

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 Irvineton, 10.28 A. M. South and West, " Meadville, 5.18 P. M. North and East, " Corry, 2.56 " 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. OXTON, 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. calls 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. OILCREEK & ALLEGHENY RIVER RAILWAY MONDAY, SEPT. 14th, 1898.

Northward Trains. Leave Pet. Centre 7:10 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. " " 4:50 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. " " 7:50 p. m., ar. " 8:35 p. m. " " 11:30 p. m., ar. " 5:50 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 7:50 Train going South run on Sundays.

Republican Meeting Thursday evening, at Akin's Hall.

Speeches by General Harrison Allen, C. E. Taylor, esq., and W. C. Rhem.

The Republicans of Petroleum Centre and vicinity are invited to attend a Republican meeting at Akin's Hall, on Thursday evening next. The meeting will be addressed by a general turn out.

Gov. Geary passed through our place this afternoon, looking hale and hearty. Three covers were given by the crowd at the depot. The Governor was introduced and shook hands with a number of our citizens. The train then moved on to Titusville.

PERSONAL.—We received a call to-day from Mr. A. E. Williams of the Chautauque County Press, at Jamestown, N. Y. Like the paper he represents, his congenial whole-souled manner wins the stranger, and gathers about him lasting friends. We hope to meet him again.

NOTICE.—The parties that took the clock from the Cozy Billiard Parlor, will please call and get the key for same, as we have no further use for it and it is a nuisance in our hands. By complying with the above you will much oblige, Rolson & Arnold.

A special through train left Omaha for San Francisco yesterday, and will be run regularly hereafter once a week. A Pullman drawing room and hotel car will compose the train. The distance will be run in three days and a half. The fare from the points named will be \$150 in currency.

The Avondale subscription has reached \$155,598.48.

Men would think it folly to have a yard stick made of a substance that might vary in length a quarter in a day, and yet our dollar measure has now no greater stability.

A bright woman in Indiana was Mrs. Blake in the morning, Mrs. Gibbs at noon, and Mrs. Soon in the afternoon. The legal facilities of that State are wonderful.

WILLIAMSPORT HORSE FAIR.—A great national horse fair is to be held at Williamsport, Pa., commencing on the 19th inst. and continuing four days. The very large amount of \$21,400 is to be given in premiums. The heaviest is a purse of \$7,000, which is given for a trot between Goldsmith Maid and American Girl, \$5,000 to the first and \$2,000 to the second. There is a purse of \$5,000 for 3:27 horses; two, of \$2,000 each, for 2:33 and 2:39 horses, and other large premiums to accommodate all classes. Such liberal premiums cannot fail to attract fine fields of horses. The entries close October 12th. Horses will be carried on the railroads at half price.

CITY DIRECTORY.—Mr. Joseph Wiggins, compiler of the new directory for Oil Creek, French Creek and Allegheny Valley, is now delivering the work to subscribers. It is a handsome volume of 250 pages, and affords a full and reliable directory of the resident population of Meadville, Franklin, Oil City, Venango City, Petroleum Centre, Titusville, Corry, Jamestown, N. Y., Warren, Pa., Kittanning, Freeport, Sharpburg, and Etna, together with historical notices of each place, and a description of the manufactures, educational institutions, churches, places of interest and business sources.

The work was printed and bound at the Republican office, Meadville, and presents a fine typography. The compilation of the work has involved a heavy expense to the publisher, but it is his intention to continue it from year to year, with such additions as may be necessary to make it a complete and popular directory. It is by all odds the best publication of the kind ever issued for the region it embraces, and should receive a liberal encouragement from the business community.—Titusville Herald.

They have a she-devil for a school warden in La Crosse, Wisconsin. A little girl was guilty of the unpardonable sin of taking a bite from an apple during study hours. This Xantippe of a teacher seized the offender and placed her on a table. She then made all the scholars disgorge from their pockets their apples, realizing about a dozen, which she compelled the little girl to eat, until she vomited from her overloaded stomach. Among the inflictions of this inhuman teacher the favorite one is whipping the children's feet until blood flows, gagging her scholars with wooden pins, and switching their arms until the blood trickles down their finger ends. The La Crosse School Board are in favor of corporal punishment, and sustain the teachers in pounding the scholars.

An old man, whose sight was defective and who had to use glasses, was reading a newspaper on the train between Wheeling, Va., and Washington, a few days ago. When the cars reached the tunnel the quick disappearance of the light caused him to look up. Taking off his spectacles and wiping them, he replaced them and tried to read. Perceiving that all was still dark, he dropped both paper and spectacles, exclaiming, in a loud voice, "My God, I'm blind, I'm blind!" This aroused the passengers, and it was a long time before he could be convinced what was the matter. On coming again to the light he thanked God fervently for his sight.

The storm which has prevailed in the east since Saturday night is said to be the severest which has visited that part of the country since 1850. The damage has been very great. Bridges have been swept away, houses destroyed, and communication is interrupted. It is thought that it will require two weeks to repair the damages on the Erie Canal alone. The accounts received convey some idea of its extent, but we fear the worst is yet to come.

Says the New York Sun: "Gen. Babcock, of Gen. Grant's staff, is travelling in St. Domingo, and, as they say, is dickering for the long coveted bay of Samana for a naval station. Perhaps this is what he is doing; but we fancy that he has been sent to look after the who's Dominican Republic with a view to informing Gen. Grant whether it will be worth while to annex it. For such a duty Babcock is an excellent man, shrewd, sensible, and with his eyes always open."

Commissioner Delano has decided that wholesale apothecaries and druggists doing business as such under a regular license must cease to sell liquors in quantities exceeding half a pint at a time, or pay the special tax required of a retail liquor dealer. His decision also covers the case of sales of alcohol by such parties, who sell in quantities less than five gallons at any one time, or pay the special tax required by wholesale liquor dealers.

One of the Salt Lake saints has for three of his wives a grandmother, mother and daughter—in this way avoiding the unpleasantness of a mother-in-law.

It is rumored that the Secretary of Warship lies between Dan Cameron, of Pennsylvania, and General Horace Porter, of the President's household. Per contra, it is said that Sherman holds it until Congress meets.

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

TELEGRAPH

REPORTED FOR THE DAILY RECORD,

Afternoon Dispatches.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.

Action of Gold Board.

The Gold Board Committee to-day recommended a plan for the establishment of the clearing of gold contracts in connection with the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co. Final action will be taken Saturday.

CONNECTICUT ELECTION.

The election in Connecticut, yesterday, is imperfectly reported, owing to the prostration of the telegraph wires. A Democratic victory is expected in Hartford.

A writer describing Japanese cemeteries, bears testimony to the affection generally shown for the dead, by the erection of memorial stones and planting of flowers. At the cemetery at Illogo, quite a number of the stones are mere boulders of an oblong shape, standing upright in a stone socket, and sculptured to represent the human figure, or with a simple inscription. More frequently the stones are substantial slabs, decorated with an image of Buddha in relief. In one instance a mammoth turtle supporting the monument proper on its back, the whole elevated on a mammoth pedestal. In all cases these memorials have placed on the ground before them a receptacle for flowers, made from stone or bamboo, and it is due to the Japanese people to say that fidelity to the memory of the dead is a national characteristic. Even where stones are crumbling with age, true human hearts survive to bring fresh flowers as a perpetual offering.

Fisk, Jr., has given his opinion—at last. A reporter cornered him and got from him the following view of the situation from the Fiskian "stand point:"

"If there were so many sharp men bit must not they have been operating? If they had had me where the hair was short would they have made me squeal? Well I guess yes! Talk about buying \$30,000,000 of gold! Why no one supposed that there were so many wild men that were more crazy than the man who bought it. The whole matter can be placed in a nutshell Mr. Beldon told Mr. Speyer in his (Mr. Beldon's) office, in my presence, that any orders that I might give him (Speyer) would be on Beldon's account. With that I told him to buy at 60, never supposing he could raise \$10,000, instead of which he took in \$30,000,000, and a great many sharp men, too. It is nothing but a nine days wonder. I know there are a great many sick men in Gotham, but the world still moves."

Prince Arthur was, on Friday, made a chief of the Mohawks, at their village near Brantford, Canada. He was inducted into the honor by one of the chiefs of the Six Nations, a descendant of the celebrated Brant. His older brothers have also been made chiefs of the tribe. He was named "The flying Sun," because, "like the sun, he is flying from east to west over the vast dominions of his mother." He is not the only son of Victoria, flying over his mother's dominions, who has proved to be a high-flyer.

An Alligator seven feet five inches long, four feet in circumference, and weighing one hundred and sixty pounds, was caught on a trout line at Cairo, Illinois, the other day. No ordinary hook could have held this monster, but the line had accidentally become twisted around the jaw, and thus it was held, drawn to the surface, and dispatched with a knife.

Lord Almsley, who is to marry Miss Lily Martin of Staten Island, gave the most magnificent banquet given in New York, on Saturday morning, to his friends, male and female. The tablecloth was of corded silk, trimmed with lace, and the dishes and goblets were of solid silver, lined with gold. The cost of the banquet was \$15,000.

Dr. A. D. Miller, successor to Hiram Maguire, who has been detained for a couple of months arranging his business in Pennsylvania, is now at his post on the corner of Second and Court streets. He expects to be occupying the corner room in Wilhelm's new building on Fourth street by the 1st of November, and will then have one of the most attractive establishments in the city.—Portsmouth (Ohio) Times.

Lost.—On Sabbath afternoon last, an Onyx Sleeve Button, on which was engraved the letter J. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at H. C. Jarvis' Furniture store. Oct. 4-3t

The local of the Erie Republican says there are only two persons in the country who have not communicated their views of the Byron question to the newspapers, and they are citizens of Cape Cod, who went out mackerel fishing six weeks ago, and haven't returned.

Sitting perfectly erect would add ten years to the lives of many sedentary persons, besides preventing much sickness.

Just received—our Oriental Parlor Stoves Sept 28-4t Nicholson & Blackmon.

State, county, borough and township elections Tuesday, October 12, 1898.

FRUIT CANS! at NICHOLSON & BLACKMON'S.

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

Lammers & Alden are selling off present stock at cost.

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

Lammers & Alden have a new stock of all late styles of Hats and Caps. if

CANDIDACY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Mr. EYBORN.—Please announce the name of Mrs. M. E. EYBORN, as a candidate for Justice of the Peace in Conyngham township, at the ensuing October election, and oblige. MANY CITIZENS. Plumer, Sept. 15, 1898.

Local Notices.

CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS! JUST RECEIVED, some nice patterns, at THE FURNITURE STORE.

CONJUGAL LOVE.

and the Happiness of True Marriage

ESSAYS for Young Men on the Errors, Abuses and Diseases which destroy the Manly Powers and create impediments of MARRIAGE, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes free of charge. Address Howard Association, Box P., Philadelphia, Pa. sept15m.

Use Morrison's Genuine Pine Tar and Persian Healing Soaps.

These soaps are impregnated with exotics of the mildest and most balsamic nature, and are warranted perfectly innocent 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 toilet. We kindly ask the public to try the virtues of these soaps. J. L. H. & Co., Proprietors. A. D. Miller & Co., General Agents. July23-3m.

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, 3m

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. Cotto & Company broke up.

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

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

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE. Dwelling House for sale. Inquire of JAMES RUTHERFORD.

COW LOST. Strayed or stolen from the enclosure of the subscriber, on Fair Farm, on Thursday last, a large red cow with white face, with right horn off, white tail and three white feet. A reward of ten dollars will be paid to any person returning the same to me at Fair Farm. PAT CONERTLY.

SHORT-HAND IN A NUTSHELL. SHORT HAND CAN NOW BE ACQUIRED IN ONE MONTH. This work is an improvement upon the system used by the reporters of the British Parliament. It is divided into seven short and easy lessons and can be mastered by any one. It is the greatest production of its age. Enclose \$1 for the complete work. Address J. A. GRAY, Box 672, N. Y. P. O.

For Sale.

ONE superior 12 horse Portable Altes Engine, and one 10 horse Portable Wood & Mann Engine, both in perfect order, and running; also one 10 horse Washington Stationary, on the J. Pierson Farm, Cherrytree. 29-4t T. PROTHINGHAM.

Dissolution.

THE Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of A. D. Miller & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts against the late firm will be settled by M. S. SIMMONS at the old stand. M. S. SIMMONS, Pet. Centre, Sept. 24, '98. A. D. MILLER.

DISSOLUTION.

The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Wachter & Co., is dissolved, and all parties indebted to the firm, are requested to settle at the old stand, Hess Farm, or at Pet. Centre, opposite the brick bank. July24t H. C. W.

Boarding House for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale his house on Cherrytree Run, arranged for a Boarding House, with or without furniture, on the most reasonable terms. Large Rooms with barroom attached. For particulars inquire at this office or at Charles Klug's Meat Market. J. C. LEONARD. Cherrytree Run, Sept. 29, '98. 1w.

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES. A fine assortment at the Furniture Store. 1-w

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 ALAPACAS,

POPLIN ALAPACAS,

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 Alpacas and Poplin Alpacas is the finest and cheapest in the place. sept15:if

The New York

Meat Market!

H. & W. PARKER have fitted up a new building on

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. sept15:if H. & W. PARKER.

Petrol'm Exchange Saloon

AND RESTAURANT.

SUTHERLAND & TAYLOR, PROPS

FRESH ALL THE LUXURIES!

OYSTERS! Received OF THE DAILY! SEASON!

Washington Street, Petroleum Centre, Pa., next door to Isham & Co's Jewelry Store

Day Boarders accommodated. Meals served all hours. Oysters, and every description of game furnished guests. No pains will be spared to accommodate the who favor us with their patronage. ED. SUTHERLAND. GEO. TAYLOR. Petroleum Centre, Sept. 14, '98.

John C. Welch,

Seneca-St., Oil City, Pa., Dealer in

Gibbs, Russell & Co's Boring and Fishing Tools,

Innis' Sucker Rods,

Driving Pipe, Derrick Iron, Grate Bars,

Balance Wheels & Pulleys, all sizes.

My connection with Meadville and Pittsburgh foundries is such that I can get out all kinds of castings at short order. JOHN C. WELCH. Oil City, Feb. 17, 1898—K