

BALLOONS FLYING THROUGH THE AIR

Contestants in St. Louis Race Heard From. One Landed in Caledonia, Ont., While Others Are Reported in Different Parts of the United States--All Are Making for the Coast.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 23--Reports from various sources indicate that three of the balloons which left St. Louis Monday afternoon, passed over this city between 6:45 and 7:10 a. m. One was positively identified as the German balloon Pommern which was seen at Cleveland yesterday afternoon. Another was partly identified as the English balloon Lotus II, which passed over Wheeling, W. Va., yesterday, travelling eastward. A note dropped from the German balloon read: "Am 8:00 feet in the air and have travelled 1,000 miles, am trying to make Atlantic City." The third balloon was not identified. All were traveling in a north-easterly direction and unless they meet with some accident should land on the coast within a few hours.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23--The American balloon "America" passed over this city just after midnight and dropped a message which read: "We are passing town 12:15 a. m. due east, at rate of 23 miles an hour at an altitude of 1,200 feet. Notify press, (signed) McCoy."

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 23--One of the balloons which left St. Louis Oct. 21, the "Tommern" passed over the Northwestern section of this city about 7 o'clock this morning. It was going in a northeasterly direction. At 7:45 it was reported passing over Beverly, N. J., going directly east. Beverly is about twenty miles northeast of Philadelphia.

MR. BOYNE DENIES MR. RILEY'S STORY And Declares He Will Have An Apology or Legal Redress at Once.

The Times yesterday contained an advertisement inserted by John Riley, stating that his wife had left him and he would not be responsible for any bills she might contract. Mr. Riley's wife, Mrs. Boyne, is a well-known resident of this city. Mr. Riley's story is absolutely false, and he is now being sued by Mrs. Boyne for libel. Mr. Riley is now being sued by Mrs. Boyne for libel. Mr. Riley is now being sued by Mrs. Boyne for libel.

YOUNG GIRL'S BRAVERY SAVES A FAST TRAIN

WELLAND, Ont., Oct. 23 (Special)--By her presence of mind and prompt action, Miss Madeline Wheeling, a country school teacher, on Monday night, saved the fast Michigan Central express from a most serious disaster. She was alerted by a fire alarm which was sounded by a fire in the westbound train from this town about nine o'clock when she discovered a fire in the engine. She immediately ran to the westbound train and, by her quick action, prevented a collision with the eastbound train.

ENCOURAGEMENT FOR YOUNG MEN

OTTAWA, Oct. 23--(Special)--The government has decided to offer special inducements to young men who desire to become surveyors. Before being eligible for the final examination as a surveyor, the law requires three years service as a pupil to a Dominion lands surveyor of which 12 months must be on a survey party. In the case of graduates in engineering these periods are reduced to 12 months and six months respectively. To help in complying with the requirements of the law, the government has decided to offer places in survey parties to those who have successfully passed the preliminary examination. Graduates in engineering will go as assistants at \$4 per day; others will be paid \$3 a day.

THE KNICKERBOCKER TRUST CO. DID NOT RESUME PAYMENTS TO ITS DEPOSITORS TODAY

This Announcement Was Made to the Waiting Crowds by a Police Officer Who Acted for Company Officials--Some Bankers Are Inclined to Let Trust Company Go--How the Situation is Regarded in London and Berlin.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23--The Knickerbocker Trust Co. announced to depositors who were waiting at its office that it would not resume payments today. The announcement was made by a police captain on the authority of the officials of the trust company. A committee of accountants representing the bankers who have taken the whole financial situation in hand, went into the offices of the Trust Company of America at six o'clock this morning and began an exhaustive examination of its books and securities in its vaults as collateral on loans.

How Berlin Regards It

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