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## Usher's Banquet.

The members of the Society of Ushers of the First Methodist Episcopal Church were given a banquet in the lecture room of the church on Tuesday evening of this week, by the pastor and some of the ladies of the congregation. This society was organized a year ago, authorized by the Quarterly Conference, and has a membership of twenty-four young men; twenty of whom were in attendance. After a sumptuous repast, the annual election was held. The officers elected to serve the coming year are: George S. Piper, President; James Ulmer, Vice President; William Spence, Secretary; George Rishel, Treasurer. It was decided that the ushers shall serve in monthly relays this year. After the transaction of other business the society adjourned, all feeling that a most delightful evening had been spent together.

## Announcement.

Mr. Geo. W. Keith, of Coudersport, a musician of high standing in the northern tier of counties, has decided to visit one or two days each week in Emporium, for the purpose of giving instructions on the violin or brass instruments. He comes here very highly recommended by many noted musicians and instructors in New York and Pennsylvania. Any person desiring to receive instructions will please address or call on W. S. Sterner, Emporium, Pa.

## Birth.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ryan, this place, on Dec. 26th, 1910, a daughter. Mrs. Ryan was formerly Miss Ruth C. Sullivan. The young couple were married last January—but kept the marriage a secret until the little Miss arrived. The husband is in Little Rock, Ark., where he fills an excellent position. The young wife expects to join her husband in the near future, at Little Rock, where they will make their home.

## New Manager.

Mr. Robt. B. Winkett, for eight years in charge of Dr. Humphrey Pharmacy at Brookwayville, has accepted the management of the Emporium Drug Co.'s store, in Rockwell block and entered upon the active discharge of his duties. Mr. W., who eques highly recommended, has rented one of the R Seger dwellings and expects his family this week.

## Passed the Million Dollar Mark.

Passers by the First National Bank have been pleasantly interested in reading the Bulletin Board, which daily announces the financial condition of this solid financial institution. By reading their announcement in today's PRESS, you will note the solid standing of this great institution.

## Arm Broken.

Last Thursday afternoon, while Miss Ada Martin was coming down the steps from the residence of Mr. Austin Jones on Third street, with whom she makes her home, she had the misfortune to fall, breaking her right arm near the elbow. Miss Martin is very unfortunate, having fallen just a year ago, breaking an arm.

## Clemens—Price

A very pretty wedding took place at the M. E. parsonage, at Yessertown, Mifflin county, Pa., Thursday evening, December 22, 1910, Rev. D. D. Kauffman, pastor officiating. The contracting parties were Prof. L. C. Clemens, principal of Sixth Ward, Lewistown, Pa., and Miss Beesie Price of Newton Hamilton, Pa. The groom is a graduate of Cumberland Valley State Normal school, Shippensburg, Pa., graduating in the class of 1905. He has been a successful teacher ever since. Last year he was the popular principal of the Sennamahoning Grammar school. The bride is an accomplished young lady. Their many friends wish them a happy wedded life. The groom has many friends in the vicinity of Sennamahoning.

## Recovered From Sickness.

The many friends of Mr. Thomas Craven were pleased to see him on the streets last Saturday. This was Tom's first appearance since his recent attack of pneumonia, which had confined him to his home for several weeks.

## Notice.

I will take a limited number of pupils in piano-forte, singing and harmony.

## For Sale.

One of two teams, either driving or working team, weighing 2200 or 2300. Must be sold at once. Terms reasonable. Apply at Press office. 45-46.

## DEATH'S DOINGS.

### MCCOOLE.

JOSEPH MCCOOLE, aged 38 years, died at his home on Third street, early last Sunday morning, after suffering for several years with the dread disease tuberculosis of the lungs. About one year ago Mr. McCoolle went to Denver, Col., in hopes of regaining his lost strength, but in spite of all that could be done death claimed its own and his life ebbed away, the end coming, just shortly after the dawn of the New Year. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning at St. Mark's Catholic Church, where High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father T. B. Downey, Rector of the Church. Deceased is survived by his wife and two children. Mr. McCoolle had been a most faithful employee of the P. R. R. Co., being employed as a carpenter and worked as long as his health would permit him to do so. The Knights of Columbus and the Fraternal Order of Eagles, of which orders deceased was a member, attended the funeral. The interment was in St. Mark's Cemetery. Mr. Bernard Egan was the funeral director. The PRESS extends its sympathy to the bereaved family.

### Thank You, Friend.

Our old friend John E. Smith, of Sterling Run, sent us a letter of New Year's Greeting that pleased us greatly. While he enclosed a check for a year in advance he also included \$1.50 for a friend, we greatly appreciate his opinion of the PRESS, in these words: "A mighty good paper for every man, woman and child in Cameron county to read." The editor's pathway is not strewn with roses and a beautiful bouquet like the above, from one of our most prominent citizens, we prize very much and wish that kind Providence may extend every happiness to John E. Smith and his estimable family during 1911 and then some.

### An Agreeable Surprise.

Last Saturday evening about seventy-five friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Holcomb gave them an agreeable surprise by taking possession of their home on West Fifth street. Every member of the party was laded down with good things to eat and an elaborate repast was enjoyed and a very pleasant evening spent. Mr. Holcomb recently returned from the Williamsport Hospital where he underwent a serious operation. We are pleased to state that he is slowly recovering and hope he will soon enjoy good health. Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb wish to thank their many friends in this vicinity for their kindness.

### Reopening of the Sennamahoning Methodist Episcopal Church.

The church will be re-opened next Sunday, Jan. 9th. The interior is beautiful, walls decorated, repainted and new carpet for the main auditorium.

### PROGRAM OF SERVICE.

Rev. Dr. Stevens, Dist. Supt. will be the preacher Sunday morning; Pastor in the evening. Rev. James E. Skillington of Renovo, Monday and Tuesday evening; Rev. Fulton Wednesday evening; Thursday evening, Rev. Anderson of Emporium and Friday evening, Rev. Lawson of Westport. Tuesday evening, Jan. 10th will be Epworth League Rally and Wednesday evening, Sunday School Rally. Sennamahoning, Pa., Jan. 3, 1911.

### Have Gone West.

Mrs. Joseph Kaye, accompanied by her son Robert Kaye and grand-son Master Joseph Gibbs, departed for Sedo-Woolen, Wash., last Tuesday, where they will spend the winter with relatives.

### Clutches the Throat.

Each season one symptom of Grip predominates. The droums say this year it is the sore swollen, tortured Throat, that causes suffering and anguish.

The usual symptoms of Grip are: Influenza, Cough, Pain and Streness in the Head and Chest, Cough, Sore Throat, General Prostration and Fever.

Humphreys' "Seventy-seven" taken early cuts it short promptly. Taken during its prevalence, it preoccupies the system and prevents its invasion. At drug stores 25c, or mailed.

Humphreys' Homeo. Medicine Co., Cor. William and Ann streets, New York.

### Good Piano for Sale.

A Bradbury Piano (square) in good condition. Apply at Press office. 35-46.

### For Sale.

One part of a double residence for rent, Fifth street. Mrs. Geo. McNeal.

## Society Events.

### EMPORIUM SOCIAL CLUB.

On Tuesday evening, December 27th, 1910, the Emporium Social Club gave another of their enjoyable dances and a large crowd was present, many guests being present from out of town.

### FRIDAY EVENING PARTY.

Miss Lora McQuay was hostess at a very pleasant evening party given at her home on Vine street on Friday. Cards were the chief amusement.

### MISS JORDAN ENTERTAINS.

Miss Rena Jordan entertained several friends at her home on West Sixth street last Thursday evening. Cards were the main features of the evening. Refreshments were served. Miss Jordan's guests numbered about twenty.

### CARD PARTY.

On Wednesday evening of last week, Miss Marion Judd, assisted by her brother, Mr. J. Warner Judd, entertained several friends. A most delightful evening was spent in playing cards and other games. Of course "big eats" followed the games. It was voted a pleasant evening by all who attended.

### WATCH PARTY.

The commodious residence of Mr. Geo. Metzger, Jr., was the scene of a gay and festive time last Saturday evening when Miss Kate Metzger entertained about twenty of her friends. The evening was spent in playing cards after which refreshments were served.

### BASKET BALL AND DANCE.

On Monday evening, December 26th, 1910, a fine basket ball game was played at the opera house, the toss-up being between Renovo and Emporium, resulting in a victory for the home team, with a score of 32 to 16. It was a very interesting game although a little one-sided. After the game a social dance was given by the Emporium team.

### RESCUE HOOK AND LADDER DANCE.

Last Friday evening the twenty-fourth annual ball of the Rescue Hook and Ladder Company was held at the opera house and was very largely attended. A programme of twenty-four dances was carried out, the music being rendered by the Germania Orchestra, of Lock Haven, Pa. A most bountiful supper was served on the stage during intermission. The happy dancers were loathe to leave the hall and many staid until, as the old saying goes, "they put the fiddle in the box."

### SLEIGH RIDE.

Last Saturday evening, Mr. Lee W. Felt entertained the Union Friendly Society and a few more friends at his pleasant home on West Fourth street. The first part of the evening was devoted to a most enjoyable sleigh ride, the route being up Rich Valley. The night was an ideal one for that sort of pleasure. After the return of the happy "bunch", elegant refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was given over to a general good time, until the blowing of the whistles announced the New Year and shortly after the guests departed for their homes.

### FRIENDLY SOCIETY ENTERTAINED.

Miss Beesie McQuay and Mr. Russell M. McQuay entertained the Union Friendly Society at their home on Vine street, Wednesday evening, December 28th. The main feature of the evening was an air ship trip and all the guests heartily enjoyed the journey, which included many cities in the United States and also many of the foreign countries, visiting many noted people. After returning to the earth, delicious refreshments were served. All present enjoyed the novel entertainment. About forty persons were present, many outside the Society.

### IN HONOR OF BROTHERS.

On Saturday evening Mrs. John Trebweher entertained a party of friends in honor of her brothers, the Messrs. Andrew and James Cavanaugh, of Pittsburg, and Frank Cavanaugh, who attends school at Williamsport. A good time was had by all who were present and the guests departed for their homes in the wee sma' hours, after delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

### ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.

Mrs. Leon Rex Felt entertained several friends at their home, corner of North Broad and Fifth streets, last Saturday evening. The evening was spent in playing cards.

## DINNER PARTY.

Mrs. E. D. White entertained a few friends at six o'clock dinner at her pleasant home on Fourth street, last Thursday evening. Covers were laid for six.

### MISS SPENCE ENTERTAINED.

Tuesday evening, December 27th Miss Charlotte Spence entertained several of her friends at her home on Broad street. A most delightful evening was spent. Dainty refreshments were served and at a late hour the guests departed for their respective homes.

### JOLLY SLEIGH RIDE.

Last Friday evening, a party of young folks enjoyed a sleigh ride, to Gardeau, where they were entertained by Miss Edna and Master Karl Zimmer. A fine supper was served. About twelve o'clock the merry "bunch" left for home, arriving here at a very early hour. Those present were the Misses Edna and Naomi Dodge, Nancy Spence, Grace Halderman, Myrtle Klock, Lulu Rhone, Belle and Alice Kaye and Ruth and Ellen Metz, and Messrs. Herkie Jones, James Ulmer, Karl and Albert Metz, George Piper and William Spence.

### NEW YEAR'S DANCE.

Last Monday evening the Emporium Social Club gave one of the most enjoyable dances ever given in Emporium. A special orchestra, composed of Miss Ida Seger, of this place presiding at the piano, Mr. George W. Keith of Coudersport, violinist, and Mr. Harold Fitch of Olean, N. Y., trap drummer, rendered the music which was simply fine and all that could be desired. A buffet lunch was served by Seger & Co., and was heartily enjoyed. Many guests from out of town were in attendance. The happy assemblage, "tripped the light fantastic" until the small hours of the morning and were even reluctant to hear the sound of "Home, Sweet Home" waltz.

### ANOTHER DANCE.

The Parish House of Emmanuel Church, was the scene of much merry making on Monday evening, when the "Younger Set" gave one of their pleasant little dances. It was given in honor of Robert Kaye, who departed for Seattle, Wash., Tuesday afternoon. "Bob" expects to be absent for about one year. During the course of the dance delicious refreshments were served. All present had a very enjoyable evening.

### DINNER AND TREE.

On Christmas Eve, Mr. and Mrs. John Hemmer entertained a party of little lads and lassies at their pleasant home in honor of their niece, Miss Adeline Fenton. After a pleasant afternoon, dinner was served at six o'clock, after which the little guests were treated with a visit from Santa Claus. All gathered 'round a most beautiful Christmas tree, which was found waiting for them and each in turn received a gift. All present had a royal good time.

### Severe Fall.

Last Friday evening, while Mr. Harry Anderson, the popular day clerk at the Warner, was ascending the steps going from Fifth to Sixth street, near the residence of N. J. Swartz, had the misfortune to fall, striking his nose, cutting a deep gash across that member, also bruising his face considerably. Dr. H. S. Falk dressed the injured member and Harry took in the dance just the same, although he did not look his best. The injury causes him considerable annoyance.

### First Christmas.

The young ladies of town, members of the once famous Ramblers, were remembered on Christmas by receiving cards from Miss Elma Leona Roper, of New Smyrna, Florida. This interesting little lady is the daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roper and grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Day, of this place. This was the little girl's first Christmas, and the young ladies are more than pleased with the remembrance.

### Has Resigned.

Miss Alice Quigley has resigned as teacher of the eighth grade in Emporium and left for Clarion, where she will enter the State Normal School. Miss Nellie O'Keefe, of Sterling Run, has been elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Quigley.

### Fine Gift.

Mr. M. E. Confor was made happy on Christmas by receiving a fine hunting set. The gift was presented by the following gentlemen: Dr. L. R. Felt, Dr. H. S. Falk, Messrs. E. D. White, F. E. Hilliker and James Wright.

## Wedding Bells.

### MORAN—HAYES.

On Wednesday morning, December 28th, 1910, at 10 o'clock, at St. Mark's Roman Catholic Church was the scene of a pretty wedding, at which time Miss Myrtle Margaret Moran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moran, became the wife of Mr. Leo T. Hayes. Only the immediate members of the families witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Father T. B. Downey, Rector of the Church. Miss Clara Fredette, of this place, was maid of honor and Mr. C. Harold Seger did the honors of best man. After the wedding ceremony the bridal party and relatives repaired to the home of the bride on East Third street, where an elaborate wedding breakfast was served. The bride was becomingly gowned in a suit of tan colored pongee and wore a black hat. Miss Fredette, the bride's maid, was attired in a blue gown with hat to match. Mrs. Hayes has only been a resident of Emporium a short time, yet she has made many friends, winning them by her amiable disposition. Mr. Hayes has spent his entire life in this community and his friends are legion. The wedding occurred on the anniversary of the birth of the groom and what better gift could he have received than a most charming bride. The happy couple departed on the east bound flyer, at noon, for a wedding trip, which included Philadelphia, Washington and several other places of interest. They have taken up their residence at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hayes, Fifth street. The PRESS joins with their many friends in wishing them prosperity and happiness and may their lives be one continual sunshine.

### Students Return to School.

The following students have returned to their respective schools, after spending the holidays in town: Miss Jean McFarney, Messrs. Lynn Strayer, Carl Thompson and Edwin Baldwin, State College; Misses Margaret Cavey, Margaret Kelley, Marion Baldwin and Kathryn Elumble, St. Elizabeth's College, at Allegany, N. Y.; Miss Mildred McQuay, Messrs. Will Welsh, Karl Metz and Frank Egan, Clarion State Normal; Misses Vera Olmsted and Kate Metzger, Oberlin, Ohio; Messrs. Frank Cavanaugh and Frank Honsler, Commercial College, Williamsport; Messrs. Chas. Commerford and Emmet Geary, Chamberlain Military Academy, Randolph, N. Y.; Mr. Lee W. Felt, Hamilton College, Clinton, N. Y.; Mr. Claude E. Rantz, Carnegie Technical School, Pittsburg; Miss Lena Bair, Westbrook Commercial College, Olean, N. Y.; Miss Stello Tebo, at the Convent, St. Marys.

### Save Your Quail.

You know Bob, so fine and cheery along about harvest time, and so friendly too, and sociable like, calling to you from the meadow fence, or old stump, or maybe from the potato field where he has been feeding on "tater bugs."

You may not know that Bob is especially fond of these, and of cabbage worms, as well as of several other kinds of bugs and worms that bother the farmer. But he is, and he makes a full hand in the field every day, rain or shine, all of which entitles him to your protection, and commends him to your care when the ground is so deeply covered with snow that he can't grub for his living, which he would cheerfully do if he had a chance, or even half a chance.

It is up to you farmers and suburbanites to look after Bob, while the snow is on, for he is in a bad way now, and is calling plaintively and pitifully to you for food and shelter.—Erasmus Wilson.

### Special Services.

Special religious services began Jan. 1st, at North Creek school house and at Rich Valley Church, services to begin January 9th. Every evening at 7:30 o'clock. Quarterly meeting at the Church, January 14th and 15th. Come and enjoy these meetings. The Rev. H. C. Shares will be the speaker.

### REV. W. F. HALL, Pastor.

### Recovering From Operation.

Miss Clara Younge, of this place, had a very delicate operation performed on her throat on Monday, December 26th. Drs. W. H. Bush and H. S. Falk performed the operation. Miss Younge has so far recovered as to be able to be out again.

### For Sale.

Two breeding sows, 12 pigs and 21 sheep. Apply to L. B. Jones, Steeling Run, Pa. 46-47.

## THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, snow Flurries  
SATURDAY, Snow  
SUNDAY, Snow

## First National Bank,

EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, Jan. 4, 1911.

\$1,028,102.23.

### START 1911 RIGHT.

Isn't it right now a good time to take stock of your financial condition. During the past 10 years of prosperity how much of your income have you saved? Not so much as you should? Why not start 1911 right now by opening an account at this bank and save your future income? We furnish deposit slips, checks and pass books free.

\$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

### Special Offering.

Next Saturday, January 7th, a beautiful \$2.50 box of candy will be given away, absolutely free, at nine o'clock, p. m. Every 10c purchase made during the day entitles you to a number.

SEGER & CO.

### Installation and Supper.

Last Monday evening, at the regular meeting of the P. O. S. of A., the newly elected officers of the order were installed into office by District President, Mr. Harry J. Haverly, of Renovo, Pa. After the regular business of the Camp had been transacted, the members and several lady friends enjoyed a bountiful supper.

### As Others See Us.

That the PRESS is thoroughly appreciated by the business men of this place as well as surrounding towns and cities, is evident from the very flattering endorsements we almost weekly receive, especially from the papers of adjoining counties. We are here to advance the interests of Cameron county and if our efforts to give our advertisers up-to-date work is appreciated we are pleased.

The following items we clip from exchanges, showing how Emporium looks to others:

Coudersport Journal. One has only to glance at the Cameron County Press to see what kind of a trade town Emporium is. The Press is full of ads the year round and at Christmas time is running over—24 pages.

### Edred Eagle.

The Cameron County Press issued in 24 pages last week, carrying 81 pages of local advertising. Such liberal use of Printers' ink shows a stir among the business men of Emporium that should certainly head off a lot of mail order business. Its bound to come for it is positively the only way to lessen the drain on local trade. If these mail order concerns offer a suit for \$5.98 that a local dealer might be ashamed to have on his counters, the lucid description makes it worth \$10 or \$15 to a prospective buyer, and the mail order house gets the order. It isn't unreasonable to assert that local dealers in their various lines have better goods at prices that will compare favorably with mail order houses, but where the mail-order houses pay big salaries for brainy men to prepare attractive ads for them, local merchants are prone to neglect or overlook this important factor in their business entirely. Editors of papers can't argue this matter without making it suggestive to the merchant that they are giving the arguments merely to build up their own business. Of course looking at it from that standpoint it is only up to the merchants to be convinced by experience a fact which certainly the Emporium people must appreciate. It is a safe venture to assert that if local merchants would put the amount of money into judicious newspaper advertising that they do into calendars and racks, etc., the returns would be far more profitable. And it is profit that everyone is hustling for from six to sixteen hours a day for.

### In New Quarters.

The Cameron Powder Company on Jan. 1st, moved into the the rooms recently vacated by the Emporium Powder Co. Their increasing business required more room.