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County Pa. Office across the hall from  
the Democrat establishment. Claims  
for collection promptly attended to  
June 15/78.

CHARLES HOLES,  
Watchmaker, Engraver and Jeweler  
Main Street, Ridgway, Pa. Agent for the  
Jewelry Sewing Machine, and Morton Gold  
& Jew. Repairing Watches, etc., done with  
the same accuracy as heretofore. Satis-  
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J. O. W. BAILEY,  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
Ridgway, Elk County, Pa.  
Agent for the Traveler's Life and Acci-  
dent Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn.

JAMES D. FULLERTON,  
Surgeon Dentist, having permanently lo-  
cated in Ridgway, offers his professional ser-  
vices to the citizens of Ridgway and sur-  
rounding country. All work warranted.  
Office in Service & Wheeler's Building, up-  
stairs, first door to the left. 73-n-32-ly

G. G. MESSENGER,  
Druggist and Pharmacist, N. W. corner  
of Main and Mill streets, Ridgway, Pa.  
full assortment of carefully selected For-  
eign and Domestic Drugs. Prescriptions  
carefully dispensed at all hours, day or  
night. viny

T. S. HARTLEY M. D.,  
Physician and Surgeon.  
Office in Drug Store, corner Broad and  
Main Sts., Residence corner Broad St.  
opposite the College. Office hours from  
8 to 10 A. M. and from 7 to 8 P. M.  
viny

J. S. BORDWELL, M. D.,  
Eclectic Physician and Surgeon, has re-  
moved his office from Centre street, to Main  
St., in the second story of the  
new brick building of John G. Hall, op-  
posite Hyde's store.  
Office hours:—1 to 2 P. M. 7 to 9 P. M.

HYDE HOUSE,  
Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa.  
W. H. SCHRAM, Proprietor.  
Thankful for the patronage heretofore  
so liberally bestowed upon him, the new  
proprietor, hopes, by paying strict at-  
tention to the comfort and convenience of  
guests, to merit a continuance of the same.  
Oct 20 1869.

E. G. FAY,  
LUMBER AND INSURANCE COM-  
MISSION BROKER,  
AND  
GENERAL COLLECTION AGENT  
No 206 Walnut Place,  
(316 Walnut Street),  
PHILADELPHIA, PA.  
n 41-ly

P. W. HAYS,  
DEALER IN  
Dry Goods, Notions, Croceries  
and General Variety,  
FOX ELK CO., PA.  
Early P. O.

NEW STORE  
IN RIDGWAY.  
SILVERMANN & Co's  
BAZAAR OF WILLIAMSPORT, PA.

have opened a large stock of Millinery  
and Fancy Goods, Notions, Gent-  
Furnishing Goods, Picture and Motte  
Frames, Hair Switches, &c., which  
they will sell at prices within the  
reach of all.  
Don't fail to call and examine their  
full and complete stock before purchas-  
ing elsewhere. Remember the place  
next door to the Post-office. n5n3.

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  
and Buggies to let upon the most  
reasonable terms.  
He will also do job teaming.

Stable on Broad street, above Main  
All orders left at the Post Office will  
receive prompt attention.  
Aug 20 1878

IF YOU WANT TO BUY  
GOODS CHEAP  
GO TO

JAMES H HAGERTY  
Main Street, Ridgway, Pa

DBY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS  
SHOES, HATS AND CAPS,  
GLASS AND GREENS-  
WARE, WOOD AND  
WILLOW-WARE,  
TOBACCO AND CIGARS

A Large Stock of  
Groceries and Provisions

The BEST BRANDS OF FLOUR  
Constantly on hand, and sold as cheap  
as the CHEAPEST  
JAMES H HAGERTY

# Elk Advocate.

THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1877.

The following time table has gone  
into effect on the P. & E. R. R. for  
this place.  
Erie Mail West 2:11 P. M.  
Niagara Express West 7:45 P. M.  
Local West 8:30 A. M.  
Erie Mail East 4:40 P. M.  
Day Express East 6:56 A. M.  
Local East 3:45 P. M.

Wild raspberries are ripe.  
Ed Paine is getting better.  
Splendid haying weather last week.  
See Administrator's Sale in another  
column.

New potatoes are selling at \$1.00 a  
bushel here.  
Business-cards neatly and cheaply  
printed at this office.

For first-class work and good fits  
give McAffee a call.  
L. C. Horton and wife, of North  
East are in town visiting friends.

Hard times does not seem to deter  
young folks from getting married.  
Skunks seem to be thick at Wilcox  
See our Wilcox correspondence.

Hyde, Kiene, & Co., will put up a  
ware house in the rear of their  
factory.  
There seems to be a demand for  
cheap tenement houses in this place at  
present.

Ezra Pelnak has been in town for  
the past week. Will Walker is also  
staying here now.  
Services in Lutheran church next  
Sunday evening in English by Rev.  
I. Breneman. All are invited.

M. S. Kline is now taking the  
registry of votes in Ridgway town-  
ship. See to it that you are registered.  
Paris Green mixed with water seems  
not to be a good remedy for the potato  
bug evil.

Bear in mind that we sell writing  
paper and envelopes cheap at this  
office.  
W. H. Osterhout is cutting the  
grass on his flats with a mowing ma-  
chine, heretofore the work has been  
done by hand.

Miss B. E. Wilcox is building a  
house on South Street next Capt.  
Fred. Schoening's. Excavation on the  
cellar has been commenced.

The Episcopal Sunday School picnic,  
held in Early's orchard last Thurs-  
day, was a success, and seemed to be  
enjoyed by all who participated.

Huckleberries are ripe now, al-  
though none have appeared in this  
market. We are informed that the  
fires in the woods have damaged the  
crop.

Bill-heads, note-heads, cards, tags  
and envelopes at this office, and if  
you contemplate getting married we  
can furnish you with elegant wedding  
cards.

The schedule for the Ridgway and  
Tylersburg mail route has been  
changed, starting from this place Mon-  
days and Thursdays and from Tylers-  
burg Tuesdays and Fridays.

H. H. Wilson has returned from  
Philadelphia where he has been for  
several weeks. He had an operation  
performed on his thigh at Jefferson  
College, and returns home feeling and  
looking much better.

That Dried Beef Sliced at the West  
End Store is certainly just the thing.  
Come and see it. You buy only what  
you need, no waste, no drying out, a  
half pound goes farther than a pound  
of ordinary beef.

Republican candidates for Sheriff  
are now at hand.—Elk Democrat.  
This simple looking paragraph  
seems much more simple when trans-  
lated, viz: "Republican candidates for  
Sheriff are not at hand." It is  
evident that the Latin education of the  
Democrat has been neglected.

Two bark-woods accidents last  
week. W. T. Clyde, had his arm  
nearly broken in the woods above  
Eagle Valley, and Ben Mallin had a  
terrible gash cut in his leg, and was  
thrown a considerable distance by a  
tree on the side hill near Hall's farm,  
between the State road and the river.

John L. Cummings, formerly a  
resident of this place, died of small  
pox at Spring City, a place about  
thirty-five miles from Philadelphia,  
on Tuesday, July 10th 1877. He was  
about thirty years old, and leaves a  
wife and one child.

The Democratic Committee of Elk  
county met in Ridgway on Friday  
the 13th inst., and appointed C. J. L.  
Brown, Representative delegate and  
recommended Hon. Jno. G. Hall for  
Senatorial delegate to the State Con-  
vention—appointing as senatorial con-  
feres Hon. C. R. Early, J. K. P. Hall,  
Esq., and W. H. Hyde—the commit-  
tee instructed for Col. A. C. Noyes for  
State Treasurer.

The Ridgway Musical Association  
holds its regular sessions in the base-  
ment of the M. E. Church on Friday  
evening of each week. The following  
is the list of officers for the quarter  
ending October 5, 1877. President E.  
K. Gresh, Vice Presidents, C. R.  
Early, Horace Little, D. C. Oyster, S.  
A. Olmstead, W. H. Osterhout and  
Lizzie Luther, Treasurer H. K. Gresh,  
Secretary, W. H. Shiley, Musical Di-  
rector J. O. W. Bailey, Organist Miss  
Jennie Gresh, Ex. Committee, J. D.  
Fullerton, James McCauley, H. K.  
Gresh, Charles Olmstead, Daniel Ir-  
win and Lizzie Luther. This Asso-  
ciation is open and free to all, any  
person desiring to receive instruction  
in the rudiments of vocal music will  
do well to join this Association at this  
time, as a thorough review of elemen-  
tary principles, with such instruction  
as may be needed will be conducted  
by the director during this quarter.

## Wilcox Notes.

Hot and dry. Fine weather for  
haying and farmers are improving it.  
The burning water well is in full  
blast. Those wishing to see the great  
wonder of the Nineteenth Century had  
better do so at once for it may get  
the sulks again.

We have another curiosity about  
five miles from here, which consists  
of rocks from seventy-five to a hun-  
dred feet high with passageways,  
caverns, and dens, all through among  
them with nature's own ice house  
filled with the finest ice the year  
round. It is said that this cave was  
inhabited many years ago by a band  
of outlaws headed by the notorious  
Robber Burdick. See Adventures in  
Pennsylvania's Wilds, Published by  
Barclay & Co., Louisville, Kentucky.  
In the year 1836. This is a nice place  
for plenties and our young folks (and  
old ones too) are enjoying it hugely.

Good bye potato bugs. Swarms of  
birds of a new species in this country  
are clearing them out completely.  
It was not for fear "Egypt" would  
be down on me again I would tell  
how Montgomery caught a skunk in a  
trap, shot it and buried it four feet  
under ground, covered the grave with  
chloride of lime, then had to go to the  
neighbors for fresh air. How Tom  
McKean killed one with a club. How  
Starks got one in his hen house and  
thought it was a cat, and when he  
discovered his mistake how he left  
the chickens to the tender mercies of  
his skunkship. How Patterson treed  
one under the hotel porch, and gave a  
boy twenty-five cents to go in and  
drive it out, how the skunk didn't  
drive worth a cent, how sick the boy  
was and how quick he got well when  
he saw the quarter, how much carbolic  
acid it took to purify the atmosphere.  
I say if it was not for "Egypt" I  
would tell all about this, but it won't  
do for it gets hold of it the Gazette  
will snuff it for a month.

Melone and Murphy have gone to  
Bradford, John Wernag and wife  
are stopping at the Wilcox House for  
a few weeks. By-the-way, City peo-  
ple are beginning to find out that  
Wilcox is a nice place to spend a few  
months in summer. The Wilcox  
House is full of strangers, and Pater-  
son knows just how to take care of  
them.

Company H Attention.  
The members of Company H 17th  
Regt., N. G. P. will assemble on  
Saturday Evening the 21st inst., at  
the office of J. O. W. Bailey for the  
transaction of important business.  
Time 8 o'clock sharp. Fall in. By  
order of J. O. W. BAILEY,  
Lieut. in Command.

Wanamaker's goods are popular  
everywhere. Their Catalogue em-  
braces any article of men's wear in-  
cluding, Hats, Caps, Coats, Shoes,  
Shirts, Underwear, Collars, Ties.  
Ready made suits as well as made to  
order. S. A. Rote at the West End  
Store is the Agent for this place and  
will show you samples and prices at  
any time.

The Petroleum report of the Oil  
City "Derick" for the month of  
June, is complete, and relates many  
interesting facts. We make up from  
it the following brief summary:—Total  
number of wells completed during  
month, 46; dry holes, 9; number of  
wells drilled, 389; rigs up and build-  
ing, 261. The number of wells flush-  
ed during the month is reported to  
be the greatest for any similar period  
in the history of the business. The  
operations were distributed as follows:  
Bullion, 77; production, 4,175 barrels;  
dry holes, 9. Warren, Forest and Ve-  
nango, 63; production, 569; dry holes,  
15. Clarion, 128; production, 1,390;  
dry holes, 13. Butler and Armstrong,  
81; production, 718; dry holes, 15.  
McKean and Cattaraugus, 57; produc-  
tion, 515; dry holes, 5. Total of wells  
completed in six months, 1,814; aver-  
age daily production per well for  
month of June, about 17 7/8 barrels.

Profitable Investment.  
It cannot be doubted that a certain  
amount of money invested, monthly  
or annually, in advertising one's busi-  
ness, is a wise procedure which no sys-  
tematic or careful business man should  
neglect. It is an investment which  
WILL PAY, not merely a nominal in-  
terest, but, in many cases, over a  
hundred times the money so invested.  
There is no danger that default or  
suspension will destroy this invest-  
ment. There can be no depreciation  
of its value, and no loss of the sum in-  
vested. It is possible for a man to ob-  
tain a moderate share of success with-  
out the aid of advertising, if he has no  
rivals who do advertise, but the same  
amount of energy and enterprise, aided  
by advertising, would confer on him  
success and fortune impossible  
without such aid and co-operation.

And should any one doubt the truth  
of this statement, he has but to test  
the power of advertising by invest-  
ment of a sum which he can afford,  
and we are confident that he will re-  
ceive a return which it would not be  
possible for him to obtain from an  
outlay of the same magnitude in any  
other way. On this point which is all  
essential, business men should con-  
sider that advertising is the fruitful  
origin of prosperity and greatness.—  
Phila. Carpet Journal.

The Eye, Graham and White Bread  
and great variety of cakes sold at the  
West End Store are very popular  
with our citizens judging from the  
amount sold. Try them and see if  
we are not right in saying they are  
excellent.

Galveston, July 13.—The first bale  
of cotton of this year's crop was re-  
ceived to-day at Brownsville.  
Weight, 442 pounds. Classification,  
fully strict low middling; grown on a  
plantation near Brownsville. It was  
sold at auction at the Cotton Ex-  
change at twenty cents per pound.

## From the Clearfield Republican.

A Chase After Horse Thieves.  
For several days previous to the  
night of the 28th of June, a number of  
tramps were noticed hovering in and  
around this borough. On the morn-  
ing of the 29th, Judge Clyde was short  
a set of harness, and Samuel Irwin, a  
neighbor, (both residing in Lawrence  
township, about three and a half  
miles north of this borough) was  
minus a horse and buggy. Hence it  
was pretty well settled that there was  
a case of horse stealing on hand, and  
Mr. Lewis and two other gentlemen  
soon hatched up a team and set out to  
overhaul the thief, or thieves. By the  
tracks of the horse and buggy, it was  
pretty plain that the thieves were  
moving down through Frenchville,  
and thence to the river as rapidly as  
possible. But Mr. Irwin, finding that  
he could not overtake the runaways,  
telegraphed to Westport, upon reach-  
ing the railroad at the mouth of the  
Shinnemahoning. In this way the  
thieves were headed off between West-  
port and Ronovo and when ordered  
to halt, one man jumped from the  
buggy and started for the woods, and  
on refusing to halt, one of the pursu-  
ers discharged a pistol at him, the  
ball taking effect in the arm, which  
caused the fellow to twirl around three  
or four times like a top and then he  
began to quarrel. While this was  
going on, the other fellow leaped  
from the buggy, top, and plunged into  
the river, and while making for the  
"other shore", the captors fired sev-  
eral shots at the swimmer, one ball  
passing through his hat, peeling the  
hair off the top of his scalp. The fir-  
ing and noise attracted the attention  
of parties on the opposite side of the  
river, who, upon learning that the  
fellow in the water was a horse thief,  
commented about him, and he was  
right smartly. Mr. Thief, discovering  
that his reception would evidently be  
rather warm "over there," turned  
and commenced swimming down  
stream. The captors then also com-  
menced swimming, and in a few  
minutes he was seen to be struggling  
for quarter and turned for the shore  
from which he started. And after reach-  
ing dry land again, he made an at-  
tempt to escape by running into a  
thicket of bushes, into which the  
capturing party hurried the stones by  
the handful. This soon extracted the  
fellow from the brush, and upon surren-  
dering, he was secured and handcuffed to  
his confederate, and the next day lodged  
in our prison.

The thieves made a very narrow  
escape with their lives, and they com-  
plained bitterly of the reception they  
received at the hands of the Westporters,  
alleging that the people down there  
cannot be more than half civilized  
from the way they treated them. As  
there is no sympathy for horse thieves  
anywhere, we think that they made a  
fortunate escape when they got away  
with their lives.

The thieves claim to hail from  
Columbus, Ohio, and give their names  
as Fred Smith and Frank Long, the  
former aged 25 and the latter 19 years  
of age—rather young for that kind of  
calling. Mr. Irwin found his horse  
very much run down, and the buggy  
almost ruined. The thieves had  
missed the road a short distance be-  
low the mouth of the Shinnemahoning,  
and horse, buggy and all went down  
150 feet, and landed on the railroad  
track all "right side up" except the  
buggy, which was considerably dam-  
aged. The escape from the mouth of both  
men and horse, was miraculous.

Our Daughters.  
First and foremost give them as good  
an education as you can afford. Learn  
them to cook good and healthy victu-  
als. Learn them to wash, iron, darn  
stockings, sew on buttons, make their  
own clothing, and to make at least a  
good common shirt. Learn them to  
bake bread, and to conceive that a good  
kitchen has much to do, to prevent  
you going to the drug-store. Learn  
them that a hundred cents are worth  
a dollar, and that he saves less than he  
spends; must become poor. Learn  
them that a calico dress is paid for  
is better than a silk one for which you  
owe. Learn them that a full round  
face is worth more than consumptive  
beauty. Learn them to wear good  
strong shoes. Learn them to purchase  
goods and to know that the bill is  
right. Learn them that they can  
change the image of God with corset-  
strings. Learn them simple, whole-  
some, common sense, self-trust self-  
help, and laboriousness. Learn them  
that an honest mechanic is worth  
more in his shirt sleeves and apron,  
and that without a cent in his pocket,  
than a dozen well dressed and re-  
spected day-thieves. Learn them to  
work in the garden, if you can spare  
the money also music, painting and  
the fine arts, but know that these  
things belong to the immortals. Learn  
them that to take a walk is bet-  
ter than to ride in a splendid carriage  
and that wild flowers are most  
beautiful, to the one that studies with  
care. Learn them to spurn all show,  
and when they say yes, or no, that  
they mean it. Learn them that hap-  
piness in married life is not enjoyed  
merely outwardly, and it does not de-  
pend on a man's money only, but on  
his religious views and character.  
Have you brought this to their hearts,  
then they understand it, then let them  
marry when the time comes, they will  
be very apt to find the right way.—  
Translated from the *Marianer Volks-  
blatt*.

By lessening the number of pension  
agents in the country, the districts of  
those remaining in office have been  
very considerably increased. Major  
McGregor, hereafter will have to pay  
the pensioners in forty counties in the  
State, as follows—those marked with a  
star having heretofore been patrons of  
the Philadelphia Pension Office:  
\*Adams, Allegheny, Armstrong,  
Beaver, Bedford, Blair, Cambria,  
\*Cameron, \*Center, Clarion, \*Clear-  
field, \*Clinton, Crawford, \*Cumber-  
land, \*Elk, Erie, Fayette, \*Foster,  
Franklin, \*Fulton, Greene, \*Hunt-  
ington, Indiana, Jefferson, \*Junia-  
ta, Lawrence, \*Lycoming, \*McKean,  
Mercer, \*Mifflin, \*Perry, \*Potter,  
\*Snyder, Somerset, \*Toga, \*Union,  
Venango, Warren, Washington and  
Westmoreland.—Pittsburgh Commer-  
cial.

POWELL & KIME have a fine lot  
of dress goods, also all other kind of  
dry goods at low rates.

## State Notes.

A Northumberland county farmer has  
been jailed for severely cutting his son  
with a rickie, which he threw at the boy.  
Seven persons have lost their lives by the  
boiler explosion in Lehigh county on Sat-  
urday. The death of another is expected.

Among the jurors summoned for the  
United States Court at Erie this week are  
Congressmen Overton, Errett, Bayne, Shol-  
lenberger, Thompson and Harry White.

The Meadville Journal says that another  
Seventh-Day Baptist, of Cussewago, Craw-  
ford county, has been arrested for working  
on Sunday and fined.

Miss Jane E. Whelden is making tem-  
perance lectures in Clearfield county. The  
Oseola Reville says she is "a genuine  
Yankee, a lecturer with plenty of gab."

Thomas H. Phelps, assessor of Pitts-  
burgh, has been appointed collector of de-  
linquent taxes, said to be worth \$15,000 a  
year. The constitutionality of the act  
creating the office is being judicially con-  
tested.

A local editor of a paper in the western  
part of the state spoke of a bride's trou-  
seau being the loveliest he had ever seen.  
The "intelligent composer" created a  
commotion in the community by setting it  
up "trawlers."

In reviewing the last half year's busi-  
ness of Pittsburgh, the Commercial speaks  
cheerfully of trade prospects. The ship-  
ments of coal by river from Pittsburgh dur-  
ing the last six months make the largest  
total of any similar length of time in the  
history of the coal trade.

It is expected that Richard Bell will  
shortly be released on bail from the Sharon  
jail, where he is now confined on a charge  
of killing Wm. McGilvary, formerly of  
Pittsburgh. An effort will be made to  
prove that McGilvary's death was caused  
by his fall, in which his head struck a  
stone.

A large number of liquor dealers in  
Pittsburgh have concluded to open their  
front doors on Sunday and will sell on  
other days. When arrested they will enter  
bail for court, and during the pendency of  
the suits they will continue vending liquor,  
hoping thereby to make more than sufficient  
profits to pay their fines.

David Reinhardt, a young Polish Jew,  
committed suicide, near Mt. Carbon, Friday  
night, by throwing himself upon the track  
in front of an approaching train. Rein-  
hardt was engaged to a young lady in Wilke-  
barre, and was to have been married in a  
short time. On Friday he received a letter  
breaking the engagement.

For some time there has been a series of  
frauds in the cigar business in part of York  
county, and on Friday Colonel Grimmer-  
son, accompanied by Colonel Stible, of the  
York office, made a descent upon William  
G. Mead's cigar manufacturer, in Windsor  
township, and captured and confiscated  
from him twenty thousand cigars and one  
hundred pounds of tobacco, for a violation  
of the stamp laws.

The committee appointed by the State  
Legislature to investigate prison contract  
labor in this State adjourned its session at  
Pittsburgh on Saturday and spent Sunday  
at Cresson Springs. During last week a  
large amount of evidence was submitted  
by contractors of prison labor, officers  
of the penitentiary and workhouse, and  
by manufacturers, who claim that the  
present system is detrimental to free labor.  
The committee when they left were un-  
certain as to whether or not they would re-  
sume their sitting in Pittsburgh, and were  
very reticent as to what their report to the  
Legislature would be.

There are 12,000 houses to let in Phila-  
delphia.  
The Bradford and Bullion oil districts  
produce about 7,000 barrels a day.

The Lancaster banks hold about \$2,500,  
000 subject to checks and time certificates.

A lawyer at Sharpsburg drank nineteen  
glasses of buttermilk in thirty minutes on  
a wager with a barber, who drank sixteen.

Six Pennsylvania congressmen are act-  
ing as jurors in the United States court in  
session at Erie.

County Treasurer McNeish and City  
Treasurer Durkin have both been enjoined  
from collecting mercantile tax in Scranton  
on a test case.

A saw fifty-four feet long and eight  
inches wide, intended for use on the big  
trees in California, has just been turned  
out at the Beaver Falls steel works.

Chief Justice Agnew, of the state su-  
preme court, was arrested a few days ago  
in Deaver county for shooting pheasants  
out of season.

Rev. Joseph Hamaker, of Lebanon  
county, received a wound in the foot sev-  
eral weeks ago. Lockjaw ensued the other  
day and he died.

The ore washers of Rockhill furnace,  
Huntingdon county, have been indicted for  
running the wash into the creeks. A fine  
of \$50 was the verdict. They have ap-  
pealed to court.

Sheriff Linderman, at Norristown, has  
received the death warrant for this city  
for Curley, fixing the date of his execution  
September 10. This is the third warrant  
that has been issued for the execution of  
Curley.

The Huntingdon Local News says: The  
old log building opposite the Presbyterian  
church, occupied by the colored woman  
who is 111 years old, came near being de-  
stroyed on Monday last. Some of the  
sparks from the old lady's pipe got down  
between the logs, and set fire to them.  
The flames were discovered in time, and a  
few buckets of water prevented serious  
loss.

Work on the State hospital for the in-  
sane at Warren is still being carried on  
vigorously. The roof is being put on two  
sections of each end of the main building,  
and the adjoining sections will soon be  
finished for the roof. The laying of the  
walls on the centre sections will not be  
commenced this year, the appropriation of  
the last legislature not being sufficient to  
warrant it.

The brother of Laros, the Northampton  
county prisoner, has been interviewed, and  
to questions he replied that he did not sign  
the petition for pardon, "because he is not  
insane and never was. When he killed  
father, mother and Moses Schug we buried  
him from our thoughts forever, and to us  
he is as one dead. I would not like to see  
him hanged, because we desire to escape the  
terrible disgrace. We suffer more than he  
does. We have it upon our minds, not only  
the death of father and mother, but that  
he too must die and that upon the gallows.  
We all hope and pray that he will make a  
confession and die a sincere christian; that  
is all we can do."

A pack of tip-top good envelopes  
any color, can be obtained at this  
office, ever Powell & Kime's store for  
eight cents.

## Mollie Maguire Released.

Pottsville, July 16.—This morning  
Judge Green discharged Muff Lawlor  
John Slattery and Charles Mulhern,  
three of the Mollie Maguire's who turned  
state's evidence during the late  
trials.

The above trio have been patiently  
waiting for the past six months for  
their freedom, and left town on the  
first train in very jubilant spirits.  
Each one entered in \$1,000 on his own  
recognizance. Lawlor was arrested  
and found guilty as an accessory after  
the fact to the killing of Sanger and  
Uren. He turned state's evidence and  
corroborated M'Parish, the detective,  
very strongly, against Thomas Mun-  
ley one of the murderers who expiated  
his crime upon the gallows on the 21st  
of last month.

Mulhern and Slattery were arrested  
and tried for conspiring to kill Wil-  
liam and Jesse Major, of Mahanoy  
city. Mulhern pleaded guilty in  
both, (turned state's evidence) which  
convicted Michael Doolan of the same  
charge. Doolan was sentenced to-day  
to one year imprisonment. Doolan  
has been incarcerated for the past ten  
months awaiting sentence.

Mulhern in his affidavit gave infor-  
mation which led to the arrest of  
"Yellow Jack" Donohue, for the mur-  
der of Morgan Powell a boss at Sun-  
mi Hill, for which crime he was  
hung at Mauch Chunk on the 21st.

Mulhern was one of the most im-  
portant witnesses the commonwealth  
had during the progress of the Mollie  
Maguire trials, and gave valuable in-  
formation, which led to the convic-  
tion of several murderers.

IN THE TOLLS.  
ANOTHER WITNESS AGAINST BRIGHAM YOUNG  
WHAT WAS THE TOMORROW'S NEWS  
Springfield, July 12.—Captain John To-  
bin, formerly a resident of California, later  
of St. Louis and still later of Springfield,  
will be one of District Attorney Howard's  
principal witnesses to prove Brigham  
Young's personal connection with the sac-  
cage of the Gentiles. His name is men-  
tioned in Let's confession. He gained the  
confidence of Young by aiding Mormon  
emigrants, and was appointed instructor of  
the Territorial militia, which position he  
resigned because the cavalry were used as  
avengers. Subsequently he undertook to  
guide a party of three strong anti-Mor-  
mons to California, but the party was over-  
taken by a band of mounted Mormons, led  
by Brigham Young, Jr., and compelled to  
stop under the pretense that they were go-  
ing to California to misrepresent Mormon-  
ism. They finally proceeded, but were  
continually dogged by Mormons, who at  
length fired upon them as they were en-  
camping for the night. The party were  
left for dead, and the Mormons, taking  
their horses, rode away. Sixty hours af-  
terwards the United States mail wagon and  
a party on their way to San Bernardino  
took them up, but two of their number  
died soon after. Tobin received a shot in  
the right eye, which made him nearly blind.  
He claims to have important documentary  
evidence of plottings against the govern-  
ment and the Gentiles on the part of Brigh-  
am Young.

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AND FLAVOR.  
Dr. Fenner's Capitol Bitters. This  
valuable remedy for torpid and dis-  
ordered stomach and bowels and loss  
of appetite, has no equal. No en-  
comium need be pronounced upon it.  
No one who once tries it for these diffi-  
culties will ever be without it when  
needed. A full dose relieves the pain  
of menstruation, or causes sleep at  
night.

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with a delicate stomach, this mild, but  
efficient Bitter will act kindly. It  
constipates bowels, it regulates them,  
though not actively laxative like his  
Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve  
Tonic. It so invigorates the system as  
to ward off disease guarding against  
Agues, Fevers and bowel disorders in  
the spring and summer, colds and in-  
flamations in the winter, and all epi-  
demic diseases, at all seasons of the  
year. It is not to take the place of  
that great blood-cleansing agent, the  
Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve  
Tonic, but where this is not needed,  
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ever heretofore known. No laboring  
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