

PIONEER 'BIRD MAN' OF COAST TO FLY

Cal. Johnson, of Bay City, to Hold Prelude to Aviation Meet in Los Angeles.

MANAGERS WAIT PAULHAN

After Arrival of French Flier Details of Big Aero Contest Will Be Arranged and Names of Entrants Made Public.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—The first aeroplane flight to be made in Los Angeles will be attempted by Colonel Frank H. Johnson, of San Francisco, tomorrow morning.

Several short trial flights were made this afternoon by the Gill-Boach machine and one of Curtiss' aeroplanes. Tomorrow will see many more flights.

Many Patterns of Fliers.

Paulhan, accompanied by his wife, who will make several flights during the meet; Mioraral and Masson, members of the French syndicate of fliers, will bring two Farman biplanes and two Bleriot "cross-channel" machines.

Charles K. Hamilton, of New Britain, Conn., and Frank H. Johnson, of San Francisco, were the latest arrivals today, each bringing a ship of the Curtiss type.

With the arrival tomorrow of Louis Paulhan, the French aviator, at the head of a party of foreign "birdmen," the programme for the first big international aviation meet to be held in America will be definitely made up, and the names of the various entrants made public.

Racing to Open Tuesday.

Monday there will be trial flights by all of the aviators now on the scene, but no competitions will be held. Not until Tuesday will the first actual racing in America between heavier-than-air machines be witnessed.

Naval Attack Planned.

On Saturday, the contests will be augmented at night by an attempt to fly out over the waters of San Pedro harbor, to demonstrate the practicability and use of airships in war time.

LATHAM SETS NEW RECORD

French Aviator Reaches Height of Nearly 3600 Feet.

MOURMELON, France, Jan. 7.—All records for height attained in a heavier-than-air machine were eclipsed today by Hubert Latham, French aviator.

PATENTS NOT BAR TO TRIALS

Wrights Cannot Stop Los Angeles Air Meet Entrants.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 7.—With the statement telegraphed to this city from Buffalo, N. Y., wherein Federal Judge Hazel is quoted as having said today that the injunction issued in behalf of the Wright Bros. prevented the manufacture and sale of aeroplanes for commercial purposes, but did not cover experiments with machines, the last supposed obstacle to the carrying out of the programme for the Los Angeles aviation meet was removed.

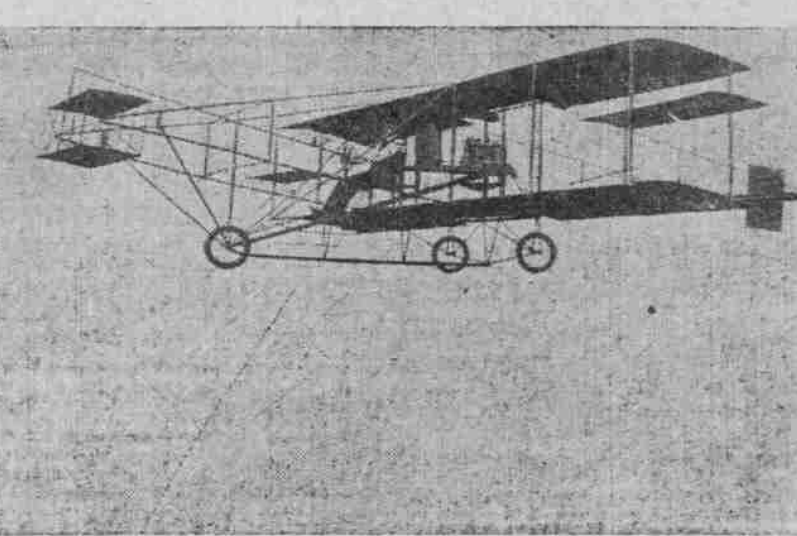
Two Trainmen Killed.

NORTHEAST, Pa., Jan. 7.—Two trainmen were killed and two others injured as the result of a Lake Shore passenger train, the Western Express, crashing into a work train here at noon today.

NEW AEROPLANE AND NOTED AVIATOR TO BE SEEN IN COMPETITIONS AT CALIFORNIA AVIATION MEET.



GLENN H. CURTISS.



BIPLANE ENTERED BY A. P. WARNER, OF WISCONSIN.

DOZEN GRAVES FILLED

DEAD OF MARQUEZ FAMILY BURIED AT SAME TIME.

Scientific Men Now Doubt That 15 Cases of Illness, 12 of Which Fatal, Caused by Ptomaines.

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Jan. 7.—With the burial today of 12 descendants of the pioneer Marquez family, the last being a nursing baby, who died of ptomaine poisoning following the eating of tainted pears at a family reunion last Sunday, the final chapter in the tragedy was enacted.

HOGS REACH \$9 PRICE

RECORD MARK REPORTED IN CHICAGO MARKET.

Except in 1882, Present Prices Have Not Been Reached Since Civil War—Cold Is Cause.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The \$9 hog arrived today at the Union Stock Yards here, and his coming marked an epoch in high prices.

Thompson's method of sight-testing is endorsed by physicians everywhere.

Saturday, Special Feature Day in the Suit, Coat and Waist Depts.

Are You of That Class of Women? who would dress tastefully and take advantage of this sale, but deny yourself because of the supposedly high cost of fine, tailored suits?

If You Are, Why Be Content With Supposition? 54-In. Coats \$9.95 Military Capes at \$8.85 That Were Formerly \$20.00 That Were Formerly \$25.00

Why not investigate for yourself? Must it not occur to you that in this Special Feature Day prices are forced to the very lowest notch? These suits, coats and waists represent the finest workmanship, the best materials and the latest styles now in vogue, and if you would double and treble the cost you could get no better garments than these.



500 Suits Grouped at Final Prices---Clearance \$16.75, \$27.65

—THE PICK OF THE BEST FALL STYLES, showing the very best workmanship, fit and finish. Plain Tailored Suits. Braid and button-trimmed. Materials are of superior broadcloth and cheviots.

Clearance of Misses' Fine Coats

Sizes From 8 Up to 14 Years All Go Out Today at Half Price

—HERE'S THE STORY: With real winterish weather bounding along there is plenty of use for these Girls' and Misses' Coats, and how lucky for you that we received holiday shipments of these pretty garments.

High-Grade Coats, Selling to \$40, Today at \$18.90

—Coats of finest imported heavy and medium weight fancy worsteds, in plain tailored and fancy trim'd styles.



—IT IS THE MOMENT OF OPPORTUNITY FOR SHOPPERS. The newest and most distinctive styles of waists, typical of Lipman, Wolfe & Co. individuality, go on sale this Special Feature Day at one price.

AGENTS FOR THE FORSYTHE WAISTS.