

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Monday, May 31.

A. E. FAY, Editor.

Time of Closing Mails.

P. O., PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA., JULY 27th, 1898.

Until further notice the mails will arrive at and depart from this office as follows:

ARRIVE.

South and East, via Irwin, 10:25 A. M.
South and West, " Mendville, 5:18 P. M.
North and East, " Corry, 4:50 "

DEPART.

South and West, 8:45 A. M.
South, East and West, 2:30 P. M.
North, East and West, 10:00 A. M.

Divine Services.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7 1/2 o'clock P. M.

Rev. J. T. OXLEY, 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

CHANGE OF TIME.—Oil Creek & Allegheny River Railway, Monday, April 26:

NORTHWARD TRAINS.

Express No. 5 arrives at	7:20 a. m.
Express No. 1 arrives at	10:30 a. m.
Express No. 3 arrives at	5:34 p. m.
Freight No. 7 arrives at	12:45 p. m.
Freight No. 13 arrives at	12:01 p. m.
Freight No. 15 arrives at	8:45 a. m.

SOUTHWARD TRAINS.

Express No. 4 arrives at	9:15 a. m.
Express No. 2 arrives at	3:10 p. m.
Express No. 6 arrives at	7:25 p. m.
Freight No. 8 arrives at	5:34 p. m.
Freight No. 10 arrives at	8:25 a. m.
Freight No. 14 arrives at	2:00 p. m.
Freight No. 16 arrives at	12:45 p. m.

Railroad slides above Tidouate, delayed 10:30 train this morning one hour.

Harford passenger across the completed Pacific Railroad, a woman who had faith in his word to travel safely him.

Fisher, the horse actress, was arrested in New York on Wednesday and held on a charge of the larceny of a gold watch valued at \$200.

The railroad track this side of Tryonville, sunk yesterday to such a depth that it has been impossible to run a through train from Corry to-day. Passengers are transferred at the slide and no freight has come through to-day. It is expected that trains can pass the slide to-morrow.

In Fayette county is an apple-tree, which was planted in 1772, four years before the Revolution. It is said to be still in good condition. Forty bushels of apples is its average yield each season. "Woodman, spare the tree."

The following additional postmasters have been appointed: Porterfield, Venango county, W. L. Keeter, vice J. Porterfield resigned; Oleopolis, Venango county, J. V. Collins, vice E. G. Crawford, resigned.

HAVERLY'S MINSTRELS.—To-morrow evening our citizens are to be favored with an entertainment at the Opera House. This is one of the best minstrel organizations now on this continent, and having heard them cheerfully recommend them to the patronage of the public.

Prof. Johnny Sweeney is to open his new gymnasium in Atkins' block this week. Every convenience necessary for exercise in the many art, and cultivation of the muscle, will be produced. The Professor is now ready to receive members, and we hope our young men will give him a liberal patronage, both for their own and Sweeney's good.

The Annual Convention of the State Sunday School Society will be held at Williamsport, beginning to-morrow. Sunday School teachers and superintendents and clergymen interested in the work, are invited to be present from all parts of the State. Each Sunday School is requested to send one or more delegates. The delegates will be furnished with homes.

The members of Oil City Lodge, No. 283, I. G. G. T., will give a strawberry and ice cream festival at Excelsior Hall on Thursday evening next, June 3d. This order is justly celebrated in Venango county for getting up interesting festivals, and their tables are always spread with the richest viands of the season. No doubt the order will receive a handsome benefit. All are invited to attend, and it is to be hoped all for lodges will be represented.

The estate of the Hon. Arnold Plumer is said to be worth two million dollars, and was devised to his widow.

In the Court of Common Pleas at Philadelphia on Friday, Judge Pierce read an opinion of Judge Allison, sustaining the 27th section of the new registry law, which applies to hotels, taverns and sailor boarding houses. The assessors are prohibited from registering any inmates of these establishments.

HYDROPHOBIA.—At the approach of the sultry season, it may be well to remember that, according to medical statistics, more cases of hydrophobia occur in the warm months of spring and autumn than during the summer season. Though caution is always commendable, yet unnecessary alarms should be carefully avoided.

An action has been brought in the Supreme Court of New York to foreclose the second divisional mortgage of the Atlantic & Great Western Railroad, by one of the bondholders for non-payment of interest. The defence moved to transfer the case to Chautauque county, where the mortgaged real estate is situated. Decision reserved.

FOOD FOR CHILDREN.

Is your nursing babe eight months old, feeble and inactive, its teeth coming through the gums already black and defective, and its soft flabby flesh indicating a want of muscular fibre?—change your own food at once, and give up butter and fine flour, and cakes, and puddings with sweet sauce, and take instead beefsteak, oat-meal or barley porridge, with milk and unbleached wheat bread, grits, pea soup, etc., which abound in phosphates and nitrates, and in one week you shall see an improvement in the condition of the child; but if your own health will not admit of such a change, wean the babe, and give it the milk of the cow, cat, meal gruel, etc.; and for the next child, be sure and commence furnishing the material for bone and muscle at least fourteen months earlier, and its teeth will not be defective, or its muscles feeble and flabby.

Nor are defective teeth and undeveloped muscles the only or the greatest evils that accrue from neglect to furnish suitable material for the foundation of that structure which is so important as to be denominated the "temple of God."

While all animals, in their natural state, living as they do according to natural laws, raise all their young, and bring them perfectly developed to full maturity, a perfectly developed young man or woman, at full maturity, with perfect teeth and sound lungs, and well developed muscles and brains, is a rare exception to the general rule; and to every reflecting mind the reason must be obvious; we neglect to learn, and utterly disregard the plain laws of our being, and these terrible sufferings and bereavements are the natural and just penalties for our disobedience.

THE OLD, OLD STORY.—Miss Hulda Dawson and Mrs. Susie Lee McGowan, of New Albany, Ind., each aged about eighteen years, procured eight grains of morphine, and on Thursday night, after writing letters to their friends, announcing their intention to commit suicide, and praying fervently for some time, swallowed the poison. At daylight next morning they were discovered in their room in an almost lifeless condition. Medical assistance was promptly secured, and they are both out of danger. It seems that Miss Dawson had been seduced by one Elisha Jackson, an employee of the New Albany Rolling Mill, and that he had wearied of her and deserted her. Mrs. McGowan had been seduced by Thomas McGowan, and the fact coming to the knowledge of her friends, he was forced to marry her, but deserted her shortly afterward. The girls had been companions since childhood, and had concluded to die together, and although frustrated in their attempt, they express a determination to commit suicide at the first opportunity.

DECORATION DAY AT FRANKLIN.—The ceremony of decorating soldiers' graves was observed in a befitting manner at Franklin on Saturday last. Nearly three thousand people assembled before noon. There were in attendance large delegations from Oil City, Rouseville and Tarr farm. In the delegation from the last named place was included Post No. 167 G. A. R. A procession was organized, which moved through the principal streets. A meeting was then held and appropriate addresses were delivered by Captains Snowdon and Galbraith. The music was furnished by the Tarr farm Cornet Band.

The total taxable property in St. Louis as returned by the President of the Board of Assessors, is one hundred and thirty million, five hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars, an increase since last year of twenty million three hundred and sixty thousand. In the county one hundred and forty-five million one hundred and seventy-six thousand, an increase since last year of twenty-five million six hundred and thirty-seven thousand.

ROCHESTER ITEMS.

Benjamin Howe, a well-known resident of Penfield, died suddenly of heart disease in Rochester Thursday morning.

Joseph Messner, who is to be hung in Rochester, June 7th, writes to a newspaper the following: "I want all my friends to turn out and see me hanged."

Rochester expects a visit from Siddons shortly.

Prof. Henry Appy, of the Flour City, conferred at Dansville one or two evenings since.

There is now nine and a half feet of Century Plant in Rochester.

Charlotte will hold its first Charter Election on the first Monday in June, at which time five Trustees, a Police Justice, Treasurer, Collector and Constable are to be elected.

The firm of Jones, Newman & Hollister, extensive sash and blind manufacturers at Rochester and Fairport, were obliged to make an assignment on Wednesday for the benefit of their creditors. Their liabilities are about \$50,000, which is more than balanced by the assets, so that the creditors are likely to sustain no loss whatever.

Buffalo Items.

George H. Judson, John Anderson, Martha Webster, Eliza Phillips, Cecelia Burlingame, Eliza Russell, Nichols Winter, Gred. Winter, David Dorman and Banhardt Winter, were fined from five to ten dollars each.

Three Polish emigrants who work for L. M. Lass, on the Chenango canal, and left there for Buffalo with \$38 dollars due them, received their money Saturday through the exertions of Postmaster Ball.

The Niagaras and Columbians play a match next Tuesday.

A Lodge of Eternal Progressionists has been organized in Buffalo.

The First Church extension is still a thing of the dim future.

Brief Mention.

Here's richness (if not riches)—"London is to have a new literary and critical paper to be thoroughly impartial."

A Chicago paper is plying into Horace Greeley. The Times writes no wrinkles on that azure brow.

Coffey will mingle his smiles with old ocean's at Newport next month. He will also take his smiles at the Ocean.

"The man who yawns, by a reader of *L'Espresso* qui rit" is the last parody of prolix Paris.

Salm Salm is to argue the question of his wife's faith with a gossip *feuilletonist*. The discussion will be conducted with pistols.

Casks of Jordan water are now imported for baptism in European royal families. If Alexandria keeps on England might as well import the whole river.

The Bengal Rajah has resisted the wiles of the Parisian *demi-monde*, and remains faithful to the forty-three partners of his bosom left by him at Bengal.—Ex.

Olive Logan says no woman can be an actress and retain her virtue. Olive was on the stage—but then she wasn't much of an actress.

With the thermometer at 90, the Chicago Post has strength enough to get the following "Eugenie wants a statue of herself in the Louvre, but the French don't Louvre enough to do it."

Isaac Pitman, of Bath, England, the inventor of phonography, has published a complete edition of the Bible in phonograph characters. This is by far the most extensive work ever produced in any system of short hand. And the most useless.

A KNOTTY POINT.—Society is generally agreed that no woman should marry with a man younger than herself. When the opposite is the case the woman in generally looked upon as a fool and the man as a knave. But a spinster of our acquaintance wishes to know what a woman is to do when she arrives at the age of a hundred and ten, or thereabout, and desires to marry. The scarcity of marrying men suitable for a maiden of sweet one hundred and ten would seem to justify her in wedding a youth of seventy or eighty. Would it not?

THE GREAT STORM.—Additional particulars of the dreadful hail storm which passed over Wheeling, Va., on Saturday, show the work of devastation to have been far greater than at first supposed. The destruction to vineyards has been immense, and those least injured cannot be made productive for years, and in a majority of cases are utterly ruined. Up the Wheeling Creek Valley the destruction is enormous. Many sheep and lambs are killed. The wheat and corn is cut close to the ground and a number of accidents are reported, some of which are likely to prove fatal. The town of West Liberty, twelve miles from Wheeling, is reported in ruin. Hail stones to the depth of two feet still remain in Market and Main streets.

CANDIDACY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STATE SENATE.

Mr. Barron.—Please announce the name of Col. A. P. BARRON as a candidate for State Senator, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

Mr. Barron.—Please announce the name of JAMES M. BARRON, of Franklin, as a candidate for State Senator, subject to the usages of the Republican party. MANY CITIZENS.

ASSEMBLY.

Franklin, May 21, 1898.

Dear Sir: We the undersigned citizens of Venango County, having confidence in your integrity and ability to protect the great interests of this county, earnestly request you to become a candidate for the Assembly, subject to the decision of the Republican party at the ensuing Primary Election.

Wm. Brough	J. P. Zane
F. W. Andrews	N. P. Stone
W. A. Farnsworth	Geo. Bolton
J. B. Andrews	A. S. Nichols
A. W. Jones	J. D. Gage
J. J. Donahue	G. F. Whitman
D. Hill	Jas. Burcher
J. N. Wise	P. Tyler
H. A. Erickson	H. A. Avery
G. W. Boyard	S. B. Gould
W. S. Jessop	Wm. Cleary
L. Emery, Jr.	John Seely
James Mackey	H. Spadbury
Thomas Chiles	
F. W. Perkins	
C. M. Trowbridge	
Lynn Stewart	
H. Leo Nelson	
C. E. Cooper	
H. Camp	
H. Daugherty	
J. P. Zane	
N. P. Stone	
Geo. Bolton	
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G. F. Whitman	
Jas. Burcher	
P. Tyler	
H. A. Avery	
S. B. Gould	
Wm. Cleary	
John Seely	
H. Spadbury	
J. S. Gibson	

ACCEPTANCE.

FRANKLIN, Pa., May 25, 1898.

Messrs. D. Stewart, John Jeffords, William Prongh, F. W. Andrews, and others:

GENTLEMEN: I have read your communication published in the *Titusville Daily Herald* of this morning, in which you do me the honor to express confidence in my ability to represent this District in the House of Representatives, and request me to become a candidate subject to Republican usages. In reply, I am glad to say that I consent to your request, and hereby respectfully solicit the support of my Republican friends throughout the county on the 31st of June, 1898.

Yours, very truly,

J. D. McJUNKIN.

Mr. Editor:—Please announce to the citizens of Venango County, that WILLIAM GATES, of Rockland Township, is a candidate for Member of Assembly, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

TREASURER.

Editor Venango:—Please announce the name of J. R. GRANT as a candidate for the nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

Mr. Barron.—Please announce the name of OLIN A. CROTTY, of Oil City, as a candidate for nomination of County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

Mr. Charles is a man well qualified for the position, is an ardent Republican, and was during the war a faithful soldier.

Mr. Barron.—Please announce the name of GEO. W. BIRCHMAN as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

PROTHONOTARY.

Mr. Barron.—Please announce the name of F. G. CRAWFORD, of Richmond Township, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to the usages of the Republican party. Sponsors also recommended.

Mr. Editor.—Please announce the name of THOMAS DE VANEY, of Petroleum Center, as a candidate for Prothonotary of Venango County, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that JOSEPH H. SMITH, Prothonotary of Venango County, will be a candidate for re-nomination on the 31st of June, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

EDITOR RECORD.—You will please announce that JAMES W. SHAW will be a candidate for nomination for the office of Register and Recorder, subject to the usages of the Republican party at the ensuing Republican Primary Election. Mr. Shaw was a Private in Company "I," 14th Penna. Voluntary, and led a right arm in battle of Gettysburg. He is conscientious and obliging, and has served as Register and Recorder for one term to the entire satisfaction of all who have done business with him.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Mr. Editor.—Please announce to the citizens of Venango County that J. Y. SIGGINS, of Oil Creek Township, is a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

Mr. Editor.—Please announce the name of H. B. HIXON, of Complanter Township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Republican party. MANY REPUBLICANS.

Local Notices.

NEW SELECT SCHOOL.

Mrs. BARNER begs to announce that she will open a private school in Wm. Bragg's building adjoining the American Hotel on Monday May 31st. Hours of tuition from 9 a. m. till 12 m., and from 1:30 till 4 p. m.

Terms: for pupils under 12 years 40 cts per week; over 12 years 50 cts per week.

WALL PAPER, fresh supply, of all styles and prices, just received at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

Special Notice.

WORDS OF WISDOM for young men, on the Ruling Passion in Youth and Early Manhood, with SELF HELP for the Erring and Unfortunate. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P, PHILADELPHIA, PA. May 24, 98.

Guitar Strings at W. H. Nicholson & Co's.

Alisma.—Last week we called attention to the Constitution Bitters of Seward & Bentley, and now we take pleasure in noticing their Alisma for the hair, which is said to be a very fine article for the toilet. We are of the opinion that the preparations of S. & B. are all good, for the reputation they sustain as Drugists is good evidence that they would not put anything in the market of an ordinary character. Messrs. A. D. MILLER & CO have it for sale and we hope all our friends will try it.

For all Bronchial affections, try Seward's Cough Cure.

A SUPPLY OF WALKING CANES OF EVERY variety, has been received at A. D. Miller & Co's.

W. A. FARNESWORTH,

News Dealer, Pioneer, Pa.

Receives all dailies and illustrated papers from New York twice per day and will mail any paper published. Illustrated weekly papers, \$1.25 per three months, invariably in advance. may171w.

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

All accounts not settled immediately, will be held with an officer for collection. Aps 11 1/2. REYNOLDS & CO

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

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

BIRDS, JAVA, SPARROWS, CANARY, GERMAN, at A. D. MILLER & CO.

If you wish the best Pipe Tobacco in the market, try W. H. Nicholson & Co.

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

RICH MARRIAGE GIFT.

The Princess—Girt which a Young Man can present to his Bride, is a sound constitution and a pure heart. Recs on these subjects, with the beautiful views of benevolent Physicians, sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P, Philadelphia, Pa. 1242m

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. Planter's Fashionable Boot Shop, Washington Street, Petroleum Centre, Pa. Give him a trial. sep101f.

MARBLE.

GLASS ALIENS, at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

BASE BALL BATS and SCORE BOOKS, at W. H. Nicholson & Co's.

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

Rasins for 15 cents per pound at 22-1w WACHTER'S.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Opera House.

One Night.

Tuesday, June 1, 1898.

HAVERLY'S MINSTRELS.

From their Minstrel Hall, Chicago.

J. H. HAVERLY, Manager, composed of the BRIGHTEST LIGHTS OF MINSTRELRY, among whom are

CHARLEY PETTINGILL, CHARLEY REYNOLDS, S. S. PURDY, O. P. SWEET, Sig GUSTAVE BIDAUX.

With a Full and Efficient Quartette and Orchestra. Admission, 10 cts. Reserved Seats, 75 cts.

HOUSE FOR SALE!

The undersigned offers his House for sale, located on the Robert Farm, near Fuller's Landing. A water pipe carries water into the kitchen. For particulars apply to E. J. ROSS, may211w Petroleum Centre, Pa.

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Having Fitted my Room neatly, I am prepared to

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SUPERIOR ARTICLE!

Don't forget the place, SECOND DOOR FROM THE OPERA HOUSE.

J. W. Beatty.

Petroleum Centre, May 18th, 1898. may211w

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Hotels, Parties, and Private Families supplied with the choicest Ice Cream, on short notice and on the best