

OCTOBER—1900.

Calendar table for October 1900 with days of the week and dates.

A New Jersey man has been trying to hypnotize a girl to get her to play the violin.

Another family has been wiped out of existence through a dinner of mushrooms, largely because the members lived in an inland town in Missouri and never had a chance to get a boat.

Western capitalists propose to tunnel the great continental divide, 90 miles west of Denver and operate an electric road through it.

On the run from Seattle to San Francisco recently the new battleship Wisconsin made the 896 miles in 59 hours and broke all existing records.

The introduction of trolley roads has not seriously disturbed the business of steam roads, as was predicted.

Judge Robinson, of Raleigh, N. C., apparently thinks that clergymen have in their own hands the power to keep order during divine services.

The machine invented by a Chicago woman to measure the emotions certainly ought to fill a long-felt want, but it will have to be strongly built.

Hundreds of horses and thousands of cattle in the Hawaiian islands never take a drink of water.

Europe has recorded a most unusual race. It was nothing more nor less than a balloon race from Paris to Berlin won by Comte De Las Vaux.

A new method has been discovered whereby balloons may communicate while at an altitude of over 6,000 feet with those on the ground.

The weather prophet is now in evidence. One meteorological prognosticator has gravely assured the country that we are in for one of the coldest winters ever known.

Examiners in the patent office were inclined to poke fun at a contrivance designed to frighten wolves on western prairies.

A WEEK'S HISTORY

The Important Happenings of a Week Briefly Told.

IN ALL PARTS OF THE UNION

All the Latest News of Interest from Washington, From the East, the West and the South.

THE LATEST FOREIGN DISPATCHES

FROM WASHINGTON.

The figures of the bureau of statistics show that the United States leads the world in the chief products.

THE EAST.

National League baseball season ended with the clubs standing as follows: Brooklyn, 603; Pittsburgh, 534; Philadelphia, 549; Boston, 478; Chicago, 464; St. Louis, 464; Cincinnati, 450; New York, 435.

Anthracite coal miners after a two days' convention in Scranton decided to accept the ten per cent. net increase in wages offered by the mine owners.

In the United States the visible supply of grain on the 15th was wheat, 56,978,000 bushels; corn, 9,829,000 bushels; oats, 12,235,000 bushels; rye, 986,000 bushels; barley, 2,348,000 bushels.

In Boston a checker match of 40 games between Charles Barker, of Boston, and Richard Jordan, of Edinburgh, Scotland, for the world's championship, began.

In Newark, N. J., an application was filed for a receiver for the whisky trust. After nine years' sojourn in Europe Mark Twain arrived in New York.

At Newark, N. J., a storm wrecked an unfinished building, killing William Ruble, Robert Ward and Joseph Baumgartner and fatally injuring two other workmen.

A wealthy resident of Brooklyn, N. Y., William Ziegler, will fit out a new expedition in search of the north pole.

A march of striking coal miners was dispersed by troops at Coalfield, Pa. Operators held a council in Philadelphia, but no result was announced.

The death of Jay A. Hubbell occurred at his home in Houghton, Mich., aged 71 years. He was a congressman for ten years.

Three men were killed and ten persons injured in Chicago and vicinity in two railroad wrecks and a trolley car accident.

STRIKE IS SETTLED.

Operators Accord to the Demands of the Miners.

Philadelphia, Oct. 18.—The great strike of the anthracite mine workers of Pennsylvania, which began September 17, practically ended Wednesday.

The Reading company's notice reads: "I hereby withdraws the notice posted October 3, 1900, and, to bring about practical uniformity in the advance of wages in the several coal regions, gives notice that it will suspend the operation of the sliding scale, will pay ten per cent. advance on September wages till April 1, 1901, and will take up with its mine employees any grievances which they may have."

The report of the commissioner of the general land office shows the government has 917,135,880 acres open to settlement.

Station H of the New York post office was robbed of nearly \$40,000.

Dwight T. Reed, of New York, United States vice consul to Spain, died in Madrid.

Prince Von Hohenlohe-Schillingsfurst at 81 years of age has resigned the chancellorship of the German empire.

The internal revenue receipts from all sources during September amounted to \$23,453,514, a decrease as compared with September, 1899, of \$1,067,071.

John Hughes, postmaster at Cambridge, Pa., shot and killed an unidentified burglar who broke into the office.

Six persons were injured in a passenger train collision on the Vandavia road at Verona, Ind.

W. S. Taylor, former governor of Kentucky, expressed willingness to go back and stand impartial trial on charge of Goebel murder.

Count Zeppelin's airship at a height of 1,300 feet sailed successfully against the wind at Friedrichshafen.

John Nelson made a new 15-mile bicycle record in Chicago, his time being 27:04 1-5.

William L. Wilson, president of Washington and Lee university, and postmaster general in Cleveland's cabinet, died suddenly at Lexington, Va., of congestion of the lungs, aged 57 years.

About \$500,000 worth of unredeemed Porto Rican money is in circulation in the island.

DIES SUDDENLY.

Ex-Postmaster General Wilson Passes Away Unexpectedly at Lexington, Va.

Lexington, Va., Oct. 18.—Hon. William L. Wilson, president of Washington and Lee university and ex-postmaster general, died suddenly at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning of congestion of the lungs.

William Lyne Wilson was born in Jefferson county, Va., May 2, 1842. He was educated at Columbia college and at the University of Virginia; served in the Confederate army and after the war was professor of Latin at Columbia college for six years.

As a member of the ways and means committee in 1888 he had much to do with framing the Mills tariff bill, passed in that session, and as chairman of the same committee in 1889 he was instrumental in securing the tariff bill known popularly by his name.

He was nominated and confirmed as postmaster general to succeed Wilson S. Bissell, resigned.

FATAL RAILWAY WRECKS.

Three Men Killed and Five Injured in Disaster on Sunday Near Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—In two railroad wrecks three men were killed and five persons injured in the vicinity of Chicago Sunday. The most serious accident of the two was the ditching of the New York and Boston express on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad in South Chicago.

Lincoln, Ill., Oct. 17.—A fast freight on the Chicago & Alton was wrecked Tuesday morning at Lawndale, near here, and three lives were lost.

BATS LAID ASIDE.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—The playing of the National Baseball league closed Sunday with the game at St. Louis. Brooklyn wins the championship with a total of 89 games won and 54 lost.

Killed at a Crossing.

Newcastle, Pa., Oct. 15.—A terrible grade crossing accident in which three persons were instantly killed and one probably fatally injured occurred Saturday night at Robinson's Crossing, about five miles west of this place.

Raised a Big Sum.

New York, Oct. 15.—Rev. Albert B. Simpson, president of the Christian and Missionary alliance, on Sunday preached his annual missionary sermon at the Gospel tabernacle, and as a result over \$50,000 in cash, pledges and property were realized for the support of the missions and mission work of the alliance for the coming year.

Bryan Greeted at New York.

New York, Oct. 17.—William J. Bryan arrived in this city at 2:55 o'clock Tuesday. His reception was an enthusiastic ovation. As the train steamed into the annex of the Grand Central depot that part of the immense building was thronged with a multitude.

Port Limon, Colombia, Burned.

Panama, Colombia, Oct. 16.—Disasters from Costa Rica tell of the almost total destruction by fire of Port Limon, the principal port of the republic. The business section of the city was entirely wiped out.

Many Drowned.

St. Johns, N. F., Oct. 17.—The St. Pierre schooner Pions drifted ashore in Fortune bay during the recent gale and her entire crew of 20 men were drowned.

WILL TRY ARBITRATION.

Powers Will Submit Contentious Points in Chinese Settlement to International Court.

Washington, Oct. 15.—The Russian suggestion that the international court of arbitration of The Hague be given jurisdiction over divergencies of views arising on the question of Chinese indemnities was submitted to Secretary Hay by M. de Wollant, the Russian charge d'affaires in Washington, in a note on October 3.

The movement promises to give the first practical realization of the czar's movement in bringing about the international congress of The Hague. The court of arbitration has received the approval of the various governments represented at The Hague, and its formal organization is in progress.

BRITISH REENTER BLOEMHOF.

Town Near Kimberley Occupied Unopposed and Fifty Boers Captured.

Cape Town, Oct. 17.—The British reentered Bloemhof, near Kimberley, October 14, unopposed, and captured 50 Boers.

More Americans Captured.

Manila, Oct. 14, via Hong-Kong, Oct. 17.—A detachment of 20 men of the Twenty-fourth regiment, while engaged in repairing telegraph wires on October 10, at a point near San Jose, Neuvo Ecija province, Isle de Luzon, were set upon by 200 rebels and were overpowered and scattered.

Party of Twenty Repairing Telegraph Attacked by Filipinos and Only Seven Escape.

Manila, Oct. 18.—Under cover of a stormy night, Capt. Elliott, of the Fortieth infantry, surprised the rebel headquarters near Orquieta, island of Mindanao, and captured, without fighting, Gen. Alvarez, with his staff and 25 soldiers.

Prince Hohenlohe Retires.

Berlin, Oct. 18.—The Kolnische Zeitung asserts that Prince Hohenlohe has tendered his resignation as imperial chancellor, and that it has been accepted. According to the same authority Emperor William has designated as the retiring chancellor's successor Count Von Bulow, minister of foreign affairs.

The Mother of Lincoln.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 16.—Gov. Mount has received a deed to the 16 acres of land in Spencer county surrounding the grave of Nancy Hanks Lincoln, the mother of Abraham Lincoln. The deed conveys the land from the county commissioners of Spencer county to the Nancy Hanks Lincoln Memorial association, of which the governor is president.

Rebels Defeat Imperial Troops.

London, Oct. 15.—A special dispatch from Tientsin, under date of October 12, announces the arrival at Peking of Li Hung Chang. According to a special dispatch from Hong-Kong the rebels have again defeated the army of Admiral Ho, who was pursuing them in a northeasterly direction from San Chun, killing 40 and capturing many of the imperial troops.

Checker Champions Meet.

Boston, Oct. 16.—The first of a series of 40 games for the checker championship of the world, and \$2,000 a side, between Charles F. Barker, of this city, and Richard Jordan, of Edinburgh, Scotland, was opened at the American house Monday afternoon. Prominent players from all over New England, from New York and from Scotland were present to watch the contest.

HELP FOR WOMEN

WHO ARE ALWAYS TIRED.

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