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Pet. Centre, Wednesday November 15

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**TARR RUN OIL NEWS.**—From Mr. Dan-Cantfield, who had the contract for drilling the Watson well on Tarr Run, completed a short time since, we learn that it is yielding at present fully fifteen barrels per day, and were the valves changed, he is of the opinion the well would yield as high as twenty-five barrels per day.

The derrick and rig is up for a new well on the same tract, and drilling will commence in a day or two.

On the Binney farm, adjoining the Watson tract, three new rigs are going up, and the wells will be commenced soon. This farm is also owned by Mr. Jonathan Watson, of Titusville.

Developing will soon be commenced on adjoining farms by other parties.

It is the opinion of experienced operators that a long stretch of good territory exists in that vicinity, and in the event of the wells already going down proving paying investments, of which there is little doubt, it will add materially to the future prosperity of Petroleum Centre.

We shall keep our readers advised in regard to this new territory.

The McLaughlin well, near Pitohole Centre, increased in production yesterday to six hundred barrels daily, at which rate it is now said to be flowing. In consequence the excitement is at a fever heat in that vicinity. It's hot and still heating up.

Capt. A. G. Oliver, of Brown Farm, Cherrytree Run, a day or two since purchased the Blakeslee wells—four in number—located on that farm, paying therefor the sum of \$11,000. The wells average about four barrels each daily. The Captain now owns sixteen wells on the Brown farm. A nice little income for one man.

Mr. B. O'Brien, of Lockport, N. Y., has a patent for manufacturing petroleum into a substitute for linseed oil. It is said to be a valuable invention.

Dr. V. McAlpine, the well known Dentist, owing to circumstances beyond his control, has concluded not to locate at Rouseville for the present, but will remain at Tidoute. He offers to do the fair thing by any of his old friends and patrons in Petroleum Centre and vicinity who may favor him with a call at Tidoute, or address him at that point.

The Presbyterian Mite Society will meet at the house of Mr. N. H. Payne, on the Egbert Farm, to-morrow (Thursday) evening. The public generally are invited to attend. A pleasant social time may be expected.

Look out for fire. Let the dreadful configurations of the past be a warning for the future.

The weather is cold and wintry to-day.

O. C. Cook is more than "coming."

The derrick and rig on Selden Whitbam farm has been pulled down and removed to "Cash-up City," the new oil town, situated about one-half mile south of the east branch of Pitohole Creek, four and one-half miles from here. Three wells are in operation, two of which are producing over a hundred barrels each. The whole hill is covered with derricks, buildings are rapidly going up, business of all kinds being started, and a general excitement is the result. It's closing around us, and we will have big wells here soon.

A well is going down on the Hinkley Farm, on Allender Run, three miles from this place. Shoff, Kepler & Co., are the proprietors. The indications are good.

It is said that E. E. Clapp has procured a charter for a bridge across the Allegheny at President, and will build it next summer, without fail. G. S. Hunter is talking of putting one across here, but there will not, probably be much agitation about it until the ice begins to run.—[Forest Republican.

The new steamer to be launched on Chautauque Lake next spring will be after the model of the "Sylvan Glen," plying on the East River—length of Keel 148 feet; over all 180 feet; beam 26 feet; held 8 feet; cylinder 40 inches; stroke 8 feet. Such a boat will make the trip from Mayville to Jamestown in an hour. The hull will be of iron built at Pittsburgh and put together at Mayville this winter. We are glad the enterprise has been started. It will add greatly to Chautauque Lake travel and ultimately be a paying investment of the \$60,000 capital subscribed.

A derrick is up, and drilling will shortly be commenced on land of Jacob Kiesinger, on Catfish Run, in Madison township, about two miles from the Allegheny river.

Mr. A. J. James, the well known pioneer oil man, who first developed the Pleasantville and other oil fields, is now making arrangements to put down several wells about Blyson Run and Mill Creek, if land owners give him sufficient encouragement. He is an experienced operator, and should be treated liberally.—[Clarion Democrat.

A few days since we published a lot of interesting Pitohole oil items. The Venango Citizen copied them without credit. The Titusville Courier credited them to the Venango Spectator. The Oil City Derrick did not give proper credit. The Jamestown Journal gave the Derrick credit. And finally the Lawrenceburg Independent gave as its authority for the same items the Emlenton Sun. Ever since we have been trying to fathom the mystery how the Phillips Bros. of Petroleum Centre, who the item stated were operating at Pitohole, could reside in every town in the oil region. It cannot was.

The impression having gone abroad since the death of Mr. Edward Vaughn, that the small pox prevailed in this vicinity, for the benefit of all concerned we would state that there is not a single case either in the town or neighborhood, consequently there is no cause for alarm whatever.

At Dr. Christie's City Drug Store can be seen some of the finest statuary and bronze lamps ever brought to the oil region. They are not only handy for household use, but are elegant works of art, and form an ornament that would grace the centre table of the richest family in the land.

The Pima Indians of Arizona made a raid on the Apaches, killed thirty-five and took eight children prisoners, and recovered the plunder taken the day previous from the white settlements.

The principal school house in Virginia City, Nevada, was burned last evening.—Loss nearly \$20,000.

The Relief Society of Chicago is aiding 60,000 persons. The amount subscribed for the sufferers in that city is \$9,500,000.—The cash subscriptions are \$2,050,000.

The Oil Creek & Allegheny Railroad Company have decided to establish their principal offices at Titusville.—[Erie Dispatch.

A clergyman met a bewildered young man out in Chicago avenue, while the flames were licking up the north side, who asked in bewilderment, "Where am I?" On being informed, he said, "Well, I've been married three weeks; I don't know where my wife is; but if she is burned it is the Lord's will, let her go. And off he started.

The vessel sunk off Madison, on Lake Erie, Friday night, was the Canadian schooner Juliette, Captain Albert Bassett, loaded with grindstones. All hands were lost except the cook, Wm. H. Thayer. The vessel and cargo will probably prove a total loss. Insurance unknown.

John Hall, a young photographer in Muscatine, Iowa, left the following note to explain his sudden taking off: "Gambling, debt, despair, suicided by poison."

An Indian, who thought to correct his better half, was dissuaded by the vigorous strategy of a pile of kindling wood.

The tooth of an elephant was found a few days ago in a gravel pit at Louisville, fourteen feet below the surface, which scientists say must have been there at least two thousand years. The skeleton, it is expected, will be found as the pit is extended. A petrified fish was taken from the same locality about ten days previous.

Darwin's theory has led to the extinction of one member of the human race. A young man drowned himself in England, leaving a note, in which he stated that the Darwinian theory had "proved men to be descended from monkeys," and therefore he did not wish to live any longer.

A Connecticut deacon nearly captured five boys who had been devastating his chestnut trees on Sunday afternoon. Shaking his fist after their retreating forms, he angrily shouted: "The sneaking little devils! If I had hold of 'em one minute, I'd—" and then suddenly spying his pastor on the scene, he impressively added, "I'd pray for 'em!"

Daniel Hilton, the employee on the McMullen well, near Pleasantville, became entangled in the rope used in drawing the tubing, and in this condition he fell, the rope tightening around his neck, breaking it and killing him instantly. The deceased leaves a wife and two small children.

The opium trade is increasing. The quantity brought to California during the six months ending September 31, 1871, from Hong Kong, China, and Yokohama, Japan was 32,350 pounds, valued at \$318,418.—The duty paid on this, at \$6 per pound, was 194,148. This is an excess over the previous six months of \$71,000, and over the six months ended September, 1870, \$116,000.

A Kansas City paper has a nice little romance about a rambling sport named Jack Barnes, who ran away from his home twenty-three years ago, and not heard from his relatives during that time. The family had removed to Melbourne, Australia, and in 1867 a cigar maker, who was coming to America, was instructed to search for the missing son. The latter came into the cigar store of the former in Kansas City a short time ago, and was immediately recognized by a family resemblance. The father was written to, and has forwarded ample funds to the runaway to return him, with the further statement that the prodigal is heir to a large fortune.

Advisors from Puerto Principe, Cuba, represent that the consequence of the great number of Spanish troops in that place the mortality is tremendous, typhoid and other malignant fevers abounding. Within three years the troops have lost 30,000 men by war, pestilence and famine, without counting the thousands of citizens added to the bills of mortality.

Mrs. Victoria Woodhull is going to sue somebody for refusing to grant her the privilege of the ballot-box. Anything will answer that keeps her name in the papers and continues to make it a synonym for public scandal. But the name ought to be changed. Instead of "Wood-hull" it ought to be "Iron-clad."

### NOTES OF THE DAY.

In Lanesboro, Penn. a flock of turkeys are making common caws with the crows against the grasshoppers.

To cure a cough, an English woman gave her infants some, syrup of poppies. Keable, was the corener's name.

Copener's juries at La Crosse call "probable murder" when a corpse is found with seven stabs in the back.

Melting up bricks and old crockery, and selling them for Chicago relics, is an extensive branch of industry at Detroit.

Theodore Woodhull and Victoria Tilton are nominated for President and Vice-President by a confused Western editor.

Cats are taxed three cents apiece in Paris.

A tough "teller"—a policeman's club.—[Ex.

The old English turfmen are going under—the turf.

New York is anxious to be Port-au-Prince.—[Boston Post.

The year's revenue from the Alaska post office was \$76.

There are now 13,000 Dakota Indians under missionary influence.

A courageous Fort Wayne has taken out his fifth marriage license.

About four hundred German immigrants have lately settled in Texas.

The surplus yield of wheat in Oregon this year is estimated at 1,500,000 cents.

An "incombustible wood factory" was burned out at San Francisco, Monday.

The total vote for Mayor of the City of Iowa Falls, Iowa this year was nineteen.

Jack Trebble is in trouble. On Saturday he indulged in the amusement of shooting two negroes near Grenada, Miss., killing one and fatally injuring the other, and the cruel officers of the law arrested him and put him in jail.

### Local Notices.

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| Western World,                | N. Y. Clipper,            |
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The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of M. L. Bates & Co., refiners of crude petroleum, at Petroleum Centre, Pa., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, E. D. Fisher and M. L. Bates retiring. The business will hereafter be conducted by George Stevens under the old name of the Monitor Oil Works.  
E. D. FISHER,  
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GEO. STEVENS,  
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