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-The Ashton's gave three entertainments at Hyde's Opera House on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of last week. "Rip Van Winkle," "East Lynne," and "Fanchon the Cricket," were given in a very satisfactory manner to full houses. The whole company were excellent Cricket, was her acting noteworthy, excepting Benezette alone, which has and when we consider that she is only | 66 less than in 1870; 13 years old, her acting becomes marvelous.

-"A Ridgway Ramble," from the Eric Dispatch, we reprint in another column. The article in question is a very flattering one to the pride of the citzens of our beautiful village. eral inaccuracies we note, however; and will correct: Ridgway is 118 miles from Erie and not 123; Jerome Powell was the first publisher of THE ADVO-CATE, but the paper was founded by an association of Ridgway citizens in the Derby of this place, while working year 1850. Mr. Powell conducted the on some repairs to Grant & Horton's paper for about five years, since which tannery, received injuries which at time he has been engaged in other first it was feared would prove fatalbusiness. We know of no hills west A small circular saw was put in temof town where one could see "the gen- porary in the tannery to dress out tle Clarion rolling quietly 500 feet be- lumber to be used in making the re-

on July 5th was a decided success fi- flew from the saw and coming back nancially netting over \$700. The rain with terrific force struck him in the caused the pienicers to move from head knocking him down. The skull Green's grove where extensive ar- was fractured and the right eye inrangements had been made for the ac- jured severely. The evening of the commodation of the people, to the accident he was removed to the resinew blacksmith shop of John Sponler, dence of his father Edward Derby on where all were entertained in a first- Main street. . After being confined to class manner. The trustees of St. the house for just one week Will could Boriface's church, of Centreville, de- stand it no longer and not without sire us to thank all the people who so great effort walked out and up to the kindly turned out to aid them in this barber shop for a shave. Since then enterprise, and to Company H and he has been out more or less every the Silver Cornet Band of Ridgway, day, and now it is believed he will also to Rev. T. J. Clark to whom is fully recover although the sight of his due much of the credit for the great eye may be weak for a lour time, A success of this picnic.

-July 3d, 4th, and 5th passed off quietly in this village. On Saturday, the afternoon a disgraceful fight oc- bridge across Elk creek. He was gocurred in the streets. While a man ing home, his home being near the has an undoubted right to drink track and but a few rods west of where as much as he can carry, at the the accident occurred, and had set swear and swagger on the street, or to startled by the approach of an east shame is it when men who lay claim get off the track when he fell face to respectability stand by and allow a downward between the rails, and the fight to proceed. The ever Glorious engine and upward of thirty freight Fourth came on Sunday, consequently cars passed over him, as he lay in the no celebrating could be indulged in. cinders. The engineer noticed the Early on the morning of July 5th the man on the track and as soon as possigudgeon spoke forth in thunder tones, ble stopped the train and went for our quiet town from their morning Ridgway House, Win. Sweet a slumber. Besides this and the occas- boarder there, Al. Brown, and another ional noise of a fire cracker, and the man went to the injured man's assisinevitable number of reeling men, no tance. Doctors Hartley and Williams other exercise was indulged in. During | were summoned and dressed the man's a greater part of the forenoon and part wounds. A severe cut was made of the afternoon a drizzling rain con- across one eye, while three fingers of tinued much to the annoyance of those the left hand, which lay on the rail, versons who desired to walk or ride were missing. His wife heard the out. Co. H had intended to parade at screams of her husband, as she sat 10 o'clock but the rain interfered and watching his coming. At present it was late in the afternoon before the he is in a ... ir way of recovery, being Company came out. After firing a strong enough to set up in a chair. It place to send your daughter. few volleys the "boys in blue" took is seldom that a man goes through the conveyance for Centreville to accept experience Mr. Fannin has and lives an invitation to a picnic at that place. to tell the story. We consider this In the evening there was a well at one of the most remarkable escapes on tended dance at Hyde's Opera House | record.

Personal Items.

-Miss Agnes Barrett is visiting at Warren -Alton Chapin is in town visiting

friends.

-Omer Davis visited our town last week. -Miss Aggie Stout has returned

Lock Haven permanently. -Misses Emma Brendel and Mary Beck, of Lock Haven, were visiting friends in this village last week.

-Miss Carrie Luther returned home on Monday last, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Jno. W. Eyster who will visit here for a few days.

-Rev. J. B. Davison paster 1st Conexchange pulpits with Rev. E. A. Squier, next Sabbath.

friend Isaac Horton, of North East, was in this village on Tuesday. He looks ten years younger than he did ten years ago.

Cornet Bank were treated at the Centreville picnic is spoken of in the ganizations.

-Wm. H. Beals, who worked at Beech Bottom, and also for Isaac Avery, and whom our readers will remember enlisted in the United States cavalry last fall has been heard from, Michael Luby of this place was in correspondence with him, but had received no tidings of him for some time, until a few days since he got a letter from a comrade of Beals who says he was captured by the Indians in a hard fight of recent occurrence.

#### BIRTH.

McCauley. — On Wednesday, July 7, 1880, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Me Cauley, of this place, a son.

### MARRIED.

the residence of Mr. L P. Johnson, Ridgway Township, Mr. C. A. Nyberg, to Miss Johana Johnson, both of Beach Bottom, Elk Co., Pa.

-Dried Apples, Peaches and Prunes at Morgester's.

-Royal Baking Powder in 1 and 1 pound Boxes at Morgester's.

#### Harry English. The above named notorious indi-

vidual has at last been captured near Saginaw, Mich., by one of Pinkerton's detectives. It is likely he will put in an appearance at the Elk county Jail about next Monday afternoon. Elk County Census.

The following is the census of Elk county for 1870 and 1880 The population of the county in 1859 was 8531; for 1800, 5915; 1870, 8488; and now 1880, ially as Lady Isabel, and Fanchon the Elk. All the townships show a gain It is certainly a beautiful farm.

*	DISTRICTS	1910	1880
	Benezette	902	836
	Benzinger	1680	1977
1	St. Mary's Boro	1084	1504
•	Fox	1188	2236
i	Highland	98	261
	Horton	631	088
	Jay	584	600
	Jones	1091	1428
١	Millstone	173	211
ŧ	Ridgway	800	2550
1	Spring Creek	357	467
	Tetal	8488	12788

-Thursday, July 1, 1880. William low." A little less than half 500 pairs. At this saw Mr. Derby was would be the extent of the lookdown. working fitting up a 2x4 piece of lum--The Catholic picnic at Centreville about two feet in length. This piece

terrible scar will always remain as a reminder of this unfortunate accident. -At about one o'clock A.M. Tuesday, 3d, a great number of people were in July 6th, John Fannin, Jr., of this viltown and many of them had swal- lage was seriously injured on the raillowed too much "lubricator," during road track a few rods west of the iron same time we dispute his right to down on the railroad when he was engage in a disgraceful fight. More bound freight train. He attempted to waking the peaceable inhabitants of help. Mr. Jackson, proprietor of the

### A Ridgway Ramble.

AN ERIE GENTLEMAN OF KEEN OBSER-VATION TELLS WHAT HE NOTICED IN A VISIT TO THE LITTLE TOWN.

(Eric Dispatch.) Having a little business matter to attend to, I took occasion to visit the town of Ridgway, Elk county, a few days and after spending the day there, I returned satisfied that a prettier town or a more hospitable people could not be found.

Ridgway is situated 123 miles from

county seat of Elk county, and contains about 2,000 inhabitants. The new court house which is nearly completed will cost \$75,000 and is indeed a splendid structure, and when finished gregational church of Corry, Pa., will will add greatly to the appearance of the town. There is also several very fine and costly private dwellings, -Our jovial and very much estemed among which can be mentioned the elegant residence of Jerome Powell. Horace Little, Mr. Schoening, Mr. Osterhout, Mr. Hyde, Dr Earley and many others. My attention was -The excellent manner in which called to the former residence of our Company H and the Ridgway Silver citizen Judge Souther, who made Ridgway his home for many years. Mr. Powell has been a resident of the highest terms by members of both or- | town for nearly 40 years. He was the founder and editor of the Elk County Advocate for nearly half a century. It was a successful, popular, spicy sheet. There are two weekly papers published in the town at present, both doing well. Ridgway has the motive power necessary to build and keep up a town -namely, capital. Few places of its size can boast of a millionaire, but Mr. Hyde is reported to be worth at least \$1,000,000, and although nearly 70 years of age, is still vigorous and engaged in active business. He was the cause for organizing such a congregabuilder of the Hyde House, and he tion was to provide for and take care and his son have at present a monster of the spiritual wants of the many store in full blast, which would do Germans that had already comcredit to a much larger town. He is and were still coming to this also owner of a great amount of real place. But it was at once found estate in thas and other regions. There | that the children of these people were On June 2nd by Rev. John Sander at are several other wealthy menengaged fast becoming auglicized, and that in business there. Among them is they might not be lest to the church the firm of Powell & Kime, who keep it was found necessary also to have a general assortment of all kind of services in the English language. goods, and are very heavy lumber There were at the very first but four dealers. In addition to all of this the families who took an active interest in tanning business alone in Ridgway is the cause. They were the families of quite sufficient to keep up a good Geo. Walker, (now removed to other sized town, and as the hemiock barks parts), Philip Lesser, Arnold Bruegger are almost inexhaustable, it is bound and Caspar Bruegger (now known as to be a permanent and lasting invest- Caspar Brueggar No. 1). Regular ment. I was greatly surprised to find services were held every two weeks in so much good farming land abut this both languages in the old court house town. On the road running from Ridgway to Warren, six miles from street and converted into an hotel) town, I passed a beautiful farm con- where all the protestant congregations taining eleven hundred acres, four then worshiped but one, Episcopal. hundred cleared and not a stump left Others connected themselves with the on it, board fen e and shade trees the Lutheran organization, so that in less whole length on the road and in one than a year the number of families orchard I saw two thousand fine apple | had more than doubled, and at a comtrees. The farm is quite level; it is munion held in the course of that in their several parts but to Miss Do: 12788, which shows a very gratifying owned by the Wilcox Tanning Com- year, twenty-five communed. The rit Ashton, much credit is due, espec- steady gain of population for little pany, and is called Montmorency. movement continued on favorably,

> many and that is pure cold spring worship the triune God. Consewater in abundance, brought from the quently it was resolved to erect such surrounding hills into the dwellings a building, and the congregation and fountains in the yards, the pres- having received assistance and ensure being sufficient to carrry it to any | couragement from outside parties, the part of the houses.

> To get a good view of Ridway one wants to go to the hills west of the thing appeared to move on quite favortown and there you have a real bird's- ably until 1875. At least there are no eye view of a lovely village nestling records to show that there was any among the green hills, while the gentle disturbance or that anything of spe-Clarion is rolling quietly 502 feet be- clal importance occurred. The debts low. The cemetery is situated on one on the church by this time were nearly of these hills overlooking the town all paid. In October of this year the and is a well selected quiet resting house and lot on the west side of the place, where sleep the silent dead.

> In addition to all the other attractions about this region, by driving out then pastor, who appears to have done ten miles from Ridgway, those who most of the business blarself and to delight in trout fishing can have all have given his own security. The the sport they desire, as the streams congregation as a whole did not appear that flow from town are full of the to have known much about the whole speckled beauties. Taking it all affair, nor does it seemed to have cared together I know of no place that I much. As a natural consequence would as soon choose for a good visit it never took much interest in this and a day's sport as I would this ro- debt until within the last year, when mantic town of Ridgway

> -List of Letters Remaining in the Ridgway post office, Elk Co., Pa., up But after that it appears that a dark to July 5, 1880

Burt, Mis. Hannah Clark, John B. Decker, H. Daugherty, Ezra Eckendahl, E. G. Flick, W. W. Gustavison, Axel Hives, Charles Isenburg, Peter Johnson, Johanna Little, Burton McGillen, Michael McMinn, William Montgomery, Geo. W. Parsons, Horatio

FOREIGN Bangston, Olof

Pratt, Geo. L.

Magmuson, J. (2). If not called for in thirty days they will be sent to the dead letter office, Washington, D. C.

J. H. HAGERTY, P. M.

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-Assortment of Toilet and Laundry Soap at Morgester's.

-Scrap pictures at THE ADVOCATE office. Call and see them.

# The Evangelical Lutheran Church, Ridgway, Pa.

Some days ago while looking over and examining certain documents of our church, I happened to get a paper into my hands which was peculiar in its nature from all the others. The handwriting I at once recognized as that of Mr. Breneman, though personally not acquainted with him, I am acquainted with his hand-writing through other documents. This paper gives a short sketch of the history of Erie, on the Clarion River, is the our church in this place, the cause and occasion of its origin and some of the principal features connected with the building of the ediffee, cornerstone laying, dedication, etc. It is of so recent date that it will not interest many persons of this place, as many no doubt were eye-witnesses of nearly everything transpiring publicly recorded in it. I will therefore not give the contents of the entire document, but only make mention of some facts recorded in it. This manuscript is of side in being poor. no small importance to our church, since it appears through negligence there never was a regular record kept of the proceedings of the church counell and the doings of the congregation. There are contained in its everal items in a few words, which give information on such subjects as I have in vain patience, my Lord, and we will pay been endeavoring to get information on. Therefore, Father Breneman, though he may have had some faults. was yet very thoughtful in supposing desirable. It is almost ten years since the first

you all." We have paid some debt during the past year we expect to pay more soon. We are sorry that those who were in former years attached to such a record might some day be very us have withdrawn on account of the confusion no doubt which then prevailed for a time, and have connected effort was made to organizea Lutheran themselves with other bodies. Such as keep in view christian doctrines congregation at this place. The main and principles above mere external organizations I doubt whether they could conscientiously have done so. but if such persons feel at home in the organizations with which they are connected we do not wish to pursuade them from it nor make them feel uneasy. At any time when any of our friends wish to worship with us they are perfectly welcome, and in fact we are glad to see them come. But when they do come they must not expect to find a gorgeous edifice with luxurious pews; nor a great pulpit orator swinging back and forth on hinges, nor even a fashionable choir which amuses rather than promotes true devotion (although I wish to say nothing disparagingly concerning a good choir singing suitable pieces of music), but they will find everything plain, sim-(now moved to Main street below Mill ple and we hope much that is truly Boga Run and Vicinity Now and Then. -Mrs. Reuben Kellar is quite ill. -Those two gentlemen who were aught in the beer garden on Boga came and by the spring of 1873 the organ-The people here have one of the ization felt strong enough to baild an a few rods of the house. Snakes are greatest luxuries that can be given to ediffee of its own wherein it might frequently killed in this vicinity now

matters were laid before it and ex-

plained. For another year or so noth-

ing of special importance occurred.

cloud was appearing on the horizon

which brought with it a fearful storm

almost demolishing the entire fabric.

As in almost all storms people lose

their presence of mind and all becomes

confusion, so it was here. During

this entire period of jarring not a

the proceedings among all the papers

somewhat to blame. But what is

better than all this is that the storm

has passed, all is calm, and the sun is

shining again. The congregation

numbers now more than ten times the

number of families with which it be

gan; taking into consideration the

distance many of our members reside

from the church the services are well

attended, for many must come on foot

no less than four, six, and even ten

miles. The Sunday School is increas-

ing in number and in interest. I

think without mistake the congrga-

tion is the largest in number of any

town, and its Sunday school has fair

promise to become equal in number

to any of the others. There is how-

ever one feature about our congre-

gation which is not so brilliant in the

eyes of the world and that is that we

are all poor, this we cannot deny nor

are we ashamed to confess it. Yet

this much I think must be allowed

that nearly all our members are in-

dustrious and are striving, though

often under difficulties to obtain

homes. And this will be allowed too

home on the 4th feeling very happy -Two small boys of Thomas Burch field killed three rattlesuakes within

> -Huckleberries sell here for 10 et-. per quart now and then.

PASTOR.

one. I was sorry for this one yet was

somewhat pleased with the good repu-

tation of the others. Poor we are, but

the rich are as much dependent upon

the labors of the poor as the poor are up-

on the rich for a living. Therefore each

should use the other and work in the

interest of the other as sound reason

suggests and the commands of God

exhort. Poor we are, but many a poor

the poor of this world rich in faith,

to enter into the kingdom of God,'

one may also think there is a good

We dare here also not neglect to

make mention of and express our

gratitude to many outside of our con-

to the poor the gospel shall

-Not much was going on here the 4th with the exception of an outside building was completed and dedicated gathering now and then. in October of the same year. Every-

> little now and then. -By the late census the population

iere seems to have increased considera--Young Swamper talks of going

east to learn a new trade. The one he learned when a small boy is not of church were bought. This was done much benefit to him, only now and mostly on the responsibility of the then. -W. H. Horton has commenced

having a little now and then.

-Business is somewhat dull here although there is considerable going on now and then.

NOW AND THEN.

# Brockport Ripplings.

-The hum of the mowing machine is now heard throughout this sec-See that your Saleratus and Bak-ing Soda is white and PURE, as should be ALL SIMILAR SUBSTAN-CES used for food.

-Mrs. S. V. Wilcox has moved to Wellsville where she has bought a house and lot.

-By the late census there is in Horton township 133 families and a population of 688 -Last Saturday Theo. Fox and

erew started for huckleberries, returnsingle record is to be found of any of ing with three large rattlesnakes tied behind the wagon.

of the congregation. Much as this -Camp Fox boasts of the largest may be lamented, it is yet perhaps pine tree. They cut from one tree 19 the best, as no blame can with cersixteen foot logs it having five forks tainty be put on any party. Much is and being about six feet in diameter said about it by different parties, and at the butt. from all appearances, all are perhaps

-At the blacksmith shop a few days ago a rod of iron was welded 115 feet long.

-Hired help is in good demand at Shawmut.

-Mechanics from Ridgway, St. Mary's, and Brockwayville, find employment at this place. -Our old friend C. H. Short re-

turned to his house at Chatham Valley, Tioga Co., Pa., to spend a few weeks through having and harvest. -Camp Fox is well inhabited eighteen porcupines have been killed on

the perch and up stairs in the last few - Stylish fops at Brockport now wear white linen pants, when they want to sling on agony.

-Mrs. Isaac Horton of North East is visiting with L. C. Horton and friends.

-Arthur Larkins our shoe maker paid his home at Soda Works a visit last week -Alferd Short and Al. Hart arrived

here last Tuesday. L. C. A.

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