

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre Wednesday, Dec. 15.

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

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS ON 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, 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. NORTH. 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. Oxtoby, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/2 P. M. eats 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.

Since the closing of the Erie canal the oil region has received a large influx of roughs from Buffalo, Lockport, Rochester and other points on the line of that ditch, Petroleum Centre coming in for a big share. An idea prevails among them that they have a right to "run" the place they land in as best suits themselves. Acting upon this idea, a number of these rascals undertook to "run" the entire upper portion of the town, last night. They first went into the Petroleum Centre 3 blocks, threatened to "clean it out," and if they had the audacity to go into the kitchen, they would suit the women folks of the house, there showing themselves possessed of not the first particle of manhood, but miserable brutes. After leaving this place they went into several other houses and engaged in the pleasant pastime of knocking down defenseless men, insulting women and breaking up things in general. After "raising hell for a time," as they expressed themselves, Sheriff Kinney and Constable McHugh concluded to "take a hand in," and for a few moments there was "lively times in Oshkosh." The matter ended by the roughs receiving a severe beating at the hands of the officers, and being driven out of town. Should they attempt a repetition of their villainous conduct our citizens will make it lively for them.

The Commissioner of the Railroads for Ohio yesterday received a complete report of the doings of the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad Company for the year ending June 30th, 1899. The earnings amount to five million ninety-seven thousand three hundred and sixty-seven dollars; operating expenses, three million four hundred and fifty-nine thousand two hundred and ninety-eight dollars; balance, one million six hundred and thirty-eight thousand and sixty-eight dollars. Total number of passengers carried, eight hundred and eighty-two thousand eight hundred and ninety-four. Total number tons of through and local freight, two million four hundred and seventy-five thousand three hundred and four.

Numerous improvements have been effected in Rousseville during the present season, among the most important of which are the erection of various new places of business, and the material alteration and enlargement of others. Trade is decidedly good, everything indicating a state of affairs observable only in places where substantial progress and healthy prosperity are the order of the day.—Oil City Times.

James Tyrell, the brakeman who was so badly injured by being caught between the bumpers of two freight cars, at Miller Farm, is likely to recover, although quite severely bruised about the body. He was attended by Drs Barr and Vartan, of Titusville.

The coal trade remains lively at present. A fifty barrel was struck on the Boney arc, Cherrytree Run, one day last week. Owned by Baum & Co.

New buildings continue to be put up on the Egbert Farm.

OIL ITEMS.—On the Dennistown and New York tract, there is no particular change. Mr. Butler's well is rapidly approaching completion.

On the New York and Allegheny tract Mr. Parrhall's wells show no diminution of product. A new rig is about completed, and drilling will soon be commenced.

On the Tidoute and Warren Oil Co's tract, the new company well is producing 60 barrels and increasing. The other wells are doing as well as ever.

On the Cobhill farm, Mr. Buck has a well pumping 5 barrels.

On the Economy tract, there are no new strikes to report. This territory keeps up its production admirably.

On West Hickory, we note a slight increased production. Several new wells will be tested the coming week. Things are very lively on this territory.

On the R. C. Scott farm, the Goodrich well has been torpedoed, and is pumping twenty barrels. Two new rigs are going up and drilling will soon be commenced. The extent of territory in this neighborhood is rapidly calling the attention of operators and the comparatively shallow depth of the wells, make this the most economical and desirable of any in the oil regions.—Tidoute Journal.

A clergyman was traveling through the Western part of Ohio, mounted on a long, lean, lank, slab-sided, lantern-jawed, stub-tailed, raw-boned animal, (a good frame to build a horse on.) when he came to the junction of two roads, and not knowing which might lead him to his destination, he asked a ragged, dirty looking urban which of the two roads lead to W—. The boy in a rough unobedient manner said, "Who are you, old fellow?" The clergyman being greatly astonished at the child's incivility, replied, "My son, I am a follower of the Lord." "A follower of the Lord, eh? Well it makes mighty little difference which road you take, you will never catch him with that buss."

A New Orleans wife, left at home one evening by her husband who "had business down town," accepted a friend's escort to the theatre. The fates decreed that her husband should occupy the next seat, with another lady, the occasion of his urgent business. As soon as the wife made the discovery she leaned over and whispered viciously; "Charles, who is that busy you have with you?" "Sister of that fellow you have with you." There was no need of further explanation.

The Working Women's Association of New York, an organization presided over a former times by Miss Anthony, met for the purpose of reorganizing their scattered forces the other day, Mrs. Sarah Frances Jorton occupying the chair. Just when the work was fairly under way, the fair President permitted a lady to read an article on the "Richardson case." Then the lady President put the motion tendering the sincere condolence of the Association to Mrs. McFarland—or Mrs. Richardson rather. The result was as might have been expected. The meeting adjourned in a very unassociate like order, the President's course meeting with no support outside of a baker's dozen.

Forty-one tons of wild sumac has been gathered in Virginia this year and sold crude for \$82,000. It is manufactured in this State into tannin, and the product sold for \$512,000, or about one-eighth the money brought by the old tobacco crop of Virginia. "When the sumac seasons comes," says the Richmond Examiner, "hog stealing declines." Libby prison in Richmond is now a sumac factory.

Texas had a population of all colors, in 1890 of about 600,000, and now perhaps, has 750,000, or about half as many as Massachusetts. According to the Secretary of War's report, there were three hundred and eighty-four murders there in the nine months ending October 1. At that rate Massachusetts would have a thousand murders a year instead of fifty.

Fifteen thousand acres of valuable coal land were sold, a few days ago, in Gian and Mineral counties, West Virginia, to John L. Crawford, James Boyce and Samuel J. McCubbin, of Baltimore, for \$255,000 in cash. The purchasers will open the mines in a short time.

The trestle work of the old Reno and Pitbore Railroad, at McClintockville, is being removed.

The new history of the oil region, entitled "Petrolal," by W. R. Johns, of Oil City, is meeting with great success.

Several new buildings are being put up on the Boyd Farm.

Merchants are filling their stores up with holiday goods.

A new 15 barrel well has been struck on the Curtin Farm, near Rousseville.

Rainfog and freezing this morning, with prospect of softer weather.

News Items.

Chinese testimony is to be received in courts of law in California.

A St. Louis paper says the Free Trade movement means Chase for President.

The Cardiff giant is being done in miniature as a parlor ornament.

At Helena, Montana, "pinfeathers, with a little chicken meat attached," are worth one dollar each.

One hundred tons of magnetic ore from the Franklin mines pass over the Sussex Railroad daily for Scranton, Pa.

An Englishman proposed to preserve fresh meat for exportation by dipping it in fluid indiarubber.

Twenty years ago Pennsylvania was the largest wheat-producing State in the Union now it is about the twelfth.

Whiskey has risen to twenty cents a drink in Brooklyn, owing to the seizure of illicit stills.

New Jersey has decided that a deadhead on a railroad must be killed at his own expense if he is killed at all.

Gloucester (Mass.) girls are inaugurating a new order of things. They give balls, invite the gentlemen, and bear all the expenses.

The slave trade is carried on upon the east coast of Africa, in spite of the active efforts made to suppress it by British and American cruisers.

At a recent meeting of the New York Sorosis a poem was received from an unknown "friend," of the Sorosiers. The poem was duly read and first evoked smiles, then a forced laugh, and at the close genuine sensation. This is the "morceau."

The shades of night were falling fast through an Eastern city passed. A blooming maid in bloomer dress, With this device upon her crest— Sorosis.

Her brows were kind; beneath her veil Her eyes blazed like a comet's tail; And like a martial bugle rang, The tones of that outlandish tongue— Sorosis.

Try not the polls, oh maid, beware The scheming politician's snare, 'Twas all in vain the old man cried, For still that ringing voice he lied— Sorosis.

Oh stay, the young man cried, and rest Thy waterfall upon this vest! A tear stole down her painted cheek! But still she answered with a squeak— Sorosis.

Beware the baleful company Of Francis Train and Susan B— This was old Greeley's warning knell: A voice replied, You go to—well— Sorosis.

An effectual remedy for small pox is said to have been recently found by a surgeon of the British army in China. The mode of treatment is as follows: When the preceding fever is at its height, and just before the eruption appears, the chest is rubbed with croton oil and tartaric ointment. This causes the whole of the eruption to appear on that part of the body to the relief of the rest. It also secures a full and complete eruption, and thus prevents the disease from attacking the internal organs. This is now the established mode of treatment in the English army in China, and is regarded as a perfect cure.

The finest assortment of game at all kind ever brought to this town can be seen in front of the Petroleum Exchange. It consists of deer, partridge, quail, fresh fish, etc. It's "as good as a feast" to look at them.

E. Daniels, champion of Massachusetts, and Melvin Foster played two games of billiards Monday evening in Boston. The first was a French croquet game of 150 points and was won by Daniels, the score being 150 to 144. The second was a game of 750 points on a carom table, and was won by Foster; score, 736 to 643. Foster's highest run was 425, and Daniels's highest run 102.

Some excitement was caused on the street this afternoon by the running away of a horse. The horse started up Washington street. He finally brought up in the creek without doing any damage to any one, but badly breaking the wagon to which he was hitched.

Sing Man and Choy Chew, the Chinese merchants who visited this country last summer, established business relations with a number of gentlemen in New York and the West, and already some Chicago houses have received consignments from them.—The tea put in one pound packages on the Chinese plantations and delivered in Chicago in less than fifty days after it is shipped, has already become popular there.

SEE the advertisement of the Catholic Fair. Lots of fun in prospect.

Written for the Daily Record.

None need tell me beauty's fleeting, For 'tis soon to fade away; Yet BARKER has a charming secret; Makes beauty proof against decay.— At his Photograph Gallery.

Not the artist's skillful fingers Can the human face portray, Like those splendid life like pictures; Woven by the God of day.— At BARKER'S Art Gallery.

Friends have we who dearly cherish— Who would prize a picture true, True to nature, that ne'er shall perish; BARKER makes them not a few.

How pleasant to gaze on the features of friends, absent, or those that have passed away.

N. B. A card representing fourstages of the recent total solar eclipse, presented to each person ordering a half dozen car Photographs at BARKER'S Picture Gallery, Dec. 14 2w.

The New Gas Pump for sale at Nicholson & Blackmon's. tf.

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

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

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

FUN FOR THE HOLIDAYS Catholic Fair! Open at SOBEL'S HALL, PETROLEUM CENTRE, MONDAY, DEC. 27TH, '89.

Useful and Ornamental Articles, Toys and Christmas Presents in Abundance.

Refreshments in every style always on hand. The following articles will be contested: A GOLD HEADED CANE, Between Messrs. S. A. Wood, Uncle John Nolan, Irwin and Root, Taylor.

A BEAUTIFUL RIFLE, Between S. Reynolds and Geo. Wilson. A GOLD HEADED CANE, Between the Doctors of Petroleum Centre and vicinity.

A REVOLVER, Between Messrs. Kinney, Lawrence and McHugh. A FRENCH MANICURE CLOCK, Between Messrs. Finney, Fox, Leibaese and L. P. Walker.

A SEGAR HOLDER, Between Messrs. P. McMahon, M. J. Peely & Daily. A MAGNIFICENT STOOL, Between the Congregations of Oil City, Titusville, and Petroleum Centre.

A GOLD CHAIN, will be awarded to the most popular Gentleman, and A SILK DRESS PATTERN, To the most popular Lady Manager.

THE FISH POND, will be in full operation. Doors open at 7 p. m. and close at 12. Admission 10 cents.

COMMITTEE: J. C. Shay, S. Duly, A. S. Smith, Owen Gaffney, W. McGee, M. Sweeney, Dec 13 td.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE. The Residence of ALEXIS CRANE, deceased, at Petroleum Centre, Pa.'s.

A GOOD, SUBSTANTIAL TWO-STORY DWELLING, Lathed and plastered, with six rooms on each floor and a good cellar. Possession given to suit purchasers. Apply on the premises, dec 13 2w. JOHN JOHNSON, Executor.

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. dec 13 2w. H. & W. PARKER

\$500 REWARD! The Cherrytree Run Pipe to Hynd Farm has been plugged three times within the past sixty days. A reward of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS will be paid for the detection and capture of any person or persons engaged in or taking any part in any of the three villainous transactions. J. STAMBAUGH, Supr. Dec. 7th.

THE DAVIS-LEIGH RECORD, is the best advertisement in the oil region.

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

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GRIFFES BROS., Opposite Opera House, Washington Street, Petroleum Centre

PURE DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, Toilet Articles,

FANCY ARTICLES, Perfumery,

Pomades, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs,

Fine Tobacco & Cigars,

Lamp Chimnies

Pure Wines & Liquors, &c.

Particular attention paid to preparing Prescriptions.

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NEW YORK THEATRE

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THREE NIGHTS ONLY.

On which occasion will be presented Dion Boucicault's great Sensational Drama, entitled the Colleen Bawn,

OR THE BRIDES OF GARRYOWEN.

Mr. J. F. SHERRY as Hardess Creagan Mrs. JULIA BLAKE as Eily O'Connor

To conclude with the Laughable Afterpiece A KISS IN THE DARK!

Mr. O. W. Blake as Selim Pettibone Admission, 50 cents. Reserved Seats, 75 cents. Private Boxes, \$5.00.

TICKETS for sale at the McClintock House. DOORS open at 7 o'clock, performance commences at 8. J. M. SHERRY, Agent. dec 12 4f.

Underclothing in large quantities at Lamers & Alden's.

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

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