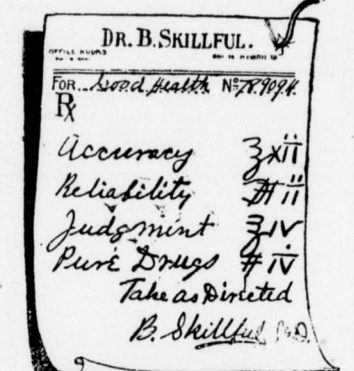


EMPORIUM MILLING COMPANY.

PRICE LIST. Emporium, Pa., Nov. 21, 1899. NEMOPHILA, per sack, \$1.10. Graham, 85. 43ye, 85. Buckwheat, 75. Patent Meal, 40. Coarse Meal, per 100, 95. Chop Feed, 1.10. White Middlings, 1.10. Bran, per bushel, 85. Corn, per bushel, 85. White Oats, per bushel, 40. Choice Clover Seed, 95. Choice Timothy Seed, 95. Choice Millet Seed, 95. Fancy Kentucky Blue Grass, 95. At Market Prices.

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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

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

It is now Mayor Bardwell. Philip Schweikart is visiting friends at Belmont, N. Y.

Ex-Sheriff Mundy and wife are both quite ill, we regret to learn. Mrs. H. C. Rockwell transacted business at Ridgway on Tuesday.

B. W. Green leaves for Florida next Sunday evening, to be absent about ten days.

Ralph Welsh left on Saturday for Buffalo, N. Y., where he has accepted a position.

Hon. R. B. Stone, of Bradford, was guest at Warner House over night Saturday last.

John Hemphill and Mrs. Harry Hemphill left this morning on a visit to Clearfield relatives.

F. B. Housler and A. O. Swartwood visited friends at Williamsport and Lock Haven last week.

Rev. I. Hodgkins, of Salamanca, N. Y., is assisting Rev. Readett in revival services at the Wesleyan church in Rich Valley.

E. H. Gregory is recovering from the effects of a "spilling out" sensation while returning home from his work, last Saturday.

Geo. Van Wert informs the PRESS he has sold his farm to Climax Powder Company and contemplates moving to Wayne county.

W. T. Seger and bride of Smethport, visited R. Seger and family on Friday last, while returning from their wedding tour.

Thos. Weaver, who for some time has been connected with Nelson's grocery, has moved to Emporium.—Austin Republican.

William Hackenberg and wife, of Gardeau, visited in Emporium on Monday and while in town made the PRESS office a social call.

Mrs. Geo. Jewell, of Machias, N. Y., wife of the editor of the Cattaraugus Star, is visiting in Emporium, guest of J. P. McNarney and wife.

O. B. Tanner and C. W. Williams, of Mason Hill, were in Emporium on Tuesday and paid their respects to the PRESS. They are successful lumbermen.

Thos. Gallagher has commenced his spring trapping campaign and this morning caught the first peskey animal. He intends presenting it to Commissioners' Clerk Hockley, hoping thereby to kill the effects of that cream (?) cheese he brought from Chas. Weller's and insists upon keeping in front of his ink stand.

Josiah Howard and party returned last Monday from their extended trip in Puerto Rica, Cuba and several southern states. Mr. Howard brought to Emporium a full-blooded Puerto Rica young man named Peter Van Brackle. The change of climate is too much for the lad and he is confined to bed, suffering with the grippe and is almost frozen to death, in spite of all the clothes and wraps he can get over him.

Religious Revival.

Frank J. Lewis, the Evangelist, closed the meeting at Elk Forks, Feb. 13th and commenced the battle for God at the school house at mouth of North Creek and the Lord is displaying wonderful power. Cold heated professors have been awakened and are closer to God. Sinners are coming to Jesus and yet the end is not near. Let all Christians pray for us that the Lord will do yet wonderful things for our people and that many more sinners may be saved. Frank is an earnest worker in the cause and the Master honors his labors. We understand he goes from this place to Potter county to enter new fields of labor. May the Lord bless his work. L. L. H. Elk Fork, March 7th, 1900.

The Liars Club.

ERROR PRESS:—The Sinnemahoning Liars Club met at the usual time and place, last Saturday evening, with Philip Mead in the chair. Alex. De Shetler was initiated after spinning one yarn. He passed without any further questions. He says some of the logs he saw were so crooked that they could not lay still in the water. Recently one took after an eel and chased it several times around the pond, overtaking it and crippling the eel so badly that John Cloutz picked up his eelship with his hands and carried it to the shore. Alf Smith said he was an eye witness to the race and knows it to be a fact. Hanscom held the floor for two hours and seventy minutes. He says he is afraid of Moses Minard and John Hogan and unless there is more proficiency the club will make an assignment. M. J. Logue present and reported Ike Bowen very penitent since his suspension from the club. He was reinstated with the understanding that he tell nothing larger than Cameron county, with sufficient proof from some member in good standing. Beldin is very quiet, but will thaw out when the weather gets more settled. Tom Snyder is proud of the club since election and could not be driven away from us. Lon Lord has joined on card endorsed by Dalrymple. Pap Blodget has not yet recovered from the turkey feast and is as dumpy as a bump on a log. That valentine may have something to do with it. The next meeting will take place at O. L. Bailey's to initiate W. H. Metzger.

An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Moore, aged five days, died at Straight, last Monday. The remains were brought to Rich Valley for interment.

The Republicans held their primary elections in Mercer, Armstrong, Bradford, Lancaster, Lawrence and Union counties last Saturday, resulting in a complete routing of the anti-Quayites. Many of the districts were considered ultra anti-Quay.

The Central M. E. Conference will meet at Hazleton, March 16th. The following have been elected delegates from this county to the Lay Ecumenical College: James Hobson, Fred Julian, Emporium; D. A. Fulton, Sinnemahoning; Mrs. L. W. Gleason, Medix Run.

Forty Hour Devotion.

During the first of the present week forty hour devotion services were observed at the St. Mark's Church at this place. The following priests assisted Father Downey: Rev. Fathers Meagher, Ridgway; O'Hern, Driftwood; Cogrove, Smethport; Mackin, Kersey; Becker, Port Allegany; Zubryeski, Adrian.

Rev. Father O'Hern preached a fine sermon, Monday evening, to a large and appreciative audience.

The forty hour devotion came to a close Tuesday morning. Rev. Father Becker sang High Mass, while the choir rendered Battman's Mass in G, in an exceptionally fine manner. After the services Tuesday morning, many of Father Meagher's old friends called at the Rectory to pay their regards and shake hands with their former respected pastor.

Pennsylvania and the Lake Trade.

The announcement that the Pennsylvania Railroad would soon construct a line from a point on the Philadelphia & Erie railroad to Buffalo, thus making a direct connection of its system with that important lake port, has been received with much interest in all parts of the country. For many years the Pennsylvania has maintained a close connection with Buffalo, both by the Western New York and Pennsylvania, which connects with the Philadelphia and Erie at Emporium and other points, and by steamer service on the lakes from Erie. The more direct connection which the Pennsylvania now proposes to make will not create any new railroad problems or unduly antagonize any of the lines which now have termini in Buffalo.

The construction of a road of its own by the Pennsylvania is in line with the policy of the company. Many years ago the Pennsylvania secured fine lake port facilities at Erie, in this State, and a very heavy traffic has been and will be handled there. The business done on the Great Lakes has outgrown any estimate or prediction of even a few years ago, and it has become necessary to adopt new means of taking care of it. The purchase of the Erie and Western Transportation Company, with its fine line of lake steamers and remarkably well-equipped terminal property at Buffalo and other points on the lakes, will afford an opportunity to the Pennsylvania to increase the lake tonnage of this line, to the advantage of both Buffalo and Erie, and will give the proposed Buffalo branch as good terminals as there are in that city, which species of property has for many years been very valuable. Aside from its importance as a lake port and the Eastern outlet for the products of the Northwest and the whole region of country north of the Ohio river and east of the Rocky Mountains, there has been a great increase in manufactures in and about Buffalo since the water power of Niagara Falls was made available for that purpose.

The traffic of the Great Lakes, which now exceeds by far that of any other inland body of water, will continue to grow vastly and its volume cannot now be estimated. The tonnage passing through the Salt Ste Marie canals last year exceeded 25,000,000 tons, of which 22,252,000 tons went through the American canal. Grain shipments alone amounted to 90,000,000 bushels and the iron ore and coal traffic approached 20,000,000 tons. Nearly \$300,000,000 of merchandise and products of the soil and mine found their way to a market through these canals during the season of 1899.—Philadelphia Press.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by L. Taggart, 731-22-ly.

That's the Kind.

The Kane Republican offers the following good advice: Boys, just hang on to the girl like grim death who helps her mother wash the dishes and do the family washing and is not ashamed to own it. She is the girl that will help you save money in after life and will make your home neat and happy. When you can support her ask her to marry you and if she refuses you ask her again.

WASHINGTON.

Special Low-Rate Excursion via Pennsylvania Railroad.

On March 15, 1900, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run a special excursion to Washington, from points on the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad, Erie to Lock Haven inclusive, for the benefit of all who may wish to visit the National Capitol. Round trip tickets, good going on all regular trains on day of issue, and good returning on any regular train within ten days, inclusive of going date, will be sold at rate of \$10 from Erie, St. Marys and intermediate points; \$8.95 from Driftwood; \$8.15 from Renovo; \$7.30 from Lock Haven; and proportionate rates from other points.

A through sleeping car will be run from Erie to Washington on train leaving Erie at 4:30 p. m.

Holders of special excursion tickets to Washington can purchase, at the ticket offices in Washington excursion tickets to Richmond, Old Point Comfort, Norfolk, Virginia Beach, Princess Anne Hotel, at special reduced rates.

For full information consult small handbills, apply to ticket agents, or address E. S. Harrar, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa. 1559-1-3

John Bull has been doing some fair military work, but he still can improve a great deal before he has a record like his brother Johnathan.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrotula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved—that Electric Bitter is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by L. Taggart, Druggist. Guaranteed.

They are all subdued but Pettigrew and a few of that sort.

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drugstore there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by L. Taggart, Druggist. mar

Raising wages has become so common over the country that even Col. Bryan is no longer embarrassed by having his attention called to occasional cases.

Notice.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Downs' Elixir if it does not cure any cough, cold, croup, whooping cough or throat trouble. We also guarantee Downs' Elixir to cure consumption, when used according to directions, or money back. A full dose on going to bed and small doses during the day will cure the most severe cold, and stop the most distressing cough. For sale by L. Taggart, and R. C. Dodson. 34-24.

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Positively guaranteed cure for Loss of Power, Varicocele, Undeveloped or Shrunken Organs, Farsis, Locomotor Ataxia, Nervous Prostration, Hysteria, Fits, Insanity, Paralysis and the Results of Excessive Use of Tobacco, Opium or Liquor. By mail in plain package, \$1.00 a box, 6 for \$5.00 with our bankable guarantee bond to cure in 30 days or refund money paid. Address NERVITA MEDICAL CO., Clinton & Jackson Sts., CHICAGO, ILL.

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Final Clearance Sale!

Frank Shives'

During the month of MARCH we shall dispose of our stock of DRY GOODS, SHOES AND NOTIONS.

We are not resorting to a fake sale, but a genuine closing out sale of this department. We shall retire from the sale of this line of goods, in order to devote the space to our rapidly increasing Grocery and Meat business. First come will get the pick.

HUNDREDS OF GREAT BARGAINS.

Ladies' and Children's Shoes less than cost. A \$3.00 Shoe for \$2.00; \$2.50 shoe for \$1.60. They must go.

Ladies' Corsets 25% below cost.

Ladies' and Children's Underwear very cheap.

Boys' Knee Pants, a nice line at cost.

Sheeting Muslin, Pillow Case Muslin, all to go at sacrifice prices, to close out the line.

Full line of Ladies and Children's Hosiery.

Thread, Buttons, Braid, Carpet Warp, etc., thrown in as bargains.

A few pieces of Dress Goods and a quantity of notions included in this sale.

We are almost giving away these goods, so determined are we to get them off our hands.

Call and see the bargains.

OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Remains, as ever, the best in the county and in order to keep with the demand shall continue to carry at all times only the purest and best, at the same time selling at prices fair to all.

PURE STALL FED MEATS

In addition to every variety of fresh and salt meats in our pioneer Meat Market, we have a great advantage over other dealers, that should count with thoughtful buyers. We are killing our own cattle, wintered and stall fed at our farm, thereby giving our customers only the purest and most wholesome meat. A word to the wise is sufficient.

SEEDS! SEEDS!

Farmers should remember that we continue to be the headquarters for Field, Grass and Garden Seeds. Leave your orders early.

We invite our Cameron county patrons to call and see us.

FRANK SHIVES

Special Reduced Prices FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. Everything from our stock as represented. Money back if not satisfactory. You run no risk. PURE CORN-STARCH. DAY'S PURE BAKING SODA. 6c per POUND. EMPORIUM'S PURE FOOD STORE. \$1.20 Sack F. S. FLOUR, \$1.20 Sack. Elite Brand choicest Columbia River Salmon, flat cans 20c, regular 25c; Columbia River Salmon, tall cans, 15c, regular 20c; Red Alaska Salmon, 12c can, regular 15c; Alaska Pink Salmon, 10c, regular 12c. GRANULATED SUGAR, 6c lb. Good Prunes, 7c lb, regular 8c; Choice Evaporated Apples in one pound Cartons, 11c lb., regular 12c; Buckwheat Flour, 25 lb. sacks, 70c, regular 75c. JA-MA-KA COFFEE, No-Rio Mocha Java Flavor, 18c lb., regular 20c. This coffee will please those who are looking for a thoroughly good coffee, but do not want to pay thirty or thirty-five cents per pound. PRATT'S FOOD, the greatest animal regulator, always in stock. Do you use it? Try our HOME-MADE SAUSAGE, Liver Pudding and Scrapple. Telephone 6, Fourth St. J. H. DAY.

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THE Emporium Furniture Company. Furniture has advanced about 35% during the past year. This is a fact! And yet we are offering the finest line of strictly up-to-date goods at prices never heard of in this county before. Nice new goods of the latest designs. Think of this when comparing present prices with former ones. This week we desire to call your especial attention to our new line of carpets, direct from the FACTORY. We buy from headquarters and so save you the jobbers profit. Selling from the roll or samples at prices to please you. Call and see our new stock, even if you were in last week. Call again as we are receiving goods almost daily that are positively and absolutely up-to-date. Parlor Suits from \$15.00 to \$50. Bed Room Suits, oak, from \$12.00 to \$50. Rockers from \$1.50 to \$2.0. Dining Tables from \$5.00 to \$25. Dining Chairs, each, \$1.00 to 3.00. Morris Chairs, \$6.50 to \$20. Couches from \$6.50 to \$30. Undertaking! Remember the place, next door to Odd Fellows Block. THE EMPORIUM FURNITURE COMPANY, BERNARD EGAN, Manager, EMPORIUM, PA.