

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Car Time at Ridgway. Erie Express East.....10:16 p. m. do do West..... 8:52 a. m. do Mail East..... 4:38 p. m. do do West..... 2:45 p. m. Local Freight East..... 9:40 a. m. do do West..... 2:25 p. m.

EIGHT OZ.—NOT FOUR.—Every bottle of "Barrett's Hair Restorative" contains eight ounces, not four, as in Preparations put up in a similar style.

Although it was our intention to issue no paper next week, we find, reluctantly, that we shall have to issue an extra in order to legalize some of our advertisements. It will be issued Monday next.

A MAMMOTH ESTABLISHMENT.—The store of Weis Brothers, at St. Mary's, is one of the stores. Happening in there recently we were surprised at the amount of goods being sold. Messrs. Weis informed us that they have, during the present winter, invested \$25,000 in Goods. They will be found fair men to deal with, and the citizens of St. Mary's will look to their own interests in buying from them.

A gentleman of great medical knowledge says that a more genial, wholesome and effectual tonic and appetizer than Drake's Celebrated Plantation Bitters was never discovered. He recommends it for Dyspepsia, for Liver Complaint, for Exhaustion, Weakness, for a want of Appetite, and for Mental Depression. It is an agreeable stimulant, and is equally adapted to young and old. Persons of sedentary habits, like clergymen, lawyers, merchants, and delicate females are particularly benefited by its use.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—A delightful toilet article—superior to cologne and at half the price.

For acts of charity and benevolence Philadelphia stands prominent among her sister cities. During the war she had our refreshment saloons where thousands were fed while on their way to the "front," and now, in order that the good work may be continued, it is proposed to provide for the Orphans of many of these brave heroes who fell in defence of the stars and stripes. For this purpose the Washington Library Company of Philadelphia was organized in aid of the Riverside Institute of New Jersey. Here the Orphans of Soldiers and Sailors in all parts of the country will be gratuitously educated and made useful members of society. The just and honorable plan adopted for raising the necessary funds for the charitable object has received the endorsement of every one. Read Advertisement.

THE ORIGIN OF THE NEEDLE GUN.—A mere accident, less strange; to be sure, than that which made Berthold Schwarz invent gunpowder, but which nevertheless must be regarded as a hint of Providence, directed him to another, and we can now say, the only right way. It was this: It sometimes happened that quantities of percussion caps were sent back to him, having been spoiled by moisture. In order to prevent this, Dreyse conceived the idea of protecting them against dampness by coating them with the film of paper.

The result proved to be very opposite, for the paper attracted moisture, and a very large order, which had been constructed in this way was sent back to him, as they were entirely spoiled and unfit for use. This was a great loss to the firm, as copper was very dear at that time. In order to obtain the copper of the caps for further manufacturing purposes, Dreyse decided to remove the fulminating composition. In order to effect this with as little loss of time as possible he wanted to do it by explosion. After various satisfactory attempts the idea occurred to him of accomplishing it by means of a pin or needle constructed for that purpose. This experiment proved to be entirely successful, and like lightning the idea struck him of using the needle altogether for exploding the cartridge. Not less quickly a second idea dawned on his mind, that of removing the entire explosive process from without to within the gun, and by inserting the explosive material into the cartridge, to save the expensive copper used heretofore in caps. This was the most important step in the constitution of the Prussian needle gun. Dreyse at once set to work and in the beginning of 1859 the first needle gun was made.—Hours at Home.

The body of a girl aged twelve years, who was burnt to death by the destruction of a tenement house at Canaan, last week, has been exhumed and found to contain marks of violence. She is supposed to have been murdered by her reputed parents, named Brown, to obtain a policy of \$5,000 on her life in the Traveler's Company, of Hartford. The Browns have been arrested. People say that the child is not their daughter, but adopted from Ohio some time ago.

THE PLACE TO BUY IS AT THE RIDGWAY DRUG STORE.

KEPT BY GROVE G. MESSENGER, Dealers in Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, White Lead, Lubricating Oil, Lamp Oil, Tanner's Oil, Perfumeries of all Kinds, The purest Varnish, Brushes of every Style and Size Dye Stuffs, Pure Confectionaries Citron, Raisins, Patent Medicines, Wines, Watches, Jewelry, Rings, Tobaccos & Segars Pure Liquors for Medicinal purposes only.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT

Of Everything Useful Pertaining to the Drug Business Generally. Pure Drugs at Low Prices! Pure Drugs at Low Prices! Notions in Endless Variety! American and English Watches! Latest Styles of Jewelry, Rings, &c. Latest Styles of Jewelry, Rings, &c. Fancy Articles, Toys, Latest Novels! Albums, News, Stationery, Bird-Cages! Violin, Banjo and Guitar Strings!

C. BOWMAN et al. vs. John Finton. In Elk county Common Pleas. No. 27 of April term, 1867.

Foreign Attachment, for money paid for and goods sold to defendant by plaintiffs. Notice is hereby given that the plaintiffs in the above entitled action have entered a rule to have the damages assessed by the prothonotary, and that the damages will be assessed in accordance with said rule, by the prothonotary at his office in Ridgway, on Saturday, the 4th day of January next, at 2 o'clock p. M.

H. SOUTHER, Plaintiff's Attorney. nov27'67-6t

BEALES'S (LATE POWELL'S) EMBROCATION!

FOR ALL DISEASES INCIDENT TO HORSES, CATTLE and the Human Flesh, requiring the use of an external application. This new Compound, prepared by a practical Chemist having a full knowledge of all the medical virtues of each ingredient that enters into its composition, is warranted to exceed anything of the kind ever offered to the public as an external application for the diseases for which it is recommended. We are satisfied that it will work its own road into the confidence of all who use it, and those who try it once will never be without it, and therefore we rely on experience as the best test of its usefulness. It is pronounced by Farriers, and all who have tried it to be the best application ever used. This Embrocation has been put up for over eight years, and it is only through the increasing demand and urgent request of my friends and the Public that I send it forth as the grand remedial agent for the various diseases to which that noble and useful animal, the HORSE, is subject. Many remedies have been offered to the Public under different forms, some of these are injurious, others at best of little use, and many wholly improper to answer the purposes for which they are recommended. A judicious and really useful composition free from those objections, has therefore long been desired by many gentlemen who have valuable horses, and are unwilling to trust them to the care of designing and pretending Farriers. Their wishes are a length fully gratified, by Dr. Beale being prevailed upon to allow this valuable Embrocation (which has proved so efficacious to the various diseases) to be prepared and brought out to the public. This embrocation was extensively used by the Government during the war. Address all orders to DR. EDMOND BEALE, 602, South Second St. Phila. For Sale by Bordwell & Messenger, Ridgway, Pa. ap30ly

The following named persons have filed applications for License, in my office, to be heard at the next Court of Quarter Sessions, Commencing on the Second Monday of January, 1868, being the 13th day of the Month.

TAVERN LICENSE. Joseph Koch and Son, Kersy, Centreville; Chas. H. Volk, St. Marys; Joseph Windfelder, St. Marys; Anthony Fochtman, St. Marys; Leonard Cook, Johnsonburg; John Munn, Jay township; David Thayer, Ridgway; D. C. Oyster, Fox twp.; M. V. Moore, Ridgway; Michael Gerg, Centreville; R. A. Bennett, Centreville; H. A. Frost, Centreville; John Halsey, Ridgway.

EATING HOUSE LICENSE. Edward Blinzler, St. Marys; Jacob Graus, St. Marys; James McCloskey, Centreville; James Rogan, St. Marys; Samuel Miesel, St. Marys; John Griebel, St. Marys; Thomas Zimmert, St. Marys; W. Wasson, Ridgway.

STORE LICENSE. Joseph Wilhelm, St. Marys, GEO. A. RATHBUN, Prothonotary.

ITCH! ITCH! ITCH!!!

SCRATCH! SCRATCH!!! SCRATCH!!! in from 10 to 48 hours. Wheaton's Ointment cures the Itch. Wheaton's Ointment cures Salt Rheum. Wheaton's Ointment cures Tetter. Wheaton's Ointment cures Barbers' Itch. Wheaton's Ointment cures Old Sores. Wheaton's Ointment cures Every kind of Humor like Magie. Price, 50 cents a box; by mail, 60 cents. Address WEEKS & POTTER, No. 170 Washington Street, Boston, Mass. For sale by all druggists. Sept. 17/67 ly.

THE BEST IS ALWAYS THE CHEAPEST.

FURNITURE, COFFINS, PICTURE-FRAMES, &c.

The undersigned having sold his interest in the wagon shop, now intends devoting his time exclusively to the Furniture trade. He has just received a large stock of the

BEST FURNITURE MADE

which he offers at prices that cannot fail to please. His stock consists of Bedroom Suits, Upholstered Goods, Bureaus, Washstands, Commodes, Lounges, Bedsteads of Maple, Oak, Whitewood and Black Walnut, Spring Beds and Mattresses, Extension, Dining, Breakfast, Tea Party and Quartette Tables, Chairs of every kind and description. The largest assortment of Cane Seated Chairs ever brought into this section of the country, Farmer's Secretaries, What Nots, Brackets, and everything usually found in a First Class

FURNITURE WARE ROOM Picture Frames of every kind, size or Quality, kept on hand and made to order, Looking Glasses, Looking glass Plate and Pictures. We would call attention to our large stock of Coffins, consisting of Pine, Whitewood, Cherry, Chestnut and Black Walnut, any one of which we can furnish in three hours time, trimmed in any style to suit.

Feeling confident that with a liberal patronage, we shall be able to keep up a First Class establishment, we appeal to the people of Elk county, to say if it is not better to keep their money in circulation at home than to send it off to the cities where if they buy but little they are sure to get cheated and pay a good round sum into the bargain. Then let your motto be, never buy away from home what can be had just as cheap at home, and the cheapest place to buy Furniture in Western Pennsylvania is at H. H. Thomas' Ware Rooms, Excelsior Building, corner of Main and Depot streets, Ridgway, Elk county Pa. Oct. 31, 1867-ly. H. H. THOMAS.

VALUABLE LOTS FOR SALE.

The undersigned has laid out a village upon his ground adjoining the Ridgway Depot, to be called ELK. The lots are 50 feet front by 100 feet deep—fronting towards the railroad. Terms.—For the first lot sold, \$100. For the second lot sold, \$110. For the third lot sold, \$120—and so on increasing in price as lots are sold. First purchasers get the choice lot at the cheapest rates. Purchasers will be registered in the order of their application. Ten per cent of the purchase money must be paid at the time of the application. Applications will be made to John G. Hall, Esq., Ridgway, Pa. J. S. HYDE. Ridgway, mar. 29/66-4t.

INSURANCE AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE

The Locomotive County Mutual Insurance Company at Muncey, Pa., continues to insure against Loss or Damage by Fire on all kinds of Merchandise. Public and private buildings, either in town or country. Also on Mills, Tanneries, Barns, stocks of Grain, &c., at the lowest possible rates, consistent with safety to the insurer and insured. The Locomotive County Mutual Insurance Company invites an investigation as to its stability. Its capital amounts to \$2,800,000! Thus assuring to every one of its patrons that their losses will be promptly and satisfactorily paid. Its management has always been prudent, as its existence of twenty-six years fully demonstrates. JAMES BLAKELY, Agent for Elk county, at St. Mary's

FURNITURE STORE AT ST. MARY'S, PA.

SASH, DOORS AND FURNITURE! The subscriber keeps constantly on hand all sizes of Sash and Doors, also Wardrobes, Bureaus, Washstands, Bookcases, Tables, Desks, Lounges, Bedsteads, Sofas, &c. Picture Frames, Sash Painted and Glazed, All work warranted to be of the best material and 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. RAYER, St. Mary's, Pa. my23d674t.

LUMBER.

WE ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH upon short notice the following kinds of Lumber of the best quality.

FLOORING AND SIDING,

dressed in the best possible manner, from seasoned lumber, ready for use. Also, LATH FOR PLASTERING

We will put on cars when required. All orders addressed to us at this place promptly attended to. SOUTHER, WILLIS & CO. Jan 21/68f Ridgway, Pa.

JOHN G. HALL, Attorney at law, Ridgway, Elk county Pa. [mar-22'66 ly

L AURIE J. BLAKELY, Attorney at law, and U. S. Commissioner, Ridgway Elk county, Pa. [mar-22'66-ly.

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

A LPINE HOUSE, St. Mary's Pa., Herma Kreitz, Proprietor. aug9'66

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

D R. W. W. SHAW Practices Medicine and Surgery, Centreville, Elk county Pa. [mar-22'66-ly.

EXECUTIONS, SUMMONS, SUBPOENAS, Warrants, &c., on hand and for sale at this office.

C. H. VOLK, Manufacturer and Dealer in Lager Beer, opposite the Railroad Depot, St. Mary's, Elk county Pa. Mar-22'66-1.

S OUTH 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.

G ROVE G. MESSENGER, Druggist and Dealer in Drugs and Chemicals, Paints, Oils and Varnish. Perfumery Toilet articles and Stationery, Ridgway, Elk county Pa. [mar-22'66-ly.

JOHN G. HALL, JAS. K. P. HALL, HALL & BRO. Attorneys - at - Law, ST. MARY'S: BENZINGER P. O. ELK COUNTY, PA. September 20, 1866. ly.

R AILROAD 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.—1867if

T HAYER 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. dec13'66 ly DAVID THAYER.

S. SHORT, LOUIS VOLLMER, JOHN G. HALL, JAS. K. P. HALL.

BANKING-HOUSE OF Short, Hall & Co. St. Mary's, Benzinger P. O. ELK COUNTY, PENNA.

H YDE HOUSE, RIDGWAY, ELK CO., PA. M. V. MOORE, Proprietor.

Thankful for the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him, the new proprietor, hopes, by paying strict attention to the comfort and convenience of guests, to merit a continuance of the same. Oct 24 1866.

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, Auctioneer. Dec2418664t.

E XCHANGE HOTEL, RIDGWAY, PA. J. HALEY Proprietor.

This hotel is pleasantly situated on the banks of the Clarion River and Elk Creek, at the lower end of the village, Mr. Healy will spare no pains for the convenience of his guests. He invites one and all to give him a call and try his house. Sept, 17th'67-ly.

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 even 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. OVERHOLTZER, 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 it can be done anywhere, anything in the line of his business. All he asks is a fair trial. Good Fits guaranteed. Cloths, Cassimers, Vestings and Trimmings of the latest and most approved styles kept constantly on hand, which will be sold CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST. [aug30y

SOMETHING NEW!

HOUSE, SIGN & ORNAMENTAL PAINTING. THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD RESPECTFULLY 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 Souther, Willis & Souther will be promptly attended to. W. P. WILLIAMS, May-17'66-ly.

TAKE NOTICE!

ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMSELVES indebted to the undersigned are hereby requested to call and settle their accounts at their earliest possible convenience. JOSEPH S. HYDE. Ridgway, August 1, 1867.

C OAL, COKE AND FIRE-CLAY. All of superior quality, for sale by the

Tannerdale Coal Company, St. Mary's, Elk County, Pa. Orders by mail promptly attended to. [sept16 '67-11

LATEST ARRIVAL!!!

FALL AND WINTER GOODS!!!

CHEAPEST GOODS IN

RIDGWAY!

AT THE STORE OF

H. S. BELNAP,

Cor. of Main & Water, end of Hyde House, Where he has on hand an extensive assortment of Goods, consisting of

Woolen Goods, Hats and Caps, Boots

and Shoes, Underclothes, Ladies'

Dress Goods, Shawls and

Nubias, Hoop Skirts,

Opera Hoods, Mus-

lins and Cali-

coes!

Balmoral Skirts, Blankets and Counter-

panes, Ladies' Dress Trimmings,

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

Groceries, Paints, Glass

and Putty!!!

Call and see my stock before purchasing elsewhere!

Dec. 5/67—ly.

NEW GOODS!

JUST RECEIVED AND

MARKED CLEAR DOWN

To the Bottom!

AT THE

CHEAP CASH STORE

J. V. HOUK, Main Street, Ridgway, Pa.

HAVING just returned from the eastern

cities where I have purchased a large and well selected assortment of goods, I invite the attention of the public to call and examine my stock, consisting of

Dry Goods,

Notions,

Clothing,

Hardware

Hats,

Caps,

Boots,

Shoes,

Queensware

PROVISIONS, &c., &c.

BUYERS WILL FIND

MY STOCK

FULL AND COMPLETE,

and well adapted to the wants of the community.

J. V. HOUK.

Ridgway, Dec5—ly.

All orders for Stoves and Hardware will be promptly attended to as soon as received, at the 12'67 ST. MARY'S HARDWARE STORE.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—In pursuance of an order of the Orphan's Court of Elk county, granted on the petition of Peter Chamberlin and John Chamberlin, guardians of the heirs of A. S. Rhines, deceased, late of Warsaw township, Jefferson county, said guardians will expose to Public Sale on the premises at 1 o'clock P. M., on SATURDAY, December 21, 1867, all the interest of A. S. Rhines, deceased, being the third interest in all that certain tract, piece or parcel of land, situate in Spring Creek township, Elk county, Pa., known as the "Oregon" tract, surveyed upon warrant No. 2956, bounded on the north by No. 2962, and tract known as Carr's tract, on the east by No. 2915, on the south by No. 2914, on the southwest by Jefferson county line, and on the west by No. 2811. Also—one steam saw-mill in good running order.

TERMS.—One-third of the purchase money in hand, and the balance in two equal annual payments, with interest from interest from the date of confirmation of sale, to be secured by judgment bonds with approved security.

PETER CHAMBERLIN, JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Guardians of Heirs of A. S. Rhines, dec'd. nov21tds-4d

NAILS, SPIKES, HINGES, RIVETS, locks, bolts, and all kinds of builders' materials in general can be had cheaper at the St. Mary's Hardware Store than at any other place in Elk county. (n28 67)

FRANK ENTZ, MERCHANT TAILOR, Centreville, Elk county, Pa., desires to inform the citizens of Centreville and vicinity, that he is at all times prepared to do work in a neat and satisfactory manner. Give me a call. nov67ly

LOOK HERE!

WATCHES, JEWELRY & SILVERWARE.

CHARLES HOLES, Practical Watchmaker, Jeweler and Engraver, Ridgway, Elk county, Pa. The subscriber begs leave to announce to the citizens of Ridgway and vicinity that he is prepared to do all work in his line on short notice and at reasonable rates in the very best manner. Shop in H. S. Belnap's Store. Special attention paid to engraving.

He has also on hand a large assortment of Clocks, Watches, Jewelry and Silverware which he offers for sale on reasonable terms. Give him a call. n27'674t.

GUNS, PISTOLS, RIFLES, KNIVES, pocket and table cutlery, of the best quality and most approved pattern, for sale cheap at the Hardware Store on Moberg's old corner in St. Mary's. (n28 67)