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5th MONTH,

MAY,

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Come, gentle Spring, ethereal mildness, come,
And from the bosom of yon dropping cloud,
While music wakes around, veil'd in a show'r
Of shadowing roses, on our plains descend.

MOON'S CHANGES.

First Quarter, 7th day, 3rd hour, 40 minutes, morning.
Full Moon, 13th " 5th " 50 " afternoon.
Last Quarter, 21th " 11th " 10 " morning.
New Moon, 28th " 2nd " 10 " morning.

Days of Year.	Days of Month.	Days of Week.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun's Declen.	Moon Rises or Sets.	
121	1	Mon	4 59	6 55	14° 57'	9 24	MAY was the second month in the old Alban calendar, the third in that of Romulus, and the fifth in that of Numa Pompilius. In the first it received twenty-two days; in the second, thirty-one; and in the last, thirty. Julius Cæsar restored the day of which Numa had deprived this month, and which by it is still retained.—The etymology is doubtful. But Plutarch says the month was called May from <i>Maia</i> , the mother of Mercury; for to him it was sacred. Our Saxon ancestors, after the Romans, call it <i>Maius-month</i> ; and, in their native language, <i>Tri-milchi</i> , three-milk month, when cows were milked three times a-day. The leafing of the trees is commonly completed in this month. It begins with the aquatic kind, as the willow, poplar, alder, &c.
122	2	Tue	4 58	6 56	15 16	10 22	
123	3	Wed	4 57	6 57	15 33	11 9	
124	4	Thu	4 56	6 58	15 51	11 56	
125	5	Frid	4 55	6 59	16 8	Morn.	
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129	9	Tue	4 51	7 3	17 15	1 57	
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144	24	Wed	4 36	7 17	20 42	1 42	
145	25	Thu	4 35	7 18	20 53	2 4	
146	26	Frid	4 34	7 19	21 3	2 36	
147	27	Satu	4 34	7 20	21 14	3 21	
148	28	SUN	4 33	7 21	21 24	Sets.	
149	29	Mon	4 32	7 22	21 34	8 11	
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151	31	Wed	4 31	7 23	21 52	9 52	