

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

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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. cate free. A cordial invitation extended to all. Rev. C. M. Hears, Pastor.

ST. 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.

Good to-day 122 1/4. About half past nine o'clock this forenoon flames were discovered issuing from the roof of the McClintock House, in the vicinity of one of the flues. An alarm was immediately raised and through the exertions of the citizens the flames were extinguished, and a fearful conflagration prevented, as had the fire once gained headway, with the high wind which prevailed at the time, no telling where it would have been stayed. In this connection we would inquire if the committee appointed at the late fire meeting have commenced the work of examining the chimneys and flues in town. There is no doubt but that this fire originated from a defective flue, therefore the sooner this work is begun the less danger there will be from fire. We hope to see this matter attended to at once. Since the above was put in type we learn that the committee commenced their labors yesterday. It is their intention to publish the names of those parties neglecting to make the necessary repairs to their flues.

A good practical joke was played on our friend, Justice Donaghy, this forenoon.—While he was absent at dinner some sharp individual left a note on his table to the effect that he was wanted at the American Hotel for the purpose of holding an inquest on the body of a deceased individual.—Armed with the proper documents, the Squire at once proceeded to the designated place to fulfill the solemn duty, only to find everybody "alive and well." Report doth not say as to whether the numerous friends of the Squire "whiskied up" at his expense or not.

Wall street, New York, was the scene of great excitement, yesterday. Brokers were eagerly bidding for stocks, under which prices advanced rapidly. The fluctuations were frequent and mainly in an upward direction. The cause assigned for the buoyancy is the prospective purchase of the West India islands, and an increase in the volume of currency. The indications point to a sharp revival of the speculation in Wall street and important movements in the future.

A telegraph dispatch from Harrisburg says: The report that Mackey was elected State Treasurer is incorrect; there is no election as yet. Mackey has been nominated, but his election is not considered certain.

To-day is the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans, fought by General Andrew Jackson and the American forces against the combined British army and navy, in the year 1815.

The weather is stormy and disagreeable. The nicest oysters of the season have just been received at the Petroleum Exchange Hotel. The days are growing longer. New styles of hats are coming in vogue. This is said to be the coldest day of the season.

Parker Oil Field.

The East Brady Independent of Jan. 5th, has the following oil items: Well No. 13, on Bear Creek, south side, owned by Crawford, Templeton & Co. being tested and pumping a small quantity of lubricating oil; it is down 600 feet, and the sand is 25 feet thick. No. 12 is being tested and makes a good show, with a depth of 910 feet.

Lone-Star, in Lawrenceburg, commenced pumping yesterday, and has produced 30 bbls of oil. It is owned by Parker & Thompson; is 1,050 feet.

The Corbett No. 5, will commence pumping to-morrow. This well has thirty feet of good sand and is down at 950 feet.

The California well began pumping on Saturday last, and makes a splendid show. This well has a depth of 884 feet 9 inches. There has as yet been no estimate made of her production.

The Eldorado has been pumping since Thursday of last week and is pumping very good. This well pumps a small stream continually, and is about nine hundred feet deep with thirty feet of sand.

The Mary Emma, a new well, in Lawrenceburg, owned by M. S. Adams & Co., commenced pumping on Thursday last, with a splendid yield.

The Karns well, No. 1, lately doing 12 barrels has increased to 23. No. 19, Bear creek, presents a good show. No. 2 is testing, with good show. No. 13 is to be put down deeper.

The amount of oil shipped by the Kern's pipe in November was 10,371 barrels. From the 13 of December to Jan. 1st, 3,299.

By boat from the same shipper, 2,000. Making a total of 15,670 barrels, which, with 10,000 barrels shipped by other sources, make in all, 25,670 barrels.

The Rattlesnake well is only producing about 3 barrels of lubricating oil. It is claimed to be too shallow, and will be put down deeper, and the expectation is that a large well will be the result.

The Cooper farm is now being developed as far as its great coal interests are involved. R. Jennings, Esq., having bought an interest is now preparing to develop the coal, and in a very short time will be able to sell at the rate of 100 bushels a day.

"THE EARLY BIRD," &c.—Harrisburg advises inform us that Senator Lowry has introduced a bill in the Senate "erecting a new county, embracing parts of Crawford, Venango, Warren and Forest, to be called Chase." The people of this section look to Senators Allen and Wallace, both of them strong men, to squelch this inquiry in the bud.—Oil City Times.

The people of this section will be under lasting obligations to Senator Lowry if he succeeds, in getting said bill through.

In the case of McFarland Bros. vs. C. G. Dempsey & Bro., on trial at Franklin, the jury brought in a verdict of \$227 in favor of defendants and against the plaintiffs.—The Court immediately, of its own motion, entered a rule to show cause why the verdict should not be set aside, returnable this week.

The production of the Benninghoff Farm, which at one time ranked second to none in the oil region, is now set down at seven barrels per day. The reason of the decrease is in consequence of the water flooding the wells and driving the oil away.

Among the patents issued to citizens of Pennsylvania for the week ending January 4 1870, is the following: 98,625—Tongs for lifting and adjusting well tubing; David Phillips, Oil City, assignor to Daniel Zook and Herman Kingman, same place.

The Erie Typographical Union publish resolutions sustaining the action of the W. U. Telegraph operators in their strike. Trades Unions generally throughout the country are sustaining the telegraph operators in their strike. The probability is that the W. U. Telegraph Company, as Pratt the great American Traveler and editor of the Boston Gridiron says, "cannot stand the pressure" and will have to give in.

250 Strings of Sleigh Bells at cost from \$1.75 to \$3.00 per Strap. 50 Buffalo Robes at Hudson Bay Co.'s Prices, and many other articles at J. J. McCrum's, Titusville.

Two or three new wells have been struck in the vicinity of Kane City within a few days past. Their yield is from five to six barrels each per day.

Mrs. Williams private school, in Wild Cat Hollow, re-opens on Tuesday next.

The boys are enjoying the pleasant pastime of skating at present.

Quite a good-sized settlement has sprung up on the Egbert farm, opposite Petroleum Centre, within the past year. It is known as "Brooklyn," and holds the same position towards the Centre that the city of Brooklyn Co's towards New York we suppose.

NEWS ITEMS.

A vessel arrived in Charleston harbor on Wednesday, which is reported by the Spanish Minister of War to be a Cuban privateer and is filled with men, among them a portion of the crew of the Hornet. It is stated that a United States revenue cutter has been sent down from Charleston, with the United States Marshals on board, to overhaul her.

The Spanish and Cuban war in New York waxes hot. The Spanish Consul and Senor De Conio, editor of the Spanish paper, have received anonymous notification that they are to be assassinated.

News from St. Thomas to the 33th ult. states that it is reported that the Canos are besieging Port au Prince, and that they have made a breach in Salnave's lines. On the 22d of December Salnave's forces retreated to Fort Pollon, when he fired the magazine, and with his fourteen sons perished. Another report in circulation is that Salnave has fled to San Domingo, and claimed the protection of President Baz. Gen. Lupeon and Cabral have published a protest against the sale of the Bay of Samana to the United States. They are bitter against Baz.

A Washington correspondent has seen a private letter from Madrid, which says that Prim and Serrano are both inclined to favor the sale of Cuba to the United States, but are fearful of the effect on the Spanish people, who are bitterly opposed to it.

Dr. C. S. Manchester and wife were arrested in St. Louis Thursday morning, for the alleged kidnapping of a little girl belonging to Newhall and Abbey Burnham, of Weston, Massachusetts. Dr. Manchester is the man who attempted to work miracles on the dead body of Mr. Helkamp a few days ago.

There is before the Tennessee Legislature a bill to punish public officers guilty of drunkenness. It makes the offense a misdemeanor.

A bill was introduced in the Ohio Senate Thursday repealing the famous visible admixture law. Also, a bill to compel railroad companies to purchase from the stockholders protesting against the consolidation their stock at the highest market value.

John Barton, charged with killing James Miller at the Chicago Reform School by striking him on the head with a whip stock who had been on trial for the past two days, was convicted Thursday of manslaughter, and sentenced to one year in the State penitentiary at Joliet.

On Wednesday night the store of Harding & Brother, dry goods dealers, at Reeville, Parke county, Indiana, was entered, the safe broken open, and robbed of eighteen thousand dollars in currency.

The bodies of Leonard Crocker and Henry Webb, who perished in the storm of Sunday night last at Buffalo, were found Thursday afternoon on Crocker's own field. They were covered with ice, sand and drift-wood and evidently washed there by the tidal wave which broke over the turnpike near the Lake shore.

Quite a large meeting was held at the Southern Hotel, St. Louis, last night, to consider the question of removing the National Capitol.

The Republicans of the Maine Legislature nominated L. M. Morrill for United States Senator. The Democrats nominated Isaac Reed, of Waldport.

The bonded debt of St. Louis county is only \$2,962,000.

The daily production of oil at Parkers Landing is estimated at 1,500 barrels. Two new fifty barrel wells have been struck there within the past week. Business of all kinds is represented as being lively. Like all other new places it is infested with a class of sporting men who ply their vocations in broad daylight. It is said that they are becoming so much of a nuisance that a movement is on foot to drive them out.

A corporation of enterprising gentlemen of New York, known as the "Monitor Wrecking Company," has been awarded, by the Treasury Department, the contracts for raising the wrecks now lying in the Charleston harbor. Among them are the Keokuk, Weebawken, and Patapsco, iron clads, and the Housatonic store ship, besides a large number of others of less importance. Store ships, blockade runners, torpedo boats, vessels of every known variety, fitted for war or peace, are found by the divers, strown over the bottom of this harbor. Probably there is not at present another place in the world where as many submerged wrecks are collected within so small a space.

California papers report the singular fact that the body of no person (and there have been many) drowned in Lake Tahoe has ever come to the surface. What a blessing it would be if every community had a Lake Tahoe convenient, in which to bury the delinquent politicians that pester the world.

Governor Blaisdell, of Nevada, man of lowering stature, was mistaken in Aiken's Museum, Chicago, the other evening, for Cheng the celebrated Chinese giant, on exhibition there. He was surrounded by an eager crowd, taken by the hands and asked all sorts of questions until a gentleman stepped forward and explained matters.

Should the present cold weather continue Oil Creek will soon be frozen over at this point.

Local Notices.

Mr. W. J. McClure is about to establish a first-class evening school, at the public school house, near the Presbyterian Church on Friday evening, for the purpose of giving instructions in Arithmetic, Penmanship and Book Keeping. Terms \$3 00 per month. School four nights each week. Jan 5. 1w.

A. S. Smith's large stock of boots and shoes is offered at cost for the next 60 days Dec 5 tf.

A. S. Smith in order to close out his large stock of ladies shoes &c., offers them at cost as they must be sold in the next 60 days. Dec 5 tf.

Just received a large and well assorted stock of shelf hardware at J. Rutherford's. tf.

Parlor and office stoves, a few left and will be sold at cost at J. Rutherford's. tf.

Carriage Bobs, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. 23-tf.

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A splendid assortment of Diamond goods just received at H. L. Nuss's, No 10 Spring St. Titusville. Dec. 22 Imo.

THIS MEANS BUSINESS.—My entire stock of goods is offered at cost. A. S. SMITH. Dec 5 tf.

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The largest variety of Sterling Silver Ware, and silver plated ware, such as Tea Sets, Cake Baskets, Fruit Stands, Castors, &c., &c., ever brought to the oil regions, can be found at H. L. Nuss's jewelry store No. 19 Spring Street, Titusville, Pa. Dec. 22 Imo.

Orders taken for sales and its guaranteed, at Lamers & Alden's. tf.

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

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Slippers for the Holidays at A. S. Smith's. Dec. 21 t-f.

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COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE. The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of S. S. Griswood & Co., is from this 7th day of January 1870, dissolved by mutual consent. All parties indebted to us, will please call at once and settle their accounts. S. S. GRISWOOD, G. W. NORTON. Dec. 8, 1870, 3 mos.

PRIVATE SCHOOL. The 3rd room of Mrs. Williams' school will commence Monday January 11th, at her house in Aiken. English, French, higher Mathematics, Latin and Classics included. French and German extra. Primary, Intermediate and Senior grades. Terms moderate. Dec 6 tf.

Disolution of Partnership. Notice is hereby given, that the partnership lately existing between L. M. Sternburg and H. H. Warner, under the firm name of L. M. Sternburg & Co., was dissolved on the 4th day of January 1870 by mutual consent. All parties indebted to us, will please call at once and settle their accounts. L. M. STERNBURG, H. H. WARNER. Dec 5 tf.

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