

### Council Proceedings.

Special meeting Borough Council, Emporium, May 17th, 1906.

Present: Messrs. Marshall, White, Friendle, Gregory, Cramer, Green, Fisher.

Absent:—Mr. Julian.

The President explained that special meeting was called for the purpose of levying taxes, Sewer extension, and such other business as may come before the Council.

Moved by Mr. Friendle, seconded by Mr. Green, that the following taxes be levied for the year 1906, viz:—Borough tax of ten mills, Water tax of five mills, Borough Electric Light Bond tax of four mills, Borough Sewer Extension Bond tax of three mills, Electric Light tax of 3 mills, and a tax or penalty of \$1.00 on male and \$3.00 on female dogs. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. Friendle, seconded by Mr. Gregory, that resignation of Mr. Charles Butler, as Councilman from West Ward be accepted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Friendle, seconded by Mr. Gregory, that Mr. Joseph Fisher be elected Councilman from West Ward to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Mr. Butler. Carried.

Mr. Fisher was duly sworn in as Councilman from West Ward by Burgess Overhiser.

The President appointed four additional members to Sewer Committee as follows:—Mr. White as Chairman, and Messrs. Hamilton, Friendle and Fisher.

Moved by Mr. Green, seconded by Mr. Gregory, that Secretary order supplies for three new Arc Lights, same to be placed in service for use of Penn's R. Co., at Emporium Junction. Carried.

On motion Council then adjourned. R. C. MOORE, Sec'y.

Special meeting Borough Council, Emporium, Pa., May 21st, 1906.

Present—Messrs. Gregory, Fisher, White, Friendle, Green, Cramer and Hamilton. Absent—Messrs. Julian and Marshall.

The President explained that special meeting was called for the purpose of adopting plans and specifications for extension of common and public sewer system, as presented by Mr. Shafer, Civil Engineer.

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Friendle, that an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance No. 49, an Ordinance to adopt plan and appropriate money to construct extensions of the public and common sewers in the Borough of Emporium," be adopted. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Gregory, that Secretary have Ordinance No. 46 and 12 posters printed in two local papers. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Friendle, seconded by Mr. Gregory, that the proper officer, make application to commissioner of health to extend the common and public sewer system of the Borough of Emporium. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Green, seconded by Mr. Hamilton, that the Sewer Committee be commissioned to advertise for bids for the extension of sewer system. Carried.

On motion the Council then adjourned. R. C. MOORE, Sec'y.

### Special to the Press.

#### Injured at Huntley.

A young man named Edward Burns while riding on a freight train about 3:30 Tuesday morning, fell from the cars just west of Huntley tower. He was discovered by night watchman, W. R. Smith, shortly after and was taken to Mr. Smith's residence, where his wounds were dressed. He resides at Sinnamahoning, was attending a ball game at Emporium and was on his way home when the accident occurred. His right shoulder and left arm were sprained and his hands and head were bruised painfully. It will be some time before he will be able to work again.

#### The Biggest Trout.

A Bellefonte dispatch says: What is declared to be the biggest brook trout ever seen in Pennsylvania waters was taken out of Spring Creek here to-day. It was not caught in any ordinary way, having been killed by the dumping of slag into the creek from the cinder tip of the Valentine furnace about a quarter of a mile outside of town. A workman waded out and got the fish. The trout measured 37 inches long and weighed seven and a half pounds. It was sent to a taxidermist at State College, where it will be mounted and placed in a museum.

C. B. Howard & Co., have the only large stock of shingles in the county at the present time. RED CEDAR from the Pacific Coast and WHITE CEDAR from Wisconsin.

### Youth Starts on Walking Tour.

Clarence Archer a young man about eighteen years old arrived in this place last Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock having left Williamsport Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. He intends walking from Williamsport to San Francisco, to win a wager. This trip he expects to make in five months.

This young man called at the Press office and informs us of his proposed plans. He will go from here to Erie, from there to Cleveland and thence on to San Francisco his destination. He is a bright looking lad and appeared to know something. He has walked from Philadelphia to New York twice and is very sure he will reach the western city in time to win the wager.

### Funeral of Hon. Chas. A. Mayer.

The funeral of Judge Chas. A. Mayer was held from the family residence, Lock Haven, Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, and was attended by hundreds of public men—judges, attorneys and other public and official men—from all sections of the state. The floral tributes from members of the various state law organizations and friends were so



HON. CHAS. A. MAYER.

numerous that the large parlors were one bower of beautiful testimonials, the casket containing the dead jurist resting in the center.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. John A. McSparran, of Germantown, (Presbyterian) and Rev. Louis Nichols, Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, of Lock Haven.

There were forty one honorary pall bearers, and the following active bearers: Hon. W. S. Harris, George W. Hipple, Moore Fredericks, George A. Brown and Jacob Scott, Lock Haven; Seth T. McCormick, of Williamsport; William C. Kaul, of St. Marys, and B. W. Green of Emporium.

Charles A. Mayer, was born Dec. 15th, 1830 and had lived till December 15th would have been 76 years old. He was elected Judge in 1868 and re-elected in 1878, 1888 and 1898 and had lived seven more months would have had the proud distinction of serving on the bench forty years. Judge Mayer was an able Judge, of brilliant legal ability and his long life upon the bench made him hosts of warm admirers. No matter how much we may have differed with him we must all admit and admire his wonderful ability and power. His popularity was state wide and he counted his friends by the thousands.

The Cameron County Bar attended the funeral in a body and took part in the meeting of the Bar Associations at the Lock Haven Court House, at one o'clock, Tuesday, when able addresses were delivered by a large number of gentlemen. Mr. B. W. Green delivered an eloquent eulogy on behalf of Cameron county.

The following persons were in attendance from this county: Hon. D. P. Baird, Capt. C. F. Barclay, Geo. B. Barclay, Sinnamahoning; Hon. John McDonald, L. W. Gleason, Driftwood; B. W. Green, Hon. Josiah Howard, J. F. Parsons, Hon. J. C. Johnson, Jay P. Felt, F. D. Leet, J. P. McNarney, M. M. Larrabee, C. Jay Goodnough, M. T. Hogan, H. H. Mallin, M. C. Tullis, B. Egan, John Cummings.

### Big Reduction in Photographs Until June 1st, 1906.

I will give a reduction from 20 to 25 per cent. on all photographs made by me from May 10th to June 1st, 1906. Now is the time to get good photographs at a very low price. This is nice weather to have photographs made neither too hot or too cold. Remember time expires June 1st.

W. G. BAIR.

### Sciatica Cured For Twenty Years of Torture.

For more than twenty years Mr. J. B. Massey of 3322 Clinton St., Minneapolis, Minn., was tortured by sciatica. The pain and suffering which he endured during this time is beyond comprehension. Nothing gave him any permanent relief until he used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. One application of that balm relieved the pain and made sleep and rest possible, and less than one bottle has effected a permanent cure. If troubled with sciatica or rheumatism why not try a 25 cent bottle of Pain Balm and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain. For sale by L. Tappan, J. E. Smith, Stealing Run; Crum Bros., Sinnamahoning.

## Dynamite Explosion

### At Works of Eastern Dynamite Company

#### ONE MAN WAS BLOWN TO ATOMS.

#### Frank W. Taylor was Seriously Injured and was Taken to Williamsport Hospital.

Last Saturday morning a few minutes before twelve o'clock, Wesley Sylvester Burfield, aged 52 years, was blown to atoms, while working over the "catch basin," used at the separating house, of the Eastern Dynamite Company's works (formerly Climax), the cause of the accident of course being a mystery. The supposition is that Burfield must have fallen while handling a pail of glycerine. The poor man was blown to pieces, only a few small fragments being found, which Undertaker Egan gathered together and prepared for burial. Mr. Burfield has always been a hard working industrious man, having resided here for many years. He is the father of eleven children, all of whom are at the family residence on Portage street, except Mame, who is wife of Fred Husted and resides on East Allegany Avenue. The shock was terrible to the afflicted wife and children—the eldest, William, being 23, while the youngest, a daughter only two and a half years old. The sorely afflicted family are indeed entitled to our greatest sympathy. The funeral took place at St. Mark's Catholic Church on Tuesday morning at nine o'clock and was largely attended. This is the first fatality that has taken place at this works in over thirty years. None of the other buildings were damaged.

Frank W. Taylor who resides on West Allegany avenue, was working on the hillside, about two hundred feet from the explosion and was struck with flying stones and was thought at first was fatally injured. Drs. DeLong and Smith were hurried to the scene of the explosion and found that Mr. Taylor's right leg had been broken between the thigh and knee and terribly shocked. The Company hastened the injured man to the Williamsport hospital, in charge of Asst. Supt. F. T. Beers. We are pleased to learn he is improving.

### Benjamin W. Green For President Judge.

Mr. B. W. Green, a prominent member of the Bar of this county and well and favorably known throughout the state and especially in this judicial district, is strongly urged for President Judge, (in fact he appears to be the logical suggestion) for the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon. Chas. A. Mayer. Mr. Green was admitted to the Bar of Cameron county in 1872 and has been in continuous practice ever since. He is an able attorney, in the prime of life and popular throughout this section of the state. His appointment by the Governor to fill the vacancy is strongly urged by many friends throughout this district and all honorable means will be advanced to secure his appointment.

The Bar of this county is unanimous in its endorsement of Mr. Green. Our people, regardless of party, are strongly supporting Mr. Green for appointment by the Governor.

### Former Resident of Potter.

Word has been received here of the death of Orlando Chase, which occurred the first of the week, in Harrison, Tenn., where he went some fourteen years ago and where he has since resided. Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Abram Chase and a brother of Mrs. William Phelps. Death came as a result of typhoid fever. Many of the old residents of the county will remember Mrs. Chase as Miss Carrie Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davenport. Mrs. Phelps started yesterday for Harrison in response to a telegram announcing her brother's death.—Potter County Enterprise. Orlando Chase was a nephew of Mrs. Wallace Dickinson, of this place.

### The Portage Store.

W. L. Dixon, proprietor of the Portage store, desires to inform his patrons and the general public that he is offering special inducement in canned goods for the next thirty days. Read this:

Tomatoes, 10c; Good California Peaches, 16c; Mince Meat, 8c, Corn 8c; Finest String Beans, 10c; Best Seeded Raisins, 11c; Seven bars Oak Leaf Soap, 25c. Other goods in proportion. Call me on 'phone. W. L. DIXON, Near Portage Bridge.

### Voice of the Press.

The Republican party of Pennsylvania is large enough, strong enough, fully competent and able to select a state ticket, composed of sound, honest and able gentlemen that shall meet the endorsement of the old guard, the always-to-be-relied-upon Republicans, and ask no odds of the coetrie of kickers who are eager and greedy for power. As for pleasing this horde of chronic growlers we need not waste an hour. Nominate true blue Republicans, and "fight it out on this line if it takes all summer."

### OLD TIME CONVENTION.

[Harrisburg Telegraph.] It's up to the Republican State convention, and there's nothing in the situation to justify the hysterical gymnastics of certain gentlemen who are most of the time outside the Republican breastworks. We are sincerely of the opinion that wise nominations by the convention June 8th will determine the result of the November election. It's going to be an old-time convention, and that very fact is hopeful.

### MUST NOT BE DICTATED TO.

[Wellsboro Advocate.] But in their efforts to assume command the Lincoln party hierarchy seem not to waver in their determination to force upon the Republican party a list of candidates for the State ticket. Unable to find a buffer in Justice Stewart, they will put forth another man for Governor and with him men for the other places, men not selected by the people but by a few self-appointed leaders, would be dictators, greedy and gluttonous for power to control and force the men their egotistical minds select upon the Republican convention and the State.

The Advocate repeats that the Republican party of Pennsylvania would stultify itself if it allowed for one moment any dictation from this coterie of self-appointed bosses. Aye, they howl that they are against bossism. At the same moment a paltry dozen of these same anti-machine men will hold a conference, discuss what they want done and who shall be their chosen men for the State ticket. Then they issue forth in the purity and beauty of self-righteousness and announce their choice which the Republican party must accept.

Think of the great Lincoln party. Bosh, it's but the dictatorship of the Lincoln party endeavoring to get control of the Republican party.

What the people of the State will have is a free acting State convention. The delegates must not be dictated to.

### TO PUT FUSION OUT OF BUSINESS.

[Wellsboro Agitator.] The Republican State Convention, which will be composed of representative men directly chosen in open primaries by the people, will have an open field and a fair opportunity to name a strong and winning ticket. We believe it will nominate such a ticket, thus putting the Democratic and Lincoln Party plotters for fusion immediately out of business. May the best man win!

### A GOOD TICKET ASSURED.

[Doylestown Republican.] There may be efforts on the part of interests that have fought Republicanism in the past to receive a lion's share of consideration on pain of disloyalty if not permitted to dictate, but it seems to be pretty well settled that the delegates are to have the say in the make-up of the ticket and the combined will of the Republicans of the State will be expressed. And such is the confidence in the ability of the Republican Party to meet important issues, that no one doubts that the result of that convention will be satisfaction all around and the placing of a ticket in the field that will reflect the great interests with which the State through its highest officers has to deal.

### A TRUE REPUBLICAN WANTED.

[Punxsutawney Spirit.] The convention which meets at Harrisburg on June 8 should nominate a man for Governor whose character is above reproach, whose ability is unquestioned and whose Republicanism is of the true blue variety. He should be nominated without dictation by anyone in authority or intimidation by any clique of self-constituted inspectors and referees of the motives and efficiency of the Republican Party. Such a man so nominated will be elected by an overwhelming majority.

### SOMETHING BESIDES KICKERS WANTED.

[Oil City Herald.] It would be an excellent idea for some of the reformers in Philadelphia to widen their horizon sufficiently to see that the man to be elected our next Governor must have something to commend him besides an established record for kicking against his own party and lending aid and comfort to the enemy.

### A CLEAN TICKET WILL WIN.

[Kane Republican.] How can any man in the Lincoln organization assume to say in advance of the Republican Convention that the body will not nominate a ticket which every honest Lincolnite could conscientiously support? Apparently, in the face of such an unreasonable attitude, the Republican Party will be entirely justified in proceeding with its convention plans, regardless of the Lincolnites. A clean strong Republican ticket will win, hands down, this year.

### Italian Killed.

Last Saturday night, one of Liveryman Logan's teams, with Moses Minard, as driver, was taking a party of Italians to their camp on North Creek when an accident took place that resulted in the death of Nicola Ferri, aged 29 years. The horses took fright at a pile of lumber and "shied" the entire load, horses and all, over the steep embankment, the rig pinning down the occupants and injuring all more or less. Nicola Ferri lived only a minute or two after being taken out of the wreck. His neck was broken. He leaves a wife and one child in Italy, having been here only a few months. In his pocket was found a money order for \$38.42 in favor of his wife. The remains of deceased were brought to Emporium on Sunday and taken to undertaker Egan's and prepared for burial. Squire Larrabee summoned the following jury and held an inquest on Sunday D. Donovan, Erwin Parks, E. Hubert, Larry Smith, Frank Bair, Fred McCaslin.

The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts. The remains of the unfortunate young man were interred in the Catholic cemetery on Monday evening, the funeral being largely attended by his fellow countrymen.

There is liable to be a suit against the township for damages, we are told.

### Lost.

High School Pin, colors yellow and white. Between A. A. McDonald's residence and Warner House. Finder please return to this office.

### Dancing School.

Prof. Cummings, of Ridgway, will hold dancing school next Wednesday evening in the Opera House. Lessons given in the Pittsburgh Schottisch or any of the other popular styles, commencing at 7:30.

### Card of Thanks.

Mrs. W. S. Burfield and family take this method of conveying their heartfelt thanks to their neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted them in their late bereavement the death of husband and father who was so suddenly taken away by a dynamite explosion.

MRS. BURFIELD AND FAMILY.

### Base Ball.

The first game of the season was played at this place last Saturday, between Emporium and "John Mitchell's Stars" of Canoe Run mines. The game was won by Emporium, score 16 to 4. Wm. Leoffler, of St. Marys, pitched for the home team. Emporium also played Driftwood Tuesday, and were defeated 6 to 5.

### Took in the Masonic Conclave.

The following Emporiumites took in the Knight Templar Conclave at Pittsburgh this week. Judge Geo. J. LaBar, wife and grand-daughter Miss Eunice Diehl; Joseph Kaye, wife and daughter Jane; Hon. I. K. Hoskley, A. C. Blum and C. W. Shaffer. They evidently had a great big time. The last two named gentlemen attended the Powder Makers National Convention.

### "The Skipper."

"When a Skipper goes skipping his skill o'er the sea  
If he skips making love a fool skipper is he."  
On Sunday, June 3d, the Philadelphia Sunday Press will give free to each of its subscribers the greatest and best supplement picture ever put out by any newspaper. It is printed in beautiful colors and is 14x21 inches. The picture is entitled "The Skipper." A stunning Summer Girl and a "skipper" make two genuinely great subjects for a picture worth framing. Everybody will want to get one of these pictures. They are worth a dollar apiece, and can be secured exclusively with THE PHILADELPHIA SUNDAY PRESS, June 3d. Be wise and tell your new leader to reserve you a copy.

### NOTES OF INTEREST.

Bedard the Tailor plants a fresh adv. in this issue of Press.

For plows, harrows and cultivators call on Haupt & Hauber Broad street. 11 St.

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C. B. Howard & Co., have received from the Pacific Coast what is perhaps the finest lot of RED CEDAR shingles that ever came to Cameron county.

If you want a good suit of clothes, and want it well made, call on me and see what I can do for you.

THOS. HABERSTOCK,  
Over Express Office.

### Household Goods for Sale.

The undersigned will dispose of her household goods at private sale, on Saturday, May 26th, at her home at Cameron.

MARY A. LORD.

### Bargain in Books.

A complete set of Britannica Encyclopedia, consisting of thirty volumes and key. Are all new and in original packages. Will be sold at a bargain, Apply at Press office. 34th

### THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, Showers, SATURDAY, Showers SUNDAY, Fair.

### ASSETS

#### First National Bank,

EMPORIUM, PA.  
At the close of business May 23, 1906.  
\$768,270.51.

If you have an account in this bank, it is a luxury which does not cost you anything to have.

### Republican County Convention.

In accordance with rules adopted by the Republicans of Cameron county the Republican Primary elections and County Convention will be held as follows:

### COUNTY CONVENTION.

Republican County Convention will meet at the Court House, in the Borough of Emporium on Tuesday, May 29th, 1906, at one o'clock, p.m. for the purpose of electing delegates to the State, Congressional and Senatorial Conventions; and nominating persons for the following offices: One person for the office of Member to the General Assembly. One person for the office of Associate Judge. One person for the office of Prothonotary, Register, Recorder, etc. One person for the office of District Attorney. One person for the office of Coroner. Two persons for the office of Jury Commissioner. And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said Convention. THURSDAY, May 10th is the last day for registering for the above nominations.

### Republican Primary Election.

The Republican Primary Elections for Cameron county will be held on

SATURDAY, MAY 26th, 1906, from the hours of three o'clock p. m. to seven o'clock p. m.

Emporium Borough—West Ward, at City Hall, 5 delegates; Middle Ward, at Council Room, 4 delegates, East Ward, at Hose House, 4 delegates.

Shippin Township, at Court House, 7 delegates.

Portage Township, at Sizerville Bath House 1 delegate.

Lumber township, at McConnell's Store, Cameron, 3 delegates.

Gibson Township, at Curtin House, Driftwood, 4 delegates.

Driftwood Borough, at Hose House, Driftwood, 3 delegates.

Grove Township, at Shafer's Hotel—3 delegates.

Monday, May 21st is the last day for filing nominations for delegates to the County Convention.

L. W. GLEASON,  
Chairman Republican County Committee.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Announcements under this head must be signed by the candidate and paid in advance to insure publication.

### REPRESENTATIVE.

Please announce my name as a candidate for Member of Assembly of Pennsylvania from Cameron county, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries. If nominated and re-elected I will strive to represent our county with honesty, and fairness to all and labor to secure such legislation as will promote the best interests of all.

JOSHUA HOWARD,  
Emporium, Pa., May 1st, 1906.

### NAMES OF CANDIDATES REGISTERED.

Driftwood, Pa., May 16, 1906.

To the Republican Voters of Cameron County: In compliance with paragraph 7 of the Rules, the following have been registered with the undersigned:

For State Senator,  
George L. Miller, Clinton.

For Member of the General Assembly,  
Joshua Howard, Emporium.

For Associate Judge,  
John W. Kriner, Emporium.

For Prothonotary, Register, Recorder and Clerk of the Courts,  
Wm. J. Leavitt, Emporium.

Robert R. McQuay, Emporium.  
L. W. GLEASON, Chairman.

### Summer School.

Miss Mabel Edwards will open a summer school for pupils, of any size, in the East Ward School Building, Monday, June 4th, 1906. Tuition \$1.00 per month. 11-4t.

### Plants for Sale.

Linden Lewis has a large number of healthy cabbage and tomato plants for sale. Leave orders at West Creek farm or drop a postal.

13-4t. LINDEN LEWIS.

### Notice to Farmers.

The imported German coach horse, BLACK ROBERT, owned by Hon. Josiah Howard, has been placed in charge of the undersigned, (Dr. M. F. Hamilton,) for the season of 1906, at his stables at East Emporium, at the Cook House. Terms reasonable.

13-4t. M. F. HAMILTON, V. S.

### Musical College.

The College of Music at Freeburg, Snyder county, Pa., offers a cheerful and commodious home to young people desiring instruction in Vocal and Instrumental Music. \$4 will pay for six weeks' instruction and board; terms begin June 18 and July 30. For Catalogue address

13 St. HENRY B. MOYER.

### Warning.

All persons are hereby forbidden from trespassing upon the property of this Company without a permit from this office, or the Superintendent at the works.

KEYSTONE POWDER MFG. CO.  
Emporium, Pa., August 1st, 1906.

Why take a dozen times to cure that cough? Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar always the congestion, stops that tickling, drives the cold out through your bowels. Sold by R. C. Dodson.