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SHORTER NEWS ITEMS

Pithy Paragraphs that Chronicle the Week's Doings.

Long Dispatches From Various Parts of the World Shorn of Their Padding and Only Facts Given In as Few Words as Possible For the Benefit of the Hurried Reader.

Thursday.

Two hundred thieves loot a candy store in New York and carry off 21,000 pounds of sweets.

Mayor Gaynor vetoes a resolution for an automobile for the coroner of Richmond, advising him to walk.

Two Americans make an endowment amounting to \$50,000 for a consumptive dispensary and sanitarium at Dublin.

Senator Aldrich officially notifies the president that he will decline a re-election and Senator Hale refuses to make a campaign.

James S. Havens, Democrat, is elected representative in congress from the Rochester district over George W. Aldridge, by a majority of 5,831.

Oberlin M. Carter, the army engineer involved in the Savannah harbor contract frauds, loses all his fortune by decision of the United States supreme court.

Governor Hughes has granted the requisition for the extradition to Pittsburg of Frank N. Hoffstot, president of the Pressed Steel Car company, who is under indictment on a charge of conspiracy.

Friday.

Gerardus M. Wynkoop, New York banker, returned from a rubber expedition in British East Africa and brings a lively lion whelp.

The resolution indorsing the proposed income tax amendment to the federal constitution is defeated in the New York assembly, lacking two votes of a majority.

Eddie Fay and "Little Dick" Harris were sentenced to ten years in the Atlanta penitentiary and fined \$6,000 each for robbing the Richmond (Va.) postoffice of \$85,000.

Frank N. Hoffstot, charged with conspiracy which resulted in bribery in Pittsburg, obtains a writ of habeas corpus when arrested on the requisition granted by Governor Hughes.

Saturday.

A woman suffering from leprosy is found in a tenement house in New York, having come from Baltimore for treatment.

After 42 hours' deliberation the jury in the bribery case of former Councilman A. V. Simon at Pittsburg failed to agree and was discharged.

Pasteurized milk is not permitted in the dietary of the New York Catholic protector and the wards are fed with a pure raw milk of high quality.

Senator Johnston of Alabama informs the senate that a movement to import Australian beef, to lower trust prices, is under way in New York.

Sir Edward Morris, premier of Newfoundland, interviewed in Montreal, declares Newfoundland is ready and willing for reciprocity with the United States.

Monday.

Theodore Roosevelt delivers a lecture at the Sorbonne in Paris on Citizenship in a Republic.

"Buffalo Bill" announces his retirement from a public career with the present season of his Wild West.

Vice President Sherman will open the Republican congressional campaign in the Middle West with a speech at St. Louis.

Thousand of persons attend the funeral of Mark Twain in the Brick church, New York, before the body was taken to Elmira for burial.

Representative Harrison wants congress to ask for report made to treasury department nineteen years ago, and said to disclose frauds in the customs service at New York.

Tuesday.

Senator Burrows of Michigan refuses to be shoved into the down-and-out class and intimates he will not retire without a fight.

When the year book of Trinity parish, New York, the richest church corporation in the world, was made public, the total assets were seen to be \$14,990,000.

Completed reports from the fruit centers of the Middle West indicate that the loss on account of the blizzard and freezing weather will amount to \$40,000,000.

Wednesday.

Military dirigible airships of both the German and the British governments were destroyed when torn from their moorings by high winds.

The big tent of a circus which has

News Snapshots
Of the Week

The death of Mark Twain at his home, Redding, Conn., caused deep sorrow throughout the entire country. President Fallieres of France greeted Roosevelt in Paris. Mary D. Spiers resigned for some mysterious reason as private secretary to Mrs. Taft. James S. Havens, Democrat, elected congressman from Rochester, N. Y. Senators Aldrich and Hale announced that they would retire from senate next spring. Six college professors from Cornell are making tour of country with a cow in private car to demonstrate to farmers best way to breed cattle. Miss Marjorie Gould, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould, became the bride of A. J. Drexel, Jr.

been exhibiting in Jersey City collapsed in a thunder storm, killing one man and fatally injuring another.

St. Louis reports a jump in the prices of fruits and vegetables as the result of the cold wave, which still extends over the Southern states.

An expedition promoted jointly by a newspaper of Portland, Ore., and another of New York left Portland to scale Mt. McKinley, Alaska.

The beautiful new home of the International Bureau of American Republics in Washington was formally dedicated in the presence of a most distinguished company.

New Federal Building.

Postmaster H. H. North has received plans for Bradford's new Federal building, which is to cost \$70,000 and which is to be erected on a site at the corner of East Corydon and Chestnut Streets. The supervising architect of the Treasury Department sent the plans to the local postmaster to have him make any desired alterations in the part to be used as the post-office.

Position Offered.

Prof. R. H. Edgar, principal of the East Ward School, was a business caller at Kane, last Saturday. Mr. Edgar has received a good offer to sing in one of the vaudeville houses at Kane during the summer months, and is now considering the offer. If he accepts the position the management at Kane is to be congratulated upon securing the services of Prof. Edgar, as he possesses rare talent as a vocalist, and is sure to give absolute satisfaction.

Editorial Comments.

Col. Roosevelt is pouring "hot stuff" into the minds of the old world as he hurries for America. He has a wonderful storehouse of good sense, and some ridiculous nonsense, especially his "hobby" of large families. We do not believe in placing, or referring to the father as a prolific breeder, or the father as a boar. There is altogether too much printed and spoken upon this sacred subject. In times gone by, such events were spoken, or referred to, with abated breath, and not likened unto the prize-breeding creatures. It is ridiculous.

Now that so much is being written throughout the Nation relative to the Congressional timber to be floated before the people this fall for Congress, it behooves all citizens of Cameron county, in fact every voter composing this Congressional district, to think well: Will it not be safer to trust their interests with a tried and true Congressman, such as Hon. Chas. F. Barclay has proven himself to be? We confidently expect the re-nomination of Capt. Chas. F. Barclay at the Uniform Primaries to be held June 4th. The interests of the entire county are safe as long as such men are kept in Congress. Cameron county should, and we believe will be, a unit for the "Bucktail" Congressman, Chas. F. Barclay.

Still Doing Business.

The five and cent store opened several weeks ago is still on the job and still doing business at the same stand. New goods are arriving daily and the patronage is increasing constantly. If you have not made a call at this popular new store do not fail to do so as soon as possible as the goods are sure to please and the prices are right. Notions and trinkets, as well as household necessities, abound and are all O. K.

Company M. Re-Organization.

From now on until after the summer Encampment there will be unusual activity in the companies of Third Battalion. Company L is to be again consolidated with Company M., and the weekly drill resumed on Monday evenings at 7:45. Old members of the organization are urged to re-enlist and new members (over twelve) are invited to come in. As soon as the company gets into its old swing again, there will be a formal inspection by the commander of the battalion.

The Third Battalion has received an invitation to take part in a grand military parade in Ridgway on Memorial Day. It is hoped that Company M. will be able to participate in this. The boys are eager to go, and if every one will take hold of the work in good earnest and do his part to bring the Company up to its proper showing in numbers and efficiency, no doubt the trip can be arranged.

According to present plans the Encampment will be held at Sizerville June 29-July 6. The special feature of the Encampment will be a very interesting Fourth of July program, which will draw a large number of visitors. In addition to the companies from Emporium, St. Marys and Ridgway, it is expected that two companies from Bradford will be present throughout the Encampment. Colonel L. R. S. of Bradford will be present as the guest of the Encampment.

Burned By Gas.

Miss Kate Market, who is employed as second cook at Hotel Warner, had a narrow escape last Thursday afternoon, from being seriously burned by gas. It is the same story repeated so often, the gas being turned off and then by passing the stove touching the key and turning it slightly. When Miss Market went to light the gas in the oven, preparatory to getting ready for supper, there was an explosion which was heard distinctly on Main Street. Miss Market was burned quite badly on the face and hands, and the burns are very painful.

Harmony of Dress.

A beautiful woman also studies the harmony of painting a well kept home, takes care to have the house painted with paint that will continue to look bright, clean and fresh looking. The L. & M. never becomes dingy, because only chemically pure colors are used, only the finest White Lead, only the purest of Linseed Oil, only expert paint-makers produce it with machinery, a thousand gallons at a time. Contrast this with the costly and crude production of White Lead Paint made by hand labor with stick in a pot—a few gallons at a time. L. & M. is sold by Harry S. Lloyd, Emporium, Pa.

Commencement Notes.

The Twenty-first Annual Commencement of the Emporium High School will be held in the Opera House on Wednesday evening, May 11, 1910. Dr. Geo. Leslie Omwake, Vice President of Ursinus College will deliver the Commencement Address. Class night on Tuesday evening, May 10th. All of the members of the class will be represented one or the other of the two programs. Tickets will be sold for twenty-five cents, which will admit to both evenings.

The Baccalaureate Service will be held in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, on Sunday evening, May 8th. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. J. M. Robertson, of the Episcopal Church.

Miss Bertha Smith Drowned.

Special to the Press:

SINNAMAHONING, PA., APRIL 25, 1910.

Miss Bertha Smith, daughter of J. H. Smith, of First Fork, was drowned in the First Fork Creek, to-day about noon. The scene of the accident was about five miles from this place. The young girl was accompanied by Will's Barton, who is about twelve years of age, and together they started to cross the stream on a foot bridge, on her way to her grand-parents. At the same time a couple of young men were crossing the bridge on their way to Mr. Wennin's. They were all on the bridge when it gave way and dropped them all into the swollen stream. Miss Smith was seen by one of the young men, who was close to where she came up, and he saw her sink never to rise again. The boy swam about a quarter of a mile and caught onto the brush and saved himself from a watery grave. One of the men who could not swim managed to get a piece of board, which kept him afloat until he was rescued, about a mile below the bridge. Searching parties have been along the creek ever since the sad accident happened, but no trace of the missing girl can be found up to this date, as the stream was very high and the body may have gone a great distance down the stream. J. R. B.

Ridgway's Big Fire.

Last Saturday morning about 1:15, fire of unknown origin, started in the Hyde-Murphy plant at Ridgway and before the firemen could check the blaze it had completely consumed the big plant, spread across the street consuming several buildings in that section. As soon as the magnitude of the fire was ascertained DuBois, Johnsonburg and St. Marys were wired to send aid, to which all responded. The fire wiped out one of the principal industries of the town and cleaned out six of the business houses, destroyed several dwellings and buildings used as department houses and did other damage. The estimate loss is about one half million dollars with about half of that amount covered by insurance. Fifty-two visiting firemen took breakfast at the Bogert, Saturday morning. These visitors rendered invaluable assistance during their stay there. Both the Pennsylvania and the B. & P. R. Companies were of great aid to the town of Ridgway during the fire, by giving trains to carry the firemen and apparatus from DuBois Johnsonburg and St. Marys. It is expected that most of the burned buildings will be rebuilt at once.

Graduating Class Entertained.

Mr. Earl MacDougall was a host at a class party given at his home last Thursday evening to the members of the Graduating Class of 1910. The rooms were tastefully decorated in the Class colors, orange and black and the High School colors, red and white, making a very pretty effect. The favors were pink roses. Messrs. Ed. Baldwin and Joe McNarney were successful in capturing the first prizes in the contests of the evening, while Misses Ximena Brooks and Helen Cook. After a most delightful evening spent in new and up-to-date pastimes, an elaborate luncheon of six courses was served. Earl never does anything by halves and as a host is most successful, making his guests feel perfectly at home and thereby affording them a good time.

For Sale at a Bargain.

A square dining room table, good as new—Apply at PRESS office.

Council Proceedings.

Emporium, Pa., April 25, 1910.

Special meeting of Emporium Borough Council held for the purpose of receiving and opening of bids for the proposed paving of Broad Street from the north line of the Penn'a Railroad to the north line of Fifth street, and the transaction of such other business as might come before the council.

Present:—Messrs. Foster, Howard, Norris, Mumford, Pearsall, Haupt and Rishell.

Absent:—Messrs. Spencer, Cummings.

Communications from the Penn Vitrified Brick Co., of Cameron, Pa., relative to the price and quality of brick they offer, also as to the guarantee they place on their brick, were read and ordered placed on file, on motion of Messrs. Mumford and Pearsall.

On motion of Messrs. Mumford and Howard the Secretary was instructed to open and read the bids. In accordance with this motion the following bids were opened and read:

LEHIGH CONTRACTING CO.:—
Grading and paving, per sq. yard.....\$ 1 67
Concrete curbing, per lineal foot..... 35
Catch basins, per catch basin..... 20 00
Curb inlets, per inlet..... 10 00
10-inch sewer, per foot..... 60
Estimated total cost of contract, \$9,311 20

W. H. CRAMER:—
Grading and paving, per sq. yard.....\$ 1 58
Concrete curbing, per lineal foot..... 67
Catch basins, per catch basin..... 37 00
Curb inlets, per inlet..... 22 50
10-inch sewer, per foot..... 47
Estimated total cost of contract, \$9,937 44

M. APPELGATE & SON:—
Grading and paving, per sq. yard.....\$ 1 54
Concrete curbing, per lineal foot..... 68
Catch basins, per catch basin..... 40 00
Curb inlets, per inlet..... 15 00
10-inch sewer, per foot..... 58
Estimated total cost of contract, \$9,192 16

CHARLES DUGAN:—
Grading and paving, per sq. yard.....\$ 1 40
Concrete curbing, per lineal foot..... 56
Catch basins, per catch basin..... 20 00
Curb inlets, per inlet..... 25 00
10-inch sewer, per foot..... 55
Estimated total cost of contract, \$8,281 03

COSTELLO & NEAGLE:—
Grading and paving, per sq. yard.....\$ 1 27
Concrete Curbing, per lineal foot..... 65
Catch basins, per catch basin..... 35 00
Curb inlets, per inlet..... 22 50
10-inch sewer, per foot..... 40
Estimated total cost of contract, \$7,672 80

On motion of Messrs. Norris and Howard council went into executive session for the consideration of the different bids. After due consideration, executive session closed on motion of Messrs. Norris and Howard, and the public were re-admitted.

Moved by Mr. Norris, seconded by Mr. Mumford, "That the bid of Messrs Costello & Neagle, being the lowest, be accepted, and that the Secretary is hereby instructed to have contract signed and sealed, and have bond properly executed. Carried.

Moved by Norris, seconded by Howard, that the certified checks accompanying the bids, with the exception of that of Costello & Neagle, be returned to the bidders, with the thanks of the Council. Carried.

Moved by Norris, seconded by Mumford, that an order for \$100 00 be drawn in favor of A. H. Shafer, on account of contract. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

E. D. WHITE,
Assistant Sec'y.

Friday Night Dance.

A dance will be held at the opera house on Friday evening, April 15th, from nine to twelve p. m. Good music has been engaged for the occasion. Price 50c per couple.

Good Piano for Sale.

A Bradbury Piano (square) in good condition.
Apply at PRESS office 37-6f.

THE WEATHER.

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

ASSETS

First National Bank,
EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, April 27, 1910.

\$959,721.09.

Home Savings Banks—How to Get One.

It is natural for all parents to wish their children prosperity after they have reached their majority. In order to assist them on the road to prosperity and teach them economy, we loan every person depositing \$1.00 a beautiful nickel bank, and credit the amount in a pass book drawing three per cent, interest semi-annually.

You are to bring the bank to this Bank when ever convenient, it will be opened by the one key we keep and the contents placed to the credit of the child.

It will be a surprise and a delight to you to see how the account will grow.

\$1.00 Starts an Account.

3% INTEREST PAID ON SAVING BOOK
ACCOUNTS AND CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

DR. LEON REX FELT,
DENTIST.

Rockwell Block, Emporium, Pa.

DR. H. W. MITCHELL,
DENTIST,

Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store
Emporium, Pa 12y

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Announcements under this head must be signed by the candidate and paid in advance to insure publication.

FOR CONGRESS.

Editor Press:—

We are authorized to announce the name of HON. CHARLES F. BARCLAY, of Cameron county, as a candidate for Congress, upon the Republican ticket, in the 21st Congressional District, subject to the decision of the voters as expressed at the Primary Election, to be held in June of 1910.

Editor Press:—

You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for Congress, for the 21st Congressional District, composed of the counties of Clearfield, McKean, Centre and Cameron, subject to the Rules of the Republican Party.—Primary Election, June 4th, 1910.

Yours truly,
CHAS. E. PATTEN.
Curwensville, Clearfield Co., Pa.,
November 30th, 1909.—t. p.

To The Editor:—I hereby announce myself a candidate for Congress in the 21st Pennsylvania district, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held June 10, 1910. I make this announcement and enter the contest in compliance with the earnest requests of many prominent members of the party in the district and also because I believe that in Congress, if elected, I would be in a position to effectively advocate those principles and measures of good government, which now more than ever, should be embodied in Federal legislation. I believe in clean politics and progressive Roosevelt policies. And to the end that I may serve their best interests, I ask the support of the Republicans of this district.

LEWIS EMERY, JR.
Bradford, Pa., March 15, 1910.

Emporium Furnace
May be Remodeled.

We are reliably informed the Emporium Iron Company will possibly go out of blast within a few days for the purpose of repairing the plant, which will no doubt take some weeks to make. Of course the workmen will be given employment on the new work. Mr. Andrew Brady went to New York last night and upon his return will know just what changes will be made. We all hope this important industry may grow to be as important as the Homestead plant and its energetic manager, Mr. Andrew Brady, may become as wealthy as Mr. Carnegie.

The First Car.

Mount Hope Coal and Coke Company, whose mines are located at Sterling Run, on Tuesday delivered its first car of coal to the railroad. There is no better coal in the country, for both coke and steam, than the Mt. Hope vein.

Attained Majority.

Saturday, April 30 will be our 21st anniversary, of starting in the shoe business in Emporium. We wish to thank the public for past favors and announce our new prices for repairing in the future.

Men's shoes, soled and heeled with best oak-tanned soles, 70c; Women's, 60; Misses', 50c.

Boy's and children at correspondingly low prices according to sizes.
11-1t. LECHNER'S SHOE STORE.