

FOWLER'S ESSAY
BIG FLIGHT TODAY

San Francisco to Reno Is
Day's Task Sea-to-Sea Aviator
Sets for Himself.

ONE MONOPLANE ENTERED

Ovington, Its Pilot, Expects Necessity
for Flying High Will Add
to Speed—Young Ward
to Journey Nights.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—(Special.)—Robert S. Fowler, competitor for the \$50,000 ocean-to-ocean aviation prize, announced tonight that he would begin his flight across the continent tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock and that he would start from the stadium in Golden Gate Park. If he can get started by 10 o'clock he will try and reach Reno by night, stopping in Sacramento just long enough to take aboard fuel.

By this route and it is 280 miles to Reno and he expects to reach that city by 5 o'clock the first night if he can start by 10 o'clock. If possible he will try to start earlier, but that is the limit he has set for himself.

If his plans work out, he will leave the stadium at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning and reach Sacramento at 12 noon, and stop here for an hour for lunch and to renew his fuel tanks and then mount to 8000 or 10,000 feet. Setting a course for Reno, the peaks of the Sierra range will be ahead, the first great barrier of the whole voyage.

Great Barrier in Way. The four hours between 5 and 8 o'clock should be the most thrilling feature of the whole flight. If he reaches Reno safely he will have gained an immortal name as the first man over the snow-capped mountains that bar the way to earth creatures toiling slowly toward the rising sun. He will have beaten Chavez, the Frenchman who crossed the Alps only to die before he knew the world had heard of his exploit, and Fowler will hold for himself and San Francisco the record of the greatest feat of man in air since men began to fly.

Ward's manager said today that the young aviator considered the trip between the Atlantic Coast and Chicago as nothing. From Chicago to the southwest the trip may be a little more difficult, he continued.

But the hardest part of the trip will be when he leaves Los Angeles for El Paso. From here on the route lies over the Texas plains and enters the desolate country of New Mexico and Arizona. The Sonora, the Yuma, and the Colorado have very few settlements. We figure that on one stretch of the country we will have little or no communication with the usual centers of population for over 400 miles.

On this stretch we will carry a great supply of water, as well as oil and gasoline. Indeed, we will be forced to carry everything that we need because there is no place where it can be obtained. I expect that the best flying weather in this region will be early in the morning and late in the afternoon. During the middle of the day the heat is intense and frequently the wind stirs up a great storm of alkali dust.

AVIATOR WHO IS NEARLY READY TO START ACROSS-CONTINENT FLIGHT, AND HIS BACKERS.



BOB FOWLER



C.P. HENDERSON J.W. COLE

9 KILLED IN RIOT

Political Feud in Capital of Mexico Ends Fatally.

ELECTION MAY BE HALTED

When Partisans of General Reyes Attempt to Give Parade in His Honor, Friends of Madero Fall Upon Them.

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 10.—Nine persons were killed and more than twice that number injured when Registas and Maderistas clashed yesterday in Tuxtla-Chico, a village in the State of Chiapas, near the southern boundary of Mexico, according to reports received at the President's office today.

Partisans of General Reyes began a parade in his honor, expecting to close the manifestation with an open air mass meeting. Hurling the Maderistas of the community mustered their forces and began to interfere with the Registas' program.

In a few minutes partisans of both Madero and Reyes were fighting with stones, knives and clubs. The battle ended only with the rout of the Registas, who left their dead and wounded on the field.

Delegates to the Reyes convention in all probability will join this week in a petition to Congress for postponement of the elections. That Congress may grant the request is not improbable, since a majority of that body are men who were named during the Diaz regime and are inclined to agree with those who insist the nation's affairs are yet too turbulent to permit of an impartial vote. If a new date is fixed, it will be against the vigorous protests of the Maderistas.

"DEATH TO REYES" IS CRY
Madero Supporters Show Wild Enthusiasm in Parade.

JUAREZ, Mexico, Sept. 10.—The big Reyes demonstration, planned for this city by the recently organized political club, failed to materialize this morning, but in its place was a throng of fully 1000 Maderistas parading the streets with banners bearing likenesses of the former revolutionary chief, splitting the air with their wild enthusiasm.

The Registas Club is asserted to have a membership of 700, but it made no demonstration. The Maderistas marched to Constitution Plaza, where five addresses were delivered, highly eulogistic of the Progressive nominee.

Madero's Friends Attacked.
MERIDA, Yucatan, Sept. 10.—Partisans of Jose Pino Suarez, candidate for vice-president, traveling here on a special train to participate in a manifestation for Francisco Madero, were attacked today by a mob of the followers of Moreno Canton, the opposition candidate for Governor. Seven of the Pinoistas were injured by rocks thrown at the train.

200 CLAIMANTS FILE SUIT
Mining Value of Land to Be Determined by Vancouver Court.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Sept. 10.—(Special.)—To determine whether 200 mining claims, of 20 acres each, near Mount St. Helens and Mount Rainier, are more valuable for mining than for other purposes, a case is being tried in the local land office, the Northern Pacific Railroad Company being defendant. The 204 claim-suitors have bunched them

all in one, and one case is being tried, with 200 plaintiffs.

ENGINEER IS FOUND DEAD
John Pickering Supposed to Have Accidentally Fallen Into Water.

ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 10.—(Special.)—The body of John Pickering, of Cathlamet, was found this morning floating on the beach near Flavel, about eight miles below Astoria. Pickering was an engineer employed at the J. B. Miller Logging Company's camp and came to Astoria a week ago yesterday to have a shaft repaired. He was supposed to have started for his home on Monday and, so far as known, had not been seen since that time.

SEATTLE DEPOSITS \$2832
Office Is Kept Open Overtime to Accommodate Late Patrons.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 10.—(Special.)—The Postal Savings Bank of Seattle opened Saturday with 67 depositors, whose deposits aggregated \$2832, besides \$250 taken in from the sale of stamps and cards.

SAILOR TO BE HONORED
Boatswain's Mate Who Rescued Two Will Get Medal for Bravery.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—Assistant Secretary of the Navy Winthrop has recommended that a medal of honor be presented to Alfred A. Ohi, boatswain's mate of the United States steambark Yantic for his bravery in rescuing from drowning two of the Yantic's men who had been injured and knocked overboard when steam launch which was being lifted on board broke away and fell in to the water.

GERMANS ACCLAIM AMERICAN SINGER.
KARLSRUHE, Germany, Sept. 10.—Miss May Schneider, of New York, made her debut in the grand musical opera house tonight, singing in Meyerbeer's "Huguenots." She was warmly received by a crowded house and had many recalls.

COLLEGE YOUTHS SECOND
(Continued from First Page.)
College Men I Have Met in the Slums and Prisons of New York. He says: "I did say, and have proof to back me up, that I have met personally and have heard from the most reliable authorities of some 1200 college-bred men in the slums, prisons, jails and sanitariums, who were down and out through fast living. The noted bread line in our city has constantly in it college-bred men."

EUREKA SUSPECTS FREED
Express Messengers Declare Young Draughtsmen Are Not Robbers.

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COLORADO'S TITLE AS STATE ASSAILED

Federal Attorney Contends Constitution Never Was Approved by Congress.

STAR IN FLAG ILLEGALLY

Issue Raised in Water Rights Litigation—Fillings Made Since Date of Suggested Admission Declared Void.

DENVER, Sept. 10.—(Special.)—That Colorado was never admitted to the Union in the manner provided for by the constitution and is therefore not entitled to the rights, privileges and powers of statehood, is charged by the Department of Justice in a suit filed in the state district court by United States District Attorney Ward. The Government's startling allegation is made in a suit between the people of the eastern and the western slopes of Colorado, wherein those of the western slope have asked the courts to prevent diversion of water flowing westward from the summit of the Continental divide, by means of tunnels, for irrigation of lands on the eastern slope.

The Government, through United States Attorney Ward, has intervened in the suit, laying claim to extensive rights to power sites along the stream involved and full control of all waters not filed upon before the admission of Colorado. Mr. Ward asserting that, as constitution, all water fillings, since 1876, the year of admission, are void.

Contention Starries Lawyers.
Mr. Ward is regarded as one of the ablest attorneys in Colorado and his intervention suit in behalf of the Government, advancing this constitutional point, comes like a thunderbolt out of a clear sky to the legal profession and the State Department.

Whether water may be diverted from the drainage system of the western slope of the Rockies in Colorado to the eastern slope in that state for irrigation purposes and the filling of new legal points, and the outcome of a suit now pending at Sulphur Springs, Col., will be awaited with unusual interest because the decision will affect the irrigation enterprises and the reclamation of millions of acres of land.

This suit was filed in the district court at Sulphur Springs by persons claiming priority rights on the waters of the Grand River, against the Inter-mountain Water Company. An open ditch now carries water over the portion of the Continental divide from the Grand River, on the western slope, to a strip of land above Fort Collins, on the eastern side of the Rockies.

Constitution Never Approved.
In outlining the position he will take, Mr. Ward advances the contention that the constitution of the Continental state has never been accepted by the Congress of the United States.

In discussing this feature, he says that the Colorado enabling act was passed in 1876, and that the state adopted a constitution supposed to be conforming with the enabling act. A certified copy was sent in 1876 to President Grant, who acknowledged its receipt and there, Mr. Ward holds, the United States Government has never accepted the constitution as the United States.

BOY FRIGHTENS BURGLAR
Toy Pistol and "Hands Up" Save Valuables for Family.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—(Special.)—There was no policeman around when William Kessler, 13 years old, walked to his parents' home and found a robber getting away with the family valuables, so "Willie" acted as his own policeman, and pulling a toy pistol out of his pocket, pointed it at the intruder and scared him so that he fled from the house, leaving his loot behind him.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—(Special.)—The boy pointed the toy pistol towards the intruder and cried, "Hands up." The man evidently thought the pistol was a real revolver and fled from the house.

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GIRL HELD AS LYNCHER
Judge Declares She Incited Act and Is as Guilty as Men.
VALENTINE, Mo., Sept. 10.—Miss Eunice Murphy, arrested recently, charged with inciting the lynching of Charles Sellers two months ago, has been bound over to the District Court. Sellers was taken from his home by Miss Murphy's brother and three companions and hanged. Judge Guigley declined to grant bail to the young girl, declaring she was as guilty as the four young men.