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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)
Washington, Nov. 3rd, 1902.

Editor Press:

It was altogether characteristic of President Roosevelt that, when it was represented to him that his prompt protest against the solicitation of funds for campaign purposes from federal employes by federal officials, had resulted in a serious falling off in the receipts of the sinews of war, he should have drawn his personal check for a liberal amount to help in the good work.

The President is deeply impressed with the importance of the work which will fall to his party during the next few years and he is convinced that the welfare of the country demands that this work shall continue uninterrupted. He has never taken any stock in the theory that it would be just as well to let the Democrats win this year and so demonstrate to the country that they were utterly incapable of constructive legislation. He has felt genuine anxiety in regard to the outcome in New York and Pennsylvania and has been quoted as referring to the possibility of Democratic victory in the latter instance as a "threatened national calamity."

The warm personal regard existing between the President and Governor Odell is well known and, in a measure, the Governor of New York has sought to carry out some of the policies which Mr. Roosevelt himself inaugurated when he was Governor and he has succeeded ably in so far as the reduction of personal taxes in the state is concerned.

Secretary Mood's statement, made at Lawrence, Mass., that the duty on anthracite coal must be repealed at the first opportunity confirms the predictions made in these letters some time ago, that the President would advocate such removal. The President believes that it will be possible to alter such individual schedules of the tariff as may be imperative without the general revision threatened by the Democrats and which would serve to unsettle business throughout the country.

A great deal of nonsense has been published by the Democratic press in regard to the recent purchase of bonds authorized by Secretary Shaw including statements which clearly demonstrated that the editors or their correspondent did not know what they were talking about. When the Secretary of the Treasury desires to purchase bonds he must do so on the market at the market price. It would be useless for him to offer par for them or even any price materially less than the market. They are held by private individuals who would not part with them at a sacrifice and whom he has no way of compelling to sell. Secretary Shaw paid 137½ for what bonds he purchased and the market then and since has ranged from 137½ bid to 138½ asked. At the price which the Secretary paid for the 1925, 4 per cent. bonds the Government saves \$1,952, more than it could possibly earn on bonds of earlier maturity which could be purchased for a lower premium. Two other objects were served, however, by the purchase of these bonds. The larger premium paid enabled the Secretary to release a larger amount

of money from the Treasury than would have been the case had the purchase consisted of bonds deposited as security for bank notes and, therefore, their purchase did not operate to curtail the volume of circulation.

First Fork.

"Laugh and grow fat," is our motto. Hunters are waiting for tracking snow.

Mr. F. Miller attended court at Emporium last week.

Dr. Smith of Emporium was seen on our streets Friday.

Mr. A. W. Mason of Driftwood was a guest of Mr. J. Hanes, Thursday.

The young people of this vicinity, Sunday took advantage of the beautiful day.

Lena Wycliff who has been very ill for some time is on the road to recovery.

The farmers here are rushers. Harvesting is over and they are waiting for Thanksgiving.

Miss Katie Heart, a bookkeeper of Jacksonville, this county, spent Sunday with friends at Lorschbaugh.

Miss Hattie Shaffer, one of our successful schoolmarmes, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Sinnamahoning.

Miss Venetta Bennett of Sinnamahoning, who has been stopping with relatives in this town last Wednesday, returned home.

CALAMITY JANE.

Sterling Run.

Jay Lewis was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Edw. Clark was in town last Sunday.

Arthur Wylie is home for a week's vacation.

Miss Mattie Collins visited the schools Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Hall gave a talk to the Sunday school Sunday.

Misses Frank and Nellie Huntley spent Sunday in town.

B. L. Sterling visited his wife and parents one day last week.

Mrs. Welch is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephens.

Mrs. Mahoney did shopping in Emporium one day last week.

Miss Nettie Kissel made a trip to Driftwood, Tuesday, on business.

Mr. Wm. Smith and Joseph Kissel attended court at Emporium last week.

Misses Anna Mason and Blanche Kissel called on friends at Huntley Sunday.

Byron Smith, Catrina and Durr, spent a day with friends and relatives here.

The K. O. T. M's. gave a reception for Mrs. Thos. Eddy last Friday evening.

Mr. Ed Whiting is at home this week. Election brings quite a few people home.

Mr. J. R. Frank and Lincoln Ebersole went to Pittsburg on the excursion Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Mason returned Sunday after a brief visit with her parents at Emporium.

The Literary Society of the schools gave quite an entertainment Saturday evening.

Mrs. Elnova Whiting came to visit her daughter, Elvia, who is very sick at the home of Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Mrs. Fulton, of Sinnamahoning, spent Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Mason, who is dangerously ill at the home of Mrs. J. R. Strawbridge.

DR. FENNER'S KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs, Also Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations Free.

"Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure is the cause of my being alive to-day. I had suffered greatly of kidney disease for years and reduced in weight to 120 pounds. I now weigh 155 pounds."

W. H. McUGLIN, Olive Furnace, O.
Druggists, 50c., \$1. Ask for Cook Book—Free.

ST. VITUS' DANCE Sure Cure. Circular, Dr. Fenner, Fredonia, N.Y.

Wall Paper.

At Taggart's Drug Store the finest line ever brought to town. Prices lower than you ever saw them. Double rolls as low as 5c and the very best at 35c. Border just a little in advance of paper.

Paints, Varnish, Stains,
Varnish Stains,
Enamel.

in all shades and colors. A better line than ever offered to our people. Don't fail to call and examine.

L. TAGGART.

Scant Praise.
The old saying that "praise to the face is open disgrace" is still firmly believed by some people. A young woman who was brought up by her New England grandmother, a notable housekeeper and example of thrift, says that the adage was a household guide in her family.

One day her grandmother went off to pay a visit, and the ambitious girl of sixteen scrubbed and polished, swept and dusted until it seemed as if there was nothing left to do. Her heart beat high with the hope of a word of commendation as she sat in the kitchen doorway waiting for her grandmother's return.

When the old lady arrived she looked about her with keen eyes, but there seemed no chance for criticism in that, stooping down under the kitchen table which stood near the open door, she saw that the south wind had wafted a bit of stuff from the hen yard.

With eyes that would twinkle in spite of herself she pointed an accusing finger at this evidence of carelessness and said soberly:

"Janet, my dear, I see there's a feather in the kitchen. It's high time I came home!"

Mark Twain as a Bowler.

When Mark Twain was an editor in Hartford he was considered a formidable opponent at skittles. His favorite resort was a bowling alley in a cellar on State street, not far from the steamboat dock. While the celebrated humorist was under Major Pond's management he was billed as one of the features for an evening's entertainment at the Young Men's Christian association hall at Newark. There was a bowling alley immediately underneath the lecture room. As Mark Twain was on his way upstairs with the major he caught a glimpse of it.

"What's going on in there—bowling?"

"Yes," replied the major, who knew his weakness, "but never mind that now. You're due on the platform."

"Run in somebody else for ten or fifteen minutes," said Mark Twain. "I shall do ever so much better after a little exercise."

And he did.

Pretty Cold Weather.

Two boatmen on the Ohio river were talking about cold weather and of a certain severe winter. "It was just awful," said one of them. "At Cincinnati the river was froze tight, and the thermometer went down to 20 degrees below zero."

"Below which?" asked his puzzled companion.

"Below zero, you blubberhead! You see, when it freezes at zero it must be pretty cold, so they say so many degrees below zero."

But light was bursting in upon the other. "No, they do not," he exclaimed eagerly. "You've got it all wrong. It's so many degrees below zero. I do not know what it means, but that's what they say when it's dreadfully cold."

The Sun on Every Side.

A Texas citizen, says an exchange, is worried because the sun shines on each of the four sides of his house at some time of the day. The structure faces due north and south and is situated on parallel 29½ of latitude, or practically 6 degrees north of the tropic of Cancer, where the sun is vertical in summer. He is carrying the problem about the country, offering prizes for its solution among school children. "Why," he asks, "should the sun penetrate my front door in the morning, desert it for the greater part of the day and again penetrate it in the afternoon?"

Steinitz and Epstein.

When Steinitz, the chess player, lived in Vienna, one of his pupils in the game was Gustave Epstein, among the richest bankers of the Austrian capital. One day the teacher puzzled over a position so long that Epstein said impatiently, "Well?" But soon the banker himself was in a hole and his too prolonged meditations were interrupted with a disrespectful "Well?" "Sir," don't forget who you are and what I am," said Epstein angrily, but Steinitz retorted: "On the bourse you are Epstein and I am Steinitz; over the board I am Epstein and you are Steinitz."

Tissot Corrected.

A visitor asked the late James Tissot one day whether the picture he was at work on was intended to illustrate the time of Christ. The artist replied in the affirmative. "Then," said the visitor, "permit me to call your attention to an error. Aboes, such as you have in your picture, did not exist in the Mediterranean region till after the conquest of Mexico by Spain." Tissot promptly took his brush and altered his picture.

He Had Seen One.

"Hiram," queried Mrs. Meddlergrass, "did you ever see one of them air castles?"

"I low I hev, mother," replied the old man. "I seed one o' th' ternal things last time I waz tew th' city."

"What air they built out uv, Hiram?" asked Mrs. M.

"Gold bricks, mother."—Chicago News.

Success Not Sure.

"Well," said the cheerful wife, who thought she had a soprano voice, "if the worst comes to the worst I could keep the wolf from the door by stinging."

"I don't doubt that would do it," replied her pessimistic husband, "but suppose the wolf should happen to be deaf?"—Philadelphia Press.

Out of Harmony.

"She didn't read the book?"

"No; the cover design didn't harmonize with any of her house gowns."—Detroit Free Press.

We Have What You Need!

To brush up and make beautiful your home. The season of the year for such work has arrived and we would call the attention of the public to our very large and reliable line of Paints, Oils, Varnishes, the best in the world. In addition to the best paints, we have a first-class line of De Voe & Co.'s Brushes. Get a move on and be prepared to paint before the workmen are all engaged. We can save you money.

While you are painting your home or business place let us talk a little with you on Bath and Closets, Hot Water, Steam or anything in that line. Our increased facilities and expert workmen will do you good work. Don't deay until too late.

Farmers should bear in mind that we handle Plows, Harrows, Rakes, etc. In fact our Hardware, Stove and Plumbing Departments are up to the best.

Write or wire us, when a competent agent will call on you.

Murry & Connersmith Co.

Our New Goods.

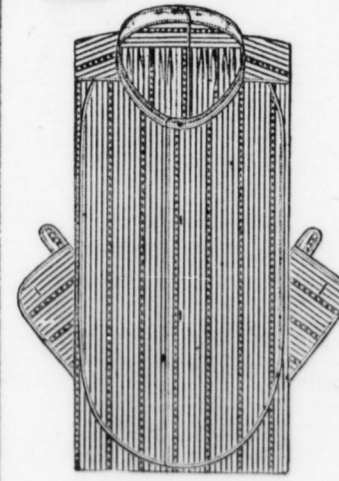
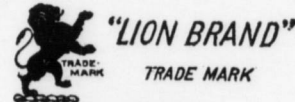
Have arrived and we are ready for the Summer campaign. During the past few months we have almost entirely closed out all left-over stock, therefore start in with an

Entirely New Stock.

READY-MADE CLOTHING,
(Stylish make.)
ELEGANT LINE OF FURNISHINGS,
TRUNKS, SATCHELS, &c.

We are agents for the Lion Brand Shirts and have recently received a very fine assortment of these celebrated

\$1.00 SHIRTS.



They Are Beauties.

We continue to keep the.

MAC HURDLE

DRESS SHIRTS.

We want every citizen of this county to call and inspect our present stock, feeling assured that you will be pleased

R. SEGER & SON,

Next to Bank, Emporium, Pa.

Fall and Winter Goods

Our Fall and Winter goods are now ready for your inspection. Never before have we been so careful in selecting our stock, and can now give you values that will please, as well as the lowness in price consistent with the quality of our goods.

Clothing and Overcoats.

In this line we have an extraordinary handsome stock and if you will come and inspect it, you will agree with our assertion.

SHOES.

A complete line of fall and winter Shoes just received. Our assortment has been selected with great care as to meet the wants of the people. As to style, quality and price, we think we are the leaders.

Underwear.

We have just opened some reliable underwear for gentlemen, and are ready to supply you with servicable goods. The season is soon at hand for this line of wear.

Hats and Caps.

If you buy your Hats and Caps here it is the correct style wherever you go. Our line is complete and we are showing everything that is new.

Fine Furs.

Furs cut quite a figure with the fairer sex and our stock is most handsome this season. We are prepared to give you the best values and up to date goods. We extend a cordial invitation to the ladies of this county to come and examine our line. Come early, before the large stock is broken.

We handle Union made goods.

Jasper Harris,

The People's Popular Clothier.

Balcom & Lloyd.

Prepared
For
the Season

We have opened and are displaying a choice line of . . .

FANCY DRY GOODS

specially selected for the . . .

Fall Season.

We have gathered such articles as combine elegance with utility and at

Very Reasonable Prices

Balcom & Lloyd.