

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

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Time of Closing Mails.

P. O. PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA. JULY 27th, 1893. Until further notice the mails will arrive at and depart from this office as follows: ARRIVE. South and East, via Irvinston, 10.18 A. M. South and West, " Mendville, 5.18 P. M. North and East, " Corry, 2.26 " DEPART. South and West, 8.45 A. M. South, East and West, 2.30 P. M. North, East and West, 10.03 A. M. H. E. BLACKMON, P. M.

Divine Services.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7 1/2 o'clock P. M. Rev. J. T. Oxtory, Pastor.

M. E. CHURCH. Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M. Sabbath School at twelve o'clock M. Seats Free. A cordial invitation extended to all. Rev. C. M. Heard, Pastor.

STS. PETER AND PAUL'S (CATHOLIC) CHURCH.

Mass at 10 1/4 a. m. Vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 4 p. m. Catechism at 2 p. m. JAMES DUNN, Pastor.

We paid a visit to Pleasantville on Saturday last, and were quite favorably impressed with the business prospects of the place, besides having the pleasure of meeting a large number of old-time friends and acquaintances, the meeting of whom recalled many pleasant memories of days gone by when Pithole was in its glory. The "Den" is in full blast, and the smiling face of Capt. Sheakley may be seen at all times, as it "used to wa" in Pithole. The "Dive," over which our old friend Westervelt, alias "Dennis," holds command, is also in good running order, the members thereof giving heed to the wise counsels of "Dennis." The oil business of Pleasantville promises to be quite lively the coming spring and summer. Found Bro. Colgrove, of the Evening News, hard at work getting out copy for tomorrow's paper. The News represents the oil interests of Pleasantville in an impartial manner, and should receive, as it no doubt does, a liberal support. At some future time we hope to make another visit to Pleasantville and again renew the "friendships of other days."

The report of military operations in Arizona in 1883, just published, show 81 Indians killed, 51 wounded, and 23 captured. The report indicates that the war carried on vigorously, but the number of troops was so small the results are unsatisfactory. Referring to the constant appeal of the people and press of Arizona for more troops, Gen. Dennis says if the skeleton cavalry companies now in the territory were filled up to the maximum, they would hold the Indians completely in check. He also says the discharges are in excess of recruits, and after March 1st three companies of the First Cavalry will only number 148 men in the aggregate.

By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that the American Hotel property is offered for sale, and if not sold by April 1st will be for rent. This is a valuable piece of property, and a rare chance is offered to parties wishing to enter into the hotel business. For particulars enquire of J. R. Barnes, on the premises.

JOHN SMITH of Weisenstein, Prussia, is dead. He has left a fortune of ten million thalers, and strange to relate has no relatives in Europe. If by any possibility there should any person be found in this locality bearing the name of Smith, and he has "a friend that loves him" let that friend hand him this notice.

ADVERTISING is merely making an extension of your shop front in the newspaper. You display your articles in the window where a few hundred will see them, and in a newspaper you enumerate what you have for sale and thousands are thereby attracted to your store.

Do not forget the "Farewell Hop" to be given at the Opera House by Mr. Dan. E. Crocker, this evening. Good music will be in attendance; an excellent supper will be furnished at the Sherman House, and a jolly good time may be expected. Give "Dan" a rouser.

The extensive tannery of John Witting & Son, together with an adjoining dwelling house, in the Borough of Emlenton, this county, was destroyed by fire a few mornings since. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

The Barren territory has at present four wells producing from 50 to 150 barrels per day.

Petroleum.

The Canadian newspapers are complaining that no method has yet been discovered whereby Canadian petroleum can be refined so as to equal that of Pennsylvania for illuminating purposes. The Canadian petroleum emits a disagreeable odor, and injures the tea, sugar, and other goods, near which it may be stored. The duty of fifteen per cent. imposed upon Pennsylvania petroleum prevents its consumption by the Canadians, and a demand has been extensively made for the repeal of this heavy tax upon an article which is essential to the comfort of every family. In New Brunswick, the coal oil work works have been closed, and the bad-smelling petroleum from the Province of Ontario is the only substitute. Hence the newspapers insist that a more effective plan for refining the oil should be attempted or that the duty of fifteen per cent. upon the foreign article should be removed.

The Hwaogho one of the largest rivers in China, has recently changed, or is changing its outlet, and now enters the sea at a point five hundred miles north of its recent mouth. The Rev. Dr. Martin, one of the Professors in the new University at Peking, recently walked dry footed over the spot where Lord Amherst's junk lay, while the natives burned incense to insure a favorable passage. There appears to be a reason to believe that in this deviation the river is only returning to a bed on the north side of the highlands of Shantung, through which it formerly flowed; and according to Chinese records, it has repeatedly shifted its channel, sometimes divided by a delta, sometimes entering the sea at a single month.

SHEEP multiply so prodigiously in Australia, that the boiling down of the animals merely for the extraction of the tallow has grown into a business of huge proportions. Four hundred sheep are cut to pieces and thrown into a big boiler, steam from another boiler is turned on, and the carcasses are reduced to pulp; the tallow rises to the top, and is drawn off through large taps into barrels for export. The gravy and other juices, the remains of the meat, and the bones, which are so softened as to crumble easily in the hands, are given to pigs. Four thousand sheep are boiled down a day.

A staff officer of the French army in Algeria has discovered two subterranean tombs, probably dating from the period when the Romans settled in Numidia. They evidently belonged to the natives of the country, and the architecture is not wanting in elegance and grandeur. Similar to the Roman burying places, they contain funeral urns deposited in niches. A skull was found which tends to prove the fact that the Numidians decapitated their dead, burying their head and burning the rest of the body.

A HUNDRED years ago fast men used to drink bumpers to the health of a lady out of her shoe. The custom has fallen into disuse; but a correspondent of a London paper says that less than twenty years ago he was present at a dinner of Irish squires, when the health of a beautiful girl, whose feet was as pretty as her face, was drunk in champagne from one of her satin shoes, which an admirer of the lady had contrived to obtain possession of.

A correspondent of the Boston Journal of Chemistry says that water-spouts and sink-spouts frozen up may be speedily thawed out in the following manner: Procure a piece of lead pipe of suitable length and size; place one end against the ice to be thawed, then, through a funnel in the upper end, pour boiling water. Keep the pipe constantly against the ice, and you can penetrate one foot or more per minute.

Singapore has a box constrictor that swallowed a young lady, who wore at the time a \$15,000 diamond necklace. The young lady is of no value now, but the neck lace is—so about 30,000 natives are diligently searching for the snake.

The Board of Engineers, having accepted Mr. Roebling's plan for the great bridge between New York and Brooklyn, the work will be prosecuted without unnecessary delay.

We notice that a new rig for a well has been put up on the Boyd Farm, near the Oil Exchange Hotel. The territory in that vicinity has never been thoroughly tested, we believe.

The weather to-day is quite cool, but yet Allah be praised, the sun shines out bright and pleasant.

The Wigglesworth tract near Plumer, and also the National Oil Co.'s tract in the same vicinity, it is said will be tested the coming summer.

SEVERAL of the oil wells on the Egbert Farm have recently been started up, and are getting some oil.

Robert Houdin, the famous French magician, has lost his whole fortune at the Paris Bourse. He makes a living now by literary labor.

THE NEWS.

Louisville has a velocipede military company.

Shad are selling at from thirty-seven to fifty cents a piece at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Ice from Alaska sells for five cents a pound in San Francisco.

A "velocipede Restaurant" has been started at Columbus, Ga.

"Dramalet" has been invented as the name for a one cent drama.

A colored gymnast has opened a school for ladies in San Francisco.

The case of Judge Fullerton will be tried in April.

The Arkansas Senate passed the Constitutional Amendment by 19 to 3.

Mrs. Lydia Beecher, mother of Henry Ward Beecher, died in Brooklyn Saturday morning, aged eighty.

The peach buds in Somerset county, New Jersey, were killed by the cold snap last week, and the crop is likely to prove a failure.

Dr. G. W. Darden, who killed Chas. Wallace, editor of the Clipper, was taken from a Warrenton, Georgia, Friday night, by a party of disguised men who took him some distance from town, where they shot and killed him.

Camp Hamilton, near Hampton, Virginia has been broken up.

A project is on foot in Canada for bridging or tunnelling Detroit river.

The buildings Nos. 65 and 68 Lake street, Chicago, were damaged by fire and water Saturday evening to the extent of \$25,000.

Bill Ryan, a well-known pugilist, died of typhoid fever in St. Louis, Saturday.

Petitions are to be circulated in Missouri, asking the Legislature to submit an amendment to the constitution striking out the word "male."

The steamships Herman, Erin and city of Baltimore have arrived from Europe.

The ice on the Hudson river has again broken up.

The jury in the case of Dan Noble, on trial at Elmira, N. Y. for complicity in the Royal Insurance Company bond robbery, were unable to agree after fourteen hours' consultation, and were discharged.

Four and a half miles of track on the Central Pacific Railroad were laid on the 18th of February. It was anticipated that 5 miles were to be laid the next day.

Wm. Graham, a native of Cincinnati, and lately an able seaman on board the American bark John Bright, was before U. S. Commissioner Hallett, at Boston, on Saturday, on a charge of murdering Thomas Deason third mate of the same vessel, on the high seas on the 6th of February last.

The bark Harvest Queen, from Humboldt Bay for San Francisco February 10, is supposed to have foundered at sea and all on board lost. Nothing has been heard from her since sailing.

Nevada has a million and a quarter mulberry trees—food for worms.

In Paris, by a two cent tax on each opera and theatre ticket, 7,820 charity hospital beds are supported.

Petroleum has been discovered in Mexico at Fort Angel, 169 miles from Acapulco.

The scriptures have been translated into more than three hundred different languages.

A San Francisco leather store exhibits a dressed ox hide having a surface of 165 square feet.

A musical congress of all nations is to be held at Florence, Italy, on September 20 next.

San Francisco has had a mile race between a railroad train and a velocipede. The former won by a minute.

A man, in Michigan, has been fined \$5 and costs for calling his neighbor a "liar." The "costs" amounted to \$90.

A bill has passed the Georgia Legislature permitting all mounted soldiers to peddle without license in that State.

Burlington has a new paper called the New Idea, which is printed in alternate columns of French and English.

The South has some money left to spend in luxuries. Two terrier pups were lately sold in Lynchburg for \$58 cash.

Gov. Hoffman, of New York, continues to please the people by vetoing bills passed for "special legislation."

A New Bedford whale ship, on her way home from the whaling grounds, recently, caught \$105,000 worth of whalebone.

The San Francisco papers still talk of vigilance committees. Burglaries and robberies of all kinds are very abundant.

Madame Vauges, the leading hucksterwoman of the Parisian market halls, La Reine des Halles, as she is called, is worth half a million francs, but is to be found all day at her stalls selling turnips and cabbage heads.

Local Notices.

POMEROY'S DEMOCRAT.—M. M. or "Brick" POMEROY's new paper already exceeds in circulation every other political paper in the world. It is "red hot," and of unusual interest. Send for sample copies. Printing House Square, New York City. mch12.

A GREAT SUCCESS.—"Brick" POMEROY's new Daily in New York City is one of the greatest and most successful newspaper enterprises of the country. His new weekly "Pomeroys' Democrat" is increasing in circulation a thousand copies per day. Send for sample copies to M. M. Pomeroys, Printing House Square, New York City. mch12.

POMEROY'S DEMOCRAT.—This new paper has a wonderful circulation. In nearly every town in the country the democrats and working men are getting up clubs for it. It is the boldest, sharpest paper published, and walks into Congress and the Bundholders regardless of results. The paper has over a hundred thousand subscribers in the State of New York alone. Send for sample copies, which are sent free, and see it for yourselves.—Address M. M. Pomeroys, Printing House Square, New York City. mch12.

WINDOW GLASS! A large assortment, all sizes, at A. D. Miller & Co.'s.

BUILDING FOR SALE NEAR THE LAKE SHORE HOUSE. Enquire at the Jamestown Clothing Store. Feb 11.

WALL PAPER! Just received a large stock of Spring patterns, at H. C. JARVIS' FURNITURE STORE. m3.

GREAT BARGAINS! OFFERED TO THE Citizens of Petroleum Centre!

In the way of Blank Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Worsteds, Bird Cages, School Books, &c. &c. at

ESLER'S VARIETY Store, 35 SPRING STREET, TITUSVILLE, PA. Jan 1 - 2m.

PAINT, WALL, WHITE WASH & SHOE BRUSHES, a large stock just received at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

CANARY BIRDS, male and female, now stock just received, at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

Lost! On Thursday, Feb. 25th, 1893, a smooth built rat and ten pup, with red ear. Whoever shall return the same to the subscriber will be liberally rewarded. Feb 24. N. H. PAYNE

Carpets, of every quality and description, at REYNOLDS, BRODHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre Street, opposite the P. O., Oil City, Pa.

SWEDISH LEECHES, wholesale and retail, at A. D. MILLER & CO'S DRUG STORE.

Music Lessons. MRS. M. H. CARMAN, having returned to town after a brief absence is now prepared to give lessons on the Piano to those wishing the same. For terms and further particulars enquire at the Oil Exchange Hotel. Petroleum Centre, Feb. 13, 1893.—1m.

BURTON'S TOBACCO ANTIDOTE. DON'T CHEW, an antidote for Tobacco, and DR. JOHNSON'S AROMATIC ANTI-TOBACCO COMPOUND, for sale at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

Crockery.—For all kinds go to REYNOLDS, BRODHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre Street, opposite the Post Office, Oil City, Pa.

A. D. MILLER & CO., Druggists, are agents for the celebrated "H. H. Cigars," manufactured by the American Whip Co. Try them.

The best place in town to get a pair of Boots made of the best stock, that will wear well, and warranted to fit, is at J. A. Piantola's Fashionable Boot Shop, Washington Street, Petroleum Centre, Pa. Give him a trial. ap13 1c

"ALZAMA."—It is not often that we have the time to spare, or the inclination, to notice any of the thousand and one preparations sold throughout the country, such as it is claimed, being a sovereign cure for one or more of the ills that flesh is heir to. Indeed, we have frequently wondered that people ever died at all, or grew old even, when, by a small outlay they could furnish themselves with something which would keep disease at bay, and defy the assaults of time! Concerning the efficacy of one of these remedial preparations—and one which has been commended of late—we can speak from personal experience, and conscientiously say it is good. We refer to "Alzama," an article for restoring and preserving the hair, manufactured by Messrs. Seward & Bentley, Chemists and Druggists, No. 189 Main Street, Buffalo.—Buffalo Commercial Advt. No. 2005. For sale by Seward's Cough Cure, A. D. MILLER & CO., Wholesale and Retail Druggists, Agents for Petroleum Centre, Pa. Feb 11.

Hardware.—A large assortment of which is being closed out at reduced rates at REYNOLDS, BRODHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre St., opposite the Post Office, Oil City, Pa.

PAPER AND ENVELOPES at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

New Flour, Feed and Grocery Store!

J. S. PRATHER, At the OLD BANK BUILDING, ON MAIN ST., opposite the McClintock House, has on hand a large and first class stock of Flour, Feed and Groceries, which he is selling at a low figure. Don't forget the place—where A. D. Cotton & Company broke up. Jan 21.

Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes.—A large assortment at REYNOLDS, BRODHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre Street, opposite the Post Office, Oil City, Pa.

Dry Goods, a large stock at REYNOLDS, BRODHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre St., opposite the Post Office, Oil City, Pa.

The best CIGARS in the market are the Buffalo Favorites, manufactured by Walker & Haze—Sold at the Drug Store of A. D. MILLER & CO.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE.

THE AMERICAN HOTEL AT PETROLEUM CENTRE. This well known house, containing 35 rooms with furniture is now offered for sale at a low price. If not sold by the 1st of April, it will be for rent. Inquire on the premises, of J. B. BARNES.

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AND Sewing Machine!

This Machine is warranted to execute in the greatest degree of perfection, all kinds and varieties of Sewing, Hemming, Felting, Coring, Tucking, Braiding, Gathering and Sewing on, Quilting, &c. That is or can be done by any other machine now before the public. One of these Machines can be seen at the room over A. D. Miller & Co's Drug Store. H. J. COFFIN, Agent for Venango County. mch 15.

READ! READ!!

SOBEL! HAS REMOVED!

His Large Stock of

DRY GOODS

into the Room formerly Occupied by S. Auerhain, NEXT DOOR to the OPERA HOUSE

He has added to his Stock a large selection of

FASHIONABLE DRESS GOODS

Which he invites the Ladies of Petroleum Centre and vicinity to call and examine. Has also a good selection of

Hats & Caps, Ready-Made Clothing,

&c., &c., all of which he has marked down to the

Lowest Cash Prices.

I desire to thank my numerous customers for their liberal patronage at my old stand, and hope by keeping a large selection of Goods, at Low Prices, to continue to supply their wants as heretofore.

S. SOBEL.

Petroleum Centre, March 2, 1893.—1c.

Disolution. THE co partnership heretofore existing between W. H. Longwell and Warren C. Plummer, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Plummer retiring. The business will be carried on by W. H. Longwell, who will collect all bills due the late firm and pay all the debts of said firm. W. H. LONGWELL, W. C. PLUMMER. Dated Feb. 6th, 1893.—3w.