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Business Cards.

J. C. JOHNSON, J. P. McNARNEY
JOHNSON & McNARNEY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
EMPORIUM, PA.
Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-17.

MICHAEL BRENNAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent.
35-17. Emporium, Pa.

B. W. GREEN, JAY P. FELT.
GREEN & FELT, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Corner Fourth and Broad streets,
Emporium, Pa.
All business relating to estate, collections, real estate, Orphan's Court and general law business will receive prompt attention. 41-25-17.

AMERICAN HOUSE,
East Emporium, Pa.
JOHN L. JOHNSON, Prop'r.
Having resumed proprietorship of this old and well established House I invite the patronage of the public. House newly furnished and thoroughly renovated. 43-17.

MAY GOULD, TEACHER OF
PIANO, HARMONY AND THEORY,
Also dealer in all the Popular Sheet Music,
Emporium, Pa.
Scholars taught either at my home on Sixth street or at the homes of the pupils. Out-of-town scholars will be given dates at my rooms in this place.

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

DR. H. W. MITCHELL,
DENTIST,
(Successor to Dr. A. B. Mead.)
Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store,
Emporium, Pa. 12ly

Exclusive Views.

The magnitude, novelty and gorgeousness of the Elks' parade and decorations at Philadelphia are admirably reproduced in Lyman H. Howe's new program to be seen in Emporium Opera House on Thursday Eve., Oct. 31st. As Mr. Howe was so fortunate as to be granted special facilities to photograph these scenes from the official reviewing stand, the audience will see the parade from the same commanding viewpoint from which Mayor Rebyrn saw it. Another picture which could also be secured only through special concessions granted by the Minister of State Railways of Austria shows Switzerland as seen from the front of a locomotive. The crowning feature of the new program, also, could be secured again only through most important concessions, granted by no less authority than the Lords of the Admiralty, England. Naturally this great series can be seen only at this exhibition as Mr. Howe controls the sole American rights. It reveals the complex machinery and the splendor of the modern battleships as it never has been revealed before. They are shown plunging the deep at full speed—the very personification of terrible strength. They are not "painted ships on a painted ocean" but the real, mighty engines of battle of the year 1907—hurling the deadly torpedoes, whose paths are clearly marked in the water, and defying the constantly diving and emerging submarines. Tremendous machines—all of them.

Indian Lecturer.

Mr. Cary W. Hartman will give his well known lecture on "The Indian as I Found Him" in the opera house, November 4th.

In this lecture two Indians in resplendent native costume are employed to illustrate the ceremonial customs and festivities of their people. These are real Indians and not moving pictures.

Mr. Hartman having lived with the Ojibways and the Sioux for many years, knows the Indian, his customs, his ceremonials, his songs, his dances, his religion and his legends as perhaps no other man to-day endeavoring to tell from the platform the story of the American Indian, and hence it is that he interests his hearers, both old and young from the first and charms them to the close by the beautiful and simple presentation of his subject.

The lecture will be given for the benefit of the High School Science Department.

Matinee and evening: 3:30 and 8:00 o'clock, p. m. Admission 25 cents; reserved seats, 10c extra. Chart at H. S. Lloyd's store on Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Improving Nicely.

It is a pleasure to see our old friend D. C. Hayes, who has been in poor health for some time, is able to be out again and enjoying a little exercise. Hope he may regain his usual robust health. "Dave" has always been an industrious good citizen and his many friends congratulate him upon his improved condition.

Girls Wanted.

Twenty-five girls wanted; apply at Novelty Incandescent Lamp Company. 34-4t.

Jefferson and Hamilton.

Our County Superintendent has a happy way of so ordering the Institute courses that each year brings in review some important study which did not find place in the year preceding. Never before, we believe, at any of our Institutes has the subject of United States history been presented in the light of its central ideas. Such a presentation has been given to us last week by President Fess of Antioch College, Ohio. In a course of six lectures he traced the development of the two principles which, in combination, make up the very heart of American history. These are the principles of liberty and nationality. The one idea found its chief embodiment and representative in Thomas Jefferson; the other, in Alexander Hamilton. These two men were bitter rivals and opponents, and though political parties are still, and no doubt always will be, divided in their respective emphases upon local liberty and central power, it still remains true that the country has equal need of both principles and should accord equal honor to Jefferson, the representative of liberty and to Hamilton the representative of power. It was from this large, non-partisan point of view that Dr. Fess presented the characters and achievements of these two most representative and influential Americans. It was the privilege of the present writer to hear Mr. Bryan some days ago at the Virginia State Fair at Richmond. In the course of his two hour speech, Mr. Bryan took occasion to point out the contrasting tendencies of Jefferson and Hamilton, but he drew his contrast in a way that was much less than fair to Hamilton. Hamilton, it is true, did distrust the common people, and did seek to have the government removed as far as possible from direct popular influence and control. He would have had the president and the senators elected for life, and the governors of the several states appointed by the central government. While on these points Hamilton's influence was over-ruled by that of Jefferson, it is an injustice to Hamilton to represent him, as Mr. Bryan has done, as one whose sole interest was to thwart and defeat the will of the people. Mr. Bryan did not point out that had it not been for Hamilton we should not have advanced in national union and strength beyond the loose and ineffective Article of Confederation of 1777. Mr. Bryan apparently fails to see that his own political program could never be carried into effect had our Constitution been framed entirely according to the ideas of Jefferson, for in that case the Federal government would be two weak and disjointed to protect the people in their inalienable rights. Hamilton saw more clearly than did any other American of his period the absolute need of a government sufficiently centralized and endowed with authority to accomplish effectively the ends for which governments exist. Hamilton's interest was not to defeat the will of the people but to see that the government should be invested with all necessary power. If he was too distrustful of the common people, that must be regarded as a mere detail. Time has eliminated from our political life the Hamiltonian distrust of the people, just as it has vindicated over and over again the Hamiltonian contention that a government without power is useless and contemptible.

The nation had the greatest need both of Jefferson, the apostle of liberty, and of Hamilton the champion of federal power. Jefferson gave the country its dominant spirit and ideals; Hamilton gave it the organization and instrument through which alone any large destiny can be fulfilled.

Edison's Latest.

The laboring man who makes \$1.50 per day can have an indestructible cement dwelling built in 12 hours at a cost of \$1,000 is the startling statement made by Thomas A. Edison. Next spring he expects to build a house by this model. By a system of patent molds it is possible for any contractor to build a house of solid cement, 25 feet wide, and 45 feet deep three stories high, for \$1,000. By pouring the cement in iron molds, it will be possible to build a house in 12 hours, and in six days more it will have hardened and become indestructible.—Ex.

Wanted.

Reliable Deputy Organizer and Financial Secretary, for city or country if desired, lady or gentleman. Good terms to right party. W. E. P. V. Address,

A. A. WHITE,
Punxsutawney, Pa.
No. 217 East Liberty St. 36-4t.

From An Old Friend

M. A. Berfield, of Pine River, Minn., writes to the PRESS renewing his subscription for another year, at the same time says: "I was coming back to see the friends and relations but my health has been poorly for the last year, so will have to put it off for the time being. You have my best regards." It is very gratifying to hear from old Cameron county friends, especially from subscribers who knew ye editor when a boy. How time does fly?

Prosperous Emporium Boy.

John D. Morrissey, general agent of the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic Ry., with headquarters at Superior, Wis., accompanied by his son James, who resides at Duluth, Minn., and P. J. Morrissey, of this place, were PRESS visitors on Monday. The young man is manager of Duluth opera house and was enroute for New York city, to book daily attractions for his opera house. We found the young man modest and energetic, taking his modesty from his father. We were pleased to meet the genial gentlemen.

"The Girl of the Golden West."

The title role of David Belasco's great play, "The Girl of the Golden West," which comes to the Emporium Opera House on Thursday, Nov. 14, is that of a favorite in a saloon and gambling room in a small mining town. She loves a highwayman and is loved by the sheriff. Her efforts to secure the safety of the man she loves, his arrest, condemnation to death and final escape furnish a series of tensely dramatic situations.

The Waning Hardwood Supply.

Although the demand for hardwood lumber is greater than ever before, the annual cut to-day is a billion feet less than it was seven years ago. In this time the wholesale price of the different classes of hardwood lumber advanced from 25 to 65 per cent. The cut of oak, which in 1899 was more than half the total cut of hardwoods, has fallen off 36 per cent. Yellow poplar, which was formerly second in point of output, has fallen off 38 per cent, and elm has fallen off one-half.

The cut of softwoods is over four times that of hardwoods, yet it is doubtful if a shortage in the former would cause dismay in so many industries. The cooperage, furniture, and vehicle industries depend upon hardwood timber, and the railroads, telephone and telegraph companies, agricultural implement manufacturers and builders use it extensively.

This leads to the question, Where is the future supply of hardwoods to be found? The cut in Ohio and Indiana, which, seven years ago, led all other States, has fallen off one-half. Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, New Jersey, Tennessee, Texas, West Virginia, and Wisconsin have also declined in hardwood production. The chief centers of production now lie in the Lake States, the lower Mississippi Valley, and the Appalachian Mountains. Yet in the Lake States the presence of hardwoods is almost certain indication of rich agricultural land, and when the hardwoods are cut the land is turned permanently to agricultural use. In Arkansas, Louisiana, and Mississippi the production of hardwoods is clearly at its extreme height, and in Missouri and Texas it has already begun to decline.

The answer to the question, therefore, would seem to lie in the Appalachian Mountains. They contain the largest body of hardwood timber left in the United States. On them grow the greatest variety of tree species anywhere to be found. Protected from fire and reckless cutting, they produce the best kinds of timber, since their soil and climate combine to make heavy stands and rapid growth. Yet much of the Appalachian forest has been so damaged in the past that it will be years before it will again reach a high state of productiveness. Twenty billion feet of hardwoods would be a conservative estimate of the annual productive capacity of the 75,000,000 acres of forest lands in the Appalachians if they were rightly managed. Until they are we can expect a shortage in hardwood timber.

Circular 116, of the Forest Service, entitled "The Waning Hardwood Supply," discusses this situation. It may be had upon application to the Forester, Forest Service, Washington, D. C.

Girl wanted.

Girl wanted for general house work. Exceptional opportunity, \$3.00 a week. P. O. Box, 384.

WANTED.—A job with partable mill, from stump to car.

Geo. PLANKENHORN,
[South Williamsport, Pa.]

Check Forger.

Harry Frazier, who made his home at Four Mile, this county, forged a check for \$26.30 on Arthur Lucore, his uncle, passing the same on R. Seger & Son for clothing, when he skipped out. When the discovery was made on Tuesday that the check was a forgery Chief Mundy tried to locate the forger but up to this time he has not been caught. Frazier has served time in the Reformatory and was out on parole. When caught he should be given a good dose.

Since writing the above it has been decided that the check was not made by Frazier and appears to have the ear marks of a woman's hand writing. No clue has been discovered that leads to the arrest of Frazier, who passed the check.

Burglary.

Sneak thieves forced an entrance into R. Seger & Son's store early yesterday morning and carried away a quantity of clothing. A hole in the rear door was sawed large enough to admit the thieves. The tools were stolen from Emporium Machine Co. Other places were "attacked" but nothing taken. Two men were prowling around Jos. Kaye's residence, but the dog gave the alarm, when Robert Kaye pulled his gun. The sneaks were holding the dog behind a board pile near Judge Green's residence.

Chas. J. Howard, the Republican candidate for County Treasurer, is fully competent to conduct the office of County Treasurer, being a graduate of one of the best educational institutions in the country. If elected, and every well informed voter knows he will be by a handsome majority, he will conduct the business of the office personally. He is a struggling young farmer, and not wealthy as some smart guys would like the voters to believe, on the contrary he is a poor man—a struggling farmer, but honest as the day is long.

Chas. J. Howard Will be Elected.

Unless all signs fail Mr. Chas. J. Howard, the Republican nominee for County Treasurer, will have a handsome majority. Our nominee is the second son of Geo. Howard, deceased, and bears the same open frank countenance of his illustrious father, whose unsullied name we all like to remember; the same free-heartedness, liberality and honesty. If elected he is competent and will be obliging, careful and efficient in the discharge of his duties. There is no valid reason why any Republican should fail to give him his vote. To make no mistake, just place an (X) in the Republican box—that will do the business.

The Kuehne Company Opening.

The R. Kuehne Company are rapidly getting their large stock of goods marked and placed on the counters and shelving. He now has a large force of lady clerks at work marking his goods and when all is ready for the Grand Opening, next Wednesday and Thursday, Mr. Kuehne as well as the following ladies will be pleased to meet their friends: Miss Lena Evans, Miss Edith Heilman, Miss Myrtle Gregory, Miss Marie Garvin and Miss Mary Murray. Fisk's orchestra will be present and render some choice music. Mr. Kuehne desires the Press to extend his compliments to the citizens of Cameron county and requests that as many as possible do him the honor of accepting his invitation to be his guests upon this occasion, "that all may become better acquainted." Remember the dates Nov. 6th and 7th.

Marriage Announced.

Mr. W. J. Merry, one of the postal messengers between Emporium and Buffalo, and Miss Edith M. Sterner, a highly respected young lady of this place, announced their marriage on Tuesday, the ceremony having taken place at St. Stephen's Episcopal Rectory, Olean, N. Y., on Aug. 25th, Rector A. M. Ashton officiating. The announcement came as a surprise to their friends who supposed they were preparing their home in the Tulis block and would be married this week. Mr. and Mrs. Merry have our best wishes for a merry life. The laugh is on their friends.

A meeting of the W. C. T. U., in the Reading room, Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mrs. STRAYER, Sec'y.

Little Girl Outraged and Murdered.

The citizens of Renovo were horrified yesterday morning to learn that little Mary Donnelly, a child between nine and ten years, had been outraged and struck on the head with some blunt instrument. The body was found on the "dump" by two young men about two o'clock yesterday morning. The child had attended the wedding of her aunt and disappeared. A searching party composed of hundreds of men and boys were out all night but could get no clues. There is great excitement in Renovo over this horrible outrage.

A Word for C. J. Howard.

Special to the Press.
Having seen but little in the local papers concerning the candidacy of C. J. Howard, I desire to submit a few thoughts for the voters to take into account when casting their votes.

The first thought that occurs to me is, whether any Republican can give a valid excuse for refusing to vote for Mr. Howard for County Treasurer. Some of the excuses manufactured by the Democrats run about as follows: "He is too young to ask for this important office." "He does not need the money while his competitor does." "Too much Howard." &c.

If the people will weigh these arguments they will find that there is absolutely nothing in them to warrant one Republican to vote against him. In the first place he is old enough and has been a resident of this county as long or nearly so as his competitor. That he does not need the money is a poor argument for the reason that he probably has no more of this world's goods than his competitor. He has a large family and is no doubt as anxious to provide for it as his opponent. That his name is Howard is no fault of his and if elected it will not be by the exclusive aid of the Howard influence.

As to the man, I wish to say that this county never produced a more humane young fellow than C. J. Howard. He has been charitable to the poor at all times far beyond his means and a better neighbor never lived than he. Everything he has is always free to everybody's use. He is liberal to a fault and what money he has spent, was spent right at home and every body got a share of it. If elected, he will carry his accommodation to the people as far as the law will permit him and no man will ever leave his office because of ungentlemanly treatment. He does not know how to do this.

This fact remains, whether elected or not, that in the history of Cameron county, neither party ever presented a candidate closer to the people, more generous, obliging, kind and accommodating than C. J. Howard and he never was an enemy to any one.

A VOTER.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

SALESMEN WANTED to look after our interest in Cameron and adjacent counties. Salary or Commission. Address The Victor Oil Company, Cleveland, O.

David Belasco's "Girl of the Golden West," which had a run of two years at the Belasco Theatre, New York, will be seen here Thursday, Nov. 14th. The scene is laid in California in the old '49 days, which Bert Harte loved to exploit.

David Belasco's "Girl of the Golden West" will be seen here at Emporium Opera House on Thursday, Nov. 14. The fact that it bears the Belasco trademark and emanates from his studio is sufficient guarantee that it will be greeted by a crowded house.

WANTED.—Local representative for Emporium and vicinity to look after renewals and increase subscription list of a prominent monthly magazine, on a salary and commission basis. Experience desirable, but not necessary. Good opportunity for right person. Address Publisher, Box 69, Station O., New York. 36-2t.

The Kind That's Different.

Charles Felton Pidgin is always different. Why? Because he is always original and has a style of his own. After his daily toil is over he simply reels off his stories as if dry statistics were just the "breakfast food needed for such airy wit as we find in "The Toy-makers", the greatest musical absurdity ever written. At the opera house, Friday evening, Nov. 1st.

Stolen Coat.

The person who took the boy's overcoat from the rink last Friday night is known. If the coat is returned at once no action will be taken. If not returned an arrest will be made and a prosecution for larceny will result. Penalty three years in penitentiary.

J. P. McNARNEY, District Attorney.

THE WEATHER.
FRIDAY, Showers.
SATURDAY, Showers.
SUNDAY, Fair.
ASSETS
First National Bank,
EMPORIUM, PA.
At the close of business Oct. 30, 1907.
\$833,615.62
Every man,
very woman,
very child,
should be a
Savvy
Saver.
We will open an account for you with \$1.00.
Uncle Sam deposits his money in this Bank.
INTEREST PAID ON CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

AT OPERA HOUSE,
LYMAN H. HOWE
Presents the growing triumph in moving Pictures. An international spectacle. Two hours of world travel
THURSDAY, OCT. 31ST
GREAT NAVAL BATTLE!
Realistic Torpedo Attack.
Diving Submarines.
Gunboats in Action.
Furious Artillery Bombardment.
IN DARKEST AFRICA!
1000 Coolies Laying a Mile of Railroad Track in 60 minutes.
Diamond Mining, Blasting, Washing, Cutting, Etc.
Victor Falls, Sunset and Moonlight.
Elks' Parade, Phila.
Stag Hunt in France.
Yatching at Cowes, Eng.
Twenty Other big Features.
Prices: 25, 35, 50c and 75c
Seats reserved at H. S. Lloyd's store.

FRIDAY EVENING, NOV. 1ST
A Feast of Laughter and Music
THE JOLLITIES
in their great musical absurdity

The ToyMakers
By Chas. F. Pidgin
Dramatized from his very latest book of the same name, and also the author of
QUINCY ADAMS SAWYER
25 original numbers of pretty Music.
A clever company of actors, singers, dancers and Comedians. Our special scenery
AN OLD ENGLISH TOY SHOP
150 minutes of
THE Laughter that cheers
Music that charms.
Prices, \$1.00 75c, 50c and 25c.

Engagement Extraordinary
David Belasco's
Famous Play
The Girl of the Golden West
THURSDAY, NOV. 14TH
A story of California in the Days of '49.

As played for two consecutive years at the Belasco Theatre, New York City
Stupendous Production
Strong Company of Players
Direction of David Belasco.
Seats on sale at Lloyd's Book Store

Eye Specialist.
Prof. W. H. Budine, the well known Eye Specialist, of Binghamton, N. Y., will be at R. H. Hirsch's jewelry store, Emporium, Pa., Nov. 9th. If you can't see well or have headache don't fail to call and see Prof. Budine, as he guarantees to cure all such cases. Lenses ground and fitted in old frames. Eyes tested and examined free. All work guaranteed.