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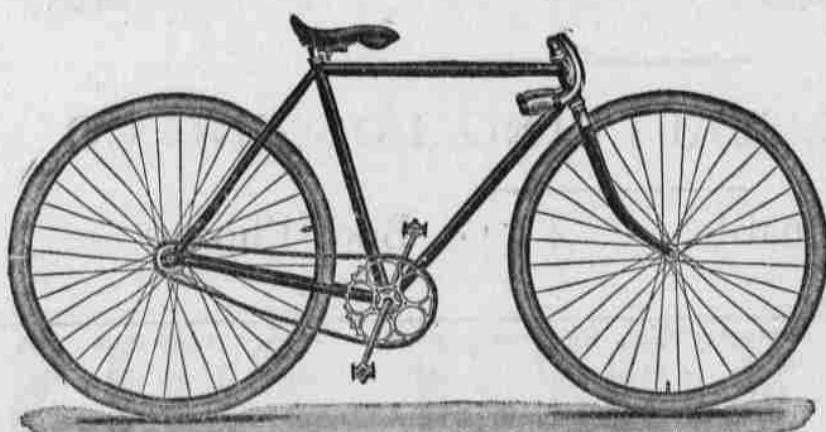
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CURRENT EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Doings of the World at Large Told in Brief.

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

Germany's reply to the arbitration proposal is reported to be favorable.

English troops have fired on strikers in Liverpool, and a general strike of transport workers has been called.

An 18-year-old girl was killed by falling 185 feet onto jagged rocks while climbing Mount Juneau, Alaska.

Boys in the Upper Willamette valley are making \$2 to \$3 per day picking fir cones with which the forestry department is reseeding burned-over lands.

The Southern Pacific has applied to the Interstate Commerce commission for permission to charge a higher rate of fare for passengers over the Siskiyou mountains.

A hungry Italian in Boston went to the immigration station and declared he believed he was suffering from cholera, but admitted later that he did it to get something to eat.

The husband of a rich Seattle woman disappeared from their hotel in Los Angeles with a handbag containing \$30,000 worth of gems and jewelry, and no trace of him can be found.

A Tacoma hotel keeper is under arrest because the sheets on his beds are not up to the legal size. He swears the linen has been shrunk by the laundries and refuses to put up bail.

Crowds were so great and so unruly at the registration for lands of the Berthold Indian reservation in North Dakota that the registrar threatened to put them out of the building on account of their violence.

President Taft will make a tour of the country this fall, including the Pacific Coast.

The strike of carmen in London, which threatened starvation to the city, has been settled.

Roosevelt freely admits having approved the steel merger while he was in office, saying it was the only way to avert a panic.

An American actor who lost his life in a London hotel fire, had a premonition of approaching death, and had all his business affairs arranged accordingly.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat—New crop—Bluestem, 81c; club, 77c; red Russian, 75c; valley, 77c.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$24.50@25 per ton; middlings, \$32; shorts, \$25.50@26; rolled barley, \$28@29.

Corn—Whole, \$33; cracked, \$34.

Barley—New, feed, \$25.50@26; brewing, \$30@31.

Oats—Old white, \$25 per ton; new, \$24.

Hay—Timothy, valley, \$15@16; alfalfa, \$11; clover, \$8.50@9; grain hay, \$10.

Fresh Fruits—Cantaloupes, \$1.25@2 per crate; peaches, 60c@1.25 per box; watermelons, 1@1.25 per pound; plums, 90c@1.75 per crate; prunes, \$1.75 per box; new apples, \$1.75@2.50 per box; raspberries, \$2@2.50; blackberries, \$1.75@1.90; pears, \$2@2.50 per box.

Vegetables—Beans, 5@10c; cabbage, \$2 per hundredweight; corn, 30c@40c per dozen; cucumbers, \$1@1.25 per box; egg plant, 10@12c per pound; garlic, 10@12c; lettuce, 30c@35c per dozen; hothouse lettuce, \$1.25@1.75 per box; peppers, 8@10c per pound; radishes, 14@2c per dozen; tomatoes, 90c@1.25 per box; new carrots, \$1.75 per sack; turnips, \$1.25; beets, \$1.75.

Potatoes—New Oregon, 14@15c per pound.

Onions—Walla Walla, \$1.75 per hundred.

Poultry—Hens, 16@16c; springs, 18@18c; ducks, young, 15c; geese, nominal; turkeys, nominal.

Eggs—Fresh Oregon ranch, candled, 27c per dozen.

Butter—City creamery extra, 1 and 2-pound prints, in boxes, 30c per pound; less than box lots, cartons and delivery extra.

Pork—Fancy, 10@10c per pound.

Veal—Fancy, 12@13c per pound.

Hops—1911 contracts, 30@32c per pound; 1910 crop, 29c; 1909 crop, 20@22c; olds, 13@17c.

Mohair—Choice, 36@37c per pound.

Cattle—Extra choice steers, \$5.75@6; good, \$5.25@5.50; choice cows, \$4.75@4.80; good, \$4.25@4.50; good, average 1050 pounds, \$4@4.25; common, \$2.75@3; choice heifers, \$4.75@5; choice bulls, \$3.50@3.75; choice calves, 200 pounds and under, \$7@7.25; good to choice, \$5.50@6; common, \$4@5; choice stags, \$4.50@4.75; good, \$4.25@4.50.

Hogs—Extra choice light hogs, \$7.85@8; choice heavy, \$7@7.25; heavy rough, \$6.25@6.50.

Sheep—Choice yearlings, wethers, coarse wool, \$3.25@3.50; choice yearling wethers, east of mountains, \$3.25@3.50; choice two and three, \$3@3.50; choice spring lambs, \$5.25@5.50; good to choice spring lambs, \$5@5.25; choice killing ewes, \$2.75@3.

TWO AVIATORS KILLED.

One Plunges to Bottom of Lake; Other Falls Into Pit.

Chicago—Two aviators, William R. Badger, of Pittsburg, and St. Croix Johnstone, of Chicago, both young men, lost their lives in the international aviation meet here.

Both accidents revealed the frailty of the machines in which the aviators were gliding about the air with scarcely a pause.

Badger, a wealthy young man, came to his death in a pit in the aviation field. There had been a flaw in one of the wings of the propeller of the Baldwin machine he drove.

Centrifugal force broke the propeller and upset the delicate equilibrium of the machine, and Badger dashed 100 feet to the bottom of the pit. His neck was broken.

Johnstone fell 500 feet under his engine and was drowned. Caught under the heavy engine in the Moisant monoplane, he was carried deep into Lake Michigan, and his body was not brought to the surface until an hour later.

Badger lived three-quarters of an hour after he had been extricated from the wrecked machine. He did not recover consciousness. Thirty-five flyers have dipped and glided here for three days, and this was the first fatal accident. Three aviators fell but were unhurt.

GERMANY IS FAVORABLE TO TREATY WITH U. S.

Washington—Almost in the same hour that the senate committee foreign relations reported Wednesday to the senate its convention that the recent negotiated arbitration treaties between this country and Great Britain and France were "breeders of bitterness and war," Germany, through its ambassador here, was announcing its desire to be a party to a similar arbitration compact with the United States.

Germany made known to Secretary Knox, through Ambassador Von Bernstorff, its acceptance of the general principles of arbitration as laid down in the secretary's draft, recently submitted. A few exceptions were noted, however, and Count Von Bernstorff will sail for Germany to consult his government further. He will return in October.

LIVERPOOL IN TERROR.

Soldiers and Mobs Have Pitched Battles in Streets.

Liverpool—A reign of terror exists here and troops are pouring into the city to put down disorder. A special guard has been detailed to protect the landing stage of the trans-Atlantic steamers which, it is asserted, the rioters have planned to destroy by fire.

Five prison vans escorted by 50 soldiers who were carrying riot prisoners from the police court to Waltham jail were attacked by 3,000 members of the roughest class in Vauxhall street. The mob threw missiles of every description and in defending themselves the hussars fired.

At first blanks were used by the soldiers, and then ball cartridges. One man was killed and many persons were severely wounded. The troops then charged with drawn sabers and cleared the street. So daring were the rioters that one of them tried to unhorse an officer, who was obliged to use his revolver, wounding the man severely.

Another less serious affray in which the troops were again compelled to fire took place in Bond street. Only a few persons were injured.

Insurance Probe Grows.

Detroit—More representatives of companies under investigation were quizzed by the special committee selected by the national convention of insurance commissioners to probe the methods of certain industrial insurance concerns doing business in the United States. The committee's report is expected to be ready Thursday or Friday. It is said that something in the nature of a report may be read at the national convention of state insurance commissioners in Milwaukee next week.

Forty-Three Rattlesnakes Bagged.

Spokane—Forty-three rattlesnakes were the result of a day's hunt in the Wilson Creek draw, near Wilson Creek, Wash., by Mat Ferral and Frank Lamphere, visitors from Kansas, and Bruce Webley, a rancher living north of Wilson Creek. The largest snake was four feet in length. The hides of several of the snakes measured six inches in width. The rattles taken from the reptiles half filled an ordinary shoe box.

Asylum Guards Caught.

Chicago—For a week three detectives have been "patients" at the Cook County asylum for the insane at Dunning. The result of their detention was seen Wednesday when President Bartzen, of the county board, suspended four attendants, charged with cruelty. The secret investigators, while confined with the insane, watched physicians, nurses and other attendants and made reports of their actions.

"Be Gentle" Editor Fights.

St. Louis—Albert Solomon, of this city, editor of the Humanitarian, in which he admonishes everybody to be kind and gentle, is under arrest on the charge of beating his wife and fighting with his brother-in-law. The brother-in-law is locked up on a cross charge of disturbing Solomon's peace.

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