

Table with columns for 1910, NOVEMBER, and 1910, showing dates and corresponding numbers.

STAND still there. Though the prices of food are falling, they won't hit you hard enough to hurt you.

A DAY of lively bull fighting would doubtless do more to settle present difficulties in Mexico than anything else.

THERE are some high-flyers among the millionaires also. Last week J. Armstrong Drexel, one of the country's richest citizens knocked the aviation record into smithereens by soaring to the dizzy height of 9,970 feet in a Bleriot monoplane over the city of Philadelphia.

UNDER certain conditions Editor Smith of Punxy thinks the little coffin nails are tolerable. He says: "Just prior to his journey to the gallows Dr. Crippen smoked several cigarettes with evident relish. For a man on his way to the gallows cigarettes seem to be all right."

THE Pennsylvania Legislature will contain one Socialist member, a plumber from Reading, Pa., who says he intends to "raise the devil." The Chicago Tribune suggests that, when he reaches Harrisburg, he will find little in that line left to do, the last two or three legislators having done such a complete job that it can scarcely be improved upon.

IN the census showing of great growth in cities and small increases in rural population, there is one explanation of the added cost of living, says the Gazette times. There are too few food producers, and then besides the cost of provisions your city dwellers demand and will have many other non-necessaries that run into money. Yet strangely enough it was the country vote, in protest against increased living expenses, that played hob with the Republican party at the recent election.

AT his home in Cleveland Judge Robert W. Taylor, United States District Judge for Northern Ohio, who sentenced Cassie Chadwick to penitentiary, died Saturday morning after an illness lasting but a few hours. After serving in Congress from 1885 to 1903 Judge Taylor was appointed to the Federal bench. While in Congress he concluded the famous polygamy trial of Representative Brigham Roberts. He could have had the Republican nomination for Governor in Ohio had he desired it.

SENATOR VARE, of Philadelphia, is going to ask the Legislature to appropriate \$1,000,000 to help deepen the channel of the Delaware River, so that vessels drawing 35 feet of water may enter the port of Philadelphia. This leads the Punnx-tawney Spirit to remark that a million dollars would not go far toward this end. If Philadelphia is to have a harbor that will admit the great vessels of the future, a forty foot channel should be provided, and that will require many millions of dollars. The work should be done by the Federal Government. It is too big a thing for the State to undertake.

POSTMASTER GENERAL HITCHCOCK has established new claim to public appreciation by the vigor with which he is pursuing get-rich-quick concerns. His recent sensational raid on a New York outfit has had its counterpart in several other cities, where similar fraudulent agencies were at work plucking the unwary. It is not necessarily a duty of the Postoffice Department to protect people from the consequences of their own cupidity, but by means of the fraud law this branch of the government is an exceedingly effective instrument for the exposure and punishment of swindlers, and Mr. Hitchcock's use of his powers is receiving the general commendation which it deserves.—Gazette Times.

WE note with a mighty lot of pleasure that in a voting contest now running in the Pittsburgh Dispatch for United States Senator, the name of our old friend and fellow sufferer, the Hon. William O. Smith of Punnx-tawney, is a prime favorite with a large number of the voters. Gee, but that just strikes us right, and since "the powers that be" failed to adopt the Oil City Blizzard's suggestion to nominate Mr. Smith for Governor last spring, and by that failure came mighty close to getting into serious trouble, here's a chance to make things right, and at the same time tickle the whole state immensely. Here's a chance for a master stroke in politics, as nothing that the leaders could do would so popularize the Republican party in Pennsylvania as the sending of our amiable and mild-mannered friend Smith to the upper house of Congress.

THERE seems to be good ground, judging from reports from cities in the middle west, for the statement that after a long period of high prices we are to have a substantial reduction in the cost of living, says the Blizzard. The price of meat in many places is perceptibly lower and those who know the market predict that flour and other foodstuffs are bound to follow in the wake, and that temporarily, at least, a season of lower prices is to be established. But it would not be wise to grow too optimistic over the matter. The same interests which manipulated the market and brought about an unjust increase in prices, uncalculated for by prevailing conditions, can do it again. The alleged reduction may be due to the law of supply and demand, or it may be fictitious, the interests simply releasing their hold in order to get a stronger grip. It is still just as easy as it was to make a combination to keep up prices between the farmer and the consumer, and we may as well make up our minds that with the changed industrial conditions everywhere and the increasing drift to the cities of masses of population, we shall never see again the low prices for the necessities of life that prevailed 15 or 20 years ago.

Pennsylvania Official Vote.

The official totals for state officers have been given out at Harrisburg and are as follows:

For governor—John K. Tener, Republican, 415,611; William H. Berry, Keystone party, 382,127; Webster Grim, Democratic 129,363; John W. Slayton, Socialist, 53,053; Madison F. Larkin, Prohibition, 17,436; George Anton, Industrialist, 862. Tener's plurality, 33,484.

For lieutenant governor—John W. Reynolds, Republican, 429,874; D. Clarence Gibboney, Keystone party, 307,836; Thomas H. Greevy, Democratic, 155,922; Louis Cohen, Socialist, 55,879; Charles E. McConkey, Prohibition, 22,375; William H. Thomas, Industrialist, 1,678. Reynolds' plurality, 122,018.

For secretary of internal affairs—Henry Houck, Republican, 451,007; John J. Casey, Keystone party, 275,115; James J. Blakesie, Democratic, 157,155; Beaumont Sykes, Socialist, 57,535; Charles W. Huntington, Prohibition, 25,507; James Erwin, Industrialist, 1,347. Houck's plurality, 175,892.

The total vote in the state for governor, exclusive of a few scattering votes, was 998,424. Four years ago the total, in round figures, was 1,000,000. The personal registration law was not in effect then and in the first second and third class cities and this has had the effect of lessening the vote in a number of cities.

Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Small were visitors in Tionesta on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. DeWoody, Mrs. J. A. Small, Wm. McCullough and Miss Nellie DeWoody attended the Eastern Star banquet in Tionesta last Wednesday evening.

Robert Shawkey, of Sigel, was a visitor in town on Sunday.

F. X. Kreidler returned Saturday from a business trip to Pittsburgh.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Richards on November 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Secor attended the funeral of the late Herman Blum, on German Hill, Monday.

Ralph Cook, of Siverly, spent Thanksgiving at the home of his parents.

Porkey.

Walter Slocum, of Henry's Mills, spent Sunday with Elva Blum at this place.

Thomas Miller, who went to work for South Penn Oil Co. at Henry's Mills on Friday last, spent Sunday with his family here. He is working in the place of John Knapp, who was severely burned in a gas explosion on Tuesday last week and is confined to the house.

Geo. Blum received word that his uncle, Herman Blum, who lived on German Hill, died on Friday morning and would be buried on Monday. George went to German Hill on Saturday.

Sherman Durnell, of Hastings, spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Rupert boys.

John Goal, of Clarendon, and Dana Bean, of Lynch, were on Friday last looking out a route for the pipe line up Blood run to the Haight well. The pipe has arrived for this and the work will begin soon to connect this lease by this route. The oil has been pumped into a tank on Wildcat run and from there run to Lynch until this line is finished.

Miss Nina Bean, of Warren, met her music class here on Friday and Saturday. The week before she did not come on account of a very bad cold.

Mrs. Wm. Parks and son Clarence, of Sheriff, with their household goods will leave for Oblong, Ill., where Mr. Parks is employed in the oil field. They expect to go Monday, Nov. 29th.

Mrs. John Stover, of Minister, is going to Warren, Pa., for the winter and Miss Jessie will go to Fitzpatrick, W. Va., both leaving the first of this week. We understand that another family have made arrangements to keep this house open to satisfy the hungry traveler and give us a stopping place.

James Spencer, of Fools Creek, who is working over near Queen, spent Sunday with his family.

The pump station started on Sunday morning and ran pretty rocky in the forenoon, but by some fine adjusting the engine did nicely all afternoon.

Miss Roxie Kifer is assisting Mrs. Rupert with her household duties again, after a month's absence, during which she suffered quarantine at Mayburg.

On Sunday a weary, unshaven and tired looking bit of humanity waded into the village and stopping at the Rupert home he entered the gate and stood on the walk five minutes, looking toward the house. Not being able to detect any savory smell of a sumptuous dinner and no one to run out and fall on his neck, he went on through the village. At the lower end of town he went to Geo. Blum's cave and finding it locked went into another shed and set down with his head in the corner. Some of the natives went down to see "who's who and why?" and when told that he would freeze if he went to sleep there he went on toward Mayburg. He surely was a strange one and all eyes were on him while in full view.

Ben Kinney is still in California and doing well. He has been promoted to be foreman of a sewer gang and seems to like the country, so he writes his friends. Think he will make his eastern trip about March or April, 1911. He is now at Maricopa.

The Cooper Tract scribe surprised us last week with a new one for our list, namely, "a sauer kraut party." We hope we may partake of the next one.

Our people are feasting on jack rabbit lately and still there are some tracks left. Fresh ones, too.

The Minister foot bridge is completed and while it is not as big as the one here, it serves the purpose all right.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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TAFT IS A FINE MAN BUT--

President Tells a Good Story About Himself Which Occurred at Richmond, Va.

Washington, Nov. 29.—President Taft has a great liking for Richmond, Va., and its people. That feeling is reciprocated by a great many citizens of the Virginia capital but like most other Southerners they do not allow their personal feelings to lead them away from the Democracy when it comes to casting their ballots.

In witness of this the president himself recently has told friends this story which was related to him by "Deacon" J. M. Hemphill, editor of the Richmond Times-Dispatch. Deacon Hemphill sat at a banquet beside a fellow citizen and Democrat who was loud in his praise of Mr. Taft.

"Taft," said this man to the deacon, "is a fine man and I like him very much."

"Would you vote for him if he were nominated again?" asked the deacon. "I'd see him in hell first," was the answer.

BIG BILL WAYNE IS DEAD

Was Son of Pauline Wayns, Famous Holstein Cow, Given to President by Senator Stephenson.

Washington, Nov. 29.—Big Bill Wayne, son of Pauline Wayne, the famous Holstein cow given to President Taft by Senator Stephenson of Wisconsin, is dead. Big Bill was born on election day at 5 a. m., before the polls opened.

The stableman christened the calf "Henry L. Stimson," but William Price, a White House newspaper man, to whom the calf was given by the president, renamed it "Big Bill."

So calculators were unable today to say that the result of the election had anything to do with its death. Big Bill was weaned last Tuesday—too soon, those who profess to know something about cows say, and death is attributed to this cause.

RUEF OUT ON BAIL

Former San Francisco Boss Enjoys Liberty on \$350,000 Bonds.

San Francisco, Nov. 29.—The appellate court has declared that former Ross Abo Ruef, convicted of bribery, shall enjoy his liberty on \$350,000 bail until the supreme court decides his appeal.

The district attorney attempted to secure a return of Ruef to the county jail on the ground that during the absence of Judge Lawlor, who tried the Ruef case, Judge Cahansis admitted Ruef to bail.

The appellate court held that Judge Lawlor could not insist that Judge Cahansis had done as that would leave any prisoner practically at the mercy of a hostile judge.

Minister Dead From Heart Disease.

New Orleans, Nov. 29.—Rev. Beverley Ellison Warner, rector of Trinity church of this city, and practically the most prominent Episcopal clergyman in the South and a leader in all civic work, dropped dead from heart disease at his home, aged 55. Dr. Warner was born in Jersey City and graduated from Princeton university. He was the author of a number of works.

Tener Wants Him to Prove It.

Rev. William L. Barrett, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Blairsville, was arrested on a charge of criminal libel at his home Tuesday on an information made by Walter H. Gaither, private secretary to Governor-elect John K. Tener. Mr. Barrett waived a hearing and was held in bonds of \$500, furnished by himself, for appearance at the December term of court. The information charged that "in a sermon on or about the 24th of October said W. L. Barrett maliciously and negligently wrote, published and exhibited the following defamatory words referring to John K. Tener, and thereby exposed him to public hatred, contempt and ridicule:

"One of the most prominent ministers of the Presbytery a pastor of a church of nearly six hundred members, saw this man assisted to his room in a hotel in a state of intoxication, and the next morning it took two men to assist him to the railroad."

The Blairsville Courier, which published the statement, withdrew with an explanation that the statement was false, but the minister declined to retract.

Burglars Left Some Explosive.

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MADE CRIMINAL BY BULLET

Pittsburg Physicians Say Lad is Incurable—Sent to Reform School.

Pittsburg, Nov. 29.—A bullet wound in the head has made Frank Handy a criminal for life, according to physicians. He was taken before Judge John M. Kennedy on a charge of larceny. Handy is 18 years old, and since he was shot in the head, 10 years ago, has apparently been unable to resist the temptation to steal. The boy was accused of stealing \$200 worth of oats.

"I can't help stealing, your honor," he told Judge Kennedy. "You can ask my mother if I ever stole or did anything wrong before I was shot. Since then I just have to steal and do things like that, even though I don't want to do them."

Physicians said there appeared to be no hope of reforming the boy by any surgical operation in their power. He was sentenced to a reform school until he is 21 years old.

LOADED CARS HIT STATION

Seven Men, Penned in Office at Winsted, Escape Alive.

Winsted, Conn., Nov. 29.—Seven men employed in the freight office of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, including W. C. Perry, the local agent, had a narrow escape from death last evening, when a freight train drove two loaded freight cars into the freight station.

Caged like rats in a trap only for the fact that the bumping block in front of the office swerved when the cars struck it, throwing them aside and into the station, saved the men from being crushed. Their desks were moved, the heavy safe thrown half way across the office and the flooring sprung so that gaps four and five inches wide appeared.

The train at the time of the accident was being made up, and cars had been shunted downgrade when a wrong switch was thrown, sending the cars into the station. Only one man was hurt.

GIRL LEADS LEAP FROM FIRE

Awakens Three Farm Hands, and All Jump From 2d-Story Window.

Clifton Heights, Pa., Nov. 29.—Fire destroyed the residence of John Jensen, in Spitzfeld township, early yesterday morning. The fire was noticed shortly after 3 o'clock by Mr. Jensen's daughter, who was aroused by the smoke.

She awakened the three farm hands, and all four escaped by jumping from the second story of the house. Miss Jensen was badly cut about the face, and received bruises from the fall, while John Jorgeson was also badly injured.

The fire was caused by a defective flue, and started about one hour after Mr. and Mrs. Jensen had left the place with a wagon load of produce for the Philadelphia markets.

TEACHERS DESERT TO MARRY

Pittsburg Benomns Effect of Kindergartens on Instructors.

Pittsburg, Nov. 29.—At the annual meeting of the directors of the Kindergarten college last evening it was said that teaching children so developed the mother instinct in the teachers that the majority of them resigned and married some after holding their positions for only a year.

When it was reported to Mrs. James I. Buchanan, president of the Pittsburg and Alleghany Kindergarten association, that not enough teachers could be secured to operate the 94 kindergartens in the city, the directors went into a long session to determine ways and means of halting matrimony.

Barred by Flat Feet.

Pittsburg, Nov. 29.—Because he became flat footed by long marches over the Philippine islands during the insurrection there, Joseph Bulka, a six-footer, was rejected as a candidate for the police service rules. The physicians and others in the civil service board sympathized with Bulka, but told him that the rules debarred him. Bulka offered to outrun any policeman.

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Knitted Goods.

It is surprising what a large number of articles of every day wearing apparel is included in this class.

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Notice of Appeals. Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Forest County, Pa., will meet in their office in the Court House in Tionesta Borough, on the 21st, 23d and 25th of December, 1910, for the purpose of holding a Court of Appeals from Assessment for 1911.

Commissioners' Land Sale.

By virtue of various Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania made and provided, we, the undersigned Commissioners of the County of Forest, will expose to sale by public vendue or outcry, at the Commissioners' Office in the Court House, in Tionesta Borough, on the 6th Day of December, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described tracts of lands, viz:

Table listing land parcels with columns for Acres, Name Assessed In, and other details.

MARKET REPORT

New York Provision Market. New York, Nov. 28. WHEAT—No. 2 red, f. o. b., 88 3/4c; No. 2 hard, winter, 1.02 3/4c.

CORN—No. 2 red, f. o. b., domestic, 57 1/2c; OATS—No. 2 white, in elevator, 35c; white, on track, 37 1/2c@41c.

PORK—Mess, 19.00@19.50. BUTTER—Creamery specials, 23 1/2c@22c; do, extras, 20 1/2c; state dairy good to prime, 27@29c; factory firsts, 24@24 1/2c.

CHEESE—State specials, 15 1/2c@17c. EGGS—State and Pennsylvania, 52@55c.

POTATOES—Long Island, \$1.50@ \$2.00; state, in bag, \$1.50@1.60.

Buffalo Provision Market. Buffalo, Nov. 28. WHEAT—No. 1 northern, carloads, \$1.11; No. 2 red, 94c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 57 1/2c f. o. b. afloat; No. 3 yellow, 57c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 35 1/2c f. o. b. afloat; No. 3 white, 35 1/2c.

FLOUR—Fancy blended patent, per bbl., \$6.00@6.75; winter family, patent, \$5.25@6.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, western tubs, 32c; state creamery, fair to good, 28@29c.

CHEESE—Good to choice, 15 1/2c@16c. EGGS—State, selected white, 45c.

East Buffalo Livestock Market. CATTLE—Prime steers, \$6.50@6.75; good to choice butcher steers, \$5.25@6.25; choice cows, \$4.75@5.00; choice heifers, \$5.50@5.75; common to fair heifers, \$4.00@5.00; common to fair bulls, \$3.25@4.00; choice veals, \$10.25@10.50; fair to good, \$9.25@10.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Clipped yearlings, \$4.60@5.00; clipped mixed sheep, \$3.75@4.00.

HOGS—Light Yorkers, \$7.50@7.60; heavy hogs, \$7.55@7.60; pigs, \$9.25@7.85.

—Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do not sicken or gripe, and may be taken with perfect safety by the most delicate women or the youngest child. The old and feeble will also find them a most suitable remedy for aiding and strengthening their weakened digestion and for regulating the bowels. For sale by all dealers.

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