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"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

The following lines, written by John P. Coffin, were suggested by the last words of President McKinley:

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: To send across the trackless deep.

The unexplored, wild waters of the sea And plant a nation which should stand for Human Liberty.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: To give his children strength and faith

To brave the terrors of an unknown land,

That with clear conscience they might worship Him,

A faithful band.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: To bring oppression's heavy hand

To uphold the cause of freedom from the King.

And to the Lord alone, their life, their love,

Their tribute bring.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: To form a Nation from the States.

A Nation which shall stand before the world

To uphold the cause of freedom Where'er

Its flag's unfurled.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: Through bloody fratricidal strife.

To free our Nation from its horde of slaves

And bind in closer union o'er two million

Brothers' graves.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: That he who held the helm of State.

When loudly roared the storm of civil strife,

Should by assassin be laid low in Very flush of life.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: When bitter party strife came up.

And rancor swelled its billows wild and high.

He called a halt, through Garfield's death, and

Passed the quarrel by.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: That despot nation should force war.

To bring together those who fought before.

While heart with heart, and hand in hand, they

Both the same flag bore.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: That when peace reigned and war had ceased

That anarchy's uplited hand should fall

On him the people loved, and seemed to need,

The most of all.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: His servant's work on earth was done.

And now, triumphant, he could conquer death,

And fill the world with thoughts of God with his

Last dying breath.

"It Is God's Way; His Will, Not Ours, Be Done."

God's Way: We cannot always read aright,

But still we know His way alone is best,

And those who love, and trust in Him, Forever will be blest.

Ball and Supper.

The Knights of the Golden Eagle will give a Ball also six o'clock and midnight supper on Friday evening, Oct. 4th, 1901, at K. G. E. Hall, Cameron, Pa. Good music has been engaged for dance. The public is cordially invited. Ten cents per set.

MILLINERY OPENING.—Pattern Hats and Millinery Novelties, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 23rd and 27th, 1901.

E. HERTEAU.

That he expects you to look your best when you go out with him.

PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR.

Stricken down in the prime of his usefulness and power by the foul hand of a dastardly degenerate assassin, William McKinley the chosen Chieftain of eighty millions of free people, to-day lies cold in death. All words, all language is bare and cold to form a fitting eulogy on the life of this great man.

Let us, citizens of Emporium and vicinity pay our last tribute of reverence and respect to this stainless man by attending services at the Court House, in Emporium, from 2 to 4 p. m., Thursday, the 19th, at which time the mortal remains of WILLIAM MCKINLEY, our dead President, will be laid to rest.

I have been requested, by a large number of representative citizens, to recommend that all business places be closed from 2 to 4 Thursday, and I do most earnestly urge that all business places, of whatever nature, be closed at that time and that all who can possibly do so, attend the memorial services to be held at the Court House.

E. O. BARDWELL, Mayor.
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 17, 1901.

Resolutions Upon the Death of William McKinley.

The members of the A. O. H. and C. M. B. A., met in the basement of St. Mark's Roman Catholic Church immediately after Mass and passed the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom to call to His eternal home our beloved President, WILLIAM MCKINLEY.

Resolved, That while we bow in humble submission to His divine will, we deplore the great loss of our beloved President.

Resolved, That we extend to his bereaved wife, through your Excellency, our heartfelt sympathy and at the same time pledge you our loyalty and support.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be inserted in the local papers and one sent to the President of the United States of America.

REV. THOS. B. DOWNEY,
R. SEGER,
B. EGAN,
Committee.
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 18th, 1901.

Battle With Old Bruin.

A few days ago while Frank J. Lewis was looking for suitable stones with which to build a foundation for Mr. Josiah Howard's Big Run barn, in Rich V. ley, he came upon an old bear and a cub. Not seeing the old bear he caught the cub intending to carry it home. No sooner had he caught the cub than the old bear bounced upon him and opened battle, striking him with both paws on the head with such force that he was thrown ten feet down a steep embankment, striking his head against a log, rendering him almost unconscious for a moment. Letting go the cub he called for help. Franklin and F. B. Housler were a short distance from him but could not be heard. Mr. Lewis managed to escape from the clutches of the bear and travelled down the stream to Mr. Kinsler's, considerably bruised and the blood running from his mouth and nose. Frank thinks the bruises he is nursing will last him for some time to come. Hereafter he will walk away from bears.

Long Distance 'Phone.

It will be agreeable news to our business men to learn that long distance telephone connection with the outside world and Emporium will be completed within the next two weeks. This will be a great convenience to our people.

Literary Prize Contest.

Answer to question number 14: The Bible, Shakespeare, and the Dictionary.

Query No. 15: What is a good book? Send in your answers and get the prize offered by the Emanuel Free library. Address box 163, Emporium, Pa.

Revival Meetings.

Rev. R. S. Oyer is conducting a revival meeting at Sizerville and much good is being accomplished.

Zinc and Grinding Make

Devote Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand.

If you want a Boarder, advertise in the PRESS.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

AT THE COURT HOUSE, EMPORIUM, PA.,
Thursday, Sept. 19, 1901, From 2 to 4 P. M.
UPON THE DEATH OF
WILLIAM MCKINLEY,
25th President of the United States of America.



PROGRAMME.

CALL TO ORDER BY BURGESS.

Prayer, Rev. Robert McCaslin
Hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," Audience
Scripture, 1 Cor. 15 Chap. 20th verse, Rev. F. W. McClelland
Address, Hon. J. C. Johnson
Address, Rev. O. S. Metzler
Hymn, "Lead Kindly Light," Choir
Address, Hon. I. K. Hockley
Address, Rev. Father Downey
Hymn, "America," Audience
Lord's Prayer, Audience
Benediction, Rev. J. M. Robertson

Emporium Pulpit Remarks on McKinley.

Last Sabbath morning the several clergymen of Emporium touchingly referred to the sad blow to the American people in the death of the great President, William McKinley, in part the ministers said:

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
"Providence Interrupted" was the theme presented by the Rev. O. S. Metzler to his people last Sunday morning and pertinently applied to a Nation's loss.

Why did not God paralyze the arm of the foul assassin and avert the calamity that has deprived a great Republic of its chief ruler and plunged a world into mourning? The mysteriousness of God's dealings with individuals and men were dwelt upon and plausible explanations of these dark enigmas submitted.

Beautiful words of eulogy of the President were spoken. Gentleness, true manhood, earnest patriotism, superb statesmanship, personal integrity and domestic fidelity were his distinguishing characteristics.

The chancel was draped with the emblems of mourning, while a profusion of beautiful white flowers added a cheerful glow to the sombre scene. "Lead Kindly Light" was impressively sung by Miss Anna Metzger at the service.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.

Rev. Father Downey, of St. Mark's Catholic Church, during Mass said: "I desire that every member of this congregation in their charity, to remember the beloved President in their prayers." He spoke of the many exalted and sublime characteristics of the lamented President, and the universal prosperity we are sharing under his wise administration; words clothed in emphatic language, condemned the cowardly and dastardly deed of the assassin; believing it was owing to lack of religious training and reading of impure anarchistic literature that led to the perpetration of the cold-blooded murder. He implored his people to do all in their power to keep their minds and hearts pure, by reading good and wholesome literature, thereby becoming good christians and citizens under this glorious Republic in which we live and enjoy such great privileges. Immediately after Mass prayer was offered up for the peace and safety of the Nation.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

At the Presbyterian church, Rev. Robt. McCaslin, during the sermon, referred to the dastardly deed, the sorrow of the whole world, and the fact that we can do nothing but bow in sorrow to the will of God in this shocking event and mysterious providence. The proper attitude of all is that of Solomon silence in the presence of God while we listen to His loud call to us, in this providence. (1) It is a call to prayer. People everywhere, in our country and other coun-

deared him to the hearts of the people as very few of our Presidents have been. Without Christianity such a gracious character as his could never have been realized. The assassin's bullet might destroy the body, but it could not destroy the spirit of unselfishness, of faith and love, in him who was stricken down. And if we would do trust honor to the memory of our departed President, we will strive to show in this dark hour of trial the same spirit of faith in God and submission to His will, the same gracious spirit of magnanimity and peace, that he showed. We show ourselves dead to the best that was in him, if we allow the spirit of barbaric vindictiveness and revenge to run with us uncontrolled. The gratification of a spirit of insensate vindictiveness will not bring our Chief back to us; it will only shrivel in our own souls those elements of character that are worth more than all things else in existence."

President's Train.

The special train bearing the remains of the lamented McKinley passed through Emporium last Monday, arriving here at 11:45 a. m. Train was composed of seven cars, the last car containing the President's remains, draped with the American flag and guarded on each side by U. S. Marines. On the train were Mrs. McKinley, President Roosevelt, members of the Cabinet, Gen. Brooke and other officials. The train left here at 12:00, preceded by a pilot engine fifteen minutes in advance. A very large number of our people congregated at the Junction and silently viewed the solemn spectacle while the engines were changed and every precaution made for a safe journey to Washington. The Burgess, Councilmen and 625 scholars from the borough schools marched in a body to pay a sad farewell, while the bells of the town were tolled.

The train from Buffalo to Emporium was in charge of engineer George Woodward and conductor James Mulroy. Engineer J. H. Keppery and conductor David Fulton had charge from Emporium to Renovo.

Trade Paper Defines Yellow Journalism.

Yellow journalism is the journalism that pries into private affairs, the stations illkept and odoriferous hirelings at keyholes, that lays bare sacred and cherished household traditions and secrets to the gaze of the vulgar and debased. It respects no man or woman and no man or woman respects it. It is an enemy of peace, of decency and the home. It flaunts vice in the eyes of innocence, and invades the sanctity of the very church. It brazenly plumes itself on its own effrontery, and makes boast of the horrors of life that it carefully and persistently reveals.—National Printer Journalist.

BRIEF MENTION.

Twenty years ago to-day Garfield died.

According to the Buffalo Commercial the following dialogue recently took place at the Pan-American: "Madame," said the handsome, well-mannered university man who is earning an honest penny as a member of the Pan-American guard, "are you looking for an exit?" "No, sir, I am not," said the lady from Corry, with much asperity, "I am lookin' fer a way to git out."

Negotiations are under way for the sale of the bowling alley building on Pearl street to James P. Creighton of Emporium, by Joseph Silman at the nominal price of two thousand dollars. The deal hasn't as yet been consummated. Several parties have made advances to Mr. Silman for the purchase of the building but at this writing it hasn't been sold.—Port Allegany Reporter. We understand the deal has been closed. Mr. Creighton continues his Emporium business.

We have observed, says an exchange, that in most families where there are boys and girls, there is a great deal of difference in their treatment. At the age when the young girl is budding into young womanhood, the mother usually will take great pains to have a room prepared for her, it will be made as beautiful in furnishings as the means of the family will admit and rightly so. But if there be a boy, or boys, in the family, at his arrival at the same age rarely does the mother make an extra effort to furnish a cozy corner in the home for him. Now, mother, would not your boy spend more of his evenings at home if he could have his own little stove, a pretty little table, a comfortable rocker, a few well-selected pictures on the walls, tasteful curtains all arranged to give an air of comfort; to have all to himself as his sister does. Do you not think this would be better for your boy than a seat on some hotel piazza or in some billiard saloon or loafing about the streets?

WEATHER REPORT.

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

Republican County Convention.

The Republican County Convention assembled at the Court House, on Tuesday, at one o'clock, p. m., and was called to order by B. W. Green, Esq., chairman of county committee, who feeling and eloquently referred to the fact that the Nation was bowed down with grief. During Mr. Green's remarks the entire audience fully realized the awful truth of his words.

On motion of J. W. Kaye, Dr. V. K. Corbett was elected President and F. S. Coppersmith and A. Chapman, Secretaries.

The following order of business was adopted:

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Roll Call of Delegates.
Naming of Committee of three on resolutions.
Nomination of candidate for Associate Judge.
Nomination of candidates for County Treasurer.
Election of Chairman of County Committee.
Report of Committee on Resolutions, Naming County Committee for 1902.
The following delegates answered to their names:

DELEGATES.

Shippin.—E. W. Gaskill, John F. Lewis, John C. Lewis, Anson Lewis, Lyman Lewis, J. D. Swope, Mark Wright.

Emporium—West Ward.—Chas. L. Butler, A. Chapman, F. A. Hill, Josiah Howard, H. H. Mullin.

Emporium—Middle Ward.—J. W. Kaye, Ed. Murray, P. P. Bentz, Ed. White.

Emporium—East Ward.—F. S. Coppersmith, Chas. Colson, L. K. Huntington.

Portage.—W. E. Sizer, John Wiggant.

Lumber.—J. H. Darce, Warren McConnell, W. H. Morse.

Driftwood.—J. O. Brookbank, V. K. Corbett, P. J. Robinson.

Gibson.—Ed. Daugherty, Henry Smith, O. B. Tanner, Frank Wolfe.

Grove.—Chas. F. Barclay, Jas. Batchelder, C. W. Baldwin, Chas. Council.

President Corbett appointed the following committee on Resolutions, who immediately retired for consultation: L. W. Gleason, Josiah Howard and H. H. Mullin. In order to give the resolutions committee time to confer the convention took a recess for five minutes.

The committee on resolutions reported the following which were unanimously adopted. The reference to the lamented President being approved by a rising vote. The following are:

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, That the Republicans of Cameron county in convention assembled reaffirm their devotion to Republican principles.

Resolved, That we adopt the platform of principles as laid down by the Republican National Convention of 1900 and the Pennsylvania State Convention of 1901.

Resolved, That we appreciate the services of Mr. B. W. Green, as Chairman of the County Committee for the past two years, and hereby tender him the thanks of the district for the able and just treatment which all matters have received at his hands.

The American Nation, yes, the whole civilized world, is to-day bathed in tears. President William McKinley has been stricken down by the red-handed assassin. Of all the blows that could be aimed at the heart of the American Republic none could have been more atrocious than the assassin's bullets that bowed the heads of every loyal American citizen.

President McKinley, the foremost American, was also the most typical representative of the nation over the destinies of which he presided, sprung from the humblest beginning, by dint of constant endeavor and high purpose, he achieved the highest ambition of a patriotic American. Wise in council, deliberate in action, a gallant soldier, a great statesman, a conservative yet progressive President, he summarized all that is good and great in the national character. Under his wise guidance the country has reached an unexampled state of prosperity; the people are happy and contented, and the flag is accorded such respect in foreign countries as is accorded the flag of the most powerful nation in the world. In the most trying time he was cool and cautious; in times of peace, progressive, yet conservative.

The country has lost one of its very greatest Presidents, in the death of William McKinley. He will take his place beside Washington, Lincoln and Garfield. It seems strange that in a Republic such as ours, where all men have equal chances—and no man illustrates this better in his personal career than William McKinley himself—that the hand of the assassin should be raised against such a man.

It is also a sad coincidence that the only three Presidents who have fallen martyrs to duty in the United States, have been given to the country by the Republican party—Lincoln, Garfield, McKinley. Lincoln at the moment he was about to reap the reward of the years of patient toil and anxiety, a victim of sectional passion; Garfield, a victim of partisan rage, and McKinley the victim of blind anarchistic wrath.

The deed of one man has plunged an

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