

1906 DECEMBER 1906

Calendar table for December 1906 showing days of the week and dates.

MOON'S PHASES table showing moon phases and times for the month.

THE President's message does not mention Hearst and Bryan by name, but the demagogue politics he denounces is easily identified with those partners.

POSSIBLY the woman who wrote the book thought that marriage on probation would be an improvement over the present plan of marriage on suspicion.

AMONG the 6000 Americans on the Isthmus not a death occurred during the past three months. The sanitation enforced by the United States in tropical regions under its control is a marked success.

"It is not wise," says the President in the message, "that the nation should alienate its remaining coal lands." The trusts so eager to complete their monopoly have struck a snag in this new form of government reservation.

WILDCAT mining stock is being sold to the easy marks. About once in five years a new harvest of this kind is reaped by various kinds of confidence men, and the Franklin News has figured out that this is the appointed year.

NO END of the unprecedented prosperity is seen by the President unless there is "reckless speculation and disregard of legitimate business methods on the part of the business world." In a word, business will be good if business men, along with their energy and enterprise, are upright and prudent.

THE Legislature at the coming session will be asked to pass a law forbidding any unannounced resident of Pennsylvania to possess a gun or other firearms. The bill is being prepared by Joseph Kalbfus, secretary of the State Game Commission. During the hunting season which closed last Friday four game wardens were murdered in this state, seven were shot and the killing of two was attempted by foreigners.

CONGRESSMAN SMITH, of Pennsylvania, who did not ask to be re-elected, says Uncle Joe Cannon will easily be re-elected to the Speakership of the Sixtieth Congress. He is an excellent presiding officer, and besides he has a lot of good committee places to give out. The old members who were re-elected, and most of them were, are already getting matters fixed for themselves, so that when the new Congress meets the new members will be entirely welcome to what there is left.

A TREATY is in process of negotiation between the United States and Japan which it is thought will be acceptable both to the Japanese authorities and to the people of San Francisco. It is believed by many that the strongly conciliatory language used by the President toward Japan and the scolding he gave San Francisco was part of his scheme of diplomacy to get the matter adjusted without a serious rupture. Japan's representatives appear to take a rational view of the situation and manifest a willingness to do anything within reason to facilitate the conclusion of a treaty that will relieve the stress on both sides.—Panxantawney Spirit.

REFERRING to the project to provide for the publication of the laws of the Commonwealth, the Norristown Herald illustrates its points by citing the act of April 29, 1905, which makes it unlawful to throw waste paper, sweepings, ashes, household waste, nails or rubbish of any kind into any city, borough or township street, and inquires: "How many people of Norristown actually know that if they throw a piece of paper upon the streets of the borough they are breaking a statute and are making themselves liable to arrest and perchance imprisonment thereby? How many fishermen or hunters are fully aware of all the restrictions which the law has imposed? It hazards the opinion that "the game and fish wardens would have much less revenue if honest citizens were kept posted by a general publication of laws."

IT must be conceded by every philosopher and unprejudiced observer that nothing that President Roosevelt can do will serve to abate or lessen his dignity in the eyes of the people, says the New York Sun. It is the most inscrutable and wonderful of his many gifts. Before it the power and the right of impeachment have become an obsolete tradition. He can no more make himself ridiculous than the Senate can resurrect the passions with which it assailed Andrew Johnson. Not since the great figure that bled the whole stage of Europe a hundred years ago has there been another in history so magically endowed. There is no mystery in all humanity like the mystery of genius. Therefore, all criticism is futile, and only acquiescence is the safer and wiser part. It is unprofitable, if not indeed absurd folly, to urge that while the President cannot make himself ridiculous it is possible that he should make the country ridiculous. It is the same Providence that watches over both.

Expenses of Candidates.

Edwin S. Stuart, the successful Republican candidate for Governor at the recent election, expended \$6,194.90 in his campaign. Mr. Stuart filed a statement in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth last week which shows that

he contributed \$5,000 to the Republican State Committee. The balance of his expenditures were for car fare, clerical services and other personal expenses.

Robert K. Young, the successful Republican candidate for Auditor General, expended \$788, of which \$500 was a contribution to the Republican State Committee.

Lewis Emery, Jr., spent \$25,561.49 in his campaign for Governor on the fusion ticket, as shown by his statement filed. The Lincoln Party Committee got \$18,000; the Democratic State Committee, \$5,000; the Pittsburg Lincoln Committee, \$1,500, and his personal expenses were \$1,770.

W. D. Shields, the successful candidate for Assembly in Forest county, has filed his account at the court house here, and swears to an expense of \$560.21, divided as follows: Printing, \$76.80; hotel bills, \$160.58; livery bills, \$182.45; transportation of voters, \$115.88; telephone \$9.00; making poll book, \$9.00.

T. D. Collins, Republican candidate for Assembly, swears to an account of \$400, as follows: Contribution to county committee, \$350.00; traveling expense and help, \$25.00; printing, \$25.00.

F. R. Lanson, treasurer of the Republican county committee, makes affidavit to the receipt of \$900.00 from the various candidates, which was expended for bands, printing, hotel bills, traveling expenses, etc.

H. H. McClellan, treasurer of the Democratic county committee, received \$150.00 from State Senator J. K. P. Hall, and certifies that it was distributed among the county committeemen.

STATE OF OHIO CITY, OF TOLEDO, ss. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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Notice.

The Stockholders of the Forest County National Bank of Tionesta, Pa., will meet on Tuesday, January 8, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the office of the bank, for the purpose of the election of directors for the ensuing year.

A. B. KELLY, Cashier.

HANDEL'S OBSTINACY.

An incident of the Great Musicians' Childhood Days.

A child's obstinacy does not always bring as fortunate results as was the case with Handel, the great musician. His extraordinary resolution as a boy doubtless led to that great success which crowned the later years of his life. When he was some seven years of age his father had occasion to visit a son by a former wife, who was valet to the Duke of Saxe Weissenfels. Traveling in those days—200 years ago—was tedious and expensive, and Dr. Handel did not desire to be delayed with the care of an "infant" during a journey which the demands of a responsible profession would probably make as short as possible.

But the future giant of music would go. He cried, bellowed and eventually ran along the road after the vehicle, until the tender feelings of the doctor could refuse no longer. In an evil moment for his jurisprudence scheme he took the child with him.

No sooner did the little fellow reach the dual residence than he gave rein to his fancy on the keys of every instrument that he found open. The remarkable music that came from the finger tips of the child's hands was soon the object of wonder and conversation throughout the palace, and all this was intensified when he secured an opportunity of touching the keys of the chance organ within the hearing of the duke.

Such a throb started from that chapel organ when little Handel's tender fingers chose the keys, and the soul of the duke was touched as it never had been touched before—truly a momentous occurrence, since but for it Handel's sacred music might never have been written.

The duke's attention having been arrested, he inquired of Dr. Handel concerning the child's future, and eventually succeeded in placing him for three years' study under Zichman, the organist of Halle cathedral. This was the beginning of Handel's musical education.

The Poison of Wealth.

Great riches, carrying with them enormous possibilities of self-indulgence, may fairly be considered as a sort of poison which ruins a certain proportion of those who are exposed to it, though strong constitutions survive. As rum destroys savages, so wealth tends to destroy persons—especially young ones, whom use and training have not gradually made immune to its effects. How that is may readily be noticed in observing the effects of newly won wealth on the families of the winners. It is a rare man and usually one very much blessed in his wife, who can combine with the ability that wins him riches the sagacity to train children born in comparative poverty so that they will benefit by a rapid and radical improvement in his circumstances—Edward S. Martin in Atlantic.

Man, the Monstrous Specter.

What a monstrous specter is this man, the disease of the agglutinated dust, lifting alternate feet or lying drugged with slumber; killing, feeding, growing, bringing forth small copies of himself; grown upon with hair like grass, fitted with eyes that move and glitter in his face; a thing to set children screaming, and yet looked at nearer, known as his fellows know him, how surprising are his attributes!—R. L. Stevenson.

The Dog's Kennel.

Damp is the greatest evil to which the dog confined outside the house in a kennel is liable. It will kill the strongest dog and must be carefully guarded against. If a dog is to keep in health, too, it is necessary that it should be able to enjoy plenty of sunlight, and the kennel should always be placed facing south, except in the hottest parts of the day in summer, when it should be moved into the shade.

WHEN VACCINATION FAILS TO TAKE

Health Commissioner Dixon Explains Provision That Is Made In Such Cases So That Children May Not Be Debarred From School.

WHEN CLAIM IS MADE THAT "CHILD IS UNFIT"

In Exceptional Cases, Where Careful Investigation By Local or State Health Authorities Justifies Admission to School, It Is Authorized.

"After three carefully performed but unsuccessful attempts to vaccinate a child have failed, that child should not be debarred from school privileges, but should be admitted, and the Department of Health has provided for this," said State Health Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon in an interview.

"The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania," continued Dr. Dixon, "called attention in the recent opinion it handed down reaffirming the validity of the so-called vaccination law of June 18, 1885, to the hardship involved in the twelfth section of that act when it is beyond the power of children of school age to be vaccinated, although they may not previously have had smallpox nor previously been vaccinated, and even repeated attempts to perform the operation upon such children are without effect and vaccination will not take. In such cases, as the court pointed out, the physician cannot certify that such child has been successfully vaccinated so as to meet the requirement of admission to school. The court's decision suggested the possibility of the health authorities, state or local, making a regulation setting forth the conditions under which a child upon whom vaccination will not take, may be permitted to go to school. The court also suggests that the health authorities would have to consider whether such a regulation would be undesirable as affording opportunity for the evasion of the statute.

"The Department of Health," continued Health Commissioner Dixon, "has taken this tendency to evade the law into consideration, as it was obliged to, and yet we have endeavored to see that those children who could not be vaccinated should be admitted to school. Our method of accomplishing this from the first has been as follows: "When the cases that we received inquiry about were within the limits of a borough or city having a Board of Health of its own, we suggested that after two unsuccessful attempts to vaccinate a child, the third attempt be made by or in the presence of the physician of the Board of Health. If this attempt failed, then the physician of the board, acting in his official capacity, should authorize the admission of the child.

"In the rural districts, where there are no Boards of Health to pass upon such cases, I have always asked that after three unsuccessful attempts to vaccinate a child have been made, the name of the child and the physician who made the attempt be referred immediately to the State Department of Health. The cases have then been at once investigated by our County Medical Inspectors or some one deputized by them, so that the child might not unjustly be debarred from school privileges. These methods of dealing with the situation have been in conformity with the Supreme Court's suggestion that the health authorities assume the responsibility of authorizing the admission to school of children upon whom, after a reasonable number of attempts, vaccination does not take.

"Taking advantage of the spirit of this part of the Supreme Court's opinion, we have also endeavored to deal with the cases of children where there was reason to believe that the child's physical condition did not make vaccination at the present time advisable. The Attorney General of the State had given an opinion that a teacher was not authorized to accept a certificate from a physician stating that the child was not in a physical condition to be vaccinated. It is reasonable to believe, however, that although the simple giving of such a certificate by the family physician would not be sufficient, the spirit of the Supreme Court's opinion would permit the recognized health authorities throughout the state, after careful investigation, to pass upon such cases.

"Therefore when such cases are now brought to the attention of our department, we have suggested that inside borough or city limits, the local Board of Health, through its physician, decide whether the child is well enough to attend school and yet not in a fit condition to be vaccinated. In the districts where there are no Boards of Health we are having such cases investigated and passed upon by our regular County Medical Inspectors. "It will thus be seen," concluded Dr. Dixon, "that the State Department of Health is doing everything possible to prevent any child from being unjustly deprived of its schooling. If the parent or guardian, however, refuses to permit a child to be vaccinated simply through prejudice, the health authorities certainly have no power to interfere with the operation of the law. In such cases we have done everything we could to overcome this prejudice by education, so that the innocent child might not be made to suffer because the parent desired to leave it exposed to the ravages of smallpox rather than undergo vaccination, which the Legislature of Pennsylvania, in the exercise of its police power, has made one of the requisites of admission to school."

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C. Y. DETAR, Adm'r., Kelleysville, Pa. RITCHEY & CARRISBOK, Att'ys. n28

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of Administration on the estate of A. C. Neer, late of Green Township, Forest County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment without delay, and those having claims or demands will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

J. C. BOWMAN, Adm'r., Tionesta, Pa. A. C. BROWN, Attorney. 11-28-06

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of Administration c. t. a. on the estate of James Campbell, late of Howe township, Forest county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment without delay, and those having claims or demands will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

A. SHOWERS, Adm'r. C. T. A., Lynch, Pa. A. C. BROWN, Attorney. 11-7-06

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Letters of Administration on the estate of Charles F. Kloostover, late of Green Township, Forest County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment without delay, and those having claims or demands will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

HARRY T. KILNESTIVER, Adm'r., Tionesta, Pa. A. C. BROWN, Attorney. 11-14-06

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