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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.
12-17-19

J. C. JOHNSON, J. P. McNARNEY,
JOHNSON & McNARNEY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Emporium, Pa.
Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them.
16-17-19

MICHAEL BRENNAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Emporium, Pa.
Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent.
35-17-19

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.
48-17-19

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.
48-17-19

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, and parties desiring either to buy or sell will do well to call on me.
F. D. LEET.
30-17-19

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.
30-17-19

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.
no 27-17-19 Wm. McDONALD.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL,
THOS. J. LYSETT, 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.
27-17-19

MAY GOULD, TEACHER OF PIANO, HARMONY AND THEORY.
Also dealer in all the popular sheet music, Emporium, Pa.
Scholars 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.
27-17-19

F. C. RIECK, D. D. S., DENTIST.
Office over Towner'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.
27-17-19

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 at 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.

Political Announcements.

All Announcements under this head must be signed by the candidate and paid in advance to insure publication.

STATE DELEGATE.

Editor Press:—Please announce my name as a candidate for Delegate to State Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
E. W. GASKILL.
Shippen, Pa., July 15th, 1901.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

Editor Press:—Please announce my name as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
GEO. A. WALKER.
Emporium, Pa., July 15th, 1901.

COUNTY TREASURER.

Editor Press:—Please announce my name as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
ELIHU CHADWICK.
Shippen, Pa., July 15th, 1901.

Editor Press:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Cameron County Republican Convention.
WALTER YOTHERS.
Driftwood, Pa., July 15th, 1901.

Literary Prize Contest.

Answer to question number six:—Sir Walter Scott had never seen Melrose Abbey by moonlight when he wrote the lines referred to. Upon being requested to sign his autograph to the couplet, he wrote instead:—

"Then go and meditate with awe
On things the author never saw;
Who never wandered by the moon,
To see what could be seen by noon."

Query No. 7: Seven Grecian cities contended for the honor of the birthplace of a poet. What was his name?

NOTE:—An author gets inured to seeing grammatical errors, and even misspellings in printed versions of manuscript; but when the typo substitutes "sites" for "cities" it is confusing to the reader, as well as exasperating to the writer. Address answers to question to Box 163, Emporium, Pa.

Church Fair and Festivals.

The Ladies of Presbyterian church will serve ice cream and cake, Friday evening, 19th, on the lawn at Mrs. F. A. Hill's on Sixth street. The public cordially invited.

The Junior Y. P. C. E., of the Presbyterian church will hold a fair in the Lloyd rooms on Wednesday afternoon and evening, July 31st. Come and see us and give us your liberal patronage. Don't forget the date.

An Ice Cream Sale will be held on the lawn of Mr. George Metzger, Sr., Thursday evening of this week. Proceeds for the benefit of Methodist Episcopal Church. Attendance of the public kindly solicited.

The political pot has commenced to boil and candidates are coming to the front. See announcements under proper head.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

SMITH.

ISAAC SMITH, Sr., who for many years has been confined in the Danville Insane Asylum, died July 10th, in his 79th year. His remains were brought to Driftwood last Saturday for burial. He will be remembered by many of our citizens.

Big Lake Trout.

P. & E. passenger conductor S. B. Burr, recently presented his friend W. D. Johnson, of this place, with a large lake trout that weighed 28 pounds dressed. It was a beauty and delighted Mr. Johnson.

A New Humorist.

Mr. J. W. Kriner has just appeared in a new role, that of humorist. Having been annoyed by boys standing on the piles of earth thrown up from the excavations for the foundation of the new Emmanuel church, he has had a notice posted which reads, "Please keep off the earth."

Very Commendable Act.

John Cavanaugh, who recently met with a severe loss in the destruction of his home and a portion of his household goods and clothing, by fire, has been handsomely remembered by his fellow laborers in Howard's mill. They presented him with a check for \$105.00. Mr. Cavanaugh is a hard working and deserving young man, having recently met with the loss of several fingers and now being visited by the fire demon, the very commendable act will no doubt be appreciated.

Emporium School Board.

At a special meeting of Emporium school board held last Monday evening, the engaging of teachers for next term was completed. The following are the teachers employed:

- Prof. C. P. Bastian, Principal.
- Miss Helen Van Valkenburg, Ass't.
- COLUMBIAN BUILDING.
- Grammar—Prof. S. A. Hetrick of Summerville, Pa.
- B Intermediate—Miss Mame Cleary.
- A Primary—Miss Nettie Moore.
- 1st B Primary—Miss Blanche Ludlum.
- 2nd B Primary—Miss Rose Ritchie.
- EAST WARD BUILDING.
- A Intermediate—Miss Mary Robinson.
- B Intermediate—Miss Cora Barker.
- A Primary—Miss Claudia Roberts, of Lock Haven Normal.
- B Primary—Miss Rose Bair.
- Kindergarten—Miss Nina Bryan.

The fall and winter term of school will commence Sept 2d.

Taken to Warren.

Mrs. John Blinzler, wife of our hard working and industrious drayman, was taken to Warren Insane Hospital last Monday morning. Mrs. Blinzler has been afflicted during the past two years and after consulting eminent specialists it was found absolutely necessary to place her at Warren, where it is hoped she may receive relief, if not be permanently cured.

Special Excursion to Pan-American Exposition via Pennsylvania Railroad.

On account of Eagle Day at the Pan-American Exposition, Friday, July 19, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell special excursion tickets on that date from Emporium good going on any regular train on July 19, and good to return on any regular train within five days, including date of excursion, at rate of \$3.60. These tickets will not be good for passage in parlor or sleeping cars in either direction. 2028-1t

Miss Edna Anchu gives a picnic this afternoon, at Riverside Park, to a number of lady and gentlemen friends, numbering about forty.

BRIEF MENTION.

The Olean races will take place August 6th, 7, 8 and 9th.

The explosion of a river excursion boat at Sunbury, last Saturday resulted in the death of three persons and injury of four.

Wm. McGee, proprietor of the City hotel is making a noticeable improvement in front of that popular house.

Howard C. Benham of Batavia, once committed and once acquitted of wife murder, died of typhoid fever in the hospital at Columbus, Ohio, on Sunday.

Eleven prisoners are now confined in the county jail and if more are committed Sheriff Swope will be puzzled to find room. Court will not be held until October.

The DuBois Courier says that the next Congressman in the new Congressional district will be furnished by Clearfield county. "This is so sudden," that the proposal seems like a joke.—Bradford Era.

Janitor Barker has a gentleman's belt, found in the rear of the court house that he would be pleased to deliver to the owner. His collection of curios are unique.

The county commissioners of Potter county have placed seats on the court house lawn. Why do not our officials do likewise and furnish our citizens a comfortable resort these warm days?

On Tuesday, Floyd, the three year old son of Marcus Taylor of Fifth street, while playing about the stove, was severely burned. The little fellow turned on the gas and then lit a match and threw it into the stove when an explosion followed, with the above results.

The will of Mrs. Harriet B. Cooper, filed in New York city on Wednesday, bequeaths all of her property, valued at \$8,000 to her mother, with the exception of \$5.00, which she leaves to her husband, whom she designates as "the best of men and amply able to make a living for himself."

The new congressional district in which McKean county is placed has a population of 181,899, distributed by counties as follows: Clearfield, 80,614; Centre, 42,894; Cameron, 7,048; McKean, 51,343. McKinley's majorities in the same last year were: Clearfield, 1599; Centre, 345; Cameron, 457; McKean, 2,892. Total, 5,583.

Last Friday afternoon the house of John Cavanaugh, on Clear Creek, was discovered to be on fire by men, who hurried to the scene and lent their assistance. The house was completely destroyed, also quite a lot of furnishings. Mrs. Cavanaugh being sick at the time, was taken to a neighbor's. They are now comfortably located in one of Mark Wright's houses.

Through the generosity of State Senator J. Henry Cochran, of Williamsport, says an exchange, the Rev. George C. Foley, pastor of the Trinity Episcopal church of that city, will make a tour of Europe. Mr. Cochran has presented the reverend gentleman with a letter of credit for \$2,500 and a substantial check beside.

All the passenger cars on the Pennsylvania railroad are about to be fitted with windows that will open automatically by the slight pressure of a spring. Those who have wrestled with the "burglarproof" windows of the average train in midsummer, will readily admit that a lot of profanity will be averted by this most simple and much desired device.

The jay who sees a young man in evening clothes with his head harnessed in a collar four inches high, laughs aloud at the folly of the dandy, and the dandy whose neck is held in one position by his collar, sees in the collarless jay an unkempt fool. Educated opinion waxes condescending to the ignorant fool out west, and the westerner refers to the superior person in the east as a bigoted fool. And so all men are happy, thinking that the others are fools—and who is the fool anyway.—Ex.

Escaped Prisoner Force Captured and Returned to Emporium Jail Yesterday Morning.

Last Saturday afternoon, about four o'clock, Alva Force, better known as "Jack the Ripper," hailing from Lock-Haven, who was committed to jail for robbing the depot at Driftwood, managed to crawl through the small opening in the jail door and made his escape. Sheriff Swope telegraphed all over the country, giving a description of the prisoner, and on Tuesday received a telegram from the chief of police at Philadelphia informing him that Force was there, locked up, awaiting his pleasure. Deputy Sheriff Hemphill left on Buffalo Flyer Tuesday noon and returned to Emporium on Flyer, Wednesday morning with the culprit. This was wonderfully quick time, although Harry is known for his quick work when he gets after his man.

The following account of the capture we copy from Tuesday's Philadelphia North American:

A dejected young man sat in his cell in the police station at Tenth and Thompson streets last night, looking at the picture of a pretty girl, the only thing which might give him comfort in his cheerless prison. He has been persecuted by jealous rivals, he says, because this girl favored him. He was sent to jail, but escaped; came to Philadelphia, incautiously celebrated his return to freedom, was pursued through the streets and captured by the police; then, just as he was about to be released, was recognized as the jail breaker and locked up. No wonder he was dejected.

This youth of many adventures is Albert Force, of Lock Haven, Pa. He is 19 years old. Edna Lamb, the pretty girl, is 18; but the story of the Lock Haven idyl may follow the story of the unhappy finale in Philadelphia.

CROWD CRIES "STOP THIEF."
Young Mr. Force came into public notice yesterday afternoon near Twelfth street and Girard avenue, when he fled up the avenue half a block in front of a crowd. Cries of "stop thief" were raised, although without reason, however, and Policeman Anderson joined the chase and captured the fugitive. Leading the pursuers was William Armstrong, of 1315 Rush street. Anderson took his prisoner by the arm and ordered Armstrong to follow them to the police station.

Armstrong told his story with some difficulty. He had met the prisoner in a saloon, he said, and had joined him in several drinks. Then they passed to other resorts, where the stranger continued to buy refreshments liberally. In a communicative moment he showed Armstrong, that person said, a scar which he declared was made by a detective's bullet.

Altogether Armstrong was so interested in his new acquaintance that he refused to consent to part from him. The stranger insisted, even to the point of running. Whereupon Armstrong gave chase, and the arrest resulted.

RECOGNIZES A JAIL BREAKER.

As both men were under the influence of liquor Sergeant Schaeffer had a hard time in getting the story accurately. And when he did he did not know what to do. Armstrong could not make a definite charge, and the prisoner, who said his name was Earnest Ryan, asked pointedly why he was being detained. Schaeffer was just about to release him, when he recalled that a young man named Force, whose description seemed to fit Ryan, had escaped from jail in Emporium, Pa. So he ordered the men put in separate cells, and then questioned the suspect, who soon admitted that he was the fugitive.

"I left jail in Emporium last Saturday," he said, "and will not go back alive. I was a bad boy in Lock Haven, but I never did the things they said I did."

"Some men there were jealous of me because Edna Lamb was in love with me. They tried to get her to 'shake' me, but she wouldn't do it. Here is her picture. She is a great girl."

WHY RYAN LEFT TOWN.

"I got into trouble when I sold a bicycle for a man for \$20 and then got drunk and lost the money. He was going to have me arrested, and I left town. While I was away the freight station was broken into and robbed, and I was arrested. But I had nothing to do with it. I was sent to the jail at Emporium."

"Why did you break jail if you were innocent?" was asked.
"I didn't break jail," said Force. "The cell was fixed so I could get away. The bars were sawed part way through, and all I had to do was to push them out and get away. Then I came to Philadelphia, and here I am again."

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

LOCAL NOTICES.

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

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

The largest assortment of summer clothing in the county at N. Seger's.

All kinds and grades of carpets at LaBar'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.

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

Large stock of Wall Paper at 5c per roll and border at 1 1/2c per yard at H. S. Lloyd's.

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

Summer clothing at N. Seger's in great variety and at reasonable prices.

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

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

This hot, sultry weather one can find comfort in summer clothing, such as N. Seger handles. The best at the lowest prices.

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

You should call on N. Seger, the clothier when in need of goods in the clothing and furnishing line. You are always sure to find what you want and are more stylishly dressed.

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

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.

We have the largest line of summer clothing to be found in this section of the state and for the remainder of the season we will offer extraordinary inducements in this line.
N. SEGER.

SHAW'S PURE MALT—Its value in sickness has been tried and proved. In the home it is not safe to be without it. Absolutely pure.
Sold by F. X. Blumle, Emporium, Pa. n2-yf

Established Business For Sale.
On account of the death of one of the firm the well-known hardware business of Walker, Howard & Company, at Emporium, Pa., is offered for sale, including stock and building or to suit purchaser. Apply to
WALKER, HOWARD & Co.,
Stl. Emporium, Pa.

REDUCED RATES TO THE SEASHORE.

Annual Low-Rate Excursions to Atlantic City, Cape May, etc., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has arranged for four low-rate fifteen-day excursions for the present season from Erie, Rouseville, Tionesta, Rochester, Bradford, Clermont, DuBois, and principal intermediate stations to Renovo, inclusive, to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Angleness, Wildwood, or Holly Beach, on Thursdays, July 25, August 8, 22, and September 5, 1901.

Excursion tickets, good to return by regular trains within fifteen days, will be sold at very low rates. Tickets to Atlantic City will be sold via the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all rail line, or via Market Street Wharf Philadelphia.

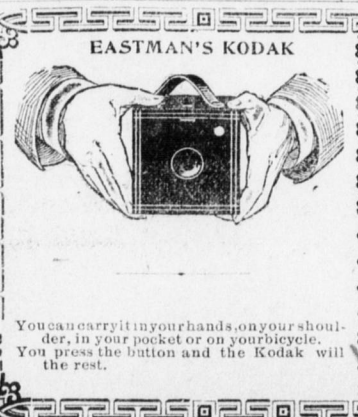
Stop over can be had at Philadelphia, either going or returning.

For information in regard to specific rates and time of trains consult hand bills, apply to ticket agents; E. S. Harrar, Division ticket agent, Williamsport, Pa., or J. A. Fellows, Division Ticket Agent, Buffalo, N. Y.

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LOST—An Elgin movement, open face, gold watch, with my monogram on back. A liberal reward for its return.
CHAS. T. LOGAN.

Undertaker LaBar drove to Driftwood last Saturday and conducted the burial of the late Isaac Smith.



"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.