NEW TIME TABLE.-Under the new schedule the mail and local freight leave Ridgway station as follows: MAIL WEST

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Ridgway Lodge No. 1644 meets on the 2d and 4th Fridays of each month at 8 o'elock.

-In another column will be found a communication announcing that W. W. Ames, Esq., of St. Mary's, has consented to allow his name to be used as the next election. Mr. Ames has been a citizen of the county some eight or nine years and in his profession takes rank as a rising man. Much against his wishes and only after repeated and urgent solicitations by citizens of all shades of politicial opinion has he allowed his name to be so used. The people of the county at large feel that the constantly increasing criminal business of the courts makes the office of District Attorney one of importance and one that should be filled by an attorney of known integrity and of repute in the profession. Mr. Ames possesses these requirements and we hope that these who have thus importuned him to accept an office the duties of which are not always agreeable, will see to it that he is not sacrificed at the polls.

-The collision of a switch engine last Friday, with an express train at Jeekson station on the Michigan Central railroad by which 15 persons were killed outright and a great number wounded it seems was due to gross carlessness. The employees of the freight yard at Jackson allowing an engine to stand on the track at the time when the express train was due. Mr. C. O. Parsons, a passenger of Boston, stated that he left the sleeper in connection with a friend. When he first climbed through the window of the telescoped car he could scarcely place, a son. find room for his foot, so thick were the bodies of the dead and wounded. The groans of the poor, mangled sufferers were horrible. Children were calling for parents and in the inky blackness of the wrecked car mothers could be heard crying for their children, husbands calling for their wives and wives for their husbands. The horror of the position cannot be depicted.

Local Notes

-Read THE ADVOCATE.

-New sidewalk on Main street. -Corn husking at Hall's farm on Tuesday night last.

-Folks have always wanted something that would stop a headache in an hour or so; and Dr. Day's Cure for Headache is just the thing. 50 cts. and \$1 bottles.

-If you want to buy a good Sewing Machine call on C. Bowers, who has the light running White. It needs no explaining, like most sewing machines | (1) because it is so simple that a child can run it. Call and see the machine whether you want to buy or not.

Dedication.

The M. E. Church at Brockport will be dedicated on Sunday, Oct. 26th. Services will be held at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Rev. J. R. Lyon, of Ripley, N. Y., is expected to be present. Other ministers will be present also. All are invited to attend the dedication of this church which stands as a monument of earnest christian labor.

Ridgway Squibs.

-Cal. Luther is the boss on gather--Don't fail to attend the dance for it will be a grand affair no doubt.

-B. F. Ely has the boss mill. -We understand the boys talk of having a walking match at McGee-hin's hall. Don't let it fail to come

-Why didn't the Lieut, go to the shooting match at St. Mary's Friday?

-Daugus disappeared suddenly Sun-day night. Wonder where he went

-Co. H met Saturday night as Geo's foot was sore and he

-The price of clocks is coming down. Don't get below cost gentle-

-Wonder if "Skippy" takes the Reynoldsville Herald -If you want a first-class news-paper subscribe for the ADVOCATE.

ALERT.

Last Night's Concert.

The Tennessee Jubilee Singers were the attraction that drew several hundred persons to the Opera House last night. The singers, bere about ten and vary in complexion from ebony to cream, were neatly dressed and modest in demeanor, gave general satisfaction. Their singing was rich and melodious, "John Brown's Body" and several other well known melodies were sung with great strength and feeling. The most pop-ular feature of the evening were the plantation songs which were rendered with all the abandon of South Carolina negroes. With clapping of hands, contortions and walk arounds, all of which elicited roars of laughter from a highly amused audience. So great was the applause that the singers were obliged to respond to several encores. They are genuine samples of Southern Methodists, and give a very pleasing

entertainment.—Bradford Era. The above mentioned troupe will appear in Ridgway this evening at Hyde's Opera House. Don't fail to hear them. Tickets 25 cents; children 15 cents; reserved seats 35 cents. Tickets and reserved seats on sale at Hyde's Store.

MR. EDITOR:-Please announce that WALTER W. AMES, Esq., of St. Mary's, in response to urgent requests of the citizens of all sections of the county, irrespective of party, has consented to become an independent candidate for District Attorney at the

coming election. Personal Items.

ney. -Daniel Scibner is raising the back part of his house.

-Vote for Ames for District Attor-

-Prof. Dixon started very suddenly for Ellenville, N. Y., last Friday, having received a telegram that his wife

was very low. -We have a specimen of "Malin's Early" an new potato raised by Randall Malin, on his farm in this town. ship, after five years patient waiting, a candidate for District Attorney at from the seed of the Peerless. We will speak of these potatoes more at

length in our next issue. -Robert Walters, aged about 32 years, a resident of Smethport, died at Kane last Tuesday, while returning from a trip to Philadelphia for his health. Deceased was a brother of Mrs. Jerry Stewart of this place, who attended the funeral at Smethport on Wednesday,

-David W. Fulton, brother of Mrs. Jerry Thompson of this place, died at the residence of his father, Dr. P. F. Fulton, at Lock Sheldrake, N. Y., on Saturday, Sept. 27th, 1879, aged 29 years. He was a young man highly esteemed by all who knew him, and will long be remembered by a large circle of friends.

-Rev. J. Fishburn, of Greenville. Mercer county, will hold services in the Lutheran church at this place as follows: Friday evening, 24th inst., in Patrick Holland Willie Luther English; Saturday morning and Charles Gillette evening German and English. On Sunday morning German with the Fred Ely service of the Holy Communion, and English services Sunday evening.

BIRTHS.

-McGovern.-On Tuesday, Oct. 7, 1879, to Mr. and Mrs. James McGovern of this place, a daughter.

-STEIS .- On Thursday, Oct. 9, 1879, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stels, of this

Tuesday's Elections.

Foster, Republican, is elected Governor of Ohio by from 20,000 to 30,000 Walter Kickards Minnie Terwilliger majority. The Legislature is undoubtedly largely Republican.

Iowa is Republican as usual. The Democrats carry Newark, N. J.

-The Elk County Teachers' Instiute which was to have been held from the 27th to the 31st of October has been Indefinitely postponed, owing to the serious illness of Prof. Dixon's wife.

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Ridgway Public Schools.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT FOR MONTH ENDING SEPT. 30, 1879.

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The following named pupils have een promoted from the primary to he intermediate department: Mack French, Edmund Crayston, Chester Stewart, Albert Bightol, George Bar-ett, Mary Flynn, Sarah Layman,

nnie Bightol. The present "E" grade of the high was promoted conditionally from the intermediate department.

J. D. Rishell, Principal.

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Kime's. Ridgway E. A. Society.

Ridgway, Oct. 8, 1879. A meeting of several citizens of Ridgway was held in the M. E. church for the purpose of organizing a society in behalf of the Equitable Aid Union this evening. The following members were duly elected as officers:

John Gulnack, Chancellor. G. W. Nichols, Advocate. Peter Gulnack, President. Geo. W. Stickles, Vice President. H. K. Gresh, Auxillary. F. E. Nichols, Secretary. Mrs. J. C. Houk, Treasurer Wm. McChesney, Accountant. W. J. Taylor, Chaplin. Christian Lindgren, Warden. Wm. Johnson, Sentinel. Jerome Kinnecut, Watchman. T. S. Hartley, Medical Examiner.

Trustees-G. W. Nichols, John Gul-nack, H. K. Gresh, Geo. Stickles, and W. J. Taylor. Finance Committee-Wm. McChe ney, Peter Gulnack, and Jerome Kin-

On motion it was resolved that we meet the 15th of the present month at such place as the Trustees provide. There being no further business before the Union, on motion the President adjourned the meeting to Wednesday, Oct. 15th, at 7:30 P. M.

F. E. NICHOLS, Sec'y.

and the first think which while the said

Silence. A relative of the Unanimous Convention.

Oppressive. Sadly silent. The brass collared leader.

Also the "bolting delegate," Whereof before we have had occasion

And alas, where is Wurzell? Is not the day of the battle nearly ended, and is this fair haired youth to die and make no sign?

The very few voters who desire Wurzell, ask for a sign. For they had rather vote a split

ticket Then for a dead live man. For be it is known that a straight

ticket is the boast and heart's idol of your solid Democrat. The whistling of a ghost in a country church yard is not a merry thing.

But the wistling of the ambitious young man, whom his parents called Geo. W., and his scattering adherents, is far less lovely.

The scales are dropping from their And when they begin to talk one

with the other. Behold where are the many votes we have fondly counted, Have they gone off after false gods.

and independent candidates? It were better that our unanimous convention had never been. Then would we not be the laughing

stock of all men. Even from the rocks of Benezette to the western forests of Millstone.

And the Gazette is as dumb as a lamb (no one can think of Brandon as a lamb without shedding tears) before his shearers or words to that effect. The organ of the Elk unanimous convention Democracy has not done

Neither has its columns shown forth he beauty of the beautious nominee. As if by its silence

Wurzell should be slaughtered. Brace up! O, heavy bottomed editor. Seize the moments as they fly. And improve them,

For the darkness comes. And the day after election. And the rejoleings of the friends of the independent candidate. But in that day shall grief be your

portion. And your breeches shall flap on your legs liks rags on a cornfield sentinel. But if you succeed in electing

Wurzell. Then shall fat grow on your waistband.

And you shall be Sheriff. Think of these things and be wise. Silence yet reigns over the columns of the Democrat. And the name of that unanimous nominee is not yet at the mast head.

As any one knows of. Shall the prophesy whereof we have spoken come to naught? We fear so.

Unless an eleventh hour repentance shall seize the "bolter." And behold the tenth hour is here now.

(To be continued.) Republican Co. Convention.

This convention met at the Hyde House parlors, Ridgway, on Tuesday, Oct. 9, at 2:30 P. M., pursuant to call of chairman. The convention was called to order

by H. M. Powers, chairman county week. committee. J. J. Taylor, of Fox, was elected chairman of the convention.

Geo. Bieberger, of St. Mary's, was chosen as secretary. The following delegates were present:

Ridgway - H. H. Wensel, H. M. Fox-J. J. Taylor, Hollis Side 100 100 100 100 75 94 linger. 73 100 85 85 86 St. Mary's — W. C. Spafford, Geo. Bieberger. Jones-E. O. Aldrich, L. W. Grant.

Highland - Henry Ellithorp, Andrew Johnson. Horton—B. A. Rogers. Jay—A. E. Goff, BradfordGardner. J. V. Bonnert, of Jones, was unanimously nominated for Jury Commis-

sioner. A resolution deeming it inexpedient to make a nomination for District Attorney was unanimously passed.

H. M. Powers was re-elected chairman of the County Committee. The following were named as the COUNTY COMMITTEE.

Chairman-H. M. Powers. Benzinger-Jos. Corbe, David Leslie, Jos. Eddy. Benezette — L. Lucore, Erasmus Morey, Sr., Jacob English, Fox-J. J. Taylor, U. W. Rogers. Hollis Sidelinger.
Highland — E. Hovencamp, R. Underwood, John Eliason. Jay - A. F. Goff, Wm. P. Luce, Ephraim Hewitt. Jones-Jos. Tambini, E. O. Aldrich,

Millstone-Wm. Kelly, J. W. Dona-Ridgway — H. H. Wensel, C. D. Osterhout, J. M. Schram. St. Mary's-Geo. Bieberger, W. C. Spafford, F. Kenote.

Spafford, F. Kenote.
Spring Creek — H. Carman, Wm.
A. Irwin, O. T. Miner.
Horton — R. S. McIntosh, J. S.
Chamberlain, B. A. Rogers. A resolution endorsing the administration of Gov. Hoyt was unanimously passed.

Adjourned.

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Brockport Locals.

-Geo. Nulf had a husking bee on Thursday the 9th lust. -John McMann is building another

story on the wing of his house. -Daniel Nulf has left Camp Jack and has gone to cook for Jeff. Taylor on Johnson Run. -H. H. Taylor and wife were visit-

ing their friends of this place last

week. -James Moshler gathered half a bushel of chestnuts one day last week. -Jerome Farara moved into his new house on last Saturday.

-Jack Allen has bought a piece of land of Joe DeLong and A. D. Alden, He also intends to build on it this fall. -How does "Smith & Schneider" know that U. W. Rogers has been working on the mountain road lead-ing to Lamp Black. Wonder if he still travels that road on moonlight nights.

-Our noble Conductor, who run the Our noble Conductor, who run the first train over the Brookville and Ridgway stage road for Short & Horton some two years ago, undertook to kiss Mrs. Ann Swortwood the other day, but alas, his hopes were blasted, she being too powerful for him took him down and held him. After letting him up she said, "you didn't kiss me and don't you forget it."

-"Schmidt & Schneider" says, Reuben T, is working for his intended father-in-law. True enough, but is he not working for yours also?

—Fred and Elmer Burchfield in-tends buying Walter Rudolph's farm for a home for their parents. -Jacob Fields is building the pulpit for the M. E. Church. Jake is a good workman and will do a good job with

out doubt. -The Brockport M. E. Church will be dedicated on Sunday, October 26th inst. VALE.

Brockport Scribbling. -No rain.

-Very dusty. -Cider making is at hand. Apples are going to waste.

kitchen part of his house a half story -John Cuneo bought H. C. Burch field's corn fodder.

-John McMann is raising the

In our last letter, speaking of the dance at Lamp Black, the printer got it the 29th instead of the 28th of Oct. —Jacob Fields had a dance last Tuesday night after Short & Horton's husking.

-Wm. Cheatle is working for J. S. Hyde.

—The boys have dried their tears and there is a happy look on their faces as they find out there is to be a dance at Lamp Black and it does not come on Sunday -Apples are so plenty they are given away.

SCHMIDT & SCHNEIDER.

Dent's Run and Dry Saw Mill Items. -Weather is warm and very dry. -The season for gathering nuts will

soon be ended. -"U. R. Wright" of the Sterling Gazette is sometimes wrong; for instance in not giving his locals to his

own county papers. -Jacob Johnson had his barn raised last Saturday, during which time John Johnson caught a fall, and David got the side of his nose pealed. —We suppose, from all appearances, "U. R. Wright" will report a general stirring up of the "Hornets' Nest."

-A deer escaped about a half dozen hunters at this place last Saturday. We would advise you not to get so excited and take better aim next -David Johnson raised a pumpki which weighs forty-seven pounds.

-J. O. Johnson commenced husk ing corn on Monday. —R. F. Smith expects to move to his camp on Dent's Run in about a week. We wish him a successful season in the lumber woods.

-Harry Smith and the teacher a Dent's Run went chestnutting last Saturday and only got three quarts. -This place has not yet had one severe frost.

-It is anticipated that the wheat and hay crops will be small next year unless we get some rain before long. -David Bennett had his thumb severely pinched at the raising of Jacob Johnson's barn last Saturday. -More locals next week.

-PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, which a

D. C. I.

cotemporary calls "pre-eminently the first of the lady's books," is on our table for November, ahead of all others. It is astonishing how this favorite continues to improve. The presents number leads off with a charming steel engraving, "The Little Haymaker," and is followed by one of those double size steel fashion plates, superbly colored, only seen in this periodical. Then comes a powerful engraving, "The Oriel Window," illustrating a story, and then some fifty wood cuts of dresses, patterns in em-broidery, crochet, &c., &c. A pretty love story, "The Prize At Our Arch-ery Club," briliantly illustrated, fol-lows, and then tales and noveletts by lows, and then tales and noveletts by Mrs. Ann S. Stephens, Mrs. F. Hodgson Burnett, Marietta Holley, Frank Lee Benedict, &c., &c. With this number appears the Prospectus for 1880. A speciality of "Peterson" is a monthly Supplement, given to each subscriber, with a paper pattern for a lady's or child's dress, the patterns alone being worth more than the subalone being worth more than the sub scription price. Five Original Novel-etts will be given in 1889, by Mrs. Ann S. Stephens, Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, Frank Lee Benedict, &c., &c. A new feature will be introduced, in a series of brilliantly illustrated stories and other articles. The price of "Peterson," remember, is but Two Dollars a year or less than any other Dollars a year or less than any other first-class magazine, postage free; to clubs the terms are even lower, viz.: two copies for \$3.50, with a superb, copyright mezzotint (size 24 inches by 20) "WASHINGTON AT VALLEY FORGE." as premium. Or four copies for \$6.50, and an extra copy of the magazine itself as premium. Or five copies for \$8.00, with both an extra copy and the "Washington at Valley Forge." for premium. Now is the and you will not be disappointed. Forge," for premium. Now is the time to get up clubs for 1880. Specimens are sent, gratis, if written for. Subscribe to nothing until you have seen a copy of "Peterson." Address CHABLES J. PETERSON, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa

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