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Special trains will leave Emporium at 8:00 a. m. Fare, \$1.00. Trains will arrive at Portage Falls Park 11:30 a. m. Returning, leave 5:15 p. m., giving nearly six hours to visit the Falls and their delightful surroundings. A band of music will accompany each excursion and give a free concert at the Park during the afternoon. 18-9t

Reduced Rates to Philadelphia via Pennsylvania Railroad.
On account of the Prohibition State Convention, to be held at Philadelphia, July 21, 1899, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged to sell to all persons applying excursion tickets from stations on its line in the State of Pennsylvania, to Philadelphia, at rate of single fare for the round trip (minimum rate 50 cents).
Tickets will be sold on July 20 only, and will be good to return until July 23, inclusive. 1346-20-2t

Reduced Rates to Indianapolis via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Epworth League International Convention.
On account of the Epworth League International Convention, to be held at Indianapolis, Ind., July 20 to 23, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from points on its line, to Indianapolis, at rate of single fare for the round trip.
Tickets will be sold on July 18 and 19, and will be good to return until July 24, inclusive, except that by depositing ticket with the Joint Agent at Indianapolis before July 24, and the payment of fifty cents, the return limit may be extended to leave Indianapolis not later than August 20, 1899.
For specific rates and conditions apply to Ticket Agents. 1339-20-2t

SUMMER TOURS TO THE NORTH.

Two Tours to Canada via Pennsylvania Railroad.
For the summer of 1899 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged to run two personally conducted tours to Canada and Northern New York.
The first tour, leaving July 22, includes Niagara Falls, Toronto, Thousand Islands, Rapids of the St. Lawrence, Quebec, Lake St. John, The Saguenay, Montreal, Au Sable Chasm, Lakes Champlain and George, Saratoga, and Highland's of the Hudson, occupying seventeen days. Round-trip rate, \$125.
The second tour, leaving August 12, covers the same territory with the exception of Lake St. John and the Saguenay, and occupies fourteen days. Round-trip rate, \$100.
Each tour will be in charge of one of the company's tourist agents, assisted by an experienced lady as chaperon, whose special charge will be unscrupulous ladies.
The rate covers railway and boat fare for the entire round trip, parlor car seats, meals en route, hotel entertainment, transfer charges, and carriage hire.
For detailed itinerary, tickets or any additional information, address Tourist Agent, Pennsylvania Railroad Company, 1196 Broadway, New York; 800 Fulton street, Brooklyn; 789 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.; or Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia. 1338-20-2t

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White of egg beaten up in coffee acts as cream.
Is your liver tired? Does it fail to do its duty? If so, don't neglect its call for help. A few doses of **Herbine** may save you a spell of sickness.—**Herbine** is the only perfect liver medicine. It cures chills and fever. Price 50 cts. L. Taggart, July
Castor oil rubbed into shoe leather renders it soft.
White's Cream Vermifuge not only effectually expels worms, but is unequalled as a tonic, and is a certain and permanent cure for chills and fever in children. Price 25 cts. L. Taggart, July
All we need is a few more islands to make the firecracker roar continuously round the planet.
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Tammany seems to have made more errors than runs in selecting her 4th of July orators.
Scarlet Fever.
W. H. Philpot, Canton, O., writes: "Eight cases of sore throat with Scarlet fever in our family have been treated successfully with Armstrong's Diphtheria and Quinsy Drops." 6ly
The green corn season is all before us.

Additional Local News.

Borough Council.
Regular meeting Borough Council, Emporium, July 3, 1899.
Present—Messrs. Catlin, Shafer, Strayer, Schweikart. No quorum.
Adjourned meeting Borough Council, Emporium, July 10, 1899.
Present—Catlin, Shafer, Strayer, Schweikart, Warner, Palmer, Burns, Burke and Lloyd.
Minutes of last regular and special meetings read and approved. Veto message of Burgess read which vetoed the resolution of June 5th, levying a Borough tax of three mills.
Moved by Mr. Lloyd, seconded by Mr. Burns, that the resolution of June 5th, 1899, levying a Borough tax of three mills be passed, notwithstanding the veto of the Burgess. The ayes and nays were called as follows: Aye—Messrs. Warner, Burke.—2 Nay—Messrs. Catlin, Shafer, Strayer, Schweikart, Burns, Palmer, Lloyd.—7. The veto was declared sustained.
Moved by Mr. Palmer, seconded by Mr. Lloyd, that we levy a five mill tax for Borough purposes. The ayes and nays were called as follows: Aye—Messrs. Strayer, Palmer, Lloyd.—3. Nay—Catlin, Shafer, Schweikart, Warner, Burns, Burke.—6. Motion declared lost.
Moved by Mr. Catlin, seconded by Mr. Burns, that we levy a Borough tax of four mills. The ayes and nays were called as follows: Aye—Catlin, Strayer, Warner, Burns.—4. Nay—Shafer, Palmer, Burke, Schweikart, Lloyd.—5. Motion declared lost.
Moved by Mr. Lloyd, seconded by Mr. Palmer, that the foregoing motion to levy a Borough tax of four mills be reconsidered. The ayes and nays were called as follows: Aye—Messrs. Strayer, Catlin, Burns, Lloyd, Palmer, Warner.—6. Nay—Messrs. Shafer, Schweikart, Shafer.—3. Motion carried.
Moved by Mr. Lloyd, seconded by Mr. Palmer, that we levy a four mill Borough tax. The ayes and nays were called as follows: Aye—Strayer, Catlin, Burns, Lloyd, Palmer, Warner.—6. Nay—Burke Schweikart, Shafer.—3. Motion declared carried.
Committee appointed to investigate streets was discharged.
On motion the following bills were ordered paid:
S. S. Hacket, lumber \$3 77
C. R. Howard & Co., lumber 23 25
St. Marys Gas Co., gas to Aug. 1, 1899 35 00
Emporium Machine Co., invoice 1 35
Emporium Water Co., July 1, 1899 560 60
Thos. Smith, work on streets 3 69
John Welsh, work on streets 11 25
John Blyler, work on streets 50
Chas. Fry, work on streets 12 25
J. A. Fisher, blacksmithing 17 50
Walker, Howard & Co., invoice 1 29
Haupt & Hauber, invoice 2 85
D. C. Hayes, unloading sewer pipe 3 69
Borough Auditors, for services 32 09
P. P. Pentz, car load sewer pipe 110 65
Report of the Borough Treasurer read and ordered placed on file.
Moved by Mr. Shafer, seconded by Mr. Burke, that a committee be appointed to investigate the condition of Fifth street, as to width, etc., and report with recommendations and authority to procure legal advice from Borough Attorney. Carried.
The Chair appointed Messrs. Shafer, Lloyd and Palmer, with W. H. Howard, Chief Burgess.
Moved by Mr. Shafer, seconded by Mr. Burke, that if the Borough Attorney advise the secretary that the same is legal, then a dog tax of \$2 on male dogs and \$1 on female dogs be levied. Carried.
The report of the Borough Auditors was read and it was moved by Mr. Shafer, seconded by Mr. Burns, that the same be accepted and placed on file. Carried.
Moved by Mr. Shafer, seconded by Mr. Schweikart, that S. S. Hacket, contractor, be released from contract to build a bridge at Grist Mill, provided that he release Borough from same. Carried.
Moved by Mr. Shafer, seconded by Mr. Palmer, that the committee already appointed, consisting of Messrs. Schweikart, Burns and Warner, with the Burgess and Street Commissioner be authorized to repair or rebuild this bridge as in their judgment seems best. Carried.
Moved by Mr. Shafer, seconded by Mr. Schweikart, that the Chair appoint the following standing committees: 1—Committee on crossings; 2—Committee on sidewalks; 3—Committee on streets and grades. Carried and following appointments made:
On Crossings—Messrs. Burns, Burke and Palmer.
On Sidewalks—Messrs. Catlin, Warner and Schweikart.
On Streets and Grades—Messrs. Lloyd, Shafer, Strayer.
On motion the council then adjourned.
C. J. GOODNOUGH, Sec'y.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Of the Poormasters' Accounts of Emporium Borough for the Year 1898-99.

FRED C. REICK, Poormaster, in account with Emporium Borough Poor Fund.
RECEIPTS.
Cash on hand last audit \$162 07
Received from C. H. Jessop, Collector 572 47
Received from County Treasurer, account land sales 2 37
Received from Octave Willett 15 60
Total \$751 91
EXPENDITURES.
Relief account Mary Ellen Mundy \$132 85
Relief account Mrs. Stackpole 104 51
Relief account George Harrison 85 65
Relief account Emeline Willett 68 00
Relief account James Stackpole 68 00
Relief account John Edinger 24 63
Relief account Wm Lamkie 3 20
Relief account Hitchcock and McDonald 43 93
Relief account Frank Hall 2 60
Relief P. N. Shadler 26 10
Relief Tramps 17 13
Printing audit Mar. 1, '98 and order books 24 90
Stamps, telegrams, books, etc. 5 08
Total \$695 07
Balance in hands of F. C. Reick 146 84
Total \$841 91

S. S. HACKET, Poormaster, in account with Emporium Borough Poor Fund.
RECEIPTS.
Received from C. H. Jessop, Collector \$235 06
Received from C. H. Jessop, Collector 20 00
Received from David Murry, late poormaster 52 47
Total \$307 53
EXPENDITURES.
Paid B. W. Green, services 58 80
Paid relief account Hitchcock 70 00
Paid relief A. McDonald 66 25
Paid making duplicate 5 00
Paid printing last audit 29 00
Paid relief tramps 5 65
Total \$224 70
Balance in hands of S. S. Hacket \$171 83

Recapitulation of Poormasters' Accounts.

ASSETS.
Balance due from D. Murry, late Poormaster 16 62
Balance due from F. C. Reick, late Poormaster 85 65
Cash in hands of S. S. Hacket, Poormaster 171 83
Balance due from C. H. Jessop, 1898 395 53
Total \$670 63
LIABILITIES.
Outstanding orders, Reick, Nos. 11, 23, 29, 30, 31, 34, 35, 36, 37 49 65
Outstanding orders, Hacket, Nos. 5 and 6 226 90
Outstanding orders, Reed Nos. 3, 4, 5, 43 63
Total \$780 18
Assets over Liabilities \$841 91

We the undersigned Auditors of the Borough of Emporium do hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of F. C. Reick and S. S. Hacket, Overseers of the Poor in account with the Poor Fund of Emporium Borough and that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the same. Witness our hands this 1st day of July, 1899.
C. J. GOODNOUGH,
JOSIAH HOWARD,
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it doesn't look as if Tammany would have much to say in the next administration.
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12—Whites, Too Profuse Periods. 25
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