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## Political Announcements.

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### County Commissioner.

Having lived in this county nearly all my life and never having asked for, or held, a county office, I have taken this opportunity to offer myself as candidate for County Commissioner, subject to decision of the Republican County Convention.

DELOS BURLINGAME.  
Sizerville, Pa., Feb. 20, 1899.

R. C. DODSON,

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IS LOCATED IN THE CORNER STORE.  
At Fourth and Chestnut Sts.,  
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easy to have and to take  
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Some headache remedies are harmful. These are made to cure headache; have no bad effect; sure to do you good as well as to cure the pain. Regular large package, 25c.

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That our laundry work is the finest and best in every way—in color, finish and general excellence, when compared to that done by any other methods. Your shirts, collars and cuffs are sent home from our up-to-date laundry in such perfect and artistic finish as to make them hard to distinguish them from the new article.

The Place to Buy Cheap  
—IS AT—  
**J. F. PARSONS.**

### Correction.

It has been reported that "one Chas. Dewalt, son of Mrs. H. M. Zahnizer, committed suicide." This is an error, the suicide was named Chas. Dewalt, step-son of H. M. Zahnizer, but no relative to Rev. E. S. Zahnizer, as stated. The report started in Forest county papers.

## McKinley Times Sure.

When the hard times struck the country and the wages of laborers was reduced, C. B. Howard & Co., at this place, were the last to make the cut in their men's wages, and even then did not make the reduction until a year after all other lumbermen in this section of the state had reduced their scale of wages. Now, that McKinley times are once more here and the country is rapidly rising on the tide of prosperity, this same firm are the first of all lumbermen to raise the wages of their mill crews. Last Saturday, when the large crew called at the office and received their checks they were surprised to see that this firm, without solicitation, had given all men employed in the mill a substantial raise.

The lumber business is prosperous and C. B. Howard & Co., are rushed with orders for lumber of all kinds. The many millions of feet of lumber stacked in the so-called "McKinley yard" two years ago—so sneeringly referred to by the calamity howlers—has all been shipped to the market and almost all of last year's cut has been sold and shipped. This enterprising firm will cut about 20,000,000 feet of lumber this season, and it is not necessary to say that Henry Auchu, the mill manager of the firm, feels good, likes good men and takes pleasure in paying good wages to good men, enjoys the good will of his men, believes in good times, and, being a good Republican, delights to see the good times that he said would come with the good old Republican party in power proves him a good profit and wise man.

## Dropped Dead.

James Jinks, while assisting Surveyor A. H. Shafer in running the lines for a road in Gibson township, near Cheesburg, dropped dead Saturday morning about 7:00 o'clock, supposedly from heart failure. His remains were brought to Driftwood shortly afternoon and placed in charge of undertaker Nefcy. He was buried Sunday afternoon in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mr. Jenks followed the occupation of a woodsman and was very well known in this section. He came to Driftwood last fall and boarded at Hotel Lafayette, and was in poor health all winter. He was about 67 years of age.

A son, Wm. Jinks, of Mt. Jewett, and son-in-law, Thomas Fee, of Bradford, were telegraphed for, but their definite addresses not being known, they could not be located until Sunday evening. Mr. Fee arrived here Tuesday morning to make preparations for the exhumation and removal of the remains. He returned to Bradford yesterday. The son is expected here to-day to complete the arrangements, when the body will be taken to Bradford where Mrs. Fee is buried.—Driftwood Gazette.

## To the School Directors of Cameron County.

GENTLEMEN:—In pursuance of the forty-third section of the act of May 8, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in convention at the Court House in Emporium on the first Tuesday in May, A. D., 1899, being the second day of the month, and select, *via voce*, by a majority of the whole number of directors present, one person of literary and scientific acquirements, and of skill and experience in the art of teaching, as County Superintendent, for the three succeeding years; and certify the result to the State Superintendent, at Harrisburg, as required by the thirty-ninth and fortieth sections of said act.

Convention will be called to order at 1:30 p. m.  
MATTIE M. COLLINS,  
County Superintendent of Cameron County.  
Emporium, Pa., April 8, 1899. 7-3t

## An Act to Pay School Directors.

On the 18th of March an act was approved to pay school directors who shall attend the triennial convention of directors to elect a County Superintendent. One dollar each and three cents for every mile necessary to be traveled in going and returning from the place where the election is held, the amount to be paid by the school treasurers of the respective districts on the proper vouchers. The same shall be audited as other accounts are audited.

It also provides that it shall be a misdemeanor for any candidate to pay or cause to be paid directly or indirectly any part of the expenses of any director attending such convention. And on conviction thereof such candidate will be fined a sum not less than \$50 or more than \$300 at the discretion of the court.

## Installation of Officers.

At a regular meeting of Emporium Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 984, D. D. G. M., Mr. C. L. Smith, of Driftwood, installed the following officers for the ensuing term: P. N. G., Frank Halderman; N. G., W. H. Taylor; V. G., S. L. Linthurst; Fi. Sec., W. W. Weeks; Ass't. Sec., W. S. Walker; Treas., J. R. Fetter; Conductor, Chas. F. Mankey; Inside Sentinel, C. G. Schmidt; R. S. to N. G., E. W. Gaskill; L. S. to N. G., H. F. Stauffer; Warden, Ed. Murry; Chaplin, W. H. Cramer; Outside Grand, Fred Hill; R. S. to V. G., C. K. Bloom; L. S. to V. G., J. D. Swope.

At a regular meeting of Emporium Encampment, No. 288, held March 31st, D. D. C. P., W. W. Weeks installed the following officers for the ensuing term: C. P., Chas. L. Barton; H. P., C. G. Schmidt; S. W., S. L. Lindthurst; J. W., H. H. Mullin; Scribe, J. R. Fetter; Ass't. Scribe, M. C. Lennan; Treas., H. S. Lloyd; Guide, M. P. Whiting; Trustee, W. W. Weeks; Sentinel, H. R. Klees.

## An Attempted Murder.

Carl W. Overton, a young man who was employed as draughtsman at the Ridgway and Engine Works, was before Justice Rufus Lucore, Tuesday, charged with an attempt to kill Harry D. Stackpole.

For some time past Overton has been nursing a fancied grievance against Mr. Stackpole and on several occasions has been heard to threaten bodily harm to him. At one time a strict watch was kept on his movements, but he seemed to have gotten over his bitter feeling and little attention was given him until Monday evening, when he made a vicious attack on Mr. Stackpole in the office of the New Hyde.

Friends interfered and probably prevented a tragedy, as was evident from the fact that the desperate young man was armed with a large dirk.

The safety of a human life depended on actions of Overton and Mr. Stackpole was induced to cause his arrest, which was accomplished by Chief McFarland at the gentleman's rooms at the hotel.

The affair is very unfortunate in that innocent parties are being subjected to much trouble, annoyance and disagreeable publicity. The most charitable construction that can be placed on the strange actions of Overton is that he is not accountable for the same. He is a well educated gentleman and his many acquaintance will learn with regret of the sad state of his mind.

He was held for court and was taken back to jail in default of \$900 bail.—Ridgway Democrat.

Reading R. R., to-day advanced the wages of 250 shop employes 15 percent.

## Johnnie Get Your Gun.

It is not generally known that the Supreme Court has decided that chickens running at large are wild game, and that when chickens stray away from the property of the owners, the person on whose premises they are found may kill them and keep their carcasses.—Ex.

## Married.

Mr. Warren M. Moore and Miss Bernice E. Housler, both of Rich Valley, were married at the Wesleyan Methodist church, at that place, last Monday afternoon, Rev. W. Readett officiating. Mrs. Moore is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Housler, of North Creek. The young couple will make their home for a time at Straight, Elk county, followed by the best wishes of their friends.

## Obituary.

Mrs. Katharine Welsh, aged 30 years, died at her residence on Walnut street, this (Thursday) morning, after a brief illness of one week, of typhoid fever, leaving three small children to mourn her death, her husband having died at Falls Creek about two years ago. Deceased has only resided in Emporium since April 1898. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wade, of Sterling Run. Funeral will be held on Saturday at 11:00 a. m., from St. Mark's church.

## Our Florida Friends.

From Volusia Record.  
Mr. W. W. Mattison made a flying trip to Unatilla last week.

Master Leon and Floyd Velt visited friends in Barberville this week.

Mr. John J. Beers and Miss Cordelia Maurer enjoyed a trip to Volusia last Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Elwood Spencer were over from Bluffton to visit Dr. and Mrs. DeLong last Tuesday.

The many friends of Dr. W. H. DeLong regret exceedingly his departure but trust that his trip north may be a pleasant one, and that he may soon return much strengthened in mind and body.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Felt and family leave their pleasant winter home this week for Emporium, Pa. Their many friends regret their premature departure necessitated by Mr. Felt's business interests, but trust that their return to Emporia next fall will be correspondingly early.

## GRANT AND DEWEY DAYS.

Two Splendid Souvenir Numbers to be Issued by the Philadelphia "Sunday Press."

The best authors and artists have been hard at work preparing two magnificent numbers of the Philadelphia "Sunday Press," which will be published on April 23 and 30. The former will be a Grant Day souvenir and the other will be a Dewey Day edition. The articles and illustrations in both will be appropriate to the occasion and most of the matter has been secured from special sources, and has never before been published, either in a newspaper or magazine. Superb color pages will add to the artistic beauty of the both editions. The front page of the Grant number shows the splendid monument which will be dedicated by President McKinley in Philadelphia, and the front page of the Dewey number is a reproduction of a magnificent painting of Dewey on the Olympia, showing him as he looks to-day. Be sure to get both these editions which will be the hand-somest ever issued by a newspaper.

Subscribe for the PRESS.

## The Last Ballot.

The last joint ballot for United States Senator, yesterday, resulted as follows: Quay, 93; Jenks, 85; Jones, 69. The next ballot will be in 1901 or at an extra session, if the Governor calls one, which is not likely. The people will settle the question of United States Senator and it will not be to the liking of the insurgents either, if the signs signify anything.

## Greatly Improved.

Dr. A. W. Baker, who has been in a very serious condition for several days, from blood poison in right hand and arm, we are pleased to say is better this (Thursday) morning. His friends in this county will rejoice to hear this glad news. The brethren of the medical fraternity have been very attentive to Dr. Baker and keep the strictest watch over his case. Dr. Nutt, of Williamsport, was in consultation with Drs. Bardwell and Heilman this morning.

## High School Alumni Association Meet.

The High School Alumni Association met at the high school building last Friday evening and voted to hold their second annual banquet on Thursday evening, May 4th. After appointing committees to perfect arrangements for the banquet the association proceeded to elect the following corps of officers to serve for the present term: President, Miss Louise Bonham; Vice Pres., Miss Nellie Hogan; Secretary, George Walker, Jr.; Treasurer, Miss Byrde Taggart. No pains will be spared by the active members of the association to make this one of the leading social events of the season.

## An Outrage.

One of our merchants tells us that a class of non-mercantile tax payers are canvassing Emporium daily and weekly with samples of wall paper and soliciting orders for the same. We do not blame our wall paper dealers for feeling sore and in remonstrating along this line, he says: "You should purchase your wall paper of our business men, who invest their capital in that line of goods and import a large assortment for the inspection of the public and guarantee to sell at prices in competition with the so-called wall paper canvassers, who do not invest one dollar in stock. Those who purchase from them know that when they purchase, and the orders are "short," delays are always sure to occur, and when the time comes for hanging the paper you must run around town and endeavor to match the paper or wait for days." These are facts and we hope none of our citizens are guilty of this injustice to our home dealers. We do not blame our wall paper dealers for feeling injured in this particular, but their grievance is only one of many. There are citizens in this town, as well as all other towns in this state, who would not sleep soundly at night did they not purchase their dress goods in Philadelphia, their groceries in some cheap clap-trap establishment and send their printing to some apple-butter printer in the "city." Our merchants would be surprised and feel deeply offended were the Press or Independent to allude to certain merchants who continually "bite" at all catch-bargain printing schemes launched in this place, to the detriment of the home papers, and they would be equally surprised were we to tell the public of so-called "would-be" "leading merchants," who never think of leaving one dollar in Emporium for printing their stationery, etc. It is certainly time our business men stopped and asked the question: "Are we doing our full duty by our home papers, upon whom we rely to further the interests of our town and county?" The life of every prosperous town depends, in a measure, upon the enterprise displayed by its papers.

## Hung Up.

The Emporium boys who left several days ago for Seattle are hung up at St. Paul, Minn., owing to high water. Harry Kaye writes to his brother, J. W. Kaye, at this place, under date of 15th inst., says:

DEAR BROTHER:—We are still hung up here at St. Paul; chances are we may get out to-night some time. We are having a good time here at St. Paul. I had no idea it would cost as much as it has. Our supplies are spoiled. Tell Ruben his chicken was very fine. Emmet has a whole ham in his bag, but if we do not soon leave, the ham will get up and crawl to Seattle. There are about 3,000 people here boarding on the railroad company.

Yours truly,  
HARRY.

## LOCAL NOTICES.

MEN'S, youths' and boys' summer clothing at N. Seger's.

WALL PAPER, paints and kalsomine at Taggart's drug store. 6-tf

HOUSE CLEANING—Get your wall paper, kalsomine and paints at Taggart's drug store. 6-tf

TAGGART'S large stock of wall paper must sell. Why? Because it is up to date and prices are very low. 6-tf

At Taggart's drug store you will find the best stock of wall paper and best prices in town. 6-tf

LADIES! clean your kid gloves with Miller's Glove, for sale only by Balcom & Lloyd, headquarters for kid gloves and the famous Dartmouth gloves, all the latest shades. 5-ly

The Y. P. S. C. E., of the Baptist church will serve a chicken and waffle supper, Thursday, April 20th. A liberal share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited. Supper 25 cents.

DR. BULL'S Cough Syrup has cured whooping-cough when no other treatment would give relief. For croup this remarkable remedy has no equal. It conquers croup at once.

You can observe almost any time in the day, some one leaving Taggart's drug store, with a large bundle of wall paper. Taggart's prices are way down and his assortment complete.

The aroma of Royal Java and Mocha Coffee is so delicious that you can hardly wait until it is served. There's none better in Emporium, if as good.—35c per pound; three pounds, \$1.00. DAY'S.

GRAPE NUTS, a delightfully delicious food, ready to serve—15c package.—Schumacher's Patent Flour, guaranteed to please. Money back at once, if not so; \$1.25 per sack, \$1.75 bbl. This opportunity may not last long. DAY'S.

We have just received a new invoice of men's fine, summer underwear, 3,000 suits—two suits for every man in Emporium. These goods must be sold to make room for other goods and we will close them out at a very small margin. N. SEGER.

STENOGRAPHER.—The undersigned begs to notify persons requiring the services of a stenographer and typewriter, or either, that she is prepared to do work promptly and satisfactory upon reasonable terms. Application made at the office of Johnson & McFarney will receive attention. ADDIE GARRITY.

## BRIEF MENTION.

Gov. Stone has signed the bill authorizing the construction of side paths along highways for bicycles and pedestrians.

"Speckled Beauties" are eagerly sought after by our fishermen. E. L. Spence brought in the finest catch, last Saturday and mine host Warner gave his guests a feast.

The Cumberland Valley Railroad Company has taken a stand against expectation in its cars. The company means to stop the spitting on the floors of cars operated over that road. Signs have been put up and it is gratifying to notice that they are doing some good.

The prosecution of Senator Quay will fizzle out now that the legislature has adjourned. Pennsylvania will be left with only one Senator and the responsibility lies with those Republicans who deserted the party's unanimous choice for Senator. They have made their bed—let them lie in it.

An exchange gets off the following: An Irishman was tossed over the fence by a bull. Recovering from his fall he saw the bull pawing and tearing up the ground, whereupon Pat, smiling at him said: "If it was not for your bowing and scraping and your humble apologies, you brute, faith I should think you threw me over the fence on purpose."

This is splendid advice from an exchange: "Don't buy ahead of your pay day, so that when it comes your wages will all go in a single day to pay for what you have already had. If you have gotten into this old rut, get out of it. Do without the necessities of life if need be until your salary is yours on pay day, then buy for cash. Lay aside a little each month for rainy days—they come in the lifetime of every man."

## Quilting Party.

The W. R. C. will give a quilting party at the residence of Mrs. Hitchcock Thursday afternoon, April 27th, to which their friends are cordially invited. Supper will be served at the usual price of 15 cents.

## Lloyd's Long Range Forecast of the Weather.

FRIDAY, Southerly wind; warmer; showers, possibly with thunder storms.

SATURDAY, Probably rain in the morning; clearing in afternoon or night; westerly winds; cooler.

SUNDAY, Fair weather.

## AUCTION.

"Auction prices. An advertiser who was asked what this term meant, replied, with praiseworthy candor, "An auction price is the highest price the purchaser can be induced to pay." We have no auction prices, we quote absolutely the lowest prices to every one. By this we mean that every one of the hundreds of articles in our departments of stationery, wall papers, bicycles, fishing tackle, kodaks, toys and musical instruments. We name a price lower than the same on similar qualities could be bought anywhere else. Values that are values; not because we say so, but because they are so, in every sense of the word. This is no idle talk—it's a fact. And in consequence this store is doing the largest business it ever did, which results in more people than ever before are saving money and getting satisfaction.

Fourth Street.

H. S. LLOYD.