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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.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw was elected president of the National Suffrage association.

Railroad earnings show an increase of 6.5 per cent over the same period a year ago.

Reports from the seat of war in Turkey declare the Bulgarians are fit for an indefinite siege of Constantinople.

Senator Isidor Rayner of Maryland, is dead, and as a result it is believed the Democrats may lose control of the senate.

Fire in the new auditorium of the Oregon state penitentiary caused damage amounting to several thousand dollars.

A Kansas school teacher, alone in Chicago and unable to secure a position, leaped from the 20th story of a skyscraper and was dashed to instant death.

Andrew Carnegie, at his 77th birthday dinner, says he has more faith in humanity than ever, and declares women have reached an almost angelic height.

A young Turkish woman in New York has married a Bulgarian diamond merchant of that city. Both have brothers in the opposing armies of their respective countries.

An explosion which wrecked the starch house of the Corn Products company, at Waukegan Ill., killed 12 people and injured 27, and caused a property loss of about \$100,000.

A logging train, with 700 pounds of giant powder on board, crashed through a trestle near Bandon, Or., killing three men outright and badly injuring all others on board, the explosion of the powder causing most of the damage.

The largest sauer kraut crop in years has been gathered at Fremont, Ohio, the center of the industry in the Middle West.

A Chicago woman who by mistake married a chauffeur, thinking it was his employer, says she will stand by her choice and be satisfied.

An overturned tar kettle caused a fire on the 47th floor of the new Woolworth building in New York City. Spectators blocked Broadway for an hour.

Two French airmen were killed in separate accidents in one day.

The death list from the recent hurricane in Jamaica has reached over 100.

State railway commissioners of the Pacific Coast have formed an organization.

The California citrus crop is said to be large and reasonable prices are expected.

Turkey rejects the peace terms offered by the allied Balkan states and renews the war.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Wheat—Track prices: Club, 77@78c; bluestem, 80@81c; 40-fold, 75c; red Russian, 75c; valley, 79c.

Corn—Whole, \$36; cracked, \$37, per ton.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$22.50 per ton; shorts, \$25; middlings, \$30.

Barley—Feed, \$24.50 per ton; brewing, nominal; rolled, \$27@28.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$26 per ton.

Hay—Timothy, choice, \$16.50@17 per ton; oat and vetch, \$12; alfalfa, \$12; clover, \$10; straw, \$6@7.

Fresh Fruits—Apples, 50c@1.50 per box; pears, 75c@1.50; grapes, \$1.25@1.40; cranberries, \$11.50 per barrel.

Onions—Oregon, 90c@1 per sack. Potatoes—Jobbing prices: Burbanks, 65c@75c per hundred; sweets, 1 1/2@2c pound.

Vegetables—Beans, 12c; cabbage, 1c; cauliflower, 40c@1.25 per dozen; celery, \$3.25@3.50 per crate; cucumbers, 50c@60c per dozen; eggplant, 10c per pound; head lettuce, \$2 per crate; sprouts, 8c; tomatoes, \$1.50 per box; garlic, 5@6c per pound; pumpkins, 1 1/2c.

Eggs—Fresh locals, candled, 40@43c dozen; Eastern, 27 1/2@32 1/2c.

Butter—Oregon creamery, cubes, 35c per pound; prints, 36@37c.

Pork—Fancy, 10@10 1/2c per pound.

Veal—Fancy, 12 1/2@13c per pound.

Poultry—Hens, 12c; broilers, 12@12 1/2c; turkeys, live, 19@20c; dressed, choice, 23@24c; ducks, 12@13c; geese, 12 1/2c.

Hops—1912 crop, prime and choice, 15@18c per pound.

Wool—Eastern Oregon, 14@18c per pound; valley, 21 1/2@22 1/2c; mohair, choice, 32c.

Cattle—Choice steers, \$7@7.25; good, \$6.50@6.85; medium, \$6@6.25; choice cows, \$6@6.25; good, \$5.50@5.75; medium, \$4.50@5.25; choice calves, \$7.50@8.50; good heavy calves, \$6@7; bulls, \$3@5; stags, \$5@6.

Hogs—Light, \$7.85@7.95; heavy, \$6.75@7.25.

Sheep—Yearlings, \$4.25@5; wethers, \$3.60@4.75; ewes, \$3@4; lambs, \$4@6.

PEACE IN EUROPE IN BALANCE

Servia Ignores Austrian Demands—Cholera Spreads.

Vienna—A rumor has spread here that the Austrian consul at Prirend, Prochaska, has been killed by Servian troops. There is no confirmation to this. The military journal says the Austrian squadron in Turkish waters has been ordered home.

London—The extreme anxiety manifested by all European governments to deny reports of warlike preparations and to represent the political situation as peaceful and satisfactory is in itself an indication of how slender a thread the issues of peace and war in Europe now hang.

The danger arises not alone from the conflicting interests of Austria, Servia and the other powers, but from the possibility that Turkey, following the traditional policy of profiting by the embroilment of the great powers, may adopt an irreconcilable attitude in the peace negotiations.

There appears to be a suspension of operations at the Tchatalja lines, apparently by tacit consent rather than by formal agreement.

The semi-official Bulgarian newspaper, Mir, editorially voices the governmental irritation at Turkey's dilatory methods of negotiation and accuses the ports of deliberately nominating delegates from remote parts in order to gain time.

In the diplomatic field the most important reports are that Servia declined to reply to the Austrian demands until the war is concluded and that Germany has not undertaken to mediate between Austria and Russia. The news that Servia is throwing further obstacles in the way of the Austrian representative in search of Prochaska, the Austrian consul at Prirend, is another disquieting feature.

Fighting continues around Adrianople, where the besieging forces are reported to have drawn their investing circle to within two-thirds of a mile of the town.

Already there are several hundred cases of cholera at Mustapha Pasha and the scourge has entered Bulgaria, telegraphs a correspondent.

The foreign doctors have met to consider what advice could be offered the governments respecting precautions against the spread of the disease.

The cholera, the correspondent adds, is raging at Adrianople and is spreading among the Servians.

REGISTER MEN ON TRIAL.

Government Probe Into Methods of National Cash Register.

Cincinnati—Henry B. James, an automobile salesman, the opening witness for the government in the case of President John H. Patterson and 20 other officials or former officials of the National Cash Register company, charged with violating the criminal section of the Sherman anti-trust act, occupied all of Wednesday's session in the case and was on the stand when court adjourned.

Letters to James from the company, purporting to show that "knockout" men were sent into James' territory at Detroit were admitted over strenuous objections by the defense.

James also testified that the Weyler Cash Register company, of Detroit, while refusing to sell out to the National company, sold out to some one he did not know, and that a short time afterwards the plant became known as the Detroit Cash Register company, with John H. Parson as president.

After operating about three months, according to James, during which inferior machines were produced, the company was dissolved and the plant was moved to the Dayton works of the National Cash Register company.

Famous Indian Scout Dead.

Pendleton, Or.—Tam-Ut-Sia-Kootch-Kootch, famous Indian scout, who was better known as "Red Hawk," died suddenly at his teepee on the Umatilla reservation. He was past 90 years of age, was present at the Whitman massacre and with his own eyes saw Marcus Whitman slain. He was a member of what is known as the Kash-Kash family, which early became friends of the whites, and "Red Hawk" himself rendered them valuable service as a scout. He was an elder in the Presbyterian church.

Aviator Makes Good Time.

St. Louis—Tony Jannus, the aviator, left here at 7 o'clock Thursday morning in his hydro-aeroplane for Cape Girardeau, Mo., arriving at Grand Tower, Jackson county, Illinois, in the afternoon. Darkness prevented him from continuing his flight. His first stop after leaving St. Louis was at Chester, Ill., 70 miles south, which he reached in one hour and 30 minutes. Jannus has covered 866 miles of the trip from Omaha to New Orleans.

Prisoner Lives on Apples.

Sioux City, Ia.—Andrew Gorchitz, of Newburgh, N. Y., after being a prisoner 13 days in a car of apples, into which he had crawled at Newburgh, was released when the car was opened here. His feet were frozen and may have to be amputated. He had eaten nearly a barrel of apples. He has a wife and five children in Hungary.

Chinese Mason Dies for Trust.

Los Angeles—Yee Chang gave his life for the records of the Los Angeles Chinese Masonic lodge, which are safe because of the bravery of Hueng Ark, 30, who removed them from a burning building after Yee's futile attempt. Hueng was not seriously injured. Yee, who was custodian of the lodge's archives, will be given a large funeral.

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Lv. PORTLAND	8:30 a. m.	8:40 a. m.	11:00 a. m.	2:15 p. m.
SALEM	8:30 a. m.	10:10 a. m.	1:00 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
E. Independence	8:52 a. m.	10:27 a. m.	1:17 p. m.	4:37 p. m.
ALBANY	9:40 a. m.	11:10 a. m.	2:00 p. m.	5:20 p. m.
HARRISBURG	10:45 a. m.	12:01 p. m.	3:10 p. m.	
Junction City	10:55 a. m.	12:10 p. m.	3:20 p. m.	
Ar. EUGENE	11:30 a. m.	12:40 p. m.	4:00 p. m.	

North Bound.

	Local.	Local.	Limited.
Lv. EUGENE	11:00 a. m.	1:30 p. m.	
Junction City	11:36 a. m.	2:00 p. m.	
HARRISBURG	11:46 a. m.	2:09 p. m.	
ALBANY	8:00 a. m.	1:00 p. m.	3:00 p. m.
E. Independence	8:37 a. m.	1:42 p. m.	3:41 p. m.
SALEM	8:55 a. m.	2:00 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
Ar. PORTLAND	11:00 a. m.	4:00 p. m.	5:30 p. m.

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