

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Thursday March 24

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS 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, 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, 8.33 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, 3.38 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 10.19 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. Free. A 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 1/2 p. m. JAMES DUNN, Pastor.

Gold 112 1/2. The Wallace Sisters are soon to appear at Titusville.

It is reported that Gen. Geo. B. McClellan is to be appointed President of the Atlantic & Great Western R'y.

New buildings continue to be put up on the Egbert farm. "Brooklyn" begins to assume a metropolitan air which is truly refreshing.

Cold nights and pleasant days are all the rage at present.

Sound finance should resemble the American female form divine, in showing small waste, full chest, and no chance of a bust; but it should not get so much in arrears.—World.

A young lady in Iowa, wanting to commit suicide in as pleasant a way as possible, made a nice cake to put her poison in.

New Orleans pickpockets send up a host of India rubber balloons, and while the crowd is gazing heavenward go through its pockets.

A compositor in the Pittsburgh Gazette office, named D. W. Radburgh, on Thursday, in one hour's time, set up 2,100 ems.

Local matters are scarce at present. The man who was recently stabbed at Reno has recovered.

A good many improvements are to be made in buildings in this vicinity the coming spring. Mr. J. W. Beatty is about to put up an additional story to his building. This is made necessary on account of his increased trade. Other improvements are to be made which we shall note from time to time as they occur.

The weather is more like Spring to-day than any day this month.

We understand that an additional story is to be built on the lock-up in a short time. The upper part is to be used as an office by the Justice of the Peace.

The Walker well, Central Petroleum Co's farm, was tubed yesterday, preparatory to testing.

Haley, the man who was shot on Saturday night last, is recovering.

From the number of oil well rigs and tools at present being transported to the McCray and adjoining farms, we judge that many new wells are to be put down.

Numbers of old wells in this vicinity are being torpedoed with beneficial results.

It will be seen by reference to another column that the Odd Fellows are to hold a meeting at Good Templar's Hall, on Friday evening next.

The Good Templars will celebrate the anniversary of their organization, at their hall, this evening. We have not learned the order of exercises.

Drinking whisky in Oskosh is called "holding communion with disembodied spirits."

PETROLEUM ZENDER, March 23.

Viddow. Vimmens unt Giris— Ven a bromised do kondine, I dident dink I vos going away zo soon, but I belong here now I kondinne dot vor you.

De virat ish Charile Vicker, vot is a prinder mit de noose baper, now Charile beese old enuff do ave a vrow, ish industrious, smart, bursevering, kind and would make a goot Husband.

But no airs vor Char-ler. Dis odder vellow beese Schones, he is a beatty man, and is a refinery mit de dick oil kind; boards mit de McKintock House. Chones is very suileing mit de girls.

A liddle greasion vor Chones. Dis is a delegraph man and is not married yet he dident marry ven dey thought he did. Zo der is a chance vor one more yet.

You zo him mit de delegraph office in de Rochester House mit de vindow, ven you ook you see it is Harlow.

Smile to Harlow. Schonny McUmber, yes he klurks at de Zendral House, unt has interest in an oil well. Schonny dakes goot care mit himself, and mit what he gets. Now dere's a chance of his bein reach, unt, he ish zo qualified vor de bosidion dot he flis in zo bolide a manner.

Look mit de exdrays vor Schonny. Dere beese dat Schorge Arnold vot ish a nice man, he loks vor von vrow, but dere beese von dedrement in dat way.—Dis Schorge ish a good arted man, but ven you get in ride den you vind me ride.

Kindness vor Schorge. Von E. P. C.

Petroleum Items from all Sources.

The old Burtis' well, located on the Ball Farm, near Pithole, which had formerly pumped but a small amount of oil, was put down twelve feet deeper about two weeks since, and pumped water for several days, during which time \$2,500 was refused for the well. After the water was pumped off it commenced producing oil, and is now doing 62 barrels daily.

Colonel Thomas McDonough has struck a good well on the Hamby farm, adjoining the Snyder farm at Foster. It commenced pumping oil Saturday afternoon, and is doing about fifteen barrels daily, with every prospect of increasing. Colonel McDonough, Mr. Brunet, Colonel Phillips, and others of Pittsburgh own the Hamby farm in fee simple, and if this well proves a paying one the farm will become valuable territory.—Colonel McDonough has been very fortunate in his operations about Foster.

The Titusville Herald says there is a revival of the oil fever at Tyroville, and hopes it will result in a thorough test of that locality as oil producing territory. A strong Company has been organized, and preparations have been completed for sinking one well near Gray's mill. Another well will soon be started in the same neighborhood, and the company have means for three or four additional tests.

The still house of the Mavesick petroleum works in East Boston was burned Monday night, with 5,000 barrels of oil. Loss \$6,000. Patrick McLaughlin was burned to death.

It is related of the Rev. Charles Townsend, the recently deceased octogenarian rector of Kingston, by Sea, England, and the friend of Scott, Byron, and Wordsworth that he penned the following witty epigram apropos of the invasion of his rectory by thieves:

"They came and prigg'd my stockings, my linen and my store; But they couldn't prig my sermons, for they were prigg'd before."

The Roman Catholics have established a Foundling Asylum in New York, and hung a basket in the vestibule to receive infants which their parents wish to desert. Each week thirty or forty are received. Of the 302 children found in the basket in less than a year 105 have died, 33 were in the asylum at the last report, and 168 were out nursing. Thus far \$20,000 have been collected for it, but the State is to be asked to give aid.

It is said that in the case of McFarland there is hardly a possibility of conviction, or even a disagreement of the jury, public opinion, as well as private judgment, having been so skillfully and industriously manipulated by the newspaper detractors of Richardson that it will be next to impossible to secure a competent and impartial jury.

San Francisco wants a more abundant supply of water, and seriously entertains a project for bringing it in pipes, seven feet in diameter, from Lake Bigler. The length of the pipe would be one hundred and twelve miles, and cost ten million dollars; but it would supply water to all the intervening towns, and to the farms requiring irrigation.

A Virginia darkey stole a railroad ride on the truck under the tender. His remains were taken up tenderly.

A Revolution in the Circus Business.

Of late years the hotel and stable bills of the showmen have run up to such enormous figures as to devour nearly all their receipts. In order to overcome this enfeebling drain, Mr. J. M. French, of New Orleans, who had to take a circus in self-defense, and run it in order to get back money which he had loaned to the proprietors, last season hit upon the expedient of camping his men and horses on the ground on which they performed. This worked so well that Mr. French has gone into the business systematically, and will this season run his show independently of landlords and stable keepers altogether.

Mr. French has had a kitchen built, eight feet wide, ten feet high and eighteen long, with all the modern improvements, which is mounted on wheels, and in which cooking can be done for one hundred men with economy and celerity. This kitchen will be a big show itself, and the performances of the cook and his assistants will be apt to divide the interest of the country housewives with the performances under the canvas. Mr. French has also devised a portable canvas stable for his horses, thirty-five feet wide, eighty five feet long, and fifteen feet high. Portable stalls, troughs and other stable gear have also been provided in abundance, and provender has been engaged at convenient points, so that the horses of the concern may have all possible equine comforts.

Other showmen getting wind of this new improvement, have also gone into it; and it now looks as though the country landlords would be left unto themselves desolate by those on whom they have heretofore looked as lawful prey.

The use of that potent explosive agent, known as nitro-glycerine, is attended by so many hazards that it would seem almost impossible to guard against the fearful explosions that so frequently occur. The most trivial neglect or oversight in its use may involve most terrific consequences. Instances have occurred where accidents have been occasioned by the small quantity of this dangerous fluid left undrained from the vessels containing them. No legislation imposing restrictions or guarding its use would avail much in preventing fatal consequences for its use. And yet it is an invaluable agent in mining and blasting operations. The safest means of its use is therefore a great desideratum; and, as its manufacture is but a simple process, it is suggested that if manufactured on the spot by those who use it, the dangers attending it may be avoided. It is only a mixture of nitric acid and glycerine, and even laborers may be taught safely to combine them.—Nitric and sulphuric acids are generally kept in glass vessels, and it is necessary to use glass or porcelain for the mixing of acids with the glycerine. The liability of glass to break in the transportation or use, is a great obstacle; but in Europe advantage has been taken of a curious property of iron which by certain simple processes, may be caused to assume what is known as the passive condition, resisting the action of the strongest acids or saline solutions. It is said that nitro-glycerine thus extemporaneously made, need not be purified or washed, as is necessary when the product is kept for a time, as there is no danger of spontaneous decomposition.

Attention! Odd Fellows! There will be a meeting of the Odd Fellows at present residing in this place, for the purpose of forming a Lodge, at Good Templar's Hall, on Friday evening, March 25th, 1870. All members of the order are invited to attend. By order committee. m24 2t.

Special Notice to Policy Holders of the Brooklyn Life Insurance Company. All power of J. P. Albee as agent for this Company has been revoked for sufficient cause, and the public and policy holders are requested to transact all business direct with the officers at this office. CHRISTIAN W. BOECK, President Brooklyn Life Ins. Co., No. 141 Broadway, New York City. 2tw.

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 1f.

Fine assortment of Paper and Cloth Window Shades and Fixtures, just rec'd at m8f. GRIFFES BROS.

Sash, Glass, Doors, Putty &c. Large stock very cheap at the Furniture Store. m10-1f

We would call the attention of our business men to the superior styles of job printing, both plain and fancy, at present being turned out from this office. We are prepared to execute job printing of every description in the latest and most fashionable style of the art, and at reasonable rates. 1f.

Local Notices. It is the truth? Griffes Bros. have RECOMMENCED SPECIE PAYMENT. All persons purchasing goods at their store will receive specie in change. Give them a call and see for yourself. m22-1f.

Mr. FRASER, salesman for the well known clothing house of Charles Stokes, Philadelphia will visit this city about April 1st. Those wishing clothing cut in the latest style and best materials will do well to reserve their orders for him. He will have a very large and complete line of samples.—Our prices will be found very low as the extent of our business gives great advantages in buying. The long established reputation of the house for fair dealing, good cutting and workmanship is guarantee that every customer will be pleased. m16-m.

Lammers & Alden's is the only white mans, clothing store in the Centre. 5,000 rolls Wall Paper just received at m8f. GRIFFES BROS.

The largest and best assortment of Table Cutlery, ever brought into the country at Nicholson & Blackmon's. 1f.

Underclothing in large quantities at Lammers & Alden's. Horse Shoe Nails, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. 23-1f.

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Gaffney, sells better and cheaper goods than any dealer on the creek. Try him. m 18f.

The largest and best assorted stock ever on exhibition on Oil creek is at Gaffney's. m18f. Gold taken at par for goods at Gaffney's. M 18f.

A few more boarders can be accommodated at the Oil Exchange. march 10f. S. REYNOLDS prop.

Lammers & Alden's is the only store to buy good, durable and cheap clothing. THE PYRAMIDS of splendid coal over at Codrington & Cornwell's yard are perfectly wonderful. march 10f.

SHERIFFS SALE IS CLOSED.—Nicholson & Blackmon having bought him out at this place and Kane City. 1f. GOLD is a word which Codrington & Cornwell propose render obsolete. For modus operandi call and see them. march 10f.

Go to Griffes Bros. for the best selected stock of Paper Hangings and Curtains ever offered in town. m8f. Reduced Prices at Lammers & Alden's. [Nov. 22f.] THIS MEANS BUSINESS.—My entire stock of goods is offered at cost. A. S. SMITH. Dec 5 1f.

Just received a large and well assorted stock of shelf hardware at J. Rutherford's. 1f. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE CHEAP! A splendid pair of Horses, also Wagon and Harness complete. For terms, enquire at the McClellan House. m14-1f.

GEO. H. BISSELL & CO., BANKERS, PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA. G. H. Bissell, M. C. Martin, Christopher Meyer. We offer our services for the transaction of GENERAL BANKING, EXCHANGE and COLLECTION BUSINESS. Any business entrusted to our care will receive prompt attention. ju 17 1f.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Time, 10 minutes faster than Erie time. On and after Monday, Nov. 15th, 1869, the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad will run as follows: WESTWARD. Mail Train leaves Philadelphia, 9.55 p m; leaves Corry, 6.50 p m; arrives at Erie, 8.30 p m. Erie Expr. leaves Philadelphia, 11.40 a m; leaves Corry, 8.12 a m; arrives at Erie, 10.0 a m. Accom' leaves Corry, 1.50 p m; arrives at Erie, 3.45 p m. EASTWARD. Mail train leaves Erie, 8.40 a m; leaves Corry, 10.30 a m; arrives at Philadelphia, 6.30 a m. Erie Expr. leaves Erie, 4.00 p m; leaves Corry, 5.50 p m; arrives at Philadelphia, 12.45 p m. Accom' leaves Erie, 10.25 a m; arrives at Corry, 7.10 p m. Express east connects at Corry. Mail east at Corry and Irvineton. Express west at Irvineton with trains on Oil Creek and Allegheny River Railroad. ALFRED L. TYLER, Gen. Supt.

C. A. Durfey, DEALER in second hand engines, boilers, Tubing, Casing, also new Wood & Mann engines on hand. Having the facilities for CLEANING AND REPAIRING ENGINES, will do so on the most reasonable terms. Parties Having Engines for Sale will do well to give me a call. Platform near the O. C. & A. R. R. PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA.

Purchasing with cash only, our facilities for finishing everything in our line are superior to any other establishment in the Oil region. We have a first class. TIN AND REPAIR SHOP. Thanking our friends for their liberal patronage in the past, we shall use our best efforts to merit in the future. March 1st.

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