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As has been our custom for more than forty years, we shall send the PRESS from Aug. 1st until Nov. 8th, 1906—15 weeks—for twenty-five cents, payable strictly in advance. Send in your orders early. No paper sent unless the money accompanies the order.

Dr. Heilman's New Treatment

We had lately frequently heard that Doctor Heilman was placing in his office various electric appliances for producing X-rays and for general electric treatment of different human ailments. When he told us that he had everything arranged and was doing business and invited us to step in and see his outfit, we concluded to do so. The Doctor favored us with a few sample treatments. Some of them were very refreshing. We cannot enumerate nor describe the various appliances and treatments, because we are not familiar enough with them to do so, although the Doctor explained them very fully and clearly to us. He assured us that everything was of the latest approved and best makes and strictly up-to-date. Judging from general appearance we believe this to be correct. We were particularly well impressed with the familiarity the Doctor exhibited in explaining them and handling them in their various details. In reply to our commenting on this he said "that is simply the result of about two years of hard study and a few visits abroad, taking 'Post Graduate' courses in this particular work." In short this outfit is such that for appearance, completeness and for adaptability for the purposes intended any pretentious sanitarium might well feel proud to possess. The Doctor says that while electricity, as exhibited in and produced by these appliances, is not a "cure all" and everything cannot be done with it, yet there are many things that can be done with it that cannot be done with anything else and many diseases that can be cured by its proper application that cannot be affected by other known methods. There now seems to be no need for our people to visit the large cities for this class of treatment. It can be given just as thoroughly in our own town. It has evidently taken a considerable amount of money, thought and work to bring about this result. The Doctor says that he does not know that he will get his money back from the use of his outfit, but that he does know that he will be able to do better work for his patients, as well as derive much personal satisfaction from its use. We believe our community will appreciate this commendable spirit of progressiveness.

Base Ball.

The base ball fans witnessed one of the best played games last Thursday, seen here in a long time, when Emporium defeated the Williamsport P. R. R. team by the score of 4 to 1. Our boys seemed determined to win and from the start played a game which is a credit to themselves and the management. There was a slight change in positions, Wayne Carbury of Driftwood was behind the bat and Wm. Leffer of St. Marys was in left field for the locals and both played a nice game. Overturn was at short-stop and is the right man for the position. Jimmy Farrell, first; Chas. Cummings, second; Eschbach, third; Mumford, centre and Fisher in right; all did effective work. In the eighth Mumford singled and went to third on two wild throws, Farrell hit a hot one to short, who fumbled it, and was safe on first, went to second on a balk and with two men on bases, Fisher lined one for two sacks, and two men scored; he was followed by Hemphill with one in the same locality, who scored a little later. The four runs being made in this inning. Williamsport made their run in the sixth when Mumford muffed an easy chance. Little too sure Gene Hemphill pitched a great game, having eleven strikeouts and allowing but four hits. With the boys playing ball like this they should receive the patronage of the people. Our base ball cranks were about thoroughly disgusted with the game played here recently and did considerable kicking, and refused to attend the games, but with exhibitions like the last one they will have a larger attendance and deserve support.

The Sinnamahoning Juniors came to Emporium Saturday and played two games with the third nine here. The home boys won both games—first 9 to 3; second—4 to 2, five innings.

The home team defeated St. Marys team at that place yesterday by the score of 11 to 1.

Williamsport vs Emporium at park Saturday.

LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE

Hon. Josiah Howard's Letter Accepting the Republican Nomination for Representative.

AN ABLE AND INTERESTING DOCUMENT

MR. J. P. McNARNEY, Chairman, Cameron County Republican Convention.

DEAR SIR:—

I appreciate the courtesy of my nomination by the Republican Convention and thank the Republican voters for their confidence in my ability to represent Cameron county in the State Legislature.

A representative of the people is supposed to use his own judgement in matters of legislation as they come before him with the explanations and expressions of opinion by other members on the floor of the House, but he is also a messenger for the people of his district; and a decent respect to the opinions and judgement of his constituents demands some statement to them of his qualifications and intent.

A great many discourteous things have been said about our legislators, both state and national; but after one term at Harrisburg I am proud of having been a member of so fair and intelligent and honorable a body of men. I am proud because Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania laws are second to none for justice, equity, liberality and progress among the various states of the Union, and I am equally proud to be the representative of Cameron county, which, although small, compares favorably in educational, commercial and financial activity and progress with neighboring sections of the state.

Our forefathers who colonized and built up our nation were broad minded, many men who came here not seeking a job or soft snap, but with the intent of establishing for themselves homes and businesses better than those which they enjoyed in the lands of their birth. And when they had reached a fuller development, and had thrown off the restraining hand of foreign influence, they founded our government upon a basis both equal and fair to all, with such measures of encouragement to progress as were consistent with the safe guarding of individual rights. They early realized that the most essential elements of progress, after establishing an honest and firm foundation were the cultivation and growth of intelligence and the provision of means for free, equal and safe transportation, and for easy and quick means of communication for both social and business intercourse.

To carry out this idea they established a fundamental platform known as our Constitution, and provided that the people through duly elected representatives should have the power of amending and broadening and maintaining that fundamental law. To make sure that this legislation should be of, by, and for the people, they stipulated that their representatives, both state and national, should come back to them for inspection and approval every two years. They also provided that all legislation passed by these representatives should receive mature and deliberate consideration, and arranged another legislative house with a longer term of office, known as the Senate, to be a cooling off and remodelling place for supervising legislation passed by the lower house. Our Constitution and all laws of government recognize that the right of ownership is the fundamental law of civilization, but that such ownership whether of personal property, as beast of burden, or of accumulated wealth, including the management of railroads and factories, shall be subject to regulation by the Commonwealth.

In former times owing to our limited vision, we knew of nothing but individual effort and individual management of property and affairs; they came the broader idea of partnership and co-operation, and we have steadily progressed and widened our horizon till now it is a recognized fact that the best and safest and most permanent enterprises must be carried on by what are known as corporations or stock companies. It is just as necessary and a great deal more important that these stock companies should be regulated and controlled by law. It is also just as necessary that these corporations and stock companies should be made to feel the same sense of responsibility to the people and to the community at large as is demanded of the individual citizen.

That the United States has fairly well succeeded in establishing this

form of government and in maintaining the high standard of progress and justice to all men, is evidenced by the record of heavy immigration which steadily pours into this country year after year from the domains of every civilized nation in the world, and it is also evidenced by the exceedingly small proportion of that immigration which ever returns to its native land to live. The growth of endurance and vitality and the protection and encouragement and developed growth in educational, moral and commercial activity has not been hot-house or mushroom growth, but has been gradual, continual and strong; and I cannot think that I am immodest or without the pale of facts when I claim credit to what is known as the Republican party for the larger share in the management and establishment of this growth and enduring strength and enterprise.

The Roosevelt administration has furnished to the country renewed justification for its faith in the positive, constructive and progressive genius of the Republican party. So far as our present condition of unexampled material prosperity is due to governmental policy the credit for this belongs wholly to the tariff and money policies of the Republican party, which have given stability and confidence to the business interests of the country.

But prosperity has its problems and dangers no less than has adversity and as the Republican party has safely led the country out of the wilderness of Democratic hard times, so now the country looks to it for guidance in the right uses of prosperity. In Theodore Roosevelt we recognize a leader and administrator raised up to meet the conditions and problems of the new time. His administration has stood and now stands for the largest rights of all, for the principal of a "square deal" for all and for the determination to induce wealth and corporate power to recognize the fact that they have duties and responsibilities. So called private corporations are in reality public servants deriving their franchises and profits from the public. Public service of this kind no less than civil service is a public trust which should not be looked upon as an opportunity for mere private gain, much less for graft.

All honest men court publicity and are not afraid of criticism. No party or individual can claim immunity from some wrong or error and the Republican party is no exception, but it claims leadership in honesty of effort and energy of action to correct and improve the civil, judicial, legislative and executive management of public affairs both state and national.

No man can paint a picture or work out a problem of commercial or industrial improvement unless he has a vision in his mind of the scope and the prospective profit of that enterprise. Nor can he plan and build a castle or a sky-scraper unless he knows the size and the shape and the utility as well as the form of the building which he wishes to construct, and he must have a vision and a picture in his mind of its size and shape and beauty.

It is just as necessary to have a plan or a pattern to work by as it is to have the ambition and the intention to perform something of which we might be proud. This principle will apply just as fully and just as essentially to a man entering public life as it does to the business man or the architect, and I am proud to say that I know of no better example, or of no man of a higher conception of the possibilities of progress and commercial development and national honor than the man, our president, Theodore Roosevelt, and I am proud to feel that you wish to give me a chance to paint a small picture and make a small effort on the lines laid down by this foremost citizen of the age.

It has been said that you must break an egg to make an omelet, but I wish to call your attention to the fact that breaking the egg does not mean smashing it with a hammer and destroying part of the meat, but that it means simply the opening of the shell; and I want to say to you that my impression of the leaders of the Democratic party has always been that they were just as honest and just as sincere in their efforts to make a good omelet as the

Republican party has made and is capable of making again, but that they never understood the difference between destroying the egg and the opening of the shell.

To control our corporations would destroy them; to correct some minor abuses in the tariff they would wipe it out; to restrain some overzealous policeman they would abolish the police force; to keep some men from becoming too wealthy would destroy all individual incentive by advocating government ownership.

There is nothing so important to the development of the nation as the encouragement of individual effort, and there is also nothing more important than that each individual should feel that his own efforts and energy will be given fair play in the race of progress.

This the Republican party has done; the Republican party proposes to do. Its first motive is to form a firm and secure government, and its second motive is to develop and encourage individual effort. It is also the purpose of the Republican party to encourage co-operative of stock company development and energy, subject always to such restrictions and regulations as shall not discourage private individual efforts and ambition, no matter how small or large a scale the individual wishes to make the attempt. All organizations of laboring men to improve their social and material condition are entitled to the same protection and encouragement as combinations of business men, and, of course should always be subject to the same restrictions and regulations.

No man can buy out another man's business and make a success of it unless he has a grasp of the possibilities of increasing it. It is all right to cut down expenses, providing it does not cut down the positive and initiative force of progress. It is not low salaries and cheap machinery we want, but better machinery, even at a higher price, if it will give better results; and it is not a low tariff and cheap money that we want, but a better tariff and better and more elastic money, better protection from weak and unscrupulous competition and cheap financial theories.

No man is competent to remodel a house who is not competent to plan a new one, because he will not realize the importance of the foundations nor the eternal fitness of things necessary to harmonize it as a whole. The Democratic party are not suitable contractors to remodel our tariff or our money standards, because they do not understand the foundations of these institutions and have no clear conception of their purpose and importance to our enterprising and progressive, as well as safe and sound, National life.

Bryan says, abolish the gold standard, mix some other metal with the gold and make money cheap. Bryan says, don't let men get too rich, pass a law that no man can be a director in more than one company.

It is not cheap money we want but honest money. It is not one horse, men that we want but honest men; and you do not make men honest by stopping them from doing business. Do you know, Mr. Chairman, that every dollar of paper money issued by the banks is backed up by one dollar and seven cents of United States bonds deposited at Washington. That is honest money, that is gold standard American money and we are proud of it, and all the world is glad to get some of it.

Our people, irrespective of party, evince their honesty and patriotism by open and enthusiastic recognition of the honesty and manhood of Theodore Roosevelt; but it is surprising that some of our people calling themselves Roosevelt-Bryans would just as honestly and enthusiastically declare Bryan a second Roosevelt. One is an open, straightforward, many statesman, standing for protective tariff, sound money and fair play alike to the corporations and the individual worker, while the other openly and anxiously pondering the prejudices and passions of men, has laid himself open to the charge of insincerity, by sweeping from populism and free trade through free silver and the reorganization of the supreme court to his present place to restrict individual ambition. One man represents warm healthy sunshine, and the other sings of sweet delusive moonshine.

In the last Legislature I tried to use my influence for better roads, better schools, better police protection, better inspection of the hospitals, coal mines and factories, better divorce laws, better health and game laws; and more especially for more independent action by the members in the Committee

Self Made Men.

We noticed in last week's Independent an article entitled "Wealth, Influence." Let me ask the writer if he knows of a self made man than either Hon. Geo. J. LaBar, or our own country boy, William J. Leavitt? These men by hard laborious work have come up from the very lowest rounds of the ladder. Mr. Leavitt has worked in the woods a number of summers right here in our own valley and these men who know him best are and will be his most ardent supporters in November. Here's success to our woodsman candidate. His election is a certainty.

VINDICATOR.

A Daughter of the Revolution.

Miss Marian E. Larrabee has been notified by The National Association of Daughters of the American Revolution, Washington, D. C., of her election to membership in that society. Miss Larrabee filed her proofs of descent from Revolutionary ancestry, through her father's people, and same was verified and accepted by the Association.

Two of her ancestors, one of them an officer, served in a Vermont regiment in the war for American Independence. Among others, one of the purposes of the organization is to assist in the preservation of places of historical interest and importance.

An Exciting Runaway.

There was an exciting runaway down town Tuesday evening which came near resulting seriously. Tom Nickerson, Linn Strayer and William J. Leavitt started out from the coal yard with Mr. Strayer's crack driving team for a drive up town. They had scarcely started when the team began to run and soon were temporarily beyond control. When they reached the Methodist church they swerved around an electric light pole and Mr Leavitt was thrown to the ground in front of the wagon. The wheel passed over his arm and legs but fortunately no bones were broken. How he escaped serious injury will always remain a mystery. Mr. Nickerson finally managed to guide the team up the hill and succeeded in stopping them at the end of Allegheny Avenue.

Magnificent Exhibition.

The program to be presented by the Liberty Moving Pictures is replete with special features, introducing comedy, pathos and dramatic incidents and comprises the most wonderfully realistic pictures ever exhibited on any stage. Each subject is the acme of scientific art, a headline in itself, and goes to make up a most complete and exceptionally pleasing entertainment of animated views.

Mechanical effects accurately reproducing every sound indicated during the action of the pictures, form one of the realistic features of the presentation, and a special staff of skilled stage employes accompany the exhibition to insure a perfect illusion. This attraction has been secured for the Emporium Opera House on Tuesday, Aug. 28th, with a special matinee at 3:30 p. m. Prices, 50, 35 and 25c; Children 15c; Matinee prices, 10 and 20c.

Democracy's Order of Things Stirrs up a Hornet's Nest.

The action of the Democratic county convention last week with reference to the appointment of conferees by the chairman of the convention has called forth considerable comment, pro and con. Many Democrats have expressed their disapproval of establishing such a precedent. For years it has been the custom to permit the district nominees to appoint their own conferees and to deny them this privilege naturally causes considerable disapproval. The question was strenuously opposed in the convention, but the Renovo contingent, assisted by those in sympathy with the new plan, controlled the convention and defeated the opponents of the innovation. From what can be learned this action will not conduce to harmony in the Democratic ranks.—Lock Haven Express. This is nothing to what the Clinton citizens will experience if they once allow the Elk Gang to fasten its fangs into Clinton county affairs. They would have no rights; would be simply serfs.

The Liberty Amusement Co's high class Moving Pictures come to us with an endorsement of eight consecutive return date tours covering the larger cities of New England eight times in less than two seasons. Further evidence is scarcely needed to guarantee the entertaining qualities of this attraction, and its managerial promises are only half fulfilled, little will be left wanting to make the engagement here Tuesday, Aug. 28th, a perfect success. Prices, 50, 35 and 25c; Children 15c; Matinee prices, 10 and 20c.

For Sale.

—I offer the following for sale: One second hand lumber wagon, \$30.00. Also one new lumber wagon at a bargain.

CHAS. DIEHL.

THE WEATHER.
FRIDAY, Showers SATURDAY, Shower
SUNDAY, Fair.

ASSETS
First National Bank,
EMPORIUM, PA.
At the close of business August 15, 1906.
\$712,133.46.
By once saving a dollar a month Carnegie can now spend millions.

DR. LEON REX FELT,
DENTIST,
Rockwell Block, Emporium, Pa.

Golden Wedding.

Hon. and Mrs. Nevatus Proven Minard, of Four Mile, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary at their home last Monday, surrounded by their children, grand-children and many friends. The venerable couple are still hale and hearty and bid fair to live many years. There were present many of our oldest citizens, the oldest being 88 years old. Photographer W. G. Bair made two plates of the party an excellent picture. Judge Minard and his estimable wife have resided in this county all their lives. The Judge was born near Sizerville, May 5th, 1813, while Mrs. Minard was born near Emporium in 1838. The guests present were as follows:

Mr. Harry Minard (son), wife and two children, of Grandin, Mo.; David Minard (son), of Vermont; Mrs. Pierce (daughter), and son Harold, of Oil City; Geo. Minard (son), wife and three children, of Four Mile; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sprang (daughter and son, of Sizerville, Mrs. Sprang being a daughter); Mr. Mose Minard, (son) and four children, of Emporium; Mrs. Lucore, mother of Mrs. Minard; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sizer, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Dancy, Mr. and Mrs. Krebs, of Four Mile; Mrs. A. Russel and grand-daughter, Miss Francis Ledbetter; Mrs. J. S. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Grant S. Wiley, and son, Mrs. Chas. Zarpis, Mrs. Mary Winfield, Mrs. W. W. Dickinson; Mr. L. G. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lyons, and grandson, Miss Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Metzger, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Riley Warner, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swope, Mr. Geo. Walker; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Emsen; Mrs. Mumford, Mrs. Elizabeth, of Emporium; Mrs. Millie Sprung, and son and Miss Lila Berry, of Sterling Run.

Mr. and Mrs. Minard were recipients of numerous beautiful testimonials of regard.

Another Bachelor Girl.

Miss Byrle Taggart, one of our towns most pleasant girls entertained the Bachelor Girls at her home on Fourth street last Tuesday evening, at which time she announced her engagement to Mr. George Herman Deike, of Pittsburgh. We congratulate Mr. Deike.

Married.

Word was received here last evening of the marriage of Miss Rose Ritchie of this place to Mr. A. L. L. Subrie, of DeLand Fla., a former resident here. The ceremony took place at Chautauqua Lake yesterday afternoon at five o'clock. Miss Ritchie is one of Emporium's highly esteemed young ladies and one of our popular school teachers. Mr. Subrie is an instructor in Stetson University at DeLand, Fla. Their many friends here extend congratulations and wish them a happy prosperous life. They will reside in Florida.

Snyder—Heilman.

Miss Mable V. Snyder, of Scranton, Pa., and Mr. John Heilman, stenographer and pay-master of Hudson River State Hospital, at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., will be married at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Snyder, on Wednesday evening, Aug. 22d, 1906, at 6 o'clock. The bride formerly resided in Emporium, in fact was born here and will be remembered by many of our citizens. Mr. Heilman, is the second son of Dr. R. P. Heilman, of Emporium, and has for three years been connected with the New York institution. The bride and groom will visit Emporium on Saturday, Aug. 25th and no doubt will be cordially congratulated.

Unless the statements made to us regarding the merits of The Liberty Amusement Co's high class Moving Picture exhibition are greatly in the telling, a genuine treat is in store for those who attend the presentation of this attraction when it appears at Emporium Opera House on Tuesday, Aug. 28th. Prices, 50, 35 and 25c. Children 15c; Matinee prices, 10 and 20c.

Non-Partisan Judiciary.

The hope of defeating Harry Alvan Hall for judge in the Twenty-fifth district ought to cause every friend of a non-partisan judiciary to take off his coat for Judge Green.—Williamsport Bulletin.

Dance at Sizerville

There will be a dance and supper at Sizerville Springs Hotel, Friday evening, Aug. 24th. The public cordially invited. Fine music and good supper.

The Press from Aug. 1st until after election for twenty-five cents. Subscribe at once.

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