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Winter Underwear,

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For the next Thirty Days!

McFARLAND, SMITH & Co. Merchant Tailors!

Loose Block, Titusville, Pa.,

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Monday Dec. 19.

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

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

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THE AGED STRANGER.

AN INCIDENT OF THE WAR.

BY BURT HARTE.

"I was with Grant"—the stranger said; Said the farmer: "Say no more— But rest thee here at my cottage porch, For thy feet are weary and sore."

"I was with Grant"—the stranger said; Said the farmer: "Nay, no more— I prithee sit at my frugal board, And eat of my frugal store."

"How fares my boy—my soldier boy, Of the old Ninth Army Corps?— I warrant, he bore him gallantly In the smoke and the battles roar?"

"I know him not," said the aged man; "And as I remarked before, I was with Grant"—"Nay, nay, I know," Said the farmer, "say no more."

"He fell in battle—I see, alas! Thou'ldst smooth these tidings o'er— Nay, speak the truth, whatever it be, Though it rend my bosom sore."

"How fell he—with his face, to the lot, Uplifting the flag he bore? O! say not that my boy disgraced The uniform that he wore!"

"I cannot tell," said the aged man; "And should have remarked, before, That I was with Grant—in Illinois— Some three years before the war."

Then the farmer spoke him never a word, But bent with his fist full sore, That aged man who had worked for Grant Some three years before the war.

ANOTHER OIL FIRE.—At half past five o'clock Thursday evening a fire broke out in the "agitator" of Halsey, Payne & Co.'s oil refinery, situated between the canal and river, south of the Atlantic & Great Western Railway. About four hundred barrels of refined oil in the agitator took fire and the whole was destroyed. The flames raged with intense fury, lighting up the sky with a lurid glare. The blazing oil flowed in every direction, setting fire to sheds and everything combustible in its course. A considerable amount ran into the river and floated upon the water, a mass of flame. About a hundred barrels of crude oil were also burned.—Cleveland Herald.

A SPIRITUAL POINT SETTLER.—It was along Oil Creek that Eliza was traveling, when the boys said, "Go up old bald head" and the bears came out of the Woods and devoured them. The boys were dismal dependants of the old Bald of Bashan, and although uncommonly frisky cates, the bears got away with them.—Tidbits Journal.

When is a butterfly like a kias? When it alights on tails.

Petroleum Centre is considered by many young bloods and scallwags residing in neighboring places, especially Titusville, to be a good place to visit of a Saturday evening and spend Sunday in drunkenness and debauchery. We give these young bloods warning that it is the intention of the officers of the law hereafter to arrest and punish every mother's son of them, after which we propose to give their names and residences, to let the outside public know who the "bummers" are. A word to the wise, etc.

Attention is called to the new advertisement of M. S. Simmons. It will be seen that he has had in a large stock of holiday goods, which he is offering at extremely low rates.

Taking advantage of the present cold weather, the boys are securing up their skates and repairing sleighs, in anticipation of good times coasting and skating.

Mease & Armstrong are daily receiving large quantities of flour, feed, hay, grain, &c., to supply their constantly increasing trade.

Sickness prevails to an alarming extent among the little ones at Tionesta. Several deaths have occurred.

A gentleman just from Brady's Bend informs us that the Scarsdale well, on Armstrong Run, having proven a dry hole, in the language of the East Brady Independent, is to have the "bottom punched out," or in other words drilled deeper.

The new well at Pitohole, owned by Haskell & Co., is yielding fifty-five barrels per day.

Latest and Most Important War News.

Lille Dec. 16.

It is rumored that another sortie has been made from Paris, which accounts for the rapid withdrawal of the German forces from this region.

It is said the French came out from behind their fortifications in immense force, and have already completely invested Versailles.

Fighting is now going on in the direction of Albert and Abbeville.

London, Dec. 16.

The French ports of Fecamp, Dieppe and Havre are to be blockaded.

Versailles, Dec. 15.

The Germans, after a slight skirmish, occupied Beaumont, a few miles west of Evreux, on the 11th.

The French garrison at Belfort still make a gallant defense.

The neighboring heights have been captured by the Germans, but not without considerable loss.

London, Dec. 17.

A Herald special dated London 17th inst. says:

Dates from Paris of the 15th inst., state that the sortie by General Ducrot was satisfactory and has demonstrated where the Germans are weak.

General Ducrot is confident of his ability to break through the German lines at the right moment.

The active army in the field is in good health and spirits, is well fed and is 200,000 strong.

Preparations are making for another sortie on a large scale.

Some of the theatres have been reopened, as it is believed the performances in them will have a beneficial effect and besides will relieve the monotony of the ordinary round of daily life.

Goods are plentiful and street carts are numerous, so the horses, at any rate, have not been eaten.

WEST HICKORY.—The following table shows the daily production of the West Hickory oil field:

Table listing oil field production: Watkins Farm (1,580), Beauty Farm (75), Reuben Scott Farm (196), Royal Scott Farm (102), H. W. Scott Farm (309), Fagundes Farm (250), Little Farm (250).

The Wheeling Register says as Tibble was passing down Quincy street, he suddenly observed a young lady to have a beautiful black mustache attached to her upper lip—but the young man took it away immediately.

Carrying pistols is going out of fashion in Southern California, and a paper there says it is "led to see that most of our citizens have had sense enough to return to the use of the bowie knife."

As Jonathan was leaving daily one Sunday night, she hinted that another visit would not be unwelcome by saying, "I shall be at home next Sunday night." "So shall I, by golly," says he.

It was a wise negro, who, in speaking of the happiness of married people, said: "Dat 'an' penda altogether on how dey joy deyselfes."

The first locomotive that ever did service in the United States is now lying outside of a foundry at Carbondale, Luzerne county. It ought to be preserved somewhere as an interesting relic of the early days of rail-roading.

Lovers of wild game will do well to drop into the Petroleum Exchange Hotel, where can be had, cooked to order in any style, wild turkey, wild duck, pheasant, venison, &c. Also, fresh fish, lobster, and oysters.

The Columbia Oil Co. will soon have another well down, located on the hill above this place.

"The Old Franklin Almanac" for 1871, published by A. Finch, Philadelphia, is a valuable publication. It contains a complete record for 1870, and as a work of reference is invaluable. Price 25 cents.

A friend of ours says that he loved his wife when he married her, but when he found out what excellent luck what cakes she could make, he worshipped her. Young ladies take warning.

Best Refined Oil 20 cents per gallon, at dec15-11. J. RUTHERFORD'S.

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

Buy the "Red Hot" Saddle, manufactured in Titusville expressly for the oil country adapted to all kinds of weather, at J. R. KRON'S. a12-11

Derrick stoves at NICHOLSON & BLACKMAN'S.

Local Notices.

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

Try the celebrated True Fit Shirt made to order and sold only by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Gents Furnishing Emporium, Loose Block, Titusville, Pa.

Bronzes, Opera Glasses, French Clocks, Fans, Fine London leather goods, at ISHAM'S, Titusville.

At ISHAM'S, TITUSVILLE.—Ladies stem-winding Watches of nearly all first-class makers.

THE "Semper Mam, Newport, Rob Roy, Derby, Oriental, Europe's" Paper Collars sold by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Gents Furnishing Emporium, Loose Block, Titusville, Pa.

Solid silver goods in cases suitable for presents, at ISHAM'S, Titusville.

Miller's Cough Honey, best in town. For sale at GRIFFES BROS.

The Latest Novelties in Lap Robes, Traveling Bags, Driving Gloves, Rubber Over Coats, Caps and Leggings, by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Gents Furnishing Emporium, Loose Block, Titusville, Pa.

The "London Wide End, Paris Wide End, Club House, and Irving" Tie, (just out). Sold by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Gents Furnishing Emporium, Loose Block, Titusville, Pa.

For Balls, Soirees, Meetings, &c., the hall opposite the Rochester House and over H. Warner's, Beer and food store. Apply to Nov. 30-11. H. W. WALKER.

AT ISHAM'S, TITUSVILLE.—Gent's Watches. A full line of American Watches, including Howard Nickel movement.

Unrivaled inducements offered in Men's boys and youths' Ready-Made Clothing, by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Clothiers, Loose Block, Titusville, Pa.

ORIENTAL HOT BLAST PARLOR STOVES are in such great demand that Nicholson & Blackman cannot supply the home trade. oct 5-11

The largest assortment of Parlor and Cooking Stoves may be found at Nicholson & Blackman's. oct 5-11

The "Pacific, Cambria, Grand Prince, Paris, Cravat, and London Bow," sold by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Gents Furnishing Emporium, Titusville, Pa.

We defy Competition in Buck skin gloves. We know what we say when we assert that we can and do sell the best of Buck skin Gloves cheaper than any other place in town. LAMMERS & ALDEN.

WALL PAPER at GRIFFES BROS.

The "Vernon Scott, Royal Scuff, Windsor Cravat, and Lethair Bow," sold by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Gents Furnishing Emporium, Titusville, Pa.

Oysters by the quart at Voucher's.

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

Try the Patent Pantaloons Drawers, Shield Undershirt, Bay State Suspender, (just introduced,) Russian Braces, Guyot Braces, and Russian Cable, sold by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Gents Furnishing Emporium, Titusville, Pa.

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. nov12-11 OWEN GAFFNEY.

Miller's Camphor Ice, the best in the market, at GRIFFES BROS. nov19-11.

Miller's unrivaled Worm Confections, warranted at GRIFFES BROS.

Diaries for 1871 at GRIFFES BROS.

CODINGTON & CORNWELL FURNISH ALL GRADES OF

COAL, COAL,

At Very Low west Rates.

CALL AND SEE THEM AT THE

OLD STAND.

Petroleum Centre, Pa., Oct. 31-11

Try the "You Bet" Paper Collar, unequalled for comfort and elegance by any other Paper Collar ever manufactured, sold by McFARLAND, SMITH & Co., Gents Furnishing Emporium, Loose Block, Titusville, Pa.

BIRDS.—The best Singing and Cheeping Canary Birds in the oil regions are to be had at J. W. BEATTY'S.

Nicholson & Blackman are selling Cooking Stoves with iron ware at twelve dollars. Call and see them. dec16-11

Call at Nicholson & Blackman's and see a Cooking Stove with iron ware for twelve dollars.

Gaffney has a large lot of Scotch ale and London porter especially of family use, in the bottle or case.

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

M. S. Simmons' Drug and Variety Store.

Mr. Simmons has just returned from New York with a very large stock of Holiday Goods—a richer and more extensive stock never has been exhibited to the citizens of Oil Creek. Ladies Toilet Stands, Writing Desks, Dressing Cases, Dolls, Games, Childrens Toys in as large variety as can be found in city stores. It is well worth a visit, if you don't wish to buy. This stock certainly never was surpassed for variety and richness. He also has a large variety of Leroy W. Fairchild's Celebrated Golf Pens, very appropriate for Holiday presents. Visit Simmons' for a half-hour's amusement, before you make your purchases. dec11-11

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

H. C. Wachter

Washington Street,

Petroleum Centre, Pa.

Buy your Fruit and Confectionary at the above place,

Constantly on hand

Oranges

AND

California Pears,

A great luxury at this season of the year.

Take a look at them.

Petroleum Centre, April 14, 1870-11

OIL EXCHANGE HOTEL

ROYD FARM, PA. S. JOHNSON, Proprietor.

This Hotel has been refitted and newly furnished throughout. The rooms are large and comfortable. Trunks and baggage stored at this Hotel have free passage over the bridge. dec11-11

MEASE & ARMSTRONG, Successors to H. H. Warner.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Flour & Feed

Merchants.

THE subscribers having bought the old stand of H. H. Warner, intend enlarging the building and will keep always on hand the best in market flour. We will do a WHOLESALE AND RETAIL trade in the following products:

FLOUR, FEED, HAY and GRAIN

of all kinds. We also have a very large stock of fine

APPLES.

We invite a share of public patronage, feeling confident we can give satisfaction in price and quality of goods. MEASE & ARMSTRONG. Petroleum Centre, Pa., Nov. 9, 1870-11

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