

OPPOSITION DISAPPEARING

Strong Sentiment in the Legislature In Favor of the Enlargement of the State Capitol Grounds.

Harrisburg, Feb. 25.—It is believed that Senator Fox's bill providing for the extension of the ground surrounding Pennsylvania's magnificent new state capitol will be passed finally through the senate during the present week.

The bill has been amended so that no more than \$500,000 of the total appropriation to pay for the fourteen acres of land which it is proposed to take can be expended in any one year. It will be demonstrated by facts and figures from the official reports and estimates of the expenses of the state government for the next two years that the payments for the Capitol Park extension can be made without in the slightest degree infringing upon the money necessary for the maintenance of state charitable institutions, the semi-private institutions which are accustomed to receive state aid, the public schools and a large additional appropriation for the construction of good roads and still leave always a comfortable surplus in the state treasury.

The sentiment among legislators appears to be much more favorable to the proposed enlargement of the capitol grounds than it was at the beginning of the session. The members have looked over the ground, have seen the absolute necessity for this great improvement, and they realize that it can never be made at any other time for so little money as it can now. They realize that the growth of the commonwealth and the increase in the public business will make necessary within the next few years the erection of additional buildings for the accommodation of some departments of the state government for which there will soon not be room enough in our new capitol, just as new buildings are being erected in Washington for the executive department of the national government.

To accommodate these new buildings in Washington the government is paying \$10,000,000 for property which immediately after the close of the civil war could have been got for \$500,000.

It is absolutely impossible to erect any additional buildings on the present capitol grounds without destroying the effect of our splendid new capitol. The proposed extension would provide sites for the additional buildings which are sure to be necessary and at the same time give a proper setting to the capitol and permit a fine view of it from the railroad over which 12,000,000 passengers go every year, and from which it is now hidden by buildings mostly poor, mean and unsightly.

Senator Fox's bill carries an appropriation as it stands now of \$1,500,000, no more than \$500,000 of which can be expended in one year. This, it is estimated, is sufficient to pay for all the ground needed, which will be taken by a commission to be appointed by Governor Stuart, and the valuation to be assessed by a jury of view to be composed of entirely disinterested persons.

Property in Harrisburg is enhancing in value very rapidly. Unless the section which is needed for the enlargement of Capitol Park is taken now its value will multiply every few years. The state cannot possibly make a better investment, simply as a business proposition than to take this land before it is built up by fine large buildings, as it inevitably will be if the states does not take it.

Many Kinds of Days In One. A mean solar day is the average of mean of all the apparent solar days in a year. Mean solar time is that shown by a well regulated clock or watch, while apparent solar time is that shown by a well constructed sun dial. The difference between the two at any time is the equation of time and may amount to sixteen minutes and twenty-one seconds. The astronomical day begins at noon and the civil day at the preceding midnight. The sidereal and mean solar days are both invariable, but one day of the latter is equal to 1 day 3 minutes and 56.555 seconds of the former.

A Safe Perch. At the crowded downtown corner the frightened pedestrians were scurrying out of the way of street cars, automobiles, delivery wagons and policemen on horseback. "Gosh," exclaimed the window washer, looking down on them from his perch on the narrow ledge of a fifteen story window, "I'm glad I ain't in that crowd!"—Chicago Tribune.

Almost as Good as Art. Small Edith was visiting in the country for the first time. "What do you think of our rural scenery, dear?" asked her grandmother. "Oh, it isn't so bad!" replied Edith. "It looks almost as natural as real after scenery."—Chicago News.

Collision—Not Collision. The Judge—In this divorce suit there seems to be some collision between the man and his wife. The Wife—Collision? No, it's been collision ever since the ceremony!—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

Not Her Will. Agnes—What are you writing, Minnie? Your will? Minnie—No, I'm writing my won't. George proposed last night, and I told him I'd answer today.—London Sketch.

Latest County Correspondence.

FROM OUR REPORTERS.

NORTH CREEK.

Every one is getting better of the gripe.

Myrtle Cool, who has been suffering with tonsillitis is improving.

Willis McClennahan and wife visited at the city Friday.

Leon Brundage and family will move from this place to Emporium in the spring.

M. E. Taylor killed a fat beet Saturday.

Mrs. Malvin Carter is visiting her daughter Mrs. Norman McIntosh.

J. W. Lewis who was expecting to transact business in the lower end of the county, is on the sick list.

Louis Yates is stopping at Robert Warner's now.

F. A. Lewis transacted business at the county seat Saturday.

The sudden death of Frank B. Smith is greatly lamented by his many friends. The funeral which took place on Friday was largely attended considering the inclemency of the weather.

SNOW BIRD.

NORTH CREEK.

Most of our jobbers have their logs in but this fall of snow will be appreciated by the few who have not.

Mrs. L. B. Solveson is again around, after a siege of gripe.

Beatrice Barr, who is attending school in Emporium, came home to attend the funeral of Frank Smith, Friday. Blanch Moon also was home from Bradytown.

F. A. Lewis and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Nelt Cutler, Thursday.

Belle Barr, who has been working at D. N. Chandler's has returned to her home in Rich Valley.

Mrs. R. B. Warner was on our streets one day last week.

Frank B. Smith died at his home, Tuesday, Feb. 19, after a short illness. He was confined to his bed only a few days, many even of his neighbors not realizing he was seriously ill. He was about 25 years of age, and had lived since a boy on our creek. He was a young man of a quiet, retiring disposition, always a gentleman wherever he might be. He spent his life at home taking care of his aged parents who have the sympathy of the entire community in their loss. Besides a father and mother he leaves a sister and two brothers. Frank was always a kind neighbor and friend and will be greatly missed by his associates.

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Valentines were flying thick and fast for a few days. Grandpa Trout must have gotten one for he has had a smile on his face ever since.

Fred McCaslin went home for a few days to see his wife and family at Howardville.

Gordan Howlett spent Sunday at home.

Ed. Moore returned to his duties at T. F. Moore's.

Florence Faucett is visiting her friends at Emporium, guest of Jennie Robinson.

A. Gardner spent a few days with his family.

Jess Moat is taking a vacation. I wonder where?

H. Moat was counting the days till the 22d of February but was disappointed.

Run an excursion train with hemlock boughs and old stalks.

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HUNTLEY.

Rev. Brewer is a caller in town.

Percy Ives is quite ill with gripe.

B. J. Collins was an Emporium caller on Monday.

Mrs. Amos Kepler, of Renovo, spent Sunday with W. W. Johnson and family.

Willson Bro's have resumed shipments of lumber to different points.

J. F. Carson is on the sick list.

Levi Smith lost a valuable horse Friday night. It is not known what caused his death.

Mrs. A. F. Nelson is very sick with lumbago.

The Driftwood callers this week were: Geo. Wylie, W. W. Johnson, W. H. Logue, C. Johnson, C. J. Miller, Chas. Collins and Henry Layton.

Mrs. Levi Smith is in very poor health at this writing.

Rena Carson is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Gibson Township is now up-to-date with two squires. Three candidates were in the field for the office of Justice of the Peace: Walter Barr on the Republican ticket, John F. Sullivan on the Democrat ticket and Samuel Huntley on the Socialist ticket. Mr. Barr received 74 votes, Mr. Sullivan 34 votes and Mr. Huntley one vote. The Socialist party is still young in this section but there is hopes for it yet. Mr. Sullivan qualified for office Wednesday and will soon be prepared to dispense according to the immortal Blackstone. The Republican candidate, Mr. Barr, is a popular young man and the Press extends hearty congratulations to him on his election. Squire Sullivan takes this opportunity to thank his many friends in both parties for their kind assistance at the polls and stands ready to return the kindness at any time to the best of his ability.

J. P. S.

CAMERON.

Robt. Glenn visited among friends in town Friday.

Operator Page and Chas. Burkland are both wearing smiles that won't wear off. Congratulations. Both girls at that.

Friday night was another recollection of the ground hog's prophecy. Only 21 below.

Cy. Lupo, who was appointed truant officer has resigned. Mr. Devling, of Sterling Run, has accepted the position.

Edward Schwab, who was reported ill has recovered and is again able to resume his work.

Schools were closed Friday, Feb. 22d, being a legal holiday.

Operator Page and Theresa Hoehn visited friends in Renovo Monday.

Theresa Hoehn returned to her home at St. Marys, Tuesday evening, after a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. G. L. Page.

Mrs. J. M. Olsen and daughter Hulda, who have been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. D. Krape, intend to leave for Burnside in the near future, where Mr. Olsen expects to start a restaurant.

Roy Hazlett of Harrison Valley, who has spent the past few months with his mother, Mrs. J. Lester, returned home Tuesday. He expects to have a car of potatoes shipped into this place in about two weeks, to retail at 55 cents per bushel. Any person wishing any potatoes should place their order with him.

Mildred Hazlett left Friday for Middleboro, Wellsboro and Harrison Valley. She expects to spend the summer at the latter place with her father.

Mrs. Phoebe Morris, of Emporium, visited Mrs. J. Lester, Sunday.

J. P. S.

RICH VALLEY.

Fred Peterson and Frank Ovait called on ye scribe Sunday.

Fritz Craven and wife, of North Creek, visited their valley friends Monday evening.

Owing to inclement weather there was no church Sunday evening. But there will be preaching by Rev. Dow at the church Sunday evening. A full attendance is desired as there is some important business to adjust.

We are reliably informed there will be a wedding in the near future—two of our most popular people are the parties involved.

Our sick do not improve as well as their many friends could wish.

The funeral of Mrs. Dora D. Cutler, aged 48 years, 11 months and 18 days was held from the Wesleyan Methodist church of which she was a member, Thursday, Feb. 21, 1907. That she had many friends was attested by the large concourse of sorrowing friends that followed her remains to their last resting place. Services were conducted by Rev. A. C. Dow.

The remains of Frank Smith, of North Creek, were buried in the local cemetery Feb. 22.

Mrs. Nellie Peterson and son Fred who have spent the summer here leave for their home at St. Louis this week.

H. J. Lewis who has been visiting in the valley for some time returned to his home in the city Monday.

Mrs. Ellis Barr, of Shabtown, is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. Joseph Kinsley, of Sinnamahoning.

William Nickerson, of Wharton, Potter county is visiting relatives in the valley this week.

Thomas Nickerson, Lewis Run, is on the sick list this week.

M. A. P.

SIZERVILLE.

Ed. McNeerney is down with the gripe again.

Wm. D. Sprague, departed for the "everglades" of Potter county, last week he said no more to return.

Ed. Quigley is the guest of D. K. Koptart, and family for a short time and during the cold snap.

Election passed off more than usually quiet with a complete rout of the enemy, only 12 votes being cast. We are informed that all the offices are held principally by two families.

Hon. F. D. Councilman and Attorney Stone came up from Harrisburg, on Thursday last, put in a couple days at the springs. It is reported they imbibed a couple barrels of the water during their stay.

Ed. Sizer is down with the prevailing epidemic for the last ten days sleigh rides. These moon light nights have no charms for him now.

A. Market and wife, who have been lying seriously ill at Emporium were brought home yesterday. Mr. Market says, this is his first sickness during his life time.

C. B. Howard & Co., with a large force of men and teams are hauling their logs from Sizer Run to this switch, soon to be shipped to their mill by rail. Mr. Edwards has charge of the work and is an able foreman.

A drove of us "lovely school marms" invaded the residence of uncle E. D. Sizer, last week and had for their menu many roasted chickens which causes us to still cackle.

Earl Montgomery is the hustler paper

selling boy, represents papers from both ends of the road Buffalo and Philadelphia; he is reaping a harvest while the Thaw trial is on.

D. W. Ensign, circulated among his friends of his boyhood days last Saturday, in the interest of the National Protective Legion, he expected to find an unworked field but found members of the craft here, said it was like our forefathers finding Freemasons among the Indians here centuries ago.

Chas. Weller has little use for mail order houses. A month ago he ordered a supply of groceries from one of the great Chicago houses; on arrival here the goods were smashed up in one combined mass thoroughly mixed of lard, sugar, rice, etc. The agent of the railroad insisted he accept the goods. Chas. said, with plaintive air "coot cot," how can I eat dat?

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STERLING RUN.

Mrs. J. P. McNarney and son Joe, of Emporium, were visitors of F. M. Lewis and family several days last week.

S. P. Kreider, of Driftwood was in town Monday.

Miss Minnie Morse, of Emporium; is visiting relatives here.

George O'Keefe had the misfortune to cut his head quite badly while coasting, last Wednesday night.

Miss Nellie Whiting, of Williamsport, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Whiting over Sunday.

All the schools here observed Washington's birthday.

Thos. Hart cut his foot quite badly while working in the woods last week.

Mrs. Roy Harrison and children, of Dents Run, attended the funeral of their aunt Mrs. Washington Mason, Saturday.

Miss Mable Reed, of Renovo, was a visitor in town Saturday.

Miss Mable Stephens, of Ridgway, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, of this place.

Miss Minnie Barr, of Medix Run, visited friends and relatives at this place over Sunday.

Mr. John Mason, of McKees Rocks, was called here last Thursday on account of the death of his mother.

A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson last Sunday.

Miss Kate May was a visitor at Emporium over Sunday.

The "jolly dozen" will have a party at the home of Mrs. Cora Stewart Wednesday evening, Feb. 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Housler, of Olean, were called here to attend the funeral of their grand-mother, Mrs. Mason, Saturday.

We notice the truant officer, W. E. Devling, makes the school children hustle to school. That is what they need.

Misses Nellie and Gladys O'Keefe were home over Sunday.

Miss Jennie Anderson, of Moore Hill, was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Owen Wade was a visitor at Emporium Saturday.

Miss Vida Housler was home over Sunday.

Miss Cora Barker, of Emporium, was a visitor in town Saturday.

Miss Mable May visited her parents, James May and wife, of Westport, over Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Ebersole returned home from Emporium on Tuesday.

BLUE BELL.

SINNAMAHONING.

Fine winter weather.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Lorshbough, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Milford Krebs, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Crum, a daughter.

Mrs. Jas. Quigle came home from Williamsport hospital Sunday.

Mrs. John Huff was a visitor at Driftwood this week.

Nace H. Drum and Asbury Summerston took an active part in the supper on Washington's birthday.

Miss Beatrice Barclay returned Monday to the Gardner school in New York after spending a week at home.

Lawrence took a team of horses to Laquin last Saturday for the Laquin Lumber Co.

The dwelling house of Mrs. Philip Mead was on fire Saturday. A new roof will be necessary.

The New England supper given by the Ladies Aid Society on the 22nd, was a success and all had a good time.

Geo. P. Shafer has given up purchasing the term he had on trial.

Pap Berfield says he hopes the ground-hog will not see his shadow on March 16.

The county commissioners met here on the 27th and had quite a lively time fixing up the increases in valuation for Grove.

Miss Eva Noble of Dickinson Seminary visited her parents Saturday and Sunday.

The Clifton Medicine Co., are here this week and are located in Brooks' hall. Big show each night.

Uncle John Gore has a smile on his face these days. He is 76 years old and under the new pension law he will get \$20 a month.

G. W. Gore is renting his place to

Geo. W. Batchelder. Mr. Gore will make his home at present with his daughter Mrs. A. J. Barclay.

Thos. Espey has moved into the rooms over D. P. Baird's store.

DEUSE.

PINE STREET.

Anson Mason has been highly honored by being elected a delegate to the fourth annual convention of American Road Makers, to be held in Pittsburgh, in Carnegie Hall, March 12th, 13th and 14th. This invitation was from the President of the Road Makers Association, James H. Macdonald, Hartford, Conn.

Byron Duell is hustling the ties to the landing.

Anson Mason has 1,200 logs on the landing. One more week of good hauling will finish.

Minnie Morse, of Emporium, was the guest of Mrs. Anson Mason on Sunday.

Alonzo Duell made a business trip to Huntley on Monday.

Miss Bertha Wylie called on friends at Pine Street on Friday.

Miss Mabel Reed visited with relatives in this place Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Krebs, who has been very ill with gripe is again able to be out.

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District Court of the United States Middle District of Pennsylvania.

In the matter of S. E. Murry and Frances Stoddard surviving partners of Murry and Coppersmith Company Bankrupt. No. 885. In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of S. E. Murry, as individual and as a surviving partner of the Murry and Coppersmith Company, of Emporium, in the county of Cameron, and district aforesaid a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of October, A. D., 1906, the said S. E. Murry, as individual and as surviving partner of the Murry and Coppersmith Company, was duly adjudged bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of M. M. Larrabee, in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on the 14th day of March, A. D., 1907, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

A. R. MOORE, Referee in Bankruptcy. Coudersport, Pa., February 18th, 1907.

Auditor's Notice.

The undersigned, appointed Auditor, to disburse the funds in the hands of James Haley, Administrator of the estate of Patrick Haley, late of the Borough of Emporium, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment, at the office of Messrs. Green & Fell, in the Borough of Emporium, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, next, at 10 o'clock, a.m., of said day, when and wherever all persons interested may attend if they desire, or be barred from making objections the next day.

C. J. GOODNOUGH, Auditor. Emporium, Pa., Jan. 30th, 1907. 50-4

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, John M. Olsen of village of Cameron, Cameron county, Pennsylvania, a bankrupt under the act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before said court at Scranton, in said District, on the 11th day of March, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

EDWARD R. W. SEARLE, Clerk.



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