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## DEATH'S DOINGS.

### WELSH.

MICHAEL WELSH, aged 80, died on Thursday, Sept. 23rd, 1909, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. R. R. McQuay, after being confined to his bed for only one week and maintained all his faculties until almost the last moment, surrounded by several of his children, when he peacefully passed away, after a long and eventful eighty years. Deceased leaves a family of six sons and two daughters—his wife having passed away twenty-three years ago when the family resided at Turbotsville, Pa.,—viz: Mrs. Lydia McQuay, W. H. and Thomas, Emporium; Mrs. John Wertman, Turbotsville; Joseph and Geo., Williamsport; John, Watson; and Edward, New York City.

The remains were taken to Turbotsville last Sunday morning, short religious services being conducted at the home by Rev. J. Paul Lux, pastor of Presbyterian Church. The remains were accompanied to their last resting place, and laid away in the family plot at Turbotsville beside the wife and mother of his early life, by the following relatives: Mrs. Lydia McQuay, Miss Bessie McQuay, W. H. Welsh, wife and daughter Annie, Thomas Welsh and Mrs. Leon Felt.

Mr. Welsh was for very many years a member of Milton, Pa., Masonic lodge.

Deceased came here in the early 80's and remained for a time with his children and busied himself as his health would permit at his occupation, that of carpenter. He belonged to that class of old school Whig Republicans and was very pronounced in the faith. His long life was full of eventful incidents and he delighted in recounting the incidents and events of long ago, especially those leading up to the war of the Rebellion. Only a few years more and all who talked, wrote and voted—always right—will have passed to the great beyond, leaving only a history of those strenuous times that tried men's souls and wrenched the hearts of the loyal mothers and sweethearts.

### Union Teachers' Training Class.

The Union Sunday School Teachers Training Class will resume its work next week, meeting in Emmanuel Parish House on Tuesday evening, October 5, at 7:30 o'clock, and thereafter regularly each week. At least two representatives from the Presbyterian, Baptist, Methodist Episcopal, Free Methodist and Episcopal Sunday Schools respectively, have been enrolled in the Union Class, and the county has accordingly been credited with five classes through this one Union Class. Let us resume our work earnestly and from a good beginning make good to the end of the course. The assignment for next week is Lesson VIII in Hurlbut's Teacher Training Lessons.

"The Sunday school of to-day must have teachers trained in bible knowledge, familiar with the nature and needs of the pupil, and skilled in imparting spiritual instruction."

J. M. ROBERTSON, Instructor.

### A Fine Solo.

R. H. Edgar, principal of the East Ward school, delighted the congregation at the M. E. church last Sunday, by rendering a solo at the evening service. Prof. Edgar is a talented singer which was well shown last Sunday evening and the congregation are loud in his praise. Mr. Edgar will assist the choir at Emmanuel Episcopal church next Sunday morning.

### Public Sale.

The undersigned will hold a public sale at his farm on Whittetore 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.

CHAS. EDGAR.

### Emmanuel Church Services.

October 3, Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity.

10:30 a. m., Holy Communion and sermon. Subject of sermon, "Christian Unity."

12:00 m., Sunday School.

7:30 p. m., Evening Prayer. Subject of sermon, "Christian Charity."

Friday evening service each week at 7:30 o'clock. Lecture on the Sunday school lesson for following Sunday. Teachers and others cordially invited.

J. M. ROBERTSON, Rector.

### The Sizerville Encampment Account.

The total expenses of the recent Sizerville Encampment was \$616.80, including transportation. The several companies, however, took care of their own transportation. Deducing this and also some special items, to be mentioned presently, which Emporium has taken care of, the total amount charged to the general Battalion account is \$461.50. This amount covers the following:

BATTALION EXPENSES.	
Telegraph and telephone charges, \$	8 85
J. F. Parsons, music, .....	2 37
F. V. Heilman, hardware, .....	2 35
Freight and express charges, .....	12 99
Rent and care of tents, .....	61 50
C. B. Sizer, provisions, etc., .....	70 16
C. B. Howard & Co., provisions, .....	253 77
Mrs. C. G. Schmidt, bread, .....	29 80
J. B. Meissl, bread, .....	1 80
Geo. B. Trayner, cook, .....	18 00
	\$461 60

The profits from the sale of post cards was \$2.38. Deducing this and fifty cents received for freight charges on St. Marys tents, the total amount left to be apportioned among three towns is \$458.72. This apportionment is made on the basis of the numbers of officers and privates from each town. It is as follows:

Ridgway, 40, .....	\$146 79
St. Marys, 35, .....	128 44
Emporium, 50, .....	183 49
Ridgway and St. Marys have paid their shares in full, and Emporium has paid \$111.11.	

The following items, not charged to the Battalion, have also been paid by Emporium:

Teas, .....	\$12 50
Flag-pole, .....	5 00
Sinking barrel in spring, .....	2 00
M. J. Dolan, 19 meals, .....	2 50
Railroad mileage, .....	21 21
	\$46 21

There has been received and expended on Emporium's account in connection with the Encampment, \$157.35. The receipts have been as follows:

From members of Co. M., .....	\$72 50
From members of Co. L., .....	42 00
From tag-day and events, July 5, .....	14 50
From proceeds of stand at Fair, .....	25 35
From other donations, .....	3 00
	\$157 35

In order to come out clear on the encampment expense Emporium must still raise \$72.38. Several boys are still expecting to pay their \$3.00 each, and this will further reduce the shortage.

All of the encampment bills have been paid with the exception of a balance of \$72.38 still due to C. B. Howard & Co. This amount represents the shortage to be made up in Emporium.

J. M. ROBERTSON,  
Acting Treasurer of 3rd Battalion,  
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 27, 1909.

### Maternity Hospital.

BUFFALO, SEPT. 25TH.—Work which has been under way at the Buffalo General Hospital for some months past looking to perfection in the care of maternity cases has been completed and this city now has a model modern hospital department in which patients will be cared for by nurses who have been especially trained for this particular branch of work.

There are wards and private rooms to which none but maternity cases will be admitted. The department is equipped with the most approved appliances and every convenience and physicians will find nothing lacking for the comfort their patients.

When the plan of establishing such a department at the Buffalo General Hospital was first conceived several nurses sent to New York for a course of study in obstetric nursing at the famous Sloane Maternity Hospital. They have completed their studies and are now on duty at the General Hospital well-equipped by the special training they have undergone for the care of the cases which will be in their charge.

### An Interesting Programme.

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church gave a very interesting programme in the church, last Thursday evening. Miss Lillian Heilman rendered some very pleasing music on the pipe organ. The vocal solos by Miss Florence Beck, Miss Ethel Runyon, of Sinnamahoning, Mrs. John Kackmeister and Mr. George Walker were greatly appreciated. The ladies quartette from Sinnamahoning were present and added three delightful numbers to the programme. The piano solo by Miss Myrtle Lloyd and the reading by Miss Mildred Lloyd were enjoyed by all present. The choir rendered two numbers on the programme. A silver offering was taken.

No lady can afford to miss seeing our line of Colonial Chippendale Crystal Glassware. Nothing like it seen in this part of the state before.

G. C. TAGGART.

### Surprise Party.

Miss Mabel Morrison was agreeably surprised at her home, last Thursday evening, by a party of her friends, who assembled to help her celebrate her seventeenth birthday. Miss Myrtle Gregory planned the party and the participants met at her home at 8:15 and then proceeded to the home of Miss Morrison. The evening was pleasantly spent in various card games, consisting of flinch, hearts and pedro, and music. During the course of the evening, refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Flavia Lathrop, Rena Jordan, Rachel Day, Ethel Lloyd, Louisa Welsh, Myrtle Gregory, Bertha Jessup, Martha Burns, Messrs. James Ulmer, Thomas Craven, Herkie Jones, Dorris Spenser, Ralph Schnee and W. F. Schweikart.

### An Emporium Girl in the West.

A letter under date of September 18th, from Miss Lily M. Card, a former resident of Emporium, but now located at Grace, Idaho, describes the country as being very beautiful. Following are some extracts taken from her letter: "This is a fine country and I am perfectly delighted with every thing; the mountains are so majestic and grand, that their beauty cannot be described and they must be seen to be appreciated. It is certainly wonderful how such barren wastes of desert land can be transformed into beautiful green and fertile farms. There are little towns and villages springing up here and there as if by magic and everything speaks of life. Every where I go I find the people kind and sociable. I am teaching the first grade at Grace and like the work very much. The PRESS is a source of much pleasure to me as it seems like a letter from home." Miss Card was a former teacher in the schools of Cameron county and went west several months ago.

### Has Accepted a Call.

Rev. Paul J. Lux, pastor of the Presbyterian church, has resigned his pastorate of this congregation and has accepted a call to Haverhill, Mass. Rev. Lux has made many friends at Emporium, during his short stay here, who regret his departure and join with the PRESS in wishing him unbounded success in his new field of labor. He will leave Emporium about Nov. 15th.

### Juniors Cut Loose.

The first social event that has transpired this year in the school circles was a corn roast last Friday evening, at the home of S. M. Van Wert, when the Juniors were entertained. The "bunch" was chaperoned by Miss Lena Bair and Miss Freeda Kaiser, of Olean. The sports of the evening consisted of races and tree climbing contests. There was "heap much fun" and heartily enjoyed by all present.

### Returned From Europe.

The Misses Thressa, Frances and Helen Blumle of this place, and Miss Regina Severin, of St. Marys, returned to their homes last Monday afternoon, from a six months trip through all the places of interest in Europe. The ladies had a most enjoyable time and have reached home safe and sound. They witnessed the Hudson-Fulton celebration at New York City, after landing. They will probably be kept busy for some time to come, telling of all the wonderful things they saw while on their trip. Welcome home.

### Big Corn Roast.

The Methodist church and Sunday school corn roast, held in the Hackett field on the Island on Tuesday afternoon and evening of this week was a great success. A large number of people of all ages were present and forty-nine dozen ears of finest sweet corn, furnished by Mr. S. M. Van Wert, along with sandwiches and hot coffee, disappeared like mist before the rising sun. It was voted by all present, one of the most enjoyable events of the summer. The thanks of all are tendered the owners for the privilege of the field, which is an ideal place for such a function.

### Jessop-Schnee.

The many friends of Mrs. Sarah Jessop were surprised Tuesday by receiving the announcement of the marriage of her daughter BERTHA OLIVE to MR. RALPH SCHNEE, of this place. The young couple were married Sunday by the Rev. L. G. Wolfe. For the present they will reside at the home of the bride's mother on Fifth street. Mrs. Schnee is one of the most popular of our young high school ladies and is very active in Baptist circles. Mr. Schnee is one of our best young men and is employed at the C. B. Howard & Co., store. Their many friends unite in congratulations.

The "County Sheriff," which will be seen at the Emporium opera house, Oct. 7th, is a typical western play, with picturesque scenery, costumes and the easy atmosphere of the plains. A love story runs through a tangled thread of complications and comes to a satisfactory ending. The complications center around Happy Hazzard, the sheriff and Tuesday Blake, a mountain girl, with whom he falls in love, through his efforts to protect Mrs. Blake's claim and clearing Tuesday's name of a murder charge. A large company beautiful scenery and a number of pleasing specialties are promised.

### Canadian Visitors.

Simeon Conkwright, wife and child of Atholock, Canada, have been guests of John Conkwright and wife of East Ward, during the past week. They enjoyed our scenery and remained to attend their brother's birthday surprise, which was a pleasant occasion.

### Attending Big Celebration.

Mrs. Josiah Howard and daughter, Mrs. Josephine, are taking in the sights of the Hudson-Fulton celebration at New York, one of the grandest and most spectacular demonstrations ever given in this country.

### 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., Oct. 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.

### Admitted to Hospital.

Capt. W. C. Kress, the well known attorney who resides at Water and Fourth streets, this city, was conveyed to the Lock Haven hospital in the ambulance on Saturday evening to receive treatment. A few days prior to that Mr. Kress was badly injured in falling from a buggy near the Clinton county club house and these injuries aggravated other physical ailments. A report from that institution this afternoon is to the effect that his condition is improved.—Monday's Lock Haven Express.

### Y. P. S. C. E. Anniversary.

Last evening the Y. P. S. C. E., of the Baptist Church celebrated its 20th anniversary. A very enjoyable evening was spent in the church. The program was as follows:

Duet—Misses Vera Olmsted and Elizabeth Crandell.  
Recitations—Misses Grace Loucks and Helen Vogt.  
Song—Dorcas Day.  
Solos—Miss Myrtle Olmsted, C. E. Budget, Miss Spence and Miss Elizabeth Crandell.

Miss Olmsted presided at the organ, Mr. Crandell accompanying on the mandolin.  
Rev. G. H. Carr pastor of the Ulysses Baptist Church gave the address of the evening. The thought upon which Mr. Carr dwelt was "The opportunities and advantages of the present day youth." The address was very acceptable and well worthy of the keen attention which was given it by the audience.

Much credit is due the social committee of which Miss Rachel Day is the head, for the pleasing appearance of the room and the success of the affair. Several letters were read from former members of the society, a very pleasant one especially from the Rev. Mr. Pugsley, of Sandusky, Ohio.

### Re-Opening of Old Reliable.

By reference to the reopening advertisement of the Old Reliable Drug Store, so many years a household word in Cameron county, it will be seen that Mr. Geo. C. Taggart who succeeded his late father, Hon. L. Taggart has been expending a large sum of money in completely renovating and refitting his store, which is now the largest and most convenient in this county. The Opening Day, next Saturday, will be a surprise and pleasure to our citizens, who are cordially invited to call and see for themselves.

Geo. C. Taggart a graduate of Philadelphia College of Pharmacy with a two year course, and had eighteen years experience in Emporium, Philadelphia and Chicago. In addition to beautiful new shelving, cases and utensils the Old Reliable has added over \$500.00 worth of drugs and chemicals, the energetic young man, now in the prime of life (35 years of age) has studied the wants of this trade. Don't fail to call on Opening Day. You will be pleased.

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Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typewriting, Penmanship, Commercial Law, Correspondence. Write for full information. E. E. Aber, Principal, 826 Huron Ave., Renovo, Pa. 33-2t.

### L. C. B. A. Notice.

The ladies of the L. C. B. A., will move into the new K. of C. rooms, and will hold their first meeting, Wednesday evening, Oct. 6, instead of Tuesday as heretofore.

### For Sale.

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

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

### 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.

Mr. R. Kuehue, the always to the front wide-awake merchant, is ever on the watch for bargains. Read his ad.

Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician, said: "Watch your kidneys. When they are affected, life is in danger." Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, corrects urinary irregularities, and tones up the whole system. Sold by all druggists.

## REPUBLICAN SPELL-BINDERS VISIT US.

Pass Wednesday Afternoon in Emporium.

State Senator A. E. Sisson, of Erie, Republican nominee for Auditor General, and Senator J. A. Stober, of Lancaster, nominee for State Treasurer, accompanied by Speaker Cox of House of Representatives and Capt. J. F. Austin, postmaster at Corry, Pa., who are visiting the several counties in this section of the state, meeting and shaking hands with the people, arrived in Emporium yesterday noon from Coudersport, where the party were enthusiastically received. Hon. Josiah Howard met the future state officials at the junction with his auto and conveyed them to The Warner, where they were greeted by County Chairman C. Jay Goodnough, Congressman C. F. Barclay and his private secretary, Mr. Isadore Whitestone, of Bradford, Ex-Judge B. W. Green, Hon. J. C. Johnson, Prothonotary W. J. Leavitt, County Treasurer Chas. J. Howard, Geo. A. Walker, Jr., W. G. Gilbert, Chas. A. Counsel, Grove; Fred K. Zimmer, Gardeau; W. R. Sizer, Portage, and ye editor, in addition to hosts of our citizens, of all parties, who called upon them during their short visit in Emporium, to shake hands and assure them that Little Cameron would do its whole duty next November, by giving the entire ticket a rousing vote.

President Judge, Hon. H. A. Hall, who was transacting business in town, warmly welcomed the popular gentleman, having been officially associated with them at Harrisburg.

The spell-binders were very much pleased with their cordial reception in Emporium and expressed gratification at being here. The fact that they requested to be driven to the extensive tannery of the Elk Tanning Company, at the same time taking a good view of what they pronounced a beautiful mountain town. The popular vote-getters left on 3:15 train for Lock Haven, where a rousing reception was given them last evening.

### Welcome Visitor.

D. B. Morton and wife of Sizerville, visited in town yesterday, transacting business. The PRESS enjoyed a visit from Mr. Morton, a boyhood friend, who for thirty odd years has been a faithful employee of the Buffalo Division, now being conductor on Cloromont local. Mr. and Mrs. Morton have a comfortable home on their 130 acre Sizer Run tract, their residence being supplied with every convenience. Mr. and Mrs. Morton are highly respected by our people.

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## Railroad News.

As a memorial to the late John Clark Sims, formerly Secretary of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, two free scholarships are to be founded this year at the University of Pennsylvania.

These scholarships, the funds for which were raised by subscriptions solicited by the John Clark Sims Memorial Committee, will be awarded for the first time at the college year this month.

It was originally intended to establish one scholarship at the University, but the responses to the request of the Memorial Committee for subscriptions were so liberal, that it was found to be possible to found two free scholarships. In view of Mr. Sims' long connection with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, one scholarship will be open exclusively to Pennsylvania Railroad employes, or to sons of living or deceased employes of the Railroad System East and West of Pittsburgh.

The award of the Sims Memorial Scholarship for Pennsylvania Railroad employes will be made upon the basis of a competitive examination, in the same way as the Frank Thompson scholarships are allotted. The second scholarship will be given to such person as may be nominated by the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

## NOTES OF INTEREST.

Fashion's whims, tastefully selected, found here. Coppersmith's.

Call at the new old reliable drug store for the Saturday opening. Ask to see his new line of choice confections.

Money talks and usually talks "cents". Here a dime is listened to as carefully as a dollar. Coppersmith's.

Taggart's customers for Saturday will receive a tooth brush and a box of tooth powder free with each 50 cent purchase.

Bryan says that the new Tariff law is a fraud. Of course! Any public policy which makes the country prosperous and the election of Bryan impossible is a fraud in Bryan's estimation. How could it appear otherwise to Bryan?—Memphis "Reveille."

THE WEATHER.  
FRIDAY, Fair.  
SATURDAY, Fair.  
SUNDAY, Rain.

ASSETS  
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EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, Sept. 29, 1909.  
\$946,656.76.

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(Successor to Dr. A. B. Mead.)  
Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store  
Emporium, Pa. 12y

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Giving the Breath of Life and Reality  
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at Opera House Soon.  
Prices 25c, 50c and 75c, \$1.00.

The County Sheriff.

A new and original play this season, "The County Sheriff," rewritten by C. H. Hoyt, will be the attraction at the opera house on Thursday night, Oct. 7th. O. E. Wee has given it a magnificent production and engaged an exceptionally strong cast including Louise Price, Mrs. Alexander Leonard, Albert A. Webster, P. N. Chaloupe, Frank De Lydston and others.

The locale of the play is in the most picturesque of all the Western states, namely Colorado. It is a skillful bit of work of admirably drawn characters, bubbling humor, intensely dramatic situations with a very pretty love story. Don't forget the date.

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 copyright edition of this popular \$1.50 book. This opportunity never offered before to theatre patrons closes six o'clock day of performance.

The excellence of our millinery is well known to every lady in Cameron county, and while we show at all times the very latest styles, we do not ask you to pay additional prices for such exclusiveness. Coppersmith's.