

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Car Time of Ridgway. Erie Express East... 10:42 p. m. do do West... 10:50 a. m.

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.

REMOVED.—The Post Office, in this place was moved yesterday afternoon, to the Drug Store of Mr. Groves. G. Messenger.

On our first page will be found "The Widow Leodons' Last Loan." "Artemus Ward's Last." "A Game Dinner." Brother Crawford's Sermon.

Hardware, Queensware, Woodenware &c., at Powell & Kime.

Messrs. Luther & Malone, Supervisors of this township, are doing quite a nice thing for our little village, by way of taking out the stumps and grading Center Street.

The foundation for the Episcopal Church at this place, is at the present time completed, and ready for the carpenters to commence work.

Messrs. Healy & Gillis of this place, dissolved partnership on the 15th day of this month. The business still continues under the name of W. C. Healy.

The citizens of Ridgway, was on last evening, honored by a street speech from a man calling himself, Henry Ward Beecher. We think him a fair specimen of the party he was laboring for.

We call the attention of our readers to the different advertisements in this week's issue. Also to the card of Messrs. Wheeler & Cobb, of the Railroad House at Brockwayville, Jefferson County Penn'a.

Why not purchase your Dry Goods, Groceries etc. of Messrs. Powell & Kime of this place, they are selling as cheap for cash as any other establish in the county. They have just received a large stock of goods from the city and invite one and all to call and examine them.

Mr. Daniel C. Oyster, of Hellen, county Pa., has lately purchased the Hyde House, (formerly owned by Mrs. E. O. Clements), and intends taking possession on the 2d of next month (September). We have not the least doubt, but that Mr. Oyster will keep a "No. 1" house, he respectfully invites one and all to give him a call and judge for themselves.

Our county was visited on Sunday evening 10th inst., by one of the most terrible hail storms we have ever witnessed—not equalled in the remembrance of the oldest inhabitants. The hail being remarkably large, and driven by a strong west wind, made havoc of windows not protected by shutters, besides injuring more or less agricultural productions. This is the first storm of the kind since 1861. We may not expect another for years to come.

The most beautiful engraving that we have come across lately, is in GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK for September. "A Rustic Scene." This engraving is enough, without anything else that the book contains, to induce any and every young lady, to send a year's subscription for it. We think the terms, the most reasonable of any other magazine now published. Terms, \$3 per year.

The game of Base Ball, played at this place on last Saturday, between the Elk's of Centreville and the Cata-monts, or Ridgway, was not a match game but merely a friendly game. The Cata-monts, carrying the game by eight tallies. The Elk's have challenged the Cata-monts to play them on the last day of this month, on their own grounds.

OUR STARCH GLOSS, is the only article used by first class hotels, Laundries, and thousands of families. It gives a beautiful polish, making the iron pass smoothly over the cloth, saving much time and labor. Goods done up with it keep clean much longer, consequently will not wear out so soon. It makes old linen look like new!

OUR IMPERIAL BLUE is the best in the world. It is soluble in hot as well as cold water. It is put up in the safest, neatest, and most convenient form of soap offered to the public. It is warranted not to streak the clothes. Agents wanted every where. In places we offer extraordinary inducements. Address, NEW YORK STARCH GLASS CO., No. 218 Fulton St., New York.

Business Directory.

JOHN G. HALL, Attorney at Law, Ridgway, Elk County Pa. [mar-22-66-ly.]

JOB WORK of all kinds and descriptions done at this office.

APRICE HOUSE, St. Mary's Pa., Hermann Kritz, Proprietor. aug-9-66

EXECUTIONS, SUMMONS, SUBPE- nas, Warrants, &c., on hand and for sale at this office.

D. W. JAMES BEAKLEY Physician and Surgeon, St. Mary's, Elk county Pa. [mar-22-66-ly.]

D. W. W. SHAW Dispensing Medicine and Surgery, Centreville, Elk county Pa. [mar-22-66-ly.]

D. R. A. S. HILL Kersey, Elk county Pa. Will promptly answer all professional calls by night or day. [mar-22-66-ly.]

D. R. EBEN J. RUSS, Physician and Surgeon, St. Mary's Elk county Pa. June-21-66-ly.

AURIE J. BLAKELY, Attorney and Counselor at law, and U. S. Commissioner, Ridgway P. O. Elk county, Pa. [mar-22-66-ly.]

SOUTHERN AND WILLIS Attorneys at Law, Ridgway, Elk county Pa., will attend to all professional business promptly. [mar-22-66-ly.]

D. R. W. B. HARTMAN, St. Mary's, Elk county, Pa. Late of the Army of the Potomac. Particular attention given to all cases of surgical nature. [mar-22-66-ly.]

RAILROAD-HOUSE. WHEELER & COBB, PROPRIETORS. This house is conveniently and pleasantly located in the thriving village of Brockwayville. Every attention paid to the convenience of guests. Aug. 15.—1867

JOB PRINTING, such as Cards, Posters, Hand Bills, Bill Heads &c., done at the ADVOCATE OFFICE on short notice and at reasonable prices.

C. H. VOLK, Manufacturer and Dealer in Lager Beer, opposite the Railroad Depot, St. Mary's, Elk county Pa. Mar-22-66-ly.

BORDWELL AND MESSENGER Drug-gists, Dealers in Drugs and Chemicals, Paints, Oils and Varnish, Perfumery Toiletries and Stationery, Ridgway, Elk county Pa. [mar-22-66-ly.]

HENRY H. THOMAS, Dealer in all kinds of Furniture, Spring Beds and Mattresses, Picture Frames and Coffins, Ridgway Pa. Ware Rooms on the corner of Main and Depot St's. [may-17-66-ly.]

D. R. J. S. BORDWELL Electric Physi- cian. Late of Warren county Pa., will promptly answer all professional calls by night or day. Residence one door east of the late residence of Hon. J. L. Gillis. Mar-22-66-ly.

OLIVER & BACON, Manufacturers and Wholesale & Retail Dealers in Flour, Feed and Grain. CANAL MILLS, ERIE, PA. Orders solicited and promptly filled at market rates. aug-9th-66-ly.

JOHN G. HALL, Attorney at Law, HALL & BRO. ATTORNEYS AT LAW, ST. MARY'S, BRNZINGER P. O. ELK COUNTY, PA. September 20, 1866. ly.

SOMETHING NEW! HOUSE, SIGN & ORNAMENTAL PAINTING. THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD RE- spectfully inform the citizens of Elk county that he has just started in the above business in Ridgway, and feel confident that he can please all who may favor him with their custom. GRADING, PAPER HANGING AND CALCIMINING DONE ON SHORT NOTICE AND IN THE most fashionable and improved manner and style. Orders left at this office or at the Banking House of Southern, Willis & Southern will be promptly attended to. W. P. WILLIAMS, May-17-66-ly.

THAYER HOUSE, RIDGWAY, PA. DAVID THAYER, Proprietor. The undersigned having fitted up a large and commodious hotel on the southwest corner of Centre and Mill streets, with good and convenient stabling attached, respectfully solicits the patronage of his old friends and the public generally. dec-13-66 ly DAVID THAYER.

The Grand Life Insurance, Annuity & Trust Co. OF PHILADA.

CHARTERED IN 1836 CASH CAPITAL \$ 200,000.00 ASSETS \$2,455,375.50 Mutual Insurance combined with the security of capital. For insurance apply to JOHN G. HALL, Ridgway, Pa.

'SWEI LAGER.' JOSEPH WINDFELDER OF THE ST. MARY'S BREWERY, Takes this method of announcing to the Public, that during the past season he has manufactured TEN TIMES MORE LAGER than he has ever before brewed in one season, so that he will be able to supply Private Families, Saloons, and Hotels, with a Superior Article

of this favorite beverage, at a price that cannot be undersold anywhere on the line of the P. & E. Railroad. On or about the 15th of May he proposes to

"Break der Dörrl" of his vaults, where he has stored it, and of which the public are respectfully requested to take notice.

Orders shipped as soon as received with promptness and despatch. Address orders to JOS. WINDFELDER, ST. MARY'S BREWERY, Benzinger Post Office, Elk County, Pa. ap-25-66.

Business Directory.

LICENSED AUCTIONEER. NOTICE is hereby given that I have taken out a license as auctioneer, and will attend promptly to the calling of all sales entrusted to my care. Any person calling sales without a license will be held answerable to the strict letter of the law. P. W. BARRETT, Dec-24-1866. Auctioneer.

WHEELER & WILSON'S SEWING MACHINES.—The undersigned having been appointed Sole Agent for the sale of Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machines for Elk county. He keeps an assortment constantly on hand. Machines sold at Philadelphia and New York prices.—Any parties desirous of obtaining them can address J. K. WHITMORE, March 24-66-ly. at Ridgway, Pa.

BLACKSMITHING! H. S. BELNAP desires to inform the citizens of Ridgway and vicinity that he has leased J. S. Hyde's Blacksmith Shop on Mill street, and has employed good workmen who will be ever ready to make anything from a buckle to an anchor. Particular attention given to the shoeing of horses. All I ask is a fair trial. May 17-66-ly.

H. F. OVERHOLTZ, MERCHANT TAILOR, Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa. The subscriber desires respectfully to inform the citizens of Ridgway and vicinity that he is prepared to make to order as well as to do any kind of tailoring, anything in the line of his business. All he asks is a fair trial. Good Fits guaranteed. Best Cloths, Cassimers, Vestings and Trimmings of the latest and most approved styles kept constantly on hand, which will be sold CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST. [aug-9-ly]

Something New. A LARGE STOCK OF GOODS FOR CASH.

The undersigned has on hand a large and very desirable stock of GOODS, and will constantly keep an extensive assortment, including everything that is wanted to EAT, WEAR, OR FEED, which they will sell at the very bottom figure and from this date will sell only for CASH. We will use every endeavor to make it to the interest of our customers to adopt the universal CASH SYSTEM. We have determined to give the CASH SYSTEM a fair trial, believing it to be the interest of both buyer and seller.

POWELL & KIME. Ridgway, Aug. 13th, 1867.—sc.

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GETTYSBURG ASYLUM For Invalid Soldiers. Incorporated by Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, March 6, 1867. The Board of Supervisors appointed by the above Corporation to carry out the objects of the act of incorporation, respectfully announce to the public that the Legislature of Pennsylvania has authorized the raising of funds for the erection, establishment, and maintenance of an Asylum for Invalid Soldiers of the late war, to be built on the Battle Field of Gettysburg, and as an inducement to patriotic citizens to contribute to this benevolent object, have empowered the Corporation to distribute a- mongst the subscribers such articles of value and interest, from association with the late war, or any moneys, effects, property, or estate, real or personal, whatever, in this State or elsewhere, at such time or upon such terms, and in such way and manner whatsoever, as to them shall seem fit, any laws of this Commonwealth to the contrary notwithstanding. The enterprise is cordially recommended by the following named well known gentlemen: Major General George G. Meade, Ex-Governor Andrew G. Curtin, Major General Galusha Pennypacker, Major General E. M. Gregory, Major General John R. Brooke, Major General Charles W. T. Hottel, Major General James L. Scribner, Brig Gen James A. Beaver, Brig Gen Horatio G. Sickels, Brig Gen Joseph F. Knipp, Brig Gen Wm J. Bolton, Brig Gen Samuel M. Zittel, Brig Gen John K. Murphy, Brig Gen T. F. McCoy, Brig Gen R. E. Winslow, Brig Gen Henry Pleasants, Brig Gen P. E. Smith, Brig Gen J. M. Campbell, Brig Gen Thomas M. Walker, Brig Gen W. Cooper Tilly, Brig Gen D. M. Gregg, Colonel F. Stumbaugh.

The site for the institution (thirty acres) has already been purchased, and it is hoped that the good work may commence before midsummer. Subscriptions will be received at the office of the association, No. 1126, Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, on and after Monday, the 6th day of May, 1867. For each subscription of five dollars a certificate will be issued, which will entitle the holder to such article of value as may be awarded to him. The first distribution of awards will be made immediately upon the receipt of \$0,000 subscriptions of \$5 each. The distribution will be public, and under the direct supervision of the Corporation. Persons at a distance are requested to remit their subscriptions (when practicable) by Post office money order, or registered letter, to insure prompt delivery. Direct all letters to J. D. HOEFMAN, Sec'y Board of Supervisors, Box 1481, P. O., Phil'a.

The following is a schedule of the awards to be made under the first distribution. The items of diamonds and other precious stones were purchased from citizens of the South during the war, and their genuineness is certified to by Messrs. Henle & Bros., the most extensive diamond importers in the country, and by J. Hermann, diamond setter, New York.

GETTYSBURG ASYLUM FOR INVALID SOLDIERS. Incorporated by Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania March 6th, 1867. Office 1126, Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

FIRST DISPOSITION. Eighty Thousand Subscribers at \$5 Each. 1—1 Diamond Necklace, 48 Brilliants, valued at.....\$80,000 2—1 Diamond Cluster Brooch and Ear Rings..... 15,000 3—1 Award 10-40 Gov't Bonds 10,000 4—1 Diamond Cross, set in silver 7,000 5—1 Diamond Cluster Brooch 5,000 6—1 Award 10-40 Gov't Bonds 5,000 7—1 Diamond Single Stone Ring 4,500 8—1 Diamond Cluster Brooch 4,000 9—1 Diamond Single Stone Scarf Pin..... 4,000 10—1 Diamond Cluster Brooch..... 4,000 11—1 Diamond Cluster Brooch 4,000 12—1 Pair single stone Diamond Ear Rings..... 3,500 13—1 Diamond Cluster Brooch 3,500 14—1 Award 10-40 Gov't Bonds 3,000 15—1 Diamond single stone stud 3,000 16—1 Diamond Cluster Brooch 2,500 17—1 Diamond Cluster Brooch 2,500 18—1 Diamond Single stone Ring 2,500 19—1 Diamond & Pearl Brooch 2,500 20—1 Diamond Single stone Ring 2,000 21—1 Diamond Cluster Ring..... 1,500 22—1 Long India Caswell's Hair Shawl..... 1,500 23—1 Choice Emerald Stud..... 1,500 24—1 Single Stone Diamond Ring..... 1,000 25 to 31—10 Awards of 10-40 Gov't Bonds, each..... 1,000 32—1 Three stone diamond & Ruby half hoop ring..... 800 33—1 diamond single stone Ear Knobs..... 800 34—1 diamond single stone Ring, star setting..... 600 35—1 diamond single stone Ring, star setting..... 600 36—1 diamond single stone Pin 500 37—1 diamond Cluster bracelet 500 38 to 40—10 Awards of 10-40 Gov't Bonds, each..... 500 41 to 50—10 Awards of 10-40 Gov't Bonds, each..... 400 51—1 Lady's diamond set watch 400 52—1 diamond single stone ring 350 53—1 diamond and opal cluster ring..... 250 54—1 diamond single stone ring 200 55—1 pair Em'd scarf Pins 200 56—1 diamond single stone stud 150 57—1 diamond Cluster Pin..... 100 58—1 cameo and pearl Brooch and ear rings..... 100 59 to 108—100 Awards 10-40 Gov't Bonds, each..... 100 109 to 258—100 Awards Gov't Legal Tenders, each..... 50 3,000 Awards, Government Legal Tenders, each..... 5 The distribution of the above awards will be made in public as soon as the subscription is full, of which due notice will be given through the papers. On and after May 6th the Diamonds will be on exhibition at the office of the Association. The public can rely on everything being conducted in the most honorable and fair manner. All the awards will be handed to certificate holders, imme-

diately after the distribution, free of all cost, at the office of the company, No. 1126, CHESTNUT Street, Phil'a.

CERTIFICATE. We hereby certify that we have examined the Diamond Goods, Pearls, Emeralds, Rubies, and other Precious Stones, as described in the above list, and find them all genuine. HENLE BROS., Diamond Importers, 26 Maiden Lane, New York. J. HERMANN, Diamond Setter, 394 Broome St., New York.

AGENTS WANTED. Books can be had containing 20 certificates ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS. All orders for certificates must be addressed to J. D. HOFFMAN, Sec'y, Box 1481, Postoffice, Philadelphia. 5-9-66-2m.

FURNITURE STORE AT ST. MARY'S, PA. SASH, DOORS AND FURNITURE!! The subscriber keeps constantly on hand all sizes of Sash and Doors, also Washboards, Bureaus, Washstands, Bookcases, Tables, Desks, Lounges, Bedsteads, Sofas, &c. Picture Frames, Sash Painted and Glazed, and all other workmanship. Call and examine my work and prices as I feel confident my work will give satisfaction and my prices are as low, if not lower than they are in any other market. CHAS. L. BAGER, St. Mary's, Pa. my-28-66-7d.

ONE HOUSE AND TWO LOTS IN ST. MARY'S BOROUGH FOR SALE. THE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale the property on the corner of Mill and Walnut streets, in the thriving town of St. Mary's. The house is a good, new two story frame building. The outbuildings are all good. There is also a splendid spring of pure water on the lot on which the house is erected. For further particulars inquire of the subscriber on the premises. JOHN ROTE, St. Mary's, July 14-66

INTENSE EXCITEMENT! CLOTHING! CLOTHING! CLOTHING for the Million! A Well Dressed Man BUYS HIS CLOTHING AT THE STORE OF GEO. P. HINTENACH, IN ST. MARY'S. THE BEST IS ALWAYS THE CHEAPEST. G. P. HINTENACH having taken entire control of the establishment formerly occupied by G. P. Hintenach & Co., would respectfully inform the citizens of Elk county that he is prepared to furnish them with the Best Kind of Clothing at rates which defy competition. He has on hand a large assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, Consisting of PANTS, VESTS & COATS, which he has lately purchased in the East, and which he will dispose of at a slight advance on cost. His Gentlemen's Furnishing Apartment is specially adapted to the wants of his customer. He has also a large and extensive stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS of the latest style and pattern, which he will make to order in a neat and durable manner, and as CHEAP as it can be done any place in the country. GIVE HIM A CALL. Satisfaction guaranteed, and goods warranted. All he asks is a FAIR TRIAL to prove it. St. Mary's Pa., Feb. 14, 1867.

HAINES BROS. PIANOS. THE PIANO OF AMERICA! These Pianos are universally acknowledged by competent judges equal to the best Piano made. For references, they have many thousand city and country residents, including large numbers of the High Schools, Seminaries, &c. These Pianos have not only stood the continued use and heavy practice of three years, but have been used the last three years to the utmost satisfaction of those using them. They have taken premiums and medals wherever exhibited. Such has been the demand for these Pianos, that Messrs. Haines Bros. have been compelled to enlarge their works to the extent of 21 to 30 Pianos a week. Having now one of the most extensive and complete Factories in the United States, factories alone covering over three-fourth of an acre of ground, comprising a frontage of 210 feet on Second Avenue. They are undoubtedly the cheapest first-class Pianos in market. Fully guaranteed for five years. Send for Illustrated Circular. HAINES BROS., 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, Second Avenue, New York City. mar-18-66-2mos

FOR SALE.—The Store-house and Lot occupied by Burke and Wood is offered for sale. A desirable location in the thriving borough of St. Mary's. Apply CHAS McVEAN, Benzinger P. O. Elk Co Pa. Jan. 3, 67-6f.

SHORT. LOUIS VOLLMER, JOHN G. HALL, JAS. K. P. HALL. BANKING-HOUSE OF Short, Hall & Co. St. Mary's, Benzinger P. O. Elk County, Penn'a.

Meis Brothers' Catalogue. THE CHEAPEST GOODS IN THE COUNTRY Are Sold by WEIS BROTHERS [Successors to Geo. Weis.] DEALERS IN Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, St. Mary's, Elk County, Pa.

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR IMMENSE STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES. We have no hesitation in saying that in this department of our establishment, we can give bargains to our customers with which they cannot fail to be satisfied. We buy our stock direct from the Manufacturer, [Richardson's Col- orated Boot & Shoe Manufactory, Elmira, New York.] We warrant all goods in this line sold from our establishment.

HEAVY & SHELF HARDWARE. WE ARE PREPARED TO OFFER To our customers in this line bargains which cannot be undersold in Elk county. Our stock is large, well selected, and is especially adapted to the wants of the community.

LADIES' DRY & FANCY GOODS. An Unequaled Assortment! Muslins, Silks, Calicoes, Satins, Delaines, White Goods, Flannels, Bereges, Laces, Corsets.

In fact we have everything connected with Ladies' Wear. We are determined to sell lower, cheaper and BETTER Goods than any other firm in the county. Give us a call, we'll prove it.

MARK WELL WHAT WE SAY. We Sell the Best, therefore THE CHEAPEST CLOTHING Sold in Elk County. Our Stock of Men and Boys' Summer and Winter Clothing is IMMENSE, And we confidently flatter ourselves that better Clothing cannot be found ANYWHERE.

Persons, before purchasing elsewhere, would do well to give us a call. No trouble to show our Goods.

GROCERIES, NOTIONS, &c. In Endless Variety, and CHEAPER than the CHEAPEST! At the Store of Weis Bros In St. Mary's, Elk County, Pa.

PIPES, TOBACCOES & SEGARS. We have now on hand AN EXCELLENT ASSORTMENT, Which will be sold at a VERY SLIGHT ADVANCE On cost and carriage. Our Store is in the new Building on Main Street. July 11, 1867.