THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1881.

I. O. of O. F.

Ridgway Lodge 969, I. O. of O. F. meets every Thursday evening. Vis-iting members are cordially invited to

M. Cohen, N. G; J. A. Ross, V. G; R. S. Gross, Sec'y; J. W. Smith, As't Sec'y; H. H. Wensel, Treasurer.

ELK CO. ADVOCATE RATES.

Ten cents a line first insertion; five cents a ane for each additional insertion. HENRY A. PARSONS, JR., Proprietor.

-What the Indies say about the Vapor Stove:

It bakes better than the Cook Stove I would not have believed it possible to do such an ironing and not heat up the houss.

My meals are served hot and the kitchen is as cool as the parlor.

I can start a fire in one minute. When done with the fire it is extinguished instantly.

No offensive smell, and flies do not bother.

No dust nor ashes. It is as portable as a sewing na-

W. S. SERVICE, Agt. -Raspberries in market.

-Subscribe for the ADVOCATE.

-Mrs. F. Simmering, Millersville, Pa., had Ozena and Chronic Catarah. Perana cured her entirely. -Choice green Rio Coffee Arbuck-

les and Morgester's best roasted Kio Coffee gives good satisfaction all very low in price at Morgester's.

-The weather is extremely hot. Sunday last the thermometer stood at 105° in the shade. And has ranged from 90° to 100°. Good weather for making bay but the bay makers are to be pitied.

FOUND-Between Spring Creek and Beech Bottom one pocket book containing valuable papers. The owner will come forward prove property and pay for this advertisement.

C. H. VALANTINE. Fatal Drowning Accident.

Wednesday evening, July 13, 1881, at Renovo, Joseph Groetzinger of St. Marys, a young man aged about 23, a freight brakeman on the P. & E. R. R, was drowned while in bathing. He ventured into deep water and being unable to swim was drowned. The remains will be taken to St. Marys for hall was opened. interment.

Militia Encampment.

Wilkesbarre, July 12. - Adjutant General Latta, accompanied by Colonel G. H. North, of Governor Hoys's staff, are in this city to-day. It has been decided that the third brigade of the National Guard of this State will go into engampment here during the ensuing month. A suitable place for the camp is to be selected at once.

-The oil well at Grant City, sixteen miles down the Clarion from Ridgway is at present in a state of uncertainty owing to the tools getting fast. The depth of the well is over 2,000 feet and as eight barrels of oil have already been taken out with the sand pump there is no doubt of its being an oil well. Hundreds of acres of land have been leased near the well. Fishing tools have been procured and it is expected that the hole will be cleaned out in a few days,

 A young man, age 25, unmarried. Jack O'Neill by name, a native of the province of New Brunswick died Tuesday morning very suddenly. He had been working in the bark woods on Monday and had drank a great quantity of ice water. Going to the shanty he complained of not feeling up a good dinner. well, and his unfavorable symptoms continuing doctors Day and Williams were summoned that evening. All to no avail, however, as the young man gradually grew worse until death rays under the influence of the rain crossed the threshold and ushered takes a new lease of cheerfulness. poor Jack into eternity.

-Amos K. Houghtaling met, on July 1st, with a painful accident at the Portland mill. It was just before dinner and he intended to quit at noon to come to Ridgway. His right hand was caught by the cut off saw and terribly lacerated, the little finger was almost severed and an ugly gash made across the fleshy part of the hand. Dr. Bordwell dre-sed the the number of Vapor Stoves which wound. Fears were entertained at are constantly being delivered to all first that the little finger would have parts of the town, and the general to be amputated but we now believe it business like air about the whole will be saved although with a stiff establishment we should judge that the joint. All the same Amos was at the tin, stove, and house furnishing Co. H. pienic and helped the boys business was having a big boom. carry water for the lemonade stand.

List of Letters.

Remaining in the Ridgway Postoffice, Elk county, Pa., up to July 11,

Anderson, Alex Brynn, Miss Liss Blair, Joseph Chamberlain, W. E. Foley, Mack (3) Fetterhoff, W. M. Gaghagan, A. B. (2) Gaghagan, Byron Janson, Alax Maitland, Jermiah Olson, W. Peterson, Sien August Randolph, W. F. Stear, G. L. Shugren, Michael Thompson, W. L. Tongren, T. Yoder, J. B.

J. H. HAGERTY, P. M.

-Scratch books at THE ADVOCATE

-Ben Dill is again mowing in the court house yard. -Goods of every description at cost.

Go to the Union Store. -Mrs. J. K. P. Hall, of St. Marys was in town this week.

-'Squire Montgomery, of Wilcox,

was in town a day or so ago. -If you want a set of springs of any sort or size go to Bowers'.

-Received last week a new line of stationery at THE ADVOCATE office.

-J. M. Schram has been confined to the house by sickness for a few days.

-J. R. Taylor, of Fox township, was in Ridgway Borough this week. -The Centre and South streets | down from Wilcox this week. water company have their pipe almost

laid. -Celery plants are now ready for transplanting. Leave orders at Morgester's.

-Treasurer Brunner comes to Ridgway every Thursday to attend to of-

ficial business. - Diamond sparkling drips, hency drips and choice New Orleans molas-

ses at Morgester's. -R. I. Campbell's new house back of his store is about finished, Prof. J.

B. Johnson will occupy it.

-Mrs. Charles Diley, Pittsburgh, says she had chronic Catarrh badiy. Peruna cured her perfectly.

-Rev. H. Q. Miller has moved into the Episcopal parsonage, and assumed the pastorate of Grace church.

-The dam for Hyde's new steam mill at Rough and Ready is about completed.

-I was miserable with Chronic Catarrh, PERUNA is our remedy and no other. Wm. Boyd, Pittsburg. -Do you wish to bake without

heating the house? Buy the Huii Vapor Stove. W. S. SERVICE, Ag't. -Mack Kime is not working at the

tailoring business any more. He learned that trade and is now rail--Choice Gunpowder, Japan, Eng-

all No. 1 grades and sold very cheap at Morgester's. -Ponton bridge across the Clarion river opposite Osterhout's tannery for ough.

the use of workmen on the grading of the Pittsburg & N. Y. R. R. -The Sunday School picuic at Daguscahonda was a grand success. The Centreville Brass Band discoursed

sweet music for the occasion. -The Odd Fellows dance at the opera House on the evening of July th was attended by 176 couples, the largest number at any dance since the

-Mr. Healy is making an assessshow that there are a great many dogs | the auspices of the Eric Guard. without owners.

m account of the oil excitement and ling railroad enterprise.

think and the whole country hopes days. that he is out of danger.

-The members of the Parochial society will hold a lawn festival in Dr. Earley's orehard on Saturday evening July 16th.

Miss E. Brooks, Secretary. -A new school house is to be built at Grant's tannery, the materials that were to be used in the Dutch settlement school house, will be used for this building. G. W. Nichols will do

drop of rain all day, and perfect order the Ridgway side of the farm. maintained. The M. E. Church got

morning. Vegetation which before tion of the Democratic nominating was parched by the sun's scortching

A. Swartz Ross, Merchant Tailor, sign of the red front, has on hand, and is constantly receiving the latest and newest samples of cloth for spring and summer suits. Prices to suit the million. Work guaranteed to be as represented and delivered at the time agreed upon.

-From the amount of new goods daily received at No. 42 Main street,

-As will be seen by the order of Adjutant General Latta published on our second page, Company "H" was not mustered out as the enemies of the organization in Ridgway hoped it teenth regiment, Col. James A. Wiley of Frankliu, Pa. The annual inspec tion will likely be held during the month of September.

-On the announcement being made in Ridgway the evening of July 2, that the President was dead, the court house bell and all the church bells in town were tolled, buildings were draped in mourning, the flag on the pole in the court yard was put at half mast, union down, and it seemed as though the approaching glorious Fourth was to be turned into a day of mourning. On Sunday morning the report of his death was contradicted. which lifted a heavy weight from the heart of everyone:

PERSONALITIES. -Rev. S. M. Clark has returned

-There is a picnic at Daguscahonda to-day.

-Doctor Ernhout, of Wilcox was in town yesterday. -Thomas Malone, visited Warren on the Fourth.

-W. H. Seudder, of Dagus Mines was in town to-day -J. S. Powell, of Tarport, was in

Ridgway this week.

-Maginnis' house on South street is about ready to raise. -Senator Ross and daughters are visiting friends in Ridgway.

-Albert and Davis Parsons were

-Doctor Bordwell's building Main street is nearly finished. -Powell & Kime have a awning in front of their store.

-Mrs. Royce, of Washington, D. C. Is visiting at W. S. Service's. -Ed, Niver has left the Democrat

office and now works on the DuBois -Esquire Persons, and wife, of

Wilcox, were in Ridgway on the Fourth. -Jas, MeAfee and wife and Miss Frank Stout were at Lock Haven

during the week of the Fourth. -E. J. Miller, of the Democrat, and wife, visited Harrisburg the week of the Fourth.

-Miss Devercaux, of Titusville, is the guest of Miss Jenniz Jackson of miles west of Ridgway on the P. & E. tide place. -A. Swartz Ross now lives in the

house on Mill street recently occupied by C. R. Kline. -G. W. Nichols, and wife, have re-

and Salamanea. Geo. A. Jenks of Brookville were in town this week.

-A. Swartz Ross is having the front of his building lettered by the tion is strengthened by the fact that Piso cure sign painter.

on East Street is dug, and workmen lish, Breakfast, Basket fired Japans are busy at work on the framing.

> enjoying a summer vacation at the Alton, and the southern terminus of home of her parents in Clarion Bor- the Buffalo, Bradford & Pittsburg -Frank VanOrsdall had his hand

> works at Driftwood next day after the Bank. Then they propose to conis now the "boss" of a gang of men on

near this place. last week and left the skin of a three ceeding in a southerly direction down

had killed on the mountain. ment of the dogs of our beautiful Eric for a weeks visit. They went to ling the work under the direction of tions as soon as a new crew can be

--Hotels in Ridgway are reaping a attended the Sunday School picnic at | ing pushed right along. This road sign across the sidewalk. Fred. great harvest at present. The amount | Daguscahonda. Sgt. Keits and the will be obliged to cross the Clarion charges reasonable prices and his rigs of transient custom being very large other sunday School boys are a fish- river near the head of Dickinson's race are all good.

--Our "devil" Charlie Nichols, has -The latest building from the returned home from Olean, Buffalo, a recently organized company are White house are favorable to the and Port Allegheny, where he has building the rival road. This organi-President's recovery. His physicians been rusticating for about nine

-Seamator J. W. Lee, of Franklin, who represents the counties of Warren and of the Clarion river along from the Venango in the State Senate, called at THE ADVOCATE office yesterday in company with Senator Hall whose guest he is. Senator Lee is a Republican of the Republicans,

-Senator Hall will build a new house on his farm which will be com-of axe and pick may be heard along pleted in a few weeks. The house is the rugged hill-side. If any of our being framed in Hyde's lumber yard, and will be taken to the farmall ready to put up. The main part will be 18 x -The pienic given by Company H | 26 feet two stories high, and an addion July 4th in Schonling's grove was tion 12x16 feet one story high. It a grand success throughout. Not a will be located on the State road near

-We are requested by many citizens to announce the name of G. G. -A refreshing shower of rain was Messenger as a candidate for the office welcomed in this village yesterday of county Treasurer, subject to the acconvention. Of course it is not exactly our funeral, but we know Grove is thoroughly competent, and that the Democrats of Elk county could make no more fitting nomination for this important position.

MARRIAGE.

PARSONS-STURDEVANT-At Wilcox, Pa., by J. D. Parsons, Esq., Sunday, July 3, 1881, Mr. A. E. Parsons to Miss Susie Sturdevant all of Wil-

DIED.

CHCENING-At St. Marys, Pa., Sunday July 10, 1881, Mrs. Flizabeth, mother of Capt. Fred. Schowling, aged 87 vears.

Mrs. Schoening was born at Westphalia Prussia, and was one of the first settlers at St. Marys, where she came with her husband in 1846. For many years she has been an invalid and expired at last of extreme old age, having no particular disease. Her husband survives her at the age of 84. Capt. Schening is their only would be, but is transferred to the six- child and has for years waited on the aged couple with the tenderest devotion. The funeral took place at

St. Marys on Tuesday. Wonderly, Sunday, July 10, 1881, of consumption of the body, John Wonderly, aged 72 years, 3 months

and 28 days. Deceased was born in Bavaria, emigrating to America in 1842. Married wice his first wife bore him nine children, two, Robert and Mrs. John Miller, still living. By his second wife he had ten children, nine of whom are living. He thus has been father of nineteen children. He was buried on his farm in Fox township near the old log house in which he which he breathed his last.

Several years past the citizens of Ridgway have been alternating between fear and hope in relation to the building of a railroad from Alton, Me-Kean county, to Falls Creek in Clearfield county. Surveys have been made, plans talked of, and at times rumors have been rife that the contracts had been let for the grading of of people in all sections of the country, the road. All the railroad building especially well known and revered has ended in talk until recently. The last week in June and first week in July there seemed to be a storm brewing again in relation to the railroad, and for once talk seemed to be taking shape. All the idle men about were hired, prices ranging from \$1,40 to all, yet on every side is heard regrets \$3,00 a day. Parties of surveyors were rushing hither and thither, until to a casual observer the woods seemed to be alive with railroads and railroad men. The wildest of wild rumors were affoat. One day 500 men were going at once to work on the grading, the next a gang of Hungarians were coming; then that Jay Gould was going to build a road. Shantles for the accommodation of workmen were hastily constructed along the proposed line from Johnsonburg to the mouth of Toby. The Hungarians came, lots is gathered to the garner yellow and of other men came, and on Monday of this week the work of grading on two

railroads was actually commenced. A company chartered under the name of the Howard Hill Improvement company, of which General Thes, L. Kane, was the leader, built a section of road several miles long ending at Johnsonburg, about nine R. R. Recently the name of this company has been enanged to the N. Y. Lake Eric & Western Coal and R R. company, (which name it will no doubt be observed sounds strangely turned from their recent visit to Olean | like the N. Y. Lake Eric and Western R. R. Co., still another company.) -Col. Ames of St. Marys, and Hon. Of the new company Gen. Thos. L. Kane is President. The Eric read is supposed to be furnishing the money happy. for the new enterprise, this supposithe Chief Engineer of the Eric road. -The cellar for D. R. Kline's house | O. Chanute, was here a few days ago looking over the road. This company proposes to build a road from Butts--Miss Mary Meisinger is at present ville, McKean county, which is near proprietors and one of the men. The road to Falls Creek a point on the low crew quit work and lea the mill. grade road in Clearfield county sixtyburned while firing off a lot of fire- two miles from the mouth of Red struct a branch road from Brockway--Thomas Miller, of Brockwayville, viile, Jefferson county, to the Dagus Mines in Elk county. They have the new Pittsburgh & N. Y. R. R. commenced grading on Dickinson's tlat beginning near the house at -P. F. Meenan visited Ridgway the head of Dickinson's race and profoot and a half rattlesmake that he the Ciarion river. J. L. Murphy is the contractor for this grading and -H. M. Wensel and wife were at has a gang of twenty Hungarians do-Borough. The result will no doubt Canada on an excursion given under Michael Luby. About twenty-five obtained.

> and across by Osterhout's Innnery The Pittsburg and N. Y. R. H. Co. zation is following the surveying parties with gaugs for grading, an have done and are doing considerable work on the side-hill on the west side head of Dickinson's race to a point peosite Osterhout's tannery. Miller and H. S. Thayer each have cangs of diggers' and Jun. Rhines has charge of a squad of axemen. norning when we passed along the line they were working as busy as And all day long the sound part of the story let them take a trip from the Bull of the Mountain shant; near the bulkhead to a point where Hank Thayer has his gang of dirt heavers. It is an impossibility to build two roads on this side-hill and as both companies want to can along there it s in a measure the battle ground the fight. The Pittsburg & N. Y. road have the advantage as they have bought of Jas. McFarlin, Dr. Bordwell and others owning land along the side-hill, not only the right way but the land in fee simple. They also have possession which is sup-posed to be about nine points in law While at this place all is going along peacefully us chance to work side by side, at John sonburg there seems to be a great deal d bitterness as the men of the respective roads are working side by It was rumored this morning that one ide built a shanty close to the other's line. The side opposed to the ones Green county, fell into a cistern last building had occasion to remove a week and was drowned. rock near the shanty and blew the whole business up. This we give for what it is worth, and it may only be a

The line of road between Ridgway and Johnsonburg seems to be most dispute, and is at present occupied more or less by both companies. Pittsburg & N. Y. company having the road occupied by a large force of

men the whole distance. The Governor has but recently is sned a charter to the Pittsburg and N Y. railroad company, which will construct a road extending foom a point on the Pittsburg & Western railroad, Ariastrong county, to the mouth of Mahoning creek, thence by the Brookville & Ridgway railroad to Bradford McKean county. The length of the bim from his wife and that he wanted road is to be 140 miles and it is to run to kill himself. through the counties of Elk, Forest, and McKean. The capital stock is \$1,450,000. The officers are, President Walton H. Brown, of New York city Directors, Frederick A. Brown and Thomas F. Wentworth of New York city; James Callory and James H. Murdock, of Allegheny city; H. E. Callens of Pittsburg, and W. C. Mobley, of Parker, Pa. Principle office at Pittsburg. Jay Gould has a large interest in this road, at least it is so reported and it will undoubtedly

pushed forward as rapidly as possible to completion. If the parties wish to build two roads we will not object, but we would like to see at least one built. And from surface indications one might safely predict that a new railroad in

Judge Gillis' Death.

Friday, July 8, 1881, at Mount Pleasant, Iowa, the venerable Judge James L. Gillis, full of years and honor, at the ripe old age of eightynine, obeyed the call to come up higher, to leave the scanty fare of time and feast at the royal banquet of eternity. Loved and respected by scores by the citizens of Ridgway and Elk county, his death although anticipated for a long time in view of his extreme age, and the fact that the inexorable behests of the silent Reaper must, in the fullness of time be obeyed by us that he had not lived to again pay Ridgway a visit, as has been his wont for years past. How idle are regrets, the giant oak succumbes to the storm's withering blast as does the bending willow. Youth fears death while age must meet it, but what a grand conception it is for a man as the subject of our sketch, to live the full measure of years to the verge of life's tempestuous winter and then lay down in triumph the scepter of living, not with regret but as the ripened wheat rich full and complete.

He held many important public positions in his life time having been a Member of Congress from the district | keep their familes well, and would | of which Eik county formed a part, note their sagarity and wisdom in And under the administration of selecting Hop Bitters as the best, and Backgaan an Indian agent, A life demonstrating it by keeping their long and consistent Democrat he said families in perpetual health, at a more in a speech last fall before the Ridg- nominal expense, he would be forced way Democratic club, that he wanted to acknowledge that such sentiments to live to see Hancock President when | nee baseless and false, -Picciprac. he would be ready to join the silent majority.

Wilcox Squibs.

-Hot, hotter, hottest. -The new eight ton engine for the train road is on the track and doing

a fively business. Engineer Duli is -Esquire Montgomery is doing a

rushing justice business for the new raffrond and is consequently happy--Work on the saw mili is temporarily suspended owing to a slight unpleasantnesss between one of the

proprietor hit the man over the head with a club, whereupon the entire -Nearly all the mill crew are chopping for J. L. Murphy on the

-The Wilcox house is full and overflowing with ratiroad and oil -The oil well six miles north of

new railroad.

this place is flowing fifteen to twenty barreis a day. Four or five new rigs are up and drilling is going on at a lively rate. -The saw mill will resume opera-

rods of the road is graded all ready for -Our enterprising livery man, Fred. -Pres. Garrett and Frank Settelle the ties. The work of grading is be- Fearn has raised a large and elegant

> -The Tanning Company are haying. They will cut from five to six hundred tons of hay on their own

lands this season. -Sad accident on the tram road. As the Boss Dutchman and several Swedes were running the hand car on Sunday at a high rate of speed and were just going over the crossing when Tippy Sowers stepped on the track just ahead of them and it being impossible to stop the ear he was strack on the head and almost instantly killed. Tip, has been a resident of this place for about twelve readers have doubts about the rugged | years and was loved and respected by all who knew him. Tippy was a dog.

> NERO. - Jamestown, N. Y., July 13.-A dispatch to the Journal says: "In excavating a celler under a cottage in the auditoriam at Chautauqua to-day, the skeletons of ten persons were found in a small space, giving the impression of a haisty burial, probably after a battle. The bodies are supposed to be those of Indians or French.'

State Notes. Westmoreland manufactures more paper than any other county in the

-An eight-year-old daughter of Cephas Grimes, of Mergan township,

recently, found a pair of scissors six inches long in the animal's stomach. -- Joseph Mann, of Scranton, a coal The train conductor was stabbed to death on the fourth instant by his brotherin-law Stewart Garrison, while at a

pienie at Mount Bethel, Northampton county. -A man by the name of Thornton recently tried to commit suicide in opposite the mouth of Red Bank creek | Easton, and when arrested gave as his reason for so doing, that his wife's parents had succeeded in separating

> -J. Sutton Wall, of Monongahela City, has received instructions from Professor Lesley, State Geologist, for making an economic survey of the coal mines of the Monongahela Valley and a special examination of the coal clearage of western Pennsylvania.

Prints at the Union Store must be sold. For the best 7 cents a vard; and as low as six cents. Other dress goods marked down to correspond.

-Take Ayer's Pills for all the purposes of a purgative, for Constipation, Indigestion, Headache and Liver Complaint. By universal accord, they has lived for many years, and in Ridgway is only a question of the time necessary to built and equip the are the best of all purgatives for faurtly use.

-The immigration for the current year promises to foot up between five and six hundred thousand, or about one hundred thou-and more than in 1880, which itself exceeded that of any previous year since the formation of the Government, or the discovery of the continent, for that matter. There and patent cases. is nothing in this immigration, large as it is, which partakes of the character of a spurt. It was very large last year, it is larger this, and there is no reason why it should show any considerable falling off next year. The working classes of Europe, have discovered that life is easier, labor better paid, and the chance to improve their condition infinitely greater in this country than in Europe, and they see no reason why they should not profit by it. Until an equilibrium is reached and America begins to show some of the evidences of over crowding, with low wages paid for labor, which are seen in Europe, the current will continue to set this way, varying only as temporary causes give it at times a partial check or an increased impetus.-Phila, Press. "Women Never Think."

If the crabbed old batchelor who uttered this sentiment could but witness the intense thought, does study and thorough investigation of women in determining the best medicines to

ESTATE NOTICE. Estate of Jesse Kyler, late of Fox flownship, Elk county, Pa., de-ceased. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, upon the above named estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those lawing legal claims against the same to present them without delay, proper or ler for settlement. n21 to R. T. Eyler, Administrator,

VENNOR'S PREDICTIONS! For this Month's Weather, prepared expressly for STODDART'S REVIEW.

Sample copy mailed for 3c, stemp. J. M. STODDART, Pub., New York, Phila., or Chicago. Ridgway, Pa., June 22, 1881.

To Whom it may Concern: This is to certify that the underdigned has not left town nor does he intend to, as has been reported around the county. But you can find me at the West End Furniture Store in Healy's building where I removed to

on April 1st. -Call at the West End Furnishing Store and see the McCabe reclining

-My daughter's defective vision was much improved by Percena, James Cook, Bukerstown, Pa.

- For Oranges, Lemons, Cocoa nuts,

Bananas, all kinds of Candy and Nuts

for July ith go to Morgester's, Largest stock in town.

just received fresh at Morgester's. -Peruna had a remarkably good effect on my daughter's Paralysis. W

E. Duncan, Sewickly. -Folding cribs, cradles, bedsteads, Mattresses, &c., at Bowers'.

-Don't forget it you will get great pargnins at the Union Store.

-For bill-heads and note-heads call at the ADVOCATE office. -Fresh berries every day at Morgester's direct from growers.

-Don't forget it. The Union Store is the place to get bargains.

-Dry Goods and notions at cost at the Union Store.

 Excellent cellery plants on sale at Morgester's after June 20. -The weather is hot but the rush at

the Union Store still continues, Goods down to east. "I Don't want that Stuff."

Is what a lady of Boston said to her husband when he brought home some modicine to cure her of sick headache and neuralgia which had made her miserable for fourteen years. At the first attack thereafter, it was adminis-to any made, at half price. tered to her with such good results that she continued its use until cured and was so enthusiastic in its praise, -A butcher at Minersville, Schuyl- that she induced twenty-two of the kill county, while dressing a steer best families in her circle to adopt it as their regular family medicine. That

"stuff" is Hop Bitters, -Standard. Flowers for house or garden, Geraniums, fuschias, heliotropes, verbenas roses, or in fact anything in the flower line at THE ADVOCATE office. are agent for one of the cheapest as well as best dealers in the country, viz: Harry Chanpel, Williamsport. orders left at this office will receive prompt attention. Goods will be defivered in Ridgway at your residence at catalogue prices.

-Flowering plants purchased of Harry Chaapel, Williamsport, reach here the day they are taken from the greenhouse. Thus limiting the time transplanting to the shortest period. Leave orders at THE ADVO-CATE office.

A Losing Joke.

which she obtained permanent health.

She now laughs at the doctor for his

joke, but he is not so well pleased

with it, as it cost him a good patient .-

A prominent physician of Pittsburg said jokingly to a lady patient who was complaining of her continued ill health, and his inability to cure her, 'try Hop Bitters!" The lady took it in earnest and used the Bitters, from

Harrisburg Patriot. -Bowers keeps Hall's Giant Frame extension table at the West End Store the best table in the market.

Business Cards:

GEO. A. RATHBUN.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Main street, Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa Particular attention given to the examination of titles, also to patents

HALL & M'CAULEY

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office in new brick building, Main street, Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa.

W. L. WILLIAMS.

Late of Strattanville), Physician and Surgeon, Ridgway, Pa. Office in Hall's Brick Building (up stairs)-References—J. D. Smith, H. L. Young, R. Rulofson, Strattanville; Major John Kitiey, W. W. Green-land, Clarica. Has practiced his profession secessfully for more than

G. G. MESSENGER.

DRUGGIST & PARMACEUTIST, . W. covner of Main and Mill streets. Ridgway, Pa., full assortment of carefully selected Foreign and Domestic, Prescriptions carefully dispensed at all hours, day or night.

J. S. BORDWELL, M. D.

ELECTIC PHYSICIAN & SURG'N. Has removed his office from Centre street to Main street, Ridgway, Pa., in the second story of the new brick building of John G. Hall, west of the Office hours: -1 to 2 P. M. 7to 9 P.M.

HYDE HOUSE.

W. H. SCHRAM, Proprietor,

Ridgway, filk county, Pa. Thankful for the patronage hereto the new proprietor hopes, by paying, strict attention to the comfort and convenience of guests, to merit a continuonce of the same.

APPLETO N'SAMERICAN CYCLO-

This admirable work is now completein 16 vols. Each volume contains 800 ages. It makes complete and well selected library, and no one can afford to do without it who would keep well informed. Price \$5.00 in cloth, 3.00 in leather, or \$7.00 in elegant half Turkey. For particulars address, W. H. Fairchild, Portville, Catt. Co., N. Y., who has been duly appointed agent for Elk county by C. K. Judson, general agent.

DRESEMAKING. Mrs. F. Pollman having moved into the house of Jas. Penfield near the

Catholic church wishes to inform the citizens of Ridgway and vicinity that she is prepared to do in a neat and satisfactory manner all kinds of plain sewing and dressmaking at reasonable prices. All persons having work in this line are respectfully invited to give her a call. ESTATE NOTICE.

Estate of John C. Corbe, late of Benzinger township, Elk county. Pa., deceased. Notice is hereby geven that letters testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, upon the above named estate All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and these having legal claims against the same to present the without delay, in proper order for settlement. SUSAN CORBE, Executrix.

MRS. E. CRAYSTON. In returning thanks for past favors respectfully begs to inform her friends -100 Hz, sticks, 100 Hz fresh mixed and the public generally that she has candy,290 lbs.all kinds of assorted candy | just returned from New York where she purchased a large stock of Millinery and fancy goods of the latest styles, also a nice selection of ladies' Skirts, Plain and Fancy hoslery, Ladies' and Childrens' Parasols, Hair goods, fancy Chinaware, &c., which she intends to sell as cheap as the cheapest. Particular attention given to trimming and in a style that cannot be surpassed in this section. All are

invited to call and inspect her goods before purchasing elsewhere. n10m6 -Having become agent for Harry Chaapel, Florist, we are prepared to deliver free of expressage and at catalogue prices any orders you may leave with us for flowers, bulls, etc.

HENRY A. PARSONS, JR. -Woodenware, tinware, glassware, shovels, rakes, hoes, nails, axe handles &c. at Morgester's.

-Get your note-heads, letter-head and envelopes neatly printed at THE ADVOCATE office. -Leave your orders for house plants, cut flowers, and bedding plants'

at THE ADVOCATE office.

Witch Hazel Risley's Cures 'Headache, Barns, Sprains Cuts, Wounds, Rheumatism, Tooth-Warranted equal 6 oz. Bottles 25 cent; Pint Bottles 50

ents; Quarts \$1. Have your druggist order, if he has not in stock, of CHARLES F. RISLEY & CO., Wholesale Druggists, 64 Cortlandt St., New York City.

Get your NOTE PAPER, EN-VELOPES, and CHROMO VIS-ITING CARDS at THE ADVOCATE office, over Powell & Krue's store Ridgway, Pa.

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between Jackson S. Schultz and Maurice M. Schultz, in the two firms doing business at Wilcox, Eik Co., Pa., one known as the Wilcox Tanning Company, and one known as the Wilcox Tanning & Lumber Company, was discolved by mutual consent the 1st day of Februry, 1881, the said Jackson S. Schultz retiring, the business remaining with Maurice M. Schultz.

JACKSON S. SCHULTZ, MAURICE M. SCHULTZ.

Notice is hereby given that I have, ssociated with me as partners in the Wilcox Tanning Company, dating from the 1st day of February, 1881, my two sons, Norman Schultz and Trwin MAURICE M SCHULTZ.

Partnership.

-Camp chairs, canvass cots, lounges wood and marble top tables at the West End.