

Petroleum Centre Daily Record

Pet. Centre, Saturday, April 16.

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

SOUTH. No. 2 Passenger—Leave Corry 11a.20 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, 3.36 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, 8.29 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.

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 p. m. JAMES DUNN, Pastor.

Gold 113 1/2. From the report of the Petroleum Producers' Association for the month of March we collate the following facts: Number of barrels of oil on hand at the wells at the close of the month, 119,732; Number of barrels of oil delivered from wells during the month, 354,400; Aggregate, 474,132; Deduct number of barrels of oil on hand at the close of last month, 123,841; Balance showing the production for the month, 350,291; Average per day for the month containing 31 days, 11,299; Number of wells producing during the month, 2,152; Average daily production per well during the month, 5.2; Number of wells being drilled, 430; Number of wells commenced during the month, 118; Number of wells completed during the month, 109; Number of wells abandoned during the month, 48; Number of abandoned wells resumed, 12. The Herald's monthly report puts the production at 12,385 barrels per day, making a difference of 1,086 barrels per day between it and the producers' report.

A bill authorizing the erection of a County Poor House for Venango County passed the Legislature a few days before the close of the session. The bill names certain persons who are to act as commissioners in purchasing grounds, making contracts, etc., and leaves it optional with the Commissioners named and the County Commissioners, as to whether it is expedient to erect a Poor House. The provisions of the bill extend until June 1st, 1871.

A BIG STRIKE.—The well of Thomas Chess & Co., in this city, near the point, commenced pumping last week at the rate of one barrel of oil per day. Not being satisfied with this production, the tubing was withdrawn and the well torpedoed, and re-tubed, and on last Tuesday morning was pumping at the rate of eighteen barrels per day, of the best quality of lubricating oil.—The well is 290 feet deep, and has a vein 12 feet thick, of pebble sand rock. It is the opinion of operators that the yield will not materially decrease.—Franklin Citizen.

The Sheriff of Benvenue county, Minnesota, was lately put to flight by a criminal who intruded himself in a hay-loft and pointed a big auger at the gallant official. The scoundrel escaped in the confusion, and the official has been badly bored ever since.

We hear it rumored that unless the freight on oil by railroad is reduced, a number of the oil buyers propose to ship their oil to market by water. They claim that the rates are extortionate and that they cannot pay them and do justice to themselves or the Pittsburgh dealers.

The body of John McCauly, who died of small pox in this place some months since, was disinterred yesterday by his brother, and taken to Erie for final burial.

In addition to the large stock of groceries, &c., at the branch store of H. C. Wachter he has a Soda Fountain in full operation.—To-day he has been dealing out Soda water of the finest flavor free gratis. The fountain will also open this evening. Those who are weary will do well to call and partake.

Is it delirium, or imagination, or memory or a deeply seated religious feeling that causes people on their death-beds to talk as it has been known many christians have talked before they died? Do they really see that of which they speak? The Ithacan relates a scene at the death bed of Kitty Skinner, who died in Ithaca on the 24th of March. She was one of the victims of the Lang family poisoning case. It is one of the most touching incidents that has come to our knowledge in a long time.

Little Kitty continued to grow worse until between 7 and 8 o'clock Wednesday night, when her suffering became intense.—She could with difficulty be kept quiet, and only by giving a great deal of anaesthetics. All the time she asked for cooling substance as snow and ice, on account of her burning stomach. At last death came to the little sufferer's relief, but gradually, for after she became easier she could talk. She talked constantly of her relatives, and she saw Bella Lang, (who was buried last week) and she had a beautiful white dress all plaited about the waist, and gathered in skirt. She said she wanted to be dressed like Bella, for she was so beautiful. Not long before she died, in the midst of her talk, she said, 'papa,' (her father was buried on the 22d of January) 'take hold of my hand and help me across.' Between 6 and 7 Thursday she breathed her last.

The United States Treasurer, a few days ago, received a letter from S. L. Carpenter, of Kansas City, Mo., enclosing a dreadfully battered twenty-five cent note for exchange. But having some conscientious scruples as to the genuineness of the rag, the writer begged the Treasurer not to brand it as a counterfeit. He said he was a poor boy, to whom twenty-five cents was a matter of great importance, and if the enclosed should prove to be bogus, he would like to have it returned, as he knew a place where he could spend it for lager beer.

An old gentleman named John Barnard was enticed into a Corry "gin mill" Monday evening drugged and robbed of \$700. He soon discovered his loss and put the police on the track of three men whom he thought were concerned in the theft, they were followed to Salamanca, arrested and taken to Corry. No evidence was found and they were discharged. No other arrests were made. The man was from Tidoute bound to Minnesota. He should keep out of gin mills and especially shun Corry lager.

The anti-Mormon bill passed the House some two days ago was favorably reported by the Senate Territorial committee. They retain all to which the House, on Collom's motion, agreed, and insert half a dozen new sections. Officers of the Mormon church are not only prohibited from solemnizing marriages, but it is made a misdemeanor for them to do so, punishable with fine and imprisonment. Marriages in violation of the terms of the bill are declared incestuous and void, and all persons aiding or consenting to them are to be punished for misdemeanor. Spiritual marriages, sealing, consecration, and all other devices whereby men get the services of woman, are prohibited, and sealed spiritual wives may sue and recover payment for their labor.

THE SCIENCE OF A NEW LIFE.—This is the title of a new and popular work by Jno. Cowan, M. D., which is for sale by Mr. and Mrs. L. and M. Gregory, of Rouseville, who are at present canvassing the oil regions. This is a work containing much practical information to both married and single of both sexes. It should be in every household, it is highly recommended by such standard newspapers as the Round Table, the Revolution, Scottish American, Christian Advocate, &c. Also, such Philanthropists as Dr. Dio Lewis and Rev. O. B. Frothingham. Mr. and Mrs. Gregory will call on our citizens in a few days.

At the theatre to-night will be presented the beautiful drama by Chas. Read, entitled, "Dora." To conclude with the laughable farce of "Turn Him Out." This being positively the last night of the great company we hope to see a crowded house.

Yesterday while ruminating on the uncertainty of human events, and especially of procuring local items, the door of our sanctum opened and the benign, seven by nine, countenance of John Theobolt came in, bearing in his hand a pitcher of lager, and singing— "He who drinks good lager, And goes to bed mellow," &c. N. B.—We partook; it was good; John Theobolt has it on draught.

Dr. E. B. Lightbill, an itinerant tourist, was cowhided on Friday evening at Murfreesborough, Tennessee, by Emma Hines, a notorious courtesan of Nashville, who was married last year to his clerk, Jerome Foster. Lightbill arrived at Nashville on Saturday from Murfreesborough.

Not very long ago Major Callahan, of the fourth United States Cavalry, was killed in Texas, and there were some fears that he had been foully dealt with by civilians.—But an investigation proves that he was killed by two drunken soldiers under his

A large number of letters have been received at the Paymaster General's office, and at the office of the Second Auditor, in regard to the hundred dollars bounty recently authorized to be paid to soldiers by decision of the Supreme Court. The cases effected by the decision are those in which the soldiers who enlisted in 1861, and discharged before two years service, have received no bounty in consequence of having been discharged for sickness or other disability, except wounds received in battle.—They will be paid by the Second Auditor of the Treasury, in the order in which they are filed. Each soldier will be required to prove his identity by two witnesses, attested by the proper officer, under the seal of a Court of Record, or by a County Clerk, and he must make affidavit of the facts and forward his discharge paper. It will be several months before any claims can be paid.

In addition to the fact that ice is lighter than water, there is another curious thing about it which many persons do not perhaps know, viz, its purity. A lump of ice melted will become pure distilled water. Water in freezing turns out of it all that is not water—salt, air, coloring matter and all impurities. Frozen sea water makes fresh water ice. If you freeze a basin of indigo water, it will make ice as clear and white as that made of pure rain water. When the cold is very sudden, these foreign matters have no time to escape, either by rising or sinking, and are thus entangled with the ice, but do not make any part of it.

Miss Lillie James, a Sixteenth Amendment disciple, residing in Blackford county, Ind., is preparing for a successful career in the circus. She rides, standing on a rampant, bareback steed, and varies the entertainment, by performing on a violin, guitar, accordion and other instruments—not including the piano or organ—while her horse is going at full gallop.

The New York Herald states that the remains of General Thomas were brought over all the road from San Francisco to Buffalo, not only free of charge, but with special honors from the several railway companies along the line, in view of the great services of the dead hero; but the Herald adds that from Buffalo to Albany the railroad company charged the remains as freight, and the attendants as passengers.

"And ye have taken the tenet pledge have ye?" said somebody to an Irishman. "Indeed I have, and am not ashamed of either." "Did not Paul tell Timothy to take a little wine for his stomach's sake?" "So he did; but my name is not Timothy, and there's nothing the matter with my stomach."

In Iowa women prisoners have the rights of men. They are set to breaking stone.

There is so much measles in Leavenworth that some of the inhabitants are forced to take it two or three times.

Two Baltimore amendments indulged in a disemboweling match to celebrate the day of justice.

Johnny Cannon, a youth of 86 summers, residing in Clearfield township, Butler county, challenges any man in the State, of the age of 83, for a footrace or a dance, the wager to be \$10. Johnny is said to be an active old boy, and likely to sweep in the stakes on such bets.

On Wednesday of last week, a little boy named Farren, aged about thirteen years, had his head crushed and neck broken by being caught in the bull wheel of an oil well at Lawrenceburg.

A Newark man is getting very suspicious, because his wife has several times lately asked him why he didn't apply for work at that nitro-glycerine factory which has exploded twice lately. He wants a divorce.

Perry, the murderer of Hoge, in Brooklyn, was convicted after three trials, Thursday, of murder in the second degree.

A wag recently appended to the list of market regulations of Cincinnati: "No whistling near the sausage stalls."

New Orleans papers narrate the woes of a mature young couple, aged eleven and thirteen, who eloped from that city last week, and after passing two blissful days together in the cabin of a negro friend were ruthlessly torn apart, and the brief romance terminated with sound parental whippings and many tears.

A Baltimore man offered to bet money that he could fill a lighted kerosene lamp. He filled the lamp and a six foot coffin.

There are more deaths from explosions of burning fluids than from explosions of steam boilers.

LIME, LIME. Lime for sale at the platform of C. A. Durley, near depot of O. C. & A. R. Rail-

Local Notices.

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

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

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

COLD is a word which Codington & Corn well propose render obsolete. For modus operandi call and see them. march 10th.

Horse Shoe Nails, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. 23-1f.

Carriage Bolts, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's 23-1f.

Fine assortment of wall paper at Griffin Bros.

SHERIFFS SALE IS CLOSED.—Nicholson & Blackmon having bought him out at this place and Kane City. 1f.

Infringement Notice.

The subscriber has learned that a certain firm in Titusville, known as "Bryan, Dillingham & Co.," have commenced the manufacture of Sucker Rods with Socket Joints. This is a Direct Infringement on his Rights, as his claim is "connecting two sections of rod by means of wedges, wedging sockets, and double coupling bolt." He does not specify any particular shaped wedge, nor of what material it shall be made. All rods made as above described outside of his manufactory, are direct infringements. This, therefore is to

CAUTION OIL OPERATORS, and all others, against buying or using any rods so made, except those of his manufactory, as by so doing they will lay themselves liable, and will be dealt with accordingly to law. WM. J. INNS. PIONEER, April 9th, 1870.

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. 116-m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE. Dwelling House near the Presbyterian Church three rooms, neatly new. Enquire at Key-stone Wagon and Carriage Shop, Petroleum Centre, Pa. 45-1w.

NOTICE. A subscription school will open at the School House on Hill street, on Tuesday April 16th, by Miss PATTERSON. 41-2t.

ATTENTION ALL Oil Creek is still Running, And so are the goods of JAMES SHULTS, at the old stand of M. N. Smit a running away with customers, who love to save their money by making good bargains. If you don't believe it just come and see for your selves as well as the nice stock of 42-N. B.—Absolutely no sales on Sunday. A 53m.

GROCERIES. of all kinds always on hand Also home-made BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c. Special attention will be given to my ICE CREAM PARLOR, which will be open the first day of May next, where I shall be happy to wait on those who may favor me with their patronage. 42-N. B.—Absolutely no sales on Sunday. A 53m.

REMOVED. THE GROCERY STORE OF H. C. WACHTER HAS BEEN REMOVED From the old stand to the building formerly occupied by Bryan, ON WILD CAT STREET. At the Railroad Crossing, a large stock of Groceries & Provisions of all kinds will be kept at this Store, and will be sold at jobbing rates. I have established a BRANCH STORE, AT HUNTINGTON'S OLD STAND, Washington Street, Which will be opened on the 15th for business, where will be kept a first-class and well assorted stock of GROCERIES & PROVISIONS, In this connection I thank my old customers for their very liberal patronage and hope to merit a continuance of the same. Goods delivered FREE OF CHARGE. H. C. WACHTER. Petroleum Centre, April 1a, 1870—3m.

RUSS & DAVIDSON, Would invite their old patrons and the public generally In Titusville and Vicinity To call and examine their splendid stock of Furniture! OF ALL KINDS Parlor Suits, Chamber Sets, Book Cases, Side Boards, Lounges, Whatnots, Hat Racks, Spring Beds, Mattresses, Carpets, OIL CLOTHS, MIRRORS, And every description of Furniture, plain and ornamental. UNDERTAKING! In all its branches. A large stock of COFFINS AND METALLIC CASES in all its branches. 42-N. B.

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House Trimmings, Carpet Tacks, Drilling and Plain Laid Rope, Oakum, Nails, Axes, Table and Pocket Cutlery.

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House Furnishing Goods, VENTILATOR AND Morning Glory BASE BURNERS.

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

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Purchasing with cash only, our facilities for negotiating 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 its continuance. March 1st.