CURRENT EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Doings of the World at Large Told in Brief.

General Resume of Important Events Presented in Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

The Steel trust has readjusted its schedule of prices by a considerable

A French liner arrived at Martinique from Panama with 15 cases of yellow fever on board.

Diaz succeeded in getting \$1,780, bank in New York City. A Portland woman will have to pay

\$3,000 duties on diamonds inherited from an aunt who died in Germany. Officers of the United Wireless com

pany have been found guilty of using the mails to defraud in selling stock. Betting on accidents and death in the auto races at Indianapolis, In-

diana, is the most prominent feature Fire destroyed the Chutes amusement park buildings at San Francisco. causing the death of four persons and

injury of many others. In a decision more drastic than that against the Standard Oil company, the Supreme court of the United States has ordered the dissolution of the To

bacco trust. An American - Hawaiian steamer just arrived in Seattle reports having picked up the submarine bell signals from Umatilla reef lightship at a distance of seven and one-half miles which enabled the ship to proceed

safely through a dense fog. A hot wave sent the mercury at Chicago up to 94.

President Diaz resigns and the City of Mexico goes wild with joy.

arrested.

The Wyoming, Uncle Sam's largest battleship, was successfully launched

The dissolution of the Standard Oil be seriously injured. company will not result in any reduction in the price of oil products to the consumer.

Senator Borah believes there should be a Federal incorporation law fixing the retail price of goods sold by interstate corporations.

A wealthy San Francisco couple have a prize ring at their home where Says Provincial Legal Habit Makes they entertain their friends with exhibitions by noted pugilists.

An eagle attacked an aviator during his flight and came near causing disasby being wounded by a revolver

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat-Track prices: Bluestem, 94 @95e; club, 85@86c; Russian, 84c; valley, 86c; forty-fold, 86c.

Barley - Choice feed, \$28@28.50. Millstuffs-Bran, \$24.50@25; middlings, \$31; shorts, \$25.50@26; rolled pass on questions like these. barley, \$29.50@30.50.

Oats-No. 1 white, \$29.50 ton. Hay-Timothy, Eastern Oregon No. 1. \$21.50@22.50; light mixed, \$19@ 20; heavy mixed \$17.50@18.50; alfalfa, \$14@15; clover, \$12.50@13.50;

grain hay, \$13.50@14.50. Fresh Fruit-Strawberries, Oregon, \$3@4.50 crate; gooseberries, \$8@10c per pound; apples, \$1@3 per box.

Vegetables-Asparagus, \$1@2 per box; cabbage, \$3 per hundredweight; garlic, 10@12c per pound.; lettuce, \$1.25@1.75 per box; radishes, 15c per dozen; new carrots, \$2.25 per sack; turnips, \$2.25; beets, \$2.25. Potatoes - Oregon and Eastern,

\$2.25 per hundred; new potatoes, \$3.50@4 per hundred. Onions-Crystal wax, \$2.50; yellow, \$2.25; red, \$3.50.

Poultry - Hens, 18@19c; broilers, 271028c; ducks, young, 25c; geese, nominal; turkeys, 20c; dressed, choice

Eggs - Oregon ranch, candled, 21c per dozen; case count, 20c.

Butter-City creamery, extra, 1 and 2-pound prints, in boxes, 24c per South Germany Wednesday. delivery extra.

Pork-Fancy, 9200,10c per pound. Veal-Fancy, 9½@10c per pound.

per pound; valley, 12@15c; mohair, birds by the wholesale.

Cattle-Prime grain-fed steers, \$7 @7.25; prime hay-fed, \$6.85@7; @8; good, \$7.50@7.75; choice heavy order, but public excitement contincalves, \$5.50@6; good, \$5@5.50; choice ues. stags, \$5.75@6.25; good, \$5.25@5.75. Hogs-Choice, \$6.70@6.85; good, \$6.50@6.70; choice heavy, \$6@6.50;

common, \$5@6; stock, \$7@7.25.

ONE DEAD, FIVE HURT.

First Day's Auto Racing Full of Bad Accidents.

Motor Speedway, Ind., May 31 .-One life was sacrificed and several nen were injured yesterday in the

first 500-mile race on the speedway. The race was won by Ray Harroun. driving a Marmon car, in 6 hours, 41 minutes and 8 seconds. Closely pressng Harroun for victory were Ralph Mulford, with a Lozier, who finished second, and David Bruce Brown, in a Fiat, a good third.

Seventy-seven thousand persons shouted encouragement to the 40 pilots who started the race at 10 o'clock in the morning, and with unflagging enthusiasm cheered the leaders in the last laps and watched the field pound around the course in division of the

lesser honors. In the most serious accident of the day S. P. Dickson, of Chicago, mechanician for Arthur Greiner, driving 000 in gold from Mexico safely into a the back stretch. The race had been on but a few minutes and the Amplex was in its 30th mile when the rim of one of the front wheels flew off. The car twisted on the track, hurling the thrown against a fence 20 feet away and was terribly mangled. He was nstantly killed. Greiner was seriously injured and it was feared he had later learned that his only injury was department. In order to hold the site concussion of the brain, but it was fracture of an arm.

Men injured in the mishaps were:

Harry E. Knight, driver of Westernal injuries. John T. Glover, Knight's mechan-

ian, body bruised. Bob Evans, mechanician for Jack lower, Jackson car, body bruised when he leaped from car in panic. John Wood, mechanician for Joe Jaegersburg, Case car, run over and

NEW FAST TRAIN IS WRECKED ON CURVE

badly bruised.

Spokane, May 31.—Derailed at a sharp curve at Malden, seven miles east of Ralston, 26 miles east of Lind, Portugal has rushed troops to the Wash., the "Columbian," eastbound frontier and all monarchists are being passenger train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railroad, was wrecked at 5 o'clock this morning. Seven coaches were derailed, the engineer and fireman instantly killed, and at least one passenger is known to

The Columbian went into a sharp curve just before entering a cut near Ralston at a high rate of speed. The engine, smoker and day coach left the rails and piled up on the track. were demolished.

LAWS MAKE JUDGE ANGRY.

Us Blunder Along.

New York-In a decision given here by Judge Hand, of the Federal court, involving highly technical scientific ter. The bird was finally driven off matters, the court stepped aside from he questions at issue to berate the provincial legal habit of mind," of American jurisprudence.

"I cannot stop," said Judge Hand, 'without calling attention to the extraordinary condition of the law which makes it possible for a man without even the rudiments of chemistry to One of the Finest Orchards Brings ready in sight. The tentative plan is sons have been harvested, so that the "In Germany, the court summons

technical judges who can intelligently pass on the issues. How long we shall continue to blunder along nobody knows, but all persons not convention alized by provincial legal habits of mind ought to unite to effect some

Salute Kills I, Hurts Four.

Monongahela, Pa.-Charles Gibson, 27 years old, is dying, the result of being shot through the body with a gas pipe ramrod from an old smoothbore cannon. Earl Marshall, aged 16, had his right thumb torn off and Ar- land was sold to Shank for one-half harbor, at which point the company \$3 a ton in the price of steel sheets was overcome by the heat and comthur Wilson, 19 years, had his cloth- the present price. Since that time the controls 800 feet of waterfront. ing burned from his body and his ear new land has been brought to a high drums fractured, while Charles Steele, state of cultivation and the number of 18 years old, and Joseph Marshall were | bearing trees greatly increased. seriously burned by powder. The accident occurred in the Monongahela cemetery when the annual sunrise salute to Memorial Day was fired.

Sixteen People Drowned.

pound; less than box lots, cartons and houses in a village in the grand duchy as originally planned. This will be season. These prices are for the consultant resigned and has asked the considerable extent, upon his success of Baden were swept away by the the site for the additional capitol early fish and may not hold later. floods and 12 persons were drowned. building for which \$150,000 was ap-Four persons were drowned near Hei- propriated by the last legislative Hops-1911 contracts, 22c pr pound; delberg, where a mill was washed assembly. 1910 crop, nominal; 1909 crop, 15c; away. Eight inches of rain fell at various places in the south, destroying Wool - Eastern Oregon, 81/2014tc the fruit trees and crops and killing

Mob Rules Canary Isles.

choice steers, \$6.50@6.85; good, \$6 furious by the delay accompanying the @6.50; fair, \$5.75@6; common, \$5.50 discussion by the Spanish parliament prime cows, \$5.75@6.25; of a bill providing for the division of good, \$5@5.25; fair, \$4.75@5; poor, the Canary archipelago, a mob took \$4.50@4.75; choice heifers, \$5.50@ possession of the streets here and at-5.75; choice bulls, \$4.75@5.25; good, tempted to burn the government build-\$4.25@4.75; choice light calves, \$7.75 ings. Troops were called to restore

Japs are Not Wanted.

Morris Hughes, acting premier of the W. E. Coman, John M. Scott, LeRoy Sheep—Choice spring lambs, \$6.75 commonwealth, in a remarkable ar-@7; good, \$6@6.75; choice yearlings, ticle which he has contributed to the Baker; and A. F. Hofer, Jr., Salem. \$5.25@5.50; good, \$5@5.25; fair, Sydney Telegraph, declared that Aus-\$4.75@5; choice ewes, \$4.50@4.75; tralia will never agree except at the good, \$4@4.50; fair, \$3.75@4; good sword's point, to admit Japanese imcountry.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND PROGRESS OF OUR HOME STATE

USERS GET POWER SITE.

Klamath Glad Government Is Holding Location Near Keno.

Klamath Falls-The directors of the the Klamath reclamation project this gon City, has been appointed superintendent of state fish hatcheries. power site was purchased at a cost of the lands above the gravity canal and of the foremost members of the Audu-

will then be needed. the government has to do a certain amount of development work and the Dave Lewis, mechanician, right leg reclamation service is now performing this work. It is not known what will be the ultimate disposition of the ott, breast bruised and possible in- power site, but the directors are planing to acquire title to the property by adding its cost to the Klamath proect. By this method it would pass into full control of the association as soon as the land owners paid back to the government the money expended n building the irrigation system

Several corporations were ready to users the sale would have been made might have been forced to pay a high price for power to some private con-

SHEEPMEN ENTER PROTEST.

Assessment Against Their Property Said to Be Too High

Baker-Declaring that sheep are assessed out of proportion to their market value, and that the sheepmen of the county of Baker are paying more County Asset company have taken accommittee of the Baker-Union Wool-growers' association has drafted res-Florence. The directors of the comolutions to the state board of tax com-missioners asking the board to use its Fornieri, chief engineer, looking to sessed at a lower rate. Members of Elmira, approximately 14 miles.

the sheepmen the worst of it.

\$75,000, for 90 Acres.

acres in bearing trees 12 years old, are members of the Asset company. and balance in five-year-old trees. Stockholders of the company also and the price is the largest ever paid have not been successful.

Larger Purchase is Urged.

Berlin-Cloudbursts, accompanied as members of the state board to buy a dozen for flats and \$1.95 for talls, by heavy hail, caused great damage in the entire block east of the present the latter figure being 20 cents a doz-

Rush Keeps Land Office Busy.

Las Palmas, Canary Islands-Made People from all parts of the country are will be necessary to tunnel the divide lands before the completion of the from the Willow Creek valley. railroad from the South that is now under construction, with over 400 men at work grading near Davis creek, the rapidly growing town at the lower end of the valley.

Immigration Commission Named, Melbourne, Australia - William named by Governor West. They are: or more than 6 per cent.

> Hood River Builds Macadam Road. the West side, main trunk lines.

W. L. Finley. Expert in His Line, Becomes State Game Warden.

HUGHES FOR COMMISSIONER.

Klamath Water Users' association Hill was appointed by Governor West feel elated over the order issued by as a member of the State board of fish and game commissioners to succeed the secretary of the interior, counter- W. L. Finley, who resigned as a memmanding the order for the sale of the ber of the board to become state game have heard nothing of the peace agreegovernment power site on the Kamath warden, succeeding R. O. Stevenson, of river near Keno. At the inception of Forest Grove. J. N. Wisner, of Ore-

\$10,000. The government abandoned known as a student of birds and one constituted authorities. consequently has no use for the power bon society, was serving as the four-gear term member of the new board. and the country, being a non-agriculfor pumping purposes, but the direc- The other four members requested tural region, is without food. an Amplex, lost his life in an upset on tors of the Water Users' association that he resign to take the position as mining camps of Ganacivi, state of come of what he described as the refeel that while the pump lands have state game warden, which carries a Durango, are in chaos. in most instances been eliminated salary of \$2,500 annually. There were 12 applications for the position, charging a town was to place all the from the Klamath project, the time is but these were all carefully considered government officials in jail. Stores that marked the early days of open coming when they will again become by the members and all of them were were then looted and government docu- competition in the steel business. men from their seats. Dickson was a portion of the project and the power found to be not adapted to the posi- ments burned.

cepted after a conference with Governor West

The board also reached the conclusion to establish a new office of super- pal buildings were burned, all the resintendent of state hatcheries at a salary of \$2,000 annually. This superintendent will work under the game ment and municipal officials in certain admitted the combination was formed warden and the fish warden as well, towns had been killed has been con- to throttle competition, and that, He will have charge of trout and sal- firmed. mon hatcheries, the trout hatcheries from the hatchery fund of the state.

bid on the site and had it not been for board to all of the mills of the state the night of her husband's murder. told of a midnight conference between the timely action taken by the water and others who own dams, fish ladders, irrigation works or other obstruc- miner, was held up and robbed by a Morgan, at which the Steel Corporaand in later years the land owners tions to streams that an investigation band of Mexicans near Ahuijudla, tion was conceived, and said that it will be made in the near future of all After they secured about \$200 from resulted in Carnegie's getting \$320, such devices or ditches and the board McIntyre, the Mexicans decided to kill 000,000 in the corporation's securities will determine to what extent the law in this respect is being observed.

BUILD ELECTRIC LINE.

Eugene to Have Direct Connections to Tidewater.

Eugene-Stockholders of the Lane the county and state, the legislative gin construction of an electric railinfleunce with county assessors the construction this summer of the throughout the state to have sheep as- first link of the road from Eugene to

level valley to Elmira.

SEATTLE MAN BUYS IN OREGON large quantities of ties by sawmills to the trade within the present year. along the proposed route, and some of The roots can be taken from the in the torridity some time within 24 the rails for the first 14 miles are al- ground after the crops of several sea- hou to construct an electric line, deriving plant is given an added value. Mr. Grants Pass-Fred G. Cutler, of Se- power from the surplus current for Waters declares that by proper treat- a heat victim, while delirious, cut his attle, has purchased the Elmer Shank sale by Eugene's power plant at Wal- ment the clever housewife can conorchard, four miles down the river, terville. Three of the five members vert canned alfalfa roots into a var-

The output last year was 18,000 boxes ordered condemnation proceedings to of merchantable apples. This is one obtain two small sections of right of of the best orchards in the country way for which private negotiations a ton in the offer of steel bars inaug-

for a single orchard in this vicinity. These places are between Eugene Cutler will immediately bring his and Elmira. Beyond Elmira, right of mills little trouble. Contracts placed tense heat. family to Rogue River valley to pass way has been obtained as far as Glen- at the lower levels were small in numthe summer. A few years ago this ada, on the south side of the Siuslaw ber and in tonnage. The cuts of \$2 to tary to George Brunder, the publisher,

Better Prices on for Salmon.

reported a few days ago at \$1.95 for tons, Salem — State Senator Patton and flats and \$1.85 for talls, sales have Representative Reynolds, of Marion been made since that time at even a county, waited on Governor West and higher rate. One packer is known to Secretary Olcott Monday urging them have contracted several carloads at \$2 Six capitol grounds instead of half a block en above the rate which prevailed last sons were wounded. The Peruvian

Railroad Surveyors Espied.

here that for some time a surveying newspapers that the Chilean consul had here. Facing a 45-mile wind, he rose corps of the O.-W. R. & N. company Lakeview-The government land has been at work on the survey of an office here is worked to its full capa- extension of the line from Brogan into city looking after the many filings of the Lower Powder valley. To extend land throughout this land district. the Willow Creek line from Brogan it

Bonds May Draw Low Rate.

Salem-In an opinion by Deputy Atthat the school board or electors of a vited General Diaz to live here. school district may authorize the issu-Salem-Members of the state board ance of bonds or interest-bearing warof immigration commissioners were rants, bearing interest at a rate less

Mill Runs Day and Night.

La Grande — The George Palmer night and day runs and gives employ- newspaper men. Hood River-This county is building ment to about 100 additional skilled runs indefinitely.

Mexican Rebels, Beyond Control, Burn, Loot and Murder.

Parral, Mexico, May 29 .- Many Federal officials, including jefes politicos, have been killed, scores of others looted and hundreds of people are on Salem - J. Frank Hughes of Gold the verge of starvation as the result of a reign of terror, waged in the state of Durango and Southern Chihuahua by a band of insurrectos who ment. The entire state of Durango, with its capital, a city of 22,000 people, is at the mercy of roving bands, Finley, who has become widely who have unsettled all the regularly

The worst feature is that all communication has been cut off for weeks

The first act of the insurrectos after

Thomas Urdina, who claims to be The directors appealed to Congress-man Hawley and through him the matter was presented to the Interior man Hawley and through him the matter was presented to the Interior.

Members stated that they consider the insurrector commander of the Carnegie mills, appraised at \$160,-600,000, were reorganized as worth madero was perfecting peace plans. \$320,000,000 almost within the time matter was presented to the Interior. en where he could devote all of his He answered he would dictate the required to make the transfer to the time to the work, and Mr. Finley ac- peace terms for his territory, and the corporation; of the clash in the formlooting continued.

few miles south of here, the munici- ation of the trust. idents having fled to the mountains.

being maintaned largely from the planter in Michocoan, was killed by a put through which forced him to sell game fund and the salmon hatcheries band of insurrectos; his ranch house out for 40 cents on the dollar. burned and his wife probably carried Notification was sent out by the off by marauders, as she disappeared "bull in a china shop,"

James McIntyre, an him and promptly filled him with lead. for his interests, which he had offered

physician at Colima, received word of

number of rebels were killed. Shipping at the Mexican Pacific the various ports of stop.

ALFALFA IS HUMAN DIET.

Farmer at Spray Proposes to Can Roots for Table Use.

Portland, Or. - Alfalfa now has the local association say that this is a The Lane County Asset company is reached such a stage of development state-wide movement. Similar res- a local corporation that has been en- that it can be used for human conolutions will be sent in from every gaged for the past two years in the sumption—at least the roots of it can. sheep county in the state. The res- promotion of a railway to the coast at C. F. Waters, an enterprising farmer olutions say that ewes are sold on the Florence. A permanent survey has residing near Spray, Or., has complet- to appear today when 11 deaths were market for \$2 and yearlings for \$1.50 been completed and right of way has ed experiments that convince him that to \$2, while ewes are assessed at \$6 been acquired over practically the en- the roots of the ordinary commercial and yearlings at \$5.50 in Baker countire route. Officials of the company alfalfa plant can be treated so that The sheepmen also assert that say that sufficient capital is available they will be readily edible as well as which are certain to prove fatal.

large building for canning alfalfa ity, which made breathing difficult The company has been promised roots and expects to offer his product and greatly intensified the suffering:

Buying of Steel is Light.

urated by the Republic Iron & Steel company last week has brought to the made by smaller mills several weeks mitted suicide by drowning. ago are about to be recognized by the larger companies, it is reported. Astoria-While sales of this year's Railroad buying is light, domestic rail Columbia River canned salmon were orders amounting to less than 10,000 ders of hokey-pokey, ice cream cones

Peruvian Flag Burned.

Iquiqui, Chile-A mob attacked the Peruvian club and burned the flag of Peru Sunday. Troops were summoned to quell the rioting and several per-Baker-News has just leaked out were the result of publications in the most dangerous flights of his career been attacked at Callao and wounded. 1,000 feet, soared out over the tim-

Diaz Spends Quiet Sunday.

coming in preparatory to getting separating the lower Powder valley members of his immediate party, excited but anxious. Crowds gathered around the house where the ex-president is staying, apparently to watch for any chance occurence. There were no demonstrations. Sentries paced the verandas.

Franz Josef is Failing.

gravest anxiety to those about him. This fact has been established by \$100,000 bath room for the employes. Lumber company's mill has resumed careful inquiry made on the spot by

> The aged emperor and his court are ancient capital of Hungary.

REIGN OF TERROR IN DURANGO TRUST SECRETS ARE LAID BARE

have been put in jail, stores have been John W. Gates Tells How John D. Was Forced Out.

Carnegie Company Was Bought at \$2 for \$1-Competition Eliminated By Combine.

Washington, D. C.-John W. Gates told the house "steel trust" investigating committee Saturday the history of the United States Steel corporation. Present at its birth, he de-The scribed how it was the natural outfusal of Andrew Carnegie to be bound by the "gentlemen's agreements"

He also told of millions lost and created almost in a breath; how the Members stated that they consid-the insurrecto commander of the Carnegie mills, appraised at \$160,-red Mr. Finley would be of more val-"Southern Zone," was informed that 000,000, were reorganized as worth ative days when John D. Rockefeller In the town of Villa Escobedo, a was dissuaded from joining in the cre-

> Relating how Carnegie had been forced to abandon plans for extending A previous report that all govern- his steel business, Mr. Gates frankly when John D. Rockefeller had sought Robert J. Swazie, an American to enter the steel business, a deal was

Characterizing Mr. Carnegie as a American himself, Charles M. Schwab and J. P.

Dr. George D. Rich, an American for sale for \$160,000,000 cash The taking over of the Tennessee Coal & Iron company during the panic A battle is reported at Acapulco in of 1907, he said, was confidential deal, which 83 Federals and an unknown put through by Mr. Morgan, and was

forced on him. Plans made by Mr. Carnegie in 1899 ports is at a standstill and great diffi- and 1900 to circle his steel interests culty is being experienced in loading with a railroad of his own and to comthan their proportion of the taxes on tion directing immediate steps to be and discharging by vessels calling at pete with the National Tube company, organized by Mr. Morgan, by the erection of a tube works at Ashtabula, O., were factors that led to the birth of the steel combine.

HEAT KILLS MANY.

Mississippi Valley States Suffer From Hot Wave.

Chicago, May 29 .- Full effects of the terrible heat wave were beginning reported to the police. In addition there were many prostrations, some of

is a cattleman and is inclined to give construction work on the 14 miles of He has arranged to construct a and was accompanied by dense humid-

Weather forecasters predict a break

At Toledo, O., two persons fell dead in the streets and at Evansville, Ind.,

Dispatches from other cities and for the sum of \$75,000. This tract of of the city water board, which has jety of tempting dishes, which can be towns tell similar stories. St. Louis land consists of 90 acres in fruit, 50 complete control of the electric plant, served either as a vegetable or as is experiencing record weather and the schools there will remain closed until the situation is relieved. In Pittsburg, Youngstown, O., Gary, New York—The sensational cut of \$3 Ind., and other industrial centers where large steel mills are located, work has been reduced -to the minimum, as men cannot endure the in-

At Milwaukee Frank Siebel, secre-

The health department and sanitary bureau had an unusually large number of men out today watching the venand decayed foodstuffs. The offenders are chiefly Italians and Greeks, who buy putrid meat and vegetables and sell the stuff in the tenement districts.

Ely Flirts With Ocean,

Eureka, Cal. - Eugene Ely, whose distinction as an aviator rests, to a American consul to protect Peruvian in alighting upon the deck of the batinterests at this place. The action of tleship Pennsylvania in San Francisco the mob and the rioting that followed bay, made what he termed one of the bered crags and rose and dipped above the breakers that roared over Hum-Vera Cruz, Mexico-General Diaz boldt bay bar. For nearly half an spent Sunday in quiet, denying him- hour he hung over the sea, while self to visitors with the exception of thousands of spectators watched him,

No Whiskers on Haggin's Ranch:

Lexington, Ky .- J. B. Haggin, the multi-millionaire owner of Elmendorf stock farm, has caused notices to be torney General Van Winkle it is held La Opinion, a local newspaper, has inemployes to be shaved every other day. Haggin believes that "whiskers" propagate dangerous microbes, and the Godollo, Hungary-Emperor Franz order is meant to affect particularly Josef has been attacked by senile de- employes in the dairy department. A cay, and his condition is giving the barber shop is being installed, and accompanying it is being erected a

Manitoba Has Snow Storm.

Winnipeg, Manitoba, May 28.-Five to choice heavy wethers, \$4.50@5; old migrants, even should such refusal four miles of macadam road this year, workmen. The management of the low at the beautiful royal palace at inches of snow was reported yesterday heavy wethers, \$4.00@5; old migrants, even should such release four miles of managements, even should such release four miles of Manitoba.