

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Thursday, June 3.

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 Irvinville, 10.28 A. M. South and West, " Meadville, 5.15 P. M. North and East, " Corry, 2.55 "

DEPART. South and West, 8.45 A. M. South, East and West, 2.30 P. M. North, East and West, 10.00 A. M.

Bivine 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.

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

Mass at 10 1/2 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.

James McCrea is putting down two new wells on the McCrea Farm.

The Collins well on the Beatty Farm, West Hickory, is pumping sixty barrels.

Young men who complain of uneven side walks will find them smoother on going home at an early hour in the evening.

It is expected that the dedication of the soldiers' national monument at Gettysburg next July, will be a large and imposing demonstration.

SODA WATER.—This cooling beverage tells its own story when once it finds a receptive in the "innards" of man. It's good. A. D. Miller & Co. deal it out in large or small quantities.

ACTIVITY ON CHERRYTREE RUN.—The Cherrytree territory is creating no little excitement among operators. Wells on Hess, Reid and Pierson Farms, are yielding handsomely.

Rev. P. Combe, D. D., of Philadelphia, will lecture in the M. E. Church on Saturday evening, June 5th. Dr. C. represents the State Temperance Union, and is a No. 1 in the lecture field.

BUSINESS.—All kinds of business pursuits in Petroleum Centre are prospering. No oil town presents the lively appearance that does ours, and a prosperous year is before us. So mote it be.

The latest velocipede development is related by a young gentleman of Troy, who reports that his intended father-in-law mistook him for a velocipede the other evening and propelled him through the hall and down the front door steps with his foot.

There are two churches, just finished in Franklin—the Presbyterian and Methodist—each costing sixty or seventy thousand dollars. A new court house and public school house are on par with the churches; and three railroads with prospect of more.

Col. Wm. Lamberton, of Franklin, died in that city, on May 21st. He was a lawyer by profession, and prior to the war resided in Florida, from whence he was driven because of his Union sentiments. He was about fifty years of age.

A bay horse, found on Washington street, last night, by officer McCue, can be found at the livery stable of T. McDonald. The owner can have the same after paying all charges.

CORRECTION.—In our notice in the change in the proprietorship of the McClintock House, yesterday, we stated that the House had been "rented" by Caleb Griswold. We were in error. Mr. G. has purchased the property. Mr. T. F. Jones, so long connected with the House as Clerk, and so well and favorably known, is to be retained in the same position he has so long and satisfactorily filled.

[We republish to-day the following correspondence on account of an error occurring in the publication of yesterday:]

OIL CITY, May 31, 1898.

Wm. Brough, Esq., Late Sec'y Petroleum Producers' Association, Franklin, Pa.:

DEAR SIR:—The opponents of A. P. Duncan, member of the State Legislature from this county, and now a candidate for State Senator, have persistently circulated a report to the effect that the Producers' Association hold him responsible for the Western Pipe Bill, also that he telegraphed to you for money to be used in preventing the passage of the Petroleum Tax Bill.

As you are fully conversant with all the facts in the case, we the personal and political friends of Col. Duncan, would feel under obligations to learn from you at the earliest moment the truth of the assertions so made. Respectfully yours,

J. J. BROADHEAD, FRED BISHOP, WM. F. GROVES, J. G. OGDEN, J. J. VANDERGRIF.

FRANKLIN, May 31, '98.

Messrs. Broadhead, Bishop, and others:

GENTLEMEN:—Your favor of this date is received, and in reply to your first question, I can only say that I know of nothing in the action of the Petroleum Producers' Association toward Col. Duncan, to justify the report that it held him responsible for the passage of the Western Oil and Pipe Bill. It was not until after the passage of that bill in the House, that the Association, because aware of its existence, what Col. Duncan's actions was in regard to it previous to that time, we know only from the printed record, from which report you can form your own opinion of his course. Our efforts against the bill were directed mainly to defeating it in the Senate, and to procuring the Governor's veto, but the chief aim of the Association was to obtain the passage of a Free Pipe Bill, a measure which could practically have annulled the Western Pipe Bill, and in this effort the Association was most earnestly and actively seconded by Col. Duncan.

In regard to your second interrogative there is no truth whatever in the statement that Col. Duncan applied to me for money to prevent the passage of the Petroleum Tax Bill. The rumor must arise from the fact that members of the Association had been notified by parties at Harrisburg that that four thousand dollars would be required to defeat the Tax Bill; and had been urged to forward that amount for that purpose; a proposal which was indignantly and unanimously rejected by the members of the Association present at the meeting to which the proposition was submitted. Col. Duncan's telegrams to me merely reported this offer, the acceptance of which he never personally favored. I remain, gentlemen, Yours Respectfully,

Wm. Brough.

Withdrawal.

To the Republican Voters of Venango Co.:

GENTLEMEN:—At the solicitation of many friends, my name was announced as a candidate for County Treasurer; before, and afterward, a number of other names were announced, and in looking over the list of names, six in number, I find that, with one exception, I am the only one that has not been in the front ranks, and aided in putting down the late rebellion. Although believing that I did my whole duty at home, yet I will withdraw from the canvass and give my hearty support to some one of the boys who endured the hardships of a soldier, and suffered starvation while I was comfortable and happy at home.

WM. CARLISLE CROSS.

June 1, 1898.

The Venango Citizen of the 3d Inst. says: On Thursday last a man was found dead in Rockland township, in the woods a few rods from the road, about one mile east of Sandy station. He had on a pair of checkered cassimere trousers, checkered drawers and a flannel shirt, and cassimere vest, a gum overcoat was found within ten feet of his body. Hair, apparently from his whiskers, was found on his overcoat. He was a man about five feet eight inches in height, weighing about 150 pounds. He had been apparently dead several months and was so decomposed that it was impossible to recognize his features. Coroner Larue held an inquest over the body, the result of which was, that the deceased came to his death by causes to the jury unknown. It is supposed that the body is that of Michael Tawney who was in that region last fall and suddenly was missing. The indications would seem to point to violence as the cause of his death.

To retain your seat in a railroad car becomes necessary, while getting refreshments, to take your cushion with you.

The Janesville, Wis., Common Council have been troubled with the dog question, and have finally resolved that all are to be muzzled or shot, except dogs from the country coming in on business.

A CHILD in Springfield Illinois, fell down stairs the other day and broke out four teeth, Three of them were immediately reinserted and have grown firmly in their places. The fourth had been trodden upon, and it was thought best not to restore it.

There is a photographer of spirits in Buffalo, who professes to take the legitimate article and no other, and who is ready to take spirit photographs in any gallery in the city, with the materials of that gallery, in the presence of all the photographers in Buffalo.

A divorce case will be before the Court at Fort Wayne, next week, in which the plaintiff and defendant are members of the upper-crust. It is expected that it will exceed the Stewart case in Chicago. Upward of \$75,000 are involved. About seventy-five witnesses have been subpoenaed, and some of the best legal talent of the State are retained on each side. The wife sues for divorce.

ELOPEMENT.—The Buffalo Courier states that on Monday last, a man named Hutchinson, who has a wife and five children in that city, eloped with a young woman with whom he had been on terms of intimacy for some time past. A few days previous to the elopement, Hutchinson sent his wife and four children to Chicago on a visit. During their absence he sold the house and lot which he owned, and taking his paramour and one child, left, it is reported, for Cleveland.

If a young lady wishes to have herself published in the daily papers as "beautiful, fascinating and accomplished," all that she needs to do is to wrap up her clothes in a dirty towel, take a hundred or so of the "old man's" greenbacks, crawl out of the window about midnight, and elope with her father's hostler. It is certain as fate, and will bring the desired notoriety as sure as stagnant frog-ponds will bring mosquitoes. Besides, if she has a portion of romance in her composition, she will enjoy it.

NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT.—INDIAN SHOW. Petroleum Centre is to be visited on Friday next, afternoon and evening, with an entertainment to be given by a company of Indians, composing notable warriors, braves and squaws, from the Western Plains. They will perform under a tent on the circus ground, opposite the depot, and will represent the customs of the life of the Wild Indian. Trapez performances, tumbling, etc., also connected with the entertainment.

From an old advertisement published in the Georgia Journal, Milledgeville, in 1819, it is found that the Hon. Wm. H. Seward, late United States Real Estate Agent, was at that time a Georgia schoolmaster. He is therein announced as "late from Union College, New York, from which institution he comes highly recommended as a young gentleman of good and literary acquirements." He taught Latin, Greek, theoretical and practical mathematics, logic, chemistry, geography, English grammar and other branches too numerous to mention.

At the John Street M. E. Church, New York, a few days ago the women voted for church officers. The polls were open in the afternoon and evening, and the rain kept the ladies back. About six o'clock, however, they came in an avalanche—a hundred together. One woman who saw her husband about to vote, pounced upon him, took the ticket out of his hand, and inspected it, said: "You may vote that, dear; it is all right." Whereupon one of the elders groaned inwardly and said: "That's what we are coming to."

The Right Worthy Grand Lodge of Good Templars of North America closed its fifteenth annual session at Oswego, N. Y., Thursday night at midnight. It was the largest meeting the body has ever held. Delegates were in attendance from all the Grand Lodges in the Union and the British Provinces. Much business of importance for the organization was transacted. The following are the officers elected for the ensuing year: Right Worthy Grand Templar, Jonathan H. Orne, of Marblehead, Mass.; Right Worthy Grand Counselor, W. G. Williams, of Napanee, Ont., Canada; Right Worthy Grand Vice-Templar, Fanny Woodbury, of Chicago, Ill.; Right Worthy Grand Secretary, J. A. Spencer, of Cleveland, Ohio; Right Worthy Grand Treasurer, John Campbell, of St. Louis. The next annual session is to be held in St. Louis.

QUEER.—That notwithstanding A. D. Cotton & Co., broke up in the old bank building, opposite the McClintock House, J. S. Prather is now selling choice Groceries and Provisions in the same stand and at such low figures that he too must surely fall in the course of a few months. Please call and satisfy yourselves. Goods delivered free of charge. P. O. box 208.

CANDIDACY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STATE SENATOR.

Mr. Editor.—Please announce the name of Col. A. D. BRIDGES as a candidate for State Senator, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

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

ASSEMBLY.

PIONEER, May 22, 1898.

J. D. McJUNKIN, Franklin. 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, F W Andrews, John Porter, W A Farnsworth, J B Andrews, A Winans, H B Jones, J J Donahue, D Hill, J N Wise, R J Erngshan, G W Bovard, W S Jessop, I Emery, Jr, James Mackey, Thomas Chees, E W Perkins, C M Towbridge, Lyman Stewart, H Leo Nelson, C E Cooper, H Camp, H Daugherty, J P Zane, N P Stone, Geo Bolton, A P Nichols, J D Gage, G F Weltman, Jas Burcher, F Tyler, H Avery, S B Gould, Wm Cleary, John Seely, R Spadbury, J S Gibson.

ACCEPTANCE.

FRANKLIN, Pa., May 25, 1898.

Messrs. D. Stewart, John Jeffords, William Frough, 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, thereto I take pleasure in saying that I consent to your request, and hereby respectfully solicit the support of my Republican friends throughout the county on the 6th of June, 1898.

Yours, very truly, J. D. McJUNKIN.

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

TREASURER.

EDITOR RECORD:—Please announce the name of J. H. GRANT as a candidate for the nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Republican party. MANY CITIZENS.

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

Mr. Editor.—Please announce the name of GEO. W. BRIDHAM as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Republican party. MANY CITIZENS.

PROTHONOTARY.

Mr. Editor.—Please announce the name of E. G. CHAWFORD, of Helledon Township, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to the usages of the Republican party. SOLDIERS AND REPUBLICANS.

Mr. Editor.—Please announce the name of THOMAS D. NABBY, of Petroleum Centre, as a candidate for Prothonotary of Venango County, subject to the usages of the Democratic 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 Pennsylvania Volunteers, and lost a right arm in battle of Gettysburg. He is competent and obliging, and has served as Register and Recorder for one term to the entire satisfaction of all who have done business with him. VENANGO COUNTY.

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 Cornpiant Township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Republican party. MANY REPUBLICANS.

Local Notices.

Gents Furnishing Goods. Lammers & Alden have a full and complete stock of the most fashionable Gents' Furnishing Goods.

CLOTHING. At 40 per cent below Petroleum Centre prices.

LAMMER AND ALDEN. Sell more Goods than any other House in Petroleum Centre, because why? They sell first class goods cheaper than slop shop goods can be bought. June 2d ft.

NEW SELECT SCHOOL.

Mrs. BARBER 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. 29 ft.

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

ALLIUM.—Last week we called attention to the Constitution Bitters of Seward & Bentley, and now we take pleasure in noticing their ALLIUM 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 Druggists 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.

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 left with an officer for collection. Apr. 14th. 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 2 ft.

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 Plug Tobacco in the market, try W. H. NICHOLSON & Co.

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

RICH MARRIAGE GIFT.

The Premier Gift which a Young Man can present to his Bride, is a sound constitution and a pure heart. Seekers on these subjects, with the humane views of benevolent Physicians, sent in sealed envelopes, free of charge. Address HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P., Philadelphia, Pa. 322 3m

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. Plante's Fashionable Boot Shop, Washington Street, Petroleum Centre, Pa. Give him a trial. sep10-ft.

The very best pocket Cut-throats—Razors and Safety-razors—all warranted—at W. H. NICHOLSON'S.

The finest Plug Tobacco at W. H. NICHOLSON & CO'S.

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

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

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

Special Notice.

WORDS OF WISDOM for young men, on the Ruling Passion in Youth and Early Manhood, with SELF HELP for the Ering and Unfortunate. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P., PHILADELPHIA, PA. May 21, 3m.

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

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

CAUTION TO OIL OPERATORS. ALL persons are hereby cautioned against buying or using Sucker Hoops, with Socket Points, the Socket being wedged on to the rolls with either wedges or metallic wedges and connected together by a connecting bolt, except of my manufacture, as I am the sole owner of the patent for connecting rods in this manner; all others made substantially as above are direct infringements on my rights, and all parties using rods so connected, not of my manufacture, lay themselves liable to, and will be prosecuted according to law. W. J. INNIS. P. S.—This notice is inserted, not as a mere scare-crow, but will be attended to, and rigidly enforced. Apr. 10 3m. W. J. I.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE.

THE Manhattan Lease, nearly three acres on the Storey Farm; two wells with machinery and complete Tubing, Tanks, Tools, and the usual Oil Well Furniture, room for more wells. Apply at the Office, Storey Farm, or address Walter W. Wetmore, Tarr Farm, Pa.

FOR SALE. HOUSE on Egbert Farm, within five minutes walk of the Post Office. House well finished on inside; six rooms on first floor. Finest of spring water convenient to the house. Possession given immediately. Enquire at this office. 32ft.

COAL COAL COAL.

THE undersigned, having established a branch Yard at Rynd Farm, are now prepared to furnish

All Grades of Coal At the Very Lowest Prices.

Operators from Cherrytree Run, and vicinity, being at Petroleum Centre, can leave their orders at our office here, and have them promptly filled from the Rynd Farm Yard.

AT LESS COST THAN USUAL.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE SEARLES & CORNWELL, Office on G. C. & A. R. H. Petroleum Centre Branch Office at Rynd Farm.

N. B.—We hold exclusive control of the famous STONEBORO COAL. at both the above named points. Jun 2 ft.