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Dear Valued Customer,

Welcome to our monthly email newsletter, *Fast Connections*. This summer has presented some welcome opportunities for both me and PenTeleData. Personally, I had some time to travel with family and friends creating priceless memories. Many of us at PenTeleData have been strengthening relationships in other ways too: by attending chamber events, sponsor events, fairs, Musikfest, golf tournaments, fundraisers, and much more – all to stay in touch and support the communities we serve (our customers). We are a local company serving local people. That's what sets us apart. When you partner with us for your business' success, we're in it for the long haul. Your success is our success. How can we help your company today and going forward? Reach out and let us know. Our number is 1-800-281-3564, but don't let that 800-part fool you. We're right here in Palmerton, Pennsylvania, not across the country or in another part of the world.

Thank you for your business and continued support.

Jaime Mendes
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PENTELEDATA IS PROUD TO SERVE CATASAUQUA, PA

Catasauqua, Pennsylvania is located at the center of the Lehigh Valley. It is one of the smallest, but most densely populated municipalities in the Valley. Now a residential community, it was once the home to the Crane Iron Works, the first technically and commercially successful anthracite iron furnace. Its first blast in 1840 marked the beginning of the Industrial Revolution in America. Pig iron from the Crane Iron Works was used to make rails, rods, wire, and large castings for boilers, furnaces, and other uses. The iron and allied industries brought much wealth to the town; such that by the early 1900s, Catasauqua had the highest concentration of millionaires per capita of any community in the nation. The Crane Iron Works continued in operation until shortly after World War I.

In 1928, the Fuller Company purchased the Crane site from Replogle Steel Company, which had taken over the Empire Steel and Iron Company. Fuller Company manufactured equipment for the cement industry; their chief product, the revolutionary Fuller-Kinyon pump, is still in use today. By the 1950s, the company was the largest manufacturer of equipment for the cement industry in the world. The Fuller Company was purchased by F. L. Smidth of Denmark in 1990, and by the early 2000s, the site no longer was used for industrial purposes. The borough of Catasauqua purchased the site from F. L. Smidth in 2013. With the purchase of the old Crane Iron site, the borough is targeting development of the canal front and revitalization of downtown areas. A new municipal services building opened on the site in 2017.

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OUR FAST CONTEST

Many people think that miles per hour (mph) are used for speed. It is true, US often use it to measure the speed of a vehicle. However, what is always used as the standard unit of measurement for speed?

One lucky winner will receive a \$150 Amazon gift card. Rack your brain and figure out the answer to the brain teaser. Then send us an e-mail with your full name, address, daytime telephone number (where we can contact you), and the answer to the brain teaser below, to chat@corp.ptd.net All entries must be received by 9/30/23.

Good Luck! PenTeleData

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and Conri Services



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Catasauqua is also the hometown of hoops legend Larry Miller, a high school All-American star with his Catasauqua High School team during the 1960s. He played at the University of North Carolina from 1965-68, helping lead Dean Smith's first two Final Four teams in '67 and '68. Miller is one of three players in ACC history to win ACC Player of the Year and ACC Tournament MVP honors in back-to-back years. In 1968, Miller was also a part of what is recognized as perhaps the greatest All-America team ever that included Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, known as Lew Alcindor at that time, Elvin Hayes, Pete Maravich, and Wes Unseld. From 1968 to 1975, he played professionally in the American Basketball Association as a member of the Los Angeles Stars, Carolina Cougars, San Diego Conquistadors, Virginia Squires, and Utah Stars. Miller also set the ABA's single-game scoring record with 67 points for the Carolina Cougars against Memphis in 1972. Since the ABA merged with the NBA it is safe to say this record will never be broken.



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Cybersecurity

Nearly every company runs the bulk, or entirety, of its workflow on computerized systems. Those I.T. systems allow companies to increase efficiency and compete head-to-head with similar businesses throughout the world. The downside to your I.T. environment is that it must be secured, or everything—your data, workflow, and confidential client information is at risk.

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