

FARMER'S INSTITUTE.

Boalsburg Has Great Institute—Address of Mr. Sweeney.

The Farmer's Institute held at Boalsburg, Friday and Saturday of last week, was in every way a marked success, the average attendance at each of the five sessions being 201. The instruction given by the state lecturers and those from Pennsylvania State College was most thorough and practical. The music under J. M. Wieland was exceptionally fine.

Under the direction of Miss Louise Waugh, assistant professor of home economics at Pennsylvania State College, a practical demonstration of fireless cooking was given, at which the ladies, after witnessing the manner in which the different foods were brought to a palatable and tempting condition, retaining all the flavor and juices of meats and vegetables, decided that as a device for economy and convenience, it meets the requirements of the culinary department of the household in a most efficient and practical way.

It would be imposing on the liberality of the Reporter to ask that even brief sketches of the institute talks be printed, but the address of the local chairman, E. W. Sweeney, was of such a character that the writer does not hesitate to submit it with little or no fear of the blue pencil.

THE CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS.

After an interval of two years we have again met as a Farmer's Institute, under the supervision of the State Department of Agriculture. One of the great central questions that appeals to the farmer with great force, is how to get the most out of the soil and at the same time maintain its fertility. As an aid to the solution of this question, a series of Farmer's Institutes are held throughout the state, which are intended to assist the farmer to advanced methods, to better conditions, and larger results in the activities of farm life, and to make him more capable and efficient in his work.

All recognize that the greater efficiency of the present day farming is in a great measure due to instruction imparted at Farmer's Institutes, and meetings where men prominent in the affairs of agricultural pursuits present the results of their work and thus infuse others with a spirit of progress and emulation, and an impelling desire for further achievement in the possibilities that lie before them.

It is gratifying to note that the great state of Pennsylvania does exercise a paternal care over her people. This is shown in many ways, and especially exemplified by the presence today of a number of able and distinguished instructors, kindly sent by the State Department of Agriculture, to whom it is my privilege to extend a welcome, with a high appreciation of the valuable and acceptable service we anticipate from them at this Institute. To you, who come to us as representatives of this great Commonwealth, on a mission of instruction and cooperation in promoting a community of interest between the State and the farmer, we desire to present in advance our grateful acknowledgments, and extend to you the kindly felicitations of our us with broad and ripe experience, and that you represent the highest development in the wide domain of agricultural investigation and research, with special reference to practical farming. And now to our visiting instructors, and to all others who may honor us with their presence at the sessions of this institute, in behalf of the committee in charge, and the people of Boalsburg, I take pleasure in greeting you with a most hearty and cordial welcome, and indulge the hope and desire that our meeting together may be mutually helpful and pleasant.

LOCALS.

Jacob Wagner is off on a trip to Herndon and New Bloomfield.

A number of people from Centre Hall and vicinity spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Foreman, near Spring Mills.

Mrs. Bell Betz, of Reesville, was seriously ill the beginning of this week. Her daughter, Mrs. Beulah Hollis, of Boston, is at her bed side at present.

The Methodist church, on Half Moon Hill, in Bellefonte, was almost totally destroyed by fire on Sunday. The church belongs to the colored people, who have been making a desperate effort to pay an indebtedness on it. A fire in the rear of the Mahan green grocery store also did slight damage.

Mrs. H. W. Kreamer, Mrs. C. D. Bartholomew and children, Margaret and Elizabeth, next week will go to Altoona to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bartholomew, and from there will go to Curwensville, where they will spend a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kittleberger, and then proceed to Johnstown to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Heckman, and others.

S. Jonas Smith, of Philadelphia, was a visitor for a few days to his home near Tusseyville, and before returning paid the Reporter his respects. When he first went to Philadelphia, Mr. Smith was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in the Broad Street station offices, but he is now in the mail service, his run being between New York and Washington, D. C. His position is one of great responsibility, but he is well able to fill the requirements.

Emeline Rishel Dead.

At the advanced age of seventy-two years, four months and seven days, Emeline Rishel died at her home about one mile east of Spring Mills, Thursday of last week. Interment was made Monday, in the cemetery at Cross church, Rev. H. F. Bieher, pastor of the Lutheran church officiating.

The deceased is survived by one son, John Whiteleather, of East Freedom, and one sister, Mrs. William Oliver, of Alton, Illinois. Joseph Rishel was a brother and Mrs. John B. Ream, of Farmers Mills; Mrs. Henry Vonada, of Hubersburg, all deceased, were sisters.

TWO WEEKS OF COURT.

February Session Opens Monday, February 28, and Continues for Two Weeks.

The first week of February court opens Monday, February 28th, and the second week Monday, March 7th.

GRAND JURORS

- Jacob Weber, State College
- Jacob Sharf, Potter
- David Robb, Liberty
- John Behrer, Patton
- Alfred Rishel, Spring
- Emmanuel Noll, Spring
- John Woods, Spring
- Samuel S. Grebe, State College
- R. B. Treaster, Potter
- H. E. Holdsworth, Unionville
- W. Winkler, Haines
- William Walker, Potter
- Clarence C. Herr, Bellefonte
- James Honer, Benner
- Francis Ulrich, Millheim
- Frank Hess, Rush
- W. Hassel Montgomery, Bellefonte
- S. G. Bethune, College
- Frank Huntlinger, Benner
- S. G. Walker, Gregg
- W. B. Hall, Snowsboro
- George S. Berryhill, Liberty
- Adam Fisher, Boggs
- John Dixon, South Phillipsburg

TRAVERSE JURORS, FIRST WEEK.

- George Lamb, Phillipsburg
- Joseph Keese, Boggs
- C. H. Shaffer, Miles
- Paul Carner, Walker
- G. W. Miller, Spring
- J. B. Siero, Unionville
- Harry H. Branstetter, Halfmoon
- Frank Donovan, Spring
- J. D. Hunter, Bellefonte
- J. F. Lowe, Haines
- J. A. Pipher, Marion
- Edward Grove, Milesburg
- D. G. Wagner, Potter
- Albert Ernest, Rush
- Claude Cook, Bellefonte
- William Dixon, Millheim
- Uriah House, Milesburg
- C. H. Kline, State College
- A. A. Pletcher, Howard
- W. W. Hockman, Miles
- W. J. Carlin, Miles
- J. S. Fleck, Bellefonte
- C. W. Abertson, Phillipsburg
- W. L. Burchfield, Phillipsburg
- Alfred Jones, Phillipsburg
- L. E. Steyer, Penn
- P. Gray Murray, Boggs
- N. D. Lane, Rush
- Samuel Corman, Spring
- Sumner Miller, Ferguson
- Poster Sharrar, Spring
- Oliver Wimer, Jr., Bellefonte
- Thomas Caldwell, Bellefonte
- J. P. Frank, Miles
- J. H. Cori, Bellefonte
- James Nolan, Walker
- Chas. D. Bartholomew, Centre Hall
- William Bottorff, Patton
- Robert Brenna, Jr., College
- John Trafford, Bellefonte
- Harper Baker, Phillipsburg
- J. Thomas Mann, Howard
- John Rockey, Walker
- John Butler, Marion
- S. K. Emerick, Union
- James Kouh, Haines
- Lewis Mensch, Haines
- John Zimmerman, Walker

Marriage Licenses.

- John Franklin Confer, Millheim
- Florence May Buck, Millheim
- Steward H. Orndorf, Woodward
- Nora May Metz, Woodward
- Andrew E. Fryer, Coburn
- Harriet C. Musser, Spring Mills
- William Ashbridge Thomas, Potters Mills
- Ruth R. Smith, Potters Mills
- Isaac W. Richards, Martha Furnace
- Grace A. Beckwith, Martha Furnace
- Taylor W. Slyker, Milesburg
- Olive M. Bloom, Milesburg
- John A. Cramer, State College
- A. Bianche Tressler, Penn's Furnace

Aged Lady Injured.

Mrs. Lucinda Runkle, of Spring Mills, fell on the ice and dislocated her hip. The accident occurred Tuesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John B. White, near Penns Cave. She suffered greatly, immediately after the fall, but the next morning was resting much better. Mrs. Runkle celebrated her eighty-fourth birthday on Sunday. She is the widow of the late Associate Judge John Runkle, of Potter township, and is well known on the south side of the county.

Two Weddings at Millheim.

At the United Evangelical parsonage, in Millheim, by Rev. C. F. Garrett, two couples were married this week. Sunday evening Ammon D. Mingle, of Woodward, and Miss Lodie M. Wolfe, of Rebersburg, and on Tuesday evening Steward Henry Orndorf and Miss Nora May Metz, both of Woodward, were united in holy wedlock.

Held for Court.

For selling liquor to Bert Allen, of Centre Hill, who is claimed to be a man of intemperate habits, James B. Reish, landlord at the Potters Mills hotel, was bound over for a court trial, next week, by Justice Musser, in Bellefonte. The case was heard Wednesday morning.

Pleasant Gap.

William Coldren is seriously ill with appendicitis. Edgar Zigler, of Altoona, spent Sunday under the parental roof. Arthur Rothrock, the ice king, harvested some nice thick ice on Monday, the best ice that has been cut this season.

Sunday was an ideal day for sleighing and quite a few people in this place took advantage of it. Two sled loads of people from Axe Mann drove to the home of Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Sowers on Friday night.

The Ladies Aid Society gathered at the home of Mrs. Luther Grenoble to give her a farewell reception. Mrs. Grenoble has been a long standing member of this society and expects to move to Hecla in the spring.

Miss Lide Ross spent Sunday at home. Mrs. Ellis Horner, through the efforts of Rev. D. A. Sowers, has entered her two boys in an industrial school in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Edna Fatkin, of State College, was a visitor in this place on Sunday.

Jerry Gill and son Merill, spent part of this week in Tyrone.

George P. Thomas has returned from Buffalo after a two months visit.

Frank Irvin and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Irvin's parents.

James Lambert, wife and daughter, of Fitchburg, were visiting friends here on Sunday.

Abner Gill purchased a driving horse from Harry Grove.

James Cori canvassed the town on Monday as agent for a large shoe firm in Buffalo.

Mrs. William Irvin has gone to Bellefonte to see her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Campbell, who is seriously ill.

Spring Mills

Hiram Wood, last Wednesday, had the misfortune of falling down a stairway, resulting in a broken bone in the leg. Dr. H. S. Braucht reduced the fracture and now Mr. Wood is getting along nicely.

Miss Miriam Long spent Sunday visiting friends at Howard.

Miss Emma Rishel, south of this place, died on Friday of infirmities due to old age. Funeral services were held on Monday morning at the Cross church in George's Valley.

The Odd Fellows orchestra is slated for an engagement at Millheim on Saturday evening.

Miss Lodie Rishel, on Friday evening on the way home from Penns Cave, fell backwards off a sled and received severe bruises.

It is reported that Dr. D. M. Wolfe is seriously ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Grove, on Friday evening, entertained about forty of their friends from town, at their home. After doing full justice to a sumptuous repast which was prepared by Mrs. Grove and daughter Miss Bessie, the evening was pleasantly spent in mirth and music, everyone having a most enjoyable time.

John H. Zerby has decided to move his family to Youngstown Ohio, where he has secured employment.

John Whiteleather, of Altoona, was a Spring Mills visitor for a few days.

Prof. Haneberger on Friday evening treated his school to a moonlight ride to the Penns Cave House, where a fine supper was served and a pleasant evening spent.

Frank Confer and Miss Florence Beck, of Millheim, were married at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. J. Max Lantz, on last Thursday evening. After they were pronounced man and wife, to their surprise, some miscreant had taken possession of their sleigh, and it at once became the crooked painful duty to go on a hunt for a sleigh to go to Millheim.

Tibbens Zuber spent Saturday and Sunday at Boalsburg, where he attended Farmer's Institute.

Miss Miriam Long went to Lock Haven on Friday to visit her sister Mabel Long, at the Normal school, who accompanied her to Williams port where they spent Sunday with their brother Austin Long.

John Wagner, substitute mail carrier for his son, J. W. Wagner, had an accident on Monday morning. His mail wagon slipped over the bank south of Allison's mill, pulling the horse along. The vehicle was wrecked and Mr. Wagner was cut and scratched considerably.

Mrs. Shook and Mrs. Hanna, both aged ladies, were quite ill last week.

Mrs. Adam Finkle has been sick for several weeks.

Linden Hall.

Miss Bertha Tressler and William McClintic drove to Centre Hall Wednesday of last week where they were married by Rev. Gress after which they boarded the two-thirty train east for a visit among relatives at Spring Mills. They spent Sunday with friends in Bellefonte and returned home on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Campbell spent a few days last week with friends in Bellefonte, returning home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lemon, of Morgantown, West Virginia, spent a few days with Centre County relatives, last week.

Samuel Everhart spent Sunday with his brother John, at Graysville. Arthur Kimport and daughter Ellen spent a few days at the home of James Kimport.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyers are recovering from an attack of the grip. Sunday night Gueiss Wagner was the loser of a quarter of beef, stolen from an out building. Monday he got track of the thief, and after getting out a search warrant found the beef already cut up at the home of the suspect, near Spring Mills.

Reporter Register.

- Bertha G. and Nellie M. Bible, Potters Mills
- R. P. Kester, Grampian
- A. L. Snitzerbeck, Tusseyville
- Samuel Gingersh, Centre Hall
- William E. Hagan, Spring Mills
- M. P. Musser, Zion
- John F. Miller, Potters Mills
- W. W. McCormick, Potters Mills
- J. E. Rishel, Centre Hall
- H. F. Musser, Spring Mills
- Ella Moyer, Centre Hall
- J. C. Bible, Centre Hill
- Franklin Moyer, Centre Hill
- A. J. Weaver, Tusseyville
- Elna Wagner, Manor Hill
- Mrs. A. E. Kertin, Centre Hall
- Guy W. Jacobs, State College
- Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tyson, Logan Mills
- Jacob Wagner, Centre Hall
- Harvey D. Hagan, Farmers Mills
- Mary M. Grimm, Bellefonte
- Virna Geiss, Centre Hall
- Ruth Ross, Linden Hall
- Lynn Ross, Linden Hall
- E. S. Horner, Pleasant Gap
- Dan Simcox, Fine Station
- W. C. Reitz, Sunbury
- S. J. Smith, Philadelphia
- Benjamin Smith, Colyer
- George W. Gingersh, Centre Hall

Farewell Sermons.

Rev. C. F. Garrett, who has been on the United Evangelical charge for a period of four years, with residence at Millheim, will close his pastoral relations with his people on Sunday. Services will be held as follows: Woodward, morning; Aronsburg, afternoon; Millheim, evening.

The Dixie Jubilee Singers, Monday evening, March 7th.

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