

Old Reliable Drug Store.

Owing to the very liberal patronage I have had from our people and in view of the hard times I will until MAY 1st, reduce the price of Physicians Prescriptions as follows, viz:

- All 1 oz. mixtures, regular price, 20 to 15
All 2 oz. mixtures, regular price, 25 to 19
All 3 oz. mixtures, regular price, 35 to 25
All 4 oz. mixtures, regular price, 45 to 30
All 6 oz. mixtures, regular price, 65 to 50
All 8 oz. mixtures, regular price, 85 to 65

And a corresponding reduction on all packages of Powders, Pills, Ointments Also liberal discount on all Patent Medicines, Baby Foods, Perfumes, Toilet and Fancy Articles and extra liberal discount on Fountain Syringes, Hot Water Bottles, Atomizers and Nursing Bottles.

I will guarantee my goods to be strictly fresh and equal to any goods in the market. Thirty years experience in the town of Emporium is sufficient evidence of competency. If you wish to avail yourself of the liberal offer, leave your Physician's Prescriptions and drug trade in general at the OLD RELIABLE DRUG STORE.

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NEW STOCK OF WALL PAPER. WE SELL FULL LENGTH, FULL WEIGHT, Rolls, BEST GOODS. At the same price you pay for light weight, cheap goods. H. S. LLOYD.

R. C. DODSON, THE DRUGGIST, EMPORIUM, PA. THE BLINDING HEADACHE. Get the doctor's advice and we will put it into material form. Or come to us for our own headache remedy. It is justly famous among our friends and will cure you absolutely, if faithfully taken. We need not say it is guaranteed harmless. Our reputation would forbid the prescribing of anything of the opposite nature.

THE FAIR! LACE CURTAINS. The best quality, largest assortment, newest, handsomest and most artistic designs, and prices that are in the bloom of satisfaction will all be found in our superb array of Lace Curtains. An early inspection will be richly rewarded. Come before the stock has been depleted by earlier purchasers. H. A. ZARPS & CO.

EMPORIUM MILLING COMPANY. PRICE LIST. Emporium, Pa., Feb. 23, 1898. NEMOPHILA, per sack, \$1.50
Buckwheat, per bushel, 50
Patent Meal, per 100, 40
Coarse Meal, per 100, 50
Chop Feed, 50
Middlings, 50
Corn, per bushel, 50
White Oats, per bushel, 40

LOCAL DEPARTMENT. PERSONAL GOSSIP. Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card, letter, or personally.

Henry Farr visited with Austin friends last week. Geo. Hurteau is at Buffalo, where he intends to remain. Mr. W. W. Taylor, of Buffalo, visited with his mother in town over Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Hurteau, the Fourth street milliner, was a Press visitor yesterday. Messrs. Haley, Hoffman, Moore and Swyers, of Renovo, were in Emporium on Sunday.

C. D. Osterhout, of Ridgway, looked in on the Republican County Convention on Tuesday. John O'Byrne has gone to Oil City, to accept a position with the Enterprise Milling Company.

Mrs. I. K. Hockley returned last Saturday from a visit with friends and relatives at Williamsport. Mr. Blumle informs us that his daughter, Miss Theresa, has improved greatly during the past week.

Miss Elva Whiting is home from Lock Haven Normal to spend the Spring vacation with her parents. Mr. Chas. Wiley, of this place, who is attending school at Blair College, N. J., came home last Tuesday to spend his Easter vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Auchu were called to Williamsport yesterday, on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Auchu's brother-in-law. Mrs. W. W. Arnold, of Sterling Run, (Mrs. M. P. Whiting's mother) we are pleased to learn is recovering slowly from her serious illness.

O. B. Tanner, of Mason Hill, came to Emporium last Tuesday to witness the proceedings of the Republican County Convention. He called to see the Press.

Ed. and Bert Hillyard have returned to Emporium for the season and will work in Howard's mill. Ed. denies that he passed the winter at Grove City, yet we would not blame him if he had.

Messrs. A. M. Ent, of Ridgway, L. W. Gleason, of Medix Run, and John and Chas. Gleason, of Driftwood, attended the Masonic banquet, which was given Tuesday night by the Emporium Chapter.

Hon. I. K. Hockley has made arrangements with W. H. Howard to work his Rich Valley farms this season. We have no better farms in the county than the Howard lands and money should be realized if properly managed.

Our old friend of boyhood days, John T. Hertig, of East Emporium, was an agreeable caller at the Press sanctum Tuesday evening. Mr. Hertig is in the employ of the Climax Powder Mfg. Co., of this place. We are always pleased to meet our old friends.

Dime Social. To be given by the Emergency Class of the Presbyterian Sunday School, at the home of Mr. Geo. Bloom, on Thursday evening, March 24, at 7:30. The following interesting program will be rendered:

Musical Duet, Miss Bessie Ault, Mr. J. J. McInnes
Recitation, Miss Mary Knight
Music, Stringed Instruments
Piano Solo, Miss Flossie Taggart
Selections from Graphophone

Vocal Solo, Miss Grace McCaslin
Piano Trio, The Misses Leet
Music, Stringed Instruments
Piano Duet, Misses Ada Hockley, Florence Card
Trio, Misses Lizzie McInnes, Mary McInnes, Guy Mankey
Recitation, Mrs. Fred Robbins

Everybody invited. Come one, come all, with your dime and enjoy this program and get a cup of chocolate and a piece of cake. THE CLASS.

Rich Valley Notes. Editor Press: Little Fay Goff is quite sick with sore throat. John Lewis has been laid up with a lame back for a week or more. McClellan Miller and wife, of Dents Run, made a short visit in the valley last week.

Aunt Susan Chadwick has gone to live at E. E. Swartwood's again. Mrs. Henman and her brother Warren Moore have commenced housekeeping in their new house. Miss U. M. Chadwick, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting friends in the valley. She has just returned from a trip to Italy.

I. K. Hockley, of Emporium, has rented the Howard farms. Ella Bittenbender had the misfortune to fall and run a stubble in her ear. A piece of the stubble broke off and remained in her ear several days, from which she has suffered terribly. We saw the familiar face of Wm. Thompson on the street the other day, for the first in a long time. He has been away on a visit to his brother. Welcome home, Henry. ADINA. March 21, 1898.

Money in Politics. We invite the careful attention of the Press readers to the following article copied from the Philadelphia Times. For years Cameron county has witnessed some disgraceful boodler campaigns and it is an open secret that certain individuals have openly boasted that "in Cameron county a few hundred dollars would defeat any candidate" and "election officers could be bribed to violate the laws." The Lancaster county incident will apply with equal force to this county:

"A poor devil of a colored preacher in Lancaster has been arrested on the charge of accepting an election bribe, and formally expelled from the Lancaster Ministerial Association. He contracted with the friends of the Republican candidate for Mayor in that city to deliver some thirty votes of his congregation for that candidate.

"None will dispute the propriety of dismissing such a minister from the pulpit, nor will his criminality be doubted, but where are the men who bribed him, and who habitually tempt men from their integrity who are in poverty? If the minister was bribed somebody must have bribed him, and the tempter was the man who offered the money to the impoverished parson.

"We are on the threshold of a great political contest in Pennsylvania. It is one of the most important we have had for many years. It involves the election of a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Judge of the Superior Court and Secretary of Internal Affairs, an entire delegation to Congress, and the Legislature to be chosen will elect a United States Senator to succeed Mr. Quay.

"With the experience in the contest of 1896 and in the Legislature of 1897, the people of Pennsylvania should set themselves like hooks of steel against the use of money in politics. No local, district or State candidate should be permitted to succeed who starts out to win his way by the debauchery of the people. If we are to have a government worthy the respect of the people, the boodler must be sent to the rear and money must be eliminated from our politics.

"It is the veriest mockery to indict and punish a poor colored minister because in his poverty he was tempted by the money of the boodler to commit an act not only lawless but unworthy of his sacred calling, if the boodler who tempted him, and without whom no such offense could have been committed, is allowed to go without exposure and punishment.

"The only way to break up the now appalling evil in Pennsylvania of money in politics is to strike at the corrupt fountain from which these streams of debauchery flow to contaminate the people. As long as there shall be men with money to tempt the poor, the dependent and the venal, just so long will there be corruption in Pennsylvania politics; but whenever it shall be determined that no man can play the roll of boodler without disgrace and imprisonment, we shall have purer politics inaugurated and men of merit will have a fair fight for political honors.

"Every good citizen, regardless of party or faction, should take high resolve that money in politics should not be given the mastery in Pennsylvania in the great battle of 1898."

It is time for the sober thinking people of Cameron county to think carefully over this question and organize to put a stop to this debauching system. Let us, if necessary, organize a Law and Order League and prosecute to the fullest extent all violations of the laws. The Press will cordially second any such plan and render all the aid within its power.

Huston Hill. Mud everywhere. About fifteen of the young people attended the entertainment on Mason Hill last Saturday night. Photographs to be given away Kinworthy. A. S. Hicks has taken two new boarders. Kid Conors, S. D. Billings' book-keeper has come home to farm. Minnie Rhinehart visited with parents over Sunday. Everybody attended the election on Saturday. The school-dad had business at the north end of town one night last week. Mrs. Maud Barr is the guest of her mother this week. We are now preparing for the entertainment. SAMMY.

The Golden Secret of Long Life. Keep the head cool, and the feet warm and bowels open. Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves is a Vegetable preparation and acts as a natural laxative, and is the greatest remedy ever discovered for the cure of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and all Blood, Liver and Kidney diseases. Call on R. C. Dodson, Emporium, Thos. A. Green, Johnsonburg; C. C. Craven, Sterling Run. 32-12y.

Fulton & Pearsall. These up-to-date painters have consolidated their business and may be found at their shop in Parsons' Bazaar. Both are practical painters and will give prompt attention to all work entrusted to them. Estimates furnished for all kinds of house, sign and decorative painting as well as wall papering and frescoing. Especial attention given to out of town orders. 474t.

Cut Flowers. For sale on Saturday afternoon by class No. 10, at M. M. Larrabee's store. Patronize the young ladies as their object is a good one.

Auction Sale of Horses. One car load of Mercer county horses at the Warner House stables, Emporium, Pa., Wednesday, April 6th, 1898. They consist of drivers, draft and general purpose horses. Several well matched pairs, both draft and drivers; also family horses. Every horse must be as represented on day of sale. Terms made known on day of sale. No postponement on account of the weather. Everybody come. S. G. COFFIN, Prop. 4-2t

Fire at Red Rock. E. B. Sage, the Red Rock florist, no doubt believes in the old saying that misfortunes never come singly. Yesterday during the heavy rain storm a derrick belonging to him was blown over and this morning his hot houses at Red Rock were partially destroyed by fire. At 6:30 the boiler house was discovered to be ablaze and the flames quickly communicated with the potting shed. An alarm of fire was raised and the male population of Red Rock turned out and attempted to control the elements. Although they worked with might and main their efforts were in vain until the flames had almost destroyed the carnation houses and damaged the rose house somewhat. The loss is over \$300 and there is no insurance.—Bradford Star.

That great stock of clothing at N. Seger's you want to see.

Birthday-Party. Mary Catharine Knight entertained the following little friends last Tuesday, in honor of her sixth birthday: Lee Felt, Leon and Edna Walker, Frank Fousler, Kate and Clark Metzger, George Balcomb, Warner and Marion Judd, Gene and Joe McNamee, Willis Card, Ronald Reick, Rodney Shives, Gladys Lloyd, Margaret and Ophelia Dodson, Marguerite Metzger, Nellie and Alisa Swain, Cecelia, Katie and Phil McDermet, Harold Seger, Florence Stauffer, Marion and Ermin Rentz, Guy Mankey, Louise Seger, Ida Seger, Howell Burnell, Magdalene Mankey, Clyde Thomas, Gladys Burrows, Foster Johnson, Morrison Swain. Refreshments were served the little friends by Mrs. W. B. Thompson, assisted by Miss Cuth and other friends. Miss Catharine was handsomely remembered with many beautiful presents.

Thoroughbred Stock. White Leghorn eggs from thoroughbred birds. Best layers in the country. Eggs large and plenty of them. Orders received now. R. C. DODSON.

Emporium, Pa.—24t REDUCED RATES TO WASHINGTON. Special Excursion via Pennsylvania Railroad. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces that on April 1st it will run a special excursion from points on the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad, Erie to Lock Haven, inclusive, to Washington, for the benefit of all who may wish to visit the National Capital at this season. Round-trip tickets, good going on all regular trains April 1, and good returning on any regular train leaving Washington not later than April 11, will be sold at greatly reduced rates. Special sleeping cars will be run through on train leaving Erie at 8:30 p. m.

Holders of special excursion tickets to Washington can purchase, at the Pennsylvania Railroad Ticket Offices in Washington, excursion tickets to Richmond at rate of \$1.00 and to Old Point Comfort (all rail) at \$6.00; at the offices of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, excursion tickets (not including meals and staterooms on steamers) to Old Point Comfort or Norfolk, Va., at \$3.50, and to Virginia Beach, Princess Anne Hotel, at \$4.50; Washington to Mt. Vernon and return, via electric railway, 50 cents.

For full information consult small handbills, apply to ticket agents, or address E. S. Harrar, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa. 927-3-3t

A Clever Trick. It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has lame back or weak kidneys, malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tonics up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to liver and kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures constipation, headache, fainting spells, sleeplessness and melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c. a bottle at L. Taggart's drug store.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE. Estate of MARY A. GOULD, deceased. J. A. GOULD, late of Emporium Borough, Cameron county, Pennsylvania, deceased, has been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands, will make known the same without delay. A. D. GOULD, H. H. MULLIN, Administrators. March 7th, 1898.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE. Estate of CORNELIUS B. GOULD, deceased. J. ETTERS testamentary to the estate of CORNELIUS B. GOULD, late of Emporium Borough, Cameron county, Pennsylvania, deceased, has been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands, will make known the same without delay. A. D. GOULD, H. H. MULLIN, Administrators. March 7th, 1898.

CHARTER NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Thursday, March 24th, 1898, by Herbert Day, R. P. Heilman, F. X. Blumle, Gillis Bliss, Grant S. Wiley, D. Burlingame, C. C. Fay and others under the authority of an act of Assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Emporium Creamery Company, the character and object of which is for the purpose of manufacturing butter, ice cream, cheese and all goods or commodities manufactured from cream or milk, and the transacting of all business connected with a view to the promotion of the purposes to have, its success, and enjoy all the rights, benefits, and privileges of said act of Assembly and supplements thereto. J. C. JOHNSON, B. W. GREEN, Solicitors.

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If the inscription on your sack of flour is like the above, you have the best flour in the world and ought to have the best bread. Better look and see, and if not, go at once to

DAY'S and procure a sack of World Famous Pillsbury's Best. There are others, but none so good. J. H. DAY, 23 Fourth St., Emporium, Pa.

ROCKWELL'S DRUG STORE. Next to Post-office, Emporium, Pa. Fancy Stationery. Just received the choicest invoice of Fancy Stationery, including Envelopes, Paper and Turists Fats. Toilet and Bath Goods. My line of Toilet and Bath Goods includes a fine line of Soaps, Brushes, Sponges, etc. ROCKWELL'S DRUG STORE. EMPORIUM, PA.

WANTED. F. E. PATTERSON & CO., Riverside, R. I. Wants all kinds of Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Raw Furs, Skins, Ginseng, Seneca, &c. Full prices guaranteed. Careful selection, courteous treatment, immediate remittance. Shipping Tags, Ropes, furnished free. Write for latest price circulars. Agents wanted. 42-3m.

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TRAVELERS GUIDE. PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILROAD DIVISION. In effect November 28, 1897. TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM EASTWARD. 8 20 A. M.—Train 8 week days for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:25 P. M., New York 5:30 P. M., Baltimore 6:00 P. M., Washington 7:15 P. M. Pullman Parlor car from Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Harrisburg and Washington.

3 20 P. M.—Train 3 week days for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 A. M., New York 7:33 A. M., Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 A. M. Train 4 Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:52 A. M., New York 9:33 A. M., A. M., Washington 10:38 A. M., Sunday; Baltimore 6:26 A. M., Harrisburg 7:21 A. M. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 A. M.

WESTWARD. 5 10 A. M.—Emporium Junction—Train 5 week days for Erie, Ridgway, DuBois, Clearfield and intermediate stations. 10 25 A. M.—Train 3 Daily for Erie and week days for DuBois and intermediate stations. 6 25 P. M.—Train 15, week days for Kane and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR EMPORIUM FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH. Train 9 leaves New York 6:50 p. m., Philadelphia 8:50 p. m., Washington 7:20 p. m., Baltimore 8:40 p. m., arriving at Emporium Junction 5:10 a. m., week days, with Pullman Sleepers and passenger coaches, from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport. Train 3 leaves New York 7:40 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:40 p. m., Baltimore 11:50 p. m., daily, arriving at Emporium 10:25 a. m., with Pullman Sleepers and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport. Train 15 leaves Philadelphia 8:30 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 9:10 a. m., week days, arriving at Emporium 6:25 p. m., with Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Kane.

Table with columns: STATIONS, A. M., P. M., EASTWARD, WESTWARD. Lists train schedules for various routes including Erie, DuBois, Clearfield, and Harrisburg.

J. B. HUTCHINSON, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Passenger Agent.

WESTERN NEW YORK AND PENNSYLVANIA RAILWAY. Time Table In Effect April 18, 1897. Trains leave Emporium for Keating, Port Allegany, Coudersport, Smethport, Eldred, Bradford, Olean and Buffalo, connecting at Buffalo for points East and West. Buffalo Express, daily except Sunday 8:30 A. M. Mail, 10:30 daily except Sunday. 1:50 P. M. Train No. 103 (mail) will connect at Olean with the River Division for Allegany, Bradford, Salamanca, Warren, Oil City and Pittsburgh. Call on E. C. DAVISON, Gen'l Supt., Emporium, for time tables or other information. J. A. FELLOWS, Gen'l Passenger & Ticket Agent, Mooney Brisbane Building, Cor. Main and Clinton Streets, Buffalo, N. Y.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY R. R. Taking effect June 15th, 1897.

Table with columns: STATIONS, 1, 5, 3, EASTWARD, WESTWARD. Lists train schedules for Coudersport and Port Allegany routes.

Table with columns: STATIONS, 1, 5, 3, WESTWARD. Lists train schedules for various routes including Utlyesses, Crowell's, Carpenter's, Perkins, B. & S. Junction, Newfield, Gold, Raymond's, Seven Bridges, Coulesburg, Frink's, North Coudersport, Coudersport, Hammonds, Olmsted, Minn., Knowlton's, Roulette, Burtville, Coleman, and Port Allegany.

Connections—At Utlyesses with the Buck R'y. for points north and south. At Newfield Junction with Buffalo & Susquehanna R. R., north of Wellsville, south of Galeton and Ansonia. At Port Allegany with W. N. & P. R. R., north to Buffalo, Olean, Bradford and Smethport; south for Keating Summit, Austin, Emporium and Penna. R. R. points. B. A. McCLEURE, Gen'l Supt., Coudersport, Pa.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURGH RAILWAY. THE SHORT LINE BETWEEN BUFFALO, ROCHESTER, SALAMANCA, RIDGWAY, DUBOIS, PUNXSUTAWNEY, AND ALL POINTS IN THE NORTH. EAST AND WEST. On and after Feb. 20, 1898, passenger trains will depart from Johnsonburg daily, except Sunday, as follows: 8:52 a. m., from P. & E. station for Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois, Punxsutawney and Clearfield. 11:52 a. m., from P. & E. station, mail for Mt. Jewett, Bradford and Rochester. 2:35 p. m., from P. & E. station, mail for Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois, Punxsutawney and Clearfield. 2:25 p. m., from B. & R. station, Buffalo Express for Bradford, Salamanca, Springville and Buffalo. Thousand mile tickets good for passage between stations at two cents per mile. EDWARD C. LAPEY, Gen. Pass. Agt., Rochester, N. Y.