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USWICK AND LAKEVILLE.

The funeral was held on Sunday at 12:30 p. m. at what is known as the Upper Church at Canaan. Inter- Thursday afternoon and over East ment in the cemetery at that place. on Friday afternoon. Deceased was an aunt of Mrs. John Mains, of Uswick.

Mr. Jacob Youngs returned from spent a week visiting friends in that city.

On Wednesday of last week fire was discovered by Mrs. A. Goble, of Lakeville. It was issuing from Solomon Miller's barn. Mr. and Mrs. A. Gobie assisted Mrs. Miller and the flames were soon entinguished. Mr. Miller was in Hawley at the time on business and the children were at school.

Mrs. Verna Loveless returned home from Scranton on Thursday of last week to care for her grandmother, Mrs. Robert Loveless, of Lake-ville, who has been very ill with erysipelas, but we are very pleased to learn is now improving nicely under the skilled treatment of Dr. Ely of Hawley.

Little Aaron Haney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haney, is very ill. Dr. White, of Ariel, was called today to attend him.

A nice rain is falling this evening. Everyone is rejoicing to see the rain and think the long continued drouth at an end.

Mrs. John Bishop and Sadie Rauschmier spent last Sunday visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. George Hazelton, at Arlington.

Mrs. Birten Daniels and little daughter are spending a few days with the former's sister, Mrs. William Brooks.

On Sunday while skating on E. H. Alphas Lake at Lakeville Norman Frazer, a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop, broke through the ice about the middle of the lake. Little Joseph Sacks brought a slab and rescued him.

We hear that an oyster supper and dance is to be held at P. O. S. of A. hafl on Xmas eve, Dec. 24th, and everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. Myron Locklin of Forest City, returned to her home on Monday having visited at D. A. Locklin's for a few days.

On Tuesday of last week Miles Bishop returned home from Honesdal ewhere he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. A. K. Degroat, for a fortnight.

A. Sanders is still moving hay and other things, using two of his teams to draw the loads nearly every day. John Schlenpner entertained a guest from New York recently for a few days.

LAKEVILLE.

Rev. Purkess delivered an excellent sermon on Sunday evening. Mrs. Robert Loveless is slowly improving. Miss Verna returned home from Scranton on Tuesday to

care for her.

On Sunday last while skating on himself up until Joseph Sacks came to his rescue with a slab which he placed from the stump to solid ice. When he was about to get out the slab slipped from the stump and Norman was again thrown into the

Mrs. Myron D. Locklin of Forest City, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Locklin and family. Miles Bishop after spending

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lakes at such an early season.

fortnight with relatives at Honesdale returned home on Tuesday. Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Purkess at tended the Ladies' Aid Society at the

home of Mrs. Philip Kreger of Ledgedale on Wednesday. There will be an oyster supper and

dance at Lakeville I. O. O. F. hall on Friday eve, Dec. 24th, 1909. Everybody invited.

Mrs. John Bishop, also Sadie Raushmier of this place, spent Sunday last as the guest of former's daughter, Mrs. Geo. Hazelton, or Arlington, Pa.

HAMLINTON.

C. M. Loring is at home now and will probably remain for sometime. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pelton attended the Sunday school convention at Sterling Tuesday, Dec. 14th.

Dr. Mullen, of Hollisterville, was a pleasant caller in town on Sunday. Mrs. Inez Curtis and sons, Harley and Arthur, and Miss Alma Schuller, on Monday afternoon. Owing to Miss Schuller's absence there was no school here on Monday.

Homer Pelton spent the first part of last week in the city of Scranton. contained a general discussion of the Among the other Scranton visitors subject. were Mrs. B. F. Hamlin, daughter Alice and son Butler, and Mrs. J. H. Boyce and daughter Laura.

Mr. A. M. Clark arrived on Tuesday from Dr. Burns' Hospital, of discussion of the subject in hand, and Scranton, and will remain with his showed careful preparation and sister, Mrs. Marion Franc, during knowledge of the work under discus-

H. A. Williams spent the past week tinued by with his sister, Mrs. C. M. Loring.

'An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams was buried on Friday last. After t

tree will be held at the M. E. church Mrs. Amanda Buntry, of South here on Thursday evening, Dec. 23.

Canaan, died on Friday of last week.

Both the school here and the East

school are planning for Christmas exercises; those here to be held on

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the parsonage on Thursday for dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spangenberg New York on Friday evening, having and daughter Florence, took dinner on Sunday with Misses Blanche and Hattie Margan. The Misses Morgan expect to leave their farm soon for an

CLINTON.

extended stay in California.

Henry Arnold is a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Edwin Randall, of Kingston, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dann are pass ing a few days with Scranton friends. A. H. Curtis was thrown from his wagon, which passed over him, severely bruising him.

Amanda Norton sprained her ankle) badly that she is unable to use the injured member. E. W. Lilly found a cow dead in

his stable one morning recently. The Curtis Valley and Clinton Centre Sunday schools have united and are practicing a Christmas cantata which will be given in the Centre

Baptist church Christmas eve. Messrs. W. E. and F. N. Rude and Gernard Groat were packing and shipping their large crop of apples last week.

SHERMAN.

Mrs. Wm. Rockwell is on the sick list.

Christmas exercises will be held in the church on Xmas eve. Everybody welcome.

C. E. Smith of Binghamton, visit ed at his father's last week.

County Superintendent Koehler visited our school last week. George Hitchcock, who has been very sick for a long time, is some

better at this writing. Miss McAvoy attended church in

Deposit last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lynch have returned from their visit in Binghamton.

GOULDSBORO.

Frank J. Meckes, of Long Pond, transacted business in town recent-

Frank Shear, of Scranton, spent several days last week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Kessler of Sunny Side.

Master Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Batsel, is seriously ill. The monthly meeting of the Teach-

ers' Association was held last evening with Mrs. C. E. Eilenberger as hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Henry en

tertained the Rev. M. D. Fuller, D. D., of Carbondale, over Sunday. The men's quartet sang at the Sunday evening service in the Meth-

odist Episcopal church. The church women are quilting this week at the home of Mrs. W. L.

Harvey. Mrs. S. S. Hager was called to at Honesdale, is visiting his moth-Alpha's Lake, Norman Bishop broke Hallstead yesterday by the sudden through the ice, but fortunately he death of an uncle, William Smith, was near a stump. After once going who died Saturday at the ripe old down he seized the stump and held age of eighty-four years. Funeral services were held on Monday after-

noon and were largely attended. The Christmas Bazaar conducted last Saturday evening in Gouldsboro hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Union, was largely attended, and a neat sum was realized for the benefit of the building fund of the

church. A slight change for the better is noticeable in the condition of Mrs. E. N. Adams, Sr., who has been seriously ill for some time.

George Fairless spent last Sunday in Hazleton.

PLEASANT MOUNT.

The local institute for Mount Pleasant township was held in the High schoolbuilding last Saturday, and proved to be a very profitable and pleasant meeting. All the teachers were present but two.

At ten o'clock Saturday morning Prof. Deitrich called the meeting to order and the first paper, after the songs, was read by Marguerite Kennedy, on "Spelling," giving some experiences and asking opinions other teachers. A helpful discussion followed the reading and many very helpful suggestions were presented. One question was "How much time should be given to the spelling of geographical names," and it was decided that teachers should insist on correct spelling of names of U. S., N. A., etc. It was also agreed by a majority of the teachers that a cerspent Sunday in Scranton, returning tain per cent. should be deducted for misspelled words in examinations, incorrect punctuation, etc.

The next paper was by Amanda Kennedy on "Map Drawing," and

Miss Stella McAvoy had a paper asking "Do teachers try to cover too much ground in Arithmetic?" Miss McAvoy's paper was a well founded sion. The same subject was continued by Julia O'Neill, who presentsuggestions and sound

After the lunch hour the institute A Christmas entertainment and convened for the afternoon session.

Everybody got in good humor by joining in a hearty song

The first paper for the afternoon was a most excellent one on "De nominate Numbers," by Mary Bennett. There are so many ways" to teach Denominate Numbers that experience is the only sure teacher. Miss Bennett urged the necessity of continually reviewing work gone over and recommended both written and oral tests.

Emma Lempke treated the subject of "Importance of Reviews," in a manner that showed well her experimntal knowledge of the subject in

Viola Allen took the subject of of her paper was "What system of liar." writing is best?"

The Palmer system was recomnended and a general discussion

followed. Miss Nell Brennan, and Miss Jose phine Osborne of Lackawanna county, explained more fully the merits of this system and fully recommended it, also stating that the system has been adopted in New York City schools.

Eliza Kelley read a carefully and well prepared paper on teaching of Physiology and Hygene.

Recommended teaching of health aws, some emergency remedies and danger of any neglect of nature's laws.

Mary Allen recited a selection from the "Courtship of Miles Standish." Isabelle McGranighan spoke of Moral Training" which included a hint of how teachers should teach good manners along with good mor-

"Practical Composition" fell to Margaret McGraw to discuss, which

she did right well. Miss Ellen McGiveran's subject vas "Teaching of Classics" and was fully up to the average in good thought and wise counsel.

Miss Julia Dunn told the institute

thus far children should go at the age of thirteen.'

Miss Osborne kindly entertained he institute with a clever recitation. Following this most enjoyable number, came Prof. Kennedy, who made his plea for the teaching of some music in the public schools.

Prof. Deitrich spoke of "Primary Reading" and gave many pointers to help younger teachers.

Supt. Koehler was present and was an inspiration and backbone to the meeting by his helpful discussion and suggestions, which were in each instance a help and cheer to the teachers and all most thoroughly appreciated his help and encouragement.

INDIAN ORCHARD.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Case on Monday evening, the 13th, a baby boy.

The farmer has had and resped his harvest and now the blacksmiths are reaping theirs, the frozen roads of late have been hard on sharp

The Indian Orchard Sunday school is planning for a Christmas tree and entertainment on Thursday evening, Dec. 23rd. A good time is expected.

Mrs. George Lovelass was scaided badly recently while removing clothes from a boiler. Mr. and Mrs. Gutheil, of White

Mills, was pleasantly entertained on Sunday last by the latter's mother, Mrs. Leftwich. Howard Smith, who has been work-

er, Mrs. Charles Smith.

but we are glad to learn that he is some better at present.

Rumor has it that we are soon to have a new proprietor at the Indian Orchard Hotel. The present proprietor has made many improvements in and around the hotel since he has been owner of it. He has furnished his patrons with the best at all times. It is hoped that his successor will do likewise.

Emma Spray, who has been living at Honesdale, is spending two or three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Spry.

Earl Ham has sold his road horse to Frank Erk of Honesdale.

The aid at Mrs. W. D. Buckingham's on Wednesday last was well attended, the out of town guests were Mrs. W. H. Dunn of Beach Lake and Emma Spry of Honesdale. Mrs. S. D. Noble and son Russell, of Calkins visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Saunders, the latter part of last week.

Bertha Martin, of Cherry Ridge is assisting her aunt, Mrs. H. H. Bun-Warren Case of this place went to

New York City on Saturday last. Mr. E. E. Avery and son, Fred, spent Tuesday last with Dyberry

H. H. Bunnell and wife entertained Honesdale guests on Sunday last. Paul Wegst, merchant, Dunn's obliging clerk, was a pleasant caller at the Chestnut Grove Farm on Wednesday.

Indian Orchard Grange will meet on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22. All members are requested to be pres-

Monday last at Beach Lake. ADDS IN THE CITIZEN ALWAYS BRING RESULTS POST CARDS USED TO ANNOY.

Grand Jury Indicts Business Man for Misuse of the Mails.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 14 .- The federal grand jury here has indicted J. F. Hardin, a railroad agent, on a charge of using the mails to annoy N. Norwood Mitchell, agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

The charges grew out of an endless chain of postcards which Hardin sent to Mitchell. Following are samples of the cards:

"Mr. Windy Gassaway Mitchell. Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, Atlan-This card carried a medal on which is inscribed, "This beautiful 'Penmanship" and the main point medal awarded to the champion

> A sentence objectionable to the re-cipient read, "If hot air was music you'd be a brass band.'

> Another read: "Windy, the great and mighty Windy Mitchell. made the world and rested. made man and rested. Then God made Windy. Since then neither God nor man has rested."

Another was addressed, Noisy Mitchell, Freight Beggar, B. &

O. R. R., Atlanta." Mitchell was Georgia commissioner at the Jamestown exposition. He favored Roosevelt for a third term and carried to the last Republican national convention a monster petition from Georgia advocating him.

We Est too Much.

Most of us eat too much at all times. On such occasions as Christmas we eat entirely too much. It is a serious matter which concerns the health of all.

More illness is caused by over-eating than by any other one thing. We gorge the system with too much food and our inability to take care of all that is piled in leads to all sorts of complications.

There were times when most of our ancestors lived in the open air and did hard physical work. Then big eating was necessary. The harder the physical exertion, especially in o'clock p. m., for the purpose of the open and cold, the more food is necessary. Food is fuel. Exertion eats up the fuel and cold consumes

In these days, however, there is very little work of a hard physical kind in the open air for the majority of us. We ought, therefore, to be light eaters. But, most of us are not, and the very large majority of people est entirely too much.

TO FLY 100 MILES AN HOUR.

Worchester Mechanical Engineer Says He Can Do This.

Worchester, Mass.-Wallace E. Tillinghast, a mechanical engineer of recognized ability and connected with the foremost steam heating concerns in this section, claims to have invented an aeroplane capable of carrying three persons with a weight limit of 200 pounds each, 300 miles without a stop to replenish a supply of petrol, and attain a speed of about 100 miles an hour. He says his machine is of the monoplane type with a spread Wayne County Farmers' Mutual of 72 feet, a weight of 1550 pounds and furnished with a twelve-horse power gasoline engine made under his own direction and specifications. He will not say where the monoplane office building, Honesdale, Pa., on was constructed, that being his secret, but he makes this statement:

"On the night of September 8, with two machinists, I left the shop where the machine is stored and was uilt and set out for New York city, which we reached coming close to the Statue of Liberty, went back to Albert Gibbs is on the sick list Boston and then back again to the starting point without alighting. When near Fire Island one of the cylinders of the flyer ran irregularly so the motors were stopped and the two mechanics took plenty of time in repairing it, and doing little work of a precautionary nature with other parts of the machinery. Before stoping the motor we rose to an aititude of 4000 feet, and sailed during the 46 minutes taken in repairing the cylinder and other machinery.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Closing Stock Quotations.

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Money on call was 4 per cent; time money and mercantile paper unchanged in rates. Closing prices of stocks were:

Amal. Copper... 88 Norf. & West... 100½ Atchison...... 122 Northwestern... 181

B. & O........... 117½ Penn. R. R...... 130½

Brooklyn R. T. 80 Reading...... 170%

Ches. & Ohio... 87½ Rock Island... 43%

C., C., C. & St. L. 78% St. Paul......... 157½

D. & H........... 183½ Southern Pac... 133½

Erie.............. 34½ Southern Pac... 133½ Brooklyn R. T. 80 Reading 170%
Ches. & Ohio. 8714 Rock Island 43%
C. C., C. & St. L. 78% St. Paul. 1574
D. & H. 1834 Southern Pac 1334
Erie. 344 Southern Ry 32%
Gen. Electric. 1534 South Ry. pf. 744%
Ill. Central. 1474 Sugar 123%
Int.-Met. 22% Texas Pacific. 35%
Louis. & Nash. 154 Union Pacific. 3024
Manhattan. 1404 U. S. Steel 914
Missouri Pac. 72 U. S. Steel pf. 125%
N. Y. Central. 123% West. Union. 7846

Market Reports.

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BUTTER—Firmer; receipts, 8,384 packages; creamery, specials, 35c.; extras, 34c.; thirds to firsts, 27a35c.; held, seconds to specials, 28a324c.; state dairy, common to finest, 25a35c.; process, firsts to specials, 254a25c.; western, factory, seconds to firsts, 234a25c.; imitation creamery, 25a25c.

DRESSED POULTRY-Firm; turkeys, nearby, 25a.25c; selected western, dry picked, 25c.; sealded, 25c.; fair to prime western, 25a.24c.; old toms, 22c.; broilers. members are requested to be present.

Harold Hall is assisting his father at painting at Honesdale:
The stockholders of the Indian Orchard Cemetery Association will hold their annual meeting on Wednesday evening, January 15, 1810.

W. C. Spry made a business trip to Torrey on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Budd of Beach Lake, spent Sunday last with Ray Bayly and wife of this place.
Richard Budd, of Hazleton, attended the funeral of Mrs. Tyler on Monday last at Beach Lake.

HAY AND STRAW—Firm; tim nundred, 875c.ali,055; shipping, lover, mixed, \$686c.; clover,

The guage at the hydrant showed a pressure of 23 pounds. When the pump was started the pressure rapidly mounted to 120 pounds, and at that time the guage at the main was down to nothing, showing that the pump was taking all the water from the hydrant. At this pressure streams were tried with the %-inch, 1 14-inch and 1 14-inch nozzles. Without the pump with the smallest nozzle tip a stream of not more than 50 feet was thrown, but with the pump it carried about 140 feet, or a distance sufficient to reach over

any dwelling on Highland avenue. At another hydrant the Monhagens tried the new opray nozzle. This nozzle, while carrying a heavy main stream, casts a spray for a radius of about ten feet directly in front of the nozzle-men, keeping smoke and fire away from them, and allowing to work very close to the fire.

Later two streams were used at once. The hydrant pressure was 30 pounds, and the pump, with streams working, increased this to

70 pounds. The test was declared finished at about 3:40 o'clock. It was the general opinion that the fire fighting efficiency of the department has been greatly increased by the addition to its apparatus of the Monhagen's auto

truck.

MOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION,

CHARLOTTE S, HAND, late of Honcsdole.
All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment to the undersigned; and those baving claims against the said estate are notified to present them duly attested, for settlement.

CHARLES 8, HAND, HENRY S, HAND, Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1999. Executors.

Or W. H. Stone, Honesdole, Pa. 1909.

Or W. H. Stone, Honesdale, Pa. 100w6 ELECTION NOTICE. Meeting of the stockholders the Honesdale National Bank will be held at the banking house of the said bank in the Borough of Hones-

dale. Wayne County, Pa., on TUESDAY, JANUARY 11, 1910, between the hours of two and four electing directors and transacting any other business that may brought before the stockholders.

EDWIN F. TORREY.

4eoi100 Honesdale, Dec. 15, 1909.

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS In compliance with an Act of the Assembly, and in accordance with Sec. 17 of the By-Laws of the Creamery and Cheese Factory Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Pennsylva-nia, notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of said company will

be held in Honesdale, Pa., on Tuesday, January 4, 1910, at 10 a. m. for the transaction of general business and the election of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year. P. A. CLARK, Prest.

W. E. PERHAM, Sec'y.

Pleasant Mount, Pa. E LECTION OF DIRECTORS—In compliance with an Act of Assembly and in accordance with Article 5 of the Constitution of the Fire Insurance Co., notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the said company will be held in the office of the company, in the Post-MONDAY, JAN. 3, 1910, at 10 a. m., for the transaction of general business; and that an election will be held at the same place of meeting, Goods, Gents' Furnishing and Underbetween the hours of 1 and 4 p. wear in all descriptions. m. of said day, for the purpose of electing ten members of said company to serve as directors for the ensuing year. Every person insured in the company is a member

thereof and entitled to one vote. H. C. JACKSON, Pres't. PERRY A. CLARK, Sec'y. Honesdale, Pa., Dec. 10, 1909.

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ESTATE OF

JOHN KRANTZ.

Late of Honesdale, Pa.

All persons indebted to said estate are noticed to make immediate payment to the undersigned; and those having claims against the said estate are notified to present them duly attested for settlement.

WM. H. KRANTZ,

PHILIP KRANTZ,

JOHN E. KRANTZ,

Administrators.

Honesdale, Pa, Dec. 8, 1908.

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A lot of Ladies and Misses 54 in. length Kersey Coats half lined, \$12.50 to 14.50 quality.

Xmas Sale \$9-89

Suits

For Misses and small women. Sizes 14, 16, and 18, were selling for \$10.98 and \$12.

Xmas Price \$8.98

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Furs, Silk or Net Waists, Silk Petticoats, Rain Coats, and Ladies' Muslin Underwear.

Coat Sweaters Sweaters for Men, Ladies and

Children are here in complete

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assortment.

Christmas.

Christmas Goods at Ev.

This sale will continue until

ery Counter. Leather Goods, Gloves, Handker-chiefs, Umbrellas, Ladies' Neckwear, Scarfs, Belts, Belt Buckles and Pins, Linens, Stockings Silks, Worsted Dress

To get the most for the least money will please Santa Claus. Buy your gifts here.

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Signature of Thirty Years