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Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Tuesday May 2.

**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 Irvine.	12.01 P.M.	5.10 P.M.	Leave Oil City	7.00 A.M.	2.55 P.M.	7.50 P.M.	
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Arrive Corry,	10.00	5.57	10.38				

SOUTH		NO. 2.		NO. 4.		NO. 6.	
Leave Corry,	11.05 A.M.	6.10 A.M.	6.15 P.M.	Leave Oil City	11.55 A.M.	10.55 A.M.	6.30 P.M.
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Arrive O. City	2.10	9.02	9.20				
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No. 5 and 6 run on Sunday.

**FREIGHT TRAINS NORTH.**

No. 12.	No. 13.	No. 11.	No. 15.	No. 9.
Le. Oil City	9.15 A.M.	11.55 A.M.	10.55 A.M.	6.30 P.M.
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Ar. Corry,	11.14 A.M.	2.40	9.15	6.10

**FREIGHT TRAINS SOUTH.**

No. 10.	No. 8.	No. 16.	No. 14.	No. 20.
Le. Corry	6.00 A.M.	5.30 A.M.	10.35 A.M.	11.14 A.M.
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Ar. Oil City	10.10	9.40	12.15 P.M.	1.40 P.M.

Oil City and Petroleum Centre freight leave Oil City 2.10 p. m., arrive at Petroleum Centre 8.20 p. m. Leaves Petroleum Centre at 4.40 p. m., arrive at Oil City 6.00 p. m.

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

No. 10 is a through accommodation, connects at Corry for East and North.

**SILVER PALACE SLEEPING CARS.**

No. 4—Direct from Philadelphia without change.

No. 5—Direct to Philadelphia without change.

No. 6—Direct from Pittsburgh without change.

No. 8—Direct to Pittsburgh without change.

Monday, Nov. 28, 1870.

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

Some days since the sewer running under Main street caved in leaving a large hole in the middle of the road, opposite the McClellan House, which was extremely dangerous to teams. To-day the Central Petroleum Company have a force of men engaged in repairing the break.

By a dispatch from Pithole we learn that Phillips Bros. well No. 3, Rooker Farm, is now twelve feet in a splendid sand rock—the best that has yet been found. Has plenty of oil in the hole. Will prove a good well.

Candidates are beginning to get anxious as the time draws near for the primary election.

The Oil City Register says: "A marked improvement in all general branches of business in our city, has been apparent for the last few weeks." We incline to the opinion that Oil City is henceforth bound to grow.

Strawberries have appeared in the Buffalo market.

Fire.—About 8 o'clock this morning the large engine house covering two engines, at the Cravens & Corlies wells, Pierson farm, caught fire in some unexplained manner, and was burned down, seriously damaging the engines and machinery. Loss about \$500. These wells were sold to the above parties a few days since by Patterson & Dickey.

Remember to be lectured by Mrs. Chase, at the M. E. Church, this evening.

SOMETHING NEW.—The irrepressible John Theobolt, proprietor of the Opera House Saloon, is always getting up something new and novel to amuse and please his patrons. He has recently put up a large organ in his saloon, capable of playing upwards of forty tunes. It is a magnificent affair, and those who enjoy good music should drop in and listen.

**THE OIL REGION.**

We copy the following interesting sketch of the oil region from the North East Star, which, by the way, is one of the best weeklies that graces our table, and a credit to Erie county. The sketch will be found of interest as being the opinion of an outside party of the oil region:

The oil region is as lively as ever. It is amazing to see the stir of business down there. We have been hearing so long of that section being "played out" that we had almost begun to believe it was so. But the same tune is being played still. People are getting very rich, (and some not so rich;) trade is brisk; the cars are crowded and the streets swarm with people.

Titusville has a new sensation. Large wells are being struck almost within the city limits, and thither turn the feet of eager speculators. The hotels are thronged and the roads leading to Church Run, are filled with parties eager to buy and sell. The season, at this point, promises to be a very prosperous one. And this point is familiarly known as the "oil man's paradise." It is a city of fine houses, broad streets and of well dressed, intelligent people. The Daily Herald is a credit to the place.

Petroleum Centre is being built up again and traces of the recent fire are rapidly disappearing. This place has a strange vitality. Like some consumptives, it is often given over for dead; but it survives many of better out ward appearance. The new territory has not been found this spring; but the "belt" is being searched after.—There will probably be found a few acres more of first-class territory, before the Centre is abandoned. Here some of the brightest business men of the oil region have lived from the time when Drake struck the first well.

The "choice spirits" met here in the early days of oil boring, and all over oildom you find its representatives. Here the "Record" is published, a spicy daily, always welcome on our table. And here there is the Central House, hotel, first-class in every respect, kept by Messrs. Cross & McOmber, who seem to have been intended expressly to conduct a house to the comfort and pleasure of all their guests.

Oil City is growing very rapidly. Four railroads centre here; it is the headquarters of the river men and of the oil shipping interest generally. Venango City is now a part of the city, and there is talk of a street railroad, and talk down there generally ends in business. One of the best proofs that Oil City is going to be still greater, is seen in the fact that business men from other portions of the oil regions are opening branch stores down there. For you must know that in Oildom men follow the "belt"; wherever the business is, there the dealers flock.

Driftwood is the new oil field. It is on the Allegheny river, about four miles from Oil City, just opposite Reno. Fabulous prices are being paid for territory, and every train is full going down.

Altogether, then, the oil country is a stirring place. Long life to it, and to the many readers of the STAR who reside there.

At Waterloo, Monroe county, Ill., on the 29th an explosion occurred at Husey, Payne & Co.'s oil refinery, with appalling effects and resulted in the loss of one thousand barrels of oil consumed, and damage to the works to the amount of \$25,000. The report was tremendous and the concussion so great as to shake buildings two miles distant. The building, entirely covered with iron and intended to be fire proof, literally blown to pieces, large fragments of iron rolled up and twisted and huried a great distance in every direction. Other buildings connected with the works and in the vicinity were badly damaged, and the appearance of things around was as though a first-class earthquake had occurred. No lives were lost. The cause of the explosion was a mystery.

In Titusville the song of the season opens in the following strain:

'Tis the voice of the bullfrog  
I hear him complain,  
I must hit him a rap  
Or he'll bellow again.

The present yield of the Reno Company's wells is about 225 barrels per day.—Five or six wells are now being put down on what is known to be good territory.

A brakeman, named John Herrington, whose home is in Corry, was killed by the cars near the depot Saturday night. He is said to have been drunk and lying on the track. He died in a few minutes. He was about twenty-one years of age.—Meadville Republican.

Pennsylvania has 2,200,000 acres of coal lands, including all the anthracite, bituminous, and semi-bituminous districts.

A Union railroad depot is strongly talked of in Oil City. It has long been needed.

The murderer Rutoff has petitioned the Governor of New York for a pardon, for two reasons, viz:

1. He is under conviction for a homicide of which he is not guilty either in fact or in law; and for that homicide he is sentenced to be executed on the 18th day of May, next.

2. He has recently made to all cultivated language an important discovery; he has at his disposal neither the time nor the means necessary to perpetrate that discovery; and whatever may be his own fate, the discovery should on no account be permitted to perish, or to pass again from the knowledge of our race.

These he argues at considerable length, and in respect to the second "prays that a committee of such persons be immediately appointed to investigate the subject to ascertain the value of his discovery, and to take such steps as may be necessary for its preservation. In behalf of those who work may be thus restored to the admiration of all succeeding ages; in behalf of the cause of education, and of millions yet unborn, he implores that the sentence of death may not be executed upon him till this has been done."

MORE GAS WELLS.—The Painesville, O., Advertiser, says:

"The gas well which is being sunk by Messrs. Jennings & Casement, on Mr. Jennings' farm, is now down about three hundred feet, at which depth a sufficient amount has been found to run the engine with which the drilling is done. They intend to drill seven hundred feet, unless the desired amount of gas is sooner reached, with which they intend to light and heat their fine residence now in course of construction, entirely doing away with coal and wood."

The National gas well at Buffalo has reached a depth of five hundred and ninety four feet. A vein of mineral water has been struck, which was thrown out with considerable force, and accompanied by a considerable volume of gas. The water it is said has been pronounced by experts to be similar in its chemical constituents to the celebrated Plantagenet springs of St. Catharines.

POWER FOR LESS THAN NOTHING.—The Philadelphia Trade Journal announces a discovery, by which petroleum can be used for fuel, and the waste product be sold at a lighter price than the crude oil costs. The theory is that the lighter and more volatile constituents of the mineral oil will be consumed, leaving the heavy lubricating fluid in the furnace. The residue is the more valuable part of the petroleum, and is separated in the combustion of the other components. The description includes, among other novel features, a four-horse engine which was run for ten hours at an expense of fifty-five cents.

Our refiners, upon this principle, could afford to sell their refined oil and benzine for nothing, for the sake of making a profit upon the lubricating fluid which remains. The assertion is palpably absurd.

A young man recently wrote to a New York paper, asking whether it would be advisable for him to marry "a young and tender angel who had never done her own washing or dressmaking." In reply, the editor advised him to do so by all means, and mentioned a similar case in his own experience, where the bride had never done her own washing, but after marriage she became so fond of the wash tub, as not only to work for her own family, but for several families among her acquaintances.

The people of Warren county are agitating the question of erecting a new court house, etc. This is probably designed to counteract the project of removing the county seat to Tidioute.

The gold and silver product of Colorado in 1870 amounted to \$2,600,000, whereas the petroleum product of the Pennsylvania oil region in the same year amounted to \$22,638,000.

The weather is spring-like to-day.

**WANTED.**

A Servant Girl, competent and willing to do general housework. A German girl preferred. Apply to Mrs. VERA.

**NOTICE.**

The subscribers having sold out their Lager Bier Stand and Barber Shop intend leaving the country, and take this method to inform those indebted to them that all bills must be settled by Saturday, May 6th. And all persons having claims against them will present their bills before that date for payment.

J. H. Leonbauer,  
C. J. Leonbauer,  
Petroleum Centre, May 2-td.

Hanging Baskets for sale at NICHOLSON & BLACKMON'S.

Spring Outer Coats, at

**Announcements.**

The announcement cards of candidates for nomination for the various offices will be published at the following rates: Assembly, \$10; Associate Judge, \$10; Sheriff, \$10; Treasurer, \$10; District Attorney, \$10; Commissioner, \$6; Auditor, \$6. Positively no announcements published unless paid for IN ADVANCE.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

We are authorized to announce the name of James H. Smith, as candidate for District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Republican Primary Election. Petroleum Centre, March 25, 1871.

**COUNTY TREASURER.**

ERROR RECORD.—Please announce the name of FID BISHOP, of Oil City, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, and oblige MANY REPUBLICANS.

We are authorized to announce the name of N. B. RIDDLE, as a candidate for Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Republican party, at the primary meeting. Petroleum Centre, March 22, 1871.

**SHERIFF.**

We are authorized to announce the name of C. S. MARKS, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the usages of the Republican party, at the primary meeting. Petroleum Centre, March 16, 1871.

**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 leave their favors with either of the above houses.

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Measures taken, and Clothing made to order, at JAMESTOWN Clothing Store.

WALL PAPER—In every style at GRIFFES BROS.

CONGRESS, EMPIRE AND HIGH-ROCK WATERS fresh from the springs at GRIFFES BROS.

Tea Servers for sale at NICHOLSON & BLACKMON'S.

**LOST.**

On Thursday evening last, a small GOLD CHAIN—usually worn with pocket. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning it to EMMA J. VERA.

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PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA.

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**NEW YORK THEATRE**

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Leader Orchestra, Prof. C. A. Zimmerman

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24 First Class Artistes**

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TRAVELLING!**

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY  
EVENINGS,  
MAY 5TH AND 6TH.**

Due Notice will be given of the Opening Bill.

Admission, 50 Cts. Reserved, 75 Cts.  
Doors open at 7 o'clock. Performance commences at 8 o'clock.  
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N. Y. CIRCUS  
MENAGERIE,  
AND BALLOON!**

**PETROLEUM CENTRE,  
Monday, May 8th.**

Grand Free Spectacle!



**GRATUITOUS BALLOON ASCENSION**  
adjoining the Circus Pavilion, at 1 o'clock, P. M. and prior to the Arctic Exhibition.

**PROF. RENNO,**  
The Renowned French Aeronaut, will make on his aerial flights in his monster Balloon "TALENT LAH," entitled:

**A Journey beyond the Clouds**  
Eight Mammoth Air Ships, 100 feet high and 10 ft. in diameter, are carried with this great establishment, so that an ascension is guaranteed daily. A PERFORMING DEN OF

**Living Wild Animals**  
From the most impenetrable jungles of Asia and Bengal, and the dark caves of Ethiopia.

**M. PAUL ROUXARIE,**  
The Lion King, will enter the cage with the most tamed denizens of the forest, and feed them from his own lips.



**The Arctic Department**  
is replete with the first Equestrian and Acrobatic talent of the world, and among the brilliant constellation will be found:

MILLE STOKES,  
Premier Equestrian from the Royal Circus of Britain  
BULLOCK, ANDREWS AND LOUISE,  
Cordes Elasticque and Volante, from the Fabled Banquet Claque, Paris  
CHARLES FILLIS,  
The Great Briton, Somersault and Pionette Rider.  
BARNEY CARROLL,  
Greatest Two Horse Rider living, with his children  
LA PETITE ANNIE,  
The baby Wonder, and  
MASTER WILLIE,  
The Child Somersault Rider.  
WATSON BROTHERS,  
Three Flying Men of the Air.  
Edwin Watson, Unequaled Gymnast & Equestrian.  
George Watson, Tumbler & Trapeze extraordinary.  
Thomas Watson, Trapeze, Horizontal Bar, &c.  
Signor Bias, Grand & lofty Tumbler, Tri-A Clown  
Jerome Turin, Terrible Voltigeur, double Somersit  
J. C. Long, Modern Hercules, Light & Heavy Balance  
BILLY ANDREWS,  
The Funniest Clown alive.  
JEAN JOHNSON,  
The World's Greatest Jester, and an endless list of EFFICIENT AUXILIARIES & ASSISTANTS.



**Herr Kopp's Silver Cornet Band!**  
Drawn by 12 Arabian Horses, and in the Oriental Character of "Baitou," will parade the Streets at precisely 10 o'clock A. M.

The strictest Order Enforced, and no smoking allowed inside the Pavilion.  
CARPETED SEATS FOR LADIES with our extra charge.  
Admission 50 Cts. Children, under 10, 25 cents.  
Franklin, Thursday, May 4th; Oil City, Friday, May 5th; Painesville, Saturday, May 6th; Titusville, Tuesday, May 8th.