

Calendar for September 1910 showing days of the week and dates.

Republican Ticket.

STATE: Governor, JOHN K. TENER, Washington County. Lieutenant Governor, JOHN M. REYNOLDS, Bedford County. Secretary of Internal Affairs, HENRY HOUCK, Lebanon County. State Treasurer, C. FRED WRIGHT, Susquehanna County. COUNTY: Congress, PETER M. SPEER, Venango County. State Senate, J. K. P. HALL, Elk County. Assembly, W. J. CAMPBELL, Tionesta Borough.

ENGLAND reports the loss of a \$60,000 building. Poverty will be ameliorated if assets on this scale are coming into fashion. We've a couple of \$30,000 "setters" ourselves, by-the-way.

In a review of work on the Panama Canal Col. Roosevelt states that the Chagres River has been brought under complete control. This feat alone is one of the most remarkable in the history of engineering.

EXPENDITURES on the Panama Canal are at the rate of \$30,000,000 a year, but the treasury meets the demand without trouble it seems. No other nation could go into such an enterprise and borrow money for it, if necessary, at 2 per cent.

The Franklin News suggests that, as a matter of safety in these days of buzz-wagons, persons traveling at night with equine motive power should have a lantern attached to their vehicle. The object is to avoid overworking the surgeons and undertakers. It is a good suggestion.

The nomination of Hon. P. M. Speer as the Republican candidate for Congress in this district gives very general satisfaction in this section, where the candidate has had a large acquaintance for several years. Those who know Mr. Speer best will endorse every good word spoken of him. He is clean-handed, able, energetic, and above every other requisite, honest, with a spinal column as firm as steel for right principles and clean motives. He will grow in popularity as he mingles with the people, and in his official course will come out just as clean as he went in. There is nothing wrong with Speer.

ABOUT 600 percent profits is what the officials of the post office department figure must be made by the gangs of men who are selling "city lots" in the New Jersey swamps by mail. It is now proposed to stop the fraud. "Secrest" is the name of one of those idyllic places. It was advertised by the promoters as being "within a short distance of Atlantic City, laid out with beautiful avenues and broad streets, high and dry and sanitary." The authorities find that the actual place is swamp and wild land which goes begging at \$3 an acre, and as the agents make an acre up into 12 lots; that makes each lot cost about 25 cents. The promoters pretend to award the lots as prizes to smart people, and all they try to get out of them is \$4 to "cover the cost of conveyancing," etc.

REPLYING to the attack of the New York Evening Post, Colonel Roosevelt referred to that journal as a liar, explaining that he used the word scientifically and descriptively, not as a mere epithet, or vindictively, but "because no other term expresses the fact with the necessary precision." Continuing, Mr. Roosevelt said: "The statement of the Evening Post is not only false and malicious, is not only in direct contradiction of the facts, but is such that it could only have been made by a man who, knowing the facts, deliberately intended to pervert them. Such an act stands on a level of inlame with the worst act ever performed by a corrupt member of a legislature or city official, and stamps the writer with the same moral brand that stamps the bribe-taker."

Peter M. Speer for Congress. Hon. Peter M. Speer, the Republican candidate for congress, was born in Oakland township, Venango county, Pa., December 29, 1862. He attended the county schools until he was 15 years of age and by that time qualified as a teacher worked at the job during the winter and farmed in summer until he accumulated enough money to pay his tuition for one year at Allegheny college at Meadville and one term at Westminster college, New Wilmington, Pa. He then returned to Venango county, taught school for two years more and then entered Washington & Jefferson college graduating with the class of 1887. Following his graduation he spent a year in teaching school and then commenced the study of law with the Oil City law firm of Ash & Carey in 1888, and in 1889 was admitted to practice in the Venango county courts within one year. He was elected district attorney in 1891 and declined the nomination for a second term. In 1895 he was elected solicitor of the City of Oil City, a position he held for 15 years. In November, 1899, he was elected a member of the House of Representatives and was one of the strongest members of that body in point of character and ability, being found on the right side of all questions that came before the House. With Mr. Speer in Congress the 28th district will have a representative who will rank with any in the land.

HON. P. M. SPEER FOR CONGRESS.

Conference at Franklin, Saturday, Names Popular Oil City Lawyer as Republican Nominee.

The conferees of the Republican party of the 28th Congressional district met in Franklin last Saturday afternoon and placed in nomination Hon. Peter M. Speer, of Oil City, to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal from the ticket of Joseph C. Sibley. The conference was made up of the following duly chosen representatives of the five counties comprising the district:

Elk—S. R. Armstrong, of Johnsonburg. Forest—C. A. Randall, of Tionesta. Mercer—J. A. Stranahan, Jr., of Mercer; J. L. Green, of Stoneboro; Oscar J. Denny, of Sharon. Venango—C. R. Galbraith, of Franklin; Colonel George C. Rickards, of Oil City. Warren—W. P. Nattling, of Youngsville; M. H. Shick, of Sheffield.

Mr. Nattling was chosen chairman, and Messrs. Galbraith and Denny were named as secretaries of the meeting. Upon the call of the chairman for nominations Elk county yielded to Venango, and Col. Rickards placed Mr. Speer's name before the conference. Mr. Randall of Forest seconded the nomination of Mr. Speer in a neat speech in which he said in part:

"We should name for this office a man who will represent the whole district and one who will carry out the cardinal principles of the Republican party. Forest county favors straight line Republicanism, the principles espoused by McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft. It favors a protective tariff, which has enabled this district to build up its industries. Forest county wants a man nominated for congress who will carry out its wishes in this respect. In congress questions arise that require strong and forceful men to solve them and that's the kind we should have. Forest county has no complaint about the treatment it has received in the past, for we have been well taken care of. However, we expect some consideration. Of course, we are a small county, but don't forget that we are always Republican. As the representative of Forest county, I second the nomination of Mr. Speer."

Mercer county presented the name of ex-Judge Samuel H. Miller, the nominating speech being made by Mr. Stranahan.



HON. PETER M. SPEER, Republican nominee for Congress in the Twenty-eighth District.

The question was then submitted to the conferees and a vote was taken which resulted in six votes being cast for Speer and three for Miller, the Mercer county conferees voting for the latter gentleman. The nomination of Mr. Speer was then made unanimous upon the motion of one of the Mercer conferees. Throughout, the meeting was one of complete harmony, and it adjourned with the best of feeling all around. Mr. Speer was called upon for a speech, and after thanking the conference very heartily for the great honor conferred upon him, said in part: "The Republican party has had from its inception, and still possesses, that vital force, acquired by it from the many great men who have shaped its policies, which gives it the power to take up, discuss and solve those problems of government, the correct solution of which will lead to the advancement of the nation's welfare. Its past is a record of achievements, rather than promises; of deeds, rather than words. It preserved the nation from destruction; it made liberty universal; it has taken advanced ground upon every new question of government policy; it has enacted laws by which these new policies have become a part of our law and put them into effective operation; it has ever been the party of progress. Not only our nation but the world owes it a heavy debt of gratitude for its achievements of the past, and it is the political party which is to-day the hope of those who look for further betterment and uplifting of the human race. I have faith in its sincerity and its power to accomplish, I am confident of its success. I will not at this time attempt to define or discuss any of the issues of this campaign; I hope at a later date, fully and candidly, to discuss them from the public platform. I have an abiding faith in the intelligence of the people of this congressional district; I do not believe they will be led astray by false and fabricated issues, from a consideration of the real issues of the campaign. The Republican party is in the right in the issues now before the nation, and I believe the voters of this congressional district will so decide. Again thanking you for the honor of this nomination, I pledge you to make every honorable effort to win, and should I succeed my hope is, that my conduct in this high office will be such as will enable me to continue to have your confidence and trust."

KOREA, about to be annexed by Japan, has a population of 10,500,000, or about the same as the Poland absorbed by Russia, Austria and Germany. If the parallel holds good Japan will have a troublesome problem during the next century.

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W. C. T. U. Convention Addresses.

One of our Nebraska correspondents sends us the following article relative to the W. C. T. U. county convention held there recently:

On the evening of August 30th Nebraska was honored by the presence of three eminent ministers, who came in response to the invitation of the local committee who had charge of that evening. They were the Rev. Harry A. Bailey, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Tionesta, the Rev. J. F. Scherer, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Endeavor, and the Rev. W. O. Calhoun, pastor of the M. E. churches of Tionesta and Nebraska. For their kindness in coming we think they deserve more than simply a passing notice. The time being limited they could not do justice to the great subject of intemperance, or to themselves as orators. Neither can we do justice to them in this late report, but it is at least fair to say they were each capable of making the sole address of the evening.

Rev. Mr. Bailey was the first speaker. He gave us one of the most forcible, clear-cut talks on the foibles of the day it has ever been our good fortune to listen to. He spoke of the different forms of intemperance as a nation are drifting into—over-dressing, foolish fashions, expensive and elaborate cooking, and other evils that sensible men and women should shun. For the man who is all business to the exclusion of everything else, or the man who is all for religion to the exclusion of all else, the world has little need. Statistics show that the consumption of liquor has increased in the last ten years and national prohibition is the only remedy for the cure of drunkenness.

The Rev. Mr. Scherer took as the basis of his remarks the willful waste that seems characteristic of the age. A waste of time, of money, of ambition, and of energy. A good illustration of this was the story of two working men and the manner in which they spent their spare time at noon, the one in perfecting an invention, the other in teaching his dog to stand on its hind legs. He thought the temperance cause was hindered by a waste of effort in too many different channels; that if all good men and true would unite their energies the cause of intemperance could be stamped out.

The Rev. Mr. Calhoun was the last to speak and the hour for adjournment approaching, he made his remarks quite brief, touching on some points made by the others. He explained the increase of liquor drinking as being due to the large foreign element in Pennsylvania and other states. He placed himself on record as opposed to the teaching of scientific temperance to children under 12 years of age, believing in moral training up to that age. He considered the times not yet ripe for absolute prohibition.

A million workmen may be involved in the lockouts and strikes, due primarily to the refusal of the English trade unions to obey the orders of their leaders.

A great parade of Catholics in Montreal, 100,000 persons being in line, marked the close of the Eucharistic congress.

The department of state in Washington announced that it regards the fisheries award by The Hague tribunal as a substantial victory for the United States.

Admiral Schroeder reported that the men injured by the fire on the battleship South Dakota were doing well.

Two men were rescued after clinging to an overturned boat all night in Great South bay.

Gold bullion valued at \$57,500, part of a consignment of \$170,000 from the Washington Alaska bank of Fairbanks to the Dexter-Horton National, of Seattle, on the steamship Humboldt, was stolen in transit.

President Diaz formally opened the new Young Men's Christian association building at Mexico City.

It was announced at Managua that the last armed opposition to the new regime under General Estrada had ceased with the surrender of General Fernando Rivas, with 1,000 men and 11 cannon.

It was announced at Beverly, Mass., that President Taft had called a cabinet meeting for Washington on Sept. 24.

United States Senator Lorimer resigned from the Hamilton club of Chicago, which recalled its dinner invitation to him because of ex-President Roosevelt's attitude.

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MARKET REPORT

New York Provision Market. New York, Sept. 12.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, new, \$1.04 1/2; Sept., \$1.04 1/4; Dec., \$1.07 1/4; May, \$1.12 1/2. CORN—No. 2 in elevator, domestic, 66c; Dec., 62c; May, 65 1/2c. OATS—No. 2 white, in elevator, 29c; white, on track, 38 1/2c @ 42c. PORK—Mess, 24.50 @ 25.00. BUTTER—Creamery specials, 32 @ 32 1/2c; extra, 31c; state dairy, good to choice, 25 1/2 @ 29c; factory, 23 @ 24c. CHEESE—State, specials, 15 1/2 @ 17c. EGGS—State and Pennsylvania, 31 @ 35c. POTATOES—Long Island, \$1.75 @ 2.12.

Buffalo Provision Market.

Buffalo, Sept. 12. WHEAT—No. 1 northern, new, car loads, \$1.17; No. 2 red, \$1.01. CORN—No. 2 yellow, 62 1/2c f. o. b. afloat; No. 3 yellow, 62 1/2c. OATS—No. 2 white, 36 1/2c f. o. b. afloat; No. 3 white, 36c. FLOUR—Fancy blended patent, per bbl. \$6.25 @ 7.00; winter family patent, \$5.50 @ 6.25. BUTTER—Creamery, western, tubs, 32c; state creamery, fair to good, 28 @ 30c; dairy, fair to good, 27 @ 28c. CHEESE—Good to choice, 15 1/2 @ 16c. EGGS—State, selected white, 29 @ 30c. POTATOES—White, choice to fancy, per bu., 70 @ 75c.

East Buffalo Livestock Market.

CATTLE—Prime steers, \$7.50 @ 7.75; good to choice butcher steers, \$5.75 @ 6.75; choice cows, \$5.00 @ 5.25; choice heifers, \$5.00 @ 5.50; common to fair heifers, \$4.25 @ 4.75; common to fair bulls, \$3.50 @ 4.00; choice veals, \$10.50 @ 10.75; fair to good, \$9.75 @ 10.25. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Clipped yearlings, \$5.00 @ 5.50; clipped wethers, \$4.50 @ 4.75; clipped mixed sheep, \$4.25 @ 4.50. HOGS—Light Yorkers, \$10.20 @ 10.25; heavy hogs, \$10.00 @ 10.10; pigs, \$9.90 @ 10.00.

Buffalo Hay Market.

Timothy, No. 1, new, on track, \$17.00 @ 18.00; No. 2 timothy, \$16.00 @ 17.00; straw, wheat and oat, \$7.00 @ 7.50.

FIRE ON BATTLESHIP

Leakage of Oil on North Dakota Causes Three Deaths.

The North Dakota, one of the largest and most powerful battleships of the navy, had a fire in her fuel oil system while in Hampton Roads. Three coal passers of the fireroom crew were killed and eight other enlisted men were injured. The accident occurred during a test of the fuel oil apparatus under "offer No. 1, which is used to supplement the coal supply. The exact cause of the fire has not been ascertained.

Grove City College.

Grove City College is not advertising the advantages it has to offer to young men and women. The authorities only desire to announce the beginning of the college year, September 20th. The institution will receive all good young men who wish to come. Rooms and accommodations for young women are about all taken. For catalogues, address the President, Isaac C. Ketter, Grove City, Pa.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Lanson & Gordon is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Gordon retiring from the firm. All debts owing to the firm are payable to F. R. Lanson, who will also settle all accounts against the firm. F. R. LANSON, A. H. GORDON, Tionesta, Pa., Sept. 6, 1910.

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