GEO. A. RATHBUN,

Attorney-at-Law,
Main Street, Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa.

HALL & M'CAULEY,

Attorneys-at-Law.

Office in New Brick Building, Main St Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa. v3n2tf.

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Attorneys-at-Law, Ridgway, Elk County Pa. Office across the hall from the DEMOCRAT establishment. Claims for collection promptly attended to Jne. 15 '76.

CHARLES HOLES,

Watchmaker, Engraver and Jeweler Main street, Ridgway, Pa. Agent for the Howe Sewing Machine, and Morton Gold Pen. Repairing Watches, etc, done with the same accuracy as heretofore. Satisfaction guaranteed. v1n1y

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v1n2y1. Ridgway, Elk County, Pa.

Agent for the Traveler's Life and Accident Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn.

JAMES D. FULLERTON,

Surgeon Dentist, having permanently located in Rigway, offers his professional services to the citizens of Ridgway and surrounding country. All work warranted Office in Service & Wheeler's Building, upstairs, first door to the left. 73-n-32-1y

G. G. MESSENGER,

Druggist and Pharmaceutist, N. W. corner of Main and Mill streets, Ridgway, Pa. full assortment of carefully selected Foreign and Domestic Drugs. Prescriptions carefully dispensed at all hours, day or night. v1n3y

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J. S. BORDWELL, M. D.,

Eclectic Physician and Surgeon, has removed his office from Centre street, to Main st. Ridgway, Pa., in the second story of the new brick building of John G. Hall, opposite Hyde's store.

Office hours:—1 to 2 P M 7 to 9 P M

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Thankful for the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him, the new proprietor, hopes, by paying strict attention to the comfort and convenience of guests, to merit a continuance of the same.

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DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS SHOES, HATS AND CAPS, GLASS AND QUEENS' WARE, WOOD AND WILLOW WARE, TOBACCO AND CIGARS

A Large Stock of

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Sheriff—Daniel Scull.
Treasurer—Jacob McCauley.
District Attorney—C. H. M'Cauley.
Co. Superintendent—Geo. R. Dixon.
Prothonotary, &c—Fred. Schœning.
Deputy Prothonotary—W. S. Horton.
Commissioners—Michael Wedert, W. H. Osterhout, George Reuscher.
Commissioners' Clerk—W. S. Horton.
Auditors—W. H. Hyde, R. I. Spangler, George Rothrock.

Call at this office for writing paper and envelopes.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE of John F'Casker, late of Fox township, Elk county, Pa., deceased. LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION having been granted to the undersigned upon the said estate all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them for settlement. JACOB M'CAULEY, Admr. n3t6.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts will be presented on the first day of the next term of the Orphans Court for confirmation, being the 3d Monday of November next, to-wit:

1. Final account of Lawrence Mohan executor of the last will and testament of Patrick Smith, late of Fox township, Pa., deceased.

FRED. SCHŒNING, Register.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.,

Parties wishing the prescription will please address, Rev. E. A. WILSON, 194 Penn., Williamsburgh, N. Y.

Appleton's American Cyclopedia.

Vol. 8 of this admirable work is just out, making it half complete, as there are to be 16 in all, of 800 pages each, one being issued in two months. It makes a complete library, and no one can afford to do without it who would keep well informed. Price $6,00 a volume in leather, or $7,00 in elegant half Turkey. C. K. Judson, Fredonia, N. Y., controls the sale in Elk county. Address him for particulars.

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Go to POWELL & KIME for your flour, feed and pork, and everything else in the provision line.

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SUGARS AT POWELL AND KIME'S are high to be sure; but still are a little cheaper than at any other store in town.

A NICE LOT OF NEW PRINTS at POWELL & KIME'S, only eight cents per. yard.

FLOUR, PORK, FEED, CORN-Meal, Oats, always on hand at POWELL & KIME'S at lowest prices

Notice.

All persons are hereby forbidden selling goods to, or trusting any person on my account, without my written order, as I will pay no debts thus contracted after this date.

M. T. FRENCH.

Ridgway May 2, 1877.-1y

MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING.

MRS. J. R. KELTZ, Kersey, Elk Co., Pa., takes this method of announcing to the citizens of Elk county, that she has on hand an assortment of fashionable millinery goods which will be sold cheap. Also dressmaking in all its branches.

Agent for Dr. J Bail & Co's Patent Ivory and Lignum Vitæ Eye Cups. Send for descriptive circular. n17y1.

CANNED GOODS—Peaches, Tomatoes Cherries, and Plums at the store of Powell & Kime.

List of Causes.

SET down for trial at November Term of the Court of Common Pleas of Elk County:

1. John Wainwright, adm'r. &c. vs. W. H. Johnson et al. No 14, September Term, 1875.
2. Jacob H. Walters et al. vs. Thos. L. Kane et al. No. 83 September Term, 1876.
3. Chas. Webb vs. Simon Romig. No. 112 September Term, 1876.
4. W. B. Konkle vs. C. R. Earley. No. 211, September Term, 1876.
5. Barbara Eckl. Widow &c. vs. Edward Babel. No. 223, September Term, 1876.
6. Stout, Mills, and Temple vs. Ralph Johnson, adm'r, &c. No. 57, November Term, 1876.
7. MichaelShe ehan vs. Joseph B. Powers. No 59 January Term, 1877.
8. N. M. Brockway vs J. S. Hyde et al. No. 63, May Term, 1877.
9. Jas. H. Hagerty vs. Walter Bryant et al. No. 65, May Term, 1877.
10. John W. Briggs, now for use, vs. R. I. Campbell, adm'r. No. 91 May Term, 1877.
11. George Dickinson et al. vs Fred Wilmarth et al. No. 103, May Term, 1877.
12. Rachael Gross et al. vs. C. R. Earley. No. 115, May Term, 1877.
13. The Township of Ridgway vs. V. S. Wheeler et al. No. 179, May Term, 1877.
14. C. H. M'Cauley vs. Patrick Lamb et al. No. 71, September Term, 1877.
15. Solomon S. Johnson vs. Janette C. Houk, executrix, &c. No. 119 September Term, 1877.
16. John Tudor et al. vs. Peter Hollabaugh. No. 145, September Term, 1877.

FRED. SCHŒNING, Clerk.

INSURANCE AGENCY.

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The largest agency in either Elk or its adjoining counties, representing through his General Agents about 30 responsible and prompt loss paying companies, among the principal ones are the following:

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NIAGARA, OF NEW YORK. Assets $1,500,000.

SHAWMUT, BOSTON, MASS., Capital, $500,000.

GERMAN AMERICAN, NEW YORK, Assets $2,500,000.

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NEW TIME TABLE OF THE P & E R.R. commencing Monday, Sept. 24, 1877.

WILCOX.

Mail East	4:13 p m
" West	2:50 p m
Day Express East	6:22 a m
Niagara Express West	8:22 p m

RIDGWAY.

Mail East	4:49 p m
Mail West	2:19 p m
Day Express East	6:56 a m
Niagara Express West	7:45 p m

ST. MARY'S.

Mail East	5:18 p m
Mail West	1:57 p m
Day Express East	7:20 a m
Niagara Express West	7:18 p m

Township Officers.

Judge of Election—G. R. Dixon.
Inspectors—M. E. Lesser, H. H. Wensel.
Justices of the Peace—Charles Mead, Jas. D. Fullerton.
School Directors—O. B. Grant, Jas Gardner, G. T. Wheeler, N. T. Cummings, W. S. Service, Eug. J. Miller.
Supervisors—John Gulnack, Daniel M'Govern.
Treasurer—W. H. Hyde.
Assessor—M. S. Kline.
Auditors—Will Dickinson, James Penfield, J. S. Powell.
Clerk—M. S. Kline.
Constable—Geo. D. Messenger, Jr.

J. C. Selden vs. Jane Sheldrake et al., Administrators and the Widow and Heirs of Charles Sheldrake, deceased. | In Elk County Common Pleas. No. 50, May T., '77

ELK COUNTY, SS:

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

WHEREAS, J. C. Seldon, on the 8th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, obtained judgment in our county Court of Common Pleas of Elk County aforesaid, before our judges at Ridgway, against Jane Sheldrake and E. H. Dixon, administrators of the estate of Charles Sheldrake, deceased, late of your county, yeoman, as well for a certain debt of two hundred thirty-one and eight one-hundredths dollars, lawful money of the United States, and interest thereon from November 17th, 1874, as also twenty-nine and five one-hundredths dollars like money, which to the said plaintiff in our said court were awarded and adjudged for his damages, which he sustained by occasion of the detention of the debt whereof the said defendants convict as appears to us of record, &c. Yet the execution of the said judgment will remain to be made, as we have been given to understand by the said plaintiff, who hath besought us to provide for him a proper remedy in that behalf, and we being willing that what is right in that behalf should be done,

Therefore we command you, sicut plurius precepimus that by honest and lawful men of your bailwick you make known unto Charles Sheldrake that he be and appear before our judges at Ridgway at our County Court of Common Pleas, there to be held for said county, on the third Monday of November next, to show if anything for himself has or knows to say why the said plaintiff should not have the above stated judgment revived to continue the lien, and also why the said plaintiff should not have execution against him for the said debt and damages, according to the force, form and effect to the recovery and judgment aforesaid, if to him it shall be expedient. And further to do and receive what our said court shall in that behalf consider, and have you then and there the names of those by whom you shall make it known unto him and this writ.

Witness the honorable L. D. Wetmore, president of our said court, at Ridgway, the fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

FRED. SCHŒNING, Prothonotary.

[L. S.]

Sept. 14, 1877. Order of publication on Chas. Sheldrake DANIEL SCULL, Sheriff.

QUOTATIONS

OF

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BANKERS AND BROKERS.

No. 42 South Third Street.

Stocks and Bonds Bought and Sold on Commission.

Philadelphia, Nov., 6, 1877.

	BID.	ASKED
U. S. 1881. c	110½	110¾
do do '65 J and J	105½	105¾
do do '67 do	108½	108¾
do do '68 do	109	110
10-40, do coupon	108⅝	108¾
do Pacific 6's cy	121¼	121½
New 5's Reg. 1881	106⅛	106¾
" " C. 1881	106	106¾
" 4½, Reg. 1891	105½	105½
" " c. 1891	105½	105½
New 4's Reg. 1907	102¼	102⅝
" " c. 1907	102¼	103
Gold	102¾	102⅞
Pennsylvania	30¼	30¼
Reading	15¼	15½
Philadelphia & Erie	9	9¼
Lehigh Navigation	17	17¼
do Valley	38¼	39
United R R of N J ex. div	120	120¼
Pittsburgh, T. & Buffalo R. R	9½	9¾
Northern Central ex. div	16	16¼
Central Transportation	29½	30
Nesquehoning	45½	46
North Pennsylvania	37	39

THE SUN.

1878. NEW YORK. 1878.

As the time approaches for the renewal of subscriptions, THE SUN would remind its friends and wellwishers everywhere, that it is again a candidate for their consideration and support. Upon its record for the past ten years it relies for a continuance of the hearty sympathy and generous co-operation which have hitherto been extended to it from every quarter of the Union.

The Daily Sun is a four page-sheet of 28 columns, price by mail, post paid, 55 cents a month, or $6.50 per year.

The Sunday edition of The Sun is an eight-page sheet of 56 columns. While giving the news of the day, it also contains a large amount of literary and miscellaneous matter especially prepared for it. THE SUNDAY SUN has met with great success. Post paid $1.20 a year.

The Weekly Sun.

Who does not know THE WEEKLY SUN? It circulates throughout the United States the Canadas, and beyond. Ninety thousand families greet its welcome pages weekly and regard it in the light of guide, counsellor, and friend. Its news, editorial, agricultural, and literary departments make it essentially a journal for the family and the fireside. Terms: One Dollar a year, post paid. This price, quality considered, makes it the cheapest newspaper published. For clubs of ten, with $10 cash, we will send an extra copy free. Address PUBLISHER OF THE SUN, New York City.

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ELK COUNTY OFFICIAL—NOVEMBER 6, 1877.

TOWNSHIPS AND BOROUGHS.	Sheriff. John R. Kime, Dem.	Sheriff. D. C. Oyster, Rep.	Sheriff. James Rogan, Ind.	Sheriff. Thomas J. Burke, Ind.	Sheriff. Geo. Everitt, Ind.	Supreme Judge. John Trunkey, Dem.	Supreme Judge. James P. Sterrett, Rep.	Supreme Judge. Benjamin S. Bently, L. G.	State Treasurer. Amos C. Noyes, Dem.	State Treasurer. William B. Hart, Rep.	State Treasurer. James L. Wright, L. G.	Auditor General. William P. Schell, Dem.	Auditor General. J. A. M. Passmore, Rep.	Auditor General. James E. Emerson, L. G.
Benezette	31	62	1	19	1	54	49	8	69	45	6	60	54	8
Benzinger	75	6	36	85	62	231	14	28	241	15	33	259	15	33
Fox	69	65	8	81	1	126	50		141	51		141	51	
Highland	11	11				12	10		12	10		12	10	
Horton	17	104		17	4	88	33		88	33		88	33	
Jay	23	51	2	18		40	56	10	49	57	10	49	57	
Jones	57	98	2			76	76		78	74	10	78	74	10
Millstone	22	4		27	1	17	9	10	17	9		17	9	
Ridgway	133	164		107	19	164	115	29	176	115	22	173	118	21
St. Mary's	69	13				216	18	5	215	19	3	208	23	6
Spring Creek	15	24		27		21	18		21	19		21	19	
Total	522	580	76	354	88	1045	448	80	1098	447	74	1077	403	79
Majority		522				448			447			463		
Scattering—A. H. Winton, Temperance candidate for Supreme Judge, received 11 votes in Benezette.		38				597			651			614		

Wilcox Graded Schools.

Principals Report for month ending October 30th, 1877.

TEACHER.	Room.	No. Enrolled.	Average daily attendance.	Percentage of attendance.	No. present every day.
Miss Eula Schultz	1	56	41	92	19
Miss Winnie G. Murphy.	2	26	21	94	5
W. H. Prideaux.	3	18	16	98	11
Summary.		100	78	94	35

The standard used in the following markings is 100 which number denotes perfect recitations, &c.

The highest *average class standing* during the month is 100 the lowest 28. The highest *general average* 100 the lowest 61.

First division.	Attendance	Punctuality	Deportment	Ave. class standing	General average
A GRADE.					
Ella Locke	92	100	100	95	97
Amanda Wilcox	100	98	100	97	99
Jessie Parsons	100	100	94	91	96
B GRADE.					
Katie Murphy	96	100	94	95	96
Mattie Locke	100	100	100	95	99
Ada Miller	100	100	98	88	96
Martha Groat	100	100	98	94	98
Iantha Schultz	100	100	100	96	99
Mary Schriner	100	100	100	97	99
Johnnie Murphy	92	100	100	94	97
Eugene Parsons	96	96	86	83	90
Freddie Aldrich	100	100	100	92	98
C GRADE					
Eva Schriner	100	100	100	93	98
George Schriner	100	100	100	79	95
Eddie Wells	75	100	94	59	84
Frank Sowers	25	98	90	32	61
William Miller	100	100	94	83	95
Mary Murtough	96	100	100	90	99
Second division					
A GRADE					
Bennie Murphy	89	97	99	90	96
Grant Allen	100	90	100	93	96
Frank Brown	100	96	95	92	96
Willie Sweet	100	80	100	88	92
Eddie Bevier	95	87	98	82	91
Nellie Brown	79	97	97	76	92
Martin Brogan	79	76	92	73	80
Jackson Schultz	95	97	87	92	93
Minnie Whitman	96	100	100	95	98
Flora Weinning	95	100	100	91	97
B GRADE					
Hattie Whitman	100	97	100	97	96
Ellie Whitman	95	97	100	95	97
Lillie Brown	90	99	99	88	92
Fannie Hartman	87	100	75	83	86
Alice Payne	75	89	80	49	71
Ellie Leonard	83	97	100	78	90
Edna Walker	100	100	100	100	100
John Flannigan	95	100	100	95	98
Wille Locke	95	100	100	98	98
Frank Bulle	100	97	99	92	97
George Weining	89	96	100	92	94
Mintie Wescott	100	90	99	92	95
Lucy Stark	100	100	100	100	100
Fred. Holquist	72	97	100	45	79
Charlie Stoltz	96	92	100	90	95
Gustaf Anderson	100	100	100	28	82

W. H. PRIDEAUX, Principal.

—"Miller—an insect whose wings appear as if covered with white dust or powder, like a miller's clothes."—*Webster-on-a-bridge.*

The clothes of our miller are not covered with dust. The dust is in his head, where in ordinary people the brain is located. *

Oyster, Kime and Burke men buy their Stoves and Tin Ware at 42 Main Street.

—In the late canvass, not one word was said in our hearing against Kime, and, defeated, every one has a kind word for him, but alas, like poor dog Tray he was in bad company. The *Democrat* however "went for" Oyster personally and secured his election.—Thanks. *

—"A prophet is not without honor, save in his own country and in his own house."

As a prophet the moustache that runs the *Democrat* is not a success at home or abroad, that assumed infallibility should be so mistaken is matter of surprise. To use one of his own favorite quotations. "Can such things be, and overcome us like a summer's cloud, without our special wonder." *

—Miller says its a lie; he is to be berth clerk and not bar-tender on that salt river trip. *

—Go to Daboll thou fool, consider his ways and learn figures. *

State Notes.

A manufactory of butter tubs in Crawford county turns out 200 tubs a day.

The barrel department of the Allegheny county workhouse turns out 200 barrels a day.

The stock of rye whisky in Philadelphia is estimated at 40,000 barrels, and its value is about four millions of dollars.

William J. Cook, a letter carrier, has been arrested for opening letters. This is the third arrest of letter carriers in Pittsburgh the past year.

At the ball recently given to the United States officers at Mauch Chunk the value of the dresses worn by the ladies was estimated at $10,000.

The new ship Wandering Jew, 1,737 tons register, cleared last week for Antwerp, with 10,500 barrels of refined oil, equal to 525,000 gallons.

On Friday afternoon two policemen found a dead male infant floating in an orange box in the Schuylkill, at Lombard street wharf, Philadelphia

Saturday afternoon, at the new Catholic church at Warren, by the giving way of rafters a scaffolding fell, burying six workmen. One was killed and the other five were dangerously injured.

Miss Julia Zerser, of Canandaqua, was seriously and probably fatally burned on Thursday last by the explosion of a coal oil lamp. Her mother and a gentleman named William Wolf were also burned in the effort to assist her.

Samuel Harmon, jr., killed three bears on the Muncy hills. The old one climbed a tree, and received four bullets before she would surrender. One of the cubs attacked the dog that was with the hunter and held so tight to his jaw that it was necessary to run the muzzle of the gun into its mouth to make it yield.

William Cully, a brakeman, living at Wrightsville York county, fell from his train on Friday night and was killed. He was about twenty-three years of age, unmarried, but the only support of aged parents and several brothers and sisters. A year ago his brother was killed in Wrightsville by being run over by a wagon in a political procession.

—When the vote for sheriff in Ridgway was counted, Miller's moustache disappeared in haste down some disused wood-chuck hole and drew in the hole after it. *

Laws Relating to Newspaper Subscriptions and Arrearages.

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary, are considered wishing to continue their subscription.

2. If subscribers order the discontinuation of their periodicals, the publishers may continue to send them until all arrearages are paid.

3. If subscribers neglect or refuse to take their periodicals from the office where they are directed, they are held responsible until they have settled their bills, and ordered them discontinued.

4. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publishers, and the papers are sent to the former direction, they are held responsible.

5. The courts have decided that "refusing to take periodicals from the office, or removing and leaving them uncalled for is *prima facie* evidence of intentional fraud."

6. Any person who receives a newspaper and makes use of it, whether he has ordered it or not, is held in law to be a subscriber.

7. If subscribers pay in advance, they are bound to give notice to the publisher at the end of their time, if they do not wish to continue taking it otherwise the publishers are authorized to send it on, and the subscribers will be held responsible until an express notice with payment of all arrears, sent to the publisher.

NEW GOODS nearly every day at Powell & Kime's Store. They keep a large assortment of Groceries, Clothing, etc., etc., all of which they sell cheap.

—The day after election Miller was busily engaged in studying the "double rule of three" in Daboll. He now says 4 and 5 is 11. *

—At the millinery establishment of Mrs. N. T. Cummings, the ladies of Ridgway and vicinity will find a large assortment of fashionable hats feathers, etc. Hats pressed over at reasonable rates and at short notice. Rooms over R. I. Campbell's Store Main Street. Give her a call.

—The Republicans elected their entire county ticket in Elk county this fall—a thing unheard of before. We might explain that sheriff was the only county office voted for.

—In what character will Miller, the little joker, next appear? As a prophet he is played out." *

Elk Advocate.

THURSDAY, NOV. 8, 1877.

Notes.

—Our Oyster was not cooked on Tuesday, Miller's goose was. *

—All kinds of job work cheaply and neatly done at this office.

LADIES' SHOES, Gaiters and Rubbers, a large variety at P. & K's.

—Nast would do well to call round here if he wanted any long faces. *

—How about that trip over the frosty hills of Elk in search of the last boat. *

—Three hundred and fifteen votes were polled in Ridgway A much larger vote than anyone anticipated.

—The query now is what *will* Miller do with the Democrats who voted for Oyster?

Hides, Sheep Pelts, and Calf Skins wanted at 42 Main Street.

FRANK SETTELLE.

—I guess that old man knows how Fox and the balance of this county is going He knows now without any guess work. *

—Winter is upon us, which is a reminder that you need an overcoat. M'Affee will make you one cheap.

—The editor of the *Democrat* before election weighed 24 ounces to the pound. *

A TEACHERS' EXAMINATION will be held at Arroyo, Tuesday, November 20th, commencing at 9 A. M.

—That fellow who swore all sorts about the Republicans on election day felt better after a short nap *

—John Welsh of Philadelphia has been tendered, and has accepted, the appointment of Minister to England.

GIVEN AWAY—A PREMIUM STEEL ENGRAVING.—Every reader of this paper can get it. See advertisement in another column.

—The question is not "Has Oyster gone into his shell?" but "Where is the cob from which the corn was shelled that got granger Bundy off the track?" *

—J. S. and W. H. Hyde's store was illuminated with gas last evening. This is a new thing in Ridgway and another testimonial to the enterprise of J. S. and W. H. Hyde.

—There is one living in this place who is to be banished for ever. He voted for Burke. Is there no way to save him. *

—What is the difference between a prize fight and the editor of the *Democrat*? Give it up? One is a mill, the other a Miller. *

—A large number of persons were confirmed in the Catholic church at this place week ago last Sunday. The day was pleasant, and the church was crowded to its utmost capacity.

—The stars Miller saw in the *Advocate* before election were nothing to the stars that danced before his eyes in the murky blackness of election night. *

—Rev. H. S. Getz, of Trinity Memorial Church, Warren, will officiate in Grace Church on Sunday next, morning and evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

—Millers are insects that are supposed to be less harmful than annoying, but the wasp-waist of the *Democrat* displayed considerable venom in his last paper. *

—The sling-shot nuisance, indulged in by the small boys of Ridgway, should come to an end. McAfee's sign was riddled with shot, and the glass in Maginnis' street lamp shattered.

—First class in arithmetic, stand up! If a big moustache and a square timber cane make a Miller what will make a yellow-jacket? *

A Card.

To the Citizens of Elk County:—The undersigned tenders his sincere thanks to his friends who, regardless of party affiliations, so nobly stood by him in the election of the 6th inst., and begs to assure them that their kind efforts will ever be gratefully remembered While he met with opposition that was unexpected, he also received support not counted upon; and now that the smoke of the battle has cleared away, he is able to distinguish between his true friends and those whose friendship was but formal in his presence, and hopes that he may never be called upon to visit any in his official capacity, but if so, to perform the duties of the office without partiality, as he is under obligations to no clique and controlled by no ring.

D. C. OYSTER.

Ridgway, Pa., Nov. 8, 1877.

—One hundred of the worst scared men we ever saw were gathered on the street corners, after this week's Democrat appeared, all asking "what will Miller do with us?"

—Following is the verdict of the Coroner's Jury in the case of the persons killed in the collision last Thursday morning. The evidence we are obliged to omit: That Maurice Farrell, Calvin Shearer, William Stevens, William Collinge and William Gallagher came to their death by a collision on November 1st, 1877, about 7:05 A. M. on the Philadelphia and Erie railroad about one mile east of Ridgway station, between first section of Empire freight west and day express east, caused by a neglectful disobedience of the train orders by Conductor J. H. Butler and Engineer William Collinge, received by them at Johnsonburg from Supt. E. B. Westfall, on the morning of Nov. 1st, 1877. In mitigation of the neglectful disobedience on the part of Conductor J. H. Butler we find many extenuating circumstances.

RIDGWAY PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Principal's Report for month ending November 1st, 1877.

TEACHERS.	Room	Whole No. in attendance.	Average daily attendance.	Per. cent. of attendance.	No. present every day.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B Johnson.	1	78	65	90	25
Miss S. B. Kinnier	2	50	44	88	16
Miss B. E Wilcox	3	80	66	89	24
Summary.		208	175	89	65

The following markings are based on 100 as the standard, that being the highest per cent. attainable. The highest *average class standing* obtainable by any pupil for the month is 99; and the lowest 52; the best *general average* 100, and the lowest 74.

	Attendance	Punctuality	Deportment	Average class standing	General Average
SENIORS.					
Carrie V. Luther	97	97	100	86	95
Helen M. Little	100	100	97	78	94
Julia Flynn	77	94	100	80	88
Jennie Gresh	52	100	100		
Tillie Cunningham	59	100	100	70	82
Minnie M. Service	93	100	100	60	88
Hattie E. Warner	93	94	100	86	93
Thomas J. Malone	50	94	100	52	74
Katie Callahan	42	100	100	67	77
Charles Olmsted	37	100	100	80	79
"A" GADE.					
Daniel Irwin	100	100	100	99	100
Chas. Menan	78	100	100	90	92
Oscar Gardner	91	100	100		
Emma E. Ross	100	100	94	49	98
Agnes Barrett	100	94	100	84	95
Dora M. Irwin	100	100	100	95	99
Orin Head	36	97	97		
Katie O'Connor	91	97	100	82	93
Ida M. Olmsted	82	100	100		
Emma Olmsted	100	100	100	74	94
Rhoda Wilcox	97	97	100	80	94
Allie Toomy	77	100	100	80	89
"B" GRADE.					
Lewis Lesser	100	100	100	90	98
Maggie Flynn	92	100	100	96	97
Michael O'Connor	80	100	100		
Dan. Cunningham	77	100	100	90	92
Clyde Kime	82	100	95	93	93
Annie M. Irwin	82	100	100		
Jack E. Barrett	95	100	85	78	90
Eddie J. Luther	97	95	100	86	95
Michael May	73	100	97	86	89
Nellie Schram	97	100	97		
Patrick Holland	66	97	97	86	87
Ada Young	75	94	100		
Mary Horning	100	100	100	71	93
Ella Wicks	100	100	95	65	90
Florence Stafford	68	100	100	54	81
Fred Fitch	82	100	100	90	93
Taylor Swartz	55	100	100		
Charles Johnion	100	100	100	93	78
"C" GRADE.					
Ellie Kime	93	100	100	94	97
Henry A. Paine	60	100	95	90	86
Amanda Lindgren	100	100	100	99	100
Jennie Hall	100	97	97	99	98
Willie T. Neill	95	83	75	88	85
Elmer Gardner	88	100	100		
Willie Meenan	68	97	100	92	89
Maggie Shean	88	100	100	93	95
Edward Paine	50	100	100	84	84
Viola Neill	100	92	90	95	94
G. C Kime	84	100	100	76	90
Addie Bordwell	37	100	100	90	82
Arthur Herton	68	100	78	81	89
Willie Schram	100	100	92	88	95
"D" GRADE					
John G. Whitmore	100	100	95	91	97
Charlie Gillete	91	100	100		
Josie Messenger	100	100	95	92	97
Rollan Cook	77	100	100	81	90
Chancey M Wilcox	100	100	100	87	98
Willie Luther	100	100	95	77	93
Annie Kline	100	97	100	83	95
Minnie Kline	100	89	80	78	87
Rosepha Meyers	100	94	95	75	91
Kittie Whitmore	91	100	97	67	89
Eddie Powell	73	100	100	83	89
John Luby	60	100	100		
John Healy	25	100	65		
"E" GRADE.					
Katie Meenan	97	100	100	98	99
Gussie Woodward	100	100	98	93	97
Eddie Horton