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Country Correspondence

Items of Interest Dished up for the Delectation of "Watchman" Readers by a Corps of Gifted Correspondents.

## PINE GROVE MILLS MENTION.

J. H. McCracken transacted business at Baileyville on Saturday.

W. E. McWilliams was an over Sunday visitor among relatives in Tyrone. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Woomer are

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Woomer are pending a month among relatives in uniata. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bierly spent Mr. Guldin talked about "Hatching and Raising Chicks." He preferred not to crowd the brooder. He feeds as follows: Sand, thickened sour spending a month among relatives in Juniata.

Sunday at the Dr. Houser home at Baileyville.

George Bell, wife and children spent Sunday at Grandpa Sunday's home on east Main street.

A. W. Oliver is building an addiwe use in daily life. tion to his barn 40x50 feet in size. Joseph Meyer has the job. a selection. Mr. Patton spoke on "Lime, What for, When and How to Use It." Lime

Miss Lucetta Tanyer, of Windber, is visiting her parental home and among other relatives in the valley.

Vassell and Glenn Frank, of Bailevville, spent the Sabbath at the home of their uncle Ed., in the Glades. Homer Walker spent last week in

Johnstown visiting his sister, Mrs. Jessie Miller, who has been quite ill.

John Moore, who had a job at Pit-cairn; Claude Swabb and Walter Johnson all returned home last week. Mrs. Joseph Woomer and son Joe,

Dr. Lyons spoke on "Efficiency in Home Making." Every home should have every convenience possible. Women should plan their work in orof Jeannette, were royally entertained at the George McWilliams home der to save unnecessary steps. Recitation entitled, "Giving Up Bill," was given by Mary Burwell. Two selections by the band and a rec-itation entitled, "Victory Without a Stain," by Grace Elder. on Saturday.

L. H. Peters and wife, and Mr. Pe ters' mother, were Sunday visitors at the Mr. and Mrs. Curtin Meyers home on the Branch.

Pennsvalley Lodge No. 276, I. O. O. F., will banquet themselves and their friends on the evening of Washington's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Quinn, of Pennsylvania Furnace, motored to Wilsontown on Sunday to visit Mr. Quinn's mother, who has been quite sick.

John Gummo, one of E. H. Bierly's lumbermen, had the misfortune to have his left foot injured by getting it caught between two logs on Saturday.

John Wigton, one of the best known men in Spruce Creek valley, where he was born 68 years ago, celebrated his birthday in a rather quiet way last Saturday.

Mr. Adam Bowersox, of Middleburg, spent several days last week visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bowersox, on east Main street.

That supposedly weather-wise little critter—the woodchuck—did see his shadow all day on Sunday and now we will see if there comes six more weeks of winter.

Rev. L. V. Barber is conducting a series of meetings in the Presbyterian church every evening this week. The Lord's Supper will be administered at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday.

AARONSBURG.

Mr. Patton spoke on "Taking Care

ry in the home. She was careful to

explain that pure air is not necessari-

Mr. Patton then spoke to the school

children exhorting them to obey their

parents and teachers. He thinks

stress should be put on the studies

The Ferguson township band gave

is not a fertilizer but it loosens clay-

ey ground so that the plant can draw

nourishment easily from the soil. He

prefers to put lime on plowed ground

and harrow it in. He uses 1500 lbs.

per acre often, rather than a larger

A song by seven girls: "We'll Re-member You."

vard manure.

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y cold air.

milk, water and dry feed.

quantity seldom.

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ing was adjourned.

held here.

ton.

All who attended this institute can-

not fail to have received benefit there-

from, and it behooves us as farmers

to put into practice some of the ideas

1350 people attended the meetings.

Standing room was in demand. It

proved to be the best institute ever

RUNVILLE.

William D. Lucas, of Orviston, was

Edward Lucas spent a few days

Charles Rodgers, of Snow Shoe,

last week visiting his son at Orvis-

caller in our town on Tuesday.

which have been brought to us.

of the Soil." He said most farmers rob the soil. We have found the soil H. C. Stricker, who is employed in Burnham, spent Sunday with his fam-ily in this place. to be a living, working thing, and must be fed. He advised leaving the

Mrs. George Weaver spent Satur-day with her nephew, Charles Grensecond crop of clover go down on the land, and a goodly covering of barnoble, in Lewisburg.

Mrs. Grenninger, of Rockford, Ill., spent several days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Winkleblech. Chairman W. H. Fry presided at the afternoon session. State Forester, John W. Keller, of Boalsburg, made

Mrs. Jennie Sylvis has returned home after spending several weeks in Rebersburg with her sister, Mrs. a few remarks concerning the forestry department of the State furnishing trees for persons to plant on ground that could not be farmed to grow oth-George Winters.

Miss Ella Boyer, who spent the past Dr. Hannah Lyon spoke on "The Health of the Home." She said clean-liness and pure air are very necessatwo weeks under the parental roof, will again return to her employment at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roush and son Charlie; also Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Condo, on Sunday afternoon motored to Penn Hall to visit their brother, James Condo, who has been ill.

Saturday, the 1st, the sale of the personal property and real estate of the late Emanuel Wetzel was well attended, the sale amounting to about \$2,700. The home and small piece of ground brought \$2,000. Elmer Boob was the purchaser of same.

This letter was written on February 4th, and while writing it a robin trilled forth a most beautiful song. This is the first time in the writer's life to ever hear a robin sing this early in the year. We hope the little songsters have not arrived too soon.

Those on the sick list during the past week were E. H. Bower, Mrs. T. C. Weaver and J. W. Beaver. All are improving nicely except E. H. Bower, who has not been improving as rap-idly as his family and friends desire. However, it is hoped he will soon be quite well again.

### **ORVISTON.**

Philip Dietz is again under the

weather. Mrs. George Bixel is quite ill with a heavy cold.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Engel are all improving nicely.

Mr. Guldin then told how to feed laying hens. The following mixture gave good results: 31 bushels of Charles Jr., the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young is quite ill with a cold. corn, 2 bushels of oats, 1 bushel of barley, 1 bushel of wheat. Also hav-

S. C. Crotzer is again able to be ing the following ground mixture on a self-feeder before the hens always: about, and has resumed his duties at the Center Brick Co. plant.

Another of our soldier boys has re-60 lbs. corn, 60 lbs. wheat, 30 lbs. After a vote of thanks to all who had helped to make the farmers' inwell stitute a success, and a few remarks from Mr. William Patton the meet-

Report says: Floyd Woomer, who was so severely wounded in France, is returning home soon. The pathet-ic part is, we are informed, he is unaware of the death of his brother Merril.

Miss Mildred P. Nelson spent several days visiting with her friend, Mrs. Charles Young, at the Uupper works. She has returned to her work in Lock Haven. "Come again, when you can stay longer," so say her friends.

The revival meetings at the Orviston church have ceased, but sinners must remember that the gate of heaven is still ajar, and salvation is waiting for all. The meetings were a decided success, as many converts went forward. Orviston can certainly be proud of ner boys and girls, and Centre county can be proud of

ton.

In its efforts to encourage the broad development of poultry raising in the United States, the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture is conducting investigations to establish the best methods of raising many varie-

Poultry Studies Wide in Scope.

ties of fowls. The present scope of the work includes not only the feeding, breeding, and care of ordinary poultry, but also the raising of pigdon Times. eons, squabs, guineas, turkeys, and many other birds, including ostriches. The flesh of squabs, turkeys, guineas, geese, and ducks makes a pleasing variety in the diet, and with wild fowls now becoming less available, it is important that a sufficient number of domestic birds be raised to keep the market constantly supplied. The problem now is chiefly one of farm

production, which requires expert knowledge if adequate supplies are to be continued.

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#### Grave of Pochahontas.

In response to a letter from the Rev. J. Denny Gedge, rector of Grave-send, through the Dames of Virginia, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the President of the United States, has sent an autograph portrait of herself to St. George's Church, Gravesend, the burial place of her ancestor, the Princess Pocahontas. The photograph has been framed and is to be hung



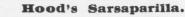
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ent Sunday at the home of L. J. Cleve Mitterling, the popular drov-Heaton. er of Centre Hall, was around among our farmers last week buying fresh

cows for the eastern market and paying top-notch prices therefore. A. S. and Nannie Bailey spent Sat-

urday afternoon with their aunts, the Misses Nannie and Sadie Glenn, at Baileyville. Mrs. C. B. Hess is look-ing after the daily wants of the two ladies

J. H. Bailey, treasurer of the Pine Grove Sunday school, last week for-warded his check for \$103 for the re-lief of the suffering in the Near East, and W. S. Ward, treasurer of the Baileyville Sunday school, forwarded a check for \$182, both representing the contributions respectively of these two Sunday schools.

Successful Farmers' Institute Held Here.

A meeting in the interest of agri-culture was held in the I. O. O. F. hall Pine Grove Mills, January 29th and 30th, 1919, Capt. W. H. Fry presid-ing. After the meeting was called to order by the chairman he took the liberty of appointing Dr. R. M. Krebs vice-chairman, and D. S. Peterson sec-retary. The first on the program was praver by Rev. J. M. Campbell. prayer by Rev. J. M. Campbell.

Mr. William Patton, of Mosgrove Pa., spoke on "Potato Growing." He said the following points must be observed in growing potatoes: The kind of soil, healthy seed, preparation of ground before planting, and then Mr. and proper care.

Mr. Carl Thomas, of West Chester, spoke about "Hog Growing in Penn-sylvania." He said hogs were more of a forage animal than most people thought. They should have good pasture, with a balanced ration, and lots of pure, clean water.

The evening session was opened by the Ferguson township band rendering music. The welcome address was ably delivered by Rev. Fisher, and the response by William Patton. Seven small girls sang "The Flag and the School

Mr. Paul Guldin, of Yellow House, Pa., spoke "Concerning the Poultry Problem After the War." He said not to become discouraged, as so niany poultrymen had done, and quit, as there would be a great need for poultry and eggs across the ocean.

The band then rendered a selection of music. Miss Claire Martz deliver-ed a declamation entitled "How to Cook a Husband." Mr. Carl Thomas spoke of "Corn Growing and Improvement." He said to plant corn on a clover sod always. Choose for seed the ears that carry their thickness and have straight rows of grains.

Mr. William Patton on the subject "What Are You Going to Do About It," said: By "It" he meant the home, the school and the church. He said that to be a citizen we must be workers in all three.

THURSDAY'S SESSIONS.

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Dr. R. M. Krebs presiding, Mr. Guldin spoke about the "Construction of Poultry Houses." These should be built to have good ventilation and plenty of sunshine. ing

Miss Erin Bennett is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Shutt, of Bellefonte.

Miss Madge Poorman, of Snow Shoe, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ida Witmer, in this place. Miss Clara Snyder, of Mill Hall, re-

turned to her home after a two week's stay with her aunt, Mrs. W. T. Kunes. Taylor Poorman, employed at Mt-

Union, was an over Sunday guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Poorman.

Iva Lucas has been confined to her home with that dread disease, diph-theria, but we are glad to report that she is much improved at this writing.

Elmer Kauffman, after serving six months in training at Camp Lee, Va., returned to his home last Saturday

evening. Mr. Kauffman is looking fine and his host of friends were glad to see him home again.

OAK HALL.

Harry Wagner spent Saturday in Bellefonte.

Quite a few people in our town are suffering with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Dale spent a few hours in Bellefonte on Wednesday. Mrs. Ross Louder entertained her Sunday school class from Lemont, on

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Peters and family spent Sunday afternoon with rel-atives at Pine Grove Mills.

Mrs. Nannie Gilliland was called home from Annville, where she was visiting, on account of sickness. Mr. and Mrs. George Lohr and chil-dren, of Linden Hall, spent a day re-cently at the Edward Zong home.

Miss Margaret Ferree, of the Lock Haven Normal, is spending an indefi-nite time with her friends at this

place. Mrs. Charles Whitehill, who has been at Pleasant Gap for some time, with her father, spent a few days at

this place. Mrs. Ernest Wagner and sons, Harold and Donald, of Bellefonte, are spending some time at the Harry Wagner home.

BOALSBURG.

Messrs. James Potter and Frank Crawford, of Bellefonte, were in town on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reitz and son Alvin, of Oak Hall, spent part of Sunday in town.

Austin Dale and daughter, Miss El-len, spent Monday afternoon at the home of James Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Goheen at-tended the farmers' institute at Pine Grove Mills last week.

E. W. Sweeney entered the Danville hospital last week for an operation and is getting along nicely.

Rev. J. Elmer Brown, of Selins-grove, will preach a trial sermon in the Lutheran church on Sunday even-

CENTRE HALL. Helen Boone, who has been quite ill

for several weeks, is improving slightly. Cleveland Brungard is nursing broken arm which he received while cranking a car on Monday.

Miss Myra Kimport went to Phila-delphia on Monday to prepare for her spring of ening of millinery.

Mrs. D. A. Boozer, who underwent an operation in a Philadlephia hospital a short time ago, returned to her home on Tuesday.

D. B. Brisbin returned last Thursday from a six week's visit with his daughters, Mrs. Boone and Mrs. Rob-ertson, at Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. G. O. Benner underwent an operation in the Bellefonte hospital last week. She is reported as getting along very nicely at present.

Mrs. Laura Lee returned last week from Reading, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Breon and family, for several weeks. A young son arrived recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomes Keefer, at Youngwood. Mrs. Keefer will be remembered as Miss Cora Brungard. Elliot Smith returned to a hospital at Camp Meade last week, after a short furlough spent at his home here. Owing to the wound on his arm not being entirely healed he was not dis-

charged at once. Thomas Foss, who for some time has been stationed at an army camp in Massachusetts, received an honor-able discharge and spent a short time with friends in this place on Satur-day, on his way to his home at Loganton.

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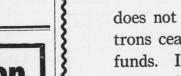
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