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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSON GOSSIP.

Contributions invited that which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card, or letter, per mail. Jas. Haley speaks Fourth at Port Allegany. Miss Addie Gaty is visiting her sister at St. Mary. H. D. Farr, of his place, spent the Fourth at Lock Fen. Geo. Dickins and family have returned to Emporium. We notice Adon Cross again cutting meat at Day market. Jas. Fitzpatrick circulated among Emporium friends last week. Judge Brenng took in the sights at Port Allegany and the Fourth. Wm. Lyons and wife attended the races at St. Mary's last Thursday. Porter Dougherty and family visited friends at this place the past week. Mrs. Guy Boham and children, of Franklin, are visiting in town this week. James Morrisey, of Renovo, spent a few days last week at his home at this place. Miss Edna Varner returned on Monday from a delightful visit at Ulysses, guest of Miss Mae Leet. Mrs. Jas. Welsh, of this place, is visiting in Buffalo, guest of her brother John Powell, and family. L. Taggart, who has been confined to his house the past week is again able to attend to business. Mrs. C. H. Sage and daughter, of Johnsonburg, visited H. D. Burlingame and family last week. Geo. Gross, while at work in Day's meat market, on Saturday evening, severely cut the first finger on his left hand. Eddie Seger, who has been located at New York city, for some time, is now spending the summer with his parents here. Dr. Smith, Wm. McDonald, Fred Tompkins, Frank Judd and Fritz Seger attended the races at St. Mary's last Thursday. Mrs. John Kackemaster and daughter who have been visiting friends at Williamsport for some time, returned last Saturday. Mrs. Web. Walize, of Renovo, has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bloom at this place the past week. Web. was also in town a few days last week. Mr. J. H. Calkins who is now located with his son Willis, at Mt. Jewett, was a pleasant caller at the Press sanctum on Tuesday afternoon and paid for his paper for another year. He looks much better and reports health greatly improved. In a letter received from Harry Fry, who is now in the furniture and undertaking business at Raton, New Mexico, he informs us that he "has been without the Press for a few weeks, and indeed it seems years." Harry is like many others in this respect, always pleased to receive the news from home weekly. We are glad to note that our young friend has been prosperous in that country, and expects to visit Emporium in January 1900.

Gas at Sizer Run Well. As we go to press we receive the information that gas has been struck in Sizer Run well, at a depth of 700 feet, sufficient to fire the boiler. Geo. Eupp visited DuBois, Tuesday. F. P. Rentz made a business trip to Beechwood yesterday. Clifton Larrabee is visiting Condorsport relatives this week. Supt. Brady returned on Tuesday from a business visit to Philadelphia. Miss Grace Walker has returned from the Ithaca Conservatory of Music. C. W. Barr, of Gibson, made Emporium a visit on Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. B. Coyle and family are now located in the Shives property on Fifth street. R. B. White, of the Press force, spent his vacation with his mother at Buffalo. George Taggart, came over from Hazlehurst last week to visit his parents. Bert Chadwick, of Little Valley, N. Y., visited friends in town the past two weeks. Clyde McCaslin is assisting in Rockwell's drug store, during the absence of Mr. Yeagle. Patsie Morrissey, left on Friday for Saginaw, Mich., where he expects to make his future home. W. L. Sykes and family visited Geo. A. Walker and family, at this place, during the past week. Harry More, of Keating Summit, spent the Fourth with his brother Thomas, at Sterling Run. Ralph Davison came over from State College to spend his vacation with his parents and friends. "Budd" Coler, of Renovo, spent a few hours in Emporium on the Fourth. He was enroute to St. Marys. Mrs. Margaret Haley, of Johnsonburg, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Haley, this week. J. H. Darrin and son, of Sterling Run, are now at work on the new office of the Climax Powder Co. Mrs. J. F. Schwab and daughter, of Lock Haven, have been the guests of John Gantz and family the past week. Miss Clara Olmsted, who has been engaged in her music work at Berkeley, Va., returned home last Monday via Bellefonte. Hon. L. Taggart has been on the sick list for several days, we are sorry to say. Dr. DeLong is assisting in the drug store. Miss Celia Hogan has returned from an extended visit to Elmira, N. Y. She has graduated in phonography and type writing. Miss Jennie Euddy, of Pottsville, Pa., has been visiting her cousin, M. T. Hogan, and family the past week, at their residence on Fourth street. Mrs. Stauffer and children leave tomorrow on a visit to Lebanon friends. The Prof. goes "down hum" next month when his family will return home with him. Mr. Michael Evers and son, of Beechwood, were in Emporium on Monday and called at the Press office. Mr. Evers carried away a receipt for another year's paper. Geo. A. Walker, Sr., visited Smethport last Saturday and Sunday, guest of his cousin, Rev. I. T. Walker, pastor of Smethport's M. E. Church. He greatly enjoyed his visit. J. D. Butcher, came over from Condorsport on the Fourth and visited his friends, the Press being favored by a visit from him, while in town. His wife is visiting at Goodyear. John A. Johnston, who is employed at the Climax Powder Works, at this place, was prostrated Monday evening from the effects of the fumes. Dr. Bardwell reports him O. K. again. P. R. Beattie, after a long and painful illness, has resumed his duties as Street Commissioner. He is as jolly as ever and claims he never felt better. Hope his recovery may be permanent. Mrs. Elizabeth Howard and daughter, returned from a visit to Virginia and other points. They enjoyed a day's sight seeing at the Gettysburg battlefield. Mrs. R. Z. Roberts, of Knoxville, Tenn., and Capt. C. F. Barclay and wife, of Sinnemahoning, visited Hon. J. C. Johnson last week and assisted in the preparations for the Fourth. Mrs. Hellen Metzger returned last Friday from an extended visit to Brooklyn and Boston and reports the Brooklyn Bridge in excellent shape—the information that John was eager to learn. A. D. Gould, of Eldred, visited his sisters in Emporium, Friday evening, on his return from Pittsburg. Mr. Gould is connected with the Pure Food Department of Pennsylvania as Inspector and has entered upon the discharge of his duties. Mrs. and Mrs. G. M. Pott are comfortably located in the Hyde residence on Sixth street. Mrs. Pott's mother and sister accompanied her from Lebanon and will spend the summer months here. They are greatly pleased with our mountain city. John McFadden, formerly of this place and an A. No. 1 baritone player with the Emporium Excelsior Band when that organization was in its zenith, came down from Glen Hazel and accompanied the band on the Portage excursion, July 2. John's many friends were pleased to see him looking so well. Jacob Staigle escorted a party of friends to St. Marys races last week, consisting of A. F. Vogt, Will Lyons, Fritz Seger, Frank Judd, A. E. Gross and Dr. Smith. Our left-handed reporter informs us that Staigle endeavored to burst the wheel of fortune and might have succeeded had not Prof. Stauffer wheeled into the crowd and called off the plunger.

Geo. Walker and Henry Haupt were after bass yesterday. Isaac Moore, of Clear Creek is rusticated at the City Hotel. A. McDougall made a business trip to Austin on Friday last. Mrs. J. S. Douglas, of Olean, is visiting friends at this place. Fritz Seger visited Cross Fork on Wednesday, on business. Amos Fenton took in the sights at Buffalo on the 3rd and 4th. Bert Olmsted and Guy Felt spent the Fourth at Port Allegany. W. P. Lloyd is Western Union operator during Mr. Logan's absence. Jas. Patterson has been spending a few days at the St. Charles Hotel. M. C. Tulis has placed two iron hitching stands in front of his store. A. C. Blum leaves on Monday for Erie to attend U. S. Court, as a juror. Ed. T. Dougherty was visiting friends at Buffalo the fore part of last week. Miss Rose Ritchie and Miss Sylvona Butler spent the Fourth at Port Allegany. William Theody, of Little Valley, N. Y., is now night clerk at the Warner House. C. H. Sage, Jr., and wife, of Johnsonburg, visited Emporium friends last week. Harry Hemphill visited his son at St. Marys, on the Fourth, and took in the races. W. Yeagle, clerk at Rockwell's drug store, is spending his vacation at Williamsport. W. G. Egbert has returned to Ithaca but his wife and child will remain here for some time. Miss Louise Bonham returned from Williamsport, last week and is now visiting at Gardeau. Mrs. Harry Weaver and children, of Kane, are visiting in Emporium, guests of J. W. Clarke and wife. Mrs. Belle Beattie, accompanied by her sons, Roy and Gordon, are visiting the former's sister at North Bend. L. S. Fisk and family are enjoying a few days camping on Canoe Run, this week. Lyman says it is great sport. Mrs. Mary Adams, nee McCrea, and Miss Ethel Cook, of Olean, N. Y., are guests of A. A. McDonald and family. John J. Hinkle, an employe of the U. S. Mint, at Philadelphia, is passing his vacation at home with wife and friends. Miss Mary Othmer, of Williamsport, is visiting at this place, guest of her brother John, and family, on Walnut street. W. S. Walker, Prof. Egbert, H. O. Haupt and Geo. Walker, Jr., enjoyed a two days' bass fishing, last Thursday and Friday. M. P. Whiting and wife were called to Sterling Run on Monday, on account of the dangerous illness of John E. Smith. Mr. Claude Vasey, accompanied by his sister, drove over from Austin on Friday, and spent a few hours with friends in town. Theo. W. Hockley, a few years ago resident of this place, has returned here and entered the employ of his brother, I. H. Hockley. Fred Sage and wife, of Johnsonburg, passed the Fourth bass fishing near this place. Mr. Sage is master mechanic at the paper mills. Joe Johnston, editor of the Driftwood Gazette, was in Emporium Tuesday, called here by the illness of his brother, John A. Johnston. Ross Overturf, the well-known base ball twirler, has accepted a position in Emporium and will play ball with the Emporium team this season. Joe O'Byrne, who is attending Holy Cross College at Worcester, Mass., returned home last week to spend his vacation with his parents, at this place. B. W. Green is at his farm in Tioga county, superintending the erection of his new farm house, to take the place of the one recently destroyed by fire. Joseph Farley, of Mason Hill, transacted business in Emporium yesterday and shook hands with many old friends. We enjoyed a call from our friend. Thos. Gallagher and wife, J. D. Logan and wife and John J. Hinkle and wife, are guests of William Howard and wife at their summer cottage near North Bend, this week. Mrs. Jos. Lechner accidentally ran a sewing machine needle into the thumb of her left hand and broke it off, while sewing, last evening. Dr. Smith was called and extracted the needle. Jos. Kaye and wife and Mrs. Jacob Huffman visited Buffalo Saturday and Sunday, returning home Monday evening. They also enjoyed a trip to Crystal Beach while in Buffalo. Ye editor, accompanied by his wife and Miss Jennie Gould, enjoyed a few days visit to Buffalo, Rochester and Niagara Falls last week, returning home on Monday evening. A. B. Dowsnell and family returned to Canada on Monday, where they will reside. Mr. Dowsnell has been in the employ of Walker, Howard & Co., as tinner, and made many friends here. Capt. Perry R. Smith, of Ridgway, paid Emporium a visit this week and took a side view of the furnace. We are getting ready, Capt., for those ten cent cigars. No stogies in this, remember. W. G. Egbert and wife, of Ithaca, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Egbert's parents, Geo. A. Walker and family, at this place. We must not forget the most important personage, the baby boy—a lovely child. Miss Margaret Farley who is an experienced trained nurse in New York city, is visiting her parents on Mason Hill. Miss Farley visited Emporium last Saturday in company with Mrs. Nancy Hicks and son. On Tuesday, A. F. Vogt received a letter from his brother-in-law, Wm. Tebo, who is in Alaska, containing the good news of Isaac Mallette making a rich strike. We hope it may be correct and Isaac comes home wealthy. Phillip Schweikart, of this place, spent a few days last week with friends at Belmont, N. Y. Phil insists that he only went to Olean but a telegram was received from him dated Belmont, July 3, stating that he "had found a lost treasure."

Mrs. T. F. Seward, of W. North street, was called to Emporium, Pa., last night by the sudden death of her sister, Miss Laura Evans. Mrs. Seward was expecting a visit from her sister in a few days, and was engaged in writing a letter to her when she received the message announcing her death. Mrs. Seward was greatly shocked upon reading the contents of the telegram, as it was unknown to her that her sister was even ill. She was a young and beautiful girl of twenty-six years, and leaves a large circle of friends who are greatly grieved at her sudden and unexpected death.—Lima (O.) Democrat. BRIEF MENTION. Laborers are scarce. Bass fishing season opened July 1. Work is slowly progressing at Sizer-Run well. The brick crews at the furnace our working day and night. A new plumbing shop is being erected on Broad street, S. E. Murry. Auditors' report of the borough poor-masters' accounts, on fourth page. Over three hundred Emporiumites visited Sterling Run on the Fourth. There are very favorable prospects for the erection of an Extract plant at this place. Sterling Run certainly did put up a big time on the Fourth. All enjoyed the day's sport. If you can't speak well of the town you live in keep your mouth shut or get out. We don't need such cranks. The Emporium Creamery Co., commenced the manufacture of full cream cheese, at their plant here, on Monday morning. The old building on Cherry street formerly occupied by the Press, cigar factory and other purposes, has been torn down. R. C. Dodson has greatly improved the interior of his store room. Carpenter Weeks and painter Pearsall had a hand at the work. The Backwater and Goodyear Post-offices will be discontinued after July 15, 1899. All patrons of these offices will hereafter receive their mail at Emporium. The committee having charge of the celebration at Sterling Run on the Fourth certainly deserve credit, one and all. The day was greatly enjoyed by everybody. Mr. Walter E. Moore, editor of the Cross Fork News, was found dead in bed on Wednesday, June 29. Heart disease is supposed to be the cause of his sudden death. Interest in the local sporting circle centered at "Riverside," one night last week, the event being a twenty round bout between two of Emporium's big fellows, which ended in a draw. The refreshing showers of Tuesday afternoon and during the night were welcomed. One and a half inches of water fell during these rains, as reported by weather reporter Lloyd. On July 3rd, Mr. Wainwright and family came down from Beechwood to attend the circus and were guests of Mr. L. R. Reed, who resides over Jordan Bros. store. During the day one of his little children fell from the balcony, sustaining serious injuries, but no bones were broken. An "Absent Member" meeting will be held by the social department of the Epworth League, Friday evening, July 14. Ten letters of greeting will be read from former pastors and members who have taken up their residence elsewhere. After the reading of each letter a hymn selected by the writer will be sung. Services will commence at 7:30. Everybody invited. The Epworth League Convention. The ninth annual convention of the Williamsport District Epworth League was held in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Millinburg, Penna., June 22-23, 1899. The singing was inspiring under the able leadership of Prof. James M. Black, of Williamsport. There were over 200 delegates from different parts of the district. Several interesting papers were read. "Cost of a Consecrated Life," by Miss Anna Blanch Slate, of Williamsport, was appreciated by all and showed how our lives should be consecrated wholly to the Lord. She told a simple story of a little girl who took all she had to the Lord. It was a broken pitcher. She kissed it and took it to her teacher. Our lives are like this broken pitcher and we bring them to Christ and he fills them with his love and they become rivers of living water. On Thursday evening, Rev. Wilford P. Shiner delivered an address, "Is the Epworth League a Necessity?" There are some that look on it with suspicion, there being opponents to our Methodism in its early life, as in all large movements, it always has its enemies. While we must be strongly impressed with the thought that Methodism was born in a young people's society. The social and intellectual powers of our youth must be attended to, so we feel justified in telling them what to do, as we should be ready in telling them what not to do. So if we would be a church up to the times we must be energetic in our movement of the growth and interest of our society. "Quiz" by Rev. Piper, of Sinnemahoning, on Mercy and Help Department was very interesting. He called on the Second Vice. Pres. of the different Chapters on the work they had been doing the year and found some very good subjects; some distributing flowers to sick, money for the poor, and going to the homes of some where there were infants and taking care of them, so that the mother could attend church. Friday evening, Rev. Edmund M. Mills, of Elmira, N. Y., gave a pleasant discourse on "A Righteous Nation." Righteousness exalted a nation. Any man that lives in sin is a traitor to his country. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President, Rev. S. B. Evans, Milton, Pa.; First Vice Pres., Mr. G. A. Rodman, Slate Run, Pa.; Second Vice Pres., Rev. W. P. Shiner, Emporium, Pa.; Third Vice Pres., Mr. Bennet, Montoursville, Pa.; Fourth Vice Pres., Rev. Frank Curry, Williamsport, Pa.; Rec. Sec., Mrs. B. E. Staples, Jersey Shore; Cor. Sec., Miss Gathelus, Millinburg; Treasurer, Mr. M. E. Cheston, Lock Haven, Pa.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank at Emporium, in the State of Pennsylvania at the close of business, June 30th, 1899. Assets: Loans and discounts, \$139,859.85; Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 826.60; U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, 12,500.00; Premiums on U. S. Bonds, 1,600.00; Stocks, Securities, etc., 1,890.71; Banking-house, furniture and fixtures, 6,200.00; Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents), 106.48; Due from State Banks and Bankers, 210.21; Due from approved reserve agents, 71,676.05; Checks and other cash items, 122.00; Notes of other National Banks, 2,900.00; Fractional paper, currency, nickels and cents, 98.02; Specie, \$11,427.40; Legal-tender notes, 6,000.00; Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (a per cent. of circulation), 562.50; TOTAL, \$255,339.82. Liabilities: Capital stock paid in, \$50,000.00; Surplus fund, 35,000.00; Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, 2,352.70; National Bank Notes outstanding, 11,250.00; Due to other National Banks, 15,672.12; Individual deposits subject to check, 140,028.40; Certified Checks, 29.90; Cashier's checks outstanding, 1,006.70; TOTAL, \$255,339.82. STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss: I, M. P. Whiting, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. M. P. WHITING, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July 1899. M. M. LARRABEE, J. P. CORRECT—Attest: GEO. A. WALKER, N. SEIGEL, W. S. WALKER, Directors.

NEW DEPARTURE BY M. A. ROCKWELL, The Fourth Street Druggist. The Sanitary Still. I have recently purchased and placed in my Drug Store one of the popular and greatly endorsed Sanitary Still, manufactured by THE CUPSEGRAPH CO., of Chicago, Ill. There is no process of filtration which will purify water. Nature's process, of vaporizing water and cooling it into refreshing showers of pure rain water is repeated by the Sanitary Still in our store. We distill all water used in both our Prescription Department and Soda Water Fountains. PURE WATER. PURE DRUGS. PURE SODA WATER. Purity is our Motto. M. A. ROCKWELL, P. O. Building, Emporium, Pa.

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Business Cards. B. W. GREEN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Emporium, Pa. A business relating to estate, collections, real estates, Orphan's Court and general law business will receive prompt attention. 42-ly. J. C. JOHNSON, J. P. McNARNEY, JOHNSON & McNARNEY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, Emporium, Pa. Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-ly. MICHAEL BRENNAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Emporium, Pa. Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent. 35-ly. F. D. LEET, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW and INSURANCE AGT., EMPORIUM, PA. To LAND OWNERS AND OTHERS IN CAMERON AND ADJOINING COUNTIES. I have numerous calls for hemlock and hardwood timber lands, also stumpage etc., and parties desiring either to buy or sell will do well to call on me. F. D. LEET. CITY HOTEL, Wm. McGEE, PROPRIETOR Emporium, Pa. Having again taken possession of this old and popular house I solicit a share of the public patronage. The house is newly furnished and is one of the best appointed hotels in Cameron county. 30-ly. THE NOVELTY RESTAURANT, (Opposite Post Office), Emporium, Pa. WILLIAM McDONALD, Proprietor. I take pleasure in informing the public that I have purchased the old and popular Novelty Restaurant, located on Fourth street. It will be my endeavor to serve the public in a manner that shall meet with their approbation. Give me a call. Meals and luncheon served at all hours. 207-ly. Wm. McDONALD. ST. CHARLES HOTEL, FLOS. J. LYSETT, PROPRIETOR, Near Buffalo Depot, Emporium, Pa. This new and commodious hotel is now opened for the accommodation of the public. New in all its appointments, every attention will be paid to the guests patronizing this hotel. 27-47-ly. MAY GOULD, TEACHER OF PIANO, HARMONY AND THEORY, Also dealer in all the Popular sheet Music, Emporium, Pa. Scholars taught either at my home on Sixth street or at the homes of the pupils. Out of town scholars will be given dates at my rooms in this place. F. C. RIECK, D. D. S., DENTIST, Office over Taggart's Drug Store, Emporium, Pa. Gas and other local anaesthetics administered for the painless extraction of teeth. SPECIALTY.—Preservation of natural teeth, including Crown and Bridge Work. I will visit Driftwood the first Tuesday, and Sinnemahoning the third Wednesday of each month. The Place to Buy Cheap —IS AT— J. F. PARSONS. The Broad Street Bakery, IS THE PLACE TO BUY. Having recently opened a Bakery and Confectionery store, I am now prepared to serve you Fresh Bread, Pies and Cakes, Confectionery, Fruits, etc. All orders receive prompt attention. GEO. H. GROSS. Broad Street, Emporium, Pa.