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Family Grocery
and Meat Market

EAST EMPORIUM, PA.

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Call up; we'll do the rest promptly.

The public are always interested in matters that will benefit their pockets. While we are not entirely in business for our health, yet we strive to merit at least a share of the public patronage by dealing strictly on the square with all customers. Our goods are all marked in plain figures—one price to all—and invite the careful inspection of our line of goods as well as prices. We shall aim to make our store THE FAMILY FAVORITE, by keeping only absolutely the purest and best.

OUR MEATS AND GROCERIES are fresh and shall take pride in giving our patrons the full value for their money. EXTRA LINE OF GLASS AND CANNED GOODS, something seldom brought to Emporium. See them.

Give us a Call.
Try Our Fresh Meats.

O. B. BARNES,
Opposite S. D. McDonald's Hotel.

Who is Your Clothier?

If it's R. SEGER & CO., you are getting the right kind of merchandise. There is no small or grand deception practiced in their store. Sustained success demonstrates that there is "growth in truth" in the retailing of

NEW AND UP-TO-DATE
CLOTHING AT POPULAR
PRICES.

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Sluice Pipe.

IMPROVE YOUR ROADS WITH
STEEL AND WOOD SLUICING

The Steel pipe is made of cold rolled, heavy sheet steel, riveted so as to leave it smooth inside. The pipe is covered with a preparation that makes it rust proof. The wood pipe is made of staves matched and grooved, bound with heavy iron bands, treated chemically against rust and coated with a preparation that will stand climate and will practically exclude moisture. The entire length is of even diameter. Obstructions will not lodge in it. Manufactured in all sizes up to SIXTY INCHES.

Write for catalogue and prices, or a postal card will bring you a representative with samples of our goods.

What are Sluice Pipes Used For?

They are used on roads and highways to convey water under the road bed from streams and ditches to keep the road bed dry and prevent washouts in heavy rains and showers.

Schmelz & Co.,
Coudersport, Pa.

Opera House For Sale.

The Emporium Opera House which has been all remodeled inside, stocked with the best scenery money can buy. All lash, drop and set scenery, fully equipped for all traveling companies and lighted with natural gas; a big paying business to the right party. For price and general information write or call on

J. W. CLARKE,
Manager.
Emporium, Pa.

A Cure Guaranteed.

Many people after taking certain remedies are to all appearances cured but the question always arises, "Do they stay cured?" The great claim for this splendid remedy, Thompson's Barossa backache, Kidney and Liver Cure is that it makes a decided and lasting cure and that the general health is restored. Send for circulars of testimonials to E. K. Thompson & Son, Titusville Pa. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

The door of truth opens only to the true.

Are You a Dyspeptic?

If you are a dyspeptic you owe it to yourself and your friends to get well. Dyspepsia annoys the dyspeptic's friends because his disease sours his disposition as well as his stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will not only cure dyspepsia, indigestion and sour stomach, but this palatable, reconstructive tonic digests and sweetens the life as well as the stomach. When you take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure the food you eat is enjoyed. It is digested, assimilated and its nutriment properties appropriated by the blood and tissues. Health is the result. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

That which is useless cannot be harmful.

The Most Fatal Disease.

Diseases of the kidneys cause more deaths than any other one class of diseases. Most people who have kidney diseases do not know they have it. The first symptoms are either not noticed or mistaken for something else. This is why insurance companies always require a strict analysis of urine before granting insurance. Thompson's Barossa will at once relieve any congestion or inflammation of the kidneys and has made remarkable cures in Bright's disease, sciatica and all diseases of the kidneys and liver. Pleasant to take. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

Words are but the things that truth wears

The Best Family Salve.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel gives instant relief from Burns, Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Eczema, Tetter and all abrasions of the skin. In buying Witch Hazel Salve it is only necessary to see that you get the genuine DeWitt's and a cure is certain. There are many cheap counterfeits on the market, all of which are worthless, and quite a few are dangerous, while DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is perfectly harmless and cures. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Money is probably called filthy lucre because it is so often tight.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough, Croup and LaGrippi because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take and is good alike for young and old. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Brides Priced.

To us it seems a curious whim on the part of our ancestors of the eighteenth century that in their marriage announcements they should so often choose and with such seeming complacency to enlighten the world with regard to the amount of fortune received with the brides. Here are two cases in point: "Mr. James Coutts of Jeffrey's Sq., merchant, to Miss Pegram of Knightsbridge, £30,000." "W. Smith, gentleman, of the 2d Troop of Horse Guards, to Mrs. Ann Gardiner, a maiden lady, aged, 'tis said, near 70, with a fortune of £20,000."—Chambers' Journal.

Webster's Tiresome Habit.

Senator Hoar in his "Reminiscences" says that Daniel Webster had a tiresome habit in his public speeches of groping after the most suitable word after this fashion: "Why is it, Mr. Chairman, that there has gathered, congregated, this great number of inhabitants, dwellers, here; that these roads, avenues, routes of travel, highways, converge, meet, come together here?" When the speech was printed all the synonyms but the best one would be left out.

The Streets of Amsterdam.

Amsterdam, in Holland, a city of ten miles in circumference, is mostly built on piles driven into the sandy subsoil, but the flowing of the tide and the debris of the Amstel river have made ninety islands, and the city has more canals than streets. The watery ways are traversed by over 300 bridges, so that Amsterdam has earned the designation of the Venice of the North.

The Woman Must Speak.

Mr. Skrap—"There's just this about it. It is impossible for us to live together and not quarrel."

Mrs. Skrap—"There is no possibility of our quarreling if neither of us speaks."

Mr. Skrap—"Of course; but, as I say, it isn't possible for us to live together and not quarrel."—Philadelphia Press.

His Problematic Tour.

"Did you ever appear in a problem play?"

"Yes," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes. "Last season I was doing suns with hotel bills, time tables and box office statements all the time I was out."—Washington Star.

The Dress of Hindoo Women.

There has been no change in Indian women's dress for 4,000 years. All wear the sari, a single piece of stuff a yard and a quarter wide, ten, twenty, thirty yards long. It is arranged on the body, and forms skirt, garment, veil, first plaited with the hand in accordion folds in front, wound round and round, and the richest end, if embroidered or woven with gold, finally brought over the head. It may be of simple cotton cloth; of silk, plain in design, woven with golden threads; solid with embroidery, strung with pearls, or of kincob, the royal cloth of gold. Some cost thousands of rupees. No pin, hook, button or string, the garment is formed on the architecture of the body, and takes its expression and nobility from its perfect harmony with the lines of the human form. And Indian women, whether of high or low class, have jewels everywhere; have sleeping gems and day gems, as we have day and night shirts.—Everybody's.

The Oak.

England won her supremacy on the seas with her ships of British oak, a wood that is renowned for strength and durability. When the Spanish armada set sail for England its commander had express orders from the king of Spain to burn or otherwise destroy every oak in the forest of Dean, then the great source of shipbuilding supplies. But, as blunt old Drake prophesied, Phillip's beard was singed instead. Admiral Nelson declared that without "heart of oak" the British navy and empire would soon come to an end.

The oak is beautiful at all seasons. From the time it opens its delicate green buds, close pressed in their resinous overcoat, and emerging flame tipped with bronze or crimson, until they come again an acorn bearing spray is most artistic, and the ruddy hue of the tree in autumn combines well in nature's color scheme.

One Sided Sport.

A London paper tells a story of a certain shortsighted sportsman. He was asked one morning by a fellow sojourner in a small hotel on the shores of Loch Carron what sport he had had. "Just seen a seal," he said. "Shot at it three times and missed it each time." At dinner, an hour later, he sat next to a man with a bandage round his head. "Accident?" he inquired. "Accident!" was the indignant response. "Attempted murder, you mean. I was having a bath about an hour ago when some lunatic fired at me three times from the shore and shot part of my ear off." "Wonder who it could have been?" murmured the sportsman, and then he changed the conversation.

A Story of Storey.

An English paper tells a little anecdote of the distinguished painter Storey in his capacity of teacher of perspective at the Royal Academy: On one occasion Mr. Storey accepted an invitation to dine with the wealthy—and Philistine—father of one of his pupils. Over the undentable port the by no means doting parent inquired how his son was getting on, and, although the kindest of men, Mr. Storey could not bring himself to say much that was favorable. "Humph!" grunted the man of money. "Well, I hope he will turn out an artist, for I am quite sure he's not fit to be anything else."

Presents in Japan.

The foreigner should beware of making presents to any Japanese girl unless he is bent upon matrimony. To present her with any sort of a gift, even though it be only a posy, will be regarded as a proposal of marriage, and to accept the present, though not a word of love or matrimony be passed, is a sign that she accepts you. Gallant Americans have got into serious trouble and found it necessary to leave the country at night to escape a binding engagement which they thoughtlessly incurred by giving to a maiden some trifle.

To Make a Seidlitz Powder.

To make a seidlitz powder mix together two drams of Rochelle salts and two scruples of bicarbonate of soda; put these into a blue paper and put thirty-five grains of tartaric acid into a white paper. To use put each into different glasses and quarter fill with water, then pour both together and drink at once while in a state of effervescence.

To Make Red Ink.

Red ink is easily made by amateurs who follow this recipe: Get a one ounce bottle and see that it is perfectly clean and dry. Place in it one teaspoonful of aqua ammonia, gum arabic the size of two peas, and add six grains of carmine. Fill up the bottle with clear soft water, and after standing a little while it will be fit for use.

An Obstinate Family.

Cholmondeley—I thought you intended to marry Miss Wealthington? Dolmondley—I thought so, too; but her family objected. Cholmondley—What did Miss Wealthington say? Dolmondley—Oh, she's one of the family, you know.

Things He Knew.

His Wife—Why don't you go to the doctor and find out just what you ought to eat and what you ought to avoid? Dyspeptic—Oh, I know all that now! I ought to eat everything I don't like and avoid everything I do.

Just the Reverse.

Stranger (to highlander in full uniform)—Sandy, are you cold with the kilt? Sandy—Na, mon, but I'm nigh kilt wi' the cauld.

Mind is the beginning of civilization, but the ends and fruitage thereof are of the heart.

AUDITORS' REPORT

OF SHIPPEN TOWNSHIP FOR YEAR 1903.

H. J. LEWIS, Supervisor, in account with Shippen Township.

COMMON ROAD FUND.

DR.

To amount of Duplicate	\$580 83
To amount of orders drawn	1,219 85
	\$1,800 68

CR.

By bills paid	\$2,204 58
Balance due H. J. Lewis	404 50
	\$2,609 08

H. J. LEWIS in account with ROAD ORDER FUND.

DR.

To amount received from County Treas	\$265 29
	\$265 29

CR.

By orders paid	\$265 29
	\$265 29

BURTON HOUSLER, Supervisor, in account with Shippen Township.

COMMON ROAD FUND.

DR.

To amount of Duplicate	\$535 14
To amount of orders drawn	1,195 12
	\$1,730 26

CR.

By bills paid	\$2,280 40
Balance due Burton Housler	\$550 14
	\$2,830 54

BURTON HOUSLER, in account with Special Road Funds.

DR.

To amount received from P. S. Culver	\$269 58
	\$269 58

CR.

By paid Bliss and Lewis, Supervisors	\$269 58
	\$269 58

BURTON HOUSLER, in account with Road Order Funds.

DR.

To amount received from County Treas	\$992 85
	\$992 85

CR.

By orders paid	\$992 85
	\$992 85

BURTON HOUSLER, in account with Supervisors Pay Fund.

DR.

To balance on hand last audit	\$116 65
To received from P. S. Culver	204 21
To received from County Treasurer	211 21
	\$532 07

CR.

By orders paid	\$532 07
	\$532 07

P. S. CULVER, in account with Special Road Fund.

DR.

To balance due on old duplicate	\$1,649 02
To balance due on 1903 duplicate	198 73
	\$1,847 75

CR.

By orders paid	\$1,847 75
	\$1,847 75

SUPERVISORS PAY FUND.

DR.

To balance due on 1900 duplicate	\$69 72
To balance due on 1901 duplicate	283 40
To balance due on 1902 duplicate	82 79
To balance due on 1903 duplicate	74 57
	\$410 48

CR.

By orders paid	\$410 48
	\$410 48

AUDITORS' REPORT

OF SHIPPEN POOR DISTRICT FOR 1903.

JAS. HOBSON, Overseer of Poor in account with Shippen Township.

DR.

To balance due last audit	\$104 02
To received from P. S. Culver	201 00
To received from County Treasurer	178 92
	\$483 94

CR.

By bills paid	\$512 80
Balance due Jas. Hobson	59 86
	\$572 66

JOHN W. LEWIS, Overseer of Poor in account with Shippen Township.

DR.

To balance due last audit	\$462 98
To received from P. S. Culver	198 74
To received from County Treasurer	212 56
	\$874 28

CR.

By bills paid	\$872 06
By balance due Fund	2 22
	\$874 28

P. S. CULVER, Collector in account with Poor Fund.

DR.

To balance due on 1900 duplicate	\$169 15
To balance due on 1901 duplicate	89 20
To balance due on 1902 duplicate	220 02
To balance due on 1903 duplicate	211 68
	\$690 05

L. LOCKWOOD Ex-Collector, in account with Shippen Township.

DR.

To amount due Special Road	\$97 95
To amount due Supervisors Pay	83 97
To amount due Poor Fund	125 92
	\$307 84

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Township of Shippen hereby certify we have audited, adjusted and settled the accounts of Burton Housler and H. J. Lewis, Supervisors; James Hobson and John W. Lewis, Overseers of Poor and L. Lockwood and P. S. Culver, Collectors and that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the same to the best of our knowledge.

FRANK LOCKWOOD,
W. W. LEWIS,
W. R. JOHNSON,
Auditors.

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WE have just received a fine line of CLOTHING for the Spring trade and if you want goods that are strictly up to date you should see our stock. Our Clothing is perfect in style, workmanship and fit, for solid comfort and our guarantee accompanies every article we sell. We want all our customers to be perfectly satisfied. Never any chance for a kick. We have purchased a large stock for the spring trade, and our goods are sure to please in every particular. The place to buy your clothing is where you are sure to get your moneys worth and we think you can find no better place than here. Our prices are always reasonable. Gents' Furnishing Goods, Shoes, Hats, Shirts and in fact everything to dress you in an up-to-date manner. Come in and see us and get acquainted.

Freindle & Hurteau.

General Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, Etc.

Since opening our new store we have been kept on the jump continually arranging our new goods. We have not had time to tell the PRESS readers what we are doing, so they are all invited to call and see for themselves.

Our line of goods now comprise a full line of

Hardware, Stoves, Garden and Farming Impliments, General House Furnishings, Paints, Oils and Varnishes.

In fact anything you may need. If we have not what you want we will order for you on short notice.

Our prices are right and we will not be undersold.

Plumbing, Roofing and Tin Work.

Having had eighteen years experience in this department we guarantee all work entrusted to us. Keep your eye on this space.

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