

EMPORIUM
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PRICE LIST.

Emporium, Pa., Sept. 11, 1900.

NEMOPHILA, per sack	21 20
Graham	60
Eye	75
Black Wheat	45
Patent Meal	1 10
Coarse Meal, per 100	1 10
Chop Feed	1 10
White Middlings	1 10
Bran	1 10
Corn, per bushel	60
White Oats, per bushel	37
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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

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

Miss Mayme Evans is visiting friends at Panxutawney.

Mrs. John Beattie and family visited friends at Corwin, Pa., on Thanksgiving.

Thomas S. Patchell, of Driftwood, transacted business in Emporium yesterday.

Mrs. Fannie Dinney is seriously ill at the residence of her father Henry Lyons.

A. D. Gould of Eldred visited his sisters at this place, between trains, Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Heilman spent Thanksgiving with friends and relatives in Williamsport.

Miss Nettie More, one of the teachers in our public schools, has been quite ill the past week.

Ex-County Commissioner, Charles Beldin, of Sinnamahoning was a Press caller last Friday.

B. E. Smith and son of Sterling Run were in town last Friday and made the Press a friendly call.

Rev. Fathers Cosgrove of Smethport and Zubryski of Adrian were guests of Father Downey on Wednesday.

Wm. Hackenberg was a welcome Press office visitor on Monday. Mr. H. contemplates embarking in business here.

John Montgomery and family have moved to Dahoga, Elk county, where Mr. Montgomery has contract work for the winter.

We regret to learn that our genial friend Henry Edgcomb, one of our oldest citizens is in very poor health, having an attack of grippe.

Lester Knickerbocker, who is employed at Smethport as log scaler, came over to spend a few days with Emporium friends, last Saturday.

Clifton Larrabee visited Philadelphia last week, guest of his brother Don M. Larrabee. Of course he witnessed the foot ball game between Pennsylvania and Cornell.

Mrs. D. Kirkpatrick, of Beechwood, was in Emporium last week visiting her husband who is detained here with a badly lacerated foot, of which we made mention in a previous issue of the Press.

H. C. Rich and wife, formerly of this place, but now making their home in Buffalo, have started on a six months' tour of Mexico and California. Mr. Rich has retired from active business and is enjoying life.

The following Emporium young ladies took in the Pennsylvania-Cornell foot ball game at Philadelphia, on Thanksgiving day: Misses Jettie Wiley, Grace McCaslin, Helen VanValkenberg and Byrde Taggart.

Hon. F. X. Blumle attended the recent conference of Democratic members-elect at Pittsburg, representing a number of western counties. They decided to support Hon. Geo. R. Dixon, of Elk county, for Speaker of the House.

Snow fell last night on More Hill to the depth of 10 inches.

B. W. Green, Esq., has been visiting his Tioga county farm this week.

A. C. Blum, traveling salesman for Keystone Powder Company, returned last Saturday from an extended trip.

John Cummerford has been confined to his home for several days, the result of a fall which he received while at work in the woods.

Miss Emo Cole, of Keokuk, Iowa, who has been visiting relatives in Emporium for several weeks will leave for her home next Monday.

Wm. McDonald has been confined to his room for several days, nursing a sore foot, the result of the mighty hunt he enjoyed two weeks ago.

Miss M. B. Storm, who has been guest of R. Warner and family during the past few weeks, will return to her home at Springville, Pa., next Monday.

E. T. Felt and wife, of Johnstown, Pa., have been visiting relatives in Emporium during the past week, guests of D. W. and C. H. Felt and families.

Miss Ada Storm, of Springville, Pa., who has been visiting relatives in Emporium for several weeks, returned to her home last Monday, after a delightful visit. Miss Storm is a very excellent and talented young lady and made friends during her visit in Emporium.

The Test Well.

Russell & Niver, who have contracted to drill several wells for Pardee & Co., on their lands in Lumber and Shippin, this county, are pounding away on No. 1, located about three miles south of Emporium.

Hunting Party

A number of gentlemen from Delaware county arrived in Emporium on Tuesday to enjoy a few days hunting, guests of W. L. Thomas, ex-County Treasurer. Included in the party are Messrs. J. H. Sloan, Lewis F. Green, Lewis Speakman, Jas. H. Sweeney, all of Media, Pa., and they are a jolly party.

Rescue H. & L. Ball.

The fourteenth annual ball and supper of Rescue Hook and Ladder Company will take place Monday evening Dec. 31st, 1900. The committee are hard at work making the necessary arrangements. They have engaged the Olean orchestra. Remember the date.

How Meridian Time is Taken.

Pearson's Magazine.
Just before 12 o'clock each day all business must be taken off the wires controlled by the Western Union company, and that means the absolute cessation of telegraphy along the main arteries of electric communication in the principal cities of America. Three minutes before noon wire chiefs in each of the principal cities and the towns and cities leading to and from their larger sisters cease sending or receiving messages, no matter how important they may be, and devote themselves to switching on wires in such a way as to make an unbroken chain of communication from Washington around the uttermost boundaries of the United States. This is called an "unbroken national circuit." Thus a smooth track is made, along which the electric message may flash encompassing the Union and announcing the time of day. Ten seconds before the time bell strikes comes silence and then a mighty throb, a Titanic heartbeat from the foremost factor in modern commerce, and an electric current pulsates from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from Gotham to the Golden Gate, announcing the fact that the sun has passed over the seventy-fifth meridian and it is noon at Washington.

Hints on Watering Flowers.

In potting the plants a quantity of broken pottery, brick or any similar material should be placed in the bottom of the pot for drainage, and some sand incorporated in the soil. This will prevent the soil from becoming soggy from overwatering, or any water remaining longer than necessary about the roots in the bottom of the pot. Each time you water give sufficient to saturate thoroughly all the soil in the pot, then do not give any more water until the soil at the surface begins to look somewhat dry. The habit of giving a little water each day, whether necessary or not, is detrimental to the health of the plant. Plants will dry out quickly in the house, especially if the temperature is a little higher than is best. To avoid this, set the pots in saucers in which there is about half an inch of sand.

N. Seger desires to see you in regard to that new suit you are going to buy yourself for Christmas.

YOU ARE INVITED—To inspect the finest display of cut glass ever shown in this section. These goods are the finest made, things to be proud of, goods that you would not be ashamed of when Mrs. McKinley visits you. Don't buy trashy stuff. You can get the good kind just as well, elegant patterns, deep cutting, and diamond finish.

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BRIEF MENTION.

A good man is quite as noble a work of God as a good woman.

There are lots of men who think they understand women; the women know better.

An optimist is the man who feels rich when his next-door neighbor falls heir to a fortune.

Wedding and ball stationery of the latest style and most beautiful designs printed at the PRESS office.

Wedding and ball invitations and fancy stationery of all kinds, neatly printed at the PRESS office in the neatest style. New and latest styles just received.

M. W. McAlarney, editor of Harrisburg Telegraph died at his home in Harrisburg yesterday, aged 60 years. Mr. M.A. was well known by many of citizens.

Anyhow football isn't a game for decent people to play.—Butler Times. It would not be too scandalous, perhaps, to say that the Times made a touchdown by that little proverb.

The services at Baptist Church every Sunday at 11 a. m., are very interesting. Come next Sunday morning and hear one of Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman's sermons. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

It is being urged that a postal clerk be placed on the flyer between Emporium and Buffalo. This would be of great service to the public and would afford very rapid transit between Buffalo, Philadelphia and Washington.

Representative Sibley said recently that the United States could export 40,000,000 tons of coal to Europe, pay the freight thereon, and still be able to compete with prices existing there. This, he says, would be a great boon to American miners.

Judge Durham, of the Sullivan-Wyoming district, has made a rule that hereafter in civil suits involving less than \$10 he will hear only five witnesses on a side. This measure is designed to stop packing the court room with witnesses in petty cases in order to run up bills of costs.

At a dinner given in his honor at New York recently, Mark Twain, speaking of certain criticisms said: "It's not the slanders that hurt a man; it's the truth. The world doesn't know you half so well as you know yourself. When you wake up at 2 o'clock in the morning with that feeling of shame and a sort of desolation, it's not the things that the world says you have done that makes you feel that way; it's what you have done that only you know."

Some men, remarks the Punxsutawney Spirit, are crabbed and irritable. They keep their wives in constant fear of them. And some women are constantly whining and sulking, and making life miserable for their husbands. Both "put up with it" to avoid scandal. They should not. Life is to short. The home is the place where both the man and woman should find rest and solace and sympathy. There is something wrong with the man or woman who enjoys being away from home most of the time. Without a home in the true sense of the word, life is not worth living, and no person should be permitted to make Bedlam of what ought to be Paradise. The woman who can see nothing but faults in her husband, should not try to cure him of those faults by curtain lectures. She may nag him until both are wrinkled and gray, and he will still be the same man. Nobody, so far as we have any records, was ever scolded into virtue.

A curious case is reported from the Third ward, says the Franklin News. "A number of chickens belonging to people living near the Asbestos Works have been in the habit of feeding on the siftings of the fiber asbestos thrown out in the yard for some time and the feed seems to be an incentive to make the fowls lay, but the peculiar fact of the case is that the eggs cannot be cooked. They are like the asbestos—not in the least affected by the fire. It is impossible to boil or fry the hen fruit laid by the chickens that feed on the siftings and they can be laid on the hottest fire for a day at a time without effect. It is thought, however, that the eggs will hatch and a genius of an experimenting turn of mind has secured an option on all such eggs and he will purchase an incubator in the hope of securing a lot of fire-proof feathers." It will not be strange if the above experiment proves a success. A man near Emporium, whose rooster lost a leg replaced the member by slipping a clothespin on the stub. Shortly after he purchased an incubator and the little chicks when hatched had peg legs, and the man sold clothespins at five cents per dozen and realized a handsome profit from his experiment.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation" were the startling words heard by Mrs. L. B. Hunt of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful stomach, liver and kidney remedy. Cures dyspepsia, loss of appetite. Try it. Only 50 cents. Guaranteed. For sale by L. Taggart. Dec

Curious Condensations.

In America the Salvation Army has 765 corps and 2,533 officers.

An African, who had visited England described snow as "rain gone to sleep."

An estimate of the rice acreage in Eastern Texas this year places it at 30,000 tons.

The highest church steeple in the world is that of the Cathedral of Antwerp, 476 feet.

The growth of nails on the left hand requires eight or ten days longer than those on the right.

Russian railways are the most dangerous in the world. Thirty persons in every million passengers are either killed or hurt.

A wideawake American has erected steam pumps on the Jordan and is supplying churches all over Europe with genuine Jordan water.

The beds of the immense coal fields lately discovered in Zululand extend downward for 45 feet in places, and the coal is of good quality.

The intemperate use of tea and coffee produces results as real as those of drunkenness. Total blindness is often the result of excessive coffee drinking.

There is only one train in the country that exceeds 50 miles an hour in speed for 100 miles' run, and that is the Empire State Express. Great Britain has twenty-two.

Mr. Wigham of Dublin, the lighting expert, has invented a paraffine lamp for the purpose of lighting buoys. It is designed to burn three months without attention.

The longest-lived people have generally been those who made breakfast the principal meal of the day. The stomach has more vigor in the morning than at any other time.

Stockholm, Sweden, has 40,000 telephone stations, one for each household. Those who have no apparatus of their own pay only 2½ cents for a message within a radius of 50 miles.

Belfast has in recent years become one of the strongest centers of Christian Endeavor work in the United Kingdom. Ten years ago there was but one society in Belfast, and, indeed, in all Ireland. To-day Belfast has more than seventy.

Political buttons cannot be worn in Canada during the heat of the campaign. This is due to a clause in the Dominion franchise act which says that no person shall exhibit any sign of his political faith after the official nominations are made.

It has been ascertained by experiments that persons who use the telephone habitually hear better with the left ear than with the right. The common practice of the telephone companies is to place the telephone so that it will be applied to the left ear.

The entry list for this year's horse show, which will be held in Madison Square Garden, is the largest in the history of the organization. It had 1,300 entries last year, nearly 1,500 this season and the exhibitors have increased from 214 to 360.

The old home of Stonewall Jackson in Lexington, Va., is now a tenement house, and the dwelling which once sheltered one family comfortably now swarms with a large number of families crowded in uncomfortably. The famous Sunday school in which General Jackson taught negroes is still flourishing.

There is in the little town of Fort Lee, just over Hudson, an English walnut tree 40 years old which once every eight or ten years produces fruit quite as fine as any imported from Southern Europe. There is no other tree within a radius of 100 miles that bears. This is its fruitful year, and the nuts are exceptionally fine.

There is really but one place in the world where violins are made extensively. That place is Markneukirchen, with its surrounding villages. There are altogether about fifteen thousand people living there who do nothing but make violins. The inhabitants, from the little urchin to the old grandfather, all are engaged in making some part of the fiddle.

A young woman of Cincinnati, O., who acted as bridesmaid at the wedding of a friend, found a thimble in the piece of bride's cake which she ate. This was regarded as proof that she would die an old maid. To prove that the sign was false she agreed to marry the man to whom she was engaged at once, and invited all the wedding guests to be present at her wedding. A minister was found, and the ceremony was performed within three hours of the time when she was acting as bridesmaid.

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The Election Returns Show

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