

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Oil Centre, Friday, Jan. 29.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS ON O. & 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, 7.55 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, 8.30 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. OXTON, 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. BEARD, 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.

Gold to-day 121 1/2.
An oil well is about to put down at Corry as a test well.

The National Hotel at Philadelphia was partially destroyed by fire yesterday.

We understand that sickness is quite prevalent at Oil City at present. It is said that ten funerals took place there last week.

The Elliott well, on the Brown farm, near Kane City, is doing between 40 and fifty barrels per day.

The Burns well, same farm, is yielding about forty barrels per day.

The murderer of Dr. Mead of Allegany, N. Y., has been arrested in Buffalo. His name is Theodore Nichols. He has made a confession acknowledging the murder and that he committed it for plunder.

An unfortunate boy was struck by the engine of the up creek freight train, at the Wild Cat crossing, this noon, and had both his hind legs crushed. The cow was the property of Mr. Chas. Lockhead, and was a very valuable one.

By a letter from our old friend, Sam. S. Sanford, we learn that he will soon "put in an appearance" at this place with a first-class minstrel party. The mere announcement of this fact is a guarantee of lots of fun ahead.

That was a beautiful sight this morning when the first rays of the sun broke through the heavy fog which enveloped the valley of Oil Creek and shone on the trees and underbrush on the hill-side which were white with frost. Each limb and twig shone like bright particular stars in the firmament.

Considerable excitement exists at North East, near Erie, at the discovery of the body of a man in an old deserted house, placed there as is supposed for the purpose of being dissected, by some physician.

Our citizens should bear in mind the Sherry's New York Theatre open at Sobel's Hall, this evening, in the beautiful drama of "Dora." Mr. J. F. Sherry and Mrs. Julia Blake appear in the leading characters, and the entire strength of the company in the cast. This affords a fine opportunity for pleasure-seekers to witness the performance of this fine drama, and no doubt there will be a full house.

We notice by the Oil City Times that the old and reliable firm of Bryan, Dillingham & Co., of Titusville, are about to establish a large machinery and machine shop at that place, on Seneca street. The engines, boilers and oil well tools and machinery manufactured by this firm have a reputation in this region as being A. No. 1 in every respect. The addition of this firm to those already in operation at that place will be a valuable one, and they will be heartily welcomed not only by the people of Oil City but by the oil men in general along the lower creek.

An old fellow out near Hecla furnace, at Ironton, Ohio, has a portable whisky shop. It consists of a jackass and two jugs. The jugs are swung across the animal and so the proprietor transports them wherever there is a chance of getting a demand.

REMOVING RUST FROM POLISHED IRON OR STEEL.—Sometimes rust can be removed from polished iron or steel with little difficulty; but sometimes it can not be made to disappear without polishing the surface anew. Rust is oxide of iron. The oxygen of the atmosphere unites with the iron chemically, thus forming a thin scale on the surface, not one thousandth part of an inch in thickness. Red rust may be formed on the polished surface a thousand times without materially corroding the metal, provided it be removed soon after it has formed. The usual manner of removing red rust is to cover the rusted portion with common olive oil, and rub it in well with a woolen cloth. After it has stood a few hours, rub the parts with finely pulverized slacked lime, or Spanish whiting, until the rust is all removed. If red rust is allowed to accumulate until the polished surface is corroded, sweet oil and a severe rubbing will seldom remove it. The entire surface must be repolished with emery or some other grit, before black rust will disappear from polished steel or any other metal.

OIL IN CATTARAUGUS COUNTY.—We learn H. H. Thomas, well known oil man, who had just returned from Limestone, N. Y., where he has been operating on an oil well with torpedos, that the show for oil is very good. Mr. Job Morse, of New York, commenced drilling this well in 1865, but abandoned it at the depth of 1,300 feet, with a good show of oil. This property has lately come into the possession of Mr. Alanson Clark, of Shamburg, who is taking measures to thoroughly test that locality. Numbers of practical oil men from Titusville and other localities have visited the valley, and say that paying wells can be found. Limestone is situated on the Buffalo and Bradford Coal Road, about 5 miles above Carrollton, in junction with the Erie Road.—Jamestown Journal.

The Zoe Theatrical Company closed a very successful engagement last evening.—The house was crowded to witness the performance of the beautiful French drama entitled "Emeralds; or The Hunchback of Notre Dame." As usual M'lie Zoe acquitted herself with great credit, being enclosed during the play three times. The balance of the company acted their several parts in good style. During her stay here M'lie Zoe and her talented company have made hosts of friends, and our citizens will be pleased to learn that she intends to return to this place again in the spring. The company open at Pleasantville this evening.

PETROLEUM EXPORTS FROM BOSTON.—The Boston Commercial Bulletin says: During the year 1869 there was exported from here 2,117,614 gallons of petroleum oil.—The amount shipped from the country was 100,841,286 gallons, an increase of 3,734,316 gallons over any year since the article was introduced. The only ports where it is shipped to any extent are New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Baltimore. New York takes the lead, and shipped last year 65,496,086 gallons. Boston ranks third, and Baltimore comes in last. It is used principally for illuminating purposes. Boston refined has been sold from thirty-one to forty cents, though the principal transactions were made from thirty-five to thirty-seven cents per gallon.

WRIGHT, RITE NIGHT.
A school visitor lately gave a teacher the following sentence to write correctly: Robert Wright, the beautiful writer of Wrightville, down in Terrington claims the exclusive right to write the rites and ceremonies of his church, and has secured a copyright of his writings; but Henry Wright, the writing master, also writes those rites; now is it honorable for the Right Honorable Henry Wright boldly to write himself upright in the presence of the right-handed wheelwright, Robert Wright?

The bridge over French creek, Venango county, for the Jamestown and Franklin Railroad Extension, was finished last week. The work on the bridge over Two-Mile run, and on the trestlework at Reno, is well under way, and will be rapidly pushed to completion.

A husband in St. Joseph, Mo., patiently bore his loss when his wife deserted him, but when a dry goods firm sued him for goods bought by her as an outfit, he stoutly resisted the claim, and the court sustained him.

Council Bluffs advertises a ladies' lunch room, where, can be obtained Roman Punch, Muscatel wine, St. Croix rum, Old Tom gin, Canadian and Bourbon Whiskies, champagne, and wines of every description; fine old ales and porter.

They now have in New York a Fat Man Association, a Lean Man's Association and a Bald-headed Association. An attempt was made the other day to start a Damp-foot Association, but it was found that the other associations had absorbed all the material.

The wells on the Woods farm which have been shut down for a few days on account of the large boiler being burned out, were started up again last evening, the boiler having been repaired.

[From the N. Y. Sun.]

HEATING AND THINGS.

Behold her easy, graceful swing,
Along the ice so smooth and cold;
Backward the winds her tresses fling,
The breath of Boreas, the bold.

[N. B.—In these days when "boughten hair" so closely resembles the genuine inherited article, it may be difficult to say "which is which"—but the above girl's tresses were her own.]
Onward she glides with matchless grace
Nor needs the sharp and biting air,
No "malign roses" round her face,
For Nature's own are blushing there.
Her dainty little feet are strapped fast
To runners that so smoothly glide,
Whose polished steel, as she flies past
Gleams brightly o'er the frozen tide.

[N. B.—We don't know the maker's name nor the price of those skates, but we do know, although we are not going to tell, who put them on her.]

Here' poetry unwritten, see
In every motion of the maid,
How charming, lith, and lithe she is,
Upon her sharp and ringing blade.
Oh, beautiful girl, come back, come back
I hear the murmur and the "click"
Of runners gliding o'er the track—
Ehew! a lass, she strikes a stick—
and down she goes with a gentle "thud,"
a little scream, and a flutter of something
white—"bleached and warranted."

THE TYPE SETTING CONTEST.—Mr. Barber, of Cincinnati has made no response to the challenge of George Arensburg, the "Pittsburgh Velocipede," and it is reported that the former is too much disabled by illness to attempt a contest. A recent letter from New York states that in a trial of his speed, Mr. Arensburg composed seven days, of seven hours per day, 107,500 ems type, an average of about 2,071 ems an hour. When we state to the uninitiated that in what is called one thousand ems among printers, there are almost four thousand pieces of metal to be picked up, one by one, magnitude of this trial becomes apparent. In each of the seven hours employed Mr. Arensburg would have to pick from his case and place in his composing stick over 8,000 pieces of metal.

One Dr. T., a Presbyterian, had a lady-love, a decided Baptist. When talking once of the approaching nuptials, the Doctor said:—"I am thinking my dear, of two events I shall number the happiness of my life." "And what may they be, doctor?" remarked the lady. "One is the hour when I shall call you my wife, for the first time." "And the other?" "It is when we shall present our first born for baptism." "What sprinkled?" "Yes, my dear, sprinkled." "Never shall a child of mine be sprinkled." "But mine shall." "They shall be, say?" "Yes, my love." "Well, sir, then I can tell you that your babies won't be my babies. So good night, sir."

HOW AN ORANGE COUNTY GIRL ELOPED.—A young lady residing near Deckertown lately eloped from her father's house, and left for parts unknown with the object of her love. Her father, a man in good standing, was opposed to the match, and had imprisoned his daughter in an upper chamber of the house; but not liking the situation, she eloped from the window and flew for refuge to her lover, whom she found in the village laboring under numerous potations. The young lady jumped into his wagon, the bystanders lifted the lover into the vehicle, and she, seizing the ribbons and plying the whip vigorously, rattled out of the town at a pace which would have put John Gilpin to the blush, and disappeared in the dim distance, cheered by the huzzas of the admiring crowd that witnessed the flight of the loving twain.—Middletown Mercury.

A MAN MARRIES HIS STEPMOTHER.—Some day ago the community in the vicinity of Carter's Station was considerably exercised over the announcement that Mr. Lyon, who lived in the neighborhood, had married his mother. It seems that Lyon's father had been twice married, and the children by the first wife continued to live in the family after the second marriage. Lyon, the father, died, leaving his second wife a widow, and Lyon, the son, married his father's widow. The clerk issued the license without a knowledge of the facts, and the minister requested to solemnize the marriage declined; a magistrate likewise refused, and the pair crossed over to Steky Creek, where they were unknown, and were married.

FOR PURE and unadulterated liquors and wine for medical use go to
Jan 24th. GAFFNEY'S

ONE HUNDRED empty liquor casks for sale at
Jan 24th. GAFFNEY'S

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

Local Notices.

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

Fine Drugs at 27th st. Griffes Bro's.
Patent Medicines at 27th st. Griffes Bro's.

Would you believe it, the best cigars are to be had at Griffes Bro's. 27th st.

The best of everything in the drug line at Griffes Bro's. 27th st.

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

BITTERS are only \$5 per case at Jan 24th. GAFFNEY'S

Lammers & Alden's is the only store to buy good, durable and cheap clothing.

Lammers & Alden's is the only white mass, clothing store in the Centre.

Griffes Bro. keep Wheeling Blagies, 3 for 5 etc.

Diaries at Cost at Griffes Bro.

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

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 st.

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

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

Carriage Bolts, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. 23-st.

Horse Shoe Nails, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. 23-st.

THIS MEANS BUSINESS—My entire stock of goods is offered at cost.

Dec 5 st. A. S. SMITH.

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

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

Reduced Prices at Lammers & Alden's. [Nov. 22th.]

Underclothing in large quantities at Lammers & Alden's.

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

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PETROLEUM IRON WORKS
Bryan, Dillingham & Co.,
Machinists!
Iron and Brass Founders
FORGERS,
Manufacturers of
ENGINES, BOILERS, DRILLING
TOOLS, MULLAY AND SASH
SAW MILLS, PUMPING RIGS,
WALKING BEAM AND
BAND WHEEL IRONS, PLOWS,
AND ALL KINDS OF CASTINGS,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN

ALLISON'S TUBING AND CASING,
FOR OIL WELLS, &c.
Titusville, Nov 25th, 1869. u.

NOTICE.
FOR SALE.—Building and lease No. 117 Washington street, for terms apply to Jan 24th. OWEN GAFFNEY.

NEW JEWELRY STORE!
AT OIL CITY.

ISHAM & Co.
Have opened a jewelry store on Centre street, next door west of the P. & A. Telegraph Office, Oil City, Pa.

Keep constantly on hand a large assortment of
Diamonds & Fine Watches
(American, Eng ish and Swiss make.)

Solid Silver and Plated Ware,
SOLID GOLD CHAINS,
JEWELRY,
PISTOLS,
REVOLVERS,
FISHING TACKLE,
REAL RINGS &c.

Particular attention given to repairing fine watches and jewelry by a competent workman.
The firm has stores at TITUSVILLE, PA. & IRVINGTON, PA.
Jan 24th.

Sobel's OPERA HOUSE

SHERRY'S



Proprietor & Manager **JAMES F. SHERRY**
Leader of Band **FRANK MONTFORD**
Leader of Orchestra **CARL ZIMMERNAN**

Fifth Annual Tour

The Manager begs leave to announce the citizens of Pet. Centre and vicinity that he will open with a company comprising

24 First-Class Artists,

Selected from the principal theatres of New York, Boston and Philadelphia together with a splendid

SILVER CORNET BAND,

and a full and

Efficient Orchestra

Making the greatest combination of Dramatic and musical talent now traveling.

For a Few Nights Only,

COMMENCING

Friday Eve's

Jan. 28th, 1870,

On which occasion will be presented for the first time in this place, the New and successful Pastoral Drama, lately produced at Wallack's theatre, New York City, and which has received the highest encomiums of the press and the public, entitled.

DORA!

Mr. J. F. Sherry as Farmer Allen.
Mrs. Julia Blake as Dora.

To be followed by a very Laughable

AFTERPIECE!

Admission, 50 Cents.
Reserved Seats, . . 75 Cents.

TICKETS for sale at the Central House.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Performance commences at 8.

J. M. SHERRY, Agent.

The Great Company will give 3 performances at Rouseville, commencing 7th, 8th, 9th February, 1870.