### INDEPENDENT PLANS

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T. W. Phillips to be One of the Leaders of the New Movement.

REPORTS FROM THE VARIOUS FIELDS

The Independent Producers met again last night, and business of the most important nature was transacted. The meeting was principally composed of the producers' committee, which met the P. P. A. in Bradford on Friday. A report of their mission was handed in, upon which a general discussion ensued. There were also present, beside the committee, a number of representative producers, who also took a

hand in the general discussion. As matters now look the independent movement is getting down to a basis on which something of a tangible nature will soon materialize. THE DISPATCH reporter could not definitely ascertain whether the places of the old members of the Executive Committee of the P. P. A. who resigned on Friday have been filled, but inferred from conversation with those interested in the meeting that the vacancies would probably be filled at the present meeting of the com-

The reporter was also led to believe that T. W. Phillips would in all probability still affiliate with his old friends, the producers. Mr. Phillips' position as regards the Standard Oil Company would not in the least prohibit him from becoming a leading light in the present independent movement. No one knows what will be their plan of action when thoroughly organized, but the supposition is they will devise some means to find an outlet to the seaboard. They argue that when this has been accomplished the question has been solved, and that the Standard no longer holds them in subjection. Last night's meeting unquestionably set in movement, guaranteed hist-class time acepmotion the whole machinery of the P. P. A.
The local assemblies will in all probability
soon convene, and all members who are susmore of boys' clothing. A handsome gilt
chain goes with each watch. pected of possessing Standard proclivities will be weeded out. All those producers who are not now members of the assembly and are kindly disposed toward the inde pendent movement, will be asked to join the organization and help along the grand and laudable undertaking.

The West Virginia Situation. to many has been a bear upon the situation. It has been proclaimed time and time again that the Standard Oil Company, with its the Standard Oil Company, with its genuine are to be had only at Geo. Kappel's, 77 Fifth avenue. that the Standard Oil Company, with its thousands of acres of prolific leases could soon flood the markets of the world. This assertion has not been borne out by the demonstration of the drill, and it is quesof operations in the entire Virginia field that investments have paid. Mt. Morris, and especially Mannington has conclusively shown that oil could not be produced at present prices. The record of the field also hows that the territory is spotted and those who have made money are but few com-pared with those engaged in operating. Eureka, Belmont and St. Mary's have all apparently reached the culminating point. lycerine in those fields has been used berally, yet notwithstanding this fact the production is constantly declining. Numerous wildcat wells have been drilled at with poor results; and thousands of acres of land which had hitherto been counted on as good territory has been condemned. In these pools within the past three weeks to dry holes and the same of the compass to the these pools within the past three weeks ten dry holes certainly confirms the above con-clusion. The St. Mary's field was opened Big R up about two months ago by the Duncan & Co. well on the Smith farm. The well is only good for 30 or 35 barrels a day, and is he only well producing in the field this well was completed there have been eight or ten wells started in the vicinity. Two of these have passed through the same formation in which the oil was found in the above well, and neither oil nor gas was

These were the Bills and Galliger wells. The latter has virtually obliterated the hope finding oil in many of the town lots, and has had a depressing effect upon the boom. Between Belmont and St. Mary's, along the Ohio river front, three dry holes have practically annihilated the theory of a connection between Belmont and St. Mary's. Johnson & Co.'s dry hole, three miles south of St. Mary's on the Beers farm, and known as the "tom cat well," of territory. In the old Belmont field proper, matters have subsided to a sorry sight as compared with the boom of only few days ago. The best well in the field is the old Stewart No. 1, which, from the most authentic report, has a production of only 80 arrels a day. The Ruttencutter district has also been overestimated, and the production of the best well there may be estimated at 25 or 30 parrels a day, while the two wells recently completed are making but ten barrels each. The old Eureka pool is a thing of the past, and its resurrection is beyond Across the river from here, Si Hughes, however, is looking for an outlet to the northwest in the direction of the old

In the shallow territory in the Cow run sand there was a small well completed recently on the Kerr farm which is practically no good and was a sad disappointment to

Ackerley & Sammall, on the J. B. Green farm, are now in the sand with a well on the northeast corner of the farm, which is showing for the best well in the field. Smith & 2,000 feet north and a little west of the Brown well, is in the sand on the Hendershot. The well is showing some

### Several Small Flows.

WILDWOOD-The Forest Oil Company and Griffith No. 4, Smith, to-night is making from 70 to 75 barrels an hour. They also got the sand this afternoon in No. 3, Smith, which has made several small flows. The Smith Farm Oil Company No. 7 is doing from 40 to 50 barrels an hour

Very Scanty Operations. ORAFTON—Operations in the Crafton pool are very meager. The Forest Oil Company No. 2, on the Portman farm, is about 70 feet in the hundred-foot. Considerable interest is manifested by the com-pany in this well, which if dry will cause them to cease operations in this locality. The same company have a fishing job at their No. 3 on the Hartley farm. At their No. 2, Phillips farm, they succeeded in getting the hole clear Saturday night and have resumed drilling.

The same company are also drilling a wildcat well near Craig station on the Panhandle Railroad, three miles from the Mc-

Curdy pool.

The Bost Days Are Gone. WESTVIEW-This field has seen its best days, although there is considerable good oil territory around here not yet drilled. The owners of the property will not drill at the present price of oil, and when the wells now drilling are finished there will probahly be no new operations until the market shows an upward tendency. Smith & Kleinmond, No. 1 Ivory, has reached a depth of 1,200 feet, and Bowman & Co. No. 2, Scheide farm, are putting in their second string of casing. Munball & Co. No. 1, Knoch farm, got considerable gas in the top of the 30-foot sand, and were delayed some in consequence, but are drilling again and will go to the third sand. They left the bit in old Ivory No. 1-that they lost while cleaning out after the shot and tubed the well, and it is now making 30 barrels a day. Cold weather and a low market has caused a rapid decline in the wells, the market being so low that operators will not put any more expense on their wells than is absolutely necessary to keep them running, pre-

ferring to let the oil remain under ground than to going to any additional expense. Quite a Difference.

JACK'S RUN-Where there were 15 or 20 wells drilling in this field six months ago there are now but three wells drilling, and when these are finished there will probably when these are finished there will probably be no more new operations in this neck of the woods this winter. The last well that came in, about a week ago, is Hein Oil Company No. 3, and is good for 25 barrels a day. McCormack & Co. No. 1, Straw, cased yesterday, and will get the sand Monday or Tuesday. The Augusta Oil Company No. 1, Ort, bas reached a depth of 1,200 feet, and the Americus Club No. 2, McLaughlin farm, will get the sand next week. farm, will get the sand next week.

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A Mystery No Longer. MATAMORAS-A special from Matamoras, O., states that the well on Matamoras Island, which has been mystified for some time, has ceased to be a mystery, having made several flows. It is said that considerable interest is manifested regarding this well.

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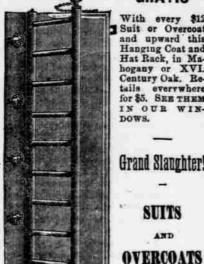
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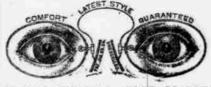
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