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#### LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

#### PERSONAL GOSSIP.

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

Jos. DeLong was a pleasant visitor at this office yesterday.

Geo. W. Gentry, of Lumber, was a PRESS visitor on Monday.

Chas. McLaughlin of Beechwood was in Emporium on Tuesday. C. R. Kline of Beechwood was in

town on business last Friday. Attorney Jones of St. Marys was on

our streets one day last week.

Mrs. John J. Hinkle and Mrs. H. H Mullin are visiting in Philadelphia. Joel Jordan made the PRESS a sub-

stantial business call on Friday Rob't K. Moore, civil engineer, of Medix Run, was in town last Friday

Chas. Fillinger has returned to Emporium and is employed at the furni-

ture factory. W. R. Sizer, of Sizerville, came down on Tuesday and transacted business

between trains. Mrs. Ed. Powell and two children came down from St. Marys yesterday

to visit relatives Miss Gaus and daughter, of Williamsport, are guests of L. Taggart and fam-

ily, at this place. Mr. J. W. Munsell, of Williams port

is now the guest of his brother, L. B., and family at this place. John Mountgomery, of Emporium is

spending the week with friends in town.—Austin Autograph.

cupy the house in which Mr. Balcom now lives as soon as he vacates.

Mrs. L. B. Munsell was called to Re novo last week on account of the ill-

ness of her mother, Mrs. Gardner.

Miss Hattie Russell has finished her term of school at Kushequa, McKean county, and returned to her home at this place, last Saturday.

Jury Commissioner David S. Logue, of Gibson, transacted business in Emporium last Monday and found time to call and see the PRESS.

The Rev. B. H. Hart of Harrisburg stopped off here en route for Smethport where he delivered his famous lecture on Odd Fellowship.

Edgar Newton, who has been attending dental college at Buffalo the past winter, returned last Friday to spend his summer vacation with his parents.

attending business college at Philadelphia the past year, her friends will be pleased to learn has passed a very creditable examination and returned Emporium on Tuesday.

Rev. Father Drescoll, of DuBois, has been sent to Kane in order to relieve for the present, Rev. Father Lavery, who has been in poor health tor some time. Rev. Lavery has a host of warm personal friends, both in and out of the church, who hope to see him regain his wonted health and vigor.-Kane Republican.

W. S. Walker is visiting at Scranton. Mrs. Guy D. Bonham, of Franklin, visiting her parents, N. Seger and family at this place.

Enos Drum, a Warren printer, is visiting his father at this place. He called on the PRESS. Miss Susie Boyer and Miss Eisenfelt,

were guests of Mrs. Frank Shives and family the past week. Jessee Spence and bride are visiting

relatives and friends in town and accepting congratulations. Mr. G. S. Piper, one of our valued subscribers was a welcome caller at

the Press sanctum last Friday. Ralph C. Davison came home from Altoona where he is employed on electrical work and visited with his parents over Sunday.

D. W. Keyes and family have moved into the house on Cherry street re-cently occupied by Mr. A. D. Macdonell and family.

The remains of Zennis Cauley, aged 99 years, who many years ago resided on Cauley Run, was brought Sizerville last Friday, for burial.

W. D. Johnson the hustling North Creek lumberman was in town on Tuesday and of course ordered the Press sent to his address. Jessee L. Spence and Miss Cathrine

E. Stover, of Grantonia, Pa., were united in marriage by Esquire Larrabee, yesterday afternoon. The McInness family, (except John

and Alec., who will remain here some time to fill orders) departed for Corry, yesterday, where they have located. Joseph Kinsler, the hustling Broad street merchant, continues to make improvements. A new awning and a

fresh coat of paint adds greatly, Joe. Mr. Fred Julian, general manager of the Climax Powder Company, of this place, was a pleasant business caller at this office on Tuesday. He is a busy

D. B. Morton was in Emporium on Tuesday and informed the Press that his mother, Mrs. J. W. Morton, is very low and her death may be expected any moment.

Miss Christy McDonald and Miss Edna Pepperman, two of Emporium's charming young ladies, brightened the Press sanctum on Tuesday.

Miss Mame Cochran, of Ashland, Wis., visited relatives and friends in Emporium last Friday and Saturday, guest of G. F. Balcom and family. Miss Cochran, her Emporium friends will be sorry to learn, is very much alarmed in regard to her eyesight. She will remain in Philadelphia for treatment.

Miss Marguerite Coyle, the faithful assistant in the postoffice, has been compelled to take a rest for a month, owing to ill health. Miss Marguerite Mc-Donald will assist Postmaster Seger during Miss Coyle's vacation and no doubt will give satisfaction to the public being a very bright young lady. The many friends of Miss Coyle, who has certainly given her whole attention to her duties during the past four years, wish she may soon be fully restored to perfect health.

D. W. Butterworth, one of the most progressive newspaper men in this section, and editor of Coudersport Enterprise, was found dead in his bed on Tuesday morning. The loss is a severe one to his family and the fraternity.

### In Serious Condition.

Word was received here yesterday from St. Marys, that John Extrum, who has been seriously ill with appendicitis, is in a precarious condition and an operation will be performed to day.

### Saw Mill Burned.

A telegram received at this place to-day announces the destruction, last night, by fire, of the Emporium Lumber Company's extensive hardwood A. D. Macdonell and family will oc- saw mill, at Keating Summit, together with five houses. No particulars.

#### Wesleyan M. E. Services.

Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m., Theme: "Weary but Wating." Preaching at 7:30 p.m., "Christ's desire for his Diciples."

Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7:30. All are cordially invited.

J. DEAN BROWN, Pastor.

## Serious Accident.

John Neenan, employed as brakeman on C. B. Howard & Company's log train met with a serious accident, last Friday, just as the train came out of Cooks Run. Neenan was thrown under the front car and it is a wonder he was not instantly killed. His right leg was broken and left thigh dislocated and it is feared is injured internally. He was taken to Williamsport hospital Saturday evening by J. W. Kaye, who Miss Maude Thomas, who has been reports him resting as well as could be expected.

Lighting the Exposition. When people read that over 300,000 incandescent lamps will be used to illuminate the grounds of the Pan-American Exposition, few will stop to consider that electric lighting has made about all its growth during the last 20 years. In 1881 an incandescent light machine that would supply 250 lamps was considered wonderful.

If you want to Buy Anything,-Advertise in the PRESS

Chinese Method of Measuring. Many travelers returning from China have commented upon the apparently singular lack of knowledge of the distances across their country or between their towns that exists among the Chinese. If at one town you inquire the distance to the next, you may that it is 20 li (one-third of a mile), but upon arriving at the town you will be surprised to find the distance back to the town from which you have just come is 24 li and that the cost of journeying back again is correspondingly greater than the cost to go to it.

The Chinese measure distance not by rule, but by the amount of physical energy required to traverse them. Their wage is based on a unit of energy, the amount that it takes them to carry a given load, one picul one li, on level ground. If the road from A to B is down hill, the distance is regarded as less than the actual linear distance because it is supposed to take less energy to travel in that direction, or, as the Chinese say, "the li are short." It nat-urally follows that in traveling in the other direction, from B back to A, the road being a gradual ascent, a greater expenditure of energy is necessary.
"The li are long," and in order to get a fair compensation for their work the carriers must see that the distance and the charges are correspondingly increased. With this explanation what has often appeared as a vagary of the Chinese becomes simple and reasona-ble.—Leslie's Weekly.

Olives.
The olive tree in its wild state is a thorny shrub or small tree, but when cultivated becomes a tree 20 to 40 feet high, with no thorns. It lives to a good age. The leaves resemble those of a willow, the flowers are small and white and grow in clusters as grapes do, and the fruit is greenish, whitish, violet or even black in color and generally oval in shape. It is produced in great profusion, so that an old olive tree be-comes very valuable to its owner.

Among the Greeks the olive was sacred to Minerva, the goddess of wisdom. It was also the emblem of purity. A crown of olive twigs was the highest honor that could be bestowed upon a Greek citizen. An olive branch was also the symbol of peace, and the vanquished who came to beg for peace bore olive branches in their hands.

The American olive is remarkable for the hardness of its wood. It is found as far north as Virginia. Its fruit is fit for use, and its flowers are

The fragrant olive of China and Japan has extremely fragrant flowers

#### Polite Erie Commuters.

which are used for flavoring tea.

A stranger who had an appointment to meet a friend in the Chambers street ferry house, which is used by Erie commuters, was greatly puzzled the other afternoon by the actions of the men who passed the ticket taker's window. Nearly three-fourths of them took their hats off to the ticket taker in the most polite style.

The stranger thought that possibly the ticket taker's wife was in the box with him, and he went back to look again. There was no one in the box save the ticket taker, who looked good natured, but not imposing. When his friend arrived, the stranger said:

"Is that the president of the Eric road in that box?"

"Certainly not. Why do you ask such a question?"

"Why, every man who passes him takes his hat off, gives him a marching salute and walks on."

The friend smiled pityingly at the stranger's ignorance and said it was a trick of the Erie commuters to carry their tickets in the crown of their hats. They took their hats off so that the agent might see the ticket.—New York

#### A Ristoric Throne.

The biggest episcopal throne in Europe is at the Exeter cathedral. Composed of the very best oak, with mag-nificent carving executed by the most expert designers of the day, the throne soars upward in beautiful tapering pinnacles, which rise up to the lofty roof of the sacred edifice. The throne is not only the biggest, but one of the oldest. It was saved from destruction by the Puritans by the ingenuity of the Cavaliers, who when the Roundheads marched on Exeter pulled down the throne and divided it into 365 pieces, one for every day of the year. The pleces were safely secured in many hiding places, and when peace was restored the pieces were put together again without the aid of a single nail.

A Wily Answer.

The shah of Persia once asked a group of his courtiers whom they thought the greater man, himself or his father. At first he could get no reply to so dangerous a question, the answer to which might cost the courtiers their heads.

At last a wily old courtier said, "Your father, sire, for although you are equal to your father in all other respects in this he is superior to you, that he had a greater son than any you have.'

#### English Roads.

After the abandonment of Britain by the Romans the roads fell into dis-use and bridle paths formed the only means of communication. Not until the sixteenth year of Charles II—that is, 1676—was any systematic effort made to improve the roads of Eng-

The Topax.

The word topaz comes from the Greek verb signifying to guess. The fewel was brought from the east and reported to have come from an island. and men guessed at the location of the isle which produced such beautiful gems.

#### A Rare Bargain.

A handsome Chickering piano, carved rosewood case, will be disposed of at a nominal sum. Apply to Emporium Furniture Co. 7-tf

### LOCAL NOTICES.

A good building lot on Fifth street, for sale. Apply at this office. 7-tf

PASTURE.—I have good pasture on Big Run for about 100 head of cattle Apply to Mrs. A. R. Nyhart, 8-4t Beechwood, Pa.

FARM FOR RENT.—The farm adjoining Emporium, known as the Cunningham farm, will be rented. Apply to 8-3t GREEN & SHAFFER. We buy our wall paper direct from the factory and thereby save the job-ber's profit. We give this profit to you when you buy your wall paper of us H. S. LLOYD.

See those Wilton velvet and Axmin-ster carpets in LaBar's window.

We can convince you of a saving on wall paper of from 25 to 50 per cent. Examine our stock and get our prices. H. S. LLOYD.

Just received at Balcom & Lloyd's "Salada" Ceylon Tea. Wholesome and delicious.

Large stock of Wall Paper at 3c per roll and border at 1½c per yard at H. S. Lloyd's. Zinc and Grinding Make

Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand For SALE.—An eight room dwelling house on North side of Fifth street, in Middle ward, for sale. Gas, water, tile sewer and good cellar. Apply to 6-tf R. C. Dodson.

New stock of Window Shades in all grades and prices at H. S. Lloyd's.

Carpets—Carpets.—Ninety different patterns to choose from. All new and up-to-date. Call in and see them whether you want to buy or not; no trouble to show goods.

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S. Lloyd's. SHAW'S PURE MALT is free from adulterations, drugs, crude spirits and other harmful ingredients. Absolutely pure.
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Canned Pine Apple in chunks, packed in Singapore, at Balcom & Lloyd's.

Rich and poor can be suited with carpets at LaBar's.

All kinds and grades of carpets at LaBar's.

See picture of Alfred Speer in another column the original wine grower in the United States whose wines have become amous over the world also his Climax Grape Brandy.

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to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c. Stops the Cough And Works off the Cold.

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WANTED. WANTED.-A good girl for general house work. None other need apply. Good wages to the right party. MRS. FRED JULIAN.

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SALESMEN WANTED in your section to sell a new and attractive line of Toilet Soaps to general store trade. A hustler can make \$25 per week. We have an advertising inducement that will enable you to sell the goods to every enterprising storekeeper There is no such thing as failure if you are reliable, temperate, businessilke and a good talker. These are very essentile qualities. Write at once for further particulars, EASTERN SOAP CO., 8-2t

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#### FOR RENT.

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#### FOR SALE.

C. E. SIMPSON'S one-third interest in the Nolan Farm, located in Shippen township. Enquire of C. E. Simpson, Eldred, Pa. 10-2

DENNSYLVANIA-REX SAW.—Mr. C. A. Horr, traveling salesman for the Pennsylvania-Rex cross-cut saw, manufactured by E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., has been placing this popular saw with the trade of this section. Be sure you examine this excellent impliment before purchasing.

PANCY FOWL EGGS.—I am prepared to furnish Buff Leghorn and Indian Game eggs for setting —13 for \$1.00. First orders get the eggs 6-13t D. W. Donovok.

WHEEL.—An entirely new Featherstone, lady's bicycle that cost \$35, will be sold dirt cheap. Apply at Press office.

#### Administrator's Notice.

Estate of James M. Matteson, Deceased.
Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those have claims to present the same without delay, to
ALMON M. MATTESON,
Administrator.

GREEN & SHAFFER, Attorneys, Emporium, Pa., April 17th, 1901. 8-6t

#### Administrator's Notice.

OTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Brainbridge, Wworp, late of Glöson township, Cameron county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same.

JOHN B. WYKOFF, Administrator.

JOHNSON & MCNARNEY, Attorneys.

Sinnamahoning, Pa., April 29, 1901.—10-6t

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### People Who Want The Best

Goods in the grocery line, at prices that are right, will do well to give us a call. We're always pleased to see new faces, as well as the many familiar ones. No order is too great or too small to have our very careful attention. Your welfare is our welfare.

Fancy Carolina Rice, per lb. 8c. Usually sold at 10c lb.

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When the cook has deserted and trouble begins,

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as fine as its brief. 'Just you add the hot water and

Campbell's Condensed Soup. One can makes soup for six, Twenty kinds, per can, 10c.

TRY JA-MA-KA COFFEE,

A good drinker. Per lb. 22c.

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Has arrived and we are ready for the Spring and Summer campaign.

During the past few months we have almost entirely closed out all leftover stock, therefore start

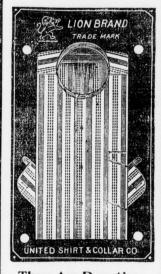
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READY-MADE CLOTHING, (Stylish make.)

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Well, here we are trying to get our share of the trade of Emporium and vicinity.

## all of your wants. Having added to our stock a

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