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Ridgway, Elk county, Pa. Office across the hall from the *Democrat* establishment. Claims for collection promptly attended to. jne15,1876

**G. G. MESSENGER.**

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N. W. corner of Main and Mill streets. Ridgway, Pa., full assortment of carefully selected Foreign and Domestic Drugs. Prescriptions carefully dispensed at all hours, day or night. v1n3y

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Office in Drug Store, corner Broad and Main streets. Residence corner Broad street, opposite the College. Office hours from 8 to 10 A. M. and from 7 to 8 P. M. v1n2y1

**J. S. BORDWELL, M. D.**

ELECTIC PHYSICIAN & SURG'N,

Has removed his office from Centre street to Main street, Ridgway, Pa., in the second story of the new brick building of John G. Hall, west of the Hyde House.

Office hours:—1 to 2 P. M. 7 to 9 P.M.

**MRS. N. T. CUMMINGS.**

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF NEW STYLES HATS JUST RECEIVED

at Mrs. N. T. Cummings, also ties, collars, cuffs hoisery, gloves, and a general assortment of Ladies' Fancy Goods. Remember the place, in H. S Thayer's Building, Main street. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

—Institute commences next Monday.

—Subscribe *now* for the ADVOCATE, $1.50 a year.

—Company "H" will parade on New Year's day.

—Christmas Eve and the thermometer 13 degrees below zero.

—Fine syrup and New Orleans molasses at the corner grocery.

—J. W. Taylor froze his fingers a day or so ago while splitting wood.

—This small specimen of the ADVOCATE is issued on account of legal advertising.

—We did not intend to issue a paper this week but a force of circumstances compels us to.

—Snow eighteen inches on the level and the drifts are too deep to measure during this cold shap.

—Mrs. L. L. Miller died at Bear Creek on Monday and was buried at this place on Christmas day.

—Neut. Rhines has a boil on his arm Take courage Neut., and remember that an old chap named Job once had the same failing to an almost unlimited extent, since which time he has received an unlimited amount of gratuitous puffs.

### Attention Company "H."

The officers and members of Company "H," Seventeenth Regiment N. G. P., will meet at their armory, January 1st, 1879, at 2 o'clock p. m. *sharp*, for dress parade and inspection

By order of

FRED. SCHŒNING, Capt.

Attest:

HENRY A. PARSONS, JR., Ord.

### APPLETON'S AMERICAN CYCLOPEDIA.

Volume 16 of this admirable work is just out, making it complete. Each volume contains 800 pages. It makes a complete library, and no one can afford to do without it who would keep well informed. Price $3.00 a volume in leather, or $7.00 in elegant half Turkey. C. K Judson, Fredonia, N. Y., controls the sale in Elk county. Address him for particulars. sep17-tf

### Teachers' Institute.

The teachers of Elk county will hold their twelfth annual convention in the school building, Ridgway, Pa., commencing Monday, December, 30, 1878, at 3 p. m., and closing Friday, January 3, 1879, at 12 m. Prof. J. B. Johnson will deliver the address of welcome, which will be responded to by Prof. W. H. Prideaux. A large corps of lecturers and instructors are engaged for the occasion. Mrs. P. S. Ernhout will conduct the musical exercises, which fact is a full guarantee that that part of the institute will be a success. The *Democrat* office will issue a daily paper each evening, containing full notes of all proceedings. Thursday afternoon will be especially set apart for directors. Holiday excursion tickets may be bought at the various railroad ticket offices. Boarding at from 75 cents to $1 a day. All are invited, and an unusually good time is anticipated.

Washington, December 23.—Governor elect Hoyt, of Pennsylvania, accompanied by M. S. Quay, James M'Manes, William R. Leeds and other prominent Pennsylvanians, called upon Mr. Hays to-day to urge the appointment of Governor Hartranft to the Berlin mission. Some of the members of the delegation feel satisfied that their petition will receive favorable consideration from President Hayes.

—Fresh eggs, butter and cheese at the corner grocery.

—Fresh lemons, oranges and celery the at corner grocery.

### Auditor's Notice.

The undersigned auditor, appointed to distribute the fund in the hands of Jacob McCauley, Esq., administrator of the estate of John McCosker, late of Fox Township, deceased, will attend at his office, in the village of Ridgway, on the 4th day of January, 1879, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of hearing claimants, when and where all may attend who see proper.

GEO. A. RATHBUN,

43-3t Auditor.