

Cameron County Press.

ESTABLISHED BY C. B. GOULD. HENRY H. MULLIN, Editor and Manager.

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION: Per year, \$2 00. If paid in advance, \$1 50.

ADVERTISING RATES. Advertisements are published at the rate of one dollar per square for one insertion and fifty cents per square for each subsequent insertion.

Legal and Official Advertising per square, three times or less, \$2 00; each subsequent insertion 30 cents per square.

Local notices, five lines or less, ten cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

Business Cards, five lines or less, \$5.00 per year over five lines, at the regular rates of advertising. No local inserted for less than 75 cts. per issue.

JOB PRINTING. The Job department of the Press is complete, and affords facilities for doing the best class of work.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS. For President, WILLIAM MCKINLEY, of Ohio.

For Vice President, THEODORE ROOSEVELT, of New York.

For Auditor General, EDMUND B. HARDENBERGH, of Wayne.

Congress-at-Large, GALUSHA A. GROW, of Susquehanna.

ROBERT H. FOERDERER, of Philadelphia.

Congress, JOSEPH C. SIBLEY, of Venango.

COUNTY ORGANIZATION. B. W. GREEN, Esq., Chairman.

A. C. BLUM, Esq., Secretary.

EDITORIAL MENTION. The stop-the-prosperity party is not going to make much headway at the ballot-box.

Nevertheless and notwithstanding, Mr. Towne is going to attempt the leap from Sioux Falls to Kansas City without the aid of a spring-board or net.

If the people of the country are against expansion how is it that nobody can be found to run for President on an anti-expansion policy platform.

In declaring for the repeal of the Goebel law, the Hon. Joe Blackburn makes a vicious kick at the ladder which enabled him to secure a reelection to the United States Senate.

Southern voters should remember that more new factories have sprung up in the South since the Dingley tariff became a law than were ever erected in that section for years previously.

The American Bridge Company is one of the most recent trusts that has been formed. It already has a competitor in the Structural Iron and Steel Company, which has just been incorporated at Baltimore.

Perhaps Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, can enlighten the people as to the evil effects of trusts. He has for a long time been a member of the cotton bale trust.

Not all the Democrats who will attend the Kansas City convention will be ready to pledge themselves to favor the purchase of foreign built ships for the upbuilding of an American merchant marine, instead of declaring in favor of American built ships.

The value of every cow on the farm on the first day of this year was \$31.60. But on the first day of January, 1894, under Democratic administration, each cow was worth only \$21.77. Farmers appreciate the increase of \$10 in the value of each of their cows, and will vote to maintain the Republican administration in power.

While all the appropriations made during the last session of Congress were \$24,000,000 larger than in 1900, it should be remembered that nine millions will be expended in taking the census and upwards of seventeen millions will be used for improving the postal service, while another seven millions will be spent in increasing our Navy. In other directions there has been an actual decrease in appropriations.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, June 29, 1900.

President McKinley is gratified but not at all surprised at the commendation he is receiving from all quarters for his promptness in ordering troops to China to join with those of other civilized nations in protecting the persons and property of foreigners.

Neither this government nor any European government considers itself at war with China, but the Chinese government having failed to protect foreigners from the "boxers" the civilized governments are going to do it themselves.

Li Hung Chang has cabled to Secretary Hay, promising to restore peace and to see that all foreigners are protected, and the Chinese Minister to the U. S. has received a cablegram saying that all the foreign ministers at Peking are safe and well, but all that has not stopped any of the preparations for sending reinforcements to China from the Philippines just as quick as they can be gotten there.

The Chinese Minister insists that there can be no war between China and the civilized nations, and that his government has not sanctioned any of the fighting.

All that he says may be strictly true, but the fact remains that there has been fighting and that it is still going on, and that one side is made up of soldiers and marines belonging to the civilized nations, and the other side of Chinese.

The question of the responsibility of the Chinese government may be determined later, but the first and foremost duty of the civilized powers is to put a stop to the fighting by whipping the Chinese fighters into submission, and President McKinley intends that the U. S. shall do its full share of that duty.

Director Merriam, of the Census Bureau, has given the press a statement intended as an answer to thousands of letters asking for figures shown by the Census in various localities.

By showing the routine through which the returns from each enumerator's district must go, the impossibility of giving the information at this time was made apparent.

As fast as the official count is completed the totals will be bulletined at the census bureau, cities being taken first.

Notice has also been given that there will be no more examinations for appointment to clerical positions in the bureau, the eligible list already containing many more than will ever receive appointments.

The Treasury Department has issued a circular creating Porto Rico, a Customs Collection District, with San Juan as the port of entry, and Ponce, Mayaguez, Arecibo, Aguadilla, Humacao, Arroyo, and Fajardo as sub-ports, under the law enacted at the late session of Congress.

Secretary Gage, who has been ill for a couple of weeks has gone to the sea shore for a short rest by the order of his physicians.

There is nothing serious the matter with him, only a little run down.

Secretary Root has gone to his summer home on Long Island, to spend a few days with his family, which is of itself an indication that there are no complications at the War Department in connection with the Chinese insurrection.

Judge Denny, a prominent Kentucky Republican, who firmly believes that the electoral vote of that state will be cast for McKinley and Roosevelt, who came through Washington on his way from the convention, said of that remarkable gathering: "I have been going to National Conventions for 20 years, but I have never seen such a convention as that at Philadelphia, and I never expect to see another such. I mean that I never before seen both men named on the ticket by acclamation."

Mr. Henry C. Adams, one of the Republican leaders of Indiana, assured President McKinley that Indiana was one of the sure Republican states this year, and that the majority would be quite as large, if not larger than it was in '96.

One of the most enthusiastic men who has been in Washington since the Republican convention was Mr. C. Leland, Jr., a member of the Kansas delegation. He says that President McKinley would have carried Kansas no matter who had been put on the ticket with him, but that the nomination of Gov. Roosevelt for Vice President, makes Kansas as certainly Republican as Pennsylvania.

Mr. A. D. McPherson, of the Chicago Financial Review, who has just returned from a business trip through the South, said while in Washington: "While I do not mix politics in business, still I could not help asking questions, and I gathered from talks I had with men of all shades of opinion and politics that there is a big surprise in store for somebody this fall. The South is waking up. Protection and expansion find no warmer advocate than in the sunny land that we have long been taught was

hopelessly given over to Democracy. In my humble opinion McKinley and Roosevelt will carry at least three Southern states.

Congressional.

Franklin Spectator: The Democrats of Warren county, who met in convention on Tuesday, appointed congressional conferees, but did not instruct them. That was sensible, and clearly good politics. A few professed Democrats in the district, backed by Republican money and brains, are trying to commit the party to a venal and suicidal future, but it's a foreordained failure. The Democratic party in the 27th is not a merchantable quantity. Sales may be made, but the dickers are not deliverable. The party demands to know for what and whom it is expected to vote.

Franklin News: Mr. Emery is expected to return from California where he has spent the past two years for benefit of his health, early in July. He will then be waited upon by the committee of "Independent" Republicans appointed by the Warren conference, headed by F.W. Hayes of Oil City, who will try and induce him to accept the Congressional nomination. It therefore behooves Mr. Emery to do considerable thinking between now and that time, and until he declares himself, the Congressional campaign in this district will remain in a state of quietude.

Smethport Miner: Evidently the fusion program in this Congressional district is not working to the entire satisfaction of those concerned in the movement. The insurgent Republicans would like to be considered the "big toads in the puddle," in the work of disintegration in the party ranks which they are using every means to accomplish. But Mr. Emery understands that his election depends upon getting the solid Democratic vote and he, of course, notifies a leading member of that party that he wants a nomination. He wouldn't give a baubee as to how the nomination comes to him, whether through insurgent or Democratic channels, only that he is endorsed by the other gang in the combination. There are many Democrats in this district who are thirsting for a coalition with Republican soreheads, and that fact will be more clearly demonstrated at the election in November.

EXCURSION NOTICES.

REDUCED RATES TO CHICAGO.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad for the National Prohibition Convention, June 27-28.

For the benefit of all persons wishing to be in Chicago during the National Prohibition Convention, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold and good going June 25 and 26, and returning, after proper validation by the Joint Agent of the terminal lines at Chicago, leaving Chicago to July 4, inclusive. A fee of twenty-five cents for each ticket will be collected by the Joint Agent when tickets are validated for return passage. 1552-18-1t

Fourth of July Excursion Rates.

In accordance with an old established custom the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Ry. will this year sell excursion tickets, account 4th of July travel, between all stations on its line, for a distance not exceeding 200 miles, at a single fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold July 3rd and 4th for all regular trains except the Vestibule Limited trains, Nos. 3 and 6, and will be good for return passage until July 5th, 1900.

REDUCED RATES TO KANSAS CITY VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

For the National Democratic Convention, to be held at Kansas City, July 4, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Kansas City from all stations on its line at rate of one first-class fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold and good going July 1, 2, and 3, and to return July 9, inclusive. These tickets will be good on all trains except the Pennsylvania Limited, and must be used for continuous passage. 1628-16-3t

Reduced Rates to Charleston, S. C., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the meeting of the National Educational Association at Charleston, S. C., July 7-13, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell tickets from all stations on its line to Charleston at the rate of one fare for the round trip, plus \$2.00. Tickets to be sold July 6 to 9, inclusive, and to be good to return until September 1, inclusive. On the return trip stop-over will be allowed at Washington on deposit of ticket with Joint Agent and on payment of fee of \$1.00. 1649-17-3t

REDUCED RATES TO CINCINNATI AND RETURN.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad. For the Annual Convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America, to be held at Cincinnati, July 12-15, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all stations on its line to Cincinnati at one fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold and good going July 10 to 13, inclusive, and to return until July 17, inclusive; but if tickets be deposited with the Joint Agent at Cincinnati on or before July 14, and if fee of fifty cents be paid, the return limit will be extended to August 10, inclusive. 1642-17-3t

Change of Time.

Important change of time in effect on the Lackawanna Railroad, June 10. Send for latest Folder giving time of trains, to nearest Agent, or Fred P. Fox, Div. Pass. Agent, Buffalo, N. Y. 16-3t

Advertise in the PRESS

Letter From Washington.

Seattle, Wash., June 17, 1900. DEAR MOTHER AND FATHER:—I have not heard from you in three weeks. I have just returned from Alaska, and signed to-day with the Government to go on the U. S. Transport "Egbert." I have eight officers to take care of. It is a pretty good job. The ship is a fine one with six bath rooms, a good doctor, good food and an electric fan in every room, also have on board an ice plant, which makes it comfortable in every particular.

Do not worry about me, if you don't hear from me for two months, as we carry supplies to the soldiers and barracks and expect to be four weeks at Cape Nome. We make four ports, Port Egbert, Port Gibbon, St. Michaels and Nome. When we return she goes to Manila, but I do not know whether or not I will go to that point. The last trip I made on the "City of Seattle" to Skagway, Harry Kaye was a passenger. I have been there six times, and as work is scarce men are glad to work their way down on the ship. We brought the first people out from Dawson and they said the Canadian Government was feeding 500 people to keep them from starving. If, in my travels, I find a place that is any good I will stop there. When I get back from Cape Nome, I will have been all over this coast and the greatest part of Alaska. I may make one trip to Manila, then I think I will return home for a while. I hope this will find you well, as it leaves me pretty well. Write me at Seattle, and I will write you from Seattle, St. Michaels and Cape Nome.

The first ship arrived this morning from Nome, with two passengers on board. Knowing nothing more of interest to write you at present I will close, hoping you will all be well on my return from the North, as I may go on home then. Good bye. Your Son, WM. MUNDY.

Letters from the People.

[All communications under this head must be accompanied by the writer's name. We will not be held responsible for any expression in this department.]—Editor.

Mr. Editor:—It is an open fact that a large number of boys in our town are drunk every Saturday. It is an equally open fact that while they do not get drunk at the saloons, they have no trouble either in buying the intoxicants themselves, direct from the dealers or in having older persons make the purchase for them.

This practice has become such a notorious violation of law and respect for public decency that I will gladly pay all costs of prosecuting either dealers or individuals engaging in such malicious practices and pledge myself if any actual instances fall within my own personal knowledge, I will use my best endeavors to make an example of the guilty parties.

The sale of intoxicants is legal, but the coaxing instigation and secret encouragement of drunkenness is an offence to our community that must be stopped and I am willing to do my share to stop it. Parents have it hard enough to induce their boys to become manly citizens without some few persons being allowed to deliberately pull their children down hill.

Respectfully, JOSIAH HOWARD.

June 26, 1900.

Hon. L. Taggart on Emery.

EDITOR PRESS:—In your paper of June 14th, in an article headed "Republicans Not Stool Pigeons," the editor of the McKean Miner would have the people believe that Hon. L. Emery, Jr., was alone responsible for the protracted contest, when the facts in the case are that Hon. L. Emery offered to end the contest by nominating Judge Cochran on the morning of the day that the convention assembled at Emporium, and had the Judge permitted his name to have been presented he would have been nominated, on the first ballot taken in Emporium and that offer stood open to the Judge on every ballot to the end of convention.

Respectfully, L. TAGGART, Conferee.

BEDARD, THE TAILOR.



YOUNG MEN.

Do you want style and ginger in your clothes, here's the place to find it. We have no

Special Hobbies

that young men should look like their fathers or like their little brothers but they must be just the thing—like a procession. Some one must lead and our efforts are to be

The Leaders

In every point in our business. Style, fit and workmanship.

Your Patronage Solicited.

BEDARD, THE TAILOR.

J. L. FOBERT, Manager, Parsons' Bazaar, Emporium, Pa.

R. Seger & Co.,

THE PIONEER TAILORS.

Opposite M. E. Church, Emporium, Pa.

STYLISH CLOTHES

for the people,

GUARANTEED FITS.

We carry at all times, the largest line of imported and domestic goods to be found in this section of the state. Our prices are within the reach of all, while we aim to please our customers. New SUMMER STYLES now here.

STYLISH BUSINESS AND DRESS SUITS.

R. SEGER & CO.

AFTER THE BATTLE

Some are found bleeding and sore, while others have a fit of the blues. Now if there should be any so unfortunate as to suffer from the effects of accidents, we have the Balm for their pains and aches, let it be either for man or beast.

Our liniment and powders for horses or cattle are always the best.

Our medicines are pure and always get there. The prices are right, too.

Our patent medicine department is supplied with all the standard remedies and we can supply you on short notice.

Our toilet and fancy goods department we keep up to the times.

Our Prescription department receives our closest attention and all calls answered day or night. Just touch the button. In fact we are here to do business and serve the public.

M. A. ROCKWELL, THE PHARMACIST,

SEE THEM GO

THIRD WEEK OF LAKE ERIE TROTTERING CIRCUIT.

ST. MARYS, Pa.,

July 3, 4, 5 and 6.

PURSES, \$4,800.00.

PROGRAM OF CLASSES AND PURSES.

TUESDAY, JULY 3rd.

No. 1. 2:40 Class Pacing, Purse, \$400 00
No. 2. 2:18 Class Trotting, Purse, 400 00
No. 3. 2:17 Class Pacing, Purse, 400 00

WEDNESDAY, JULY 4th.

No. 4. 2:15 Class Trotting, Purse, \$400 00
No. 5. 2:20 Class Pacing, Purse, 400 00
No. 6. 2:22 Class Trotting, Purse, 400 00

THURSDAY, JULY 5th.

No. 7. 2:12 Class Trotting, Purse, 400 00
No. 8. 2:14 Class Pacing, Purse, 400 00
No. 9. 2:25 Class Trotting, Purse, 400 00

FRIDAY, JULY 6th.

No. 10. 2:08 Class Pacing, Purse, 400 00
No. 11. 2:30 Class Trotting, Purse, 400 00
No. 12. 2:24 Class Pacing, Purse, 400 00

Best half-mile track in America.

Track Record 2:11 1-4.

Every style and manner of speeding.

A meeting of interest to all.

Everything conducted clean and honorable.

Special Trains and Excursion Rates on all Railroads.

WM. KAUL, Sec'y.

Business Cards.

B. W. GREEN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. A business relating to estate, collections, real estates, Orphan's Court and general law business will receive prompt attention. 42-ly.

J. C. JOHNSON, J. P. McNARNEY, JOHNSON & McNARNEY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, EMPORIUM, PA. Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-ly.

MICHAEL BRENNAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent. Emporium, Pa. 35-ly.

F. D. LEET, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW and INSURANCE AGT. EMPORIUM, PA. TO LAND OWNERS AND OTHERS IN CAMERON AND ADJOINING COUNTIES. I have numerous calls for hemlock and hardwood timber lands, also stumpage, and parties desiring either to buy or sell will do well to call on me. F. D. LEET.

CITY HOTEL, Wm. McGEE, PROPRIETOR. 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-ly.

THE NOVELTY RESTAURANT, (Opposite Post Office.) Emporium, Pa. WILLIAM McDONALD, Proprietor. 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. 2027-17F Wm. McDONALD.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL, THOS. J. 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-ly

MAY GOULD, TEACHER OF PIANO, HARMONY AND THEORY. Also dealer in all the Popular Sheet Music, 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 Taggart's Drug Store, Emporium, Pa. Gas and other local anaesthetics administered for the painless extraction of teeth. SPECIALTY:—Preservation of natural teeth, including Crown and Bridge Work. I will visit Drifwood the first Tuesday, and Sinnemahoning the third Wednesday of each month.

\$500 Reward. The above Reward will be paid for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who placed iron and slabs on the track of the Emporium & Rich Valley R. R., near the east line of Franklin Housler's farm, on the evening of Nov. 21st, 1891. HENRY AUCHU, President.

DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP OF PEPsin CURES CONSTIPATION.