

**EMPORIUM MILLING COMPANY.**

**PRICE LIST.**  
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 11, 1900.

EMPHORIA, per sack.....	\$1 20
Graham.....	60
Eye.....	60
Buckwheat.....	75
Patent Meal.....	45
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.....	57
Choice Clover Seed.....	At Market Prices.
Choice Timothy Seed.....	
Choice Millet Seed.....	
Fancy Kentucky Blue Grass.....	

**R. C. DODSON, THE Druggist,**

EMPORIUM, PA.  
IS LOCATED IN THE CORNER STORE.  
At Fourth and Chestnut Sts..



Only the purest drugs are good for sick people. They can't afford to experiment. You may safely trust your prescriptions with us. We make a specialty of this work and are proud of the success we have achieved. Doctors appreciate the care and accuracy with which their prescriptions are compounded and that accounts for our large trade.

R. C. DODSON.

**OPERA HOUSE,**  
Wednesday, Dec. 19th.

**Guy Bros'**

**BIG Minstrels.**  
Entire New Show. All New People.

New First Part with Special Scenery.

10—Buck Dancers—10.

6—Funny End Men—6.

10—Big Specialties—10.

Concert Orchestra.

Watch for the grand street parade.

Seats on sale at H. S. Lloyd's.  
Prices 35c-50c.

**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.

Geo. W. Huntley, Jr., of Driftwood, visited in Emporium on Tuesday.

John Bauer, the milk man, is confined to his house with an attack of la grippe.

Charles Gleason, of Boston, Mass., transacted business in Emporium Saturday evening.

Mr. Major T. Moore and Miss Theresa Wilhelm, both of Emporium, were married at Olean, N. Y., Dec. 1.

Mrs. Frank Mundy, wife of ex-Sheriff Mundy, was called to Farmersville, N. Y., on Tuesday, by telegram informing her of the death of her mother, in her 91st year.

Miss Maggie Coyle, the efficient assistant in the postoffice, is suffering from a severe attack of grippe and overtaken from too close adherence to her office duties.

Dennis J. Shea, years ago a resident of this county, but now residing at Eldred, Pa., has been visiting friends in Emporium for several days, guest at City Hotel.

John Edelman, of Emporium, spent Tuesday in town. Mrs. W. S. Warner spent Sunday with friends in Emporium. Miss Agnes Hutchison spent Sunday with friends in Emporium. George Sykes, of Galeton, was the guest of friends in town the first of the week. Dr. D. D. Colcord, of First Fork, was in town Monday. The Dr. was waiting for his grist to be ground at the Brownlee mill, which, by-the-way, he says, does the best work of any mill in the county. The Doctor's Republican principles are the same as ever, but he thinks more of a Democrat who dare speak his honest convictions, than he does of lots of the so-called Republicans—Austin Autograph.

C. W. Barr, of Lumber was in town on Tuesday on business. Wesley says if he did sleep in a barn a few nights previous to election, that was his business, and the Sinnamahoning liars club has no claim on him whatever.

Mrs. D. B. Morton and daughter were pleasant PRESS callers on Tuesday and informed us they had moved to Buffalo for the winter. Mr. Morton's duties on the W. N. Y. & P. requires him to reside in Buffalo. They are good citizens and we hope they will soon return to Cameron county.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, of Emporium, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. E. Avery, of South Side. Stella, the youngest daughter of F. P. Sykes is ill. Mrs. D. H. Lamb was in Elmira on business Friday last.—Galeton Dispatch.

District Deputy Geo. R. McCrea, of Renovo, was in town Tuesday evening for the purpose of installing the officers of Emporium Lodge, A. Y. M., No. 382. There was a very large attendance.

Henry Ludlum returned from Troy, Pa., last Tuesday evening. He was called to Troy to attend the funeral of a brother, who died very suddenly.

The concert at the Court House, Tuesday evening by the Ithaca Concert Company, was a rich musical treat.

Bertha, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jessop, is recovering from a long illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. W. L. Sykes, of Galeton, and Miss Grace Walker, of Emporium, are doing Buffalo this week.

Hon. J. W. Cochran, of Ashland, Wis., visited Emporium on Tuesday, guest of G. F. Balcom and wife.

Chief of Police Mundy ran into the "jug" two common every day drunks, last Saturday.

**Rich Valley.**

Editor Press:—  
Plenty of mud and some snow.  
What has become of the Beechwood scribe?

George Curtis, who has been very low with pneumonia of the lungs, is on the road to recovery, a fact we are glad to note. Dr. Smith attended him.

It is quite late in the year for plowing, but evidently P. S. Culver thinks "better late than never."

Hileman Lewis is a champion wildcat slayer; out of a school of eight he killed three.

Mrs. Norah Barker is recovering from severe injuries, the result of a recent fall.

D. A. Peasley, one of our prosperous and energetic farmers, is erecting an addition to his barn. Contractor Frank Lewis is doing the work.

L. L. is all right. To prevent meddlers from tracking his buggy he simply carries it.

**STRAYED.**

**Sterling Run.**

Editor Press:—  
Miss Hattie Haines, of St. Marys, was the guest of Mr. Kissell and family over Sunday.

Miss Nellie Kissell visited Mrs. R. L. Mason at Emporium.

Miss Ella Hackett, of Emporium called on the Misses Kissell on Sunday.

John Devling who has been ill for the past week with pneumonia is improving slowly.

Mrs. James Strawbridge who was ill at our last writing, died at her home in Johnsonburg Saturday morning and was brought to this place for burial, Tuesday.

Roy Strawbridge, of Johnsonburg, was in town Saturday, preparing for the burial of his mother.

Miss Blanche A. Kissell taught the school on Chapman Hill for her sister Nellie on Tuesday.

Misses Ethel and Grace Devling made a flying trip to Emporium on Tuesday.

C. C. Craven is attending to business at Driftwood this week.

Charles Smith who has been employed in the kindlingwood factory at Portland Mills returned home Tuesday.

Mr. J. J. Collins, of Sinnamahoning, was seen in our town Sunday.

Thos. Eddy, of St. Marys, was in town Sunday.

**PEGGY.**

**Cameron.**

Mrs. Isaac Wykoff is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Wilson and family at Portland Mills.

John Clark is working at Johnsonburg for the Paper Mill Co.

Dan'l Britton returned from the Williamsport Hospital slightly improved in health.

Mrs. J. L. Rockwell is visiting friends at DuBois this week.

Geo. Wykoff, of Emporium, was in town a couple of days last week.

Ed Killinger moved his family to Sterling Run Monday, where he is now employed at the tannery.

Patsy Clare and sister Miss Nellie left for Boston last week where they will visit their sister Mrs. J. C. Lynch.

John Snyder, of St. Marys, was in town last Friday.

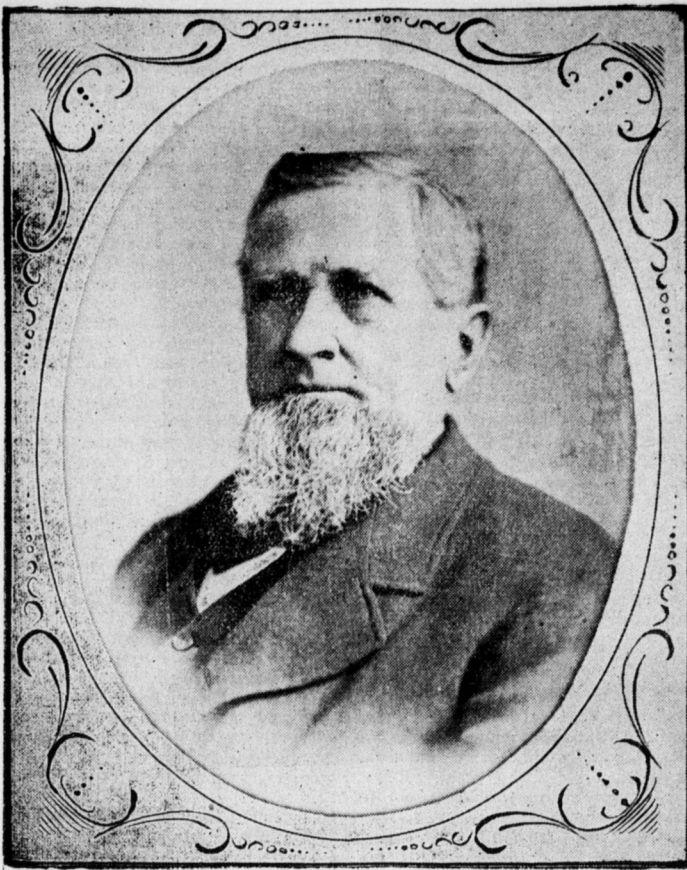
No school last Friday on account of the teacher being sick.

Fred Morse moved his family to Emporium last Thursday.

Wm. Wykoff moved his family back to this place from Cowley Run.

Geo. Muriarty, of Renovo, who has been sick for some time, is back at his old position, Ass't Foreman for P. Clare.

R. H. Hirsh, at the old and popular Hirsh jewelry store, has now displayed a full line of silver novelties, ranging in prices from 25c to \$1.00. No fancy prices. Honest goods at honest prices.



HON. GEORGE AUSTIN BARCLAY, OF SINNAMAHONING, PA.

**HON. GEORGE AUSTIN BARCLAY.**

**Brief Obituary of a Pioneer Lumberman and Business Man.**

[Subject of Illustration.]

HON. GEORGE AUSTIN BARCLAY, who died at his home in Sinnamahoning, Nov. 25th, 1900, aged 83 years, seven months and 18 days, was for many years one of the most popular and energetic lumbermen and business men in the State, being actively engaged in lumbering in Potter and Cameron counties, and at the same time conducting extensive lumbering enterprises in Michigan and other western States, accumulating considerable property. Born at Owego, N. Y., April 17th, 1817, he early emigrated, at the age of 17, to Michigan and entered the employ of the Northwestern Fur Company, controlled by John Jacob Astor, and became closely identified, and familiarized himself with the language and traits of the Indian-speaking their language fluently. His close business relations with the noble red men made him a general favorite and as a mark of distinction the Indians named him "Big Knife." Remaining in the wild west for years he studied the country and its resources carefully, an experience that years after was of invaluable benefit when he returned and invested in timber lands in Illinois and Michigan and erected saw mills.

Locating in Potter county he actively engaged in lumbering and farming until 1867 when he sold his business and invested his money in more western lands, at the same time taking up his residence in this county, where his sons, George B. and Chas. F., had actively engaged in the lumber business at Sinnamahoning. A hard worker all his life he actively put his shoulder to the wheel and a great share of the success of the firm of Barclay Bros. is due to his wonderful knowledge of the business. George A. Barclay was a wonderful man in many ways. A man of indomitable force, a pusher; blunt and emphatic at all times, yet ready to listen, learn and advise. When he entered upon any undertaking, he never tired until he saw his ideal accomplished. Having passed the major portion of his life around saw mills and in the lumber woods he was considered to be master mechanic when it came to fitting out a mill or adding improvements to keep up with the times. When he said a piece of machinery was ready, ready it was.

Although always, until late years, a busy man, Mr. Barclay took time to post himself on the current events of the day and when the question of sound money was at issue he wrote many interesting articles upon the side of sound money and was ever ready to forcibly discuss the issue.

Mr. Barclay was married at an early date and reared a family of three children—Mr. Geo. B. Barclay and Mr. Chas. F. Barclay, of Sinnamahoning, and Mrs. Mary E. Roberts, of Knoxville, Tenn., all of whom are living. His wife died in 1884 and her remains are resting in the family plot at Sinnamahoning.

In 1834 the Republicans unanimously tendered Mr. Barclay the nomination of Member of Assembly and elected him by a large majority, he serving with distinction and credit during the sessions of 1835-'36-'37 and 1838.

The years of hard toil had made its inroad and in July, 1893, his health commenced to fail. Partial paralysis overcame him and up to the time of his death he quietly awaited the call of his Master.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. Church, Sinnamahoning, on Tuesday, Nov. 27th, 1900, at 2 o'clock, p. m., the services being conducted by his pastor, Rev. M. C. Piper, of M. E.

Church, in the presence of hundreds of old friends and neighbors, in addition to his three children and many relatives. His remains were tenderly laid to rest beside his wife in the little cemetery at Wylside, overlooking the scenes of many active years of toil, on the banks of the picturesque Sinnamahoning.

The editor of the PRESS offers an apology to our readers, and more especially to the family of the deceased, for the late appearance of this obituary. After an absence of three weeks from home, at the time of his death, the matter was neglected, yet we feel it a duty we owe the dead to make these hasty and crude remarks. Years ago, when only a lad, we were kindly assisted by the deceased in a manner that gave us encouragement and confidence to push ahead and to do battle for what we considered, and he believed, to be right. We have always respected the deceased from that day and was his friend. Peace to his ashes.

**Notes and News.**

Fine boxes of bon-bons from 25c to 50c, at H. S. Lloyd's.

A fine line of Bibles, and "Key of Heaven" can be found at H. S. Lloyd's.

A BARGAIN.—House for rent or sale, cheap. Easy payments. Apply to F. C. Rieck, Dentist.

Your children's Xmas will not be complete without some of that choice confectionery at H. S. Lloyd's.

Xmas boxes of the leading brands of cigars—one dollar per box—twenty-five in each box, at H. S. Lloyd's.

Don't pass H. S. Lloyd's china counter without glancing at the great variety of Jardinieres, dishes, vases, &c. A glance means a gift purchased.

We have games and toys too numerous to mention, sleds and doll carriages, blackboards and doll furniture, drums and dishes. In fact Santa has left everything, to make the boys and girls happy, at H. S. Lloyd's.

Never before had we a better display of novelties, comprising colored and white pearl, ebony with sterling silver mountings, ladies' gold pens, fountain pens for gentlemen, in fact all kinds of fancy articles suitable for Xmas presents at H. S. Lloyd's.

BARGAIN DAY.—Every day is "bargain day" at N. Seger's. This is the only way to give the whole people the benefit of bargain days. You lose no time to arrange for certain days in which to trade. This is bargain day—the day in which you are ready to buy.

If you hav'nt seen H. S. Lloyd's display of Xmas goods, just drop in. Santa has distributed his goods on the counters, floor and shelves, from the front door to the back door. Even Santa himself may be found in the rear of the store keeping guard over the dolls which you'll find of every description and from every clime.

Don't be deceived by the ebony fad. The cost of the ebony in a comb and brush set is not to exceed ten cents, but you will have to pay from two to four dollars more for a comb and brush set in ebony than you will for the ebonized sets. Go to Taggart's and buy a set of his beautiful ebonized sets. Nothing better.

We have a larger and better stock of books than ever before, from "Mother Goose" to the latest novels at H. S. Lloyd's.

Zinc and Grinding Ma<sup>re</sup> Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand.

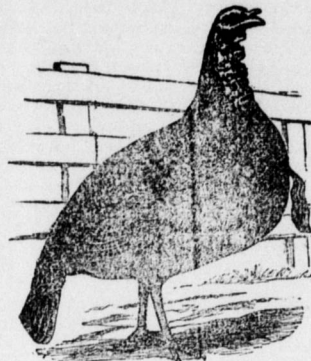
**ELECTION NOTICE.**

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,  
Emporium, Pa., Dec. 4th, 1900.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of a Board of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be laid before them, will be held at the Bank on Tuesday, January 8th, 1901, between the hours of one o'clock, p. m., and three o'clock, p. m., of said day.

T. B. LLOYD, Cashier.

**Day's.**



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**CHRISTMAS GOOD THINGS.**

We have them now in stock and recommend that you come early, and gain the advantage of first choice, and avoid the rush of the eleventh hour.

It is our sincere wish that the good things which Christmas brings you will prove an earnest of many good things for months to follow. We wish to contrib-

ute to your contentment. Our large stock of edibles selected with the greatest care for this the most festive occasion of the year, is of the same excellent quality as has always been handled by us heretofore, and we are ready to supply your needs at the same reasonable prices, for thoroughly reliable goods.

**TURKEYS.**

Arrangements have been made for the very finest quality of stock, all young, sweet and nicely dressed, and the price will be low.

**DUCKS, GEESE and CHICKENS.**

And all the accessories, of the same high quality.

**Leave Your Order Early.**

And thereby insure perfect satisfaction.

**FRUIT and VEGETABLES.**

All that is necessary to make this occasion one of pleasure by satisfying the craving of the palate.

**CHRISTMAS CANDY AND NUTS.**

Discriminating buyers will do well to examine our line and get prices.

**GROCERIES.**

It is simply impossible for us to enumerate, and quote prices in the space we command, of all the good things we have in store for you. We ask you to drop in

**BEFORE THE RUSH**

And we will take pleasure in showing you the finest line to be seen in this county, without a doubt.

**CHRISTMAS**

**=: Tokens:**

LOTS of them, and such as no one need be ashamed to present to the closest friend. Anything from a tooth-pick holder at 10 cts.

to the most delicate plate at \$3.50.

**AGAIN WE ADVISE**

That you come early and leave your order, thereby giving us the opportunity of avoiding mistakes that are apt to be made in the rush of such occasions, and time to rectify any that may be made.

TELEPHONE 6, 4th St.

**J. H. DAY.**