Elk Lodge, A. Y. M. Stated meetings of Elk Lodge will be held Tuesday evening, on or before the full

moon of each month, once every two weeks thereafter. J. K. WHITMORE, Sec'y. Grace Church-Protestant Episcopal.

REV. C. E. BUTLER, Rector. Services will be held in the above church every alternate Sunday-morning and evening.

Methodist Episcopal. REV. F. VERNON, Pastor. Morning Service, in the Court House, every alternate

-Out of season-lee cream.

-In season-Oysters. -Messenger, our Postmaster, requests us to say to those having letters to mail, east or west, must have them in the office by half past two o'clock, P

M., otherwise they will lie over until the -FATAL ACCIDENT .- Last Thurs-

day, while Michael McGuane was going from this place to Shawmut, he was ran over by a coal train on the Shawmut R. R., and instantly killed. Deceased was a plain and hard honest, working man, and had the respect of his employers and those with whom he was employed. He leaves a wife and family.

-During the Radical meeting last Saturday, we noticed a Democrat from Fox with that delegation. On asking him why it was, he said, "Well, you see, I hired these Radicals my horse to hitch in one of their teams, and knowing that the party are not too honest, thought I would come along and watch my horse, for fear --- you know."

-We are informed that it was not the fault of the Fox township delegation that they were unaccompanied by music. They had went so far as to send to the Five Points, [we don't mean the Five Points of Buffalo or of New York, by. any means,] with a four horse team. But alas and alack, no band was there ! Nothing but the whistle of the breezes through the branches of the trees, that came anything near music, was there to welcome the men and team who had come from Cantreville for music. Nary a band was there, and the wagon drove off, and came to Ridgway, disheartened,

and dispirited. -Last Saturday came, and with it the Radical mass meeting which the Union League and G. A. R. have had in contemplation for a month past. The delegations from abroad commenced aling into town during the afternoon, and were as follows : Thirteen men from St. Mary's; seven from Wilcox, and thirty eight men in six wagons from Fox township, this county, and Huston township, Clearfield county. This latter delega. tion arrived about 1 o'clock, and they along with the Ridgway and St. Mary's "Boys in Blue," (?) formed a procession, to receive the enormous delegation from Wilcox. Arriving at the depot, the captain, thinking they were in reality, all [like himself], " Boys in Blue," commanded " halt," which was obeyed, for they were tired. But when he commanded "Bout face," the evolution was obeyed by about ten, the balance not knowing how-thus showing to the assembled mullitude, that the name of "Boys in Blue," so far as they were concerned was misapplied. The delegation from Wilcox, consisting of seven men, accompanied by the Warren Band, making seven more, five of whom are Democrats, then arrived, and marched back to Ridgway. We understand that no meeting was held in the afternoon, as was intended. Scofield, Souther and another gentleman named Belford, spoke in the evening, to which meeting the Cops had gathered in respectable num. bers, expecting to hear truth and wisdom. But in this they were disappointed. Scofield, during his speech, would occasionally attempt to contradict some of the charges made against him, but about the time he should have come to the point, would launch forth into some stale humorous story, and the Radicalwould laugh. The other speakers harp. ed the same tune. After the speaking, three cheers were proposed for the Radical candidates, which were faintly given, when a young Democrat, whose enthusiasm got the better of his judgment, " How's the news!" Selah!

COUNTY MASS MEETING

MARY'S ON FRIDAY, OCT, 7TH.

Hon. C. H. SHREINER and HON. JULIUS KORN WILL AD-DRESS THE MEETING.

THE ST. MARY'S BRASS BAND WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE.

Mr. Shreiner will speak in the Enlish and Mr. Korn in the German language. Let there be a full turn out.

-St. Mary's is to have a lock-up. - Fashionable follies - Planchette

and the " Grecian bender." -Spirited-the Radical meeting. At least we thought so from the amount of " Benzine " consumed.

-Don't forget to get assessel. If you are not now, go and have it done as soon as you read this. It will then be

-Grant & Colfax will come about as near getting elected as the Fox delegation came to getting the Shawmut

-Senator Doolittle, of Wisconsin, passed through here on Monday morn. ing last to fill an appointment he had made to speak at Williamsport.

-The Democratic meeting at Warren on Saturday last was the largest political meeting ever held in that county. Over 5000 people being present.

-There will be a meeting held at Wilcox on to morrow, Thursday evening. John G. Hall and Judge Messenger will address it, we hope there will be a good turn out.

-The Warren Band treated several of our citizens to a serenade after the Radical fizzle had subsided on Saturday evening last. Those who heard it, say that it was excellent.

-We have printed the tickets for the State election, and as yet no one has taken them away from our office. This matter should be attended to immedi-

-Don't forget the Democratic meetug at St. Mary's on Friday evening next. The speakers are said to be excellent. Let every votes who possibly can do so, be present.

-Gould, of the Cameron Press, in his last paper, says "The news is cheering." This is about as good grammar as the G. A. R. use in their password, thus, " How's the news."

-Hon. J. K. HORNISH has been ad. dressing several meetings in this county since our last issue. He is a forcible and eloquent speaker, and exposes Scofields villanies in a very convincing man-

-We have received the first number of the Elk County Railroad and Mining Gazetta, lately started at St. Mary's. Its management is under the control of Mr. E. F. Hodges. The ty. pographical appearance is very creditable. Its politics are Democratic.

-" Esto Perpetua."-The regular meetings of the Union Democracy of Ridgway will be held at their room every Monday evening. Punctual at. tendance of each and every member is requested. By order of

I. M., V. C.

-It would be impossible for us to give the proceedings of all the Democratic meetings held in the county. Suffice it to say that the"leaven is working" admirably, and if the Democrats do their duty, in every county as they do in Elk, no fears need be entertained for the success of the Democratic ticket.

-We have on file a lengthy communication from a former citizen of Elk now residing at Coloma, Missouri, which we will give our readers soon after the October election. It will not spoil, and its insertion now would crowd out our political matter which is more impor-

-ADJOURNED COURT .- Owing to the absence of Judge Schultze last Wed. nesday, the court was adjourned over nntil WEDNESDAY, the 7th of October. Persons desiring to be natural. proposed three cheers for Seymour and | ized should be here on that day. They Blair, which was responded to with a should also have themselves assessed on will. In the language of the G. A. R., or before the 3d of October, as that is the last day on which it can be done.

TION.—Pursuant to an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act relating to the elections of the Commonwealth," approved the 2d day of July, A. D., 1839, I. JAMES A. MALONE, High Sheriff of the county of Elk, State of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of said county, that a General Elelectors of said county, that a General Election will be held in Elk county on the SECOND TUESDAY, being the THIR-TEENTH day of Jetober, 1868, at which time the following officers are to be elected: One person for Surveyor General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania;

One person for Auditor General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; One person for Congress, to represent the

counties of Cameron, Clearfield, Elk, Erie, Forest, Jefferson, M'Kean and One person for State Senate, to represent the counties of Cameron, Clarion, Clear-

field, Elk and Forest; One person for Assembly, to represent the counties of Clearfield, Elk and Forest; One person for Sheriff of Elk county; One person for County Commissioner of

Elk county; One person for County Auditor of Elk

county;
And the qualified electors of the county of Elk will hold their elections in the several districts, as follows: Benezeste township, at the house of Eliza-

beth Winslow: Benzinger township, at the schoolhouse en Michael street, near the Elk creek bridge : Fox township, at the Centreville school-

Highland township, at the house of Levi Ellithorpe : Horton township, at the schoolhouse near

Hezekiah Horton's; Ridgway township, at the Court House; St. Mary's Borough, at the house of Chas. Spring Creek township, at the house of Stockdale, Downer & Company ; Jay township at the house of Alfred

Jones township, at the school house in Wilcox. I also make known and give notice, as in and by the thirteenth section of the afore-said act, I am directed, "that every person, excepting Justices of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment to profit or trust under the Government of the United States or of this State, or any city or in-corporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinote officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the legislative, judiciary, or executive department of this State, or United States, or any city or incorporated district : and also, that every member of Congress or State Legislature, and the select or common council of any city, commissioners of any incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time, the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector, or Clerk, of any election of this Com-monwealth, and that no Inspector or Judge, or oth r officer of any such election shall be eligible to any office then to be voted for. ALSO, That in the fourth section of the

Act of Assembly entitled "an Act relating to elections, and for other purposes," ap-proved April 16th, 1849, it is enacted that the the thirteenth section "shall not be construed as to prevent any militia officer or borough officor from serving as Judge, Inspector or Clerk, at any general or spec. ial election in this Commo nwealth."

ALSO, That in the 61st section of said Act it is enacted that " every general and special election shall be opened between the hours of eight and ten in the forencon, and shall continue without interruption or adjournment, until seven o'clock in the even-ing, when the polls shall be closed."

The general, special, city, incorporated districts and township elections, and all el-ections, for electors of President and Vice President of the United States, shall be held and conducted by the Inspectors and Sudges elected as aforesaid, and by clerks appointed as hereinafter provided.

No person shall be permitted to vote at any election, as aforesaid, but a white free man of the oge of twenty-one years or more, who shall have resided in this State at least one year, and in the election district where he offers to vote, at least ten days immediately preceding such election, and within two years paid a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least ten days before the election. But a citizen of the United States who has previously been a qualified voter of this State and removed therefrom, and returned, and who shall have resided in the election district and paid taxes as aforesaid, shall be entitled to vote after residing in this State six months. Provided, That the white freemen, citizens of the United States, are between the ages of twenty-one and twenty-two years, and shall have resided in the election district ten days as aforesaid, shall

not have paid taxes. Pursuant to the provisions contained in the 4th section of the Act aforesaid, the Judges of the aforesaid districts shall respectively take charge of the certificates or return of elections of their respective districts, and produce them at a meeting of one Judge from each district, at the Court House in Ridgway on the third day after ter the election, being for the present year on Friday, the 16th day of October next, thon and there to perform the duties required by law of said Judges; also, where a Judge by sickness or unavoidable accident, is unable to attend said meeting of Judges, then the certificate or return aforesaid shall be taken in charge by one of the Inspectors or Clerks of the election of said flistrict, who shall do and perform the du-

ties required of said Judge, unable to attend. AN ACT regulating the mode of voting at all elections, in the several counties of this Commonwealth,
SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate

and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General As-sembly met, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, That the qualified voters of the several counties of this Common-wealth, at all general, township, berough and special elections, are hereby hereafter, authorized and required to vote, by tickets, printed or written, severally classified, as follows: One ticket shall embrace the names of all Stata officers voted for, and to be labelled outside, "JUDICIARY;" one ticket shall embrace the names of all State officers voted for, and shall be labelled, "STATE;" one ticket shall embrace the dames of all county officers to be voted for, dames of all county efficers to be voted for, including office of Senator, member and members of Assembly, if voted for, and be labelled, "County;" one ticket shall embrace the names of all township officers to be voted for, and labelled, "TOWNSHIP;" one ticket shall embrace the names of all township officers to be voted for, and labelled, "TOWNSHIP;" one ticket shall embrace the names of all township officers with find it to their interest to give me a labelled officers voted for, and labelled officers with find it to their interest to give me a borough officers voted for, and be labelled, call.

BOROUGH: " and each class shall be deposited in separate ballot boxes GIVEN under my hand and send at my office in Ridgway this FIRST day of SEPTEM BER, in the year of our Lord, One Thous and Eight Hundred and Sixty-Eight.

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FRED. SCHENING, HORACE LITTLE, at Ridgway, or L. VCLLMER, St. Mary's.

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JOHN KRUG. Benezette, Aug. 30th, 1868-3t.

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