

New Drug Store.

A. C. Craig's New Drug Store is now in good working order, various improvements have been made lately, a splendid illuminated mortar sign has been added to the attractions.

Mr. J. R. Baird a gentleman well known to the people of Ridgway and surrounding country as a Druggist Pharmacist has been engaged as an assistant.

The patrons of the "New Drug Store" can always have the satisfaction of being served by experienced compounders, which is a matter of great importance in a business requiring so much skill, experience and caution as the handling of medicines.

General Grant has a charmed life. But a short time ago he sat in a railroad car that was damped off a bridge into a creek and smashed to pieces.

A Missouri boy of twelve, who, with his brother, was whipped by his father for quarreling, conceived that his father laid the strap on to him rather the hardest, instead of giving it share and share alike.

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Personal.

H. M. Powers, returned with his family from Cleveland on Tuesday.

We are glad to see that Bradley Dewitt, is convalescent after his recent illness.

A teachers examination will be held in the Ridgway school building on Saturday, August 19, commencing at 9 A. M.

The Rev. P. Macfarlane, of Mayville, Chautauque Co., N. Y., will conduct the services (D. V.) of Grace church next Sunday, the 13, inst.

The concert of the Juvenile Philharmonic society at Hyde's opera house on Tuesday evening was well attended and a good programme was well rendered by the young performers.

The party bent on piscatorial sport who visited Erie last week report having had a jolly time although some of the boys were a little sea-sick.

DATE: RANDOLPH.—On Aug. 5, 1882, at Grace Church Rectory, by the Rev. H. Q. Miller, Mr. Rush Merchant Dahle of Clarion Co., and Miss Jennie Randolph of Elk Co.

Fall Announcement. Cohen Bros. & Brownstein, of the New York Store, are now arranging their goods to make room for fall stock.

Prints—best, 5 to 6 cents. Gingham—best, 8 to 12 cents. Light dress goods will be sold at wholesale prices.

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Camp Reynolds.

Lewistown, Pa., Aug. 4, 1882. Left Ridgway at 5 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, Aug. 3, 1882, went by P. & E., to Sunbury; thence by N. C. to Harrisburg; thence by Penn. main line to Lewistown.

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Oil Scouts.

THE DELICATE AND DANGEROUS WORK IN THE OIL REGIONS OF PENNSYLVANIA—SOME CURIOUS INCIDENTS.

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Sometimes spends weeks watching one particularly well. He studies the habits of the men working on it, notes if any of them are likely to succumb to the temptation of his brandy flask, jots down the hours when each one takes his nap, marks which way their faces are mostly turned in their rounds, and if he cannot court their favor, devises some scheme to get inside their guard and at their secret.

The emplacements of the work are occasionally of a size to compensate for any amount of hardship. For instance: "53" Hughes, who got the Anchor oil company a pointer on 646, has been taken into the company with the office of superintendent and a clear cent of their profits.

"When the tools broke through the shell of the sand about 10 o'clock on the morning of the 11th of March," said Captain Grace, "we knew we had found wealth. The oil filled up a hundred feet before we could get the tools out.

"One trick we played to deceive the scouts I think has never got into print. I took a torpedo man into a room in the hotel at Warren one day very mysteriously, but took good care to have a scout see me do it.

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Playing Detective.

On Friday evening a man wearing false whiskers was noticed passing up Fourth street and his hurry and excited manner of walking (to say nothing of his give-way whiskers) attracted the attention of our citizens.

The Latest Wonder.

HOW INTENSE HEAT IS PRODUCED BY A COMBINATION OF MIRRORS. A Washington paper, contains a sensational report that an invention of startling significance and importance has just been patented.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

Notice is hereby given that the firm heretofore existing under the firm name of Murphy, Morrison & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

J. L. MURPHY.

W. W. MORRISON, D. J. MILLER, Wilcox, July 29, 1882.

The New Climax Wringers at W. S. Service's agent.

When a piston is unwell there must be inaction of some internal organ. Peruna cures.

Mason's Fruit Jars, Pints, Quarts, and half gallons at W. S. Service's agent.

The Hall Vapor Stove is the greatest invention of the age at W. S. Service's agent.

New stock of Scrap Alibms, Box Paper, Pocket Books, Ladies' Portfolios, Rubber and base balls at Craig's Drug & Fancy goods store.

A very large assortment of Hats at P. K. Grand Central, if you want a good style hat for a very little money drop into the Grand Central.

Mrs. Jacob Butterfuss, over Butterfuss' harness shop, Main street, has constantly on hand the latest style of human hair goods, also switches, nets and pins, etc. Call and see them.

The Grocery department at the Grand Central, P. & K's, is very full and complete and prices as low as good reliable goods can be sold for.

Try our Standard Flour and you will never regret it.

The Boot and Shoe department at the Grand Central P. & K. is very large, and varied. Everything in ladies' Misses' and children's Shoes, and Slip pers, don't fail to look through this department.

J. C. Harrington, of the West End Gallery has taken recently a number of Stereoscopic views from different points about town. Call and see them.

Orders for flowers, seeds, etc., from Harry Chappel's greenhouse, Williamsport, will receive prompt attention if left at THE ADVOCATE office.

NEW LIVERY STABLE

STILL LEADS THE WORLD. 50,000 IN USE! Uses Ordinary Kerosene. Bakes and Cooks Equal to any Cook stove.

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MYERS, OSBORN & CO., SOLE MANUFACTURERS, CLEVELAND, OHIO.

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M. N. LOVELL

By the new process of taking pictures J. C. Harrington, at the West End Gallery, can take a photograph in three to six seconds, this is of great importance in taking pictures of babies.

Enrich and revitalize the wood by using Brown's Iron Bitters.

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What will we do with Mother.

An exchange asks this question, and we hasten to answer it. If she is old and worn out and you haven't a brother living on an unhealthy farm, you could chloroform her; but then, she might come to some time and make you trouble.

What shall we do with mother? You can't bury her alive! Public prejudice would be against you. It is a problem, come to think of it. A worn-out, superannuated mother!

Walnut Leaf Hair Restorer. It is entirely different from all others. It is as clear as water, and, as its name indicates, is a perfect "Vegetable Hair Restorer." It will immediately free the head from dandruff, restore gray hair to its natural color, and produce a new growth where it has fallen out.

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

J. S. GARWELL, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Over twenty five years practice. Office on Main Street, Ridgway, Pa., opposite the Hotel House. Office hours from 1 to 2 and 7 to 8 P. M.

G. G. MESSENER, DRUGGIST & 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.

J. D. WOODRUFF, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office hours—From 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 7 and 7 to 9 p. m. Residence—Opposite office, opposite Elk County Bank, Main street. CALLS DAY OR NIGHT PROMPTLY ATTENDED.

HYDE HOUSE. W. H. SCHRAM, Proprietor. Ridgway, Elk county, Pa. Thankful for the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him, the new proprietor hopes, by paying strict attention to the merit and convenience of guests, to merit a continuance of the same.

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PERFECTION STOCK TANK. WATER-TIGHT AND FROST-PROOF. These tanks are constructed of three-inch lumber, selected Michigan pine, and are built together with improved Lug hoops so arranged that they can be drawn up with a common wrench.

Anti-Freezing Iron Force Pumps. ECLIPSE WIND ENGINE CO. W. H. WHEELER, Manager, BRIDGE, Wis. Manufactures all kinds of Windmills, Pumps, and other machinery. Five Gold Medals taken at World's Fair, Paris, '76; Cincinnati, '76; Australia, '78 & '79; Atlantic, '80, '81.

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