

Petroleum Centre Daily Record

Pet. Centre, Monday, April 18.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS, 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, 8.20 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 3/4.

EXCITING TIMES—ARREST OF JACK MCCORMICK—HE ATTEMPTS TO ESCAPE AND IS CAUGHT.—This forenoon about 10 o'clock an officer from Oil City, assisted by officer McHugh of this place, arrested a man named John McCormick, on a warrant issued at Parker's Landing some months since. It appears he had been arrested at that place for malicious mischief, breaking windows, and whipping a XVth Amendment; he was committed to jail at Kittanning and was afterwards admitted to bail, "skipped" the bail since which time he has been engaged principally in "dodging" police officers.

After being arrested he was handcuffed and taken to the depot by the officers. A short time afterwards he was taken into the reading room of the Central house, and the Oil City officer stepped out for a moment. No sooner had the door closed on him, than McCormick dodged out of another door and secreted himself in the lamp room. Meantime one officer ran through the dining room and the other through the kitchen, but the bird had flown for the time being. Then a grand rush was made for the door, and in imagination the prisoner was seen running in every direction. During the excitement that ensued, McCormick came out of the lamp room, ran into the dining room and hid himself under one of the tables. The half hour that followed was spent by the officers in searching for him but without avail. At half-past twelve the doors were thrown open and dinner announced. Finding his "jig was likely to be up," Mac came out and started for the door. Several gentlemen tried to stop him, but being a rather slippery customer he managed to "wriggle" out and made off, both officers in close pursuit. Seeing there was a chance of his getting away, officer McHugh ordered him to stop or he would let him have the contents of a revolver, which brought him to a stand still and he was arrested.

Much credit is due officer McHugh for the arrest, as the roughs and pimps hindered him in every way possible, but could not foil him in his undertaking. The prisoner was taken to Kittanning on the 1:40 train, where it is to be hoped he will be kept during the natural term of his life.

The inhabitants of the Punjab have "struck oil" on the east of the Caspian, and one well is said to flow at the rate of about 1,200 barrels a day! A regular Pennsylvania petroleum fever is consequently raging, and "the American method" of treatment is said to have been adopted.

A shooting affray occurred at Scranton, in this State, on Saturday. A man named Lutz shot his wife and a man named Spayd Cause—undue familiarity between the two.

The street is being cleaned in front of the Rochester House. A good move.

A terrible boiler explosion on the Ohio river on Friday night. The towboat Rover exploded her boilers a short distance below Cincinnati and immediately sank. Twenty-three persons were drowned.

Com. Moade, of the U. S. Navy, died in New York city, on Saturday.

Yesterday was Easter Sunday. Eggs were required in consequence of foully.

The new Court House will be dedicated, with appropriate exercises, on Monday, April 25th, 1879. and the first court held within its walls, will be that of the April term. The ceremonies will commence at 2 o'clock p. m. Citizens are respectfully invited to attend. The following is the PROGRAMME.

- 1—The President will call the meeting to order and state the object for which it is convened. 2—Prayer—Rev. S. M. Eaton, D. D. 3—The County Commissioners, through their Chairman, will formally deliver the keys of the Court House to the Judges of Courts. 4—The President will formally receive the keys from the hands of the commissioners in the name of the officers and members of the Court, with appropriate remarks. 5—Hon. John Tunkney will then deliver the Dedicatory Address, and in the name of the citizens of the county declare the building forever set apart for the administration of Public Justice. 6—Appropriate addresses by the members of the Bar and others. 7—Benediction—Rev. JOHN PEAT, D. D. President of the Day. HON. JOHN S. McCALMONT, Vice Presidents.

William Raymond, Robert Lamberton, Henry Dubbs, Thomas Hoge, James P. Hoover, Geo. E. Ridgway, J. L. Hanna, F. W. Mitchell, J. N. Tyrrel, Samuel W. Stewart, Hon. J. L. Connely, J. Brown, J. S. McCray, J. A. Sheriff, W. M. Irish, D. W. Beers, Thomas Donaghy, John Wallace, E. M. Hukill, John Broadhead, Wm. Hesson, A. P. Duncan, Jacob Shirk, Geo. V. Fernan, Wm. Phillips, Wm. L. Lay, A. J. Keenan, Jas. Rooker, Ed. E. Clapp, John M'Crear, James Strawbridge, Alex. McClinton, Wm. K. Gilliland, James Lamberton, J. M'Intosh, J. C. Guist, Henry Booth, Robert Crawford, Thomas Service, John Boughner, Wm. King, E. Shamburg, John Kunkle, W. M. Fee, Hiram Reynolds, C. H. Heydrick, Samuel Shannon, Thomas Nesbit, John Adams, Isaac Bunnell, Robert Graham, Thomas Galloway, Joo. F. Henderson, Joseph A. Allen, Wm. C. Cross, Thomas M'Kee, James P. Riddle, Wm. Perry, J. C. Porterfield, James Bennett, George M. Porterfield, Thomas K. Gardner, H. M. Davis, Geo. W. Mays, James M'Cutcheon, Isaac M'Kinney, Joo. Rhoadsbarger, Isaac Fertig, Robert Neely, Alex. Spear.

Secretaries. A. P. Whitaker, Ed. W. Smiley, W. R. Johns, T. A. Morrison, W. H. Longwell. The Committee respectfully submit the foregoing programme.

J. S. MYERS, Chairman.

List of United States Patents. Issued to citizens of Western Pennsylvania, for the week ending April 12, 1879, and each bearing that date. No. 101,726—Swivel for temper screws; Thos. Graham, Shamburg. No. 101,744—Sink apparatus, for draining cellars; Adam Knacker, Meadville. No. 101,750—Machine for corrugating sheet metal; Wm. Maun, New Castle. No. 101, 871—Tube well; Wm. R. Hamilton, Oakland.

THE NEW POSTAGE STAMPS—The colors and designs of the forthcoming issue of United States postage stamps are as follows: 1 cent, head of Franklin, ultramarine blue. 2 cent, head of Jackson, rich Vandyke brown; 3 cent, head of Washington, maleri green; 6 cent, head of Lincoln, red; 10 cent, head of Clay, dark purple; 15 cent, head of Webster, rich orange; 24 cent, head of Scott, pure purple; 30 cent, head of Hamilton, black; 90 cent, head of Perry, carmine. The designs are all taken from the best busts known, and will excel anything in the stamp line that has ever appeared.—There is some talk of raising the denomination of the 90 cent stamp to one dollar.

Old Judge Aiken, of Greenfield, Mass., was quite famous for his extra-judicial opinions. One of them runs as follows: Pre-siding at the trial of one Fisk for an aggravated crime, and the jury having brought in a verdict of "guilty," Judge Aiken said: "Fisk, stand up. For the crime of which you have been convicted you are condemned to solitary confinement for one day, and natural life—and I wish it was in my power to imprison you during the rest of you to sentence you longer.

Mrs. M'Farland-Richardson is thus described by a person who knows her well: She is about thirty; about medium size, round and symmetrical in figure; has blue eyes, auburn hair, light complexion, girlish and English-looking (called pretty); has a very sweet, rich voice; talks fluently and eloquently; is extremely modest and retiring; wholly domestic in her tastes; has little fondness for society, and has led a life almost of a recluse.

There are on the Benedict farm 12 producing wells, ranging in daily yield from 30 bbls to 200 bbls.

NEWS ITEMS.

Jacob Pierce, of Boston, has offered to build a railroad between Springfield and Columbus, Ohio, under conditions which will be complied with.

Advices from all points upon the large tributaries of the Mississippi indicate that the height of the flood is not yet attained. Very much property has been destroyed, and various towns are threatened with further and serious losses on account of the washing away of the river banks.

A capital of seven millions of dollars has been subscribed in New York for the purpose of erecting a Crystal Palace for the approaching International Exhibition in that city.

Mrs. Emma Willard, founder of the Troy, N. Y., Seminary, died Friday, aged 84 years.

Quiet continues along the frontier of Canada. Volunteers from the rural districts are still pouring into the cities.

The Fenian Congress at Chicago has changed the order of things. The President and Senate are to be superseded by an executive committee.

Christian Garrett, a clerk in the City Auditor's office, St. Louis, prior to 1859, embezzled \$100,000 and fled to Germany. He Friday returned and gave himself up, and was admitted to bail.

It snowed in St. Louis Friday. Thursday the thermometer stood at 80°.

The water from the broken tunnel at St. Anthony, Minn., has undermined several mills, completely destroying them. Total loss over \$50,000.

Gen. Hancock will soon transfer his headquarters to St. Louis.

Barney Henshaw stabbed and killed Abraham Heaton at Winchester Ind., Friday.

The United States steamer Iroquois arrived at Fortress Monroe, Friday, from Hong Kong.

The bleachery at Pontiac Mills, Warwick, R. I., was burned Friday.

A portion of J. Wilcox Co.'s woolen mills at Meriden, Conn., was destroyed by fire Friday night. Loss heavy. One fireman was killed and two injured.

A court-martial convene at Louisville Friday to try Brig. Gen. Briten. Guo of the charges is absence without leave.

A money transaction by alarm in Elmira, N. Y., shows considerable shrewdness and deserves record for its novelty. The firm alluded to being desirous of resuming specie payment, sent \$1,000 to New York directing their broker to purchase English gold, which was selling at a cent and a half less premium than American gold. This English gold was then sent to Canada, where American silver was selling at twenty cents discount on the dollar. After paying all the expenses of the transactions, including freight on the specie to Elmira the firm found that they had made just \$8 in specie on each \$100 of greenbacks invested, and they received for their \$300 in greenbacks \$31,080 in American silver.

The New York Tribune makes an anti-capital punishment point out of the case of Thomas D. Carr, who was hung in Ohio after confessing to fifteen murders before he killed Miss Fox, the crime for which he fell, and says that if it is right to hang a man for killing another, here's a man who must be hung fifteen times. But, Horace, suppose he had been hung when he had committed but one murder, wouldn't it have saved fourteen other lives?—Detroit Tribune.

A Maine clergyman, having been appointed a committee of one to expend a "public library fund," raised in his little town, laid out nearly the whole amount on a complete set of Littel's Living Age. He had probably heard that a man winks Littel here below, and wants that Littel long.

In a miracle play lately acted in Mexico, the principal characters were the "Almighty," "Adam," "Eve," "Gabriel," "Appetite," and the "Devil."

This is called a Colorado romance: Seven miners—exploring the mountains—found an enormous chunk of gold. They fought for its possession till all were killed but one. It was too heavy for him to carry off, so he sat down beside it and starved to death.

A soft-pated fifteen-year-old sport of Ansonia, Ct., drew all his money (\$15) from the bank, the other day, and squandered it on peanuts and kisses. Exposure to his father's wrath frightened him to a dose of arsenic, but the stomach pump removed candy and poison, and he still lives.

Horace Cook of Leavenworth, ate three pounds of raisins on a bet. The bet was paid to his heirs.

The under writers at London have commenced settling for the steamship City of Boston as a total loss.

Local Notices.

H. H. Warner has just received a car load of Fine Potatoes from Ohio, the Peach bliv, they are called, and are an excellent potatoe. Mr. Warner sells them at the low price of sixty cents per bushel. It.

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

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

COLD is a word which Codington & Corn well propose tender obsolete. For modus operandi call and see them. march 10/4.

Horse Shoe Nails, wholesale and retail, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. 23-1/2.

Carriage Bolts, wholesale and retail, a Nicholson & Blackmon's 23-1/2.

Fine assortment of wall paper at Griffes Bros.

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

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 manufacture, as by so doing they will lay themselves liable, and will be dealt with according to law. WM. J. INNIS.

PIONEER, April 9th, 1879.

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. It.

Sash, Glass, Doors, Potty &c. Large stock very cheap at the Furniture Store. m10-1/2

All styles light harness, cheaper than the cheapest, made from Moffat's oak stock, and warranted, at J. R. Kron's.

Buy the "Red Hot" Saddle, manufactured in Titusville expressly for the oil country, adapted to all kinds of weather, at J. R. Kron's. a12-1/2

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

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

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

"THE PYRAMIDS of splendid coal over at Codington & Cornwell's yard are perfectly wonderful. march 10/4.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE.

Dwelling House near the Presbyterian Church Three rooms, neatly new. Equipped at Key-stone Wagon and Carriage Shop, 1 corner of Centre, Pa. a15-1/2

NOTICE.

A subscription school will open at the School House on Egbert farm, on Tuesday, April 15th, by Miss PATTERSON. a15-3/4

ATTENTION ALL

Oil Creek is still Running, And so are the goods of JAMES SHELTS at the old stand of M. N. Sull: running away with customers, who love to save their money by making good bargains. If you don't believe it just come and see the rush as well as the nice stock of

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. —N. B.—Absolutely no sales on Sunday. a15-3/4

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.

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

Steam and Gas Fittings

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 1/4