A banquet in honor of the association will be served by the state fair girls' school of home economics in the women's building Wednesday night. Governor Harry G. Leslie, an ex-officio member of the board of agriculture, and E. D. Logsdon, president, will be among the speakers.

Crowds are thronging the Manufacturers' building, where the radio and automobile shows are sharing honors. The carnival attractions, including the D. D. Murphy shows, the rodeo and vaudeville acts opened this morning. Vaudeville acts will be staged in front of the grandstand between heats in the Grand Circuit racing. The horse show will be opened tonight and will continue each night through the week in the Coliseum.

Nine Events Tonight
The doors will open at 8:30 p. m. under the direction of J. E. Green, superintendent of the horse department. Nine events will be staged tonight. The Hotel Harrison stake of \$500, open for the best stallion, mare or gelding, is the feature.

The Indiana state fair stock judging contest under the direction of J. H. Skinner, director of the agricultural experiment station and extension department, and dean of the school of agriculture of Purdue university, began at 8:30 this morning. Pig and calf club entries of Raymond Butterbaugh, 17, of North Manchester, Ind., and John McKee, 18, of Tippecanoe county, respectively, Sunday were declared grand champions of 4H clubs.

Change Program Constantly
Professor L. R. Norville of the dramatic department of Indiana university is directing the all-day stage program of the Indiana university stage show, which gives a change of program every thirty minutes, thirteen hours, every day. A group of U. I. student actors, a moving picture staff and musicians from the university's school of music, space in front of the university building has been converted into a tent auditorium with seating capacity of over 300. Caning, baking and sewing done in ninety counties of the state by girls of the 4-H Club are shown in displays in the women's building. The work has been turned out by girls between 10 and 20 years of age and the 1929 exhibit is the largest in the history of the club.

Mrs. James Maxwell, Indianapolis, is baking judge; Miss Cleona McCain, Purdue university, sewing judge and Miss Mary Masters and Miss Neva Stephenson, assistant state club leaders, will determine cooking winners.

Great Display Opens
In the Agricultural and Horticultural building, the state florists' association, the Indiana Horticultural Society and the Indiana board of agriculture have united in a display that is attracting much attention. One thousand five hundred square feet of table space has been added to accommodate entries. A big showing of potatoes raised by boys and girls vies with corn shows, the best of which are from Wabash, Grant, Brown and Marion counties.

American Legion members from posts throughout Indiana will be special guests Tuesday. G. A. R. veterans, soldiers and Boy Scouts also will be admitted free.

MARION CO. JAIL BREAK THWARTED; PRISONER IS TRAPPED, SAWING BARS

A Great New Serial

"The Innocent Cheat," Stirring Story of Romance and Intrigue, Starts Tuesday in The Times.

THRILLING story of how a beautiful orphan girl became the pawn of an audacious crook is told in the new serial, "The Innocent Cheat," which starts Tuesday in The Times.

Crammed with romance, adventure and intrigue, the story centers about Helen Page, who was the unwitting accomplice of her guardian, Leonard Brent, a clever and unscrupulous crook.

Until she was 18, Helen was reared in an exclusive girls' school. Her guardian showed expensive gifts upon him and she learned to love him for his kindness.

But Brent's apparent kindness was only a cloak for his diabolical scheme to obtain the fortune of an aged millionaire. So tightly did he wrap the tentacles of crime about Helen that, when she finally discovered his deception, she was unable to free herself.

Among the other characters in "The Innocent Cheat" are Bob Ennis and his sister, Eva. Bob, a young lawyer, falls in love with Helen, and suspects Brent's motives. Eva almost wrecks her life because of infatuation for Brent.

This stirring new serial is written by Ruth Dewey Groves, whose stories, "Rich Girl—Poor Girl" and "High Flight," were widely acclaimed by newspaper readers throughout the country.

Watch for the first installment of "The Innocent Cheat" in The Times Tuesday.

RUSS AND CHINESE RENEW HOSTILITIES

At the Fair
TUESDAY
American Legion Day
Horse and cattle judging in the Coliseum.

Sheep judging in sheep arena; swine in swine arena. Boy Scout parade; children's circus in coliseum tonight.

Carnival shows, open until 10 p. m.

Races, vaudeville, the afternoon in front of the grandstand.

Rodeo, night, front of grandstand.

Light harness, saddle and pony classes, afternoon; coliseum.

Horseshoe pitching and vaudeville, beginning 7 p. m. coliseum.

Dog show, building west poultry building.

Horseshoe pitching, 8 a. m. until noon in front of the grandstand.

Indiana University stage show from 8:30 a. m. to 9:30, at university building.

CHURCH SAFE RIFLED

Electric Drill Is Used by Professional Yeggs.

Using an electric drill attached to a light socket, professional "yeggs" rifled the safe of the First Presbyterian church, Sixteenth and Delaware streets, early today.

Mike Petrenoff, church custodian, reported the burglary to police.

It is believed nothing of value was taken from the safe. Sunday's church collections were saved when a woman parishioner took them home.

With church officials out of the city police were unable to determine if a monetary loss was incurred. The church is insured against burglary.

ECKENER PAYS VISIT TO AIR RACES AT CLEVELAND

By United Press
CLEVELAND, Sept. 2.—Arrival of John Wood after his nonstop flight from Los Angeles and the visit of Dr. Hugo Eckener, famous commander of the Graf Zeppelin, today were to be high spots of the Akron day program of the national air races.

More than 100,000 persons are expected to witness the Labor day program, which rings down the curtain on the ten-day meet. Three men, perhaps the nation's best known fliers, are to perform a number of intricate dives, loops, turns and other tricks.

They are Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, Lieutenant Al Williams, famed navy ace, and Lieutenant Jimmy Doolittle, king of Uncle Sam's army fliers.

Doolittle, however, does not expect to repeat an occurrence of Sunday when he made a safe parachute landing after the wings of his plane buckled and were torn off by the tremendous strain placed upon them by his stunting.

Scraping Sound in Dead of Night Gives Away Delivery Plot.

A wholesale jail break at Marion county jail was frustrated early today by four deputy sheriffs, who, with drawn revolvers, caught Harry L. Williams, 30, of Lexington, Ky., as he was sawing through bars in a second floor window.

Deputy Sheriff Dale Brown was passing through the assembly room at the jail at 1:30 a. m. when he heard a scraping sound.

He immediately summoned Night Jailers Michael Vogt and Charles Boswell and Deputy Forest Reagen. The deputies slipped up the stairs and into the outside corridor on the second floor, where they discovered Williams using a hack saw on one of the window bars.

The deputies "covered" Williams and found seven hack saws in his possession. Williams immediately was placed in a solitary confinement cell in the basement of the jail. He told sheriffs that he was "making a try for it."

"Found" the Hack Saws
Williams, according to the deputies, told them that he had "found the hack saws in the jail." In addition to the saws, the deputies found sheets and shirts tied together to form a rope, which Williams admitted, they said, he was going to use in sliding from the second-floor window.

Williams is a federal prisoner confined in "federal town" awaiting grand jury action on an auto theft charge. His cell mates, John W. Williams, 37, of Dallas, Tex., and Eugene Arnold, 17, of Nashville, Tenn., also federal prisoners on auto theft charges, denied they had aided Harry Williams in his escape efforts.

Sheriff George L. Winkler said he believed the jail break effort was the culmination of a plot of long standing among prisoners. He started an investigation to learn from what source Williams obtained the saws.

Concrete Is Removed
Deputies also discovered that Williams had removed concrete and a steel plate from the inside of the cell block. They said this work must have taken several days and probably was done during the daytime.

Williams, apparently, had removed the bars holding the plate by using one of the saws and then scooped out the cement with the shattered bars.

To get to the window on which he was working, Williams had to squirm through the hole in the cell block which is about two feet wide and a foot and one-half high.

The steel plate in the cell block was placed there after the wholesale delivery in 1920, when twenty-three prisoners won their way to freedom.

'CLEAN UP' IS STARTED

Federal Agents Start Gary Drive With Arrest of Goodrich.

By United Press
SOUTH BEND, Ind., Sept. 2.—"Clean-up" plans of the federal government at Gary were borne out here over the week-end with the arrest of Oliver Goodrich, professional bondsman, constable and deputy sheriff.

Goodrich was arrested on a Mann act charge when he walked into the police station to give bond for a woman. The Goodrich arrest is said to be the first of a long series by United States agents against Gary "racketeers."

STRUCK BY TAXICAB

Man Steps in Path of Car; Skull Fractured.

When he stepped back to the curb after missing a street car at Indiana avenue and Michigan street, this morning, Pete Groszko, 55, of 2060 Bellefontaine street, suffered a possible skull fracture, when he was struck by a taxicab driven by Wilbur Morford, 27, of 1433 Olive street. Morford was not arrested.

Groszko was taken to the city hospital. His condition is serious.

Former Sheriff Dies

By United Press
LA PORTE, Ind., Sept. 2.—William Antless, former sheriff of La Porte county and acting deputy sheriff, was found dead in bed at the county jail today. Sheriff Tom McDonald said Antless apparently was a victim of heart disease.

HUGE DEFICIT IS FEARED IN COUNTY FUNDS

Chamber of Commerce Group Warns That 1930 Budget Is Off Balance.

DRASTIC CUT URGED

Halt Asked on All Salary Boosts and Increases of Personnel.

Assertions that the 1930 county budget is out of balance and will result in tremendous deficits were made today in the Chamber of Commerce civic affairs committee report to county officials.

The statements were made on the eve of consideration of the 1930 budget and the new 53-cent tax levy by the county council Tuesday and were approved by tax committees of the Indianapolis Real Estate Board and the Indianapolis Federation of Community Civic Club. The statement was made by William H. Book, secretary of the chamber's civic committee.

Recommendations contained in the report are:

- Slices of from 2 1/2 cents to 6 cents in county funds, reducing the 53-cent total to 39.73 cents.
- Abandonment of the plan to establish a working balance in the 1930 levy.

Want Two Years' Time
Retirement of deficits over a two-year period rather than trying to clean up the debts in one year's levy.

Arbitrary halt in asking additional appropriations.

Halt in all salary increases and personnel expansion.

The report stated that if the proposed 1930 appropriations are made the county deficit will total \$205,000 at the close of the year, exclusive of \$200,000 owed the state by the county for care of county inmates in state institutions.

In reference to establishing working balances, the chamber's report stated: "In such a situation 1930 is not a year in which to create working balances, and it is suggested that budget saving, if any, be retained until a working balance is accumulated."

Might Hurt Business
"To build up working balances in one year practically means levying eighteen months' taxes in one year. This, in addition to being burdensome to the taxpayer, is a detriment to business and industry, which might have a serious effect on the community's commercial development."

"Such action also might, in time, by diminishing property assessments, defeat its own purpose in requiring further increases in the rate."

The report also pointed out that the county could be operated as well if the proposed county fund rate of 27 cents be sliced to 21.25 cents, the sinking rate from 17 cents to 13.5 cents, the tuberculosis rate from 4 cents to 2.5 cents and the free gravel road rate from 5 cents to 2.5 cents.

Robinson Hit Hard
County Treasurer Clyde Robinson, who is asking a \$20,500 appropriation for additional employees, was hard hit in the statement when chamber officials suggested that he pare his proposal down to one-half and accept \$10,500 for the purpose, or drop it entirely.

A reduction of \$4,000 in the 1930 election appropriation also was pointed to as one way to keep the tax rate down. In the report, since the last election, which cost \$92,673, the number of county precincts has been increased by sixty and the new appropriation is \$130,800.

This, the report said, is not necessary and an allowance of \$195 for each precinct would suffice.

Opposition to the free gravel road fund was voiced in the statement when chamber officials pointed out that the increased county property assessment and a probable 10 per cent boost in the gasoline tax income would provide about \$10,000 additional revenue.

In the Air

Weather conditions at 9:30 a. m.: Southwest wind, four miles an hour; temperature, 80; barometric pressure, 30.18 at sea level; calling, unlimited; visibility, eight miles; field, good.

By United Press
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—While coast guard cutters maintained a grim patrol, searching the sea for bodies, federal authorities strove today to determine responsibility for the sinking of the steamer San Juan with seventy-four men, women and children.

Rumblings of a scandal and rumors that cowardice caused a part of the appalling loss of life were heard on all sides, as survivors were summoned to a hearing to be held Tuesday.

General opinion in this shocked and stunned seaport is that some one was seriously to blame for the collision of the oil tanker S. C. T. Dodd and the San Juan, which sent the latter to the bottom.

Home Runs Today
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Simmons, Athletics (5th of 1st game).

Dykes, Athletics (7th of 1st game).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Gelbert, Cardinals (2nd of 1st game).

Wilson, Cubs (3rd of 1st game).

Hornsby, Cubs (6th of 1st game).

Star Weds Her Director



Mary Eaton and Millard Webb

By United Press
HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Sept. 2.—Another of the film colony's beauties has married her director.

Mary Eaton, former Ziegfeld Follies star, and more recently of the films, was married late Sunday to Millard Webb, director.

The marriage climaxed a romance that began when Webb directed Miss Eaton in the picture "Glorifying the American Girl." Marilyn Miller was maid of honor.

LABOR LEADERS TALK ON RADIO TO HALT ARABS

City and State Observe Drastic Efforts Made to Check New Uprising.

By United Press
JERUSALEM, Sept. 2.—Confronted by the threat of an Arab invasion across the borders of Transjordan and Syria, which might spell further disaster for the Jewish population in Palestine, the British authorities were making drastic efforts today to check the movement by an effective distribution of border troops.

Bedouin and Druse tribes were declared today to be concentrating at various points, their intention, according to well founded reports, being not only to participate in the hostile demonstrations against the Jews, but also to organize with Arab tribes in Palestine.

A fresh wave of anxiety was precipitated by an Arab attack on the Jewish American colony at Migdal, where the inhabitants barricaded themselves in a large American hotel. The house of Isadore Green, an American citizen, was looted in the course of the riot.

The American consul-general, took cognizance of the incident today, and at his insistence additional troops will be sent to the Jewish-American colonies to protect lives and property.

An official announcement said marauders taking advantage of the situation had been caught looting in the regions of Haifa and Jenin. Many of them were shot.

BOOZE CONSIGNMENT SEIZED AT FAIRGROUND
Logansport Man Is Arrested With 55 Pints of Liquor.

Fifty-five pints of "bonded" liquor was confiscated today at the state fairground by police when they arrested James M. Quinn, 55, of Logansport, Ind.

The liquor was found in Quinn's coupe.

A tip from Logansport that Quinn left there for the fairground with a load of liquor for thirsty horsemen attending the grand circuit races, resulted in Quinn's arrest.

He is charged with blind tiger and transporting liquor.

Mother Who Killed Infant Son Faces Prison or Asylum.

By United Press
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 2.—Convicted of the murder of her infant son by tossing a burning match into his baby carriage, Mrs. Josephine Valenti, 18, remained in her cell in Los Angeles county jail today awaiting a sanity hearing set for Tuesday.

The same jury which Saturday found her guilty of the murder will judge her sanity. If she is insane, she will be sent to an asylum, if sane, she will be sent to prison.

FATAL CRASH IN PACIFIC TO BE PROBED THOROUGHLY

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GRAF ZEPPELIN FLIES SWIFTLY OVER ATLANTIC

Capt. Lehmann Sets Fast Pace in Attempt for New Record.

TAKES SOUTHERN ROUTE

Two Women Are Among Twenty-three Making Ocean Voyage.

By United Press
NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Shooting at one of the few air records which she has not yet broken, the Graf Zeppelin soared through the skies toward home today on her flight from Lakehurst, N. J.

At 1:25 a. m. (eastern standard time) today the dirigible was 1,560 miles out on the southern route to Friedrichshafen, according to a radio message received from the Zeppelin by the Reading railroad station operator at Philadelphia.

Captain Ernest Lehmann, who is in command of the ship, hopes to set a new record on the route to Friedrichshafen before 7 a. m. (eastern standard time) Sept. 5. By so doing he would set a record for a round-the-world flight from Friedrichshafen.

Remains for Several Days
Delayed at the start from Lakehurst for eight hours by cross-hangar winds, the Zeppelin finally was walked out on the field and started on its flight at 7:18 a. m. (eastern standard time) Sunday. As the dirigible cleared the pine trees and headed out to sea, Commander Hugo Eckener, who piloted the ship around the world last year, stood waving a handkerchief to his "baby," as he calls the Zeppelin.

Eckener will remain in the United States for several days to transact business, but he was on hand to see that the Zeppelin got off well.

A little more than two hours after the start the Zeppelin gave her position as 200 miles east of Lakehurst. Lehmann steered out along the southern route presumably to miss a storm in the North Atlantic, and his judgment was vindicated when at 10:05 p. m. Sunday he was able to report he had made 1,340 miles.

Leads Directly to Sea
Radio dispatches from the liner America, said weather conditions in the Zeppelin's path were almost perfect. Captain George Fried of the America said he expected the Zeppelin would pass his ship early today. The sea was calm, Fried reported.

There are twenty-three passengers, including two women, aboard the dirigible. So anxious was Lehmann to establish a record that he omitted the customary circling of New York, heading directly to sea.

Hoosier Makes Trip
LAKEHURST, N. J., Sept. 2.—Aboard the Zeppelin as passengers on its flight to Friedrichshafen are the following:

Mrs. Harry A. Hobson of Logansport, Ind.; M. C. Beck of Parker of Cleveland; Paul L. Beck of Baltimore; Alfred J. Bernheimer of New York; R. A. B. Logan of Syracuse, N. Y.; and Edward P. Forest of Pelham, N. Y.

H. Geibelman, German newspaper man; Frederick S. Hogg of New York; J. Y. Hogg of New York; Lieutenant-Colonel Christopher of the Swiss Army; Gustav Kauder, Germany; Lieutenant Roland C. Mayer, United States navy.

Dr. G. J. Medals, physician to King Alfonso of Spain; Leo Gerardi-Beach, French newspaper man; Joseph B. Richards of Boston and Madrid; John W. Schmitzer of Froid, Mont.; Lieutenant Commander J. M. Schoemaker, United States navy; Dr. William M. Scholl of Chicago; S. D. Seilkopf, German meteorologist.

Harry Vissering of Kenilworth, Ill., director of the Goodyear-Zeppelin Company; Heinz von Eschwege-Liebherr, German journalist; H. Von Perkhammer, German photographer; Lieutenant Commander Hubert V. Wiley, United States navy, commander of the Los Angeles.

Morning Games Today
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Cincinnati..... 002 202 000—7 13 1
Pittsburgh..... 000 230 000—5 12 2
(Cin.) Luque and Gooch; (Pitt.) Petty and Hensley.

St. Louis..... 011 101 003—7 14 1
Chicago..... 106 202 000—11 16 1
(St. L.) Mitchell and J. Wilson; (Chi.) Malone and Taylor.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York..... 100 000 000—3 11 0
Philadelphia..... 006 020 111—10 16 0
(N. Y.) Pippas and Dickey; (Phi.) Quinn and Cochrane.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Columbus..... 000 400 100—5 13 0
Toledo..... 413 000 000—8 15 3
(Col.) Johnson and Devine; (To.) Parks and Devorner.

Minneapolis..... 21
St. Paul..... 20
(Minn.) Morgan and Kenna; (St. P.) Campbell and Hargrave.

Hourly Temperatures
6 a. m..... 66 9 a. m..... 78
7 a. m..... 67 10 a. m..... 83
8 a. m..... 70

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Keyes, Millers (1st of 1st game).