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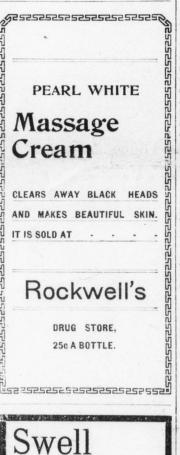
Sold by L. TAGGART has no superior.

Fourteen years ago I painted my house with these paints and am now, for the first time since, repainting it. H. L. Smith, the painter, says he never knew of a house in better condition for painting after having stood so long.

A gentleman, whose name I will not mention, living in our town, painted his house thirteen years ago, with these paints and he has engaged some paints to repaint, saying that he would have no other.

Dr. Heilman will also testify as to the merits of these paints. County jail painted four years ago. John Lind's two houses painted two years ago and terest many others, all speak for the virtue and staying qualities of these paints, and is better evidence than any man's word. Look at them; then buy the Champion paints and paint your house and be happy.

Also paper your house with the elegant wall paper at Taggart's and be doubly happy.



A Common Enemy. Renovo and Emporium papers are musing themselves and punishing a job lot of adjectives. The causus bellum is smallpox. The present pitched battle was superinduced by the fact that Robinson's show passed Renovo

by, after having arranged a date for that town, and erecting its tents in the suburbs of Emporium instead. It is not pleasant for a newspaper to have visions of a pass to see the elephant grind peanuts, withstand the atrocities of the clown and bask in the effervescent smile of the trick mule.

But as the Renovo editor does not care to air these grievances, showing ber 4 and had been for a year. He was the disappointment he naturally ought a dutiful son and an honored public to feel, the pivot on which this newspaporial controversy should rotate was made smallpox. As both these towns have had this disease more or less during the winter and spring months and neither cared to acknowledge the fact, the discussion becomes of peculiar in-

And yet the discussion should not be of special importance even to the parties directly interested. Getting the "go-by" from a show may be dis-appointing, but getting the "go-by" from an opidemic of smallpox next season is undoubtedly paramaunt and the present discussion could very properly give way to practical advice and suggestion to the people on how to avoid a recurrence of the disease.

There is danger of minimizing the danger that has existed and that now exists from smallpox in this county. It would be idle to try to controvert the fact that a considerable number of cases of smallpox have existed. This season of the year, being conducive to outdoor life, is unfavorable to the spread of the disease. But the germs are in existence nevertheless and nothin but extreme vigilance in disinfecting and vaccinating will prevent an outbreak in the fall. This is a truth with which there should be no hesitation or shilly shallying. Smallpox does not ask "By your permission' when it comes.

It is an enemy that must be fought and fought wherever it is found, for it is a common enemy.-Lock Haven Times

Maccabee Home.

The Knights and Ladies of the Maccabees have completed plans and begun the work of providing a home for sick, injured and disabled Maccabees. be a tangible expression of the spirit of protection and fraternity which actuates the order and will be the first were present "Home" of its kind. The purpose is to out of town. purchase a large farm centrally located with good railroad facilities and erect upon it fully equipped building for the use of such Knights and Ladies as may piano, the bridal party entered and need such a home. When the plans are fully completed it will probably include a "Home" for the Orphans of deceased

Maccabees The Home Committee appointed by the Great Camp of Pennsylvania, of conn acted as maid of honor, while the which J. P. McNarey is a member is bridesmaid was Miss Etta Chase and now securing the funds with which to Mr. Howard Frye was best man. The buy and equip the "Home".

DEATH'S DOINGS.

HEMPHILL

William J. Hemphill died at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hemphill, in Lawrence township, on Saturday at 1 o'clock, of typhoid fever, aged 20 years, 9 months and 27 days. He had been sick for five weeks, the last two of which he was unconscious. Two other members of the family are just recovering from the same disease, and for fourteen weeks Mr. and Mrs. Hemphill have been nursing their sick children. The deceased was a sub mail carrier on route num ber 4 and had been for a year. He was servant. The Clearfield postoffice sent a beautiful floral offering, as did his Sunday School class and young associates. His death is a peculiarly sad one, as he was a model boy and a great comfort and help to his parents. The funeral took place at two o'clock on Monday, Rev. Reilly officiating .-

Clerfield Journal. ...

OLSON. JOHN M. OLSON, aged 47 years, died at the family residence, Fifth street, yesterday afternoon about four o'clock. He leaves one child and a faithful wife to mourn his death. During the past sixteen months he has been confined to his bed, suffering untold agonies from rheumatism.

Deceased had resided here for many years, following the occupation of tailor. He was a good citizen and honorable in all his dealings. His funeral wil take place Saturday afternoon, the exact hour not being fixed at this writing.

COLEMAN.

Just as we go to press we learn of the death of Mr. Coleman, aged about 71 years, which occurred last evening at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. John Lawson, at Beechwood. The funeral will take place on Saturday arning from St Mark's Catholic church at this place.

DeShetler-Beldin.

A pretty June wedding was celebrat-ed at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. DeShetler at Wyside on Wednes day evening, June 24th, when their daughter Miss Phoebe Belle was united in marriage to Mr. A. P. Beldin.

The rooms were tastefully decoratted with flowers and evergreens, including a huge bell done in maiden Such a home as is contemplated will hair ferns and daisies under which the bridal party stood during the ceremony. About one hundred guests were present including a number from

Promptly at eight o'clock and to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, with Miss Hattie Shaffer at the and took their positions beneath the big bell when the Rev. G. W. Faus tied the nuptial knot in a neat and expeditious manner, using the beautiful ring ceremony. Miss Lenora Hanspresents were numerous, pretty and

Is Now General Supt. Mr. M. J. Beach, of Ridgway, who several years ago was located in Emporium, has been appointed General Supt., of all the Elk Tanning Company's plants. His rapid advancement is very gratifying to his friends.

Runaway. Jacob Huffman, who drives Howard & Company's delivery wagon, had an exciting experience last Tuesday. His high spirited horse took fright at the cars and ran from the freight depot,

general havoc along the road. Jake feeds his horse too well.

A Great Success.

tearing down porches and causing a

The entertainment given at West Creek, on Tuesday evening, by Mr. Knox, was a great success. It was full of humor and pathos and Mr. Knox showed his ability in dialect and expression, as was evinced by the hearty applause. All were delighted and say ome again.

Pleasant Gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Spangler pleasantly entertained fifty-five of their friends last Saturday evening, at their home on West Creek. They had a jolly good time and all report the reception a great success, proving that our young friends know how to treat their guests.

A Pathetic Case.

A poor helpless man, left to keep batchelor's hall, by his wife going away on a visit, had a dishpan full of dirty dishes and an ironing board stacked up with them and a much be-spattered stove, the result of trying to flip pancakes. Fortunately being a druggist he knows what is good to 'Cool' burns.

Substantial Improvements.

The numerous improvements being made by the Elk Tanning Company at this place appears to reach every part of their property. Supt. Thos. H, Norris' residence has been greatly im-proved by the addition of a large and handsome veranda, as well as a capious quantity of paint This genial gentleman and his estimable family certainly well pleased and en-

joys their comfortable home.

License in Coudersport. Coudersport appears to be on earth yet, even if six licensed places are in full biast and "bug juice" is sold for the first time in forty years. If Emporium's seventeen licensed places were reduced to six it would be hailed with delight. It may be some day and certainly will be if open violation of the aw continues, especially on the Sabbath. It has now reached the point where further tolerance will not be tolerated. There is a way to force a proper observance of the law. The people of this town have exhausted what patience was left after promise of more strict observance

Policeman Kills.

Policeman Michael Crowley, of Renovo, shot and killed a young man named William Ryan, at Renovo, last riday night, shortly after 12 o'clock. Ryan and a party of young men were told togo home and cease their rowdyism by the policeman when Ryan struck the officer, knocking him down. Upon regaining his feet Ryan again felled him to the ground, when the officer pulled his gun, almost in-stantly killing his man. The policeman was arrested and placed in Lock Haven jail. The prisoner makes a statement, claiming that he defended himself when repeatedly assaulted by the young men, who were intoxicated The funeral of young Ryan took place at Lock Haven on Monday.

Unpleasant News.

Our readers will be pained to learn that John J. Hinkle, Esq., (an employe of U. S. Mint), came home last Friday from Philadelphia, occompanied by his wife, in a precarious condition, suffering with liver trouble, and other complications. Mr. Hinkle has been in failing health since last November but stuck to his post until his physician told him to try the pure mountain air. He is just as full of ginger and fight as ever, (but not quite as peppery) and proposes, through careful treatment and nursing, to help elect Teddy Roosevelt President. John J. Hinkle is too good a gentleman, true man and friend to be allowed to break down and nothing will be left un-done by family and friends (and he has hundreds) to restore him to health once more, "Uncle John" will come out on top, we feel confident.

The Art Exhibition.

The Art Exhibition at W. G. Bair's studio last Monday by Mr. Selecman,

representing Sprague & Hathaway Co. Boston, Mass., was the largest and handsomest ever seen in this section of the state. Mr. Selecman only stops at the largest and most prominent towns. His beautiful display of portraits, in oil, water and sepias, as well ivory miniatures, were greatly admired. Mr. Bair is exclusive agent for this firm in this county and is taking

many orders. This class of work is fine—the best in the world and why not have the best.

Two Ladies Kill Rattler.

Tuesday evening while Mrs. T. F. Moore and Miss Edith Edgcomb were driving down Rich Valley they met a huge rattler. His snakeship disputed the right to the road and nothing but a fight to a finish would decide the question. The ladies carried the day and after pulling off the rattles, eight in number, brought his snakeship to town to prove their bravery. They were certainly brave, for it requires tact to get away with a rattlesnake.

Close Call for Prowlers.

Last Sunday night, about mid-night, four persons-two men and two women-attempted to pry open a window in the West Ward. The lady of the premises was standing on the inside and suddenly threw open the window at the same time emptying a revolver into the crowd, just as they were in the act of using a pry on the window. That the shot missed the party is no fault of the plucky lady. No arrests as yet.

Druggist Cool Leaves.

Mr. W. F. Cool, L. Taggart's druggist has resigned his position to take effect on Saturday, he having decided to embark in business at Roulette, Pa. Mr. Cool has made many friends since his residence here and is a first-class gentleman. He leaves for his new location on Sunday but his family will reside here for some time vet. Leon Felt takes his place with Mr. Taggart.

It Was Not Morgan.

It was not J. P. Morgan, the many-times millionaire, that our citizens

WEATHER REPORT.

NO. 19.

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

EDITOR'S NOTICE

WHEN you see this item mark-ed with an X, in blue or black pencil mark across its face, you will know that your subscription is due, or past due. Your name will be found printed on each copy of the PRESS, as you receive it and gives the last date to which you have paid. Our terms are \$2.00 if not paid in advance, \$1.50 in advance.

Block System.

The Pennsylvania R. R. Co., are pre-paring to install the block system at east end of Emporim yard and are now laying the foundation for the tower.

Patient Discharged.

The smallpox patient confined in the pest house, near Emporium, during the past month, was discharged last Saturday. He took a train for the north.

Bucktails Reunion.

The survivors of the famous Bucktail regiment met at Harrisburg last They were right royally enterweek. taided. M. M. Larrabee, of Emporium, at the hands Gen'l McCauley, presented Gov. Pennypacker with a bucktail, killed in the mountains of Cameron county. The Gov. was highly pleased with the gift.

"The Fourth in Salvador."

The ever amusing O. Henry contributes one of his best yarns to the July McClure's, a story called "The Fouth in Salvador." It relates how five home sick Americans started out to im-press the Salvadoreans with the glor iousness of the national holiday; how they were aided by a genial Englishman, who joined them "not as a traitor to his country, but for the intrinsic joy of a blooming row;" how they they got cuniarily profitable gran. ... of the tory and won the eternal and peinsurger generalissimo. The Fourth was a howl ing success.

Pleasant Home Wedding.

Last Thursday, June 25th, a very pretty wedding took place at the resilence of Mrs. S. J. Knickerbocker. Port Allegany, the contracting parties being her daughter Miss Martha E. and Mr. Arden E. Richmond, Rev. Henry A. Reed officiating. Mrs. John D. LaWall as Matron of Honor and Mr. John D. LaWall as best man. A very pleasing feature of the occasion was the little flower girls, Miss Cladys Richmond, the four year old sister of the groom, and Miss Caroline Knickerbocker, cousin of the bride. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. John D. La Wall, Mrs. Gladys Richmond, Mr. Harry Richmond, Wellsville, N. Y .; Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Darling, Guildford, Pa.; Mrs. Wm. Knickerbocker and daughter Caroline, Mrs. Margaret Knickerbocker, Emporium. The bride and groom started on a short trip to

Clothes

Are the delight of all well dressed people and a large ma-jority of the welldressed gentlemen in Emporium, have their clothes made by the old reliable tailors :-: :-: :-:

R. Seger

& Co.

The reason why so

many wear clothes

of our make, is be-

cause we have an

established reputa-

tion for good fits and fair dealing.

R. SEGER & CO.

Barbers' Union.

effect July 1st. All barbers are mem-

shops before eight o'clock will be

served. Open until 11 o'clock July

UNION.

3rd, p. m. Close at noon July 4th.

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lar either through an assessment upon the subordinate tents or by individual contributions. Good Will Tent has levied an assessment upon each member and by direct-

ion of the Tent the Record Keeper has forwarded his check to the Treasurer for two hundred and five dollars one dollar for each member at the time the assessment was levied.

Disbanded in Disgust.

The Sinnamahoning Liars' Club held its final session last Saturday evening, in Pap Blodgett's counting room, with Vine Hanscom in the Chair. The following resolution was unanimously carried: Resolved, That we surrender our Charter and disband, giving up our noble order, there not being a man, woman or child in Sinnamahoning that will tell a lie, leaving no timber for an organization to stand on. FIDE.

Pipe Organ for the First Methodist Episcopal Church.

The pipe organ contracted for the First Methodist Episcopal Church, will be installed by the 29th of July and its formal introduction to the public will We hereby give notice to the public be the occasion of a grand recital by that all barber shops in Emporium will an artist of metropolitan fame, the asclose at eight o'clock, p. m., except sisting talent being the finest procur-Saturday evening, when they remain able. A full description of the organ persmith store, where he handles Niaopen until 11 o'clock. This rule takes will appear later, together with the exact date of the recital. This will be a bers of the Union and must abide by mid summer musical event of much the constitution. All patrons in the importance to our people,

> Cows for Sale. Two good mileh cows for sale. 17-3t, CHAS, M. SPANGLER.

Each member is to contribute a dol- useful.

After everyone present had extended congratulations on elegant lunch was served to all, including the band boys, who appeared about nine o'clock and played several appropriate selections, accompanied by the juvenile calathumpians, who also rendered some sweet (?) music. Then amid a shower of rice and and best wishes of a host of friends, the happy couple took their departure for their future home at Beaver Falls, going by way of Lock Haven, Tyrone and Pittsburg. May their joys be large and many and their

troubles only little ones.

American Express Retires.

JOE.

Commencing with July 1st, the Adams Express Company extended its business to both divisions of Buffalo, & AlleganyValley-the AmericanExpress lease having expired. Messenger Sherwood, who retires from the run, where he has many friends and is very popular) accompanied the new mes sengers to Emporium Tuesday even-The change will be the means of ing. bringing the N. C. R. R., through express to Emporium, necessitating additional help

New Office.

Mr. C. A. Lewis has opened a real estate office in Walker, Howard & Co., block, in a part of the Murry & Copgara Falls real estate and will be pleased to meet investors. Mr. Lewis is a pleasant gentleman to meet and we understand has already transacted a large amount of business with our people. Many of our citizens have visited the plot of land he offers for sale, in

Beautiful Baptist Services.

Childrens' Day at the First Baptist Church, last Sunday evening, was celebrated in an elaborate manner, testify ing that those in charge-Mrs. Pugsley and Miss Mary Hillyard, as well as Supt. C. E. Crandell-manifested credit able ability in drilling the children. The room was literally packed, there not being sufficient seating capacity, yet all listened to the rendition of the excellent program, consisting of songs recitations and music, all excellently carried out. The principle number, by fifteen young girls, was inspiringly beautiful, surrounded as they were by flowers and ferns Little Miss Ada Gross, member of the infant department, pleasingly delivered the address of welcome that befited one of more mature age, but she was equal to the emergency. Suffice to say that one and all falifiled their parts with credit, making the occasion one long be re-membered by pastor, teachers and scholars. Rev. Pugsley, the energetic pastor, made a very appropriate ad-dress, as he always does when called upon.

noticed riding up Fourth street Tuesday evening, with the handsome young lady. Many thought so until close inspection revealed the fact that it was Charley Schmidt exercising his three year old colt. attached to a brand new buggy, with those new fangled tires.

Air Line Railroad.

Andrew Brady's air line R. R., was completed yesterday and it is to be hoped that coal will soon be coming down the line. Landlord Murphy gets the first annual pass over the road.

Still Lingering.

Michael Zimmett, whose sad accident we noted in the PREEss, has been moved to his home on Plank Road. Everything is being done for his comfort in his helpless condition.

Real Estate Change.

W. H. Cramer has purchased from B. W. Green, Esq., the store building occupied by Alex. McDougall.

Pushing the Work.

P. H. Fitzpatrick is rushing the work on Fourth street and hopes to complete the job in a few days.

Sad News.

The many friends of Mrs. Mark Wright, of Clear Creek, will be shocked to hear that this excellent lady goes to Binghamton on Monday to receive treatment for cancer on the tongue. More particulars later.

For Sale

A desirable residence property. The Baptist parsonage, fifth street, opposite Court House, will be sold at a bargain. Apply to 18-tf. C. H. FELT.

Niagara Falls and other points, after which they will make their home in Wellsville, N. Y.

Will Camp in the Woods.

The Bachelor Girls' Club, composed exclusively of Emporium's most hand some and intelligent young ladies, will take their annual outing on Hicks Run, this year, ten miles from town, intending to leave here to-morrow morning. To keep away the bears and wild cats they have invited a a number of their gentlemen friends to join the party. Mrs. J. D. Logan and Mrs. G. S. Atlen will accompany the party and act as chaperons. The preparations for the trip are extensive and every precaution taken to make their stay pleasant. Those composing the party are:

Misses Maud Thomas, Encie Howard, Alice Montgomery, Addie Garrity, Nellie Hogan, Sara McDonald, Grace McCaslin, Caroline McQuay, Ethel Winward, Mary Logan, and Messrs. Guy S. Felt, Geo. Crawford, Walter McCaslin, Leon Felt, George Gerg, Frank Weil, Charles Logan, Bert Olmsted, George A. Walker, Jr., and John Howard.

For Sale Cheap.

A quantity of second-hand window sask, casing and blinds complete. A number of doors and casings, all in good order. Also a counter, drawers, shelving,

good order, Also a counter, drawers, shetwing, show case, store front, etc. Five barrels of mortar ready for use. Any one needing anything in this line will find it greatly to their interest to call on me. FRANE SHIVES.

CELERY PLANTS—I have about 3,000 nice celery plants for sale at 400 per 100. A. SHANE.

lots.

TERMS: \$2.00-\$1.50 IN ADVANCE.