

MAY.

Calendar for the month of May 1908, showing days of the week and dates.

Republican Ticket.

- STATE: Judge of the Superior Court, WILLIAM D. PORTER, Allegheny County. COUNTY: Congress, Hon. N. P. WHEELER. President Judge, Hon. W. E. RICE. Assembly, A. R. MECHLING. Prothonotary, J. C. GEIST. Sheriff, S. R. MAXWELL. County Commissioner, J. M. ZUENDEL. County Auditor, W. H. HARRISON. County Auditor, A. C. GREGG. G. H. WARDEN. Jury Commissioner, ERNEST SIBBLE.

The public school authorities of Pennsylvania have been notified by the American Flag Association that Flag Day, falling this year on Sunday, will be celebrated the following day, Monday, June 16th.

Thus saith the Punxsutawney Spirit: "Friends who are only so when they need you, will easily find an excuse to be enemies when you need them. So runneth the world away, and thus continueth the work of stringing suckers."

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has put a thousand more freight cars to work, the ship yards are getting busy, various industrial plants are working full time again and the indications are good all over the country.

A MAN must be friendly to have friends. This was never more true than in the country. Try a little friendliness towards that neighbor whom you have considered rather cold and distant. You will perhaps find that he will warm up to you and the friendship will work mutual good. Get this idea, and if you have anything good in that line share it with him.

Signs of a return to prosperous conditions have manifested themselves in the Pittsburgh district by the announcement that the Pennsylvania has issued instructions to prepare for work on the tunnel at Greensburg, Pa., thirty miles from Pittsburgh, it being the intention to spend \$1,000,000 in cutting down this tunnel, reducing the grade and making a cut wide enough for six tracks. This track will be the first move towards six-tracking the Pennsylvania from Pittsburgh to New York. The work was called off when hard times appeared last fall.

The announcement has been made that President Roosevelt has signed the bill directing the restoration to gold and silver coins of the motto, "In God We Trust," ordered by him stricken from the gold coins several months ago on the ground that the law did not authorize it. The law becomes effective thirty days from May 18, but the dies with the additional words already have been prepared. In the meantime the coinage of twenty and ten-dollar gold pieces minus the motto will continue, according to Director of the Mint Leach. There will be no material change in the Saint Gaudens design approved some months ago by the President, except the addition of the motto to be placed below the flying eagle, while on the ten-dollar gold pieces it will be to the left and in front of the eagle. The motto never was removed from the silver coins.

Judges Johnson and Broomall of the court of quarter sessions of Delaware county handed down a decision in a case involving the legality of the statute passed by the legislature of 1907 prohibiting the use of so-called automatic guns for the killing of game. The court decided that the law was contrary to the Constitution of the United States and the constitution of the state of Pennsylvania, and discharged the defendants. The decision is of great interest to sportsmen in this state, as many of them had purchased guns of the self-loading type prior to the passage of the statute prohibiting their use, and did not want to give them up. They claimed, and the courts have now sustained their contention, that a gun of the self-loading type was no more destructive of game than less modern arms, and therefore perfectly lawful to use.

Guffey's Democratic Convention. The Democratic State convention held at Harrisburg last week was a Guffey affair from start to finish, doing his bidding promptly and thoroughly, as follows: Defeated instructions for Bryan in committee, 34 to 15. Voted down endorsement of Bryan, in convention, 187 to 123. Elected R. W. Irwin, anti-Bryanite, temporary chairman. Elected Peter A. O'Boyle, Judge Gray boomer, permanent chairman. Defeated Wm. T. Cressley, Bryanite, for permanent chairman, in committee, 31 to 16. Elected as delegates at large to Denver, J. M. Guffey, J. K. P. Hall, John G. Harman and A. G. Dewalt, all with Guffey. Defeated all Bryan candidates for delegates at large, giving Bryan's personal friend, W. H. Berry, the lowest vote among the unsuccessful candidates. Platform absolutely ignored Bryan. Guffey's re-election as Democratic National Committee man assured. Wild cheering and derisive taunts of Bryanites in galleries answered by Guffey votes against Bryan on floor of convention. Nominated Webster G. Smith, of Bucks, for Judge of Superior Court.

Porkey.

Mrs. Stephen West and sister Chloee of Kelleysville visited at the home of Mr. Jas. Welsh at Ballytown a few days of last week.

Martha Blum returned to her home Sunday afternoon, accompanied by James Welsh, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Littlefield were called to Beaver, Saturday, on account of the serious illness of Grandma Mervin.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blum were shopping in Sheffield, Saturday. Another grand ball was given at the Stover Hall, Friday evening.

Porkey and Sheriff had a very exciting game of ball Sunday, Sheriff coming out victorious.

Master Frank Downey is getting along nicely. Grandma Shaffer of Kelleysville is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Brennan.

Mrs. Geo. Blum and Mrs. Wm. Slocum visited friends at Hastings Saturday afternoon, on the evening train.

Jack Mathill is visiting at the home of Chas. Blum. Mr. Mathill had his leg broken some time ago and isn't able to work.

Mrs. O. E. Rupert and sister Lottie attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Oscar Linde, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Linde were married about six months ago. The wife was Miss Carrie Bloss of Sheffield.

Chas. Eastwood of North Clarendon visited his sister, Mrs. Earl Downey, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Angie Frey of Kelleysville visited friends in town Sunday. The Porkey Oil Co.'s well drilled in last week proved a failure. They didn't get either oil or gas. Strange, as the well was located between two that were drilled the past winter and they were both good gas wells.

Mr. Frisbie gave one of his moving picture entertainments Thursday evening, the best he has ever given here.

Kelleysville. Goldia Hill, who is attending school at Tionesta, spent Sunday and Monday with her parents.

Dr. C. Y. Detar and sons Reed and Russell visited the former's parents at Fryburg last week.

Marie Gillooly is visiting friends at Starr. Carl Merriam of Bemis Point, Ind., visited at W. A. Kribbs' Saturday.

Thelma Albough, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Albough, is suffering from scarlet fever.

Arch Horner had his foot smashed while at his work Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Watson, A. C. Beason and Mrs. M. Andrews attended the Masonic banquet at Erie, Monday and Tuesday.

Agnes West of Fryburg is the guest of her brother, S. E. West. The ball games between the town team and the wood bundlers Monday afternoon was very interesting, the score being 21 to 29 in favor of the town team.

Mrs. Mary Shaffer, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lew Brennan, at Trueman's, returned home Monday.

Sunday School Convention Program. Following is the program of the thirteenth annual convention of the Forest County Sabbath School Association, to be held in Nebraska, Pa., Tuesday and Wednesday, June 23 and 24, 1908:

TUESDAY, 2:30 P. M. Devotional, Rev. F. C. Timmis; address of welcome, Judge F. X. Kreidler; response, Rev. J. F. Scherer; 3:00, what ought the teacher to know before beginning to teach? Mrs. Alice Ritchey; 3:15, the County Association standard, W. G. Landes, general secretary of the State Sabbath School Association; 4:00, temperance union in the Sunday school, Rev. E. L. Monroe; 4:15, election of officers; reports of committees; business.

EVENING SESSION. 8:00, Song service, Rev. H. A. Bailey; 8:15, address—"A little child shall lead them," Miss Ermina G. Lincoln, state superintendent of primary and junior work; question box, W. G. Landes.

WEDNESDAY MORNING. 9:00, Devotional, Rev. R. J. Montgomery; 9:30, the duty of the Sunday school to missionary work, T. D. Collins; 10:00, organized for service, W. G. Landes; 10:30, lessons in teaching from the Great Teacher, Rev. W. E. Davis; 11:00, religion the basis of a nation's prosperity, Rev. B. F. Felt; 11:30, training the teacher, A. B. Kelly.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON. 2:00, Devotional, Rev. E. D. Thompson; 2:30, conference on primary plans, Miss Lincoln; 3:00, conference—should the Sunday school be the children's church service? how overcomes the prevailing practice, Rev. R. J. Montgomery; D. B. Shields; G. W. Warden; 4:00, working with a visioned purpose, Miss Lincoln.

WEDNESDAY EVENING. 8:00, Devotional, Rev. J. F. Scherer; 8:15, church and home, Mrs. F. J. Henderson; 8:30, a persuading personality, W. G. Landes.

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. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Free to Our Subscribers. We will be glad to have every reader of our paper take advantage of the following offer: If you will send your name and address to the Pineale Medicine Co., 389 LaSalle Ave., Chicago, Ill., they will promptly mail you postpaid a full week's trial of their most excellent preparation, "Pineales". The preparation is put up in little gelatin globules, easy and pleasant to take and are truly remarkable in their quick effects on all Back Ache, Lame Back, Rheumatism and all Kidney and Bladder affections. In writing them it will be necessary to mention this paper. Please do so. We hope any of our readers, who are suffering from any such complaints will take advantage of this offer at once, as we know the preparation is most highly recommended.

SUPREME COURT DECLARES AGAINST STREAM POLLUTION

Highest Tribunal of Justice in Pennsylvania Upholds Constitutionality of the Purity of Water Law.

MUST PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH

Owner of Mill From Which Sewage Flowed into the Schuylkill River is Held Guilty.

Judge Swartz, of the Montgomery county courts, in delivering his opinion said: "The act of the legislature is a police regulation for the protection of the public health. This is a highly beneficial act; it is doing much to promote public health."

Judge Porter, of the superior court, in his opinion said: "The statute was passed in the exercise of the police power of the state. That power undoubtedly extends to all regulations affecting the health, good order, morals, peace and safety of society. All sorts of restrictions and burdens are imposed under this power, and when these are not in conflict with any constitutional prohibition, or fundamental principle, they cannot be successfully assailed in a judicial tribunal. That the preservation of the waters of the state from pollution, involving danger to health, is a proper subject for the exercise of the police power cannot be seriously questioned."

Of widespread importance is the recent decision of the supreme court of Pennsylvania upholding the constitutionality of the act of April 22, 1905, known as the "Purity of Water Law," under which the commissioner of health is given power to protect the streams of the state from pollution. The case in question was the "Commonwealth of Pennsylvania against Edward Emmers," and had been carried by the defendant from the Norristown county courts to the superior court and then to the supreme court, the decision in each instance convicting the party violating the Purity of Water Law by polluting a stream with sewage.

The defendant is the owner and operator of the hosiery mill situated on or near the banks of the Schuylkill river, in Montgomery county, where he employs a large number of operators. Nine water closets for the use of these employees, sewage from all of which closets was discharged by a single pipe into the Schuylkill river, were declared by the commissioner of health to be a menace to public health, and this defendant was given notice that this discharge of sewage must be discontinued under the provisions of the Purity of Water Law. Failing to comply with the law, the mill owner was prosecuted.

Attendance at Summer Normal. Following is a complete list of the students in attendance at the Forest County Summer Normal School, which began an eight weeks' term here on May 12th:

- Agnew, Sarah; Allison, Orion; Anderson, Maud; Anderson, Elma; Blum, Margaret; Bly, Belle; Campbell, Donald; Clark, Beulah; Clark, Hazel; Clarke, Lonnie; Daniels, Cyril; Davis, James K.; Day, Beatrice; Day, Lura; Donaldson, Edna; Douglas, Ethel; Dunn, Fern; Elliott, Pearl; Elliott, Mae; Foreman, Louie; Fox, Hattie; Gayley, Edith; Gillette, Carlotta; Gorman, Charles; Groves, Frances; Grove, Evelyn; Grubbs, Viola; Haug, Jeannette; Haslet, Margaret; Henderson, Robert; Henry, Clare; Hicks, May; Hill, Goldia; Hoover, Belva; Huling, Robert; Kelley, E. D.; Kelley, O. B.; Lanson, May; Ledebur, Alice; Ledebur, Alta; Ledebur, George; MacDonald, Elsie; McWilliams, Mildred; Maxwell, Florence; McCullough, Alice; Mealy, Arthur; Meehling, Ralph; Mohney, Katharyn; Monroe, Grace; Monroe, Lowell; Moore, Nretta; Mowris, Myrtle; Murphy, Anna; Noble, Leonard; Rosen, Dora; Schwab, Edna; Scott, Ethel; Scowden, Bertha; Setley, Mary; Sheffer, Marion; Shira, Glenn; Shriver, Martha; Sisk, Dorothy; Sipple, Hazel; Sigworth, Bessie; Small, Marie; Smith, Winnifred; Sorett, Lester; Strickberger, Flavia; Sutton, Gladys; Sutton, Della; Tarrill, Claude; Walker, Edith; Weaver, Geneva; Weingard, Geneva; Wiles, Blanche; Wolcott, Josephine; Wolfe, Willie; Zaundel, Earl; Zaundel, Howard.

Neighborhood Notes.

A Cambridge Springs wool buyer tells the News, of that place, that he thinks he will not be able to pay more than 14 cents a pound for wool this season, just half the price he paid a year ago. Uncertainty of the demand for wool by manufacturers is given as the cause of the great drop in price.

Mrs. Ann Dabinger, charged with murdering her husband, Fred, pleaded guilty in open court at Mercer, Thursday, to a charge of second degree murder. Judge Williams sentenced her to eight years in the penitentiary. She was accused of murdering her husband to obtain \$15,000 life insurance.

While hunting woodchucks near Curwensville, Clearfield county, one day this week, Charles Harmon was assisting his dog to dig one of the animals out of a hole in the ground, and at a depth of five feet encountered a crock filled with some kind of coin. He took some of the coins to the bank, where the officials declared them to be gold. What kind of money the pieces are had not been determined, but it is believed the money was buried by Turks who long ago assisted in building a railroad in that section. From the weight of the gold it was estimated to be worth about \$5,000.

Letter to J. C. Scowden, Tionesta, Pa. DEAR SIR:—This is short: Every job painted Devco takes less gallons than of any other paint. If not, no pay. Yours truly, F. W. Devco & Co. P. S.—Dunn & Fulton sell our paint.

There is mighty little poetry in the life of a poet's wife.

Cream of the News.

—A man seldom gets more than a dime for a hard-luck story.

—Operation for Piles will not be necessary if you use Manzan Pile Remedy, guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold by J. R. Morgan.

—It's hard for most of us to be good when we have a chance not to.

The new mill of the Central Pennsylvania Lumber company at Sheffield is now getting under way and is cutting on an average of 175,000 feet of lumber per day.

—Chronic kickers keep hammering away until they finally knock themselves out.

—Everything for the dressy man, young or old. Shirts, ties, collars, cuffs, shoes, hats, clothing—in fact we can fit you out from head to foot in the very latest at nominal cost. Hopkins. It

—You may have read about the blessings of poverty, but did you ever see any of them?

—The straw hat season is now legally on and we are here with the goods. Our stock for men and boys is complete. Likewise we have all other summer wear in great variety. Hopkins. It

—An undertaker is probably so called because he eventually overtakes the rest of mankind.

—Pineules for the Kidney, 30 days' trial \$1.00. Guaranteed. Pineules act directly on the Kidneys and bring relief in the first dose to backache, weak back, rheumatic pains, kidney and bladder trouble. They purify the blood and invigorate the entire system. Sold by J. R. Morgan.

—We are told that it takes nine tailors to make a man, but in many cases the bill of one tailor is enough to break him.

—Hundreds of people who suffer from backache, rheumatism, lame back, lumbago and similar ailments are not aware that these are merely symptoms of kidney trouble. Pineules for the Kidneys, act directly on the kidneys, bringing quick relief to backache and other symptoms of kidney and bladder derangements. 30 days' trial \$1.00 and guaranteed, or money back. Sold by J. R. Morgan.

Gumbusta—Did you wife have a high fever? De Style—Very. The doctor's bills amounted to \$500.—New York Press.

MARRIED.

ATKIN—EICHENBERG—At the M. E. parsonage, Tionesta, May 20, 1908, by Rev. W. O. Calhoun, Mr. W. Roy Atkin of Tidioute, Pa., and Miss Kate Eichenberg of Muzette, Pa.

Bank Statement.

No. 5038. REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FOREST COUNTY NATIONAL BANK AT TIONESTA, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 14, 1908.

Table with columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, U. S. Bonds, Capital stock paid in, etc.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, HARRISBURG, PA. Sealed proposals will be received by the State Highway Department of Pennsylvania, under the Act approved May 1st, 1905, for the construction of 7,113 feet of road, extending from Weaver's Lane to Old State Road at Fryburg, in Washington Township, in the County of Clarion. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the County Commissioners, Clarion, Pa., and at the office of the State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa. Bidding blanks will be furnished by the State Highway Department upon request. Bids must be endorsed "PROPOSALS FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF ROAD IN WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, CLARION COUNTY," and received at the office of the State Highway Department not later than May 28, 1908.

JOSEPH W. HUNTER, State Highway Commissioner.

Sigworth & Hepler LIVERY Stable.

Having recently purchased the A. C. Urey livery stable, we are making many improvements to keep the service first-class and up-to-date. New horses and carriages will be added and we guarantee to our patrons the best turn-outs to be had, courteous attention, and reasonable rates. Come and see us.

Rear of Hotel Weaver TIONESTA, PA. Telephone No. 30.

Your Comfort Underwear. In warm weather depends to a great extent upon cool, easy fitting Underwear. Men's Balbriggan Garments at 25c and 50c. Men's Union Suits at \$1 and \$1.50. Coat Shirts and Knee Length Drawers—the coolest garments ever devised—50 cents per garment. New lot of Straw Hats, Washable Four-in-Hands, and Silk String Ties. G. W. ROBINSON & SON.

The Summer Man And His Needs. Ready-to-Wear Suits De Luxe. Priced \$15 to \$25. Fifty complete lines of Men's Underwear. Shirts and Drawers or Union Suits. Priced 25c per garment and up. Knox and Youman's Correct Straw Hats and the newest things in Panama. Beautiful Foulard Silk and Washable Neckwear. 25c to \$1. The handsomest and best fitting Negligee Shirts. \$1 to \$3. Unrivaled line of Men's Half Hose. 10c to \$1.50 per pair.

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Wm. P. Dechant THE Expert Tailor. Is now permanently located in the Walters building, next to the Citizens National Bank, where he will be pleased to show you his elegant line of samples for Suits, Trousers, Overcoats, from the most fashionable houses in the great eastern cities. Every garment guaranteed to fit perfectly. Only the best linings and trimmings used in my work. A trial order, I am sure, will make you my regular customer. I am here to stay and respectfully ask your patronage. Wm. P. Dechant, Tionesta, Pa.

Women's OXFORDS. We never sold Women's Oxford as fast as we are now selling them. Perhaps our Oxfords are the best. We think they are; the styles or the workmanship could not be better. Every Woman Likes Them. So much daintiness — so much beauty about them — we would be glad to show you different styles any time. JOE LEVI, Cor. Center, Seneca and Sycamore Streets, OIL CITY, PA.

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Pennsylvania Railroad POPULAR EXCURSIONS 75 CENTS TO OIL CITY OR TITUSVILLE AND RETURN Sunday, May 31st, 1908 SPECIAL TRAIN Leaves Tionesta 11:02 a. m., RETURNING Leaves Titusville, 7:00 p. m.; Oil City, 7:40 p. m. Tickets good going only on Special Train; good returning on Special Train May 31, or regular trains June 1. Train 33 due to leave Oil City 8:30 p. m., Monday, June 1, will leave Titusville 2:30 p. m., on that date. In consideration of the reduced fare at which these tickets are sold, baggage will not be checked on them. Children between Five and Twelve Years of age, Half Rates. J. R. WOOD Passenger Traffic Manager. GEO. W. BOYD General Passenger Agent.

Monarch Clothing Co. Stylish Summer Dresses, Jumper Suits, Linen Coat Suits, &c. The largest and handsomest line of Ladies' Summer Outer Garments ever displayed in a city of this size. Pretty styles of New Suits and Dresses at marvellous low prices. The qualities and styles are just too pretty for anything and the workmanship of these garments amazes the average person how they can be made for the money. STARTLING VALUES. Summer Suits Women or Misses' Coat Suits of fine quality duck, linen or galatea; come in white, dark brown, tan, pink, old rose, Copenhagen, lavender or light blue; coats cut 27 and 30 inches long; two pleats in back at bottom with three, four and five buttons on each side of pleat; made tight fitting or semi-fitting; the skirts circular, flare and pleated models with material at bottom. These are very rare beauties. In the higher priced garments are fine quality guaranteed Hydegrade. Special low prices at \$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.98. Women's Jackets Stylish Plaid or Striped Fancy Spring Jackets; come in a variety of different plaids and stripes; made of all-wool cheviot and come in box-fitting or semi-fitted style; excellent values that cost \$6 elsewhere. \$3.98. Girls' Jackets Prices on our Girls' and Children's Jackets are reduced to the following closing out prices. Don't let your child catch cold in the very changeable season. \$2.48 and \$2.98 Jackets now \$1.98. \$3.98 Jackets now \$2.98. \$5.48 Jackets now \$2.98. \$4.98 Jackets now \$3.98. \$5.98 Ladies' or Children's Jackets now \$4.98. \$1.98 Jackets now \$1.50. \$1.25 Jackets now 98c. Women's Waists 1,000 new Lawn Waists just bought from a manufacturer who quit business. Every waist is just worth double the price. We bought them at a sacrifice and offer your choice of these beautiful trimmed lace embroidered and prettily tucked waists at 98c. Shirt Waist Dresses Handsome styles of Women's or Misses' Shirt Waist Suits or Princess Dresses in a variety of fine qualities; plain white or figured lawns; beautifully trimmed and embroidered in different styles; also plain colored lawns in pink, Copenhagen, blue, brown and lavender. \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98. Boys' Wash Suits Russian or Sailor styles of Boys' and Children's Wash Suits; come in fancy or plain colored linen, duck, galatea, Hydegrade and gingham. All are very prettily made and trimmed. 49c, 98c, \$1.98.

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