

Elk County Advocate.

Local and Miscellany.

Car Time at Ridgway.
Eric Express East..... 12:45 a. m.
do do West..... 8:34 a. m.
do Mail East..... 5:15 p. m.
do do West..... 3:10 p. m.
Local Freight East..... 9:10 a. m.
do do West..... 5:30 p. m.

Elk Lodge, A. Y. M.
Stated meetings of Elk Lodge will be held at their hall on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

J. K. WHITMORE, Sec'y.

I. C. G. T.

The Regular meetings of Ridgway Lodge, No. 256, held every Wednesday evening at their Lodge Room.

W. C. TIGUE, Sec'y.

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Highland.—LEVI ELLIOTT.

Horton.—D. C. OYSTER, N. M. BUCKWAY.

DENTAL—C. W. STEBBENS, Dentist, will be in Ridgway during the coming court week. n354.

A LEARNED doctor referring to tight binding, asserted it is a public benefit, inasmuch as it kills all the foolish girls and leaves all the wise ones to grow up to be women.

THE Welsh have a saying that if a woman was as quick with her feet as with her tongue she would catch lightning enough to light the fire in the morning.

GODEY—Godey's Lady's Book for August is on our table, filled as usual with matter invaluable to every lady. Godey like wise, improves with age.

SUSTAINED—The action of the Convention which endorsed Earley, is sustained by the Gazette, the organ of the Democracy, and by all the Democratic towns in the county. How can the Legislative Convention get over that fact?

REPUDIATED—Walton seems to be as anxious to the Democracy throughout the State, as he is home. He was snubbed by the State Convention by electing his rival, Buckwalter, Chairman, and refusing to reappoint him Chairman of the State Committee.

THE palm of superiority is awarded to Mrs. S. A. Allen for her improved (new style) Hair Dresser or Dressing. (*In one bottle*) and the general public appreciates the very low price she charges. Every Druggist sells it.

PETER'S "Musical Monthly" for July has made its appearance, and is a welcome visitor. This number contains some five or six popular songs, together with quartets, instrumental music, reading matter, &c. Adr. J. L. PETERS, 198 Broadway, N. Y.

TEN Copperheads, at the recent election in Virginia, ran and succeeded in electing several negroes to the Legislators in that State. By way of returning the compliment many of the ladies voted the Copperhead State Ticket, and gave that party a majority in both branches of the Legislature. Truly the world moves.

THE LEGISLATURE—We observe that Dr. C. G. Hall has carried Elk County to Assembly. As the candidate is conceded to Elk, both Forest and Clearfield having had it, we presume Dr. Earley will be the next member. This will be a serious disappointment to the Wallace clique, as they fondly hoped the Senator's banking—John G. Hall—would be nominated. If we must have a Copperhead in this District, we prefer it should be Dr. Earley to many others we could name.—*Reform's Journal*.

SOMETHING NEW!

Box ton sandy PRIZE BOXES. Each box is filled with a new and Assorted Flavored Candy, and every box contains A PRIZE. One of the following articles: Gold and silver watches, watch chains, ladies and gent's breast pins, sleeve buttons, seals, ear rings, charms, &c. They retail at 25 cents. For sale by J. R. BAIRD, Ridgway, Penna. n353.

The following is from Godey's Lady's Book, which may be considered good authority upon such subjects.

"Only villagers or persons with rural ideas may longer content that ladies shall always be given the inside of the pavement in passing. The rule adopted in the cities is to turn to the right, whether the right leads to the wall or to the gutter, and an observance of this common sense rule would obviate much unpleasant 'scratching' by over-gallant young gentlemen who persistently crowd for the outside of the walk. Another common custom, and required by fashionable etiquette, and which is nearly as inexplicable and absurd as the practice of a whole string of men filing out of a church pew, making themselves as ridiculous as an 'awkward squad' practising at 'catching step,' in order to give a woman the wrong end of the pew, is that of a man, when on a promenade or walk with a lady, to keep himself on the outside of the pavement. A little exercise of judgement will convince any person of the utter uselessness of this bobbing back and forth every now and then. The common rule is this: If a man and woman are walking, she should always be at his right arm, whether it be towards the inside or outside of the walk; then the woman will not be shoved against the passers."

Correspondence.

Our friends of the Democratic persuasion appear to be in a bad way. The split between the Ridgway faction and what they call the St. Marys ring is not yet healed, nor does it seem likely to be very soon. The article in our last issue stirred up the Ridgway party as thoroughly as though they had stumbled upon a full grown hornet's nest, and ever since they have been buzzing around I speculate largely as to the author.

We never have been able to see the ring they speak of as existing in St. Marys, but there is a very palpable one here in Ridgway, and we fully believe that the democratic majority of the county have taken a contract to break it up. The fight is a very pretty one as it stands, and to us who are merely a "looker on" in Venice, it affords a great deal of fun. We cannot look out upon the street but we see some of the sore heads who fear that between stools men (meaning those who for the last few years have divided the loaves and fishes) will fall to the ground.

We are sufficiently a democrat to believe in the Jacksonian theory of rotation in office and are thoroughly glad there is a prospect of a change. So far as right is concerned, there is no doubt that it is on the side of the convention held in the evening, or as the ring folks say, the bolters convention.

Our neighbor of the *Gazette* publishes only the proceedings of the evening convention, at least we have been unable to discover any other, and we fear that if they of the ring find such a report they will have to stand on their heads to do it.

Gamblers when they "put up a job" on a greasy, take good care not to talk of it outside, or where there is a possibility of its becoming known, but the ring confident in their strength, composed though it is of played out politicians whose influence extends no farther than Highland or Spring Creek, talk publicly of the way in which they foisted the "Dutch." Considering that the strength of the Democratic vote lays in St. Marys, Benzinger and Fox, we think they should be more careful as to the manner in which they express either exultation or disgust.

Go in gentlemen, fight the Dutch, fight the Irish, we can stand it as long as you, knowing full well that when "rogues fail out honest men get their dues."

Let us give you a little honest closing advice. Come down from your high stand point, submit to what you will know to be the will of the large majority of the Democracy, and although we will not pledge ourselves to vote with you, we will at some future time, when your characters for political honesty recover their tone, say a good word for you and perhaps assist you to get some small township office to help satisfy your cravings for power.

By a judicious course of conduct for a long term of years you might some of you get elected constable, auditor, or even supervisor, but your dishonesty in the late convention was so open, flagrant and notorious, that we do not believe that you stand the ghost of a chance before the people of the county. *

HON. J. B. NEUTON, of Emporia, Pa., says: "I have received more benefit from the Macomber's than from any other medium of the kind I ever used."

GEN. GRANT expressed to a friend the other day, that he felt that Gen. George would carry Pennsylvania by a larger majority than before, that Gov. George was a soldier and statesman, and that the Keystone State never had a Governor that was more true and faithful to her best interests.

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A train will leave Shawmut Junction, P. & R. R., daily, for the mines at 5:20 P. M., and passes can be had and a pamphlet giving a full and accurate description of the property, real and personal, the quality of the coal and capacity of the mines may be obtained by application to the auctioneers, or to the undersigned:

CHARLES U. COTTING,
W. M. C. ENDICOTT,
No. 9 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.,
HENRY SOUTHER,
Ridgway, Pa., Trustee.

Or, Capt. H. P. GOODRICH, Agent
n33w4, Shawmut, Elk Co., Pa.

LIST of Grand and Traverse Jurors drawn for August term 1869.

GRAND JURORS.

Benezette.—H. D. Derr, Monroe Moore,

Jas. W. Brown.

Benzinger.—Francis Cassidy, Jas. Kerner,

Charles Ritter.

Fox.—W. S. Hamblen, Peter Banzart,

Pheochus Thompson, Wm. Wood, Hiram Hewitt.

Highland.—Robt. J. Campbell.

Horton.—Geo. Funk.

Jay.—Jas. Dill, Josiah W. Mead.

Jones.—F. Work.

Ridgway.—J. V. Houk, A. Thompson, J.

Vaivorsall.

Spring Creek.—H. R. Moore.

St. Marys.—Geo. Ed. Weis, Louis Garner,

Daniel Scul, Chas. Weis.

THE VERSE JURORS.

Benezette.—J. W. Winslow, David S. Johnson,

Ellis Lewis, Jacob English, Edward Fletcher,

J. O. Johnson.

Benzinger.—Geo. W. Rathbun, Michael Lawler, Andrew Kaul, Phillip Krause.

Fox.—Geo. B. Taylor, N. G. Bundy, Elias Moyer, Michael Gilpin, Stephen Hayes, R. M. Bennett, Robt. Thompson, James Farnsworth, Thomas Birchfield.

Horton.—Patrick McCready, Daniel Phelan, Harvey Parsons.

Jay.—A. W. Gray, Zenas Webb, Wm. P.

Luce, A. Turley, E. F. Morey.

Jones.—John Marsh, Godfrey Wonk.

Ridgway.—D. S. Luther, W. C. Healy, Thos. A. Neil, Jas. Rickard, Nathaniel T. Cummings, Robt. V. Kime.

Spring Creek.—David Kennedy.

St. Marys.—John Butch, Jas. Freeland,

Chas. Ames, J. S. Bates, John B. Ahles, Thos. Zimel, Jas. Weidenbauer, Wm. Braund, Adolph Fothman.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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Just published, a new edition of DR. CULVERWELL'S CELEBRATED ESSAY on the radical cure (without medicine) of SPERMATORRHIA, or Seminal Weakness, involuntary Seminal Losses, IMPOTENCY, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, etc.; also, CONSUMPTION, EPILEPSY, and FEVERS, induced by self indulgence or sexual extravagance.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of Sunday writes of *Evening Star* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Elk County, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale or outcry, at the Court House in Ridgway on

Monday, August 2d, 1869.

At 1 o'clock P. M. the following described property to-wit:

All the right, title, interest, claim and demand of the defendant in and to all that piece or parcel of land situated in Spring Creek township, Elk County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Clarion river where the old county line (the western boundary of said county) crosses the same; thence north 40° E. one hundred and seventy-three perches to a maple. Thence south 75° E. two hundred and six perches to a hemlock at Clarion river; thence down said river by its several meanderings to the place of beginning, being the eastern part of tract No. 4942, and containing six hundred and three acres, by the same more or less, and has erected thereon one log house twenty feet long and eighteen feet wide, also one frame barn thirty feet long and twenty-five feet wide, and of said land about ten acres has been improved.

ALSO.—All that certain tract of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the north line of tract numbered twenty-nine hundred and forty-two (2922) thence south one hundred perches to a post, thence east one hundred and seventy perches to a beech; thence north one hundred and seventy perches to a hemlock; thence west one hundred and seventy perches to a post, the place of beginning;

Containing one hundred acres more or less, of which about twenty acres has been improved and has twenty bearing fruit trees growing thereon. Also one log house twenty-four feet long and twenty feet wide and one story high, and one log barn forty feet long and thirty feet wide, has been erected on said land.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Jeremiah Elliott and to be sold by JACOB McCUALEY, Sheriff.

Ridgway, July 13th, 1869. n352.

THOMAS BIRCH & SON, AUCTIONEERS

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power contained in a certain mortgage and decree made thereby of the Court of Common Pleas of Elk County, Pa.

Thomas Birch & Son, Auctioneers, will sell at the Exchange, in the city of Philadelphia, on THURSDAY, July 20th, 1869, at One o'clock P. M.

ALL the real personal property and corporate franchises of "THE SHAWMUT COAL COMPANY OF ELK CO.," consisting of about seventeen miles of railroad, well ballasted and in good order; the fee (less the pine timber,) in about five thousand five hundred acres of land, and the mining rights for all future time in about six hundred acres additional and adjoining.

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