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## Collection Overview

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<b>Title:</b>	International Aviation Meet, Belmont Park Photographs
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<b>Identifier:</b>	NASM.2004.0073
<b>Creator:</b>	Jensen, Otto.
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<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

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## Biographical / Historical

The second International Aviation Meet took place at Belmont Park, Long Island, New York from October 22-30, 1910. Numerous prizes were awarded throughout this tournament in relation to speed, altitude, duration, and distance. Specific competitions include the Michelin Cup, the Scientific American Trophy, and the Statue of Liberty Flight. The Gordon Bennett Cup Race, a 100 km competition for the Gordon Bennett International Aviation Trophy, took place on October 29, 1910. Despite the dangerous route of this course, many entered to compete for the high honors bestowed upon the winner.

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## Scope and Contents

This collection consists of seven 2.5 x 4 black and white photographs taken on October 29, 1910 at the International Aviation Meet at Belmont Park. Pictured in flight are John B. Moisant, Hubert Latham, and Charles K. Hamilton. These photographs were taken during the Gordon Bennett Cup Race, of which Moisant came in second, Latham fourth, and Hamilton eighth. All photographs were taken by Otto Jensen.

## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Aeronautics  
Aeronautics -- Competitions  
Airplane racing

Names:

Hamilton, Charles K., -1913  
Latham, Hubert  
Moisant, John, 1868-1910

Preferred Titles:

*Gordon Bennett Race*