

Elk County Advocate.

Table with 2 columns: Car Time at Ridgway, and times for various routes like Erie Express East, do do West, etc.

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.

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

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The frame of our new school house was raised this week. It presents a grand appearance.

Dr. H. F. C. Krumme, left here on Monday for Prussia; he has received a Surgeon's commission in that army.

We understand that J. S. Hyde has sold his land situated on the Clarion between town and Eagle Valley, to a firm who are going to erect a Tannery this fall.

Some of our enterprising contemporaries are already speculating upon the changes which the probable—almost certain—success of the Prussians will make in the map of Europe.

The following dispatch was received on Friday morning.

ERIE, August 25th 1870. The County Committee here, resolved no nomination made and have appointed five delegates for a new convention.

CAUGHT.—A horse thief was taken on Wednesday and lodged in our jail. He left the horse at John Fox's Tavern, about thirty miles from here, in Jefferson county, and says he stole him in Michigan.

The Gazette has found, in Fox township, a few trees, standing in line in John Green's Sugar Bush, and asks for information; wants to know "who did it?" Laurie, ask George Arts, he can tell you.

All the Chinamen who have left their native country to emigrate to the United States, according to our consuls in China, did so as free and voluntary emigrants, not only willing but anxious to go! The coolie system of contracts is prohibited by law, but there is and can be no law to prevent the Chinese from coming to this country and making labor contracts after arrival.

Look here reader, we do not wish to tell you that consumption can be cured when the lungs are half consumed, nor that Dr. Wonderful, or any other fellow, has discovered a remedy that will make men live forever, and leave death play for the want of work. No, you have heard enough of that, and we do not wonder that you have by this time become disgusted with it. But when we tell you that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will positively cure the worst cases of catarrh, we only assert that which thousands can testify to. Try it and you will be convinced.

Sent by mail for sixty cents. Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by most Druggists everywhere.

IMPORTANT TO SOLDIERS.—The act making appropriations for the support of the army for the present year, approved July 15, the 25th section of which reads as follows: That every private soldier and officer who has served in the army of the United States during the rebellion for ninety days, and remained loyal to the government, and seamen, marine, and officer or other person who has served in the navy of the United States, or in the marine corps or revenue marine, during the rebellion for ninety days, and remained loyal to the government, shall, on payment of the fee or commission to any register or receiver of any land office required by law, be entitled to enter one quarter section of land, not mineral, not the alternate reserved section of public lands along the lines of any one of the railroads or any other public works in the United States, wherever public lands may have been or may be granted by acts of Congress, and to receive a patent therefor, under and by any provisions of the act to secure homesteads to actual settlers on the public domain, and the acts amendatory thereof, and on the forms and conditions therein prescribed, and all the provisions of said acts, except as herein modified, shall extend and be applicable to entries under this act.

THE WAR.

TUESDAY, August 23.

There appears to be a lull in the great contest, no reports of fighting being received from any quarter. In London it is stated that all reliable advices from the seat of war shows that the Prussian commanders are seeking to effectually surround Marshal Bazaine so that reinforcements will be unable to join him. The Crown Prince is pushing on towards Paris, his pickets having appeared at St. Dizier, a town on the river Marne, 35 miles southeast of Chalons, and 115 miles southeast of Paris.

The losses in the recent battles are said to have been enormous.

Paris continues to prepare for a vigorous defence, and one report places the number of troops in that vicinity at upward of three hundred thousand. The Constitutionnel publishes a circular from the Minister of the Interior to prefects of departments, announcing that orders have been given for a distribution of arms to the people from the arsenal.

A telegram from Vienna states that the Austrian Germans have pronounced in favor of Germany in the present war. A proclamation is said to have been issued in their name calling upon all their patriotic brethren to rally to the support of Prussia and German unity.

Prince Napoleon is at Florence. His mission is to demand the mediation of Italy.

Confidence in the ultimate success of the military movements now in progress is increasing in Paris. At the Ministry of the Interior last night it was announced that no definite news would be received from the army for some days to come, it being withheld for prudential reasons.

Manifestoes begin to appear in South German papers insisting that Alsace must be ceded to Germany as a condition of peace.

From outgivings at Harrisburgh we are prepared, says an exchange, to believe that the Governor will sign the death warrant and fix the day for the execution of Semppe, the Carlisle murderer. The prisoner has written a begging letter asking for his life that he may be permitted to return to Prussia to enter into her armies. Governor Geary is a conscientious man. He would not swerve from the discharge of a duty even if the whole country thunders at his doors to have him do otherwise. While we would ask that mercy be shown to the unfortunate and miserable felon, still we do not occupy Geary's place and are not bound to discharge any duty in the premises. It is the most painful act of an Executive to sign a warrant for the shifting of a fellow-being's soul into externity, and the fatal signature is generally made with a trembling hand. If Schaepple be awarded life and liberty, few will condemn the clemency; if, however, he shall be hanged, none can reflect on the Governor for having discharged his full duty in a conscientious manner.

The Judicial Nomination.

[From the Erie Dispatch.]

North East, August 14, 1870.

The Republicans of this vicinity, quite generally, if not unanimously, condemn the bolters and will in no wise endorse their errors. We see nothing in this case to relieve it from the error of all bolters. The grievances complained of are such as are always pleaded by those who are willing to sacrifice their party for individual interest. Even more than in ordinary cases of this nature are the folly and evil purposes of the misguided Erie County Conferees apparent; since they threatened, rashly threatened, many days in advance of the meeting of the convention to rupture the party and resist it ruling through the convention, in case the condition they presented was not accepted and endorsed.

W. G.

DIED.

In Ridgway, August 23d, infant son of Daniel Scriber, aged two months.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of John Nolf, late of Horton Township, Elk County, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to call and settle, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement. PETER THOMPSON, JAMES R. GREEN, Administrators.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Elk County, the undersigned will offer for sale, on

Saturday, September 24th, 1870, at public vendue, on the premises, all that tract of land situate in Jay Township, known as the Daniel Hewitt farm, containing Eighty-three Acres and forty perches strict measure.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third cash on confirmation of sale, and the balance in two annual instalments with interest to be secured by judgment bond, and mortgage on the premises.

WM. B. HEWITT, J. W. MEAD, Executors.

NEW LIVERY STABLE IN

RIDGWAY.

DAN SCRIBNER WISHES TO INFORM the Citizens of Ridgway, and the public generally, that he has started a Livery Stable and will keep

GOOD STOCK, GOOD CARRIAGES & Buggies, to let upon the most reasonable terms.

Stable in the Brooks Barn, near the Post Office, on Race street. All orders left at the Post Office will meet prompt attention. Aug 20, 1870. If.

ESTRAY.

Strayed from the premises of the subscriber, in Wilcox Pa., one light red cow, with a white spot on forehead. Any person returning said cow or giving information of her whereabouts will be liberally rewarded. Said cow had a bell on her neck when she left. JOHN BENSON, Wilcox, Pa. Aug. 16, 1870.

CAUTION.—Whereas our son, Francis Simon Leesch, has left our house and board without just cause or provocation, we hereby forbid any person harboring or trusting him on our account as we will pay no debts contracted by him. FRANCIS A. & FRANCISCA LOESCH, St. Marys, Aug. 16, 1870.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Elk County, the undersigned will expose at Public Sale, on the premises, on

Saturday, September 3d, 1870, at 1 o'clock P. M., one hundred acres of land, more or less situate in the Township of Spring Creek in the County of Elk, known as the James Crow Warrant, bounded on the east, south and west by lands of Rhines & Dilworth, and on the north by lands known as the Wilcox Warrant.

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The Company have a Capital Stock of \$10,000,000 And a grant of Land from Congress, of 1,694,900 Acres, valued, at the lowest estimate, at 4,000,000 First Mortgage bonds, 1,500,000 Total, \$15,500,000

Total length of road, 271 miles; dist. included in this Mortgage, 111 miles; price, 97¢ and accrued interest, IN CURRENCY. Can be obtained from the undersigned. Also, pamphlets, maps and information relating thereto. These bonds, being so well secured and yielding a large income are desirable to parties seeking safe and lucrative investments. We recommend them with entire confidence.

W. P. CONVERSE & CO., COMMERCIAL AGENTS, No. 54 Pine Street, New York. TANNER & CO., FISCAL AGENTS, No. 49 Wall Street, New York. June 4 3m.

COAL! COAL!!

The subscriber having ordered 600 tons bituminous and anthracite coal is now prepared to furnish the people of Ridgway with hard or soft coal, nut or stove sizes, lump run of mines and Blacksmithing coal, in quantities to suit purchasers. 40 tf M. T. FRENCH, July 23, 1870.

THE MAGIC COMB will change any colored hair or beard to a permanent black or brown. It contains no poison. Any one can use it. One sent by mail for \$1. Address MAGIC COMB CO., 115 8m Springfield, Mass.

BRICK, BRICK!

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S. S. WOOD, Publisher and Proprietor Woods Household Magazine, NEWBURN N. Y. March 12, 1870

I was cured of Deafness and Catarrh by a simple remedy and will send the receipt free. MRS. M. C. LEGGETT, Hoboken, N. J. 24 6w

BOARDING HOUSE,

Near the Depot, Wilcox, Pa.

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Ridgway, March 1st, 1870.

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March 5. tf S. JACKSON.

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GOLD! GOLD! GOLD! HARNESS! HARNESS! HARNESS! COLLARS! COLLARS! COLLARS!

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