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Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Wednesday, August 31st

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

On and after Monday, May 30th, 1870, trains will run as follows:

Table with columns for North, South, and Erie routes, listing arrival and departure times for various stations.

TRAINS ON SUNDAY.

Leave Oil City, 9:55 A.M. 6:30 A.M. 10:25 A.M. 2:55 P.M. P. Cen. 8:17 8:21 12:10 P.M. 4:10

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Titusville, 6:15 A.M. 1:35 A.M. 11:00 A.M. 6:25 P.M. P. Cen. 8:17 11:53 12:25 P.M. 6:50

TRAINS TO PHILADELPHIA.

No. 4 - Direct from Philadelphia without change. No. 3 - Direct to Philadelphia without change. No. 5 - Direct from Philadelphia without change. No. 6 - Direct to Pittsburgh without change.

Monday, May 31, 1870.

Gold at 1 p. m., 116 1/2.

BLOWN TO PIECES.

A terrible torpedo explosion near Franklin, yesterday afternoon, by which Wm. A. Thompson, a well-known citizen, was blown to pieces. He was on his way from Franklin to Miller Farm, with two torpedoes in a wagon, and had reached Bully Hill, about a mile and a half from Franklin, when the accident occurred. The horse was killed also, being blown several rods and torn to pieces. Mr. T. was well known by many in this vicinity and highly respected. He was District Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge I. O. of O. F. of the State of Pennsylvania, and was in town but a short time since and organized the new Lodge of Odd Fellows. About twenty members of Petroleum Centre Lodge left on the 1:40 train for Franklin to attend his funeral which takes place this afternoon.

Large Production.

The estimated production of the J. S. McCray farm and the Dalzell farms is 4,700 barrels of oil per day. This at present market rates, is \$15,980 per day.—Oil City Times.

Items like the above injure the oil trade more than it does it good. The production of the two farms mentioned above does not foot up at the outside more than 2,350 barrels per day, just one-half less than the Times has it. In the same paper the well recently struck on the Wm. McCray farm, and owned by Woods and Mitchell, is reported as yielding 100 barrels per day, whereas it is only yielding from 8 to 12 barrels daily. We would respectfully suggest to the Times man the propriety of adhering more strictly to the truth in such original oil items as they publish, and not make their estimates quite so large in the stolen ones. It would materially strengthen the oil market, and they would have no need of plucking the 'note' from the Titusville Herald's reports, at least until they pulled the 'walking beam' from their own.

Miss Jeanings has been made a bank director in Canfield, O.

A new well has been drilled on East Sandy, Venango county, near the celebrated burning well, this summer, with the gas from the old well. The gas was not burned, but simply used in the place of steam. This is the first time we ever heard of an engine being run by gas, in this manner—without using either fire or water. At a depth of about 700 feet the new well struck a gas vein, and immediately the flow of gas from the old well ceased—showing that it was the same vein of gas. Drilling is still progressing, with strong hopes of getting a good oil well.

A new fifteen barrel well was struck last week about one mile above Truckeyville, on the East side of the Allegheny River.—This settles the question at once that the oil belt of West Hickory extends in an easterly direction through Warren county. The well may yet be a large one as it is on the increase. The oil well on Jackson Run, struck a few days ago, bids fair to be a success. It pumps a small stream of clear oil, not a drop of water being mixed with it. Leases are being taken in the vicinity.

Mr. James Gardner of Slipperyrock township, Lawrence county, died at his residence in that township on Thursday the 18th inst., aged about ninety years. Mr. Gardner was one of the first settlers of that county, and with his own axe, unaided cleared two hundred acres of what was then forest land, he never lost a meal by sickness until the time of his death. The apparent cause of his death was dysentery, but time had undoubtedly done its work. He leaves a large family of children with numerous grand-children and great-grand-children.

New Well.—A new well was struck a few days since on what is known as the Norway Oil Co.'s tract, located in Pine Grove and President townships, this county, which is yielding about eight barrels per day. This well is located on new territory, and is owned by Franklin and Oil City parties.

A man named Wm. O'Donnell, a workman at one of the oil wells on the Robinson farm, near Oil City, attempted suicide by shooting, on Friday last. The ball entered the left side below the heart and inflicted a very severe and perhaps fatal wound.—Jealousy of his wife was the cause.

It is said that M. B. Lowery of Erie, is about to announce himself as a candidate for Congress against G. W. Schofield, the present incumbent. By this it would appear that Lowery does not intend to take the field against Delamater as many supposed.

PERSONAL.—His honor, Mayor Brush of Pittsburgh, was in town to-day, looking after his oil interests.

Terrible news has reached Mt. Pleasant—the Journal says that it is rumored that Henry Clay Dean bathed in the Missouri river last week, near Kansas City, creating a sand bar.

A curt epitaph in a Western churchyard, reads thus: "Here lies old Satter, And that's what's the matter."

At Erie, eleven hundred cars passed over the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad during the day Thursday and night, following, a period of twenty-four hours.

A family in Stamford, Conn., was terribly distressed from Saturday evening until Monday morning by the receipt of a telegram saying, "Virginia is dead." Their daughter Virginia was absent in Philadelphia, and expected home. It was ascertained that the dispatch should have read: "Virginia is delayed."

An old bachelor says that women are parrots—they are willing to be caged up if they only have a ring to play with.

The Fall bonnets are to be trimmed with gay velvet, ornamented with berries or very bright flowers.

Atlanta, Georgia, has forbidden male burlesquers to wear petticoats. No ordinance of this kind was needed in the case of the other sex.

The First National Bank of Franklin advertises county bonds for sale. They draw six per cent. interest, free from tax. The total debt of Venango county is something over \$100,000.

Paraguay is said to have sunk into a Brazilian province, ruled by the creatures of neither a republic nor a crowned despotism.

Some one has made the estimate that there are twelve deaths from coal oil explosions each day in the United States.

One who has tried it says that to lift a pretty girl on horseback is the sweetest of strains.

Latest and Most Important War News.

London, August 30. The following news from the French office has just been received: Nearly 30,000 men are now in the triangle formed by the line running from Rheims to Rethel and Vouzzer.

Bazaine is not shut up. He has 120,000 men and McMahon is 180,000 strong.—They are stealing two matches on the Prince Royal who is two days ahead of Prince Frederick Charles.

It is hoped the latter cannot come up in time. 50,000 men left Paris on Monday for Rethel.

It is said the Prussians there are 50,000 strong.

Brussels, August 30. Belgian troops are hastening to the frontiers from all quarters.

A great battle between the French and Prussians is apparently imminent.

The services of Belgian troops will no doubt be necessary to protect the frontier.

London, August 30. Dispatches from the Prussian general headquarters, dated Sunday, declare that Bazaine's communications are completely cut off and all telegrams printed in Paris as from him, must be manufactured there.

Brussels, August 30. Etenoy has been occupied by the Prussians.

The Belgian troops left this morning for the French frontiers.

The Napoleons are crawling behind McMahon. All other news of this morning is unfounded.

New York, August 30. The Telegram's special from London, August 30th, says: A correspondent telegraphs that not only has McMahon failed to form a junction with Bazaine, but that a wedge of Prussians has been driven between the two armies. This human wedge is now thicker than ever before, and McMahon now finds himself separated from Bazaine by two powerful German armies instead of one.

The 27th French regiment, Chasseurs D'Afrique, commanded by the Marquis De Gallifet, attacked two regiments of Saxon dragoons, twice their number, near Mezon, and after a sharp fight succeeded in utterly routing them, with considerable loss.

It is still believed here that McMahon will continue to persevere in his endeavors to force his way to Metz, notwithstanding the obstacles which are in his path.

Rip Van Winkle's home has been found, Orange, N. J., is the place. The New York newsboys penetrated there and the sleepy citizens complained against the loud cries of "Extras, all about the war!" and the authorities drove the boys from town. They were informed that if they came again they would be arrested and made to pay ten dollars for a peddlers license.

The Cambridge Jeffersonian says: "We learn that a young woman who lives near North Salem recently went to the woods and was delivered of an illegitimate child. She then laid a large flat stone upon the poor innocent creature and left it to die.—A party watched the proceedings, who went to the place, removed the stone and took away the child, which still lives. The woman was arrested and will be brought to trial as soon as she recovers from her sickness."

A fire at Worcester, Massachusetts, Saturday night, destroyed the yeast factory of M. A. Worcester, and eight houses and two stables on Mechanic, Bridge and Hibernia streets. Loss \$25,000; insured for \$15,000. Thirty-two families lost all their effects.

The Chicago Times, alluding to reputed cases of extreme longevity in New England, makes the horrible suggestion that that section shall be fenced in, and kept as a resort for old people. Now, what harm have the old people done the Times that it should be so vindictively cruel in retaliation?

The wife of Wm. Wirt Sykes, President of the Authors Union and Agent for Olive Logan, has applied for divorce, on the ground that Wm. Wirt fails to provide hash and harness for herself and two olive branches. We suspect there is a want of Syke-ological harmony.

The Lake Shore and Rock Island Railroads subscribed \$125,000 each to the stock of the Pacific Hotel of Chicago.

The Findlay (Ohio) Courier remarks: "It is pleasant for lovers to sit on the porch these evenings, and be happy in the thought that their blood is conmingling in the same mosquito."

Mrs. James Fish, Jr., has just sailed for Europe.

Local Notices.

We would recommend the lady's to call and examine our cooking Stoves, The Dictator, which we warrant for economy, for baking, for cleanliness and for general work. We warrant them to compete with any stove in the country.

FALL STYLES.—Call and see them at Lammers & Alden's.

People contemplating a visit to Chautauqua Lake should call and see Gaffney. A word to the wise is sufficient. a28

Pearl Silver Beaver and Mouse Colored Hats for Summer wear, at Lammers & Alden's. Selling at reduced prices.

NOTICE.

As the undersigned intends being absent for some weeks, he has authorized Mr. S. H. Kooker and Mr. E. A. Kelley to attend to his late business during his absence and collect all outstanding accounts, at his office in Petroleum Centre. J. M. SHARP.

The celebrated Boston Meat Boilers at Nicholson & Blackmon's. Best in the market. Try them.

A new stock of imported Wines received this day at Gaffney's.

Soda Water and Ice Cream at J. W. Beaty's.

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Blackberry Brandy. A very superior article of Blackberry Brandy, for summer complaints, cholera morbus, &c., at GRIFFES BROS.

Hot Blast, Fire Queen, Iron Gate and Wheat Sheaf Cooking Stoves, at Nicholson & Blackmon's. aug31-tf.

The only pure Liquors are at Gaffney's.

Now is the best time to lay in a winter supply of hard coal. Codrington & Cornell are the men to buy from. June 28th.

Kissengen and Vichey Water on draught at GRIFFES BROS.

Some very nobby Cloth Hats for young men, at Lammers & Alden's.

Universal, Monitor and Sherman Wringers, at Nicholson & Blackmon's.

21 cases old Hennessey Brandy received this day and for sale by the case or bottle, at Gaffney's.

Call at Lammers & Alden's and get one of the New Fall Style Hats just received.

Kissengen and Vichey Water at GRIFFES BROS.

Vichey, Kissengen and Soda Water at the Artic Soda Fountain of GRIFFES BROS.

The celebrated Boston Meat Boilers at Nicholson & Blackmon's. Best in the market. Try them.

Soda Water and Ice Cream at J. W. Beaty's.

The only real genuine apple Whisky ever offered for sale in this place is at Gaffney's.

Fine assortment of Paper and Cloth Window Shades and Fixtures, just rec'd at m81A GRIFFES BROS.

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

Soda Water and Ice Cream at J. W. Beaty'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-tf

Soda Water and Ice Cream at J. W. Beaty's.

Hot Blast, Fire Queen, Iron Gate and Wheat Sheaf Cooking Stoves, at Nicholson & Blackmon's.

The cheapest place to buy is where you can suit yourself in goods. The only place is at Gaffney's.

New styles Hats and Caps at Lammers & Alden's. aug26-tf.

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

Sparkling Soda Water at M. S. Simon's. m4-tf.

Vichey, Kissengen and Soda Water at the Artic Soda Fountain of GRIFFES BROS.

H. C. Wachter

Has now consolidated his business, by closing the store on Wild Cat Street, and concentrated his stock at the

Upper Store! On Washington Street,

Where will be found a

FIRST CLASS STOCK OF

Groceries & Provisions

All kinds of

Foreign & Domestic Fruits

In addition the best Ice Cold Soda Water in town.

H. C. WACHTER, Petroleum Centre, April 14, 1870—11.

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IN THE LAKE SHORE BLOCK,

Where they intend keeping

Family Groceries and Provisions

In their season. The subscribers extend an invitation to their friends and those in want of any thing in their line to give them a call and examine their stock.

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LOOKING GLASSES in great variety. Looking Glass Plates replaced in old Frames.

Picture Frames made to order

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No pains will be spared to accommodate those who favor us with their patronage. ALFRED MYERS, Petroleum Centre, August, 22, 70 tf.

RUSS & DAVIDSON,

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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, Washstands, Hat Racks, Wards, Spring Beds, Mattresses.

CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, MIRRORS And every description of Furniture, plain and ornamental.

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and in fact every kind of goods usually kept in a well appointed

GROCERY STORE.

I have a team on the road and will deliver Goods FREE OF CHARGE.

All I ask is a fair trial and an examination of my stock. Give me a call.

M. V. B. FISHER, Petroleum Centre, Pa., July 29, 70—11.