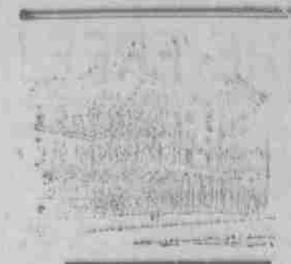

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MATAMORAS.

The loan social held at Hope church parsonage on Tuesday evening was a success financially and socially. Nearly $20 was realized.

The revival services at Epworth church this week are conducted by Rev. Mr. McDowell of New York. His friend, the Rev. F. E. Romanoxy, will not be able to be here until next week. He is conducting revival services at Otisville, N. Y. The services are of a very interesting nature. Mr. McDowell sings and plays on the guitar and cornet.

Eugene Cochran, a student at the Centenary Collegiate Institute at Hackettstown, N. J., is at his home on a vacation on account of his eyes. They are very much affected and a little rest from his work at the college, the physician thought, would be best. He will leave for school again as soon as his eyes permit.

The L. C. U. met this week at the home of Mrs. John Simpson on Cookson street.

The Busy Bees will not meet this Saturday but a week from Saturday at the home of Miss Nellie Westfall.

The L. A. S. met this week at the home of Mrs. George London on Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Shay of this village left town a few days ago to visit relatives at Newark, N. J. They will be absent about two weeks.

Miss Etta Reeves from New Vernon, N. J., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Theodore Durant, on Jefferson street.

Miss Lizzie Quinn of this village is visiting friends in New York city.

The orange tea given by the little Busy Bees Friday night at the home of Miss Nellie Westfall on Third street was a very pleasant affair. There was a large attendance. The parlors were decorated in orange and the members of the society wore yellow aprons and white caps. They made a very pretty appearance. Miss Westfall is deserving a great deal of praise in drilling the members of the society so nicely. The recitations and songs were very pleasing to the large audience present. After the entertainment refreshments were served consisting of cake and coffee. The waitresses were Abbie London, Delia Skinner and Florence Caswell. These little ladies performed their parts well. The proceeds amounted to over $12. The society contemplates giving other entertainments in the near future. Following are the names who recited and sang: Florence Niles, Ruth Lord, Agnes Owen, May Corwin, Beulah Owen, Edna Layton, Jessie Corwin, Mabel Maloy and Minnie Space. Mabel Maloy was the organist and performed her part nicely.

Mrs. R. Wonnacott and daughter, Grace of Waymart, Pa., are visiting at the homes of Mrs. Alex. Ball on Main street and at Mrs. Charles Ball's on Cunningham street.

The work done on the sidewalk adjacent to St. Joseph's church on Division street was very satifactory. About 30 loads of gravel were drawn. The men worked faithfully. A nice dinner was served by the following ladies of the church: Mrs. J. Sheen, Mrs. J. Warren, Mrs. C. Bilz and Miss Anna May. Rev. Father Treis tenders his thanks to all those who assisted in the work, and to the ladies.

Margaret Hain, wife of Jacob G. Hartz, died at her home in Matamoras of typhoid malaria after an illness of two weeks. She was 22 years of age the third of last June. Deceased was born in Frankfort, Germany, but ten years ago the Hain family emigrated to America and settled at Matamoras, their home ever since. On Nov. 22, 1899, the deceased was united in marriage to Jacob G. Hartz, and about two months ago they moved into their new home on Pennsylvania avenue. Three weeks ago a daughter arrived to gladden their home and it was when their cup of happiness was full that the grim reaper came and removed the loving young wife and mother. The deceased was a consistent member of St. Joseph's church and beloved by a wide circle of acquaintances. Besides her husband and infant daughter, Florence, Mrs. Hartz is survived by her mother, Mrs. Margaret Hain, one sister, Miss Margaret, and a brother, William Hain, of Matamoras. The funeral took place from the house at 9.30 o'clock Tuesday morning and at 10 o'clock from St Joseph's church where solemn requiem high mass was celebrated. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

The death of Gilbert Lafayette Barlow occurred at 1.45 o'clock last Friday at his home on the Milford road from heart trouble. Mr. Barlow had been a resident of this section for many years and was highly esteemed by a host of friends for his excellence of character and the possession of the several virtues that are required to make a good man in every sense of the word. He came to Quarry Hill many years ago from Montgomery much broken in health but after several years the salubrious air of that region restored him to comparatively good health and he began business as a contractor and builder and was in connection with his son conducting a sash and blind and paint business in this town at the time of his death. Mr. Barlow was born at Ellenville, N. Y., May 2, 1833.

SANDYSTON.

Mrs. Mary Ellett, wife of Alfred M. Ellett, died on Thursday last aged about 42 years. She had been sick for a long time and suffered greatly and death was a glad release. A devoted and loving mother has gone to her rest, leaving a void in the family circle that can never be filled, and the husband and family have the sympathy of all in their great bereavement. She is survived by four children, Henry, Leo, George and Louise.

The law says no hunting while there is a tracking snow and yet the ground was covered on Friday and the report of guns was just as numerous as on any other morning. All know the law and take the chances of being punished for its violation.

A day or two ago I was handed a neat little book containing the game laws of all the states and Canadian provinces. By enclosing 3 cents to the Union Metallic Cartridge Co. of Bridgeport, Conn., you can get the book. In looking through it I find that nearly every state prohibits the exporting of any game, and yet in passing through Washington market, New York city, I saw lots of game of all kinds there exposed for sale and I am wondering where it all came from, when I find that only six states east of the Mississippi river allow game exported.

A shooting match for both rifles and shotguns will be given at the Brick House hotel in Montague on Saturday, the 23d inst., and the proprietor of the Half-Way house above Milford will also hold one on the 28th inst.

The second annual farmers institute of the New Jersey board of agriculture will be held in the M. E. church at Layton on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 2nd and 3d. These meetings are doing a vast amount of good all over the state wherever they are held and every one is invited to attend whether a tiller of the soil or not, and the ladies are also cordially invited. There will be two lectures the first day and four the second. Tuesday evening Secretary Franklin Dye will speak on "Individualism in Agriculture--The Farmer and His Outfit," followed by "Neighbors in Feathers" by John Gould of Ohio. Wednesday morning T. E. Orr of Pittsburg will lecture on "Poultry Raising as a Business." In the afternoon the following will be given: "Maintaining the Dairy without Pasture," C. B. Lane, superintendent; "Dairying for the Creamery—How to Make it Pay," John Gould; "Honey Production," F. G. Harmon, Englewood, N. J.

Mrs. Elizabeth Layton is quite ill at the residence of Francis Simpson at Layton.

The cold weather is making it anything but pleasant for those who have corn yet to husk, and there is quite a bit yet to shock.

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The time for the farmers' institutes is approaching While the attendance last year was small some of the seed sown has borne fruit. The lecturers talked common sense and gave useful information. One remark, "Never leave the ground bare, have something growing all the time," is practical and though crimson clover, turnips and vetches do not succeed well here for several reasons, rye can be used to advantage as a foundation for green manuring or to cover the ground. It can be seeded after any crop and turned under in the spring or let go to harvest. The time for the institute is later this year but should the weather be fine we feel confident that there will be a good attendance and that Sandyston will not outdo us this time.

Is there any difference between having a flock of sheep pasturing the crops or a swarm of jack rabbits? The game law must be improved.

The news in the PRESS that the D. V. R. R. is making application in the courts to secure rights of way revives hope that we may yet have a railroad here.

M. B. McCarty is having some of his buildings in town painted.

Although our representative, J. B. Westbrook, was reported to have voted sometimes in a manner which did not meet the approval of some of the faithful here, he deserves the thanks of the farmers for having voted right on the appropriation of $50,000 to erect a dairy school for the benefit of the people of the state.

The appropriation for the introduction of lessons on agricultural matters in our public schools was not brought up until late in the season and so did not get through. It is hoped it may have better luck next time.

Some fuss was made here last summer about the attendance law and it was said it would be enforced this winter. One school in this township should have 30 scholars and only 8 attend, but probably the county superintendent can make a good report to the state and so make things look bright.

The tax laws should be amended so that a collector could send out statements when the duplicates are issued.

The game laws of this state and New Jersey are quite similar. The trouble began with our neighbors because city sportsmen would go along the seacoast after the snows in the fall and kill robins by the bagfuls, and here it commenced by professional hunters shooting for the New York markets. They were so expert with shot and wire that little was left for the natives except to tramp and relate their experience.

H. B. Wells is having lumber drawn with which to erect a tenant house on his farm.

Isaac Smith is getting out again but the doctors forbid him to resume work before next spring.

It is safer to buy grain by the bushel and have it ground by your own miller than to feed unknown mixtures. It is better for the health of both your stock and pocketbook.

Martha North is in New York at present caring for her sister.

The rain did not prevent a good attendance at the sale of the household goods of J. V. Carluff last week.

Miss Della Martin is on a visit with friends near Branchville, N. J.

With few exceptions the corn crop does not yield very plentifully at husking.

Hunters were scarce last week notwithstanding the light snow.

A public watering trough in Milford would be greatly appreciated by out-of-town owners of teams. The PRESS made a good suggestion which we hope will be adopted.

McCarrick, the agent of Price of Branchville, and Esquire Lakin swapped horses last week.

Isaac Smith is putting the finishing touches on his house and it will soon be ready to occupy.

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