

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pub. Centre, Friday, Sept 17. A. E. J. J. Editor. Time of Closing Mails. P. O., PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA. JULY 27th, 1868. Call further notice the mails will arrive at and depart from this office as follows: ARRIVE South and East, via Irvineton, 10.75 A. M. South and West, " Meadville, 5.15 P. M. North and East, " Corry, 2.55 " DEPART South and West, 5.45 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. Oxtoby, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M. Sabbath School at 9 1/2 A. M. cents 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. Vesper 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, SEPT. 14th, 1869. Northward Trains Leave Pet. Centre 7:30 a. m., ar. at Corry 9:40 a. m. 10:44 a. m., ar. " 1:25 p. m. 2:55 p. m., ar. " 5:10 p. m. 4:55 p. m., ar. Titusville 5:30 p. m.

Southward Trains Leave Pet. Centre, 7:10 a. m., ar. at Oil City 8:10 am 11:00 p. m., ar. " 1:45 p. m. 7:55 p. m., ar. " 8:25 p. m. 4:30 p. m., ar. " 5:00 p. m. This Train will stop 20 minutes for dinner. These are Freight Trains and go to Titusville and Oil City. *These trains pass at this point. The Southward Train stopping for breakfast. *The 2:55 p. m. Train going North and the 7:55 Train going South run on Sundays.

NOTICE. VOTERS OF PETROLEUM CENTRE PRE-SINCT: I will be in Petroleum Centre, at the Central House, on Monday, Sept 20th, 1869, from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m., and invite all persons whose names are not registered (see list in Esquire Donaghy's office) to meet me and have their names registered. I will also be at Rouseville on Saturday, September 18th, and at Plumer on Wednesday, September 22d. H. B. HIXON, Assessor.

TURTLE SOUP TO-NIGHT.—At the Rochester House this evening will be served turtle soup and steaks.

The Humboldt anniversary was celebrated all over the country. In New York a monument was unveiled in Central Park, and an oration delivered in German by Dr Lieber.

It appeared in the Supreme Court of New York yesterday that \$805,000 was lost by the express company in the recent robbery on the New York Central road.

A passing canal boat, the other day, bore an odd name: "I want a Mother-in-law." An exchange remarks that the captain must be the bravest man in the world.

The Arnold & Phinney well, on Kane Run, which we noticed a few days since as being destroyed by fire, is now running, and doing fifty barrels, with a depth of only three feet in the third sand. This well bids fair to be one of the best in oildom.

ARRESTED.—A woman known as "Crazy Jane" was arrested while making considerable disturbance upon the street this morning, and locked up in a stable.

THANKS.—We have received a bountiful supply of turtle soup and the accompanying deserts from Sutherland & Taylor, proprietors of the Petroleum Exchange restaurant, for which we express thanks. Their many friends are partaking of their hospitalities without stint to-day, and turtle soup and steak are suffering terribly in that establishment. There is always room for one more, however, and the boys are always glad to their friends. Call on them tonight.

NEW WELL.—A new well was struck on Shaffer Run, two days ago, and commenced yielding at the rate of 100 barrels, and at last reports was doing about 75 barrels. It is the property of Corwell, Tiernan and Hason. The Maggie well, on the same tract, belonging to the same company, which has pumped more oil within the last two years than any well in this region, had an application of benzine during the first of the present week, and immediately commenced flowing, and continued to do so for two days, and is now producing 70 barrels.

Nine Silk Hats at Lammers & Alden's.

Pursuant to call of the Committee, the electors of Corplanter township met in the Opera House at Petroleum Centre, on Thursday afternoon, 15th inst., and made the following nominations: For Justice of the Peace—Samuel Reynolds, of Petroleum Centre.

For Constable—George F. Lawrence, of Petroleum Centre. For School Directors—James H. Smith, Petroleum Centre; A. S. Prather, Plumer; A. M. Turner, Siverleyville.

For Overseers of the Poor—Imla Holloway, Plumer; G. C. Prather, Plumer. For Township Auditor—Wm. R. Purdue, Rynd Farm.

For Township Clerk, Wm. R. Purdue, Rynd Farm. For Road Commissioner—James Sage, Plumer.

For Assessor—Imla Holloway, of Plumer. JAMES A. GIBSON, Chairman. H. M. HUGHES, Secretary.

JOHNNY STEELE'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY.—We can hardly pick up a paper just now but what has a paragraph stating that Johnny Steele is writing an autobiography. Such a thing would no doubt be interesting, but we are authorized to state that no such thing has been contemplated by "Coal Oil Johnny." That the work would be in great demand, no one will contradict, as his name is known throughout the United States, and his exploits are equally as familiar. We shall be able to state in a few days whether his career will be written up at all or not, but we are now prepared to state that there will be no autobiography—but there may be a biography of his life yet published.

SPOT THIEF.—On Sunday last a man named George Cunningham hired a horse and buggy of Mr. McCormick, at Shamburg, to come to Petroleum Centre, and nothing was heard of Cunningham or horse, until last evening, when Mr. A. S. Prather, of Plumer, was returning home from this place, he heard the neighing of a horse in the woods just above James McCray's house, and upon going to the spot found a horse hitched to a buggy, the animal tied to a tree, and apparently in a starving condition. The horse was kindly cared for, and was brought to Petroleum Centre to-day, and was immediately identified as the same hired by Cunningham at Shamburg. Cunningham has not been heard of.

"IT NEVER RAINS UNLESS IT POURS."—Considerable excitement and some anxiety seems to exist among our young men just at present. A "panic" is the result. Our young and respected townsman, Geo. M. Wright, determined never to be outdone by his associates, has taken unto himself wings and flown to his home, in Conneaut, O. where awaits him a blushing young maiden who is to share his fortunes henceforth till death doth part man and wife. This announcement will take his many friends in this vicinity by surprise, but it is another evidence that a promising young man can set aside the daily production of oil wells, for a time and turn his attention to the "sterner" realities of his existence.

Who next? A MYSTERY.—The Tunkhannock Republican gives the following as beyond its comprehension: "Susquehanna county has a first-class mystery. A man named D. A. Johnson, of Franklin Venango county, Pa., writes to the postmaster of Rushville, Susquehanna county, giving an account of the finding of the dead body of a man with skull broken and signs of having been dead a week. In his pocket was found a card bearing the words 'Dr. O. Stewart, of Susquehanna county, Pa.' A tall man by the name of Corson had been traveling with him when last seen. Upon this representation a man named Corson was arrested and put in jail at Montrose. It now turns up through a letter to the district attorney of Susquehanna county that the citizens of Venango county knew nothing of the murder as above described, or of D. A. Johnson." The whole affair is involved in deep mystery. Corson has since been discharged, as the only evidence against him is Johnson's letter."

In the late convention at Newport, Mrs. Isabella Beecher Hooker said that she hoped the first man she met on the other side of Jordan, outside her family circle, would be Moses. Mrs. Stanton being asked by a grave gentleman on the platform whom she would like to meet first, said Job's wife.

The Clarion Democrat makes the following "lock" inquiry: "Will not the borough dads have the weeds cut off the streets, so that the greese can get at the grass, and thus keep them from spending so much time on the sidewalk?"

Four First class Horses for sale at J. M. Sharp's Coal Yard. Those wishing to purchase will find it to their interest to call and see them.

TELEGRAPH

REPORTED FOR THE DAILY RECORD. Afternoon Dispatches.

St. Louis, Sept. 16. An Omaha despatch says: The election Tuesday was peaceable though excited. Returns indicate the election of three Representatives and one Senator to the Legislature and Republican Sheriff, Clerk, Assessor and Commissioner. The Democrats elected Probate Judge and Treasurer, who run on the peoples ticket. Pueblo and Los Dumans counties give increased Republican majorities. Clear Creek county, as far as heard from, gives a Republican majority.

A gentleman who accompanied Secretary Seward to Sitka, writes that the mosquitoes of that region do not carry venom in their bills, which has the anesthetic effect of chloroform. Like modern dentists they put their patients to sleep before operating on them. So different are they from the common species, that the tired traveler no longer feels annoyed by the buzzing of their wings but rather courts the music as a presage of a good night's rest. They are large and vigorous, and it is thought by some, if care be taken to disseminate them, they might displace the old variety altogether. Indeed Mr. Seward took pains to have some of them exported to the patent office at Washington, for distribution. This was only one of many discoveries that were made in regard to the productions of the ex-secretary's late purchase; and he recommends that a territorial government should be formed at once, and the territory named "Utopia."

Iron Gate, Wheat Sheaf, Globe Heaters Oriental, and Parlor Stoves, at Nicholson & Blackmon's hardware store.

THE BUFFALO CHIMES.—The carillon of bells manufactured in France for St. Joseph's Cathedral, in Buffalo, having been mounted in the tower of the edifice last Sabbath, large crowds of citizens of all denominations assembled at the Cathedral and filled the neighboring streets to listen to the first performance of the bells forty-three in number, and the third largest chimes in the world. They are worked by a key board, and discourse beautiful music. Attached to the carillon, independent of the key board, is a clock which by delicate machinery, is made to play any required tune on the bells by means of one hundred and twenty-three hammers arranged on the outside of the bells. The clock also strikes the hour, half, and quarter hour. In honor of the first performance of the bells, Bishop Ryan celebrated Pontifical High Mass Sabbath morning, officiated at vespers in the afternoon, and preached a sermon in the evening, the carillon being played by the organist of the cathedral.

Tinware, in retail and jobbing lots, at Nicholson & Blackmon's.

The house of Henry Willett's, on Limburg street, Detroit, was entered Wednesday night by a burglar. Willett's wife was aroused by the noise, and called her husband, who sprang out of bed and ran against him, grappled with him and threw him, when the burglar drew a knife and stabbed Willett's six times, killing him instantly. The murderer then jumped through a window. The alarm was soon given, and the man found hidden this morning near the place of crime, and safely lodged in the station house. It is reported that Willett's previous night effected an insurance of \$50,000 upon his life.

A RARE CHANCE.—Mr. Barker, having engaged the services of Mr. E. Howard, whose reputation as a colorist ranks with the first artists of the country, is prepared to furnish photographs beautifully colored or finished in India ink. Those desiring such work, either from life or copied from small pictures, should embrace the opportunity at once, and call at Barker's photographic gallery, on Washington street, Petroleum Centre. aug25-1m

Any one at all conversant with the traits of the Beecher family knows that the authoress of the Byron scandal will not remain quiet under the severe castigation she has been receiving from the American press. If a dozen trans-Atlantic trips, the expenditure of a small fortune in ocean telegrams, and the employment of the remainder of her days are necessary to the obtaining of additional facts and testimony bearing on this matter, Mrs. Stowe will obtain them. She is the last person to succumb under an adverse fire, however overwhelming. We may therefore rest assured that the September Atlantic paper is but the beginning of the end of a matter which should never have been disturbed, assuming that Mrs. Stowe had conclusive proof of all she asserted. While she remains silent now her friends affirm that she is gathering material for an immediate counterblast, to be followed by others in regular succession.

The Charles City (Ia.) Advocate says that a woman started for town with a dozen eggs and a few pounds of butter in a basket one hot day last week; when she got there all that was found in her basket was a lock of hair and a dozen young chickens.

Lammers & Alden have a new stock of all late styles of Hats and Caps. If There are only one thousand forms of religion in the world from which to choose.

The storm which has recently appeared on our eastern coast has apparently visited Europe. In Paris it was very severe, prostrating telegraph wires and interrupting communications.

CANDIDACY ANNOUNCEMENTS. CONSTABLE.

Mr. Enron.—Please announce the name of Thomas Mellicham as a candidate for Constable, at the October election. Mr. Mellicham has filled the office of Constable very acceptably since his election last spring, and we believe he will be supported irrespective of party for re-election this fall. MANY CITIZENS.

Local Notices. WANTED. A Girl to do general housework. Enquire of Mrs. R. W. Evans, in Wild Cat. sep11

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES. A fine assortment at the Furniture Store. I-w

WHITE LIME. A fresh supply, just received at R. R. Fisher's Drug Store.

Use Morrison's Genuine Pine Tar and Persian Healing Soaps. These soaps are impregnated with essences of the mildest and most Balsamic nature, and are warranted perfectly innocuous and free from mineral and other pernicious admixtures, and are selected by the ladies and the public in general in preference to all other soaps, as the great producers and preservers of a healthy purity of complexion, and a conservator of female beauty. For the softness and delicacy which they induce to the hands and face, their capability of soothing irritation and removing unsightly eruptions, render them indispensable to every toll et. We kindly ask the public to try the virtues of these soaps. J. L. H. & Co., Proprietors. A. D. Miller & Co., General Agents. Jul22-2m.

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, 2m

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. Cutto & Company broke up. Jan24f.

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

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

The Great Yosemite Bitters. All hail great benefactor. Who to cure us of our ills, Gives life to the disconsolate, Without noxious drugs or pills.— Drives disease from out the system, Fills the heart with life and light, With the best of all the tonics, Downer's Great Yosemite!

With root from out the valleys, Where California's sun doth shine, Giving wealth to us poor mortals, Beyond the riches of her mines, Wealth of health and happiness, Its blessings none should slight, Do you want it? Would you have it? Use Downer's Great Yosemite!

Come ye sick, diseased, disconsolate, Why should you pine and die? Ye feeble, faint and languishing, Come, these glorious Bitters try, See how these quacks and nostrums, Flew from the land in flight, Giving place to this pure tonic, Downer's Great Yosemite! Jul24f.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The New York Meat Market! H. & W. PARKER have fitted up a new building on Main street, Opposite the McClintock House, and intend keeping what Petroleum Centre has long needed, a first-class Meat Market. Only the CHOICEST AND BEST MEATS will be kept. It will be our aim to serve our customers with promptness and to their entire satisfaction. H. & W. PARKER. sep11f.

To Milliners and Country Storekeepers. FALL TRADE. WHOLESALE DEPARTMENT UP STAIRS.

DESIABLE goods received daily from auction and private sale. Our stock of Feathers, Flowers, Satins, Silks, Velvets, Ribbons, Laces, Trimmings, Petticoats, Tankes, Notions, Fancy Goods, etc., etc., is large, and cheap. We cut lengths at piece prices. Buy and sell for cash.

Edward Ridley & Son, 309, 311, & 311 1/2 Grand, and 66, 68 & 70 Allen Streets, Corner store, 5th block east from the Bowery. NEW YORK CITY. sep11f.

McEowen & Co., (Corner Spring and Monroe Streets.) TITUSVILLE

WOULD call the attention of Grocery Dealers of the Oil Regions to the fact that they have established for the accommodation of the trade

A strictly Wholesale Grocery House,

The only one of the kind in the Oil Region. We have seen the necessity of such an establishment for a long time. The

Retail Dealer who pays his taxes and licenses and ventures his capital in his business.

Should Be Protected.

In It. We propose to do it by Selling to Dealers Only.

We have in store a LARGE AND CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK,

comprising everything that is required in a FIRST-CLASS STORE,

Which we offer at prices that will

Compete with any Market in the Country.

We cordially invite an examination of our stock and satisfy yourselves. sept.143m.

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Fall Trade

NEW GOODS, NEW GOODS,

J. BAUM, WASHINGTON ST.

Petroleum Centre, Pa.

HAS JUST OPENED A LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK OF

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,

For the Fall Trade, embracing a full Line BLACK ALPACAS,

POPLIN ALPACAS, POPLINS, SILKS

CLOAKS,

SHAWLS,

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Chintzes, Calicos, Muslins, and a choice assortment of

LADIES AND GENTS FURNISHING GOODS,

And also a choice assortment of FLANNES very cheap. Our Line of Alpaca and Poplin Alpaca is the finest and cheapest in the place. sept.15f.