

## THE BELL FARM WELL

Still Producing Nearly Twelve Hundred Barrels of Oil a Day.

### A SMALL WELL SHOWING AT MOON.

Several New Locations Made in the Northwest End of Wildwood.

### THE PRICE OF PIPE MAY BE ADVANCED

The interesting feature of the new field reports yesterday was from the Orion Oil Company's well on the Bell farm, at McCullough's, contrary to expectations it is still holding up to a big figure, and is working at a minimum rate as refused. Resolutions upon resolutions were cast at the fair, and the executives committee was appointed to continue to the right.

### SATISFACTORY PROGRESS.

Mr. Westinghouse Reports to the Annual Meeting of the Electric Company—More Than One-Half the Stock Has Been Deposited with the Mercantile Trust Company.

Mr. Westinghouse's absence in New York, where he was detained by pressing business, was explained by the president of the Westinghouse Electric Company in the Westinghouse building yesterday morning. There were about a dozen stockholders present, and the proceedings were not formal. J. B. Blair, who gave a very encouraging report from Mr. Westinghouse on the progress of the plan of reorganization, said:

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A drunken Convent girl, Mrs. Ashcroft, after being carried into the vestibule with a heavy club, gagged her and chained her to the floor, where she remained until the police came and rescued her, and his wife is feared to be dying. The brute will be lynched if caught.

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### The Other McCurdy Wells.

McCuddy—Hackett, Shirley and the Fisher Oil Company's No. 3, on the W. E. Riddle farm, which started off a couple of weeks ago at 20 barrels an hour, is down to 10 barrels a day. This is the same lease, which was delayed by the dropping of the top of the casing, will be in the pay this week. Black & Co.'s well on the Andrews farm, near the Bell, which was expected to be in to-day, will be to be in to-morrow. The present level of Patterson & Co.'s well on the Harpin farm, on the western edge of the belt, is on top of the sand and requires a strong stringer of gas pipe. Enclosed above the rig completed for their No. 1 on the Aiken, and their rig No. 2 Aiken is building. Fisher & Co.'s well on the W. E. Riddle, No. 2 Douglass fourth sand, Mellon & Co.'s No. 2 Douglass is showing for a 300 barrel well.

### Wildwood Sand.

WILLOWOOD—Black & Co. have made a location on the Fox River, and will be in to-day. Gandy & Queen's Kirtner No. 2 is through and has 600 feet of oil in the hole. It made one small flow. The Smith Farm Oil Company's No. 11 is doing between six and seven barrels an hour. The Jeffreys' Company's well on the Kollar, was shot last evening. The Augusta Oil Company & Co.'s No. 3, on the Whiteside, is doing 30 barrels an hour.

Fox & Greenlee's No. 2 on the Alston farm was shot yesterday, and is making 30 barrels an hour.

### The Moon District.

Moon—Forest Oil Company's No. 3 on the Getty farm is in the sand and showing light. The Kanawha Oil Company's No. 2 on the Meeks is due to-morrow. Boggs & Mechanics well on the Whitehouse, which was expected to reach the sand to-day, will not be in before the last of the week.

### Drilling at Cliff Mines.

CLIFF MINES—The Fisher Oil Company's No. 6 on the Stewart farm is filled up 1,600 feet with oil. It is showing 10 barrels an hour. The Jeffreys' No. 2, the William Adams is due this week. The Jeffreys' Farm Company's No. 11 is doing between six and seven barrels an hour. The Jeffreys' Farm will make a 20 or 25 barrel pumper. The daily production of the Cliff Mines from six wells is 1000 barrels a day.

### The Butler District.

The Fisher Oil Company has commenced a well on the Jack farm, in the Gold field territory.

### That Hookstown Well.

Hookstown—The Augusta Oil Company's well on the John Kennedy farm, is doing between two and three barrels a day. It is looked upon as an edge well and the owners are preparing to drill another in the vicinity.

### Plug Makers to Meet.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Wrought Iron Pipe Manufacturers Association will be held at the Monongahela House to-day. The association will meet to-morrow to consider the question of its members it is probable that there will be a slight advance in the prices on certain classes of pipe.

### Personal.

M. Compton, one of the leading executive officers of the Forest Oil Company, who has been lying critically ill at his home in Washington, died from an attack of pneumonia. His respiration is convulsive. He was in Pittsburgh yesterday for the first time since his illness.

Colonel P. M. Shannon, the well-known producer, went to Bradford yesterday. He was formerly Mayor of the latter city.

R. Jennings, the veteran producer, is visiting his son, E. H. Jennings, of the Kanawha Oil Company.

### Yesterday's Local Features.

There was no oil market yesterday, there being no sales and no figures except a bid of \$6.50 per barrel. Average daily runs were 75,665; average daily deliveries, 65,677; average daily charters, 39,847.

CLEVELAND, June 1.—Petroleum easy; S. W. 65¢; gasoline, 85¢; kerosene, 85¢; gasoline, 85¢; naphtha, 65¢.

CLEVELAND, June 1.—National Transit certificates opened at 85¢; closed at 85¢; highest, 85¢; lowest, 85¢. Clearances, 25¢.

N. Y., June 1.—Petroleum opened firm and moved up 5¢ on a few small buying orders, then fell again after a momentary rise. It was 85¢; highest, 85¢; closing, 85¢; total sales, 160,000 barrels.

### LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

—Cotton prospects in Southern Russia are poor.

—Canadian crops have suffered severely from drought.

—Major Noonan, of St. Louis, is in hot water with the City Council.

—A train on the Old Colony Railroad was derailed at New Haven, Mass. No one injured.

—Panama canal shareholders have asked the assistance of the French Government to complete the ditch.

—The Hebrew Emigration Society has engaged four Baltic steamers for the exclusive purpose of emigration.

—A Protestant pastor in Lithuania, says a Berlin newspaper, has been condemned to banishment to Siberia for proselytizing.

—A boater found in Sheephead Bay creek, New York, has been identified as the body of "White Cross Library," of New York City.

—Amelia Woods, of the Woods minstrels of 40 years ago, and later a steward in sumptuous river boats, has committed suicide in Rochester.

—Cable & Co.'s four coal mines near Washington, Ind., have been closed until fall on account of a strike. Six hundred men are out now.

—Mountaineers finally shot a farmer named Crawley in County Donegal. Crawley had rented a farm from which the former tenant had been evicted.

—One more unfortunate has gone over Niagara Falls in a rowboat. Pieces of the boat were found, but no trace of the unknown occupant.

Haiti's new revolution has already come, and the rebels have been captured. The government of the West is in partial law. The trouble is left to Legitime.

—Mrs. T. B. Barnes is willing that her dead husband's body be exhumed and cremated according to his wish while alive, and if other relatives consent it will be done.

—Among the graves publicly decorated Sunday were those of five immigrants, passengers of the wrecked ship New Era, who

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