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from marked prices on our  
**EXTENSIVE STOCK OF**  
**READY-MADE CLOTHING**  
**Winter Underwear,**  
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For the next Thirty Days!  
**McFARLAND, SMITH & Co.**  
**Merchant Tailors!**  
Lease Block, Titusville, Pa.,  
Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

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

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

NORTH			SOUTH		
No. 5.	No. 3.	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Leave Irvin, 12.01 P.M.	5.10 P.M.	5.10 P.M.	Leave Cory, 11.05 A.M.	6.10 A.M.	6.15 P.M.
Leave Oil City 7.00 A.M.	2.55 P.M.	7.50 P.M.	Titusv. 12.40 P.M.	7.35 "	8.30 "
" Titusv. 8.30 "	4.25 "	9.12 "	" P. Cen. 1.27 "	8.19 "	8.42 "
Arrive Cory, 10.08 "	5.57 "	10.38 "	Arrive O. City 2.10 "	9.02 "	9.20 "
			" Irvin. 4.50 "	11.40 "	

**FREIGHT TRAINS NORTH**

No. 19.	No. 13.	No. 11.	No. 15.
Le O.C. 9.15 A.M.	11.15 A.M.	10.15 A.M.	6.30 A.M.
Ar. C. 10.10 "	1.07 P.M.	12.15 P.M.	8.15 "
Titusv. 11.14 A.M.	2.40 "	1.45 "	9.35 "

**FREIGHT TRAINS SOUTH**

No. 10.	No. 8.	No. 16.	No. 14.
Le Cory, 1.55 P.M.			
Le O.C. 8.00 A.M.	8.50 A.M.	10.35 A.M.	11.14 A.M.
" P.C. 8.00 "	9.40 "	12.15 P.M.	12.40 P.M.
Ar. C. 10.10 "	1.07 P.M.	12.15 P.M.	8.15 "
Titusv. 11.14 A.M.	2.40 "	1.45 "	9.35 "

**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. 24, 1870.

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

We are in receipt of a long communication from Mr. John D. McClelland, formerly telegraph operator in the P. & A. office in this place, and who was reported as a defaulter, in which he vindicates his character from the aspersions placed upon it. Mr. M. claims that he left the affairs of the company in good shape as an examination will show; that he owed several bills and intended to pay them all, and that the reason of his sudden leaving was in consequence of the receipt of a letter announcing the severe illness of his mother and sister. After an investigation of the matter we incline to the opinion that injustice has been done him. He may have erred in some things, as all men are liable to, but we do not think he acted dishonestly, and is therefore entitled to the benefit of a retraction on our part, and we cheerfully make the *amende honorable*.

Elsewhere will be found a communication from a brother "telegrapher" on the subject, which cannot fail of placing Mr. McClelland in the right light before the public.

The East Sandy oil field is increasing in production somewhat, owing to the new wells started early in the Spring being completed, two or three having been tested last week. The Canning well No. 2 is yielding 20 barrels daily; Canning well No. 4, 25 to 30 barrels; and Canning well No. 1, 18 barrels. The indications are that the belt crosses into Clarion county in Ashland township.

An alarm of fire early this morning was occasioned by the roof of the McClintock House catching fire from a defective flue. The fire was discovered by the employees at Fisher, Norris & Co's machine shop. It was extinguished before any material damage was done.

Joe Coburn made his will before he left New York. He left his property to Cooley Keyes.

From the Erie Dispatch we learn that the Mace-Coburn prize fight, which was to have taken place yesterday, was a complete fizzle. The party landed at Port Dover, about twenty-three miles from Long Point, and thirty from Erie. A ring was formed and about 11 a. m. the cry was, "Here they come!" and at 10 minutes past 11 Coburn tossed his cap into the ring and lightly bowed in after it, Mace immediately following suit. At this point \$200 even was offered that Coburn would win the fight. This was immediately followed by an offer on the part of Mace's backers to bet \$1,000 even. No takers. And now commenced what is probably unparalleled in the history of sporting events an hour's sparring without a blow. As the pair advanced to the centre, they commenced with light sparring, Mace edging nearer and Coburn stepping back to his own corner, Mace in turn retreating to bring Coburn out again. This was repeated several times, Coburn dodging every blow and Mace following him to within a few feet of his corner. Mace got tired of this fooling and walked to exactly the center of the ring and folded his arms. Coburn would not come to the scratch. Mace backed off to give him a chance, but on attempting to close, Coburn again leaped into his corner. There was another long wait and another repetition of the old tactics. Ten minutes passed and the crowd became impatient. Mace became so tired of standing on the scratch, with Coburn a safe distance off in his own corner, that he turned saying, "Joe, let's take a drink," and walked off to his own corner. Both men sipped a little water and started for the scratch, Mace again toeing the scratch and Coburn backing out. Mace, on every occasion, walked to the scratch, but at the first pass, Coburn always made a beautiful jump to the rear, and Mace, often driving him to within five or six feet of the rope, walked leisurely back to the centre. This was kept up for an hour and a half with no result, when her majesty's officers and soldiers appeared on the scene; the riot act was read by High Sheriff Deeds, County of Norfolk, Province of Ontario, and the crowd ordered to disperse by Judge Edward Wilson of the same county, or they would be fired upon by the militia. They immediately dispersed, cursing prize fights in general and the Mace-Coburn fizzle in particular.

It is proper to add that while her majesty's authority was respected, the person of his judgeship was not, as while he was reading the riot act, one of the thieves abstracted a valuable gold watch from his pocket. "They stole h't, the scoundrels," said the Judge, "while h' was h'n there; h' was worth a thirty pun note in Lunnon."

The case of Joshua Weaver, of Cranberry township, Venango county, is another illustration of Fortune's freaks in the oil region. The sheriff was on the point of selling him out, "body and breeches," when a hundred barrel oil well was struck near his farm. Joshua is all right now.

The loss by the recent disastrous fire at Fagundas City, will not fall short of \$60,000, on which there is but little insurance.

The O. C. & A. R. R. are building a new passenger coach for their road at Cory. It will surpass anything of the kind yet placed on their popular road. They are building it at Cory, and the experiment is to test whether they can build them as cheap as they can be purchased.

Winsor Bros. have disposed of the well-known "Boston Machine Shop," in this city to Mr. James Smith, of Plumer, who has acquired a wide reputation as sole manufacturer of the celebrated "Roberts' Patent Sand Pump," and is a first-class, practical machinist. This is quite an extensive establishment, comprising a large blacksmith and machine shop and foundry, giving constant employment to upwards of twenty skilled workmen, and turning out every description of castings and well tools required in the oil business.—Venango Citizen.

The U. S. Senate convened Wednesday for a special session.

We take pleasure in recommending to the attention of our readers the advertisement of M. Arnold, merchant tailor, Titusville. Mr. A. has recently started in business in that city, and has laid in a large and superior stock of ready-made clothing, gents furnishing goods, &c., all of which he is selling out at the lowest cash prices. He is also prepared to do custom work in the latest styles. Give him a call.

A boiler explosion occurred on the Fleming tract, Shawburg, on Wednesday. No person injured. Explosion occasioned by too high pressure of steam.

In the senate last Saturday the House bill authorizing the Governor to appoint a Gauger and Inspector of crude and refined petroleum for the county of Clarion, and one for Armstrong county, was reported affirmatively.

**Melancholy Case.**

In 186—the daughter of a Presbyterian clergyman in the center of this State, who had been reared in a strict and rigid manner, proceeded to New Haven, Conn., to spend a month with friends during the college commencement season. While there, taking advantage of the new freedom from restraint afforded her, she carried on extensive flirtations with the students, and was ruined by a member of the senior class.—He persuaded her to leave her friends and return with him to New York, instead of going home. Singular to relate, she appeared, almost from choice, to enter upon city dissipation and excesses, until, becoming thoroughly hardened and depraved, a sister came on to visit her and persuade her to go back to her father's home. Instead of doing so, however, the visiting sister was also persuaded to remain and enter upon the same, terrible life which her sister was leading. Since then the two abandoned women have allured their two younger sisters away from the parental roof, and the four are now keeping what is known as a "fashionable bagnio" between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-eighth streets, on the west side of the city. A more melancholy instance of the power of older upon younger members of a family never came to notice.—Rochester Express.

**PETROLEUM CENTRE, May 12, 1871.**

**EDITOR RECORD.**—Seeing the statement in the issue of the record of May 4th, in regard to Mr. J. D. McClelland, formerly Telegraph Operator at this place in the P. & A. office, naming him as an absconder and defaulter, it will be no more than right to publish the facts.

Mr. McClelland's accounts with his company were all straightened up to April first, and the receipts of his office for the month of April were \$91; the expenses of the office were \$104, leaving a balance due the office of \$13. He was obliged to collect what bills he could in order to pay his own expenses as far as possible. He succeeded in collecting \$53, paid what bills he could and went home, where he was urgently called by the sickness of his mother and sister. He has left bills enough to be collected by the company to defray nearly every cent he owes, having paid every bill against himself except four, which amount to about \$10. You will confer a justifiable favor, not only on him but on the Telegraphic fraternity in general, by publishing these facts and clearing him of the charge of dishonesty and delinquency.

The air in Wyoming Territory is said to be so light and pure, so charged with oxygen, as to be most agreeable to persons from the Northern and Eastern States.—Even consumptives, if not too far gone, find speedy relief, as the increased action of the lungs renders the latter more healthy, and soon restores them to full working capacity.

The North East Star says: "We understand that a certain Sunday School in this town has collected money ostensibly to educate a little heathen girl in India, and then sent it the general missionary fund. We obtain the facts from a member of the church in which it occurred."

A writer in a Texas paper relates that a party of miners in the mountains of El Dorado, prospecting in an isolated place where they were without fresh meats and vegetable food, were afflicted with scurvy. Six of the worst cases were planted in the earth, up to their necks, and left alone over night with a chew of tobacco spiced. The result of this attempt at earth cure might have been happy, but for the fact that in the night coyotes came along and ate off all the six heads.

The ordinary glycerine of commerce has lately been discovered to effect rapid and wonderful cures in hopeless cases of consumption. Two table-spoonfuls are sold to be equivalent in nutritive properties, to one pound of beefsteak. It is perfectly harmless, and may be taken in large quantities with impunity.

The monthly petroleum report of the Producers' Association rates the average daily production for April at 12,866 barrels.

Among the list of patents granted to citizens of Western Pennsylvania for the week ending May 9th, 1871, is No. 114,730—Elevating Truck; Daniel Warner, and Wm. K. Bushnell, Titusville.

The Meadville Republican of May 4th arrived yesterday, having been a week coming about thirty miles. Could have come from San Francisco almost as quick.

The XVth amendment celebration at Meadville, on Wednesday, is said to have been a very fine affair. Large numbers of the colored people from the surrounding towns were in attendance. A procession, speeches, festival, and ball, was a part of the programme.

**Local Notices.**

**S. M. Pettengill & 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

**SETTLE UP.**

The undersigned intends going to Europe about the 20th of the present month and desires all his old customers who are still indebted to him to settle at once. All accounts not settled on or before that date will be left with N. B. Smiley for collection, and they will be sued at once.  
m12-1w. H. C. WACHTER.

Nielsen Ice Cream Parlor next door to Opera House, Petroleum Centre, Pa.

If you want delicious Ice Cream go to the Nielsen Cream Parlor, next door to Opera House. m9-1f.

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

Beautiful, new and nobby style Hats at \$8 A. ALDEN'S.

Measures taken, and Clothing made to order, at A. ALDEN'S, 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.

ORIENTAL PATENT MEN'S GAITERS.—These Gaiters are Seal Skin, patent tops, add make a beautiful dress for the feet. I am sole agent for Petroleum Centre and vicinity. A. S. SMITH

FREEZING COLD SODA WATER at \$8 GRIFFES BROS.

Satin Finish Wall Paper at all GRIFFES BROS.

Latest style of Ladies Opera Ties Sho \$5 best quality and low prices, received to-day at A. S. SMITH'S Boot and Shoe Store.

The finest assortment of Children's Shoes ever brought to the oil region, at A. S. SMITH'S Boot and Shoe Store.

Hanging Baskets for sale at NICHOLSON & BLACKMON'S.

Best Spring style goods received to-day, at A. S. SMITH'S Boot and Shoe Store.

**Clothing, Clothing.**

**NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS**

**M. ARNOLD,**  
**MERCHANT TAILOR,**  
AND DEALER IN  
**READY-MADE CLOTHING!**  
*Gents Furnishing Goods, &c.*  
Spring Street, Opp. American House,  
**TITUSVILLE, PA.**

**NILSSON!**  
Now ready to furnish all with  
**Delicious Ice Cream**  
AND SODA WATER of any desired flavor, at the old reliable stand of  
**J. W. BEATTY,**  
Second door from Opera House,  
PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA.—m9-1f.

**CENTRAL HOUSE,**  
PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA.  
**AND DUNCAN HOUSE,**  
OIL CITY, PA.

Near Oil Creek & Allegheny River Railway Depot, may19-1f. CROSS & McCOMBER, Prop'rs

**WAIT & PUGH,**  
Have bought out the  
**LAGER BEER STAND!**  
OF J. H. LEONHAESER,  
On Washington Street. They will make it a point to pay particular attention to the wants of their customers and will keep FRESH LAGER and ALE always on hand. Drop in and see us in our quarters. m11-1f.

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Titusville, Pa.

**NEW AND BEAUTIFUL STYLES OF**  
**Watches and Jewelry,**  
(American, English and Swiss make.)  
**Sterling Silver Ware,**  
**Silver Plated W**  
Of all grades, unique designs in SILVER, especially adapted for presents  
**SOLID GOLD CHAINS,**  
**JEWELRY,**  
PINTOLS,  
REVOLVERS,  
FISHING TACKLE,  
SEAL RINGS &c., &c.  
Particular attention given to repairing fine watches and jewelry by a competent workman.  
The firm have also a store at TITUSVILLE, Spring street.  
REMEMBER THE PLACE,  
Centre street, next door west of the P. & A. Telegraph Office, Oil City, Pa.

**T. M'Donald,**  
**LIVERY, FEED & SALE STABLES!**  
At the Depot, opposite the Central House,  
PETROLEUM CENTRE PA

The best Stock of DRIVING AND SADDLE HORSES on the Creek, are to be found at  
**M'Donald's Livery,**  
**CARRIAGES & CUTTERS TO BE LET AT ALL TIMES.**  
**HORSES FED & BOARDED**  
on Reasonable Terms. TRAMING of all kinds promptly attended to. Also, connected with the Livery Stable is a **SEPARATE** Parties in want of **HICKBOARDS** and **WAGONS** of a 1 kind, will do well to call on me, as I have the agency for some of the best manufacturers in the country, and will sell as cheap as they can be had at the manufactories.  
Give me a call.  
T. M'DONALD,  
Petroleum Centre, Feb. 27th, 1871.

**FISHER & NORRIS,**  
**GENERAL MACHINISTS**  
and Dealers in all kinds of  
**WELL TOOLS & FIXTURES**  
Necessary for putting down and operating Oil wells. In connection with our MACHINE SHOP we have a large and convenient  
**BLACKSMITH SHOP.**  
Our facilities for MANUFACTURING are not excelled by any Shop in the Oil Region.  
Shop—air-st, opposite McClintock House  
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**The Excelior Life Insurance Co.**  
63 William-St.,  
NEW YORK.  
POLICIES AT OPTION OF HOLDER CONVERTIBLE INTO  
**ANNUITY BONDS.**  
Thus providing for old age.  
POLICY HOLDER PARTICIPATE IN PROFITS.  
POLICIES NON-FORFEITING.  
**DAVIS & FOSTER,**  
General Agents, Franklin, Pa.  
HORATIO HASKELL, Special Agent. NOV2-1.

**Philadelphia & Erie R. R.**  
WINTER TIME TABLE  
On and after Monday, Dec. 6th, 1870, the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad will run as follows:

WESTWARD.		EASTWARD.	
Mail Train leaves Philadelphia,	9.40 a.m.	" leaves Erie,	6.00 p.m.
" " " " "		" arrives at Erie,	7.40 p.m.
Erie Expr. leaves Philadelphia,	12.40 p.m.	" leaves Erie,	6.00 a.m.
" " " " "		" arrives at Erie,	7.40 a.m.
Warren Accommodation leaves Warren,	10.40 a.m.	" leaves Erie,	10.40 p.m.
" " " " "		" arrives at Erie,	11.45 a.m.

Express, Mail and Accommodation, East and West, connect at Cory, and all West bound trains and Mail and Accommodation East at Irvinston, with Oil Creek and Allegheny River Railroad.  
Wm. A. BARDWIN,  
General Superintendent.

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.

White and colored Shirts made to order, and fit-guaranteed, or no sale, at A. ALDEN'S, m21. Jamestown Clothing Store.

Light, Stab and Mack Hats and Caps, at A. ALDEN'S, Jamestown Store.

Another invoice of Silk Hats, at A. ALDEN'S.

FREEZING COLD SODA WATER at GRIFFES BROS.