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Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Tuesday Nov. 29.

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

On and after Monday, Nov. 28th, 1870, trains will run as follows:

NORTH		No. 5.		No. 3.		No. 1.	
Leave Irving.	12.01 P.M.	5.10 P.M.	Leave Oil City.	7.00 A.M.	2.55 P.M.	7.50 P.M.	
" Pet. Cen.	7.40 "	3.39 "	8.30 "	" Titusv.	8.50 "	4.25 "	9.12 "
Arrive Cory.	10.00 "	5.57 "	10.38 "				

SOUTH		No. 2.		No. 4.		No. 6.	
Leave Cory.	11.05 A.M.	6.10 A.M.	6.15 P.M.	" Titusv.	12.40 P.M.	7.35 "	7.52 "
" P. Cen.	1.27 "	8.19 "	8.42 "	Arrive O. City.	2.10 "	9.02 "	9.20 "
" Irving.	4.50 "	11.40 "					

No. 5 and 6 run on Sunday.

FREIGHT TRAINS NORTH.

No. 19.		No. 13.		No. 11.		No. 9.	
Le O.C.	9.15 A.M.	11.15 A.M.	10.55 A.M.	6.30 A.M.	3.30 P.M.	12.15 P.M.	12.15 P.M.
Ar. P. Cen.	10.10 "	1.00 P.M.	12.15 P.M.	8.15 "	4.30 "	11.14 A.M.	2.40 "
Ar. Cory.	11.15 P.M.	2.40 "	1.45 "	9.15 "	6.10 "		

FREIGHT TRAINS SOUTH.

No. 10.		No. 8.		No. 16.		No. 14.		No. 20.	
Le Cory.	6.00 A.M.	8.30 A.M.	10.55 A.M.	11.14 A.M.	4.30 P.M.	12.15 P.M.	12.15 P.M.	12.15 P.M.	12.15 P.M.
Ar. P. Cen.	7.40 "	9.40 "	12.15 P.M.	12.40 P.M.	8.00 "	10.00 P.M.	10.32 "	1.58 "	2.05 "
Ar. O. City.	10.10 "	10.32 "	1.58 "	2.05 "	7.00 "				

Oil City and Petroleum Centre freight, leaves Oil City 2.10 p. m., arrives at Petroleum Centre 3.20 p. m., leaves Petroleum Centre at 4.40 p. m., arrives at Oil City 6.00 p. m.

1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 are express trains.

No. 19 is a through accommodation, connects at Cory for East and North.

SILVER PALACE SLEEPING CARS.

No. 4—Direct from Philadelphia without change.
No. 3—Direct to Philadelphia without change.
No. 5—Direct from Pittsburgh without change.
No. 6—Direct to Pittsburgh without change.
Monday, Nov. 23, 1870.

Gold at 1 p. m., 111 1/2

BIG STRIKE ON THE COLUMBIA FARM.

Well No. 87, Columbia farm, was finished yesterday and tubed and cased. Testing commenced about dark last evening and it is now yielding fully 80 barrels per day.

The well is located about the centre of the farm; is 665 feet deep, and has 53 feet of third sand rock. This is the biggest strike that has occurred on the farm for a long time. The well is the property of the Columbia Oil Co. of Pittsburgh.

This morning while Mr. Jacob Peffer, in the employ of the Columbia Oil Co., was engaged in making gas connections from the new well to the big boiler, on that farm, an explosion of gas occurred, by which he was badly burned about the face and arms, but fortunately inhaled no flame inwardly.

The point where he was at work is about thirty feet from the boiler, and it is supposed the gas settled to the ground owing to the dense atmosphere, and fire was communicated from the furnace.

A friend has handed us the following epitaph, which was recently copied by him from a tomb stone in a New England grave yard:

"We can't always have just what we please Little Johnnie's gone to Jesus."
Underneath the above some wicked wag had written as follows:

"You can't most always sometimes tell— Perhaps Little Johnnie's gone to h—l."

Mr. H. H. Warner has again gone into the flour and feed business, next door to the old stand. He will keep constantly on hand a large supply of flour, feed, grain hay, apples, potatoes, &c., which he proposes to sell as cheap as they can be bought elsewhere. Read his advertisement in another column, and give him a call.

A "Wire" Costume.—An amusing story is told by the Rev. J. G. Wood in his recently published "Natural History of Man," illustrative of the power exerted by fashion even on savage minds. It appears that an English vessel reached an African port, a large part of her cargo consisting of iron wire, nearly the whole of which was bought by the natives and straightway disappeared the crew being left to conjecture what had become of it. But soon the solution of the mystery was found, for the Kafir belles appeared in a new and striking costume. Some of them had visited towns inhabited by Europeans, and there had seen some wire "cages" hanging outside drapers shops, and which they were told were the fashionable attire of European ladies. This fact so fired them to emulation that as soon as the boat laden with wire appeared, they traded for the new commodity, went away and made "cages" such as they had seen, and with them adorned their charms, not having the slightest idea that anything but wire was necessary to put them in full European costume.

We find the following notice in the Meadville Republican of a late date:

If this notice should reach one Mr. West whose first name I do not know, but who is supposed to reside somewhere in Crawford county, and who was robbed of a sum of money, at Pit Hole, in March, 1866, he will find information to the recovery of the money, with five per cent. interest, by calling on or addressing

R. V. McMASTER,
Adamsville, Pa.

Concerning the prospective connection of Titusville with Tidoute by railroad, the Warren Mail states that the New York Central Railroad is negotiating for the purchase or control of the Dunkirk and Warren Railroad, with a fair prospect of success. In this event it will become an important thoroughfare, giving the Central access to the oil regions directly and adding largely to its already heavy carrying trade. Shippers of oil would of course be benefited by this competition for freight, and the public generally who consume oil and coal would be very likely to share in its advantages. In connection with this is a movement among capitalists for the construction of a railroad from Tidoute to Titusville by way of South West, resulting probably in the construction of a connecting line between Warren and Tidoute on the other side of the river, for which there is already a good charter.

We are informed by a gentleman just up from Franklin, that the worthy citizens of that city were shocked this morning to find at a point near the Street Commissioner's residence, where the mud in the road is supposed to be unfathomable, a board representing a tombstone sticking up in the mud on which was written the following inscription: "Sacred to the memory of Street Commissioner —, who miserably perished by drowning, while attempting to cross, at a late hour last night." Whether the remains were found or not our informant did not learn.

Much merriment was occasioned this forenoon by the appearance of a boat where the mud was the deepest, in which was the figure of a man. On the boat was painted the following: "Free ferry for taxable citizens."

At the Court now in session at Franklin, the following persons charged with selling liquor without license, keeping bawdy house, &c., received sentence:

Nellie Robinson, \$200 fine and ten days imprisonment.

Maggie Munger, \$150 fine and ten days imprisonment.

Mrs. Sargent, \$150 fine and ten days imprisonment.

Julia Rice, \$110 fine and ten days imprisonment.

The Boston Herald tells the following good one: "A little fellow was begging for 'cold vittels' at a house at the South End, exciting the interest of the young ladies in the family by his piteous story of want and destitution, and among other questions put by these warm-hearted and sympathetic inquirers, was one as to his parents. "My father is sick abed, and has been for many weeks," said the boy. "How is your mother?" "I never had a mother," he blubbered out. "Ah, how was that?" he was asked. "Why my father came a mean trick over one of my aunts," was the reply, accompanied by a fresh flow of tears."

Oil City is infested with pickpockets and thieves—likewise fleas and ditto pigs. It also has a Times which cant account for things being so infernally out of joint there, and by the looks of the paper it seems as though the managers had become discouraged and lost all newspaper life. The Times is one of the dullest papers now printed in the Oil Regions. Wake up!—Jamestown Journal.

Latest and Most Important War News.

London, Nov. 28.

At the capitulation of Le Fere 70 cannon of all sorts fell into the hands of the Prussians.

In reconnoitering near Orleans yesterday the Tenth Prussian Corps encountered the Twentieth French Corps, Gen. De Palestines army.

An engagement occurred in which the French were driven from a strong position at Loden and Mezieres with serious loss.

The French claim to have won a great victory at Moreuil, twelve miles south of Amiens, yesterday.

The battle lasted till darkness interfered.

The German First Army Corps is alleged to have been beaten and driven back to their entrenchments before Amiens.

The French array of the north was greater in number, and better armed.

The losses are given in thousands. The Prussian hussars rode down and cut to pieces a regiment of marine infantry, The German losses are severe.

Tours, Nov. 28.

The battle yesterday between Villiers and Salceux, near Amiens, Department of Somme, lasted all day.

The French maintained their position till 4:30 yesterday p. m., when the town of Villiers was abandoned before the superior forces and artillery of the Prussians.

They were subsequently beaten at Boires a few miles west of Villiers, but at Lury maintained in air position till nightfall.

Ten thousand Prussians were engaged at the latter place.

Tours, Nov. 28.

A dispatch announces a severe and general engagement in progress. French victories along the Loire are claimed, and it is reported that the Germans have been routed, and are retreating.

LATER—11 a. m.—News from France to-day is meagre and unimportant. Figaro implies the French Government to conclude a peace, the defence of Paris being impossible.

Some scapegoats in Dubuque, on Sunday evening hung a dead rat over the limb of a tree in such a manner that they could raise or lower it at will. When people came along from church the rat was loosed to their faces. One chap left two fair attendants, and bounded away with a shriek, leaving one fair young lady to faint, and the other yelling murder.

The editor of the saratogian got one vote in Saratoga for judge. He says: "When it is considered that we not only made no personal effort on our own behalf, but positively refused to put a single dollar into the contest, leaving the matter, just like Horace Greeley, to the free untrammelled choice of the voter the strength of our name will be apparent to all unbiased minds. We might easily have doubted the vote in our favor had we been willing to resort to those appliances known to the professed politician. But we scorned to do so. Our honest and unadorned 'consistency' has our thanks for doing his duty."

We are not in the habit of advertising a person's business for nothing, but this being for a purely benevolent object we insert free of charge the following card from Mr. "Jeb Billings":

Wanted, several first class young men, with mustash, to hang around the vestibules of the different churches in America and stare at the females as they pass out. No young men accepted who can't stare the brass buttons off from a military coat at twenty paces.

John H. Atkins and his wife, Elizabeth, were divorced Indians fashion, at New Albany, the other day, and on getting their documents began to talk pleasantly over old times, and were re-married before the adjournment of the court which had unyoked them.

The following hymn is said to be popular among certain circles of colored society in Mississippi:

We's nearer to de Lord
Dan de white folks and dey knows it;
See de glory gate unbarred;
Walk up, darkeys, past de guard;
Bet a dollar he don't close it.

Walk up, darkeys, free de gate;
Hark! de colored angels holler,
Go away, white folk you's too late;
We's de winnin' color; wait
Till the trumpet sounds to foller.

Hallelujah! 'anks an' praise;
Long enough we've borne our crosses
Now we's de superior race;
We's gwine to hebbien afore de bosses!

The largest assortment of Parlor and Cooking Stoves may be found at Nicholson & Blackmon's.

Local Notices.

S. M. Pottenger & Co., 37
Park Row, New York, and Geo. P. Howell & Co., Advertising Agents, are the sole agents for the Petroleum Centre Daily Record in that city. Advertisers in that city are requested to leave their favors with either of the above houses.

W. A. HUNGERFORD,

Dealer in Ladies' Furnishing Goods, Ribbons, Laces, Flowers, Millinery Jewelry, Fancy Goods, &c., &c., Washington Street, Petroleum Centre, Pa. nov28-1f.

Diaries for 1871 for sale at
nov25-1f NICHOLSON BROS.

A splendid assortment of Diaries for 1871 at
NICHOLSON BROS.

Call and look at Nicholson Bros. Diaries for 1871.

Mr. Matser, of Titusville, the Pioneer photographer of the oil regions, has established a branch in this place, where a competent operator is in charge, and prepared to execute all kinds of work. Charges reasonable.

Keeps constantly on hand views of the Oil Regions. Large and small views made to order of any point desired at short notice. nov13-1w.

Miffers Cough Honey, best in town. For sale at
GRIFFERS BROS.

Miller's unrivalled Worm Confections, warranted at
GRIFFERS BROS.

Miller's Camphor Ice, the best in the market, at
GRIFFERS BROS. nov13-1m.

Having added to my large stock, I am now ready to supply scotch Whisky, Jamaica Rum and all other imported goods at New York prices. nov12-1f. OWEN GAFFNEY.

Gaffney has a large lot of scotch ale and London porter especially for family use, by the bottle or case.

Goods warranted and prices lower than ever offered in Petroleum Centre, at
GAFFNEY'S.

New Music Store—Messrs. Booth & Sargent will open on or about the first of December a music store in the New Opera House Block, Spring Street, Titusville, Pa. Besides keeping constantly on hand every description of musical instruments, music books, the latest sheet music, strings, tuning forks, and in fact everything pertaining to the music trade, they are agents for the sale of the world renowned Steinway, Bradbury, Knabe, and other pianos, also cabinet organs, melodeons, &c. Mr. Booth has had a large and varied experience in the business, having been connected with the well known musical house of J. G. Hook of Newville, for a period of several years. Mr. Sargent is an old resident of this place, and has but recently removed to Titusville. Those having deal with him will find him not only an upright honorable business man, but a gentleman in every sense of the word. We take pleasure in recommending the new firm to our musical friends and citizens generally. They will find it to their advantage to give them a call when visiting Titusville, or communicate with them when in want of anything in the musical line. Remember the place, No. 5, Opera House Block. BOOTH & SARGENT.

Oysters.

Just received fresh sea Oysters and shell Clams at L. Voucher's. sept17.

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

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

Oyster and Clam Stews, those old fashioned ones, at Voucher's.

A. S. Smith has just returned from the East with a large stock of Shoes and the latest styles of Opera. Tea Ladies shoes. oct6-1f.

Ladies Oyster Saloon

Up stairs over Voucher's Restaurant, Washington St., Petroleum Centre, Pa. Ladies are invited to call. sept 28.

Derriek Stores at
NICHOLSON & BLACKMON'S.

BIRDS.—The best Singing and cheapest Canary Birds in the oil regions are to be had at
nov7-1f. J. W. BEATTY'S.

CODRINGTON & CORNWELL

FURNISH ALL GRADES OF

COAL, COAL,

At Very Low west Rates.

CALL AND SEE THEM AT THE

OLD STAND.

Petroleum Centre, Pa., Oct. 31-1f.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

H. H. WARNER,
Next door to the Old Stand.
I have on hand a large stock of
Flour, Cats,
HAY AND FEED,

O corn Meal, Buckwheat Meal,
APPLES AND POTATOES.

He desires to inform his old customers that all of the above he has in large quantities, besides a very excellent quality of

OIL MEAL

Thanking my numerous friends for their very liberal support in the past, I hope they will continue their favors at my

NEW STAND,

On Washington St., Petroleum Centre, Pa. nov28-1f.

The Excelsior
Life Insurance Co.

63 William-St.,

NEW YORK.

POLICIES AT OPTION OF HOLDERS
CONVERTIBLE INTO

ANNUITY BONDS.

Thus providing for old age

POLICY HOLDERS PARTICIPATE IN PROFITS.

POLICIES NON-FORFEITING.

DAVIS & FOSTER,

Agents, Franklin, Pa. nov28-1f.

GRAND

Masquerade Ball!

THERE WILL BE A

Grand Masquerade Ball,

HELD AT

Sobel's Opera House!

Thursday Ev'g, Dec. 1st.

Masks and Dresses will be on exhibition at the Hall on the day of the Ball.

New Firm,
New Goods.

MESSER & STUARD.

The subscribers have purchased the entire interest of A. M. Shultz in the

Grocery and Bakery

business, and will hereafter carry on the business at the old stand, 256 hope by fair dealing and strict attention to the wants of the public to merit a fair share of patronage. We have on hand and are constantly receiving a first-class stock of

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS

of all kinds, Foreign and Domestic Fruits together with our

BAKERY

Which is constantly turning out fresh Bread, Pies, and Cakes, fine Cakes for weddings and parties baked to order. Our motto is small profits and big trade. Call and see us.

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Main Street, Petroleum Centre, and secure

the shadow 'ere the substance fades.
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