

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Tuesday, Nov. 23.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS ON O. C. & A. R. R.

No. 2, Passenger.—Leave Corry 11.20 a. m.; Titusville, 12.59 p. m.; Petroleum Centre, 1.40 p. m.; Oil City, 2.22 p. m.; Irvineton, 5.10 p. m.

No. 4, Passenger.—Leave Corry 6.10 a. m.; Titusville, 7.35 a. m.; Petroleum Centre, 8.14 a. m.; Oil City, 8.59 a. m.; arrive at Irvineton 11.40 a. m.

No. 6, Passenger.—Leave Corry 6.05 p. m.; Titusville, 7.50 p. m.; Petroleum Centre, 8.38 p. m.; arrive at Oil City 9.20 p. m.

No. 1, Passenger.—Leave Irvineton 7.15 a. m.; Oil City, 10.10 a. m.; Petroleum Centre, 11.05 a. m.; Titusville, 11.50 a. m.; arrive at Corry 1.40 p. m.

No. 3, Passenger.—Leave Irvineton, 12.05 p. m.; Oil City 2.57 p. m.; Petroleum Centre, 3.36 p. m.; Titusville, 4.20 p. m.; arrive at Corry 5.45 p. m.

No. 5, Passenger.—Leave Oil City 7.00 a. m.; Petroleum Centre, 7.43 a. m.; Titusville, 8.20 a. m.; arrive at Corry 10.10 a. m.

Divine Services.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

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

Rev. J. T. OXTORT, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/2 P. M. cate 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.

The 11:05 a. m., passenger train, north, was delayed an hour and a half by an engine being off the track at Oil City.

This morning's train, South, took a large number of our citizens to Franklin, as witnesses and spectators to the trial of Gus Rhell.

The screen behind which David Tate stood when he was shot, and through which the fatal ball passed, was taken to Franklin this noon to offer in evidence where the trial is in progress.

Last night the engine house and rig on lease 56, Pierson Farm, was burned to the ground. It took fire from the escape of gas, and entails a loss of from two to three hundred dollars to G. J. Cross, owner of the well.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the boiler of the Funk Well, near Titusville, exploded smashing the engine house into splinters, and greatly injuring the engineer, named Jessie Hays. The cause of the explosion is not known.

Miss Florence, who has sued Gen Butler for the recovery of Gen. Twiggs's sword, is a niece of Gen. Twiggs, and that the story told by Mr. Parton in his "New Orleans" volume is destitute of truth. The assertion made at that time that Miss Florence was the mistress of Gen. Twiggs, is without foundation.

We notice that it is announced in some of the New York papers that the newspapers in Pennsylvania are advocating the exclusion of the Bible from the Common Schools. Under our laws the Bible may be used or excluded at the option of the teachers or School Boards, and in many of the Schools it has been used for years.

They have a way in New York for almost everything. A while ago Horace Greeley's watch was stolen. An attorney, whose practice made him familiar with the thieving fraternity, gave general notice that the watch must be returned—and it was. A few days ago Mr Hastings, of the Commercial Advertiser, was relieved of his watch. The Sun advised the thief to return it, as it was a much prized gift from Thurlow Weed. The thief took the advice and sent back the watch with a characteristic note, expressing his "regret, not nola the man was a editor."

The subsidy business will be up in Washington on a large scale this winter. The amount asked of Congress, it is estimated by those who are familiar with the subject will not fall short of \$500,000,000 in money or bonds, and 250,000,000 acres of Government land. Indeed, bills have been introduced in the last and present Congress, asking for about two-thirds of these sums, and those known to be in preparation will bring them fully up to the figures named. The highest order of legal talent has been engaged to push these claims. One applicant has retained an ex-United States Attorney General, another employs an ex-Secretary of the Interior, and another an ex-Major General.

Messner the Murderer in his Cell.

From the Rochester Union.

There is now lying in the jail of this city a man named Joseph Messner, under sentence of death. Unless the State Executive should interpose by reprieve or commutation, on the 10th day of December he will be executed. This condemned man is verging upon sixty years of age, and is already far advanced upon the road from life's prime to the grave. He will be missed and mourned as little as any man in the city when dead, because he is as little known as any.

Messner is to be executed not because he is clearly guilty of murder—not because public so regard it—not because the public safety demands his life—not even because the moral influence of the gallows must be maintained. It is because his counsel were too confident in their ability to procure his acquittal—because the jury did not understand the full force of the verdict they were to return—because, technically he stands proven guilty of murder, and there is no legal opening by which he can be released.

Full assortment of Diaries for 1870, just received at W. H. Nicholson & Co's. Stationery and Variety Store. [Nov. 23rd.]

Last evening a young man from Meadville, came to this place in search of a brother, whom he learned was seriously ill here. It seems that the brother had been on the creek for some months and had led a wild and dissipated life during that time. After some search the young man was found up town in a place of ill-repute, in the last stages of a leathome and nameless disease. The young man, who had come to look after him, took him away to-day to his home. This boy (was a few years ago a steady, virtuous young man, but falling in with evil companions he rapidly fell into bad habits, and is now a mere wreck of humanity with apparently but a short time to live. He was a sad sight to look upon, emaciated and wasted away to almost a living corpse, a victim of dissipation and licentious passions. To look at him was a regret that man could so degrade himself.

The old established house of Owen Gaffney, is acknowledged by all to be the place to find pure and unadulterated wines and liquors. [Nov. 19th.]

News Items.

A lady in Verden, Ill., has earned a farm of 706 acres by teaching school.

Eugenie no doubt thinks the Suez Canal the most striking passage in Egyptian history.

Pere Hyacinthe is the guest of the Hon. R. C. Winthrop at Brooklyn, near Boston, Bergen, Germany, has a papier-mache church which will hold one thousand people.

Twenty-five thousand dollars has been refused for an eight interest in the Onondaga stoneman.

Camphausen, the present Prussian Bottwell, was formerly as President of the Cologne Chamber of Commerce.

A lady in Santa Clara, Cal., had to have a leg amputated in consequence of an injury received by kneeling on a hoop skirt.

Gladstone recently, during a dreary Parliamentary debate, occupied his time by translating into Greek the hymn "Rock of Ages."

The Russian Legation in Switzerland has been transferred from Berne to Geneva, on account of the greater number of Russians in the latter city.

The cook of the Emperor of Austria committed suicide in grief that the dinner prepared for the Crown Prince of Prussia was not approved.

In London they have abandoned the velocipede and adopting steam wagonettes; which, however, they are only permitted to use at night.

A leggar in England carries a physician's certificate, which, when deciphered, is found to testify that the bearer is afflicted with hypocrisy and laziness.

A bride in Cheatham county, Tenn., arrayed for the altar concluded to marry an old lover who came hurriedly to see the ceremony, and she actually did it.

A Rochester lady writes that the Onondaga stone man reminds her of Senator Roscoe Conkling, although he is not near so good looking as the Senator.

A Reform Evangelical Spanish Church has been established at Seville, and the Rev. J. B. Cabera has gone to Madrid to obtain a charter for its organization from the Cortes.

A member of the Tennessee House of Representative recently offered a resolution for the sale of the portraits of Gen. Thomas and Senator Brownlow, owned by the State.

The Cherokee Council convened at Tahlequah, Arkansas, on the 1st inst. The Indians are said to be in a prosperous condition.

A Philadelphia Sensation—The Man who Inherited \$76,000,000.

From the Philadelphia Age.

There has been a sudden explosion in our higher life circles—an explosion that has caused disaster, dismay, and grief. Some weeks ago the announcement appeared that a young man, who, for three years prior, had been serving the guests of a Hatterburg hotel with tripe and browned fish balls, had fallen heir to an immense fortune. Discarding the towel, the apron, and dispelling that air of servile submission which all thoroughly instructed waiters are supposed to possess, he launched out into a career of fashionable excitement and flirtation. He came to this city. The report spread quickly of the fortune, which, by the death of an aunt in England, he had fallen heir to; and gossip passed it from mouth to mouth, until it was declared, with his sanction, that he was the lucky possessor of \$76,000,000. To authenticate all this he would show what appeared to be true and faithful transcripts of the will, deeds, &c., of this great estate. He became intimate with our Market street merchants. Possessing the open sesame, check, and money, he found no difficulty in creeping into fashionable society, and, then, springing up as a real, undisguised lion.

A certain West Philadelphia Congressman detailed his coach and two to convey this young lord about. The managers of a number of our charitable institutions received his notes, promising donations of sterling extravagance. He even went so far as to declare his intention of enriching his friends who had known him when he was nothing more than a poor, downtrodden server of tripe and steak; and living in this belief, they invited him to their homes, and treated him in a friendly manner as their means would allow. About a week ago the great denouncement came. It was discovered that while he had received a small fortune, about \$5,000, through his own notions and conceit it was pulled up to enormous amount named. What he did had carried him along for three weeks with all the éclat and individual grandeur that envelopes a prince. His money is all gone; he is denied wherever his name is known, and the Boston waster at their short-sightedness in believing him endowed with the wealth he confessed to. Unfortunately for him he had mentioned high parties in New York as being his backers. They were telegraphed to, and returned an answer that he was an impostor.

500 barrels of choice Winter Apples, at Wachter & Fetter's. [Nov. 23rd.]

The New York Sun says the Hon. Hugh Hastings, who lately lost his watch, which the Sun recovered for him by its influence on the conscience of a thief, is informed, "by a gentleman who knows, that the Onondaga stone plant was made in Chicago, and was brought to Onondaga county a year ago and deposited after dark in the spot where it was found." How lucky that it was deposited after dark, for if it had been done in daylight the news might have been found out.

But who was the gentleman that gave the information? And who in Chicago made the statue? And why was it that brought it to Onondaga county a year ago? And who buried it at Danville after dark? Let us have the truth, and nothing but the truth.

Ex-Secretary Stanton's health is improving.

The brakemen on the Hudson River R. R. are on a strike.

The new Minister from Hayti, Gen. Tate successor to Laroche, has arrived in Washington.

A fire at Fort Sully, Dakota Territory, recently, destroyed a million dollars' worth of Government stores.

The Catholic church at Biloxi, Miss., was demolished by the recent storm.

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KID GLOVES—A large assortment, at Lammers & Alden's.

Orders taken for suits and fits guaranteed, at Lammers & Alden's.

For Groceries and Fruit go to Shultz.—He has Cranberries, Apples, Peas, Chestnuts, Sweet Potatoes, Candies, and every thing you can ask for, at wholesale and retail. Prices low. nov. 17-18.

The largest stock and best variety ever offered on Oil Creek, is at Gaffney's.

Cliff, Maun, Hoidsick, Green Seal, Gold Seal and other favorite brands, can be had by sending to Gaffney's. [Nov. 19th.]

Underclothing in large quantities at Lammers & Alden's.

Buckskin Gloves, cheap, at Lammers & Alden's.

If you would make a present to a friend give one of Kelley's German Silver Lamps. Gaffney's is sole agent.

Reduced Prices at Lammers & Alden's. [Nov. 23rd.]

\$1.00 buys a bottle of Gaffney's Sunday Comfort, every family should have it.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Old and Established DRY GOODS! STORE.

S. SOBEL, Prop'r.

Next Door to Sobel's Opera House, Petroleum Centre.

After a number of years spent in catering to the wants of the citizens of Petroleum Centre and vicinity, I desire to return my thanks for the patronage and encouragement, also, to inform them that I have added greatly to my stock this Fall, and with increased facilities am enabled to sell cheaper than ever before. I have

JUST OPENED

Another Fresh Supply of WINTER DRY GOODS.

Blankets, Flannels, and Fancy Dress Goods, Mantilla Silk Velvets, Chinchillas, and Beaver Cloths.

FULL ASSORTMENT OF

FINE FURS

AND Latest Styles of Millinery Goods.

BLANKETS, FLANNELS & SHAWLS, CLOTHS & CASSIMERES.

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mats,

TRUNKS and SATCHELS, and a full line of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

SOLELY S. SOBEL.

MILLINERY

Mrs. Wyckoff,

begs leave to inform the public that she has removed from the highest corner.

To the Next Building Below H. S. Simmons Drug Store.

Where she will keep a fine assortment of

Millinery Goods,

OLD LADIES' CAPS,

FEATHERS & FLOWERS.

1757 Schuylker a share of public patronage. Mrs. W. hopes to please those who may favor her with a call. nov. 19th.

Drilling Jars.

We would respectfully announce to our customers and the public generally that we keep constantly on hand

Cast Steel Drilling Jars!

Which for Strength and Durability excel any Steel Drilling Jar heretofore in use.

The Advantages we Claim

over lined Jars are that, being ALL STEEL, they are stronger than Jars composed partly of iron that presenting a Steel surface to the rock, they are protected from wear on the outside, and will keep their shape longer.

We Warrant Them to Drill Fifteen Hundred Feet.

We also keep on hand Cast Iron Working Barrels. Fisher, Norris & Co. PETROLEUM CENTRE. Nov. 12th, 1869.—17

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I. H. HILLIARD, Agent.

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This Agency is among the oldest agencies in the State of Pennsylvania, west of Philadelphia. It has paid during the last fourteen years over

\$300,000 IN LOSSES

Good Dwelling Houses, Churches, School Houses and other buildings

Insured Perpetually.

Oil insured in Store and in Transit. To be sent on short notice, in any of the above Fire Insurance Companies. Office in Franklin Exchange, Franklin, Pa.

Pioneer LIQUOR STORE.

The subscribers, having purchased the stock of M. Money, on

WASHINGTON STREET, Petroleum Centre, Pa., HAS OPENED A

Branch Liquor Store

and will continue to keep constantly on hand a full supply of

PURE LIQUORS,

OF ALL KINDS.

J. & M. BARRETT.

Petroleum Centre, Nov. 13th, 1869.—17

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Fall Trade

NEW GOODS,

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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 Alpaca and Poplin Alpaca is the finest and cheapest in the place. sept 13:17

First Class Saloon and Restaurant.

WASHINGTON STREET, Petroleum Centre. I and all the choicest Wines and Cigars, Limberg Cheese, Salted Lard, Sardines, Pickles, & CATERPILLAR & VOEGELER, Proprietors. Oct. 30th.