

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Fri. Centre, Saturday, April 2

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

FOUR.
No. 2, Passenger.—Leave Cory 11 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 Cory 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 Cory 6.05 p. m.; Titusville, 7.50 p. m.; Petroleum Centre, 8.33 p. m.; arrive at Oil City 9.23 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 Cory 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 Cory 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 Cory 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 1/2 a. m.
Vesper and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 4 p. m.

Catechism at 2 1/2 p. m.
JAMES DUNN, Pastor.

Gold 111 1/2.

An important invention having been patented by Whipple & Dickerson, of Georgetown, D. C., for the use of petroleum as fuel, and which has been in practical operation there for some months, and the steamboat laws now under revision by the Committee on Commerce proposing to totally prohibit the carrying of crude petroleum on steamers, a sub-committee of the House, in conjunction with Professor Henry who is said to be an expert in these matters visited Georgetown for the purpose of examining into the merits of the invention. With a view of modifying the restriction provision of the proposed new law. Much interest was felt in the examination, and the greatest satisfaction manifested in the results. Several machines are in process of construction.

The many friends of W. W. Marshall, Esq., long a resident of this place, will be pained to learn of his decease, which occurred at his home in Kentucky one day last week. The death of Mr. Marshall was not unexpected by his friends in this vicinity, at the same time hopes were entertained that a change of climate would so far restore him to health that his life would be prolonged for years to come. But a wise Providence ruled it otherwise, and the memory of his blameless life and many good deeds is all that is left. Let us strive to emulate his worthy example.

Mr. Trayer, representing the house of Chas. Stokes, Merchant Tailor and Clothier, Philadelphia, will be in town in the course of a day or two, for the purpose of taking orders for clothing, &c. The old-established reputation of this house cannot help but gain them an extensive trade in the oil region.

Elsewhere will be found the proceedings of the oil producer's meeting, held at Oil City, yesterday forenoon. It will be seen that a committee has been appointed to proceed to Harrisburg to lay the matter before the State Legislature. It is to be hoped they will succeed in securing the passage of a measure of such vital interest to the oil regions.

Our citizens will bear in mind that Rev. John Peate, M. D., of Franklin, is to preach in the M. E. Church, to-morrow forenoon and evening. Rev. P. is highly spoken of by those who have heard him, as being not only an earnest worker but an eloquent divine. Let there be a full attendance to hear him.

It should be borne in mind that Rev. J. T. Oxtoby, pastor of the Presbyterian Society of this place, preaches his farewell sermons to-morrow, forenoon and evening.

The engine house attached to the Neal well, on the Robinson farm, Parker's Landing, on the river, above Enterprise, took fire and burned down on Wednesday of last week, damaging engine and boiler. The derrick and tank of oil escaped destruction. The fire was occasioned by oil flowing through the gas pipes into the furnace.—A warning to others.—Venango Spectator.

LONG YEARS AGO!

All for a pretty, girlish face,
Two cheeks of rosy hue,
Two rosy cheeks of vermeil tint,
And eyes of Heaven's blue.

All for a little dimpled chin,
A round throat, snowy fair,
A darling mouth to dream upon,
And glorious golden hair.

All for a tender cooing voice,
And gentle fluttering sighs,
All for the promise made to me,
By story-telling eyes.

All for that pretty, girlish face,
For a hand as white as snow,
I dreamed a foolish dream of love,
Long, long years ago.

Dublin University Magazine.

The Oil Producers' Meeting.
In response to the published call of the President of the Petroleum Producers' Association, a large and enthusiastic meeting was held in Oil City yesterday.

The meeting being called to order, Mr. Wm. Lay, was chosen chairman and F. W. Hastings, Secretary.

There was a general discussion on the subject of "the free pipe bill," and the meeting appointed the following persons as a committee to visit Harrisburg, on Monday April 4th, to urge the passage of the bill now before the Senate, viz:

John Marshall, E. E. Clapp, Samuel Plumer, J. M. Bonham, Wm. Brough, John W. Watson, H. I. Bora, George E. Ridgway, Wm. L. Lay, F. W. Andrews, E. M. Lukill, L. Emery, Jr., Capt. John Wolf, Sterling Bonaft, Wm. S. McMullen, E. G. Patterson, Dr. Shamburg, Geo. Boulter, C. V. Cutrer, F. W. Mitchell, Col. A. J. Greenfield, Theodore Ladd, P. H. Tierman, Wm. Murkle, Samuel Haish, Henry Byrom, S. P. McCalmont, Wm. Thompson, T. B. Porteous, Wm. M. Williams, M. A. Morse, Wm. A. Shreve, G. F. Chester, James E. Brown and A. Noybatt.

On motion, any other persons interested in the passage of this bill, were requested to join this committee at Harrisburg.

A new explosive agent termed Lithofracteur was, on Saturday last, successfully applied to some heavy pieces of ordnance at the East St. Louis Rolling Mill, which had resisted all efforts before used to break them. This mixture is of a deep bluish color resembling mud, about the consistency of putty. It is put into a hole drilled for the purpose, without tamping or covering of any kind except a handful of fire clay to keep it in place, it is fired by a fuse terminating in a copper cap made especially for the purpose. When lighted with a match it burns like wet powder, and the danger of its use is even much less than by ordinary powder. The Lithofracteur is said to have five times the force of nitro-glycerine, and twenty times that of gunpowder.

E. W. Stanley, Esq., has purchased the Venango Citizen printing establishment and will hereafter publish that paper. We welcome Mr. S. to the editorial fraternity, and trust his enterprise will prove a success, both financially and otherwise.

We are in receipt of the first number of Panchinello, a new comic paper, which has just been started in New York City. It contains many good things. The illustrations are by Stephens, an artist of real merit and who is well known. It is issued by the Panchinello Publishing Company, No. 83 Nassau Street, New York. Hope it will prove a success.

The Venango Spectator, with its usual enterprise, publishes the list of Treasurers Sales of unseated and seated lands, in supplement form. It will prove of value for reference and should be preserved.

The drama of to-day may be realized to-morrow. A Pittsfield, Mass., couple once visited a married pair in Utica, and a friend remarked: "What a fine couple the Pittsfield lady and the Utica man would make." Years passed, the Utica wife died, the Pittsfield man was killed in the war, and last week the widow and widower were united in the holy bonds.

Daniel McFarland's trial for the killing of A. D. Richardson opens next Monday in New York city before Recorder Hackett.—McFarland is to be defended by John Graham, Elbridge Gerry, and other eminent lawyers.

"The First National Bank of Louisville vs. the State of Kentucky.—Error to the Court of Appeals of the State of Kentucky.

An impression is daily gaining ground that the City of Boston, if lost was destroyed by fire. The theory is supported by the fact that her inefficient machinery had to be forced to unreasonably quick action in order to get up the requisite degree of speed, thereby causing dangerous friction.

Song of the robin every morning.

NEWS ITEMS.

The city of Dayton, Ohio, will pay \$860,000 income tax for 1899.

The veterans in the Soldiers' Home in Dayton, Ohio, fired minute guns on Wednesday in honor of the memory of General Thomas.

Twenty thousand dollars were stolen from the treasurer's office of Perry county, Indiana, on Thursday night.

Thursday morning the fruit packing factory of J. B. Glenn & Co., on Canal street, Cleveland, was burned. Their loss is \$8,000. Insured \$5,250. Loss to the building, owned by F. D. Stone, \$30,000.

High water has interfered with the Rock Island and St. Louis, and Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroads.

Gold mining is becoming quite brisk in Montana. Large numbers of persons are leaving for the mining districts.

The bark Cricket, with a cargo of 5,000 bags of coffee from Rio Janeiro, was wrecked off Cape Charles. The crew were saved.

The store of Wilgus Bros., at Ithaca, New York, was robbed of \$5,000 worth of silks on Wednesday night.

The loss of the Venezuelan, iron screw steamer, plying between Liverpool and Apinwall is reported. She sailed from Liverpool on the 5th of March with a full cargo of general merchandise, 4800 in specie, the mails, thirteen passengers, and a crew of forty-seven persons, bound to the West Indies. From the date of sailing she experienced fresh gales; but on the 12th she encountered very heavy weather which continued until the 15th, when she broke down at eight and a half o'clock in the morning. It was blowing a moderate gale with a heavy cross sea running, and without any warning or shock the rudder dropped off leaving a large hole in the vessel's side. Water rushing into the after store room, and in fifteen minutes after it was full. Measures were taken at once to confine the water in the after compartment.—Fortunately next day the Camilla hove in sight and took on board the passengers. The Captain and all the officers and thirty-six of the crew of the Venezuelan remained with the ship. In a few hours after the ships parted company a heavy gale set in, and the Captain of the Camilla fears that the Venezuelan could not, in her crippled condition, weather it. There is a strong feeling among the passengers also that the Venezuelan did not survive the gale of the 16th and 17th instants.

John Monroe's distillery, Philadelphia, was burned Wednesday night. Loss \$25,000.

Richard Bleken, indicted, in Philadelphia, for the attempted murder of two little boys has forfeited his bail and is supposed to have fled to Europe.

D. W. Voorhees spoke in Indianapolis Thursday night, in reply to Senator Morton's speech of February 23d. His speech was mainly on financial topics.

Horace Greeley is to deliver the opening address at the St. Louis agricultural fair, on the 3d of October. A new amphitheater is to be erected, capable of seating 50,000 persons.

A mass meeting in Salt Lake City Thursday, a rebuffance against the Colon bill was adopted, in which the principle of plurality of wives is claimed to be derived through revelation from God, etc., etc.

Lynch, the leader in the riot on the steambath Dubuque last fall, has been arrested in Arkansas, and is now on his way to Rock Island for trial.

The heavy rain of last night set the Creek to raging again.

LOST.

From the harness shop of A. Leggett, a small black and tan terrier, answers to the name of Dick. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the same at the harness shop.

A. LEGGETT.

Specie Payment Resumed.

On and after this date, April 1st, specie payment will be resumed at the Opera House Saloon where greenbacks is given for Ale, Wine, Lager, Cigars, Sandwiches, &c. By order

JOHN THOROLD Prop'r.

Oil-City.

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

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

The Pyramids of splendid coal over at Codington & Cornwell's yard are perfectly wonderful.

march 10/9.

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

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

Oil-City.

Local Notices.

ICE, ICE.

Messrs. Bailey, Chaffin & Smith are prepared to furnish the purest of Sandy Lake ice on short notice, at the proper season and at reasonable rates.

ICE, ICE.

Ice.—C. H. Williams & Co., are prepared to furnish fresh Chautauqua Lake ice in quantities to suit all. They have laid in a large stock of the purest ice ever brought to the oil region. Those using ice will do well to bear this fact in mind. m30-4.

Mr. Trayer, 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. m16-18

It is the truth? Griffin Bros. have RECEIVED SPECIE PAYMENT. All persons purchasing goods at their store will receive specie in change. Give them a call and see for yourself. m23-25.

Fine assortment of Paper and Cloth Window Shades and Fixtures, just rec'd at m81.

Fash. Glass, Doors, Putty &c. Large stock very cheap at the Furniture Store. m10-17

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

Gaffney, sells better and cheaper goods than any dealer on the creek. Try him. m 19/4.

The largest and best assorted stock ever on exhibition on Oil Creek is at Gaffney's. m18/4.

Gold taken at par for goods at Gaffney's. m 18/4.

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

Gold is a word which Codington & Cornwell propose render obsolete. For modes operandi call and see them. march 10/9.

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. m.

Horse Shoe Nails, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. m 25/4.

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

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Carrriage Bows, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. m 23-1/4.

Underclothing in large quantities at Lammers & Alden's.

Reduced Prices at Lammers & Alden's. [Nov. 22/9.]

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

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. A. Durley,

IN HALCYON sound hand engine, rollers, Tabling, casing, also new Wood & Main engines on steady on hand. Having the facilities for CLEANING AND REPAIRING ENGINES.

all 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.

SCHONBLON & WING,
Proprietors of the
Buffalo Bakery

Dealer in choice flour, Butter, Eggs and Cheese and choice groceries.

Petroleum Centre, Pa.
Orders left will be promptly attended to and Goods delivered. Postoffice Box 262, may 19.

GEO. H. BISSELL & CO., BANKERS,
PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA.

G. B. Bush, Christopher Meyer.
We offer our services for the transmittal of GENERAL BANKING, EXCHANGES and COLLECTING BUSINESS.

Any business entrusted to our care will receive prompt attention. m 17/4.

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 CHOICEST AND BEST MEAT will be kept. It will be our aim to serve our customers with promptness and to their entire satisfaction. m 16/4.

H. & W. PARKER.

WINSOR BROS. COLUMN.

WINSOR BROS., HARDWARE

STORE.

ESTABLISHED 1859.

Winsor Bros.

MAIN STREET,

PETROLEUM CENTRE,

DEALERS IN OIL WELL

TUBING AND CASING

ALSO,

WORKING BARRELS & VALVES,
STUFFING BOXES,
CLAMPS, TONGS,
IRON SUCKER RODS,
RIVETED JOINT SUCKERROD
BOILER PUMPS,
CISTERN & WELL PUMPS,

Every Description of supplies for

OIL WELL TANKS AND REFINERIES.

BRASS GOODS,

STEAM & GAS FITTINGS

BELTING, PACKING AND HOSE,
KIRBY'S COMPRESSED BUNGS,

HARDWARE,

House Trimmings,
Carpenters' Tools,
Drilling and Plain Laid Rope,
Oakum, Nails, Axes,
Table and Pocket Cutlery.

A full assortment of everything in the Hardware line.

House Furnishing Goods,

VENTILATOR AND

Morning Glory BASE BURNERS.

HOME COMPANION,
IRON GATE, and
WHEAT SHEAF

Cook Stoves.

Lamps, Lanterns & Chimneys,
No. 1 Winter strained
Lard Oil,

NO. 1 REFINED OIL.

CHAMPION CLOTHES WRINGERS

Manufacturers of

TIN, SHEET IRON & COPPER WARE.

SMOKE STACKS.

Repairing of all kinds done with neatness and dispatch. Especial attention given to

Steam and Gas Fittings

Purchasing with cash only, our facilities for furnishing everything in our line are superior to any other establishment in the Oil region. We are 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 continuance
March 19/9.