

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Time at Ridgway.
East 11:05 p. m.
West 8:47 a. m.

NOTICE.

Hereafter the Post Office will be closed every evening at 8 o'clock. On Saturdays it will be kept open from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M. Mail Closed at 6 P. M. L. LUTHER, P. M.

OMITTED.—The "Young Folks' Column" is unavoidably crowded out this week. It will appear next week.

SOON.—The weather for the past few days has been exceedingly soft, so much so that it threatened to make a general break up.

GRAND TIME.—A Grand time may be expected at the Thayer House, on the night of the 22nd inst. David will spare no pains to make his guests comfortable and welcome.

FRESHET.—Appearance to day indicate that we are going to have a general break up. Our lumbermen are all on the qui vive, and are anxiously awaiting the opening of the streams.

TIN SHOP.—Mr. W. S. Service, talks of starting a Tin Store in our town. This, it appears to us is a branch of trade that our community stand greatly in need of. No doubt our citizens will extend him their patronage.

THE PAVEMENTS.—Perhaps we have no business to say so, but we think that since the streets of our village have been laid with side walks, that it would be a good plan to clean the snow off them before it gets frozen. The soft weather we are now having would be a splendid opportunity to remove it.

NEW CLOTHING STORE.—By reference to our new advertisements it will be seen that G. P. Hintenach has become sole proprietor of the establishment formerly carried on by G. P. Hintenach & Co. We can recommend Mr. Hintenach to the public as an honest and fair dealing gentleman, and one who takes a pride in pleasing his customers.

COMING IN.—Lots of job work has been sent us from various parts of the county, or which we desire to express our thanks. Keep on. We are going to do our best to compete with city work, both in style and price. To do this it requires a great deal of raw material, but the proprietor will spare no expense if our citizens continue sending in their work.

THE AFFAIRS.—The entertainment given by the society last evening was a decided success. Long before the time for commencing had arrived the hall was crowded to excess. The performance were well received by the audience. Another entertainment will be given this evening. The persons composing the company desire to return their thanks for the excellent order observed, and the liberal patronage extended.

A CARD.—We would respectfully tender to the kind people of Ridgway our thanks for the liberal donation they made us on the evening of the 30th of January; which amounted to the good, round sum of one hundred and fifty seven dollars and twenty-five cents, mostly in greenbacks. In return for their kindness we hope and pray that they may be abundantly rewarded by the Giver of all good and perfect gifts. W. A. BOWYER. LOUISA J. BOWYER.

I. O. of G. T.—This order has started a lodge in this place. There are not many places where there is a better field for work than in Ridgway. We are sorry to confess the fact, but it is true. The following is a list of officers:

W. C. T.—Jerome Powell; P. W. C. T.—Henry Southern; W. V. T.—Mrs. E. E. Crandall; W. S.—G. L. McCracken; W. T.—Mrs. P. W. Barrett; W. I. G.—J. P. Moore; W. O. G.—Thornton Strang; W. C.—W. Bowyer; W. A. S.—Miss Eunice Ely; W. F. S.—H. H. Thomas; W. M.—G. D. Messenger; W. A. M.—Miss E. M. Dorman; W. R. H. S.—Mrs. J. C. Luther; W. L. H. S.—Mrs. C. Charlotte Thome.

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS.—Yesterday was the day on which the Township officers in this county were chosen. The judges by the Ridgway returns, there was a comparatively light vote polled. The following is a list of officers chosen in this township:

School Directors.—R. V. Kime, 2 years; B. F. Ely and J. K. Whitmore, 3 years. Judge of Election.—Edward Derby. Inspectors.—M. L. Ross, E. E. Crandall. Constable.—P. W. Barrett. Auditor.—J. G. Hall, Town Clerk.—J. C. Luther. Clerks.—J. K. Whitmore. Assessors.—Charles Moad, Assistant Assessors.—G. F. Dickinson, and Isaac Horton, Junior.

We have received a copy of the Em-Son Lodge book, a paper lately started in the adjoining county of Cameron, of which S. S. Hackett, is Proprietor. It contains an unusual amount of reading matter for a weekly paper, and on the whole gives evidence of ability and taste, both as regards its matter and its mechanical execution.

KINSEY HOTEL.—This excellent stand has been taken possession of by a new landlord, Isaiah Cobb, whom most of our citizens are acquainted with, and who, by the way is quite a gentleman, does the honors of the establishment in a very agreeable manner. Persons going to Centerville should not fail to give him a call. We warrant that they will not grumble at the usage they receive.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT.—This morning, as the Local Freight train was going east, the passenger car was thrown from the track, near the depot at this place. Fortunately no one was injured.

ITEMS OF LIFE NEWS.

A British bark has arrived at Valparaiso with sixteen large cannon for Chile. The coffee crop of Costa Rica is very large, being calculated at 150,000 quintals.

Mr. McQuillan, formerly connected with the Cincinnati Press, died yesterday.

General G. W. Lawrence has been well received as United States Minister to Costa Rica.

The coffee crop of Guatemala is about the same as last year, and that of Coclé will be greater.

The Executive mansion has been thoroughly renovated at a cost of \$40,000. The new carpets and curtains were especially imported from England.

The President has appointed George Bancroft the historian, Collector of Boston vice General Couch, not confirmed. The appointment has occasioned some surprise.

The appendix of the State Department report for 1895 makes a printed volume of about 725 pages, and consists of a fire of matters relating to the assassination of Mr. Lincoln.

The Senate confirmed Daniel L. Collier, of Philadelphia, and Isaac A. Verplank of Buffalo, to examine into the claims of Massachusetts for money expended during the war for coast defense.

Gen. Crook is chastising the Idaho Indians with effect. On the 21st of February, in a running fight with them, he killed 49 and captured 27. The capture of Indians is very unpopular on the plains.

The House Committee on Commerce agreed to report against allowing a petition for the registration of some sixty foreign built vessels, and also against increasing the pay of Inspectors of Customs.

The Costa Rican government has concluded a contract with John O. Freeman, James W. Nye and others, for the construction of a railroad from Limon Bay, on the Atlantic, to Caedra, on the Pacific.

A communication from the Secretary of War gives details of the enormous expense of the supplies delivered in the Rocky mountain region. Hay costs from \$9 to \$10 per ton, corn 8 to 10 cents per pound, &c.

The revolution in Nicaragua has been suppressed. The epidemic on the transit route is disappearing, though it is reported that 100 United States troops died of the disease which made its appearance in Granada.

A body of priests of the order of San Francisco, who emigrated to Costa Rica in November, have been expelled from the country by the unanimous voice of the people, who raised \$5,000 to pay their expenses out of the country.

"Bud" Whitesides, who murdered the Cincinnati Smith, on Jeffersonville ferry boat last December, has been convicted at Louisville, of manslaughter, and sentenced to the Penitentiary for eight years. Smith was formerly a clerk in Pittsburgh.

The large pork house of D. Pingar & Co., in St. Joseph, Mo., with all its contents, was destroyed by fire Saturday morning. The most destroyed was valued at \$65,000. The aggregate of the insurance amounts to \$1,000. The fire is believed to be the work of an incendiary.

Commodore Charles Stewart has been seventy years in the American navy, having entered in 1797, and he is still in the full possession of his mental faculties. This fact is mentioned as an exception to the rule, that age is not at all ways a disqualification for public services.

Charles F. Jenkins Esq., a well known and much respected citizen of Montgomery county, died on Tuesday, at his residence at Gwynedd, at the ripe age of seventy-four. Mr. J. was engaged in business in Philadelphia, during the period from 1815 to 1830, and was well known among the Second street merchants of that day.

A Chicago paper says: "As regards Mollie Trussell's conduct since her pardon, we are assured that it has been most proper. She determined before her release to forsake all her former associates, abandon entirely her former mode of life, and retire to the seclusion of a convent, and she adheres to her determination."

Since the last month's statement the Federal debt has increased more than four million dollars. This is due to the reckless expenditures of the Romp Congress, and the revolutionary course of the Radical leaders, by whom the country is agitated and kept constantly upon the verge of a panic. The people of the South feel no security. They can have no hope from the dominant party except in the surrender of all the rights which make life endurable. They have no assurance that they will be allowed to enjoy what they raise from the soil or produce by their labor or skill. They cannot contribute revenue to the Government when they are fettered, and lashed and outlawed. In the North the Radical threats of and movements towards impeachment, coupled with open assaults upon the Constitution, the executive and Supreme Court, have put a check to industrial pursuits, whilst the commercial people stand listlessly awaiting the settlement of conflicting interests on the tariff question. In a word, the great business of the country stands idle, whilst the fanatics and politicians—the ghosts of the body politic—batten upon the vitals of the nation.

The young and accomplished daughter of Lord St. Vincent, recently met with a fatal accident on a pond in Godmersham Park, England. She slipped and fell, her head coming violently in contact with the ice, fracturing her skull and producing death in a few hours. The young lady was aged thirteen years. The many accidents this winter on the ice, in England, makes the year a memorable one. The appalling calamity of Regent's Park will not soon be forgotten. The sports on the ice are exciting and pleasant, but not free from danger.

The Northern (North) Carolina Journal of Commerce says: "A large portion of this section of the State is at the mercy of organized gangs of armed negroes, who will not work, and are determined to live on the toil of others," and also, that the "freed negroes of eastern North Carolina appear to have become brigands—bandits—as they did in San Domingo, and have done in others of the West India Islands." That paper adds that some repressive measures must be adopted by either the State or the Government, as there is no security for life or property.

Fractional currency received by the Treasury Department during the past week, \$578,100; shipments, \$225,335 of which \$10,000 was sent to the Assistant Treasurer of New York, and the balance to National Banks and others. Disbursements for the week: \$3,603,933 for War Department; \$340,743 for the Navy Department; \$340,672 for the Interior Department.

Mrs. Lydia Demoret, an old lady in her ninety-fourth year, the widow of Nicholas Demoret, one of the first settlers of Cincinnati, died in Butler county, on Sunday last. She had always enjoyed good health until a few days before her death. A correspondent of the Commercial says that her husband cleared and owned some land near where the Court House stands in Cincinnati, about the year 1800.

Poor Lamarche is again in trouble. Upon his recent return to Paris from his country seat, the stoves were lighted in his mansion, and they set fire to papers in his study. These papers were letters containing postoffice money orders, which were lying in baskets until his return, as he wished to open them himself. They had been accumulating for three weeks, and it is reckoned they contained some eight thousand dollars.

Charles Sumner, according to rumor, is to retire from political life at the close of his present Senatorial term, in 1863, and will spend a number of years in Europe. Governors Andrew and Bullock are named as candidates for the successor and John B. Alley, the present Congressman, it is said, will probably be the next nominee of the Republicans for Governor of Massachusetts.

The telegraph has announced the death of Louis A. Benoist, of St. Louis. He was the descendant of one of the old French families that first settled St. Louis, and has left an estate valued at half a million. Most of his property was made by success in banking. He died at Havana on January 15th, at the age of sixty-four years.

Isaac Rosenthal, who was recently fined for attempting to blow up his store in St. Joseph with gunpowder, has commenced suit against John Demond, the owner of the building, for \$20,000 damages, alleging that Demond arranged the whole plan to compel him (Rosenthal) to vacate the premises.

A communication states on the authority of General Grant, that no such order as is reported to have been issued by General Sherman for the protection of over land trains, has been received at headquarters. A copy of the Senate resolution relative thereto, has been referred to Gen. Sherman for a report.

A report to the Freedman's Bureau from the Assistant Superintendent, of Fairfax Va., dat'd Vienna, Va., 24 inst., states that fair contracts for the ensuing year have been pretty generally effected. There is now very little surplus labor in the country. A growing disposition to cultivate land upon shares is manifested.

Nat'o Bank currency to the amount of \$267,750 was issued during the week, making the total sum to date, less amount reduced, \$298,776,254. The disbursements accounts to the several named departments during the week were as follows: War Department, \$2,623,933; Navy Department, \$110,743; Interior Department, \$310,672;

The ship Dashong, owned by Boston, Capt. Carlton, from San Francisco, Nov. 1, struck on shoals near Barnegat on the night of the 8th, and came off soon after leaking badly, and was subsequently towed to the south west 'Spit, where, the leak gaining rapidly, she sank at 7 o'clock yesterday morning in five fathoms. The officers and crew have arrived in New York.

Advices from Madrid report three editors condemned to imprisonment at hard labor.

It is positively announced that all French troops will leave Mexico by the 25th of February.

Baron Ricasoli is about to introduce in the Italian Parliament a bill in regard to the property of the church.

It is confidently expected in Antwerp that the Belgian legion now serving under Maximilian will soon return home.

Key Advertisements.
Dissolution of Partnership.—The partnership heretofore existing between George P. Hintenach and George Imhoff, under the title of HINTENACH & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The accounts of the late firm will be settled by G. P. HINTENACH, who will continue business at the same place. G. P. HINTENACH, GEORGE IMHOFF. Feb. 12, 87.

THE AMERICAN COIN-MELTING MACHINE! THE GREATEST and most successful invention of the Age! Every prudent farmer should have one. Secure your own territory. Apply early at the office. EXCHANGE BUILDING, Harrisburg, Pa. Feb. 14, 87.

INTENSE EXCITEMENT! CLOTHING! CLOTHING! CLOTHING for the Million!

A Well Dressed Man BUYS HIS CLOTHING AT THE STORE OF GEO. P. HINTENACH, IN ST. MARY'S.

THE BEST IS ALWAYS THE CHEAPEST.

G. P. HINTENACH having taken entire control of the establishment formerly occupied by G. P. Hintenach & Co., would respectfully inform the citizens of Elk county that he is prepared to furnish them with the

Best Kind of Clothing at rates which defy competition. He has on hand a large assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, consisting of PANTS, VESTS & COATS, which he has lately purchased in the East, and which he will dispose of at a slight advance on cost.

His Gentlemen's Furnishing Apartment is specially adapted to the wants of his customer. He has also a large and extensive stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS of the latest style and pattern, which he will make to order in a neat and durable manner, and as CHEAP as it can be done any place in the country.

GIVE HIM A CALL. Satisfaction guaranteed, and goods warranted. All he asks is a FAIR TRIAL to prove it. St. Mary's Pa., Feb. 14, 1867.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE RAILROAD.—This great line traverses the Northern and Northwest counties of Pennsylvania to the city of Erie, on Lake Erie.

It has been leased by the Pennsylvania Rail Road Company, and is operated by them.

Its entire length was opened for passenger and freight business, October 17th, 1864.

TIME OF PASSENGER TRAINS AT RIDGWAY. Leave Eastward.

Erie Mail Train 8 47 p. m. Erie Express Train 11 05 p. m. Leave Westward.

Erie Mail Train 1 24 p. m. Erie Express Train 3 50 a. m.

Passenger cars run through without change both ways between Philadelphia and Erie.

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EXPRESS SLEEPING CARS on Express Trains both ways between Williamsport and Baltimore, and Williamsport and Philadelphia.

For information respecting Passenger business apply at the S. E. corner 30th and Market Sts., Philadelphia.

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H. H. HOUSTON, Gen'l. Freight Ag't. Phil'a. H. W. GWINNER, Gen'l. Ticket Ag't. Phil'a. ALFRED L. TYLER, General Supt. Erie.

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N. B.—Any work, either American or European, Religious, Scientific, Philosophical, Historical, &c., will be procured on application as above. Any article in the Book or Stationery line not in Store, will be sent for by mail and be received in a few days after ordering. [Jan. 14-15]

PHOTOGRAPHS.

E. & H. T. ANTHONY & CO., Manufacturers of Zoographic Materials, Water-colors, &c., 50, BROADWAY, N. Y.

In addition to our main business of PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIALS we are Headquarters to the following, viz: STEREOSCOPES & STEREOGRAPHIC VIEWS OF A American and Foreign Cities and Landscapes, Groups, Statues, &c.

STEREOSCOPIC VIEWS OF THE WAR. From negatives made in the various campaigns and forming a complete photographic history of the great contest.

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PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS. We manufacture more largely than any other house, about 250,000 copies from 50 cents to \$50 each. Our ALBUMS have the reputation of being superior in beauty and durability to any others.

Our Catalogue embraces over FIVE THOUSAND different subjects, including reproductions of the most celebrated Engravings, Paintings, Statues, &c. Catalogues sent on receipt of stamp.

Photographers and others ordering goods, C. O. D., will please remit 25 per cent of the amount with their order.

NOTE—The prices and quality of our goods cannot fail to satisfy. [June 17th-1871]

LARGE CAPACITY, GREAT STRENGTH and unequalled speed, simplicity and completeness of operation, are qualities peculiar to the Nonpareil Washing Machine.

It is a squeezing machine constructed on strictly mechanical principles, and the experience derived from five years' extensive use in families, hotels and public institutions proves it to be of lasting value to the purchaser.

The manner of operating the Nonpareil, by rotary motion using one crank shaft with balance wheel, which moves the plungers alternately, is the simplest, least laborious and most successful that can be devised for the purpose, and accomplishes the work with the greatest rapidity and the least possible labor.

The great speed with which this machine performs work will be understood from the statement that it is geared to give six strokes of the plungers for one turn of the handle, or, when worked leisurely, about four hundred strokes a minute—Safety to the fabric washed is insured by the entire absence of rubbing.

A girl or boy of fifteen can work the machine, and do a week's washing for a family of six or eight persons in two to three hours' time; and it may be relied on to clean the clothing thoroughly, without assistance from hand rubbing.

Send for free Descriptive Circular and terms to dealers, to whom exclusive right of sale is secured.

OAKLEY & KEATING, 184, Water St., N. Y. July 26, 1867

J. GURNEY & SON, PHOTOGRAPHIC ARTISTS, 707, BROADWAY, N. Y.

In addition to our Photographic Art Gallery, established in 1849, we have for the last five years had advantages superior to any other establishment in obtaining sittings from life, of all the prominent celebrities of the day in Card portraits, and are now publishing a Catalogue of over

2500 SUBJECTS, American and Foreign, also a large list of copies of Works of Art and Engravings. Catalogues sent on receipt of Stamp. An order for one dozen pictures from our Catalogue will be filled at \$1.80, and sent by mail free. Single pictures 25 cents each, copies of engravings 15 cents each.

N. B. We also desire to call attention to the advantages we have for reproducing, or copying, old Daguerrotypes, Ambrotypes, and Pictures, &c., of deceased relatives and friends, enlarging them to any size, and finishing in Oil Water Colors, or India Ink, with the aid of ten talented artists.

Parties desiring copies, should therefore correspond with us direct. Send for a catalogue. The trade supplied at a liberal discount. Gallery open for free inspection, and strangers visiting the city will find our Gallery one of the most agreeable places where, in to while away an hour.

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THE PUBLIC are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock and prices! Whether they wish to buy or not, for we claim to have one of the most complete stocks and the finest STORE in the county and can sell for less profit, than any other house in the county.

WEIS BROTHERS St. Mary's, March 10th '66.