# **EVENTS OF THE DAY**

**Newsy Items Gathered from All** Parts of the World.

### PREPARED FOR THE BUSY READER

Less Important but Not Less Interesting Happenings from Points Outside the State.

A new gold field has been found in Nevada and a stampede is on.

A prominent New York physician says the depravity of Gotham's children exceeds that of ancient Sodom.

Three men were fatally injured by Okla.

The forty-first annual convention of the National American Women's Suffrage association will meet at Seattle he was too weak to tie it about his own July 7.

New Mexico wool growers have just

Specialists have found that Harriman's heart and kidneys are affected and ill health may compel him to quit business.

A violent earthquake in Southern France did much damage to property. A number of persons are reported killed and many injured.

Two \$50 gold pieces minted in 1877 have just been sold for \$10,000 each. They are the only \$50 pieces over minted by the government.

A New York legislative committee is to study the direct primary laws of the various states with a view of recommending the best plan for that state. Double tracking of the Northern Pa-

cific line from Portland to Tacoma has commenced. The dismembered body of a mar has

been found in New York bearing the deadly sign of the Black Hand.

Dr. Charles Ephraim Rice, formerly assistant to Dr. Hale, died at almost the same time as his one-time chief.

A large force of men is working hard to make repairs in the Soo canal wrecked by a steamer a few days ago.

Safety appliances will be installed at Panama to prevent accidents to the big ditch like the one which damaged the Soo locks,

A government meat inspector at St. Louis has resigned in disgust. He says the inspection is a farce and a useless expenditure.

It has been proven that in the selection of jurors at Chicago men with whiskers stand a poor chance of being selected, owing to prejudice.

The Spanish liner Antonio Lopez has grounded off Fire island, New York. The passengers were all saved but it is

tival.

## DROWNS IN NIAGARA.

Man All But Dies in Effort to Save Suicide Wife.

Ningara Falls, N. Y., June 8.-Anron Cohen, of Buffalo, N. Y., saw his young wife leap into the swirling river between Second and Third Sisters islands today, only 150 feet above the brink of the cataract.

Without a moment's hesitation, he followed her, caught her hand, and struggled desperately to save her. consideration was postponed until June Mrs. Cohen probably died in her hus- 18 by a vote of 45 to 34. This action band's arms,

Before it was possible to bring efficient help an hour had passed. All this time Cohen was making frantic at- brought to bear against the proposed tempts to reach the shore. But the struggle against the current-at this bill. Aldrich declared that he knew of point it is about 20 miles an hour-was beyond his power. Fortune aided him, however. With

his wife tightly clasped to him, he he got a grip with his one free hand.

There he stayed and shouted for help. Finally word was carried to the resthe collapse of a bridge being erected ervation police, and Policeman James of hides was postponed for later con-over the Cimaron river near Guthrie, Martin and three other men with ropes sideration. An amendment offered by hurried to the scene. Three times they Dick admitting miners' safety applithrew a rope before it fell within ances free until January 1, 1912, was Cohen's grasp. When he did catch it, agreed to as amended by Culberson,

or his wife's waist. The two were 20 feet away from shore, and it was extremely difficult, tion of free refined petroleum. Orange sold 700,000 pounds of their product at owing to the precarious nature of the oil was stricken from the free list and a price said to be over 20 cents per footing, to make a good cast. Pinned nut oil and oil of nuts were placed on pound. It. The restriction on the value of oils water, all the strength had gone out of admitted free to 60 cents a gallon was Cohen, and he had been unable to keep stricken out and paim kernel was added

his wife's face above water. Once Cohen had hold of the rope, the cluded in the free list. men ashore began to pull. Martin, who was in front, slipped and fell into the stream, but quickly regained his footing. When within 15 feet of the shore, Cohen lost his grip on his wife's body, and it was carried down stream down to defeat in their efforts to break

### BRUTES TORTURE WOMEN.

and was lost to view.

Put Lighted Candles on Soles of Feet in Effort to Get Money.

Pittsburg, June 8 .- The work of obbers today at Belmont, Pa., near this city, has so aroused the community that a lynching is threatened if the

men are captured. Five men, all masked, broke into the home of Mrs. Minnie Ashe, 90 years old, and ransacked the place. With the aged woman were her daughter, Mrs. Mary Ober, 60 years old, and her granddaughter. Miss Minnie Ober, 23 poned until tomorrow.

years of age. The men found only \$3.50 in the house, and, believing there was more, bound the three women and tortured them. They used picture wire in fastening the women to chairs. Then they held lighted candles to their bare feet.

BIG ARCTIC HUNT PLANNED.

### Ten Austrians Charter a 2400-Ton Steamer for Expedition.

Seattle, June 8.-Dr. Hans von Kadich and Leo Mahler, of Vienna, left here tonight for Vancouver to prepare the steamer Transit, which has been chartered by Rudolph R, von Guttman, a wealthy coal operator of Vienna, for The passengers were all saved but it is probable that the vessel will be lost. Castro is organizing a filibustering expedition against Venezuela. It is estimated that 85,000 people visited Portlannd during the Rose fes-tival

secure new specimens for Herr von ments and announced his intention of

# **PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS IN BRIEF**

### Friday, June II.

Washington, June 11 .- The income tax shared with the wool schedule the senate's attention today, and after discussion of an hour or more its further was the result of a motion made by Aldrich, which followed a charge by Bailey that undue influence was being income tax amendment to the tariff no such effort, but pleaded for the postponement of the question until the schedules should be disposed of.

It was agreed to admit animals for bumked into a tree stump, and on this breeding free of duty and an amendment offered by Aldrich putting fruit in brine on the free list was adopted. The consideration of the free entry eliminating the restriction as to the time.

It was decided to pass over the ques-

to the list. Oleostearine was also in

### Thursday June 10.

Washingon, June 10.-Time and time again today Dolliver and others of the so-called progressive Republicans went the ranks of the Aldrich forces on the wool schedule of the tariff bill. Dolliver offered numerous amendments looking to the reduction of the finance committee's rates, but in each instance the amendment was voted down and the committee sustained.

The debate throughout the day was good-natured and Dolliver seemed to have real feeling over the possible tears in the eyes of the Irish potsto. The wool schedule occupied the at-

tention of the senate throughout the entire day and on this account consid-eration of the proposed income tax, which had been set for today was post-

Wednesday, June 9. Washington, June 9 .- The woolen schedule of the tariff bill was still under consideration by the senate today when the recess for dinner was taken. The committee amendment increasing the house rate on wool tops and other wastes from 20 cents a pound to 30 sents a pound was adopted by a vote of 40 to 30. This was a finance commit-tee change and the committee scored its usual majority. Gamble and Craw-ford deserted the "progressives," but with these exceptions the ranks of the contingent remained unbroken. The

committee amendment increasing the duty on shoddy from 20 cents a pound to 25 cents, and that on tops from 8 to 20 cents also prevailed, by 42 to 31.

### Tuesday, June 8.

Washington, June 8 .- Much good humor and pleasantries were injected into the debate on the woolen schedule in the senate today. Dolliver, the central figure, offered several amend-

against a duty of 50 per cent ad valorem on cotton tapestry and jacquard figured goods as affording too much protection to American manufacturers. Aldrich then offered an amendment making the rate of 40 per cent ad valorem on goods valued at more than \$1. These rates were adopted.

### Saturday, June 5.

Washington, June 5 .- After devoting the larger portion of the day to listening to a discussion of the cotton cloth schedule, the senate entered upon a period of voting late in the afternoon and rapidly disposed of the entire sub-

ject of changing from ad valorem to specific duties for the purpose of pre-venting under-valuation. On all votes taken the finance committee was sustained by a majority of from 10 to 11. Three votes were necessary to accom plish the result and others would have been necessary but for Bacon, who seeing the fatility of opposing the committee, suggested the grouping of the votes after the first two ballots had been taken. This was unanimously agreed to, with the result that so much was accomplished that a night session was not held.

### Shake-up Badly Needed.

Washington, June 8.-Although con-ditions existing at the United States naval academy at Annapolis are giving the navy department officials much concern, it is not considered probable that Secretary Meyer will adopt radical corrective measures until Captain Bowyer relieves Captain Badger as superintendent this month.

The recent report of a board of five naval officers specially detailed at the academy, which was in substance that physical exercises now in vogue were responsible for poor physiques common among recent graduates and midshipmen, has been borne out in a measure by the failure of 43 out of 180 midshipmen to graduate this year on account of physical disability. Most of those who failed, however, were rejected, it is said, because of defective eyesight.

### Turkey Makes Strong Denial.

Washington, June 8.-Emphatic de nial was entered today at the Turkish embassy to reports that 20,000 or 30,-000 persons had been killed in the recent troubles in Asiatic-Turkey. It was declared unusual efforts were being made to punish those responsible for the disorders. Deep regret was expressed that exaggerated reports had been printed in certain newspapers concerning the disorders. In contradiction of the reports, it was stated in the last official news that victime would not exceed 4,000. Not only had the minister of the interior asked for the appropriation of \$150,000 to aid the victims, it was stated, but the government, on its own responisbility, had

### Congress Begins to See End.

Washington, June 8.-Having acted upon most of the vexed problems in the cotton schedule last week, the senate expects to complete this schedule on Monday or Tuesday. This will bring the senate face to face with the woolen schedule, which is virtually a re-enactment of the Dingley rates but neversenators.

### AIRSHIP RUNS AWAY.

Inventor Drives Damaged Craft to Earth and Slides Down Rope. East St. Louis, Ill., June 7 .- A cast-

way in the skiet through the breaking Winner of Balloon Race Shows of his guide rope, which formed his only connection with the earth, and later an areonaut on the ground, with his ship floating away through space, pursued on the ground by an automo-bile, Claude M. Zellers, a one-legged MAY BREAK DISTANCE RECORD inventor, tonight contributed new pages to the history of aeronautics.

In a machine of no tpye known to aeronautics, invented by William Smith, a cattle-dealer, and described as the largest aeroplane in the world, Zellers flew from East St. Louis this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. When 100 feet up the guide rope became entangled in an apple tree and anapped, leaving the aviator a castaway. He sailed 40 miles in a zigzag course and succeeded in making a hazardous landing at Belleville, 20 miles from where he started.

Zellers was unable to stop his machinery, but pointed the nose of his craft toward the ground and allowed it to shoot down like a meteor until the end of the broken rope trailed on the ground. Just as Zellers slid down the ground. Just as Zellers slid down the earth in Tennessee and had taken on rope, a distance of 70 feet, it broke water and proceeded toward the south. and the dirigible, its engines going full speed, soared into the sky without a pilot.

Zellers pursued the bag for a time in an automobile, but could not keep up with it.

## TRAIN GOES THROUGH TRESTLE.

### Plucky Engineer and Firemen Minimize Disaster.

Cottage Grove, Or., June 6,-When on the middle of Kern bridge, span- miles, for it was traveling due south ing Row river, on the Oregon & and would come to the Gulf coast al-Southeastern, a mixed train crashed most 100 miles short of the record esthrough and fell, all but the engine, 40 tablished by the German balloon Pom-feet into the stream below at 4:30 mern in the international race nearly o'clock yesterday afternoon. teen passengers were hurt, all of them Bennett trophy, which started from St. more or less seriously. All the avail- Louis and landed at Asbury Park, N.J. teen passengers were hurt, all of them able surgeons from Cottage Grove were rushed to the scene of the accident by special train, and the report from the wreck is that, while all the passengers are still alive, it is believed several

out, hurried to the nearest telephone and phoned for assistance and all the available doctors. The work train had just arrived and having steam up, a relief train was hurried to the scene. The wrecked train was due here at 5 o'clock, and the engine had just cleared the bridge when the center span gave way. The activity of Engineer William Ostrander saved the engine from piling on top of the other cars in the ravine. Ostrander set the brakes and the train parted at the tender, twisting the rods and the engineer was seriously injured by the reversing lever. The tender now rests on top the coach, 12 feet of which is under water.

### \$100,000,000 FOR SUBWAYS.

### That's What Complete System for Chicago Will Cost.

Chicago, June 7 .-- A complete system of subways for Chicago will cost from \$100,000,000 to \$112,000,000, and be able to transport from 509,960 to and their balloon is considered remark-529,120 passengers hourly, with seats for all; and with the present surface theless will be fought by the "progres-sive Republicans" aided by Democrat and elevated lines will supply adequate transportation until 1931 or 1950, ac-

SAILED 44 HOURS

Great Endurance.

### Kentuckian Takes Shot at the Indiana, and Alabaman at the New York -Novices Win Trophies.

Indianapolis, June 8 .- If the balloon Indiana has not been disqualified by touching earth it has broken the American endurance record by staying in the air more than 44 hours. Since the balloon started in the national distance race of the Aero club of America from this city Saturday two reports have been received from it.

One was that it had touched the If this is true the balloon is disqualified under the rules of the International Aeronautical Federation. A second dispatch signed by the pilot, Carl Fisher, and his aide, G. L. Bumbaugh, has stated that they dropped down near enough to earth to let down a lid and draw up a bucket of water. Under these conditions she has not been disqualified.

It is not possible according to avail-able information, that the Indiana had broken' the distance record of 852 Seven- two years ago for the James Gordon The last of the six balloons entered in the national distance race from which a definite landing report has been received is the St. Louis III, which dropped at Kelso, Tenn., having are fatally hurt. John Coates, the fireman, went down with the train, fell in the river,, swam aide. Other balloons landed are as follows:

New York, A. Holland Forbes, pilot; landed at Corinth, Mass., covering 375 miles in 36 hours, 10 minutes.

University City, of St. Louis, trav-eled 340 miles, landing at Blanche, Tenn.; time, 25 hours, 24 minutes.

Hoosier, Captain Baldwin, pilot, traveled 240 miles, landing at Green Brier, Tenn. Cleveland, landed at Columbus, Ind.,

40 miles, 2 hours 55 minutes.

Dr. Gothelink, pilot, and R. J. Irwin, assistant, flying the Indianapolis, won both the trophies in the handicap race, which started at 3:45 o'clock Saturday afternoon, just preceding the national race. The Indianapolis won the cup offered for the greatest distance by the Indianapolis Merchants' association, having approximately 16 miles better to her record than the Ohio. She also won the Fisher trophy for time in the air, having a margin of almost two hours over the Chicago. The victory of the Indianapolis men able, inasmuch as they are new at ballooning. They started on their flight with but five bags of sand, and were lightly provisioned. They made 235 miles, and were in the air 19 hours.

sent \$10,000 at once.

The town of Kirinchi, Sumatra, has been destroyed by an earthquake and 200 people killed.

friends of the late actress.

Announcement is made that Heney will be a candidate for district attorney for San Francisco on the anti-graft innue.

The British colonies are willing to return.

A movement has been started in Colorado to secure a large tract of land on which a negro colony will settle and follow farming.

An attempt at a wholesale jail delivery was made at Joliet, Ill., but the coolness of the guards prevented the escape of more than 100 convicts.

An Indiana boy has confessed to attempting to wreck a passenger train out of revenge for the burning of a stack of hay belonging to his father.

Taft has difficulty in finding a minister to China.

Fire is destroying large areas of timber on Vancouver island

The senate spent an entire day debating on the wool schedule,

Judge Lawlor defended Heney in an altercation between counsel in the Calhoun trial.

Two Portugese statesmen fought a sword duel over politics. One Was badly wounded.

It is reported that Miss Mary Vanderbilt is bethrothed to Prince Francis Joseph of Austria.

Guttman's trophy room. Whenever duplicates are secured they will be lican members to vote with him begiven to the Smithsonian Institute, and if a third specimen is secured it Modjeska's theatrical mementoes will be given to the New York Zoologi-

were disposed of by giving them to cal society. The Transit is a 2400-ton steamer.

### **Disgrace Causes Suicide.**

St. Louis, June 8 .- Twelve hours after her husband, John Glaesser, had been arrested on a charge of embezzlement, Mrs. Martha Glaesser was found aid the mother country in the matter dead in bed by the side of the bodies of

> gas, and the police believe the mother turned on the deadly vapor which ended the three lives. Glaesser was released today and the company which caused his arrest said there would be no prosecution. Glassser was not advised that his family was dead when released.

> > Defends American Colleges.

Ithaca, N. Y., June S .- Warmly defending American colleges and universities from the severe criticisms of President Woodrow Wilson and other President J. G. Schurman, of Cornell, poured a broadside into the system of education at the older universities in headway with the cotton schedule. his farewell address to the senior class today.

Whiskey in Tomato Boxes. El Reno, Okla., June 8 .- Boxes la-

belled "tomatoes" and "gloss starch," a square yard for the process of merbut containing instead old bourbon cerization. The amendment was lost

key in the consignment, which was progressives to the Aldrich standard. shipped from Kansas City.

preserving others, appealing to Repubcause, he said, the amendments would justify the attitude of the Republican party in advocating a protective tariff. One of the interesting features was a lecture on the woolen industry from beginning to end by Carter, who brought forth a large box filled with

samples of various grades of wool. To senators who gathered about him he explained each step in the manufacture of woolen goods from the raising of sheep to the making of the garment. of defenses, but want home rule in her children. Arnette, aged 8, and John, aged 5. The room was filled with with the uses of sheddy waste, soils, with the uses of shoddy waste, soils, tops and various grades of wool.

#### Monday, June 7.

Washington, June 7 .- The senate chamber was again today the scene of a lively debate, Aldrich leading the conservatives and Beveridge heading the progressives, did most of the talk Both senators were frequently on ing. their feet and there were many sharp conflicts between them.

Reginning the session with a vote on the recommendation of his committee New England university presidents, who charge that the intellectual life of American universities is decaying, known as window hollands. Aldrich was apparently somewhat encouraged over the prospect of making decided

About the middle of the afternoor the senate reached its second vote, which was on an amondment by Senator Dolliver to strike out the commit-

tee provision fixing a duty of one cent

whiskey, were seized here today at the by the unusually close vote of 32 to direction of the United States district 38. The narrowing of the margin was, attorney, John Embry, because of false labels. There were 144 pints of whis-ors rather than to the conversion of the

At the night session Dolliver argued 'which bid \$57,500.

On account of the progress made last cording to plan the bill will be voted upon in the senready to adjourn before July 11.

### Five Destroyers Ordered.

Washington, June 10,-The following companies were today awarded con-

Bath Iron Works, \$659,500; New York Shipbuilding company, \$648,000; Chicago. William Cramp & Sons, \$637,000; Newport News Shipbuilding company, \$620,000. The Fore River Shipbuilding company also will be awarded a contract for one at \$644,000.

### Gift to Miss Boardman.

Washington, June 10 .- The famous "Taft Philippine party" showed its ap-preciation of Miss Mabel Boardman by Boardman, because of what she had \$10 to \$1000 on each of the 695 counts.

\$250,000 Asked for Juneau Building Washington, June 12. - Delegate Wickersham today introduced a bill authorizing the erection of a \$250,000 public building at Juneau, Alaska, to be used as territorial capitol, and to accommodate all government offices located there. He has also introduced a bill providing a new system of mine inspection in Alaska,

everyone.

### Federal Building Coutracted.

Washington, June 12 .- The Treasury department today awarded the contract

The week, the senate leaders are predicting the conclusions of City Engineer Ericson and Subway Engineer R. C. St. ate by June 19, and congress will be John, submitted today to Commissioner of Public Works Hanberg, in a supple-

mental report on subways. The report has four distinct plans

for construction, with two variations of each, and with the exception of coltracts to build one torpedo boat de-stroyer each: for passenger traffic in down town

### Packers in Law's Grip.

Topeka, Kan., June 7.-That the Cuba Packing company had paid \$2,000 the extent of \$80,000. The raging to the government for alleged violation torrent has filled the bed of City creek of the internal revenue laws, is announced by United States District At- has overflowed. The street is two feet torney H. G. Bone. Indictments on under water, sidewalks are buried in 695 counts are pending against the mud and lawns are quagmires. Street company. The company is charged cars are operated with great difficulty. presenting her tonight with a diamond with putting a one-fourth cent stamp Jordan riveris overflowing and drivstudded watch and chain. President on oleomargarine that required a 10- ing residents from their homes. Taft made the presentation. He spoke cent stamp. The paying of the amount of the kindly feeling which every mem- due does not end the case, however, as ber of the party had toward Miss the company is subject to a fine of from

### Demand Freeman Resign.

Orange, N. J., June 7 .- Because he nvited Emma Goldman and Alexander lington track were under six feet of Berkman, anarchists, to a luncheon recently given by the exclusive May-flower Descendants' Society, Alden Freemen, of this place, has been asked to resign from the Orange chapter,

Sons of the American Revolution.

### Peru Sends Swede Home.

government has canceled the exaquateur of the Swedish consul-general, Luis Lemoboke, in whose house on May 1 Carlos Pierloa and others imfor the Baker City, Or., Federal build-ing to the Campbell Building company, plicated in the rising against the government took refuge.

A message from them says their highest altitude was 13,000 feet. They were shot at twice as they went over Kentucky, but were not hit.

The New York, which landed near Corinth, Miss., was also shot at Sunday night, while passing over Morgan county, Alabama.

### Utah Floods Still Rising.

Salt Lake, June 8 .- Rain is feeding the overflowing streams in and about Salt Lake tonight, and there is no prospect of a recession of the floodwaters, which have already inflicted damage to with sand and gravel until the stream

Nebraska Suffers Heavily.

Lincoln, Neb., June 8 .- Seven inches of rain at Hebron and four inches at Pleasantdale today caused floods and serious damage in and near those towns. More than 200 feet of Burwater, and trains were stalled for ten honors. A Burlington freight engine and four cars went into a ditch on secount of the soft track.

### White Salmon Moves Back.

White Salmon, Wash., June 8 .- The Columbia river at this place is high and Lima, Peru, June 7.-The Peruvian still rising rapidly. It is epxected the overnment has canceled the exaqua- waters will reach the highest point in ral, many years. A large part of the flat on below the town is flooded and prepara-im-tions are being made to move above the danger line many buildings and warehouses near the water's edge.