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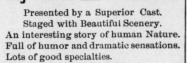
"Liberty and Union, One and Inseparable."-WEBSTER.

#### EMPORIUM, PA., THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1903.

### WEATHER REPORT. (Forecast'by T. B. Lloyd.) FRIDAY, Rain, probably turning to Snow! SATURDAY, Fair, much colder. SUNDAY, Fair.

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OPERA HOUSE, EMPORIUM, PA. Friday Evening, March 27 ROBERT SHERMAN'S GREAT COMEDY DRAMA FIGNO FROM ATKONSOV



See The Funny Rube. The Great Mob Scene. The Arkansaw Farmer. The Backwoods Sheriff. Prices: Gallery 25c; Down stairs 35c and 50c; Opera Chairs, 75c.

Coming Attractions:-"Tracey, the Bandit," March 31st.

## **OLD RELIABLE** DRUG STORE.

At Old Reliable Drug Store will be found, without exagerating, the largest, the finest, the best selected, and the best priced stock of wall paper ever offered to the people of our towr. It is impossible for the man who buys a room or two, of wall paper at a time nd pay, as he would have to-seventyfive cents to one dollar, express charges on each purchase, to sell you your paper at a price that I or any other regular dealer can and will sell it to you for. Think this over carefully and you will see the reason of this proposition. Anxious to show my stock Come, come. Save money, save money.

Yours truly,

L. TAGGART.



WASHINGTON LETTER. (From our Regular Corre Washington, March 23, 1903.

The special session of the Senate of the Fifty-eighth Congress has adjourned sine die after having rati-fied both the Panama and the Cuban treaties and the President has expressed himself as satisfied with the work of the session. Nevertheless, there is grave doubt in the minds of many friends of both treaties as to their future. In the case of the Cuban treaty it has been amended in several instances and one, at least, of these amendments ceriously jeopardizes the success of the agreement. This is the amendment which provides that the treaty shall go into effect only when "approved by the Con-gress." The question is now raised. Can an exchange of ratification be made when the ratification of the Senate is of so equivical a character and depends, for its ultimate settlement, on the action of both houses of Congress at the next session? It is certain that there will be no reciprocity with Cuba until late in the next session and in the opinion of many competent judges the House will amend the treaty and thus precipitate a general discussion and contest which

will mean the defeat of the entire project. It is admitted that a serious mis-

take has been made with regard to the Colombian treaty, in that Senator Morgan was permitted to print in the Congressional Record all of his speeches against the canal, while the injunction of secrecy was not removed from any of the speeches made by the friends of the convention, aside from Senator Cullom's brief, closing argument. Moreover, the question is now raised as to whether the Secretary of the Treasury will feel authorized to pay out funds under the provisions of the Sponer act and on the contract made with Colombia, as there is a serious difference between the provisions of the two. Several Senators, who most vigorously maintained that there was nothing in Mr. Morgan's contention to this effect, now admit that it is an important factor, although they say that hereafter all responsibility rests with the Attorney General who will have to decide this question. The old suspicion of the sincerity of the Senate sdvocates of the Panama route is again aroused on apparently good grounds.

It is frankly admitted that the President is seriously disappointed at the failure of the Senate to confirm or reject his nominations of William Michael Byrne for United States Attorney for Delaware and Dr. Crum for Collector of the Port of Charleston, S. C. Both of these nominations were sent in during the regular session and reported unfavorably by the Judiciary and Commerce committees respectively, but no action was taken by the Senthe past session as a whole, there is good ground for the belief that Mr. Roosevelt was very shabbily treated by the leaders of his own party. From the standpoint of the leaders there is reason for it. He is the most difficult, president to use and manipulate Republicans have ever had. Cleveland was as difficult, but Republican office seekers expected nothing from him.

Open Letter From Fish Warden. I wish to call the attention of the public through the columns of your paper to one or two sections of t fish laws of this state that they ma not in future plead ignorance of the iws if arrested, which they surely will they violate the law and I know i It has come to my knowledge that p ellare already fishing for trout and ing them. This must be stoppe parties must suffer the conseque I call especial attention to the nv of trout allowed to be caught eac. by one person, and the length of and bass. I warn all parties that I will, whenever I think necessary, oper any for fisherman's basket and examin length and number of trout caught, and by every lawful means in my power bring violators of the law to

justice Part of section four of act approved the 29th day of May, 1901 says, "any brook or speckled trout or any species or variety of trout, save lake trout, less than six inches in length; any black bass less than seven inches in length; any pike or pickerel or jack salmon, less than nine inches long-fine \$10 for each and every fish caught, less than the above lengths, or one day in jail for each dollar fine, also a day in jail for each dollar of cost of suit."

Section 18-"That from and after the passage of this act, it shall be unlawful for any proprietor, manager, clerk or agent of any market, hotel, boarding

house, eating house, restaurant or sa-loon or any person, company or corporation in this commonwealth to purchase, sell or expose for sale any brook or speckled trout, or to contract with or to employ any person or persons to catch or fish for brook or speckled trout for him or them by the day or otherwise, fine for such offense \$25." Section 33-"That from and after the passage of this act, any fish commissioner or fish warden, sheriff, deputy sheriff, constable or any special officer or any peace officer in this commonwealth is hereby authorized and commanded to proceed with such force of the county as may be necessary to destroy any device used contrary to or prohibited by law, in any of the waters of the commonwealth, and they are hereby authorized and commanded to arrest forthwith and without warrant, any person or persons owning, placing or using such device or violating any of the provisions of this act, and they are further authorized and commanded to apprehend an arrest and immediately take any person or persons, who may be guilty of such violations before any justice of the peace, magistrate or other legally constituted authority, etc., etc. Also in

stituted authority, etc., etc. Also in section 33, such arrests may also be made on Sunday, in which case the person or persons shall be taken before the proper officer and proceeded against as soon as may be practicable on a week day following arrest." Section 34.—"That from and after the passage of this act, any sheriff, deputy sheriff, constable, special officer or any other peace officer of this com-monwealth, who shall refuse or neglect to proceed with sufficient force of the county to forthwith remove and stroy any existing dovice, illegally used for the eatching of fish within his jurisdiction after being notified in writing of the existence of such ille gally used device by a fish commis-sioner or any other effective of the stroy any existing dovice, illegally used for the existence of such ille gally used device by a fish commis-sioner or any other effective of the stroy any existence of such ille ally used device by a fish commisbut no action was taken by the Sen-ate as a whole. They's were sent in again on the first day of the special session and Mr. Byrne's nomination was unfavorably re-ported by the committee on Judi-ciary but the commerce committee refused to assemble to consider the Crum nomination. True to his word, the President has appointed both men as recess appointments but it is evident that the senators "played politics" and determined to place the onus of the appoint ments no Mr. Roosevelt. Taking the past session as a whole, there is good ground for the belief that or he shall be convicted." Part of section 43. "They (meaning wardens) shall have power without warrant, to search and examine any boat, conveyance vehicle, fish box, basket, bag, coat or other receptacle for fish when they have good reason to believe that any of the provisions of the act have been violated, and said warden shall at any time, seize and take possession of any and all killed fish which have been caught, taken or killed at any time in any manner or for any purpose, or had in possession or under contract or have been ship-ped or are about to be shipped contrary to any laws of this state." I have given an extract of the import-ant fish laws that have a bearing in this community. I again state I will prose-cute any and all parties that I find or can prove are breaking the fish laws and will give ten dollars to anyone who will give me private information leading ultimately to conviction, that I may personally take steps to arrest such violators of the law and pledge myself not to divulge the name of such party or parties giving such informa-tion. party or parties giving such information.

Carnegie Helps Emporium. Andrew Carnegie, the philanthropist, who has given to worthy objects more money than ony other person in the world, has extended to Emmanuel Episcopal church the last half of a \$1500 organ to be placed in their new church. The First Methodist Episcopal church of Emporium have also been remembered by this more than liberal gentleman, he having signified his willingness to donate the last half of an \$1800 organ. No doubt both church organizations

will accept these generous offers. Cameron's Educators Win Praise in

**Clinton County.** On Saturday last a Teachers' Institute was held at Renovo, Clinton County, Pa., which was participated in by the leading educators of that county, and Prof. E.S. Ling, Principal of Emporium Schools and Supt. Mattie

M. Coliins, of this county. In a letter to the Editor of the PRESS, Prof. Oden C. Gortner, Principal of the Renovo Schools, who was Chairman of the Institute, speaks very highly of the addressed of Cameron's eading educators:

Prof. Ling told in a very pleasing manner "How to Cultivate the Reason-ing Powers." His address was a masterly effort and not withstanding that he was the last speaker on the afternoon's program he easily held his audience to the close and received a round of generous applause.

Supt. Mattie M. Collins discoursed in a most helpful way about the "Qualifications of the Teacher." Miss Collins has a pleasing form of address and always gives her hearers something good to take along home for tuture use. To show her fidelity to the cause which she represents and to illustrate her sense of punctuality, Miss Collins arose from a sick bed and went to Renovo and performed her part nobly.

The teachers of Clinton county appreciate the inspiring talks given by Prof. Ling and Miss Collins and they will always welcome them to future educational meetings.

#### Musicale,

Miss May Gould gave a Musicale last Saturday evening, at her residence consisting of twenty-eight numbers, assisted by part of her pupils and Misse Grace A. Walker, Mazie Gallagher and Master Eddie Baldwin, violinsits, and Mrs. F. T. Beers, accompanist. About eighty patrons attended and the music continued until near mid-night. Those who attended appeared delighted, with the program as rendered.

PROGRAM.

#### DEATH'S DOINGS. CLARE.

ELLEN, wife of Patrick Clare, died at her homeatCameron, Tuesday morning, March 24, of pneumonia, aged 65 years. Mrs. Clare contracted a cold some weeks ago and was confined to her bed for several days, but recovered sufficiently to be up and about the house, when she suffered a relapse, and being of an advanced age could not with-stand the second attack and on Tuesday she peacefully passed away, surrounded by her husband and children

Mrs. Clare was a woman of most ex. cellent qualities and was possessed of sweet, gentle disposition; a kind and loving wife and mother, good neighbor and a devout christian lady, being a member of St. Mark's Catholic church. She is survived by a husband and five children, viz: Mrs. J. C.

Lynch and Miss Mayme, of Boston Misses Delia, Nellie and Patsy of Cameron, all of whom were at her bedside when the end came. The deceased had lived in this county a number of years and was esteemed by all who were acquainted with her. She was hospitable and sociable in the highest degree and generous to a fault. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of their friends in this, their hour of deepest sorrow.

The remains will be taken to Renovo on Friday for interment.

#### Public Sale.

At Sizerville, Cameron county, Pa. commencing on Monday, April 6th, 1903, at one o'clock, p m, the following personal property will be sold towit:

Two good livery horses, top buggies, carriages, three seated platform wagon, two horse delivery wagon, light bob sleighs, cutters, double and single har-ness, set blacksmith tools, sewing ma-chine, stoves, chickens, etc., the property of J. O. Hart. Also will be sold on same day and at the same place and on each following afternoon and evening until the entire stock is sold, all the general merchandise stock, consisting of a nice line of men's, women's and children's shoes, dry goods, groceries, gents' furnishings, hardware, queensware, drugs and provisions, one set computing scales, Fair banks scales, two large coffee mills, eight show cases, Rochester lamps gasoline lamps, etc.

#### GEO. F. HART.

#### Now Boys Here's Your Chance. Quite often the PRESS has been asked

by Cameron county boys "when will there be a vacancy in Naval Academy at Annapolis?" By reference to a notice in this issue it will be seen that Congressman S. R. Dresser, of Bradford, requests applicants to be at Clearfield. No doubt Mr. Dresser will be pleased to give information to any young man desiring to step into the arena. We should like to see a Cameron county boy win the prize and become a Dewey.

#### Should be Stopped.

The bicycle "craze" has about collapsed yet occasionally our citizens enter protests against certain wheelmen who have occasion to use the convenient machine and abuse the privilage. Yesterday a lady while entering a store on Fourth street, had a narrow escape from one of these wild riders, who used the sidewalk in his break-neck speed. It should be stooped at once by the Mayor, before some one is maimed for life or killed.

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#### **Big** Masonic Meet.

The dedication of the \$80,000 Masonie Temple, erected by the late William Howard, is attracting a large gathering of the clan at Williamsport this week. A large number of Emporium brethers are taking in the occasion, many being accompanied by their wives. We understand the class of initiates will number 200.

Faithful Employee. John T. Hertig, who has been for ten years a faithful and industrious employee of Climax Powder Company, once in a while takes time to call on some of his old-time friends. Last evening was his night off and while making his visits the PRESS office was on his guide for a friendly chat. Mr. Hertig is an idustrious, good citizen and attends to his own affairs and prospers.

#### Easter Opening.

B. & E. Ludlam take pleasure in announcing their Easter Opening for April 2nd and 3d, consisting of the very latest novelties in Millinery and dress trimmings The beautiful display of pattern hats surpasses anything ever exhibited in this county, having been carefully selected from the principal establishments of the leading cities.

Mourning goods a specialty. Remember the place-two doors east of Bank, Emporium, Pa. 5-2t

B. & E. LUDLAM.

"My Friend From Arkansaw." The theater going people will no doubt be delighted to learn that they will have an opportunity to see "My Friend From Arkansaw." The company is said to be stronger than last year, and everything has been improved New scenery and new and up-to-date specialties have been added up-to-date specialties have been added and no pains or expense have been spared to make it one of strongest shows on the road. Robert Sherman still plays the part of "Tom Howe" the hero, and Fred Hubbard continues to make them laugh as "Steve;" he is also ably assisted in this line by Harry Miller as "Zip," the old Arkansaw farmer. It will be seen at the new Opera House, Emporium, Friday even-ing, March 27th. Prices: Gallery, 25c; down stairs, 35c and 50c; opera chairs, 75c. Tickets on sale at H. S. Lloyd's.

#### Gone to Conference.

Gone to Conference. Rev. O. S. Metzler, pastor of First Methodist Episcopal church at this place during the past three years, left on Monday for Conference at Altoona, closing the most successful year in the instory of Emporium charge. The official board met at the church parlor lastSaturday and presented resolutions, passed unanimously, requesting the return of Rev. Metzler to Emporium for another year—copies of the resolu-tions having been sent to the officials of Conference. Rev. gentleman has been untring in his efforts to balld up his church and has succeeded admir-atilizes, regardless of sect or creed that this genial gentleman shall be returned to us for another year. Strong infin-ence has been brought to bear to accept a large church in another part of the state, yet we believe the increased salary will not induce him to leave Emporium. We not the the resolutions adopt-

salary will not induce him to leave Emporium. We regret that the resolutions adopt-ed by the Emporium Methodists were not handed us for publication and we have failed to secure a copy of the same. We hope to be able to announce the return of the Rev. Metzler to Em-porium. porium.

will be guaranteed satisfactory. I am prepared to furnish my customers with both Paints and Wall Papers, and save you big money. Estimates cheerfully given on contract work. Apply to

### F. H. PEARSALL. °5225252525252525252525252525

#### Auditor's Notice.

Auditor's Notice. THE undersigned Anditor, appointed by the Orphan's Court of the County of Cameron to pass upon the exceptions filed to the account of John T. Kane (In re-estate of Mortin Griffin, late of Driftwood Borough, deceased) will attend to the duties of his appointment, at the Prothon-otary's office, in the Court House, in the Borough of Emporium, on the sth day of April, A. D., 1903, at 1 o'clock, p. m., of said day, when all persons interested can attend, or be debarred from making exceptions thereafter. C. J. GOODNOUGH, Auditor. Emporium, Pa., March 19th, 1903.-5-4t.

#### Auction.

Mrs. F. A. Hill, who is preparing to leave Emporium, will auction off the remainder of her household goods, on Saturday afternoon and evening, March 28th, commencing at two velocity March o'clock.

#### Build Houses

John Kelly, Eq., is creating another dwelling on Chestnut street. Mr. Kelly has probably built, for rent or sale, more houses than any other one person in Emporium. Would that person in Emporium. Wou more would follow his example

#### New Store.

New Store. W. H. Cramer has re-entered the dry goods and ladies furnishing goods business, having opened a store, op-posite the opera house, with an entire new line of goods, just opened and ready for inspection. Miss Lena Evans is saleslady in charge and invites her former customers to give her a call, and avail themselves of the special bargain-offered in seasonable goods. 3-tf.

#### Notice.

We have just received our spring stock and are ready to serve the public. We can please you better than ever, Come early to avoid the rush. Yours very truly J. L. FOBERT. P. S.-Read our ad on page 5.

April 15, to July 31st. See fish laws

FRED JULIAN, Fish Warden for Cameron County. Commission expires March 19, 1904.

Dora Nelson, Floyd Faucett. Narcissus, Edha Auchu. Ethelbert Nevin Edha Auchu. Ethelbert Nevin Belle Husted, Wollenhaupt Hungarian Dance, Duet. Low Julia Hogan, Kathrine Hogan. Dorothy, Ethel Day. Seymour Smith Valse, (Two planos), Raff Belle Husted, Edm Auchu. Raff Mearer My God to Thee. Seymour Sudds Mrs, Seth J, Hackett. Over Hill and Dale, Engelmann (Two Planos, Eight hands.) Mary Mulliner, Ellen Auchu, Kate Metzger, Harold Seger. The Pixies Drill March, Brown Dora Nelson. C. Danela. Mazie Gallagher, Grace Walker. Fur Elise. Grace Morton. Beethoven Serenade. Reinhold 

Morning Rondo, Mary Mulli ner. Menuet, ..... Menuet, Christie McDonaid. Padereuski Belle Husted. Padereuski Wispering Wind, Christer Mollenhaupt (a). (Traumere Edna Auchu. Adolph Jenson (b). (Solo, Schuese) (a). {Traumerei, (b). {Solo, Selected, Grace A. Walker.

Sons of Temperance Entertainment. The Sons of Temperance of Sterling Run, have issued programs pleasing entertainments to be held at Sterling Run, March 27th and at Cameron, March 28th. An excellent pro gram has been prepared and no doubt the comedy in three acts, entitled "Diamonds and Hearts" will please the

orchard of 60 grafted fruit trees. Horses, cows, wagons, sleighs, farming machinery and tools. Good spring water, stone milk house, cattle and sheep range, that is ansurpassed in the county. Will i a sold at a bargain. Good reason for selling, 5-1t, H. . . SASSMAN.

#### Baptist Church Notes.

Preaching morning and evening by the pastor. Morning subject "For as the man is, so is his strengtn;" even ing, "How can a young Woman live in Emporium and not go to the Devil?" Everybody welcome. Bible school at the close of morning worship, C. E. Crandell, supt. Y. P. S. C. E., Sunday evening 6 p. m., B. Olmsted, president. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:45.

#### Another Rummage Sale.

The ladies of Emmanuel Church Sewing Circle will give anothor Rummage Sale immediately after Lent. The men are contemplating sleeping in their clothes to save them or fall back to last summer's linen duster.

#### Desirable Farm for Sale

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 Situated on Clear Creek, in good orchard of 60 grafted fruit trees.

A very desirable 20 acre farm, situated ed near Cameron, Pa., on line of P. & E. R. R., will be sold at a bargain. Good dwelling house and other improvements. For terms and price, address W. L. Sykes, Galeton, Pa. 5-4t.

#### Office Safe for Sale.

A good-as-new safe, suitable for or-dinary business, for sale at a bargain. Apply at PRESS office. o-tf.

W. F. Cool, L. Taggart's popular clerk, visited at Roulette, yesterday.

#### Sad News.

Sad News. H. R. Manett, proprietor of Warner House, received the sad intelligence on Tuesday that his brother, who resides at Seattle, Washington, had suddenly died, having fallen on the street. Mr. Manett leaves to-day for Middletown, N. Y., his brother's remains having been sent there for burial, where a sister resides. Deceased was a single man and quite wealthy. LATER.-On account of the illness of his wife Mr. Manett is unable to be present at his brother's funeral.

#### Resigned.

Geo. A. Walker, Jr., has resigned his position with St. Marys Gas Co.. at this place to take effect April 1st. Mr. Kennelly, of Baltimore takes his place. Mr. Walker will accept a posi-tion with Emporium Lumber Co., at Keating Summit Keating Summit.

#### Notice of Examination for Naval Cadetship.

A competitive examination will be held in Clearfield, Pa., for Annapolis Cadetship, on Monday, April 6th, 1903. Any one desiring to enter contest will kindly be present on that day. S. R. DRESSER.

#### For Rent.

Mr. James Davin's house on West Fourth street will be for rent after April 1st. JAMES DAVIN. 5-1t

If a man goes to see a show, he don't care who he sees, if he likes the show. He wants the main part of the play to be funny, but he wants a plot to held the interest. He wants the characters to be true to life, he wants to see good for the operation of the second secon

## citizens of both towns.