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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. 42-1y.

**J. C. JOHNSON,** J. P. McNARNEY,  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,  
Emporium, Pa.  
Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-1y.

**MICHAEL BRENNAN,** ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent,  
43-1y. 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 &c., 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 solicit a share of the public patronage. The house is newly furnished and is one of the best appointed hotels in Cameron county. 30-1y.

**THE NOVELTY RESTAURANT,**  
(Opposite Post Office),  
Emporium, Pa.  
I take pleasure in informing the public that I have purchased the old and popular Novelty Restaurant, located on Fourth street. It will be my endeavor to serve the public in a manner that shall meet with their approbation. Give me a call. Meals and luncheon served at all hours. no27-1y7 Wm. McDONALD.

**ST. CHARLES HOTEL,** THOS. 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. 27-17-1y

**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.

**F. C. RIECK, D. D. S.,** DENTIST.  
Office over Faggar's Drug Store, Emporium, Pa.  
Gas and other local anesthetics administered for the painless extraction of teeth.  
SPECIALTY—Preservation of natural teeth, including Crown and Bridge Work.  
I will visit Driftwood the first Tuesday, and Slemmehoning the third Wednesday of each month.

**R. C. DODSON,**

—THE—

## Druggist,

EMPORIUM, PA.

IS LOCATED IN THE CORNER STORE.  
At Fourth and Chestnut Sts.,



**LUCK IS YOURS.**

You carry your luck with you. You are lucky indeed to have the privilege of dealing with us. Our customers set in the midst of good fortune and have a tight hold upon it. Once they have found us they cling to us the year through. 1899 will be your lucky year if you purchase of Dodson.

**Birthday Party.**

Miss Edna Adams, one of Rich Valley's bright little Misses celebrated the eighth anniversary of her birth, by giving a party to several of her little friends last Saturday afternoon. They all enjoyed themselves immensely and in the evening elegant refreshments were served. Miss Edna was the recipient of many pretty remembrances as tokens of esteem from her young friends.

## Death of an Old Resident.

Another of Cameron county's pioneer citizens has joined the great majority and in this issue we are called upon to chronicle the passing away of one who for the past forty years has known no other home than a humble cottage located near the head of Rich Valley, and whose personality is well known to every citizen, young or old, in this end of the county.

On Monday afternoon, Dec 26th, Samuel Fowler the subject of this sketch went to a neighbor's house for the purpose of borrowing a saw with which to cut some wood, and for the last time was seen to enter the woods at a point on the Rich Valley road above Isaac Lewis' place. Late in the afternoon of the following day an old neighbor Elias Barton while on his way home discovered the lifeless remains of Mr. Fowler lying on the south side of the E. & R. V. R.R., track at the foot of a steep embankment not far from the road where he was last seen to enter.

Coroner Baker was summoned and after holding an inquest the jury rendered a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death by falling down a steep embankment and breaking his neck, while in an epileptic fit, which he was often subject to. The funeral was held on Thursday Rev. Reddett officiating. The remains were followed to their last resting place in the Rich Valley cemetery, by a large concourse of friends and neighbors.

As near as can be ascertained Mr. Fowler was in his 66th year.

## Large Sale of Hardwood Lumber.

The Emporium Lumber Co., of Keating Summit, has recently purchased all the hardwood lumber contained in the yard of C. B. Howard & Co., at this place. The purchase comprises nearly all the cherry, ash, poplar and basswood sawed by C. B. Howard & Co., during the past year and will aggregate over fifty carloads. The Emporium Lumber Co., make a specialty of hardwoods and their trade has attained such proportions that they are obliged to secure stocks of hardwoods from other mills in order to supply the increasing demand.

In order to give our readers an idea of the prosperous and gratifying results arising from the present administration we quote the following brief status furnished us by Manager W. L. Sykes:

For the nine months ending Nov. 30, 1898, the shipments of this company exceeded those of the corresponding nine months of 1897 by fifty per cent, and the shipments for the month of December, 1898, are in excess of those for the corresponding month of 1897 by over sixty per cent.

Truly the calamity howler and false prophets are full of wind and the word is not in them.

## University Association Notice.

The local centre will meet on Monday evening, Jan. 9th, at 8:00 p. m., in the basement of the Baptist Church, for the purpose of organizing, preparatory to taking up the second year's course—Literature.

J. M. ROBERTSON, Pres.

## Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting Borough Council, January 2d, 1899.  
Present: Messrs. Balcom, Day, Strayer, Burns, Hackett and Warner.  
Absent: Messrs. Burke, Lloyd and Palmer.  
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.  
Committee appointed to draft ordinance was continued.

On motion of Mr. Balcom, seconded by Mr. Day, the following bills were ordered paid:  
C. B. Howard & Co., Lumber, \$ 4 02  
Emporium Machine Co., per Invoice, 18 52  
D. C. Hayes, hauling hose cart to fire, 3 00  
O. W. O'Brien, drying hose, 1 00  
Samuel Parker, work on streets, 1 80  
H. L. Hackett, do do, 2 45  
Frank Babcock, do do, 1 13  
A. Murry, do do, 4 50  
James Farrell, do do, 1 50  
John Welch, do do, 75  
Wm. Snyder, do do, 28  
John Binzler, do do, 50  
Henry Robinson, do do, 1 50  
James Haviland, Street Commissioner, 35 00  
Report of the Borough Treasurer read and placed on file.  
On motion the Council then adjourned.

C. J. GOODNOUGH, Sec.

## Fire Department Meeting.

We have been informed by the Sec'y of the Emporium Fire Department that an election will be held in the City Hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 10th, for the purpose of choosing a Chief and subordinate officers to serve for the ensuing year.

All firemen are requested to be present at this meeting as it is one of the most important of the year.

## Shooting Accident.

While practicing at a target on Monday, Dec. 27th, "Dick" Moore received a bullet wound on the third finger of his right hand which resulted in the splintering of the middle joint of that member and otherwise inflicting a painful laceration of the flesh.

Fortunately for "Dick" that the accident was not of graver consequence for he is yet able to greet his friends with a pleasant smile and hopes to sling ink at his accustomed place at the P. R. R. freight depot in a few days.

## Maps for Ready Reference.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Co., has just issued in convenient form for household, library and school reference, an atlas of seven colored maps of the world, the United States and our new possessions in the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, together with an amount of valuable information connected therewith—all up to date. This atlas will be sent free to any address on receipt of six cents in postage.

Apply to Geo. H. Heaford, General Passenger Agent, Old Colony Building, Chicago, or to John R. Pott, District Passenger Agent, Williamsport, Pa. 45-2t

## Big Fire at Galeton.

At 4:30 Monday morning Galeton was visited by one of the most disastrous conflagrations ever known in its history. The fire broke out in the Kelly building and in a few minutes the entire block consisting of the Spiero & Barkus store, Commercial Hotel, Eimer Hardware store and the buildings owned by Wm. Egler, Jas. Kelly and Wm. Nelson, was a seething mass of flames. Prompt and vigorous action on the part of the volunteer fire department saved the remaining part of the business section from total destruction.

But meagre details of the fire can be obtained at this writing, consequently we are unable to give the respective, estimated losses and insurance.

## As to Latrippe.

In speaking of the methods of treating the grip Dr. Lee, secretary of the state board of health, says that people should give into the disease and not insist in fighting it off. With the first chill it is well to remain indoors and avoid draughts and exposure. If the disease grows worse, a physician should be called in without hesitation. Convalescents should remain indoors until all danger is passed. Grip leaves the system in a weakened condition and it is easy for grip sufferers to contract pneumonia, bronchitis and kindred diseases. Complications must be closely guarded against. To keep warm, dry and clean is a good rule to observe.

Dr. John B. Cosby, one of New York's health commissioners, declares that grip is both contagious and infectious. This means that it is communicable from one person to another by contact; that the breath may carry it from one to another; that hidden influences may cause it, and that the filthy condition of the streets may start it in its deadly work.

"Influenza, or grip," the doctor's statement reads, are infectious and contagious diseases, due to the influenza bacillus. In cases of influenza or grip, this organism is present in all the sections of the nose, throat and bronchial tubes. The disease is transmitted from person to person through the taking in of these organisms, either from direct contact or after the secretions have been dried and pulverized and inhaled in the form of dust.

## Christmas Tree at Emmanuel Church.

The Episcopal Sunday school held their Xmas festival in the church building at 5:00 o'clock Christmas eve. The services under the personal charge of the Rector Mr. Robertson were very interesting and though intended especially for the children were apparently enjoyed equally by the older part of the congregation.

The Ladies Guild from part of the proceeds of their Dairy Maids Convention last month provided the ample stock of presents for the young folks and even the choir. The Rector and themselves seemed to be well remembered.

During an intermission in the singing of the carols, Mr. Howard tried to explain some of the Christmas joy to the little ones as follows:

MR. HOWARD'S ADDRESS.

I want to tell the little folks something, I think they ought to remember at Xmas time and always: Some weeks ago when a few of you came to church on Thanksgiving Day, I told you I was surprised and sorry, but I guessed you did not know any better. Now I did not mean that you did not know anything or could not learn anything, but I meant that you did not understand that it was for your own good, as well as for God's glory, that you should do as President McKinley asked you to do. He said that all the people should lay aside their work and their play and go to the same church that they went to on Sundays, and join in the service of public thanksgiving to God, so that all the world would know that they were a God-fearing, God-loving, God-serving and God-thanking people. Now 1898 years ago—or about 1900 years ago—Jesus Christ was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the hills of Palestine and the angels sang "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, Peace, good will to men." That means love, that Jesus Christ was born to teach love. "Glory to God," that means love to God. Good will to men, that means love to all your neighbors and to everybody in the world. Now I want to ask these little folks in front of me on this side: "Don't you feel better when you like your father and mother?" Yes? why of course you do. The only way to learn to like and love them is to get close to them, and to ask them questions about what they are doing, and why they do it that way, and if they think you will ever be big enough to do things as well as they do. And when you climb up into their laps, you are happy. I do not mean that you are happy first, because sometimes you are crying. But just as soon as you climb up and feel that you are close to them, you begin to feel happy, don't you? Now do you know that is the way you ought to do with God? That is what I wanted to tell you. That is what the Sunday school is for. That is what we have the Christmas tree for; that God is your Father, and that His Son Jesus Christ came to tell us that God wants us to be happy, and gives us all the good things in this world to make us happy. When you come to Sunday school your teacher asks you how old you are, and have you been baptized. That means did your mother ever take you to the minister and have him pour some water on your head, and mark a cross on your forehead, to show you that God is your Father and that you belong to him. And the minister tells your mother that God loves you, and that you should learn the Apostles' Creed, and the Lord's Prayer, and the Ten Commandments, and all about God in the Bible; and that she should bring you to the church to hear the bible read and explained, so that you should learn to know your Father in Heaven and like him. Now when you get larger and are confirmed, the Bishop will tell you to come to the Holy Communion and to draw closer to God in your hearts at the Lord's Supper; but you do not need to wait until you are old to get close to God and to like Him. A little boy can like his mother just as well as a big boy can; and a little boy

can get close to God, and talk to him in his prayers, and learn to like Him just as well as a big boy or man can.

A few years ago I had a little boy, and I liked him, and he liked me, and he liked his mother. He died when he was five years old, but he was not too young to like God too. At night before he went to bed, he said that little prayer, "Now I lay me down, &c." and when he got up in the morning, he said another little prayer something like this: "Lord bless me and keep me all day; bless papa and mama and make me love thee and love thy service and to love everybody else in the world for Christ's sake. Amen. And sometimes when he would climb up into our laps, we would tell him God was a thousand times better and nicer than we were; that God made the apples and hickory nuts, and he liked apples and hickory nuts, and that God made the bread and butter and everything that he ate, and made it turn into blood in his stomach, and then made the blood turn into muscles and bones in his arms and legs so he could run and play, and into his eyes so he could see, and into his mouth so he could eat, and he liked to eat; and so he thought God was pretty near as good as we were. And when he was sick, he was not afraid to die, because he liked God, and he knew God would take care of him. Day before yesterday God brought another little baby up to our house for a Christmas present for us to take care of, and God made it a real live baby, with real flesh and bones in its arms and legs. It can open its eyes and eat and cry, and make its fingers go. And we are going to ask God to let us keep her. And we will be nice to her and get her to like us, and when she gets older, tell her how God is, and try to get her to like God too; because that is the best way to make her happy. Now that is what I want to tell you, that Jesus Christ was born on Christmas day to tell us that the best way to be happy is to love God, and to love everybody else in the world. Now I want to say to that too, and all the big folks can join you in saying: "The best way to be happy is to love God and everybody else in the world."

After the candles on the tree had burned out and the presents all handed around several more carols were sung and the congregation were dismissed with a box of candy and a merry Christmas to each other.

## Govern—McGloin Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Nellie C. McGloin, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGloin, of this place, and Mr. Edward J. Govern, of Kittanning, took place at St. Leo's Roman Catholic church, Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock and was performed by the resident priest, Rev. M. Meagher.

The wedding was very quiet, some of the ceremony which usually accompanies weddings in the Roman Catholic church being omitted by reason of a rule of that church which does not permit other than the simple marriage during seasons of Advent and Lent.

The bride was neatly and becomingly attired in a traveling costume and the groom wore the conventional black. They were accompanied to the altar rail by Miss Mame and Mr. Frank McGloin, sister and brother of the bride, all four having previously retired to the confessional in accordance with the custom of the church.

The solemn words which pronounced the young people man and wife were heard by a few of the intimate friends of the bride and groom and members of the church who had assembled to attend the mass which was held immediately after the wedding.

A wedding breakfast was served at the residence of the brides parents at which only the officiating priest and the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present.

The 10:56 train on the B. R. & P. railway carried the newly wedded couple north for a tour of the northern part of the state and points of interest in New York and around the lakes, returning through Ohio to Kittanning, where they will be "at home" after January 15, 1899, at the Alexander Hotel.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Govern have a host of friends in this place who join with the Elk Democrat in extending congratulations and well wishes for their future happiness.—Ridgway Democrat.

The mother of the bride is an old Emporium girl and will be remembered by many of our older citizens as Miss Mary Farrel.

## Clothing Sale at Driftwood.

John J. Soble, the wide awake clothing man desires to announce to the people of Driftwood and vicinity that for the period of one week he will offer for sale at the above place, a complete line of men's and boys furnishings, at prices below cost.

## Their Twenty-Fifth.

One of those delightful home affairs that mark the epochs in the history of a happy married life and stand out on life's calendar as a pleasant memory to ever remind us that life is worth living, was celebrated at the home of Joseph Newton and wife on Friday, Dec. 30th. The above date being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. Newton and wife, they had invited a number of their friends in to help them celebrate so important an occasion in a fitting and appropriate manner. Guests began to arrive in the afternoon and at an early hour in the evening over fifty friends and neighbors were assembled in the spacious parlor and drawing room of the family residence on West Allegany avenue. The evening was passed in a most pleasing and agreeable manner and after having partaken of elegant refreshments and wishing their host and hostess the pleasure of celebrating many more anniversaries, the guests bade them a fair "Good-night" and repaired to their respective homes. Mr. and Mrs. Newton received many handsome remembrances of their silver anniversary.

## Senator Quay Endorsed.

The joint caucus of Republican Senators and Representatives met at Harrisburg Tuesday evening to nominate a candidate for United States Senator, 109 of the 164 being present. Senator Quay received 98 votes when, upon motion of Senator Magee, his nomination was made unanimous. This leaves Senator Quay nineteen votes short of an election, yet a number of voters were absent from the caucus who will give Senator Quay their support when the election takes place on the 17th. The Quay people are positive of their ability to gain the fifteen or sixteen votes needed and the Senator feels perfectly easy.

Of course the anti-Quay element clutch at the last straw and talk of combination with the Democrats, hoping thereby to elect an independent, or any old thing to defeat Quay. Senator Quay carried a majority of the caucus and he will be elected on the 17th.

## A Painful Hunting Accident.

While in the act of trying to force a loaded cartridge into a shot gun, last Thursday morning, James Dolan, Jr., of Rich Valley met with a painful accident that might have been the means of costing him his eye sight.

It seems young Dolan was trying to drive a cartridge into the breach of the gun using a large jack knife as a hammer and while pounding the shell the percussion cap exploded, discharging the contents of the cartridge and expelling the shell from the breach of the gun with terrific force. The shell struck Dolan a glancing blow in the face causing a slight flesh wound and burning him quite severely about the eyes.

## New Receiver Appointed.

As we go to press we learn that B. W. Green, Esq., has been appointed Receiver of the Mankey Furniture Co., in place of Wm. Howard, of Williamsport, who found it necessary to relax the cares and duties incident to the holding of such an office, on account of failing health.

It is needless for us to comment on the appointment of Mr. Green, by the court; suffice to say that under his careful management our citizens, as well as the employees of the Company, may rest assured that the business will be conducted only under such methods as are conducive of the best results.

## Commendatory.

On Christmas day, Mrs. Larrabee's class of young ladies, in the M. E. Sunday School, instead of teacher and scholars giving each other presents, they united their money, talent and good will, to remember a dozen or more of the old people of our town, and the old people appreciated such remembrances, coming from those who are young in body and spirit. They also remembered the reading room by dropping an envelope in the box in the room.

Ammon A. Prowant, of Emporium and Miss Mary Conerton, of Driftwood, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. J. J. Gornley at the parochial residence on Ninth street yesterday. The groom is a gentleman well and favorably known in Cameron county and the bride is a lady highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends in Driftwood and Renovo. She is a sister of Mrs. John T. Conzidine and the wedding breakfast was served at the Commercial Hotel yesterday.—Renovo Record.

## Lloyd's Long Range Forecast of the Weather FOR EMPORIUM AND VICINITY.

FRIDAY, - Fair and colder.

SATURDAY and SUNDAY fair, ice making weather.

### Good Morning.

Fourth Street.

To the 4,666 persons who passed through our "open door" during the Holidays—We say "Good Morning!" And a happy New Year to everybody. This store has had its busiest Christmas—in dollars and cents. This store has had the best Christmas—in stock and service rendered. This store has had the happiest Christmas—in equality of prices and fair dealing. This store has had an "open door" to all. We appreciate the outcome—because it has been the result of skill and care and diligence, for we always satisfy our customers, making their interest our own. No other interpretation can be placed upon the out pouring of holiday custom for which we had to care for. Emporium would be dull without Lloyd's store. The store is yours to enjoy reach for your dollar. Come in and try our prices.

H. S. LLOYD.