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MR. EDITOR .- An article appeared in a recent issue of the Gazette, purporting to correct some statements of the Forksville correspondent of that journal on the road question. Now while it is generally vain to argueagainst a prejudice or attempt to "refute a sneer" yet it seems some statements in the article referred to and signed "Tax Payer" needs correcting. It is stated that the distance saved by the new road along the Loyalsock is only 3 and 1 miles. Now the distance from Forksville to Little's corner is 7 miles and from there to EaglesMere 1 and 1 miles and from there to LaPorte it is said to be 6 miles; while the new road by measurement is 9 and 1 miles. By what system of notation and numeration the difference in these distances is tortured into any less than 5 miles it is utterly beyond our comprehention. Again it is stated that the townships of Fox and Elkland could be equally as well accomodated by a road over Jordan Hill &c. The distance from Millview by either road is about the same while the one must necessarily make an elevation of over 1000 feet and a portion of the people can just as easy come to Forksville as Millview and save nearly two miles and have an excellent grade all the way.

Double Run is impracticable &c. Now it is positively stated by those thoroughly acquainted with the locality that a good graded road could be made along the left branch of said run making the distance from Forksville to EaglesMere only a trifle over 6 miles. It would seem that a candid and unprejudiced acquainted with the topography of the country would have no difficulty in determining the proper location of a short and easy route from the Western townships to the county seat.

It is also stated that a road along

In our long experience in building railroads and public roads "on paper" we have learned that it is important and necessary to be very accurate or you are liable to be laughed at for your pains. And whoever fails to observe these rules will find his career and notoriety as a newspaper contributor exceedingly short. D.

Forksville Pa. Dec. 30th, '89.

Terrible Crime of a Farmer Who Slaughtered His Family and Then Suicided.

ROCHESTER, Mich., Dec. 29 .- A cold-blooded triple murder was committed two miles North of Mount Vernon Friday night by is the list : William Major, who killed his wife, his daughter and his grand-daughter. Major is about 50 years old and a well-to-do farmer. His daughter, Mrs. Joseph Depew, of Brandon, and her little daughter were visiting the house. The people were but fairly asleep when Major arose and began the work of slaughter. He took a revolver and shot his wife as she lay asleep, putting two bullets into her body and mortally wounding her.

Springing into the apartment occupid by his daughter and the child, he coolly fired a bullet at Mrs. | co Depew, and when it failed to kill her he procured an axe and knocked out her brains. Then he pulled his little granddaughter from beneath the bed clothing, and with one blow of the axe split her head open, killing her instantly. Major rushed into the room where his little son slept and grouped about the bed for him. The lad had crawled under the bed for safety. As he heard his father searching the room he said: "Are you going to kill me, too, papa? "No, my son," replied the murderer; "do not be afraid."

Major's body was yesterday found in his barn. He had committed suicide by hanging.

edings of the Teachers' Institute Special to the Republican.

The annual session of the Sulli-

van county Teachers' Institute convened in the Court House on Monday and was called to order at 2:30 p. m. by Sup't. M. R. Black, who made an excellent opening address. Mr. Samuel Biddle was elected Sec'y. and Miss Leona Ball was elected Enrollment Clerk. An opportunity was then given to the teachers for enrollment, and the names of over seventy teachers were recorded upon the Institute roll book. Sup't. Black then appointed F. W. Meylert, M. C. Miller, M. D. Sweeney, Victoria Lusch, and Mame Sheehan as members of the committee on resolutions. As the regular Institute instructors had not yet arrived, it was decided to devote the remainder of the session to the question box exercise. A number of the important questions were discussed by different members of the Institute. At the close of the session Sup't. Black announced that the evening meeting would be of a social nature and requested the presence of the teachers at 7:45.

MONDAY EVENING.

Roll call. Singing by the Institute. The chairman of the committee on resolutions then offered the following which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, the teachers of Sullivan county, in Institue assembled, recognize in Hon. Henry Houck, a man whose services as Deputy Sup't of public Instruction have been of great value to the cause of education in this state; and we cordially and earnestly recom-mend him to his excellency, Gov. Jas. A. Beaver, as our choice for the now vacant position of Sup't. of Fublic Instruction.

The remainder of the evening was devoted to social intercourse.

TUESDAY MORNING.

Institute called to order at 9 o'clock. Singing-Roll call. Sup't. Black then introduced Prof. Sanford of Syracuse N. Y., who spoke very ably on "The Elements of Teaching." Intermission. Singing. Supt. M. F. Cass, of Tioga Co., was next introduced and gave valuable instruction in "Primary Reading." The teachers were glad to next welcome Ex-supt. B. E. James, of Susquehanna county, one of last town, has fifty patients who sneeze year's instructors and a very prominent Institute worker. He presented the subject of "School Reports."

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Roll call. Singing-Sup't. Cass spoke upon the heat light, venillation, decoration and cleanliness of school rooms. Prot. James spoke upon the question of "School Government."

Lack of space prevents a fuller report at this time. The lecture Tuesday evening was highly enjoyed by the large audience that completely filled the court room. The instructors are all men of reputation and ability, and the Institute promises to be the most successful yet held. All of the teachers but power of Nagara are being proposed four or five are present. Following every little while. According to the

is the list.	
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Helen Lusch	FOX TWP
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Emma Smith	Cora Battin
Maggie Burns	C B Worden
Mary Kaier	M Thompson
Nora McHale	Sarah Brackman
Sarah Waples	Ida Whipple
Jennie Cadden	Emma Bailey
Anna Scanlin	FORKS TWP
Mary McGeever	I D Heverly
Leona Ball	H W Harrison
Mattie Ditchburr	Jennie Rogers
Celia Walsh	Fannie Bird
Lizzie Walsh	Lizzie Kiernan
J H Thayer	Cora Warburton
Laura Yonkin	Mary Clarke
Mary Powderly	E J Mullen
DUSHORE BORO.	FORKSVILLE
M C Miller	F W Meylert
Annie Wenrick	Loie Baldwin
COLLEY TWP	HILLSGROVE
Rosa Fitzgerald	W D Morse
May Kinter	Ettie Randall
Emma Hoffman	Maggie Kettle
F J Wandell	LAPORTE TWP
DAVIDSON TWP	Annie Karge
J Magargle	Alda Low
Linda Lawrence	Hattie E Grim
Dora Cook	Mary Curry
Mary Faus	Thos Gallagher
Allie Pennington	JAPORTE BORO
Nellie Sheehan	May Sheehan
Anna McGee	May Watrous
H S Fague	SHREWSBURY
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Nettie Rogers	May Edkin
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Irvin Woodhead
C Aetler Nettie Rogers Mary Hoffman Frances Brow J Hoagland Every Leading Symptom of Influe Found in a Downtown Case.

From the Philadelphia Press. A death from pneumonia, thought to have grown out of influenza, was reported yesterday. The victim

was a frail, 8-year-old lad named John McLoughlin, who died at his father's house, 721 Webb Street. W. W. H. Naylor, of the Howard Hospital, who had attended the case since Saturday morning, gave a certificate that death resulted from pneumonia. Dr. Naylor, however, was quite positive last night that the boy had first been stricken with the boy had first been stricken with "LaGrippe" and that it had deve loped into pneumonia.

On the other hand Dr. Robert Coyle, of 723 South Sixteenth Street who attended the lad on Thursday and Friday, said he did not discover any symptoms of the influenza. He said: "The boy was, in my opinion, suffering with tonsilitis. He was quite bad Thursday night, and he was unable to swallow anything but liquids. I did not discover that he had chills, or that he sneezed, or that he had any of the other symptoms of 'LaGrippe." I do not think he had it at all.'

Dr. Naylor, when seen at the hospital last night, said:

There can be no doubt about this being a genuine case of influenza. The boy was very delicate and frail. He was taken with a severe chill early in the week. This was followed by a sore throat, headache, pain in the back and watering of the eyes. The child's physical condition was favorable to a complication and the cold settled on his lungs, resulting in pneumonia. The little fellow died about 1 o'clock this afternoon.

There are two other cases of influenza in the same house, but they are not serious. The victims are a brother and sister of the little fellow who died. They have heen suffering for several days and have been in bed for two days. In addition to these cases there are three more next door. This with what the part of the little fellow containing about 1 acres of land be the same more of land the containing about 1 acres of land to the part of lands of easie Shaffer's line north 58 and one half degrees west 36 perches to a post containing about 11 acres of land be the same more or less.

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these cases there are three more next door. This with what the parents told me, convinces me that the boy is the first one to be carried off in this city by La Grippe.

THE DOCTORS BUSY.

There is no abatement in the epidemic in this city. It is spreading. The practice of hundreds of physicians has doubled within the last week. In Germantown nearly every physician has a number of cases of "the grip." Dr. Carmichael who lives at the lower end of the town, has fifty patients who sneeze and have red eyes. Some of the patients are quite ill, but not in a serious condition. Dr. Deaver has so many cases that he has had to call in an assistant. Dr. Walker says he has never been so busy. He starts out on his rounds at 50 o'clock in the morning and scarcely finds time to eat his meals. Similar stories are told by other physicians, and even some of their own number are down with it. Dr. C. T. Potter and Dr. Downs have severe attacks, and have not been able to attend to their professional duties for two days. At the Germantown Hospital there are three patients suffering with the grip.

Utilizing Niagara

New plans for utilizing the water Chicago News, a Chicago man, Mr.
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