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Business Cards.

B. W. GREEN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
EMPORIUM, PA.
A business relating to estate, collections, real estate, Orphan's Court and general law business will receive prompt attention. 42-17.

J. C. JOHNSON, J. P. McNARNEY,
JOHNSON & McNARNEY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
EMPORIUM, PA.
Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-17.

MICHAEL BRENNAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent. 33-17. Emporium, Pa.

F. D. LEET, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
EMPORIUM, PA.
TO LAND OWNERS AND OTHERS IN CAMERON AND ADJOINING COUNTIES.
I have numerous calls for hemlock and hardwood timber lands, also stumpage, etc., and parties desiring either to buy or sell will do well to call on me. F. D. LEET.

CITY HOTEL, Wm. McGEE, PROPRIETOR
EMPORIUM, PA.
Having again taken possession of this old and popular house I collect a share of the public patronage. The house is newly furnished and is one of the best appointed hotels in Cameron county. 30-17.

THE NOVELTY RESTAURANT,
(Opposite Post Office), Emporium, Pa.
D. S. McDONALD, Proprietor.
Having assumed control of this popular restaurant I am prepared to serve the public in the best possible manner. Meals furnished at all hours. Give me a call. 29-17.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL, THOS. J. LYSETT, PROPRIETOR,
Near Buffalo Depot, Emporium, Pa.
This new and commodious hotel is now opened for the accommodation of the public. New in all its appointments, every attention will be paid to the guests patronizing this hotel. 27-17-17.

MAY GOULD, TEACHER OF
PIANO, HARMONY AND THEORY,
EMPORIUM, PA.
Scholars taught either at my home on Sixth street or at the homes of the pupils. Out of town scholars will be given dates at my rooms in this place.

REMOVAL—
DR. A. W. BAKER
Has removed to the Odd Fellows' building, Emporium, Pa.—up stairs. Office hours: 7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 3 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Political Announcements.

All Announcements under this head must be signed by the candidate and paid in advance to insure publication.

CONGRESS.

Editor Press—
Please announce that should the Hon. Chas. W. Stone not be a candidate to succeed himself, I am a candidate for Representative in Congress in the Twenty-seventh district, subject to the decision of the Republican district conference.
F. H. LANGWORTHY,
Warren, Pa., April 26, 1898.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

Editor Press—
Please announce my name as a candidate for Associate Judge of Cameron county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
JOHN A. WYKOFF,
Grove, Pa., April 4th, 1898.

Editor Press—
Please announce my name as a candidate for Associate Judge of Cameron county subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
Wm. BERRY,
Sterling Run, Pa., April 8th, 1898.

Editor Press—
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JOHN McDONALD,
Driftwood, Pa., April 20th, 1898.

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S. D. McCOOLE,
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First game of the Season.
The first nine of Emporium and the Mountaineer hose team crossed bats last Monday afternoon, which resulted in a score of 21-11 in favor of the first nine.

Finger Broken
During the game of ball on Monday afternoon, between the Mountaineer hose company team and the first nine of Emporium, Chas. Shaffer the catcher for the Mountaineers, had the little finger on his right hand broken.

Lost.
Last Thursday the undersigned lost a pair of gold nose eye glasses; in red case. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at the Emporium Junction House.

Fourth of July Celebration.
A meeting of the citizens of Emporium will be held in the Warner House this evening at eight o'clock to make arrangements for a celebration on the Glorious Fourth. All the business men should be sure to attend.

Religious Meeting.
Quarterly meeting services in the M. E. Church next Sunday. Love Feast, 9:15. Preaching and communion at 10:30. Preaching in the evening by Presiding Elder Black. All are cordially invited to be present.

"Play Ball."
There will be a game of ball played on the home grounds tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, between the first nine of Sterling Run and the home club. As both teams are pretty evenly matched, an interesting game is anticipated. Game called at 3:00 o'clock.

Dental Notice.
Dr. F. C. Reick, of Emporium, will be at the Curtin House, Driftwood, Pa., on Tuesday next, June 7th. He will also be at the above named place on the first Tuesday of each month, prepared to do dental work of any kind for the people of Driftwood and vicinity, at reasonable prices.

Public Notice.
The undersigned wishes to inform the public that having bought out the wagon business connected with J. A. Fisher's blacksmith shop, would respectfully solicit the patronage of my former patrons. Lumber and farm wagons a specialty. For workmanship and easy running, I defy competition.
Yours respectfully,
C. L. BUTLER.

Acid Works Destroyed.
On Tuesday evening at a few minutes before six, the watchmen at the Climax Powder Works discovered that the section of the plant known as the acid works was on fire. All the factory hands had left the works a little while previous to the breaking out of the fire, and the watchmen being unable to get the flames under control directed their efforts to the saving of the surrounding buildings. They were successful in preventing the fire from spreading to the adjacent buildings but the acid works were totally destroyed.

Bought a Railroad.
F. H. and C. W. Goodyear have bought the Addison & Pennsylvania Railroad. The offices which have heretofore been located at Addison and New York City will be removed to Buffalo, and a new organization to take title will be formed and articles of incorporation filed as soon as the legal arrangements can be perfected. It will be operated in conjunction with the Buffalo & Susquehanna railroad. The road runs from Addison, N. Y., to Galeton, Potter county, a distance of forty-six miles, through a rich lumber country. At Galeton it connects with the Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad and at Addison with the Erie.—Eldred Eagle.

Memorial Day Observed.
Despite the fact that there was no regular program laid out for the observance of Memorial Day in Emporium, our citizens took great pride in decorating the graves of the "fallen heroes," who are buried here. After the arrival of the 10:30 train from the east, several members of Post 241, G. A. R., marched to the cemeteries and decked with beautiful wreaths and garlands of flowers, the graves of their comrades who have answered to the last roll call.

Throughout the entire day our citizens could be seen wending their way to the "silent city of the dead," to place on the final resting place of their loved ones some beautiful token of remembrance. Those who visited both cemeteries say that they presented a beautiful scene, being literally strewn with flowers.

LATEST WAR NEWS.

SAMPSON TO LEAD THE ATTACK.
All the Great American War Vessels Flashed in Front of the Entrance to Santiago Harbor Ready to Begin the Fight.

THE CITY OURS BY SUNDOWN
Battered Batteries Being Hurriedly Repaired and Insurgents are Mobilizing on the Hills to Rush in.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1.—Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley are expected to capture or destroy Admiral Cervera's fleet and take Santiago to-morrow. Admiral Sampson is now off Santiago de Cuba, in command of the combined fighting fleet, comprising the battleships Iowa, Indiana, Massachusetts, Oregon, and Texas, the armored cruisers New York and Brooklyn, besides monitors, cruisers and smaller craft with Commodore Schley, commanding the second division, prepared to overwhelm the Santiago fortifications, and the four armored cruisers and two torpedo boat destroyers under Admiral Cervera's command, lying in the bottle-shaped harbor behind them.

The expectation is that, without waiting for the landing of troops to take the Santiago fortifications in the rear, Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley will end the war before the sun goes down to-morrow.

The change in the Administration's plans which gives Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley their great opportunity, was made possible by the reconnaissance which Commodore Schley made of the fortifications at Santiago yesterday.

Although he only expended fifty shells, while the Spanish fired three times as many and suffered all the loss, he discovered that both fortifications and ships could be taken by ships without the necessity of assistance from troops.

Special Navy Supplement.

The subject of our Navy is one which is all-engrossing at the present time, and the desire for accurate and reliable information concerning our vessels has induced the Scientific American to publish a Special Navy Supplement of 40 pages with 90 illustrations. Every effort has been made to explain what the Navy is. Comparisons have been drawn, not only between the various types of vessels, but also between different vessels of the same class. The descriptions are couched in untechnical language, and after a careful reading of this number any one can discuss the merits of the various vessels very much as he would talk of the good and bad points of a horse. The clear diagrams showing the differences between these modern fighting machines render analysis of this kind easy. It is beautifully illustrated by half-tone engravings and woodcuts showing not only the naval vessels themselves, but guns, gun turrets, coning towers, steering apparatus, etc. This number has a colored cover and colored map of Cuba. Price, 25 cents. Munn & Company, 361 Broadway, New York are the publishers.

Death of John Kane.
Mr. John Kane, Sr., one of Renovo's well known and highly respected citizens, died at his home at that place, early last Sunday morning, of acute meningitis, aged fifty-eight years. The deceased was a prominent railroad contractor and helped to construct the Philadelphia & Erie branch of the Pennsylvania R. R., when it was put through here, some thirty years ago.

New Agent Appointed.
Mr. Harry Hemphill has recently been appointed agent and collector for Emporium and vicinity, by the Prudential Insurance Co., of Newark, N. J. As Mr. Hemphill represents a good company, he will undoubtedly make a very material increase in the number of Prudential policies in Emporium.

Off for the Convention.
A jolly crowd of Republicans left for Harrisburg on Tuesday, to attend the state convention and "root" for the people's choice from the North-west; Charles W. Stone.

A Question of Importance.

MR. EDITOR:—There is a responsibility incumbent upon each and every citizen and that is the recognition of our laws. There are some laws however, that appear to be dead-letters and completely ignored by a class of our citizens—the local bicycle riders. Sidewalks are built by the property owners for the especial use of pedestrians. They are not built nor kept in order out of a general fund and such being the case the property owner has got to keep them in good order, in accordance with the borough ordinances. When we refuse or neglect to comply with these laws our Council does not hesitate to enforce the laws, yet here are other laws overlooked and not enforced. It has gotten now that the bicyclist confiscates the entire sidewalk to their especial use and the pedestrian takes the street if he wants to walk in safety. Such a state of affairs do really exist at the present time in Emporium. It certainly is humiliating for two reasons:

First—Because it is dangerous to children as well as other pedestrians and secondly because if not stopped it will at some future time, sooner or later, involve our borough in difficult complications. I, as a citizen and taxpayer, in behalf of the general welfare of our town, advocate the enforcing of those laws by the proper authorities.

EMPORIUM, PA., MAY 31, 1898.

A Terrible Accident.

The W. N. Y. & P. depot at Olean, was the scene of a terrible accident last Saturday evening, which will result in crippling Tim Mullen, son of attorney Eugene Mullen, of Bradford, for life. Mr. Mullen accompanied by his parents was about to take the south bound express on the W. N. Y. & P. Ry., and his parents had already entered the car, leaving the young man on the platform talking with some lady friends. When the train started, in some unaccountable manner he lost his footing and fell between the cars, in falling he managed to grasp the railing and succeeded in throwing his body outside the rails, but one foot was caught beneath the heavy wheels and ground to a pulp. The train was stopped as soon as possible and the agonized parents had him removed to the nearest hotel where the foot was amputated.

Mr. Mullen is a very bright and popular young man and his many friends in this section will join the Press in extending to him their sympathy in his great misfortune and suffering.

Sudden Death.

Matthew O'Brien, for many years one of the most popular conductors on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad died at his home in Buffalo, Sunday morning, of pleurisy, aged forty years. Until within a few years ago, Mr. O'Brien made his home at Emporium, and by his gentlemanly manner and straight forward dealing endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact. "Mat" O'Brien was one who could combine a genial, social nature, with a strict application to his work and his steady promotion and advancement in railroad circles willingly attests to his efficiency and high deportment while engaged in discharging the duties of his position. His many sterling qualities won for him a host of friends who will be deeply grieved to learn of his death. His funeral was held on Tuesday, at Holland, N. Y., and was attended by a large number of his railroad associates. He leaves a wife and child, and an aged mother at Driftwood, to mourn his death.

Union Memorial Sermon.

The Union Memorial sermon, preached by the Rev. W. R. McNeil, Sunday evening was largely attended, the church being packed to the doors. After several beautiful anthems by the choir, the audience arose and sang America. A prayer was then offered by Rev. Robt. McCaslin which was followed by the Rev. W. R. McNeil. The reverend gentleman was thoroughly prepared to handle his subject in a masterly manner and delivered one of the most interesting discourses ever listened to in Emporium. The members of G. A. R. Post, No. 241, W. R. C., and P. G. S. of A., attended in a body.

Death of Mrs. Dennis Hall.
Mrs. Dennis Hall, formerly of Emporium and who for the past number of years has resided with her daughter, Mrs. Mahon, at Pennfield, was taken through here on last Tuesday, to be buried at her old home in Potter county.

THE STATE CONVENTION

COL. W. A. STONE THE FAVORITE

Charles W. Stone Runs a Close Second With Wanamaker Fighting Hard.
HARRISBURG, June 1.—The contest for first place on the state Republican ticket is as warm as the weather. Colonel Wm. A. Stone, of Allegheny, is still the favorite with Charles W. Stone, of Warren, a close second. John Wanamaker is making a strong fight and will poll a large vote. Congressman Wm. Connell, of Scranton, and ex-Congressman John Leisenring, of Hazleton, have withdrawn and their delegates will be divided between the two Stones. Connell's ten delegates and six of Leisenring's will vote for W. A. Stone and the balance for C. W. Stone.

Pleasant Social Event.

The party given by the young people of Emporium, in the Opera House, Wednesday evening, was without any exception, the leading social event of the season. The interior of the hall was decorated in a most beautiful manner, the stage and refreshment corner being one mass of palms, ferns and flowers, while artificial nooks and bowers, furnished with the finest of upholstered furniture, were tastefully arranged in different corners of the room and partitioned off with very pretty screens.

The floor was covered with crash and the music by the Ridgway Orchestra was the best that has been given in Emporium for a long time, thus making the terpsichorean feature of the party all that the most fastidious dancer could desire. Card tables and places for other games were stationed in the rear of the hall, for those who cared to participate in them. At midnight an elegant collation of oysters, wafers, etc., was served by the young ladies, after which the merriment continued till the early hours of the morning. A large number of out of town people were present and they all report an excellent time. Great credit is due to Messrs. Soble and Logan, as well as the Misses Bryan, Logan, Cosh, Taggart, Clemens, and Mrs. A. McInnes, Jr., whose untiring efforts contributed greatly to the success of the affair.

Notice.

I wish to give notice to persons traveling to and from Bailey Run and crossing over the ridge on what is known as the Freeman farm, that this can no longer be allowed. Since the Climax Powder Company has forbidden persons crossing their premises this route has been adopted. I have posted notices forbidding trespassing and hereafter any person disregarding them will just as surely be prosecuted. This is necessary for my own protection. My fences are broken down, my cattle are left out and have been milked in the pastures, and my sheep have had stones thrown after them for the fun of seeing them run. Forebearance has ceased to be a virtue and hereafter all persons must keep off this property or suffer the consequences.
R. P. HELLMAN.

Small Blaze.

An alarm of fire was given about two o'clock Tuesday morning, in the east ward, which was quickly responded to by the Citizen's Hose Company. The blaze was found to be at the large, double tenement house, now vacant, on the corner of West Third street, near Hockley's coal yard, and was soon extinguished without the aid of the up-town companies. This is the second time within a week that this building has been on fire, and it is clearly the work of incendiaries, as it has originated both times on the south-east corner of the building, near a narrow alley.

A Serious Fracture.

While attending to his duties at the Sterling Run tannery, on Tuesday evening, the venerable watchman, Patrick Tracy, had the misfortune to fall and break the head of his right thigh bone. This break is known as an intra capsular fracture and is a very serious injury, especially to one so advanced in years as Mr. Tracy, but owing to his rugged constitution it is possible that he will pull through alright. He will be taken to the hospital at Williamsport, to-day.

Pure Bred.

Cornish Indian Game, Golden Wyandottes and S. C. Brown Leghorns' eggs \$1.50 for fifteen.
I. F. OSTRUM,
Emporium, Pa.—2-3m.

9 PAGES.

Pressed Bricks.

Big bargains at N. Seger's clothing house.

Now purchase clothing at N. Seger's and save big money.

Don't forget the lawn fete at M. T. Hogan's Saturday evening.

The great bargains being offered in clothing at N. Seger's attract unusual attention.

The Emporium Juvenile Drum Corps went to Ridgway last Monday and assisted in the Memorial ceremony. There were thirteen in all.

A number of Cameron county Republicans are attending the state convention at Harrisburg this week.

There was an old-time all around fight last Saturday night. Emporium put on a red hue of the deepest carnage.

Every young man in Emporium is expected to take his girl to the lawn fete, given by the Chamber of Commerce, Saturday evening.

If you desire to see a good game of ball, don't fail to attend the game between Sterling Run and the home nine, to-morrow afternoon.

The Bucks county railway company has voted to have its road managed and run by a man named Mr. Booze. If there is anything in a name its cars ought to be "full" all the time.—Bellefonte Watchman.

Some of the curiosities of the Bank of England are well worth describing. In the printing room a man sits at a little table, and every three seconds a machine hands him two complete £5 notes. If he sits there six hours, he receives over £8,000, and in 300 days, over £20,000,000 in paper money.—Ex.

The following statistics have been clipped from the report of the Warren insane asylum for the year ending December, 1897. At the beginning of the year there were 966 inmates. Admitted during the year 256. Total present in the year 1122. Discharged, restored, 42; improved, 61; stationary, 34; died 73; remaining at the end of the year 1,012.

Mr. Howard's Reply.

I would say to brother Bardwell and sister Adina that I have told the "policeman" and still the fence is in the middle of the road.

In regard to forcing religion on people neither God, nor any of his true followers, tries to make any one love or worship him, although the Turks and some churches think it is better to kill a man than to let him pray to God in any other church than their own.

I believe God made the world and filled it with abundance of animal and vegetable life for our good and told us to improve it and divide it into sections, and manage it for His honor and to the benefit of each other.

Acting under the sense and knowledge of this justice and goodness of God toward us, our representatives in Congress assembled have from time to time laid out public roads, improved the water channels, voted moneys for the development of God's bounties, and promulgated laws to protect the rights and inheritance of ourselves and our children from the waste and destruction of ignorant and unscrupulous persons.

Did all people recognize the benefits and justice of these laws, we would not have families broken up and abandoned; ministers and teachers would not catch fish during the season they are hatching their eggs, and thus help to interfere with God's plan for increasing their kind a hundred fold; school boards would not fence in half of the highway; and fathers would not wantonly cut down chestnut trees as an easy way of getting the nuts and thus rob their children of all future crops.

Many more things God teaches us by example and precept which I believe.

God's son says it is more blessed to give than to try and take all or to get even.

Brother and Sister do you agree with me so far and think that such just and beneficial laws should be taught to the ignorant and enforced on the unscrupulous?

Very respectfully,
JOSHIAH HOWARD.

Lawn Fete.

The ladies of the Chamber of Commerce will give a lawn fete at the residence of M. T. Hogan, on Saturday evening, June 4th, at 6:00 o'clock. Strawberries and ice cream will be served.

The strawberry and ice cream festival, by Mrs. Allen's class, has been postponed.

ROCKWELL'S
DRUG STORE,
Next to Post-office, Emporium, Pa.
Fancy Stationery.
Just received the choicest invoice of Fancy Stationery, including Envelopes, Paper and Turists Pads,
Toilet and
Bath Goods.
My line of Toilet and Bath Goods includes a fine line of Soaps, Brushes, Sponges, etc.
ROCKWELL'S
DRUG -- STORE.
EMPORIUM, PA.
Those great bargains at N. Seger's are attracting attention.
The expense of maintaining a first-class battleship is about \$15,000 a day.
Big bargains in summer clothing at N. Seger's.