

MAY—1897.

Calendar grid for May 1897 showing days of the week and dates from 1 to 31.

THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

REAR ADMIRAL R. W. MEADE, U. S. N., retired, died at a private sanitarium at Washington on the 4th from an operation performed for appendicitis.

The universal postal congress began its session at Washington on the 5th, about 55 countries being represented.

A BERLIN dispatch of the 7th said that the king of Greece had formally asked for the mediation of the emperor of Russia in the war between Greece and Turkey.

In a thunderstorm at San Antonio, Tex., Robert Dannenberg and wife were killed while working in a field and Wesley Dairs, a negro, was struck dead under a tree.

WITH a box containing 200 pounds of dynamite on fire ten feet away from him, John Thomas, the boy who runs the compressed air hoisting engine in the Tamarack mine, near Houghton, Mich., stuck to his post and saved the lives of the men at work in the mine by his bravery.

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A SENSATIONAL shooting affray, in which a woman shot and seriously wounded four men, occurred at Lowell, Ark., on the 9th. The shooting was done by Mrs. Duering and was the result of religious excitement, caused by a series of "holiness meetings" in the neighborhood. The men wanted to rob the women holding the meetings out of the county.

An order of the district court to open a street in Auburn, Neb., was appealed and the mayor ordered the town marshal and street commissioner to remove the wire fences inclosing the street and the property owners had the three city officers arrested for destroying private property. The officers refused to give bond and said they would remain in jail until the court convened in June.

A FREIGHT train was wrecked near Mount Vernon, Ill., and 18 cars derailed. Most of them were broken into kindling wood. Three cars were loaded with whisky and one with poultry. The whisky escaped and filled the gullies and the poultry imbibed freely and all got intoxicated.

At the second day of the national turnfest at St. Louis on the 7th the forenoon was taken up with class competition of the "actives," fully 3,000 turners being on the field at one time. In the afternoon mass exercises by the St. Louis juniors and by ladies' classes in swinging clubs took place. In the evening speeches and musical numbers were given at the exposition hall.

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MRS. JOSEPH GREEN, an aged woman in Waukegan, Ill., fell asleep in a chair while smoking her pipe and a spark set her clothing on fire and she was burned to death.

THE Mallory line steamer Leona left her pier at New York, bound for Galveston, took fire at sea and put back, arriving with 16 corpses on board, 13 steerage passengers and three of the crew, who had succumbed to the flames.

OSCAR WILLIAMS, a negro Baptist preacher living near Elba, Ala., took his young son, Isaac, into the woods. Some people hearing screams, rushed into the thicket and they found the boy strapped to a log and his father standing over him with a bloody knife. The boy died soon after, the old man having cut the child's throat. Williams said the Lord had commanded the sacrifice.

FREEMAN C. GARDNER, a carpenter, shot Ida Miller at a hotel in Chicago and then shot himself. Both will die. Jealousy was the cause of the tragedy.

WORD has been received at Guthrie, Ok., from Washington that the Wichita reservation will be opened to settlement by September 1. There will be homes for 2,000 or 4,000 people, in addition to the towns that will spring up.

A NUMBER of girls at Wellesley (Mass.) college have been expelled by the authorities for alcoholic and narcotic indulgences. The names were kept quiet.

THE cabin of Lauren Tucker at Laurens, S. C., was burned and four children were cremated. The father and mother had gone fishing.

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Defying His Bishop. The most extraordinary story comes from Norfolk, which seems to show that clerical domination is resisted in unexpected quarters. The facts are these: The bishop of Norwich, attending the usual confirmation at Corleston, noticed lighted candles on the altar, and asked the vicar to remove them. He flatly declined, alleging that he had a perfect right to do what he liked in the matter in his own church.

The bishop then tried the churchwardens and bade them remove the lights. They declined, however, and declared themselves on the side of the vicar. This gentleman then took a very bold step, for, taking out his watch, he gave the bishop just one minute in which to decide what to do. Finally, the bishop, for the sake of peace, gave way, and while continuing the service, contented himself by refusing to join in the subsequent procession. We do not know whether the law is on the side of the vicar or the bishop, but in any case the vicar's ultimatum seems to have been enforced too theoretically to make it aught but offensive. Surely a better method could have been found of teaching the bishop to "know his place."—Westminster Gazette.

Easily Enough. Determination accomplishes a good deal, and the student in the following incident, taken from an exchange, was determined to reply.

"Mr. Gibbons," said the teacher of the class in rhetoric, "point out the absurdity in this figure of speech: 'At this time the Emperor Frederick hatched out a scheme,' etc."

"It seems to me all right," replied the young man, after some reflection.

"It does? Explain, if you please, how he could have hatched out a scheme?"

"Well, he might have had his mind set on it."—Youth's Companion.

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THE GENERAL MARKETS. KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 11.

CATTLE—Best beefs..... \$ 3 93 @ 4 40  
Stockers..... 4 00 @ 4 30  
Native cows..... 2 40 @ 3 40  
HOGS—Choice to heavy..... 2 60 @ 3 75  
SHEEP..... 3 25 @ 3 60  
WHEAT—No. 2 red..... 97 @ 98  
No. 2 hard..... 78 @ 80  
CORN—No. 2 mixed..... 21 1/2 @ 21 3/4  
OATS—No. 2..... 19 @ 20  
RYE—No. 2..... 30 @ 31  
FLOUR—Patent, per sack..... 2 25 @ 2 50  
Fancy..... 1 85 @ 2 00  
HAY—Choice timothy..... 9 50 @ 10 00  
Fancy prairie..... 6 50 @ 7 00  
BRAN (sacked)..... 38 @ 54  
BUTTER—Choice creamery..... 13 1/2 @ 14  
CHEESE—Full cream..... 11 @ 12  
EGGS—Choice..... 7 1/2 @ 7 3/4  
POTATOES..... 22 @ 25

ST. LOUIS. CATTLE—Native and shipping 3 75 @ 5 20  
Texans..... 3 01 @ 4 35  
HOGS—Heavy..... 3 61 @ 3 25 1/2  
SHEEP—Fair to choice..... 3 75 @ 4 25  
FLOUR—Choice..... 3 25 @ 3 35  
WHEAT—No. 2 red..... 94 @ 94 1/2  
CORN—No. 2 mixed..... 21 1/4 @ 21 1/2  
OATS—No. 2 mixed..... 18 1/2 @ 19 1/2  
RYE—No. 2..... 34 @ 35  
BUTTER—Creamery..... 11 @ 15  
LARD—Western mess..... 3 87 1/2 @ 3 92 1/2  
PORK..... 9 00 @ 9 12 1/2

CHICAGO. CATTLE—Comm'd to prime..... 3 85 @ 5 10  
HOGS—Packing and shipping..... 3 80 @ 4 30  
SHEEP—Fair to choice..... 3 50 @ 4 75  
FLOUR—Winter wheat..... 4 40 @ 4 60  
WHEAT—No. 2..... 88 @ 90  
CORN—No. 2..... 24 1/2 @ 24 1/2  
OATS—No. 2..... 17 @ 17 1/2  
RYE..... 33 @ 34  
BUTTER—Creamery..... 11 @ 15  
LARD..... 4 00 @ 4 02 1/2  
PORK..... 8 60 @ 8 65

NEW YORK. CATTLE—Native steers..... 4 50 @ 5 15  
HOGS—Good to choice..... 4 30 @ 4 60  
WHEAT—No. 2 red..... 78 1/2 @ 79 1/2  
CORN—No. 2..... 22 @ 22 1/2  
OATS—No. 2..... 13 @ 17  
BUTTER—Creamery..... 13 @ 17  
PORK—Mess..... 8 75 @ 9 10

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Not all the great bluffers are poker players.—Atchison Globe.

It is said we pay the most for what is given us.—N. Y. Weekly.

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