

WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

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Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

European War News

Repulse of Italian attacks at three different points on the front are reported in an official statement issued at the Austrian war office in Vienna.

In a note made public at Berlin Germany expresses regret for the loss of American lives in the sinking of the steamer Arabic, but states positively that no indemnity for such loss can be granted the United States.

After penetrating the allies' front, according to Berlin reports, to the depth of about a quarter of a mile, capturing more than 1,100 prisoners, 88 of whom were officers, the Germans ceased their attacks.

An Amsterdam dispatch to the London Exchange Telegraph company says: "A Zeppelin lost a propeller over Stockholm. Near Brussels it fell and was destroyed by an explosion. The crew was killed."

The latest Zeppelin raid on London was the most destructive in history. It was officially announced 20 persons were killed and 86 injured. The German naval airships invaded the city at midnight and rained bombs that started many fires.

An official communication from Petrograd claims another big Russian success in eastern Galicia. Following their reported victory at Tarnopol, it is stated that southwest of Trembowla the Russians took as prisoners 150 officers and 7,000 men and that the Teutons retreated. Russian captures since September 3, on Sereth front, total 353 officers, over 17,000 men and a great quantity of guns.

Continuing their terrific attacks to cut the railroads from Lemberg to Kiev, the Austrians have crowned one phase of their general action with success, capturing the great Russian stronghold of Dubno, says a dispatch from Vienna.

Near Tarnopol the Russians have defeated the Third German division and the Forty-eighth reserve division with an Austrian brigade, capturing 8,000 prisoners and thirty guns besides a quickfitter, according to an official statement issued at Petrograd.

Domestic

The Anglo-French commission, seeking a way to meet the huge bills of Great Britain and France for American munitions and other supplies, reached New York and was welcomed by J. P. Morgan and met 100 financiers in Morgan's library. Five hundred million dollars is the smallest sum which the commission hopes to borrow. It would rather have a billion. The entire proceeds would be used in paying for American supplies.

More than \$60,000 damage was the toll of a cloudburst which flooded Grand Rapids, Mich., and vicinity. No lives were lost. More than \$10,000 damage was done to fruit and grain.

Forty-five hundred cases of toys, believed to be the first shipment of its kind to reach this country from Europe since the British order in council was enforced, arrived at New York aboard the Holland-American freight steamer Veenbergen from Rotterdam.

Ignatius T. T. Lincoln, a former member of the British parliament, who recently admitted he had been a German spy, was ordered by Federal Judge Veeder of Brooklyn to be extradited to England to stand trial on a charge of forgery. Lincoln's attorneys say their client would be tried as a spy if returned to England.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Glover of Birmingham, Ala., are dead, and S. N. Boyd is seriously ill as a result of drinking wood alcohol, under the impression that it was grain alcohol.

The total population of New York state is 9,778,817, according to figures submitted to the constitutional convention at Albany, N. Y., by Secretary of State Hugo. New York city has 5,066,222, an increase of 300,661 in five years.

Operators of coal mines, both anthracite and bituminous, have been informed by the United Mine Workers of America at Chicago that the miners will demand an increase of 25 per cent in wages next April over those now paid.

Gustav Stahl, a German reservist, who swore he saw four guns on the Lusitania on her last trip, but later admitted his affidavit was false and entered a plea of guilty to perjury, and sentenced at New York to 18 months' imprisonment at Atlanta.

George Trossitt, a steward, and William Leushelm, a coal passer, were killed on the steamship Ryndam at New York. Gaseous fumes from lily bulbs, which formed a large part of the Ryndam's cargo, are said to have caused death.

The filing of a \$100,000 suit for breach of promise against John Wansmaker, Jr., by Lucile Stores, became known at New York when his attorney, H. A. Wise, filed application to have the case transferred to the United States district court. John Wansmaker, Jr., is a grandson of the Philadelphia merchant.

William Moon, an employe, was killed and one of the six-wheel mills of the Western Powder company's plant near Peoria, Ill., was wrecked by an explosion.

Four persons were killed and two others fatally injured when a passenger train hit an automobile at Johnson City, Ill. The dead: A. Brown, Tom McDonald, Harry F. Dixon, A. Brown, all of San Francisco.

Henry Edwards, a suspect in the murder of Judge Willis S. Knowles at Providence, R. I., has been arrested at Worcester, Mass. Edwards denied any knowledge of the assassination.

A severe storm swept through western and central Illinois, inflicting great damage in parts of Warren, Knox, Mercer, Fulton, Henry, Peoria and Tazewell counties.

Washington

The government bureau of war risk insurance, since its creation, September 2, 1914 at Washington, shows a surplus of \$1,309,274 is left. Secretary McAdoo is highly gratified at the results.

President Wilson issued orders that a court-martial convene at San Francisco October 1 to hear charges against Lieut.-Col. Lewis E. Goodier, who is accused of conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline in the army.

Ambassador Penfield at Vienna was instructed by cable to inform the Austro-Hungarian government that Dr. Constantin Dumba no longer is acceptable as an envoy to the United States, and to ask for his recall. Secretary Lansing formally announced the action at Washington. It was the answer of the American government to Doctor Dumba's explanation of his intercepted letter to Vienna outlining plans for handicapping plants in this country making war supplies for the allies. Dumba told Lansing that he acted upon instructions from his government.

Secretary Daniels announced at Washington a general reorganization of the forces of the naval academy at Annapolis. Heads of nearly all departments were ordered detached for duty elsewhere, the changes to be effective September 20.

The government September crop report, issued at Washington, estimated the yield of wheat, corn, oats, rye and barley at 5,641,000,000 bushels, an increase of 94,000,000 bushels over the August returns, and a gain of 688,000,000 bushels, or 14 per cent over the final returns last year.

It was learned at Washington that Secretary Lansing has cabled to the American minister at The Hague, formally announcing the cancellation of the passport issued to James F. J. Archibald, who acted as Doctor Dumba's messenger. The minister was authorized to issue an emergency passport to Archibald to provide him with protection on his way home across the Atlantic.

Ambassador Page at London cabled the state department at Washington that he understands Great Britain is willing to permit goods which were contracted for by American importers before the first of March to be taken out of neutral ports and forwarded to their destinations.

First Chief Carranza of Mexico in his reply to the Pan-American note inviting him to participate in a conference of the leaders of the various factions in an endeavor to re-establish peace in this republic, declines to consider this proposal and politely resents interference by other nations in the internal affairs of Mexico.

Mexican Revolt

Count Goffredo Gaetani, a lieutenant of the Alpini, and Baroness Widesen Reusers, only daughter of the Dutch minister to the Quirinal, madly in love, found it impossible to live apart and died together in a suicide pact at Sorrento, Italy. The count had a wife.

Foreign

Because of the killing of two British officers near Bushire, Persia, and the failure of the Persian government to punish the tribal chiefs Bushire, on the Persian gulf, was occupied by the British without opposition August 5, according to a dispatch to London.

Personal

William J. Bryan received a telegram at Chicago from Washington announcing the eighth grandchild, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lewis Hargreaves. His mother was Grace Bryan.

FIVE KILLED IN FLINT ACCIDENT

P. M. TRAIN STRIKES JITNEY BUS AT CROSSING AND CARRIES IT HALF A MILE.

AUTO BURSTS INTO FLAMES

Driver and Four of Six Passengers Are Terribly Mangled When Car Is Driven In Front of Speeding Engine.

Flint—An accident in which five persons were killed and two others seriously injured occurred here Saturday afternoon.

A party of seven in a jitney bus running from Grand Blanc and Fenton, to Flint, was struck by a Perot Marquette passenger train No. 5, northbound, at the southern limits of the city.

The dead are: Clinton Sain, of Chicago, an employe of the International Harvester company, working out of the Detroit branch office.

George Randle, 32, single, of Clio. Claude Dutcher, 35, married, of Grand Blanc.

An unidentified woman, believed to be Mrs. Jacob Lafurgey, of Mt. Morris.

Ben Berkovitz, 18, Flint, formerly of Detroit, driver of the jitney bus.

The injured are: Mrs. George Welke, Fenton, internally hurt and seriously bruised about the face, hips and back; may die.

George Barnum, Fenton, both ankles broken and bruised about face and body.

The passenger train, in charge of Conductor V. J. Corrigan and Engineer William Hodges, was running at high speed, seeking to make up lost time when it reached the South Saginaw crossing here. Berkovitz, who was driving at a moderate speed, failed to hear the screeching whistle of the engine and drove on the tracks directly in its path.

The engine picked up the loaded car as though it were a top. Immediately the car burst into flames from the gasoline tank, and the blazing machine with its human burden, was carried on the pilot nearly half a mile, strewn wreckage and bodies along the track until there was little left but scraps. The speed of the train and the fact that it was traveling down grade made it difficult to stop and the passengers watched the gruesome sight of burning bodies along the tracks.

EMINENT TEACHER IS DEAD

Dean of Graduate School of U. of M. Dies While Visiting Friends.

Ann Arbor—Karl Guthe, dean of the University of Michigan, died Friday night in Ashland, Ore.

Dean Guthe went west a few weeks ago to attend a convention and was in Oregon visiting friends when stricken.

Dean Guthe was considered one of the most capable members of the university faculty and was one of the leading physicists in this country, having at one time been in the employ of the government at Washington. He was born in 1866 in Hanover, Germany, came to this country in 1892 and became a member of the university faculty in 1893.

Farm Survey of Lenawee.

Adrian—Four representatives of the department of agriculture are working on farms in territory around Adrian and Morenci. The intention of the department is to take what is known as a "farm survey" of about 200 Lenawee county farms. The work will cover a period of about three weeks. Only the representative farms are visited and the work and methods made note of so that as valuable data as possible can be secured. The results of the work will be published in the form of bulletins during the winter.

Anna Dubovsky, the Henderson township 16-year-old girl who has been missing since August, has been found in Cedar Rapids, Ia., where she was with Clyde Hazelton. The latter is the Portland "boy hypnotist," who is alleged to have abducted Gladys Van Horn, of Portland, and who has been sought for weeks.

State Fire Marshal Winship has called the attention of boards of education throughout the state to a ruling that chimney flues in school buildings should be cleaned before fires are started this fall. He also refers to the law requiring monthly fire drills in all the schools of the state, and asks that this law be strictly enforced.

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MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Gov. Ferris has appointed Frank D. McKay assignment clerk of the Kent circuit court.

The soldiers and sailors of Mason county are planning to hold a one-day encampment at Hamlin Lake, September 14.

Governor Ferris has appointed Charles D. Verhoeven, of Monroe, a member of the state board of examiners of barbers.

Martin Sathowiak, the young farmer arrested for robbing a mail pouch at Linwood village, has been held to the grand jury.

The basket factory at Ada was destroyed by fire Friday, causing a loss of \$3,000 and costing the town its principal industry.

Following are the fair dates in the Thumb district: Croswell, Sept. 21-24; Sandusky, Sept. 28-Oct. 1; North Branch, Sept. 28-Oct. 1.

The state convention of county superintendents of the poor held at Ludington selected Sault Ste. Marie as the meeting place for 1916.

There is in the state treasury \$19,000 sent by the federal government for use by Michigan Agricultural college in agricultural extension work.

Fred Lamora, general foreman for the Houghton County Electric Light Co., was electrocuted while at work on lines entering the dynamite plant at Senter.

Overwork and constant study of the war situation is believed to have unbalanced the mind of Alfred Kuehn, who became violent while at work in an organ factory in Ann Arbor.

The bean crop, which was thought to have been almost entirely ruined by the recent rains and frosts, will, owing to the fair weather of the last two weeks, be much better than was thought.

Dr. O. O. Sneedaker, of Detroit, was appointed a member of the state board of registry in osteopathy by Governor Ferris Saturday. Dr. Sneedaker succeeds Dr. T. L. Herrorder, of Detroit, resigned.

The railroad commission has no jurisdiction in the matter of rentals of lands leased by railroads for elevators and warehouses, unless the question of discrimination is raised, rules the attorney-general.

Claude Snow, convicted of shooting W. F. Bryan at the Perrine show quarters at Charlotte several months ago, was sentenced to serve from three to 10 years in Ionia prison. The court recommended five years.

Despite the fact that Flint is a local option city, 44 men were arrested there for being intoxicated in the period between Saturday afternoon and Monday morning. This is the largest number in the history of the community.

Harold Ruele, 23, single, is dead, and Harry Lundy, 30, married, lies at Miller hospital in Owosso with both legs broken and severe burns on the back as the result of a head-on collision Saturday between two engines at the Woodlawn avenue crossing.

Benny Basler, 13 years old, of Ann Arbor, admitted to the police late Saturday evening that he quarreled with Ernest Bros, 10 years old, last Thursday morning while fishing and then pushed him in the river. Bros' body was recovered Saturday afternoon.

The voters of a school district, once they have decided to discontinue school for a year, cannot hold another meeting and change the decision, according to an opinion of the attorney-general. Neither can they compel an adjoining district to take care of their pupils.

The Rickman jewelry store at Kalamazoo was robbed early Thursday morning of about \$500 worth of diamonds and watches. The burglars waited until the policeman had passed on his beat, then hurried a paving brick through the window and grabbed everything within reach.

The report for August of the state game and fish warden shows that 211 complaints were made in the month and 144 cases begun. Of these 123 resulted in conviction, five in acquittal and two in dismissal, while nine are still pending. Fines and costs collected from offenders amount to 1,791.

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NAVY ADVISORY BOARD SELECTED

SECY DANIELS ANNOUNCES NAMES OF TWENTY-TWO EXPERTS.

THOS. EDISON IS CHAIRMAN

Eleven Scientific Societies Select Men Who Will Serve Their Country With Their Expert Knowledge.

Washington—Secretary of the Navy Daniels Sunday night announced the names of the 22 scientists and inventors who, with Thomas A. Edison as chairman, are to constitute an advisory board to assist the United States navy in its technical problems of development.

The members of the board who will serve with Mr. Edison were chosen by 11 scientific societies of the United States, each of which nominated two men. Mr. Edison was chosen by Secretary Daniels for the chairmanship of the board, the plan resulting in the creation of a body having been taken up first with Mr. Edison as the foremost inventor of this country.

The members of the board and the societies which nominated them follow:

American Aeronautical Society—Hudson Maxim, Brooklyn, ordinance and explosive expert and maker of the first smokeless powder adopted by the United States government; Matthew Bacon Sellers Baltimore, authority to determine the dynamic air pressure on arched surfaces by means of the "wind tunnel."

American Society of Automobile Engineers—Howard E. Coffin, of the Hudson Motor Car company, of Detroit, and Andrew J. Riker, Bridgeport, Conn.

The Inventors' Guild—Dr. Peter Cooper Hewitt, of New York, inventor of appliances for telephones, hydroplanes, aeroplanes, balloons and electric lights, and Thomas Robbins; of Stamford, Ct., inventor of many mechanical devices.

American Chemical Society—Dr. W. R. Whitney, of Schenectady, N. Y., creator and director of the research laboratory of the General Electric company; L. H. Baeckelun, of Yonkers, a native of Belgium, famed particularly for the invention of a photographic paper.

American Institute of Electrical Engineers—Frank Julian Sprague, of New York, an early assistant of Edison. Benjamin G. Lamme, of Pittsburgh, inventor and head of a committee which passes upon all Westinghouse inventions.

American Mathematical Society—Robert Simpson Woodward, president of the Carnegie Institute at Washington, D. C.; Dr. Arthur Gordon Webster, of Worcester, Mass., professor of physics at Clark university.

American Society of Civil Engineers—Andrew Murray Hunt, of New York; Alfred Craven, of New York.

The American Institute of Mining Engineers—William Lawrence Saunders, of New York, N. J.; Benjamin Bowditch Thayer, of New York, metallurgist and explosive expert.

The American Electro-Chemical society—Dr. Joseph William Richards, of South Bethlehem, Pa.; Lawrence Addicks, of Chrome, N. J., metallurgical engineer and president of the American Electro-Chemical society.

The American Society of Mechanical Engineers—William LeRoy Emmet, Schenectady, N. Y.; Spencer Miller, of South Orange, N. J.

The American Society of Aeronautic Engineers—Henry Alexander Wise Wood, engineer and manufacturer; Elmer A. Sperry, electrical inventor and manufacturer.

Secretary Daniels announced Sunday night that he has arranged for the first meeting of the advisory board to take place in his office at 11 o'clock Wednesday, October 6.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Havre—The death is announced of Louis Huysmans, Belgian minister of state and member of the Belgian chamber of deputies for Brussels.

Milan, via. Paris—Crown Prince Humbert passed through Milan Thursday with his tutor, going to Udine, his intense desire to join the king at the front having been granted.

Illness with typhoid fever of Seaman Bell and Miley of Second division, Michigan naval reserve at Saginaw, is responsible for an order that all of the 65 members of the division be vaccinated. Twenty already have received the treatment. Four cases of fever are said to exist in the ranks at Benton Harbor and six in Detroit.

Melbourne, Australia—The entire membership of the House of Representatives of the federal parliament, the legislative body of the commonwealth of Australia, has pledged itself never again to purchase German goods.

Manchester, via. London—The government has issued a new order requiring that every exportation of cotton cloth to places other than British colonies or dependencies must be covered by a certificate guaranteeing that the cloth will not reach the hands of an enemy power.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock.

DETROIT—Best heavy steers (dry fed), \$7.50@8; best handy weight butcher steers, \$6.50@7; mixed steers and heifers, \$6@7; handy light butchers, \$6@6.50; light butchers, \$5@5.75; best cows, \$5.50@6; butcher cows, \$4.75@5.25; common cows, \$4@4.50; canners, \$3@4; best heavy bulls, \$5.50@6; bologna bulls, \$5@5.25; stock bulls, \$4.50@5.

Veal Calves—Best selling at \$11 and \$11.50, bulk of good grades bringing \$11.

Best Lambs, \$8.50; fair lambs, \$7@8.25; light to common lambs, \$6@7; fair to good sheep, \$4.50@5; culls and common, \$2.50@3.50.

Pigs were very dull at \$7@8; yorkers and mixed, \$7@8; heavy grades at \$7.75. Grass pigs should be kept at home; they are very dull and have to be sold at a very low price.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle—Receipts, 3,750; market 15@25c lower; choice to prime shipping steers, \$9.25@9.50; fair to good, \$8@8.25; plain and coarse, \$7.50@7.75; choice to prime handy steers, \$8@8.25; fair to good grassers, \$6.75@7.25; light common grassers, \$6@6.25; dry-fed yearlings, \$8@8.75; dry-fed common, \$7.25@7.75; prime fat heifers, \$7.25@7.50; good butcher heifers, \$7@7.25; light grassy heifers, \$5.50@6; best fat cows, \$6.50@6.75; butcher cows, \$5.50@6; cullers, \$3.75@4.25; canners, \$2.75@3.25; sausage bulls, \$6@6.25; fancy bulls, \$6.75@7; light bulls, \$4.50@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market strong; heavy, \$7.75@8; mixed, \$8.40@8.50; yorkers and pigs, \$8.50@8.60.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,500; market slow; top lambs, \$8.75@9; yearlings, \$6.50@7.40; wethers, \$6.25@6.50; ewes, \$5.50@5.75.

Calves—Receipts, 1,200; market 50@75c lower; tops, \$11.50@12; fair to good, \$10@11; grassers, \$7.25@5.50; fair to good, \$10@11; grassers, \$4.25@5.50.

Grains, Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat—Cash No 2 red, \$1.08; September opened with a drop of 1-2c at \$1.07 and advanced to \$1.08; December opened at \$1.01 1-2 and advanced to \$1.02 1-2; No 1 white, \$1.05.

Corn—Cash No 3, 79c; No 3 yellow, \$1.12c.

Oats—Standard, 27c; No 3 white, 35 1-2c; September, 35 1-2c; No 4 white, 33@33 1-2c; sample, 30@32c.

Rye—Cash No 2, 90c; September 90c.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$2.95; October, \$2.80.

Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$10.10; October, \$11; prime alsike, \$9.25.

New Hay—No 1 timothy, \$18@19; standard timothy, \$17@18; light mixed, \$14@15; No 2 mixed, \$12@14; No 1 clover, \$12@14; rye straw, \$7.50@9; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50@7 per ton.

Old Hay—No 1 timothy, \$24@25; standard timothy, \$23@24; No 2 timothy, \$22@23; light mixed, \$23@24; No 1 mixed, \$18@19; No 1 clover, \$14@15; No 2 clover, \$12@13; rye straw, \$7.50@8; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50@7 per ton.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 lbs, jobbing lots: First patent, \$5.90; second patent, \$5.60; straight, \$5.20; spring patent, \$6.60; rye flour, \$6.20 per bbl.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$25; standard middlings, \$29; fine middlings, \$32; coarse cornmeal, \$34; cracked corn, \$24.50; corn and oat shop, \$31.60 per ton.

General Markets.

Plums—Home-grown, \$1@1.23 per bu.

Huckleberries—\$3.50@3.75 per bu.

Blackberries—\$1.50@1.75 per 16-quart case.

Pears—Bartlett, \$1.50@1.65 per bu, \$4.50@4.75 per bbl.

Cabbage—\$1.25 per bbl.

Mushrooms—45@50c per lb.

Green Corn—\$1.25 per sack.

Tomatoes—\$1.25@1.35 per bu.

Potatoes—Jersey, 60@70c per bu.

Celery—Michigan, 15@20c per doz.

Onions—Southern, 85@90c per sack.

Lettuce—Head, \$1.60@1.75 per case; leaf, 75c per bu.

Dressed Calves—Fancy, 14@14 1-2c per lb; common, 13@13 1-2c.

Maple Sugar—New, 14@15c per lb; syrup, \$1@1.10 per gal.

Sweet Potatoes—Jersey, \$1.45@1.75 per hamper; Virginia, \$3.50 per bbl.

Live Poultry—No 1 broilers, 16c; No 2 broilers, 14@14 1-2c; heavy hens, 15c; medium hens, 13 1-2@14c; light hens, 12@12 1-2c; ducks, 14@15c; geese, 16c; turkeys, 15c per pound.



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