

Spring Opening.

Our trade this season has been phenomenal. We show a larger stock and a more extensive variety than in any former season.

Dress Goods

of an exceptional quality, the prettiest of the new shades. A special display of new fabrics for the spring wear in Lawns, Silks, Madras, India Linen, Seersuckers, etc. Gingham, best colors and styles in Emporium.

Dress Trimmings and Laces.

Oceans of trimmings will be used this season. A dress without more or less elaborate garniture will be an oddity. The trimmings are more beautiful than ever. Applique embroidery for trimming Shirt Waists and Skirts in abundance and Laces in large variety.

Shirt Waists, all the latest styles just received. Neckwear. Nowadays woman's neck fixtures constitute a very important part of the toilet, and every well dressed woman gives this subject much thought. Our collection this spring is magnificent. All the latest styles in Turnover collars.

The largest assortment of Carpets, Mattings, ilclot hs and Linoeums, ever shown in Cameron county. All at the lowest prices.

M. C. TULIS.

Furniture News.

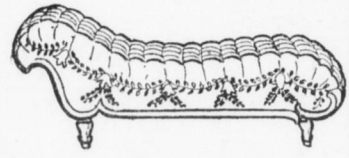
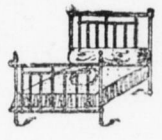

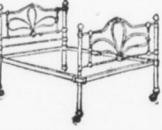
The reign of MONOPOLY in furniture is a thing of the past in this town. We have presented this community the greatest opportunity for purchasing reliable FURNITURE at all times and in every department at prices which never have and never will be equalled in wonderful lowness.

We have also proved to the people from the first hour of our opening, that we try to merit their patronage by dealing with them as we would like to be dealt by. We'd sooner have our goods back and return your money than have you dissatisfied, because our prices are such that our furniture is always worth just what it was sold for.

27 Bed Room Suites and 15 Side Boards to pick from. We can save you 30 per cent. on them.

BED ROOM SUITES AND SIDEBOARDS.

WE MANUFACTURE THEM.

 <p>COUCH. \$10.00 For this elegant Couch.</p>	 <p>BED. \$6.00 Brass rail guaranteed 15 years.</p>
 <p>IRON BED \$2.50 Regular price other places \$4.00.</p>	 <p>SCREENS</p>

Every baby in this town should ride in a Go Cart, even if some have to walk a little later on in life. We have tried to select the best from

Five Factories.

No close outs from last year's manufacture, each Go-cart an art creation, with latest improvements for safety, comfort and services, at prices that stagger competitors.

GO-CART \$10.

We advertize the truth and then surpass it. Our aim is to furnish up-to-date goods at reasonable cost. Money talks. Low prices shriek. The lever of low prices has led this store into its present popularity.

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Mercantile Appraisement

FOR THE YEAR 1902.

Mercantile Appraiser's Notice.
Names and kind of licenses of dealers in the county of Cameron, Pa. The appeal will be held at the County Treasurer's office in Emporium on Friday, May 16, 1902, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m.

Emporium.
Balcom & Lloyd, general Mdse.
Mrs. Cavey, millinery.
John Cummings, cigars.
John Cruise, cigars and tobacco.
C. G. Catlin, grain and feed.
John Costello, cigars.
D. W. Donovan, cigars.
J. H. Day, groceries and meat.
E. C. Dodson, drugs.
Emporium Furniture Co., furniture.
Henry Edgcomb, general Mdse.
Emporium Milling Co., grain and flour.
Will G. Gross, meats.
George H. Gross, meats.
C. B. Howard & Co., general Mdse.
S. S. Hacket, general Mdse.
M. T. Hogan, groceries.
L. K. Huntington, general Mdse.
S. J. Hacket, general Mdse.
Jasper Harris, clothing.
R. H. Hirsch, jewelry.
I. K. Hockley, fuel and builders' supplies.
Mrs. H. O. Haupt, fruit and confectionery.

F. G. Judd, harness.
C. H. Jessop, produce.
J. L. Johnson, cigars.
J. A. Kinsler, groceries.
Misses Kelly, millinery and clothing.
Richard Kelly, cigars.
Joseph Lechner, boots and shoes.
M.M. Larrabee, furs, ammunition, etc.
B. E. & L. E. Ludlum, millinery.
H. S. Lloyd, stationery, wall paper.
Geo. J. Labar, furniture.
R. J. Lloyd, cigars.
Thos. J. Lysetz, cigars.
Leet & Co., general Mdse.
A. A. McDonald, cigars and tobacco.
William McGee, cigars.
William McDonald, cigars.
Alex. McDougall, groceries and meats.
S. D. McDonald, cigars.
Geo. Metzger, Jr., jewelry.
Murry & Coppersmith Co., hardware.
H. A. Manett, cigars.
Michael Murphy, cigars.
L. O. Overhiser, cigars and confectionery.
Kate Overhiser, cigars and confectionery.
H. C. Olmsted, general Mdse.
J. F. Parsons, general Mdse.
Miss H. L. Raymond, millinery and furnishings.
Mrs. M. A. Rockwell, drugs.
B. A. Slocum, groceries and meats.
Frank Shives, groceries and meats.
C. G. Schmidt, confectionery and fruit.

Driftwood.
J. O. Brookbank & Co., general Mdse.
W. H. Dwyer, groceries.
Frank Fox, Jr., meat.
Kridler & Yothers, general Mdse.
S. D. McCoolle, cigars.
Mrs. S. D. McCoolle, millinery.
Fred McVicker, cigars.
A. M. McDonald, cigars.
W. H. Mitchell, drugs.
Miss M. E. Nefey, millinery.
W. E. Rothrock, clothing.
T. J. Riley, cigars.

Lumber.
C. C. Craven, groceries.
E. M. Ebersole, groceries.
Mary A. Furlong, cigars.
Warren McConnell, groceries.
Patrick Mahoney, cigars.
J. E. Smith, general Mdse.

Grove.
O. L. Bailey, cigars.
Barclay Bros., general Mdse.
D. P. Baird, groceries.
Fee Bros., general Mdse.
M. J. Healey, groceries.
H. B. Lightner, general Mdse.
H. W. Martindale, cigars.
Nathan Silen, clothing.
Geo. P. Shafer, cigars.
J. F. Wolf, meats.

Portage.
J. H. Evans, cigars.
Fee Bros., general Mdse.
Geo. F. Hart, general Mdse.
W. R. Sizer, general Mdse.

Shippin.
C. R. Kline & Co., general Mdse.
Eaning House, Emporium.
Fred Bliss.
John D. McClelland.
Mrs. P. E. Lewis.

Billiards and Pool, Emporium.
James Creighton.
A. A. McDonald.

Broker, Emporium.
George Crawford.

Any person so ascertained or assessed who shall fail to attend such appeal, or to appeal from the decision of the Appraiser to the Common Pleas within ten days thereafter, will not be permitted to set up as defense to the recovery of the amount of the license to which he is requested to pay when suit shall be brought, that he is not a dealer in merchandise, &c.

The law further provides that it shall be the duty of the County Treasurer to sue for the recovery of all licenses duly returned to him by the Mercantile Appraiser if not paid on or before the first day of July in each and every year, within ten days after date and said Treasurer shall not be discharged from any such license unless he brings suit to recover the same on or before that date.

I. K. HOCKLEY,
Mercantile Appraiser, 1902.

Sold in Emporium by L. Taggart.

"Prays" as It Preys.
Very strange is the insect popularly known as the "praying mantis." Of this insect M. J. H. Fabre, a distinguished French naturalist, made a thorough study. According to him, "its long, pale green wings, like ample veils, its head upraised to heaven, its arms folded and crossed on its breast, give it a false resemblance to a nun in ecstasie devotion."

A ferocious creature it is, ever bent on carnage, the workshops of various burrowing hymenoptera being its favorite haunts, since there it is almost certain to find prey.

"Posted on some bush near the burrows," says Mr. Fabre in his account of the insect, "it waits patiently until it sees some other insect, probably a sphex, returning home. By a sudden rustle of its half open wings it terrifies the approaching insect, which hesitates for a moment, and then as suddenly as a spring the toothed forearm folds back on an arm also toothed, and the insect is grasped between the blades of the double saw in the same manner as the jaws of a wolf trap close on an unfortunate wolf at the instant when it is seizing the bait. Then, without unclosing the deadly machine, the mantis slowly eats its victim."

In Provence this cruel insect is known as "prego Dieou," which means "pray to God."

The Deaf Mute's Story.
"The most pathetic story I ever heard," said Senator Hoar once, "was told by Professor Gallaudet. The professor had a favorite pupil, a little deaf mute boy, exceptionally bright. Mr. Gallaudet asked him if he knew the story of George Washington and the cherry tree.

"With his nimble fingers the little fellow said he did, and then he proceeded to repeat it. The noiseless gesticulations continued until the boy had informed the professor of the mutilated tree and of his quest for the mutilator.

"When George's father asked him who hacked his favorite cherry tree," signaled the voiceless child, "George put his hatchet in his left hand."
"Stop," interrupted the professor. "Where did you get your authority for saying he took the hatchet in his left hand?"
"Why," responded the boy, "he needed his right hand to tell his father that he cut the tree."

Virus and Venom.
The difference between venom and a virus is very marked. Both are poisons and both of organic origin, but a venom is produced in secreting organs, commonly called poison glands, and is introduced into the system by means especially adapted for the purpose, such as stings or fangs. On the other hand, a virus is the result of disease or putrefaction and generally possesses the property of exciting in the system into which it is introduced the disease which produced the virus. A virus commonly produces little if any local disturbance. A venom generally causes great pain, often severe inflammation and swelling. Venom has a marked local effect. Virus causes a general disturbance of the system.

An Odd Habit Among Rooks.
Among the odd habits of rooks is the way that members of the same rookery have of intermarrying generation after generation. The males always choose their wives from among their near neighbors, and if one should be so bold as to bring home to his rookery a bride from a distance the other rooks will invariably refuse to receive her and will force the pair to build some way off. In the neighborhood of big rookeries outlying nests of this kind may always be found.

Fresh Paint Stains.
A fresh paint stain on woolen goods will disappear if rubbed against other woolen goods. For instance, if the stain is on the sleeve of a coat take that garment off and rub the paint against the other sleeve. It will disappear and leave no sign. This is easier than applying turpentine and exactly as efficacious, but it must be done while the paint is still wet.

Very Legal.
"We claim that my client did not run away with the horse, as alleged. The horse was ahead of him all the time, and he simply followed the horse.
The Prosecuting Attorney—it amounts to the same thing. He was the accessory after the fact. He is old enough to know better than to follow a bad example.—Boston Transcript.

Something Like It.
"Does your son matriculate this year, Mrs. Hammondsine?"
"Why, really, I don't know. I ain't heard anything about matriculation, but he wrote me in his last letter that he had got vaccinated, and it took terrible."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Serene Superiority.
"Mr. Loftibrow takes himself very seriously," remarked Miss Cayenne.
"In what way?"
"He asked me if I thought I could be happy with him. As if his presence could make the slightest difference one way or another!"—Exchange.

Its Reason For Being.
"What kind of a society is yours?" asked her father.
"A secret society," she replied.
"But what is its object?"
"Oh, just to have secrets from the other girls!"—Chicago Post.

None to Spare.
"Beg pardon," said the suspicious looking fellow, meeting Subbubs in a dark street, "but what time have you?"
"Just enough to catch my train," replied Subbubs as he hastened on.—Exchange.

For Those Who Live on Farms.
Dr. Bergin, Pana, Ill., writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Lintment, always recommend it to my friends, as I am confident there is no better made. It is a dandy for burns." Those who live on farms are especially liable to many accidental cuts, burns and bruises, which heal rapidly when Ballard's Snow Lintment is applied. It should always be kept in the house for cases of emergency. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at L. Taggart's.

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World Wide Reputation.
White's Cream Vermifuge has achieved a world wide reputation as being the best of all worm destroyers, and for its tonic influence on weak and unthrifty children, as it neutralizes the acidity or sourness of the stomach, improves their digestion, and assimilation of food, strengthens their nervous system and restores them to the health, vigor and elasticity of spirits natural to childhood. 25c at L. Taggart's.

Affection is the broadest basis of a good life.

Like a Drowning Man.
"Five years ago a disease the doctors called dyspepsia took such hold of me that I could scarcely go," writes Geo. S. Marsh, well-known attorney of Nocona, Tex. "I took quantities of pepsin and other medicines but nothing helped me. As a drowning man grabs at a straw I grabbed at Kodol. I felt an improvement at once and after a few bottles 'an sound and well.' Kodol is the only preparation which exactly reproduces the natural digestive juices and consequently is the only one which digests any good food and cures any form of stomach trouble." R. C. Dodson.

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