

### The Elk County Advocate.

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#### NOTICE.

Hereafter the Post Office will be closed every evening at 8 o'clock. On Sunday it will be kept open from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M. Mail Closed at C. P. M.—L. LUTHER, P. M.

We are requested to announce that the meeting of the next Sociable will be at the house of Mr. R. V. Kline. All are respectfully invited to attend.

The Commissioners of Elk Co. will meet in their office in Ridgway, on Monday, the 18th of Feb., 1867. An appeal will be held the following day.

By order J. K. P. HALL,  
Com. Clerk.

All persons to whom Licenses to sell liquor were granted at the late term of Court are required by law to lift their licenses within fifteen days from the time at which they were granted.

DIED.—On the 16th day of January, 1867, at the residence of Jeremiah Burlingame, in Lake City, Minnesota, CHARLES BEAUS, wife of Thomas Beau, daughter of Henry Warner of Jones township, this county.

The annual settlement appears in our columns to day. As will be seen, it is quite lengthy. We think it may be relied upon as being correct, and is set up in such form so that any one who can read can understand it.

VILLEAUX VIVANTS.—On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week our citizens had an opportunity to witness a series of these enterprising performances gotten up and given by the ladies of Ridgway, assisted by the ladies of Warren. The proceeds to go towards establishing the proposed Episcopal Church. During both evenings the Court House was crowded to over-flowing.

There will be a donation visit for the benefit of the Rev. Boyer on Wednesday evening next at the Hyde House. Contributions of money, eatables, clothing &c., thankfully received. All are invited to be present.

There will be an informal meeting to make arrangements for the above donation at the house of Mr. B. F. Ely, this Thursday evening.

By order of the Committee.

#### A DANGEROUS COUNTERFEIT NOTE.

A new twenty dollar counterfeit note—Fourth National Bank of Philadelphia—was captured in Washington on Wednesday. The engraving and paper are good. The note is well calculated to deceive. National bank notes of all denominations should be carefully examined, as there appears to be a plentiful supply of the spurious trash. The above specified note will probably be passed in almost every part of the country, excepting in Philadelphia.

THE PRESENT.—Some people are always wishing themselves somewhere but where they are, or thinking of something else than what they are doing or of somebody else to whom they are speaking. This is the way to enjoy nothing well, and to please nobody. It is better to be interested with the best. A principal cause of this indifference is the adoption of other people's tastes to the cultivation of our own, the result after that for which we are not fitted, and to which, consequently, we are not in reality inclined. This folly pervades more or less all classes and arises from the error of building our judgment on the false foundation of the world's opinion, instead of being, with due regard to others, each on own world.

#### Correspondence of the Advocate.

Dear Sir:—In reply to A. R.'s correspondence noticed in the last *Advocate*, I give the following answers to his two examples. To the first, the numbers are 78, 68 and 52. Second, A. B. and C. have respectively \$626,167, \$719,625 and \$775,701.

#### WILL.

RIDGWAY, Jan. 19, 1867.

#### Ostrandor Miscellanous.

##### NO. 48.

I was employed by a gentleman to take the dimensions of a certain cistern. When I commenced the job, (it being in the afternoon) the time past from noon was equal to five-thirteenth's of the time to midnight; and when I had finished the job the time past from noon was equal to seven-eighths of the time to midnight. I found the cistern to be in the following proportion, a diagonal line drawn from the bottom on one side to the top on the other, bore such proportion in inches to the time I had been employed in minutes, as the staves bore to the top, diameter the top, diameter was twice the length of the bottom, and the staves the length of both diameters. I demand the perpendicular height of the cistern, the time of day I commenced the job, and how long I had been employed.

#### OSTRANDOR.

HON. EDGAR COVAN.—Corrupt as are the Radical members of the Rump Senate they will scarcely attach much weight to the officious resolutions of instructions in regard to Mr. Cowan from the majority of a Legislature venal enough to elect Simon Cameron as their peer—a man over whose head yet hangs the unexpurgated censure of a previous Congress. Mr. Cowan possesses, at least, the respect of the Radicals of the Senate. They know full well that he has not violated his faith to the Republican party—having faithfully stood by the platform of 1860, upon which it was elected to the United States Senate, whilst they veered the party around into new channels and gave to it a new name and measures never contemplated by its founder, Mr. Seward, or its promoter, Mr. Douglass. Mr. Cowan's character—personally and politically—is above reproach. He is not a Radical nor is he a Democrat. He is a Republican, if anything, and as near the Lincoln model as any man now living. Cameron has veered with those who cast principals aside and made power and plunder their object. He has been everything at times and nothing long. He has passed through all the parties and stages of parties, and, in the language of William D. Kelly, Radical member of the present Rump House, "he has disgraced them all." It is impossible, therefore, that Summer, Wade, and their friends, will attach much importance to instructions in regard to their duty coming from a body under his control—a body whose corruption and venality are the talk of every man, woman and child, and the subject of denunciation from every respectable journal of the Radical party in Pennsylvania. Mr. Cowan should esteem it an honor to be denounced by the majority that elected Simon Cameron, but the Rump Senate should consider it a duty owing to decency and honesty to reject the instructions of the creatures who violated their pledges to their party in becoming Cameron's tools.—*Patriot and Union*.

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ON would add that these premiums are to be considered only in the light of a free gift to their patrons, as the Engravings are furnished them below their market value, and as the cost of engraving, after the plates are prepared, is very trifling, they can easily afford to make fair distribution as large as it is.

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Nov. 8, 1866-3m. 25 Pine St. N. Y.

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COLONIA.—Following the protest of the Colorado House of Representatives, against forcing a State government upon the people of that Territory against their will, comes a dispatch from the colored people of Colorado, [W. J. Headen, L. H. Douglass, (Fred's son), and two hundred other colored citizens.] to Sumner and Ashley, of course, asking the Rump Congress to make Colorado a State with negro suffrage. Judging from the uniform disregard of the popular desire and will displayed by the Rump, the demand of the darkies will be hearkened to and the voice of the people (supposedly supposed to be the voice of God) will be treated with the same contempt as it was in the passage of the District of Columbia negro-suffrage bill.

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#### SETTLE UP!

ALL persons knowing themselves in-

debted to Joseph Wilhelm of St.

Mary's, are requested to call and settle

their accounts before the 1st of Febru-

ary, or they will be put in the hands of

proper persons for collection.

He still carries on business at the old

stand, where he will be happy to see all

his old customers, and as many new

ones as may favor him.

#### JOS. WILHELM.

St. Mary's Jan. 10th 1866.

#### ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphan's

Court of Elk County, Pa. I will sell

at the Court House in Ridgway, Pa., on

Thursday, the 7th day of February, A. D.

1867, at two and one-half o'clock, P. M.,

that certain tract of land in Jay town-  
ship, in said County, containing 50 acres

more or less, being the one-half part of

tract No. 5, as designated in Adam Miller's

sub-division plan of land in said County.

Terms cash, on confirmation of sale.

MARY MCKERNY,

Adm'r. of estate of P. McKerny, dec'd.

L. J. Blakely, Atty. 1st m. 17th d-5.

A wag has truly said that if some

men could come out of their collars and

read the inscriptions on their tomb-  
stones, they would think they had got

into the wrong grave.

The New York Tribune says it is the

general talk of Radical Congressmen

that a reasonable period will be given to

the Southern States to adopt the Con-

stitutional Amendment, when, if they

fail to do so, they will be legislated for

as Territories.

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