

1913 JANUARY 1913 calendar grid showing days of the week and dates.

UTAH is the first state to select a woman to carry the electoral vote to Washington, after helping by her ballot to decide it.

THE phenomenal success of the parcel post is very gratifying to Postmaster General Hitchcock. The system went into operation on the first of January, and the first three weeks resulted in selling 340,000,000 parcel post stamps and in collecting over \$18,000,000 revenue for the Post Office Department from this service.

THE average good citizen of Pennsylvania, we surmise, is not concerned about what particular boss is credited with having secured the passage of any particular act of Assembly. All we want is good legislation, and as we are all opposed to the boss system, we want the credit to go to the members of the Legislature, and the people who elected them, to whom alone it belongs.—Pony Spirit.

A Real Remedy.

The advocates of the dam system to prevent floods at Pittsburgh, say they will be thwarted in their efforts to educate the people to accepting their views and supporting their plans, by the action of the Federal engineers in disapproving of the scheme. These advocates live in Pittsburgh and have a fund to pay their expenses. They are prepared to destroy the industries, homes, farms and towns along several hundred miles of the Allegheny river and its tributaries to save a small portion of that city from getting wet once a year.

The fact is that the industries of that city in reaching out for more land, have encroached upon the beds of the rivers until they are narrow to a danger point and add to the height of the floods. Every time the rivers get low a few more feet are taken from them and this encroachment amounts to a good six d dam to throw waters higher upon the banks and into the streets. With the old natural channel the danger would not be wholly eliminated but would be lessened. It would be cheaper in the end for Pittsburgh to move back upon high ground out of the flood region. This would prove to be a real remedy for their troubles and would not annoy their neighbors.—Oil City Derrick.

The Fight Against White Plague

On November 18th last the first meeting of the new board of directors of the Northwestern Anti-Tuberculosis League was held in Oil City, and on that date the society took the management of the Grand View sanatorium near that place. The institution was then caring for five patients. Today, two months later, there are twenty-three patients receiving the benefits of this fine sanatorium. In the reorganization of the league it becomes an institution in which every man and woman in Northwestern Pennsylvania should be interested for it promises a place for those who are unfortunate enough to suffer this disease to take care near at home. There are now nearly seventy patients in the two sanatoria, all of which are being cared for at a loss to the Society of about \$3.00 per week.

Porkey.

That beautiful bird called the stork was again at our town and left a male child at the home of "Dode" Dunkle on Pious Avenue, Saturday. All are doing well. We wish the boy a long life of prosperity and hope he will be a son for his dad to be proud of when he grows up.

L. S. Trimm of Jamestown was a visitor at Minister Friday over night, looking after work in his line, which is crayon and pastel work of a high class. We have samples of it and can produce the goods to those who are in doubt.

Mrs. Geo. Shay was a visitor at Blue Jay Friday, where she has a daughter keeping the Chemical Works Hotel, and another daughter who is dining room waiter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marbaugh of Pittsburgh are visiting relatives in this section. Miss Edith Durnell returned with them and is looking well. The female portion of the party are at Hastings for a few days and Mr. Marbaugh is at Mayburg to call on old friends there.

Messrs. Warren Cook and Fred Campbell of Mayburg were visitors at Minister Thursday evening, calling on friends. They came in ripe but found the roads in fine shape.

O. E. Rupert spent Friday night at Mayburg running his station there on some oil for the Cook Lease that is very slow.

D. W. Downey was connected onto the new telephone line Saturday and has now direct connection on "the main" as it is called.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Littlefield drove down from Watson Farm Saturday evening and spent Sunday with friends in town.

R. W. Burdick of Henrys Mill spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. J. T. Miller, and visited his old neighbors while here.

Mrs. Theo Dell of Mayburg and Miss Marie Shay spent Saturday and Sunday at the Dunkle family here, and were just in time to welcome the new relative that arrived Saturday night.

DAM SCHEMES ARE HARD HIT.

Engineers of United States Army Severely Condemn Plans.

It will be pleasing news to residents of this entire section of Pennsylvania to learn that the plan of the Pittsburgh Flood Commission to build a number of dams on the upper Allegheny, the Clarion river and Tionesta creek for the purpose of controlling flood waters has received the severe condemnation of United States Army engineers. The Associated Press report from Washington says:

The United States Army engineers, in a report submitted to Congress Tuesday by Brigadier General W. H. Bixby, oppose the plans of the Pittsburgh Flood commission to harness the high water in the Allegheny, Monongahela and Ohio rivers and by the same system impound sufficient water to secure a navigable stage in the rivers during the seasons of drought.

An interesting feature of the report is the fact that private capital has under consideration the building of water power plants along these rivers, one mentioned in particular being at the headwaters of the Cheat river in West Virginia. The engineers say their information on this subject was received from confidential sources and they therefore cannot reveal the identity of the financiers interested, the extent to which they might invest or the ultimate purpose of the promoters.

The investigation of the engineers covers the entire scheme of 17 reservoirs for the three rivers, and estimated to cost \$21,000,000. While this sum is not questioned, there is a wide difference of opinion as regards the land and property damage involved in the undertaking.

The Flood commission estimates the damage at \$7,650,400 and the engineers declare the sum would be at least three times that amount, or in the neighborhood of \$22,000,000. The general plan of building the reservoirs, their capacity at flood time and the probable benefit to navigation, is gone into at length.

The engineers question the advisability of relying upon reservoirs for the dual purpose of harnessing the high waters and of supplying sufficient water to make any perceptible effect upon the lower Ohio river during drought. The reservoirs in their opinion, could not be so utilized, and they declare that to solve both problems would require two sets of reservoirs, one to harness the floods and the other to furnish a water supply when the rivers are low.

The utter absurdity of the Pittsburgh scheme is shown in the following extract from the Engineers' report: "In order to be used for the benefit of navigation reservoirs must be kept at all times full as possible. In order to be useful to prevent floods, reservoirs must be kept at all times as empty as possible, so to be ready for the floods when they occur. These two uses are thus seen to be quite incompatible, and where reservoirs are actually used for both purposes, it will be found that a certain amount of the total capacity is reserved for flood purposes and the remainder is all that is actually useful for navigation purposes. A state of affairs which does not differ in principle from having one system of reservoirs for flood control and another for navigation purposes."

Nebraska.

Misses Wilda Thomson and Ella Klambata were home from Clarion Normal over Sunday.

F. X. Kreidler returned from New Rochelle, N. Y., last week.

Wm. Delo was down from Kelletville over Sunday.

A young son of John Grubba had the misfortune to get his right hand caught in a cutting box one day last week. The back of his hand and index finger was badly cut.

Word was received here Saturday that T. D. Collins and Mrs. Fred Klinefiver had arrived at the Pacific coast.

John and Callie Moore were home from Mayburg over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Secor were called to Ridgway last week on account of the illness and death of Mr. Secor's mother.

Rolland Carbaugh of Kelletville attended church here one night last week.

Samuel Daum of Newmansville was a caller in town Monday morning.

David Bly returned from Venango county last week, after a visit with relatives.

Roy Reed was home from Oil City over last Sunday.

George Kerr is preparing to move his family to one of the Wm. Kribbs farms on Whig Hill.

Roy Combs came home from the Warren hospital last week and is getting around nicely with the aid of crutches.

Halsey.

Miss Stella Hottel, who has been employed at the Brush Block for the past year, has come home for a few weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Leeman of Wilcox visited friends at this place over Sunday.

W. J. Williams spent a pleasant day at Wilcox Sunday with his newly wedded wife. She is unable to join him here at present as she is teaching school at East Kane.

Miss Helen Kane is home over Sunday from Mt. Jewett.

J. J. Kane was a business caller at West Line Thursday and Friday.

Miss Veda Roberts has returned to Oil City, where she will take up her course in high school again.

Mrs. W. W. Hottel and Miss Mae Eschman were in Kane Saturday.

We were very glad to see the Porkey items last week, which we had missed for some time. Hope the writer will not go down the S. & T. line when the night water comes, so we can hear from him.

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Thirty-Two Years Ago.

Items taken from the files of the REPUBLICAN of Jan. 26, 1881: Jimmy Clark found a bran, splinter new umbrella belonging to some one of the Neiltown sleighing party Friday evening. The occupants of the sleigh doubtless got too much interested in the surrounding scenery to note the loss.

Jim Hulings, that is young Jim, came home from Bradford last week bringing with him a severe attack of rheumatism, which has kept him indoors since.

Mr. John Hart and Miss May Shawkey were taken into the M. E. church in full communion Sabbath evening last.

Tidoute is afflicted with measles. Geo. Hood's colt took a fit to himself Sunday afternoon last. Geo. had been sleigh-riding and was unbitching the animal when it took fright, broke the thills and started down street with the cutter still hanging to it. No serious damage.

Calvin Arner met with quite a severe accident Saturday evening by having a large saw roll over his left leg, bruising it badly. Dr. Blaine thinks the wound will lay Mr. Arner up about three weeks. The place, Fork Run, where Calvin was hurt has been named "calamity hollow," on account of so many accidents happening there this winter. [Mr. Arner's accident afterwards resulted in the amputation of his leg above the knee.]

Teachers' Training Class.

The union Sunday School Teachers' Training Class, composed of the M. E. and Presbyterian Sunday Schools of Tionesta, has completed the course of study laid down by Jesse Lyman Harburt and approved by the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association for the training of Sunday School teachers. This class was organized some time ago, but some of its members appeared to grow weary in well doing and fell by the wayside. Those who continued and passed all the examinations very creditably and with high grade marks are: Reuben W. Moon, Charles A. Lanson, Miss Blanche Mae Pease, Miss A. Lenora Ritchey, Harry T. Klinefiver and the undersigned teacher. There were no failures and the following diploma was awarded to each: "Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association, having satisfactorily completed the course of study in the Teachers' Training Department of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association, is entitled to this Diploma. In testimony of which we have hereunto affixed our signatures this 22d day of January, 1913. H. J. HERRICK, President, W. G. Landes, General Secretary, Charles A. Oliver, Superintendent of Teachers' Training."

The course of study has been found very interesting, instructive and profitable. It is beneficial to both mind and spirit and better prepares those who study it for teaching and Sunday School work. There are 44 Sunday Schools reported in the county of Forest. To keep the county in the front line, a position it has held for the last two years, 25 per cent, or one-fourth of the schools must have teachers' training classes. Eleven classes were reported last year. Each class must have at least one examination each year to qualify. Instead of one-fourth of the schools having teachers' training classes, every school should have one, and every teacher and every one who intends to teach should be in a class. The cry for better teachers and more systematic work comes from all parts of the state. It is a gratuitous work, but the benefits received by the earnest teacher and worker, both mentally and spiritually, is a good reward for the time and energy spent.

T. F. RITCHIEY, Teacher.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, The Hon. W. D. Hinkle, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions in and for the county of Forest, has issued his precept for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, at Tionesta, for the County of Forest, to commence on the Fourth Monday of February, being the 24th day of February, 1913. Notice is therefore given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables of said county, that they be then and there in their proper persons at ten o'clock A. M. of said day with their records, inquisitions, examination, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done, and to those who are bound in recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Forest County, that they may be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just. Given under my hand and seal this 27th day of January, A. D. 1913.

W. H. HOOD, [L.S.] Sheriff.

TRIAL LIST.

List of causes set down for trial in the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, Pennsylvania, commencing on the Fourth Monday of February, 1913:

1. J. C. Dunn, J. J. Landers and J. F. Propper, doing business as Dunn, Landers & Company, in use of J. F. Propper, vs. Keystone Handle Company, of Corydon, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, No. 9, September term, 1912. Summons in assumpsit.

2. Union Machinery & Supply Co., a corporation of the State of Washington, vs. W. J. Campbell and D. J. Cropp, doing business under the firm name of Cropp & Campbell, co-partners, No. 15, September term, 1912. Summons in assumpsit.

3. The Borough of Tionesta vs. Ida Paup, No. 5, November term, 1912. Summons in trespass.

4. James Wray vs. Daniel McKenna, Thomas McKenna, James McKenna, Daniel McKenna, Jr., Mary Black, Agnes Campbell, Maggie Campbell, Mrs. Walle Haines, No. 3, November term, 1912. Summons in ejectment.

Attest, S. R. MAXWELL, Prothonotary, Tionesta, Pa., January 27, 1913.

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Auditors' Report.

Auditors' settlement with J. C. Snowden, Treasurer of Tionesta Borough, for the year ending January 6, 1913:

Table showing Auditor's settlement with J. C. Snowden, Treasurer of Tionesta Borough, for the year ending January 6, 1913. Includes items like To balance last settlement, Rent Borough building, Liquor licenses, etc.

By orders redeemed, Commission 2 per cent, Balance in treasury.

Financial Statement. Assets. W. H. Hood, Collector, 1906 tax, 1907 tax, 1908 tax, 1909 tax, 1910 tax, 1911 tax, 1912 tax.

Table showing Financial Statement. Liabilities. Order No. 897, Order No. 1123, Order No. 1304, Order No. 1265, Other orders, Bonds, 1st series, Bonds, 2d series.

Expenditures. Streets, Light, Board of Health, Interest on floating debt, Interest on bonds, Water, Secretary and Attorney, Engineer, Paying Contractor, Fire Hose, Auditors, Printing, Grabam case, State tax, Incidental expense.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Tionesta Borough, hereby certify that we have examined and audited the foregoing accounts and found them correct as above stated.

J. G. JAMIESON, R. L. HASKELL, JAY BANKHEAD, Auditors.

Attest— M. A. CARRINGER, Clerk.

Confirmation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in my office and will be presented at the Court of Common Pleas, beginning on the Fourth Monday of February, 1913, for confirmation:

First and final account of Chas. C. Frederick, executor of the estate of Elizabeth Frederick, late of Green Township, Forest County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

S. R. MAXWELL, Clerk of Orphans' Court, Tionesta, Pa., January 27, 1913.

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Letters of administration on the estate of A. M. VanHorn, late of Jenks 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, to the undersigned.

Mrs. TARBETH BATEMAN, Adm'x, Wilkesburg, Pa. M. A. CARRINGER, Attorney, Tionesta, Pa., Dec. 20, 1912.

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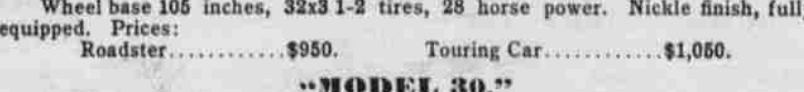
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