

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Monday, Dec. 6.

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

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS ON O. C. & A. R. R. SOUTH. 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, 3.10 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.

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. cordial invitation extended to all. Rev. C. M. HEARD, Pastor.

ST. PETER AND PAUL'S (Catholic) CHURCH. Mass at 10 1/2 a. m. Vesper and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 4 p. m. Catechism at 2 p. m. JAMES DUNN, Pastor.

Three Men Drowned at Franklin. Four men went out in a row boat by the new bridge over French Creek at Franklin, on Friday the 3d, at 11 a. m. The boat was caught by the rapid current and overturned. Only one of the party was rescued. One of the three men lost was Capt. Smith of Franklin. The sad accident cast a gloom over the town. Attempts to rescue the bodies were unavailing, and they will not be found till cast ashore far down the Allegheny. Capt. John Smith was widely known and universally respected in Franklin. The name of the other two was not ascertainable to learn.

STEWART'S MINSTRELS TO-NIGHT.—"Fattie Stewart," as his name goes, with one of the best Tropes of Minstrelia traveling, will hold forth at the new Opera House this evening, as has been daily announced. They come with high recommendations, and if their excellent band, which made the tour of the city this morning discoursing "music sweet," is any criterion of what they will do to-night, they certainly have no superiors in their profession. They promise an entirely new bill of fare in Minstrelia which cannot be but entertaining. Let Stewart have a full house, for we are assured on good authority that he deserves it.

FOREST VS VENANGO.—It will be remembered that a short time ago, in a suit brought by Forest county against Venango county, to recover the amount of taxes collected by Venango in that part of Forest which was formerly a part of Venango. Forest county recovered a verdict of \$7,163. On motion, a new trial was granted. The Venosta Republican says, a compromise has been effected, by the terms of which Venango county is to pay Forest \$5,500, and to pay all the costs accrued.

THE East Brady Independent of last week contains a communication from Petroleum Centre, signed "Anti-Ring" which we have been requested to publish but decline doing so on account of an imputation contained in it against Mr. Miller, the Post Master at this place. We consider Mr. M. an honorable, upright gentleman, but what the letter says in regard to Mr. Gillilan we consider the truth, and had the letter contained no reflections on Mr. Miller, should certainly have published it.

Congress opens at Wash. store, opposite Griffes Bros. opened the week. Dec. 6 at site the Opera House.

There came a fire in the building next to the livery stable, on Saturday night. People caught on the roof of the building and saw the flames among the wooden buildings on CLEAR street.

Parties will do well to fill up their... Parties will do well to fill up their... Parties will do well to fill up their...

For the "Record." PLEASE READ THIS.

A great want in Petroleum Centre is a Young Men's Christian Association, thoroughly organized and furnished with a good library and pleasant reading rooms. Towns with less wealth and less population do sustain such institutions. Why should not the wealth and sympathies of the citizens of this place be freely poured forth to establish and maintain such an organization in our midst?

A large proportion of our population consists of young men, absent from the homes of their youth. Here they are exposed to many seductive agencies which drown men in perdition. Societies are so weak that they exercise but little restraint upon those whose feet are in the way of death. Our society while it contains very many of the best men in the world, is also full of land-sharks who prey upon the morals of society actuated by greed of gain. They would sell an immortal soul for ten cents and think it a good bargain. Can nothing be done to curtail the baleful influence of such men, and shield those who are in danger of becoming their victims?

We believe that a young men's Christian Association liberally furnished with needful appliances will be able to do the work. It will require money, but not half as much as vice costs. We appeal to all to consider this subject. Christian men stand ready to enter the field. All others will find it to their advantage every way, to turn from the ways of evil, and personally interest themselves in this movement for the triumph of what is true and pure and safe. If in the past the influences of christianity had prevailed through this or any organization, instead of certain other deadly evils so well known in our midst, David Tate would have been living; another young man who is now a wreck for life might have been wearing the honors of manhood; and another who is now in a convict's cell might have been an upright respected and free citizen. Clearly, vice does not pay. Death is in the way of sin, but life is in the paths of righteousness.

We suggest to men of wealth, that they could not better emulate the spirit and example of Geo. Peabody, than to furnish inspiration to this project by offering to provide, a building suitable for a library and reading rooms. C. H. HEARD.

THE FOX WELL.—This well located on the Central Petroleum Company's Farm at Petroleum Centre, which was struck several weeks since, commenced and continues to produce about 40 barrels per day. This well was put down by Edward Fox of the Centre, who was formerly Superintendent of the farm upon which his well is located. Mr. L. P. Walker, of Petroleum Centre, is putting down a well on an adjoining lease, and Mr. Fox is also putting down, or about to put down a second well on his lease. Oil City Times.

THE CARDIFF GIANT.—The Cardiff Giant reached Albany last Saturday a week. The Albany Express says it was visited by "Mr. Palmer, the sculptor, Dr. Ormsby and other scientific gentlemen. The general impression of the visitors was that it was a remarkable production, whether regarded as an ancient relic or modern humbug. We heard of none who advocated the latter theory, but they were many who said they were inclined to believe it was a petrification. The majority believe that no sculptor capable of producing such a work would place in a muckhole, or that so large and heavy an article could be placed in the spot where it was discovered without detection.

Notwithstanding the recent injunction Government made upon the thirty Spanish gunboats, about to sail from New York, Griffes Bros. have stocked their new store with the best of every kind of their line of goods. Dec. 6 if

Cardiff Giant is by some considered a humbug, but notwithstanding Griffes Bros. are bound to give every customer satisfaction. Dec. 6 if

Balltown has an elopement case.—An angry husband, horse-pistol, vanished Monday, terrible parent, &c. &c. The runaway was captured in central New York by the infuriated husband, who, after collecting what money the runaway couple had made way with, allowed them to depart in peace. Balltown is alive yet.

It is proved by the evidence of Samuel Sinclair, Esq., and his man servant, that Mr. Richardson and Mrs. McFarland slept in the same room at Mr. Sinclair's house before the divorce.

The morning train south was delayed for over two hours to-day, on account of the engine and baggage car being off the track at Titusville.

A brakeman on the A. V. R. R. named Robert Cowley, was so badly injured by being run over by the engine of freight train No. 17, at the Reno siding on Saturday, that he did the same night.

News Items.

The new breakwater at Buffalo is now six hundred feet long.

There is not one female in the Iowa Penitentiary.

A novelty has been introduced in the Winthrop Church, Boston, in the shape of a reporters pew.

The conservative Republicans in West Virginia are called "Letuppers," because they desire to "let up" on the rebel disfranchisement.

The Syracuse Courier under the head of local news, informs us that "Venus shines with unusual brilliancy each evening."

Some New York Tribune stock has been sold lately for \$10,000 a share—an advance of \$4,000 from what it was two years ago.

In a recent suit in Chicago between a grocer and a tobacco chewer, it appeared that the man had used 730 plugs in a little more than a year, nearly two plugs a day.

The decrease in the production of anthracite coal in this State during the present year is estimated at 358,297 tons. The production of bituminous coal has increased in the same time 600,000 tons.

A western member of Congress is reported as having expressed the opinion that no Western man can afford to vote against the removal of the capital and hope to be re-elected.

The hog crop is said to be large.

Iron lath and the latest idea in building. Patti has been getting \$60 a piece for seats to hear her sing in Paris.

Fun queries whether a fox-hunter wears tally ho-stery.

England contains about twenty princesses of the blood royal.

The youngest minister in the new Italian Cabinet is aged thirty.

Father Hyacinth has been made the subject of an Austrian play.

The Canadian volunteers are spoiling for a fight with the Winnipeg insurgents.

The Episcopalians of Utah have erected a large hall for worship at Salt Lake City. Eel pies are the favorite dish with the "lunch routers" of Washington.

The colored Masons of St. Louis are building a new temple, to cost \$30,000.

Detroit has a new paper printed partly in English and in French.

Henry Ward Beecher says that preaching is a trade and must be learned such. Starting a new journal is no called "launching on the great newspaper sea."

A New York restaurant displays a sign "Whisky free from tallow oil."

Paris, it is estimated, constantly contains an average of 150,000 strangers.

Political and press offenses are hereafter to be tried by jury in Prussia, as in the trial of ordinary offenses.

Hildebrand, the Missouri outlaw, is still the object of search. His hiding place has not yet been discovered.

The Detroit Tribune tells a story of a young lady teacher at a Sunday school, who, a few Sundays ago, asked a youngster what was matrimony. He mistook the question for piquatory, and promptly answered: "A jail or state of punishment in this life where souls suffer for a short time before they go to heaven."

"No!" a very modest Buffalo young man, has received a note, signed by fourteen Buffalo young ladies to this effect: "We, the undersigned, have been comparing notes and find that you have been equally sweet to each and all of us—have paid the same compliments to each, and made love in the same way in every case. We are indignant at such duplicity, and demand an explanation." The suicide of Nedward will undoubtedly be found chronicled in the "express" place.

On the Albany Valley Railroad, near Franklin, a slide occurred on Thursday night covering the track for some distance, and delaying the day express train five hours. The night express did not go out at all. The obstruction was cleared away, and trains are running as usual.

A man named Michael Red was found in a swamp about two miles from Balltown last week, who was so badly frozen that amputation of one of his limbs was necessary and his recovery doubtful. He became lost while on his way to Titusville, and was found by a deer hound belonging to a party of hunters.—Herald.

As Nent At A New Pin.—That new drug store of Griffes Bros. opposite the Opera House. Dec. 7. if

Sberry's New York Theatre open at 8 o'clock, this evening.

Fattie Stewart and company at the Opera House, this evening.

CONJUGAL LOVE

and the Happiness of True Marriage. E. SAYS for Young Men on the Errors, Abuses and Sand 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. sept 23rd.

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

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

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.]

Underclothing in large quantities at Lammers & Alden's.

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

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

In Pennsylvania, for the next five years, there will be a fine of twenty five dollars for shooting a partridge.

The largest and best assortment of Table Cutlery, ever brought into the country at Nicholson & Blackmon's. [11.]

SHERIFFS SALE IS CLOSED.—Nicholson & Blackmon having bought him out at this place and Kane City. [11.]

THERE is to be a grand dance at the Pioneer House, Pioneer, on the evening of December 21st.

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

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED! FIVE OR SIX FIRST CLASS BOARDERS.—Good accommodations and comfortable table furnished. Apply at the first two-story house on the Robert Farm. [11.]

WANTED! At the Oil Exchange Hotel, a SECOND COOK and DINING ROOM GIRL. [11.]

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STEWART'S MINSTRELS, and Brass Band. [11.]

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THE subscriber has fitted up his second floor in a luxurious and comfortable style, as a first-class Barber Shop. Four first-class workmen will be in attendance. There are three entrances to the Barber Shop, one between the buildings, one through the old frame on the first floor, besides two flights of stairs from the side walk. CHARLES J. LEONHEISER, Oct 11th.

Dr. L. H. CHRISTIE, Has removed to his residence on Main Street, at the end of Egbert Farm Bridge.

Hours at residence from 8 P. M. until 5 A. M. During remainder of the day he may be found at his office. [Nov. 24th.]

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