

A Step Back in Time

Finis E. Tucker

Eagleville's First Mail Carrier

1905 to 1911

One day during a bad ice storm while Finis was delivering the mail, the wheels on the buggy iced over. Finis rolled the mail up in a blanket, left the buggy and rode the horse home. Pearl, one of Finis daughters was the substitute mail carrier, who sometimes had to help out on those stormy days.

Finis was born on November 24, 1863. He died on October 6, 1946. His corpse was carried up the steps in the old Eagleville Bank building on Main Street for the viewing of the body.

