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JAMES D. FULLERTON, Surgeon Dentist, having permanently located in Ridgway, offers his professional services to the citizens of Ridgway and surrounding country.

G. G. MESSENGER, Druggist and Pharmacist, N. W. corner of Main and Mill streets, Ridgway, Pa. Full assortment of carefully selected Foreign and Domestic Drugs.

T. S. HARTLEY, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, Office in Drug Store, corner Broad and Main Sts., Residence corner Broad St. opposite the College.

J. S. BORDWELL, M. D., Eclectic Physician and Surgeon, has removed his office from Centre street, to Main St., Ridgway, Pa., in the second story of the new brick building of John G. Hall.

HYDE HOUSE, Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa. W. H. SCHRAM, Proprietor. Thankful for the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him.

KERSEY HOUSE, CENT. AVENUE, ELK CO., PA. JOHN COLLINS, Proprietor. Thankful for the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him.

E. G. FAY, LUMBER AND INSURANCE COMMISSION BROKER, AND GENERAL COLLECTION AGENT, No 266 Walnut Place, (316 Walnut Street.) PHILADELPHIA, PA.

The undersigned represents the following reliable Companies for this District: Aetna Hartford, \$ 7,000,000, North British Mercantile, 10,000,000, German American, N. Y., 2,000,000, Niagara N. Y., 1,500,000, Amazon, Ohio, 1,000,000, Paterson, N. J., 400,000, Farmville, Va., 250,000, Travelers Life and Accident, 4,000,000.

P. B. WACHTEL, n41113 St. Mary's Pa. All persons are hereby cautioned not to purchase, or in any way meddle with, the following described property now at the Belmont Mill, Elk Co., Pa.

P. W. HAYS, DEALER IN Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries and General Variety, FOX ELK CO., PA. EARLEY P. O.

Executors Notice, Estate of John Rumm, late of Benning township, Elk Co., deceased. Letters Testamentary upon the above estate have been granted to the undersigned.

Executors Notice, Estate of Elizabeth Cordes, late of St. Mary's borough, Elk Co., deceased. Letters Testamentary upon the above estate have been granted to the undersigned.

SCIENTIFIC FARMER, BOSTON, MASS. Science is knowledge, scientific is knowing. Can a better motto be adopted? In the interest of a profitable culture.

For only One Dollar a year, Add your name and address plainly written, Remitted to the Scientific Farmer Co., Boston, Mass.

THIS COLD WEATHER REMINDS YOU THAT POWELL & KIME have a nice lot of Thermometers on hand.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY GOODS CHEAP GO TO

JAMES H HAGERTY, Main Street, Ridgway, Pa.

DBY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS SHOES, HATS, TRAVELERS, GLASS AND QUEENS WARE, WOOD AND WILLOW WARE, TOBACCO AND CIGARS

A Large Stock of Groceries and Provisions

The BEST BRANDS OF FLOUR Constantly on hand, and sold as cheap as the CHEAPEST

NEW LIVERY STABLE IN RIDGWAY.

DAN SCRIBNER WISHES TO inform the citizens of Ridgway, and the public generally, that he has started a Livery Stable and will keep GOOD STOCK, GOOD CARRIAGES and Buggies to let upon the most reasonable terms.

WOLL EN SOCKS AND MITTENS at POWELL & KIME'S

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, AND Graham Flour at POWELL & KIME'S

AT POWELL & KIME'S, YOU pay cash for goods, and get more than the worth of your cash.

FLOUR, PORK, FEED, CORN-Meal, Oats, always on hand at POWELL & KIME'S at bottom prices.

A FEW MORE OVER COATS and Buffalo Robes at POWELL & KIME'S

SUGARS AT POWELL AND KIME'S are high to be sure; but a bill are a little cheaper than at any other store in town.

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PIMPLES, I will mail (free) the recipe for preparing a simple YERKANS BALM that will remove the FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blemishes, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful.

ERRORS OF YOUTH, A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion.

A NICE LOT OF NEW PRINTS at POWELL & KIME'S, only eight cents per yard.

DR. W. B. HARTMAN, formerly of St. Mary's, has associated himself with M. J. Earley, M. D. in the practice of medicine at Ridgway.

E. K. GRESH, Dealer in all kinds of cabinet ware, wood and cane seat chairs, kitchen and extension tables, wood and marble top beds, wood and marble top bureaus, what nots, looking glasses, wood and marble top chamber stoves, mattresses, pring bed bottoms, bedsteads, cribs, Lafery's metal lined wood pumps, &c., &c.

DRIED APPLES AT POWELL & KIME'S

Elk Advocate. THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1877.

Month which the warring ancients strangely styled. The month of war—in its three ways Were any month of peace—in its rough days.

I find no war in nature, though the wild Winds clash and clang, and broken boughs are piled.

NEW AND ELEGANT ROOMS—NOVELTY PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY.—"AN INDIAN AGENCY LOST."

MARCH comes in with a rush of snow and wind.

POTATOES are hard to get at any price.

ONE hundred guns were fired in the court yard, in this place, on Monday evening last in honor of the inauguration of Hayes and Wheeler.

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Pennsylvania News. The debt of Millia county is \$70,000. An oil excitement has broken out in Cameron county.

Mr. Moore, of Beaver county, died recently from the kick of a vicious cow. A deed, 100 years old, was entered in the Recorder's office, at Reading on Wednesday.

Mr. Smith, of Pottstown, owns fourteen hens, who laid 229 eggs during the month of February. All the idle mines of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company will be put in operation at once.

The valuation of real estate and personal property in Washington county is \$39,508,239. A new bridge will be built across the Susquehanna at Rockville by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

The temperance men in the Western part of the State have selected Altoona as their next field of action. Mrs. Farrel, of Chester, was so badly burned by the explosion of a lamp, a few days ago, that she died in a short time.

The new iron railroad bridge, which crosses Tunkhannock creek below the town, is rapidly approaching completion. A daughter of Mr. Christy, of Westmoreland county, was attacked by a dog the other day and dreadfully mangled.

The citizens of Carlisle are circulating papers expressing a decided protest against the construction of Lackawanna county. The papers of Pittsburg say the ravages of diphtheria in Western Pennsylvania are unprecedented.

Whole families are being swept off by this terrible disease. Two large wolves were recently seen near Scholer's Mills, Cambria county. The dog never drove these animals from their usual haunts in search of food.

The dwelling barn, outbuildings, household furniture and farming utensils of County Commissioner Hellenan, of Blair county, were consumed by fire the other day. The editors of the Clarion Republican and Clarion Democrat were each candidates for borough offices and each defeated. A "fellow feeling makes us wondrous kind."

The Pittsburg Post says that the price of large lumber has advanced from \$18 to \$35 per thousand, owing to the great destruction of barges in the Monongahela and Ohio rivers by the ice gorge of a few weeks ago. There are seventeen school slate manufacturing along the Delaware between Easton and the Delaware Water Gap, and five along the Lehigh, in the vicinity of Slatington, manufacturing 60,000 cases of school slates per annum.

No ice jams in 1877. The gradual wasting of the ice has prevented the possibility of any damage this year from the ice flood. In a few days the rivers will be clear and people along their banks have less care for the spring tides. The Huntington News learns that Mr. Gobert, the gentleman interested in the erection of plate-glass works in this country, will leave Belgium in April next and come to that section with a view of erecting the works in a most advantageous location.

There is more trouble for the soldiers of the National Guard. A bill was reported from the military committee, with an affirmative recommendation, in the House last Friday, providing for certain severe penalties to be visited upon refractory soldiers hereafter who shall give insolence to their superior officers, sell their own horses, talk without permission, or commit any one of the almost ridiculous offenses enumerated. The court-martial, which is established by one of the provisions, gives the same jurisdiction to summon witnesses and punish offenses concurrent with the Courts of Quarter Sessions and Oyer and Terminer. The bill was drawn by Mr. Graham, of Allegheny, and, if it is not a joke, will have the effect of depopulating the ranks.

In a recent lecture by Mr. Tylor, at the London Institution, on the Philosophy of Language, the superiority was claimed for that which is used in Great Britain, and the vast outlying countries all over the globe, on which Sir Charles Dilke bestowed the expressive title of "Greater Britain." Alluding to the extraordinary increase of English-speaking people, Mr. Tylor said that should it continue at the existing ratio, there would in twenty years—say, at the close of the present century—be 860,000,000 speaking English, as against 124,000,000 speaking German, and 70,000,000 speaking French. He would place the English far above the Greek, Latin, Hebrew, and Arabic languages because, throwing off the accretions of antiquity, it left the older languages far behind in power and delicacy of expression. Utter lawlessness and confusion were shown in the grammatical distinctions of gender, especially in the Latin languages. A clean sweep had been made in this respect in the English, rendering that language the envy and admiration of foreign grammarians, and this was well, seeing that it will probably absorb all other languages. This strong endorsement will scarcely be objected to—in the United States, England, and Australia, at any rate.—Forney's Press.

BUTTER AND LARD AT P & K'S. FURS A SMALL LOT AT POWELL & KIME'S.