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**County Seat
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.**

Mr. E. P. Ingham of New York, is spending several days in town.

Wm. Fries and Leo Heim visited friends at Muncy Valley recently.

Miss Alma Lauer returned home from Philadelphia on Saturday.

Mrs. Jacob Fries Jr. spent part of last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Donovan at Muncy Valley.

Fred Eddy of Williamsport spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Eddy.

Bessie Wrede spent Sunday at Satterfield, with her brother Leo and family.

John Byam spent last week with friends in town.

Mrs. Thesia Fries spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. John Farrel at Dushore.

Rev. E. A. Heim is attending the Archdeaconry meeting at Trinity Church Williamsport.

Atty. and Mrs. F. W. Meylert visited friends in Elmira the early part of this week.

A bouncing ten pound boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Hegel, 542 Grant Ave. Brooklyn N. Y., at 11:30 a.m. January 23. Mother and child are doing well.

Wm. More who has been engaged in the woods for Mr. Dorsey, had the misfortune of breaking his leg above the knee, one day last week. He was taken to the Sayre Hospital.

The ground hog is due to come out on February 7th. If he sees his shadow he will scuttle back into his hole. Six weeks of cold weather will follow. If the skies are overcast the woodchuck will remain out to frisk about, and according to tradition, the weather during the ensuing forty days will be moderate.

The Milton residence known as Rose Hill, of Congressman Dickerman was entered last week by burglars who ransacked the entire house.

Mr. Dickerman and daughter have been in Washington since the opening of Congress, and until he returns home it will not be known how much the robbers succeeded in getting. Every closet and drawer in the house was gone through and the contents scattered about the rooms. It was evident that the thieves were after money or jewelry as a systematic search was made.

There was considerable excitement at Bucknell University, at Lewisburg last week when it was reported that a case of smallpox had been discovered. A member of the freshmen class was exposed to the dread disease during the holiday vacation. When the young man was taken ill he was immediately quarantined in the town hospital, four blocks from the college building, under the care of an experienced nurse and under strict guard. The rooms at the University and the student's clothing were fumigated by the borough Board of Health, and the students were required to be vaccinated. The physicians, however, are of the opinion that it is a case of varioloid and that there is no danger of an epidemic. Only two students left Lewisburg on account of the scare.

Binghamton, Jan. 21.—The opening of the New York, Pennsylvania and Southern railroad between this city and Williamsport may open up a new territory, which until the past few days has not been thought of by the road or those living along the route. While the backers of the road knew that they were opening up new coal fields they had not the remotest idea that they were entering a field where gold might be found in paying quantities. The first intimation that gold was to be found in that portion of the country traversed by the survey, was received recently when A. Haistead, a farmer of Terry Township near Wyalusing, Pa. took to the latter place a sample of sparkling mineral which he had dug up on his farm and which he believed to be gold. The sample has been submitted to experts for examination and several who have been in the west say that the mineral has all of the appearance of gold found in the Placer mines there and they are confident that a further examination will prove that gold has been found near Wyalusing. Arrangements are already being made to make an extensive survey of the territory if the experts report the mineral to be gold.

Death of Master Fred Thomas Ingham.

Fred Thomas Ingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Ingham, died on Friday night, the 20th inst. at midnight. He was operated upon for appendicitis on Thursday forenoon by Dr. Koser of Williamsport assisted by Doctors Randall of Laporte and Dushore, but it was too late to save his life. He was between nine and ten years of age. His funeral was held on Monday at the dwelling house and the services conducted by Rev. E. A. Heim. The funeral was largely attended. Many offerings of flowers were made by his many friends, and one beautiful floral piece especially to be noted came from his school mates and one from his seat mate. His remains were interred in the Mountain Ash cemetery, Monday, January 23, at 1 p. m.

The postoffice department has issued the following order:

Owing to the numerous complaints which are being made to the department that advertising circulars and other mailable matter, postage on which has not been prepaid, are being placed in rural letter boxes intended for persons who receive mail through such boxes; and in order that there may be no misunderstanding regarding the disposition of such matter, you are hereby advised that patrons' boxes erected on rural routes are intended exclusively for the reception of matter regularly in the mails, and mailable articles which carriers find deposited in such mail boxes on their routes, are properly "in the mails" and subject to all the rules regulating mail matter, including the payment of postage thereon.

You will promptly and fully instruct the rural carriers attached to your office that all mailable matter found in rural letter boxes, without the proper postage affixed or money provided for the same, should be taken to the initial postoffice and held for postage. Such matter on its receipt at office should be treated in accordance with the provisions of the Postal Laws and Regulations covering matter mailed without prepayment of postage. Rural letter boxes are afforded the same protection under the law, as other United States mail boxes.

SONESTOWN.
Miss Hazel Parker of Hughesville spent Sunday with her parents here.

Wm. VanBurkink, wife and daughter of Eaglesmere visited at E. J. Lockwoods Sunday.

Miss Ada Hall returned home Saturday after a weeks visit with friends at Williamsport and Newberry.

Miss Reba Hess spent Sunday with friends at Hughesville.

Mrs. J. N. Hazen was at Nordmont several days last week called there by the illness of her granddaughter, the infant daughter of Mr and Mrs. Ed. Hazen.

Henry Converse and wife of Kansas are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Irvin Gower of Harrisburg is visiting her mother, Mrs. Katherine Miller.

Mrs. A. T. Armstrong and little daughter Edna has been in Philadelphia the past week visiting friends.

Dr. C. D. Voorhees has been confined to his bed with LaGrippe for the past week but is now much improved.

A. T. Armstrong was a business visitor at Williamsport Tuesday.

Walter Hazen spent Saturday and Sunday at Mapleton; the guest of Robert Meyers.

The Chicken and Waffle supper and Box social, held Saturday evening in the J. B. Magargle store house by the E. V. church was a grand success. Cleared about \$50.00.

It was a happy crowd that met at Nordmont on Wednesday, January 18, when the children and grandchildren met at the home of T. S. Laird to help celebrate the 50th anniversary of their wedding day. The couple have 8 children, 5 girls and 3 boys, who were all present with their families making 16. There are 34 grand children and 5 great grandchildren, all could not be there that day but there were 22 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren present.

Mr. Laird is 74 years old and works every day in the blacksmith shop, and his wife is 72 and thinks nothing of walking to Sonestown a distance of 6 miles. Says she would rather walk than ride on the train.

The Farmers' Institute for Sullivan County convened in the M. E. Church at Forksville, Friday afternoon Jan. 20th 1905. The meeting was called to order by J. K. Bird member of the state board of agriculture at 1:30.

Four of the state lecturers being present, having just arrived from holding institutes in Wyoming Co. Samuel W. H. Waltz of Williamsport spoke on poultry raising. Some of the main points advanced were: Keep your poultry comfortable; do not excite them, have a comfortable place for them to live in, with plenty of sunlight and a dust bath. J. H. Peachy of Bellville, Mifflin County then delivered his address on hogs for profit. Breed only full blood stock; raise a breed that will show a good percent of lean meat when ready for market. Raise a breed that will sell the best in the locality where you reside. He favors the black breeds, Polan china or Berkshire.

Dr. I. A. Thayer of New Castle, Lawrence County, then gave us his splendid lecture on "Preserving soil moisture". We wish every farmer in Sullivan County would have heard this address. One of the main points was to prepare a proper seed bed, by having the soil well pulverized, the smaller the particles of soil the more moisture it contains.

The afternoon session was closed by an address by L. W. Lighty of West Berlin Adams County on "Stable Manure". Keep the manure under shelter, save the liquid manure, save ammonia by sprinkling South Carolina rock or superphosphate over manure pile in stable every morning.

The evening session was opened singing by the Forksville choir, and prayer by Rev. R. E. Huntley. Mr Peachy then spoke of "The farmer boy and his education". A song by Miss Grace Fleming, followed by an address on "Nature study in the public schools", by Mr. Thayer.

Duck song by four young men. Mr. Lighty then spoke on the "The education of our boys and girls and rural schools". All of these lecturers spoke strongly in favor of centralization of schools and the township high school: sighting many instances where it has been put into successful operation in townships more sparsely populated and as mountainous as the townships of Sullivan County. Saturday morning session was opened by an address on "The dairy cow" by L. W. Lighty, the main points being to have thorough-bred stock weight and test milk and know exactly what each cow is doing, thin out the poor ones, have good stables, keep them lean, feed a well balanced ration.

Dr. Thayer then spoke on how to raise clover. The four essential points being: 1st. get the water off your soil so it will not leave, if this cannot be done by narrow land plowing, drain using tile; 2nd., fill the soil with humus or vegetable matter, if this cannot be done by stable manure, then plow under rye and winter vetch when the rye is about 15 inches high; 3rd. if the soil is sour sweeten it by using lime or hardwood ashes, and fourth prepare a good seed-bed and sow in July.

Mr. Waltz then took up the study of "Corn culture" dwelling especially on the importance of selecting good seed.

The afternoon session was opened by music by the choir. From the question box the following were read and discussed,—Will the telephone have a tendency to keep the boys and girls on the farm? Answer yes especially the girls. Can milk be enriched by feed? Answer, no.

Mr. Lighty then spoke on feeding the dairy cow, and Mr. Thayer on Commercial fertilizing and alfalfa. After a vote of thanks to the speakers, the institute adjourned without holding an evening session, as the speakers left to take the evening train at LaPorte. The institute was well attended at every session and was considered a success by every farmer in attendance.

Ulysses Bird, Sec'y.
Lime at Reeder's Lime House, below Laporte, Pa.

A Card.
We desire in this manner to extend our thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved son Fred Thomas Ingham. Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Ingham.

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