

# Elk County Advocate.

**Car Time at Ridgway.**  
Eric Express East..... 2:30 p. m.  
do do West..... 1:01 a. m.  
do Mail East..... 2:45 p. m.  
do do West..... 1:57 p. m.  
do Coal Freight East..... 7:20 a. m.  
do do West..... 5:10 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.

**L. O. G. T.**  
The Regular meetings of Ridgway Lodge, No. 256, held every Wednesday evening at their Lodge Room.  
H. A. PARSONS, W. S.

## AGENTS FOR THE ADVOCATE.

The following named persons are authorized agents for the Advocate—to receive subscriptions, advertising or job work, take pay therefor and give receipts.

- Wilcox.—A. T. ALDRICH, J. L. BROWN.
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- Caledonia.—W. P. SMITH, B. A. WOOD.
- Bennazetta.—JOHN C. BARD, J. W. BROWN.
- Shannant.—JOHN FAIRBANK.
- Spring Creek.—A. W. IRVIN.
- Highland.—LEVI ELLIOTT.
- Horion.—D. C. OYSTER, N. M. BROCKWAY.

The Livery business appears to be lively here.

If you want a new wagon or buggy go to S. Jackson's shop.

MAD. FOY'S and L.C. English's Skirt supporter Corsets can be had at Mr. P. Malone's at from \$1.50 to \$2.

GEO. WALKER returns thanks to the citizens of Ridgway for the liberal subscription received by him which enables him to re-build his shop.

NOTICE.—The Commissioners will meet at their office, in Ridgway, on Friday, September 30th, 1870.

C. H. MCCAULEY, Clerk.

It cost two dollars a head under Buchanan to run the government. Under Grant it costs but \$1.64. Another evidence of the failure of Grant's administration. He is no such royal spendthrift as his Democratic predecessors have been.

NOTICE.—There will be a Sociable by the Ladies of Grace Church, at the residence of Henry Southern, on Wednesday the 14th inst., 7 o'clock P. M. The donation to pay for services the past season in the church. All are invited to attend. Refreshments will be furnished.

MIGLNER SHOP MOVED.—Mrs. J. V. Hook has moved from the room formerly occupied by her over Gillis' store, to J. R. Baird's Store. Mrs. Hook is now in the city purchasing goods. Our citizens need not be surprised when they see in her store the largest and best stock ever brought to Ridgway, and for less than the usual price.

Those diseases which are peculiar to females, as Female Weakness, Leucorrhoea, Weak Back, Irregularities, and Nervous or General Debility are permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Alterative Extract or Golden Medical Discovery. Sold by druggists; or send three and quarter dollars to R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y., and get three bottles free of Express Charges.

A BIG PORKER.—A correspondent at Morrell, Huntingdon county, Pa., writes us as follows; Mr. Jas. A. Hagerty, of Union Furnace Mills, Huntingdon county, Pa., received a pig from Salem, Ohio, on the 15th of last June, which the breeder said at the time was six weeks old, and weighed fifty-eight pounds. The same pig, on the 15th of August, sixty days after, was put upon a pair of scales by Wm. Gibbs and D. H. Paulhamus, when it weighed one hundred and sixty-three and a half pounds. A gain of 105 pounds in the sixty days, or nearly two pounds per day.—*Raftsmen's Journal.*

ARE CATS DANGEROUS.—The Albany Argus is authority for the following statement.

The good citizens of Schenectady have been alarmed greatly by a singular affair which took place there a few days ago. As a cat story it is ahead of anything of the kind we have heard. The father of a family just before retiring late at night heard groanings in the room occupied by his daughter, a girl twelve years of age. Upon going to the room he found a cat on the breast of his child, with its fore legs around the child's neck and its mouth to the child's mouth. It was with some difficulty that the cat was removed. The child had evidently been asleep, and when found was so much exhausted by her breath having been obstructed that she had not strength enough to force the cat away. We have heard of cats causing the death of infants in this way, but never before heard of such an incident in connection with a girl twelve years of age. The facts were reported by her father himself. The girl has since been troubled in breathing.

## Choked to Death in Fun.

From the Hanover, Pa. Spectator.  
A distressing case of homicide occurred in the neighboring village of New Oxford on Monday afternoon last, which created the most intense excitement in that usually quiet little place. The particulars of the affair as we learned them, are substantially as follows: On the afternoon above mentioned, a man named John Bond, residing in the neighborhood, visited town and became somewhat intoxicated.

The constable of Oxford township, a man named Bolton, who was standing on the pavement near Zonck's store near the Square, and who was himself somewhat intoxicated, remarked to the bystanders that he would have a little fun, approached Bond, and taking hold of him by the coat-collar, jestingly remarked that he was going to arrest him.

Bond making some resistance, the Constable grasped him by the throat, and dragged him along with him up the street, followed by a crowd as is usual in such cases. Upon proceeding a short distance the spectators observed that his grip was telling with fearful effect upon the poor man, and that if he was not speedily released he would be choked to death, and demanded that he be set free. The officer, inflamed by drink and excitement refused, when the bystanders grabbed hold of him and a severe struggle took place, which resulted in his being compelled to release his victim.

To the great horror of all present during the scene, it was discovered that poor Bond, who had fallen to the ground during the scuffle, was in a dying condition, having evidently been choked to death. Physicians were summoned, and notwithstanding every effort was made to restore him, by bleeding, etc., all proved futile and he expired in a few minutes, and instead of a farce being enacted a terrible tragedy resulted.

The tragic affair created an intense excitement throughout the township neighborhood, Bolton was immediately arrested and conveyed to the Gettysburg jail. A Coroner's inquest was held over the corpse of the unfortunate man, and the jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts. Bond was aged about 55 years, and was a harmless and inoffensive man.

EVERY SATURDAY for September 10 is one of the handsomest Illustrated Papers ever issued. It contains European War Pictures.—the Baden Prisoners taken at Niederbronn; French Soldiers bathing at Nancy; A Prussian Outpost; Saarbruck; and Some Recruits for the South German Army. It has besides, fine portraits of Mademoiselle Sessi and Geo. W. Childs of the Philadelphia Ledger; a beautiful art picture, Morning in the Desert; and three admirable summer pictures.—A Picnic in the Woods, by A. Hoppin; Summer Days, by W. J. Hennessy; and On the Beach at Long Branch, by C. G. Bush.

Its Literary contents comprise able and very interesting Editorials on The Balance of Power, An Empire's Bull Run, On the Uncertainty of Things, Desirable Calamity, etc. It has a full summary of Home and Foreign News, two additional chapters of 'The Mystery of Edwin Drood,' a sketch of Geo. W. Childs by James Parton, and other fresh and readable articles. Altogether, it is a remarkable number of this first-class family Illustrated Weekly.

We speak from experience when we say that of all little domestic clouds that arise, we dread the one that appears when tired and hungry we leave our daily toil and wind our way home expecting smiles, hot tea, hot rolls, &c., &c., but instead get saluted with "no fire in the stove! no kindling wood! the poor darling baby crying with the cold! And all your fault! Why don't you get a Spear's Revolving light? It will keep a fire all winter without removing the fire, and it takes only half the coal that this old fashioned one does, and besides it burns chestnut size which costs one dollar per ton less than any other."

We give it up. We are going to Services and get one just to see if the horizon will not be clearer, and we advise our friends to go and do likewise.

SNEAK THIEVES.—Scarcely a night passes of late but somebody's house, cellar, or garden is entered by thieves, and provisions, etc., carried off. The last case that we have heard of, is the stealing of potatoes in the ground, from the lot of Miles W. Tate, Esq., of this place, and on the same night—perhaps by the same party—all the onions were stolen from the garden of Mr. Daniel Black. It would be well for our citizens to be on the alert, and if they can, put a bullet or two, or a pint of shot into some of these miscreants; it may have the effect to deter others from prowling around their neighbor's houses at unreasonable hours. We do hope that they may be brought to justice, and the full penalty of the law administered to them.—*Forest Republican.*

**DR. A. FISHER.**  
Surgeon Dentist, of Warren, Pa., will be in St. Mary's the third week in each month. Office in Dr. Russ' building, Centre street, St. Mary's, and at Ridgway every court week. Office at the Hyde House.

A WARNING.—A young lady died suddenly in Harrisburg several days ago. A post mortem examination revealed the fact that some small insects found in her jute chignon had bored through the skull and penetrated the brain, producing instant death.—*Ex.*

Those 'insects' haven't got up into this country, though they might reap a rich harvest were they they to emigrate. They might dye of old age before they bored through some of the chignons about here.—*McKean Miner.*

When we were school children there was a little 'insect' that bored and scratched our heads, but never killed any of us, but probably would if we had worn chignons. We layed them out with blue ointment.

People as they read the latest news from Europe have little idea of the expense incurred in procuring it. As an instance we the following from the Tribune: 'Our single dispatch concerning the battle of Gravelotte cost us (notwithstanding the great reductions in cable tolls) two thousand two hundred and eighty dollars in gold for the mere transmission from London to New York. There were, besides, the cost of a special courier from the battle-field through Alsace, Rhenish Prussia, Belgium, and thence London, and the pay of the correspondent himself, together with the pay of a body of no less than five assistants in that army alone.'

TOUCHING.—An editor, who was evidently insane, or had a strong and vivid imagination, recently got off the following appropriate item, if true:

I had a dream the other night  
When everything was still,  
I dreamed that each subscriber  
Came up and paid his bill,  
Each wore a look of honesty,  
And smiles were round each eye,  
As they handed out the stamps  
Saying, "How is that for high?"

CAUTION.—Whereas our son, Francis Simon Leesch, has left our house and board without just cause or provision, 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. Mary's, Aug. 16, 1870. 44 ct

## 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 24, 1870,

at 1 o'clock P. M., one hundred acres of land, more or less, situated 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 Wilson Warrant.

TERMS.—One-third cash in hand, the balance in two equal annual payments with interest to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

JOHN CHAMBERLIN, }  
PETER CHAMBERLIN, }  
42 & spt. }  
Guardeans.

## 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. 3t

## 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

## BRICK, BRICK!

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE READY TO furnish brick in quantities to suit purchasers. Will deliver on board of cars on the Daugaschoanda Railroad at Eerley.

T. KING & CO.  
Eerley July 12, 1870. 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.

JOB WORK done with dispatch at this Office.

## ADDRESS

TO THE  
**NERVOUS AND DEBILITATED,**  
WHOSE SUFFERING HAVE BEEN PROTRACTED FROM HIDDEN CAUSES,  
AND WHOSE CASES REQUIRE  
**PROMPT TREATMENT**  
TO RENDER EXISTENCE DESIRABLE.

If you are suffering or have suffered, from involuntary discharges, what effect does it produce upon your general health? Do you feel weak, debilitated, easily tired? Does a little extra exertion produce palpitation of the heart? Does your liver, or urinary organs, or your kidneys, frequently get out of order? Is your urine sometimes thick, milky or floccy, or is itropy on settling? Or does a thick skum rise to the top? Or is a sediment at the bottom after it has stood awhile? Do you have spells of short breathing or dyspepsia? Are your bowels constipated? Do you have spells of fainting, or rushes of blood to the head? Is your memory impaired? Is your mind constantly dwelling on the subject? Do you feel dull, listless, moping, tired of company, of life? Do you wish to be left alone, to get away from everybody? Does any little thing make you start or jump? Is your sleep broken or restless? Is the lustre of your eye as brilliant? The bloom of your cheek as bright? Do you enjoy yourself in society as well? Do you pursue your business with the same energy? Do you feel as much confidence in yourself? Are your spirits dull and flagging, given to fits of melancholy? If so, do not lay it to your liver or dispepsia. Have you restless nights? Your back weak, and have but little appetite, and you attribute this to dyspepsia or liver-complaint?

Now, reader, self-abuse, venereal disease badly cured, and sexual excesses, are all capable of producing a weakness of the generative organs. The organs of the generation, when in perfect health, make the man. Did you ever think that those bold, defiant, energetic, persevering business-men are always those whose generative organs are in perfect health? You never hear such men complain of being melancholy, of nervousness, of palpitation of the heart. They are never afraid they cannot succeed in business; they don't become sad and discouraged; they are always polite and pleasant in company of ladies, and look you and them right in the face—none of your downcast looks or any other meanness about them. I do not mean those who keep the organs inflated by running to excess. These will not only ruin their constitutions, but also those they do business with or for.

How many men, from badly cured diseases, from the effects of self-abuse and excesses, have brought about that state of weakness in those organs that has reduced the general system so much as to induce almost every other disease—illness, paralysis, spinal affections, suicide, and almost every other form of disease which humanity is heir to—and the real cause of the trouble scarcely ever suspected, and have doctored for all but the right one.

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THE USE OF A  
**DIURETIC.**

**HELMBOLD'S**

**FLUID EXTRACT**

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IS THE GRET DIURETI, AND IS A CERTAIN

CURE FOR DISEASE OF THE

BLADDER, KIDNEYS, GRAVEL,

DROPSY, ORGANIC WEAK-

NESS, FEMALE COMPLAINTS,

GENERAL DEBILITY.

And all other diseases of the Urinary Organs, whether existing in MALE or FEMALE, from whatever cause originating, and no matter how long standing.

If no treatment is submitted to, consumption or insanity may ensue. Our flesh and blood are supported from these sources, and the health and happiness, and that of Posterity, depends upon prompt use of a reliable remedy.

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104 South 10th Street, Philadelphia Pa.

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NONE ARE GENUINE UNLESS DONE UP IN STEEL ENGRAVED WRAPPER, WITH FAC-SIMILE OF MY CHEMICAL WAREHOUSE, AND SIGNED,  
**H. T. HELMBOLD.**

## W. S. SERVICE.

200,000 CUSTOMERS WANTED.  
At the new Masonic Hall Building.

STOVES at prices that will please of all desirable kinds.

TIN-WARE of every kind on hand at all times

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get what you want at their store, hence

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BUTTER, EGGS,

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