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NEW STORE. FRESH GOODS.

CRAMER'S
Popular Variety Store

We thank the public for the very generous patronage bestowed upon us since we purchased this establishment. We have just added a very fine line of

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Bargains in Every Department.

Ladies Waists, Skirts, Wrappers and Suits at Special hot weather bargains.

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Tinware, Glassware,
Silverware, Dishes, by sets,
One hundred piece
Dinner and Tea Sets,
Crochery,
Lamps, Lanterns,
Clocks,
Table Oil-Cloth,
Clothes Wringers,
Window Shades, Wall Paper,
Sewing Machines,
We are closing out Men's Clothing at cost.

D. F. CRAMER,
Emporium, Pa.



SUMMER STYLES.

Of parasols in a bright array of colors, materials and patterns and a pleasing variety of handles fill up our arsenal of defiance to sunshine. Every succeeding year adds to the charm of these rich and beautiful creations, which realize artistic effects hitherto unattempted but always in perfect harmony with the costume.

LADIES WAISTS.

A few words tell the tale of a great many waists. We profited by hints from you during May, June and July, and bought only of the styles in demand. So while the assortments show the inroads made by the greatest seasons selling we have ever known, the styles are pretty and the patterns are the sorts asked for. Our stock offered at prices lower than ever before is clean and attractive, there is no collection of unsalable stuff here, hanging like a millstone on the few desirable survivors.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

We make it a point to have full stock and the newest effects for summer wear, and our showing of Ladies Muslin Underwear was never so complete as during this season. What the stock contains makes it a harvest of rare opportunities.

M. C. TULIS.

LOCAL NOTICES.

LACES, a fine, new line just received from one of the largest importing houses in America.

MRS. E. O. BARDWELL.

BAKED Clam and Green Corn Dance at Sizerville Grove, Friday evening, Aug. 25th.

CHAS. LUDWIG.

SUMMER HOSE for children for sale at reduced prices for a few days only.

MRS. E. O. BARDWELL.

OWING to an unusually successful business year N. Seger will give you the benefit of it in rare bargains for the next fifteen days.

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

FOR the next fifteen days N. Seger will close out his entire stock of summer goods to make room for an exceptionally large and brilliant stock of fall and winter goods.

WOOD CHOPPERS WANTED.—The undersigned will pay one dollar per cord for cutting four foot wood. 25,000 cords to be cut this season. Apply to C. W. Freeman, Kushequa, Pa., foreman for Elisha K. Kane. 24-3t

THE Westport Bicycle Track Association will hold a grand race meet on Saturday, August 26th. Races to be run under sanction of L. A. W. All persons desiring to enter may obtain entry blanks from

JAMES F. O'BRIEN,
Westport, Pa.

THE Hamilton Hose Co., No. 3, will hold an ice cream festival Wednesday evening, Aug. 30th, on the lawn of Mr. Josiah Howard, West Fourth Street. Proceeds to go towards the expense of fitting up their rooms. Public are cordially invited to attend.

Royal Java and Mocha, the Best Coffee! Do you drink it? We guarantee it to be a Royal Blend of the choicest Upland Java and selected Arabian Mocha and to be from the best coffee the world produces. 35c. per lb., 3 lbs. \$1. Ask for sample. DAY'S.

A SEVEN SOCIAL.—The Epworth League will give a "Seven Social" in M. E. church parlors at 7:30 o'clock, Friday evening the 25th inst. An entertainment of seven selections will be nicely rendered. Seven young ladies will serve refreshments of seven kinds of luxury; and seven other things that will make you seven times happy, all for seven cents admission.

SUPPER, SOCIAL AND MUSIC.—The ladies of Band No. 1, of Interest Paying Society of the M. E. Church, will serve supper at the home of Mrs. Frank Strayer, Saturday evening, Aug. 26th, from half past five until all are served. We extend a cordial invitation to all. Supper, fifteen cents.

MENU
Ham, Escaloped Potatoes, Light Biscuit, Bread and Butter, Apple Sauce, Pickles, Cake, Tea, Coffee, Ice Cream.

Resolutions of Respect.
At a regular meeting of the Ladies of the Golden Eagle the following resolutions were adopted upon the death of Sarah E. Pepper:

WHEREAS, The Supreme Ruler of Divine Providence has removed, by death, from our midst, our beloved sister Sarah E. Pepper, therefore be it
Resolved, That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved husband, relatives and friends and that our charter be draped for thirty days in memory of our departed sister and a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the husband.
We loved her, yes we loved her,
But angels loved her more;
And they have sweetly called her
To yonder shining shore.
The golden gates were opened,
A gentle voice said "Come!"
And with farewells unspoken
She calmly entered home.
MRS. MARY E. NANGLE,
MRS. SOPHIA SPRUNG,
MRS. ANNIE WEEKS,
Committee.

Republican Convention.

The Republicans of Cameron county met in convention on Tuesday for the purpose of electing a delegate to the State Convention. The Convention was called to order by C. F. Barclay, chairman of the county committee. The following delegates were returned as elected. Every district in the county was represented, except Driftwood and Gibson, their districts failing to elect in time, under the new rules:

Shippen—W. L. Thomas, E. W. Gaskill, John W. Lewis, Sam'l Lewis, Geo. Van Wert, J. D. Swope, F. B. Honsler.
West Ward—Thad F. More, Geo. J. LaBar, H. Mullin, C. H. Hesson, S. J. Kline.
Middle Ward—F. P. Rentz, M. M. Larrabee, H. S. Lloyd, E. O. Bardwell.
East Ward—E. C. Davison, C. C. Fay, Fritz Seger.
Portage—N. R. Covel, John Wygant.
Lumber—Frank Barnett, G. W. Gentry, G. B. Shearer.
Grove—John A. Wykoff, Frank Buck, M. Blodget.

On motion of H. H. Mullin, Mr. E. C. Davison was elected President and M. Blodget and G. W. Gentry, Secretaries.

After roll call of delegates it was ordered that the Grove delegation be admitted to seats in the convention, without the right to vote—they not having been elected in accordance with the rules.

On motion of Fritz Seger, the Chair appointed a committee of three on Resolutions, consisting of H. H. Mullin, B. L. Spence and John Wygant.

On motion of M. Blodget, of Grove, Mr. A. C. Blum, was placed in nomination for delegate to the State Convention. The roll being called Mr. Blum received the vote of every delegate present and was declared the unanimous choice of the convention.

H. S. Lloyd offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted and laid on the table for final action at the next convention:

Upon the recommendation of the Republican County Committee of Cameron county I move that the following change be made in the Rules of the Republican Party of the County of Cameron, adopted March 22d, 1898: Strike out of part of section 8, page 5, commencing with "Provided further, that the County Convention held for the election, etc." and ending with "of the date of the fall elections."

H. S. LLOYD.
The committee on Resolutions reported the following, which were unanimously adopted:

THE PLATFORM.
The Republicans of Cameron county ratify and reaffirm the principles and policy of the Republican party as declared at St. Louis, and heartily endorse the wise and statesmanlike administration of President McKinley. He has the support of every true and loyal American, and we express our approval by pledging our support for the re-nomination of our honored President; and further, be it
Resolved, That the magnificent achievements of our Army and Navy, on land and sea, in the war with Spain and the liberation of the downtrodden and oppressed, accomplished under the masterly guidance of President McKinley's administration, are subjects for the greatest congratulation by a convention of Cameron county Republicans.

Resolved, That our armies in the Philippines, who have suffered that the flag and honor of the Nation shall not be disgraced, have our loyal support, and the Republican party, always the friend of the defenders of the old flag, will see that their valor shall be remembered by this Nation. The Cameron county volunteers who have enlisted for the suppression of the insurgents we shall proudly remember.

Resolved, That we heartily commend the wise, economic and patriotic policy of our present Executive, Governor Wm. A. Stone, and bespeak for his Administration, which has the confidence of the people of the State, a condition of prosperity and advancement that has never been excelled during the term of office of any Governor of this Commonwealth.

Resolved, That we cordially commend our Senators and Congressmen, for their support to the policy of President McKinley and for their loyalty to the principles of Republicanism.

Resolved, That we counsel harmony in the ranks of the Republican party and call on all loyal Republicans to lay aside their personal grievances and cement as solid as a rock all ranks.
H. H. MULLIN,
B. L. SPENCE,
JOHN WYGANT,
Committee on Resolution.

There being no further business before the convention a motion to adjourn was entertained by the Chair and carried.

Severely Scalded at the Furnace.
Walter Peters, of Lebanon, employed as brick mason at the furnace, was severely scalded about the back, by one of the tweers in the cupulo blowing out, the whole mass of scalding water and condensed steam striking Mr. Peters full in the back, just as he was turning away to quit work, about five o'clock Saturday evening. He ran quickly to the drug store of Mrs. M. A. Rockwell, who extracted the fire from his burns, and he departed on Erie mail for his home in Lebanon, the same night.

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Letter From Paris.

Frank Gallagher who is pleasantly remembered by many of our readers as the brother of Miss Mazie Gallagher, is visiting his uncle in Paris, and writes from there, under the date of Aug. 8th, as follows. Frank's many Emporium friends will be pleased to read his interesting letter:

Nice, Aug. 8, 1899.
DEAR UNCLE TOM—No doubt you expected to hear from me sooner, but I have not had a minute to spare. We are doing everything on the American plan, that is, on the hurry plan. I have now seen London and Paris. Both are very fine cities and both England and France are very fine countries, but they need a few of the Pennsylvania R. R., officials to show them how to run their railroads.

We spent four days in London and saw everything worth seeing. The railroad system is abominable in the above named city. They have fine engines and that's about all. The cars are of the first, second and third class. The first-class cars carry the British nobility and American fools who know no better. The second carries the middle class and the third carries the working class. In the baggage department they have no check system, as in America. If you are going a distance you have to be at the station a pretty long while, then you have a slip pasted on your bag or trunk, giving the name of your destination. For this you must pay a quarter. At the end of the journey you must again be on the jump and pay a porter to help you look for your baggage. During all this you are mentally saying cuss words against the whole system.

Notwithstanding all this, I say again, England is a fine country, and the English fine people. The climate is neither too hot nor too cold. During the day it may be rather warm, but not uncomfortably so and towards night it becomes quite cool.

After quite a nice stay in London we crossed the English channel from New Haven for France. Our first stopping place in this latter country was Paris. This great city was quite a change from London; in manners, language and everything else. The pictures of the greatest painters in the world were here. We made a week's stop in Philadelphia.

There was five hours difference in the time between Paris and New York and I found it very hard to get to sleep at my regular time and to get up before eleven in the morning. The eating is perfect in France, the people do nothing but eat and drink.

I suppose you have heard a great deal of the auto-mobiles of Paris. The fact is they have very few running by electricity. There are any number of small ones—tricycle shaped—operated by gasoline. They are very heavy, clumsy looking and make more noise than a locomotive by their puffing. They go through Paris at about fifteen miles an hour and the smell of gasoline coming from would knock you down.

We saw everything in Paris and uncle met a great many people that he knew. Sunday night we started for Nice and I must say we had a fine car and big, speedy locomotive. None of the locomotives either here or in England have bells. When they start they give that shrill whistle that the American engines used to have. I think it must be nearly 900 miles from Paris to Nice and on the way we stopped at Avignon and Marseilles. We arrived in Nice this morning. The scenery down here is beautiful. I am told it is like that of Florida and California. Fig, olive, palm and divers other tropical trees abound. The people just seem to swim in olive oil. It is too hot to be comfortable, but we leave in a day or two for Italy, by boat.

I must be closing now, as they serve all the diners in courses and I would not miss a course for the world. It takes a couple hours to eat. Give my love to all.
Your affectionate nephew,
FRANK.

Pleasant Social Hockley.
Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Hockley entertained a small party of friends Monday evening. Duplicate whist and a good time, of course.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Green gave a large duplicate whist party to their young friends, at their cosy home on Sixth street, last Thursday evening.

Mrs. J. G. Bryan and daughter, Miss Nina, entertained a large party of friends Tuesday evening at duplicate whist. It was a very pleasant occasion.

About twelve couple of our young people assembled at the rink on Monday evening, where they held a very pleasant party, and thoroughly enjoyed dancing to the sweet strains of the traveling Italian musicians. During a lull in the dancing the musicians rendered a selection that elicited the hearty applause of "the revelers."

Notice.
The Borough schools will not open until Monday, Sept. 4th, 1899.
JNO. D. LOGAN, Sec.

Shall We Strangle It?

Emporium is now in a transition state, neither worm nor butterfly; and it is a matter of some speculation whether this place has not seen its happiest days.

One of the greatest checks to prosperity in a provincial town in the insane desire to ape metropolitan airs. A village, no more than an individual, can afford to be over-extravagant; and in either case bankruptcy is the certain result.

The borough bond alluded to in "Why not Pave Fourth Street?" is the round little sum of ten thousand, seven hundred dollars. Add to this the eighteen or twenty thousand dollars proposed for the paving of Fourth street; and you have no small amount on which the present taxpayer must pay the interest, besides paying his usual county and state tax.

Moreover a pavement is no cleaner, no more sanitary, and no more exempt from dust than the ordinary highway, except it is swept daily; and to sweep a street as long as Fourth daily would entail an expenditure likely to make the taxpayer howl, and every Elysian field to bear the pretentious motto, "This lot for sale."

Will it be, as in the too recent past, in vain?

Let us get out of the woods, neighbors, before exercising the rooster's voice. As for laying the dust, did it never occur to the zealous advocates of pavement that a sprinkling cart would be an effective instrument? And in many larger towns than ours the Hose Companies take the matter in hand, in order to increase their funds, and exercise their horses.

Why not experiment in some such simple way before running the risk of being obliged to put our Judges in jail, as security, as happened to a bonded Indiana town. Any way the equinoctial storm is now at hand, when, presto, the dust will be laid without any intervention of job contractors.

E. M. N.

Our Firemen at Bradford.

Our firemen who attended the convention at Bradford returned home well pleased with their reception. The delegates made an effort to secure the convention for 1900 but were unable to reach the coveted prize. Delegate A. C. Blum, as well as all our boys, made a determined fight in behalf of Emporium but came out third in the contest. The Bradford Herald, in speaking of the convention, says:

"Emporium's cause was in able hands. Mr. A. C. Blum painted a pretty picture of the good times the boys could have if they went to that busy little town next year. The sum of \$1600 had been pledged in two hours to entertain the firemen if they would honor Emporium by their presence and the people were unanimous in welcoming the laddies. A vote was taken and Kane won the convention, receiving 57 votes, 31 for North East and 20 for Emporium. When the vote was announced Messrs. Collins and Blum thanked the delegates for their votes and the vote was made an unanimous one for Kane, as the convention city in 1900."

While Emporium would have made every effort to entertain the visiting firemen next year, we very much fear it would be a big take. We hope Kane may be equal to the emergency, but they have no small task before them. Let every town along the line render all the aid necessary to make the convention a success.

From Driftwood Gazette.
Miss Mary Carey is visiting friends in Emporium.

Miss Nellie Huntley was the guest of Miss Mary Davison, at Emporium, a couple of days last week.

Mrs. Alma Mix, of Mix Run, was reported dangerously ill on Sunday and immediate relatives were summoned to her bedside. She rallied however, and is considerably better at the present writing.

New Saw Mill.
Mr. W. L. Sykes is in town superintending the operations on the building for the new hardwood saw mill. The new industry will be located on a suitable lot above the railroad shops.—Galeton Dispatch.

BRIEF MENTING.

The band is attending I. O. O. F. picnic at Port Alleganey to-day.

The continued drought in this section has about dried up all the streams. Water has never been so low in sixteen years.

That "Bird Book" is giving some of the legislators of 1897 a heap of trouble. They have about fifty to distribute and every other man wants one. Somebody is going to be disappointed.

The refreshing rain on Monday was as welcome as the first rose of summer. It was the first to visit this section in weeks and was a God-send, the springs having almost dried up, lawns having burned to a crisp and the water in the city lines foul enough to kill even a skunk.

Mrs. J. C. Davis, proprietor of the Hotel Davis, is Mrs. Davis no more. Last Wednesday, at Niagara Falls, she was married to J. M. Cotter, of Eldred, Pa. Mrs. Davis was probably one of the best known and most popular hotel keepers in Potter county.—Austin Republican.

Sinnemahoning has a public library with a start of 300 volumes, the choicest work of the best authors. Cleveland Dodge, of the firm of Phelps & Dodge, well known timber owners in that section, started the subscription and it will be called the Dodge library. A kindling-wood factory is to be built at the same place, which will operate sixty packers—Potter Journal.

Emporium has a liar's club. The Miner has no direct knowledge as to whether editor Mullin is a member or not. If not he ought to be as he can tell a story in a manner that would cause Bill Nye to have a twinge of jealousy.—Smethport Miner.

We regret to inform Col. Olson and other shining lights that we have thus far been unable even to get into the club's cellar. At the last meeting of the club a desperate effort was made to extend the limit of the charter to include Smethport. The chair ruled the motion out of order, stating it was one of our tricks "to get Bert Olson, Jas. McKean, Frank Wright and Geo. Mitchell, of Smethport, into the club, and then close the charter. The reputation of this club would then be at stake and we might be forced to take in even Sam Lindsley and Mullin, to hold them down." We are afraid your reference to the club will keep us out, made just at the time we fondly hoped to add you loving and amiable lights of truth.

A G. A. R. Souvenir.

The big G. A. R. encampment at Philadelphia begins September 4. Next Sunday's "Philadelphia Press" (Aug. 27) will be a souvenir edition, dedicated to the heroes of the Grand Army. It will be filled with valuable information for those who attend the festivities and interesting matter appropriate to this great event in Grand Army circles. Artists and photographers will aid the most skilled writers in making this edition the finest ever published. Be sure to get next Sunday's "Press."

Are you looking for an old comrade, who you believe will be here at the encampment? Some old friend perhaps in a regiment whom you have not seen for years? If so, "The Daily Press" will help you find him and will print free of charge, all personal requests of old soldiers who will take part in the encampment and who wish to learn the whereabouts of old comrades. Write to "The Press" and give names, regiment and other details, and address simply "The Press," Philadelphia.

Special Train to Philadelphia via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account G. A. R. Encampment.

For the accommodation of persons desiring to attend the Thirty-third Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held at Philadelphia, September 4 to 9, inclusive, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company (Philadelphia and Erie Railroad) will run a special train to Philadelphia, September 4, on the following schedule:—

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| Lv. Erie | 8:10 a. m. |
| " Waterford | 8:42 " |
| " Union City | 9:15 " |
| " Corry | 9:35 " |
| " Garland | 9:38 " |
| " Youngville | 9:49 " |
| " Irvineton | 9:55 " |
| " Warren | 10:07 " |
| " Clarendon | 10:21 " |
| " Sheffield | 10:31 " |
| " Ludlow | 10:43 " |
| " Kane | 11:05 " |
| " Wilcox | 11:20 " |
| " Johnsonburg | 11:32 " |
| " Ridgway | 11:49 " |
| " St. Marys | 12:40 " |
| " Emporium | 12:05 p. m. |
| Ar. Emporium Junction (Dinner) | 12:41 " |
| Lv. Emporium Junction | 1:05 " |
| " Driftwood | 1:37 " |
| " Renovo | 2:30 " |
| Ar. Philadelphia | 9:17 " |

Excursion tickets good to return until September 12 (or until September 30 if deposited with Joint Agent at Philadelphia on or before September 9, and the payment of fifty cents made), will be sold at a rate of a single fare for the round trip.
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EASTMAN'S KODAK
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SATURDAY, Fair.
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