

Car Time at Ridgway.

Table with 2 columns: Train Name, Time. Includes Erie Express East, do do West, do do East, do do West, Renovo Accommodation East, do do West.

ELK LODGE, A. Y. M.

The stated meetings of Elk Lodge, No. 279, are held at their hall, corner of Main and Depot streets, on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

Next Saturday is the last day for the registration of voters.

Attend to this duty at once.

Republican Committee

Millstone—Myron Raught, John Moore. Spring Creek—Clifton Paine, H. R. Moore, Hiram Carman.

Highland—Levi Ellithorpe, Wm James. Horton—Uriah W. Rogers, Joseph Chamberlain, E. C. Wood.

Benezette—John B. Luce, D. B. Winslow. Fox—James Green.

St. Mary's—W. W. Ames, James Winlack. Jones—A. T. Aldrich, Joseph Tantine.

Benzinger—John Farrer. Jay—I. R. Morey, John Brookings.

Ridgway—R. I. Robinson, A. B. Wheeler, E. Rolfe.

PEOPLE'S VIGILANCE COMMITTEE.

The following committee, one from each political party, was appointed by order of the People's Convention, to look after the interest of the People's Ticket in their respective districts:

Benezette—W. D. DeHass, D. B. Winslow. Fox—Abel Gresh, N. G. Bundy.

Highland—William James, Thomas Campbell. Horton—C. A. Wilcox, N. M. Brockway.

Jay—A. E. Goff, R. J. Spangler. Jones—J. C. Malone, Henry Warner.

Millstone—Chas. H. Hoffman, Myron Raught. Ridgway—O. B. Grant, J. H. Hagerty.

Spring Creek—C. E. Paine, D. G. McKnight.

Republican County Convention.

The County Convention met pursuant to call, on Monday September, 22nd, 1878.

Capt. N. M. Brockway was chosen chairman, J. Powell Secretary.

On motion N. M. Brockway, J. H. Hagerty and J. Powell were appointed delegates to the Republican Conference, with power to appoint substitutes.

On motion Jas. H. Hagerty was appointed chairman of the Republican county convention for the ensuing year, with power to appoint regular committees and do all other business pertaining to this office.

On motion, RESOLVED, that we do not deem it advisable to nominate candidates for county offices this year.

Adjourned on motion.

N. M. BROCKWAY, Ch'm. J. POWELL, Sec'y.

REPRESENTATIVE CONFERENCE.

The Republican Conference met at Ridgway, September 26th, 1878.

On motion N. M. Brockway was made Chairman, B. W. Green, Secretary.

The following delegates presented credentials.

Elk—Jerome Powell, J. H. Hagerty, N. M. Brockway.

Cameron—J. L. Laney, N. Housler, B. W. Green.

Jefferson—John J. Thompson substitute for all three.

Jerome Powell of Elk, presented the name of Horace Little.

N. Housler, Cameron, presented the name of J. W. Phelps.

John J. Thompson, Jefferson, presented the name of N. B. Lane.

First ballot—Each three. Second ballot—Lane 4, Little 1, Phelps 4.

After second ballot the names of Mr. Lane, and Mr. Little were withdrawn, and Mr. Phelps was nominated by acclamation.

Letter from Ohio.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, September 26th, 1878.

DEAR ADVOCATE: THE REASON WHY you had no letter last week, was because I didn't send you one; For all practical purposes a sufficient reason. Something like the one given by the lawyer, in excuse for a client who had not obeyed a summons.

"May it please your Honor," said he "I have ten reasons to offer for the disobedience of my client. The first is, he died before service could be made; the second is, "Never mind the other nine reasons; the first is sufficient," said the Judge. But I didn't write because I was called to the interior of the "dark and bloody ground" and have but now returned; and "take up my pen" to tell you what Deacon SMITH, of the Cincinnati Gazette, did to a printer, and WHY HE DID IT.

The Deacon is the truly good man, made famous by the efforts of the New York Sun, and the Cincinnati Commercial. He has red hair, and a sawmill voice and looks both ways for Sunday. His main horror is the fact that the Commercial and Enquirer publish Sunday editions—which, as you know, are printed Saturday night, while

The Chronicles of Ellick.

CHAPTER I. 1 And it came to pass, in the seventh month of the off year in politics, that the Dimmychrats of Ellick assembled together, and took counsel in the city over by the way of the Ridge; which is the ancient Capital of the Province of Ellick.

2 That they might present to the people officers to rule over them; anointing them with certificates of election, and ordaining them into a Court House Ring.

3 Now the Province of Ellick was always governed by Rings; which in the common tongue, meaneth the "Ins."

4 And the candidates who were not chosen were called the "Outs;" and being Outs, they went up and down by Cursey and Sinsnamahoe, and lifting up their voices, cried,

5 And their cries went even unto the shingle whittlers of Jay, and the hide skinner of Jones, and to the utmost borders of Millstone.

6 And they said: Oh! people of Ellick, Lo! you have chosen another ring, which we would not have been, (because you wouldn't give us a chance.)

7 Now it was the custom of the Dimmychrats of Ellick, after each convention to have an abbot.

8 (Now "abbot" meaneth a busting up of things generally.)

9 And they had abbot in the year whereof these things are written.

10 But, having had abbot, they were badly scared; and they said,

11 Verily, we have busted things a little too completely this time.

12 And, repenting, they said: Peradventure we have over done it this time; and those who were not Dimmychrats answered "You bet!"

13 And the chief cause of abbot this year, was the desire of a Messenger, who dwelt in the grove nigh to the mill race of Dick, who had been a Judge in Ellick.

14 (And Houkome Dick within one of again being a Judge, pertaineth not hereto.)

15 (Now the Messenger of the grove was not the Messenger of whom the Scribe wrote, in days gone by, when he was loyal.)

16 (But it was his son; and both are now disloyal and gave their voices that the Dimmychrats should have abbot.)

17 That he might have the custody of the money of Ellick, and sell unseated lands in the first year:

18 And also one Olejoebell, who dwelt on the hillsops and brewed choice liquors, desired to do likewise, and he was a jolly good fellow.

19 But there was a rumor in the land that Olejoebell did look with exceeding favor upon a Dimmychratt, who was called Jimmacuskey.

20 And it was written on the slates of the caucus, that Olejoebell's bash was to be cooked, because of this Jimmacuskey, and so it was.

21 Now the council having gone home, the ancients of the Dimmychrats said among themselves,

22 Verily there is but one way to get out of this; the Lion and the Lamb must lie down together; and be forgetful of past iniquities.

23 And they will call a new Council of the Dimmychrats, and everything will be lovely.

24 And the Goose will be elevated to an altitudinous point. And they did as they agreed; and called a new council. And here endeth the first lesson.

CHAPTER II.

1 And the new council met in the hall of Justice, when Matthew had rung the bell; and Matthew was clad in a swallow tail, and his buttons were of brass.

2 And being assembled, and the high places having been filled, one of the chief men arose and spake, saying:

3 Worthy Chief! Behold there are brethren here who come not forward; and he bid them come up.

4 And then spake a dweller in the camp of Horton; and he was a small man but his head was level.

5 And he said, "Oh! Dimmychrats! things horten't to be as they are; and we cannot perceive it in those lamps; and we will not be garnered in to your corn crib. Let the Messenger and Olejoebell give way, and then we will come in."

6 "Otherwise, not. For it can be seen by the unassisted optic, that Olejoebell has got this council tight and fast.

7 And as he is already chosen, we think it useless to go through the motions," and he sat down.

8 And the Messenger of the grove said "That's the ticket," and he was willing to throw up the sponge; but Olejoebell lifting up his left eye

9 Exposed it before the people; and asked if they believed anything with verdure clad, therein; and he stood.

10 And immediately there was a row, and abbot.

11 And the High Priests from Horton, and the High Lands, and those who labor where the Creeks spring up, and the Mill Stones cry aloud, gave their voices again for abbot, and they lit out.

12 And there's a chance for lots of fun in Ellick. And the scribe standeth afar off and enjoyeth the fun at a distance.

NOTICE is hereby given to jurors to be punctual in attendance on court, on Monday morning, November 5th.

FRED. SCHOENING, Clerk.

COUNTY Commissioners will meet at their office in Ridgway, on Monday, Nov. 10th, 1878. By order C. H. M'CAULEY, Clerk.

New Advertisements.

LIST OF CAUSES set down for trial at November Term 1878, Elk County Common Pleas. Commencing Monday November 3, 1878.

1 The Spring Run Coal Co. vs Thomas Tostler, No. 16 January term, 1869.

2 Geo D Messenger et al vs James George et al 41 April term 1869.

3 John Tudor, vs Hiram Woodward et al 5 August term 1870.

4 E M Mason et al vs Henry Souther et al 19 January term 1871.

5 George Decker vs George Schneider, 9 April term 1872.

6 Benjamin Johnson et al vs John Johnson et al 26 April term 1872.

7 James Curry vs E & C Paine, 38 April term 1872.

8 Martin Borg vs Nicholas Kronenwetter 47 April term 1872.

9 William J. McCarty vs Elk and M'Kean R R Co., 17 August term 1872.

10 B E Willard vs Elk and M'Kean R R Co., 18 August term 1872.

11 E E Willard vs Josiah Bardwell Trustees et al 21 August term 1872.

12 H Soutter, survivor & vs H S Beisap & Co., 5 November term 1872.

13 The School Dist. of Fox vs John Myers et al 31 January term 1873.

14 George Paul vs The Wilcox T & L Co., 42 January term 1873.

15 Abel L Marthers vs Thomas Mulliken, 1 April term 1873.

16 The St. Mary's Coal Co., vs George Reutter.

17 Francis A Loeh et al vs Frank Keller, 21 April term 1872.

18 Jas A Burke vs D C Oyster, 33 August term 1873.

FRED. SCHOENING, Pro'ly.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Final accounts of George Nult Jr., administrator of the Estate of George Nult Sr., late of Horton Township, Elk county, deceased, has been filed in my Office, and that the same will be presented at the Orphan's Court of Elk county for confirmation, on the first Monday of November next, being the third day.

FRED. SCHOENING, Register.

ELK COUNTY COURT PROCLAMATION.

Whereas the Hon. L. D. Wetmore, President Judge for the 6th Judicial District of Pennsylvania, and Chas. Lehr and J. V. Houk, Esqs., Associate Judges in Elk county, have issued their precepts to me directed, for the time of holding of Orphan's Court, Court of Common Pleas, and General Quarter Sessions andoyer and Terminer, at Ridgway, for the County of Elk, on the 1st Monday of November, (being the 3rd day) 1878, and continue two weeks.

Notice is therefore given to the Coroner, Justice of the Peace, and Constables in and for the County of Elk, to appear in their own proper persons, with their records, inquisitions and remembrances, to do those things which of their offices and all witnesses and other persons prosecuting in behalf of the Commonwealth against any person or persons are required to be then and there attending, and not to depart at their peril. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance at the appointed time, agreeable to notice.

Given under my hand and seal at the Sheriff's office, in Ridgway, the 25th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

D. C. OYSTER, Sheriff.

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WINTER TIME TABLE.

On and after SUNDAY, JULY 20 1878, the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad will run as follows:

Erie Mail leaves Philadelphia—11.55 p. m. do do Renovo—11.05 p. m. do do St. Mary's—2.20 p. m. do do Ridgway—2.52 p. m. do do arrive at Erie—7.50 p. m.

Erie Express leaves Philadelphia—12.40 p. m. do do Renovo—1.15 p. m. do do St. Mary's—2.10 p. m. do do Ridgway—2.39 p. m. do do arrive at Erie—7.45 a. m.

Niagara Ex. leaves Philadelphia 7.20 a. m. do do Renovo—8.56 p. m. do do Emporium—6.25 p. m. do do arr at Niagara Falls 9.45 p. m. Accommodation, leaves Erie—2.15 p. m. do do St. Mary's 5.57 p. m. do do Ridgway—6.25 p. m. do do arr at Kane—7.30 p. m.

Erie Mail leaves Erie—11.30 a. m. do do Ridgway—6.05 p. m. do do St. Mary's—5.33 p. m. do do Renovo—9.05 p. m. do do arrive at Philad'a—7.16 a. m.

Erie Express leaves Erie—9.05 p. m. do do Ridgway—2.04 a. m. do do St. Mary's—2.28 a. m. do do Renovo—5.26 a. m. do do arrive at Philadelphia—5.30 p. m.

Niagara Ex. leaves Niagara Falls 7.15 p. m. do do Emporium—1.10 p. m. do do Philadelphia—12.20 p. m. Accommodation, leaves Kane—7.55 a. m. do do Ridgway—6.55 a. m. do do St. Mary's—5.24 a. m. do do arr at Renovo—12.30 p