

Old Reliable Drug Store.

Owing to the very liberal patronage I have had from our people and in view of the hard times I will until MAY 1st, reduce the price of Physicians Prescriptions as follows, viz:

- All 1 oz. mixtures, regular price, 20 to 15
All 2 oz. mixtures, regular price, 25 to 19
All 3 oz. mixtures, regular price, 35 to 25
All 4 oz. mixtures, regular price, 45 to 30
All 6 oz. mixtures, regular price, 65 to 50
All 8 oz. mixtures, regular price, 85 to 65

And a corresponding reduction on all packages of Powders, Pills, Ointments Also liberal discount on all Patent Medicines, Baby Foods, Perfumes, Toilet and Fancy Articles and extra liberal discount on Fountain Syringes, Hot Water Bottles, Atomizers and Nursing Bottles.

I will guarantee my goods to be strictly fresh and equal to any goods in the market.

Thirty years experience in the town of Emporium is sufficient evidence of competency. If you wish to avail yourself of the liberal offer, leave your Physician's Prescriptions and drug trade in general at the OLD RELIABLE DRUG STORE.

L. TAGGART.

EMPORIUM MILLING COMPANY.

PRICE LIST.

Table with 2 columns: Item Name and Price. Includes items like NEMOPHILA, Graham, Rye, Buckwheat, Patent Meal, Coarse Meal, Chop Feed, Middlings, Bran, Corn, White Oats, Choice Clover Seed, Choice Timothy Seed, Choice Millet Seed, Fancy Kentucky Blue Grass.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card, letter, or personally.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gross spent Sunday with Mrs. Gross' parents at Austin.

Chas. W. Williams, of Mason Hill, was calling on Emporium friends Tuesday.

Mrs. S. T. Howard and daughter, of Williamsport, are guests of Mrs. H. C. Rockwell.

Col. J. O. Brookbank, of Driftwood, was calling on Emporium friends last Saturday.

County Commissioners' Clerk Franklin Houser threatens to take another trip to New York.

Frank McGloin, Jr., of Ridgway, was in town last week, while on his way home from Buffalo.

County Treasurer W. L. Thomas visited his old home in Chester county last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. A. A. McDonald visited friends at Driftwood a few days last week, returning home last Sunday.

Mrs. Jos. Butler and two children came over from Olean last Saturday to visit Chas. L. Butler and family.

Mrs. C. H. Sage, Jr., of Johnsonburg, came down to visit her parents and remain over for the Fourth.

Michael Murphy has resigned as postmaster at Driftwood and H. W. Mitchell has been appointed.

The many friends of Henry Auchu are pleased to see him out again. The late injury to his hand is rapidly healing.

Oliver A. Keeper, of Pittsburg, representing the A. V. R. R., was transacting business in Emporium on Monday.

Joe S. Johnston, editor of Driftwood Gazette, visited in Emporium last Sunday, guest of Jno. A. Johnston and wife.

E. P. Dalrymple and S. W. Smith, prominent attorneys of Port Allegany, were guests at the Warner House Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davin, who reside on Woodland Avenue, are rejoicing over the arrival of a bright little lady at their home.

A. D. Gould and wife, of Eldred, stopped in Emporium Sunday, enroute for Atlantic City to join the State Editorial Association.

Mrs. Wm. Lanninger, of Elmira, N. Y., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Thos. Pelkey, at this place. Her many Emporium friends are pleased to greet her again.

The genial Jno. A. Noe, of Pittsburg, agent for Collier's books, has returned to Emporium again. He has sold over 2,500 volumes of literary works in Emporium alone.

Mrs. Jos. Kaye returned on Monday from visiting friends at Williamsport. Mr. Kaye went to Williamsport on Saturday, returning home on Monday with his wife.

Chas. G. Catlin, of Emporium, was a caller at the Press sanctum on Tuesday, and under the proper announcement of candidates will be found the object of his call.

Mrs. M. P. Whiting and daughter Reta visited Lock Haven yesterday and attended the Commencement exercises at the Normal. Miss Elva Whiting is a member of the Class.

Chas. Pealer, of Dushore, Pa., who, in company with his wife, has been visiting Alton Houser and wife at this place, was a pleasant caller at the Press sanctum on Friday. Mr. Pealer formerly resided at Driftwood, where he was engaged in the drug business.

J. C. Goodnough, of Emporium, who was secretary of the Congressional Conference in session at the Thomson House yesterday, renewed old acquaintances after the convention adjourned.—Kane Daily Republican.

Gottfried Schmidt, of Co H, 12th Reg. Pa. Vols., visited with C. G. Schmidt and wife several days last week. He returned to Camp Alger Sunday evening, having greatly enjoyed his visit with his brother.

Miss Lena Watt and Master Freddie Moore, of Gardeau, were the guests of Mrs. E. E. Proctor, Friday last, the former just returning home from a pleasant sojourn of three months with relatives in Philadelphia.

A J. Seifried, wife and family, of Emporium, drove to St. Marys last week, remaining over Sunday with relatives in town. They returned home Monday.—St. Marys Gazette.

David Kirk, Jr., of Pittsburg, accompanied by his wife, mother and sister, were guests of Fred Julian and wife the past week. Ye editor had the pleasure of meeting them.

Uncle William McGee and Gen. Geo. Washington Hall are feeding the City Hotel guests on black bass these days. They are expert fishermen.

Master Raymond Maginnes, of Kane, came down yesterday to assist his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Bupp, celebrate the Fourth.

Dr. Reick and brother, accompanied by W. T. Seger, rode their bikes to Austin last Sunday. They are strong advocates of good roads.

Geo. W. Huntley, Jr., was in town last evening, looking for painters, paper hangers and plumbers. He found them.

W. H. Welsh returned from Turbottsville, Tuesday evening, having completed the erection of a house for his brother.

Dr. J. T. Laning, of Washington, arrived in Emporium this morning to spend a few days with Emporium friends.

The Rebecca birthday party at Odd Fellows' Hall, Tuesday evening, was largely attended and enjoyable.

Mrs. Bardwell, of East Aurora, N. Y., is visiting her son, Dr. E. O. Bardwell and wife, at this place.

L. M. Otto and F. N. Page, two Williamsporters, registered at the Warner House yesterday.

The County Commissioners have erected a large and handsome new flag on the Court House.

Cashier Whiting attended commencement exercises at Lock Haven Normal yesterday.

Levi Zener, of Cameron-Keating, shook hands with Emporium friends yesterday.

Mrs. Breese, wife of Mr. Breese, the Creamery manager, is visiting her husband.

Miss Olive R. Montgomery visited Miss Mae Norris at Sterling Run, yesterday.

Mrs. Jessop, of Eldred, was guest of Judge Bonham and family last week.

Miss Jessop, of Spokane, Wash., is guest of Judge Bonham and family.

Mrs. D. W. Keys has been visiting relatives at Bradford for two weeks.

Arch Andrews and wife returned from Coudersport last Saturday.

Miss Fry has returned home from an extended visit with friends.

Mrs. Josiah Howard is visiting Mrs. Mingle, in New York City.

Geo. A. Walker, Jr., assisted in the Bank this week.

Died on Sunday. A message was received here this morning announcing the sudden death of Mrs. A. Deiches, which occurred at Austin yesterday. The deceased was 42 years of age and had been in poor health for some time. The remains will be taken to New York this evening for interment.—Coudersport Enterprise, 27th.

Democratic State Nominations. The democratic State convention met at Altoona yesterday and, with the aid of the police, succeeded in nominating George A. Jenks, a free-silver advocate, for Governor; Wm. H. Sowden, of Lehigh, Lieut.-Gov.; Secretary of Internal Affairs, P. C. Delacey, of Scranton; Congress-at-Large, Jerre N. Weiler, of Carbon; F. P. Iams, Allegany; Superior Court, Wm. Trickett, Cumberland; C. M. Bower, Centre. S. S. Hackett represented Cameron county and voted for Jenks.

Gov. Hastings heard from Secretary of War Alger last Sunday and the orders are that four new companies each shall be assigned at once to the 16th, 4th, 5th and 9th regiments, the 16th being the only Western Penn'a regiment to be enlarged to three battalions. A dispatch from Chickamauga says Col. Hullings of the 16th expects to raise his four additional companies in Tionesta, DuBois, Kane and Emporium. Lieut. Col. Rickards is schooling officers and men in three-battalion movements.

Letters from the People.

[All communications under this head must be accompanied by the writer's name. We will not be held responsible for any expressions in this department.—Editor.]

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. meets at the home of Mrs. Charles Felt, at the usual hour, on Friday afternoon. There will be a discussion on some of the needs of the day. Come and take part. All are welcome.

At the last meeting these thoughts were the subject of discussion:

"Don't have a thing in the house too good for your boy to enjoy and share with you, and don't make him use the back stairs in order to save the front hall carpet. If, as may be the case, God has only loaned you this boy for a brief while, you may realize when too late, that he was vastly more precious to you than all else you possess."

The discussion on this thought brought out the following opinions: That while our homes are to be enjoyed by our boys as well as ourselves, might we not be in danger of overdoing and allow them to acquire habits of destructiveness and selfishness, thus depriving their mothers and sisters, and, perhaps, of their wives in the future. Would not the best way be to teach them to use and enjoy but not abuse; will they not be more likely to get the greatest good out of the nice things in their homes if they are taught to help take care of them and keep them nice.

Another thought was: "Don't let your boy lead an aimless life. Teach him to be somebody and do something for himself from little boyhood to manhood. Your bank account is no guarantee for a boy's soul, and if you have a large account that will be no excuse in the eyes of the Lord for you to train your boy to idleness. Teach him the value of money by making him earn at least a good portion of all he has during boyhood."

This thought brought out a long discussion as to what he can do. Ought fathers to arouse themselves and find or furnish suitable occupation? Would it not need judgment as to how much ought to be put upon a boy? How much money ought a boy be allowed to use? Ought not parents look to the use boys put their money and teach them to use but not waste? Will not a keen observer see that we are wasting people, and will not a thoughtful person see that the boy who is allowed to use as freely and unwisely as boys do now, will have to start in at manhood with things very much against him? His wants and tastes so vitiated that he will either be discouraged in trying to acquire enough to meet the demands of life, or he will resort to dishonest methods to acquire it.

Are we not taught very strong in the great percentage of young men who have been rejected by the examining surgeons for the army on account of disabilities from use of cigarettes? If boys were not allowed so much money for such things; and then the pernicious reading they buy, the immense amount of trash to eat and drink they certainly do not need.

The last questions to be asked are, fathers and mothers, what will you do about these things? God has given these boys to you, in what shape are you giving them back to God? Just as surely as they were given to you; just as surely as they are given back and just as plainly as God called Adam to account for the sins of his family, He will call every one of us; and don't forget that He called Adam to account first.

Burglary.

The mid-night mechanics have commenced their campaigns again. Last night the store of A. F. Vogt & Co., was again entered by burglars and thirty-two pairs of the finest shoes stolen. Mr. Vogt had connected his store with his residence by electric wires and the fact that the wires were carefully avoided is evidence that the burglars are home talent.

Gone to the Hospital.

Mrs. F. F. Pepper went to Buffalo last Saturday to undergo an operation for the removal of a cancer and a tumor. Her physician, Dr. E. O. Bardwell went to Buffalo on Tuesday to be present when the operation took place, yesterday. The Dr. will return home to-day. LATER:—A telegram received last evening by Mr. Pepper, reports the operation successful.

Quick Work.

T. H. Belanger, of Emporium, died in Alaska, Aug. 20th, 1897, leaving a wife and two small children in this place. Mr. B. was a member of Emporium K. O. T. M., and proofs of his death was filed June 20th, 1898, the check for \$2,000 arriving here last Monday—seven days after filing proof of death. Henry Auchu, guardian for the children received the draft from Record Keeper J. P. McNarney.

Congressional Convention.

The Republican Congressional Convention of this district met at Thompson House, Kane, last Thursday. M. A. Myers, of Warren, and C. Jay Goodnough, of Emporium, acted as chairman and secretary.

The following conferees were present: Cameron County—W. H. Martindale, B. L. Spence, Charles Norton, A. S. Bailey and C. J. Goodnough. McKean—T. H. Ryan, W. G. Roberts, H. M. Clayton and James A. McKean. Warren—W. S. Pierce, D. M. Howard (proxy for A. McDonald), Thomas J. Baker, J. H. Bradley and M. A. Myers. Venango—E. W. Smiley, E. Skinner, W. F. Whitman, H. J. McGill and Charles R. Gilbraith.

Hon. Charles W. Stone was unanimously renominated and returned his thanks to the people of this district for their renewed confidence extended to him through their representatives. His majority will be several thousand in the district.

Where Will You Spend Your Summer Vacation?

The W. N. Y. & P. Ry. announce two delightful excursions to the Thousand Islands, to be run July 23d and August 20th. The train will leave Emporium at 8:30 a. m. Fare for round trip \$6.50. Tickets will be good ten days returning.

Among the Thousand Islands on the St. Lawrence River is a most charming resort for a week's vacation; boating, fishing, and steam-boat excursions are among the pleasures derived at the Islands. For full information call on W. N. Y. & P. Ry. Agents, or write S. B. Newton, Excursion Manager, Buffalo, N. Y. 28-3t

Fourth of July Excursion Rates.

The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg Ry., with its customary liberality, will issue excursion tickets between any two stations on its line at rate of a single fare for the round trip, except that no excursion ticket at the reduced rate will be issued for less than 25 cents. Tickets to be sold and good going July 2, 3 and 4, limited for return passage until July 5th, 1898. 2t

Buckwheat Items.

Haying is now our chief industry.

Mr. Norton is shingling his residence. Mr. Hobson is putting a slate roof on his house.

Buckwheat can boast of having a free mail delivery in the person of Lule Norton.

Sheriff Mundy drove through our burg Friday.

Mrs. T. Taggart visited Mr. and Mrs. Kresge last week.

Birdie Taggart was wheeling on our streets on Friday.

Martin Lawson is clearing up a farm across the railroad.

We are glad to state that C. M. Kresge is improving.

Our farmers claim to have the best potatoes in the county.

John Hogan makes trips quite often to Feechwood. Look out, John.

Mr. Hillard drives to town every night loaded with strawberries and produce.

J.W. Clark went through our place posing bills for the celebration of the Fourth at Emporium.

Rattlesnakes are plenty here, one being killed nearly every day. Postmaster Heath killed one four feet long Friday evening.

Our young people are practicing every night to be able to enter in the foot-races at Emporium on the Fourth. We have a man who can go 100 yds. in 10 seconds.

Mr. Allen has volunteered to be in Emporium on the 4th, stripped to the waist, and will exhibit to the public 1,000 bees, and show his wonderful hypnotic power over them.

Mr. H. F. Kresge will soon leave for Clearfield, Elk, and McKean counties, where he will introduce a wonderful remedy to remove potato bugs, and will also carry a side line of fertilizer.

Jones' big city shows gives two performances at this place to-day.

A woodsman named Angus McDonald, died at Dan'l Stone's boarding house, last Friday. He was buried on Saturday.

Sinemahoning News.

Rev. J. F. Anderson, of Williamsport, a former pastor of this charge, is spending a brief vacation here among his host of friends.

C. F. Barclay is having his barn torn down and a new one of a more modern style of architecture built on the rear of his property which will much improve the Captain's already beautiful home.

While out spearing on Saturday night, John Berfield captured a salmon that measured twenty-nine inches in length and weighed over six pounds.

Dr. C. A. Reece, who was many years ago a resident physician of this place, is here visiting his old friends and associates. Of course he exchanged a few words with Joe M. and got some pointers on how to kill bears and manage a political campaign.

An ice cream and fruit festival was held at Locust Grove under the auspices of the Wyside Sunday School and about \$20 was the net proceeds which will be used in the purchase of a new library.

F. J. Swartwood who has been the engineer on Barclay Bros.' mill for a number of years has resigned his position and will remove his family to Driftwood in the near future.

Munchausen Hall was the scene of a great excitement at the last stated meeting of the Liars Club when the new resolutions were adopted. It was resolved that no more deer hunting lies could be tolerated and no raft runs to Chesapeake Bay on dry land in one day, so Pap Berfield was practically ruled out and made to realize that he had outlived his usefulness as a member. The climax was reached however when it was announced that the same old yarns would not be allowed on more than six consecutive occasions, then Joe M. sadly arose, heaved an ominous sigh, and as he plugged Belden's ear with a cigar stump and fell over the spittoon, slowly walked out murmuring softly to himself: "So that dear old fib must be suppressed; my only stock in trade gone up—well I don't care they can't beat it." John Logue and 'Squire Blodget were very much gratified that the new rules did not prohibit them from catching eels by the tail on a spoon hook, and 'Buckey' Shaw and Harve Smith were pleased to know that they might still hunt bee trees by means of a "tracking snow." After electing Ame Bennett to represent the club at the Altoona convention the lights and cats were put out and a committee sent to hunt up George Shaffer. DEWEY WRIGHT.

How to Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver is inactive, you have a bilious look; if your stomach is disordered, you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys are affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health, and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alternative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys, purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at L. Taggart's Drug Store. 50 cents per bottle.

The good looking editor of the Marionville Express, who is authority on such matters, says "when a young lady pins a bouquet on the lapel of a young man's coat she usually turns her head to one side and tilts up her chin to look at it. The young man who doesn't tumble is so slow that he would be run over by a hearse."

Fulton & Pearsall.

These up-to-date painters have consolidated their business and may be found at their shop in Parsons' Bazaar. Both are practical painters and will give prompt attention to all work entrusted to them. Estimates furnished for all kinds of house, sign and decorative painting as well as wall papering and frescoing. Especial attention given to out of town orders. 47tf.

Notice to the Public.

The road now being cut through from Salt Run to Bailey Run, we ask the people in the habit of going to Bally Run and going by the Climax Powder Co.'s works, to go via Salt Run, as hereafter no one will be allowed to go through the Climax Powder Company's works. THE CLIMAX POWDER MFG. CO. 10-1f.

It is Strange

that some people who say they never read patent medicine advertisements will be found lunging home every now and then a bottle of some favorite remedy of theirs. We don't bother you with much reading but just ask you to try a 10c. trial bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for constipation, indigestion and stomach troubles. 50c. and \$1 sizes of L. Taggart. June

Astronomers tell us that in our solar system there are at least 17,000,000 comets of all sizes.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Barton House, Burton, W. Va., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me; and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June, 1894, Mr. Evans, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm, the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by L. Taggart.

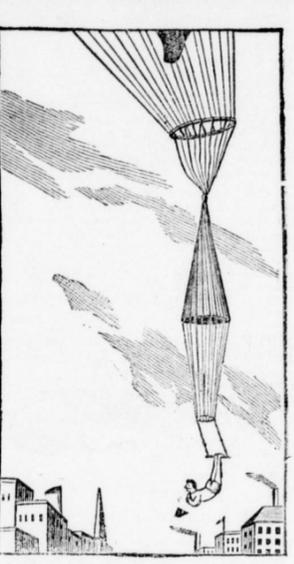
PUBLIC LETTING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Shippen Township School Board will, on Saturday, August 6th, 1898, receive sealed proposals for furnishing wood for the several Shippen township schools, for the approaching school term. Right reserved to reject any or all bids. B. L. SPENCE, President.

ATTEST:— GEO. W. VAN WERT, Secretary. Shippen, Pa., June 29th, 1898.—3t.

OLD FASHIONED FOURTH.

GRAND CELEBRATION



BALLOON ASCENSION AND PARACHUTE JUMP.

AT EMPORIUM, PA., Monday, July 4th, '98

A BIG DAY'S SPORT.

Monster Parade of Civic Societies, Fire Department and G. A. R. Post. FANTASTIC PARADE, BASE BALL GAMES, BICYCLE RACES, FOOT RACES, ETC.

COME TO EMPORIUM.

HOUSE-KEEPERS ATTENTION!

This is the Brand, The Miller planned To be the finest in the land.



We are busy arranging an entire NEW LINE OF GOODS

All Latest Novelties.

R. SEGER & SON.

Now East and West, His skill attest, And Pillsbury's Best leads all the rest.

If the inscription on your sack of flour is like the above, you have the best flour in the world and ought to have the best bread. Better look and see, and if not, go at once to

DAY'S

and procure a sack of World Famous, Pillsbury's Best.

There are others, but none so good.

J. H. DAY,

23 Fourth St., Emporium, Pa.