DOINGS OF THE WEEK

Current Events of Interest Gathered From the World at Large.

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

Senator Stephenson, of Wisconsin admits he spent \$107,000 to be elected The czar of Russia is steadily growing in popularity with the poorer

San Francisco has begun a war on bucket shops, and landed 20 at the

Sixty thousand Arabs have joined the Turkish forces in Tripoli and a desperate war seems probable.

President Markham, of the Illinois Central, is said to be the best poker player, as well as the best railroader, in the Middle West.

The Southern California conference of the Methodist church urges the abolition of the rules against cards, dancing and theaters.

One man was killed and three badly hurt in a riot when strikebreakers disembarked to go to work in the rail-road shops at Houston.

Workmen cannot be had to search the ruins at Austin, Pa., for bodies, and it is feared the ruins will have to be burned for sanitary reasons.

The Kubak river in Alaska, supposed to be a small stream, has been found to be navigable for 300 miles, and for small craft at least 200 miles

A fund of \$20,000,000 for govern ment irrigation work is available on demand of the secretary of the interior, yet not a cent can be obtained by Western projects, and steps are being taken to find out why.

Bellingham, Wash., experienced distinct shock of earthquake Thursday

Governor Dix, of New York, urges the repeal of the law which legalizes

A French admiral believes that de composing powder was responsible for the fire and explosion which destroyed the battleship Liberte.

enforcing the regulations against the importation of colored tea.

Jonh D. claims that his attention was directed to the possibilites of the oil business by the porter of the store where he began work as clerk 56

Persian rebels lost 600 in a battle with government troops.

President Taft in a speech in Iowa, delcared that the war against trusts McMinnville, Or., will present President Taft with ten pounds of the

choicest selected Yamhill county wal-

Residents of Honolulu greatly fear the introduction of mosquitoes from Central American ports, believing ident that the railroads expect to dethey will bring yellow fever and ma- feat the plan of the commission to mention of resistance and a mere prolaria which are now unknown in the

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat-Export basis: Bluctsem 851@87c; club, 82c; red Russian 80c; valley 82; 40-fold, 82@83c; fife, 82c. Millstuffs - Bran, \$24.50@25 per ton; middlings, \$32; shorts, \$5.50@ 26; rolled barley, \$33.50@34.50. Corn—Whole, \$33; cracked, \$34 per

Barley-New feed, \$31@32 per ton; brewing, \$37.

Oats-New white, \$29 per ton. Hay-No. 1 Eastern Oregon timothy, \$16@17.50; No. 1 valley, \$15@ grain hay, \$10@10.50.

Poultry-Hens, 14@15c; springs, 14@15e; ducks, young, geese, 11c; turkeys, 18@19c. Butter -- Oregon creamery, solid

pack, 31c; prints, extra. Eggs-Fresh Oregon ranch, candled,

Pork-Fancy, 101@11c. Veal-Fancy, 13@13½c per pound. Fresh Fruits — Cantaloupes, 50c@ \$1.50 per crate; peaches, 50@65c per watermelons, 75c@\$1.25 per hundred; plums, 50@75c per crate; prunes, 1½@2c per pound; pears, \$1 es and bring with their possession. County Prosecutor @1.25 per box; grapes, 80c@\$1.15 Frank P. Baker said the evidence was per box; apples, \$1@2.50; huckleberries, 8c pound.

Vegetables - Artichokes, 75c per dozen; beans, 5@10c; cabbages, \$1.50@2 hundred; corn, 25@30c dozen; cucumbers, \$1@1.25 sack; eggplant, 5@8e pound; garlie, 10@12e pound; lettuce, 40@50c dozen; hothouse lettuce, \$1.25@1.75 box; peppers, 5@6c pound; radishes, 121c dozen; sprouts, 8c pound; tomatoes, 50c ful whether there has been any actual @\$2.25 box; carrots, \$1.25 per sack; turnips, \$1; beets, \$1.75.

Potatoes-Oregon, 11c per pound; sweet potatoes, 21c. Onions-California, \$1.50 hundred. Hops-1911 crop, 33c; olds, nominal.

Wool-Eastern Oregon, 9@16c per pound, according to shrinkage; valley, 17c; mohair, choice, 36@371c. Cattle-Choice steers, \$5.25@5.45; good, \$5@5.25; fair, \$4.75@5; medium, \$4.50@4.75; poor, \$3.75@4.50; choice spayed heifers, \$4.40@4.60; the railroad says that 40 men are at choice heifers, \$4.25@4.40; choice bulls, \$3.25@3.50; good, \$2.75@3. 475 men are out than a count want bookings for forward delivery, custo-foreign sugar. It is said that its importation will not affect the local market. The value of the shipment is common, \$2@2.50; choice calves, \$7.15@7.25; good, \$7@7.15; com-

4.75; good, \$4.25@4.50. Hogs-Choice light hogs, \$7.50@ 7.75 good to choice, \$7.50@7.60; fair, \$7.25@7.50; common \$7@7.25.

Choice yearling wethers coarse wool, \$3.65@4; choice yearling wethers east of mountains, \$3.35 over the Illinos Central were stoned by a mob as they passed through Mo3.25; choice lambs, \$4.60@4.80; comb, Miss. Windows were broken choice yearlings, \$4.50@4.75; good to and several of the men were injured to learn that Italy has declared of whom were women. He was specifically charged with short changing done everything to avoid war, but now an old man out of \$80. The jury was out but five minutes, finding him guilchoice lambs, \$4.25@4.50; culls \$2.50 by broken glass or by being hit with sured that Turkey will not hesitate to ty as charged. The verdict was unan-

MADERO IS CHOSEN.

Mexican Leader Elected President Without Opposition,

Mexico City-Francisco I. Madero was officially chosen by the people of Mexico as their president at the na-tional elections. The election of Madero was little more than a formality, as he was the only candidate in the field, following the withdrawal of General Reyes, and interest centered

in the choice for the vice presidency.

Madero himself, in a statement, declared that there was no doubt that his candidate for the vice presidency, Jose Pino Suarez, of Yucatan, had re ceived a plurality of the votes. Official figures on the number of ballots cast, cannot be obtained as yet. Madero based his conclusion on information received from various parts of the republic.

According to late reports received

here, the Madero-Suarez ticket was defeated in the state of Chihuahua by the Madero-Gomez ticket. At Torreon, Reyistas and partisans of Gomez refrained from voting, leaving a clear field for the Madero-Suarez ticket. A

heavy vote was polled. Estimates of the results of the balloting at Tampico show a majority for Madero and Suarez, notwithstanding

that this is Gomez' state. The 120 electors from the districts of Bravos, Galeana, Iturbide, Cambargo and one-half of Benito Juarez, em-bracing one-fourth of the state of Chihuahua, will be unanimous for Madero for president, and for Governor Abram Gonzales of Chihuahua for vice president.

As Gonzales is not a candidate, the vote will ultimately probably be given to Dr. Francisco Vasquez Gomez. At Puebla Madero and De la Barra

STRIKE RIOT FATAL.

There were no disorders.

received a majority of the vote.

One Dead and Three Hurt When Strikebreakers Reach Houston.

Houston, Tex. - One of the men guarding the shops of the Southern Pacific railroad, is dead; another is shot and seriously wounded; a special guard is badly cut and bruised, and Captain S. D. Sisk, special guard, bads bettered these bady battered these are the results of a melee that followed the disembarking shortly after midnight of tance, but this is only an assumption, termined not to be captured. They strikebreakers brought from New Or- as immediately on landing the Italians steamed bravely on the rocks off Preleans to replace employes in the Hous-ton shops of the Harriman lines now A Constantinople dispatch makes no drowned.

Conflicting statements are made a to the responsibility for the affray.

Salt Lake City-The Oregon Short Line railroad took the offensive Mon-Tea merchants are greatly agitated day for the first time since the fed-over the action of this government in erated shopmen left their jobs last A circular letter was issued to the striking shopmen promis-ing them employment if they returned to work on or before Wednesday, but stating that those who did not return then need never apply for further employment with the road.

The strikers claim that the shops are in a crippled condition, and say that they are in a position to stand long siege.

RATE RULING EVADED.

Railroads Strive to Get Around Recent Decision.

Washington, D. C.-By means of new rates filed with the Interstate Commerce commission it becomes ev-

Proposed new rates, instead of lowthe commission, are made to conform Mahmoud Shefket Pasha. to the relative requirements of the decision by raisingthe rate to the Coast. For example, after November 1 it will cost \$14 more to ship first class freight from New York to San Fran-

isco and other Pacific Coast points. Two months ago the commission. onstruing the amended long and short-haul section, decided that from the Missouri river to interior points the rate might be no higher than to 15.50; alfalfa, \$12.50; clover, \$9; Pacific Coast terminals. From Chicago it might be 7 per cent higher, from Pittsburg 15 to 25 per cent.

> Both Demand Dynamite. Indianapolis, Ind. - The question whether dynamite and detonating apparatus seized by the police here on the arrest of John J. McNamara would be taken to Los 'Angeles, to be used in the trial of the McNamara brothers, arose when subpoenas were received by police officials them to appear in court at Los Angelneeded here in a case pending against John J. McNamara and W. J. Burns

News Is Uncertain.

London-Out of a maze of conflict ing reports and rumors, it is utterly impossible to sift the grains of truth Turko-Italian war. It appears doubtbombardment or occupation of Tripoli. It seems also certain that the reported destruction of the Turkish fleet is untrue. In fact, the only result of the first three days' hostilities for which it can be vouched is the destruction of the Turkish destroyers by the Duke d' Abruzzi's ships,

Salt Lake, Utah-The strike situation on the Oregon Short Line remains turbancs, and the railroad was operat- the importation is \$300,000. ing trains on schedule time. Railroad choice stags, \$4.50@ officials at Ogden say they will not hire any new men for the present. About 400 men went out Saturday.

Jackson, Miss.-A carload of strikedo her duty.'

ITALY MAKES WAR ON TURKS

fleet has blockaded the Tripolitan TROOPS ARE LANDED There are unconfirmed reports that

Warships Drive Turkish Transports On Rocks.

Italian Squadron Blockades Port of Tripoli, Which Refuses to Surrender on Demand.

London-A state of war exists between Italy and Turkey, and hostilities have begun. No sooner had the time limit fixed by the ultimatum expired than, ignoring the Turkish conciliatory request for delay, Italy de-

clared war. The Turkish representa-tives in Italy received their passports. The Turkish commander at Tripoli was asked to surrender the town, but



declined, and the Italian forces immediately occupied Tripoli and Benghazi. Apparently the Turks offered no resis-

According to Italian advices, the overnment plans to land 40,000 men n Tripoli by October 7. No bombardment will be attempted unless the property of Italians or other foreigners is endangered. It is understood the Italian ministers have elaborated a scheme for the administration of

Crete and is massing troops on the

The greatest activity ensued on the receipt of news that war had been

declared and notification of a blockade

was sent out. It is understood the var-

ious governments will receive the cus-

tomary neutrality notices and will de-

vote their diplomatic efforts to bring

hostilities to an end and especially to

avoiding complications in the Balkans

Thessalonian frontier.

abolition of many taxes now imposed on the Tripolitans. Prevesa-When Italian gunboats encountered two Turkish transports with 2,000 troops aboard, the transports desteamed bravely on the rocks off Pre-



lower freight rates to Spokane, Salt test by the governor would be in line destroyed a Turkish destroyer in the Lake and other intermountain points with Turkey's announced policy.

The Turkish cabinet resigned when ed troops. The Turkish authorities at troops to war was declared, and a new ministry are sending a battalion of troops to ering tariffs to intermountain points was formed under Said Pasha, but re- Prevesa. to bring them within the ruling of taining the former able war minister, Constantinople-News reached there from the city of Tripoli to the effect

Big Sugar Cargo Comes.

"Turkey Will Do Her Duty."

that a large Italian cruiser had gone ashore there. Paris-The Matin's Athens correspondent says that the telegraph officials at Vonitza, Greece, telegraphs to the government that a naval battle occurred off Prevesa at 2 o'clock in the

afternoon. Tripoli-The Italian squadron which has been standing in the offing came close to shore this morning and the destroyer Garibaldi steamed into the harbor flying a white flag. After reconnoitering, the destroyer demanded the surrender of the entire garrison. The Turkish commander replied that he was unable to comply with the demand and emphatically refused to surrender. The destroyer then retired and rejoined the fleet.

Italians Enthused By War.

Chiasso, Switzerland - Dispatches from larger Italian cities tell of much enthusiasm over the expedition to Tripoli, the regiments composing which are now centered at various Turkey continues efforts to secure ports. All the officers have volunintervention by the powers. In the teered for service, but those who will meantime Italy is actively pursuing take part in the expedition are to be hostilities. Italian battleships are re- chosen by lot. Larger contingents of impossible to sift the grains of truth concerning the opening days of the ported to have appeared off Smyrna troops and carabineers are occupying and Salonika. An Italian cruiser landed troops at ian fleet is expected to have Prevesa, after destroying a Turkish the whole coast from Tripoli through torpedo boat destroyer, and the Italian Benghazi to Derna by Sunday.

Steel Trust Chief Talks.

San Francisco - The largest ship-New York-Judge Gary, chairman nent of foreign sugar ever received in of the United States Steel corpora-California entered San Francisco bay tion, following a meeting of the di-Saturday morning. It was sent from rectors and finance committee of the Piled at her knee, her white hands the East Indies. The sugar was im- corporation Wednesday afternoon, isported for the use of fruit canners, sued the following statement: who, it is said, cannot get Hawaiian isting conditions are affecting business sugar in exchange for canned goods to the extent that, instead of contract Open wide on her lap lay the wellning upwards of 30,000 tons a day.'

Belleport, L. I .- The Turkish am-Tacoma-Reginald H. Boyer, alias bassador, Zia Pasha, expressed aston- Fagin, who is alleged by the police to ishment when informed at his summer have been conducting a school for home Saturday that Italy had declared a state of war between Italy and Tur- was convicted of grand larceny in the

The Courtship of Miles Standish Turkey intends to send an ultimatum to Greece to abandon her claims on

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All the dreams that had faded, and

tenantless mansion,

flercely he said it:

the plow look backward;

mercy endureth for ever!"

by his step on the threshold,

hand, in signal of welcome,

there singing and spinning.

heard your step in the passage;

sorrowful faces.

The Lover's Errand

So the strong will prevailed, and Al den went on his errand, Out of the street of the village, and into the paths of the forest, Into the tranquil woods, where blue birds and robins were building Towns in the populous trees, with

hanging gardens of verdure, Peaceful, aerial cities of joy and affection and freedom. All around him was calm, but within him commotion and conflict,

Love contending with friendship, and self with each generous impulse To and fro in his breast his thoughts were heaving and dashing. As In a foundering ship, with every roll of the vessel.

Washes the bitter sea, the merciless surge of the ocean! 'Must I relinquish it all" he cried with a wild lamentation,

'Must I relinquish it all, the joy, the hope, the illusion? Was it for this I have loved, and waited, and worshiped in silence? Was it for this I have followed the flying feet and the shadow

Over the wintry sea, to the desolate shores of New England? Tripoli with the Duke of Abruzzi as Truly the heart is deceitful, and out first governor. Among the first acts of its depths of corruption of the new government will be the Rise, like an exhalation, the misty phantoms of passion; . Angels of light they seem, but are

only delusions of Satan. All is clear to me now; I feel it, I it distinctly! This is the hand of the Lord; it is laid upon me in anger,

For I have followed too much the heart's desires and devices, Worshiping Ashtoreth blindly, impious idols of Baal. This is the cross I must bear; the sin and the swift retribution." So through the Plymouth woods John

Alden went on his errand; Crossing the brook at the ford, where it brawled over pebble and shal-Gathering still, as he went, the May-

flowers blooming around him, Fragrant, filling the air with a strange and wonderful sweetness, Children lost in the woods and cov ered with leaves in their slumber. Puritan flowers," he said, "and the type of Puritan maidens,

Modest and simple and sweet, the very type of Priscilla! So I will take them to her; to Priscilla the May-flower of Plymouth, Modest and simple and sweet, as parting gift will I take them; Breathing their silent farewells, as they fade and wither and perish, Soon to be thrown away, as is the

heart of the giver." through the Plymouth woods John Alden went on his errand; Salonika - An Italian cruiser has Came to an open space, and saw the

harbor of Prevesa in Epirus and land- Sailless, somber and cold with the comfortless breath of the Saw the new-built house, and people at work in a meadow; Heard, as he drew near the door, the

> musical voice of Priscilla Singing the hundredth Psalm, the grand old Puritan anthem Music that Luther sang to the sacred words of the Psalmist,



Through the Plymouth Woods John Alden Went.

Full of the breath of the Lord, con soling and comforting many. Then, as he opened the door, he be held the form of the maiden Seated beside her wheel, and the carded wool like a snow-drift feeding the ravenous spindle,

While with her foot on the treadle she guided the wheel in its motion worn psalm-book of Ainsworth, Printed in Amsterdam, the words and music together.

Rough-hewn, angular notes, like stones in the wall of a churchyard, Darkened and overhung by the running vine of the verses. Such was the book from whose pages she sang the old Puritan anthem.

She, the Puritan girl, in the solitude of the forest, Making the humble house and the modest apparel of homespun Beautiful with her beauty, and rich with the wealth of her being!

Over him rushed, like a wind that is keen and cold and relentless, Thoughts of what might have been and the weight and woe of his er-

ly have said it more bluntly. Mute with amazement and sorrow,

Priscilla, the Puritan maiden, oked into Alden's face, her eyes dilated with wonder, Feeling his words like a blow, that stunned her and rendered ber

blurted it out like a schoolboy

en the Captain himself could hard

speechless; Till at length she exclaimed, interrupting the ominous silence:
"If the great Captain of Plymouth is so very enger to wed me,

Why does he not come himself, and take the trouble to woo me? If I am not worth the woolng, I surely am not worth the winning! Then John Alden began explaining

and smoothing the matter, Making it worse as he went, by say-ing the Captain was basy-Had no time for such things; -such

all the hopes that had vanished, All his life henceforth a dreary and things! the words grating harshly Fell on the ear of Priscilla; and swift Haunted by vain regrets, and pailid, as a flash she made answer: Has he no time for such things, as Still he said to himself, and almost you call it, before he is married,

Would he be likely to find it, or make "Let not him that putteth his hand to it, after the wedding? That is the way with you men; you Though the plowshare cut through the flowers of life to its fountains, don't understand us, you can not. When you have made up your minds, Though it pass o'er the graves of the after thinking of this one and dead and the hearths of the living,

that one. It is the will of the Lord; and His Choosing, selecting, rejecting, com paring one with another, Then you make known your desire, with abrupt and sudden avowal, hum of the wheel and the singing

And are offended and hurt, and indig-Suddenly ceased; for Priscilla, aroused nant perhaps, that a woman Does not respond at once to a love Rose as he entered, and gave him her that she never suspected,

Does not attain at a bound the height Saying, "I knew it was you, when I to which you have been climbing. For I was thinking of you, as I sat This is not right nor just: for surely a woman's affection

Awkward and dumb with delight, that Is not a thing to be asked for, and a thought of him had been mingled had for only the asking. Thus in the sacred psaim, that came When one is truly in love, one not



from the heart of the maiden. Silent before her he stood, and gave Had he but walted a while, had he her the flowers for an answer, Finding no words for his thought. He Even this Captain of yours-who remembered that day in the winter.

After the first great snow, when he Old and rough as he is; but now it broke a path from the village, Reeling and plunging along through the drifts that encumbered the

doorway, Stamping the snow from his feet as he entered the house, and Priscilla Laughed at his snowy locks, and gave him a seat by the fireside. Grateful and pleased to know he had

in vain had he spoken; Now it was all too late; the golden mo ment had vanished! he stood there abashed, and gave

thought of her in the snow-storm

her the flowers for an answer. Then they sat down and talked of the birds and the beautiful spring-

morrow.

have been thinking all day," said Combed and wattled gules, and all the gently the Puritan maiden Dreaming all night, and thinking all He was a man of honor, of noble ar day, of the hedge-rows of Eng-

They are in blossom now, and the country is all like a garden; Thinking of lanes and fields, and the song of the lark and the linnet, Seeing the village street, and familiar faces of neighbors

to gossip together, And, at the end of the street, the village church, with the ivy Climbing the old gray tower, and the quiet graves in the churchyard. Kind are the people I live with, and

Going about as of old. and stopping

Still my heart is so sad, that I wish myself back in Old England. You will say it is wrong, but I can not help it: I almost Wish myself back in Old England, I

feel so 'onely and wretched.'

Thereupon answered the youth: "In deed I do not condemn you; Stouter hearts than a woman's have qualled in this terrible winter. Yours is tender and trusting, and needs a stronger to lean on;

So I have come to you now, with an an offer and proffer of marriage Made by a good man and true, Miles Standish, the Captain of Ply-

Thus he delivered his message, the dexterous writer of letters-Did not embellish the theme, nor ar ray it in beautiful phrases.

only says it, but shows it. only showed that he loved me, knows?-at last might have won

never can happen.

Still John Alden went on, unheeding the words of Priscilla. Urging the suit of his friend, explain ing, persuading, expanding; Spoke of his courage and skill, and of all his battles in Flanders, How with the people of God he had

chosen to suffer affliction. Had he but spoken then, perhaps not How, in return for his zeal, they had made him Captain of Plymouth: He was a gentleman born, could trace his pedigree plainly Back to Hugh Standish of Duxbury Hall, in Lancashire, England

Who was the son of Ralph, and the the grandson of Thurston de Heir unto vast estates, of which he was basely defrauded. the Mayflower that sailed on the Still bore the family arms, and had for his crest a cock argent

> generous nature; Though he was rough, he was kindly: she knew how during the winter

> He had attended the sick, with a hand as gentle as woman's; Somewhat hasty and hot, he could no deny it, and headstrong, Stern as a soldier might be, but

> hearty, and placable always, Not to be laughed at and scorned, be cause he was little of stature; For he was great of heart, magnantmous, courtly, courageous; Any woman in Plymouth, nay, any

> woman in England, Might be happy and proud to be called the wife of Miles Standish!

But as he warmed and glowed, in his simple and eloquent language. Quite forgetful of self, and full of the praise of his rival,

Archly the maiden smiled, and, with eyes overrunning with laughter, Said in a tremulous voice, "Why don't you speak for yourself, John?"
(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Quaker Slang.

A visitor to Philadelphia, unfamilfar with the garb of the Society of Friends, was much interested in two demure and placid Quakeresses who took seats directly behind her in the Broad street station. After a few minutes' silence she was somewhat startled to hear a gentle voice inquire: "Sister Kate, will thee go to the counter and have a milk punch But came straight to the point, and on me?"-Lippincott's.