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Republican County Convention.

In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Republican County Committee, empowering the Chairman to call a Caucus and County Convention, the Republican Primary Elections and County Convention for Cameron county will be held as follows, to-wit:

County Convention.

The Republican County Convention will meet at the Court House, in the Borough of Emporium, on

TUESDAY, SEPT. 17TH, 1901,

at 1:30 o'clock, p. m.,

For the purpose of nominating one person for Associate Judge, one person for County Treasurer, and the nomination of any other officers that may be necessary and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention, and in accordance with the rules, notice is hereby given, that the following named persons have filed in writing, with the said Chairman their intention to be candidates before said Convention:

For Associate Judge,
GEORGE A. WALKER.

For County Treasurer,
ELIHU CHADWICK,
WALTER YOTHERS.

Notice is hereby given that the following amendments to the party rules will be presented to the said Convention for action:

Amend Section 13, page 8, so as to read the time and place for holding the primary election shall be advertised in at least one Republican paper in the county for at least two regular issues prior to the date of closing and filing of nomination papers for Delegates to the County Convention.

B. W. GREEN, Chairman.

Attest—
A. C. BLUM, Secretary.

Republican Primary Election.

The Republican Primary Elections for Cameron county will be held on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 14th, 1901.

Emporium Borough—West Ward, at Opera House, at 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.—5 delegates; Middle Ward, at Court Room, at 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.—4 delegates; East Ward, at Hose House, at 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.—3 delegates.

Portage Township, at Court House, at 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.—7 delegates.

Shippin Township, at Shippin Bath House, at 6:30 to 8:30 p. m.—2 delegates.

Lumber Township, at McConnell's Store, Cameron, from 6:30 to 8:30 p. m.—3 delegates.

Grison Township, at Curtin House, Driftwood, at 2:30 to 4:30 p. m.—4 delegates.

Driftwood Borough, at Curtin House, at 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.—3 delegates.

Grove Township, at Joe M. Shaffer's, from 6:00 to 8:00 p. m.—4 delegates.

By order of County Committee,
B. W. GREEN, Chairman.

Attest—
A. C. BLUM, Sec'y.

Political Announcements.

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

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

Editor Press—
Please announce my name as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
GEORGE 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,
Shippin, 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 17th, 1901.

Allegheny College Gets Money.

The present year surpasses all others in financial prosperity. The college has secured a quarter of a million dollars since January 1st and President Crawford expects one hundred thousand more before the year closes. "Old Allegheny" has a noble history and bright prospects for the future.

Note Lost.

The undersigned lost a note in sum of \$85, drawn in favor of John Kelley, and drawn by Mrs. Effie Faucette. Said note was lost Sept. 5th, the date the note was made.

G. T. DIXON,
Shippin, Pa., Sept. 5th, 1901

REDUCED RATES TO SCRANTON VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

For the meeting of the State League of Republican Clubs, to be held in Scranton, September 17 and 18, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Scranton from all stations on its line in the State of Pennsylvania and from stations on the Belvidere Division, Trenton, Belvidere, inclusive, at the rate of one fare for the round trip (minimum rate, 25 cents). Tickets to be sold and good going September 16, 17, and 18 and to return until September 20, inclusive.

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Zinc and Grinding Machine
Devco Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand.

Letter from a Former Resident of Cameron County.

OSKALOOSA, IOWA, Aug. 2d, 1901.
MR. ALMERON CHAPMAN,
Emporium, Pa.,

DEAR SIR AND BRO.—Your letter of the 26th, ult., was indeed a pleasant surprise. It was pleasant to think that from your boyhood you carried a recollection of the somewhat transient acquaintance I had with your family. But I remember your folks very well, and I think I can yet see the little old church on the hill side there at Pine street. I remember an incident that I think was connected with one of your brothers. I am not quite sure, but I think it was him. He wanted to make a corner cupboard, and did not know exactly how to lay it out, or the proper proportions for it, so he spoke to me about it one day, and I told him I could lay it off for him, which I did, and we both worked at it and finished it up all OK. I expect if that cupboard is in existence yet my name will be found somewhere pencilled on it. I suppose as you say, I would hardly recognize the country now. I remember a place I think just below Pine street where the creek veers to the south, and the road went over the neck of the ridge. I think an old Bro. Wiley, if I have the name right, lived on the farm between the road and the creek, on the bottom. Somehow I discovered one day that the hills south of the creek there were so conformed that the voice was echoed back very clearly to the road. I think I discovered it by happening to be singing as I passed along there. And afterwards I seldom went past there without waking those echoes as I rode by. I have a recollection of a number of incidents of that year. One day in the fall as I was riding over the very rough road across the hills from Karthaus to the First Fork, all of a sudden my horse shied and almost threw me. In a moment I heard a growl and looking around as soon as I could control the horse, there close by the road in the laurel was a mother bear, with two good sized cubs by her side. In the winter, crossing from the Bennet's branch to the river, up west of Caledonia, a snow storm came on. It was snowing before I started, but not fast, but it was over 20 miles without a house across the hills, and after I was on the road awhile it seemed as if the bottom fell out of the clouds. The snow got deep and drifted fast. My horse got wearied and could hardly go, and I thought I would hardly make it. But I came to a log cabin where a settler had begun a clearing in the woods, and I was hardly ever so glad to see a human habitation. I asked if I could have shelter, and the man said if I could put up with what they had I was welcome. So he cared for my beast, and I stayed there about three days before venturing further, and we lived on buckwheat cakes, potatoes without salt, and some very rancid fat bacon.

I have had it in mind some day to take a trip and visit some of those old scenes, but I cannot tell yet when. I was through there once on the cars in the 70's. It was moonlight and I went on the platform at Emporium and rode that way to First Fork, but could see little then that I recognized. Are the Sizers, or any of the old people there yet? There was old Brother Morrison on the creek west of Portage. I used to think much of them. Remember me to your folks and let me hear from you again.

I suppose you remember Brothers Fulton and Pattison, who were with me that year on the work; both are dead. I met Pattison in Chicago at the General Conference of 1868. He then lived in Michigan, but went to Florida and died there. His wife was a Miss Mead, who lived on Bennet's Branch.

Yours,
E. H. WARING.

Rev. Wilford P. Shriner, D. D.

The many friends of the popular pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. Wilford P. Shriner, will rejoice at the marked honor conferred upon him by the American University of Tennessee. That institution, at a meeting of the board of regents held this week, unanimously conferred upon Rev. Shriner the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

This is a remarkable honor to be tendered to so young a man as Dr. Shriner, and certainly is a deserved compliment to his sterling worth and ability. The members of his congregation and the people of Bellefonte in general feel honored and elated at the action taken by the American University of Tennessee.—Bellefonte Daily News.

If you want a Boarder, advertise in the PRESS.

Republican Primaries.

Republicans should bear in mind that the Caucus to elect delegates to the Republican County Convention will take place next Saturday, notice of which will be found in another column. Let every Republican attend.

Arm Broken.

Marcus Doud, the handsome East Ward Irishman, had the misfortune to fall down a pair of stairs at Cook's Hotel, last Monday, breaking his left arm. Dr. A. W. Baker was called and reduced the fracture.

Postponed.

We regret to announce that owing to unavoidable circumstances, Miss Almada Larrabee of Port Allegany has been obliged to cancel her date for Emporium. We hope that she will be able to come at some future time.

Literary Prize Contest.

Answer to question number 13: "The glory of a country is its homes, which contain the three elements of national vitality."—Henry Ward Beecher. Query No. 14:—If you were to be deprived of all but three books for a long period of years, what three would furnish the widest information, as well as afford you the most lasting pleasure? Send in your answers and get the prize offered by the Emanuel Free library. Address box 163, Emporium, Pa.

A New Grocery Firm.

The grocery which has been conducted for some time by Geo. W. Gavin in the Gridley block, has sold the business to Orlo Jordan and Jacob Kohl. Mr. Jordan has been employed for the past three years with the Coudersport Store Co., at the tannery and is a popular young business man. Mr. Kohl also lives at West Coudersport. We regret to see Mr. Gavin retire from business yet we bespeak for the new firm a full share of the grocery trade of this city.—Potter Democrat.

BRIEF MENTION.

Our Borough schools are the largest attended in the history of Emporium.

The Bolivar Breeze defines a hobo as a man who changes his address oftener than his shirt.

Tuesday's Flyer west was five hours late, caused by a landslide. It was a fortunate escape.

Beware of the lightning rod agent whose contracts turn up in the shape of promissory notes. He is working in nearby counties.

The ball game between Kane and Emporium resulted in a tie at end of eleventh inning, seven scores being made by each team.

A large force of workmen are engaged laying tracks and excavating for the new \$40,000 mill to be erected by C. B. Howard Company west of town.

Some misguided girls have an idea that to arrange their hair artistically means to wad it up in a criss-cross mop that makes it look like hay that has been tossed together with a pitch-fork.—Ex.

A small boy and girl, six and eight years of age, have been living for more than a month on the state reservation at Niagara Falls, subsisting on the remnants of lunches left by picnickers. They were driven from their home in Buffalo by a cruel stepmother.

The motives behind that so-called "Union" party, which has been hatched out by John Wanamaker in Philadelphia, are so apparent and smell so loud that it is likely to be called the "Onion" party before the campaign gets fairly warmed up.—Franklin News.

Here is a puzzle that puzzles everybody: Take the number of your living brothers, double the amount, add to it three, multiply the result by 5, add to it the number of living sisters, multiply the result by 10, add the number of deaths of brothers and sisters, subtract 150 from the result. The right-hand figure will be the number of deaths, the middle figure the number of living sisters, and the left figure the number of living brothers.

The Rich Lumber company of Graner, near Mt. Jewett, which has nearly cleaned up its timber holdings in this county, is looking about for another field of operations, and next spring will move everything it possesses that is worth moving out of Graner to whatever place it decides to continue the lumber business. It is not unlikely that the company will decide upon a point in the Adirondacks, says the Bradford Star. Graner has a population of 300 or thereabouts, and all in the little town are dependent upon the Rich Lumber company's mill and timber lands for their living. When the company moves out, all of its present employes will move with it, if they so choose.

ADMIT DANGER IS OVER

Physicians Say McKinley's Recovery Is Almost Certain.

Outside Wound Slightly Reopened to Re-
lieve Inflammation Caused By Piece of
Cloth Carried Beneath Skin By Bullet.

President Now Able to Take Nourishment Through the Mouth.

BUFFALO, Sept. 11.—The following bulletin was issued by the president's physicians at 10:30 last night:

The condition of the president is unchanged in all important particulars. His temperature is 100.6; pulse 114; respiration 28.

When the operation was done on Friday last it was thought the bullet had carried with it a short distance beneath the skin a fragment of the president's coat. This foreign material was, of course, removed, but a slight irritation of the tissues was produced, the evidence of which, has appeared only tonight. It has been necessary on account of this slight disturbance to remove a few stitches and partially open the skin wound.

This incident cannot give rise to other complications, but it is communicated to the public as the surgeons in attendance wish to make their bulletins entirely frank. In consequence of this separation of the edges of the surface wound the healing of the same will be somewhat delayed.

The president is now well enough to begin to take nourishment by the mouth in the form of pure beef juice.

P. M. RIXEY,
M. D. MANN,
ROSWELL PARK,
HELMAN MYNTER,
CHARLES M'URBNEY,
GEORGE B. CORTELYOU,

Secretary to the President.

The length of the consultation had created some uneasiness and this was somewhat increased when it was learned that Dr. McBurney, who had intended to leave for Stockbridge, Conn., at 11:20, had missed his train and had decided to remain over until tonight. But the doctor himself did all he could to dispel the idea that the change in his plans portended anything serious.

BUFFALO, Sept. 11.—The corps of eminent surgeons and physicians in attendance upon the wounded president commit themselves without reservation to the opinion that their patient is out of danger and that only the possibility of complications threatens his life.

They do not give assurance of his recovery collectively, over their signatures in an official bulletin—that is more than could be asked in reason. Scientific men, no matter how strong their convictions might be, could not be expected to assume the grave responsibility of officially proclaiming the certainty of the recovery of a man lying on a bed of pain with a bullet hole in his stomach.



LEON CZOLGOSZ.

But they have gone a long way toward it individually and separately. Each of them, with the exception of Dr. Rixey, who did not leave the Millburn residence yesterday, placed himself squarely on record, not privately, to the friends of the president, but publicly, through the agency of the press, that the danger point had passed and that the president would survive the attempt upon his life.

"Of course we will all feel easier when a week has passed" said Dr. McBurney, the dean of the corps. "We would like to see every door locked and double locked but the danger from possible complications is now very remote."

As an evidence of the supreme faith he holds, Dr. McBurney after the morning consultation yesterday, made a trip to Niagara Falls.

The little piece of lead in the muscles of the back is giving the physicians no concern whatever. Unless it should prove troublesome to the president later on he probably will carry this grim souvenir of the anarchist with him to the end of his days. The doctors say that once encysted it can do no harm. Thousands of men are today walking the earth in perfect health with much larger chunks of lead in their loaves. The X-ray machine is ready for instant use, however, and if there is the slightest inflammation or pain in the vicinity of the bullet, an operation will be performed.

President's Recuperative Powers.
The president's physicians have been impressed with his remarkable recuperative powers and the rapidity of his improvement. Ordinarily an incision for such an operation as was performed upon the chief executive should heal

within three weeks but in the president's case it may be strong enough for him to be moved a little sooner.

The president will be taken direct to Washington as soon as it is safe to move him.

Within the sick room many evidences of the president's improvement are apparent. The president himself began to show confidence in his ability to care for himself and from time to time he would carefully turn himself and gain a more restful position. Monday he took the precaution to ask if he might be permitted to move, but now he changes his position at his own volition, without difficulty. The nurses naturally observe with care these evidences of growing strength and courage and are ready to see that there is no undue tax on the president's strength or the straining of the wound. These slight movements from side to side are all that he is attempted thus far and it is too early yet to think of his sitting up in bed or any other marked use of his muscles.

A most important development of the day was a private determination reached among those in charge of the case that food should be administered to the president today by the mouth. Not since the shooting has a morsel of food been given to the president by natural means, but the drain on his system has been met by dissolved foods administered by injection. There has been a period of four days of fasting from ordinary means of nourishment and today is the fifth day. The importance of this feeding by the mouth is that it will restore the normal action of the stomach for the first time since that organ had both its walls pierced by a bullet. The doctors are satisfied that the time has come to renew these normal functions, and the four days which have elapsed since the wounds in the stomach were closed give every assurance that the sutures are sufficiently healed to allow nature to resume her sway.

Although the house was fairly embowered with flowers yesterday, sent as tokens of sympathy and gratitude, none of the sweet scented blossoms were taken to the president's chamber. The most rigid system of simplicity prevails there and sentiment is not allowed to qualify the stern requirements of the case. The only persons admitted to the sick room other than the doctors and attendants are Mrs. McKinley and Secretary Cortelyou.

Visitors Still Excluded.

Although pronounced out of danger no member of the cabinet has yet been within the sickroom nor has the vice president or those closest to the confidence of the president, such as Senator Hanna and Judge Day, seen the president. But these restrictions were established by the doctors merely for the sake of encouraging every particle of energy in the patient, and relatives and friends alike accept the rigorous policy as decidedly for the best. Secretary Cortelyou sees the president much as the doctors and nurses do. There is never a breath of business, public or private, and at no time has there been the slightest reference to anything connected with the president's duties.

Each succeeding bulletin leads to expressions of pleasure from those within the household that the deliberations of so many eminent doctors have been marked by complete unanimity. There has been no division in the councils at any time. Each has loyally seconded the efforts of the others and all have joined in carrying out the masterly work done by Dr. Mann immediately following the shooting.

In referring to this one of the president's associates who was present at the operation said Dr. Mann displayed his consummate skill and calmness by going about the operation as if the patient was a child with a slight complaint. And yet Dr. Mann has since told a friend that when he realized the duty before him, although he had performed hundreds of operations of laparotomy, he would have sacrificed all he possessed to have escaped the terrible responsibility of operating upon the president of the United States.

Exodus of Dignitaries.

The vice president, members of the cabinet, Senator Hanna and the other distinguished friends of the president who have remained here to await the issue, accepted the verdict of the physicians as practically conclusive and there was an exodus of those who considered their presence no longer necessary. Senator Hanna returned to Cleveland on business, to be gone two days and Controller Daves went back to Washington last night. Auner McKinley, the president's brother, will remain a few days longer, but his family have returned home and Mrs. Duncan and several other relatives of the president have gone. Judge Day, long associated with the president, returned to Canton yesterday. The five members of the cabinet still here will remain a few days, rather as friends who have been intimately associated with the president for years than as public officials.

Vice President Roosevelt left the city last night at 9:30 for Oyster Bay, perfectly confident that the president will recover. So confident was he, in fact, that when a question of doubt was put to him he answered it with a parry. He was asked: "Do you remember that President Garfield progressed for 10 days and then just when he was ready to get out he collapsed and finally died?"

Quick as thought the vice president answered: "Ah, but you forget 20 years of modern surgery, of progress. From what I can learn also the Garfield wound was much more serious than the wound of President McKinley. I believe that the president will recover and I hope it so thoroughly that I leave here tonight."

Questioned as to the mode of procedure so far as the state was concerned he said: "I see no need for the calling of an extraordinary grand jury. The grand jury now in session composed of American citizens will undoubtedly take care

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

LATEST OFFICIAL NEWS

Decided Benefit Followed Dressing of the President's Wound.

Anxiety About the President Has Been Dispelled—He is Taking Nourishment—Assassin Can't Sleep.

TUESDAY EVENING.

A few stitches in the abdominal wound were removed on Tuesday evening and the wound partly opened.



PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

The physicians found a slight irritation about the exterior wound, due to a foreign substance, and it was decided to remove that irritation.

The doctors appeared at the house early in the evening at the time for the usual consultation, but it was nearly mid-night before the consultation was finished.

Nothing was heard from the house until 6 a. m. Wednesday when the following bulletin was issued:

"The President passed a very comfortable night. Pulse, 120; temperature 100.2; respiration, 26."

Drs. Rixley and Wasdin and Secretary Cortelyou signed this bulletin.

The irritation was not in any way the result even of a suggestion of blood poisoning, and the physicians declared over their own signatures that it could not result in complications. The opening of the wound was in no sense an operation. Several of the stitches were simply taken out, and after a thorough antiseptic washing of the inflamed tissue, the wound was again sewed up.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 11, 9 a. m.—The President rested comfortably during the night. Decided benefit has followed the dressing of the wound made last night. His stomach tolerates the beef juice well, and it is taken with great satisfaction. His condition this morning is excellent. Pulse, 116; temperature, 100.2.

The above was signed by the six physicians in attendance and George B. Cortelyou, Secretary to the President.

LATEST—At noon to-day, (Thursday) Dr. McBurney says: "The President could not be better under the circumstances. I am sure he will recover."

CZOLGOSZ CAN'T SLEEP.

Czolgosz passed a very restless night. He evidently found it impossible to sleep. He rolled restlessly on his hard bed for a long time and then got up and paced up and down in his narrow cell.

He hardly tasted of his supper last night. Either his splendid appetite had vanished or he deliberately determined not to eat. It was the same this morning when his breakfast was taken to him. He ate a morsel of it and left the rest.

At 8 o'clock he began to walk up and down in his cell. He has refused to talk to his guards. He never says a word to anybody and answers no questions. The police do not know just what to make of this change. It may herald a complete break-down.

No Tattling.

A new act of assembly makes it a misdemeanor for an employe of a telephone or telegraph company to impart to a third person any information he or she may acquire because of his or her position during the transmission of messages. The new law imposes a penalty of \$100 fine and imprisonment for six months or both for such divulgence.—Ex.

Emporiumite Honored.

Gov. Wm. A. Stone on Wednesday tendered to B. W. Green, Esq., of this place, the appointment as member of the Charleston exposition commission. Mr. Green accepted the compliment from his old friend and former neighbor.