

SOUTH HILL

March weather. At month ahead? Having an impossible month after last week's and the sudden freeze now our last thaw, has now the very condition bad. Dean was doing business in Wellsville Thursday and returned in the city with friends Friday.

James returned Saturday from a visit with her people in Ohio.

Holmes and family spent Friday night with Andersons.

Number from the hill attend the funeral of Mrs. Bridget Burke, from Blessed Sacrament church, Andover, on Saturday. Bourke was a daughter of deceased Mr. and Mrs. Patrick in the last, but one of a large family. She spent her early life on the hill, where resides many of her old-time friends. Her extended condolence to her only sister, Mrs. Marcy, and grandchildren, Margaret of New York, Miss May Dean was a guest at the home of J. A. O'Leary, of Andover, Saturday night.

John Walk, of Elm Valley, is the guest of her sister, Miss Elie Moran, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dean visited her mother, Mrs. Harrington, at the Well-ville Sanitarium, Saturday, and found the lady somewhat improved.

Ed. McAndrew was doing business in Wellsville Wednesday. Corretta and Rose Harrington, of

EAST VALLEY

John Dean went to Allegany Wednesday the a few day's visit with his daughter, Miss Mary. Leland Livermore was a business visitor in Wellsville Saturday.

Feb. 12—Our January thaw must have taken an awful cold, as it didn't get here until last Monday.

Mrs. Lizzie Loughton, of New York, is visiting at the home of her brother, Wm. Pardon and family.

The five children of Mr. and Mrs. Will Green are having the chicken-pox, but are getting along nicely.

John Clair was a business caller in Wellsville Wednesday.

A son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Green are reported as having the typhoid fever.

Mrs. Lou Snyder received word of the death of an aunt, in Andover, Tuesday.

Peter, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brieding, is sick.

These days begin to look quite springy.

John Tulis, who is living at the home of his uncle, Wm. Pardon, is much better after having a bad cold.

Guess there is plenty of water now.

Mrs. Homer Stearns is much better after several week's illness.

SIRDS THAT HELP AND HARM

Ho! ho, the crows! Like-wise the hateful sparrow and starling, for all these may be according to graphic information contained in a farmers' week exhibit on the conservation of wild animal life at the State College of Agriculture this week. The crow is, in general, a friend. He should be spared in the fall, but can do mischief in the spring. The room is full of bird and animal specimens, of all the kinds to be found in New York's fields and woods. Just which are friends and which are foes of the farmer, and of mankind in general, is plainly shown.

Most of the hawk and owl, in contrast to popular belief, seem to be friends. Exception must be made to the Coopers hawk, however, which lives almost entirely on poultry, and small birds, a sign says. The bluejay, one learns, drives away the native birds, and the imported starling drives away our native birds as badly as does the hated sparrow.

Poor old pussy, beloved of song and story, is decidedly in bad in the exhibit. A wild-eyed cat, fur afluff and tail erect, stands over a mangled robin. Beside her is a sleek house-pussy. "But, asks a sign, which is to blame? A chart gives the information that cats kill three million birds a year and this destruction may be figured as an annual loss of a million dollars.

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