Evening Telegraph

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1864.

JOTTINGS FROM "PUNCH."

NEW NIGGER SONG, UNPOPULAR WITH SCHOOL BOYS.—"The happy land of *Canaan*."

SPORTING FASHION.—*Dangerous Style of Tie for a Fox-Hunter.*—A fall for the Neck.

WHAT is the most sensational periodical of the day? The powder magazine.

ACADEMICAL.

Is the Master of Caius, Cambridge, of necessity a married man? Whether this is the case or no, the Mistress of Keys (Caius) should hold in perpetuity the venerable title of Mother Bunch.

COMPARISONS ARE ODIOUS.

Sir Henry Storks is appointed to Malta. This will give an opportunity for contrasting the rule of King Storks there with King Log in the Ionian Islands.

QUESTION FOR IRISHMEN.

Pat, what's the best way of traveling?
Troth, sure, an' isn't it the "rale way (*railway*)"

THREE RAILWAY GAUGES—Trains are made for the Broad Gauge, the Narrow Gauge, and the Lug-gage.

QUESTION FOR AGRICULTURISTS.

What vegetable *only* petitions not to be eaten?
Why, of course, the Lettuce alone (*let us alone*).

QUESTION AND ANSWER.

(*Translated from A Nassau Song.*)

What color, sir, should be a horse
That your's, and yours alone?
D'ye give it up? Why, sir, of course,
That horse must be *your roan.*

VERY NATIONAL SYMPATHY.

The efforts made by the German Legal Protection Society on behalf of their countryman, Muller, show how the Germans all hang together. Their treatment of Denmark had shown that they should.

PRETTY INNOCENT.

Miss Muff.—"Please, sir, I want to be married."
Registrar.—"Quite right. What's his name?"
Miss Muff.—"Please, sir, I don't know. I thought yours was like every other Registry Office; I put my name on your books, and you find somebody who wants me."
[The Registrar immediately left town, and has not been seen since.]

A SNIP'S SENSATIONAL ADVERTISEMENT.

(*In the latest style.*)

"Clothes! Clothes! Clothes! Clothes!"
"Who's there but knows,"
"For soldiers, gents, and sailors."
"That none, you see,"
"Make togs like me;"
"The others are failers!"

NOTE.—We've had Sensation *Headers*, we
Have now Sensation *Tailors.*

THE FUSIBILITY OF THE PEOPLES.

"In the debate on the Convention in the Italian Parliament, General Lamarmora said that the fusion of the Italians is a fact throughout the army. It may be asked if the fusion of the Italians is a fact throughout the marines. It may also be asked whether, if the fusion of the Italians throughout the army is a fact, the inexorable logic of facts does not compel us to believe the possibility of the liquefaction of the blood of St. Januarius at Naples. The fusion of the Italians, if a fact, is an extraordinary fact to have been accomplished at this time of year; might have been expected to take place, if at all, in the summer. Now, however, suppose the Italians are fused, a question which may be asked is, 'Will Italy run into Greece?'"

FOR PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS.

Mr. Punch has seen, with a sensation which he can hardly describe, a most contemptible card of verses intended as a preface to Photograph Albums. The composition is fearfully snobbish. It contains the word "Phiz," which is never used in decent society except when reference is made to the distinguished artist who, in mockery of Snobs, selected the name. And it has also the word "Quiz," which is never used except at Islington and in the back streets of the City Road. That no person may have an excuse for using, for a moment, the vulgar affair in question, he subjoins some verses in the same metre, but of a different kind, and he presents the copyright to the Collectors of Photographs:—

Yes, here is my album,
And my affidavit:
If you beg for one picture,
I'm blessed if you'll have it.
And don't offer your own,
But just take it for granted,
That if not in the book,
It's because you're not wanted.

THE WONDERS OF MODERN TRAVEL.

TO THE STATION.

Wonder if my watch is right, or slow, or fast.
Wonder if that church clock is right.
Wonder if the cabman will take eighteen pence from my house to the Station.

THE STATION.

Wonder if the porter understood what I said to him about the luggage.
Wonder if I shall see him again.
Wonder if I shall know him when I *do* see him again.
Wonder if I gave my writing-case to the porter, or left it in the cab.
Wonder where I take my ticket.
Wonder in which pocket I put my gold.
Wonder where I got that bad half-crown which the clerk won't take.
Wonder if that 's another that I've just put down.
Wonder where the porter is who took my luggage.
Wonder where my luggage is.
Wonder again whether I gave my writing-case to the porter, or left it in the cab.
Wonder which is my train.
Wonder if the guard knows anything about that porter with the writing-case.
Wonder if It *will* be "all right" as the guard says it will be.
Wonder if my luggage, being now labelled, will be put into the proper van.
Wonder if I've got time to get a sandwich and a glass of sherry.
Wonder if they've got the *Times* of the day before yesterday, which I haven't seen.
Wonder if *Punch* of this week is out yet.
Wonder why they don't keep nice sandwiches and sherry.
Wonder if there's time for a cup of coffee instead.
Wonder if that's our bell for starting.
Wonder which is the carriage where I left my rug and umbrella, so as to know it again.
Wonder where the guard is to whom I gave a shilling to keep a carriage for me.
Wonder why he didn't keep it; by "it," I mean the carriage.
Wonder where they've put my luggage.

THE JOURNEY.

Wonder if my change is all right.
Wonder for the second time in which pocket I put my gold.
Wonder if I gave the cabman a sovereign for a shilling.
Wonder if that was the reason why he grumbled less than usual, and drove off rapidly.
Wonder if any one objects to smoking.
Wonder that nobody does.
Wonder where I put my lights.
Wonder whether I put them in my writing-case.
Wonder for the third time whether I gave my writing-case to the porter, or left it in the cab.
Wonder if anybody in the carriage has got any lights.
Wonder that nobody has.
Wonder when we can get some.
Wonder if there's anything in the paper.
Wonder why they don't cut it.
Wonder if I put my knife in my writing-case.
Wonder for the fourth time whether I gave, etc.
Wonder if I can cut the paper with my ticket.
Wonder where I put my ticket.
Wonder where I could have put my ticket.
Wonder where the deuce I put my ticket.

PROSPECTUS

OF THE

M'CLINTOCK RESERVE OIL COMPANY.

CAPITAL STOCK, $1,000,000.

100,000 SHARES. - - - - - $10 EACH

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE, $5 PER SHARE.

PRESIDENT,
JAMES McMILLAN.

SECRETARY AND TREASURER,
J. D. REINBOTH.

No. 436 WALNUT STREET.

The property of this Company is all in Venango county, and is believed to be as good oil territory as any in the county:—

No. 1. One-fourth royalty interest in three acres and hundred and five perches of land, being the McClintock Reserve, situated at the junction of Oil Creek with Cherry Run. The leases (20 years) are held by energetic and responsible men. There is a flowing well struck about the 20th of October, and is now yielding 140 barrels per day, with a good prospect of a large increase. There is also a pumping well, yielding over 80 barrels. Increasing daily, and it is confidently expected will become a large flowing well. Three other wells are nearly completed, one 28 feet deep, in the third sand rock; one 450 feet deep; one 521 feet deep, just through the hard sand rock, and ready for the engine, which is on the ground, and another just commenced, in all of which oil has already been found, and will be, it is supposed, in a few weeks, largely productive, making six wells completed and in active process of completion. On this territory there is room for twelve or sixteen wells, and, from the character of the lessees, will be developed rapidly.

No. 2. One half acre of ground in the centre of the above tract, reserved originally by the owner as his residence, and on which it stands. This is a fee simple, but subject to one-fourth of the oil produced from it. The best judges pronounce this half acre to be as good oil territory as any on the creek, and which the Company expect to develop as rapidly as possible for the benefit of the stockholders.

No. 3. One-third working interest in three and one-half acres on Oil Creek, situated further up, adjoining the widow McClintock's farm, and as favorably located as Nos. 1 and 2. On this property there is a new well, producing 30 barrels of oil daily, and increasing. Another well in progress of boring, and progressing satisfactorily. This property is susceptible of greater development, and promises to be largely productive.

No. 4. Two hundred and ten acres of land in fee simple on Pithole Creek, three miles from the Allegheny River, and surrounded with wells, already developed and successful. A large portion of this farm is believed to be good oil territory.

No. 5. A valuable tract on Stuart's Run, containing about thirty acres. This is regarded as one of the most desirable regions outside of Oil Creek and Cherry Run. Several companies have commenced operations with highly favorable prospects.

No. 6. A valuable tract on and near Tubs Run, which empties into the Allegheny River, on the east side, about one mile above Tionesta Village. Several ravines pass through this property, and there is considerable of good timber on it. No reason why it should not prove to be good oil territory.

No. 7. A valuable tract on Tionesta creek, just above Lacey's Mills, on the left-hand side of the creek, containing about fifty acres, with as many rods on the creek. Indications for oil very favorable.

No. 8. A valuable tract on Tionesta creek, just above the last described, containing about fifty acres, and about fifty rods front on the creek.

No. 9. A tract of territory on and adjoining a run which empties into Hemlock creek, about five miles from President, and near to the property of the President Petroleum Company. It contains about two hundred acres, part well timbered, the balance believed to be good oil territory.

No. 10. A valuable tract on and near Pithole Run, about one mile from the Allegheny river, and nearly opposite the celebrated Pithole Creek, which is now regarded with much favor. This property contains about twenty-five acres, part well timbered, and there are good reasons for believing they will prove good oil territory.

Immediately on going into operation this company will be in the receipt of say 60 barrels of oil per day, which at $10 (it is now selling at $12), will be a daily income $600, or $180,000 per annum, enabling the company make dividends of not less than three per cent. per month on the investment from the beginning, with a good prospect of a large increase.

It is believed that no oil company has been formed with more certain prospects of success. Only a limited portion of the stock is offered at $5, as the corporators confidently believe that in a very short time the stock will be worth much more than par.

As the company relies mainly on the first described property for their present income, the following report, made by a committee of gentlemen appointed to make the examination, is submitted:—

The undersigned committee, appointed to examine the property of the McClintock Reserve Oil Company, respectfully report:—

That they have thoroughly examined the John McClintock Reserve, situated at the junction of Oil Creek and Cherry Run. The property is located on a beautiful bluff, admirably adapted to boring. There are six wells finished and in progress. One well, which had been yielding about forty barrels daily, had suddenly increased to one hundred and forty barrels, and was flowing at about this rate on our visit. Another well, represented as yielding seventy-five barrels, was pumping at the rate of eighty to ninety barrels, and the intelligent superintendent and lessees was sanguine in the expectation that in a short time it would become a flowing well, and give a much larger yield. These two wells are but a few weeks old, and have every indication of becoming very large wells.

Three other wells are in process of boring, and will be finished on or before the first of January; and from the indications, we believe they will all be largely productive. One other well was just commenced, and will be pushed rapidly to completion.

The whole of the property, except the half acre on which the homestead stands, has been leased, and is in the hands of experienced and energetic men, who will spare no pains or expense to develop the property in the best manner, and in the shortest possible time.

The derricks, houses, engines, tools, etc., are all new, and the best of their kind, and in excellent order, giving evidence of the careful supervision of the owners of the leases.

We have no doubt that the Company's interest—one-fourth royalty—now about fifty-five barrels per day, which at $10 is $550, will be greatly increased by the first of January next; and as the land will admit of twenty wells being bored upon it, a good idea may be formed of the immense yield which will result when all are finished. The homestead occupies half an acre—from which the Company will receive three-fourths of the oil if they work it, and which your committee strongly recommends; it would not be surprising if this interest alone should, before the expiration of a year, realize an income of several hundred barrels per day.

The entire property consists of a little over four acres, with a superior dwelling and good barn upon it. From its proximity to Cherry Run, and its peculiar location, together with the fact that the property had not been found to be affected by other wells in the immediate neighborhood, we are led to the conviction that it is one of the most desirable properties on Oil Creek.

Yours respectfully,

J. D. REINBOTH. No. 436 Walnut street.
JAMES McMILLAN. No. 606 Sansom street
12-5-mwf6w W. H. RICHARDSON. No. 500 Market St.

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THE

OAK BALL OIL COMPANY,

OF PENNSYLVANIA.

CAPITAL STOCK, $500,000.

$20,000 WORKING CAPITAL.

100,000 Shares. $5 Par Each

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE, $2·50 PER SHARE, FULL PAID.

PRESIDENT,
HECTOR TYNDALE.

TREASURER,
HENRY E. SIMPSON.

DIRECTORS,

HECTOR TYNDALE, J. G. FISHER,
HENRY CARSON, WILLIAM ANSPACH,
WILLIAM M. GREINER, J. C. FRYER,
HENRY E. SIMPSON.

The property of the above Company consists of over 160 (one hundred and sixty) acres of Land in fee simple, situated on the Sugar Camp Branch of Stuart's run, Venango county, Pennsylvania, lying between Oil creek on a line between the Hyde and Egbert, Story, and McElhenny Farms and the Allegheny river, in the heart of the oil regions, nearly two miles on each side of the run, of boring territory, with room for the sinking of hundreds of wells, and is considered by experienced persons in the oil business invaluable as oil-producing territory. There are oil wells in every direction near this property, producing large yields.

The utmost energy is being, and will be, directed to the development of this property to make it productive and remunerative to the stockholders.

The Company own a lease of one and a quarter acres on the Culbertson tract, on the Allegheny river, nearly adjoining continuous pumping wells of forty barrels per day. A well has just been put in operation; is 420 feet deep, from which they are now receiving ten (10) barrels of oil per day, and increasing. It is within a few hundred yards of the celebrated Hussey and McBride and Heydrick wells, and others which have and are producing largely. There is room on this tract for three or four more wells, and on which wells will be sunk without delay. On the main property engine, tools, &c., are being placed, and contracts being made for the sinking of several other wells.

A large portion of the stock having already been subscribed, the books will remain open for a short period for the remaining shares, at the subscription price, $2·50 per share, full paid.

For further information, apply to

J. C. FRYER,

No. 118 CHESNUT STREET.

PHILADELPHIA, December 12, 1864. 12-13-6t

PENNSYLVANIA IMPERIAL OIL COMPANY.

Office, No. 139 S. Fifth Street,

PHILADELPHIA.

CAPITAL, $1,000,000.

200,000 SHARES AT FIVE DOLLARS EACH.

Reserved Capital, $250,000.

PRESIDENT,
ALEXANDER K. McCLURE.

DIRECTORS,

THOMAS A. SCOTT, JOHN M. POMEROY,
D. K. JACKMAN, ELISHA W. DAVIS,
J. C. BOMBERGER, PETER B. SMALL.

SECRETARY,
JAMES M. SELLERS.

TREASURER,
ELISHA W. DAVIS.

This Company has 120 acres of land, in fee, on Allegheny river, immediately opposite Oil City, and adjoining Laytonia, with 120 rods front on the river, and 75 rods front on Lay's Run. Hon. C. P. Ramsdell, Editor of the Oil City "Monitor," and agent for this land, assures the Company that it will sell in lots for $100,000, reserving the Oil right, which is worth $100,000 additional. Immediate revenue will be derived for the Company from the sale of these lots; and the Company have two good engines with complete fixtures, to operate immediately for Oil. The territory in this immediate locality has never failed to produce profitably.

Also, 160 acres, in fee simple, in the celebrated Cherry Run District, immediately adjoining Cherry Run Petroleum Company, whose stock is now worth $30 per share. The Company now have offers, which will be accepted, for sinking wells on lease, without any cost to the corporation, and one-half the proceeds to go to the Company. The Curtin and St. Nicholas Companies are in this immediate locality, and their stock is now commanding a large premium. In addition, the Company has 40 acres, in fee simple, on Cherry Tree Run, which empties into Oil Creek, and is the best-producing section of the Oil territory; and 110 acres, in fee simple, on Walnut Bend, five miles above the mouth of Oil Creek, and not over two miles from the celebrated Reed well, now producing over two hundred barrels per day.

Also, the lease of three tracts of land, two on Oil Creek, each producing over ten barrels per day, and one on Allegheny river, producing ten barrels per day of heavy Oil, worth now twenty-one dollars per barrel. The Company now receives three-fourths of the proceeds of the last named well, and one-half of the other two. Each of these tracts will be developed by the Company by sinking additional wells, and the engines and fixtures are now on hand to do it.

The officers of this Company mean to prosecute the development of these lands most energetically, and they have entire confidence that they will yield very large dividends on the capital stock.

Subscriptions must be made promptly, as more than one-half of the stock is already engaged.

Subscriptions will be received at the Office of the Company. 12-12-6t

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WILLIAM CHAMPLIN,

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Store Fitting and Jobbing of all kinds promptly attended to with despatch. 12-3-1m*

ESTATE OF PATRICK CALLAHAN, DECEASED.—Whereas, Letters of Administration to the Estate of PATRICK CALLAHAN, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said decedent will make payment to, and all persons having claims against the same will present them to

MARTIN CALLAHAN, Administrator,
No. 415 South THIRD Street.

Or to his Attorney,
GEORGE S. DOUGHERTY,
12-12-m-6t No. 547 PRUNE Street.

THE MORGAN OIL COMPANY.

Capital Stock, $300,000.

60,000 SHARES......Par Value $5 Per Share.
Subscription Price, $2 Per Share.

Working Capital, $34,000.

PRESIDENT,
HORACE J. SMITH.

VICE-PRESIDENT,
R. STEWART, M. D.

TREASURER,
HENRY H. WILSON.

CLERK,
B. T. JANNEY.

SUPERINTENDENT,
JASPER COPE WAY.

DIRECTORS.

Horace J. Smith, William L. Maddock,
R. Stewart, M. D., [illegible],
[illegible] Wilson, S. M. Janney,
[illegible], A. Marshall,
Jacob L. [illegible].

Office, 33 and 34 Washington Buildings,
No. 274 S. Third St., Phila.

The property of the MORGAN OIL COMPANY consists of [illegible] acres in fee, all of which is clear of any incumbrance; [illegible] acres are situate in Morgan and [illegible] townships, Morgan county, Ohio, and 140 acres on a tributary of the Clarion river, in Jefferson county, Pa.

Prospectus and Maps at the office of the Company, which will be opened on MONDAY, the 19th inst., for subscriptions to the stock. 12-16-6t

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CLARION RIVER

AND

MAPLE AND SPRING CREEK OIL COMPANY.

Capital Stock, $2,000,000.

TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND SHARES, AT $10 PER SHARE.

Original Subscription $2·50 Per Share for Full Paid up Stock.

WORKING CAPITAL, 100,000 DOLLARS

This Company has secured deed rights and leases to 2300 acres of the best oil territory on the Clarion river, being in the immediate range of the Pennsylvania Oil Region, possessing most favorable geological surface indications, same as on Oil creek, coal elevation similar, and surrounding country abounding in the strongest evidences of an abundant supply of oil. It is believed that this Company has more good boring territory than any other Oil Company now offering its stock in this market at the same cost per share, having over 23 miles length of river, creek, and tributaries.

Their property is as follows, viz.:—

1st. A deed right forever for oil on 800 acres on the property known as the Brandon Tract, in Forest county, on the Clarion river and Maple creek, with a river and creek front of about ten miles. On this property a well was commenced by the former owner in 1859; before reaching the depth of 200 feet oil was obtained with every show for an abundant well, but owing to the low price of oil, and the uncertainty of its usefulness, with the slow and expensive mode of boring then in use, the operation was abandoned. Near this spot this Company has now a derrick erected, engine on the ground, and all preparations ready to commence sinking a well. This tract, by those who have examined it, is said to be unsurpassed in indications for abundant producing wells.

2d. A lease for ninety-nine (99) years for nine-tenths (9-10) of all the oil on a tract of 1500 acres, known as the Messenger Tract, on the Clarion river, about 12 miles above the Brandon Tract. This property has a very extensive river, creek, and tributary front of about 20 miles in length.

On this property the Company has now three engines with all necessary tools and machinery to commence boring without delay. The surface indications and oil springs in this neighborhood warrant the belief that flowing wells will be found at a depth not exceeding 300 feet.

Nearly all the land on the Clarion river, from its mouth to many miles above these tracts, has either been leased or sold to parties or companies in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, and other cities, and developments are now being made with flattering prospects of obtaining large productions of oil from this region.

This Company has reserved the very large sum of $100,000 for working capital, enough to sink from 20 to 25 wells; $15,000 of which has already been expended in engines, tools, and working materials now on the ground; and with the intention of immediately adding 6 more engines and tools to their present stock, they confidently expect in a very short time to have a number of wells in successful operation. This, together with the fact that they have secured the entire product of oil on one tract and nine-tenths on the other, when most companies pay at least a royalty of one-half to land owners, as also the very low rate at which they are offering their stock, being only one-fourth of its par value, should induce those seeking investments to subscribe at once.

The books for subscription will be open on the 15th of December, at their Office, Washington Building, No. 276 S. THIRD Street.

C. P. HAYES,
12-16-6t TREASURER.

FOR SALE—OIL CREEK TERRITORY.—A Free or Royalty Interest on one of the most valuable tracts of OIL LAND, ON OIL CREEK, VENANGO COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. It lies at the junction of

OIL CREEK AND CHERRY RUN,

and covers about 100 acres of ground, upon which are numerous LEASES, with over SIXTY WELLS thereon, either producing, or in progress and nearly finished. The LESSEES are daily beginning other wells, as sites yet unoccupied, as there is room for ONE HUNDRED additional wells.

Those in use are both FLOWING AND PUMPING WELLS, one of which has flowed

1000 BARRELS PER DAY.

The Working Interest of one of the New Wells, sold last week among the operatives themselves at the rate of

$128,000 FOR THE WELL,

and THREE ACRES reserved by the original owner for his residence, sold was at the rate of $100,000

Such an opportunity, it is believed, has not been recently offered, and would make a producing basis of such value as to afford an immense capital.

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NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA PETROLEUM COMPANY.

Card from the Trustees.

No. 52 WILLIAM STREET, NEW YORK, December 15, 1864.

TO THE SUBSCRIBERS TO THE STOCK OF THE NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA PETROLEUM COMPANY.

It is advertised that 50,000 Shares of the Capital Stock of this Company will be reserved as WORKING CAPITAL.

To prevent misconception, the management desire to state that

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN CASH ($100,000),

will be deposited with the Company's Bankers, to be used only in the development of the magnificent property belonging to the Company and for the legitimate contingent expenses.

A large majority of the stock having been taken, the books will soon be closed.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, PRESIDENT.
FOR THE TRUSTEES.

E. C. STEDMAN, SECRETARY.

Subscription Agents in Philadelphia,

CLARKSON & CO.,

12-15-6t No. 121 S. THIRD Street.

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PETROLEUM COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.

CAPITAL, ... $1,000,000.

100,000 SHARES, PAR $10.

$50,000 Cash Working Capital.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE, $3·50.

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President of the Catawissa Railroad Company.

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Of the Hardware firm of Truitt & Co., No. 528 Market St.

TREASURER,
SAMUEL WORK,
Of Work, McCouch & Co., Bankers, No. 36 S. Third street

DIRECTORS,

T. HASKINS DU PUY,
THOMAS D. WATTSON,
E. S. RICHARDS, of Germantown,
WM. D. SHERRERD, Insurance Agent,
GEORGE P. WAY, of late Dry Goods firm of J. T. Way & Co.,
A. W. LEISENRING, Cashier Mauch Chunk Bank,
EDWARD SHIPPEN, Esq.

The property of the Drake Petroleum Company consists of two tracts of land, one of two hundred and fifty-seven acres and one of two hundred and sixty-five acres, making in all five hundred and twelve acres, in fee, on the Caldwell Branch of Oil Creek.

The property has been critically examined by a Committee appointed for that purpose, and the territory pronounced, in their judgment, to be fully equal to that on Oil Creek, along which the largest oil wells ever discovered have been found.

The lands resemble those on Oil creek in every particular, and it is believed, from the large number of oil springs in close proximity, that valuable wells will be opened on both these tracts.

The management have already secured several engines and engaged a competent superintendent, with a view to immediate and energetic development.

A large portion of those tracts is bottom, and admirably adapted for boring.

Several companies are organized on lands immediately adjoining this territory, among which are the Briggs and Crescent Oil Companies of Philadelphia.

In presenting the Drake Petroleum Company to the public, the Directors ask that their scheme should be examined, and subscriptions made to the Stock in full faith as to its present and prospective value

T. HASKINS DU PUY, President.
THOMAS D. WATTSON, Vice-President.
SAMUEL WORK, Treasurer.

Subscriptions will be received at the Banking House of
WORK, McCOUCH & CO.,
12-7-tf No. 36 S. THIRD Street.

THE CLARION RIVER OIL COMPANIES.

OFFICE, No. 341 WALNUT STREET,

(SECOND FLOOR).

WILLIAM P. SCHELL,
PRESIDENT.

J. SIMPSON AFRICA,
11-17-1t* Secretary and Treasurer.

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CAPITAL.................................$300,000.
100,000 SHARES.......................$5 Each.
Subscription Price........................$2.
10,000 Shares Reserved as Working Capital.

Office, No 314 MARKET St, Philadelphia.

No. 1. A well on Oil Creek, now pumping 10 barrels per day, and increasing.

No. 2. A well on Oil Creek, now over 300 feet deep, with large show of oil. Near this is the Corn Planter Well, which is now pumping 300 barrels of oil per day.

No. 3. A well on Oil Creek, 500 feet deep, now ready for tubing, with splendid show of oil; every prospect of producing largely.

No. 4. One fifth interest in a tract of five hundred acres on the Allegheny river; six wells, now pumping fifty barrels of oil per day; three more wells now going down; with near a mile of river front, all good boring territory.

No. 5. A half acre at Tidioute, near the Economite Wells, which are now pumping sixty barrels per day.

No. 6. Six acres in fee in Walnut Bend, on the Allegheny river; immediately surrounding this property are fine producing wells. This tract will be developed rapidly.

Subscriptions are now being received, and a large portion of the stock already taken. The prospectus and all information can be obtained at the Office of the Company, now at No. 314 MARKET Street. 12 12-12t

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DAUPHIN AND COLORADO GOLD MINING COMPANY.

CHARTERED BY STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

CAPITAL STOCK, $1,000,000

200,000 Shares—Par Value, $5.

President—JOHN B. ANDERSON.

Directors.

Thomas A. Scott, James R. Maree,
N. B. Kneass, T. C. McDowell, Harrisburg.
William S. Freeman, John W. Hall, do
Robert P. King, John Brady, do
John M. Riley, W. W. Wylie, Lancaster.
Charles De Silver, William G. Shute, Colorado.

D. P. SOUTHWORTH,
Secretary and Treasurer.

OFFICE, No. 423 WALNUT STREET,
ROOM No. 5.

Authenticated specimens have been procured from some of the Company's lodes, and have been assayed by Professors Booth and Garrett with the most gratifying results.

Subscription lists are now open at the Office of the Company, and at the Treasurer's Office (Internal Revenue), No. 427 CHESNUT Street, Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank building. To original subscribers $3·50 per share for a limited number of shares.

Circulars, pamphlets, or information can be obtained at the office of the Company, after the 17th inst. 11-12-2m

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THE BUCHANAN ROYALTY OIL COMPANY.

CAPITAL...................................$400,000
40,000 SHARES..........PAR VALUE $10.00

PRESIDENT—JOHN ALEXANDER.
TREASURER—JOHN W. TORREY.
SECRETARY—WM. S. LANE.

DIRECTORS.

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EDWARD G. JAMES, of the house of Thomas Richardson & Co., Philadelphia.
JOHN ALEXANDER, No. 1938 Arch street, Philada.
DAVID VANDERVEER, No. 609 N. Thirteenth street, Philadelphia.
J. H. LYDAY, Pittsburg.
R. R. PORTER, M. D., Wilmington.
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Office No. 148 S. FOURTH Street,
PHILADELPHIA.

The property of this Company consists of Oil Land, Leases, and Ground Rent Reserves or Royalties of all the oil produced on the "A. Buchanan Farm," on Oil Creek. And also, all the oil and underground deposits in two hundred acres of land on East Hickory creek, Venango county, Pennsylvania.

There are about one hundred and fifty surveyed oil lots on the "A. Buchanan Farm," over sixty of which are leased to first-class operators. Seventeen wells are now producing oil; several are now being tested with good prospects, and twenty or thirty being bored at various stages of progress.

As a solid promising investment a limited number of full paid shares, of $10 per share, may be obtained at $7 each, upon application to any of the officers, or at the office of the Company.

The prospectus, containing a full description of the Company's property, can be obtained at the office. 11-26-1m

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VOLCANIC OIL

AND

COAL COMPANY OF WEST VIRGINIA.

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With the Prospectus and Geological Report of the property of this Company, are now ready at our office.

This Company owns over 2500 acres of what is known as the best OIL TERRITORY upon the GREAT UPHEAVAL IN WEST VIRGINIA, and offers large inducements to parties to subscribe for the limited number of Shares offered at $4 per share for full paid stock, the par being $10 per share.

This price per share is not above the marketable value of the lands, and it is offered for the sole purpose of increasing the facilities for development, and will, beyond a reasonable doubt, prove a profitable investment.

COOPER & GRAFF,

No. 11 MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

PHILADELPHIA, November 30, 1864. 11-30

PETROLEUM OIL STOCKS.

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