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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. Miss Hattie Russell returned to her school on Monday. Ed. Blinzler has fitted up his torsorial room in elaborate style. Mrs. Isaac Wykoff, of Cameron, was shopping in town on Friday. Frank Taylor is confined to his residence on West Allegany Avenue, being quite ill. Postmaster T. M. Lewis, of Sterling Run, was circulating around town on Monday. Mrs. Jones and Miss Jettie Wiley went to Buffalo Tuesday to visit friends. John L. Johnson, proprietor of the American House, was a PRESS visitor on Tuesday. Joseph Kaye arrived from Wis., on Monday, to be present at the Banquet last evening. E. S. Rhodes, for several months clerk in Rockwell's drug store, has returned to his home at Erie. James Strawbridge, of Johnsonburg, formerly a resident of Sterling Run, remembers the PRESS for 1904. Prof. W. J. Leavitt and Ezra Smith, of Lumber, teachers of the Sterling Run schools, were PRESS callers on Saturday. William Hackenberg continues to improve and it is hoped will recover from his attack of appendicitis without an operation. M. J. Leadbetter recently received the sad intelligence of the death of his mother, in her 80th year, at the old homestead in N. B. Mrs. Joseph Nunn, of Grape Valley, N. Y., and Mrs. W. H. Morse of Cameron Pa., were guests of Mrs. J. R. Fetter and family one day last week. Mr. Cerf, of Louisville, Ky., attended the lecture given at M. E. Church, Tuesday evening on "The Orient" and pronounced it magnificently described. A. J. Turley and family have returned from Hunts Run—Russell Hollow—to Emporium, Mr. Turley having completed his logjob. He had a serious time while there, his wife, child and himself having had a run of fever. Wm. McDonald, of Beechwood, while in town on Friday called on ye editor and, in addition to his own PRESS ordered a copy for one year sent to his daughter, Mrs. Peter Ferguson, who recently moved from Emporium to Nova Scotia. E. I. Smith, of Sugar Grove, Pa., formerly a resident of Emporium, was a PRESS caller last Thursday. "Lon" was called her on account of this death of his mother-in-law, Mrs Rhoda Russell. He likes Warren county, his native county. Mrs. Smith, who has been in Emporium since last fall, caring for her mother will remain here until spring. Ed. Hillyard and W. A. Anchu after an absence of several months, in the north-west and Pacific coast, looking over the country, returned to Emporium last Friday. Ed. says he will never agree to describe his trip, unless he hires a hall and devotes all evening to the task. Being a moderate and slow talker the story would never be completed. Ed. Blinzler has the "main book" story down fine.

Mr. George Bassio, of Olean, is again in our town visiting friends. Capt. Chas. F. Barelay, of Sinnamahoning, transacted business in town on Tuesday.

Mr. O. B. Barnes has decided to locate at Buffalo and left for that city on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Blum was called to the bedside of her mother, last week, who met with a serious fall.

A. D. Gould, of Eldred, Pure Food Inspector, visited his sisters in town between trains on Tuesday.

Rev. Twichell, of Danville, Pa., will preach in the Baptist Church, next Sunday morning and evening.

Geo. J. LaBar visited at Portland Mills last Tuesday. His daughter, Mrs. Chas. Deihl resides there.

Mrs. W. W. Weeks and two months old son died at Williamsport last week—the latter in Hospital on Friday.

John Hogan, an expert ice house builder, is superintending the erection of a cold storage plant at Cameron.

Mrs. J. M. Dunkle, and daughter Mildred, of Rolfe, visited Mrs. E. B. Newton, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davison of Johnsonburg, Pa., stopped in Emporium on Tuesday, while returning from Chambersburg.

Jasper Harris, the popular Fourth street clothier, was a pleasant Press visitor yesterday. Mr. Harris is popular with the public and a good citizen.

Cashier T. B. Lloyd, of First National Bank, although a very busy man, at all times, occasionally finds time to drop in to see the printer, if for only a moment.

Misses Ora and Iva Cole, of Keokuk, Iowa, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Emporium for several weeks, leave to-day for their western home. The many friends and admirers of these pleasant ladies enjoyed their visit equally as much as they did.

Mr. O. P. Waters, of York, Pa., came up yesterday for the express purpose of visiting his friends, Rev. O. S. Metzler and Mr. Fred Julian, (whose guest he was), and enjoyed the Masonic banquet. Mr. Waters is one of York's energetic business men and a jolly good fellow. We regret his short stay, business compelled him to return to-day.

Found.

A pair of steel bow spectacles were found in Empolum on Tuesday by a band of young school girls—Misses Myrtle Dinanny, Rachael Day, Annie Edwards and Rosa Pye—who will require the owner to purchase a bag of candy—no stick or all day suckers—and pay for this notice.

Items of Interest.

Don't forget the W. R. C. Rummage Sale, to commence Friday.

Sheriff Hemphill has taken two new boarders this week. There are now five in all to provide for.

A number of Emporium Masons go to Driftwood to-morrow noon, to assist in installation and attend the banquet to be given by Driftwood Lodge.

Taggart's special holiday tables are loaded down with special values. All that is required is for you to come and examine, the goods will show for themselves.

When you marry a man, love him. A famous writer once said: "I pity the man, who, after marrying, finds all he has to show for his marriage fee, is a dress form, a medicine chest and a whining voice."

Religious.

The first Quartly Meeting of the Conference year will be held at the Free Methodist Church, Dec. 18th and 20th, inclusive. Rev. D. B. Tobey, of Franklin, Pa., having been elected at the last Annual Conference as District Elder of Bradford District will preside. Order of services: Friday and Saturday evening, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday a. m., 9:30 and 7:00 p. m.

R. A. ROBERTSON, Pastor.

On account of the Christmas and New Year Holiday travel, excursion tickets will be sold at all regular ticket stations on this line to points on the Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad at one and one third regular fair for round trip, except that no ticket shall be sold for less than fifteen cents.

Tickets will be sold only on December 24, 25, 30, 31, 1903, and January 1, 1904, good going on date of sale and available for return trip on or before January 4, 1904.

M. J. McMAHON, Div. Pass. Agt.

The Man and the Woman.

A man will run as fast as he can to cross a railroad track in front of a train. Then he will watch it till it goes out of sight. Then he will walk leisurely away. He seems to be all right, and probably is. That is a man.

A woman in a street car will open a satchel and take out a purse, take out a dime close the purse, open the satchel, put in the purse, close the satchel, and look both ends. Then she will give the dime to the conductor, who will give her a nickel back.

Then she will open the satchel and take out the purse, put in the nickel, close the purse, open the satchel, and put in the purse, close the satchel and look both ends. Then she will feel for the buckle at the back of her belt.—Exchange.

Sunday School Officers.

At the annual meeting of the M. E. Sunday School Board, held on Tuesday evening, the following persons were elected officers and teachers for year 1904:

- T. B. Lloyd, Superintendent; J. P. McNarney, Asst.; W. F. Lloyd, Secretary; A. F. Andrews, Ass't.; Maude Steek, Recording Secty; H. O. Haupt, Librarian; Claude Reitz, Treasurer; L. K. Huntington, Treasurer; Mrs. F. P. Strayer, Missionary Treas; Fred C. Huntington, Pianist; J. A. Johnston, Cornetist; Wm. Kickerbocker, Trombone; Hugh Swartz, Mandolin; Fred Heilman, Flute.

TEACHERS.

- Senior Department: Rev. O. S. Metzler, L. K. Huntington, Fred Julian; Intermediate Dept: Mrs. F. P. Strayer, Mrs. A. C. Blum, Mrs. B. E. Jones, Mrs. J. T. Healy; Junior Department: Mrs. M. M. Larrabee, Miss Marian Larrabee, Mrs. H. O. Haupt, Mrs. Geo. W. Van Wert, M. F. Lucore, Mrs. H. S. Lloyd, Prof. E. S. Ling, Mrs. Georgia Chapman; Primary Department: Mrs. J. P. McNarney, Superintendent; Mrs. Geo. Metzler, Jr., Superintendent; Nellie Lingle, Assistant; Maude Thomas, Assistant.

Slips of Novelists.

Andrew Lang in Longman's recalled certain slips of the novelists. They too, have their loose ends:

"A skilled person might make a pleasant essay on what we may call the dropped threads of novelists. Thus Pip's vision of Miss Havisham hanging to a beam in the deserted brewery has always puzzled me. It seems to have been meant to lead to something other than what occurs. In Mr. Marion Crawford's 'Tiquisara' much turns on an entranced medium who could give two strokes in the hole and a beating to Mrs. Piper. We expect her successes to be normally explained, because stress is laid on her one eyed servant, whose one eye (blue) marks her as the sister of her mistress. Boslo observes this; the poisoner, Matilda, does not. Apparently something was to hang on that fact. If so, the thread was dropped. Again, why had Charles Wogan clay on his clothes at the end of 'Clementina' like the priest in the 'Lays of Ancient Rome'?

"I know, but may not tell."

Edith's horror at meeting Florence in the darkling house of Mr. Dombey is a dropped thread which Dickens tried to take up, but failed. Research would probably discover many such instances."

Queer Doings of a Rifle Ball.

I myself made the most extraordinary shot at an antelope that I ever heard of, which, however, has nothing to do with good shooting, but rather with the erratic course that a rifle ball may take. With several scouts, white men and Indians, I rode over a hill to see three or four buck antelope spring to their feet, run a short distance and then stop to look. I made a quick shot at one, which dropped, and on going to him I found him not dead, though desperately wounded. The animal had been standing broadside on, his face toward my left. The ball had struck the left elbow, splintering the olecranon; passed through the brisket, broken the right humerus, turned at right angles and gone back, cutting several ribs; broken the right femur, then turned again at right angles and come out through the inside of the leg and struck the left lock joint, which it dislocated and twisted off so that it hung by a very narrow string of hide. I never again expect to see so extraordinary a course for a rifle ball.—Outing.

Oysters.

As a matter of interest there is but one species of oyster, Ostrea virginica, along the eastern coast of North America. The western coast has at least five species, but only two of these are of importance, and these do not compare with the eastern shellfish. Thus it is apparent that a Blue Point, a Providence river and a Chesapeake bay oyster are one and the same thing so far as species is concerned. The difference is merely in food supply and conditions of growth.

The oyster is rich in phosphates, but is almost entirely lacking in fat making, muscle building material and those elements which go to make up physical force and vitality. While it is wholesome and easily assimilated, the actual food value of the oyster is not sufficient to rank it with our great food fishes—the cod, haddock, mackerel, etc.—Good Housekeeping.

Just the Sight of Him.

Fan—Reggie has been engaged to any number of girls, but he always gets out of it. Flo—How? Fan—Oh, he merely goes and asks the father's consent, and that settles it.

The Pennsylvania State College.

The Sophomore-Freshman football game was played Saturday, Dec. 5. The score was 5-0 in favor of the Sophomores. This is the first time in three years that a team scored in an interclass football game. By virtue of their victory the Sophs are allowed to put their numerals on the Interclass Football Cup. The last numerals appearing on the Cup are those of the class of 1903.

The scientific and engineering societies of the College are as follows: the Scientific Association consisting of members of the Faculty and honor students of the Senior class, meeting the first and third Tuesday nights of each month, the Electrical Engineering Society consisting of the instructors and the Senior and Junior students of the M. E. Department, meeting every Wednesday night, the Mechanical Engineering Society consisting of the instructors and the Senior and Junior students of the M. E. Department, meeting the first and third Tuesday night of each month; the Civil Engineering Society consisting of the instructors and the Senior and Junior students of the C. E. Department, meeting the second and fourth Tuesday night of each month; the Natural History Club consisting of Biological, Agricultural and other students, meeting every Wednesday night; the Mathematical Club, formed of the instructors of that Department and also some of the Engineers, meeting the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

The Beta Theta Pi fraternity held a dance Friday night, Dec. 4 at their house.

The third of the course of Y. M. C. A. entertainments was held in the new Schwab Auditorium, Saturday night, Dec. 5. The Lulu Tyler Gates Company were the entertainers. The company consists of Lulu Tyler Gates, reader, Helen Carter McConnell, contractor, Marie Ludwig, harpist and accompanist, and H. Benne Henton, clarinet and saxophone. Every one of the four is an excellent performer, and the entertainment as a whole was a marked success.

The Rev. Wm. C. Powick of Columbia delivered a sermon in Chapel, Sunday, Dec. 5.

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday night, Dec. 5, was a very successful one. Mr. Cassidy, Princeton '03, sang and Prof. Pattee spoke.

Change of Venue.

(McKean Democrat.) Judge Ormerod, of Potter county, who heard arguments in the several cases against the Erie and the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg railroads for a change of venue, asked for by the defendant companies on the ground that a fair trial could not be had in McKean county, has just handed down his opinion in the cases, which is to the effect that the causes will be tried in Cameron county. These suits grew out of the destruction of oil and other property in this county by forest fires sometime since, which the plaintiffs allege were caused by the defendant companies' locomotives. The copying of the records of the various suits will, it is asserted, take four typewriters six weeks to do the work. H. E. Tull has charge of this big job, and he and his assistants are now busily engaged in the work.

Death of War Governor's Widow.

Mrs. Catherine I. Curtin, widow of Andrew G. Curtin, Pennsylvania's Civil War Governor, and who also served as a representative in the Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth Congresses, died very suddenly on Monday, at Bellefonte, of apoplexy, aged 84 years. Mrs. Curtin had been shopping. She went home to luucheon, was stricken while eating and died within an hour. One son and three daughters survive her.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Emporium, Pa., Dec. 10th, 1903. THE annual meeting of the stock-holders for the election of a Board of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be laid before them, will be held at the Bank on Tuesday, January 12, 1904, between the hours of one and three in the afternoon.

Notice of Executrix.

Estate of RHODA E. RUSSELL, Deceased. I, HATTIE L. RUSSELL, Executrix, of the estate of Rhoda E. Russell, late of the borough of Emporium, Cameron county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Hattie L. Russell, residing in said borough, 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.

HATTIE L. RUSSELL, Executrix. GREEN & SHAFER, Solicitors. December 4th, 1903.—42-tf.

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You can save 1/3 to 1/2 on all trimmed hats purchased of us this month.

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All birds wings and argrets at 1/2 price. All Ostrich goods, 1/3 off of price.

Everything in the millinery line reduced. A fine display of handkerchiefs, hosiery and silks for the Holiday trade.

Ludlam's, Near Bank, Emporium, Pa.

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With Christmas fast approaching, the house wife head over heels in Christmas affairs, there'll be many things to worry. Why not lessen the worries by turning over the grocery business to DAY'S, where you'll be sure of having things right—goods and prices? We've made ample provision and can serve you better than ever before. We've goods from almost all parts of the civilized world.

- Close Shaves for Friday and Saturday. Florida Oranges, direct from the groves of our worthy townsmen, B. W. Green. 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c Doz. 10c Package Egg Noodles, 8c. 12c Can Tomatoes, 10c. 12c Pkg Seeded Raisins, Full Pound, 11c. 10c Pkg Cleaned Currants, 9c. 10c Pkg new Dates, 9c. New California soft shell Almonds, lb., 23c. Full Cream Cheese, lb., 14c. 25 Lb. bag Sugar, Beat Granulated, \$1.40 box. Special prices on Oranges by the box.

- House Furnishing Goods. People from out of town may not be aware of the extensive line we carry. There are many articles that make suitable gifts at very small cost. Come early and look them over. English Porcelain Dinner Sets. Beautifully traced with gold—100 pieces. Also sold in open stock \$16.50. English Semi-Porcelain. Open stock pattern, closing out at bargains. Come and see. Fancy China. Odd pieces to suit the taste and purse of all. Beautiful JARDINIERS and FERN DISHES, from 10c up. Fine Blown Glassware.

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