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## Business Cards.

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

**J. C. JOHNSON,**  
JOHNSON & McNARNEY,  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW  
Emporium, Pa.  
Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-ly.

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

**HOMAS 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. 48ly

**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 stumps, 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-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-lyr

**ST. CHARLES HOTEL,**  
THOS. J. 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. 27-17ly

**MAY GOULD,**  
TEACHER OF  
PIANO, HARMONY AND THEORY.  
Also dealer 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 anaesthetics administered for the painless extraction of teeth.  
SPECIALTY:—Preservation of natural teeth, including Crown and Bridge Work.

## Public Sale of Real Estate

The following described premises will be offered at public sale on  
**FRIDAY, JULY 12, 1901,**  
AT 2:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Sale to be on the respective premises, and the properties to be positively sold to the highest bidder. The purpose of the sale to settle an estate.

**TERMS**—One hundred dollars when bid is accepted, and balance of one-fourth of purchase price upon delivery of deed, balance to be paid in four equal annual payments, with interest, to be secured by bond, and mortgage on premises, and the buildings thereon to be insured payable to Hyde, Murphy & Co., as their interest may appear.

**ALL** that certain lot 50 feet front by 160 feet deep, on the north side of West Allegheny avenue, having erected thereon one new two-story frame dwelling house, with water and gas connections and all modern improvements, with the necessary outbuildings, and sidewalks, shade and fruit trees.

**Also** all that certain property known as the "I. L. Craven Homestead", having erected thereon one large frame house, with out-kitchens, wood-houses, store rooms, pantries, and porches, large verandas extend around two sides of the house with upper and lower floors, driven wells of excellent water, in kitchen and on porch, city water and gas, large frame barn and other out-buildings, about one hundred choice fruit trees, grapes and small fruits in abundance, a fine garden and shade and ornamental trees and shrubs. This property is situated on an eminence just over the Driftwood Creek, overlooking the town of Emporium, and is one of the finest residence locations in the county.

**Also** all that certain lot situate on the corner of Fourth and Vine streets, being 100 feet front on Fourth street, 100 feet deep, and having erected thereon one two-story frame dwelling house 18x28 feet, with two story wing 14 x 16 feet, one story kitchen 12 x 14 feet, bay window on east side, with usual outbuildings. Fitted with city water and gas, yard has several fruit trees and good fence surrounding it.

**Also** all that certain lot situate on the east side of Vine street, just north and adjoining the last mentioned lot, being 50 feet front on Vine street and 100 feet deep, having erected thereon, fronting Vine street, one two-story frame dwelling house 16 x 24 feet with two story wing 12 x 16 feet, one and one-half story kitchen 11x20 feet, and usual outbuildings. Fitted with city water and natural gas. Also frame barn 16 x 20 feet. Yard has several fruit trees and good fence surrounding it.

All of the above properties are in good condition, recently painted, and sidewalks in good repair. All to be sold at auction on the date mentioned above.

HYDE, MURPHY & CO.  
GREEN & SHAEFFER,  
Attorneys.

## Former Cameronites.

We notice in that excellent journal, the Punksatuney Spirit, published by our modest friend, Col. W. O. Smith, several items that will interest our readers, inasmuch as the parties referred to formerly resided in this county: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Klock are visiting the Pan-American Exposition this week.... Mrs. M. O'Conner, of this place, was called home to Franklinsville, N. Y., recently, on account of the death of her father.... Josiah Fink, father of J. H. Fink, was quite severely hurt last Thursday. He was driving under a trestle, which was too low to permit him to pass through, and was caught and badly squeezed. He fainted from the shock and was unconscious for some time. Mr. Fink is 72 years old, but is vigorous and active.... On Monday Mike O'Connor shipped to Philadelphia from his private zoo at this place, two large wild cats which, when in good condition, would weigh 40 pounds each, and one albino ground hog. The ground hog is a remarkable specimen, being perfectly white, with pink eyes, and thoroughly domesticated. As a weather prognosticator the white ground hog excels the ordinary woodchuck as much as the white elephant exceeds the brown ones in the quality of departed souls which inhabit it. According to the Hindu doctrine of transmigration only the souls of good kings and princes animate the white elephant.

## Disgraceful Fight.

Last Saturday afternoon between five and six o'clock one John Williams became involved in an altercation with John Costello, proprietor of the Eagle Hotel, over the payment of some drinks, which resulted in a fight, during which Mr. Costello received a severe blow in the face. He immediately summoned chief of police Mundy and he proceeded to arrest Williams, who resisted arrest and in the melee that ensued policeman Mundy was obliged to call on three of our citizens to assist in subduing Williams. He was given a hearing before magistrate Hackett who committed him to jail. It seems that this man Williams is a member of a well organized gang of "toughs" who are endeavoring to jeopardize the peace of this and surrounding communities by engaging in brawls and street fights and it would be well if he and his companions were given a lengthy term behind the bars.

## Fell Dead While Filing a Saw.

A woodsman by the name of James Johnson, who came here from Trout Run recently and was employed in the woods at Cooks Run on C. B. Howard Company's job, expired suddenly on Sunday morning while in the act of filing a cross-cut saw at DeLong's camp.

The deceased leaves two brothers and a sister to survive him but as their residence could not be ascertained, the remains were interred in Newton Cemetery, Tuesday, proper burial being given the deceased by his employers the C. B. Howard Company.

## Pennsylvania Railroad Special Rates to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

During the continuance of the Pan American Exposition, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from Emporium to Buffalo and Niagara Falls at the following rates:

5 Day Limit, sold Tuesdays and Saturdays, not good in parlor or sleeping cars.....	\$3 50	\$4 10
10 day limit, good in parlor or sleeping cars.....	5 45	5 55
Season, final limit November 30, 1901 6 35	6 35	6 35

Additional information may be obtained upon application to ticket agents. 15-3t

## Big Freight Money.

Emporium is now the largest freight paying station, between Harrisburg and Erie, the Pennsylvania Railroad receiving more money from this point than any other between Harrisburg and Erie. Of course the enormous amount of freight received by Emporium Iron Company is the cause of the rapid increase.

## Houses in Demand.

The demand for dwelling houses in Emporium is larger every day and not a house to be had. Hardly a day passes but some person calls at the Press office in search of a "house for rent."

## Arm Broken.

Little Miss Rena Clare, daughter of Mr. Clare, who works in the Keystone Powder Company plant, had the misfortune to fall a few days ago, breaking her right arm. Dr. Heilman reduced the fracture.

## Kept Busy.

Chief of police Mundy has been kept busy of late in the East Ward, the floating population of that end of the city being more or less noisy and disorderly. Owing to his vigilance eight unfortunates spent Sunday in the "coop."

## Children's Day.

The Presbyterian church was crowded with an appreciative audience Sunday evening, that had assembled to listen to the annual children's day services. An especially fine program had been prepared for the occasion and it was rendered in a highly creditable manner by the members of the Sunday school.

## Moving an Old Landmark.

Contractor J. W. Kriner who has been awarded the contract for the erection of the new Emanuel church at this place is busily engaged in preparing for the removal of the old structure to the rear of the church lot at Corner of Fourth and Walnut streets. This church was erected in 1867 and is the oldest in Emporium.

## Not Good Form.

It is a poor form nowadays to publish a card of thanks to those who have assisted in the care of a friend or relative during his last sickness or have assisted in connection with the obsequies. These are services which need no public acknowledgment. That is all understood and a word of personal thanks, spoken or written, is a much more courteous and appropriate recognition of the helping hand so freely tendered and so deeply appreciated on such occasions than any formal newspaper card.

## Anonymous Writer's Name Desired.

Chief of Police Mundy would be very grateful if the party who wrote him a letter this week, concerning the nuisance occasioned by small boys shooting firecrackers and other explosives on the streets, would kindly furnish him with the writer's name in order that Mr. Mundy may confer with him. Chief Mundy is ready and willing to do all in his power to abate this nuisance and would like to gain the co-operation of the anonymous writer as well as all owners of horses in doing away with the obnoxious practice of snapping explosives on our streets.

## Doing Large Business.

Since the Emporium furnace has been transferred to Mr. A. Brady, one of the best iron masters in the state, it has steadily advanced and is now turning out one thousand tons of pig iron of excellent quality every week. The high reputation of Emporium iron makes it a ready seller and it is almost a daily occurrence to see the iron loaded on cars before it is cold, so eager are the consumers to secure this product. It must be gratifying to Mr. Brady to realize that Emporium furnace is doing a larger and better business than at any time since its erection. The reputation of this iron is good with the trade, and the future of this industry seems assured, as long as the prosperity of the country continues, and that seems assured for some years.

## In Critical Condition.

John Gayney, of this place, who has been staying in Philadelphia since last April, where he is receiving medical treatment, has been located in Pennsylvania Hospital. Jos. Freindel and W. L. Thomas went to Philadelphia last Saturday to investigate his condition, returning home yesterday morning. Mr. Gayney is in a very precarious condition and his recovery is exceedingly doubtful. His disease is of a cancerous nature.

## Notes and News.

Gov. Stone has signed the bill empowering the president of councils to act in the absence of a burgess.

From all reports Emporium needs a whipping post very much, at present.

Franklin Housler has repainted his residence, corner Maple and Fifth streets.

The Emporium base ball team will play at Coudersport on the Fourth of July.

Peter Schweikart has greatly improved the outside appearance of his store building by a new coat of paint.

Why don't some one build a number of houses that will rent at a reasonable rate. There is a large demand for tenement houses.

A musical cigarette box is said to be the latest thing out. Every time you open the box and take a cigarette out it plays "Nearer, My God to Thee."

The new stone pavement in front of the M. E. church was completed last Saturday. Laying of the walk was supervised by Peter Schweikart and is a fine piece of work.

Philadelphia wants the Delaware deepened so that vessels drawing 30 feet can reach the port. This clamor for more water comes with singular grace from a people who are persistently complaining of what water they have.

While cutting a popular at his sawmill in Lee county, Va., C. R. Kesterton found an auger hole plugged by a pin. On removing the pin he found in the hole five \$20 gold pieces bearing dates between 1850 and 1860. The coins are supposed to have been hid there for safe keeping during the Civil War.

A Georgia editor announced in his publication that he had been kissed by the most beautiful lady in the town, and that in a few days he would print her name. During these few days, as the story goes, the number of subscribers to his paper was doubled. And when he announced that the lady was his wife the new subscribers realized that gold bricks are sold outside of New York city.

Give house to house peddlers the cold shake. Their interests are of no concern of yours. They take your money out of town and leave none, they have no business reputation to sustain and are more likely to skin you than not, there is absolutely no advantage in buying from a peddler. There is no article they sell that cannot be bought as cheap from our home merchants who pay taxes and help build up the town. This advice will apply equally as well to home merchants, who occasionally place their orders with some cheap traveler, soliciting job printing.

## War With Italy.

Yesterday evening a number of Italians came to Emporium from down the line and not being used to our brand of liquors evidently got too much. Policeman Beattie attempted to stop a row when one of them fought the officer but a good "feeler" from Peter's club laid him out. This caused another howl from the infuriated gang and for a minute or two it was lively times. One Italian pulled a knife and made for Policeman Beattie and Councilman Balcom, but Frank did not do a thing but crack his heels in the air, and assisted Mr. Beattie in locking them both up for the night.

## Literary Prize Contest.

Answer to question No. 3: Menendez landed fifteen hundred Spanish colonists on the coast of Florida in 1565; and they planted the oldest church in what is now the United States, at St. Augustine. The old cathedral and fort were built of coquina. Native Indians and Mexican convicts were forced to do the labor, and it took one hundred years to complete the fort, which was said to be the prettiest fortress in the King of Spain's dominions. The antique cathedral burned down a few years ago.

Query No. 4: What famous toast did Benjamin Franklin make when representing the infant American Republic at a diplomatic dinner?

The books in the Emanuel Reading Room are the generous gift of a generous man to the public. There is no charge for consulting them. This statement is made because an erroneous idea prevails that one cannot consult the library without paying a fee. Study the books freely for answers to questions in the Literary Contest. Send your answers to box 163, Emporium, Pa. An answer went astray, last week, through omitting the number of the box.

## Card of Thanks.

Please convey my heartfelt thanks to those kind neighbors and dear children who assisted me during the illness of my beloved son, RICHARD LEWIS POLLARD, also for their kindness after his death.

MRS. E. L. POLLARD.

**WEATHER REPORT.**  
(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)  
**FRIDAY,** Local showers.  
**SATURDAY,** Local showers.  
**SUNDAY,** Fair.

## LOCAL NOTICES.

Subscribe for the PRESS; only \$1.50 a year in advance.

All kinds and grades of carpets at LaBar's.

A good building lot on Fifth street, for sale. Apply at this office. 7-1f

**TO LADIES:**—Be sure and see the children's summer hats at Mrs. Bardwell's, at from 25c to \$1.00 each.

N. Seger has the largest and best line of summer clothing in the county. Call and examine.

Rich and poor can be suited with carpets at LaBar's.

Canned Pine Apple in chunks, packed in Singapore, at Balcom & Lloyd's.

New stock of Window Shades in all grades and prices at H. S. Lloyd's.

See those Wilton velvet and Axminster carpets in LaBar's window.

N. Seger is offering some wonderful bargains in gents furnishing goods.

Gloss enamel paints and varnish stains to match your wall paper, at H. S. Lloyd's.

Large stock of Wall Paper at 3c per roll and border at 1c per yard at H. S. Lloyd's.

If you want good quality and a neat fitting suit, N. Seger's is the place to buy it.

Just received at Balcom & Lloyd's "Salada" Ceylon Tea. Wholesome and delicious.

Zinc and Grinding Make Devoo Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand.

If you want bargains in clothing at any time, call on N. Seger. Everyday is bargain day at his store.

We can convince you of a saving on wall paper of from 25 to 50 per cent. Examine our stock and get our prices. H. S. LLOYD.

We buy our wall paper direct from the factory and thereby save the jobber's profit. We give this profit to you when you buy your wall paper of us. H. S. LLOYD.

N. Seger has a very handsome line of negligee shirts and the prices they are offered at are moving them very rapidly. Call and see them.

**CARPETS—CARPETS.**—Ninety different patterns to choose from. All new and up-to-date. Call in and see them whether you want to buy or not; no trouble to show goods. GEO. J. LaBAR

While you are in town on show day don't fail to drop in and see N. Seger. You will be sure to find what you want in the clothing line, at a reasonable figure and at the same time receive very pleasant treatment.

Wall paper at 5c the double roll at Taggart's. When the peddlers call with their samples refer them to above prices.

Granite wall paper in three shades at Taggart's at six and one-half cents per double roll. Ask the paper peddlers to furnish you paper at above prices and they will get out of your house too quick.

**SHAW'S PURE MALT.**—When you are tired of nostrums and ready to "throw physic to the dogs, try SHAW'S PURE MALT, and "life will be worth living." Absolutely pure. Sold by E. X. Blumie, Emporium, Pa. n2-yl

**WANTED:**—An up-to-date man for manager and general agent of this County by the FIDELITY MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA. Salary and commissions to right man. Address, with references, F. M. WHEATON, 112 N. Broad St., Philadelphia. 16-3t

**ROOF PAINT:**—F. H. Pearsall has the agency for the popular Gutta Percha Roof Paint and is prepared to give you estimate on tin, iron or shingle roof work. Strictly first-class—no gas tar mixture. 16-4t

**GOOD COWS:**—Two good milk cows for sale at a bargain. Apply to Chas. C. McLaughlin, Beechwood, Pa. 1f

**Teachers' Examinations,**  
Teachers will bear in mind that examinations will be held at Emporium, Saturday, June 29th.

**APRON SALE:**—Class number 10 of the M. E. Sunday School will have an "Apron Sale" on Thursday afternoon on June 27 in H. S. Lloyd's store room in the Barget block. The proceeds are to be applied on the Church debt. The young ladies will greatly appreciate the patronage of the people.

**WILL SELL:**—I have for sale, double, or single, a pair of good, handy, all-around work horses. 15-1f

FRANK SHIVES.

The Place to Buy Cheap  
—IS AT—  
**J. F. PARSONS.**

## WALL PAPER!

We have as fine a stock of wall paper as can be found in this county. The designs are all this spring's styles and the prices we are offering these handsome prints are wonderfully low. We are determined to dispose of this stock.

## CARPETS AND MATTINGS.

It is time to replace that old carpet of yours with a new one. Our line of carpets is the most handsome we have ever had and are admired by all who have seen them. We have held the carpet trade of this county for a number of years and our low prices and fair treatment have been steadily making this store the most popular.

We also have a very pretty line of mattings.

## LACE CURTAINS.

Although the spring season has been somewhat late this year, our sale of curtains has been large. We have some excellent values yet in stock. All wishing good curtains at a low price should call.

**M. C. TULIS.**



**"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.**