## Elk County Advocate

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#### Elk Lodge, A. Y. M.

Stated meetings of Elk Lodge will be held at their hall on the second and fourth fuesdays of each month. G. L. MCCRACKEN, Sec'y.

Temple of Honor and Temperance.

Elkton Temple, No. S., meets on Thurs day of each week, at the Good Templars Lodge room, over C. V. Gillis' store. H. A. PARSONS, W. R.

#### Car Time at Ridgway.

Erie Express East ..... 2:20 a. m. West ..... 2:20 a m. do Mail East ...... 8:00 p. m. 

We noticed Hon. Jno. G. Hall in town East week.

W. C. HEALY has broke ground for the cellar of his new store.

A new culvert is being put in near the "red house."

Mas. Ross has tomato plants two inches high. How's that for high?

MUMPS and canker rash are raging to some extent in this place.

Tuis is court week. Court convened or Monday and adjourned over until to-day.

THERE was a fine auroral display here last Sunday evening.

THIRTY-PIVE carpenters come to town last week to work on W. H. Osterhout's new tannery buildings.

HORACE WARNER has removed to the old Head house, in Elkville, above the depot, which he has recently purchased.

Oun lumbermen are praying for a flood: but they put in most too many "swear words" to have much effect.

HON. HEARY SOUTHER is in town attend. ing court. The duties of his new position don't appear to rest very heavily upon

DIED .- A little son of M. Lesser, of this place, aged about three years, died on rash.

Tmz weather has been quite pleasant and spring-like for the past week, but yesterday there was a sudden cold change, with a March win I.

PETER HOUGHTAILING is clearing the court yard of rubbish. He says the wind last night blew his chicken coop over and took the top off from a good many of the iles at Dickinson's Mill

BT P. BRET HABTE. A man who owned a terrier dog-A bob tailed onery cuss-And that there dog got that there man In man an ngly muss; For the man he was on his muscle, And the dog he was on his bite, So to kick the degened animal

Fate of a Fighting Dog.

Was sure to raise a fight. A woman owned a Thomas cat That fit at fifteen pounds. The other cats got up and slid When that there cat was round. The man and dog came along one day,

Where the woman she did dwell, And the pup he growled ferociously, Then went for the cat like-everything.

He tried to chaw the neck of the cat, But the cat he wouldn't be chawed. So he lit upon the back of that there dog. And bit! and chawed! and clawed! Oh! the hair it flew! and the dog he yowld As the claws went into his hide, And chuncks of flesh was peeled from his back; Then he flummexed, and he kicked and

The man he ripped and cussed, and swore As he gathered a big brickbat, That he would be darned essentially If he didn't kill the cat! ..... 1:56 p. m. But the old woman allowed she'd be blessed if he did. And snatched up an old shot gun Which was fired and peppered his diaghram With bird shot number one.

> They toted him home on a window blind. And the doctor cured him up! But he never was known to fight again, Or to own another pup. Folks may turn up their snoots at this here

rhyme. I don't care a cuss for that; All I want to show is, that fighting dogs May tackle the wrong Tom cat.

THE spring fever is breaking out in several locatities in this place and promises to become epidemic. Piles of brush, old boots, hoopskirts, oyster cans, and all such rubbish generally, are burning in the back yards, which gives a peculiar scent to the fresh spring air, while the sale of garden implements, women making soft soap and jawing at each other over the fence, are among the other primary symptoms of this disorder.-[Stolen.

THE WHEAT FIELDS .- From different parts of the country we learn that eyes dilated, lips compressed, and nerthe growing wheat crop never looked vous hands, the package was opened up, better at this season of the year than at present. The only danger appears to be that, in case of a wet spring, there Thomas! The entire community will, will be more straw than is favorable to as soon as it becomes generally know, the largest production of grain. It is

true there is yet the risk of the Hessian fly, the milk weevil, and rust, but and his money," etc. Thomas had betso far all the indications point to a ter take the papers and look at the will be re-organized and their pay in-Tuesday, April 11th, 1871, from canker bountiful crop at the coming harvest .---State Journal.

> new Democratic daily in Pittsburgh, the that would inform him of the tricks imple of The Paper will not be-or

> on that large class of uncomfortable people who are ever eager to start new journals, and who delight in carping at about one o'clock, Mrs. Chas Swann, those already in existence. As a rule, residing on the Cochran farm, two miles

There is a sassafras tree in Lycoming OTHER COUNTIES. county measuring six feet seven inches CLEARFIELD. A man named John McDonald from in circumference.

The Venango papers state that \$20, Dent's Run, Elk county, was drowned at Muncy dam, on Friday, March 24th. 000 has been raised in Titusville to in--[Journal.

sure the passage of the new county bill. A Norristown hen lays daily, and her Liberal Bequests .- Solomon Ham eggs average three and a quarter ounces merschlag, an old citizen, and well known to many of our readers in the in weight and measure 74 inches by

eastern end of the county, died in Osceola, on Thursday last, at an ad-Dr. J. Newton Evans, of I Dr. J. Newton Evans, of Hatborough vanced age. He was a German by Montgomery county, has a cow which birth, and we believe has no kindred in he purchased a year ago for \$126. this country. His property is valued Since the 1st of May, 1870, she made at from \$12,000 to \$14,000, which he 252 pounds of butter, besides supplydisposes of by will as follows: \$500 in ing the owner's family with milk and gold to each of five nieces residing in cream.

Prussia, and \$5000 to a Hebrew Hos-Scranton, April 7 .- A band of 500 pital in Philadelphia, a valuable house men, armed with muskets, clubs, and and lot situate in the borough of Osceola revolvers, visited Tripp's mines in this to the Brotherhood of Masons; also, a house and lot each to the poor and pub-workmen from entering the mines. house and lot each to the poor and public schools of Osceola, a house and lot Three miners employed at the works each to the poor and public schools of were shot down dead in cold blood by Decatur township, and \$200 to a Mrs. the mob, and others beaten with stones so that they will probably die. Another Veteran Gone .- It becomes

Scranton, April 7-Midnight .- The reports of riot here are greatly exaggerated. So far there has been no blood shed, and but one or two cases of arson. The immediate cause of the outbreak yesterday was the persistence of a small body of miners to continue work, when the main body, the W. B. A., has ordered a general suspension. Some time ago it was agreed that the miners here should run to supply the home demand, but not for general traffic. The sgreement the miners imagined broken, and on Thursday afternoon assembled in threatening numbers,

demanded instant withdrawal from the mines, as the operators had broken their agreement. No mischief was done, however, and this morning the workmen resumed their places in the mine.

troubles have created considerable excitement here. Nearly all the organized militia in the military division have regospel, and made open profession of it, ceived orders to be ready to march at a moment's notice. The Zouaves of this him this advice: "James, you shall city, nearly 200 strong, are ready to first get yourself established in a good move this evening if required.

Paris, April 5, 1871.-The Ver-sailles troops still hold the hights of Chatillon, whence they are bombarding Issy, Vauvres, and Meudon. The Commune continues to send reinforcements to the Nationals outside the walls. The Commune this morning issued fully wrapped in paper. not a pile of another proclamation, saying that a Poor speedy triumph is promised over the royalists, who have disgraced France by their savage mode of warfare. They deeply sympathize with him in his sad are charged with shooting prisoners and disappoint. Perhaps he will now phil- murdering the wounded on the field of The batallions of the National Guard

"price current" before he embarks in creased. The proclamation concludes another speculation. Heretofore he by ordering all unmarried men into the his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you,"

A small, clean potato, with the end and God will take care of you. Securcut off, is a very convenient medium of ing the pearl, you will get the shell, of applying brick dust to knives, keeping course. When you purchase a costly t about the right moisture, while the jewel, is not the case thrown in? juice of the potato assists in removing stains from the surface. The assurance of some skeptics, who

TO NEBRASKA, CALIFORNIA AND RELIGIOUS COLUMN. KANSAS. . REV. C. M. HEARD. - - -Editor LANDS. The "Buril How Christians Die. Rev. Adam S. Riggs, Presiding | lies right in th Elder of the McMinniville District, pire. It rups Tennessee Conference, died October centre of the 29th, having been taken ill at the session of his Conference twenty-three of emigration days previously. The death-scene was very affecting. He requested sgain and again the singing of Bishop McKen-Iowa, it strik three points. These three

dree's farewell song, "All's well," but into three grea an one save his wife k new the words or Missouri region tune. She twice attempted the words and faltered, overcome with emotion, The Norther

when the dying man took up the strain the great Pacifi and finished it alone. To his wife, a the land of g little while before the final hour, he uttered these words, which deserve a green mountains, and and flowery immortality: "You never The middle g hindered me from going to an appoint-ment." Having parted with his four opens upon the south of the Pl older children, he came to Nelly, the surpassed on th youngest, a little girl of five summers.

saying: "Now, bring my babe, and lay ture and grazin her in my bosom." When brought, he & M. Railroad & M. Railroad folded her in his arms, saying: "Nelly, Geo. S. Harris, to me you are the sweetest gift God lington, Iowa, o ever gave; be a good girl, mind your ma, love your brothers and sisters, and | tion, and in the may the blessing of God, the Father, coln, the State Son, and Holy Ghost be yours forever! minus of the ro The Souther

Now kiss me again, again, again, again, again, again." To his son-in-law, he said: John, I gave you the idol of my heart; make this request: I want you to join the Church with her, live a Christian, Kansas City. and meet me in heaven." He then called his neighbors who were present, and spoke to each one of them, encouraging those who were Christians to live religious, and exhorting those who Pullman Palace and Pullman dining were not to become so. He then said to me: "Oh! that I could, like Samson,

slay more at my death than in my life!" -[Western Advocate. First things [First. A young man, having embraced the you can buy on ten years' credit, and at

his father who was much offended, gave a low price W. C. GEARY. trade, and then think of religion." "Father," said James, "Christ advises FOLLOW THE CROWD me very differently. He says, 'Seek ye first the kingdom of heaven, and the rightcousness thereof and all these things shall be added unto you.' Is not this word of Jesus enough for any man or any family to live upon?" It is related of the non-conformist. Mr. Lawrence, of Baschurch, that when some one reminded him that he had eleven good arguments against giving up his living, and asked him how he meant to maintaiu his wife and ten WANT TO SAVE MONEY! children, he answered, "They must live on the sixth chapter of Matthew; Take no though, saying, what shall we eat? or, wherewithal shall we be clothed? It will lead to the store of

but seek first the kingdom of God, and Seek the greater, and you will not fail of the less. Do the will of God, W. C. GEARY,

a the Bible.

Sailing by a Star.

KANSAS, AND THE D. & M. D. H.	BUSINESS CARDS.
LANDS.	JI ENRY SOUTHER, Attorney-at-Law Ridgway, Pa. (feb29'68),
The "Burlington Ronte," so called	A TAL A TAL MITTATION AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AN
lies right in the path of the Star of Em	T Ridaway Pa 9910
pire. It runs almost immediately in the centre of the great westward movement of emigration. Crossing Illinois and	Way, Elk county Pa. [mar-22'661
Iowa, it strikes the Missouri river al three points.	a la second and the second as an
These three points are the gateways into three great sections of the traps Missouri region.	The line in Director Charles and Y and Store
The Northern gate is Omaha, where	CIEORGE WALMSLEY, County Sur-
the great Pacific road will take you to	Uveyor, St. Marys, Pa., holds himself
the land of gold and grapes, sunny	The readiness at all times, to perform loos
mountains, and perpetual summer.	In the second se
The middle gate is Plattsmouth, which opens upon the south half of Nebraska,	F. X. SORG, Saloon-keeper, corner of Railrond and Michael streets, St. Marys, Pa. Native Wines, good Lager Beer, etc., constantly on hand. 28
south of the Platte river, a region un- surpassed on the continent for agricul- ture and grazing. Just here are the B & M. Railroad lands, concerning which Geo. S. Harris, the land officer at Bur-	W ILLIAM GEIS, Restanrant, Mi- chael street, St. Marys, Pa., keeps the best of Lager Reer and, Native wines constantly on hand. 28
lington, Iowa, can give you all informa- tion, and in the heart of them is Lin- coln, the State Capital and present ter-	C. H. VOLK, 'Manufacturer and Dealer Depot, St. (Mary's, Elk county Pa.
minus of the road. The Southern gate leads to Kansas,	EDWARD BLINZLER, Railroad street, next to the Alpine House, St. Marys, Pa., receives daily Fresh Baltimore Oys-
by connection with the St. Joe Road at Hamburg, running direct to St. Joe and Kansas City.	ters, which he sells at the lowest price, raw, stewed, or by the can. Fresh Lager always on hand. 28
The trains of the Burlington run	REYNOLOS HOUSE,
smoothly and safely, and make all con- nections. It runs the best of conches	REYNOLDSVILLE, JEFFERSON CO, PA.
Pullman Palace and Pullman dining	H. S. BELNAP, PROPRIETOR

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cars, and should you take the journey for the journey's sake alone, you will be for the journey's sake alone, you farm, and you cannot find either better hours : 7 to 8 A. M ; 12 to 2 P. M.; and than among the B. & M. lands, where 6 to 7 P. M. Mar. 22, 66-tf.

> DR. A. FISHER, Surgeon Dentist, of Warren, Pa., will be in St. Marys the the third week in each month. Office in Dr. Russ' building, Centre street, St. Mary's, and at Ridgway every court week. Office at the Hyde House,

DR C. H. FULLER,

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Harrisburg, April 7 .- The mining ed off on the double quick for his office. (Thomas is a business man and has an office.) On his arrival there, he

at once proceeded to open his package, expecting, no doubt, to feast his eyes on a \$1,000 in green backs, "so well executed that it would require an expert banker to distinguish them from the notes issued at Washington." With

when lo! on examination he found, care-"green backs," but shavings! osophize on the old adage of 'a fool battle.

In noticing the suspension of the pend two dollars per year for a paper

Erie Observer sensibly adds: "The ex. practiced on greenies, and now he has got beautifully sold. Again we say rather should not be-without its lesson | poor Thom-as.-[Independent. VENANGO.

can bursting threw the oil over her

clothing, and in an instant she was en-

veloped in flames. She ran out of the

house, and some gentlemen near by en-

deavored to smother the flames, but did

the sympathy of the entire community.

STATE NEWS.

The Northampton Beneficial society,

of Easton, has since its organization, 31

years ago, paid out in the shape of bene-

fits to its members, in case of sickness.

-[Franklin Citizen.

Burned to Death .-- On Monday,

Another "Greeny" Caught-Where is the Fool-Killer?-We did not know until yesterday, that we had so green, not to say dishonest, an individual in our midst as the one referred to in this article. It seems that a package was received at the express office here, directed to Thomas Creaton, and marked C. O. D. \$56.00. Thomas was duly notified of its arrival and hastened to the office, paid the \$56.00, eagerly seized his (supposed) treasure and start-

Crowell.-[Republican.

our duty to announce this week the

death of Mr. Daniel Spackman, at his

residence in Lawrence township, on

Sunday, March 26th, 1871, aged 94

years and 6 months. Mr. Spackman

was, with perhaps one exception, the

oldest resident in this county. He was

highly respected by all who knew him;

and his demise is deeply mourned by

his large circle of relatives and friends.

CAMERON.

Let him rest in peace .- [Journal.

Tuarsidewalk, that nuisance would be more appropriate, on depot street, still remains unfixed. Where are our Supervisors? Will the Democrat please answer?

W. H. SCHRAM, has fitted up the room in the Hyde House, formerly occupied as a store, for a bar room. The old bar room is to be used for a reading room.

THE Nellie Love Burlesque and Comedy Troupe exhibited at Messenger's Hall, last Monday and Tuesday evenings. The Hall was crowded both evenings, and everybody seemed well pleased. Taken as a whole the performance was first-rate. We hope to have the pleasure of seeing them here again at no very distant day.

THE Wilcox Dramatic Association will give an entertainment at Messenger's Hall, Friday and Saturday, April 14 and 15, on which occasion will be produced, for the first time in this section of the country, Tom Taylor's great original comody "Still Waters Run Deep." This is a complimentary benefit to William H. McCollin, the blind musician, who resides at Wilcox, and should receive the support of our citizens.

The admission is only 25 cents.

PARTIES renting or leasing property should have it stipulated in the articles of agreement that, in case of the premises being destroyed by fire, the renter shall be released from the contract. A decision was lately given in Eric, that in the abscence of such a stipulation, where a building is destroyed by fire, the lessee is responsible for the full time covered by the contract. And the funny part of it is that the lessee cannot be compelled to find a suitable building for carrying out the

purposes specified in the contract.

BE & MAN .- Foolish spending is the father of poverty. Be not ashamed of work. Work for the best salary or wages you can get, but work for half price rather than be idle. Be your own master, and do not let society or fashion swallow up your individuality-hat, coat and boots. Do not est up or wear out all you can earn. compel selfish body to spare something for profits saved. Be stingy to your own appetite, but merciful to others' necessities. Help others and ask not help for yourself. See that you are proud. Let your pride quering every difficulty, too proud to wear cheat; too proud to be stingy .- [Ex. | was bounely looking."

it may be set down as a certainty that he pride of a publisher will prompt gaged in filling lamps with petroleum, him to print as good a paper as he can ifford, and if the journal fails to come can in her hand, for the purpose of ip to the mark which its readers ask opening the door, and in so doing brought and expect, the fault will oftener be

found to lie in the meagre patropage given to it than a lack of enterprise on the part of its proprietor. If the same energy and means were devoted towards ensuring the prosperity of the old esablished journals as are often bestowed

in starting new ones, the press of the not succeed till nearly every particle of country would be vastly improved, we clothing was burned from her body. yould have fewer half starved papers, Her injuries were fatal, and after a few less dissensions, and more thorough po-litical organizations."-[Warren Mail. hours of terrible suffering she died. Mrs. Swann was an estimable lady, and the bereaved husband and family have

HOOKS AND EYES.

Wisconsin furnished nearly 250,000,-000 feet of lumber during the past vear.

A Temple of Honor has been organ The best thing to give to the poorized in Tidioute. employment.

Pittsburgh ships a thousand car-loads If a man begins to save 10 cents a coal a day by the river alone. day when he is 21 years old, and con-Over one-third of the people in Pittstinues to do so till he is 70, he will burgh are of foreign birth. then be worth \$10,956 37.

A wolf was killed in Rye township, Mdme. Lætitia Bonaparte-Wyse died Perry county, a few days since. at Rome on the 15th ult. She was a Hollidaysburg has purchased a new daughter of Lucien Bonaparte, and married Sir Thomas Wyse, the British fire-engine.

A. H. Bronson, of Titusville, is go Embassador to Greece. ing to build a stable to cost \$8,000. The Louisville Ledger says: "Sup-A young man in York county has osing Olive Logan should be elected captured 78 muskrats during the past President of the United States, and hould afterward marry a man named few weeks. Perkius, would she be President Lo-It is rumored that Col. John W. gan or President Perkins?" Forney will be the next Chairman of One of the most extraordinary facts the State central Committee.

connected with the American Revoluis, that every general officer on the side of American independence was a Freemason, with one solitary exception, the

traitor Benedict Arnold. George Washington's warm attachment to the

The committee appointed by the fish and game association of Berks are about Institution lasted until his death. An exchange says that a clergyman sending a messenger to the west to proin Pennsyivania has just received his cure a supply of black bass before the spawning season commences. It is said that the Monongahela and its tributarsalary for six months' services. It consisted of ten feet of stove pipe, two papers of corn starch, three kegs of ies above Pittsburgh abound with this varnish, one paper collar, four palm fish. leaf fans, and two bundles of bed slats.

Scientific and inventive minds in The above enumeration of articles are Philadelphia are giving a good deal of just about what our ministers get for attention and inquiry as to the best their services, in these parts. plan by which the rather frequently re-

&c., \$41,159 11.

Mr. Smith was asked how he could curring explosions of kitchen boilers See that you are proud. Let your pride be of the right kind. Be too proud to be lazy; too proud to give up without con-said he. "When I was two months old 000 houses having kitchen ranges, be-I was considered the handsomest child hind which is laid a steam boiler that a coat you cannot afford to buy; too proud in the neighborhood; but my nurse is subject to the same general conditions to be in company that you cannot keep up swapped me away for another boy, just as other steam boilers, and, like them, with in expenses, too proud to lie, or steal, to please a friend of hers, whose child liable under certain conditions to explode.

A Western girl got the idea into her boast that they once believe below this place, on the river, was enhead that the devil was in her and hung but have now got beyond all that, and herself. It women go to hanging them- are following new and greater light, is DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS. and approached the stove, with the oil selves for a little thing like that, they very fairly illustrated by the story are going to be mighty scarce, that's all. the oil in such close contact with the heat and blaze, that it ignited, and the

(\$20,) issue of March 10, 1862, is in eye on a certain star, and steer the ve circulation, and is well calculated to de- sel directly towards it; which he proceive good judges of money.

Reports from all parts of the country give cheering accounts of the condition of the crops. There is everywhere a promise of large yield and great abundance. The cereals look well, East, West, North, and South. From the South, also, comes the report that for fruit the indications are favorable.

THE 26th of this month has been decreed throughout the country as a day of general thanksgiving among mem- all the revelations of God, and we bers of the order of Odd Fellows.

We are told there is nothing made in rain. But how about a pretty young girl? Isn't she maiden vain?

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FOLLOWING is a list of the Post Offices in Elk county:

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# Elk County Directory

COUNTY OFFICERS.

President Judge-L. D. Wetmore. Additional Law Judge-Hon. Jho. P. Vincent. Associate Judges-E. C. Schultze, Jesse Associate Judges-L. Kyler, District Attorney-J. K. P. Hail. Sheriff-Jacob McCauley. Prothonotary &c.,-Fred. Scheming. Treasurer-Claudius V. Gills, Co. Superintendent-Rufus Lucore. Commissioners-H. Warner, Jos. W Taylor, Louis Vollmer. Auditors-Clark Wilcox, George D. Messenger, and Joseph Wilhelm. County Surveyor-Geo Walmsley. Jury Commissioners.-George Dick-inson, and Horace Little.

TIME OF HOLDING COURT.

Second Monday in January. Second Monday in April First Monday in August. First Monday in November.

the Hibernian sailor, who was left night in charge of the helm, with A new counterfeit United States note, rections from the captain to keep ised faithfully to do. The captain went below, and asleep; after a while he awoke, went deck, and found the vessel sailing in course exactly opposite to that in whi he had directed the helmsman to ste "What's all this mean, Patrick?" "Faith, captain, ye must pick me another star, for I've sailed clear by th me!" Just so, many have turned their ba on God, and heaven, and light, a peace, and think they have sailed some one to pick them out another sta Finding Fault with Ministers. There are many persons whose ligion consists in finding fault with m isters. Nor are they all of the wor Some church-members think this one the privileges of their profession. A as Satan desired to sift Simon as whe so they sift the character and life their minister. Every word he spea and every act he performes, in prive and in public, at home and abroad, my be weighed in their balance; and if is found wanting, they must post up t Church and the world in reference his defects and infirmities. This p of religion must be attended to by so one. "All members have not the sar office." And as they have a peculi taste, if not talent, for finding fau and no relish for anything more spin ual, they are faithful in pointing ( his real and imaginary defects. A thus they srve him from that woe whi Christ said rested on ministers when men spoke well of them. Children Members of the Church.

I have, during the past year, received forty or fifty children into church membership. Among those I have had at any time to exclude from church-fellowship, out of a church of twenty-seven hundred members, 1 have never had to exclude a single one who was received while yet a child. Teachers and superintendents should not merely believe in the possibility of early conversion, but in the frequency of it .- [Spurgeon.

UNTIL we begin to learn that the only way to serve God in any real sense of the word is to serve our neighbor, we may have knocked at the wicket gate; but I doubt if we have got one fout across the threshold of the King-

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ble, and		HYDE HOUSE, RIDGWAY, ELK Co., PA.
, is of	DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS,	W. H. SCHRAM, Proprietor. Thankful for the patronage heretofore
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### CONTRACTORS TAKE NOTICE.

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That sealed proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Elk County, at the office in Ridgway, until MONDAY, MAY 1st, 1871, for the erection of a BRIDGE of two hundred and twenty five feet in length, one or two spans—but one span prefered— across the Clarion River at this place. Separate bids will be considered for Stone, Masonry, Iron or Wooden superstructure, or for the whole including materials and labor. Contractors will be required to give ample security for the completion of the bridge in a workmanlike manner.

By order of Commissioners, C. H. McCAULEY, Clerk. Ridgway, April 4th, 1871 .- vln6tf.

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