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Wedded at Driftwood.

The leading social event of the season at Driftwood was the marriage of Mr. Charles Dorwin Porter of Mifflin, and Miss Ruth Sherwin Richardson which was solemnized on Tuesday, Sept. 14th, at the Union church in the presence of a large company. The event was of special interest on account of the prominence of the contracting parties, Driftwood having been the home of the bride's family for many years, and the groom having been located there for some time.

The church in which the ceremony took place was beautifully and elaborately decorated for the occasion. The altar being banked high with autumn flowers and foliage, goldenrod predominating.

Promptly at the hour designated Miss Rachael Brockbank, who rendered a beautiful overture while the company was being seated, played the popular and impressive wedding march Lohengrin, as the wedding party entered the edifice.

The groom was attended by Charles Gray, Esq., of Pittsburg, a son of Judge Gray, the eminent jurist of Delaware. The members of the bridal party were: Mrs. V. King Pifer of Williamsport, a sister of the bride, matron of honor; Miss Nina Grier Bryan of Emporium, maid of honor; Miss Helen Richardson, sister of the bride, Miss Elizabeth Porter of Fort Wayne, Ind., sister of the groom and Misses Edna Mitchell and Martha Gleason of Driftwood, bridesmaids. The bride entered on the arm of her oldest brother, George B. Richardson, Esq., of Grove City, by whom she was given in marriage.

The ushers were Arthur Byron of Olean, N. Y., Miles and James Porter, brothers of the groom of Fort Wayne, Ind., and R. Loughton Richardson of Driftwood, brother of the bride.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white chiffon mull with handsome lace trimmings, a tulle veil completed the artistic costume. Her bouquet being a shower of brides roses. She wore a beautiful brooch, the gift of the groom.

The matron of honor wore her wedding gown of cream satin with drapery of old family lace and carried white asters. The maid of honor was attired in an handsome gown of point d'esprit over messaline satin. She also carried an arm spray of white asters. The four maids wore dainty gowns of white Paris muslin and carried lavender asters.

The bride presented her attendants with brooches and the gift of the groom to the male members of the party was handsome tie pins.

The solemn and impressive words that joined the young couple for life, were pronounced by the Rev. J. M. Robertson, rector of the Emporium Episcopal church, the beautiful ring service of that denomination being used.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. The happy couple received the congratulations of the wedding guests, the entire bridal party and the mother of the bride being in the receiving line. After these happy felicitations had been extended the company was seated and a dainty luncheon was served in the parlors, dining room and spacious porches of the house. The house decorations were very profuse, the floral adornments in the reception room being white clematis, autumn flowers and foliage constituted the decorations in the interior apartments and porches, the bride's table being ornamented with clematis and goldenrod, the color scheme throughout being yellow, white and lavender.

An hour later the bride and groom left on the west bound train to enjoy a western trip. After November 1st they will be at home in Mifflin, Pa., where Mr. Porter holds a responsible position with the Pennsylvania railroad. None of the features incident to the departure of a newly wedded party were omitted by the large number of friends assembled at the station, the well wishes of all being extended to the couple, whose dual journey through life starts out under the most auspicious circumstances.

The bride is the daughter of the late Francis E. and Mrs. Richardson and is held in the highest esteem of a very large circle of friends and acquaintances. Her brightness and vivacity have made her deservedly popular and that happiness unlimited may be hers through life, as we sincerely wish of the many whose friendship she has long enjoyed. Mr. Porter is the son of Dr. Miles Porter, a prominent surgeon of Fort Wayne, Ind., and is a young man of sterling qualities. He is a graduate of Purdue College and for several

years has been connected with the Pennsylvania railroad in various capacities requiring mechanical and engineering ability of a high order.

The happy event of Tuesday was attended by guests and relatives from Fort Wayne, Ind., Olean and Buffalo, N. Y., Emporium, DuBois, Union City, Johnsonburg, Williamsport, Grove City and other places.

The gifts to the bride were very numerous, including many beautiful articles of silver, cut glass, linen, china and furniture.

Howard—Rothfuss.

Last Wednesday evening, Trinity Episcopal Church at Williamsport, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when Miss Marcia Howard, daughter of Mrs. Editha Howard became the wife of Mr. Carl Winfield Scott Rothfuss. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Robert Bell, Rector of All Saints Memorial church, of Williamsport. The decorations at the church and home were beautiful. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother on West Fourth street. About 350 invitations were issued. The bride is a granddaughter of Mrs. M. A. Rockwell of this place. Miss Encie Howard, of this place, acted as one of the bride's maids.

"Quincy Adams Sawyer" Repeating its Success.

The phenomenal success of the book play, "Quincy Adams Sawyer," is repeating itself again this season when crowded houses greet its every appearance. This popularity is attributed to the preceding fame of the book that extended from ocean to ocean, and that the play is in itself the most genuine piece of rural life ever given to lover of bucolic drama.

The simple pure charm of the book is distinctly preserved in the play. The characters are drawn so close to life that it requires an effort to be convinced that they are not real. They are just such types as are found in every New England village and portrayed by actors who are in perfect sympathy with their roles. In fact, it is a case of human nature appealing to human nature.

Another thing that people evidently appreciate is not having their pleasure of the artistic simplicity of the play marred by mawkish scenes and sloshy incidents. The amusing scenes—and those are what the play is made up of mainly—contain just wholesome, good nature, compelling laugh after laugh, and the sentimental parts consist of that kind of refined pathos that plays upon the heart strings with no discordant note.

The company representing this beautiful play carries with it all the equipments including four large sets of scenery, built especially for the production, all the lightning effects and all the properties. Theatre goers are looking forward to the treat in store for them when the play comes to the Emporium Opera House in the near future.

How Different.

Renovo was trimmed by Emporium on the former's grounds Saturday afternoon by the score of 5 to 2. It was an interesting and well played game throughout and attracted a fair sized crowd of spectators.—Ridgway Record.

The base ball game Saturday afternoon between Renovo and Emporium was largely attended but was very listless. The score was 5 to 2. Raymond Friel pitched the last few innings and held the visitors to no hits.—Renovo Cor. to Lock Haven Express.

How different the above notices sound. It will be seen that the article from Renovo failed to say who won the game. The result of which no doubt made it listless from a Renovo point of view.

Public Sale.

The undersigned will hold a public sale at his farm on Whittencore Hill, Friday, Oct. 1st, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the following will be disposed of: One team of horses, one heavy lumber wagon and box, one new heavy pair bob sleds, one set double harness and one set of single harness, one plow, one harrow, one cultivator, one shovel plow and farm small tools, five tons of hay, two calves, one two year old heifer, one sow with pigs, potatoes and cabbage.

Terms of sale will be made known on the above date.

30-4t. CHAS. EDGAR.

Festival.

There will be a festival held at the West Creek school house, Saturday, Sept. 25th. All are cordially invited.

Read the book of Miss Petticoats; then see the play. Coming to the Emporium opera house soon.

W. C. T. U. Meeting Health in Weeds for Boys to Find.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of this place met Saturday morning, Sept. 18th, at the home of B. Schriner on East Fifth street. A meeting convened promptly at 10 o'clock, at which a goodly number were present. The president, Schriner had charge of the exercises, then the secretary called roll and four new members were added. County organization was made and it is sincerely hoped that the county may be organized in the future, for this is one of the best means for the market and will give counties which is not yet organized a literary program was presented which was enjoyed and appreciated all present. A committee was appointed for entertainment at the next meeting, which will convene the Saturday in October, at the home of the vice-president, Mrs. F. P. Strickland on East Allegheny Ave.

A Terrible Smell.

Having occasion to pass over the bridge west of town several times during the past week we noticed a terrible stench, which is caused from the fact it being black and slimy. This state of affairs is a disgrace and people are compelled to put up with this violation of the law will have to do something in order to protect their families from an epidemic of some kind. During the dry season especially, the stream is very low and the water almost stagnate and to have the sun beat down on it for days the stench is dreadful.

CITIZEN

Automobile Burned.

Mark Pomeroy's automobile caught fire last Saturday evening at about 11:30 o'clock in Grimes District, near the Grimes Church, and was almost totally destroyed. Pomeroy and Frank Dunbar were in the car at the time. It is supposed that the blaze originated from a leak in the gasoline tank. The engine and some of the other parts may be saved, but the machine as a whole is a wreck. Pomeroy carried about \$2000 insurance on the auto.—Port Allegany Argus.

Whist Party.

Miss Maude Thomas entertained several friends at her home on East Allegheny Avenue, last Friday evening, in honor of her guests, the Misses Nell K. Oles, of Olean and Margaret Folmer, of Coudersport. The evening was pleasantly spent by the playing of whist, and the prizes were awarded to Mrs. Guy Felt and Mr. Albert Forbes.

Corn Roast.

Last Friday evening about twenty five young people hid themselves to the Climax farm for a corn roast, having been invited there by the Misses Bessie and Edna Van Wert. All report a fine time and hope to be invited back again.

Company M Notice.

Headquarters, 3rd Battalion, 5th Regt., U. S. A., Ridgway, Pa., Sept. 21, 1909.

There will be an election for 2nd Lieutenant, Co. M, Monday evening, Sept. 27, at 8 o'clock, held in the company's quarters at Emporium. Every member of this company is required to be present at this election.

B. TH. BLISS, Major 5th Regt.

All members of Company M are requested to be present next Monday evening, at 7:30 sharp, in the parish house, for the election of a second lieutenant. Members who do not attend may be expelled.

MARK ELLIS, Captain.

Musical and Literary Entertainment.

In charge of the Epworth League, in the Methodist church, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Prelude—Chant Triumphant.....Caul
Sea song—Leslie.....by the Choir
Vocal Solo.....Miss Florence Beck
Reading.....Miss Mildred Lloyd
Duet—Alto and Tenor.....
Mrs. John Kackemeister and W. S. Sterner
Quartet—Miss Runyan, Miss Fulton, Mrs. Baird,
Miss Brooks.
Base Solo.....Mr. George Walker
Instrumental Solo.....Miss Myrtle Lloyd
Soprano Solo.....Miss Ethel Runyan

REMARKS.

Silver offering.
Offertory—Gavotte de la Dauphine.....Clara
Tenor Solo—The Heavenly Song.....Mr. Ellis
Alto Solo—Jerusalem, Mrs. John Kackemeister
Sinnamahoning Quartette.
Forest Glee—Leslie.....By the Choir

Contractor and Builder.

Working on my own responsibility, I am prepared to make contracts for buildings and repair work. Shop work of all kinds.

HECTOR PANTON.

Railroad News.

Prizes amounting to \$5,400 were awarded to-day to Pennsylvania Railroad track supervisors and their assistants who have excelled in their work during the past year. The prizes, five in number, were distributed at Harrisburg, Pa., at the close of the first day of the General Manager's Annual inspection, on which, the General Manager is accompanied by his entire staff of officers, including some 300 men in the operating department of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The purpose in offering these liberal premiums is to encourage those in charge of the tracks over which the bulk of the Company's passenger trains run, to keep their sections as free as possible from irregularities that cause jars and discomforts to the Company's patrons.

To insure that the prizes shall be awarded upon accurate data, a committee of maintenance of way officers goes over the line every few weeks during the year, in a car attached to one of the regular high-speed trains. Two glasses of water are placed on the sills of two rear windows and every spill of water is counted against the score of the section of track over which the train is passing. To make the record even more accurate, an instrument has been especially designed to register every vibration of the car, either vertically or horizontally. The smaller the amount of vibration, the better the track.

Sears Retires With \$25,000,000.

Richard W. Sears, founder of the great mail order house of Sears, Roebuck & Co., has announced his retirement from active business. He has amassed a fortune in the past seven years, it is said, of \$25,000,000.

He began his business career as a telegraph operator in the northwest, by buying watches and selling them to railroad men on approval. After opening an office in Minneapolis his business became so successful that he gradually added other lines and

enough money to establish himself in the general mail order business. Chicago. The business has gradually grown until it is said the annual receipts reach \$50,000,000. A few years ago it was incorporated for \$40,000,000.

Mr. Sears has for some time been investing in downtown real estate in Chicago. His purchase during a year amounted to about \$2,000,000.

The unfortunate thing to contemplate is the fact that all of this twenty-five millions is on the books of poor country merchants, who could have furnished the goods on which Mr. Sears made his profit at the same price had they been paid the spot cash for it.

Struck it Rich.

A. Pelky and Charles Sanders who for the past three years have been in the Innok mining district, between the Kuskowim and Yukon Rivers have just returned to Seattle, bringing with them a large supply of the much desired yellow dust.

They had one nugget that was worth \$505; another worth \$300. The first made in this district was made three years ago, and Sanders and Pelky immediately went into the district to look up claims on Gains Creek.

Pelky and Sanders modestly refuse to state how much their share is, but it is known that it is large.—Seattle Times.

Miss Petticoats Coming.

The New York success with Miss Floriene Farr in the title role. T. J. Butler has made special arrangements with the C. M. Clark Pub. Co., to present every person buying two (2) 75c or \$1.00 tickets with an illustrated copy of this popular \$1.50 book. This opportunity never offered before to theatre patrons closes six o'clock day of performance.

Will Attend Conference.

The Rev. F. B. Schriner will leave next week to attend the conference of the Free Methodist Church, to be held at Kane, Pa. We hope the Rev. Gentleman is returned to this charge as he has a host of friends in Emporium.

State Constabulary.

Three members of the state constabulary have been stationed at Emporium. They arrived on Tuesday and from now on will look after law breakers in this section of the commonwealth.

Roomers Wanted.

Inquire after six p. m., to Mrs. Carl McGee, next to Emmanuel Parish House.

Don't fail to see Miss Floriene Farr, in Miss Petticoats, which is coming to the Emporium opera house soon.

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, Showers.
SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY, Fair.

ASSETS First National Bank, EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, Sept. 22, 1909.
\$835,736.77.

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Base Ball.

The base ball game last Thursday between St. Marys and Emporium was a very exciting contest from start to finish and when the smoke from the battle cleared away St. Marys were victorious by the score of 4 to 3.

The game on Friday between Johnsonburg and the local team was also an exciting contest, with Emporium the victors, 5 to 0.

The team went to Renovo on Saturday and defeated the Renovo nine 5 to 2. Hemphill and Eschbaugh were the batter for Emporium.

The Renovo team has counted up its pennies and finds that it ends the season with six hundred and fourteen of them in their possession. This will be divided among nineteen players. This is the best showing any club ever made there in a season.—Ridgway Democrat.

First Presbyte Church.

Paul J. Lux, pastor.
Morning Worship and Sermon, 10:30.
Sermon, "We Fede as a Leaf."
Sunday School, 11:45.
Junior endeavor, 3 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30.
Evening Service, 7:30. Sermon, "Why should I become a Christian? and what good will it do me to be one? Come and worship with us. A cordial invitation to all.

A Bargain in Dress Goods.

We offer 3 pieces of heavy all wool Imported Dress Goods, brown, green and black mixed with stripes, 42 inches wide at just half of what they were to be sold for. These goods were imported to sell for \$1.00 per yard, special at 50c per yard.

R. KUEHNE,
Emporium's Big Store.

Lost.

A ladies amber comb last Thursday at the fair ground. Finder will please return same to Miss Mamie Farrell, Fourth street, near Catholic church.

For Sale.

The property known as the Powell Estate on Fourth street. Apply to 32-4t. J. J. WELSH.

For Sale.

One second handed 18 horse power boiler for sale cheap. Apply at the Laundry.

The School Board of Lumber township offers three \$500.00, five year bonds, carrying four per cent. interest. F. B. HOAG, President. Cameron, Pa.

Lost.

A gold locket, marked C. B. J. Finder please return to PRESS office. Reward offered.

Messrs. Atkinson & Thatcher present the great play of human interest, Miss Petticoats, at the Emporium opera house in the near future.