

BALLOON FLIES FAST

Aeronauts Land Near Clear Lake, South Dakota.

Chicago Balloon Released at Quincy for Long Distance Voyage Falls to Win Lahm Cup, but Secures World's Speed Mark—Descends in Rain.

Forced to alight because of the heavy rain, the Chicago balloon, owned by Charles A. Coey and driven by Captain G. L. Bumbaugh and Charles Delchliker, which left Quincy, Ill., at 6 p. m., landed in 5 a. m. in the country eight miles south of Clear Lake, S. D., covering over 800 miles in eleven hours and securing the world's speed record. Captain Bumbaugh was bitterly disappointed in not breaking the long distance record and his failure to win the Lahm cup. He said that had he not encountered rain he would have outdistanced all previous records. Leaving Quincy, the aeronauts went west to Kirksville, Mo., and from there due north. After leaving Kirksville, neither man in the balloon spoke until after alighting. When struck by the storm, Captain Bumbaugh made an ascent of 6,500 feet, but could not avoid it. He then dropped 1,600 feet in one minute.

Delchliker left Clear Lake for Chicago. Captain Bumbaugh remaining behind to pack the balloon ready for the return by rail. He said he would make another effort to win the Lahm cup.

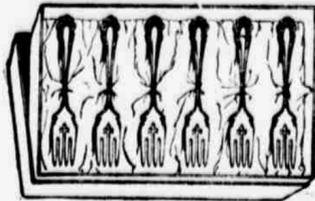
"I have great confidence in my balloon," he said. "It is a marvel. Not a particle of gas escaped in the long flight, which was without incident. I am confident that this will prove the finest air vessel of the present age and as soon as weather conditions settle I will make another try for the long distance record."

DOCTORS OPEN BIG SESSION
 Oppose Enactment of Laws Intended to Abolish Vivisection.

Vivisection was discussed by delegates to the convention of the American Medical Association at Chicago, and was the subject of significant action by the governing board of the organization. By a unanimous vote the house of delegates approved a recommendation to the board of trustees to create a commission, the sole duty of which shall be to watch and oppose the enactment of laws intended to abolish vivisection. While this action was under consideration, Dr. W. B. Cannon, chairman of the section on pathology, advocated a campaign of education against opponents of the practice, whom he accused of untruthfulness and ignorance, and in another meeting—that of the section on surgery—results of animal experimentation were being described by Dr. Alexis Carrel of New York. The resolution passed by the house of delegates was introduced originally by Dr. P. M. Jones of San Francisco and was amended by Dr. Frank Billings of Chicago, and owing to an evident unanimity of sentiment was passed without much time consumed by discussion.

The first general session was ad-

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addressed by Dr. Herbert L. Burren of Boston, who made a plea for co-operation between the physicians and the public and the education of the latter in the matter of sanitation. The evening session was devoted to matters touching the public health by Dr. William S. Thayer of Baltimore and Dr. Charles Harrington of Boston, Mass. The various sections held separate meetings, at which scientific discussions pertinent to the branches were discussed.

CLOSE CONTEST IN IOWA

Returns from 899 precincts in the Iowa primary indicate that Senator Allison has defeated Governor Cummins in the fight over the Republican senatorial nomination. These returns indicate that the result will be close, but that the majority will be with Allison. The Allison men are claiming at least 19,000. The Cummins men do not concede this, but make counter claims of about 19,000. The result is so close and the returns so incomplete that it may take an official count to determine the result. The Allison vote may carry with it a victory for Carroll for governor over Garst, although the returns on the Republican gubernatorial nomination are altogether incomplete.

In the Seventh congressional district Prouty is leading Hull.

The Democrats nominated Fred E. White for governor without opposition, as they did the remainder of their ticket. Claude R. Porter, former candidate for governor on the Democratic ticket, was nominated for United States senator without opposition.

AERONAUT DROWNED IN RIVER
 Makes Parachute Drop and Becomes Entangled in Folds of Flag.

Entangled in the folds of a large flag, with which he had made a parachute drop of 2,000 feet from a balloon at

175-acre park, near Passaic, N. J., Frederick L. Wood, an eighteen-year-old aeronaut of New Haven, fell helplessly in the Passaic river and was drowned.

Liability Act Valid in District.
 The employers' liability act, which the United States supreme court in January last held repugnant to the constitution of the United States and non-enforceable in the states, was held constitutional as to the District of Columbia by the court of appeals.

Slight Mishap to Vaderland.
 The accident to the liner Vaderland, over which considerable anxiety has been felt on account of rumors that it had gone ashore or had been in collision with another vessel, is very slight, consisting of a simple disarrangement of its machinery. The steamer returned to Flushing after repairs had been completed, and left that port for Dover.

Second Series of Storms in Oklahoma.
 A second series of tornadoes and heavy rains struck Oklahoma. Tornadoes are reported at Hennessy, Enid, Frederick, Cashion and Duncan; cloudbursts from Weleetka and Tulsa and a waterspout at Navina. The damage by the storms is as great as the

Rev. Dr. R. J. Cooke Re-Elected.
 Dr. R. J. Cooke of Tennessee was re-elected editor of all the book publications of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Features of the Day's Trading and Closing Quotations.

Chicago, June 2.—Rain in Texas and Oklahoma caused strength today in the local wheat market, the July delivery closing at a net gain of 3/8c. Corn was up 1/4c. Oats were 1/2c higher. Provisions were 2 1/2c higher to 2 1/2c lower. Closing prices: Wheat—July, 91 1/2c@91 3/4c; Sept., 88c. Corn—July, 68 1/2c; Sept., 67c. Oats—July, 46 1/2c; Sept., 38 1/2c. Pork—July, \$13.70; Sept., \$13.97 1/2. Lard—July, \$8.52 1/2; Sept., \$8.72 1/2. Ribs—July, \$7.45; Sept., \$7.67 1/2. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.00@1.03; No. 3 corn, 73 1/2c; No. 3 white oats, 52 1/2@53 1/2c.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, June 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; active, 10c higher; native steers, \$5.00@7.00; cows and heifers, \$3.00@6.10; western steers, \$3.50@6.00; Texas steers, \$3.00@5.25; canners, \$2.25@3.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@5.25; calves, \$3.25@6.25; bulls, stags, etc., \$3.00@5.25. Hogs—Receipts, 13,400; 5@10c lower; heavy, \$5.30@5.45; mixed, \$5.25@5.30; light, \$5.15@5.32 1/2; pigs, \$4.25@5.00; bulk of sales, \$5.25@5.32 1/2. Sheep—Receipts, 4,500; steady; yearlings, \$4.75@5.25; wethers, \$4.40@5.00; ewes, \$4.00@4.65; lambs, \$5.75@6.50.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; strong and active; steers, \$5.00@7.75; cows, \$3.75@4.75; heifers, \$3.50@6.25; bulls, \$4.00@5.75; calves, \$2.50@6.30; stockers and feeders, \$3.25@5.40. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; 5@10c lower; choice heavy shipping, \$5.55@5.62 1/2; butchers, \$5.55@5.62 1/2; light mixed, \$5.45@5.50; choice light, \$5.50@5.60; packing, \$5.00@5.50; pigs, \$3.75@5.00; bulk of sales, \$5.40@5.50. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; weak; sheep, \$4.00@5.00; lambs, \$5.00@6.15; yearlings, \$5.40@7.15.

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 In the matter of the estate of Susan L. Baxter, deceased.
 On reading and filing the petition of Sarah M. Baxter, praying that the instrument filed on the 19th day of May, 1908 and purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said deceased may be proved, approved, probated, allowed and recorded as the last Will and Testament of the said Susan L. Baxter, deceased, and that the execution of the instrument may be committed, and the administration of said estate may be granted to Sarah M. Baxter as executrix.
 Ordered, that Wednesday, the 10th day of June A. D. 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county and show cause why the prayer of petition should not be granted; and that notice of this order be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Red Cloud Chief, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.
 [SEAL] 21 23 J. W. EDGOK, County Judge.

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89 Chinese Prisoners Drowned.
 A large barge laden with Chinese prisoners has been capsized in the Amur river and eighty-nine persons drowned.

Flood Ties Up Traffic at Billings.
 A flood, resulting from a cloudburst west of Columbus, Mont., swept away a bridge over Deer Creek and carried away more than a mile of Northern Pacific track. Train service into Billings from the west is at a standstill. The goods between Columbus and Big Timber are said to have been the most disastrous ever known there.

Cedrino, the noted Italian automobile driver, was instantly killed on Pimlico racetrack. Spectators saw his car skid and turn over, three of its wheels being smashed. Cedrino and his brother, who is his mechanic, and with him in the car, were thrown violently against the fence, and, while the brother was little hurt, Cedrino died instantly of a broken neck.