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Business Cards.

B. W. GREEN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Emporium, Pa.
A business relating to estate, collections, real estate, orphan's court and general law business will receive prompt attention. 42-1y.

J. C. JOHNSON, J. P. McNARNEY,
JOHNSON & McNARNEY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
EMPORIUM, PA.
Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-1y.

MICHAEL BRENNAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent. 85-1y.
Emporium, Pa.

THOMAS WADDINGTON,
Emporium, Pa.,
CONTRACTOR FOR MASONRY AND STONE-CUTTING.
All orders in my line promptly executed. All kinds of building and cut-stone, supplied at low prices. Agent for marble or granite monuments. Lettering neatly done.

AMERICAN HOUSE,
East Emporium, Pa.
JOHN L. JOHNSON, Prop'r.
Having resumed proprietorship of this old and well established house I invite the patronage of the public. House newly furnished and thoroughly renovated. 81y.

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, etc., and parties desiring either to buy or sell will do well to call on me. F. D. LEET.

CITY HOTEL, Wm. McGEE, PROPRIETOR
Emporium, Pa.
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. 30-1y.

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. 1002-1y. Wm. McDONALD.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL, THOS. LYSSETT, 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. 27-17-1y.

MAY ULD, TEACHER OF
Piano, HARMONY AND THEORY,
in all the Popular Sheet Music,
Emporium, Pa.
Scholarship 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 anesthetics administered for the painless extraction of teeth.
SPECIALTY:—Preservation of natural teeth, including Crown and Bridge Work.

Furniture.

Everything in stock that goes to make up a first-class Furniture Store. Will not be under sold by any one.

Carpets,
Oil-Cloth,
Linoleum,
Mattings.

UP IN QUALITY.
DOWN IN PRICE.

One of the best Sewing Machines in the world, sold here—the

"Domestic."

Undertaking

in all its branches promptly attended to. You all know the place.

GEO. J. LABAR,

THE BIG BRICK STORE,
Cor. Fourth and Chestnut St.,
EMPORIUM, PA.

Was Badly Poisoned.

John Anderson, one of Austin's best known citizens, was out fishing Monday in the vicinity of Hulls, and was seriously bitten by some kind of insect that thoroughly poisoned his face and head. He returned home in the evening and his face began to swell badly and he was in much pain. Being employed in the railroad shops in this place and on duty nights, he was obliged to leave his work at midnight and go to his home. He made external applications but to no avail, and early in the morning consulted a physician, who prescribed for him and he is now doing well. At one time on Tuesday his eyes were swollen entirely shut and it was several hours before he was able to see at all. Mr. Anderson says he was either poisoned by the bite of some strange insect or else came in contact with some poisonous bush or vine. At this time he is doing well and will, we trust, entirely recover from the painful and unpleasant effects.—Austin Republican.

Summer School Opens.

The Cameron county Teachers' Summer school opened Monday, May 20th, with a fair attendance. A most excellent course of study is in operation which should be very attractive to the teachers. The following subjects are taught by experienced educators: Advanced Arithmetic, Geography, History, Grammar, Spelling, Reading, Literature, Civil Government, Latin, (3 grades), Algebra (2 grades), geometry, Psychology, Pedagogy and mathematics. Mr. Renn, of Bucknell University, is in charge of the work in Botany, Latin and English and is thoroughly qualified for his work. C. P. Bastian, Supervisory principal of Emporium schools is instructor in Psychology, German and Civics.

With the course of study and the able corps of instructors this school is prepared to do the very best kind of work for its students.

Living Without a Stomach.

Paul O. Kruger, of Chicago, who is minus a stomach, will be allowed to leave his bed at the Illinois College hospital next Monday, according to Dr. B. Eads, who performed the operation. "Kruger is doing splendidly," the surgeon said. "He was a gardener and florist. As this vocation does not require either great mental or physical effort, I see nothing in the way of his success and prosperity in his old business. During the two years the cancer preyed upon his vitals he was reduced from 189 to 125 pounds. He will regain weight; how much is problematical. I do not think he will ever be able to do heavy manual labor, because his digestion is limited. He must be very careful about his diet."

Who Can Beat This?

The horrible news comes from Arkansas that a boy climbed a corn stalk to see how the corn was getting along, and now the corn is growing faster than the boy can climb down. The boy is plump out of sight. Four men have undertaken to cut down the stalk and save the boy from starvation, but it grows so fast that they can't hack twice in the same place. The poor boy is living on nothing but raw corn and has already thrown down over four bushels of cobs.

Hand Injured.

Last Sunday afternoon P. & E. freight conductor M. F. Cummings, of Renovo, while throwing a switch in the yard at this place had the misfortune to get his right hand caught, badly smashing one finger. Dr. Smith dressed the injured member, when he left for his home.

Sold Out.

Dr. F. C. Rieck has disposed of his his clothing store at Smethport to a Baltimore firm, to take effect June 1st. The Dr. will devote his entire attention to his dental business at this place.

Gents furnishing goods in endless variety at N. Seger's.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

LEWIS.

Just as we went to press, last week, we announced the death of PHILIP ELIHU LEWIS, aged 57 years, three months and 24 days, after an illness of several weeks, apoplexy having laid its fatal hands upon him. It was thought he was improving for several days, but on Wednesday he was taken worse and expired early Thursday morning.

Mr. Lewis was a native of this county and had resided here all his life. He was a kind and indulgent husband and parent and a gentleman of more than ordinary intelligence. He leaves a wife and two daughters, Mrs. Frank Shives and Mrs. Alex. McDougall, to mourn his death. In public life Mr. Lewis filled many important and responsible positions, the most responsible being Sheriff one term and deputy for several years.

The funeral was held last Sunday, at 2 p. m., from the family residence near the Junction and was very largely attended. The Maccabees, of which the deceased was for years a member, attended the funeral in a body, and conducted the burial in accordance to their ritual. Rev. McCaslin conducted the religious service at the house and grave.

STODDARD.

Last Sunday morning our community was shocked to learn that Mr. Samuel L. Stoddard, one of our most esteemed citizens, who has been employed on the Buffalo division ever since the road was constructed, had been probably fatally injured. Our citizens hoped against hope that the first reports might be exaggerated, but the reports were soon verified. Mr. Stoddard, who for more than twenty years has been one of the most trusted engineers on that road, took time freight (the fruit train) from the junction at this place. The train was running at a rapid rate of speed, being helped up the hill by another engine, manned by engineer Sprung. When the train was opposite the Delos Burlingame farm Mr. Stoddard leaned from the cab window to watch some part of the machinery, when his head came in contact with the iron bridge, fracturing his skull and rendering him unconscious. The engine being larger and wider than the one he was used to no doubt was forgotten at that moment and was the cause of the accident.

The train was running about fifty miles an hour and it can be imagined with what force he was struck. The train was stopped as soon as possible and the injured engineer who was supposed to be dead from the frightful blow was lifted from his engine and brought to his home at this place. Drs. Smith, Heilmann and Bardwell were quickly summoned and all that medical skill could do was resorted to to save his life, but he never regained consciousness, and died Tuesday evening about five o'clock, surrounded by his grief stricken family and many friends. His death has cast a deep gloom over our town for the deceased, who has resided here for more than thirty years, was universally respected. He was 53 years of age, and a quiet, dignified and always a perfect gentleman. "Sam Stoddard" was held in the highest regard in the hearts of our citizens, his co-laborers and the railroad company for whom he labored so many years, and the vacancy will be hard to fill. We have been intimately acquainted with the deceased ever since he came to Emporium, and it must be gratifying to his family and friends to realize the fact that they can look upon his upright, honest, conscientious life with pride and satisfaction.

Mr. Stoddard leaves a wife and two daughters—Mrs. Estella Coppersmith and Mrs. May Odell, who have enjoyed the love and protection of a kind and affectionate husband and father.

Deceased was a member of Emporium Lodge, No. 984, I. O. O. F., the Maccabees and Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, carrying insurance

in the two latter in addition to an accidental policy.

THE FUNERAL.

As we go to press the final preparations are made for the funeral, which takes place from the beautiful home on East Allegheny avenue, where the deceased delighted (and always did when at this end of his run) to pass his time with his family and grand-children. Rev. O. S. Metzler, pastor of M. E. Church will conduct the services. The Odd Fellows and Maccabees as well as large delegations of railroaders from different points between here and Buffalo will be in attendance—the R. R. Co. having granted transportation to all employees desiring to attend the funeral.

The floral offerings from friends and relatives are beautiful and touching. Thus closes the earthly career of a good man. HE STILL LIVES.

IN ATTENDANCE FROM ABROAD.
Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Johnston, of Austin, came over this morning to attend the funeral of the late Samuel L. Stoddard. Rev. Johnston was formerly pastor of deceased.

Mrs. J. S. Douglas came over from Olean Sunday evening to assist in caring for Mr. Stoddard.

Chas. Jacobs, of Shingle House, cousin of deceased, was in attendance. J. B. Donavon, of Millport, Pa., (cousin) arrived yesterday and remains for funeral.

Wedding Party.

A wedding party came to Emporium yesterday from Dents Run and stopped at the Warner House until the Buffalo mail departed. The party was composed of Rev. S. L. Frazier, of Canada, and bride, Miss Susie Johnson, who were united in marriage at the home of the bride in Dents Run yesterday morning by Rev. S. Ebersole, who accompanied the party to this place. Rev. Frazier and bride will reside in Knox, North Dakota. Others of the party were: Miss Zena Frazier, Montreal, Canada; E. T. Johnson, Jennie Marion, Dents Run; Misses Clara Wilson and Clara Leggett, Benetette.

Horses Killed.

Norris & Farley lost a valuable team of horses last Friday at Sizerville crossing, the Buffalo Flyer striking them. Mr. Norris informs the Press they were their best team.

McKinleys Will Go Home.

Mrs. McKinley has so far recovered from her recent serious illness as to allow of her removal to Washington, and the trip will be made on Saturday.

Injured While Playing.

This morning, while playing with some children in the neighborhood, Fred Tompkins' little son George fell against a window pane, cutting a deep gash in his head. Dr. Bardwell dressed the injury.

Important Purchase.

W. D. Johnson, the lumberman, has purchased the timber on the Sinnemahoning Iron Company's lands, on the south side of river from Emporium to Sterling Run, and has commenced active operations on Canoe Run, where he has already built a camp and placed about fifty men. Mr. Johnson will erect a mill near the timber. He's a hustler, sure enough.

Is There a God or no God?

The great Christian book containing Rev. Lambert's Famous Answers to Bob Ingersoll is the grandest piece of reading that ever came to Emporium. It is highly recommended by McKinley, Bryan and all the leading public men as being the greatest literary treat of the nineteenth century. All of Ingersoll's arguments against the Bible are successfully refuted in this book which costs only 35 cents. Tell your wife to get it when the agent calls at your home. Every Christian family should have a copy. Don't miss this rare treat.

League Anniversary.

The Epworth League Chapter at this place celebrated the twelfth anniversary of that institution, Sunday evening last. Between five and six hundred people gathered in the auditorium of the Methodist Episcopal Church to witness the rendition of an elaborate program. The Junior Department excelled all former efforts. Prof. Stonffer, Millville, N. J., made a very pointed and elevating address which was well received by all. The League orchestra was ably assisted by Mr. Sprout and Mr. Bowers now of this place and members of the orchestra. The decorations were not extravagant but beautiful and tastily arranged. Many of those present expressed themselves as delighted with the exercises.

WEATHER REPORT.

(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)
FRIDAY, Showers.
SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY, Fair.

BRIEF MENTION.

The Pennsylvania R. R. Co., will build an \$18,000 depot at Olean.

The night school is well patronized and is a capital idea. There is now 57 scholars in attendance.

Vice-President Roosevelt and party passed through Emporium on Tuesday on their return from Buffalo.

Williamsport capitalists headed by J. Henry Cochran will build a trolley line from that city to Lock Haven.

Switchman Mooney, of Olean, was found dead in the yard Tuesday morning, having evidently been struck by a train during the night.

The Emporium Lumber Company has purchased the A. G. Lyman mill at Austin, consideration \$100,000. They will also rebuild the mill at Keating Summit.

The Bellefonte business man who is advertising for a "well built" wife must be looking for some one to chop the wood in the morning and make a living for the family over the wash tub.—Ex.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Baptist Church will hold a sale of cakes, cookies, baked beans, etc., in the basement of the church on Saturday afternoon, June 1, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Special orders should be left with Mrs. F. T. Beers not later than the preceding Thursday.

An exchange says that any person who shall knowingly conceal or enclose any matter of a higher class in that of a lower class, and deposit or cause the same to be deposited for conveyance by mail, at a less rate than would be charged for both such higher and lower class matter, shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty of \$10.

The missionary meeting of the Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Society will be held in the mission hall Tuesday eve, May 28, at 7:30 o'clock. The program will consist of exercises by the children—recitations, dialogues, songs, etc.—followed by a brief missionary address. All are cordially invited.

The Bradford Era of Friday says: A few years ago Al Smathers was a plain pumper of oil wells in Bradford. Now he is a plutocrat of the first class and makes fortunes in a day. Smathers is clever and has inside information. The New York Journal says that he has won out \$700,000 on the Northern Pacific flurry.

As the years go by it is pleasing to note that more farmers write letters on printed letter heads, and have their cards and envelopes. It was once thought that no one could do this unless he was engaged in the production of some specialty or breeding some pure blood farm stock. No one believes that now. Every farmer and every household from which any correspondence is done should have printed note heads and envelopes, no matter how few the letters written. It costs so very little more than the blank paper that all can afford it, and the benefits more than counterbalance the small additional outlay.

Sad News.

Mrs. Lodge Morgan, who has been visiting at the home of J. D. Bell for some weeks, on Tuesday received a telegram from Kansas informing her of the sudden death of her husband. She left on Flyer yesterday morning. The news was a great shock to the wife, who heard but a few days ago from her husband, who only complained of sore throat. The afflicted wife is left with a little babe only a few weeks old.

Italian Killed.

Last Thursday, Francisco Poci, aged 18 years, who is employed on the Driftwood work train, was killed at Sterling Run. He was riding with his feet hanging down, when a bridge caught him and pulled him under the car rolling him the entire length of the bridge. Coroner Baker was sent for but found it not necessary to hold inquest.

The Commencement.

The Commencement exercises of High School last Friday evening at the opera house was largely attended and passed off pleasantly. L. K. Huntington, President of School Board presented the graduates with diplomas. The music rendered upon this occasion was furnished by the Germania Orchestra of Lock Haven.

If you want to Buy Anything,—
Advertise in the Press

Spring Announcement.

Spring Dress Goods.

We have a very fine line of Dress Goods for this spring's trade, and the price is very low, considering quality of the goods. It is neither wise nor economical to buy cheap dress goods, for they always look cheap and won't stand much wear and tear.

Shirt Waists.

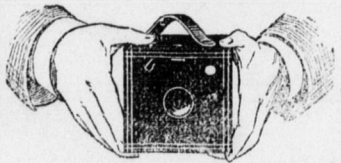
The freshness of the designs is very interesting and are admired by all who have seen them. They are well made and the latest style.

Lace Curtains.

Our Curtain stock is very large and our prices are very low. We have held the curtain trade of the town this spring and will continue to hold it if prices count for anything.

M. C. TULIS.

EASTMAN'S KODAK



"A Dollar Saved, is a Dollar Earned."

We can save you lots of dollars by buying your Wall Paper, Curtains and Paints of us.

H. S. LLOYD.

You can carry it in your hands, on your shoulder, in your pocket or on your bicycle. You press the button and the Kodak will do the rest.