

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**FOR CONGRESS—HON. CHARLES F. BARCLAY**  
OF CAMERON COUNTY.  
Subject to the action of the Republican voters of the twenty-first Congressional district, composed of the counties of Cameron, Clearfield, Centre and McKean.  
Post office address—Sinnamahoning, Pa.  
**Member of Assembly.**

**FOR MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY—HON. JOSIAH HOWARD**  
OF EMPORIUM, PA.  
Subject to the action of the Republican voters of Cameron county, at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

**FOR MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY—MARCUS F. LUCORE**  
OF EMPORIUM, PA.  
Subject to the choice of the Republican voters of Cameron county, at the Primary Election, Saturday, the 11th day of April, 1908.

### Associate Judge.

**FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, JOHN A. WYKOFF**  
OF GROVE TOWNSHIP, PA.  
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.  
P. O.—Sinnamahoning, Pa.

**FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, J. A. MUTHERSBOUGH**  
OF DRIFTWOOD, PA.  
Subject to the action of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

**FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, WM. BERRY**  
OF STERLING RUN, PA.  
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

**FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, SAMUEL D. McCOOL**  
OF DRIFTWOOD, PA.  
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

### County Commissioner.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, JOHN W. LEWIS**  
OF SHIPPEN TOWNSHIP.  
Subject to the action of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.  
P. O.—Emporium, R. F. D.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, S. P. KREIDER**  
OF DRIFTWOOD, PA.  
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, WM. H. BAILEY**  
OF SINNAMAHONING, PA.  
Subject to the action of the Democratic voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, WM. H. SMITH**  
OF LUMBER TOWNSHIP.  
Subject to the action of the Democratic voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.  
P. O.—Sterling Run.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, BENJAMIN DAYTON**  
OF STERLING RUN, PA.  
Subject to the action of the Republican voters at the Primary Election, April 11, 1908.

### Sheriff.

**FOR SHERIFF, ALLEN M. HAMILTON**  
OF EAST EMPORIUM, PA.  
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

**FOR SHERIFF, FRANK G. JUDD**  
OF EMPORIUM, PA.  
Subject to the action of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

**FOR SHERIFF, JOHN W. NORRIS**  
OF EMPORIUM, PA.  
Subject to the action of the Democratic voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

**FOR SHERIFF, ANSON O. SWARTWOOD**  
OF EMPORIUM, PA.  
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Cameron county at the Primary Election, on April 11th, 1908.

### National Delegate.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the position of delegate to the Republican National Convention subject to the decision of the Republican voters of the 21st Congressional district at the primaries to be held April 11. If chosen as a delegate I will support for the presidency, the man whom I believe to be most likely to represent and put into effect the policies of Theodore Roosevelt and the true principles of the Republican party.  
LEWIS EMERY, JR.  
Bradford, March 21, 1908.

Your are requested to announce the name of Fred W. Reynolds, of Bellefonte, as a candidate for Delegate to the Republican National Convention, subject to the decision of the best interests of the district and to act in accordance with the National Administration.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

**Editor Press:**  
Please announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the position of Supt. of Public Schools of Cameron county, subject to the decision of the convention of School Directors of Cameron county, held on the first Tuesday in May, 1908.  
MATTIE M. COLLINS.  
Emporium, Pa., Jan. 1st, 1908. 46f

**Editor Press:**  
Please announce that I am a candidate for the position of Superintendent of Public Schools of Cameron county, subject to the decision of the convention of School Directors of Cameron county, held on the first Tuesday in May, 1908.  
JOHN SCHWAB.  
Lumber, Pa., Jan. 4th, 1908. 47

**Editor Press:**  
Your are requested to announce my name as a candidate for the office of Supt. of the Public Schools of Cameron county, subject to the decision of the school directors in convention assembled on the first Tuesday in May, 1908.  
D. B. PETERSON.  
Lumber, Pa., Jan. 20th, 1908.—tc.

### Easter Flowers and Plants.

Easter Potted Plants and Cut Flowers, Ferns, etc., for Easter at Schlecht's Green House. Leave orders early for special lines.  
JOHN SCHECHT.  
6-3t.

### Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting Borough Council, Emporium, April 6th, 1908.  
Present—Messrs. Marshall, Friendle, White, Cummings, Norris, Mumford, Rishell and Hamilton. Absent—Mr. Goodnough.  
Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.  
The committee appointed to confer with Water Company in regard to contract for use of water for Borough purposes was continued until next regular meeting.

The bills were read as follows:  
Emporium Water Co., water to July 1908 \$500 00  
John Welsh, work on streets. 23 60  
James Mury, " 19 25

John Fredette, " 5 79  
Lee Swartz, " 6 85  
Peter Ferguson, " 6 85  
John Flemming, " 6 85  
Clarence Ritchey, " 6 51  
Charles Link, " 7 72  
Owen Dinahy, " 6 85  
Fred Fredette, " 5 79  
Owen Nangle, " 5 79  
Fred Logan, " 12 00  
James Davin, " 3 19  
Soloman St. Don, " 4 90  
Grant S. Allen, bond of Boro Treasurer. 10 00  
I. K. Hockley, Borough Auditor 1907 10 00  
St. Marys Gas Co., gas, Feb. and March 57 15  
Levi Smith, invoice. 18 37  
Struthers-Wells Co. invoice. 8 91  
Emporium Machine Co. invoice. 1 65  
State Highway Dept. State road, 4th St. 697 30

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Norris, that all bills as read be paid except Water Co's bill, amounting to \$500. Carried.

The president appointed the following standing committees for ensuing year: Streets—Messrs. Rishell, White and Cummings. Electric Light—Marshall, Norris and Goodnough. Sewers—Goodnough, Hamilton, Mumford. Purchasing and Auditing Bills—Rishell, Marshall and Goodnough.

Moved by Mr. Norris, seconded by Mr. Mumford, that street commissioner be appointed inspector of telegraph, telephone, electric light poles and wires thereon for the year 1908, in pursuance of Ordinance 50. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. Norris, seconded by Mr. Mumford, that secretary notify Board of Health to have Charles Weller connect drainage from his building to sewer on Third street, and if any expenses are thus incurred by Board of Health in so doing, the Borough Council will see that the bills are paid in this case. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. Hamilton, seconded by Mr. Norris, that Street Committee be authorized to put in concrete crossing on Broad street, same to be four feet in width. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Mumford, seconded by Mr. White, that matter of extension of Vine street above Sixth street be referred to Street Committee. Carried.

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Rishell, that necessary repairs to Electric Light Plant be referred to Electric Light committee. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Norris, seconded by Mr. Marshall, that Street Committee be authorized to repair ditch on Chestnut street. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Mumford, seconded by Mr. Cummings, that a bill be rendered to C. B. Howard Co., for \$75.00 as their share in removing ice on Second and Maple streets which was placed there by high water. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Norris, seconded by Mr. Cummings, that Treasurer get money from Burgess amounting to \$54.25 which is due the Borough. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mr. Mumford, that bond of E. D. White Treasurer, be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Mumford, seconded by Norris, that Secretary present bills to parties that Street Commissioner removed snow from their walks, and to pay same promptly or said bills will be presented for collection. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Norris, seconded by Mr. Marshall, that Street Committee be authorized to fill in street at extension of West Allegany Avenue from R. Fountain to foot of hill. Carried.

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Rishell, that Street Committee be authorized to have an ordinance drawn up establishing a grade for sidewalks on Fourth street from intersection of East Allegany Avenue to bridge at west end of Fourth street. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Marshall, that Council adjourn to meet at call of Chair. Carried.

R. C. MOORE, Sec'y.

### Reception to Minister.

The members and friends of Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a reception in the Church Parlors, this Thursday evening, at eight o'clock. All friends are requested to attend and meet the new Pastor, Rev. Jos. P. Anderson and wife.

### Emmanuel Church Notices.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER, 1908.  
In addition to the usual Lenten services, there will be a service in the church each morning in Holy Week, except Saturday, at 10 o'clock. On Thursday (10 a. m.) Holy Communion. Easter Day Services (April 19): 6 a. m., Holy Communion; 10:30 a. m., Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; 4 p. m., Sunday School and Mite-box Offering; 7:30 a. m., Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Monday in Easter-Week: 7:30 a. m., Evening Prayer and Parish Meeting.

### Splendid Values in Coats, Skirts and Millinery.

We offer exceptional good values in Ladies Black Broad Cloth and Coat Coats at from \$5.00 to \$12.50 also black Silk Coats from \$5.00 up. In Walking Skirts we have the "Duchess," the finest fitting, most stylish, most up-to-date Skirts in the U. S., prices range from \$5 98 to \$12.50. Have a look at our \$5.00 Trimmed Hats, they are beauties. Trimmed Merry Widow Sailors from \$2.50 up. You'll want new Gloves for Easter. If you want the best made you will have to get them here. Kid Gloves, "Perrin's" make, the finest in the world, price \$1 00 to \$3 50. Silk Gloves the "Niagara," the best American Make, \$2 50 quality, 16 buttons length, double finger tips, at \$1.90. Also other numbers at \$1 00, \$1 50 and \$1 65.  
R. KUEHNE, Emporium's Leading Dry Goods Store.

8-10t. EMPORIUM MACHINE CO.

## To the Voters of Cameron County:

For twenty-one years I have lived here and worked for the best interests and development of Cameron County.

Old Members of the Legislature are entitled to a seat in the managing board of their party and if I am returned to the Legislature this year, I will be given this position and being the oldest member from this section of the state, I will be Chairman of this Congressional district. Should the voters accord me this honor, I will use the full power of my office to keep our county in the proud position she now holds in the conservative management of state affairs.

If I had not done anything else, the active part I took in the Special Committee on Elections, that framed and passed the Uniform Primaries Act, which prohibits ring rule in both parties, should entitle me to your help and I earnestly and respectfully solicit your votes.

Yours very truly, for a better and a growing country.  
JOSIAH HOWARD.

### A Golden Opportunity.

Awaits every lady of Emporium to sell for cash or have their cut hair and combings made up into beautiful and up-to-date pieces of all styles. I also furnish hair and make to order, anything in the hair line requested at two-thirds the price paid elsewhere. Don't wait but come and get a bargain. Call at our rooms at Miss Edgcomb's.  
E. B. HOLLENBECK.

### Special Bargains.

We have several lines of Men's Goods which are not moving fast enough to suit us. Therefore decided to close them out below cost. They go on sale Friday and Saturday. Men's Blue Overalls, 50c kind, 29c. Men's Dark Striped Jean Overalls, 85c kind, at 62c. Men's Dark Blue and White Striped Overalls and Jumpers, the \$1.00 kind, at 79c. Men's heavy blue and brown mixed Cotton Sox, the 15c kind, at 9c. R. KUEHNE, Emporium's Leading Dry Goods Store.

### True Americans!

We have just organized a Board of Trade in Emporium and a number of the Board of Management are candidates for political offices on opposing tickets. While this to a foreigner might look like a bad thing for the Board of Trade, yet the great American people are used to that kind of a thing, no matter which candidate wins, we all get together for business and forget there was an election.

### Will Resume.

C. B. Howard Co., are repairing their saw mill and hope to resume operations within a few days.

### Men of Ability and Character.

From county officers up to delegates to the National Convention, the Republican party presents many men of marked ability and character, who have always been loyal party workers and the voters should see that none other are supported at the primaries.

Cameron county has the only Republican member in the legislature from the five counties comprising this Senatorial district, Senator Hall's district and the Republican voters should see that it never returns to the democratic column.

### Wins Silver Cup.

In the Educational Butter Scoring Contest, conducted during the past year by the Dairy Husbandry Department of the Pennsylvania State College, E. C. Wivel, of Fulton House, Pa., made the highest average score, namely 92 1/2 out of a possible 100 points, judged on market standards.

In this Contest butter was sent to the College periodically, where it was judged, criticisms and suggestions for improvement were sent to the butter makers. 38 butter makers took part, though only a small part completed the year by sending every time.

### For the Farmer.

Call at the Emporium Machine Shop for Bowker's fertilizer and printed matter giving directions how to use same to get best results for grain and vegetables.  
8-10t. EMPORIUM MACHINE CO.

## UNIFORM PRIMARIES NEXT SATURDAY.

### The Voter Must Ask for His Party Ticket.

In order to afford our readers, Republicans, Democrats and Prohibitionists, an opportunity to post themselves as to the candidates whose names will appear on the ballot next Saturday, we publish the official list. The polls will be open from two to eight o'clock, p. m. It is up to the voters to familiarize themselves with the new law and the manner of voting the ticket under this "Uniform Primaries Act."

The county commissioners, under this Act, provide tickets for all parties and each party ticket contains the names of all candidates who have petitioned the commissioners or the secretary of the commonwealth to put their names on the party ballot, hence when you enter the voting room you announce to the election officer that you want a ballot of the political faith to which you belong and on that ballot you will find the names of all the candidates of that party, and to vote it you are required to make a cross mark in the square opposite each candidate's name for whom you wish to vote. Do nothing else to the ballot. Don't mark off anyone else's name for if you do you deface the ballot and under the law the election officers will reject your ballot. You don't even vote what is, at general elections, called a straight party ballot, for the ballot will not contain a party square for that purpose. There will be a blank line on the ballot under each office to be filled, on which the voter is privileged to paste a name or write a name of anyone whom he wishes to vote for if that person's name is not printed upon his ballot and if he does paste or write a name on his ballot in this blank space he is not required to make a cross mark opposite the name, although to make the mark does not destroy the vote. A decision of the court on this point should make the matter clear to election officers which we here give: "When a name is inserted in a blank, it need not be designated by a cross mark, but a mark will not vitiate the vote." (Freemansburg case, Vol. 7, page 387, Northampton Reports, 1901.)

A voter is entitled to his party ticket only, and it is the duty of the election officers to see that this provision of the law is met without challenge, but if his right to such a ballot is challenged then he is required to make oath that he voted for a majority of the candidates of the party for whose ballot he asks, at the last general election.

It is useless for a Democrat to vote for a Republican or a Republican to vote for a Democrat by writing or pasting his name on a ballot for that ballot will be counted for him under the party name on which it was cast and hence will do him no good on his own party ticket.

To avoid mix-ups and confusion in computing the vote election officers and the voters should study the new law and the cards of instruction which will be furnished by the county commissioners.

### THE CANDIDATES.

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|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Republican.</b>                   | <b>Democratic</b>   |
| Delegate to the National Convention. |                     |
| Lewis Emery, Jr.,                    | N. B. Spangler      |
| Harry Boulton,                       | Frank E. Nagney     |
| W. Fred Reynolds,                    | James Kerr          |
| <b>Alternate Delegates.</b>          |                     |
| David Howells,                       | T. E. Costello      |
| George Paton,                        | Geo. C. Fagnan      |
| <b>Representative in Congress.</b>   |                     |
| Charles F. Barclay,                  | W. H. Walker        |
| <b>State Delegate.</b>               |                     |
| C. Jay Goodnough,                    | A. A. McDonald      |
| <b>Representative in Assembly.</b>   |                     |
| Josiah Howard,                       | Bernard Egan        |
| Marcus F. Lucore,                    | Irvin K. Hockley    |
| <b>Associate Judge.</b>              |                     |
| Wm. Berry,                           | John Cummings       |
| S. D. McCool,                        | Robt. McDowell      |
| Jan. J. Miz,                         | James A. Shaffer    |
| J. A. Muttersbaugh,                  |                     |
| J. A. Wykoff,                        |                     |
| <b>Sheriff.</b>                      |                     |
| Allen M. Hamilton,                   | John W. Norris      |
| A. O. Swartwood,                     |                     |
| Frank G. Judd,                       |                     |
| <b>County Commissioner.</b>          |                     |
| Benj. Dayton,                        | W. H. Smith         |
| J. W. Lewis,                         | O. L. Bailey        |
| S. P. Kreider,                       | Geo. Minard         |
| <b>County Auditor.</b>               |                     |
| T. E. Fulton,                        | J. B. Mulcahy       |
| Jesse E. Johnson,                    | Owen Dinahy         |
| Geo. A. Walker, Jr.,                 | M. Brennan          |
| <b>County Chairman.</b>              |                     |
| L. W. Gleason,                       | Geo. P. Shaffer     |
| <b>County Committee.</b>             |                     |
| E. F. Comley, Lumber,                | W. M. Summerson     |
| H. B. Muttersbaugh, Drift,           | A. G. Ross          |
| E. W. Gaskill, Shippen,              | Hicks Inn,          |
| W. R. Sizer, Portage,                | [None other filed.] |
| J. A. Barclay, Grove,                |                     |
| E. E. Bradbury, Gibson,              |                     |
| W. H. Howard, Emporium,              |                     |
| H. O. Haupt, Emporium,               |                     |
| G. F. Balcom, Emporium,              |                     |

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

**ASSETS**  
**First National Bank,**  
EMPORIUM, PA.  
At the close of business April 8, 1908.  
**\$746,941.82**

**ARE YOU READY**  
for the financial opportunities that will come to you? Good credit or ready cash—money saved in this Bank—is needed to seize them.  
INTEREST PAID ON CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

### Letters from the People.

All communications under this head must be accompanied by the writer's name. We will not be held responsible for any expression in this department.—Editor.

### IS THIS A SQUARE DEAL?

I desire to protest against the injustice done the tax-payers of Lumber township, where property is supposed to be assessed at one-third its actual value. Is it not? But, is it always so assessed and is it not sometimes more. We have a case of it right here in Lumber. About the best farm in the township, for which the owner asks \$4,000 for the land alone, we think, under the rule, should be assessed at one-third of that price, instead of a total valuation, of \$516, including four horses and some cows. The same farm is assessed with thirty acres of improved land one hundred acres of unimproved land, when anybody who has ever seen the farm, knows, at a glance, that there are over one hundred acres of improved land in the farm. Now, whose fault is this I do not know, or do I care to say, but it must be between the assessor of this township and the county Commissioners of the county. I think the tax-payers are entitled to an explanation. Would it not be wise for us to look at these when we go to the polls on election day and give us a Square Deal. That is all we ask, yet we do not believe in taking the taxes off of one and putting them on another, just because he is a poor man and has not the money to put a lick like some of our well-to-do neighbors. Again, the assessor should also find out to whom property belongs before he assesses same to somebody who does not own it, of which might be mentioned here, in order to save a woman paying a few dollars in taxes who owns property—the man is assessed and the woman holds the deed. Is this justice? Who will tell? Tax-payer, it is up to you.

### TAX PAYER.

[We are inclined to think that "tax-payer," who evidently is familiar with the case complained of, is the one to censure. He must have known all about it and being a tax-payer it was his duty when attending the tax appeals to protect his interests, and the township in general, by entering his protest, which no doubt the court of appeals would have gladly investigated.]—EDITOR.

### HOW IT LOOKS TO FORMER CITIZENS.

A former resident of this county writing to the PRESS, yesterday, says: "If Josiah Howard's record and reputation at home is not good enough for the people of Cameron county, they do not know a good thing when they have it. I do not doubt that he will win out."

Your are right, friend. We have too much confidence in the good sense of our citizens, regardless of party. It is up to all to sit down and think before they cast their vote against Emporium and Cameron county's benefactor. He never disappoints our people when they need his liberal donations for every laudable purpose. He is here to build up our county. Place him where he can be of service to you.

### Ball Team Organized.

The young men of town have organized a base ball team, that will be known by the loud sounding name of "The Explosives." Mr. Ben Liston is the captain and Mr. Harold Seger holds the position of secretary and treasurer. Any teams from out of town wishing to secure dates can do so. Address all letters to "The Explosives," Emporium, Pa.

### Tragic Death.

Many Emporium friends of Mrs. M. L. Cummings, formerly a respected resident of Emporium, will be pained to hear of the tragic death of her mother, Mrs. W. C. Weaver of Hyner, by drowning last Friday, near her home. Ill health, which unbalanced her mind, caused her to tie a rope around her waist and walk into the river.