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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.**  
Secretary Knox forbids the Madrid government to collect customs duties from American vessels entering Bluefields.

Governor of Illinois declares his belief that the legislative bribery scandal disclosures to date only form an entering wedge and that a majority of the members will be affected before the case is ended.

Aerial treaty with Canada may follow that projected with Mexico.

The Lehigh Valley railroad increases its rates in suburban territory.

The board of supervisors of San Francisco have issued a permit for the holding of the Jim Jeffries-Jack Johnson fight.

**Friday.**  
President Madrid's forces are routed and flee from Bluefields.

Mr. Roosevelt is the guest of the Irish members of parliament, says a cable dispatch from London.

Columbia confers 1,251 degrees on its graduates and ten on honorary recipients.

Captain Scott departs on his expedition to the South pole, says a London cable dispatch.

Ten Yale students are arrested and fined for a "rough house" scrimmage at Savin Rock resort, New York.

Pictures of Martin J. Walsh are identified at the trial of "Big Bill" Kellher in Boston as those of the mysterious "Jack" who helped to fleece George W. Coleman of his bank stealings.

**Saturday.**  
George Morgan of New York city, wealthy and well known in society, kills himself.

Sixteen prominent men are arrested in the Schenectady county graft scandal.

John A. Dix is elected to succeed W. J. Conners as chairman of the Democratic state committee.

President Madrid denies government repulse at Bluefields and invites American intervention by threat to blockade the port.

President Taft announces that he will choose Mr. Roosevelt as head of the proposed congressional commission in the interests of international peace.

Mr. Roosevelt's speech attacking Great Britain for her attitude in Egypt is called impertinent by the labor organ of London, says a cable dispatch.

**Monday.**  
Grave disorder is feared in Nan King, says a cable dispatch from Peking.

The United States demands fair and humane treatment for William P. Pittman, Boston man, captured by Nicaraguan troops while he was aiding rebels.

W. C. Brown, president of the New York Central, confirms rumors that \$15,000,000 in improvements on his system have been postponed on account of the government rate suits.

Federal officials in conference in New York consider plan to stop smuggling.

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and his bride to go to City Hall in New York and obtain their marriage license.

Norman E. Mack declares that May or Gaynor of New York has attracted attention everywhere and is one of the strongest candidates for the Democratic presidential nomination.

**Tuesday.**  
Dr. James R. Day, chancellor of Syracuse university, expresses fear that the automobile may become a curse.

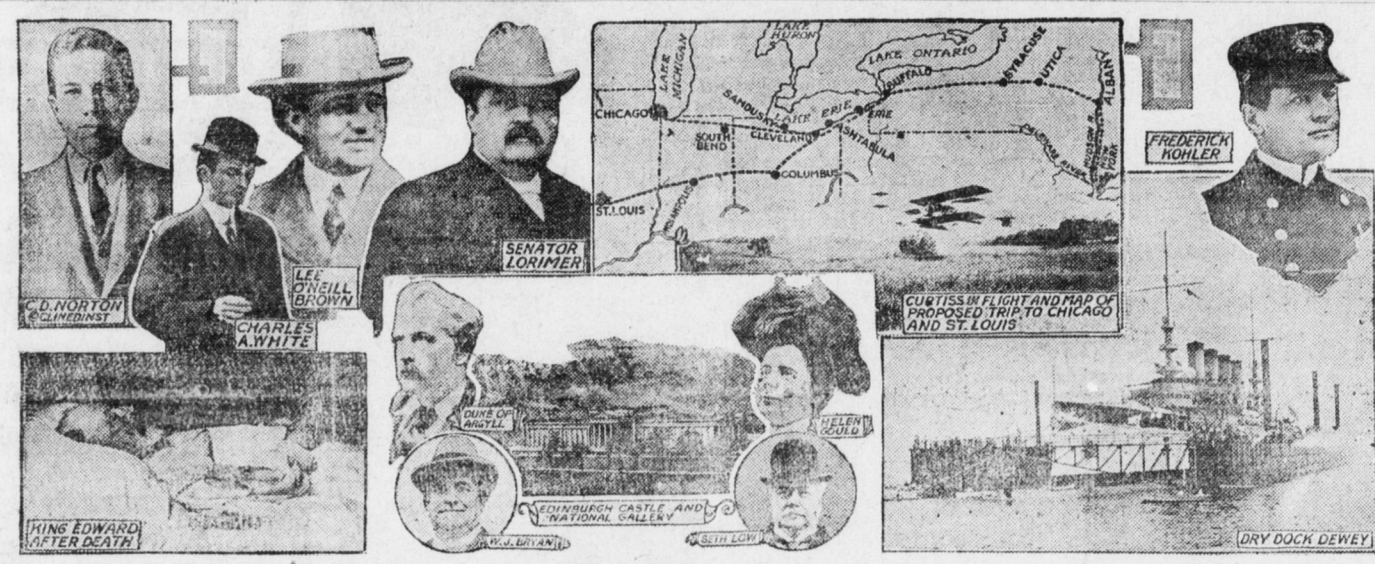
Opponents of a national department of health say the record of the American Medical Association will kill the project.

A savage lioness tears Peter Taylor, an animal trainer at a Coney Island show, who is found unconscious in a cage.

Dr. Madrid assures the state department William P. Pittman, American captured while aiding Nicaraguan rebels, will come to no harm.

The Nanking industrial exposition is inaugurated without the predicted revolutionary outbreak, says a cable dispatch from Peking.

**Wednesday.**  
A severe earthquake caused a num-



### News Snapshots Of the Week

By queen's permission King Edward was photographed after death. Official investigation of sinking of \$1,250,000 drydock Dewey in Philippines under way. Frederick Kohler of Cleveland, called by Roosevelt "best police chief in America," under charges for drunkenness. Glenn H. Curtiss flies from Albany to New York; may participate in aeroplane flights to Chicago and to St. Louis for \$25,000 and \$30,000. Charles D. Norton, assistant secretary of treasury, to succeed Frank Carpenter, secretary to president, who becomes minister to Morocco. Lee O. Browne, named by Charles A. White as person who bribed him to vote for William Lorimer as senator of Illinois, must stand trial. Thousand Americans at world missionary conference Edinburgh; Duke of Argyll chairman.

ber of deaths and much property damage in Central Campania, Italy.

Provincial delegates demand that the Chinese throne convolve a national parliament at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt have luncheon with King George and Queen Mary at Marlborough House, as a cable dispatch from London states.

Dr. Robert J. Black, starting to contest the renomination of Representative John Dalzell in the Pennsylvania primaries, makes complaint against a judge of elections.

The senate voted to give the president's conservation measure precedence over the statehood bill.

**A Monster Trout.**  
Last Monday afternoon two Emporium lads, Chas. Josiah Howard, aged eight years and Max Ostrum, aged nine, were fishing on the Portage and noticed a monster brown trout swim into a two foot hole, opposite E. D. Sizer's farm. The boys jumped into the water, which almost reached their shoulders and drove the fish to the bank when they succeeded in catching it. The proud lads brought the handsome fish, which is known as a California Brown trout to town. The fish weighed five pounds, two ounces and measured 27 1/2 inches in length and 13 inches around the middle. W. G. Bair took a photograph of the beauty. It is the largest trout we ever saw from these waters. The lads are to be congratulated upon their great catch.

**Novelty Shower.**  
Many friends of Miss Olive Maloy surprised her at her home on east Sixth street last Monday (evening) by giving a novelty shower in her honor. Eighteen young ladies were present as guests. The groom-to-be, Mr. George Yeager, was also there and he came in for his share of the sport, but he stood the ordeal all right, even if he was the only fellow in the bunch. Miss Maloy received many useful gifts. A most pleasant time and "big eat" made the evening pass all too quickly. Those present were: The bride and groom-to-be, Misses Katie Welsh, Mary Welsh, Mary Murry, Alvira Farr, Rose Ganey, Flora Schlecht, Margaret Glenn, Grace Heideck, Theresa Blumie, Margaret Murray, Nellie Glenn, Anna L. Welsh, Jane Glenn, Agnes Blumie, Anna V. Welsh, Helen Blumie, Margaret Maloy, Frances Blumie and Agnes Blumie.

**Mill Sold.**  
Mr. E. J. Rogers, this week closed a deal whereby he became owner of the flour and feed mill on Wood and Fifth streets owned and operated by Mr. E. J. Smith, who may possibly return to his old home in Conn. Mr. Rogers has taken possession of the mill. We wish him success. The very many friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith sincerely hope they may decide to remain in Emporium.

**Tent Burned.**  
Last Saturday evening, about eight o'clock, the blowing of the fire alarm caused a little excitement. The fire was caused by a gasoline lamp setting fire to the big tent of the Hoyt Comedy Company and it was totally destroyed. The Company certainly had hard luck while in Emporium as it rained most every night and Saturday evening was the first good night and the doors were opened for the evening when the fire started.

**Base Ball.**  
St. Marys vs Emporium, Saturday, June 11, at Keystone Park. Admission 25 cents. This will be the deciding game, each nine having won one game. Let there be a good attendance and encourage the boys.

### FATAL ACCIDENT NEAR BUFFALO.

Joseph Harbot Brakeman on B. & A. V. Division, P. R. R., Was Killed Last Sunday Morning.

Joseph Harbot, eldest son of Mr. John Harbot and Mrs. Hertansey Harbot, Third street, met with a fatal accident early last Sunday morning, about 12:15 o'clock, which resulted in the loss of his life. He was employed as brakeman on the Pennsylvania R. R., making a run between Olean and Buffalo. The accident occurred somewhere between Chaffee and Protection, N. Y. The last seen of the unfortunate young man, was when the train left Chaffee, he starting at that time to set brakes to go down the hill into Protection, and no one will ever know just how the accident happened. When the train reached Protection they missed him and after pulling the train into the siding, the crew returned on the engine, a distance of three miles, and found their fellow-workman cold in death, lying on the track. The body was badly bruised and the right limb was nearly severed from the body. Walter Harbot, brother of the deceased, was working on a train following the one on which Jos. was working and was the first in the family to be told of the sad accident. The remains were taken to Buffalo where they were prepared for burial, and were then brought to Emporium, arriving here on train No. 58 at two o'clock, Monday morning. "Joe" as he was familiarly called by all who knew him, was born August 1st, 1881, at Trout Run, Pa., near Williamsport, but has practically spent his entire life in and around Emporium. He has been in the employ of the railroad company for the past five years and was a trusted and faithful employee. Deceased is survived by his father, Mr. John Harbot and mother, Mrs. Hertansey Edwards-Harbot, two sisters, Mrs. Clara Murray and Mrs. Rose Jones, also two brothers Messrs. Perry and Walter, to whom the PRESS and the entire community offers the deepest sympathy. The funeral of this unfortunate young man was held from Emmanuel Episcopal Church, of which the deceased was a member, on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock and was largely attended. Rev. J. M. Robertson, rector officiated. Emporium Aerie No. 958, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of which the deceased was a member, and the entire fire department were in attendance at the funeral, he being a member of Hamilton Hose Company. Joe was a general favorite with all and his death is keenly felt by a wide circle of friends and relatives and all speak words of profound sorrow. He was devoted to his mother and to her the shock is most severe, but she can always remember him as a most dutiful and affectionate son and one whose first thought was of her. Thus ends the life of one who was full of promise, but God's ways are full of mystery and passeth all human knowledge.

Deceased was engaged to be married to Miss Myrtle Kauts, a very excellent young lady of this place, their wedding having been dated for this fall.

**Emporium Milling Company.**  
Felt's Fancy and Pat Groves \$1.00 per sack; Nemophila flour \$1.00 per sack. From 40 to 60c per barrel drop in prices to-day. See Emporium Milling Company's price list for change in prices. June 8th, 1910.

### Very Enjoyable Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Metzger, Jr., gave a very elaborate whist last evening to about sixty of their friends. Their very handsome residence was tastefully decorated for the occasion. The third floor, admirably fitted for such occasions, was devoted exclusively for the chief amusement—whist—while the first and second floors were admirably suited for entertaining a large party. Whist continued until mid-night when the guests were treated to a bountiful course dinner, served upon tables decorated with ferns. The occasion was voted one of the most beautiful and enjoyable occasions of the season. The pleasant festivities closed about one o'clock, but not until Miss Grace A. Walker and Geo. A. Walker favored the party with several choice musical numbers, which were heartily applauded. It certainly was a swell reception and Mr. and Mrs. Metzger, so pleasantly and happily situated, were congratulated by their guests.

The following guests were present: Mesdames and Messrs. J. Paul Felt, G. S. Allen, L. R. Felt, E. D. White, Josiah Howard, Guy S. Felt, Jas. Wright, F. G. Judd, Chas. Seger, E. E. Forbes, W. H. Howard, T. F. Moore, H. H. Mullin, W. B. Thompson, J. D. Logan, Jasper Harris, A. E. Housler, J. H. Day, F. H. Turner, Foughkeepsie, N. Y., W. S. Walker, Austin, also Geo. A. Walker, Miss Grace A. Walker, Mrs. C. Jay Goodnough, Miss Mari on Judd, Thos. Gallagher, Mrs. G. F. Balcom, Mrs. Helen Metzger, Arthur V. Orton.

**Paving Rapidly Progressing.**  
E Costello & Neagle, contractors, are pushing the work on Broad street paving and have a large force of workmen. It will be only a short time now until the public will not be put to so much trouble on account of the work torn up streets, walks, etc. When completed, Emporium citizens will feel like kicking themselves for not having done the work years ago, instead of squandering the people's money on mud streets.

**Preparing for the Fourth.**  
At a regular meeting of Mountaineer Hose Company, last Monday evening, the following committee was appointed to make arrangements to give a dance on the afternoon and evening of July 4th, also any other amusements for the day: L. R. Felt, R. M. McQuay, J. R. Klees, Frank McCloskey, B. J. Erskine, W. G. Munsell and J. E. Burnside. An enjoyable program can be arranged at small expense. Prompt work can make the day an enjoyable occasion.

**Death of Infant.**  
Mr. E. A. Gerg, whose family recently moved back to St. Marys from Emporium, received the sad news of the death of his infant son, Albert. The little child has never been in good health since its birth, but everything was done to spare the little life that could be done, but to no avail. Burial took place at St. Marys.

**The Western District Sunday School Convention.**  
The Annual Convention for the Western District of Cameron county, will be held in the M. E. Church, at Beechwood, on Thursday, June 15th, two sessions, afternoon and evening. This District is made up of the Sunday Schools from Mason Hill, Sterling Run, Emporium, Siserville, Rich Valley, North Creek, West Creek, Howard Siding and Mure Hill. It is earnestly hoped that each of the above named Sunday Schools will send at least two delegates to this convention. MISS CHARLOTTE SPENCE, Sec'y.

**Eye Specialist.**  
Prof. W. H. Budine, the well known Eye Specialist, of Hinghamton, N. Y., will be at H. H. Hirsch's jewelry store, Emporium, Pa., June 15th. 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.

### LARGE ORDER FOR DYNAMITE.

Keystone National Powder Company Awarded a Contract for Five Million Pounds.

On Monday, the Keystone National Powder Company, of this place, was awarded a contract for five million pounds of dynamite by the Panama Commission. This is the second large order to Cameron county, the Keystone just closing a ten million pound contract which has been repeatedly increased very materially. The company's three large plants are abundantly able to handle anything that comes "aown the pike." This last contract will keep things busy for some time after the ten million pound contract is closed next month.

Cameron county is now the largest producer of high explosives in the United States, having five large plants, two at Sinnamahoning and three at Emporium.

**Our Big Fishermen in Washington.**  
A friend writing us from Seattle, Wash., under date of May 25th, says: "Recently I was called to Darrington, Wash., on business and to my astonishment met two good old friends of mine and no doubt of yours too, both formerly of Emporium but now residents of the State of Washington—Edward Dion, of Seattle, and Fred A. Hill, of Everett, Wash. They were fishing recently in that vicinity. Ed. had at that time caught thirty-six, the largest measuring four inches, and Fred, being an expert, according to reports from Pennsylvania, had captured only two—the largest measuring 2 1/2 inches. However, they both seemed to enjoy it and were on their third day out. If there are any charges for this item present your bill to Henry Auchu and make him foot the bill."

**Fight News for Fistic Fans.**  
The fight for mercantile supremacy in the drug service, is exemplified in the present appearance of Emporium's First Drug Store, while the appreciation and satisfaction that the public feels towards us is evidenced in our increased business. Emporium people are fast beginning to realize that our long experience coupled with scientific training is essential to the successful interpretations of their doctor's prescriptions. And the doctors of repute do not hesitate to recommend our store because all that have taken the trouble to inform themselves know that we handle and dispense the best pharmaceuticals and chemicals obtainable. It is true that we only use legitimate methods to secure business, do not pay any subsidies to do doctors or special agents. But rather depend on our reputation for square dealing, honest prices and pure drugs.

**OLD RELIABLE DRUG STORE.**

**President Taft in Emporium.**  
President Taft passed through Emporium last Sunday noon, on the Buffalo Flyer. While changing engines at the Junction, the President made his appearance on the platform of his special car and thanked the large assemblage congregated to pay their respects to our good-natured and able President, regretting that the day would not permit of his making a. About two hundred ladies and gentlemen greeted our Nation's leader in a manner courteous and dignified.

**Prompt Payment.**  
The ladies of the Maccabees, have again shown their promptness in the settlement of the claim of the late Mrs. Kate Panting. Proofs of death, with guardian's certificate, was mailed to Supreme Hive, May 28, and draft in full for \$1,000 was drawn May 31. This is the second claim for \$1,000 our local Hive has received in four months.

**Shirt Factory.**  
Names are being rapidly filed at the Pass office, by ladies, girls and boys desiring employment in the proposed shirt factory. Hand in your names, in order that it may be shown we have the necessary help here. Do it now.

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

ASSETS  
First National Bank,  
EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, June 8, 1910.  
\$945,913.94.

BANK ACCOUNT.  
If you have a bank account, you will find it a natural desire and pride to make it as large as possible.

\$1.00 Starts an Account.  
3% INTEREST PAID ON SAVING BOOKS, 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

Lee Lewis Writes to the Press.  
Our very energetic young friend, Lee H. Lewis who recently went to Bayonne, N. J., to accept a position as engineer of Bayonne City Park, writes the PRESS, under recent date, and says: "The PRESS came to hand last week and was a very welcome visitor as it contained much news that interested me. I am located at No. 22 W. 16th St., near the City Park which is one of the finest in Jersey, on the shore of Newark Bay. I have charge of the engines and machinery in the Park. Between my work and the mosquitoes I am busy. The "skeeters" are very gentle fellows—about the size of your hand, with jaws like Farmer Howard's dog. This place is only a short distance from New York; car fare only eight cents via the Subway. Sunday is the busy day here—everything open. I have been unable to tell Sunday from any other day since I have been here. A large number of people from New York, as well as other places, come here to spend Sunday. The Standard Oil Co., have their largest oil refinery here on Constable Hook. It employs thousands of men. There are also other large industries here. The people, as a rule, are very fine, but like all other places, you can find some of the worst class. We even have to take the brass oil of the engines at night to prevent it being stolen. If any of my friends happen to come down to New York, I would be pleased to have them call on me at the above address. Be sure to send the Old Reliable PRESS. Yours, Lee H. Lewis, chief engineer, Bayonne City Park."

**Struck it Lucky.**  
The PRESS is pleased to state that the Butler Oil Company, of which Joseph M. Butler, of Port Allegany, formerly of this place, is a heavy stockholder, has made a lucky strike. The following is clipped from the Port Allegany Reporter: "The Butler Oil Company, of which Will Bradley is manager, brought in a pretty good well in the Sartwell field last Thursday. The first pumping secured sixteen barrels of oil. It is also furnishing a pretty good supply of gas. The company has the Reporter's congratulations."

**Butler—Shade.**  
A quiet wedding was celebrated at the Rectory of St. Mark's Catholic Church early Monday morning, May 30th, the contracting parties being Miss Mame Butler, daughter of Mrs. Mary Butler of this place and Mr. Henry Shade, of Sinnamahoning. Rev. Father T. B. Downey officiated. The bride and groom took a short wedding trip to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

**Interesting Paper.**  
Some kind friend, possibly Miss Norris, of Silverdale, England, places the Press under obligations for a copy of the London Daily Telegraph, which contains a full and very extended account of the funeral of the late King Edward. We thank the kind friend very much and shall preserve the copy.