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Emporium, Pa., Nov. 21, 1899.

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by post card, or letter, personally.

Good morning, Mayor Bardwell!

Mrs. Ed. Morse is very seriously ill. Percy Fry visited Port Allegany on Wednesday.

A. J. Dent, of Medix Run, was in town on Wednesday.

John Edelman made a business trip to Potter county last week.

Geo. Walker, Jr., returned Tuesday from visiting at Lock Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hackenberg are visiting in Philadelphia this week.

Delia Clare, of Cameron, paid Emporium friends a visit on Tuesday.

Adam Nickler, Jr., was a welcome caller at the PRESS office on Wednesday.

Miss Cora Tyler, of Pittsburg, is now assist book-keeper at Climax Powder Company's office.

A number of our school teachers will take in the excursion to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, to-day.

Mrs. Charles Spotts, of Renovo, was visiting friends in town last week, guest of Mrs. Wm. Lyons.

M. P. Whiting came down from Ridgway to spend Sunday with his family, returning on Monday.

Mr. A. C. Fetter and daughter Rena are in Philadelphia where the latter will receive medical treatment.

Grandma Clark, we regret to learn, is in a very serious condition. The venerable lady is in her 92nd year.

Mrs. D. B. Morton returned last Wednesday from a two weeks' visit with her husband and friends in Buffalo.

Mrs. Wm. Cramer and daughter left this morning on a short visit with friends at Delevan and Machias, N. Y.

Jos. Swallow and wife, of Elbon, Elk county, have been visiting friends in Emporium and Cameron the past week.

Andrew Blinzler has accepted a position at his old trade as a baker, for C. G. Schmidt, and has entered upon his duties.

John Clare is celebrating the arrival of a bouncing boy at his home. The young man came last Thursday and intends to stay.

Rev. Ebersole, of Sterling Run, was in Emporium last evening, enroute for Canada to officiate at the funeral of a brother clergyman—an old friend and co-worker.

J. M. Olson came over from Austin, where he is engaged in business and visited his family over Sunday. He is one of our best citizens, as reliable as an old fashioned clock.

Mrs. J. F. Parsons and Mrs. Jacob Slaigle before starting on their monthly inspection of the Shippen farm, yesterday morning, viewed the location for the junction car shops, etc.

We regret to learn that our townsman Geo. A. Walker, President of the First National Bank was taken suddenly ill while attending to his duties in his store Tuesday morning. He is resting easy now and it is hoped he will soon be attending to business.

Dr. Bardwell paid St. Marys a professional visit yesterday.

Edward Moore is seriously ill, yet Dr. Bardwell reports him better this morning.

U. A. Palmer left last Monday for the west, on a tour of inspection. He will be absent four weeks.

Miss Hattie Auchu returned home Tuesday evening from Montreal, where she has been attending school. She will remain at home.

W. T. Seger and bride, of Smethport visited the former's parents, R. Seger and family, last evening, while awaiting the train for Washington.

Ex-County Commissioner C. W. Beldin, of Sinnamahoning, was calling on old friends in town last Saturday and remembered the PRESS in a substantial manner. Call again, Chas.

Jolly Jack Swope, the popular Cameron county Sheriff was in Port Allegany between trains Saturday calling on old friends and acquaintances. He was on his way to Coudersport on business connected with the duties of his office.—Port Allegany Reporter.

Harry Leggett, who had the misfortune to break an arm during the holidays, met with another mishap last Thursday. While leading a cow the critter jerked him to the ground, breaking his arm in the same place. Dr. Heilman was called and remedied the old break.

Among the novelties shown at the bicycle show in New York City is an "autoquadricycle" a compromise between the bicycle and automobile. It is a four-wheeled vehicle, built on the general plan of the bicycle, with a gasoline engine mounted over the rear axle. It carries two persons, one on a seat like that of a road wagon in front, and the other on a saddle in the rear. It is 36 inches wide and 46 inches from center to center of axles, and will run from 2 1/2 to 25 miles per hour, the engine developing 1 1/2 horse power at moderate speed. The ordinary bicycle for this year is to be shorter and compact than heretofore, from one to two pounds lighter and driven by a bevel gear. There is also a new coaster-brake.

More Hill.

Everybody wants snow.

Dell Reed is waiting for school to commence.

The mill will be hauled to More Hill March 1st.

Andrew Ingersoll is about through hauling ties.

David Skillman is hauling lumber from Hicks Run to build a new house this spring.

There was a supper at Loyd Spence's on Saturday night for benefit of Rev. Mulliner. Proceeds, \$7.

H. P. Spence went to Emporium on Tuesday. H. P. is hustling around now with his little satchel.

J. C. Skillman and Wm. Jordan have 2500 ties out and patiently waiting for snow to haul as many more.

I guess the wind is going to blow as I see Frank beginning to smile and chew his tobacco. It must be gusty wind.

James Sibert was seen Sunday evening on his way to Hicks Run, where he is firing in the mill. Skillman says Sibert is a first-class engineer.

Joseph Beldin has sold his share in the large stock of logs now at the creek ready for driving and has gone to North Bend to work.

Oscar Skillman, Thomas Arnold and L. D. Waggoner are hauling logs on Moore Hill where the mill will be erected to manufacture this lumber.

Ace Reed was seen coming across the hill to his father-in-law Mr. Skillman's. It was thought at first the man was wild, but afterward the cause was found to be on account of the arrival of that baby girl at his house on the 13th inst.

We had another severe wind storm last week in windy city, something like we had about a year ago last July which blew David Whalley away and hasn't been seen or heard of since.

MOORE HILL HICK.

Sinnamahoning.

Isn't it now in order for the church of England to send a few missionaries into darkest Africa to teach the poor heathens how to use fire arms.

Our schools have not fully recovered from the epidemic scare, as the grammar school has only five or six scholars where 35 to 40 were usually in attendance.

Pap Blodget says that while he is peaceably inclined and getting on in years he can whip the fellow that sent that valentine if he don't weigh over a ton.

The Emporium Machine Co., have their shingle mill in Montours run nearly completed and expect to "steam up" early next week.

Barclay Bro's mill which has been running all winter will shut down about the first of March for some needed repairs, which will take a couple of weeks, when operations will be resumed and continue till late in the fall.

Rev. M. C. Piper is conducting a series of revival meetings at the M. E. parsonage with gratifying results. The Rev. gentleman is a zealous worker in the cause of christianity and deserves success in liberal measure.

JOE.

If you want a Tenant,
If you want a Boarder,
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A Tragedy of Mont Blanc.

The story of the destruction of the baths of St. Gervais at the foot of Mont Blanc, in 1892, is told in "The Annals of Mont Blanc." This was one of the calamities that could scarcely have been predicted or averted.

Owing to the stoppage of the subglacial drainage, in some way never ascertained, a lake was formed under the Tete Rousse glacier, in which an enormous body of water was pent up at a spot 10,000 feet above the sea level. Between 1 and 2 o'clock on the night of July 12, 1892, the ice that had held the lake gave way.

The water swept in a torrent of tremendous force over the Desert de Pierre Ronde, gathering up thousands of tons of rock and stones in its course. It passed with a terrific roar under the hotel of Biomassay, which it did not injure, destroyed half the village of Blonnay on the highroad between Contamines and St. Gervais and, tearing up trees as it went along, joined the main river of the Bon-Nant.

Following the river bed and destroying on its way the old Pont du Diable, it hurled its seething flood of water, timber, stones and mud upon the solid buildings of the St. Gervais baths and crushed them into fragments. Then, crossing the Chamonix road, it spread itself out in the form of a hideous fan over the valley of the Arve, destroying part of the village of Le Fayet in its way.

Such was the catastrophe of St. Gervais which claimed over 150 victims. Utter ruin was everywhere. The once lovely gardens of the baths were five or six feet deep in mud, fine trees had been snapped like reeds and enormous blocks of stone were strewn over the dreary waste.

She Decided to Remain.

"I will," she exclaimed. "I will not live with you another day!"

"You leave me, will you?" he calmly asked.

"Yes, I will."

"When?"

"Now—right off—this minute."

"You'll go away?"

"Yes, sir."

"I wouldn't if I were you."

"But I will, and I defy you to prevent me. I have suffered at your hands as long as I can put up with it."

"Oh, I shan't try to stop you," he quietly replied. "I'll simply report to the police that my wife has mysteriously disappeared. They'll want your description, and I will give it. You wear No. 7 shoes; you have an extra large mouth; you walk stiff in your knees; your nose turns up at the end; eyes rather on the squint; voice like a—"

"Wretch! you wouldn't dare do that!" she screamed.

"I certainly will, and the description will go in all the papers."

They glared at each other a moment in silence. Then it was plain to be seen he had the dead wood on her.—Columbus Journal.

His Great Work.

A Chicago man who has written a book was telling about it the other day to a friend who had once done him a service.

"By the way," said the author, "I would be delighted to give you a copy of my work, if you care for it."

"I should be more than pleased to have it," was the reply, "especially if you will write your name in it."

"All right. There is a bookstore just around the corner. If you will accompany me, we will go there and get it. I don't happen to have a copy in my office just now."

After they had stopped to glance at some of the new things in the bookstore the author hailed a clerk and, pushing his chest out very far, asked for the novel that he had written.

"Yes, sir," the clerk said. "We have it around here somewhere, I believe, but you are the first one who has ever asked for a copy, and it may take me some time to find it. Wouldn't something else do just as well? We have a great many better books at the same price."—Chicago Times-Herald.

How He Obtained Quiet.

At one of the meetings during Mr. Moody's services in Kansas City hymn sheets were distributed by the ushers just previous to his address. He was feeling very tired, and speaking was a great exertion; so, fearing the noise that would result should the audience rustle them, he resolved to get rid of them. He called out, "Will everybody who has a hymn sheet hold it up?"

The sheets were held up all over the hall. Mr. Moody shouted, "Now shake them!"

Twelve thousand flimsy sheets of paper were shaken vigorously. They made an indescribably musical sound. There is nothing to compare it with. One can only say it was a vast rustle.

"That will do," called Mr. Moody at the top of his voice. The sound ceased. "All right," said Mr. Moody. "Now sit on those hymn sheets." The audience sat on them. Having taken this precaution against interruption, Mr. Moody began his sermon.

Managing Mrs. Jones.

"Look here," said Mr. Jones to the house agent, "my wife will be calling today, and I want you to tell her that that house we have been looking at is taken."

"But, my good sir," protested the agent, "it isn't taken."

"It will be then," answered Mr. Jones. "I am taking it now. Mrs. Jones can't make up her mind, but she'll want it directly she thinks she can't get it."—London Telegraph.

A Fair Unnecessary.

Tommy—I know now why you wear only one eyeglass.

His Big Sister's Beau—Why?

Tommy—Brother Jack says you ought to see with half an eye that sister doesn't care anything about you.—Jewelers' Weekly.

EXCURSION NOTICES.

CALIFORNIA.

Thirty-One Days' Tour via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for a special personally-conducted tour through California, to leave New York and Philadelphia on February 27, by special Pullman drawing-room sleeping car and connecting at El Paso with the "Mexico and California Special," composed exclusively of Pullman parlor-smoking, dining, drawing-room sleeping, compartment and observation cars, for tour through California, returning by March 29.

Round-trip tickets, covering all necessary expenses, \$375 from all points on Pennsylvania Railroad.

For further information apply to ticket agents; Tourist Agent, 1166 Broadway, New York; 4 Court Street, Brooklyn; 789 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.; B. Courlander, Jr., Passenger Agent Baltimore District, Baltimore, Md.; Colin Studds, Passenger Agent Southeastern District, Washington, D. C.; Thos. E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Pittsburg, Pa.; or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia. 1531-45-St.

WASHINGTON.

Special Low-Rate Excursions via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces that on December 23, February 21, March 15, and April 7, it will run special excursions 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 Capitol. Round-trip tickets, good going on all regular trains on day of issue, and good returning on any regular train within ten days, exclusive of going date, will be sold at rate of \$10 from Erie, St. Marys and intermediate points; \$8.95 from Ditt-wald; \$8.15 from Renovo; \$7.30 from Lock Haven; and proportionate rates from other points.

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; from the pursers of the Northfolk 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; and at the Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Electric Railway Company, excursion tickets to Mt. Vernon and return at rate of 50 cents.

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Did a Wholesale Business.

An Englishman hailing from the north went into the Chatham hotel, in Paris, recently and cautiously asked the price of a whisky.

"One franc, sir," replied the bartender.

"And a whisky and soda?"

"One franc, sir. All drinks are the same price."

The Englishman sat down and, to his astonishment, found that the place was run on American lines and that the customers helped themselves at their own discretion. He punished that bottle of whisky till it was nearly empty. As he went out he paid down his franc, but the manager called him back and said, "You have forgotten your change."

"I thought that the drink was a franc?"

"That is so, sir," was the reply. "That is the retail price, but there is a reduction when you buy wholesale." And he handed back 5 sous.—London Chronicle.

A Valuable Face.

Jewett—Cutter has a terribly cadaverous appearance. He is not possessed of what would be classed a full countenance.

Morton—On the contrary, his is a regular hatchet face. But then he isn't ashamed of that. He rather prides himself upon it and for good reason. A lasso was thrown over his head by a cowboy out on the plains, but his face was so sharp that it cut the rope and so saved his life.—Boston Transcript.

Of Course.

Sadie was 11 and Alice was 7. At lunch Sadie said: "I wonder what part of an animal a chop is. Is it a leg?"

"Of course not," returned Alice. "It's the jaw bone. Haven't you ever heard of animals licking their chops?"—Youth's Companion.

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