

EMPORIUM MILLING COMPANY.

PRICE LIST. Emporium, Pa., Sept. 11, 1900. NEMOPHILA, per sack, \$1 20. Graham, 60. Buckwheat, 45. Patent Meal, 75. Coarse Meal, per 100, 110. Chop Feed, 110. White Middlings, 110. Bran, 110. Corn, per bushel, 60. White Oats, per bushel, 57. Choice Clover Seed, At Market Prices. Choice Timothy Seed. Fancy Kentucky Blue Grass.

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Dr. Reick was attending to business at Smethport this week.

"Bing" Hemphill came up from Tidoupe on Monday to vote.

Messrs. B. W. Green, Esq., and J. P. Felt, Esq., are on a business trip in North Carolina.

Rev. F. W. McClelland, the new Free Methodist minister at this place, was a Press visitor on Wednesday.

Don M. Larrabee came up from Philadelphia and voted the straight Republican ticket.

Mrs. Minnie Forbes, of Sistersville, W. Va., is visiting her mother and sister at this place.

Wm. Hackenberg and wife will move from Gardeau this week and occupy their residence on Fifth street.

Three of Emporium's little misses—Rosa Pye, Pearl McGrain and Mary McGrain—were Press callers on Monday.

John M. English, of Gibson, and M. Blodgett, of Grove, both consistent Republicans, were Press visitors on Wednesday.

John J. Hinkle and wife left for Philadelphia Tuesday evening, where Mrs. H. will spend the winter with her husband.

John M. Othmer, who is employed in a furniture factory near York, Pa., came home to vote this week and visit his family.

Miss Sadie Chapman is visiting her brother, Clark, at the Williamsport Commercial College. She is the guest of the Misses Othmer.

Edward Yeagle, who is attending the Pharmaceutical College, at Ada, Ohio, came home to vote and returned to his studies yesterday.

Charles L. Felt, who recently purchased the McQuay property on West Fourth street, moved into the same yesterday.

Ex-County Commissioner John A. Wykoff, of Grove, transacted business in Emporium on Wednesday. While in town he paid the Press a social and business visit.

Observe the change in the Emporium Furniture Company's ad. in another column.

The county commissioners of Tioga county paid off \$10,000 of the bonded indebtedness of that county.

We will be glad to hear of the return of Frank Davidson to Dover. Such a show is a credit to a town and to the management of the opera house.—Ex.

F. C. Rieck is having the third floor of his store building in the Central block finished off. It will be fitted into three suites of rooms and will be very convenient for persons wishing rooms without board.—Smethport Miner.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting Borough Council, Emporium, Nov. 5th, 1900. All members present.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Murphy, that when we adjourn it shall be to meet next Monday night. Carried.

Veto message of Burgess read, which vetoed the resolution of Oct. 1st, 1900, appointing Frank Mundy Chief of Police and Asst. St. Commissioner.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Lloyd, that veto of Burgess be laid over for one week. Ayes and nays called and following vote taken:

Aye:—Shafer, Howard, Murphy, Lloyd, 4. Nay:—Strayer, Schweikart, Murry, Catlin, 4.

The motion was declared lost.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Burke, that the resolution of Oct. 1st, 1900, appointing Frank Mundy as Chief of Police and Asst. St. Commissioner, be carried notwithstanding the veto of the Burgess. The ayes and nays called and the following vote taken:

Aye:—Shafer, Howard, Murphy, Lloyd, Burke, 5. Nay:—Strayer, Schweikart, Murry, Catlin, 4.

Motion declared lost.

Committee in matter of completing sewer was continued.

Committee in matter of sewer at foot of Broad street, continued.

Committee in matter of tax on Iron Works was continued.

On motion by Mr. Shafer, seconded by Mr. Murphy, the following bill were ordered paid:

Walker, Howard & Co., supplies, etc., \$12 63. St. Marys Gas Co., to Nov. 1st, 1900, 70 00. C. B. Howard & Co., invoice of lumber, 23 70. J. A. Fisher, blacksmithing, 2 15. E. G. Strait, drying hose, 1 00. John Montgomery, drying hose, 1 00. John Blinzler, draying, 5 50. Thos. Smith, work on streets, 1 95. T. Awanagh, do do, 18 00. John Welch, do do, 15 00. Fred Luetzle, do do, 4 50. R. Fountain, do do, 1 50. Andrew Vogt, do do, 1 50. J. Haviland, do do, 50.

Treasurer's report read and ordered on file.

Moved by Mr. Murry, seconded by Mr. Howard, that we reconsider the action taken on veto of Burgess. Carried.

The question was called on original motion, the aye and nay vote taken as follows:

Aye:—Shafer, Howard, Murphy, Murry, Lloyd, Burke, 6. Nay:—Strayer, Schweikart, Catlin, 3.

Motion declared carried.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Burke, that refunding order for \$1, be drawn in favor of D. Geary to refund dog tax for 1900.

Moved by Mr. Shafer, seconded by Mr. Schweikart, that the President of Council, and Mr. Murry and Mr. Howard, be appointed a committee in regard to street lights. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Shafer, that Council appropriate \$200 to be spent on new sewer work this fall in such a manner as a committee of three to be appointed by the Council working in conjunction with the Board of Health may designate. Carried. Messrs. Shafer, Catlin and Murry were appointed committee.

Moved by Mr. Catlin, seconded by Schweikart, that we refrain from paying the appropriation for bridge at foot of Broad street until road connecting with same is made a public road. Aye and nay vote as follows:

Aye:—Shafer, Schweikart, Catlin, 3. Nay:—Shafer, Howard, Murphy, Murry, Lloyd, 5.

Motion declared lost.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Murphy, that the motion to adjourn until next Monday night be reconsidered. Carried. Vote was taken on original motion and same declared lost.

On motion Council then adjourned. C. JAY GOODNOUGH, Sec'y.

VETO MESSAGE FROM THE BURGESS.

To the Honorable, the Common Council of Emporium:

GENTLEMEN:—Your resolution passed under date of Oct. 1st, 1900, which reads as follows: "Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Murphy, that Frank Mundy be elected Chief of Police and Assistant Street Commissioner, to work under the direct orders of the Council at a salary of \$50.00 per month" is returned without my approval for several reasons. I wish you to understand, gentlemen, that none of these reasons should be considered as reflecting in any way on Mr. Mundy, as his reputation for strict honesty, sobriety, unshrinking devotion to duty and general reliability are well known and not for a moment to be brought into the question.

In my opinion one Street Commissioner is amply sufficient in a borough of the size of Emporium and even if such assistant seemed desirable, I could not approve of such an anomalous condition of affairs as would result in the appointment of a Chief of Police as assistant to a street commissioner who would be liable at any time for duty under the Chief. If, however, the words "Assistant Street Commissioner" mean nothing and it is only intended that the Chief of Police is to do manual labor on the streets a part of the time then the action is in my mind no less objectionable, for we either need a policeman or we do not. If we need a Chief of Police at this time we need a man who can be on duty a good share of the night, and no man is physically incapacitated for working on the streets during the day and serving as policeman at night, in a manner to be worth his salt at either occupation. Members of the Council have said to me that we do not need an extra policeman and a man might be appointed to work on streets part of the time, and serve as police only when needed. If this is true, then we need no extra police at all, for we already have four constables in the borough who exactly fill the bill. They have other work, to be sure, but they are authorized and empowered by law to serve warrants and make arrests whenever they can be located and called upon to do so, and I believe that the services of a policeman serving under this resolution would be no more valuable to the borough and entitled to no more pay than those of a constable. I have been urged by one of your members to act on this matter at once that something might be done with-

out further delay. I beg you to remember, gentlemen, that the one of the duties of appointing a policeman does not rest on your executive officer. During the first week in May, of this year, a committee from your honorable body waited on me in my office to obtain my views on this subject. I did not attempt to urge or force my views on your committee for we appeared to be in perfect accord right from the start. We were apparently perfectly agreed that we needed a Chief of Police; that he should be a sober, reliable man, that he must wear a regulation uniform when on duty, that he should go on duty about the middle of the day and remain on duty till a time not definitely stated, but at any rate till after midnight, and that he should receive \$50 per month. We were also as one in the opinion that such officer should devote his entire time to the duties of his office. My opinion has not changed at all since our conference and I have been ready to approve such action, within 24 hours at any time since the first of May. I believe, gentlemen, that your motive in passing this resolution has been a most laudable one, the desire to save the borough as much expense as possible, but I trust a further deliberation, you will agree with me that my Assistant Street Commissioner is not needed, and that the appointment of what is practically a duplicate of the Chief of Police, to work on the streets in the day time, is neither wise, economical nor in the best interest of the taxpayers of the borough. E. O. BARDWELL, Chief Burgess. Emporium, Pa., October 5th, 1900.

MESSAGE FROM THE BURGESS.

To the Common Council of the Borough of Emporium, Pa.

GENTLEMEN:—The President of your honorable body has no doubt handed you a copy of that notice from the St. Marys Gas Co. to the effect that said Company will cease to furnish natural gas for street torches in the borough of Emporium, after Jan. 1st, 1901. The communication states that St. Marys Gas Co. will furnish natural gas for street lamps through Weisbach or similar burners at 25 cents per month for each burner so long as the supply of gas lamp wicks and further notices. We are now paying \$1.00 each per month for 35 torches which are very wasteful and the light is not as good as we desire. It is satisfactory to us that we ought to have and can have better light than these torches afford at less expense. You will note that we can secure twice as many lights through Weisbach burners (similar to the one in front of the gas office) as we now have at just half the expense for gas. You will also note by the letter from the St. Marys Gas Co. of Canton, O., which I hand you herewith, that we can purchase from that firm good, serviceable lamps at \$25 each and an excellent street lamp of a pattern now in use in many cities at \$5.00 each, f. o. b. Canton. Add to this 75 cents for a Weisbach burner and we have a good, durable street lamp with a gas supply of 2500 ft. of gas pipe. Fifty of these will cost \$250.00. Gas for fifty burners at 25 cents each per month will cost \$125.00 per year. \$20.00 will more than pay all repairs for a year and we have fifty lights at an expense for the first year of \$420.00, just what we now pay for 35 flicking, unreliable, unsatisfactory torches. After the first year we will have 50 torches at \$1.00 each per month as good a bargain as could have been made at the time, but owing to the fact that the gas supply in the borough of gas developed since that time by the invention of the Weisbach and similar burners, that old contract or the same ceased to be in force. It is advantageous to the borough and in my opinion it should be dropped now that we have the opportunity, just as fast as we can drop it.

It will be seen in my report that the street lamps above mentioned are suitable for any kind of gas, gasoline vapor or kerosene and should the gas supply in the future be cut off, the lamps will burn with almost no expense. In this connection I beg to call your notice, gentlemen, to the paragraph in the letter from the St. Marys Gas Co., before referred to, in which they offer to send one of their vapor gas lamps on trial, to be returned if not satisfactory.

It seems to me that it might be a very good idea to have one of these lamps on trial for a week or two, and then we could intelligently compare and choose between the two lights and estimate the exact cost of operating them.

E. O. BARDWELL, Chief Burgess. Emporium, Pa., Nov. 5th, 1900.

The Sibley Vote.

Mr. Sibley carries Venango county by 1900, Warren 1500 and Cameron by 25. Mr. Emery had 1400 in McKean county and defeated both Republican Representatives. Mr. Sibley's majority in the district is over 2,000.

A Halloween Party.

As a finishing touch to good old Halloween and the marriage of Mr. J. L. M. Mason and Miss Florence Hackett, on Oct. 31st, a party of merry makers, consisting of Miss Ella Hackett, of Emporium, Miss Minnie Barrett, Miss Alice Thamm, of Smethport, Miss Nettie Kissel, of Starling Run, and several more of our townpeople, repaired to the prospective home of Mr. and Mrs. Mason to await their arrival, intending a grand surprise, but as the bride and groom went a different route to their home the party was at a loss to understand their non-appearance.

The hours passed wearily by, while Thos. Lyons broke the monotony with his blood curdling snores, and the lamentations of several other dejected and time-worn subjects with the "sand man's" trade mark on their facial expressions. As the gas meter struck twelve, Tom Law raised the false alarm of the approach of the wedding party, but it was only the gas making another tally on the meter. The occupants of the house lingered until 2 o'clock, a. m., when a sad and disappointed procession wended their way, through the chill of the night, homeward, and not until morning did they learn that Mr. and Mrs. Mason had quietly repaired to the home of the bride where they passed a quiet night.

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EIGHT SPECIALTIES. DAY'S EIGHT SPECIALTIES. FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. Every day at this store has something of interest for home providers; but if you will keep watch of our FRIDAY and SATURDAY Specials you may reduce the expenses of the home by taking advantage of special prices. Remember, too, that we do not sacrifice quality for price. Only pure goods of first quality are offered. SWEET POTATOES—Fancy Jersey seed—bright yellow stock, per peck 25c. IRISH POTATOES, per bushel, 60c. CALIFORNIA HAMS;—West Phalia brand, mild cure, medium size, per lb. 9c. CANNED CORN—Standard N. Y., State quality, per can, 9c. SCHUMACHERS ROLLED AVENA direct from the mills, 3c. lb. SHREDDED WHEAT—Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit, the genuine, per package 12c. CORN STARCH—absolutely pure and free from adulteration, per pound, 6c. BAKING POWDER—Davises O. K., per lb. 18c. MINCE MEAT, CRANBERRIES, SAUER KRAUT. All new, fresh goods. Best value in Teas and Coffees. Have you tried "JA-MA-KA" Coffee? If not, you don't know how good it is. Its a clean, bright bean and makes a delicious and invigorating drink. 22c lb. Although we are not handling fresh meat this season, any orders for Thanksgiving Poultry will have our prompt attention. J. H. DAY. Telephone 6, Fourth St.

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